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## Chemetics Company Analyze Clay

Chemetics Company, one of the nation's largest producers of cosmetics, has informed Pat Memphis chamber a survey crew Memphis by no later than 10, to complete of Hall County certain clays of proper chemical composition beneficial in the use and to provide a basis for beauty products.

### A & M Bulletin Cites Terracing In Hall County

Hall County terracing was spotlighted this week in a College Station bulletin to all PMA offices in the state. We quote in part: "Assisted by the ACA program in Hall County farmers are constructing 570 miles of terracing during four and one-half months of the 1947 program. Many more miles of terraces have been planned for construction after the wheat harvest."

### Memphians Attend State Funeral Directors' Meet

Memphis funeral directors this week attended the Texas Funeral Directors' convention being held in Fort Worth Tuesday through Thursday.

Registration began Tuesday at Hotel Texas and 700 representatives were expected by Thursday morning for lectures under the auspices of the Texas State Board of Embalming.

Jeff Williams of Chickasha, Okla., spoke at a luncheon Tuesday, and conferences of officers and directors of regional and local associations were held Tuesday afternoon. Among the topics for discussion at the convention were return of service dead from overseas, public relations, and the Texas City disaster.

Those attending were entertained with ranch barbecues and dances. Attending from Memphis were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Spicer, who were at the convention Tuesday and part of Wednesday; Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Stewart, who arrived there Wednesday to attend Thursday; and Harry Womack, who is attending the lectures today.

### Tennis Doubles Tourney To Be Held At School

All men and boys in Memphis interested in entering a tennis doubles tournament starting next Monday are urged to contact Ray Newton at the high school, it was announced this week.

The tourney will be played in the evenings from 6 to 8 o'clock at the high school courts, and will probably run for a month or longer, Newton said.

### N. W. Durham Is Named To Red Cross Post

N. W. Durham has been named Home Service chairman for the Hall County Red Cross, it was announced this week by H. J. Howell, county chairman, and Mrs. Waunita M. Hutcheson, general Red Cross field representative for the Panhandle area, who was in Memphis Tuesday for conferences with Red Cross officials.

Mrs. Hutcheson talked with Durham about home service work. She said the home service facilities were mainly for service men, ex-service men and their families, but there were often families in the community who were aided by home service work.

She also discussed the recent fund campaigns with Howell and said that she planned another visit to Memphis during the late summer. Mrs. Hutcheson said that during her next visit she would confer with the local Red Cross chairman concerning the need for additional services. A number of services, such as nutritional and nursing services, are available if the need arises.

Mrs. Hutcheson has field headquarters at Plainview, and she works out of the St. Louis Red Cross office.

## Gemologists Will Offer Award For Native Stones

Earl Ferris, Hall County farmer and Childress business man, visited chamber of commerce offices here Monday to advise he would have a gem display at the Cotton, Chemurgic, and Ceramics Carnival, October 3-4.

Ferris said he and J. C. Estlack, Clarendon postmaster, would collaborate to present a similar display to the one they sponsored at the Globe-News Industrial Conference, a few years ago, which stole the show in public interest. Both men are recognized as outstanding gemologists and make a hobby of faceting gems from stones native to this area.

He said all persons having rough stones they believe suitable of producing gems should bring them to the carnival for display and appraisal. "We will work out some form of an award to offer the best such collection of native stones suitable for gem production," Ferris added, "and it will be an award attractive enough to encourage a region-wide search for such stones."

### Mrs. Lee Ford Is Injured in Wreck Near Claude

Mrs. Lee Ford of Memphis suffered cuts and bruises last Thursday morning when she lost control of her automobile on the outskirts of Claude and overturned three times.

Mrs. Ford, while driving alone on her way to work at the Roxie Cafe in Claude, had a heart attack, it was reported. The accident occurred at about 11 a. m. on Highway 287 near the eastern outskirts of town.

She was taken to a Claude physician's office, then transferred to a Memphis hospital by a Womack ambulance. Mrs. Ford is reported to be recovering satisfactorily. She was returned to her home Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Ford's children came to be with her when they learned of the accident. They are Virgie Lee Ford of Denning, N. M.; Marshall Ford of Borger, Mrs. G. A. Messer and daughter, Angeline of Littlefield.

### Interim Wheat Loan Price Set

The interim wheat loan price for 1947 has been pegged at \$2.08 at Galveston, which means about \$1.77 at Memphis. The announcement was made by press associations Wednesday, although the local AAA office has not received instructions regarding the loans as yet, ACA secretary Lynn McKown said.

McKown said the wheat loan price would probably be set within a few cents of the interim price of \$1.77, for eligible wheat. Last year's support loan price was set at 1.48 per bushel for U. S. No. 1.

### Lelia Lake Is Center Of Rain And Hail Storm

Lelia Lake was the center of a heavy rain and hail yesterday afternoon, starting about 5 o'clock.

An estimated 3 inches of rain fell, accompanied by hail which covered the ground. A wind, with an estimated velocity of 50 miles an hour at its height, accompanied the rain and hail storm.

Reports said all crops around Lelia Lake would have to be replanted. Light rain fell around Hedley and Clarendon.



An aerial view of the Memphis airport shows the relationship of the field to the city. It will be dedicated on July 26, the final day of the VFW rodeo and old Settlers' Reunion.

### Hailstones Were So Big That...

Dear Mr. Wells: In your issue of The Memphis Democrat of June 12 your news item in regard to the storm we had June 11 there seems to be a mistake as to the report I gave on the hail.

"The hail not only came thru the roof and ceiling of my house, but also came on thru the floor too. In fact, so much hail collected under the floor it froze all my water pipes before it melted.

It really was a big hail, the largest stones I have seen fall since May 1912. That year it hailed such big stones—Oh well, I'm sure most every one remembers it anyway.

"Hoping we don't get another hail storm until I, at least, get all my crops replanted, I am,

Yours truly,  
BURL SMITH.

### Hooser and Flynn Give KCTX Talk Monday Evening

W. B. Hooser, county agent, and Pat Flynn, chamber of commerce manager, told the people of this area of the many projects Hall County has underway and has planned for the near future in a broadcast over KCTX at 6:15 Monday evening.

Hooser and Flynn gave the program at the time of the regularly scheduled Paul Ord program. Among Hall attractions discussed were the Rodeo and Old Settlers' Reunion, to be held here July 24-26, and the many events being scheduled for the first annual West Texas Cotton and Chemurgic Carnival, to be held here October 3 and 4.

A number of Memphians were in the studio audience, including Mrs. Hooser, Mack Wilson, and Otis Moyer.

### Interim Loan Rate For Cotton Is Announced

An interim cotton loan rate of 24.75 cents per pound has been announced by the Department of Agriculture, according to Lynn McKown, ACA secretary. This rate applies to middling 7/8-inch cotton, "gross weight at average location."

Although this interim rate has been announced to take care of the South Texas crop, the interim rate usually holds throughout the season, McKown said.

Because of an increase in parity price the current interim rate is 4 1/2 cents above the 1946 interim rate, it is reported.

As in 1946, McKown said, it has been announced that discount and premium for all quality of 1947 American upland cotton will be based on actual market difference in grade and staple.

### Urges Entries In Swimming Meet At Shamrock

The Memphis chamber of commerce has received detailed instructions from the Plains Commission A. A. U. meet in Shamrock, July 10-11, along with the request at least one bathing beauty represent Hall County. As many entries as desired are welcome, Bob Clark, Shamrock chamber of commerce manager and director of the meet, wrote.

Swimmers and divers interested in attending the meet are urged to contact the local chamber offices immediately.

Clubs, organizations, and merchants wishing to sponsor a bathing beauty contestant should furnish this information as quickly as possible. The "Beauty" must be at least 16 years of age, unmarried, never been married, and must not have won any contest titles in 1946 or 1947, the rules stipulate.

## Ship 145 Carloads Wheat, Cars, Storage Become Acute

### Amarillo Invites Memphians To 'Cow Waddy Week'

James F. Smith, president of the chamber of commerce, has received the following wire from the Amarillo "Cow Waddy Week" chairman:

"Your chamber of commerce, every civic club, and every other organization and the entire citizenship of your community are invited to participate in Cow Waddy Week in Amarillo, commencing the morning of June 30 and extending through Sunday afternoon, July 6. There will be a parade at 11 o'clock Friday morning, July 4, led by Governor Jester. All entries for the parade are welcome. Request anyone desiring to have an entry to wire me. E. H. Foster, chairman, coordinating committee, Cow Waddy Week."

### C. G. Ellis Home Burns To Ground Last Friday

The C. G. Ellis home, two and one-half miles northeast of Pliska on the Judge A. S. Moss place burned to the ground Friday about 6 p. m. while Mr. and Mrs. Ellis and their five children were in the fields at work.

Nothing from the four-room farm house was saved, it was reported.

The origin of the fire is unknown, as there had been no stove, heater, or other fire in the house since noon, Ellis said.

### Farmers Invited To Submit Wheat Samples For Fair

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Hooser said farmers should bring in one-gallon samples of their best grain, together with sample bundles. From these the best will be selected to represent Hall County at the fair, Hooser said.

### Canyon Wins, Play Dickens Saturday Night

The Canyon Buffs came from behind a 7-0 lead at the first of the fourth inning to win 9-7 over the Memphis league team here Wednesday night.

Proceeds from the game went to Herschel Stewart, injured on the diamond last week, it is reported.

Memphis brought in 5 runs the first inning, 2 the second. In the first, Berryman hit a double, and came in on Keller's double. Keller came in on Stidger's double, Stidger scoring on Newton's single. Moyer hit a triple in the second, then came in on a wild pitch. Coppedge, who was walked, then came in on Berryman's single.

Keller struck out 4, and Ford fanned 3 for Canyon. The score by innings:  
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Memphis 520 600 000

Wheat shipments from Hall County have already exceeded last year's figure as 100 cars were shipped out by Wednesday morning, and 45 more cars were loaded, ready to go out sometime Thursday. According to reports from County Agent W. B. Hooser and J. J. McMickin, station agent, 71 carloads have been shipped from Memphis, 3 from Newlin and 26 from Turkey, through Wednesday.

Around 70 trucks loaded with wheat were lined up Tuesday night at the Hill & White, Farmers Union Gin, and Millam Grain Co. elevators, and Wednesday afternoon the waiting lines became longer. Trucks have been unloading at the elevators until the early hours of the morning, and elevators have been taxed to capacity each day, with 10 to 20 carloads being shipped out daily during the past week.

Thursday morning around 100 trucks over the county waited at the elevators: No shipping cars available.

### Mulberry Bridge Piling Washed Out By Storm

Two sections of piling of the Mulberry Creek bridge were washed out by swirling waters of the storm Wednesday night of last week, according to County Judge John Russell.

The piling, near the south bank of the creek, was too old to withstand the force of the rising water, Judge Russell observed.

A highway crew had completed repair on the piling this week, it was reported.

### Firemen Check Storeroom Blaze

Fire burned through the roof of a storeroom connected to a garage at the home of Mrs. J. A. Sessions on South 7th street Monday at about 8:30 o'clock.

Firemen, who were just winding up a drill session, rushed to the Sessions home and extinguished the flames before the garage caught fire.

The garage had been painted Monday, and cans of paint were stored in the garage, adding the danger of explosion, it was reported.

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An ample supply of tractor drivers and harvest labor is being reported. The supply of box cars is now on a day to day basis, it is reported, with indefinite allocations for the next day's shipping. Many trucks were lined at a standstill here late Tuesday night through Wednesday morning because of shipping space shortage. Farmers are beginning to pile wheat on the ground as shipping and storage shortage become acute.

Cars leaving here with wheat are not returning for additional trips to terminals as was expected, the cars being more often diverted to other grain areas after leaving here, it is reported.

Most farms are averaging the expected 25 bushels to the acre, Hooser said. Only one farm has reported less than 20 bushels to the acre, with some running to 40 bushels. The highest yield was 45.8 bushels per acre, on the J. E. Murdock farm. Murdock weighed in the first wheat in the county June 4, said also to be the first in the Panhandle.

J. J. James and sons of the Buffalo Flat community are the first to complete harvesting, and by Wednesday they had already plowed back their wheat land. They had planted 440 acres of Early Triumph wheat and sold out in time to get the premium \$2 per bushel price, Hooser said. Wheat is now running near \$1.85. James averaged 27 1/2 bushels to the acre.

Hooser said of the 36,071 acres devoted to wheat in the county this year, only around five per cent was destroyed by the hail storm last week. He said 118,000 acres were devoted to cotton, and large areas were being replanted after the hail damage, but no emergency existed, as local dealers were furnishing ample seed for replanting.

### CLAUDE'S COMMENTS

By J. C. W.

This is an uneasy time for farmers who have wheat nearly ready to harvest, or cotton just coming up. Most any little old cloud that appears at this time of year can do a lot of damage in a few minutes. When I placed an order for rain to come at intervals, I wanted the drip kind—kind—not the whole grain that sometimes assume baseball proportions. The wheat farmer who watches every little cloud that comes up and wonders if it carries hail as well as rain, sure has some worries. I believe I prefer to have a wheat crop many miles away. Then, if it is hailed out I won't know it until hours afterward, and at least the worry over what might happen is eliminated.

Taking the county as a whole, the average hail damage has not been high. But taking only the farms that have been hit, the damage has been great. The same applies to the cotton crop. Anyway, it takes a lot of intestinal fortitude for farmers to carry on year after year. All his work and expense in making a crop can go by-by in just a few minutes. And the whole world lives on what the farmers produce.

Lovers of flowers should watch the century plant being grown by Mr. and Mrs. Red Williams on North 10th street, for it will be

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### Tea in McMurry Home Compliments Mrs. Graziani and Miss Howard

Mrs. J. S. McMurry and Mrs. A. W. Howard were joint hostesses for one of the prettiest affairs of the early summer season when they entertained with a tea in the McMurry home, 210 North 10th street, last Friday afternoon complimenting their daughters, Mrs. Sante Graziani of New Haven, Conn., who is here to spend the summer with her parents, and Miss Gloria Virginia Howard, who has recently returned from Chicago where she attended Town School, a girl's literary school, and studied piano under Leo Podolsky.

The spacious McMurry home was tastefully arranged for the occasion and bouquets of yellow and white flowers added beauty to the entertaining rooms. A large bouquet of white and yellow snapdragons covered the mantel in the living room and was reflected in a mirror above the fireplace.

Mrs. W. C. Davis and Mrs.

Mary Bownds of Amarillo alternated in greeting the guests and the receiving line was formed by Mrs. McMurry, Mrs. Howard, and the honorees, Mrs. Graziani and Miss Howard. Mrs. Conley Ward registered the guests.

After the guests registered, Mrs. Charles Oren and Mrs. L. M. Thornton invited them into the dining room.

The dining table was laid with a lace cloth and centered with a large crystal bowl which held an arrangement of white calla lilies and yellow roses. The crystal punch service was placed at opposite ends of the table. Mrs. T. K. Treadwell, Mrs. Harry Womack, Mrs. W. C. Davis, Mrs. Herschel Combs, Mrs. Lloyd Phillips, and Mrs. C. C. Hodges alternated in pouring. An artistic arrangement of yellow rosebuds on the buffet further accented the chosen color scheme and yellow carnations were used in the

### HIGH IN FASHION



When Hope Skillman, New York fabric converter and stylist, appears before the Cotton Research Congress at Dallas, Texas, in July, she will receive a royal welcome in recognition of achievements in fabric design which have helped to bring cottons into high fashion. She works in no other fabric.

corsages worn by members of the house party.

Miss Laura Mai Hightower entertained throughout the afternoon with piano selections. To introduce the program Miss Sue Lynn Guthrie, accompanied at the piano by Miss Hightower, played two violin selections, "Intermezzo from Cavallera Rusticana," by Mascagni and "Serenade" by Poselli. Miss Howard, at the piano, concluded the program with "Fantasia in D Minor" by Mozart, and "Shepherd Hey" by Grainger.

Approximately 150 guests called between the hours of 4 and 7 o'clock.

Out-of-town guests attending were Mrs. Charles McMurry, Mrs. Lloyd Shelton, Mrs. J. D. Swift, Mrs. J. R. Bartlett, Mrs. Sam Lowe, and Mrs. Van Kennedy of Clarendon; Mrs. John Head, Mrs. Charles Dorsey, and Mrs. J. H. Jernigan of Childress; and Mrs. Roy N. Haggerty of Pass Christian, Miss.

### Orr Family Holds Reunion

Members of the Orr family enjoyed a family reunion last Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Orr at Plaska.

Dinner was served to Mrs. Bob Tiner and children, Cleva, Wayne, and Ann of Memphis; Dr. and Mrs. Wm. N. Orr and sons, Bill and Bob of Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. Leo Y. Orr and children, Coy D., Gale, and Alice of Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. Arvin H. Orr and children, Cloyce and Carolyn of Plaska; Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Orr and daughter, Lynda, Jane, and Ann of Wellington; Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Spenser and Vernice of Memphis; Mrs. Porter Orr of Little Rock, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Orr and daughters, Ouida and LaVerne.

Calling in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Orr of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. George Copeland and daughters, Mattie Lou and Dorothy, and Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Orr of Wellington.

### Elbert Johnstons Party Honorees

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Johnston and three sons, who are leaving Estellene soon to move to Kress, were honored with a party and covered dish supper in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Hutchins of Estellene Monday night.

In attendance were a large group of close friends and members of the Methodist church, and a bountiful meal was spread on tables placed on the lawn of the Hutchins home. Mrs. D. T. Eddins presented the Johnstons with a lovely going-away gift.

Enjoying this affair were Messrs. and Mesdames F. E. Leary, H. Clifton, Dave Waldron, W. H. Whaley, Jo Eddins and children, C. T. Jarvis, Fred Berry and children, M. E. Chandler, L. E. Cobb, W. L. Rigsby, E. N. Goode and sons, S. T. Hutchins.

Mesdames A. G. Huffmaster, Katie Phillips, Bertha Gore, Vivian Cooper of Turkey, Leslie Bruce and Ted, Alice Eddins, Sammie Sloar and Patsy, R. H. Whaley, Lonnie Gilbert, Swain Young and children, Bill Darby Echols, and honorees, Mr. and Mrs. Johnston and sons.

### Mrs. Prather Is Hostess To Members Of Sewing Club

Mrs. Claude Prather entertained members of the Friendly Sewing Club Wednesday afternoon of last week. During the afternoon members quilted a quilt for the hostess.

Enjoying the tasty refreshment service were Mesdames J. T. Nelson, Gorver Roden, Ira Foster, W. E. Beckham, Larry Simpson, A. O. Phillips, J. W. Webster, John Barber, Alvin Phillips, John Dunn, one visitor, Mrs. Henry Newman, and hostess, Mrs. Prather.

The next meeting is slated for June 24 in the home of Mrs. E. H. Stanford. This will be an all-day affair and members are requested to bring a covered dish, the reporter stated.

### Mrs. W. B. Funk Hostess Wednesday to Class Members

Mrs. W. B. Funk was hostess to members of the Truth Seekers Sunday School Class Wednesday afternoon of last week at her home in Memphis for the regular monthly meeting, with Mrs. A. B. Jones, president, presiding, and serving as co-hostess.

The program opened with the group singing "More Love to Thee" after which Mrs. Funk led in prayer. The devotional, taken from the 6th chapter of John, was given by Mrs. Bob Roberts and Mrs. Jones conducted the Bible lesson. The meeting closed with members repeating the Lord's prayer in unison.

During the social hour, tasty refreshments were served to Mesdames A. Womack, Bob Roberts, C. W. Broome, C. E. Gowan, Pearl Massey, S. P. Wells, Guy Kercheville, W. I. Glosson, A. B. Jones, Ella Johnson, C. Gerlach, W. B. Funk, C. E. Hankins, William Gerlach; one guest, Mrs. C. C. Armstrong.

Classified Ads Get Results.

### Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Lesley Bowman were Hedley visitors Sunday.

Mrs. H. M. Guest and daughter, Myrtle Howard, left Saturday night for Los Angeles where they will visit relatives for the next three weeks.

H. M. Guest is visiting in Grapevine this week with his son, Buddy Guest and his family.

Bob Fowler, student at Texas Tech, Lubbock, visited here with

his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fowler, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gip visited in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wichita Falls visitors.

Sunday visitors in Hankins home were Morris Reed and sons of

ton. Mr. Reed is a Mrs. Hankins.

Zeb Moore of Memphis visitor Monday

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### Dorcas Society Meets in Home of Mrs. J. B. Wrenn

The Dorcas Society met in the home of Mrs. J. B. Wrenn Thursday of last week. During the day one quilt was quilted by those present.

In attendance were Mesdames A. B. Jones, T. R. Blades, T. R. Franks, M. O. Goodpasture, J. A. Sessions, J. B. Wrenn, Frank Smith, and Nelson.

dren, Betty Jo, Ruth Ann, Virginia, Bobbie Lee, and Margie Louise, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nelson and children, Mary Lou, Bessie Jean, Carl Dean, and Grody Ray, Miss Helen Riding and son, Darrell Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Hull, Miss Laura Mays and daughter, Joyce Ann, and the hostesses, Mrs. Viola Hull and Mrs. Laura Riding.

### Single Ring Ceremony May 31 Unites Miss Betty Ables and Harry Rasco

Miss Betty Ables, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ables of Memphis, was married to Harry Rasco, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Rasco, also of this city, Saturday night, May 31, at 8 o'clock in the Presbyterian manse. Rev. B. L. Peacock, minister, officiated at the single ring ceremony.



MRS. HARRY RASCO

The bride wore for her wedding a grey traveling suit with black accessories. Her corsage was of white gardenias.

The bride is a graduate of the Memphis High School with the spring class having received her diploma May 23.

The bridegroom is also a graduate of the Memphis High School with the class of '44. He entered the U. S. Navy in January, 1945, and served in the Pacific at Pearl Harbor. He received his discharge from the Navy in August, 1946, with the rating of SC 3c and was awarded the victory

medal, and the A. T. and A.-P. ribbons.

The couple left Wednesday last week for Del Norte, Colo., where the groom will be employed with a frozen food locker system concern.

### Miscellaneous Shower Compliments Mrs. Eugene Burks, Recent Bride

A miscellaneous shower honoring a recent bride, Mrs. Eugene Burks, formerly Miss Colleen Tucker, of Estelline, was given by her friends in the home of Mrs. Daisy Kennedy of Estelline on the afternoon of June 11.

Hostesses at this occasion were Mesdames Daisy Kennedy, Edward Kennedy, Carl Fulton, J. E. Masterson, and J. B. Riddle.

Mrs. Daisy Kennedy asked the guests to register in the bride's book and then they were served punch and cookies by Mrs. J. B. Riddle, Mrs. J. E. Masterson, and Mrs. Carl Fulton. The refreshment table was lace covered and centered with cut flowers in pastel shades.

Mrs. C. E. Wilkinson played piano selections and Mrs. E. F. Kennedy read "Friendship" and presented the gifts with appropriate remarks. Hostesses and members of Mrs. Burk's Sunday School class carried the many useful and beautiful gifts to the honoree. Hostesses presented the honoree with an electric iron.

The invitation list included Mesdames John Chaudoin, Bertha Patterson, R. R. Eddleman, Carl Fulton, J. E. Masterson, J. B. Riddle, J. D. Coleman, C. D. Kennedy, Pete Davi, Nellie Burk, Bessie Coppedge, C. E. Wilkinson, Fred Meadows, Dave Walden, John Tucker, S. K. Jones, L. A. Tucker, Fred Berry, T. L. May, Joe Eddins, W. M. Whaley.

Mesdames J. H. Hayes, J. E. Huckaby, A. F. Loftin, Daisy Kennedy, Ed Kennedy, Pete Clifton, Jack Gresham, Bill Gresham, Jim Clemons, Bill Tucker, W. H. Tippett, Lester Phillips, Ben Jackson, Maude Chaudoin, Oscar Tucker, A. D. Britt, L. T. Wadell, Bess Coppedge, Leon Phillips, S. K. Jones, G. H. Gardenhire, Arthur Eddleman, A. Bailey, Jessie Adams, T. L. May, F. E. Leary, S. P. Phillips, Mattie Rigby, D. T. Walker, B. E. Glass.

Mesdames D. A. Wade, M. E. Chandler, L. E. Cobb, J. E. Longhine, H. M. Lang, C. O. Kennedy, Etta Billingsley, S. W. McDaniels, Misses Bobbie Davis, Mona Burk, Margaret Longbine, Jimmie Burk, Janet Gilbert, Pat Sloan, and Sammie Sloan.

### Needlecraft Club Entertains In Mayfield Home

The Needlecraft Club met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Henry Newman. Mrs. Mayfield presided during a brief business session, after which members devoted the afternoon to doing needlework.

Refreshments were served to Minnie Ferrell, Addie Hampton, Irene Bradley, Neva Hickey, Bonice McMillan, Pearl Massey, Zettie Baker, Buna Mayfield, one visitor, Mrs. Claud Prather, and the hostess, Mrs. Newman.

### Methodists Will Have Picnic At City Park Monday

The entire membership of the Methodist Church and the church school will have a picnic at the city park next Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock, it was announced this week.

All members are invited to bring a well-filled picnic basket, the announcement said.

### Ernest Neel Dinner Honoree Father's Day

Ernest Neel was named honoree at a surprise birthday and Father's Day dinner given Sunday in the Neel home.

Enjoying the day were Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Neel, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Neel and son Ernest Wayne, Mrs. Jennie Hill and son Fate of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Wallace of Littlefield, Mrs. Mildred Thornburg of Memphis, Tenn., Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fielding of Quail, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Neel.

Mrs. O. L. Hammonds and Shirley Ann McBee left Sunday for Fort Worth where they will visit for the next 10 days with relatives.

### Gertrude Rasco Entertains Pupils At Theater Party

Gertrude Rasco entertained her pupils with a theater party at the Hedley theater Monday night of last week. After seeing the picture, "Till the Clouds Roll By," which depicted the life of the noted composer, Jerome Kern, the pupils were served refreshments at the Hedley Drug.

The following pupils enjoyed the occasion: Bobbie Lee Hall, Mary Sue Seales, Anita Bain, Mary Alice Hunsucker, Corky Hunsucker, Carolyn Reeves, Don Reeves, Joyce McDaniel, Mrs. Adamson, Jo Anne Adamson, Barbara and Jacque Johnson, Mary Ruth Saunders, Joan Marie

### Locals and Personals

Wendell Harrison, of the Harrison Hardware Company, was a business visitor in Abilene this week.

Joe F. Miller, manager of the local store of the Heath Furniture Company, was a business visitor in Plainview this week, meeting with company officials there.

James F. Smith, president of the First State Bank, has been in Dallas most of this week where

Yoree, Pat and Marianne Lougan, Mrs. Trimble, Reatha Ransom, Lavelle Cherry, Nancy Nash, Mrs. Davenport, and the hostess, Gertrude Rasco.

he was officially inducted as treasurer of the Texas Bankers Association. Mrs. Smith accompanied her husband to Dallas while their son, James Jr., left for a boys' encampment near El Porvenir, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Bunch were Amarillo visitors over the week-end. Mrs. Bunch remained in Amarillo visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Golding.

Col. Ernest O. Thompson, chairman of the Railroad Commission of Texas, has notified the Memphis chamber of commerce he would "certainly be in Memphis" for the Cotton, Chemurgic, and Ceramic Carnival. He is one of a host of state officials who have pledged attendance for the occasion.

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### Beef Cattle Are Freed From Heel Flies With DDT

A big percentage of West Texas beef cattle that usually run off many pounds of flesh, trying to get away from heel flies, are grazing peacefully this summer. The reason: DDT fly spray.

In Roberts County, during the month of May, ranchmen sprayed about 24,000 head of cattle with DDT to control flies. County Agricultural Agent L. E. Breeding reports now that, unlike the old days, the animals are not seen running across pastures and kicking at heel flies. The DDT is getting horn flies, too, says the county agent, which is still another big money-saving feature of DDT spraying.

Although most of the month of May was rainy, the cattle that were sprayed before the rains still seem to be protected from the flies, says County Agent Breeding.

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### Dick Spoon Returns To Potts Chevrolet As Service Manager

Dick Spoon has returned to the Potts Chevrolet Company as service manager, Tomie M. Potts announced this week. Working with Spoon are three skilled mechanics who were with him at his former location, Potts said.

Spoon has served as a repair service manager for 14 years, Potts said, and is well known for the type of repair work he turns out. He said the service department was being modernized and work could now be turned out quicker. Chevrolet replacement parts are coming through faster now, he said.

Miss Elizabeth Benson of Hereford visited here last week with Miss Betty Lindsey. Betty returned home with her Sunday to spend this week in Hereford.

Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard left Wednesday for Abilene to visit her son, C. R. Kinard and his family. Charles L. Stout of the Amarillo Globe-News, visited here the past week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Stout, and at Estelline with his grandfather, L. D. Stout.

### 4-H'ers Adopt New Slogan for Rural Living

"Improve Rural Living by Making Home Surroundings More Comfortable, Convenient, and Attractive."

That's the slogan of rural youth taking part in the 1947 National 4-H Home Grounds Beautification awards program. The activity is conducted under the direction of the extension service in Texas and 41 other states. Its purpose is to encourage 4-H'ers to make and keep home surroundings attractive by correctly planting and caring for lawns, flowers, shrubs, and trees; removing unsightly objects from yards, and painting buildings and fences.

As incentives for superior home-landscaping records, merit awards are donated by Mrs. Charles R. Walgreen, Chicago, for the tenth consecutive year. Awards comprise silver medals, gold watches, and Chicago 4-H Club Congress trips, on county, state, and national levels, respectively.

Last year, county winners were named in Castro, Comal, Fort Bend, Frio, Grimes, Hall, Hardeman, Harris, Howard, Jones, Moore, Nolan, Somervell, Wood, Cameron, Camp, and Sabine counties.

The state winner in 1946 was Floyd Thomas Terrell of Plainview.

County extension agents will provide information and suggestions for carrying on this activity and helping 4-H members in reaching its objectives.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Woods and children of Iowa Park visited here Monday.

It was said 23 hundred years ago by the Greek, Xenophon, that "When agriculture flourishes, all other pursuits are in full vigor; but when the ground is forced to lie barren, other occupations are almost stopped, as well by land as by sea."

### Greens All Summer a Health "Must"



One Plant of New Zealand Spinach Will Fill a Bushel Basket.

Green, leafy vegetables are among the basic foods, which everyone should eat regularly to insure adequate nutrition. While men have eaten "greens" for centuries, scientific knowledge of their great food value is relatively recent, and its discovery astonished the scientists.

While those who buy their "greens" in markets must rely chiefly on spinach, which is easily grown and harvested, the home gardener will find Swiss chard, New Zealand spinach and kale to be his most reliable sources of green leafy dishes. Spinach provides a harvest only during cool weather, but chard and New Zealand spinach can be cut daily all summer long, and will constantly produce new, tender leaves for harvesting. Chard and New Zealand spinach should both be sown as soon as the ground has been prepared. Though the New Zealand plant is tropical in origin, its huge, hard seeds germinate best in cold soil. If you wait until the ground warms up they may lie dormant for several weeks, and often refuse to sprout. Chard should not be allowed to grow leaves more than ten inches long. Only young and tender leaves should be cooked. Just a few inches of the tips of New Zealand spinach branches should be cut for the harvest.

Kale is a fall and winter plant. Sown in June, the plants set out in rows two feet apart, they will produce leaves which stand freezing, and are improved in flavor by that experience.

Garden sorrel is a hardy perennial, which will live over winter and produce greens. It does best in light shade. The mustard family provides several varieties of greens which are much esteemed in the southern states.

All these varieties of greens are rich in minerals and vitamins, and are valuable in the diet. It is well for the home gardener to plant a small quantity of several kinds so that the family does not grow tired of greens. All produce a surprising quantity of food on small space.

### ESTELLINE

By MRS. FRED BERRY

Mr. and Mrs. F. Curtis and family of Vernon spent the week-end here with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Buren Ware of Amarillo visited in Estelline last week. They were accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Norma Ashley and son of Melrose, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Jo Bob Pruitt and family and Mr. and Mrs. H. R. King of Dumas spent the week-end here with her mother, Mrs. Sam Powers.

Mrs. D. T. Eddins spent last week in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Carl Jones of McLean and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Cobb and son of Newlin visited in the home of their parents Sunday.

Mrs. Lon Morton is visiting her parents at Canadian this week. Nathan Doyle Berryman of Amarillo spent the week-end here with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Jarvis entertained their children Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs.

Will Monzingo and children of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Mason and children of Silverton, and Mr. and Mrs. Jo Eddins and children of Estelline. Mrs. O. K. Young, Mrs. S. Young, and Mrs. W. B. Davidson attended a shower in Childress last Friday evening.

### CUB SCOUT NEWS

By Harold Aspgren  
The cubs of Den I met in the home of Mrs. J. L. Smith this week. Den mother, Mrs. Smith, says that all the cubs of Den I should bring wood and saws because we are going to do some handcraft work.

The following cubs were served punch, cookies, and sandwiches: Max McCoy, Billy Conibs, Jerry McQueen, Harold Aspgren, and Den Chief Charles Messer.

Next meeting will be Tuesday at 4:30 p. m.

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OLEOMARGARINE—All kinds, lb.	40c
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BAKING POWDER—25 oz. K. C.	23c
EGGS—Fresh Country, doz.	37c
WHITE KARO—Pint bottles	20c
VANILA WAFERS—Sunshine, box	15c
CHEESIT—Large box Sunshine	14c
MIRACLE WHIP—8 oz.	23c—Pints 45c
TEA—Lipton's, 1-4 lb.	27c—1-2 lb. 53c
COFFEE Folgers or Admiration, lb.	47c
TOILET PAPER—Scott Tissue, roll	10c
DREFT or OXYDOL, box	34c
LARGE IVORY SOAP, bar	19c
CHLOROX—Quart bottles	18c
BLACK PEPPER—McCormick's Pure, box	13c
TOMATO JUICE—No. 2 cans, 2 for	27c—46 oz. 27c
ORANGE JUICE—No. 2 cans	13c—46 oz. 31c
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE—No. 2 cans	13c—46 oz. 25c
SPAGHETTI—Franco American, can	16c
VIENNA SAUSAGE—Armour's Star, can	18c
PIMIENTO—4 oz. can	19c
TUNA FISH—Fancy Solid Pack, can	47c
VAN CAMP'S BEANS—No. 2 cans	19c
ENGLISH PEAS—Mission, can	16c
CORN—White, cream style, can	16c
CORN—Whole Grain, vacuum pack	18c
SPINACH—Heart's Delight, can	17c
TOMATOES—No. 2 cans, 2 for	27c
RANCH STYLE BEANS, can	13c
PEACHES—Large cans	31c
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COFFEE SCHILLING 1 lb. can	44
Shredded Coconut SWEETENED 1-2 lb. pkg.	39c
Frozen Foods NOVELTIES ON A STICK Cheerios, Popsicles, etc.	5c
OLD KING COLE Apple Cider VINEGAR No. 10 jug	46c
MISSION BRAND PEACHES In Syrup—Sliced No. 21-2 can	29c
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## 'M' SYSTEM

**"Growing Pains" Indicate Rheumatic Fever**

"Growing pains" suffered by children may not amount to much at the same time as the first warning of the disease, rheumatic fever, Mrs. Eloise T. Johnson, life education speaker at the Texas A. and M. Extension service.

Johnson, says Mrs. Johnson, rheumatic fever causes among school-age

children than any other disease in the United States.

Apart from "growing pains," other symptoms of rheumatic fever are loss of appetite and failure to gain weight; pain and swelling of first one joint, and then another, usually accompanied by fever, jerky movements of the face, arms, and legs, especially when the child tries to dress or feed himself; and unexplained crying spells.

Mrs. Johnson urges parents to guard against rheumatic fever. Although the "growing pains" may not mean anything serious, it is a good idea to take the child to a doctor and find out.

**Texas Editors Eat Turkey Steaks**



AMARILLO, TEXAS, June 19.—Texas Editors in annual convention in this Panhandle City lunched here today on turkey steaks, a new taste treat, which is in the process of development in order to make turkey a year round instead of a seasonal delicacy.

The editors, members of the Texas Press Association and the Texas Newspaper Publishers Association were guests at a luncheon at the Amarillo hotel.

Arrangements for the turkey steak luncheon were made by Ralph E. Jones, president of the National Turkey Federation, and C. S. Pryor, manager of the Amarillo Hotel. Shown above is Mrs. Oswald Wolf of the Alvin East Produce Co., of Austin, who processed the steaks.

Turkey steaks are boneless and there is no waste. The steak was developed by Texas A. & M. College, the Luling Foundation, and officers of the National and Texas turkey federations.

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**Future Readers of The Democrat**

Mr. and Mrs. Willie J. Roach of Memphis are the parents of Melton Junior, who was born June 14.

A son, Oren Lee, was born June 15 to Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Roach of Memphis.

A six-pound son was born June 13 to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Altman of Route 2, Memphis. He has been named Larry Ray.

Mrs. and Mrs. Joyce L. Montoe of Lubbock announce the arrival of a son born June 5. He weighed 6 pounds, 14 1-2 ounces at birth and has been named Ronald Gene. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Wenzel of Brownfield and Mrs. D. F. Monroe of Newlin.

A daughter, Helen Leatrice, was born June 16 to Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Jones of Estelline.

On June 13 a son, Curtis Dean, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Dial of Route 1, Lakeview. He weighed 6 pounds, 15 ounces at birth.

Mrs. J. F. Walker and daughters, Mrs. Marguerite Cochran and Mrs. Weldon Walker and son of Stamford are here visiting Mrs. Walker's sisters, Mrs. H. A. McCanne, Mrs. H. T. McCanne, and Mrs. J. R. Cannon.

Mrs. Sam Frank Wright of Louisiana arrived in Memphis this week to visit her mother-in-law, Mrs. Frank Wright, for ten days.

Ben F. Wright of Lubbock is here for a two-week visit with his sister, Mrs. E. W. Henderson, and sister-in-law, Mrs. Frank Wright.

**Hints For Towel Care Are Given**

Although towels gradually are getting back to normal in numbers, the quality, and sometimes the quantity, desired are not easy to find. Mrs. Bernice Claytor, Extension home management specialist, suggests several ways to make towels last longer. One way is to rotate the supply . . . don't use the same towels over and over. When towels are returned from the laundry, place them on the bottom of the stack.

If towels are stored for a long time without being washed, the fabric may deteriorate. Smoke, dust and moisture from the air combine to weaken cotton.

When washing towels, Mrs. Claytor adds, be sure to dilute a bleach if one is used. Too strong a bleach weakens the fabric. Drying towels in the sunshine is an excellent way to bleach them, but they should be brought in as soon as they are dry, because wind loosens the yarn at the corners and causes them to fray. In case this happens, she says, several rows of stitches along the edge will check the fraying.

Mrs. Claytor warns against ironing Turkish towels. She says that ironing mats the loops and the result is less absorbency. Ironing face and dish towels is permitted, but folding should be done by hand. Another trick in saving the life of towels is to fold them differently at times. This prevents too much wear at any one spot and keeps the towels from splitting along the creases.

To avoid mildew, hang up towels immediately after using so that air may circulate through them. Mrs. Claytor warns against leaving damp towels on bathroom floors or folded up. Another word of warning: When drying sharp knives on dish towels or razor blades on hand towels, take care not to cut through even one yarn of the flat weave.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Yowell returned to their home in Vallejo, Calif., last Friday. They had been visiting in Memphis the past three weeks with her mother, Mrs. Lou Hayles, and sister, Mrs. J. C. McClure.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Lewis of Houston were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Barber the past week-end.

The maid swore she didn't tell the wife what time I came in last night. All she said was that she was too busy cooking breakfast to notice the time.

**Best Beets as Big as Golf Balls**



When Beets Are Young, Their Tops Are Tender, and Rich in Vitamins.

Beets give a heavy yield for the space they take in the home garden; and can be harvested all summer long and served in many delicious ways.

The height of their quality is reached when they are as big as a golf ball; so several sowings at intervals are advisable to keep new crops coming to be harvested in their prime.

If you have trouble growing beets, it may be your soil needs lime. They are among the first vegetables to show bad effects from acid soil. It causes stunted growth, small roots, and too much red and yellow coloring in their leaves.

If your beets showed these symptoms last summer, be sure to spread lime or limestone screenings over your garden this spring. Beets also suffer from crowding after their roots have begun to swell. They always require thinning out, because each seed is really a cluster of seeds, and too many plants will always grow, too close together, no matter how thinly the seeds are sown.

Germination does not average as high as many other seeds, the federal standard being 65 per cent. It is usually advisable to sow seeds an inch apart. Let them grow until the tops are four or five inches tall, and the roots have made small globes; then thin them so that the plants stand four inches apart. The discards should be cooked, tops and roots together.

**Four Tons of Green Fertilizer Bought for Dime**

Is there a farmer in the house who would like to buy four tons of green fertilizer for a dime?

Dale Freiburger, county agricultural agent of Atascosa County, says that Joe Bomba, Pleasanton farmer in that county, figures he buys that much fertilizer for a dime when he inoculates enough seed to plant one acre of Hubam clover.

When Bomba planted his Hubam clover last fall, he put in 12 rows without inoculating. The remainder of the field was planted with inoculated seed.

From the time the clover came up, says County Agent Freiburger, the inoculated clover was easy to detect. It was full of blooms and covered with dark green leaves, while the uninoculated plants were much smaller and yellow covered. Making a

recent check on the amount of green material produced, Freiburger found 12,000 pounds per acre on the inoculated clover, and only 4,000 pounds per acre on the checkplot, a difference of 8,000 pounds of green fertilizer on each acre.

The cost of inoculating seed for one acre was ten cents, and that is how Bomba figures he bought four tons of green fertilizer for a dime.

Caution lights were invented for Scotchmen; it tells him when to start his motor.

In order not to pay income tax—secede from the Union.

Scotch sale of erasers to launder Kleenexes are reported on the increase.

Republicans claim the nation's "greatest economic disaster" was the day the Truman Haberdashery Company failed.

Most girls had rather be well formed than well informed.



To make a really super salad—one that'll have the whole family calling for "seconds"—follow this basic rule . . . use the finest of the freshest vegetables and greens. Freshness means flavor . . . cool crispness . . . eye-filling appetite appeal. And FRESHNESS means vegetables from MEMPHIS GROCERY because they're rushed to our market from the growers. They're nature's biggest food values—and ours, too, at our daily low prices.

- LETTUCE, firm heads, each . . . 10c
- VINE-RIPENED TOMATOES, lb. . . . . 17c
- CALIFORNIA CARROTS, 2 bunches . . . . . 15c
- KRAUT No. 2 1/2 can 10c
- HOMINY W. S. No. 2 1/2 can 15c
- TOMATOES No. 2 can 13c
- GR. BEANS WAPCO No. 2 can 16c
- JOAN OF ARC CORN No. 2 can 18c
- LIPTONS TEA 1-4 lb. . . . . 24c
- FOLGERS COFFEE Lb. . . . . 47c
- FROZEN FOODS GATE CITY Ice Cream pt. 20c
- Blueberries pkg. 39c
- Pineapple pkg. 42c
- Broccoli pkg. 39c
- Spinach pkg. 19c
- Corn pkg. 29c
- MIXED Vegetables pkg. 38c
- DRANO can 21c
- BABO 2 cans 25c
- CAMAY 3 bars 27c
- SOAP 27c
- VEL or Supersuds box 27c
- LIGHT CRUST FLOUR 25 lbs. 1.75
- MRS. TUCKERS SHORTENING 3 lb. jar . . . 1.05
- PURASNOW FLOUR 10 lb. bag . . 95c
- MARKET LEAN Pork Chops lb. 62c
- NO. 1 Dry Salt lb. 39c
- Tender Beef lb. 45c
- TENDER Club Steak lb. 55c
- Sliced Breakfast Bacon lb. 62c
- LEAN Stew Meat lb. 34c
- 2 LB. BOX Cheese each 80c

When Beets Are Young, Their Tops Are Tender, and Rich in Vitamins.

Beets give a heavy yield for the space they take in the home garden; and can be harvested all summer long and served in many delicious ways.

The height of their quality is reached when they are as big as a golf ball; so several sowings at intervals are advisable to keep new crops coming to be harvested in their prime.

If you have trouble growing beets, it may be your soil needs lime. They are among the first vegetables to show bad effects from acid soil. It causes stunted growth, small roots, and too much red and yellow coloring in their leaves.

If your beets showed these symptoms last summer, be sure to spread lime or limestone screenings over your garden this spring. Beets also suffer from crowding after their roots have begun to swell. They always require thinning out, because each seed is really a cluster of seeds, and too many plants will always grow, too close together, no matter how thinly the seeds are sown.

Germination does not average as high as many other seeds, the federal standard being 65 per cent. It is usually advisable to sow seeds an inch apart. Let them grow until the tops are four or five inches tall, and the roots have made small globes; then thin them so that the plants stand four inches apart. The discards should be cooked, tops and roots together.

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PURE PORK SAUSAGE lb. 45c

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LONGHORN CHEESE lb. 45c

TENDER CHUCK ROAST lb. 42c

KRAUT No. 2 Can 9c

HOMINY No. 2 Can 9c

CHILI BEANS No. 2 Can 9c

No. 2 Can MUSTARD GREENS 9c

Fresh Pineapple Av. 5 lbs. each 3 for \$1.00

Light Crust 25 pound bag \$1.69

Liptons 1-4 Pound 25c

FROZEN FOODS

FROZEN Crushed Pineapple pkg. 39c

BIRDS EYE Sliced Peaches pkg. 29c

BOOTH APRICOTS pkg. 42c

BOOTH Loganberries pkg. 63c

BOOTH BLACKBERRIES pkg. 63c

TENNESSEE Sliced Strawberries pkg. 61c

1 Lb. Jar 47c

ICE CREAM Pints 20c

SUPREME CRACKERS 2 lb. box 43c

AUNT JEMIMA MEAL 5 Pounds 39c

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# PERSONALS

Katherine Hawthorne of Abilene spent this week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Barber.

Mrs. Letha Chapman of Grand Prairie visited here Monday with her sister, Mrs. John Barber.

Miss Loretta Morris is visiting at Edgewood and Emory this week with relatives.

Mrs. D. F. Monroe has returned to her home in Newlin after visiting in Lubbock with her sons and their families, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Monroe and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Monroe and son Ronald Gene.

George Payne and son Donald made a business trip to Pampa and Amarillo last Thursday and Friday.

Miss Gladys Mixon returned to Amarillo Sunday after visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Mixon. She also visited Mrs. Baynard Carthell in

Plainview and Mrs. J. C. McBrayer and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Mixon of Dumas. Miss Mixon is employed with Southwestern Bell Telephone Company of Amarillo.

Mrs. George Payne visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Melton of Groom Thursday night and Friday of last week. Mrs. Lila Melton and Mrs. Nora Wyatt of El Paso were also guests in the Melton home.

Visitors in the George Payne home Tuesday were Virginia June, Lana Kay, and Gerald Payne of Lakeview.

Jessie Ray McBee, who graduated from Memphis High School last month, has gone to Fort Worth where he will receive training in refrigeration and electrical work under an uncle.

Mrs. Jeffrey D. Hoy and daughter Mary of Saint Paul, Minn., and Mrs. Bill Cowart and son Dickie of Chicago arrived Tuesday to visit their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L.

## FOR DANCING DAYS



Long, strapless and full-skirted—Helene Barbieri designed this young summer dancing dress for juniors in Hope Skillman's finely striped cotton madras. The panier hips and graceful skirt below a tightly fitted basque are reminiscent of colonial America.

## TO OFFER AWARDS FOR CREATIVE WORK AT COTTON CARNIVAL HERE

Individuals, Inc., of Dallas, New Orleans, New York, Houston, and Mexico City, have announced they would not only have an elaborate display in Memphis for the first annual Cotton, Chemistry, and Ceramics Carnival, October 3-4, but would offer a handsome award to some outstanding person of West Texas, according to Pat Flynn, chamber of commerce manager.

Flynn, meeting with the corporation officials in Amarillo over the week-end, secured their promise for local cooperation.

The firm deals in imports and exports. They were the first to meet government standards of the "Good Neighbor" policies and dedicate their efforts to inventions, talents, and products manufactured by the small operator and individual, hence its corporate name, Flynn said.

Miss Jessica Davon, founder of Individuals, Inc., and creator of the international-wide corporation, told Flynn she and associates would offer "A handsome trophy and suitable cash award" for the person or persons bringing the best exhibit to Memphis on the carnival dates, the winner to be determined by impartial judges. "We are seeking items created, designed, invented, or manufactured by individuals," Miss Davon declared. "We are looking for any item, of whatever nature, which has been produced or created by individuals who have the initiative and ingenuity to use natural resources of the area in which they reside, toward commercial development. It may be a hidden talent we are seeking; it may be a product, so we urge all who have hobbies, ideas, or a workable plan, to exhibit their brain-child in Memphis, October 3-4. The award will not only be outstanding," she added, "but the international recognition which will go with the prize will insure a productive future for the winners."

Miss Davon, accompanied by officials of Mexico and Central America, as well as United States boosters, will be in Memphis for the carnival dates along with their exhibits, and she will be a speaker on one of the events program. Following her conference with Flynn, Miss Davon left for Mexico City and Central American cities Monday.

Madden. They came by way of Dallas to visit Mr. Madden who underwent a major operation last week, and who will be home the last of this week. Mrs. Madden, who has been with her husband in Dallas, returned to Memphis with them Tuesday.

Mrs. Clinton Shelton and Mrs. D. C. Bownds and daughter of Houston are visiting here this week with Mrs. T. R. Franks.

Mrs. J. F. Newman of Oklahoma City was a house guest in the R. E. Duncan home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hays and daughter Patsy Sue visited in Vernon Sunday with Mrs. Hays' parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Berry, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Lemons and children Carol and David of Houston are visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McCanne, and his brother, R. C. Lemons and family.

Dinner guests Sunday in the R. C. Lemons home were Mr. Lemons' father, C. R. Lemons of Lubbock, his sister and her husband, Dr. and Mrs. V. G. Martin of Amarillo, and his brother and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Lemons and children, Carol and David, of Houston.

Mrs. E. H. Stanford, Mrs. Dot Webster, and Mrs. Joyce Webster and son Mike returned this week from La Junta, Colo., where they visited with Mrs. Dot Webster's father and sisters.

Mrs. A. P. Bralley and son Joe Bob of Amarillo are visiting here this week with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Alla Boswell.

J. D. Shankle has as guests this week Col. C. E. Shankle and sons, Cadet Joe Shankle of West Point and John Shankle of Fort Worth; Mrs. W. E. Gerlach and son Ted of Dumas; and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Stanley of Big Spring.

Advertise in The Democrat.

## Chevrolet To Offer New Line of Cars And Trucks Soon

Chevrolet will soon present a new line of commercial cars and trucks, Tomie M. Potts of the Potts Chevrolet Company said this week upon his return from Oklahoma City, where he witnessed a pre-showing for Chevrolet dealers in this area.

"Without doubt, the new line of Chevrolet trucks is the finest ever offered to the American public," Potts said. "In style, comfort, and hauling efficiency, the vehicles set new standards which are certain to secure the endorsement of all truck owners and drivers."

The new line of trucks will be shown in Memphis within the near future, the exact date to be announced later, Potts said. Truck owners and operators and all others interested in truck transportation will be welcome, Potts said.

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Johnnie Brewer, owner  
Corner 8th and Main

## BROTHER OF LOCAL MAN HEADS ARKANSAS BOARD

Floyd C. Howard, brother of A. W. Howard of Memphis and a former resident of Donley County, is president of the Dairy Breeders Association, Inc., of Huntsville, Ark.

The association was recently organized and began operations May 19, and the organization's service capacity of 1,000 dairy cows had almost been reached, according to the Huntsville Herald.

Mrs. M. T. Howard returned last Saturday from a visit with her son Floyd at Huntsville.

CARD OF... We wish to express our appreciation and friendship to our friends and neighbors for their kindness and help during the time of our bereavement. We are grateful for the beautiful flowers and the beautiful home you will have shown to us. The Democrat Class

# Thank

## To My Former Customers

To all the people who brought their repairs at the shop located at 320 N. 6th St. I want my sincere thanks. This business was really in my new location here at Potts Chevrolet still anxious to take care of the repair work and the friends of this firm. Nothing will be done to give complete satisfaction when a pickup is left in my care.

Remember where I am, and if I can be of any manner, please call upon me.

# Dick Spoon

## ANNOUNCING

The Return of

# Dick Spoon

As Service Manager

We are glad to announce the return of Dick Spoon to this firm as Service manager, along with the mechanics who were with him in his shop located at 320 North 6th Street.

Spoon served in this capacity for 14 years, until a few years ago, and is well known to the motoring public of this area for the excellent type of repair work he can turn out.

Plans are now underway to set up our service department in the modern manner. Work will be completed in a satisfactory manner, and repairs will be cut down. Chevrolet replacement parts are coming through in better order, assuring car owners a much better service.

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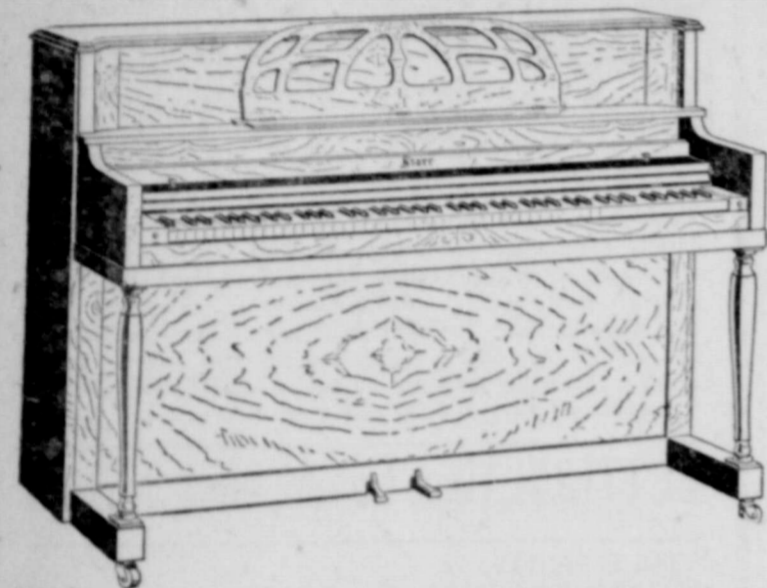


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# Bananas Are Business

on the Gulf. There he meets banana boats from lower Mexico. J. D. White, the buyer for the organization, is the man who makes these trips.

The bananas, upon arrival in Memphis, are placed in the insulated vaults, after careful checking and weighing. The refrigerated vaults have a 10-inch ceiling insulation, and a six-inch insulation in the walls.

"Some loads ripen more quickly than others," Fields explained. "It depends on their maturity and the temperature at arrival. But we can ordinarily ripen them in four to ten days, as we choose. If we want to hold them a few days, we bring the temperature down to around 65 degrees. If we want to ripen more quickly, the temperature is brought up to 70 degrees and a little over; 70 degrees is about the ideal ripening temperature."

When asked how he got into the unusual occupation, Fields explained that he had been in the



**SERVICE TO BOYHOOD** . . . America's elder statesman, Bernard M. Baruch, left, is congratulated by Walter W. Head, St. Louis, Mo., for his distinguished service to boyhood. Seven other prominent figures received similar awards at annual meeting of the Boy Scouts of America.



**THREE** little girls suffering from undernourishment in an Italian hospital where they will be nursed back to health with the vital supplies provided by American Relief for Italy. There are millions of children in Italy who have insufficient food and malnutrition is epidemic. The children shown are fortunate although all three are stunted in growth so that the garments they are wearing would fit American children two or three years older.

Although American Relief for Italy has already sent more than 50,000,000 pounds of relief materials to over 10,000,000 people, half of whom were children, the food

## Kenneth Hawkins in Charge of Market At South Side Gro.

Kenneth Hawkins is now in charge of the meat market at the South Side Grocery, Roy L. Coleman, owner, announced this week. D. R. Kelley, who has held this position for the past two years,

has made no definite plans, but is helping Mrs. Kelley in operating their store near the West Ward School.

Hawkins has been employed in several food stores during the past few years, both in Memphis and in other cities.

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### MIGHTY MAN

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KELLOGG'S CORN FLAKES IN THE WHITE,  
GREEN PACKAGE!  
ONLY SIZE THE ORIGINAL  
THE Kellogg

produce business for around 10 years, and he started to say that he "just drifted" into the banana field exclusively, when his assistant, J. D. White, interrupted.

"He made the decision while on a potato crate in a produce house," White said. "Last November we had just finished a long, tiring produce haul from Louisiana, and were sitting, just talking about the business. That was when Fields decided to really go into the banana business exclusively." They felt that by specializing in one product they could offer better service to patrons.

And they do. They now service Memphis, Hedley, Clarendon, and a number of other surrounding towns, up to a 200 mile radius.

"Every time we look up, the business has grown," Fields said. In Memphis it isn't "Chiquita Banana"—it's Leo Fields.

## State Boards Are Conducting Water Survey In County

The continued cooperation of every farmer and resident of Hall County, having a source of water supply other than the Memphis city supply, is urged by County Agent W. H. Hooser and chamber of commerce manager Pat Flynn.

Scores of property owners have brought in water samples the past two weeks for chemical analysis. Still, hundreds of samples are needed to complete the survey, Hooser declared.

The State Board of Health and State Board of Water Engineers are conducting a survey of Hall County's water supply. The findings will determine commercial, irrigational, and healthful possibilities. Each person submitting a sample will receive a certification from the state departments.

Samples should be in one-gallon glass jugs or jars, which do not leak. One sample submitted last week not only leaked but ruined a desk in the chamber of commerce office, Flynn said. The jugs should be rinsed thoroughly by the same water to be submitted, then filled from the well while pumping; never from a storage tank or barrel. Stoppers should be of cork or of the screw-top variety which still bears a new, cleaned wax-filter, inner top.

Health officials in Austin said they would also conduct a survey on the city supply of Memphis to determine if the service could be approved and certified.

Memphis is one of the few cities its size in Texas which does not have state approval of its water service, engineers said.

Local officials of the city supply have stated they believed the approval would follow the current survey program.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lindsey and daughter Pamela returned home today after visiting in Dallas since Saturday with Mrs. Lindsey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Gilmore.

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DOES	15¢		
CORN CONCHO—No. 2 Can	16¢		
LUNCHEON PEAS No. 2 Can	12¢		
RYED PEAS	18¢	SAUERKRAUT No. 2 1/2 Can	12¢
BEANS	75¢	SPRY 3 Pounds	1.35
DAP	12¢	TOILET TISSUE Per Roll	10¢
HAVE PLENTY OF BARTON'S DYAN SHINE			
HERSHEY'S Chocolate Syrup	15¢	MARCO MILK Tall can	12¢
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CHEESE	85¢	PORK SAUSAGE Per Pound	40¢
MEADOLAKE	45¢	MEADOLAKE Per Pound	38¢

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## PARADE of VALUES

FROZEN FOODS	COFFEE	43¢
ICE CREAM 25¢	ADMIRATION—Pound	
Hand Packed, pt.	SHORTENING	89¢
Strawberries 50¢	CRUSTENE—3 lbs.	
Sliced, pt.	BABY FOOD	7¢
	ANY BRAND	
FLOUR	BABO	10¢
LIGHTCRUST	TOMATO JUICE	23¢
25 lbs. 1.69	Hunts—46 oz. Can	
50 lbs. 3.40		
DRIED FRUIT	— MARKET —	
Apricots, 11 oz. 28¢	ARMOUR'S BACON ENDS	25¢
Peaches, 11 oz. 23¢	SLICED—Pound	
Dromedary	DRY SALT	29¢
Dates	Pound	45¢
	Pork STEAK	49¢
RAISINS	Pound	
4 lb. bag . . . . 79¢	Pork Chops	59¢
	Pound	49¢
CANNED FOODS	FRESH VEGETABLES	
KRAUT No. 2 1/2 Can	POTATOES	3.90
	Long White, 100 lb. sack	
MUSTARD GREENS	ONIONS	6¢
White Swan, No. 2 can	California Red, lb.	
TURNIP GREENS	BELL PEPPER	19¢
White Swan, No. 2 can	Pound	
ENGLISH PEAS	POTATOES	49¢
Pioneer, No. 2 can	10 lb. bag	
SPINACH	FRESH TOMATOES	12¢
Alma, No. 2 can	Pound	

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 "REX & RINTY"

Saturday Night Prevue, Sunday and Monday "The Shocking Miss Pilgrim" (In Technicolor)  
 Betty Grable  
 Dick Haymes

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday "The Man I Love"  
 Ida Lupino  
 Robert Alda

## PALACE & RITZ BARGAIN DAY

FRIDAY, June 20  
 "The Lone Wolf In Mexico"  
 Gerald Mohr  
 Eric Blore  
 Chapter 7  
 "JACK ARMSTRONG"

## Ritz

### Saturday "Landrush"

Charles Starrett  
 Smiley Burnette  
 Chapter 3  
 "JESSE JAMES"

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Hedy Lamar  
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those worn-out tractor tires to slow down your work in this busy farm season? See Monzingo Bros. for an attractive deal. Terms to suit. Full stock of Riverside tires on hand. 47-tfc

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 6-room brick house. Good location, hardwood floors, two floor furnaces.

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5-room brick; good location, hardwood floors, garage and garage apartment.  
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FOR SALE—Half dug-out, 14x26. See Cullin Taylor at Oil Mill Camp. 52-3p

FOR SALE—Newly papered and painted home on West Noel street. Six rooms and bath, concrete foundation and porches. Double garage and good cellar. On pavement; convenient to school, churches, and town. Call 410W. 52-tfc

FOR SALE—Brick duplex, four rooms and bath each side. Call 529. 52-3p

FOR SALE—New Perfection table top oil stove. Y. Z. Smith, 321 East Noel street. 52-3p

### BEST VALUES of THE WEEK

#### USED

- 4 Piece Bedroom Suite 49.50
- Dressers, your choice 7.50
- Round Oak Table 7.50
- Living Room Suites 15.00 to 69.50
- New Perfection oil Range 39.50

#### NEW

- Studio Couch 29.75
- 4 Piece Bed Room Suite 149.50

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Friday and Saturday June 21 & 22

### "Lone Hand Texan"

with Charles Starrett  
 Smiley Burnette

Sunday and Monday June 23 & 24

### "Rage in Heaven"

with Robert Montgomery  
 Ingrid Bergman

### NOTICE

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday pictures will be discontinued until further notice.

- 100% wool Army Blanket 3.75
- Bunk Beds (GI) 7.50

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7th & Main Phone 101-M  
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FOR SALE—Storm-proof cottonseed at \$2.50 per bushel. E. E. Cudd. 1-2c

FOR SALE or TRADE—1941 Ford Tudor, 1939 Ford Tudor, 1939 Chevrolet 4-door, and 1934 Ford. Also two used 10-38 tractor tires. J. D. May, Hillcrest Station. 1-3c

FOR SALE—Practically new bantam trailer, all metal, two good tires. Phone 147-J. 1-2p

FOR SALE—Good four-room house with extra lots. Close in. See Josh Lamb, Phone 282. 1-4c

FOR SALE—Baby buggy. Phone 413-J. 811 Montgomery. 1-2c

FOR SALE—Good gas range, kerosene heater, good 5-burner New Perfection oil range. Cheap. 720 Dover street, or call 526. 1p

FOR SALE—G-E refrigerator, good working order. Priced to sell. P. E. Gardenhire, 2 miles northwest of Newlin. 2-3p

FOR SALE—Good used piano. Call 184-W, or at 310 South 9th street. 1c

FOR SALE—640 acres, 41-2 miles west of Estelline; 320 in cultivation, 100 more could be cultivated; has nice 6-room stucco house; gas, lights, and good water, all built-in fixtures like houses in town; good 4-room tenant house; land will grow alfalfa; priced \$50 per acre cash. L. E. Gibbs. 2-3p

### Special Notices

POULTRY RAISERS, do your birds need a tonic? Try Dr. Salsbury's AVI-TAB, tested tonic. Helps layers with a real lift. Economical, too. Buy AVI-TAB here. Durham Pharmacy. 1c

MY FEED MILL in operation Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday until further notice. J. B. Estes, 1402 West Noel, Memphis. 52-3p

Tom Butler, water well contractor, Wellington, Texas, Phone 483-W, Box 229. 52-3p

NOTICE—Pianos tuned, repaired or refinished; new keys also available. J. E. McBrayer, phone 12, Lemons Furniture Co. 10-tfc

TERRACING and Dirt Moving. No job too small or too large. Let me figure with you when you need terracing or dirt moving done. Kelly Neighbours, Hedley, Texas. 43-13p

PUT YOUR MONEY in something good—Quality Venetian Blinds, made to fit your windows; wood, aluminum, and steel. See or write Ernest Darnell, Route 5, Box 80, Wellington, Texas, for free estimation. 51-8p

CLOCK REPAIR—Finis Allen, 321 North 7th. Phone 131-J. 52-3c

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We have just received a shipment of new bed springs and I believe I have the best price in town on new and used springs, and also on furniture.

We have plenty of full-size and twin-size innerspring units and can give one day service on any kind of mattress work. See us for good used ice boxes, radios, and all kind of used furniture and mattresses.

Let us make that old mattress into an innerspring and your mattress troubles will be over for many years. My work is guaranteed and any materials I put into an innerspring is the best that can be had. We don't slite any job just for profit—what we want most is satisfied customers. If we do any job that isn't satisfactory please tell us and we will make it right. Don't tell others—tell us.

MILLER'S FURNITURE & MATTRESS CO. Across Street North Post Office Memphis, Texas Phone 365-M 2-3c

POULTRY RAISERS—Quick-rid Poultry Tonic fed in drinking water is a positive flock wormer, repels all blood-sucking parasites, prevents coccidiosis and one of the best conditioners on the market. Sold and guaranteed by your dealer. 2-8p

### Wanted

WANTED—If you want that mattress fixed right—call Miller,

365-M. Don't send it out of town, let's keep our money at home and watch Memphis grow. 37-tfc

WANTED—Any kind of mattress work—one day service. Millers Mattress Shop and Furniture Store, 709 West Main, Phone 365-M. 37-tfc

WANTED—Several hundred tires to repair and recap. OK Tire Shop, West Noel. 7-tfc

WILL PAY CASH for good used pianos. Phone 12, Lemons Furniture Company. 46-tfc

WANTED—Custom plowing, one waying. Call 227, or see Leon Brown at Perkins & Brown Furniture. 2-tfc

RELIABLE MAN with car wanted to call on farmers in Hall County. Wonderful opportunity. \$15 to \$20 in a day. No experience or capital required. Permanent. Write today. McNESS COMPANY, Dept. A, Freepost, Ill. 2-2p

### For Rent

FOR RENT—4-room house. Call 280, Mrs. T. D. Weatherby. 1c

ROOMS FOR RENT—(Adults.) For Sale, cross ties, block of timber, 98-egg incubator. East Brice street. T. B. Creach. 2-3p

### LOST and FOUND

LOST—About two weeks ago, one 8x10 brown heavy tarp around Estelline. Return to or notify Earl Miller Mattress Co. or R. R. Way, my driver that lost it. Thanks. J. E. Miller, Memphis, Texas. 2-2c

### Comments

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in full bloom in a few days. Century plants are supposed to bloom once in a hundred years. If that is so, there won't be many of us here to see the Williams plant bloom again.

Many homes sported beautiful flowers and shrubs up to a week ago, and the hail playing havoc to the extent that there are few places of beauty in town this week.

Taking time out for three days of relaxation this week-end. Some 500 Texas publishers will gather in Amarillo for their annual convention, and I want to be with them.

The one and a half million dollar wheat crop of Hall County is now being harvested and will be in full swing by the first of next week. Around the elevators and grain buyers the trucks are lined up for blocks awaiting their turn to unload, as well as waiting for more railroad cars. Looks like a busy fall season when cotton gathering is in full swing.

The bottle-neck of railroad cars has already started, and many farmers will be forced to pile their wheat on the ground for weeks, perhaps months. It was believed at the outset of harvest there would be plenty of cars to keep the wheat moving, but most of the cars have been routed to seaports, and therefore will not return for more loads as was at first expected.

Wheat is bringing a little under two dollars per bushel—a mighty good price for a commodity that has run the gamut of prices from 20 cents to \$2.50 a bushel. Last year's wheat crop brought such a good price that many more farmers sowed wheat last fall who had never before tried growing it. The pasturage during the winter was worth the cost and effort, and adding a good yield at a good price, wheat is bringing to the county a lot of money in what is normally a dull time of year.

Memphis and Hall County have been coming in for a lot of favorable publicity lately, and the citizenship of the entire area is getting in line to help push her resources to the front in a big way. If certain planned movements materialize, as it is desired, there is not a person in the county who will not materially benefit therefrom. This is no time for anyone to drag their feet, but time for all to push, and it will take the combined efforts of every organization and each individual to bring about desired results. There is no place in the county for a knocker.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Long spent the past week-end visiting in Erick and Elk City, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Davis of Grant, Okla., arrived in Memphis today for a visit with her niece, Mrs. Marion Long and Mr. Long.

Mrs. Ray N. Hagerthy of, Pass Christian, Miss., is visiting in Memphis with her aunts, Mrs. Frank Wright and Mrs. E. W. Henderson.



CHARLIE SCHULTZ and his "bucking Ford," a featured specialty act at the Rodeo to be held here July 24-26.

## HiWay Department Farm-To-Market Road Policy Set

The State Highway Commission today released details of a new state-wide policy on Farm to Market Roads, which will permit an expansion of the present state operated Farm to Market Road program.

It was explained in the Highway Commission's new policy that the federal funds made available by the Postwar Highway Act of 1944 for the construction of secondary or Farm to Market Roads, covering a three-year period, have all been earmarked for specific roads throughout the state. Approximately one-half of this work has been placed under contract and, consequently, no additional funds from this source are now available.

The commission's statement also noted that no additional funds on the national or state level have been made available for the expansion of secondary or Farm to Market Roads.

The numerous requests from officials and citizens from all sections of the state for the designation, construction, and maintenance of additional Farm to Market Roads indicated the need of some type of additional program to provide at least for the more urgent and immediate needs in the rural areas of Texas.

On behalf of the Highway Commission, state highway engineer Dewitt C. Greer explained, "This new policy of the Highway Commission has been formed to place into operation the new laws passed by the Fifth Legislature relative to this type of road."

Mr. Greer pointed out that "a law was passed at this session giving permission for the counties, road districts, etc., and the State Highway Department to enter into a cooperative plan of construction of Farm to Market Roads by a pooling of finances."

He said, "Two additional laws were passed that will tend to yield additional revenues for Farm to Market Roads on the county level. One of these covered the distribution of the surplus of the one cent of the gasoline tax that goes to the Board of County and District Road Indebtedness. This law will tend to give more money from this source to the smaller counties of Texas. The other law is the constitutional amendment covering the abolition of the state ad valorem tax and permitting such tax to be assumed by the counties for the construction of Farm to Market Roads and other things."

Mr. Greer explained that "under the new policy of the Highway Commission, if a county or road district desires additional Farm to Market Roads and is willing to furnish the right of way and 75 per cent of the actual construction cost, the State Highway Department will provide the engineering and 25 per cent of the construction cost from its funds, and will provide for the future maintenance of the road, which item alone generally equals the construction cost over a period of fifteen years."

Mr. Greer further pointed out that in the commission policy it was necessary, due to the limited finances of the department, that a ceiling of not more than \$100,000 in construction costs in any one county in any one year be used to give state-wide distribution under this plan.

About 1,600,000 pounds of beef are lost each year by Texas stockmen due to infestations of cattle grubs.

### Mr. Farmer

It is time to have those disks rolled to prepare your land for another wheat crop. We have a new disk rolling machine. Bring us your disks to roll.

HOGGATT & SON  
 Lakeview, Texas

## Dish Washing Can Be Simple Task

That ever-present task of washing dishes can be a simple, fast operation, according to Mrs. Florence W. Low, home management specialist of the Texas A. and M. College extension service. She offers a few short cuts along this line.

She says that while dishes are drying, wipe the glasses and silverware that have been rinsed in hot water, preferably boiling. A spray attached to the faucet is an easy method of rinsing, or if a pan of boiling water is used, vegetable tongs can be used to take the dishes out to drain. A cupboard placed just above the drain board is handy to put the dishes away after they have drained.

Baking dishes, Mrs. Low says, cut down on the amount of dirty utensils; in these containers, food can be cooked, served, and put away in the refrigerator without the use of other dishes.

"This will probably shock most grandmothers," Mrs. Low says, "but there might be just one dishwashing period a day. Of course the supply of dishes, size of the kitchen, and the kind of draining surface used will determine this."

Mrs. Low believes that a great amount of fatigue from dishwashing is due to improper heights of sinks. A sink too high makes it necessary for the housewife to stretch her muscles to the point of tiring and a sink placed too low, causes her to stoop. A wooden rack can be placed under the dishpan if a sink is too low. If the sink is too high, a platform to stand upon should be handy.

## Good Wheat Seed

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seed, and a red tag denotes No. 2 certified seed. Many grain dealers and seed houses in addition to the growers carry certified seed along with good seed not many generations away from certified seed.

Maintenance of seed field: Size of seed field should be about one-tenth of entire wheat acreage. Plant the good seed on clean ground after treating the seed with a seed disinfectant to control seedling blight and stinking smut. Clean grain drill before going to proposed seed field. Drill seed field in ordinary manner, but set up fixed boundaries by means of stakes or fence posts. It is preferable but not absolutely necessary to keep all implements and livestock off the seed field. Harvest the seed field with clean equipment and store in absolutely clean, well-ventilated bins.

Insect control in storage: Frequent examinations of the stored grain should be made to note any insect activity. If the presence of insects should be noted a good insecticide should be used, but great care should be exercised in insecticide use due to the explosive and harmful vapor properties of some insecticides.

For greatest satisfaction from the good seed that has been increased or purchased, the regular

## Add Scholar To 4-H Frozen Food Program

State winners in national 4-H Frozen Food program have the honor to win a \$200 college trip, in addition to a Chicago Congress trip, the committee on boys and work has announced. "To further encourage how to freeze national scholarships have been added awards provided by Harvesters," the committee announced. "Last year's winner could compete for a national award, and she receives the national scholarship. County awards remain the 1946."

In this activity, learn the foods to be frozen, and to be preparing, packaging, and storing. They are also to demonstrate the supply of home-grown farm, and to show variety that freezes to the home-raised.

County extension provide information for carrying on

## Announce Award Schedule 4-H Program

Here's good news Members in Texas. An all-expense-free Chicago trip winner in the 1943 Safety Program. sectional winners awards. There will be recognition this year increases the possible Chicago trip winners from 16 to 46.

Last year's state winner was Billy Pat of Lakeview, who won 100 U. S. Savings Bonds.

Medals of honor of five members in the program, a plaque also provided. Motors to the most outstanding program in the state will be awarded.

The program is under the direction of Agricultural College vice.

wheat acreage should be prepared in advance of the farm.

Once the farm brought to a good no more to produce than poor wheat.



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## Field Seeds

STILL AVAILABLE

We still have most of the kinds of field seeds that are planting at this time. Also still have stock of garden seeds. Another truck load of that good MERIT FEED unloaded into our store. Here you can find feed you want at prices which are in line.

FOODS FAMOUS FOR FLAVOR The brand of foods we handle tell the story known for their flavor and their quality—you want to buy. Come in and select several items loaded shelves. You, too, will like to buy your YOUR BUSINESS ALWAYS APPRECIATED

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## News Events of the Day--in Pictures



**IN HIS GAME . . .** As young fellow patients look on from Philadelphia Shrine hospital, Henry is given the thrill of listening to tips on his favorite sport from three Pennsylvania stars, left to right: Ed Allen, Bernie Gallagher, Arthur Littleton. Henry hopes some day to be well enough to boot the ball to football stardom.



**DAIRY FARMERS SALUTED**—June is dairy month in Texas by official proclamation of Gov. Beauford H. Jester. The proclamation is a tribute to 338,000 dairy farmers in Texas who own 1,400,000 milch cows, valued at \$150,000,000 and which produced four and one-half billion pounds of milk in 1946 with a net value of \$100,000,000. During the past 20 years Texas has advanced from twentieth to eighth place in value of dairy products.

With Gov. Jester, seated, when the proclamation was issued were, left to right, Henry Mueller of San Antonio, state chairman for dairy month; Mayor Wendell Mayes of Brownwood; Mayor R. J. Kroeger of Harlingen; milk producer Hardy N. Hay of Route 2, Waco; State Health Officer Dr. George W. Cox of Austin; Bryan Block, of Marshall, president of Texas Dairy Products Institute; and milk producer H. S. Barton of Buda.



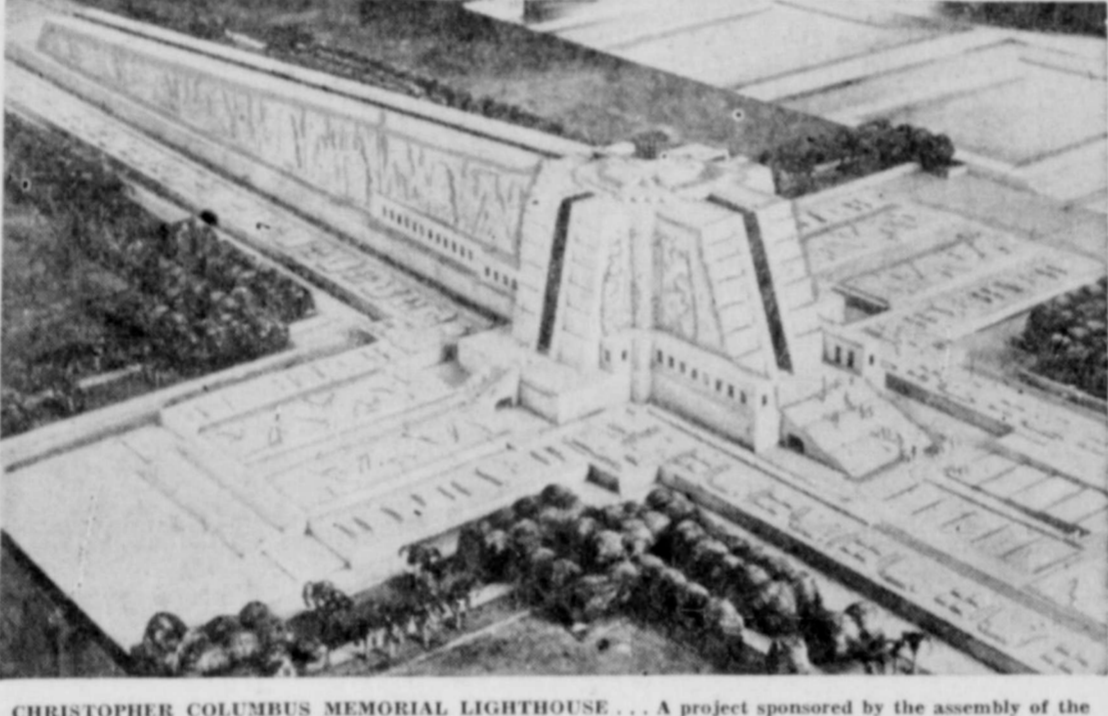
**FAST-MOVING MECHANICAL HOE**

Because he always thought there was an easier way to chop cotton than by hand with a hoe, Riley Dabbs, Monroe County, Miss., farmer and sawmill operator, began work four years ago on this mechanical cotton chopper. Getting its first test on Cotton Belt farms this season, the chopper reputedly can thin 30 acres of young cotton at a cost of \$7 for the day's operations.



**CHAMP RIDER . . .** Donny . . . Los Angeles, was born on a motorcycle, likes like a veteran, don't bradrides, trick stuff comes, as shown as he rough spots in the

**CHAMP DRESS MAKER . . .** Miss Erna Bicker, 16, junior at the Jane Addams High school, Cleveland, O., who won the national sewing contest among 400 entries in 50 cities. Her winning dress was a two-piece linen affair.



**CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS MEMORIAL LIGHTHOUSE . . .** A project sponsored by the assembly of the United Nations and the Pan American Union has been given impetus by Pres. Rafael L. Trujillo of the Dominican Republic for Christopher Columbus memorial at Ciudad Trujillo, Dominican Republic. The memorial, shown above, will be a flat lighthouse 1,200 feet long and 120 feet high and will resemble a giant recumbent cross. The bones of Columbus will be entombed in the main building which will house a Pan American museum containing Columbian and historic relics of the Americas. The cost is estimated at five million dollars.



**CHAMP SWEEPER . . .** Joey Hoffman, 11, Latrobe, Pa., sweeps the floor and cleans the blackboard of his school room at recess. He wants the world to know it isn't because he is an "old maid." Those chores aid him in practicing with the two artificial legs which replaced those amputated two years ago because of a bone disease. He says that artificial legs are not "so bad."



**HOPING SOME DAY** to ride a real horse is 5-year-old Jeanie Monteith of Nugent, Texas, a patient at the Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children, Dallas. Giving Jeanie a ride on a new hobby horse is Dr. Marshall T. Steel, pastor of the Highland Park Methodist Church, Dallas, who will deliver the principal address at the 10th annual memorial service on the hospital grounds June 15. Services are held each year to honor men and women of Texas who have died and left bequests in their last wills and testaments to carry on the work of the hospital. Dr. Steel's address will be broadcast over the Texas State Network at 3 p.m.



**INTERNATIONAL MONEY . . .** Andrew N. Overby, New York City, who was selected by President Truman to be U. S. executive director of the International Monetary Fund. He was formerly with the state department.

**BEST TEACHER OF 1947 . . .** Miss Aline Neal, a teacher in the fourth grade, Duling public school, Jackson, Miss., has been named "the best teacher of 1947" in nation-wide contest conducted by radio's Quiz Kids. She received \$2,500 for advanced study at university of her choice.



**Two GI Students**  
 Two World War II veterans seek the answer to a chemistry question at North Texas Agricultural College, Arlington. Gerald B. Smith, Grand Prairie, standing, is 44, and the young man holding the text is 19-year-old Robert Cummings of Dallas.



**RAISED HIS BOY TO BE A SOLDIER . . .** Brig. Gen. Robert M. Montague, Fort Bliss, Tex., who was graduated from the U. S. Military Academy in 1919, is shown with his son, Cadet Robert M. Montague, Jr., at the beginning of June week at West Point. The general has cause to be proud of his son, for Junior is "honor man" of the 1947 class and received his diploma from Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower.



**CROWNED DAIRY QUEEN . . .** Miss Evelyn Friddy, Pickerington, Ohio, who was crowned dairy queen at the Mid-America exposition held at Cleveland. She will make a personal appearance tour of various Ohio cities during this month as a feature of traditional Dairy Month. Queen Evelyn is shown admiring "Miss Mid-America," calf born at the exposition.



**HEADS SHRINE . . .** Karl Rex Hammers, Pittsburgh, Pa., who was unanimously elected imperial potentate, highest office in the Shrine of North America, at the recent 73rd annual convention held at Atlantic City.

**YOU'RE IT . . .** John L. Lewis, UMW leader, appeared before house labor subcommittee and charged about everyone in administration for Centralia mine deaths. In return it was charged that Lewis ignored reports of cancer in the mines.



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# Six-Inch Sermon

BY REV. ROBERT H. HARPER

Enduring Contributions of the Nation

Lesson for June 29: Psalms 119: 105; Isaiah 2:2-4; Micah 6:1-8.

Memory Selection: Isaiah 2:3.

The first verse of the lesson text tells of the supreme contribution the Hebrew nation has made to the world—the Bible. That Book has one grand peculiarity that distinguishes it from all other books—the revelation of God and all the blessings of the truths God has made to men.

Consider the mighty facts we have learned from the Hebrews and from Christianity, which was built upon Judaism—God, Jesus Christ, the immortality of the soul, heaven, the infinite worth of every man in God's sight, democracy, brotherhood, love, and others. Through Judah comes the dream of peace which is even now the hope of men. Isaiah writes that the Lord's house shall be exalted on the mountains and all nations shall be attracted unto it. And men shall beat their swords into the implements of husbandry, and learn of war no more.

Micah, in calling Israel to account and impressing the need of sincerity of heart above the observance of religion, brings a good lesson to the Israel of God, to the citizens of the kingdom.

The Christians of the world have reason to be grateful for the blessed contributions the Hebrew race has made to them. Instead of a distant attitude toward members of that race in their midst, and neglect of them in the ministry of the Gospel which has come through the Great-est of their race, let us deal kindly toward them because of the blessings which have come to the Gentiles through Israel.

Texas farmers could save millions of dollars worth of rainfall each year by doing more terracing and contouring on cropland.

## CHURCHES

### CHURCH OF CHRIST

Carlos D. Speck, Minister

LORD'S DAY—9:45 a. m.—Bible study.

11 a. m.—Morning worship.

8 p. m.—Evening worship.

TUESDAY—3:30 p. m.—Ladies' Bible class

WEDNESDAY—8 p. m.—Midweek service.

You are cordially invited to attend these services.

Tune in KCTX, Childress, for Gospel sermon each morning at 10 o'clock.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

C. R. Tennison, Pastor

"In the Heart of Memphis for the Hearts of Hall County"

We believe in a church which serves the community. You have a cordial invitation to attend all the services of the First Baptist Church.

SUNDAY—9:45 a. m.—Sunday School; a class for every age.

11 a. m.—Morning worship service.

7 p. m.—Training Union.

8 p. m.—Evening worship.

9 p. m.—Young people's fellowship hour.

WEDNESDAY—7:30 p. m.—Teachers' and officers' meeting. Young people's song service.

8:15 p. m.—Wednesday evening prayer service.

### FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

B. L. Peacock, Pastor

Sunday School—10 a. m.

Worship Services—11 a. m.

Evening services—6 p. m.

Westminster fellowship—6 p. m.

Choir Rehearsal Wednesday, 7 p. m.

Session meeting first Tuesday in each month.

We extend to you a sincere welcome to make this church your place of worship.

### ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

Floyd Schaeffer, Pastor

### SUNDAY

9:45 a. m.—Sunday School.

11 a. m.—Morning message.

8 p. m.—Evangelistic service.

WEDNESDAY—8 p. m.—Bible study.

2:30 p. m.—Women's Missionary Council.

SATURDAY—8 p. m.—Christ's Ambassadors service.

Everyone is always welcome at all services of this church.

### FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Charles E. Boatman, Minister

SUNDAY MORNING—10:00—Bible School.

11:00—Morning worship.

11:15—Communion.

11:30—Praying.

SUNDAY EVENING—7:45—Evening worship.

A church dedicated to the restoration of New Testament Christianity. You are welcome.

### LAKEVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH

L. M. Clements, Pastor

Sunday School each Lord's day at 10 a. m.

Clyde Davidson, superintendent of Sunday School. A class for every age.

Preaching at 11 a. m.

B. T. U., 7 p. m.

MONDAY—W. M. U., 2:30 p. m.

WEDNESDAY—Prayer service, 7 p. m.

A friendly church in a friendly community. Everyone has an invitation to come and worship at this church. The church needs you, and you need the church.

### FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

C. C. Armstrong, Pastor

9:45 a. m.—Sunday School, W. D. Young, superintendent. Bring the family to Sunday School and stay for the morning worship service.

10:55 a. m.—Morning worship service. Sermon by the pastor.

7:30 p. m.—Fellowship groups.

8 p. m.—Evening worship service. Sermon by the pastor.

WEDNESDAY—6 p. m.—Young people's choir rehearsal.

7:30 p. m.—Senior choir rehearsal.

You need the church and the church needs you. A cordial welcome awaits you at the services of this church. Come, worship God with us.

### LESLEY BAPTIST CHURCH

F. F. Higginbottom, Pastor

10 a. m.—Sunday School.

11 a. m.—Morning worship.

8 p. m.—Training Union.

9 p. m.—Evening service.

### CORRECTION

In a story last week concerning activities of the Salisbury Sewing Club an erroneous statement was made in connection with the list of those donating to Boy's Ranch through the club.

It was stated that Sam Moore owns a ranch in New Mexico. While both Sam Moore and Alfred Hutcherson were listed among donors, it was Alfred Hutcherson who donated a truck load of horse-drawn implements, having converted his ranch in New Mexico to mechanized farming.

## PERSONALS

Mrs. Woodrow Martin of Springfield, Tenn., arrived in Memphis this week for a month's visit with her parents' Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Duren.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Speck and son Randy of Falfurrias are visiting here this week with his parents, Minister and Mrs. Carlos D. Speck. Week-end visitors in the Speck home were two of Minister Speck's nephews, Oliver and Robert Knight, who are students at Abilene Christian College.

Mr. and Mrs. George Greenhaw had as guests the past week-end their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Regnal Greenhaw, and Mrs. Adeline Sclemore, all of Amarillo, and Mrs. Greenhaw's sister, Mrs. Jim Forbes of Long Beach, Calif. The group visited in Wellington Sunday with relatives.

Miss Mona Brooke of Dallas is visiting here this week with her aunt, Mrs. J. M. Lane.

Herschel Montgomery visited Sunday in Shamrock with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Montgomery, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McClendon and daughter Suzanne of Fort Worth visited in Memphis Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Thompson.

Myrtle Wood returned home Monday after spending two weeks in an Amarillo hospital following a major operation. She made the trip home in an ambulance.

Ira Lawrence was a business visitor in Hereford Wednesday of last week.

Mary Wells was an Amarillo visitor last Thursday.

Mrs. Jack Boone and son Jackie have been in Houston and Robstown for the past three weeks visiting with Mrs. Boone's sisters, Mrs. W. F. Lewallen and Mrs. Herley Younts.

Mrs. Lee Chitwood and Mrs. T. A. Boles have gone to Washington for visits with friends and relatives. Mrs. Boles will visit in Yella with her son, and Mrs. Chitwood will go to Yakima to visit her daughter and son. They plan to be gone about two months.

Mrs. Charles Levi and Richard Stotts visited relatives in Fort Worth several days the past week.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lawrence Friday night and Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hicks of Portales, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wagley and son Joe Ray of Eldorado,

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lawrence and daughter Linda Rue, Preston Ivy of California, and Jeff Lawrence of Eldorado, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McNeely and son Bobby of Navasota arrived last Saturday for a visit here with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. McNeely.

Dr. and Mrs. M. McNeely and M. H. McNeely were business visitors in Sudan Tuesday.

Mrs. R. C. Walker visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Walker of Plainview last week-end. Mrs. A. D. Ray of Oklahoma City was also a house guest in the Walker home. On the evening of June 2 they attended the commencement exercises in the Texas Tech stadium where a large number of students received their degrees. Among the number was Jack Walker who received his degree in the division of commerce, bachelor of business administration.

David Rasco, feature writer of the Amarillo Globe-News, accompanied by his wife and daughter, were brief visitors here Sunday night. Rasco is touring the Panhandle area on behalf of his publication, seeking features of general interest and crop stories, he said.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Craft of Jacksboro arrived Sunday for a visit with his sister, Mrs. Laura Craft, 510 South 10th street.

Mrs. J. A. Merrick left this week for Duncan, Okla., to be with her daughter, Mrs. George B. Miller and family of Shamrock

who are spending a few weeks there for Mrs. Miller's health.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Morgensen spent the week-end in Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Paulsel.

Mrs. Ira Phelps and children arrived Saturday for a visit with her father, G. W. Sexauer.

Mrs. Marjorie Batson and sister, Mrs. Mary Bownds, of Amarillo visited relatives and friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sexauer had as guests Sunday her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hurd of Childress, and her aunt, Dr. Lillian Roberts of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bernard and Mrs. M. T. Howard returned Saturday from a two-week visit with relatives in Huntsville, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wolf and son Wayne of Belin, N. M., are visiting here this week with Mrs. Wolf's mother, Mrs. Ollie Tribble.

Mrs. S. T. Harrison and sister, Mrs. Clabaugh of Mangum, Okla., and Pearl Hague visited in Big Spring from Thursday until Monday with relatives.

Guests in the Herschel Combs home the past week-end were

Mr. and Mrs. John E. and daughter Lynda J. Mrs. L. A. Dickey, and Brewer and daughter Lou, all of Wellington.

Mrs. T. L. Rouse Thursday night for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Rouse, who has been visiting several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Rouse, accompanied her to her Dallas.

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# Complete Harvest And Crop Censuses Taken In County

The county agent's office has completed a survey of acreage in Hall County, showing each farmer's acreage to be planted in cotton, corn, sorghum, and other crops, together with individual harvest needs, as has been announced. Hooser urged, however, that any individual harvest data be reported to his office immediately on 24 hours notice.

He said that combines and harvest labor could be used in 24 hours notice. The census showed 11,260 acres devoted to cotton, 10,000 acres to grain sorghums, 10,000 acres to sweet sorghum, and 10,000 acres to alfalfa. It was very important to get the office up to date on the large wheat process such as Ochiltree and be harvesting about the time. While it is being combined and labor will take complete care of all farmers to insure

this, Hooser emphasized. He said even though a farmer may have reported on harvest data earlier, if there is any change in harvest data it should be reported.

This is the first time that a complete questionnaire census of crops and harvest estimations have been made at this time of year, being necessitated by labor, combine, and shipping problems, Hooser said.

Although the harvest will run to 40 bushels to the acre on some land, average wheat yields will probably be between 20 and 25 bushels to the acre, he said.

Mr. and Mrs. James Evans of Lubbock visited here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Evans, Father's Day.

## PARNELL

By MAE PAUL

Mr. and Mrs. Parge Winn and children, Frances and Lotus, were week-end guests in the Tom Weatherly home in Fort Worth.

L. T. Winn is in Mineral Wells for a few days medical treatment. Winn Weatherly of Fort Worth is here visiting relatives.

Miss Louise May of Newlin visited Miss Nita Jean Trapp Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Mills were Tuesday night guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hutcherson.

Mrs. Gene Burk, Mrs. Preston Mills, and Mrs. J. W. Haggard, all recent brides, were complimented with bridal showers at the Parnell Church Wednesday afternoon of last week.

There will be a bridal shower at the Parnell Church Monday afternoon in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Orcutt.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hutcherson and Wayland Marcum were visitors in Quitaque Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Tomlinson of Amarillo and G. A. Tomlinson of Stillwater, Okla., visited in the C. E. Burk home Monday.

Mrs. C. E. Burk and Billy, and Misses Louise May and Nita Jean Trapp visited in Amarillo Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Satterfield are the parents of a baby girl born June 11.

Announcement has been received of the arrival of a baby boy born to Mr. and Mrs. Don Lester of Amarillo. Mrs. Lester is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Potts of Parnell.

Mrs. Maggie McGlockin was a guest of Mrs. L. T. Winn Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Parge Winn and Mrs. W. H. Neely were Memphis shoppers Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey DuBoise and children, Tommy and Jean, who have been living in Georgia, moved back to Texas last week.

Mrs. Carl Hill and Rita Jean, Mrs. Mae Weatherly, Mrs. Maggie McGlockin, and Greta McQuiston shopped in Memphis Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. R. N. Mothershed left Friday for Wichita Falls to visit her sister, Mrs. Willard MacCatherin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hill and Rita Jean attended the ball game in Memphis Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Potts and Herschel visited Mr. and Mrs. Don Lester and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Potts of Amarillo Sunday. Mrs. Potts remained for a few days' visit.

Mrs. Maggie McGlockin was a week-end guest in the home of Mrs. Mae Weatherly.

The wheat harvest is in full swing.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hutcherson and Wayland Marcum were Amarillo and Canyon visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Berryman of Memphis were guests Sunday in the home of J. Warner Cope. Euell Admire and son of Dallas



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## The Bookshelf

New books at the Carnegie library as announced by Mrs. W. V. Coursey, librarian, are:

**KINGSBLOOD ROYAL** By Sinclair Lewis

Part of a review by Rex Stout: "The hardest story for a reader to get out of, once he is in it, is the one that might, for all he knows, be about him. And there are millions of Americans who cannot be certain beyond peradventure that they will never be faced by the astounding problem that confronts Neil Kingsblood in this book. True they regard the possibility as so remote that they call it non-existent and they would be shocked to their toes if they suddenly found themselves in such a fix. And so was Neil Kingsblood, but that is what the story is about."

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visited last Wednesday with the Brumleys.

Mrs. Jack Tucker and Mrs. Jack Nelson and children of Newlin visited with Mrs. Jack Brumley Sunday afternoon.

If you have news for this column please bring it to me by Sunday night.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all those who gave money, clothes, shelter, and food and helped us in our hour of need when our home burned last Friday. May God bless you all.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Dennis and daughter, Miss Dink Dennis, and granddaughter, Miss Marjorie Stone, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Martindale in Childress.

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## PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Baldwin and Dr. and Mrs. James Baldwin visited in Clarendon Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Forkner of Amarillo visited here Sunday with his father, Sam Forkner.

Mrs. C. R. Sargent and daughter Vanona are visiting in Clarksville with relatives this week.

Paul Frisbie of Port Orchard, Wash., is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Frisbie, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Johnson spent Father's Day in Lefors with Mrs. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McCool.

Mrs. S. D. Churchman and daughter Mona of Clarendon were Memphis visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Clyde Roden and daughter, Janice, returned to their home in Dallas Saturday after a visit here in the home of Mrs. Roden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mabry. Bob Roden remained for a longer visit with his grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Frisbie and son Duke and Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Frisbie were Alvord visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Jim Nail and daughter Shirley returned home Wednesday of last week after a visit in Lufkin. Accompanying them to Memphis were Mrs. Nail's sister, Mrs. Anna Easley, and Mrs. Belle Wood, who will visit here two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Baker had as guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Warren Dinwiddie and daughter Elizabeth of Amarillo. Mrs. Dinwiddie is a sister of Mr. Baker.

Mrs. J. E. Morrow of Hollis visited here Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. H. H. Lindsey and family.

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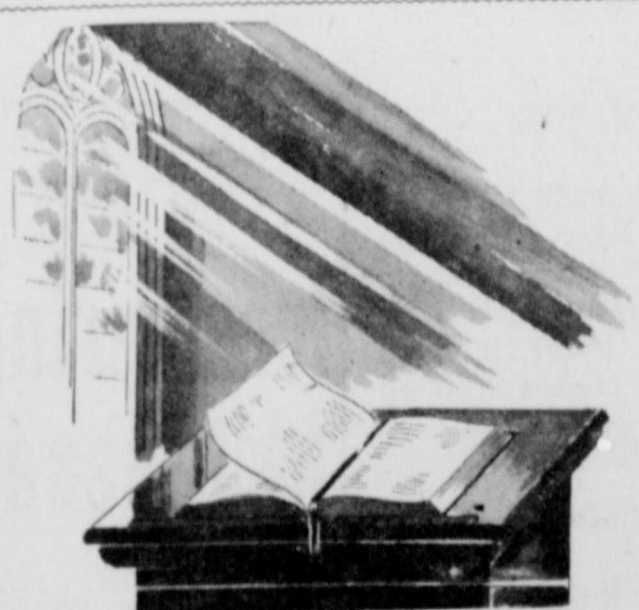
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### The Voice Of The People

Editor's note—this space is open to all readers of The Democrat for the purpose of expressing their opinions on any and all subjects. All signed letters will be printed here upon request, so long as they carry clean, unambiguous material. The following should be considered the opinion of the writer, in no manner reflecting on the editorial policies of the newspaper.

#### SCHOOLS

Yes, speaking of schools, that reminds this writer, that back in about the year 1836 when Texas declared its independence from Mexico, the founders of our Texas government believed in education, and so believing, set aside large blocks of lands as an endowment fund for schools.

From that time on schools were established in towns, villages, and rural communities, the boys and girls attended school and so did many grown-ups who had been deprived of attending school in earlier ages. It appears that those founders of the government had education as one of the main ideas of building a better government, so the system of education in Texas was to be as good as the best, and all people were to have the privilege of attending school and getting an education.

In the course of time, better schools were maintained in Texas cities, towns, and rural communities, until at one time in the not far distant past, there were rural high schools equal to those in the cities and towns, some teaching two years, some teaching three years, and others teaching four years high school work; better buildings were built and modern equipment installed, and the idea was to take the schools to the boys and girls, make it convenient and interesting for them, so they would become more interested and attend school for a longer period of time. There being a few who would not attend school, our legislature saw fit to pass a compulsory school attendance law covering certain ages, and also the free text book law; so then with good buildings, equipment, and free text books there was little cause for the boys and girls not to attend school. The schools were so located in the country so that there were no children who lived more than two miles from a city, town, or rural school. With several million dollars invested in school buildings and equipment in the rural or country communities, it appeared that our educational system was going to be the best and flourished for a number of years.

Not too many years ago something happened to our school system and many people have been wondering what it was that happened; some say what's wrong with our scholastic enrollment, it's not what it was a few years ago, it is less. Well, that is easy to answer, there are not as many children as there were a few years ago. But alas, that is not the trouble. Somebody, that is some wise man, supposed to be an educator and a believer in education, conceived the idea of closing up the rural schools and transporting the children into the town and city schools, furnishing buses for such transportation; and so many communities lost their schools and also lost the community spirit, but not the taxes for the building built and no longer used being occupied by

the bats or torn down had to be paid for.

I suppose that everyone will agree that for a small child six or seven years old would and could get a better start in school and a better education by standing on the roadside at 6 or 7 o'clock each morning waiting for the school bus, and many times waiting in the cold and rain for the bus that never comes; and then that same child would be unloaded back at that same place at about 6 or 7 o'clock in the afternoon. Perhaps it is good for the children to ride 25 to 50 miles in a bus to get to school each morning and then the same distance to get back home. Many of the children would have to and do walk as far to get to the bus stop as they would to get to the country school house. So I suppose that all that traveling before and after school is good for the child, and the real way for it to get an education. Oh, yes, it is good for it, to wear it out and tire it down and cause the child or children to become disgusted with school. Going to school under conditions of that kind has caused many boys and girls, even in our great state, to quit school and be deprived of that education which they were entitled to and that the builders of our state wanted them to receive.

Some people will disagree with this writer, but having been connected with the schools of Texas directly and indirectly for more than 40 years, I am only giving facts as they have been and are today. It is a well-known fact that the bus system does not operate in the manner that it should with the present roads, cannot make the trips when the weather is bad, and that causes many children to miss school.

Some people seem to have the idea that consolidating schools in various ways, bringing the children all into the larger schools, will reduce school tax or not raise tax. To a very great extent that is wrong, because it takes money to buy buses, to hire bus drivers, and to maintain the buses; then there is another item. The school buildings in the abandoned districts and also in the receiving district that are not paid for must be paid for, and many times new buildings erected in the receiving district; and how can you expect to reduce taxes or even keep them as they are at present time?

I think that the founders of our great state Texas did a fine job in making provisions for their public school system and I have many times thought of the boys and girls of our rural communities and hoped for them better rural schools near their home. It appears to me that when the authority of the people is diminished and placed in the hands of the chosen few it impairs the security of our liberty. Shall we say that the lights of liberty have gone out, or shall they shine bright and clear from our windows in the future?

Another Interested Citizen.

#### ALABAMA SCOUTS HERE

"Cap" Ezell, scoutmaster, and 16 scouts from Troop 15 of Aniston, Ala., were visitors in Memphis Tuesday afternoon.

The scouts, traveling in a truck adequately embellished with signs concerning their journey, were on their way to Yellowstone Park, the scoutmaster said.

The scouts said they planned to stay overnight at Lelia Lake.

### PLASKA

By MRS. W. T. HAYNIE

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hickey spent the week-end in Turkey visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mac Hale.

Mrs. Claudine Haynie spent the week-end in Memphis visiting Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bloxom.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Harris spent the week-end in Pampa.

Mrs. H. S. Foster and children left Friday for Abilene for a visit with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Ball.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Orr and family of Littlefield spent the past week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Orr and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stephenson and son of Santa Fe, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Stephenson of Durant, Okla., visited over the

week-end in the J. T. Dennis home.

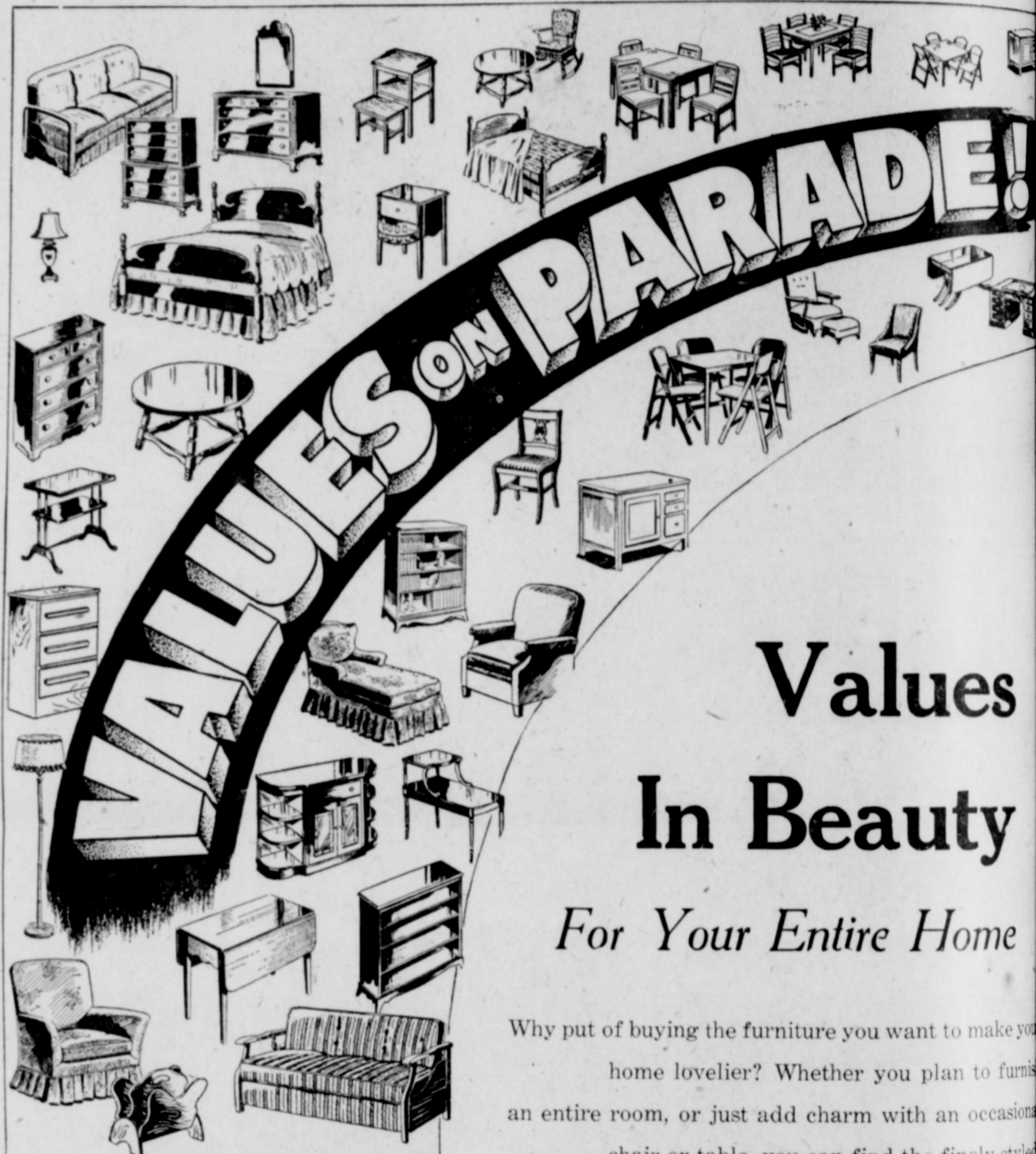
Mr. and Mrs. Blufford Barrett and children, Bobby Jack and Jimmy Spry, and G. D. Hall visited Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Dennis Sunday.

W. E. Murdock was honored with a Father's Day dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Murdock in Memphis. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Williams and girls, Mr. and Mrs. J.

E. Murdock, Mr. and Mrs. John Murdock and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Spannagel and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Kenith Hawkins and son, Mrs. Claudine Haynie and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Murdock and son of Littlefield, Cecil Galloway, Miss Estelle Sweatt, J. H. Foster, Robert Eugene and Jerry Galloway, John Whitfield, W. E. Murdock, and Mr. and Mrs. Edd Murdock.

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### Mary Whaley Joins C of C Office Staff

Miss Mary Whaley is the new secretary assistant at the Memphis chamber of commerce assisting Miss Maria Baskerville in preparing the host of letters and publicity releases on the Cotton, Chemurgie, and Ceramics Carnival, October 3-4.

### Memphis Wins Amarillo Game 3 to 1 Tuesday

The game with Amarillo Tuesday night, predicted in most quarters to be a one-sided affair, turned into one of the tightest ball games of the season as 18-year-old Henry's 16-strikeout hurling dropped the batting average of dependable Memphis hitters. Memphis won by a score of 3-1.

With neither team scoring by the second of the sixth Dennis had hit a left field single. He made it around to third. Then Berryman sacrificed to bring him in.

Gibson came in for the next run in the seventh, and Coppedge scored in the eighth after having hit a single to left field, then coming in on an Amarillo wild throw.

Amarillo made the lone score in the seventh, when Farmer got the only triple of the game off to left field, then made it home as Lauder hit.

Henry Walker one; McKnight walked one for Memphis, and struck out 8. Memphis got 5 hits, Amarillo 4. Moyer singled, Dennis singled, Coppedge singled twice, and Newton singled. No doubles were hit, Farmer of Amarillo hitting the only triple.

The score by innings:  
Amarillo 000 000 100  
Memphis 000 001 11x

### Fires Caused By Faulty Wiring, Makeshift Repair

"Amateur wiring or overloading of electrical equipment may cause a disastrous fire on your farm," County Agent W. B. Hooser said today, urging farmers to get competent electricians to make any changes desired for the summer months.

"Most farmers think they are good electricians but the fact remains that faulty installations and "handy-man" repairs are causing a constantly growing number of farm fires."

Hooser particularly warned against overloading circuit with temporary wiring for power tools and other machines. "Don't put in homemade extensions to the barn or other buildings. A faulty installation can easily set your barn on fire," he warned. "Be careful with portable lights, too. Don't let them touch flammable material. Hay or grain dust is particularly explosive."

"If you do have an electrical fire, use an Underwriter's approved carbon dioxide or vaporizing liquid fire extinguisher to put it out. Every farmer should have one of these types of extinguishers hanging near electrical installations. Don't use water," he emphasized. "Water can conduct the electricity into your body with very unpleasant or even fatal results."

Putting pennies in blown-out fuses can also cause a bad fire, Hooser said. "Falling to replace a blown fuse properly is just like tying down the safety-valve on a boiler. It's a bad risk."

"The best way to play safe with electricity is to have a responsible electrician inspect all wiring, motors, incubators, and brooders for possible fire hazards, and install any temporary wiring necessary for the growing season," Hooser said.

Mrs. Elmer Fisher and Mrs. Lafayette Pounds and daughters of Vinson, Okla., visited here Sunday with relatives and friends.

### MEMPHIANS ATTEND FIREMEN'S CONVENTION

Among the Memphians attending the State Firemen's Convention in Amarillo last week were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Clayton, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Godfrey, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Baten, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Richie, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Briscoe, Mr. and Mrs. Hooper Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Sturdevant, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Saye, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Aspgren, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Huggins, Marjorie Rogers, Bill George Kesterson, Lester Grimes, Lloyd Ward, and H. M. Stinnet.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Gardner and son J. G. Jr., and Miss Winnie Cassels visited in Paducah Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Davis.

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## Editorial

### THE CONSUMER ALWAYS PAYS

Some of our State legislators, especially younger ones, seem to have the impression that the State government can spend all the money it likes, send the natural resources industries a bill for the cost, and everything will be hotsy-totsy.

To judge by the prodigious imposts proposed on oil, gas and sulphur in pending bills, those industries are viewed as old Santa Claus in person, a sugar-angel with an inexhaustible treasury from which the most lavish extravagances can be supplied at no cost to the general public.

Those who indulge such fancies are deluding themselves. And by publicly representing that such tremendous taxes on natural resources will not affect the taxpayers generally, they are deluding the people.

A substantial increase in the oil production tax would surely bring a substantial increase in the retail price of gasoline. Thus the consuming public would pay it in the end, or most of it—not the oil companies. Likewise a steep boost in gas and sulphur levies would be passed on to the consuming public.

The idea of sparing the people the cost of government by mulcting special sources for revenues is an appealing one, but it doesn't work. Economic laws have a way of effectuating the constitutional mandate that taxes shall be equal and uniform, even when legislators fail to uphold it. Taxes are imposed on amusements, beverages, utilities and what not—and they are passed on to the ultimate consumer. Another idea is to tax products that go out of the State, while exempting those in intrastate commerce. That might be all right, but the courts have ruled against it in principal.

Such part of increased production taxes as the natural resource industries would have to bear would be felt as an added burden by the hundreds of thousands of Texans employed in those industries, and by the hundreds of thousands who are shareholders in the companies and royalty owners, large and small.

Already the natural resources contribute the lion's share of the cost of State, as well as local government. Those industries went through the war with little increase in prices of their products, while costs of materials, operations and wages have zoomed. A stiff additional tax on them would afford them a very convenient occasion for placing stiff increases on the prices of their products, and there is no doubt that they would do it. Let the lawmakers earnestly consider these facts. And if they will devote less attention to finding new taxes to support prodigal appropriations, and more to keeping expenditures within present revenues, they will better serve the people. For the tax burden already is high enough for all. —The Houston Post.

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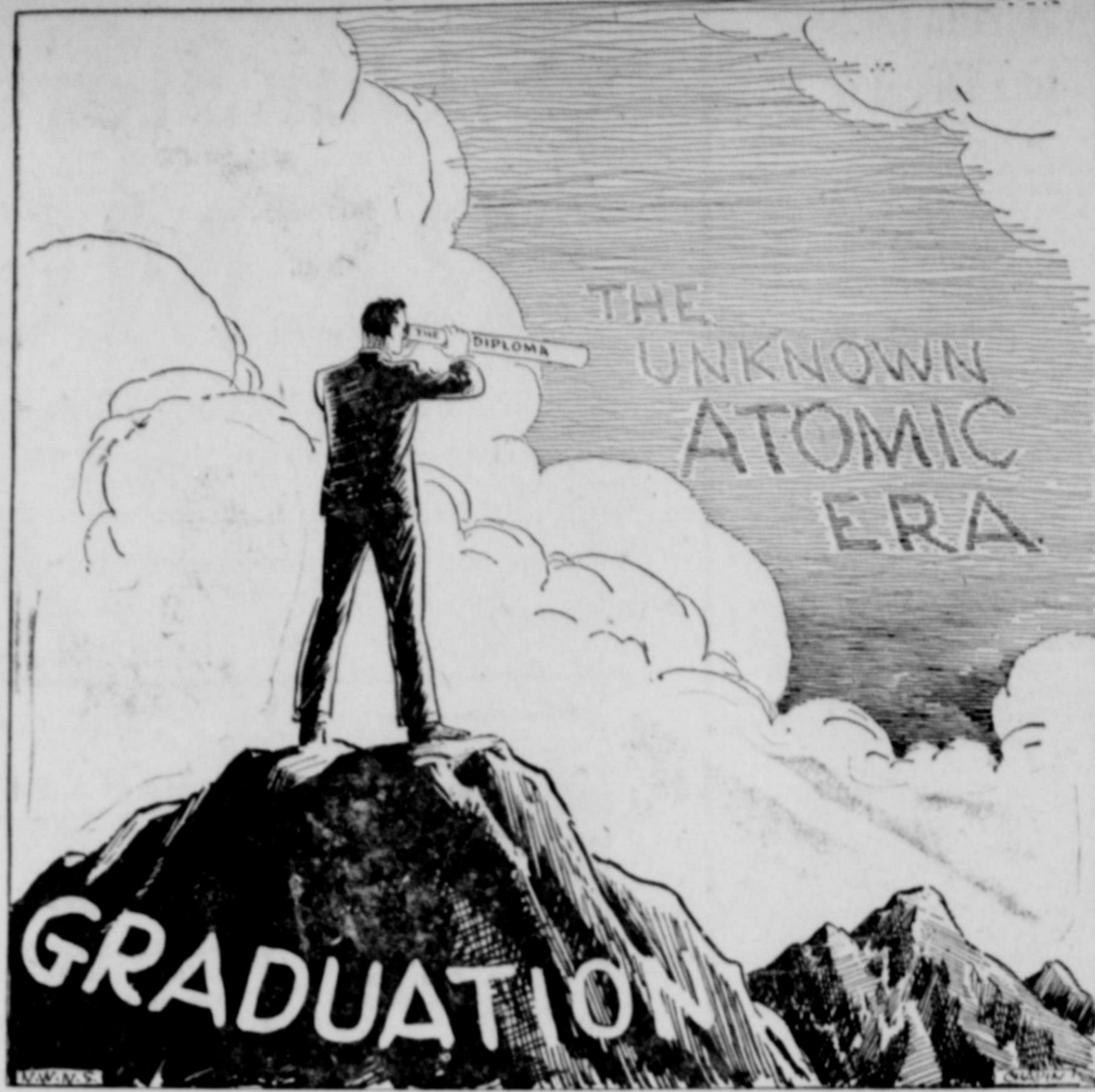
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### Press Paragraphs—

#### QUOTING OUR NEIGHBORS

**WTSC Gift**  
 A gift of \$15,000 to endow a religious lectureship has been made to West Texas State College by J. M. Willson, Floydada business man, announces Dr. J. A. Hill, president of the college. The first \$1,000 from the increment of the gift already is available and will be used during the 1947-48 college year for two series of lectures, each of four days.—The Floyd County Hesperian.

**Childress Water**  
 Water from ten new deep wells will double the supply for Childress. Water from Lake Childress has been abandoned and the nearly 2 million gallons of water which will be available comes from a series of wells sunk in the sand hills north of the city.—The Quannah Tribune Chief.

**Hint to Grippers**  
 Never miss an opportunity to make others happy, even if you have to stay away from them to do it.—Donley County Leader.

**Easy Money**  
 You never fully realize how easy it is to make money until some shrewd fellow comes along and makes some of yours.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

**Horn Flies**  
 Spraying of cattle for horn flies has developed into one of the most important projects being conducted by county agent Breedlove in Donley County.

Ranchers, farmers, and dairymen are convinced that it is a paying proposition. Several sprays have been bought by different ranchers in the past few weeks and they intend to keep spraying during the summer months.

After spraying, the cattle are free from flies for about four weeks period and this depends a great deal on the weather. Winter spraying of the cattle will be for the control of lice and spring spraying will help control heel flies.

Experiments from different experiment stations over the state show that cattle kept free from flies will gain about 75 pounds

more than cattle not sprayed, Donley County Leader.

**Firemen Help Out**  
 Members of the volunteer fire department of McLean voted Thursday night of last week to contribute \$2 per member for the relief of families of the firemen killed in the Texas City explosion.

The contributions will be sent to the Texas City firemen's relief fund.—The McLean News.

Hollywood has its Brown Derby—and Bangs has its Sombbrero, a little cafe built in the shape of a Mexican hat.

And approaching Brownwood on the highway from the west your car drops down on the city almost as though you were coming in on an airplane.

Between Abilene and Coleman during May there were several miles of hills and valleys clad in solid sheets of light yellow flowers.

Many years ago when Tom C. McRae was running for governor of Arkansas, one of his opponents was assailing him. McRae's only comeback was, "A wise hunter doesn't waste ammunition on a dead duck." McRae was elected and made a great chief executive.

In these days when so many best sellers are filled with filth, I am so old-fashioned to as count it a real tribute when someone says, "None of the things in your books have to be fumigated."

And a speaker can be humorous without being vulgar.

Touring Texas: At Guthrie, a big rock house enthroned on a hill is visible for miles. The castle-like mansion is the main ranch house of the 6666.

On west is Red Springs. I didn't see the springs but in nearly every yard were red flowers that looked like tulips.

It is a scenic drive. To one side is broken country which is the divide of the Wichita River. Then there is picturesque Blanco Canyon.

And in Plainview is a "honey house," a store where nothing but honey is sold. And a little ways north of the town is a row of

trees, half a mile long, beside the highway. One house is surrounded by trees taller than it is and the house is two stories high. I can remember when it was said that trees wouldn't grow on the Plains. Now, they have big nurseries up there.

— DEMOCRAT WANT ADS GET QUICK

## This Week in WASHINGTON

For the first time in many months democrats in the senate voted as a unit on the motion of Senator George of Georgia to delay action on the tax reduction bill until early in June. Even Senators O'Daniels of Texas, McKellar of Tennessee and several others who usually vote on the GOP side, stood fast with the democratic minority who lost by the close vote of 48 to 44. This unanimity of democrats gives rise to the opinion in many quarters that President Truman will veto the tax reduction bill. On the other hand, there are others who declare that he will sign it on the grounds that whether it is good for the people or not, he doesn't dare veto a tax reduction bill at any time on the theory that tax reduction is always popular.

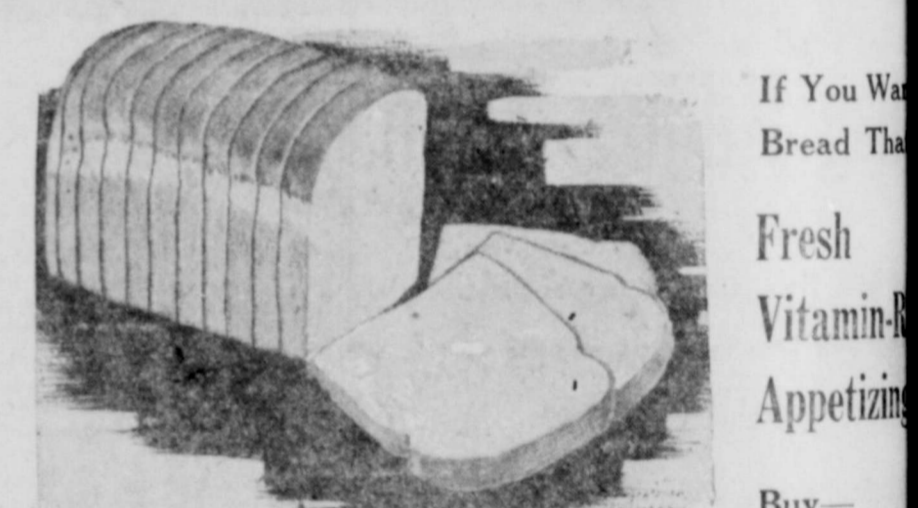
Economic experts here profess to see the first signs of the oft prophesied depression . . . a slight drop in employment, a drop in production, failure to obtain any general reduction in prices of retail or wholesale goods, consistent losses in the stock market . . . all of these facts are contained in the latest report of the department of commerce, none of them impressive, but indicating a trend, the economists say. In the meantime, the report of the President's economic advisory committee, which he sent to the congress last January, lies in a pigeonhole of the senate economic report committee.

This report was provided for in the full employment act of 1946 which established machinery whereby the President and the congress can work together in developing an effective and prudent program for maintaining useful employment opportunities for those able, willing and seeking to work, and for promoting maximum employment, production and purchasing power.

The report presents a complete analysis of the economy of the country, a short range and a long range economic program. And while the congress for six months has argued budgets and tax reduction, not a single piece of legislation has been considered which would stave off a depression or which takes into consideration a single feature of the advisory committee report. This report urges the congress first, as short-range steps, to prevent a depression and increase the economic outlook and production for business to reduce prices. That was last January. Second, extend rent control

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### ing 4-H Essay

This is the prize-winning essay of the county of Brumley of the following identified Farm-...

enrich his land from year to year is by crop rotating. One year plant grain sorghums, next year plant this in legumes and then to cotton or wheat. Keep this up every year. For planting these strips in the same things soon takes up all nitrates and ruins the soil.

He can also diversify by raising hogs, cows, and poultry to eat the feed he makes from his farm, thus making more profits from his farming and saving the labor bill. When he depends on crops alone for his income and buys his meats, butter, eggs, and poultry, he is not a diversified farmer and will get very little or no profit at all.

The right kind of farming is very hard work and should be under such management that the farmer can get the most from his labor. By milking cows and selling cream, by grinding bundled feed when he has it or leaving it in the field for the cows to gather it, his profits are more. The cow can be made to furnish the family in milk and its products, furnish skimmed milk for chickens and pigs and some cream to sell besides giving back fertilizer to the soil and raising a calf for either another cow or beef for the locker. The good sow that farrows once or twice a year uses the skimmed milk and kitchen slop and with some grain will make as much clear profit as any one thing he can do. So by raising feed, cows, hogs, and chickens, he can diversify.

Last but not least a good garden spot is valuable. Fertilizer should be spread a good while before planting. So it can go thru the heating temperature before the seed are planted. If he doesn't rot the fertilizer, the seed will not germinate. He should plant several kinds of vegetables for canning and table use. When fresh, peas, beans, corn, spinach, turnips, and carrots may make a profitable income if planted early.

So, young farmer, if you will plan to diversify and save the soil, you will also save work, and money. Let us all diversify.

If I were to win a sow I would have four tons of threshed grain, skimmed milk from four or five cows, a hog pasture with green feed. This pasture has shade trees, fresh running water piped from the windmill, is fenced all around with wide plank, has a loading chute, and most every convenience for raising good hogs.

Farmers in the United States are being asked by the U. S. Department of Agriculture to have 15 per cent more farrowing sows this fall than a year ago, to meet the 35 million head fall pig crop.



DEAN MORGENSEN  
**Dean Morgensen Receives BS Degree June 2**

Dean Morgensen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dean J. Morgensen, returned to Memphis last Wednesday from Norman, Okla., where he was a participant in the commencement exercises of the University of Oklahoma, Monday, June 2, at 10 a. m. The Honorable Mike Monroney, congressman of the 5th Oklahoma district, delivered the commencement day address.

Dean received the degree of Bachelor of Science in civil engineering, with an option in structural engineering. He graduated from the Memphis High School with the class of 1943 and entered the University of Oklahoma the same year.

He enlisted in the Naval Air Corps Reserve in November, 1943, and entered active duty July 1, 1944, under the Navy V-5 aviation program, but was later transferred to the V-12 program, from which he was commissioned an ensign in the Naval Reserve. He received his commission from the University of Oklahoma. He served on the U. S. S. Montpelier CL57.

Dean re-entered the University of Oklahoma in September, 1946, having been released from active duty in the Naval Reserve in July, 1946.

While a student at the University, Dean was a member of Phi Delta Theta, a social fraternity for men. He took an active part in all extra curricular activities. Was a member of L. K. O. T., a secret society for engineers, founded in 1920 for outstanding work done in the school of engineering.

He served two years on St. Pats Council, the executive council of the school of engineering, and was elected a Knight of Saint Patrick, thereby qualifying for membership in the association of Collegiate Engineers. The past March, he was named chairman for the St. Patrick's Day "week of celebration," which is an annual affair in the school of engineering. He designed the stage setting for the coronation of the engineers' queen.

Dean served as staff member and later was editor of "The Shamrock," a magazine published monthly by the engineers. He also served as vice president of the Engineer Club. He was a member of the student chapter of the American Society of Civil Engineers, and is at present a junior member of the A. S. C. E.

Dean studied architectural designing for two and a half years before he transferred to the school of civil engineering. He won honorable mention from the Beau Arts Institute of Design of New York for work entered while a student of the school of architectural engineering.

Twenty Dairy Herd Improvement Associations are operating in Texas now, involving 8,213 dairy cows.

### BRICE

By MRS. STARR JOHNSON

Mrs. C. R. Cross is visiting at Sulphur Springs with her cousin, Mrs. Miles Hargrave.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Hughes and children of Memphis visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moreman.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Murff of Sterley are visiting her father, N. L. Murff, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lemons of Goldston came Sunday to get their children, Gale and Linda, who have spent the past week here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hope Lemons.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Koeninger and baby of Amarillo visited Thursday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Holland.

Bobbie Myres returned home Saturday from Dallas where he visited the past week with relatives.

M. T. Burg of Childress left Friday after visiting the past week with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Duke.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Salmon returned Monday to their home in Dallas after a week's visit here with their relatives, the Salmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Duke and Mrs. Cal Holland were Childress business visitors Tuesday.

Richard Dean Salmon was brought home Thursday from a hospital in Memphis, where he received medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rexrode Jr. and baby of Dumas visited Tuesday in the J. C. Johnson home.

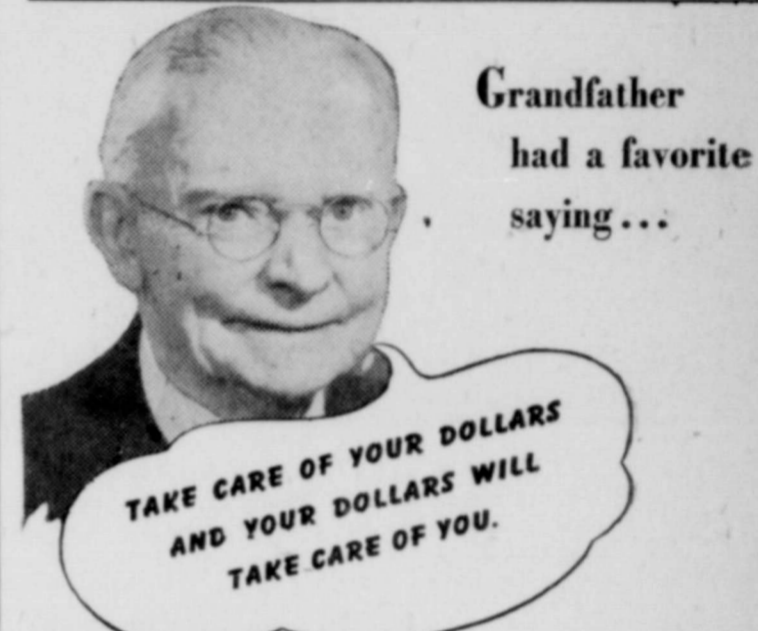
Billy Harrison of Amarillo visited the past week here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Youngblood, and his aunt, Mrs. T. H. Gattis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hatley and Miss Grazella Hagins visited Friday in Amarillo with relatives.

T. W. McAnear and J. C. Johnson were business visitors at Claude Sunday.



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METZ LAFOLLETTE, left, as he is congratulated by Burleigh Grimes, in charge of the New York Yankee try-out camp, held in Memphis, Tuesday and Wednesday of last week. LaFollette, the only player in the camp to be signed, will be assigned to Denver, and optioned to Lufkin, Texas, in the One-Star League. LaFollette, who has been top hitter and hurler in the Red River Valley League, playing with Mobeetie, is a student at WTSC, Canyon.



Amarillo Times Photo

In charge of Yankee Try-out Camp held in Memphis Tuesday and Wednesday of last week: Wattie Holm, (left), Harold Gatlin, Burleigh Grimes, and "Dutch" Lorbeer.

### Sport-Scope



to Childress when they went wild in the second of the eighth to score seven runs, Memphis stepped down to fourth slot in the league. The score was tied up in the first of the seventh, then Childress went to bat and loaded the bases. Lobban, Childress second baseman hit a triple that unloaded the bases. A single by left fielder James then scored Lobban. Then in the eighth Childress added seven more runs for a total of 11 runs for the two times at bat.

Kirkland Sunday to retain the top position as Metz LaFollette hurled his last game in the RRV league before going to Lufkin, where he is being sent after signing a Yank contract.

Quannah shut out Quail Sunday 8-0, as manager Adrian Johnson pitched to only 33 men, allowing but two hits.

Clarendon still hangs on to the bottom slot after losing 9-1 to Wellington Sunday.

#### Game Schedule

Saturday night, Dickens; Sun-

After dropping Sunday's game Mobeetie won a 6-4 game from

day, a league game Quail; Tuesday at ton; Saturday at Pampa.

League standing
Team
Mobeetie
Childress
Quannah
Memphis
Quail
Wellington
Kirkland
Clarendon

The Memphis showing a change to Tuesday at Coppedge, 3-6; McKinney, 1-3; Stidger, Knight, 2-7; Hoover, 1-2.

Ray Newton, coach and summer rector, showed game with the league Sunday night at Canyon. He carried a bit of weight, triple he hit Saturday fair sample of the thing he should be man to the team.

### Win 10 to 3 Over Canyon Buffs Here Saturday

The Memphis league nine won 10 to 3 over the Canyon Buffs here Saturday night. Canyon tied into their only hitting streak in the first of the fourth when Box, Braden, and Sorgie hit singles and the boys from WTSC came in for their three runs.

Hank Keller threw 16 strikeouts, and Deeson fanned 5 for Canyon.

Of the 11 Memphis hits, Ray Newton, new high school coach, hit a triple into deep center, Keller, Berryman, Gipson, and McKnight hit doubles.

The box score:

Memphis	AB	R	H	E
Watkins, 3b	5	0	0	1
Moyer, 2b	5	1	3	0
Coppedge, ss	5	1	1	0
Berryman, lf	5	2	1	0
Hoover, cf	1	0	0	0
Gipson, cf	3	2	1	0
McKnight, 1b	4	2	2	0
Conner, c	2	0	0	0
Stidger, c	2	0	0	0
Newton, rf	4	1	1	0
Keller, p	4	1	2	0
Totals	40	10	11	1

Canyon	AB	R	H	E
Ford, 2b	4	0	0	0
Sorgie, ss	4	1	1	1
Brookfield, 3b	4	0	0	1
LaFollette, lf	4	1	1	0
Box, cf	4	1	1	0
Funston, c	4	0	1	0
Henry, rf	4	0	0	0
Deeson, p	3	0	0	0
Totals	35	3	3	3

Umpires: Boone and Leggett; announcer: Herbert Estes.

### Alamo, Lesley, Northside Lead In Softball Play

Softball league play got underway Friday night when the Alamo Service Station won 17 to 8 over the Baptist Church team, and the PFA won a 6-3 game from the Lions Club. In the boys' division, Max Kennedy's Northside team won 12-2 over a smaller Southside team, managed by David Corley.

Monday night Lesley won 10-0 over the Oil Mill team. Anthony, Lesley pitcher, held the Oil Mill to two hits.

Estelline and the scout team were also scheduled to play Monday night, but some of the scouts were at summer camp at Canadian. This and other games mis-

### Gym and Swimming Classes Underway

Coach Ray Newton reminds Memphis youngsters that gym classes, tumbling, volley ball, and a variety of games are being held every day at 9 a. m. at the high school gym.

The swimming classes have been scheduled for Mondays and Fridays, Newton said. A large turnout is reported, with more expected after the scouts return from the summer camp at Canadian.

### Memphis Loses League Game At Childress 14 to 4

Childress took a league game from Memphis Sunday 14-4 as both teams got in a heavy batting practice, Mills striking out 4 for Childress, and Hoover, pitching for Memphis after relieving Parker in the second, fanning 3.

Childress hit three home runs and Berryman hit one for Memphis. With no fence at the Childress field and a steady wind, most safe hits were on the ground. Childress collected, however, on a number of lob hits just over the infield.

Stidger hit a heavy triple into left field, then scored on a Davis single in the third. Gipson and Moyer hit doubles.

Parker walked one, Hoover walked two, and the Childress hurler, Mills, walked two.

The box score:

Childress	AB	R	H	E
Smith, 2b	5	2	2	0
Risenhoover, cf	5	2	2	0
Lobban, 2b	5	2	2	0
James, lf	5	0	1	0
Butler, ss	5	1	1	0
Griffin, c	4	0	0	0
S. Mills, rf	2	1	1	0
Green, rf	2	1	1	0
Loter, 1b	4	3	2	0
J. Mills, p	4	2	3	0
Totals	41	14	15	0

Memphis	AB	R	H	E
Watkins, 3b	5	0	0	0
Moyer, 2b	4	1	1	1
Coppedge, ss	4	0	0	0
Berryman, lf	4	1	1	0
Gipson, cf	4	0	3	0
McKnight, 1b	4	0	0	0
Stidger, c	4	1	2	1
Davis, rf	4	1	2	0
Hoover, p	4	0	0	0
Totals	37	4	9	2

ed will be picked up at the end of the season, Ray Newton, recreation director, announces.

Land is usually in best shape for terracing after the crops have been gathered and before breaking is started.

### Amarillo Drops Game To VFW, To Play There Sunday

The Memphis VFW nine ran up a decisive 11-6 score on the Superior Manufacturer's team from Amarillo Sunday as heavy hitting led by Stewart and McQueen collected and the home team score was helped by six Amarillo errors, while the vets made but three.

Buchanan, pitching for Amarillo, struckout 11, while Hancock, hurling for the vets, struckout 10.

The vets will go to Amarillo next Sunday for another encounter with this team, and manager Hickey requests all players to be at the city hall at 9 o'clock Sunday morning, ready for the trip.

The box score:

Memphis VFW	AB	R	H	E
Jester, 3b	5	2	0	0
B. Henry, 2b	4	1	0	0
H'd Stewart, ss	4	2	2	1
Vandeventer, lf	4	1	1	0
McElgeath, cf	2	0	1	0
McQueen, cf	2	2	2	0
J. Henry, 1b	2	1	1	1
B. Stewart, rf	4	0	1	0
West, c	3	1	0	1
Barnett, c	1	0	0	0
Hancock, p	4	1	1	0
Totals	35	11	9	3

Amarillo	AB	R	H	E
McKnight, ss	5	1	1	1
Wortz, 2b	5	1	0	0
Orr, lf	5	1	1	0
Wright, c	5	2	2	3
Bates, cf	4	1	0	0
Gatch, 1b	4	0	0	1
Hackett, rf	4	0	0	0
Spalding, 3b	4	0	0	1
Buchanan, p	4	0	0	0
Totals	40	6	4	6

### Scouts Go To Camp At Canadian Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. George Payne and Mrs. Dub McCreary and son Jerry took a group of Boy Scouts to Camp Ki-o-wah, near Canadian, last Sunday. The scouts, with their leaders, will remain through June 21.

All scouts had not arrived, but scout officials stated 180 boys had registered for the period from June 16 through 21.

"We left the boys highly elated with anticipations over the events of the coming week," Mr. Payne stated.

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