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Entries Ready For 12th Annual 4-H And FFA Fat Stock Show

Auction Sale To Be Held After 1 For The Buyers

Final Steps will be taken Friday for the opening at 9 o'clock Saturday morning of the 12th Annual 4-H and FFA Fat Stock Show in Memphis.

Between 35 and 45 entrants will have their calves in the exhibit stalls in Building No. 11 at the Memphis Compress when the opening hour arrives. Exhibitors will weigh in their animals at Milam Coal & Grain Company Friday afternoon as they bring them in, before they are carried to the Compress, says County Agent W. B. Hooser.

J. A. Scofield, district agent at Vernon, will be here to start judging Saturday morning. The showplace is furnished through the courtesy of M. C. Allen, member of the livestock show committee.

The auction sale starts after lunch. A good crowd of bidders is expected to be on hand for the sale of these fat animals.

Sponsored each year by the Chamber of Commerce, Tomie M. Potts is chairman of the committee which raised the \$500 for cash prizes and other expenses. Other members of this committee are: H. J. Howell, James F. Smith, Durwood Howell, Matthew Allen, Thos. E. Noel, N. W. Durham, Wendell Harrison, Clyde Milam, Frank Monzingo, C. L. Pierce, A. R. (Doc) Saye, Carl Smith and R. C. Lemons.

Mr. Potts announced he had received word from the American Hereford Association that they will add 25 percent to all prizes in the Hereford division.

Some Have Three Calves
Among those boys and girls entering the show with calves are: Jimmie Bownds, two calves; Fletcher Bownds, one calf; Ray Crawford, two calves; Bennie West, one calf; Lloyd West, one calf; John Luther Byars, three calves; David Horace Duvall, one calf; Jack Fowler, one calf; Billy Wayne Fowler, one calf; Doyle Fowler, one calf; Joe Booth, one calf.

Mildred Booth, one calf; Harold Rampsy, one calf; Nolan Salmon, one calf; Mackie Salmon, one calf; Richard Salmon, one calf; Gay Lynn Salmon, (whose calf died ten days ago); Jake Hancock, two calves; E. W. Solomon Jr., one calf; Willie Bob Davidson Jr., one calf; Lanny Mac Tucker, one calf; Lowell Richburg, one calf.

Raymond Martin, one calf (Aberdeen-Angus); O. J. Weatherly, one calf; Bobby Adams, three calves; Gene Joutet, one calf; Wallace Joutet, two calves; James Misenheimer, one calf; Clifton Smith, one calf; and Gene Gardenhire, one calf.

Weather Recorder John J. McMickin reports this area also received .35 of an inch of moisture from the snowfall Monday night and Tuesday morning, making a total of 2.40 inches for the 10-day period ending Tuesday.

County Agent W. B. Hooser says it is "safe now to say Hall County got a million dollars worth of moisture out of the sleet, rain and snow during the 100 days."

Temperature Thursday morning was 17, McMickin reports, with high Wednesday of only 29. Warmest day of the week was last Saturday with a high of 52. The new cold norther Sunday sent her back down to 17. It was down to 22 Tuesday.

Coldest of the winter before Wednesday was 13, registered about two weeks ago.

Weather forecast early Thursday from Amarillo is warmer for today and tomorrow (Friday).

Dr. Roy E. Barr of Childress, president of the Upper Red River Valley Flood Control and Irrigation board, headed the delegation. Leonard White and Co. Com. Clements of Childress also were there. J. Claude Wells, Memphis newspaper publisher, represented the Memphis chamber of commerce. Ott Bovers of Lakeview, member of the board, was with Mr. Wells.

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Big Truck-Trailer Wrecked Here; Driver Fined For Drunk Driving

Elmer E. Allen of Hobart, Okla., a driver for the Chickasha Oil Company, narrowly escaped death last Saturday night when his truck and trailer overturned just inside the city limits at the north end of town.

Allen was coming into town from the north and failed to slow down for the sharp curve before the truck, which was loaded with bales of cotton and a couple tons of cotton seed on it at the time.

The truck, driven by Allen, struck the front of Cecil Johnson's truck in front of Nelson's Ice Station and Grocery, causing the candy truck to cross over the highway. Allen's truck had turned over on its left side and his cab had buckled up, leaving him under the wheel, some 10 feet from the pavement. It took several minutes to extract him. The Women's Funeral Home ambulance took him to a hospital, while Highway Patrolman Herman investigated the crash, headed by Sheriff Earl Hill.

Police Sheriff Baten and Chief Police Jack Peabody, all of whom were on the scene in a few minutes.

Tuesday morning, Allen entered court of guilty in both county and court costs of \$22.50 and \$5 and costs \$9 in Justice Grimes court.

Allen later trying to get up cash to pay the other one. He had been in the hospital through Sunday night but had suffered superficial injuries. He was taken to the county jail Sunday.

Mr. Moore who filed the charges against him. "It will be a lesson to me," he tearfully told Judge Grimes Monday morning. "My driver's license will be suspended for a year in Oklahoma so I know I am driving a truck for the next 12 months."

Allen admitted that "liquor driving won't mix" in connection with the judge, as he had to pay the cash to get out there. He said he had been making for three nights before he had not heeded the warning.

Allen said he is 42 and unmarried and lives in Hobart.

Betty Rue Armstrong



Photo by Reporter-News

COMMITTEES WERE NAMED THIS WEEK IN HALL COUNTY for the polio March of Dimes campaign by County Chairman R. C. Lemons while little BETTY RUE ARMSTRONG, 10-year old Estelline girl, sent her picture up here from the Abilene hospital so that folks will know how much she appreciates the fight being made to save her life.

Betty Rue was first hospitalized about November 2, 1948, and a total of \$1,950.73 was spent for expenses in her case by January 1, reports Treasurer Thos. E. Noel. The little lady was in an iron lung for days but is now showing rapid recovery and has been out of the lung some weeks.

Freddie Lee Ashberry, 14-year old Negro boy from the oil mill section of Memphis, has been in the Abilene hospital since last August 17th, a victim of polio. His entire expenses have been paid by the local chapter. He is said to be well on the road to recovery now.

In view of the fact that the Hall County committee has spent \$4,087.24 during the last six months of 1948 on these two cases, of which \$3,114.00 was received from national headquarters, Chairman Lemons believes Hall County people will give generously to this drive now. Checks

are being received now by Mr. Noel at the First National Bank. Chairman of Business Section Hollis Boren, local picture show owner, was named chairman of the Memphis business district this week for the campaign, with Supt. W. C. Davis being named as chairman for the public schools. Buster Helm and Pete Smith have been named to represent the Lions club, while Mr. Noel and Mr. Lemons will represent the Rotary club. The presidents of all ladies clubs in town have been asked to name their own committees for the purpose of raising money for the drive.

Donald Masterson and Floyd Gilmore of Turkey have been named as the committee for that town and section, says Lemons. Bascom E. Davenport, Joe Durham and Loren Denton were named as the polio committee for Lakeview. The committee for Estelline, announced last week, includes G. H. Gardshire, Hulon Clifton and F. B. Berry. The Midway theater at Estelline will show the trailer next week and will take up collections for the fund.

Mr. Boren's two theaters, the Palace and the Ritz, will run the polio trailer during the final week this month and he will take collections for the fund at that time.

IT WAS COACH IKE TO STARR JOHNSON AT PEACOCK IN '15

The new February issue of Look magazine contains a picture of the 1915 football team at the Peacock Military Academy at San Antonio when General Eisenhower was a second lieutenant on duty at the academy as football coach that fall.

What is of interest to Hall County people is that one of the members of that team was D. Starr Johnson, now a well-known farmer of the Brice community. The picture was made 33 years ago last fall. Mr. Johnson is second from left in the middle row. The picture is on page 4 in the magazine.

Mr. Johnson married Miss Flora Martin in 1918 while he was in the Army at old Camp Bowie, in Fort Worth. They now have two sons and a daughter, all of whom live in Memphis. Miss Freddie Starr, their daughter, is a teller in the First State bank. D. S. Jr., who is married, is part owner of the Piggly Wiggly grocery here. Buck, the other son, has a wife and two children who live here although he is at present working in Pampa.

Eugene Lindsey Is Fund Chairman

Eugene Lindsey, manager of the William Cameron & Company lumber yard in Memphis, was named as "Fund Chairman" for the annual 1949 Red Cross roll call at a meeting of the county committee held Tuesday afternoon at the chamber of commerce.

Heydon Hensley was re-elected as county chairman by the committee, with N. W. Durham selected as home service chairman for another year. W. C. Davis was re-named disaster chairman for the county and Miss Mary Foreman as chairman of the Junior Red Cross. Herschel Combs was re-named as publicity chairman.

Roy Coleman, W. B. Hooser and W. B. Wilson Jr. were named as a planning committee to work with Mr. Lindsey in planning the annual membership drive which is due to begin March 1.

WATER CONSERVATION BOARD TO MEET TUES.

The Panhandle Water Conservation Board will meet next Tuesday, at 2:30 p. m., in the Herring Hotel in Amarillo, County Judge M. O. Goodpasture was notified Thursday morning.

150 PERSONS HEAR DUTCH MEYERS DEFLATE SPORTS WRITERS TACTICS

All-American mythical teams are just so much baloney, so far as the famous coach, L. R. (Dutch) Meyers of T.C.U., is concerned.

He said as much here Wednesday night as the chief speaker for the annual football banquet put on by the Memphis Lions club.

"They don't mean a thing as they leave too many good players off the list," the Horned Frog mentor declared.

Dutch deflated a few other things that sports writers have grown into the habit of doing. "For instance, why publicize the guy who carries the ball a few yards and forget the guards who keep that line open for the quarterback?" he asked. "Give me a good line every time. The guards are never well recognized."

The T.C.U. coach also took a fling at the "little town across the Trinity River, 30 miles east of Fort Worth." He also noted that the chief scout for S.M.U. had been in Memphis a few days ago.

"I see in the papers that some guy has been out here ahead of me and prognosticated who is going to win in the Southwest Conference next season," he began. "You can't do that. You can't know what is going to happen next season in that topsy turvy league. Anything can happen in the Southwest conference. Just

look what happened this past season!"

Coach Meyers was introduced to the 150 members and guests at the dinner here Wednesday night at the Masonic Temple building by Coach Charles York of Memphis high, as "truly one of the great men in the coaching game today."

The speaker paid high tribute to the work being done in the high schools today by athletic coaches, saying "nowadays, the football players come to us well tutored."

"The team that gets knocked down early in the season but comes back strong deserves a lot of credit," he added.

Outstanding Players Announced
Herschel Combs, vice-president of the Lions club and co-owner of The Democrat, announced that Harvey Jarrell, end, had been selected by The Democrat as "outstanding lineman" for 1948, while Leroy Green, quarterback, was named "outstanding back of the Cyclones." They were selected for good sportsmanship, co-operation with their team-mates, scholastic attainments, attitude toward the public and ability to play football, Combs announced.

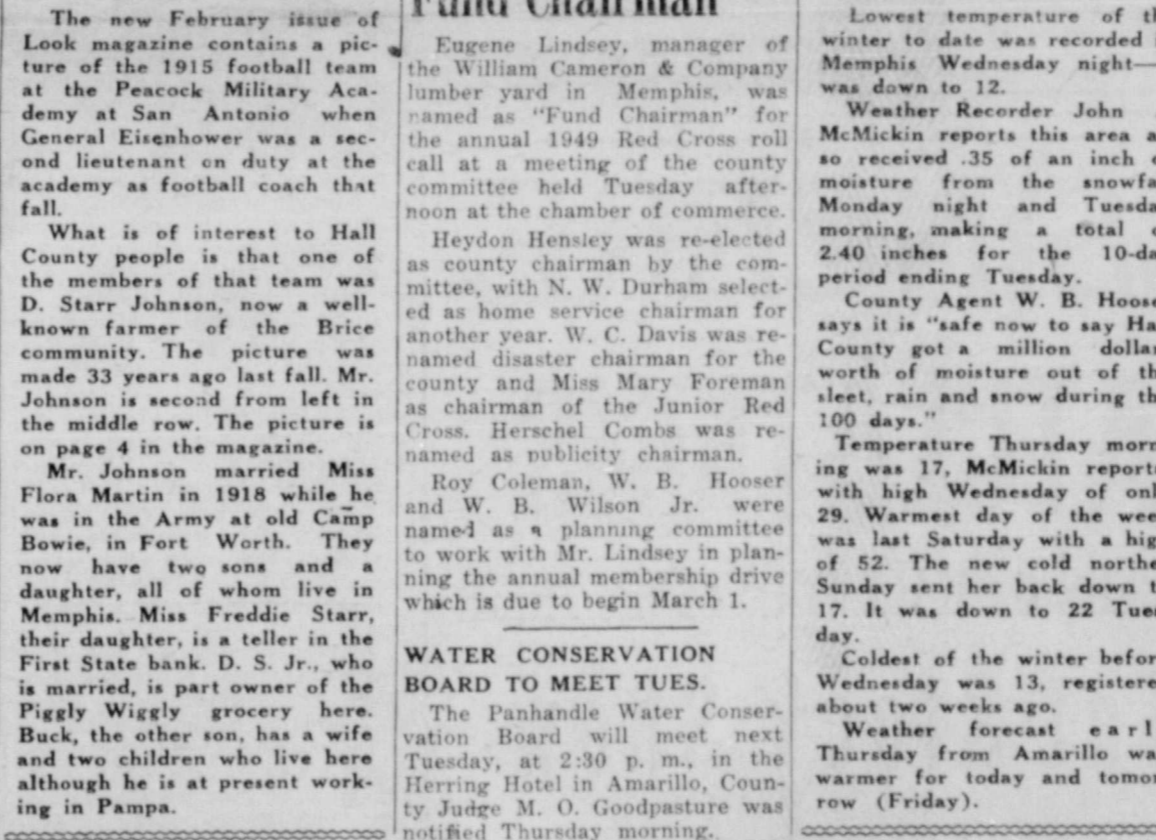
The program Wednesday night opened with a call to order by the club president, O. R. (Doc) Saye. Buster Helm led in singing of songs. The invocation was by

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MEMPHIS CRASH — Elmer E. Allen, 40, of Hobart, Okla. was injured Saturday afternoon when his truck and loaded cotton trailer crashed into a parked candy truck at the north city limits of Memphis. Allen was pinned under the overturned truck cab. (Photo by Wise)

TO BE SEEN AT 4-H AND FFA FAT STOCK SHOW HERE SATURDAY—Three fat calves, belonging to members of the Roland Salmon family which will be on exhibit here Saturday. That is, the two outside calves will be here. The one in the center, also fattened for the show by Gay Lynn Salmon, daughter of the Roland Salmons, died suddenly about 10 days ago after becoming bloated overnight. It was the largest of the trio and Gay Lynn is heartbroken. The other two belong to her brothers, Nolan and Mackie. The young man holding the calves is a cousin, Richard Salmon. (Photo by Wise)



Jester Encourages Red River Project In Wednesday Talk

"Gentleman, that's right down my alley and you've got a good emergency there."

This was the statement by Governor Beauford Jester Wednesday in Austin to a delegation of business men from Childress and Memphis who conferred with the governor with reference to action on the proposed dam across the Red River at the Briscoe-Hall county line.

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is due back Friday after-
or snow was expected to
tomorrow.

FREE DELIVERY

78 Men Feast At High School

Red McLain Enlivens Boosters Meeting As The Chief Speaker

It was the most enthusiastic meeting the Memphis Boosters club has held in its history.

Red McLain, chief scout for S.M.U.'s famous Mustangs, was acclaimed, following the annual banquet of the local club last Thursday night at the high school cafeteria, as one of the best for such an occasion. McLain convinced his audience of 78 booster members that he knows something about the present-day

football players in the Southwest Conference. That group could have listened to him another hour and more.

J. W. Coppedge, retired president of the club, a team-mate of McLain back in 1938-1940 at S.M.U., introduced the speaker in these words:

"I never saw a boy who likes his football any better than Red does. He was in Weatherford Junior College before he came to

S.M.U. and was just as enthusiastic about it in those days as he is now about S.M.U."

McLain talked S.M.U. all the way through, naturally:

"Next season, it will be in this order, S.M.U., Texas, Rice, Arkansas and Baylor," he declared. "We play seven games in the Cotton Bowl in Dallas next fall."

High Praise For Rote

The speaker admitted that Doak Walker "is in a class by himself and is a very great thinker and a great passer," but he added a lot of praise for Kyle Rote, saying, "Rote improved all season and he has coolness and poise that makes a great player." He also had praise for others of the Mustangs.

One sound piece of advice, McLain handed out in this sentence: "You make up your mind you are not going to lose and that does it."

High praise was given the present coaching staff of Memphis high, headed by Coach Charles (Chuck) York. President Coppedge declared:

York and Staff Lauded

"We had a good coaching staff and they worked hard and built a good club by the end of the season. Coach York and his assistants took a bunch of boys at the opening of the season and, at the end, had as good a T-formation of-

Farmer Outlines Accomplishments Of Major Import

A brief resume of the accomplishments of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce for 1943 were listed in a talk made to members of the Lions Club last week by Manager Clifford Farmer.

"A year ago, Memphis did not have a Grade-A milk supply. It now has a pasteurizing plant, providing a market for farmers grade-A milk.

"A year ago, we had no sales barn. We now have a good one, rated as one of the best in West Texas that is drawing hundreds of buyers to Memphis.

"A year ago, we had no athletic field at the City Park. Last summer, as you know, we cleared out some of the trees and installed lights for a softball diamond for the benefit of the summer recreational program. A grandstand also was built at Estes Park for the hard ball club.

"Hall County had no irrigation wells of any size a year ago. We now have several with promise of many more. This may be the biggest development in years.

"We had no imported Jerseys a year ago. The chamber of commerce has initiated the movement to build up the Jersey herds in the county by importing two carloads of Canadian registered Jerseys."

"We may say, in regard to future planning, that we should keep an open mind and work to-

fense as you find anywhere."

Supt. W. C. Davis said: "The coaches are working for clean boys and doing a good job. Three of the staff are from T.C.U. and one from Tech. A good football team builds goodwill for the school and the town.

"This club helps build better boys and we are indebted to you," the superintendent added. "Our school appreciates your club."

Coach York promised the Boosters that the Cyclones will try to get back into "our class" after our present contracts run out but Memphis has two year contracts with the Fort Worth school and with Hollis so will play them again next season.

Bigger Boys Next Season

"We will have bigger boys next year as we will have four sophomores and we want our boys to have an equal chance," added York. "A football can be no greater than its school and the people downtown, so we appreciate this club for what it is doing."

Pete Smith, secretary-treasurer, gave a brief report for the past year, pointing out some of the things it had done, including the purchase a few days ago of the new \$347 electric clock for the gym, now installed for basketball games.

Buster Helm, chairman of the nominating committee, reported nominations for another year:

Gailey Named As President

For president, Ace Gailey; for first vice-president, C. L. Pierce; for second vice-president, Frank Monzingo; for secretary-treasurer, Pete Smith; for two-year director, Wendell Harrison, and for one-year director, Matthew Allen; Gene Corley is a hold-over director from last year. Gailey nominated Ed Hutcherson for president. The votes were called for and Gailey was elected, then the others were elected by acclamation.

Mr. Gailey reported the club had 164 members last season but added "that everybody in Memphis ought to belong to it."

The program ended with showing of a movie of the S.M.U. Baylor game of the past season, the film being brought along by McLain. Incidentally, the speaker came in on the 8 o'clock train and went back the same night, about 1 a. m., via the Burlington.

The dinner was served by the ladies who operate the school cafeteria. It was everything that it could be, including a good roast, beans, salad, coffee and hot rolls. Also, a dessert of whipped cream and cobbler topped the menu.

Veteran Ginner And Wife Observe 41st Anniversary

John H. Olden, veteran ginner of Hulver, in Memphis Monday reported he and Mrs. Olden celebrated their 41st wedding anniversary during Christmas with all of their six sons and daughters and grandchildren coming in for Christmas dinner.

"All of them were there except one daughter and her family, Mrs. Bonnie Collier of Gainesville," he says.

Mr. and Mrs. Olden were married December 22, 1907 in Mangum, Okla., and came to Memphis on January 1, 1908, just nine days late. So they really spent their honeymoon in Memphis where they resided then for 23 years. Two sons and four daughters were raised here and attended the Memphis schools, all graduating here except Eugene who finished at Estelline.

Mr. Olden has worked at the

gether for anything that represents progress for Hall County," Mr. Farmer summed up.

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ginning business all of these 41 years. "Between seasons, I work some on the farm and then I spend several months doing repairs at the gin," he said.

This couple has 12 grandchildren and one great grandchild.

The names of the children are: Eugene, of Fort Worth; J. Leaman of Childress, Mrs. Collier of

Gainesville, Mrs. Goldie Taylor, Quannah, Mrs. Lucille Brown, Amarillo and Mrs. Lela Short of Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Messersmith, children, Charles and Janet, were in Chillicothe the past weekend where they visited with parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. B.

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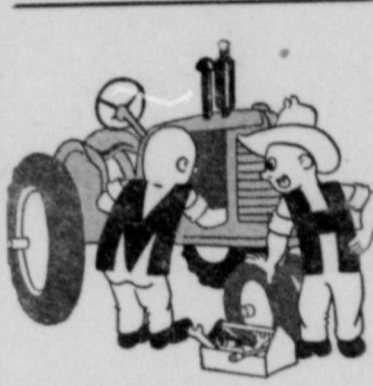
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OUR SINCERE CONGRATULATIONS TO THE CLUB MEMBERS OF HALL COUNTY ON THEIR Annual Fat Stock Show

IN MEMPHIS NEXT SATURDAY

The members of the 4-H and FFA clubs of this county will be the leaders of their communities in future years. Today, the training they are receiving will make them better able to earn a livelihood, and will prove of value in all the years to come.

One of the many projects these young people are undertaking will be on display at their 12th annual fat stock show. The fine beef animals which will be judged here Saturday are the end of one of their most important endeavors.

It's our pleasure on this occasion to extend to every one of our club members our sincere congratulations. We want to say again, "More power to you in everything you do."

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Upon The Occasion of Their 12th Annual

Fat Stock Show

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Saturday is the date for the annual Fat Stock Show here in Memphis. It's the time when club members will exhibit calves which they have cared for many, many months. Again, it's our pleasure to salute our friends, the 4-H and FFA Club members, and to wish them every success in whatever project they undertake.

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Future Readers of The Democrat



Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Buchanan of Tucumcari, N. M., announce the arrival of a daughter, Anna Jean. She was born January 11 and weighed 9 pounds, 4 ounces at birth. Mrs. Buchanan is the former Evelyn Lamb of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. West of Memphis are the parents of a son who was born in Oklahoma City January 16. His name is James Michael and he weighed 8 pounds, 5 ounces at birth.

A daughter, Judith Elaine, was born December 27 to Mr. and Mrs. Raburn Jones of Fort Worth. Raburn is a former Memphian and well known to many.

Frances Eugenia is the name of the daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Floy Anthony of Memphis on January 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Duke of Memphis are the parents of a son, Jimmy Earl, who was born January 11.

On January 13 a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Hoover. She has been named Lynette.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Bailey of Hedley announce the birth of a daughter, Juanita Ruth, who was born January 15.

A daughter, Shirley Ann, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gene Welch of Eli. Her birthday is January 16 and she weighed 8 pounds at birth.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike McCully of Memphis, Mrs. Frances of Memphis and Mrs. Bert of Memphis house guests of the week, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Land in Memphis Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Ferguson of Fort Worth arrived last week end for an indefinite visit with her sister, Mrs. A. B. Hickey and Mr. Hickey.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ledford and Mrs. Carl Lee, and Mr. and Mrs. Love, all of Wichita Falls, Sunday with J. B.'s parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ledford.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hadley of Fort Worth visited here last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scott. Mrs. Hadley is a sister of Mrs. Scott.

Miss Helen Boswell, field representative for the Department of Public Welfare, returned to Memphis Saturday after a two weeks' business trip to Midland.



(Calf and owner of a former Fat Stock Show)

WE ARE GLAD TO SAY: Congratulations

To the 4-H and FFA Club Members

We are glad to commend the Hall County club members upon their good work, and hope that the 12th annual . . .

HALL COUNTY LIVESTOCK SHOW

Saturday, January 22nd

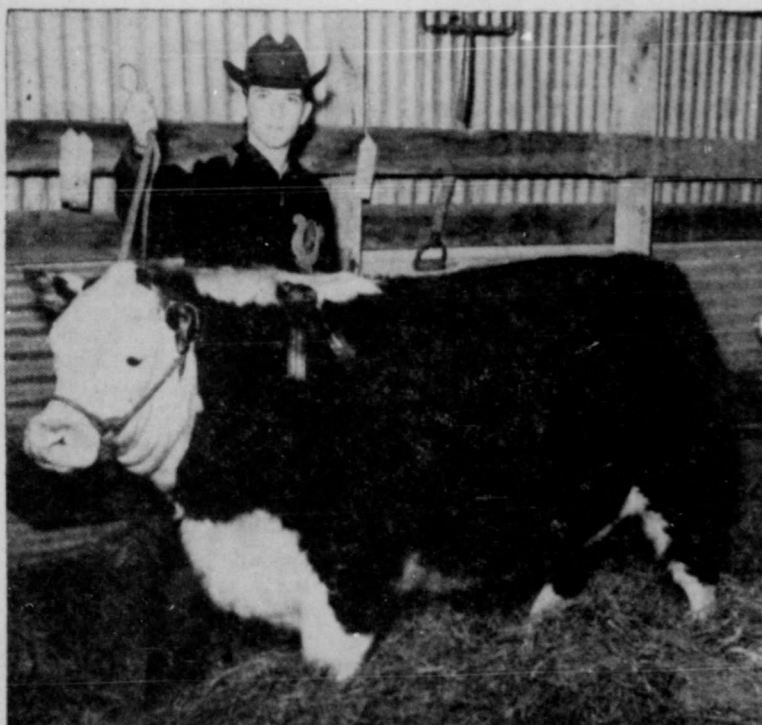
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To Our 4-H and FFA Club Members

To every one of you club members, we wish to extend our congratulations. The instruction you are receiving, and the projects which you are doing, are among the finest things which are happening in this county. Our best wishes go to you when your entrants are judged at the Fat Stock Show. May each of you keep up the good work, and if you fail to own the grand champion this year, try for this honor in the years to come.

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MAXWELL COFFEE	1 Lb. Can	55c
BEST YET SALAD DRESSING	Pt. Jar	31c
MUSTARD	Quart Jar	12c

MARKET

ARMOUR'S BANNER SLICED BACON	Pound	53c
PORK CHOPS	Pound	45c
DRESSED FRYERS	Pound	73c
SLICED CURED HAM	Pound	70c

Fruits & Vegetables

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TOMATOES		Bunch	28c
CARROTS		Bunch	8c

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FLOUR	Purasnow Brand	25 Pound Bag	1.89
CRISCO		3 POUND CAN	1.15

FROZEN FOODS

DULANEY SPINACH	Pkg.	29c
DULANEY GREEN PEAS	Pkg.	29c
DULANEY BROCCOLI	Pkg.	39c
DULANEY CAULIFLOWER	Pkg.	35c

WHITE SWAN GRAPEFRUIT JUICE	46 oz. Can	18c
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MISSION PEAS No. 2 Can	15c
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MEAT Bargains!

PINKNEY-CUDAHY SLICED BACON	Pound	49c
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Texas Tech's \$322,000 Museum Gets Underway Following 12 Years Delay

LUBBOCK—After 12 years of waiting, Texas Technological college is to have a \$322,000 museum. The college board of directors recently voted an appropriation of \$135,000 to finish the building started in 1935.

A contract for construction has been let and work is underway. Dr. W. C. Holden, curator, estimates the building will be ready for general use by the opening of school next year, September, 1949.

The story of reverses suffered in the construction of this building located off the circle in the heart of the college started at its beginning in 1935 and have continued through 12 years of struggle. The West Texas Museum association fought the first battle for funds in 1935 with a request for Texas Tech from the \$3,000,000 Centennial appropriation for colleges. Association efforts finally secured \$25,000 which was used in building the basement. To date the basement of the planned building has had to serve as "The Museum."

A "golden opportunity" came to the association in 1938 when the WPA offered to match \$15,000 to be raised by the museum association or college with \$41,000 and complete the two story building. The proposition had to be passed since \$15,000 was unavailable. A later WPA offer to match \$12,000 had to be passed also.

Lost Out in 1941

In 1941 the West Texas association combined forces with the Panhandle Plains association interested in the museum at Canyon West Texas State college at Canyon to introduce a bill in the legislature asking for funds to complete both museums. That same year, Texas Tech was asking for a much larger sum to construct an agricultural building. The possibility that the funds might be cut or split between museum and agriculture requests decided the fate of the museum for several more years. The association decided to withdraw the Texas Tech portion of the request from the pending bill.

Students on the campus in 1943 became interested in the museum and made it a campus-wide project. They started a "Give a Brick" campaign that netted \$4,000, and formed the nucleus for the present \$42,000 building fund.

Texas Tech again traveled to the legislature with the Panhandle Plains group for a second attempt at securing money to complete the museum. The bill for funds was passed by the 1945 legislature, but was killed when legislative bodies were informed all anticipated monies for the next year had been appropriated. The museum's bill was allowed to die, and became known as one of the seven "ghost bills."

College Amendment Hurts Cause
Until the college directors took charge of the museum, hopes of having an adequate museum were dependent solely on the small West Texas association and college friends for the college amendment passed in 1947 made it impossible to request building funds from the legislature.

Definite plans for the interior arrangement of the museum include wings to be devoted to the following studies: Archeology, ethnology, a history of the Southwest, and natural history; paleontology, and geology, including a number of mineral exhibits. Two galleries will be used for art exhibits and include ceramics. Laboratory space for

Schools Should Have Programs of Health For Child

Every school has tremendous opportunities to promote the health of its pupils and its community, and for this reason Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, says that every school should have a definite health program including safe drinking water, good school lunches, proper lighting, seating and ventilating facilities as well as scrupulously clean premises.

"From early childhood to manhood and womanhood, most youngsters are enrolled in school and are under the supervision of school staffs for a substantial part of the day, approximately half of the year," Dr. Cox said. "The conditions under which they live in school, the help which they are given in solving their health problems, the ideals of individual and community health which they are taught, and the information and understanding that they acquire are factors which operate to develop attitudes and behavior conducive to happy, healthy and successful living."

To supplement the efforts of teachers, school boards, parent and civic groups interested in promoting school health, the State Health Department's Division of School Health Services carries on a full time program designed to promote and develop a sound basic health program for the school child. This plan consists of attempting the control of communicable diseases in cooperation with local health departments; the minimizing of hearing, vision, dental and other similar problems; providing minimum health essentials in classroom environment such as lighting, seating, and so forth; an adequate physical activity program; stressing education on personal hygiene and local health hazards; nutrition supervision and instruction; and integrating the school health program with community health program.

Alinda June, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Johnson, showed improvement Tuesday following an illness which was on the verge of developing into bronchial pneumonia.

H. J. Howell, manager of the local J. C. Penney Company store, attended a group meeting of managers of stores in this area last Sunday in Lawton, Okla.

paleontology and archeology classes and a number of classrooms will be included also. One of the galleries will feature a small auditorium for group assemblies.

The entrance hall, to be dedicated Memorial Hall, will be paneled with 12 plaques commemorating outstanding pioneer families in the Southwest.

Dr. Holden describes the West Texas Museum association of some 150 membership as the "best friend" of the museum program. Officers are Retha Martin, president, Clifford B. Jones, vice president, and Dean J. G. Allen, secretary.



ANNOUNCEMENT is being made of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Mary Sue Huckaby, daughter of Mrs. Jessie Huckaby, Amarillo, and Mr. Angus Huckaby of Memphis, Texas, to John Albrecht of Doland, South Dakota, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Fredrick Albrecht. The wedding is to be read on February 14th in Amarillo.

Texas Farmers Buy Two Billion Bonds In 1947, Bates Says

There's one crop that Texas farmers can always harvest, come rain, shine, flood, drought, insects or plant diseases. And that is United States Savings Bonds, says C. H. Bates, extension farm management specialist of Texas A. & M. College.

The 1947 income from farm marketings in Texas totaled almost two billion dollars, says Bates, and had a lot of lettuce. This figure was 74 percent above the 1945 income of 1,115 million dollars Texas received for crops and livestock.

Bates also has some figures on the influence of inflation, and what it means to Texas Farmers and ranchmen to buy "E" bonds. Some of the nation's economists expect our present 57-cent dollar to be up around the 62 to 65-cent value in buying power within less than five years.

Assuming this trend is correct, Texas farmers and ranchmen will likely find a good harvest in savings bonds. It's good business to salt away part of those earnings in government securities for at least two reasons: (1) By purchasing these bonds, the farmer is siphoning off money which would otherwise be bidding up prices, and (2) it builds up liquid reserves for more advantageous uses in the future.

These bonds offer a farmer a chance to hedge against possible reductions in farm income and land values, and, at the same time offers a rainy day reserve that is safe and interest bearing.

So, it's really a good way to safeguard your economic future, says Bates.

Storm Proof Seed To Be Available At Lubbock Soon

Seeds from two varieties of storm proof cotton developed at Lubbock experiment station and produced at Texas Technological college will be available to cotton farmers after the Christmas holidays.

The cotton was grown on approximately 30 acres of college dry land. The soil was in excellent condition which compensated in part for the limited water the plants received, Dr. A. W. Young, head of plant industry, said.

From about 20 acres where variety 122 was planted, nine bales were harvested. On the 10 acres plot bearing variety 89A, four bales were harvested. A Boone experimental machine was used for harvesting the crop.

The 89A types is a combination of Delta Pine and Macha cotton, and 122 is Acala combined with Macha. Virtually no loss was experienced from high winds or storm, Dr. Young said.

The cotton seeds are to be available to farmers following seed cleaning and germination which will be finished by Jan. 1

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Monzingo of Borger visited Sunday in Memphis with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Monzingo and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Webb.

One good way to get rid of roaches in the kitchen is to leave nothing for them to eat. Keep the crumbs and small bits of food picked up.

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You Can Be Choosy When Picking Shrubs For Home Or Garden

When it comes to picking out flowers and shrubs for landscaping the home, it's a good time to be choosy. You can afford to be, says Sadie Hatfield, extension landscape gardening specialist of Texas A. & M. College, because some plants look better in certain areas than other plants.

The color in flowers or the berries or blooms on shrubs may clash with each other, and produce a gaudy appearance rather than an attractive one, says Miss Hatfield.

There's one thing that will help decide for the home shrub grower just what plants to choose, and that is the soil on which the plants are grown. For example, people in East Texas will have much better luck growing gardenias than those in other parts of the state. That's because East Texas has an acid soil and plenty of moisture.

Ceniza makes an attractive screen or windbreak, but again it has to be on the right type of soil—in this case, a basic or alkaline soil. Another good thing about the ceniza is that it has only a few insects and diseases that bother it.

Some flowers and shrubs have to be given careful attention all the time. It doesn't take long for some to become choked out by weeds and grasses, or for insects or diseases to knock them out.

If it's the green color you're looking for, plant some of the evergreens. They don't die during the winter months. Ceniza is an evergreen, and so are the pfitzer juniper, cherry laurel, and jaupon.

Good, sturdy plants suitable to your area will make for a well landscaped yard and an attractive home, says Miss Hatfield.

Historical Group Offers Cash Prizes For Story Winners

A first prize of \$100 will be awarded the winner of the 1948-1949 Junior Historian Contest sponsored by the Texas State Historical Association. Twelve papers will receive awards totaling \$345.

Contest entries may deal with any topic in Texas history, but contestants are urged to work on some subject related to their community or local history. Suggested topics are: cattle, trails, saddles, Indian depredations, transportation, natural history, exploration, oil, economic, political, or biographical subjects.

"Any boy or girl in Texas under twenty-one years of age may become eligible for competition," stated H. Bailey Carroll, editor of "The Junior Historian," the magazine of the association which is written almost exclusively by young Texans.

April 1, 1949, is announced as the closing date of the contest. All interested are invited to write for further information to The Junior Historian, Box 2131, University Station, Austin 12, Texas.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to our many friends and neighbors who sent flowers and helped with lunch and met the train when the body of our beloved son and brother, Pvt. Otis M. Smith, arrived here. We especially wish to thank the Murphy-Spicer Funeral Home, the American Legion and V.F.W. May God be with you in the time of sorrow.

Mrs. Y. Z. Smith.
Mr. and Mrs. Lester Smith and son.
Mr. and Mrs. Willie Smith and daughter.
Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Newbrough and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Gable.
Sgt. and Mrs. L. F. Nivens and Edward Yager.

Revenue Collections Fall Below Year Ago

AUSTIN, Texas—Federal internal revenue collections in Texas totaled \$65,274,120 in October, falling 5 per cent below year-earlier collections, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

The 15-per-cent climb of income taxes during the past year was overbalanced by a 4-per-cent decline in employment taxes and an 18-per-cent drop in withholding taxes.

Collections from July 1 to October 30 gained 9 per cent above the like period of 1947. In-

come taxes during that rose 18 per cent; employment taxes increased 11 per cent; withholding taxes fell 5 per cent.

First District (South Texas) turned in an 11-per-cent decrease in taxes for October 1946. Income taxes stepped up 3 per cent, while employment and holding taxes slid 6 and 22 per cent, respectively.

In the Second District (Central Texas), collections gained 11 per cent in the year's time. Income taxes, while employment taxes fell 3 per cent, and holding taxes dipped 14 per cent.

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Cyclone Basketball Quint Leads District With Clean Slate So Far

Memphis High Cyclone basketball team is leading the district with a record of five wins and one loss up to Thursday. The team is in second place in the district with two wins and one loss. The Cyclones have won two games and lost one with district opponents so far. The team is led by Coach L. E. McCulloch.

Worley Names New Secretary For His Washington Office

Friends here have received information that Congressman Gene Worley of this district has named Miss Florence Merriman of Pampa to be his new secretary, replacing Mrs. Altavene Clark of Amarillo.

Mrs. Clark has been named head of the coordinating staff of the House committee on agriculture.

Author Clark Weds Lucille Hancock At Methodist Parsonage

Mr. Author Clark and Miss Lucille Hancock were united in marriage at the Methodist parsonage in Memphis on December 24 by Rev. C. C. Armstrong, pastor, it was reported this week.

The attendants were Carroll Fowler of Lesley and Miss Jimmie Jean Smith of Lakeview. The bride wore a grey dress with red accessories, while Miss Smith wore a brown suit with brown accessories.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Clark of Brice. He was a graduate of the 1940 class at Lakeview high school and served in the Armed Forces for three years. He has been employed by the Lesley Gin Company the past two years.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hancock of Lesley. She also attended Lakeview high school.

The couple plans to make their home at Lesley.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Phillips, Lois Martin and Jean and Dink Maddox spent the week end in Amarillo. They were detained because of a car wreck, but fortunately they escaped any serious injuries.

Plan your tasks every day—don't just get done what you can.

Capt. W. J. Bragg Now In California

A telegram received last week by Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bragg informed them that their son, Capt. William J. Bragg, had arrived at Camp Stoneman, Calif. Capt. Bragg had spent the past year in Korea and Japan as a member of the medical corps.

He has spent nearly seven years in the army.

A.&M. Expert Says Construction Costs To Remain High

COLLEGE STATION—Don't wait. Do it now.

That's the information W. S. Allen, extension agricultural buildings engineer of Texas A. & M. College, has for the folks who are waiting for construction costs to drop back to normal.

There just isn't much chance that will happen, says Allen. Fact is, construction costs have continued to rise slightly in recent months, but appear to be leveling off right now. House building fell off during the late summer, but has picked up a little the last month. Farm building, on a national scale, continues at a faster pace than was predicted earlier in the year.

Prewar building costs are just history now. It's not likely that folks will see them again in any period ahead for which they can plan. In short, for those holding off to build, Allen can give little or no encouragement to wait.

There's a reasonably good supply of lumber, both in quantity and quality. Hardware, plumbing and nail supplies vary with different localities. But when a little planning ahead is done, these materials can usually be had. Cement supplies are short right now, but more is expected later on.

There's a need to think in terms of structures for production during 1949. Forecasters believe there will be a shortage of grain storage, and in order to make the most of continued high prices, there's going to be a big need for broiler houses, laying houses, milk sheds, and dairy barns.

The farm home is just as big a part—if not the most important—of the farm production plant as the farm buildings, reminds Allen.

So now is as good a time as any to build up the farm production plant. Prices aren't going down—just yet, anyway.

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Clifton Farmer

Mr. Farmer was re-elected by acclamation for another year as business manager of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce at a meeting of the new board of directors this week, according to announcement by H. J. Howell, new president.

"One good term deserves another" was the unanimous decision of the group when someone nominated Clifford Farmer for re-election.

Mr. and Mrs. Farmer have already made a permanent place for themselves in the life of the community as both have been very active in both business and social life since moving here last April from Missouri.

The editor of an early Boston newspaper organized public meetings and demonstrations in favor of forming a United States with a Constitution. It is believed that his activities did much to cause Massachusetts to ratify the Constitution.

FEWER PEOPLE DIED DURING YEAR OF TUBERCULOSIS THAN LAST YEAR

In Texas during 1948 TB killed 2,744 people. This is 44 less than died of TB the previous year. The tuberculosis death rate in Texas for 1947 is 38.6 as compared with a rate of 33.2 for the country as a whole. However, since 1940, the Texas death rate from TB has been decreasing at a much more rapid pace than the rate for The United States—20 per cent decrease for the United States, 31 per cent decrease for Texas. This decrease means that some 2,200 people are living today who would have died were it not for tuberculosis control in Texas.

Despite the remarkable progress made against the menace of TB, the Texas Tuberculosis Association and its affiliated local units must work ceaselessly to help maintain these gains and to push TB back still farther in this State. There is an estimated number of 27,000 cases of TB in Texas. The State has only 2,193 beds for tuberculosis patients (exclusive of beds in Federal, mental and penal institutions). The average number of deaths annually from TB for the past five years (1943-47) is 2,966. The minimum standard of 2 1/2 beds, and preferably 3, per average annual death indicates that approximately 5,500 additional beds are needed for tuberculosis patients in Texas.

The State Legislature has made provision for additional beds at Camp Fannin Hospital, Tyler, and at Weaver Baker Memorial Hospital, Mission, which means some 500 additional beds will in time be available. This will help but is still far from meeting the need. Isolation through hospitalization is one of the cardinal principles of TB control because TB is a highly communicable disease.

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At the present time, 42 of the 48 states have artificial dairy breeding associations in operation.

any other disease. TB costs millions of dollars in lost hours of work, hospitalization for the sick, and welfare for the patient's families. Against this destruction of life and wealth, the Texas Tuberculosis Association and its affiliates carry out a year-round campaign of control.

It can be wiped out—if individuals and communities take the necessary steps to detect, diagnose and treat the disease, and to arrest its spread. The tuberculosis associations are dedicated to getting those steps taken. The Texas Tuberculosis Association and its affiliated locals is the annual sale of Christmas Seals. Proceeds from this single sale support the educational work, the X-ray services, medical research and rehabilitation activities carried on year-round by the TB association.

1. Great strides have been made. Since 1940 the Texas death rate has declined at a more rapid rate than the national.

2. But TB is still a menace in Texas, killing more than 2,500 Texans a year. TB leads all diseases as a cause of death between the ages of 15 and 44.

3. TB is an unnecessary disease because its cause and methods of prevention are known. TB can be wiped out altogether by public and individual action.

4. The vital work of the tuberculosis associations depends on the success of the Seal Sale. The greater the sale, the more the tuberculosis associations can accomplish toward complete eradication of TB.

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Mumps Contagious; Needs Isolation To Stop Spreading

Commenting on the necessity for individual cooperation in effecting the control of mumps, now widespread throughout the State, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, emphasizes the fact that the contagion factor is present before any symptoms appear, and strict isolation of all patients is the surest means of controlling the spread of this disease.

Mumps is transmitted by direct contact with an infected person or articles freshly contaminated by the secretions of the mouth or nose of persons having the disease. It takes from 12 to 26 days for mumps to manifest itself after the infection occurs. The disease can be easily transmitted, but one attack usually establishes permanent immunity and second attacks very rarely occur.

The most easily recognizable characteristic symptom of mumps is a painful swelling of the salivary glands. Sometimes there is an involvement of other portions of the body, causing disturbances in the digestive, nervous, circulatory, and genito-urinary systems. The disease is usually accompanied by a temperature rise which more often than not is mild.

"Patients suffering from this disease should be isolated from other members of the family immediately upon the suspicion that mumps exists, and the family physician should be called in promptly," Dr. Cox said. "In the meantime, complete rest in bed is indicated. The doctor's orders should be followed strictly. Violating his instructions can lead to serious injury, which may permanently affect the patient's health."

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CANDY BARS	Bob Cat, 2 bars for	5c
MINCE MEAT	9 oz. pkg.	19c
PICKLES	THB - Quart	19c
DREFT or VEL	Large	29c
BLEACH	WP - Quart	19c
SOAP	Crystal White, P&G, 3 for	25c
FLOUR	YUKON'S BEST - 25 Lbs.	\$1.79
MEAL	YUKON'S BEST - 5 Lb. Bag	39c
TOMATOES	Del Rio, No. 2 can	12 1/2c
CORN	Naomi, No. 2 can	15c
KRAUT	No. 2 can	13c
HOMINY	No. 2 can	10c
PORK & BEANS	Armour's, 2 cans	25c
SLICED BACON	Cudahy's Rival, lb.	49c
OYSTERS	Fresh, Pint	90c
BOLOGNA	Pound	35c
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EGG, RAUT, No. 2 can		11c
EGG, EANS & NEW POTATOES, No. 2 can		16c
EGG, HERRIES, No. 2 can Red Pitted		29c
EGG, RUIT COCKTAIL, No. 1 can 27c; large can		41c
EGG, EACHES, No. 1 can 19c; large can		31c
EGG, LEOMARGARINE, all kinds, pound		35c
EGG, LICED BACON, Armour's Banner, pound		57c
EGG, ORK CHOPS, Nice Fresh, pound		53c
EGG, ROZEN PERCH FILLETS, pound		41c
EGG, ROZEN STRAWBERRIES, Xtra Good, box		52c
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Mrs. Buna Mayfield Hostess At Meeting Of Needlecraft Club

Mrs. Buna Mayfield was hostess to the Needlecraft Club in her home Tuesday afternoon, January 18. The president, Mrs. Buna Gerlach, had charge of a short business meeting after which the time was spent in doing needlework.

A refreshment plate was served to the following members: Mesdames Addie Hampton, Millie Murphy, Clara Cummings, Buna Gerlach, Irene Bradley,

Mrs. Floyd Parks of Afton is in Memphis this week visiting her daughter, Mrs. Carl Wood, and Mr. Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy DeWees of Lubbock spent Saturday night with her mother, Mrs. Hester Bownds.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Hart of Pampa visited in Memphis last week with her son, J. C. Turner, and Mrs. Turner.

Minnie Ferrell, Bess Crump, Floy Weatherly, a visitor, Mrs. F. A. Linder, and the hostess.

Rebekahs Appear In New Robes In Meet Monday Nite

The Memphis Rebekah Lodge No. 346 held its regular meeting Monday night, January 17, at which time Wanda Phillips was initiated as a new member.

The degree team, under the direction of their captain, Mrs. Alla Boswell, performed the initiation ceremony in a most impressive manner. The effectiveness of the work was accentuated with the new robes which were worn for the first time.

Following the close of the meeting, a skit, "New Year's Resolution," was given by Mesdames Annie Mae Willeford, Margaret Snowdon and Ora Ritchie.

Refreshments of cake and coffee were served to the members. Hostesses for the evening were Mesdames Florence Glosson, Phoebe Shaw, Julia Briscoe, Lovell Blackmon, Lennie Kennedy and Leta Gerlach.

Mike Dewlen of Amarillo who has been visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Jean Lamb, and other relatives returned home last Thursday.

Lt. and Mrs. Ralph Farmer of Roswell Air Force Base visited last week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Turner. Lt. Farmer and Mr. Turner met while in the service.

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Mrs. H. J. Howell Named President Of Atalanteans

A panel discussion on "Foods of Today and Tomorrow" was presented before members of the Atalantean Club when they met January 5 in the home of Mrs. J. A. Odom.

Miss Imogene King, president, presided during the business session at which time officers were elected for the ensuing year. Officials elected included Mrs. Haskell J. Howell, president; Mrs. T. M. Isham, first vice president; Mrs. Henry Foster, second vice president; Mrs. C. R. Tension, recording secretary; Mrs. Buck Johnson, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Ed Monzingo, treasurer; Mrs. C. W. Kinslow, historian; Mrs. H. B. Estes, parliamentarian; and Mrs. D. A. Neeley, reporter.

Mrs. C. R. Tension directed the afternoon's discussion and interesting talks on "Foods of Today and Tomorrow" were given by Mrs. Claud Johnson, Mrs. C. W. Broome and Mrs. Buck Johnsons. Members answered roll call with "Believe it or Not" notes about food.

Tasty refreshments were served to the following members: Mesdames C. W. Broome, W. C. Dickey, H. B. Estes, H. J. Howell, T. M. Isham, Claud Johnson, Buck Johnson, J. H. Morris, Myrtis Phelan, Bob Roberts, Robert Sexauer, Edwin Smith, R. F. Spicer, C. R. Tension, Misses Imogene King, and Gertrude Rasco and hostess, Mrs. Odom.

Carl D. Lee went to Oklahoma City Sunday. Mrs. Lee who had been visiting there since Christmas with her mother, Mrs. W. Magers, returned home with him.

Duane Vickers left recently for Odessa where he is employed with the Oil Well Supply Company.

Billie Jo Jones and Imogene Riley visited last week end in Wichita Falls with friends.

VFW Auxiliary Holds Business Meeting Thursday

The VFW Auxiliary held its first business meeting of the new year on Thursday, January 13, in the home of Mrs. Mattie Jones.

During the business meeting members voted to present a program to the Veterans hospital in Amarillo sometime in the near future. A new member, Maudel McCauley, was initiated into the auxiliary.

The next meeting, which is slated for January 27, will be a social.

Members attending were Lela Scott, Dorothy VanDeventer, Pauline Bevers, Freda McWhorter, Anna Margaret Moss, Mattie Jones, Pinky Godfrey, Bonnie Hawkins, Edna Crowder, Ruth Noah, Maudel McCauley, Peggy Fowler, and Alma Terrel, who was a visitor.

Anna Margaret Collins was a week end visitor in Medicine Mounds where she visited with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Maddox.

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Mrs. Henry Read Hostess Wednesday To Mystic Weavers

Mrs. Henry Read was hostess to the Mystic Weaver Club at her home in Memphis Wednesday afternoon, January 12.

Needle work and conversation entertained throughout the party hours.

Due to the inclement weather only six members were present. During the tea hour, tasty refreshments were served to Mesdames Della Palmmeier, Myrtis

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 SATURDAY, JANUARY 22nd
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The young people of our farms are the center of attention this week. They have been working diligently in their different projects, and the show animals on display Saturday represents months and months of hard work in that particular phase of their endeavor.

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Fat Stock Show
 SATURDAY WILL BE A GRAND SUCCESS

Last year we gave to the 4-H Clubs of Hall County a "Scramble Calf" which we purchased at the Houston Fat Stock Show. We will continue to work for our young people of this county, and will strive to help promote all club activities and projects.

As we extend to every 4-H and FFA club member our sincere congratulations upon the occasion of their 12th Annual Fat Stock Show, we wish to say again that we are happy to see you progress in your work. It is our desire to work right along with you, and are ready at all times to help any of you in any way we can.

GOOD LUCK TO EVERY ONE OF YOU!

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CARD OF THANKS
 Goffinet, Walkers, Read, etc. wish to express our sincere appreciation for the kindness shown us in the death of our daughter, Mrs. Dixie Carter. We wish to thank the funeral home and neighbors for their kindness and for the flowers and cards which they have sent. We will miss her dearly and every one who loved her.

MR. & MRS. COMBS ATTEND PRESS MEET IN CANYON
 Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Combs were in Canyon Saturday where they attended a quarterly meeting of the Panhandle Press Association. A program of interest to newspaper people was featured during the morning session and President Cornet of West Texas State College was principal speaker at the noon luncheon. During the afternoon the group

Military Funeral Given Otis Smith Tuesday Afternoon

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon in the Murphy-Spicer chapel for Pvt. Otis M. Smith, who was killed in action in France August 9, 1944. His body arrived on the early morning train from Fort Worth, having recently been brought from a cemetery in France. Rev. C. R. Tension, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiated at the services in the chapel. Burial was in the Lakeview Cemetery with full military honors being given by a delegation from the Simmons-Noel post of the American Legion and the Durrett-Brown post of the V.F.W. Pvt. Smith, son of Mrs. Lizzie Smith of Memphis, was born in Arkansas October 17, 1909. He moved with his parents to Hall County about 1924 and attended school at Ell. He united with the Baptist church when he was 15. In 1942, he enlisted in the Infantry division of the Army and received training at Fort Sill, Camp Robinson and Camp Bowie before going overseas in March of 1944. Other survivors include two brothers, Willie Smith of Memphis and Lester Smith of Dallas and two sisters, Mrs. O. C. Newbrough and Mrs. Kelley Gable, both of Memphis.

Triple A Handbook Of Practices Will Be Out Next Week

1,500 copies of the Hall County Handbook of A.A.A. practices will be distributed to Hall County farmers next week. This book has been printed in the print shop of the Memphis Democrat and will contain specifications for the 24 Soil Conservation Practices selected by the A.A.A. Committee of Hall County for their 1949 program. The cost of printing the handbook was paid for by the First National and The First State Banks of Memphis. These institutions and their presidents, Mr. Noel and Mr. Smith, are to be commended for a contribution that is a real service to the farmers of Hall County. Hall County has been one of the leading counties in the United States the last two years in soil conservation work. This was accomplished by the instructive information furnished the farmers of Hall County by full distribution of our handbook of information on the program and the good publicity given by the Memphis Democrat. The County A.C.A. has no funds available for the printing of county handbooks and without the public spirited contributions made by the local banks, no handbooks would be available for Hall County farmers. Hall County is one of the few counties in Texas that have a printed handbook. Only through full co-operation of everyone can Hall County's lead in soil conservation be maintained and with the good start given the 1949 program by the local banks and The Memphis Democrat. We expect to make continuous progress in 1949.

Training Program For REA Crews To Be Started Soon

COLLEGE STATION—Rural electric line construction and maintenance crews in fifteen Texas communities will start their 1949 training programs during the remaining weeks of January under the direction of M. D. Kaderli, line crew instructor in the Industrial Extension Service of Texas A & M College. This was announced today by E. L. Williams, IES director, whose department conducts REA training program in Texas in cooperation with the State Board for Vocational Education.

Covering a regular circuit, Kaderli will instruct crews in the following communities during 1949: Childress, Memphis, Wellington, Perryton, Hereford, Tulia, Mulshoc, Littlefield, Floydada, Stamford, Merkel, Roby, Stanton, Takoka and Lubbock, the announcement said. Pallbearers were: Robert Moss, Williams Moss, Ray Childress, Jim Smith, Lindberg Smith and Billy Nelson.

visited West Texas Historical Museum. The directors also held a meeting in the afternoon at which time plans were completed for the annual convention to be held in Amarillo April 8-9. Mr. Combs is one of the directors.

Legal Notice

NOTICE
 Notice is hereby given that bids will be received for the County Depository of Hall County, Texas, at the February Term, 1949, of the Commissioners Court of said county. Bids will be publicly opened by 10 o'clock A. M., Monday, February 14th, 1949. All bids must be delivered to the county judge before that hour and no bids will be received after the first bid has been opened. All bids must be sealed and must state the rate of interest offered for the use of all moneys belonging to and under the control of the county, including all county funds, school money, road bond money, etc., between the date of said bid and the next regular time for the selection of a depository, which is two years. Interest to be computed on daily balance, and payable monthly. Bids must be accompanied by a certified check for not less than one-half of one per cent. (1/2 of 1%) of the county revenue of last year, 1948, as a guarantee of good faith. Any banking corporation, association or individual banker in Hall County will be allowed to bid. The award will be to the highest bidder, the Commissioners Court reserving the right to reject any and all bids. Given under my hand this the 10th day of January, A. D. 1949. M. O. GOODPASTURE County Judge, Hall County, Texas 33-3c

Myrtle Howard, Mrs. M. C. Allen and Mrs. Ernest McMurry spent Monday in Amarillo.

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- It's always a pleasure for us to work with you in your feeding programs. We feel that we have played a part in your beef cattle projects, and want to invite you to call upon us any time if we can be of further service.

GOOD LUCK TO EVERY ONE OF YOU!

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NOW IT'S TIME FOR YOUR ANNUAL Fat Stock Show

This is the time of year when all of us can view the results of your work in feeding out beef-type calves. We know that your work is worthwhile, and we hope that each of you will be proud of the results of the 12th Annual 4-H and FFA Fat Stock Show.

HERE'S A SUGGESTION—

Let's give the club members, whose names are listed below, a pat on the back and a word of praise for their efforts in preparing the beef calves for exhibition:

Jimmie Bownds	Joe Booth	Lowell Richburg
Fletcher Bownds	Mildred Booth	Raymond Martin
Ray Crawford	Harold Rarip	O. J. Weatherly
Bennie West	Noland Salmon	Bobby Adams
Lloyd West	Macchie Salmon	Gene Jouett
John Luther Byars	Richard Salmon	Wallace Jouett
David Horace Duvall	Gay Lynn Salmon	James Misenheimer
Jack Fowler	Jake Hancock	Clifton Smith
Billy Wayne Fowler	E. W. Solomon Jr.	Gene Gardenhire
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FOR SALE—3-room house, good storm cellar, garage, and 4 acres of land. Price \$2250, with \$1250 cash and balance \$25 a month with 6 per cent interest. Judge Owen, 1403 South 22 Avenue, Phoenix, Ariz. 33-3p

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150 Persons -

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Rev. B. L. Peacock. Mr. Saye introduced W. B. Wilson Jr. as toastmaster. Special guests were introduced, including many business men who are not members of the club and out of town visitors, including Don Ezell of Childress, former coach here. Sup't. W. C. Davis of Memphis introduced his staff, including coaches and principals. Coach York then introduced each of the 26 honor guests, members of the 1948 Cyclone squad. His mode of introduction included a few remarks about each man, in which he pointed out their best qualities. The toastmaster did not forget to pay tribute to the fine food served by Ma Reynolds and her staff of seven assistants. The menu included fine steaks, potatoes, peas, salad, pie, hot rolls and coffee.

Wilson Ideal Toastmaster
 Toastmaster Wilson began his introductions by naming Mayor C. C. Hodges as the "man who is calm under all circumstances." He called on the members of the board of education as "the guiding lights of the community." He introduced H. J. Howell as new C-C president, Ace Gailley as the new Booster Club president, W. U. McCoy and Bob Bray, staff writers for the Amarillo Times; business men and others present. Sup't. Davis, in his remarks, paid tribute to Basketball Coach L. E. McColloch in these words, "We're cocky about our chances in basketball this year." He then paid Coach York a big tribute, in saying "he is a grand fellow and deserves a great hand. Our program is really going places and we appreciate the fine encouragement you fellows are giving us." Coach York, among other

things, said: "So far as the games won and lost last season, we are not so proud, but we are proud that not a single boy missed a single workout all season unless he was disabled and even then he would be here on the bench with us." The program was concluded with a showing of the T.C.U.-S.M.U. football game film.

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25 Hall County Club Boys Go To Ft. Worth Sunday

At least 25 or more of the 4-H and FFA boys of Hall County are not only busy this week getting ready for the livestock show here Saturday, they also are getting ready for a full week in Fort Worth, beginning Sunday.

County Agent W. B. Hooser plans to leave here Sunday morning in company with some of the boys and their calves for the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show. Winners here Saturday will be those who go to Fort Worth with their stock.

"We will stay the entire week in Fort Worth," said Hooser. "The calves will be sifted Wednesday. Winners will be selected and the boys will be ready to clear out by Friday for home unless they plan on going on to Houston as several of them will." A barbecue dinner will be given Friday night in the Pioneer Palace by the Texas Livestock Marketing Association when the trophy for the champion steer will be awarded. But the boys are not required to stay over for this dinner.

The Fat Stock show program gets under way Friday, the 28th, and lasts through February 6. Breeders will move their stock into the showgrounds on Saturday, the 29th, after the boys move out. The boys will get to see the first performances of the world famous rodeo Friday.

CALL 15 FOR QUALITY JOB PRINTING Jester Encourages

(Continued from page 1)
 poses as well as for irrigation. Engineering surveys have already been made of the proposed site of the dam, several hundred yards up the river above the old wooden bridge on Highways 70 and 256.

Mr. Wells says the governor asked the delegation to furnish him with more details on the proposed project.

"We were well received and given some encouragement by Mr. Jester," was his statement on his return to Memphis early Thursday morning.

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MEMPHIS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AND HALL COUNTY BOARD OF DEVELOPMENT DIRECTORS for 1949 installed this week. Sitting, left to right, Herschel Combs, new vice-president; Haskell J. Howell, new president; James F. Smith, 1947 president; R. C. Lemons, 1948 president; Ace Gailey, Tomie M. Potts. Standing, left to right: M. C. Allen, Wendell Harrison, board secretary; Carl Harrison, Roy Coleman, Orville Goodpasture and W. B. Wilson Sr. (Photo by Orr).



HASKELL J. HOWELL

Business Life Is First Choice Of Freshmen Students

A recent survey of 331 freshmen at West Texas State College showed 91 listed business administration or secretarial work as their occupational preference after they get college degrees.

Ranking next in popular choice among the first-year students was teaching or other work in education, 45 listing these as their choices for life's work.

Farming or ranching came next with 39, while 34 checked "undecided" on the questionnaire. Engineering was checked by 20, art by 12, and journalism or writing by 10.

Other occupations listed from nine to one were agriculture, athletic coaching, building trades, personnel and counseling, dentistry, drama, dress designing, geology, home economics, law, medicine, music, nursing, pharmacy, radio announcing and social work.

MEMPHIS COUPLE OFF TO PARADISE, (GUAM), FOR A COUPLE YEARS

"I'm getting out of this cold country with its snow and its dust storms," declared Fritz Crisler, 28-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor A. Crisler of Memphis a few days ago.

Fritz has been on a 90-day leave from a job in the civil service on Guam, "Paradise," where summer stays the year round," as he phrased it. In fact, Guam was his headquarters back in 1944 when he was with the Air Corps. He was a crew member on a B-29 when it flew over and dropped food in a Jap prisoner of war camp for some of our soldiers who were prisoners. He "fell in love" with Guam the first time he set eyes on it.

"Yes, I built a five-room house out there for the wife and the son," he says. "We are going out there to live. It is a grand opportunity so far as I am concerned."

Fritz and his wife, the former Jeanne Denny, daughter of Mrs. Ora Denny of Memphis, and their young son, Courtney, 6, boarded the Fort Worth & Denver here January 9 for Denver and San Francisco. They were to board the USS Randall at Frisco on Friday, the 14th, for the ocean voyage to Guam. They will stop for three days in Honolulu on the way.

"Yes, I am in Civil Service over there," said Fritz. "I am working in motor parts in the Sub Depot. It is a good job and offers opportunity for promotion and advancement in pay."

Mrs. V. A. Crisler, mother of Fritz, says he can come home after a year if he decides to doesn't want to stay. The government will pay his wife's expenses home any time she decides to come. Her expenses out there are also said. Fritz was out there 18 months before coming home on leave about 90 days ago. His wife had lived here with her mother. Both Fritz and his wife are graduates of Memphis high.

A week later: Information was received in Memphis the past weekend by Mrs. Crisler that her son, Fritz, on reaching San Francisco with his family found orders for him to take off via air direct to Guam, leaving his wife and son to go on by the boat. He was 30 days overdue through no fault of his own but he was evidently needed so badly he was ordered to fly the ocean so he could be on the job 24 hours later.

Hall Brothers Get Irrigation Wells In Pleasant Valley Area

Farmers of the Pleasant Valley community have at last gotten two irrigation wells that were "proved up" on test runs two weeks ago. The area lies west of Plaska about two miles.

The first one is located on the A. L. Hall farm. Mr. Hall reports the well was drilled by Wingett & Plank of Hereford, well-drilling contractors.

"We had it drilled down to the 60-foot level and found 25 feet of fine water sand on the 23-foot level to the 48-foot level," said Mr. Hall. "It is good for 250 gallons per minute on the pump."

The contractors drilled a 20-inch hole and then put in a 12-inch casing, then gravel-packed it all the way down to keep out the quicksand. It took five yards of gravel that was hauled from Amarillo.

The well is located at the upper side of the farm so it can be used to irrigate anywhere from 20 to 50 acres. Mr. Hall plans to drill a second well to the same depth nearby.

A committee from the chamber (Continued on page 5)

THAR SHE FLOWS!



A. L. HALL, farmer living two miles west of Plaska, in center of group, watches that highly prized water flowing from his new irrigation well. John Plank, driller, is at left of group and one of his employes is at right. The little girl is Gay Lyn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hall. Red Hall says he now has a 4-inch motor on the well and is making about 250 gallons a minute with it. He plans to irrigate some 40 acres or more this coming season. His brother, Doyle, also has a well, about a half mile away. (Photo by Hall).

Howell Named President Of Chamber Of Commerce For 1949

H. Howell, manager of the Penney Company store in Memphis since June 15, 1945, was elected as president of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce and Hall County Board of Development at the first meeting of the board for 1949 last Friday.

Manager Clifford Farmer announced that members of the board had all been re-elected in balloting of the membership, effected by mail during the two weeks in January.

Howell succeeds R. C. Lemons, furniture dealer, who held the position last year. Lemons automatically becomes a member of the board after serving as president.

Herschel Combs, co-publisher of the Democrat, was elected as president of the board for a position held by Howell last year. Wendell Harrison was secretary of the board, replacing Ace Gailey, secretary last year.

Other board members are: Roy Coleman, Orville Goodpasture, Matthew C. Allen, James F. Smith, Tomie Potts, Ace Gailey and W. B. Wilson Sr.

ADDITIONAL OFFICERS LEFT OUT OF REPORT

In listing the names of the officers installed at the January 3 meeting of the Memphis Rebekah Lodge No. 346, the names of Mrs. Bertha Hill as musician and Mrs. Lovell Blackmon as assistant musician were inadvertently omitted from the list.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Jones left the first of the week for San Antonio where they will spend the rest of the winter. They expect to be back in Memphis about May 1.

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McLean Really Got In Cyclone's Hair But Lost Game

In the most thrilling and hard-fought game of the season to date, Memphis Cyclone basketballers kept up their unbeaten stride Tuesday night by finally defeating McLean 33 to 32.

While the final score was satisfactory to the homefolks, there were many anxious moments, especially when McLean got ahead early in the fourth, about 32 to 29. The score had been 19 to 11 at the half, favor of the home boys. Immediately after the half, the visitors, led by that perfect player Haynes, ran up the scores, one after the other, until it stood 25 to 25 at end of the third. Haynes got in nine field goals and four free throws for one point each for a total of 22 during the evening show. That fellow could shoot at that basket from any angle and hit it in the middle.

Coach McColloch's boys proved equal to the occasion in that close team work turned the trick. No one man stood out above the other. Perfect coordination, such as coaches dream about, was shown the fans. Sammy Rasco, Morrison, Gardenhire and Crooks came through to lead in tosses. Only Green had an off night and he finally managed two field goals and two free throws.

The Cyclone is due to meet Shamrock tonight (Thursday) for a game postponed from last week because of the weather. Since Shamrock played McLean a close game a week ago, this should be a good game tonight for the fans. McLean only beat them 29 to 25. It all depends on the breaks tonight.

Memphis defeated the Clarendon Bronchos here last Friday night 31 to 13 before a good crowd.

Marion Long Named Beauty Candidate By TWC Freshmen

FORT WORTH, Jan. 18—Miss Marion Long, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Long of Memphis, has been named freshman beauty candidate for Campus Sweetheart at Texas Wesleyan College.

Winner in the Campus Sweetheart election will be presented in an annual Sweetheart Revue at the college February 25, along with nominees of each class and social club at TWC.

Miss Long is a freshman home economics major at TWC. She resides in Ann Waggoner Hall on the college campus.

Mary Drue McColium and Bettie Gibbs were Amarillo visitors Sunday.



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- And to that special group of young folks who have worked hard during the past months getting their calves ready for the show ring, we say: GOOD LUCK IN THE JUDGING, and GOOD LUCK AS YOUR ANIMALS GO UNDER THE AUCTIONEER'S HAMMER!
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Chevrolet Completely Restyles New '49 Car

Latest Model May Be Sensation Of Coming Season

A product of three years' development work and more than a million miles of engineering research, the 1949 Chevrolet goes on display in the showroom here Saturday of the Potts Chevrolet Company.

The latest model has been completely restyled. It is lower, wider and more distinctive than any previous series. Not only does the design introduce superior beauty to the lowest-priced ranks, but numerous body and chassis improvements promise to add to Chevrolet's reputation for comfort, safety and convenience, Tomie M. Potts stated in announcing the new model.

Two series of cars, the Fleetline and Styleline, are included with De Luxe treatment an option in most body types. De Luxe cars lay increased emphasis on the styling of fabrics, trim and appointments. The lineup shows: Fleetline—Two and four-door sedans. This design is distinguished by the extension of the roof line in an unbroken sweep to the rear. Known to the trade as a "fast back", the form achieved great popularity on the 1948 two-door Aeroplan.

Styleline—Two and four-door sedans, sport coupe, three-passenger business coupe, convertible, wood and all-steel station wagons. Styleline sedans carry the "notch back." Here the curvature of the roof meets the rear deck at the body belt line.

Many Changes in Body
The first impression of the new cars is one of smart styling, structural strength and generous dimensions. The entire passenger compartment has been moved forward, lengthened, broadened and lowered, affording a pleasing balance in proportions. Rearwardly the front fenders have been absorbed into the body, their vertical planes built flush with the doors. Crowns of the fenders have also been raised to fit more snugly into the hood and low, clean ensemble of the grille. To add grace and protect body surfaces, a partial rear fender has been retained.

From the passenger's standpoint perhaps the chief improvement in bodies is the immense increase in glass area. All windows have been deepened and widened. The windshield takes full advantage of broader bodies, curving inward at the narrowed pillars to improve sideway as well as forward vision. On comparable models the gain in visibility over 1948 has been as much as 30 per cent.

Rear Seat Moved Forward
Besides its influence on overall balance in design, repositioning of the passenger compartment claims still other benefits. Rear seat passengers are now cradled in the comfort zone between the front and rear axles. (Formerly passengers rode over the rear axle.) Lowering of the compartment has reduced the center of gravity of the car, resulting in greater stability on

Chevrolet's 'Balanced Design' Adds Beauty and Comfort



Progressive streamlining of the 1949 Chevrolet is in evidence in this view of the Styleline De Luxe four-door sedan against a new Martip 202 passenger airplane. Notable in the roomier, lower cars is a balance in design that adds greater comfort and driving ease as well as smart appearance.

curves and at higher speeds. Further, the lowered floor and wider doors permit easier entrance and exit by passenger.

Another important factor in better road ability is the adoption at the front and rear of direct double-acting shock absorbers, a type that proved itself in wartime service. Front suspension, which continues to feature the coil spring "Knee-Action" Chevrolet pioneered 15 years ago, has been made sturdier.

A new steering geometry will be found significant by drivers. The master arm is now located in the center of the chassis front end, equalizing the effort of right and left turns. This type of steering, available previously only in higher-priced cars, reduces "wheel fight," any tendency of the car to "wander" and adds to tire life.

The gearshift is new. Recent developments in shift linkage caused engineers to substitute the manual shift for the former vacuum-assisted mechanism. The lever remains on the steering column, but has been lengthened to equalize the effort of shifts.

Engine Is Unchanged
Although the six-cylinder valve-in-head engine is basically unchanged, several refinements have enhanced smoothness and service accessibility. The carburetor is improved and contains a "fast-idle" device. The exhaust system has been "unitized" for improved sealing. A better hydraulic system and weight redistribution improves braking. Wheels are smaller and carry low-pressure tires.

Also notable is a new means of ventilation. With the cowl vent omitted, fresh air is now drawn into the passenger compartment through ducts located between the front skirts and the radiator. These ducts lead to tube operated knobs on the instrument panel.

Dials Grouped in Circular
In addition to the ventilation controls, the driver will find unusual features. The steering

wheel is thinner and somewhat lowered to supplement the safe vision made possible by larger windows. Dials are grouped in a circular cluster on the face of the jumbo speedometer. Starting is by a button on the instrument panel. A nearby knob controls the windshield wiper, vacuum-powered and now especially designed to hug the curvature of the glass.

The emergency brake is a straight pull lever mounted below the dash at the right of the steering column.

While all of the other details of the 1949 Chevrolet cannot be covered in a limited description, worthy of mention are: larger trunks equipped with automatic lock; rear compartment dome light doubled in candlepower; a

E. L. McQueen, Jr. Weds Kay Goode Of Hedley Here

A wedding of wide interest in this section was that of Miss Kay Goode of Hedley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Goode of that city, to E. L. McQueen Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McQueen of

concealed gasoline filler pipe, the tank now being located on the left hand side of the car; parking lamps built into the grille; a ball-bearing mounted front seat adjustment.

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Memphis, which occurred at the First Baptist church here on January 1, with Rev. C. R. Tension, pastor, officiating. The double ring ceremony was used. The bride was attended by a sister, Mrs. Adair Gilbert, and Miss Nell Rita Cheek of Memphis, while the groom was attended by Benj. Godfrey of Memphis. The couple returned this week.

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The new Super-Size Interiors featuring extra-wide "Five-Foot Seats," give you plenty of head, leg and elbowroom as well as extraordinary seating space for six full-grown passengers; and you'll also notice that the giant rear decks have what amounts to "trunk room" capacity.

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Q—What are the deadlines for applying for the G. I. Bill at a later date? I was discharged in August, 1947.

A—You may apply for training within four years from the date of your discharge. You must finish your training before the expiration of 9 years from the date of your discharge.

Q—I am considering taking the job training but I find the proposed training will necessitate purchase of a great many tools and some equipment. Will veterans Administration pay for the tools that I will need?

A—Veterans Administration will furnish you with tools and equipment, provided they are required for all other trainees taking the course.

Q—When is a Certificate of Eligibility from VA for loan guarantee purposes necessary?

A—It is necessary when the veteran is unable to furnish the original discharge papers, or when his period of service was less than 90 days, or when his service was in the armed forces of a government allied with the United States in World War II.

Q—On what priority basis is a World War I veteran admitted to a Veterans Administration hospital?

A—Emergency cases have first priority; those suffering from injuries incurred in or aggravated by wartime service are next on the priority list, and those who swear they are unable to pay hospital charges for non-service-connected disabilities or illnesses are third. The latter must wait until a bed is available.

Q—Veterans Administration has decided that vocational training under Public Law 16 to be "medically not feasible" for me. Will such training be provided at a later date if feasibility for training should then be established?

A—Yes, if all other requirements of the law can be met. In such a case, vocational training may be provided as soon as medical feasibility is established. In the meantime, your application for vocational rehabilitation is referred to a rehabilitation board in the regional office. This board follows up your application and at regular intervals arranges for any service which might be helpful in accomplishing vocational rehabilitation.

Q—While in training under the G. I. Bill, I was dropped from subsistence rolls because my monthly progress reports failed to reach VA in time. What should I do to be restored to the rolls?

A—You should check with your employer and urge that he send in reports. You will be restored to the rolls as soon as your progress report is received. The progress report must be received by VA within 60 days of the first delinquency or you will lose the subsistence for the delinquent period.

Q—Is it possible for a veteran to complete his last two grades in elementary school under the G. I. Bill?

A—Yes. Q—Will VA pay the traveling costs for my son who is in a VA hospital and who intends to visit home over the holidays?

A—No. All travel while on leave from a VA hospital is at the expense of the veteran.

Veterans holding unused Certificates of Eligibility for education or training under the GI Bill and who plan to start training after January 1, 1949, should exchange them for new certificates, VA reports.

After January 1, VA must verify how much training veterans are entitled to, if they hold old certificates. Until VA does this it cannot pay tuition to schools or make subsistence payments to veterans holding the old certificates.

Veterans receiving new certificates will also receive a Claim Number which will make doubly sure of identification and improve service. Certificates which should be exchanged are those issued before September 1, 1948.

Many Texans Die From Pneumonia During Past Year

A Statement from Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, discloses the fact that 2,531 Texans died from pneumonia during the year 1947, and emphasizes his often repeated warning that this disease is a killer.

Pneumonia is caused by the pneumococcus germ which is present in the bodies of almost everyone, and ready to start trouble if the resistance becomes lowered for any reason. We can build up our resistance by avoiding undue fatigue and unnecessary exposure to extreme weather conditions. When we go outside in cold weather, sufficient clothing should be worn to keep the body warm. Keeping the temperature of our homes and offices as low as is consistent with comfort will greatly lessen the difficulties encountered in adjusting ourselves to the cold when we leave the house.

Another method of prevention in pneumonia is to never neglect a cold, for the common cold often opens the door for pneumonia if it is neglected. A person with a severe cold should stay at home and call his physician for advice. If temperature persists and the cold lingers on. He should follow his physician's advice until the cold has entirely disappeared.

Another advantage of consulting a physician when suffering from a cold is the fact that what the patient mistakes for a severe cold may be beginning pneumonia. If this is the case, the doctor will have an opportunity to begin treatment early, which adds materially to the patient's chances for recovery.

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sued before September 1, 1948. Exchange can be made at the VA regional office having jurisdiction over the veteran concerned.

The number of compensation and pension cases on Veterans Administration rolls increased from 2,878,000 on October 1, 1948, to 2,879,000 on November 1—the first increase in six months. The peak was reached August 1, 1947, when VA reported 2,894,000 cases.

About 2,418,000 veterans were in schools and job training establishments under the GI Bill and Public Law 16 on November 1, 1948, VA reports. A year ago, the total was 240,000 higher, or 2,658,000.

Veteran-students who acquire dependents or additional dependents while in training under the GI Bill should notify Veterans Administration as soon as possible, so that VA can determine whether they are eligible for increased subsistence payments.

Notice of change in dependency status should be sent to the VA regional office in which the veteran's records are kept. The notice should be accompanied by

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legal evidence of dependents, such as a certified copy of public record of birth, baptism or marriage.

Subsistence payments will be increased as of the date legal evidence is received by VA, and will not be made retroactive to the date the veteran actually acquired the dependent.

Monthly subsistence allowances for veterans studying fulltime in school are \$75 for those without dependents, \$105 for those with one dependent, and \$120 for those more than one dependent.

Subsistence allowances paid by Veterans Administration to veterans in educational or on-the-

job training are not considered as income for income-tax purposes, VA reports.

Any income that the veterans may earn on part-time jobs while attending educational institutions full-time, or earn while on-the-job training, is subject to taxation under existing tax laws.

Any veteran whose eligibility for GI Bill education runs out after he completes at least half of a school semester which is normal in cost may complete the remainder of the semester at government expense, VA says.

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We wish to thank the following people who contributed to us during Mrs. Taylor's illness: Messrs. and Mesdames Loy Bynum, James Pointer, A. L. Wood, J. W. Shields, C. L. Cook, J. C. Shields, H. H. Shields, Nelson Seago, G. M. Johnson, Otis Ivey and Roland Shields.—Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Moore.

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ASSETS:	
Loans to Members	\$625,143.77
U. S. Government Bonds	217,700.00
Accrued Interest Receivable	19,472.28
Other Assets	73,827.10
Total Assets	\$936,143.15
LIABILITIES:	
Money Due Intermediate Credit Bank	\$646,532.90
Money Due Members	none
Other Obligations	15,126.31
Total Liabilities	\$661,659.21
NET WORTH:	
Class B Stock	\$121,485.00
Class A Stock	73,025.00
Accumulated Earnings	79,973.94
Net Worth (All Member-Owned)	\$274,483.94
Total Loans Made During 1948	\$2,558,000.00

Personals

F. E. Gibson, Mrs. Birdie Sanderson and son, Louis Conn, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Baten and Myrtle Gibson attended the basketball game in Canyon Friday night. West Texas State defeated Texas Tech 53-39. Mr. Gibson's son, Gene who is a student at Tech is an outstanding player on the basketball team and has been leading his squad in points made.

Among the weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Melton in Memphis were a son, W. F. Melton and his wife and son, Billy; and a daughter, Mrs. Dalton Mitchell, husband and daughter, Charlotte, all of Amarillo. Mrs. Melton's brother, B. P. Tompkins of Del Rio, left for his home Monday after spending a week here.

Mrs. B. M. Scott, daughter, Frances, of Amarillo and her son, Yoeman 2c Kenneth Scott, and Mrs. Scott of the Great Lakes Naval Station, Waukegan, Ill., visited Saturday in Memphis with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Jean Maddox, and Mr. Maddox. Yoeman Scott has a ten day leave.

Mrs. E. M. Dennis entered a local hospital for treatment last Saturday.

Mrs. Albert Gerlach returned home Thursday after spending a week with her mother, Mrs. J. C. Nash of Dimmitt. Mrs. Nash is still confined to the hospital as a result of a hip fracture but expects to be released shortly. Mr. Gerlach went to Dimmitt Thursday morning and Mrs. Gerlach accompanied him home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Bass who were delayed in starting their trip to Phoenix, Ariz., last week on account of the storm left Sunday morning and were accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. Ernest Lee, who drove their car. Mrs. Lee expects to visit in Phoenix about a week before returning home.

Pfc. J. J. Welcher arrived home late Friday night for a week end visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Welcher of Parnell. He is stationed at Goodfellow Air Force Base in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown McMurray and son, Stanley, and Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Beals, all of Borger, spent the weekend in the home of Mrs. E. H. Stanford in Memphis.

Elizabeth Rollins visited in Estelline Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Hall and son, Doyle Hall, Mrs. Hall and family of Lakeview visited recently in Comanche with their son and brother, Homer Hall, Mrs. Hall and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Phillips and Weldon Duke visited over the weekend in Amarillo with her brother, Emery Bloxom, and Mrs. Bloxom.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Hightower have received word from them saying that they are in McAllen and enjoying the Valley for its fine weather and fruit.

Mrs. Clarence Gosch of San Saba visited here recently with her daughter, Gloria, who is home economics teacher in the local high school.

Mrs. Taylor Moore of Lelia Lake is showing gradual improvement following an illness of several weeks.

Misses Carrie Belle and Cora Lee of Amarillo were weekend visitors of their brother, Ernest Lee, and Mrs. Lee.

Don Monzingo, a student at S.M.U. in Dallas, was a week end visitor of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Monzingo.

Mrs. Jeff Welcher visited last week in Memphis with Mrs. Ruby Vardeman, Mrs. Mayfair Rains and Mrs. L. E. Braidfoot.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hughes of Los Angeles left for their home Monday morning after visiting here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Parks Mitchum, for the past week. Mrs. Hughes is the former Clarence Easley.

Mrs. N. Shaded and daughter, Rose, of Wellington were in Memphis Monday and assisted at the Fair Store while John Shaded was attending to business matters in Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dennis and Dink, Miss Marjorie Stone, Mrs. Gladys Perry and Ralph Howard visited with friends in Childress Sunday evening.

Wade Hill was in Memphis Saturday on business. Mr. and Mrs. Hill recently moved to Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Regnal Greenhaw were weekend visitors of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Greenhaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hoppin of Amarillo visited over the weekend with his daughter, Mrs. Jimmy Simons and Mr. Simons.

Mrs. Ruby Hardwick and son, Johnny, were week end visitors of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Turner, of Turkey.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Gidden had as Sunday visitors her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Riechburg, and Mrs. Cecil Adams all of Estelline.

Pernie Phillips visited over the weekend in Newlin with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Phillips.

R. C. Lemons was a business visitor in Childress Sunday.

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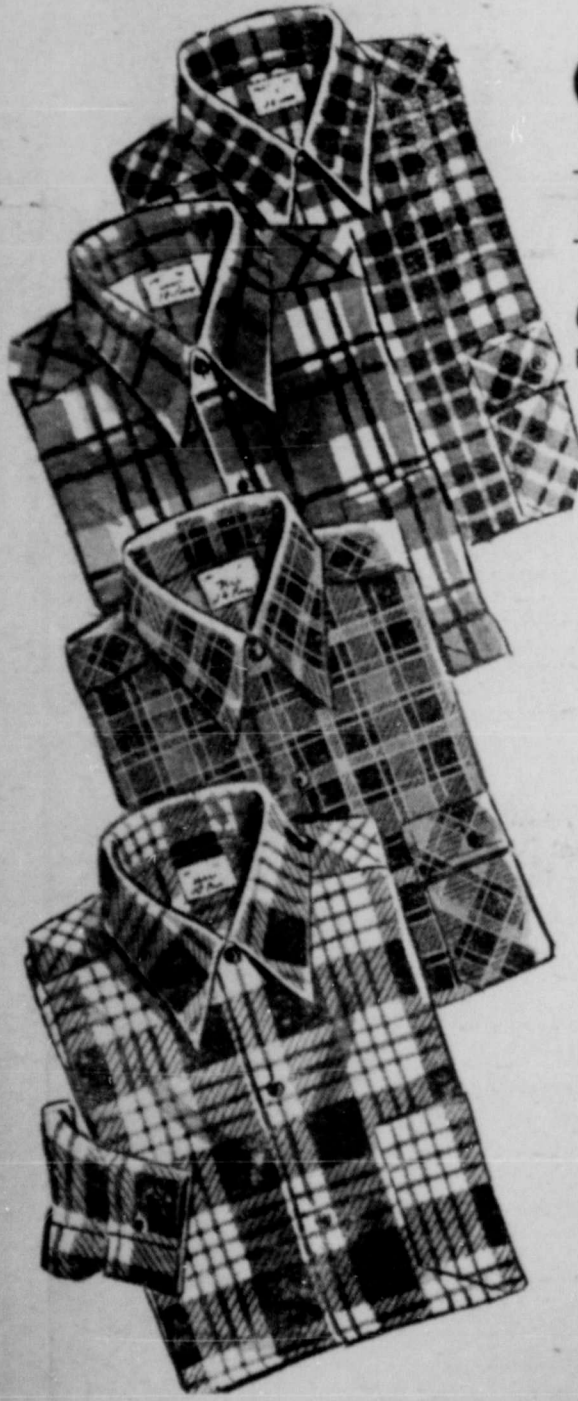
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ATTEND PROGRAM
Local members of the Delta Gamma, honorary education fraternity for women, Childrens last Saturday for a dinner and program led by the B. P. & W., U. W. and D. K. G. of that the principal speaker was Sarah T. Hughes of Dallas from here attending Miss Esta McElrath, Mrs. Foster, Mrs. Clarence Morris Zady Belle Walker and Mary Foreman.

Uncle Sam Wants More R. R. Clerks; Exam Coming Up

Uncle Sam has issued an announcement that there will be an examination soon for substitute railway postal clerk, says Glynn Thompson, local secretary for the U. S. Civil Service commission. The announcement follows: "This examination is open only to persons entitled to veteran preference and to non-veterans who have served in the position of substitute railway clerk since August 28, 1947, under appointments not limited to one year or less. The positions to be filled are located throughout the United States and in Alaska and Puerto Rico, and pay \$1.39 an hour. To qualify, applicants must pass a written test and be able to meet certain physical requirements. There are no age requirements."

West Ward School Has 102 On Honor Roll For Semester

A total of 102 students of the West Ward school are on the honor roll for this semester, according to Miss Maud Milan, one of the teachers in the school.

There are 30 in the first grade who made the honor roll, as follows: Jack Gilreath, Thomas Snowdon, Jimmy Henderson, Patricia Ann Anthony, Bettye D. Gidden, Lera Kate Hutcherson, Betty Sue Lewis, Judy Gail Miller, Georgia Jan Mitchell, Beverly Stilwell, Rosalie Welch, Jimmy Bishop.

Winston Jones, Swayne McCauley, Eugene Newton, George Stanley, Wayne Widener, Judy Lemons, Barbara Simpson, Tribby Townsend, Judy Miller, Walter Elizabeth Smith, Linda Kay Godfrey, Beatrice Scarberry, Rodney Hawkins, Bobbie Jack Maddox, Don Deater, Brenda Duncanson, Brenda June Vaughn and Barbara Gal Lambert.

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FOURTH GRADE: Jean Foxhall, Mary Jane Jones, Beverly Middleton, Jo Ann Miller, Marjorie Morrison, Elvie Williams, Paula McCauley, Janice Smith, Rodney Veteto, Gayle Reams, Dan Durham.

Linda Fields, Wanda Lee Widener, Joyce Jeffers, Donald Ray King, Don McElreath, Nellie Moore, Ann Tiner, Benny Bishop, Patsy Sue Turner.

IOOF Canton Has New Officers of Lodge Installed

Officers for the canton of the IOOF were installed in Odd Fellows Hall in Memphis on Friday night of last week following a covered dish supper served the members and out of town visitors.

Frank Van Pelt was installed as captain. Other officers included: J. B. Cramer of Childress, lieutenant; J. E. Willeford, ensign; C. T. Snowdon, clerk; W. E. Hill, accountant; Buster Hughes of Wellington, banner bearer; Jap Smith of Wellington, officer of the guard; Fred Kerston of Wellington, sentinel; M. W. Paschall, picket, and H. O. West as chaplain.

The installing officer was Major Vincent J. Casika of Pampa and his staff.

For the Ladies Auxiliary Militant Patriarch, No. 37, the following officers were installed:

Elected officials: Mrs. Earline McDaniel, junior past president; Mrs. Ruby A. Smith of Wellington, president; Mrs. Annie Mae Willeford, vice-president; Mrs. Margaret Snowdon, secretary; Mrs. Florence Paschall, treasurer.

Appointive: Mrs. Willie B. Kersten of Wellington, chaplain; J. E. Willeford, officer of the guard; E. W. Godfrey Sr., officer of the day; Buster Hughes of Wellington, team captain; Mrs. Blanche Godfrey, right aide to the president; Mrs. Abigail Sanders, left aide to the president; Mrs. Lovell Blackmon, right aide to the vice-president; Mrs. Louellen Land of Estelline, left aide to the vice-president; Mrs. Willie B. Smith of Wellington, right aide to the chaplain; Mrs. Florence Hughes, sentry; Mrs. Bertha Hill, musician.

Mrs. Bertha Hill and Mrs. Earline McDaniel were presented past president's pins in token of appreciation of their work.

Mrs. Jennie Sanders received word last week of the critical illness of her son, H. T. Sanders, in a Littlefield hospital. Mr. Sanders has been in ill health for the past several years and his condition has grown steadily worse.

ESTELLINE

By Mrs. J. C. Webster

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bates visited in Channing in the home of Mr. Frank Picture. On Saturday, the Bates attended the basketball tournament at Stratford.

Mrs. Lillie McClendon made a business trip to Childress Friday. Several people fell on the ice and snow. None report very serious falls.

Mrs. John Chaudoin received word that her sister, Mrs. Gus Odum, of Newlin, was in a Memphis hospital.

Estelline boys and girls, accompanied by Coach N. B. Dougherty, attended the basketball tournament at Wheeler. Estelline played Hedley Friday night, the boys won 31 to 29. They were later defeated by Cheyenne, Okla., team. The Estelline girls played Shamrock Friday morning and were defeated. The consolation game between Estelline and Briscoe, the local girls were defeated again.

The Estelline boys will play Carey Tuesday night of this week at Estelline. Here is hoping we win this game.

Mr. L. T. Winn of Parnell had to return to the Clark Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Webster received a letter from their son, Pfc. J. C. Webster Jr., that he may get to come home in April. He will have been in the Army

34 months on April 26 and overseas since January of 1947. He is an inspector of cafes, hotels, drug stores and water systems on Kyushu Island where he is located. He reports he likes his job there.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parnell and son visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Parnell. Mrs. H. S. Parnell is slowly improving in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Barham of Quitaque visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Cowan, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Walker of Pampa visited his parents last weekend.

School was closed here all last week but reopened Monday.

Lacy Phillips of Plainview was in Estelline Sunday.

Oneita Shields of Childress visited her grandmother, Mrs. Lula Huffmaster, in Estelline.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Horgeshelm of Quahav have moved to our community, on his father's farm.

Hall Brothers —

(Continued from Page 1) of commerce visited the new well. In the group were Manager Clifford Farmer, Chairman H. J. Howell of the agriculture committee, county ACA Secretary Lynn McKown, County Agent W. B. Hooser and Nugent E. Brown of The Democrat.

Farmers of the Plaska area plan on drilling a number of the wells for the purpose of irrigating alfalfa from which they should be able to get four or five cuttings in one season with the water being used about twice in the growing season.

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is cost of the pump and equipment for putting it in operation. Actual drilling will be the smallest cost of the operation, it was reported.

Second Well Comes In

LATER: The second irrigation well in the Plaska area was brought in two days later on the R. D. Hall place, a short distance from the A. L. Hall farm.

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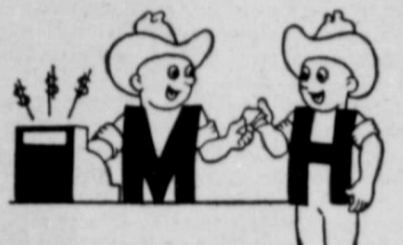
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Editorial

Power For National Defense

It is evident that the requirements of national defense will be used as one of the arguments for vast additional Federal expenditures for electric power development.

This is an appealing argument at a time when our need for powerful military forces and the industrial potential to support them, is unquestioned. But we should not permit it to be used as camouflage, whereby socialistic and totalitarian doctrines are furthered at the expense of democratic ideals.

First of all, the taxpayers' money should not be spent for any work which can be done by private enterprise. The electric utilities are now carrying on the most ambitious expansion and betterment program in all their history.

Second, if new government generating plants are built, there must be an end to the needless waste of money caused by the construction of transmission lines which simply duplicate existing lines.

Third, the rates charged by government plants for power should honestly reflect the cost of producing it—plus the taxes that private companies, doing the same kind and volume of business, would pay.

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FORMER YANKS IN RCAF NOW ELIGIBLE FOR BONUS

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THE SKELETON OF AN INDIAN MAN, dead for possibly 70 years or longer, was found Friday, January 7, on the land known as the Bailey farm, approximately six miles north of Wellington, near Salt Fork. The find was made by Pat Cason, who was hunting a lost cow. He told Sheriff Claude McKinney whom he notified Saturday that he saw a coyote hole and started over where it was, then saw the skull three feet away. The dirt had blown and washed away through the years. Sheriff McKinney and Dr. E. W. Jones went to the site and dug up the entire skeleton which Dr. Jones now has at the Jones-Watkins clinic. Dr. Jones said it was the skeleton of an old man, judging from the badly worn teeth in the skull. Sheriff McKinney said the skeleton was found lying on its right side, with the knees drawn up close under the chin, after the manner in which Indians of this area buried their dead. —The Wellington Leader.

Ancient Linotype Now On Display At Canyon Museum

CANYON—Probably the last Model 1 linotype in the Southwest has come to rest in the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum.

The old machine was purchased by Clyde Warwick of Canyon News for the printing exhibit at the Museum. It belonged to A. C. Torres, publisher of the Spanish newspaper, El Defensor Del Pueblo in Socorro, New Mexico.

Manufactured by the Mergenthaler Linotype Co. of Brooklyn, N. Y., it bears the date 1895. The Mergenthaler Company aided Warwick in securing the machine as it still services all the machines it makes. The company will send a mechanic here soon to erect the linotype which was dismantled for transportation.

The printing exhibit in the Museum covers one-fourth of the basement floor in the old annex and includes six cases of material and several old presses.

Press Paragraphs—

QUOTING OUR NEIGHBORS

THIS WEEK'S ICY WEATHER and temperature lows gave old timers a chance to recall the historic winter of 1918 pegged in their minds as "The Winter of The Big Snow," and a November-April spell of weather they all fervently hope will never be repeated in this country. Memories are a little hazy now, for 30 years is a long time to remember specific dates. But cattlemen retell events that were indelibly impressed on their memories. For 55 days, snow covered Deaf Smith County; the temperature hit two below zero. That was the year when snow began to fall in early November on the town of Hereford, population about 1500. The big blizzard blew up on December 22. The snow started on Sunday and continued until Monday noon. It ranged in depth from 10 to 24 inches over the area. Carl Fry, whose ranch is 12 miles south of town, rode it to town on Christmas Eve, via horseback, picked up a few articles and started home. It took him four hours each way. Wirt Phillips said it took 12 hours to make the 22-mile trip from town to his ranch. The horse could go no faster than a slow walk. Bob Higgins recalled a drive on January 5 with 300 cattle from his ranch 10 miles east of town to the stockyards. It took them three days as they made only four miles the first day. Some cattlemen lost fortunes that winter. Nobody could estimate how many cattle starved to death. A bumper wheat crop followed summer which helped alleviate the economic situation. But it left memories of times nobody wants to see again. —The Hereford Brand.



When David Crockett was in Congress from Tennessee (before he came to Texas, of course) the East took a liking to the picturesque frontiersman and a boom was started to make him President. One admirer declared, "A man who has killed 105 bears in one season, and 12 of them in one day, ought to make a plumb good President."

However, Crockett was defeated for Congress, through unfair tactics by his enemies, (so he felt), and started for Texas. At Little Rock, Ark., while waiting for dinner to cook, he was challenged to a shooting contest.

Davy's first bullet hit the center of the target and he was reluctant to shoot again but the local champion insisted it was a lucky hit, so Crockett levelled Old Betsy, (his pet name for his rifle), and fired again. The target showed no new mark and some thought he had missed the entire board.

Crockett examined the target, poked his finger in the bullet hole and, at last, announced that the second bullet had followed exactly the track of the first.

"Split that board open," he said, "and you'll see I'm right."

The board was split and, sure enough, they found two bullets in the hole, one on top of the other, in the exact center of the bull's-eye.

"I can do it any day of the week, five times out of six," declared Crockett. It was admitted, even by the local champion, that such shooting never had been seen in Arkansas.

Davy admitted afterward that he had not loaded any ball into his rifle for the second shot but fired a blank, then when he examined the target, he poked the second bullet into the hole with his finger!

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This Week in WASHINGTON

REACTION to President Truman's state of the union message here in Washington has been generally good. Farmers and labor were pleased. Business leaders who have barely recovered from the shock of November 2 are at least relieved and are no longer seeing "ghosts" around every corner.

Reaction from Republican leaders in the 80th congress is what was expected—"His program will bankrupt the country," or "It is a socialistic manifesto," or "It is pure communism," or "He is playing dice with the taxpayers' money."

As a matter of fact, there was nothing new, nothing dramatic in the entire message, one of the shortest of record. The President merely wrapped up in a half-hour message a summation of the 560 speeches he made in 23,000 miles of campaigning which sold the people on his reelection. He carried out his own pledges and those in the Democratic platform.

To big business supplying vital materials in short supply, such as steel, Mr. Truman made a promise and at the same time threatened. He said we must have more steel, that the government wanted private industry to give the country more production, that the government was willing to help, even lend them money to build new plants or expand present plants if necessary, but that if the increased production was not forthcoming from the industry itself, then it is the function of government "to authorize the construction of such facilities directly if action by private industry fails to meet our needs."

The President's message was followed by immediate action by the congress. The joint session had hardly adjourned and the separate houses reconvened when bills to carry out the President's program began to pour into the legislative hopper—one by Senator O'Mahoney of Wyoming to halt monopoly and cartels; one by Senator Myers of Pennsylvania to raise minimum wage rates; one by Senator Maybank of South Carolina to repeal federal taxes on oleomargarine; one by Senator Maybank and Senator Russell of Georgia to establish a regional valley authority (TVA) on the Savannah river; a measure by Senator Langer of North Dakota for a bil-

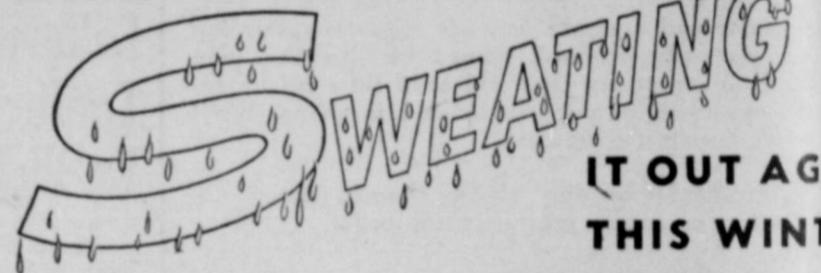
lion dollar appropriations for rural electrification; several measures to extend reclamation in the West; a measure for installation of rural telephones in the REA act, proposed by Lister Hill of Alabama; a housing act to include the M. L. housing, by Senators Credit Association of Louisiana, Maybank of Illinois, Sparkman of Alabama, making this of Pennsylvania, Hill of Pepper of Florida and Leame of Iowa; a Hawaiian statehood cap Senator Knowland of Calif. would new long-range farm federal Congressman Pace of Georgia anti-lynching bill by Mr. of California; a new bill also by Mrs. Douglas extend social security by man Havener of California increase for the President President by Congressman California; a new consery by Congressman Hope of bill to increase social sements by Pace of Georgia repeal the Taft-Hartley a gressman Perkins of Ken and many others.

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Memphis Production Credit Association Paid Back Government Capital

Memphis Production Credit Association has paid off all Government capital, according to R. McMurry, president.

McMurry said that in the past few years they have voluntarily bought extra stock. The investment by the Government has gradually reduced and on December 31, 1948, the association retired the last dollar of Government capital. The association will now pay taxes just as other privately owned businesses.

The Memphis Production Credit Association is a big asset to farmers, ranchmen and business in general in the territory in which it operates in that it goes into the money markets any-

Mrs. Ruby L. Whitten Dies At Tell Home; Buried There Sat.

Funeral services were held last Saturday afternoon, at 3:30, in the Church of Christ at Tell, for Mrs. Ruby Lee Whitten, 38, wife of J. N. Whitten who died Friday morning at her home in that community.

Minister Travis Boyd officiated, with Murphy-Spicer Funeral Home in charge. Burial was in the Tell Cemetery.

Mrs. Whitten, born December 5, 1910, in Ardmore, Okla., was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Payne, who live at Kirkland. Other survivors include her husband, three brothers, Edward Payne of Childress, Lawrence and Delno, both of California, and two sisters, Mrs. C. B. Kincannon

Rabbit Fever Can Be Caught, So Be Careful Always

Tularemia, or "rabbit fever," is transmitted to human beings through the careless handling of wild rabbits, and according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, every wild rabbit should be handled with extreme care from the time he is bagged, until he is placed on the table.

"If a rabbit is diseased, careless handling can cause tularemia. This serious disease is transmitted from rabbits to human beings, usually through direct contact of the infected animal or with objects contaminated by the meat or fur," Dr. Cox said. "Each year many persons contract tularemia because they fail to use proper precautions in the handling of the rabbits which are killed for food."

Dr. Cox said that one of the first precautions recommended is to shoot only the healthy rabbits with enough energy to run away from the hunter as he approaches. A listless rabbit that fails to run is probably sick, and should not be taken by the hunter.

A second important safeguard is for the hunter or the housewife to use rubber gloves in cleaning and preparing the rabbit for cooking. The gloves should be sterilized after using, and the refuse and paper that has touched the rabbit should be burned. Hands should be washed thoroughly after the meat has been set to cook.

Adequate cooking is a final safeguard that should be observed at all times. To destroy any germs that may be present, the meat should be cooked at boiling temperature for at least twenty minutes, regardless of whether it is to be fried or baked later.

By observing these safety rules, Texans may enjoy their rabbit hunts and rabbit dinners without fear of tularemia.

of Childress and Mrs. Lela Richardson of Amarillo. She and J. N. Whitten were married September 30, 1939.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bartley and daughters of Dodson visited last week in Memphis with his mother, Mrs. Alice Bartley, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Creach. Mr. Bartley is slowly recuperating from a leg fracture he received in a car accident last fall. He also had the misfortune of freezing his feet recently when his car stalled near Panhandle, from which he is slowly recovering.

Mrs. C. C. Vandeventer and grand daughter, Sue Lynn Jackson, of Lakeview visited Monday with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Vandeventer.

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where in the country and brings in outside money that is spent locally, Mr. McMurry stated.

He said there are 828 farmer and ranchman stockholders in the Memphis Production Credit Association. They own \$194,510 in stock, have \$79,974 in reserves, and a total net worth of \$274,484.

Mr. McMurry pointed out that this organization is a cooperative, owned and operated by farmers and ranchmen who use its credit services. Its purpose is to provide all short-term agricultural credit for its stockholders and for any sound operator who can qualify.

Mr. McMurry said that since the association has been doing business, it has loaned over \$20,000,000. During 1948 it loaned \$2,558,000. The highest amount of loans outstanding at any one time was \$1,119,000 in September, 1948.

The directors and officers are Mr. McMurry, president; A. S. Wilson, Quitaque, vice-president; S. M. Jolly, Paducah; Tom Berry, Wellington, and J. C. Franks, Flomot, directors; Don Wright, secretary-treasurer; Adrian Odum, assistant secretary-treasurer, and Mrs. Willie Isham, assistant secretary-treasurer and bookkeeper.

In addition to the central office in Memphis, the association maintains field offices in Turkey, Matador, Wellington, Paducah and Quanah.

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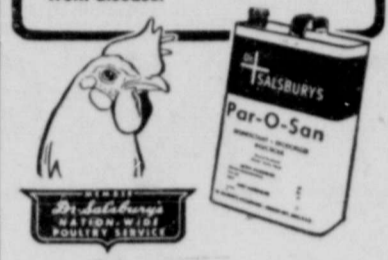
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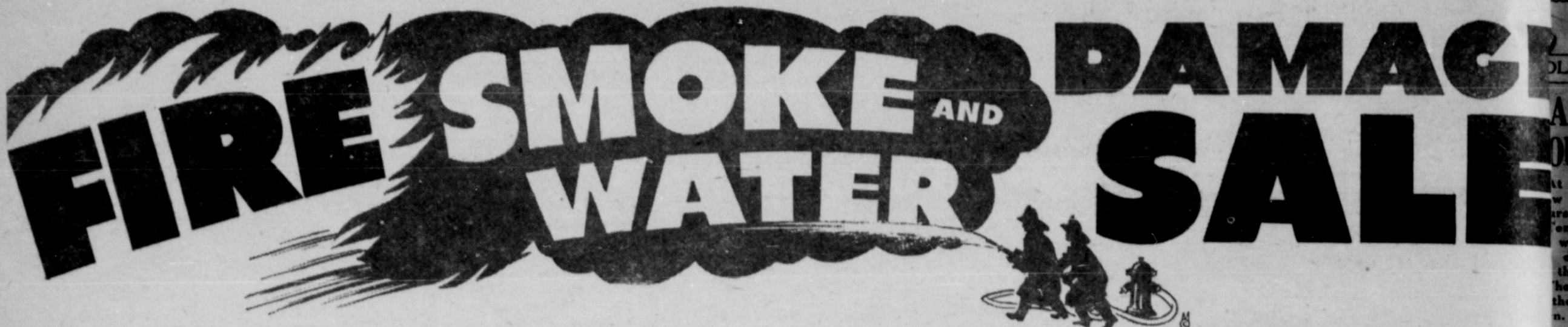
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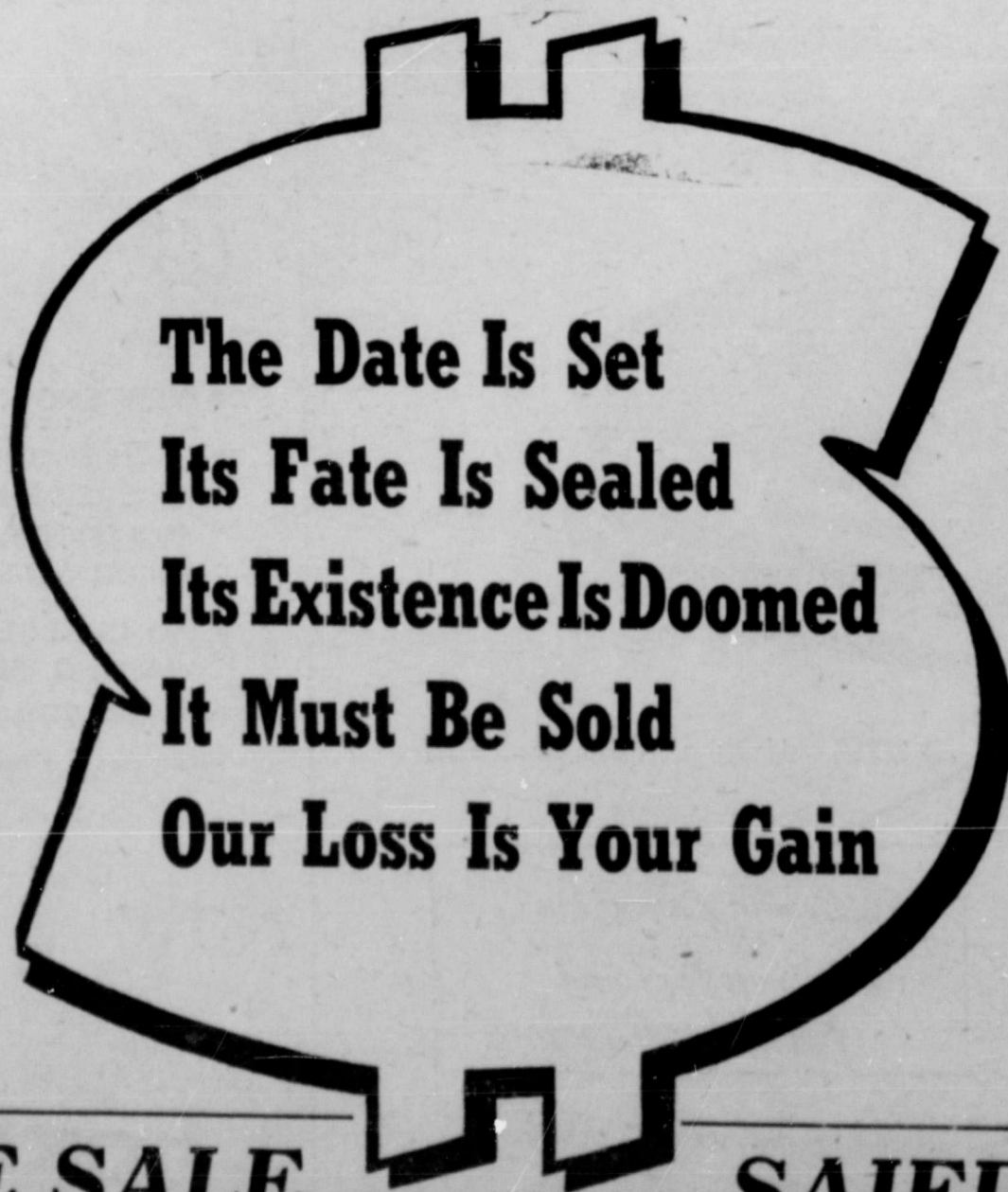
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