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Cotton Harvest Here Expected to Reach Peak Soon

LABOR SCARCITY LOOMS AS MOST IMPORTANT PROBLEM AT PRESENT

Cotton harvesting in Hall County is gradually growing in momentum, and consensus of opinion is that all gins, farmers and picking crews will be going at full capacity within a week or 10 days.

The problem of acquiring a sufficient number of boll pullers is looming as the most important development at this particular time.

According to some of the gins and farmers a critical shortage of hands may exist before the end of next week. Others think that transient laborers will begin arriving in large numbers as soon as the farmers in the southern cotton belt of the state wind up their harvest within a week or two.

Will Set Up Employment Office

All are agreed that the season's peak will be reached shortly. The problem of labor will be clarified considerably by the first of the month when U. S. Employment officials are expected to set up an office in Memphis to aid in the allocation of available laborers.

Several crews are known to have left the county and returned south, awaiting the opening of the late crop here. Men who have been lining up crews to gather their crop estimate that hundreds of field hands will arrive here soon.

The prevailing wage for pulling cotton is reported to be \$1.75 per hundred pounds, and \$2 for delivery to the gin. A few crews are pulling for \$1.50, it is reported. Others interested in the cotton harvest estimate that wages may reach \$2.25 per hundred hauled to the gin.

No estimate has been made as to the number of bales which have gone through the gins in Hall County. However, only a few of the gins have started running at near-capacity.

The average guess of 297 persons who participated in The Democrat's Cotton Guessing Contest recently concluded, was 60,502 bales.

Record Number Guessers Enter Cotton Contest

Two hundred and ninety-seven persons entered this year's Annual Cotton Guessing Contest sponsored by The Memphis Democrat and concluded last Saturday afternoon. That number was almost twice the previous high number of guessers—149—last year.

The majority of the guessers ranged in the 50,000's and 60,000's—in fact, the average of all 297 entrants was 60,052 bales. The person guessing the correct number, or the nearest one to it, will receive a three-year subscription to The Democrat free. Second-place winner will be awarded the paper for two years, and the third prize is a one-year subscription.

The high guess was 91,030, and they ranged down to a low of 30. (Continued on Page 8)

TAX STATEMENTS TO ARRIVE SOON

Property owners in Hall County will receive their tax statements within the next few days, according to County Tax Assessor-Collector J. W. Coppedge.

The assessed property valuation this year shows an increase of \$296,404 over last year. It now has assessable property in the amount of \$8,933,377 as compared to the 1948 total of \$8,636,973. The state ad valorem rate has been increased from 42 cents to 72 cents from 1948, the county ad valorem has not been changed from 95 cents, and there will be no road tax in Hall County for the first time in many years.

The 1949 taxes must be paid by Feb. 1, 1950 to avoid penalty and interest. Full payment may be made as follows:

Three per cent discount on ad valorem tax payments if paid in the month of October.

Two per cent discount on ad (Continued on Page 8)

CLAUDE'S COMMENTS

By J. C. W.

Last week readers of this column were given a breathing spell. But, you are not going to be let off so light this week. For another season—the most enjoyable of four—has been ushered in and with it comes the attendant cooler weather, crop harvest and other activities. Instead of hibernating during cold weather like some wild animals, people of this country do their hibernating during the summer months. At least we are rather an inactive people during hot weather.

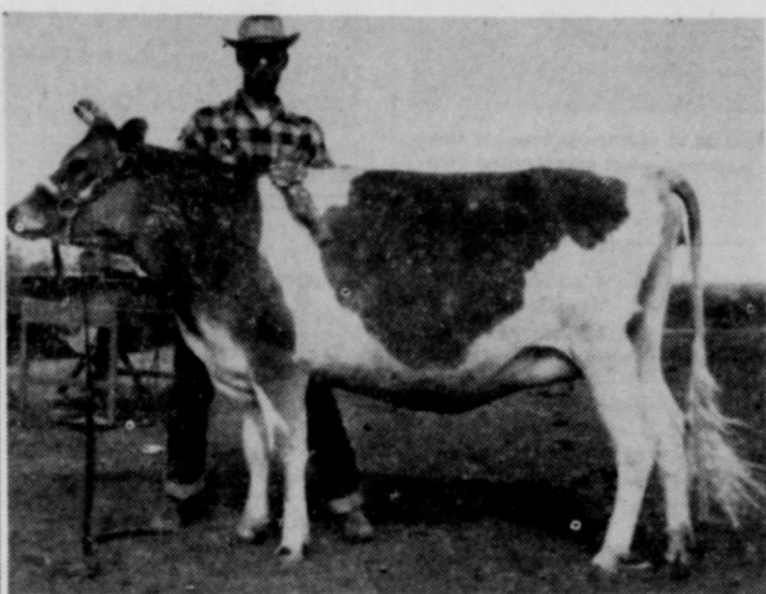
From my perch on the front porch, activity on Noel street has changed a lot. Local activity has increased, while tourists are becoming fewer and fewer. Loads of cotton are seen daily as they are being hauled to the gins for processing. Cotton pickers go by morning and evening by big truck loads. Then the hum of the gins can be heard from early morn to late at night. Wes Izzard of the Amarillo News, while here one night last week, enjoyed the smell of burning cotton burs. If he were here now, that smell would get rather monotonous. In another week or two cotton gathering will get into full swing.

Reader No. 64 bobbed up Sunday from an unexpected place. She is Audalia Jeffers, colored maid for my Amarillo brother. On her way to visit in Lawton, she stopped at brother's request to see how I was feeling. She made (Continued on Page 8)



SHOW WINNERS—Grand Champion cow at the Annual Hall County Dairy Show was Natson Volunteer Rose, owned and displayed by S. C. Waites of Lakeview, left.

Right photo is the junior champion female, Don Head Pinn's Jest, owned and shown by John Luther Byers of Lakeview.



JUDGE—Dr. Fred G. Harbaugh, veterinarian and professor of animal husbandry at Texas Tech was judge at the Annual Hall County Dairy Show.

Dairy Show Termed Success; Will Be Larger Next Year

Prizes were awarded to winners of 11 different classes of Jerseys, in addition to Junior, Senior and Grand Champions in bull and female divisions, Saturday at the Annual Hall County Dairy Show.

Winner of the grand champion bull contest was Don Head's Design Sultan Basil, owned and displayed by The First State Bank. The junior champ was Pinnacle Oxford Lad, owned by M. E. Drake of Lakeview.

Grand champion cow was shown by Stacey Waites—Natson Volunteer Rose, a three-year-old. The junior champion was Don Head Pinn's Jest, owned by John Luther Byers of Lakeview.

In some of the classes, as many as six awards were made. The winners were as follows:

- Junior Bull Calf Class**
- 1. E. E. Cudd, Memphis
- 2. L. A. Richards, Jr., Memphis
- 3. First National Bank, Memphis
- 4. Holland McMurray, Memphis
- 5. Archie Martin Jr., Newlin

- Senior Bull Calf**
- 1. M. E. Drake, Lakeview
- 2. S. C. Waites, Lakeview
- 3. W. C. Waites, Lakeview
- 4. L. A. Richards Jr., Memphis
- 5. Charlie Williams, Memphis
- 6. Holland McMurray, Memphis

- Junior Yearling Bull**
- 1. Charlie Williams
- Senior Yearling Bull**
- 1. M. E. Drake

- Two-Year-Old Bull**
- 1. First State Bank
- Junior Heifer Calf**
- 1. M. E. Drake
- 2. Holland McMurray
- 3. A. Womack, Memphis
- 4. Charlie Williams
- 5. Paul Buchanan, Estelline (Continued on Page 8)

Long-Time Resident Of Memphis Buried Here Yesterday

Funeral services were held at 10 a. m. yesterday, September 28, for Mrs. Electra Wright Henderson, 82, sister-in-law of Mrs. Frank Wright of Memphis.

Services were from the First Baptist Church, Rev. Roy Shahan officiating. Burial was at Fairview Cemetery, and funeral arrangements were under the direction of Murphy-Spicer Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Henderson died in Fort Worth Sept. 26 in the home of her son, Robert Henderson. She had lived with Mrs. Wright until the first of the year.

She was married to Lee Henderson in 1898 at Newlin, and they moved to Memphis later that year. Her husband preceded her in death in 1920. Besides her son and sister-in-law, she is survived by one brother, Ben Wright of Slaton.

Full bearers were John Deaver, Mac Tarver, Buster Helm, Frank Foxhall, Sam Foxhall and R. S. Greene.

Pink Bollworms To Be Displayed By The Democrat

Have you ever wondered just what a pink bollworm looks like? Well, you will have the opportunity to come face to face with a number of the little (dead) insects next week.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine, Division of Pink Bollworm Control has agreed to lend some display containers to The Democrat which will be placed on display. So, if your curiosity is aroused, drop by The Democrat office any time next week.

Highway Department To Ask for Bids For Road 1041 Soon

The State Highway Department will advertise for bids next month for the letting of the contract for the construction of Farm-to-Market Highway No. 1041, according to an announcement by County Judge W. O. Goodpasture this week.

This preliminary work, said Judge Goodpasture, is a couple of months earlier than was expected for this project.

W. I. Hughes Will Hold Presbyterian Services Sunday

W. I. Hughes of Childress will occupy the pulpit at the First Presbyterian Church at Memphis for the 11 o'clock sermon Sunday morning as well as be in charge of the Sunday School at 10 a. m.

Rev. B. L. Peacock, former pastor of the church, left Monday to assume his pastorate at the Main Street Presbyterian Church at Honey Grove, after being at Memphis since 1944.

COMMISSION CO. CELEBRATES ITS 1st ANNIVERSARY

A grand total of \$801,424.65 is the figure listed this week as representing the sales of livestock put through the auction ring of the Hall County Commission Company during the first 12 months of operation.

This figure was given by M. D. Kennard and Carl Smith of Memphis as they made plans to celebrate their first anniversary as owners of the auction company.

Located one mile west of Memphis on the Lakeview highway, the sales plant includes pens that may hold 750 head of livestock at one time, in addition to the sales building itself and miscellaneous buildings, sheds and loading chutes—valued at nearly \$30,000.

Auction sales are held every Thursday afternoon. Bidding is scheduled to start promptly at 1 o'clock, with Cleatus Calloway of Frederick, Okla., as auctioneer.

Buyers from all neighboring communities attend the sales regularly, and some come from as far away as Amarillo and Wichita Falls. Most of the animals which go through the sales ring are from Hall County farms and ranches, although occasional loads are brought here from Briscoe, Donley, Collingsworth, Childress and Hardeman counties, and from various parts of western Oklahoma.

Many types of livestock go through the ring, and men who follow such sales over this area say that the Hall County Commission Co. furnishes the best hog market in this section.

Kennard and Smith have made tentative plans for a short birthday ceremony at the auction sale on Thursday afternoon, Oct. 6.



ANNIVERSARY—Site of the Hall County Commission Company which has recently completed its first year of successful operation here. Livestock men from a wide area attend the regular Thursday afternoon auctions. It is owned by M. C. Kennard and Carl Smith.

J. O. Fitzjarrald Is Partner in Law Firm at Amarillo

J. O. Fitzjarrald, who has practiced law in Memphis since 1933, is now associated with the Merchant, Fitzjarrald and Pope law firm in Amarillo.

The partnership is composed of John H. Merchant, Jerome J. Pope and Fitzjarrald, and they will occupy Suites 1001 and 1002 of the Fisk Building, Amarillo.

Mr. Fitzjarrald has lived in Memphis since 1920. He has purchased a home in Amarillo, and he and his wife and three-year-old daughter will move into it the first week of October.

Mrs. Fitzjarrald is the former Florence Wherry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wherry of Memphis, and he is the son of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Fitzjarrald, also long-time residents of Memphis. Mrs. Fitzjarrald formerly taught in the Memphis schools and has been active in several local clubs.

Cyclone Starts Title Quest Tomorrow Night

The Memphis High School Cyclone starts playing for keeps tomorrow night, as it travels to Lefors to meet the defending champion Lefors Pirates in one of the top Class A contests in the state.

Two undefeated teams will trek out on the gridiron to officially open District 2-A competition for 1949. It will be the first time in years that the two teams will meet undefeated.

The winner of tomorrow night's contest will be one step ahead of the pack in the race for the opportunity to represent this district in the regional play-offs. And the loser will have an uphill battle the rest of the way.

Coach Chuck York's boys have a little score to settle with the Pirates. Last year Memphis was beaten 18-7 by the team that went on to win the pennant, but only

after the Cyclones had gained a total of 365 yards as compared to only 215 by the winners, and 15 first downs to 4. The longest drive for a touchdown the Pirates were forced to stage was 22 yards.

A large number of fans from Memphis have indicated their intention of following the team to the game. No tickets have been sent to the school, but it is believed by school officials that adequate seating arrangements will be available.

The Cyclone squad has operated intact this week with the exception of a couple of boys. Tommy Messer, who received a bruised hip last week against Dumas, has been kept out of the really rough drills. Slight colds have hindered another one or two. All men are expected to be ready.

The Pirates, coached by James

Love, have an experienced club. Nine of the starters lettered last season.

The employ the Notre Dame box formation on offense. Tailback Joel Combs and Fullback Friday Todd are the main springs that carry the brunt of the attack. The line is anchored around Tackle Don Stokes, who is quite agile in spite of his 263 pounds.

Probable Starting Lineups

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| R. A. Wells | LE | Billy J. Butler |
| K. McQueen | LT | G. Rutledge |
| Max Kennedy | LG | D. Hankins |
| Raymond Clark | C | B. Clemmons |
| F. Vinson | RG | Isaac Doom |
| Lee Bloxom | RT | Don Stokes |
| Don Rasco | RE | Joe Rice |
| Roddy Stargel | QB | Joel Combs |
| T. Messer | IH | R. Dickerson |
| Bobby Crooks | RH | J. McEntire |
| A. Gardenhire | FB | Friday Todd |

Results of 1948 Cotton Defoliation Tests Announced

The use of the power-driven cotton harvester stripper-type as an efficient method for harvesting cotton on the Texas High Plains has been increasing, but to insure best harvest results, and a consistently good grade, growers must either use a chemical defoliant to drop the leaves from the cotton plant or wait for "mother nature" to take them off with frost, says D. L. Jones, superintendent, Lubbock Experiment Station.

Jones and E. L. Thaxton Jr., junior agronomist at the Lubbock Station, report that normally, the more mature a plant is, the easier it is to defoliate if it is still active. The Texas High Plains has an extremely short growing season, consequently plant maturity at the time of defoliation is one of the limiting factors.

They have found that activity is of equal importance. They say the plants, by fall, in a sub-humid area, often have used up the available soil moisture and are under great stress. This affects the time required for a complete drop. In the more humid area, 6 to 10 days is usually required, while on the High Plains 2 to 3 weeks should be allowed. This inactivity on the part of the plant makes defoliation difficult.

The tough, leathery leaf developed by the cotton plants on the High Plains is another factor to be considered. This type of leaf develops as a result of the late winds.

Low humidity and dewless nights are often encountered at the time the cotton plants should be defoliated and since moisture is required to activate many of the dusts used, satisfactory results are not obtained.

In 1948, the best defoliation was obtained from the use of monosodium cyanamid. It was used as a spray at the rate of 20 pounds per acre in 12.5 gallons of water. This type of defoliation was not entirely satisfactory because the leaves became dry and brittle before dropping, and a large percentage of the growing plant tips were damaged by the caustic solution.

Jones and Thaxton say the most encouraging test was with the use of wetting agents in the spray solution. On one-acre test blocks, mono-sodium cyanamid, sprayed at 15 pounds per acre with 1 percent Vatsol, gave almost as good defoliation as the same material sprayed at the rate of 20 pounds per acre with no agent. The defoliation was 70 and 80 percent respectively.

Results from the 1948 tests indicate that in drouthy years when no dew is present good defoliation requires the use of a spray material. The experimental monosodium cyanamid compound gave the best results.

The use of a wetting agent in the spray material to improve coverage and penetration showed good results in 1948.

Previous work done at the Lubbock Station has shown that excellent defoliation is possible with the use of aero cyanamid dust, special grade, when applied at the rate of 30-35 pounds per acre when persistent dews occur and the cotton plant is still active.

The defoliation materials used in the 1948 test were applied to October 1 and October 27.

This report was released through the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station as Progress Report 1182. Complete details can be obtained from your nearest experiment station or from your local county agent.

Mrs. Bennett Wyatt transacted business in Little Rock, Ark. last week. She and her two sons will make their home in Memphis.

Three U. S. presidents died on July 4—John Adams, Thomas Jefferson and James Madison.

For A-1 Used Cars, See Kermit Monzingo, your Chrysler-Plymouth dealer. He can finance them for you. 6-tfc

CHURCHES

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Roy Shahan, Pastor
 Bible School meets at 9:45 a. m.
 Morning Worship 11 a. m. Scripture text for morning message, "And Took Upon Him" Phil. 2:7
 Training service meets at 6:30 p. m.
 Evening worship 7:30 p. m. Sermon subject for evening service "Discovering—Directing—and Developing Individuals." Luke 15:1-10; 19:10
 Please note the change in time of all evening services on Sunday, thirty minutes earlier.
 W. M. S. meets each Monday at 3 p. m.
 Officers and teachers meet Wednesday 7 p. m.
 Prayer service and Bible study 7:45 p. m.
 A warm welcome awaits you at all these services.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
 Bedford W. Smith, Minister
 Tenth and Main Streets
 Sunday, Oct. 2
 9:45 a. m.—Rally Day and Promotion Day in the Sunday Bible School. Classes for all ages of children, youths and adults. E. E. Roberts, superintendent. 10:50

THE METHODIST CHURCH
 Rollo Davidson, Pastor
 "See you in church Sunday" will be our slogan the next twelve Sundays which we call loyalty Sundays. Our goal is to have each member present each Sunday until Christmas.
 We observe World Communion



SURPRISING SEXTET . . . Six children in 27 months is boast of this ex-army pair. Ex-WAC Margaret K. Summers, her ex-sergeant husband, Charles, and their three sets of twins arrive in New York from their Doylestown, Ohio, home.

Sunday with many other denominations around the world this Sunday. We invite you to worship with us.

Listen to The Methodist Hour at 7:30 a. m. Sunday over KGNC or WFAA. Bishop W. C. Martin will speak on "The Advance and Our Church."

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
 Morning Worship 10:55 a. m.
 M. Y. F. Meetings 6:30 p. m.
 Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
 You are cordially invited to worship with us.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Gray Carter, Minister
 Sunday Services
 Bible Study Classes 9:45 a. m.
 Worship Services 10:45 a. m. 7:30 p. m.
 Young Folks Class 6:45 p. m.

Tuesday
 Ladies' Bible Study Class 3:30 p. m.

LESLEY BAPTIST CHURCH
 Wednesday
 Bible Study Classes for All at 7:30 p. m.
 You are cordially invited to attend all services.
 "The Bible is Our Creed"

Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.
 Morning Service, 11 a. m.

Cotton Farmers Planning Uses For Cotton Land

County agricultural agents report that farmers are beginning to figure on what they'll plant on the land to be taken out of cotton next year because of the acreage allotments. These same reports indicate that many are planning to plant legumes and soil building crops and others expect to put some of this cultivated land into pasture.

The Texas Extension Service has just released a new bulletin, B. T. U., 6:30 p. m. Evening Service, 7:30 p. m. Prayer Service, Wednesday night. Choir Practice, Wednesday night. Rev. Paul R. Vinsant, Pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF ESTELLINE
 Sunday Services:
 Sunday School, 10 a. m.
 Worship Service, 11 a. m.

Fertilizer Paid Off For Farmer of Happy

The use of fertilizer paid off last year for Hubert Duke of Happy, Texas, says Swisher county agent Calvin D. Holcomb.

Duke fertilized four different plots of wheat and in his report to Holcomb he said one plot was fertilized with 400 pounds of ammonium nitrate per acre and from the plot he harvested 48.2 bushels of wheat per acre. On another, he applied 100 pounds per acre of the same fertilizer and harvested 46 bushels per acre. On a third

2010 fertilizer per plot, he used 2000 invested 45.4 bushels on the fourth, he harvested 16-20-0 per acre on 28.2 bushels per acre. The increased use of the fertilizer and good increase in per acre from applications that Holcomb. The per acre range from 16-20-0 to 28.2 bushels per acre and arithmetic shows come per acre was approximately \$27.50 per acre. Take off the fertilizer, and you an excellent return.

Duke says the trape produced yields that the stalks on the were stronger and sible a better crop.

Fertilizers have the Duke farm for years and he tells its use is becoming farming operations increase his acreage crops next year.

CHURCHES

Sunday Morning worship. Sermon: "The Acts of Peter."
 6:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor. Joanna Sue Smith, leader this week.
 7:30 Sunday evening worship. Sermon: "The Acts of Paul."
 Sermons for the past two Sundays have been on the Gospels of Matthew, Mark, Luke and John. This Sunday's is based on "Acts of the Apostles," of the New Testament series on the Books of the Bible.

Wednesday
 7:30 p. m. Prayer Meeting and Bible Study. Mrs. Harry Aspgren was leader this week.

Friday
 There will be a Christian Endeavor Party tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock. All should bring picnic lunches to church, then we'll go to the park. Mrs. Roy Coleman and Mrs. Bedford Smith are sponsors.

Both Your Gin Plants Again Giving the Best Tournout Sample Possible

AND

Both of the farmer-owned gin plants — in Memphis and at Plaska — turning out excellent samples for their patrons. This is the result of putting plants in first-class shape during the summer months, and the result of the continuous work of good crews.

Plans have been made at both plants to keep them turning as the seasons progress. If additional crews are needed, they will be put to work. Every tonner of each gin will be given only the fairest consideration in all matters.

WE WILL HELP YOU GET BOLL PULLERS

Again this year, we will help the farmers of this area obtain boll pullers. We have already placed several bunches of hands, and will continue to work with our customers in every way we can in overcoming this problem.

Ask your neighbors who have already ginned with us this season about the type of ginning we are doing. These two farmer-owned gins are operated to the benefit of the cotton farmers of this area. All this adds up to the fact that Farmers Union gins are places to take your cotton this year.

Farmers Union Cooperative Gin

Memphis Officers—
 W. B. McQUEEN, President
 O. D. PHILLIPS, Vice President
 ART MILLER, Secretary-Treasurer

Plaska Directors—
 W. B. McQUEEN
 O. D. PHILLIPS
 ALLEN MONZINGO
 AVERY HUTCHERSON
 GROVER MOSS

Plant Mgr. at Plaska: EARL RICHARDS

SPECIAL \$ \$ DAY SPECIALS

PILLOW CASES \$1
 2 for \$1

LADIES RAYON GOWNS \$1
 Special \$1

LADIES RAYON HOSE \$1
 3 pairs for \$1

LADIES FULL and HALF SLIPS \$1
 Special \$1

LADIES RAYON PANTIES \$1
 Good quality—3 for \$1

TURKISH BATH TOWELS \$1
 4 for \$1

1 Lot CHILDREN'S ANKLETS \$1
 7 pairs for \$1

DOUBLE BOILER 79¢
 Bluestone Enamel — only

Many other special values for Dollar Day!

BALDWIN'S
 5c to \$1.00 STORE
 West Side Square

Removes Worms, Easy on Layers

ROTA-CAPS

Here's the tablet wormer that won't knock egg production! Dr. Salsbury's Rota-Caps, containing Rotamine—an exclusive ingredient—removes large roundworms, intestinal capillaria worms, thoroughly, gently. Rota-Caps costs little — preferred by poultrymen who know. Ask for genuine Rota-Caps.

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 DURHAM'S PRESCRIPTION PHARMACY
 1877 S. B. Street, Memphis, Tennessee

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Society News

I. B. Bryan Weds San Antonio Girl In Impressive Rites

A recent wedding of interest to friends here is that of Miss Lola Mae Schulz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Schulz of San Antonio, to I. B. Bryan, former well-known Memphis youth. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ike Bryan of Lubbock and formerly of Memphis, and is a nephew of Ernest and O. H. Lee of this city. Rev. Arthur E. Rode read the marriage service on August 28 at the St. John's Lutheran Church in San Antonio.

Miss Amanda Schulz was her sister's maid of honor, and bridesmaids were Misses Frances Ann Bryan of Corpus Christi and Elizabeth Moncour of San Antonio.

William Frank Bryan served as his cousin's best man, and groomsmen were Mickey Butts and Robert Miller of Big Springs. Assisting ushers were Louis Schulz, brother of the bride, and Jim Bryan of Lubbock.

Following the wedding a reception was held in the home of the bride's parents.

Attending the wedding from here were Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Lee.

Pioneer Residents Named Honorees at Lakeview Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Davenport entertained with a dinner Sunday evening at their home in Lakeview honoring Mr. Davenport's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Davenport, Sr.

Due to illness in the family, the annual dinner honoring Mrs. Davenport was postponed and upon this occasion Mr. Davenport shared honors with her. The occasion was to celebrate Mr. Davenport's 83rd birthday anniversary.

All children and grandchildren and great grandchildren were present with the exception of Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Davenport, and



RECENT BRIDE—Mrs. L. D. Paris is the former Miss Claire Thomas, whose marriage was an event of September 3 in Elizabeth City, N. C. She is the niece of Mrs. W. A. Watson of Jacksonville, Fla., while SK 1/c Paris is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Paris of this city. Paris is now stationed with the Navy at Norfolk, Va.

two grandchildren, Peggy Davenport, who is a student in Texas Tech College, and David Horace DuVall, who is attending WTSC, Canyon.

New Year's Day is a legal holiday in all states except Kansas and Massachusetts.

Atalantean Club Meets Wednesday With Mrs. Estes

Mrs. H. B. Estes was hostess to members of the Atalantean Club at her home on South 8th Street Wednesday afternoon, September 21. Mrs. H. J. Howell, president, was in charge of the business meeting.

Mrs. T. M. Isham, introducing the afternoon's study, "Historical Leaders of the Caucasian Race," said, "History is merely the sustenance record of what man has done since his first appearance. Yet, fortunately, certain events, certain dates, and certain men loom up like mountain peaks as we gain our first comprehension of this vast area of past time."

The program was presented in three parts by Mrs. J. W. Coppedge who discussed "Fathers of Philosophy," Mrs. S. B. Fallmeyer who gave "Great Poets," and Mrs. J. H. Norman who told about "Statements of the Age."

Members answered roll call facts about races.

During the tea hour refreshments were served to one guest, Mrs. Jeff Ray, and the following members: Mesdames C. W. Broome, J. W. Coppedge, W. C. Dickey, Henry Foster, H. J. Howell, T. M. Isham, Claud Johnson, C. W. Kinslow, Ed Monzingo, D. A. Neeley, J. H. Norman, J. A. Odom, S. B. Pallmeyer, Myrtis Phelan, Bob Roberts, Robert Sexauer, Edwin Smith, Robert Spicer, N. A. Hightower and Miss Imogene King.

For A-1 Used Cars, See Kermit Monzingo, your Chrysler-plymouth dealer. He can finance them for you.

Estelline Club Entertains School Faculty at Dinner

The 1932 Culture Club of Estelline entertained the Estelline School faculty and their families on Thursday, September 15, with a buffet dinner at the school lunch room.

The menu included barbecued wieners, macaroni salad, pea salad, scalloped potatoes, deviled eggs, doughnuts, pickles, olives, buns, coffee and soda water.

About 70 guests and club members were served at this "Get acquainted" party.

Miss Hawkins is Guest Artist at Estelline Club

The 1932 Culture Club met Tuesday, September 20, in the home of Mrs. J. L. Phillips at Estelline.

Miss Eudora Hawkins, representative of West Texas Utilities Company, Abilene, was guest artist for the evening. Her subject was "The Dawn of Better Living." After an informative talk, Miss Hawkins delighted guests with a picture show on the same theme.

Following the business session, delicious refreshments of homemade apple pie a la mode and coffee were served to Mesdames O. H. Bailey, L. V. Bruce, H. E. Clifton, F. O. Cooper, W. B. Davidson, S. T. Hutchins, B. T. Jackson, D. Leary, J. L. Phillips, L. E. Phillips, J. B. Rapp, C. L. Sloan Jr., W. M. Whaley, and C. E. Wilkinson. Guest included Miss Hawkins, Mrs. C. O. Gregory, Katie Phillips and Lilly Cooper.

Mrs. Louis Conn Is Feted With Bridal Shower

Mrs. Louis Conn of Amarillo, the former Miss Ruby Falls, was honored with a bridal shower at the home of Mrs. Clarence Datson on Thursday afternoon, September 22, at 3:30 o'clock.

The entertaining rooms were attractively decorated for the occasion with multi-colored zinnias and pink roses. Miss Lorene Mitchell, who was co-hostess for the afternoon, presided at the bride's book to secure signatures of the guests. After the group had enjoyed a series of well planned party games, the honoree was led on a treasure hunt which took her to many lovely gifts displayed in a wagon decorated in pink and blue.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames W. D. Young Bob Sampson, of Vernon, J. L. Barnes, W. P. Baten, Lallen Gillispie, Bill Vardeman, Jimmy Jeffers, Coleman Duke, Luther Harris, E. W. Henderson, mother of the bride, Bertie Sanderson, Billie Hall, Buck Copeland, Misses Lorene Mitchell, Earlene Henderson, Joy Baten, George Nell Dotson, Berna Lee Harris and Little Buddy Jeffers and Mrs. Dotson.

Sending gifts were Mesdames W. B. Funk, Howard West, Perry Hale, L. E. Stephens, John McCauley, A. Childress, Fred Butler, Arlie Crisp of Mena, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Boren, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Barday, J. C. Penny employees, Mr. R. H. Crisp of Amarillo, Mr. Gibson, Mrs. Schockley, Mr. Cattrell, Miss Loni McCollum, J. W. Henderson Sr., of Murfreesboro, Ark. and Earl W. Henderson.



MRS. ALFRED WAYNE HUTCHERSON

Hutcherson Vows Solemnized Church Service Sunday

Formal ceremony, September 28, at Baptist Church, Loretta Morris, and Mrs. Clara of this city, bride of Mrs. Ida Hutcherson and the late Roy Shahan, pastor.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a charming bridal gown of gleaming magnolia satin. The fitted basque bodice had an oval yoke of imported marquisette that was outlined with a folded bertha of satin, and a double fold over the shoulder. The bodice and the long fitted sleeves with tapered petal points were fastened with minute satin buttons. Worn over hoops, the voluminous skirt swept in rich folds to a completely circular formal length train. The back of the gown stepped yet taken in the court manner was accentuated with a huge butterfly bustle at the hip line. The bride wore an exquisite bonnet of rose-point lace caught to the bonnet. Chantilly lace was used to fashion a fingertip length veil, frosted with tiers of imported bridal illusion. She wore a double strand of pearls, gift of the bride's parents.

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WE WILL CELEBRATE OUR 1st Anniversary THURSDAY, OCT. 6th

The Hall County Commission Company will observe its first birthday. On this day we wish to express our appreciation to the people of this territory for getting the sales layout established a year ago, and for their continued cooperation during the past 12 months.

AUCTION SALE EVERY THURSDAY

At 1 P. M. each Thursday, we will hold a livestock auction sale in a building one mile west of Memphis on the Lakeview highway. We want the public to gather here each week if they are interested in buying or selling livestock.

Last year, \$801,424.65 changed hands as animals went under the auctioneer's hammer. And, during this same period, the plant has been enlarged to handle around 750 head of cattle at one time.

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Hill Home is Scene For Family Reunion Sunday

The home of Mrs. Jennie Hill was the scene for a family reunion on Sunday, September 25.

A covered dish dinner was served to the following: Mrs. Jennie Hill and son Fayte, Mrs. John L. Mitchell and children Mary Helen and Douglas of Denver, Colo., Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patterson and sons Jerry and Max, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barnes and children Betty, Patty, April and David, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Plunk and children Orville Allen and Carol, Mr. and Mrs. Orphus Patterson and son Charles, Mrs. Lizzie Stegall, all of Tulsa; Mr. and Mrs. Edie Finch of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Neel, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Neel and son Ernest Wayne of Memphis, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fielding and son Jarrell of Quail.

Those unable to attend were Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hill and daughter Ivalou of Lindsey, Calif.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blum of Memphis were Mr. and Mrs. Arbut Blum and son Gayle, and daughter

Mrs. Fred Nivens Entertains With Birthday Dinner

Mrs. Fred Nivens entertained with a dinner Sunday honoring her mother, Mrs. M. L. Campbell, on her 70th birthday anniversary. The honoree received many lovely birthday gifts.

Those present for the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nivens, Joe Bob, Donald and Patricia, Perry Campbell, Nellie Osborn of Clarendon; Lonie Campbell and Lonie Jr., and Bill and Buck, all of Plainview; Mrs. M. L. Campbell and Mrs. J. C. Wynn of Hale Center; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Porter of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cash, and Mrs. B. F. Spears and Cyndia, all of Houston, and Mrs. Artie Morrison.

ter Linda; Mr. and Mrs. Jackie L. Blum and sons, Jackie and Jimmy; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Blum; and Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Day and son Danny. The occasion also marked a family reunion for the Blums.

There are approximately 456,000 words in the English language.

Women's Culture Club Observes Fiftieth Anniversary Saturday

The Woman's Culture Club of Memphis observed its 50th anniversary with a seated tea on Saturday afternoon at the American Legion Hall. Invited guests upon this occasion included members of the four federated clubs of Memphis, the 1932 Culture Club of Estelline and several additional guests.

Guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. Homer Tribble, club president; Mrs. James A. Allen of Childress, district president; Mrs. D. A. Grundy, charter member of the club; Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard, immediate past district president and appointed member of the district executive board; Mrs. C. C. Hodges, City federation president; and Mrs. Earl Hill, club secretary. Each feminine honor guest wore a lovely corsage of white carnations, the club flower.

Beautiful floral decorations in gold and purple shades denoting the Golden anniversary and the club colors were used effectively throughout the hall. Tall floor baskets holding arrangements of golden marigolds and asters decorated the rostrum and similar floral arrangements in low crystal bowls were placed at vantage points throughout the room.

Mrs. Robert Moss presided at the register to secure signatures of the guests. A dainty bouquet of white carnations and purple satin ribbon was used on the table where the guests registered.

Featured speakers for the afternoon were Mrs. James A. Allen of Childress, district president, and Mrs. D. A. Grundy, charter member of the club. "Building Better Communities" was discussed by Mrs. Allen in a most informative address.

Mrs. Grundy, who came to Hall County as a bride on January 4, 1896, when there were only 600 people in the entire county, told of the early day history of the club.

"It was through a need for social and cultural entertainment that a group of 8 women decided to organize a study club," Mrs. Grundy told the group. "In those days we had no where to go but to church and there were no Sunday school classes. The post office and millinery shop served as social gathering places," she continued.

"At the time we organized in 1899, Women's clubs were not looking upon with favor by the masses, therefore, we did not receive very favorable publicity in the local paper."

"Soon after organizing we decided to become federated with the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs. It was through a friend of mine, Mrs. G. A. Brown, whose husband was district judge, that we learned about the state organization. Mrs. Brown was serving as state treasurer of the State federation at that time and pointed out the advantages to be gained by becoming federated with the state organization."

"I have never tired of club work and my association with my own club and other club women throughout the district and state has been a source of much pleasure to me throughout a half century," Mrs. Grundy added. "I still believe in and abide by the motto we selected 50 years ago, 'Study gives strength to the mind, conversation grace.'" Mrs. Grundy concluded.

At one end of the room, the refreshment table formed a center of attraction with its lovely three-tiered anniversary cake, topped with the numerals "50" and decorated with shaded golden flowers and other decorative trim. Laid with an elaborate hand-made cut work cloth, the table had for its centerpiece an arrangement of mums and pompon in shaded golden hues. Mrs. T. J. Way and Mrs. Gene Chamberlain presided at the crystal punch service and



PIONEER CLUB WOMAN—Mrs. D. A. Grundy, who has enjoyed a half-century of active service as a federated club woman, was guest of honor at the 50th anniversary celebration held here Saturday by the Woman's Culture Club. Mrs. Grundy, who is a charter member of the Woman's Culture Club, the oldest in Seventh district according to records here, holds a bronze medal awarded to her several years ago as the pioneer club woman of this district. Throughout her years of service, she has served as president of the local club a number of times as well as holding all the other offices in the club. In the district, she has served as chairman of the Penny Art Fund.

after Mrs. D. A. Grundy had cut and served the first piece of cake, Mrs. Herschel Combs served cake. In attendance were approximately 80 guests.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Hardage has as guests Sunday two sons and their families, Staff Sgt. and Mrs. James T. Hardage and daughter Suzanne of Roswell and Mr. and Mrs. V. F. Hardage and son Allen Ray of Pampa. Mrs. Gus Drumgoole and grandson of Pleasant Valley were also visitors Sunday in the Hardage home.

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- SOAP, Lux or Camay, bath size, 2 for
- TOILET PAPER, Scot Tissue, 2 rolls
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**Pledge Service-
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The Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church met Wednesday, September 21, in the home of Mrs. Earl Hill.

Mrs. Robert Spicer, program chairman, had planned a very interesting and informative pledge service. Several members wore costumes representing countries in which the pledge money helps to maintain institutions of learning and missionary and medical aid.

During the business session, Mrs. Earl Hill, president, told of program plans for the fall and winter meetings.

Members present were Mesdames W. P. Baten, Bob Tiner, Mable Lavender, W. V. Coursey, Arthur Gidden, W. D. Young, Robert Spicer, R. V. Messer, C. H. Compton, Clyde Reed, H. B. Bennett, Perry Keyser, W. H. Monzingo, and Misses Neva Wrenn and Dorothy Gowen.

The next meeting is scheduled for October 6 in the home of Mrs. Perry Keyser.

baby of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Wynn and baby of Olton, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Wynn and son of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wynn and sons of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Wynn and daughter of Parnell, Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Wynn and Mrs. Evelyn Blood and daughter of Childress.

PLASKA

By MRS. H. A. HODGES

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Spry spent last Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. James Bray.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hignight and son Shelby spent Sunday of last week with Mr. Hignight's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Palmer of Shamrock.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bray, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Galloway, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hodges and son, Robert Allen went to Amarillo Monday night of last week to see the ball game between Amarillo and Albuquerque, N. M.

The Plaska Needle Club met Tuesday of last week with Mrs. W. C. Hignight for its quarterly social with most of the members present. During the business session new officers were elected for the next quarter. Each member drew a name for the next polyanthus and then each received a gift.

After the business session refreshments were served to one visitor, Mrs. A. D. Harwell and the following members: Mesdames Edith Galloway, Mary Dunn, L. A. Bray, Doyle Hall, W. L. Nabers, J. W. Oliver, T. I. McWhorter, John Murdock, Harold Hodges, W. C. Hignight, Collins Craighead and daughter Cherry, Eula Belle Hall and daughter.

Miss Norma Sue Hall returned home from the hospital last Wednesday and is able to attend school this week.

Doyle Hall made a business trip last Saturday to Comanche. Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Hall accompanied him to spend a week with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Gidden spent Sunday with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thomas of Mobeetie. Their grandson, Sammy Jr., returned home with them for several days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hodges of Dumas are here visiting his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hodges.

Kenneth Nabers was dismissed from the hospital Saturday after suffering a heart attack.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Adeock and family and his mother, Mrs. H. F. Adeock spent the day with their sister and daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Crawford of Claude last Sunday. On the way home they stopped in Hedley to visit Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Vallance.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Brock Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wheeler and son of California. Emmett Elkins of Tulsa

and Mr. and Mrs. Merle Lemons and family of Brice.

A. Gidden is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Galloway spent Sunday with his dad and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Galloway.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nabers spent Tuesday visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barnett of Lakeview.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Brock and Miss Cree Brock visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Sasser on Tuesday.

BROTHER-IN-LAW OF MRS. GRUNDY DIES IN KENTUCKY

Mrs. D. A. Grundy received a message Sunday from Russellville, Ky., which stated that her brother-in-law, A. E. Rice, had died that day.

Mr. Rice had visited here a number of times and was known to many people of this area. His wife, who passed away 17 months ago, visited here with Mrs. Grundy for several months shortly before her death.

Mrs. Grundy was unable to attend the funeral services.

Strictly speaking, Donald Duck should be Donald Drake—the male of the specie.

**Lions Fete Faculty,
Hear Dr. Edwards
Last Thursday Night**

Dr. A. F. Edwards, professor of government at Hardin College, Wichita Falls, was guest speaker last Thursday night at the first Annual Teachers Night banquet sponsored by the Memphis Lions Club. The occasion was also Ladies' Night.

Dr. Edwards spoke on the present-day conditions—touching on local, state and international subjects.

Approximately 150 persons were present for the occasion.

**Farmer to Judge
At Donley Fair**

Clifford Farmer, manager of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce, will be the judge at the Donley County Fair stock show next week in Clarendon.

Mr. Farmer, who has been working with Hall County livestock being shown at the Texas-Oklahoma Fair at Iowa Park and the Childress fair this week, was judge at the Clarendon show last year.

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GOODNIGHT & JOHNSON

Society

Mrs. Harry Fisher Is Honored With Informal Coffee

Mrs. J. C. Turner, assisted by Mrs. Gene Lindsey, entertained with an informal coffee Wednesday morning, Sept. 14, honoring Mrs. Harry Fisher of Benton Harbor, Mich., who is visiting here with relatives and friends. The affair was held at the Turner home, 421 South Ninth Street.

Enjoying the refreshment service and informal hour of visiting were the honoree, Mrs. Fisher; Mrs. Noel Clifton, Mrs. D. S. Johnson, Mrs. Buster Helm, Mrs. Kermit Monzingo, Mrs. T. O. Pounds and hostesses, Mrs. Turner and Mrs. Lindsey.

Women's Council Meets in Home of Mrs. Bill Maddox

The Women's Council of the First Christian Church enjoyed their regular missionary program at the country home of one of its former members, Mrs. Bill Maddox. After a delicious luncheon the women convened for a business session with Mrs. Roy Coleman presiding, Mrs. Ella Norman, program leader, introduced the lesson "The Everlasting Gospel in Latin America."

Mrs. E. E. Roberts gave "The Report from Brazil," and Mrs. Coleman discussed "New Missions of Brazil."

The devotional, "Abiding Virtues," was led by Mrs. Bedford Smith.

Those attending were Mesdames J. A. Odom, Ella Norman, E. Webster, J. W. Stokes, Roy Coleman, A. G. Kesterson, H. S. Randall, G. W. Maddox, Bedford Smith and E. E. Roberts.

Morris-Hutcherson

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bridgroom, and carried a bouquet of white mum and pompoms.

For something old she wore an onyx and pearl ring belonging to her mother; for something new, pearls, gift of the bridegroom; her something borrowed was a lace handkerchief imported from Belgium, belonging to Mrs. T. J. Dunbar; for something blue, Perfume by Gourielland in her shoe she wore the lucky coin which belonged to her father.

Miss Dorothy Hutcherson, twin sister of the bridegroom, was the maid of honor. She was attired in a turquoise taffeta formal styled with a full skirt over hoops and a fitted bodice with V shaped doubled berthas over the shoulders. She wore a tiara headdress of yellow and bronze poms and carried a bouquet of bronze mums.

The bridesmaids, wearing identical frocks of toulouise taffeta, were Misses Joyce McDaniel, Joanna Davis and Roddy Patton, schoolmates of the bride and Miss Wanda Morris, a cousin of the bride. They wore headdress of yellow and bronze mums and carried bouquets of yellow mums.

Cynthia Ann Combest, also a cousin of the bride, attended as junior bridesmaid. She wore a maize taffeta frock fashioned with full skirt over hoops and a fitted bodice with V shaped double berthas, her tiara headdress was yellow and bronze mums and she carried a bouquet of talisman roses and yellow and bronze mums.

Velma Jo Hutcherson, sister of the bridegroom, and Teresa Ann Beckham, niece of the bridegroom, were flower girls. They wore identical dresses of maize taffeta styled with lace trimmed with turquoise taffeta bows. Their tiara headdress were yellow bronze mums and their flower baskets were pale green satin. They dropped talisman rose petals down the bridal aisle.

Larry Edd Combest took part in the wedding as ring bearer. He wore a dark blue suit and carried the rings on a lace and ribbon trimmed white satin pillow.

Sammy Rasco was best man and ushers, all in blue business suits with maroon carnations buttonieres, were Charles Akard, Eddie Harrell, Henry Lee Solomon and Ernest Gowdy.

Mrs. Morris chose for her daughter's wedding a cocoa crepe dress with brown and gold accessories. Mrs. Hutcherson, mother of the bridegroom, wore grey crepe with green accessories. Mrs. Morris wore a corsage of talisman roses and Mrs. Hutcherson wore red roses.

RECEPTION

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cudd. Mrs. Cudd is an aunt of the bride. The three-tiered cake was encircled by turquoise maline, and lace vine and fern formed a garland for the punch bowl. The table was laid with a floor length satin and lace cloth with bows of maline and rose buds and lighted by tapers in silver candelabra. It was centered with the bride's bouquet. Guests were greeted by Mr. and Mrs. Cudd, Mr. and Mrs. Morris, Mrs. Hutcherson, the bride and groom and the feminine attendants of the wedding party.

Mrs. Nelson Combest presided at the punch bowl and Mrs. Henry Foster served the cake. Mrs. Coy Beckham, sister of the bridegroom registered guests in the bridal book.

For a wedding trip to Galveston, the bride wore a hazel light gabardine suit. Her accessories were brown, her corsage of talisman roses.

The newlyweds, graduates of Memphis High School, will make their home on the Hutcherson farm, 5 miles south of the city.

Out-of town friends and relatives attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Solomon, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Solomon, Jerry Solomon, Miss Betty Jean Solomon of Hereford, Henry L. Solo-

man of Tulsa, W. H. Henderson, Miss Lillie Solomon, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Solomon, Harry Lee Solomon, of Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Hodge, Nedra Hodge, Lakeview, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Morris, Larry Jean Morris, Jerry Morris, of Hereford; Miss Nettie Morris, Canyon, Miss Shirley Ann Morris, Clarendon; Mrs. Bill Hamm, Mrs.

Robert Kilgore, Mrs. J. J. Griffin, Miss Jackie Griffin, Childress; Miss Wanda Morris, Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Christopher, Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Foster, Ray Nell Foster and Patti Jon Foster of Friona.

REHEARSAL DINNER

The rehearsal dinner for the wedding party was given Saturday

evening in the basement of the Baptist Church by Mrs. Ida Hutcherson, mother of the bridegroom assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Coy Beckham.

The bride's colors of green and white were featured in the table appointments. The crystal and silver table was centered with an arrangement of feathery white

mums, and gifts of the wedding appointed places.

Those attending families, Miss Lillian Stanford of Henry Lee Solomon verend and Mrs. S.



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Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Funk Observe Golden Wedding Anniversary Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Funk, pioneer residents of Hall County, observed their golden wedding anniversary with open house at their home, 814 Dover, Sunday afternoon.

A host of friends called at the Funk home throughout the afternoon to wish the pioneer couple many happy years to come. Guests were greeted by Mrs. Pearl Massey and Mr. and Mrs. Funk. Other members of the house party included Mrs. A. B. Jones, Mrs. Ella Johnson, and Mrs. C. W. Broome.

The living room was beautifully decorated with cut flowers, many of which were sent by friends. In the dining room, the table was covered with a lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of yellow mums and fern in a large gold bowl.

Two anniversary cakes, one sent by a daughter, Mrs. Lonnie Brown of Alvord, and the other by a son, G. E. Funk of Mineral Wells, graced the dining table. Beautifully decorated the cakes were iced in white and trimmed in gold with yellow roses and green leaves. Inscribed on the cake was "To Mother and Dad on your 50th Anniversary."

Many lovely gifts were on display in another room in the party suite.

Mr. and Mrs. Funk were married at Audulou, Tex., on September 24, 1899.

When asked how she met her husband, Mrs. Funk laughingly said, "Oh, I've known him since childhood." Then she revealed that her romance was a case of the girl falling in love with her teacher.

"When I was 12 years of age I started to school to Mr. Funk," she explained. "I went to school to him for two years and then he moved away. Later he returned to our community and we were married. But my education was not completed and I again went to school to Mr. Funk, now my husband," she concluded.

Mr. and Mrs. Funk moved to Hall County on October 13, 1924, and have taken an active part in the growth and development of the community.

They are both members of the First Methodist Church and Mrs. Funk has served as adult superintendent of the church for the past 13 years. Mr. Funk is one of the teachers in the Men's Bible Class.

They are the parents of four children, all of whom were here Saturday evening for a family

Messick, L. L. Jester, Ida Hutcherson and Barney Lockhart. The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Ida Hutcherson on Tuesday afternoon, October 4.

CARD OF THANKS
 We wish to express our sincere appreciation for all who assisted in any way during the illness and after the passing of our mother. May God richly bless each of you, is our prayer.
 Robert and Agnes Henderson

Another name for the swastika is fylfot.

Miss Jones Weds C. W. Gilchrest In Okla. Rites

Miss Ima Lee Jones, daughter of Mrs. J. F. Jones of Lesley, became the bride of C. W. Gilchrest, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Gilchrest of Memphis, on Saturday, September 24, at the parsonage of the Missionary Baptist Church in Roaring Springs, Okla. Rev. Perry Watson, pastor, read the single-ring service.

For her wedding the bride chose a blue crepe dress with black accessories.

The bride attended school at Lakeview and the groom attended the Memphis Schools. They will make their home in Memphis.

Wedding Dinner

On Sunday a wedding dinner was held at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Gilchrest. Present for the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Jones and children, Mrs. J. F. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gilchrest and children, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Freeman and children, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gilchrest, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Casteel, Mrs. Lula Mitchell, S. M. Siegler and Rev. and Mrs. Rufus Niles of Benjamin, Tex.

dinner preceding the celebration Sunday. They have six grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Children and their families present were G. E. Funk of Mineral Wells, William Funk of Albuquerque, N. M., Mrs. Lonnie Brown of Alvord and Earl G. Funk of Des Moines, N. M.

Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. George Vincent of Hereford, Mrs. A. B. Calvin of Quanah, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Funk and daughter Erlean Funk of Des Moines, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Funk and son Billy Glen of Mineral Wells, Mr. and Mrs. William Funk and daughters, Shirley Ann and Linda Dell and son Mack Lee of Albuquerque, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Brown of Alvord, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Vinger and daughter Jeannine of Los Alamos, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Frank Cummings of Lubbock visited here over the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Cummings.

Bernie Howell is Guest Artist At B&PW and Rotary

Bernie Howell, organist of radio station KGNC, was guest artist at a joint meeting of the local Business and Professional Women's Club and the Rotary Club here Tuesday evening. The meeting was held in the Masonic building, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

Mr. Howell, who is noted throughout this section for his ability, charmed his audience with selections, including many request numbers.

Miss Roselyn Williams, president of the B&PW Club, was toastmistress. Rev. Rollo Davidson, pastor of the First Methodist Church, pronounced the invocation. Miss Williams welcomed the guests, Mr. Jackson, director of radio station KGNC, Miss Louise Bowers of Childress, and Miss Alyeen Aker of Childress, second vice president of the Texas Federation of B&PW Clubs.

Each member brought a guest to the dinner prepared by Mrs. Reynolds.

Mrs. James T. Hardage and daughter Suzanne, who have been visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Hardage and at Clarendon with her parents since Sunday, returned home today. Mrs. S. F. Hardage accompanied them home for a visit in Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. McCoy and son Max visited in Lubbock Sunday with their daughter and sister, Mrs. John L. Gordon.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends who came to us with love and sympathy when death took our husband and father.

We especially thank those who helped in any way with the food and the many beautiful flowers. May God's richest blessings be with each of you is our prayer.

CARD OF THANKS

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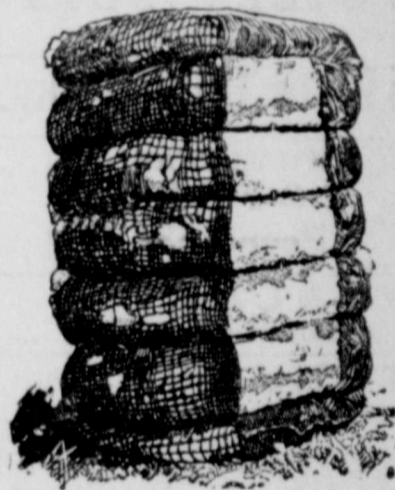
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LEO	Southern Maid Pound	25c
Almons	Silver Rapids Tall Can	55c
BRAND TSUP	Qt. Sour or Dill PICKLES	5c 19c
	JELLO 3 pkgs.	20c
enic Hams	Pound	39c

Estelline Ties Rochester 7-7

(Special to The Democrat)
 The Estelline Cubs battled the Rochester Steers to a 7-7 tie last Thursday night at Estelline. The Cubs had previously lost two games—to Groom and Price College, but they were evenly matched last week.
 Estelline scored in the first quarter when a long pass from Weldon Fowler to End Doa Smith put the Cubs in scoring position. Gene Jouett crashed the line for the touchdown, and Gerald Fowler kicked the extra point.
 The Rochester club tied the game in the fourth quarter with Manley passing to an end for the counter. Another pass scored the extra point.

Two Children of Quail Have Polio

Two children of Quail are in the Plainview Sanitarium this week after having been diagnosed as possible polio victims. They are Bobbie Lee Robinson, seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Robinson, and Mary Lou East, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. East.

IOOF CALLS SPECIAL MEET

The I. O. O. F. Lodge No. 444 will meet next Tuesday night to organize the Lower Panhandle Association, an organization consisting of lodges at Memphis, Wellington, Clarendon, Lakeview and Hollis, Okla.

Tax Statements

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 valorem tax payments if paid in November.
 One per cent discount on ad valorem tax payments if paid in December.
 Discounts do not apply to poll taxes.
 Poll tax payments, as it was pointed out, will be payable after October 1. However, a referendum will be held on Oct. 8 for the people to accept or reject an amendment to the constitution doing away with the poll tax throughout the state. Therefore, if the election does away with it, no refund will be made to those persons who pay their poll taxes prior to the election.

Edward S. West

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 rimento, Calif., and Gus West of Lamesa; two sisters, Mrs. Bessie Bacon of Dallas and Mrs. Hester

WEATHER

Cooler weather prevailed in the Hall County area over the past week. A low of 47 was recorded on Saturday and Monday mornings, and a high for the week was 93 last Thursday afternoon, according to J. J. McMickin, local weather recorder. An early frost is forecast by McMickin for this fall.

The Week's Weather

Wed., Sept. 28—81 and 55
 Tuesday, Sept. 27—89 and 48
 Monday, Sept. 26—85 and 47
 Sunday, Sept. 25—78 and 51
 Saturday, Sept. 24—82 and 47
 Friday, Sept. 23—78 and 62
 Thursday, Sept. 22—93 and 65

Cotton Contest

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 998 bales. Only a few were in the 30,000's and less in the 80,000's.
 A complete list of persons who listed their guesses during the next week will be published in the next issue of The Democrat.
 Rowe of Los Angeles, Calif.; and 10 grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Dairy Show

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 6. L. A. Richards
 Senior Heifer Calf
 1. Elmer Weddel, Lakeview
 2. Charlie Williams
 3. John Luther Byars, Lakeview

Junior Yearling Heifer
 1. Paul Buchanan, Estelline
 2. Paul Buchanan
 Senior Yearling Heifer
 1. John Luther Byars
 2. Holland McMurray
 3. John Ira Foster, Memphis
 4. W. O. Waites
 5. John Luther Byars

Two-Year-Old Cow
 1. M. E. Drake
 2. M. E. Drake
 3. M. E. Drake
 Three-Year-Old Cow
 1. S. C. Waites
 2. Hall County Dairy
 Four-Year-Old Cow
 1. A. Womack
 2. Charlie Williams

The show, according to officials, was quite successful. Although fewer spectators were present than was expected, the promoting men feel that interest will keep growing, and the show next year will be even bigger and better, they stated.

Boar and Gilt Show Held

Also held in conjunction with the Dairy Show was the annual 4-H Boar and Gilt Show of Hall County. The winners were announced in two separate contests—one sponsored by local business men, and another under the auspices of Sears Roebuck. John Ira Foster showed the grand champion gilt of the business men's program.

Other winners in order were Gayle Salmon, Lakeview; Johnny Whisenant, Parnell; Jimmie Fowler, Lakeview; and Bobby Don Buchanan of Parnell. Thirty dollars in prizes were donated by O. R. Saye, J. W. Byars, N. W. Durham, and the Memphis Chamber of Commerce who also donated the animals some time ago.
 In the Sears program, Leon Martin of Newlin showed the grand champion sow, and Archie Martin's entry won grand champion boar. These two animals will compete in an area show at Amarillo for higher prizes.

Sears gave the same amount as the business men, but their prizes consisted of hog lot equipment. Other persons who showed winners in the sow division were, in order, Darrell Couch of Turkey, Donald Robinson of Lakeview, Jerry Byars of Lakeview, Johnny Brumley of Newlin, and Jack Fowler of Lakeview.

The two shows were sponsored by the Memphis Chamber of Commerce and Hall County Board of Development and the County agent's office.
 Sixteen head of cattle which were shown at last week's fair are on display at the Iowa Park Fair this week. E. Drake, S. C. Waites, Wesley Waites, Paul Buchanan, Holland McMurray, E. E. Cudd and John Luther Byars carried animals to the show, and they are being entered as a Hall

Steuart Resigns as Deputy Sheriff

R. J. Gilbert has been appointed by Sheriff Earl Hill as Deputy Sheriff at Estelline to succeed A. B. Steuart who resigned. The Commissioners Court has accepted the resignation and appointment effective Oct. 1.

Comments

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 the remark that she reads Comments consistently.

Since next week is annual Newspaper Week, and since free press is being threatened in some parts of the world, I am reprinting the below editorial which recently appeared in the Dallas News:

Dictator Peron in Argentina has completed his job. The press is under his thumb. An Argentine editor has no more freedom now than a galley slave.
 No editor can now show "disrespect" for government officials. He can not "threaten, insult or any way offend the dignity of decorum of a public official," and if he does he will go to prison.
 "Disrespect," of course, is what means that no editor can criticize the government will say it is. It is the government—for the criticism can easily be labeled "disrespect" by the labelers.
 But, you retort, the editor will have to be tried. He can defend himself, can't he?
 That is where dictatorship strikes its real blow. The defendant (editor) will not be permitted to submit proof of his offending Peron, the dictator, is now the

County group. Following the Iowa Park show, some of the animals will be taken to the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo, as well as the Childress show.
 Several fine head of cattle in Hall County were not shown at last week's fair.
 Especially interesting to the persons who are most responsible for the expanded dairy program, is that two of the class winners were sired by bulls brought here from Canada.

editor. In other words, he can not write the truth, even if he can prove it.
 Peron does not like some of the newspapers—notably La Prensa—because they criticized him. His first move was to restrict their newspaper, then through organized labor their skilled hands. His latest bill restricts the written word—and that is all.
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- Trail Driver Sweet Feed, 100 lb. bag
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- Feed Oats, per bag
- Ground Barley, 100 lb. bag
- Oyster Shell, 25 lb. bag
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- TOMATOES 25c
Kimball, 2 No. 2 Cans
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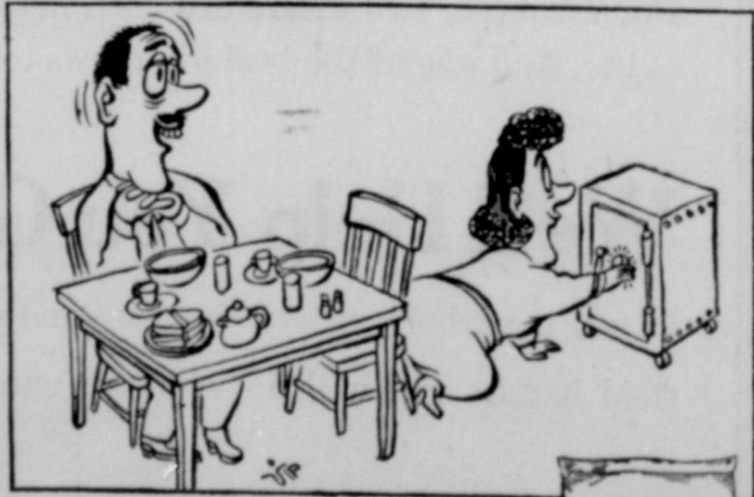
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CYCLONE BEATS DUMAS 13 - 7 FOR THIRD STRAIGHT VICTORY

RASCO, TOMMY MESSER SCORE TOUCHDOWNS; CROOKS SHINES

The Memphis Cyclone was never able to get its offense in gear Friday night, but did manage to shove across two touchdowns—enough to defeat a peppery little outfit from Dumas 13-7.

Statistics show that the two teams made 24 first downs, 390 yards gained rushing, 59 yards lost rushing, committed 11 fumbles; but made only three touchdowns.

Some 1700 spectators watched the tussle. Fumbles ruined what otherwise would have been a jam up ball game. It was one of those now-you-have-it-now-you-don't affairs, and two of the best runs of the game were called back. Bobby Crooks, speedy little right half of the Cyclone was the victim of both calls, as he was ruled out of bounds on a long touchdown sprint and a clipping penalty nullified another dash that would have put his team in scoring position once again.

It was a small, fast ball club that visited the local stadium and it furnished just about all the opposition the hosts could doff their hats to. Both squads hit hard, and three men were assisted from the playing field in the course of the evening.

The winning touchdown was counted soon after the second half got underway. The Cyclone took the kickoff and proceeded to march 65 yards for the tally. They had a 7-0 lead at the time, but as it turned out would not have been sufficient for victory.

Crooks returned the kickoff from his 10 to the 35, and 12 plays later, Tommy Messer crashed over guard for a yard and the score. This is the way the march took place: Crooks took a pitch out from Roddy Stargel and cut back through left tackle for five to the 40. He added another yard at right guard, and Andy Gardenhire picked up a first down on the Memphis 48.

Messer went through left guard two yards past midfield, on the next play the Cyclone was penalized for being in motion. Gardenhire made it back with a five-yarder and it was here Crooks made his run that was out of bounds on the 21. It was a double (Continued on Page 8)



STARTING LINE-UP—These boys will be on the field tomorrow night when the Memphis Cyclones open District 2-A competition against the defending champion Lefors Pirates at Lefors. The linemen are, left to right, Don Rasco, right end; Kenneth McQueen, right tackle; Max Kennedy, right guard; Raymond Clark, center; Freddie Vinson, left guard; Lee Bloxom, left tackle; R. A. Wells, left end. In the backfield are, left to right, Bobby Crooks, right halfback; Andy Gardenhire, fullback; Roddy Stargel, quarterback, and Tommy Messer, left halfback. Messer may not be able to open due to an injury received last week.

Review Opens With 21-0 Win

The Democrat) Eagles won their game last Thursday the Clarendon "B" score of 21-0. Rolling early in successive line touchdowns and scoring. Adams line for the extra period a Mitchell pass touchdown with the extra team in a 14-0 at half time. period the Eagles touchdown with the three-line running by and Byars. open their conference night against pros at Lakeview. will out-weigh the like 20 pounds at the Eagles hope for it with added predictions indicate may win by touchdowns, but the out to upset them year Kress won, but only after a touchdown play had battled them terms throughout

Slight Decline Of Texas Schools With Grid Sport

A total of 845 Texas High Schools are fielding teams for the 1949 football season. A decline of one school in Conference AA resulted when Thomas Jefferson High School of El Paso entered competition this year. Conference A lost one school to drop to 227. Conference B with 340 competing has an increase of 16 over last year.

The number of high schools competing in interscholastic football showed a net decline of two from last year. A gain of one school in Conference AA resulted when Thomas Jefferson High School of El Paso entered competition this year. Conference A lost one school to drop to 227. Conference B with 340 competing has an increase of 16 over last year.

The Six-Man Conference was hit hard by consolidations and 167 teams will be playing in the 24 six-man districts when regional playoffs are allowed for the first time in Interscholastic League history.

Wheeler Teaching At Newman High

Robert Wheeler, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Wheeler of Memphis, is one of six new members of the Newlin High School faculty this term. He holds the position of student body counselor.

Wheeler graduated from Memphis High School before attending Hardin-Simmons, where he graduated with a Bachelor of Arts degree. Before going to Newman he was associated with the Veterans Guidance Program in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Chancey of Amarillo visited here Sunday with his father and sister, Mrs. Key.

THREE COUNTY SCHOOLS ELIGIBLE FOR TWO CO-OPERATIVE TEACHERS

Under the provisions of the Gilmer-Aiken school bill, three county schools—Estelline, Lakeview and Turkey—are eligible for two special teachers on a cooperative basis, states Miss Mary Foreman, county superintendent.

The teachers will be under the supervision of the superintendent's office and the county board. Mrs. Al Burks has been employed as one of the teachers and has been designated as county librarian. She has a degree from Texas Technological College and has eight years teaching experience. She taught five years at the Memphis schools and three years at Lakeview.

The other teacher has not yet been announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Burnett were Lubbock visitors Friday.

Two Memphians In WISC Band

Billy Byrd and Jeanne Way of Memphis have won positions with the famed Buffalo Band of West Texas State. Byrd plays cornet while Miss Way plays trombone.

Scheduled appearances at present call for the band to perform at all Buffalo home football games, at the Tech-WT game in Lubbock October 1 and at the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo October 3. In November the band will travel to Albuquerque for the annual WT-University of New Mexico game. Plans call for several concerts on the campus and in several surrounding towns.

M. J. Newman is director.

Isaac O. Huggins Buried Sunday at Fairview Cemetery

Isaac Oscar Huggins, resident of the Plaska community for 35 years, died Saturday and was buried Sunday afternoon in the Fairview Cemetery.

Mr. Huggins was 75 years old, and was a farmer until a few years ago when he retired. He was born to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Huggins in 1874 in Arkansas.

M. Turnbow, minister of the Church of Christ of Lela, officiated at funeral services which were under the direction of Marcum Funeral Home of Memphis.

He is survived by his wife of Plaska; one daughter, Mrs. James Dixon of Plaska; and one son, Homer Huggins of Memphis. Also, four grand children and two great grand children.

Pall bearers for the funeral were W. J. McMaster, L. A. Bray, Ernest Foster, Henry Foster, Raymond Foster and W. L. Crawford.

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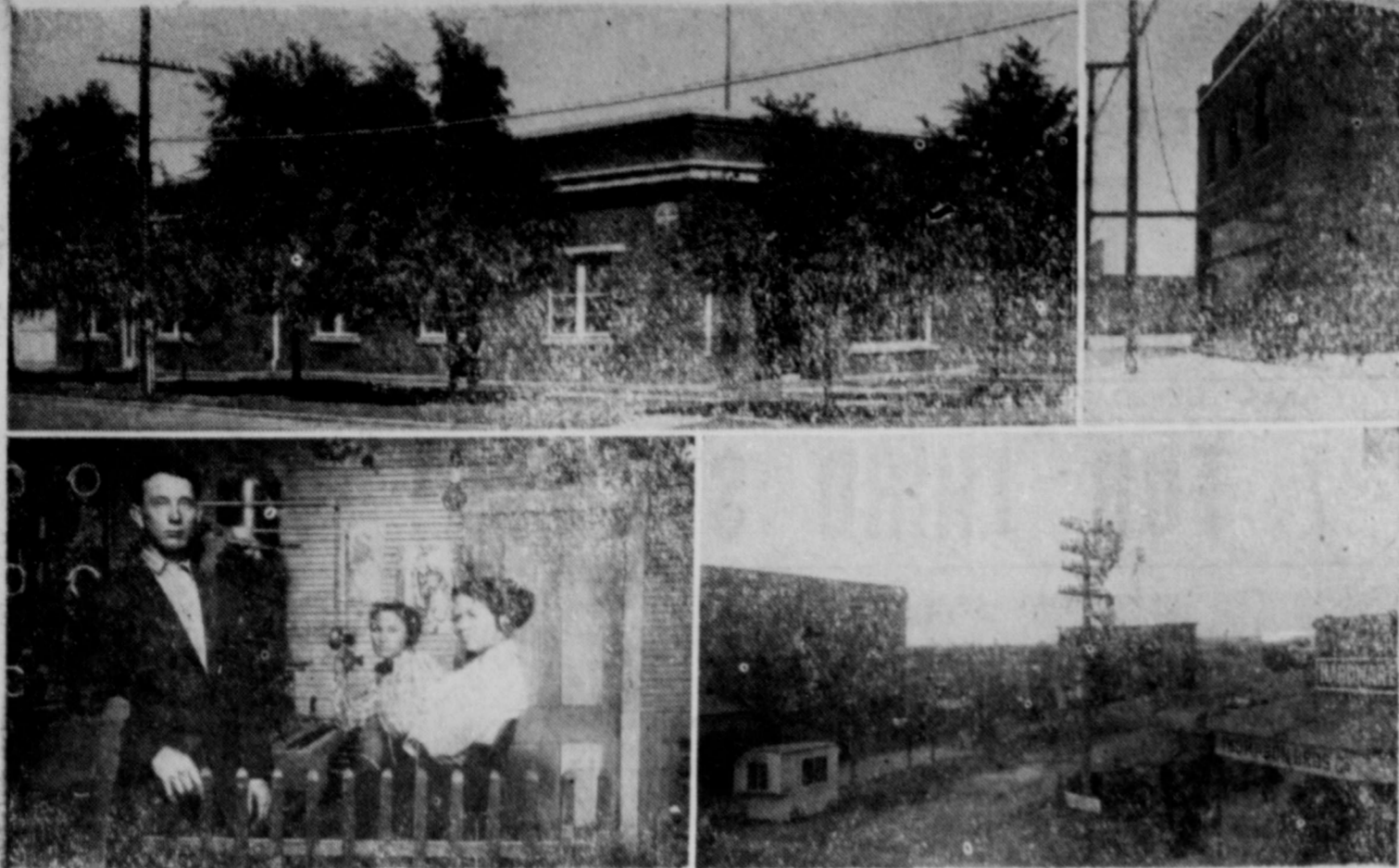
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MEMPHIS EXCHANGE HISTORY—Progress in reverse is shown in these flashbacks, spanning nearly half a century in the history of the Memphis telephone exchange. Top left, present modern brick home of Southwestern Associated Telephone Company. Top right, previous home of the exchange built in 1912. Bottom left, employees take a break way back in 1911, when the office was housed in a wooden building. Frank Smith, serviceman, left, Mrs. Sidney Baker, toll operator, and Ruby Quisenberry, local operator. The palings are to keep out impetuous patrons, not stray livestock. Bottom right, construction work underway on the northeast corner of the courthouse square, time 1914. Sidney Baker, phone company manager, is the low man on the telephone pole. Bill Derrick swings nonchalantly from the crossarms. Thompson Brothers Hardware is still in business at the same location. (Photo, cutline and story courtesy of The Amarillo Daily News.)

Half Century Of Progress Is Telephone History Here

By CHARLES STOUT
Staff Writer, The Amarillo Daily News

"Operator give me number 0-0-0 and do it quickly, won't you please? There are many things which I must tell, ere my mind can be at ease."

The honey-voiced hello girl hastens to comply, as she pushes plugs, keys and things. But fate, the fickle one, leers and turns away, as the phone rings and rings. That in a poetic sense, free style, describes what sometimes happened when Inez McCrory and her sister, Bessie, were operators in the telephone office here just after the turn of the century.

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However, if the party didn't answer, the sisters didn't let that stop them—that is if the wanted one were within hailing distance. The one on duty—the exchange switchboard had room for only one operator at that time—would stick her head out the door call the person's name and yell, "Answer your phone." This usually turned the trick.

Inez was not a full-time operator at the time, as she still was in school. But before and after classes, she relieved her sister at the switchboard. The sister was the daytime operator.

Night-time operator, and also owner, manager and lineman, was Wyatt McCrory, the girls' usually was the proverbial one-armed paper-hanger.

Inez McCrory later married Sidney Baker, and her sister married George Scruggs. The Bakers live here and Mrs. Scruggs lives at Wellington. Baker is an insurance and real estate man and an income tax consultant. Mrs. Baker assists him.

McCrory bought the exchange from Will Hitson, member of a family of early settlers in this area. Hitson established the exchange, first in the history of the town, in 1900. He was the company, performing every duty from manager to trouble-shooter.

The venture apparently did not prove very profitable, as Hitson sold out to McCrory for \$250, in 1901. This sum included all telephone equipment, the telephone building and the site on which it was located.

The lowly state of the telephone company financially, that is—probably can be explained in part by the fact that Memphis at that time had no more than a few hundred residents. There were just 100 drops on the switchboard, of which not all were used, Mrs. Baker recalls.

But when it came to community service, the telephone company was tops. Through it, people kept in touch with their fellow townsmen and up-to-date on happenings in the community and its area.

When phones were installed in Memphis, and for several years afterwards, considerable trouble was experienced in training subscribers to call persons and businesses by number rather than by name. Mrs. Baker recounts with a laugh.

Since there was no fire department back in those days, fire-fighting was a unique process. When a blaze broke out, first inking the populace had of the misfortune usually was the shooting of guns.

As soon as the telephone operator learned of it, she started ringing all the phones in town. As fast as people would answer, she would tell them to take buckets to help fight the fiery menace. Water was obtained from wells and cisterns.

Barber wire served as lines, both rural and long distance. To complete a circuit, all that was necessary was to hook to the nearest fence wire, leading to the destined point—and hope for the best.

About this time, someone induced the Fort Worth & Denver Railroad to install portable telephone sets on each of its passenger trains.

One of the porcupine-type toll lines connected Memphis and Clarendon. When there was trouble, McCrory sometimes hitched a ride with a passing buggy or wagon driver and at other times rode a train. When he spotted the trouble, he would hop off and make the needed repairs.

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pairs. Afterwards he would walk on into town, if he could not catch a ride.

However, it happened one day he rode his bicycle to Clarendon and returned by train. The north-bound train was late and McCrory's train had orders to take the siding at Lelia Lake.

After a long wait, the conductor told the brakeman to get the portable phone and find out the cause of the delay. The brakeman hooked the phone to a telegraph wire nearby but could get no answer.

Finally, McCrory said, "Let me see that box." Walking over to the right-of-way fence, he pushed the button and the Memphis operator answered. McCrory soon was talking to A. G. Moore, the Memphis station agent.

Trainmen and passengers may have been puzzled as to how he could talk over a barbed wire to Memphis, 20 miles away. But it was quite simple to the telephone man. He had merely connected the phone to his Clarendon toll line.

To get in touch quickly with Mrs. Baker, when she was at school McCrory rigged up an ingenious system. He installed a call bell in the girl's classroom and connected it with the telephone office.

If the bell rang once, Mrs. Baker knew she was to go across the street at recess and call the office. Two rings meant she was to go to the office at recess and relieve the operator. But if the bell rang three times, she knew she was to go to the office immediately, as there was an emergency.

Mrs. Baker remembers she did not receive any salary, since the company was entirely a family proposition.

In 1905, Watt McCrory sold the exchange to Horace Gooch of Amarillo, for \$4,000, indicating how the company and Memphis had grown.

Mrs. Baker moved away from Memphis for a while, but in 1908 she and Mr. Baker returned to Memphis and the telephone company. Mrs. Baker was toll operator and Baker was manager.

By that time the switchboard had 300 drops, or positions for 3 operators. Mrs. Baker, as toll operator, received \$35 a month while the other operators were paid \$25.

Residential phones cost subscribers \$1.50 a month and business houses paid a charge of \$2 a month. Party line patrons paid a cheaper rate.

Phone boxes were cumbersome and attached to the wall, usually about head high, so that speakers had to stand to use them. But as Mrs. Baker puts it, some "softies" had them low enough to sit while they were talking. This was considered "kind of lazy," according to Mrs. Baker.

Back in those days, exchanges were called on for many services not commonly associated with

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For instance, after a fire alarm sounded (this was after Memphis had acquired a fire department and a signal system), every drop on the switchboard would fall, as people called to find out where the blaze was. Operators also were expected to give the time of day, when trains would arrive, and answer many other questions which callers might wish to ask.
There were few long distance

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HEADLINE BRIEFS—
"First Frost of Season Reported Saturday Night," "Clinton Dill Dies as Result of Hurt Received Monday," "Moses Dry Goods Co. Opens With Large Stock," "Musical Concerts Arranged for Sat. Night and Sunday."

PURELY PERSONAL—
Rev. Calthrop and S. K. Jones attended an executive board meeting of the Baptist Panhandle Association which was held at Hedley, Monday.

Miss Velma Whit was shopping in Memphis Monday.
Miss Ruby Fox, from Avery, Texas, came in last week to take a position with Green Dry Goods Co.

Nate Hudgins of Memphis was an Estelline visitor Tuesday.

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LARGE STILL IS CAPTURED—
Three o'clock last Sunday afternoon, Turkey officers swooped down and captured the largest still ever to see the light of day in Hall County. Officers taking part in the raid were Lindsey Hill, deputy sheriff, Officer Charlie Hume, Harrison Coker, constable, Albert Maccham, deputy constable, all of Turkey, and Joe Marcum, Parnell deputy. The officers received a tip earlier in the day that the still was in operation, and they decided to make an investigation before the operators got wind of the fact that a raid was contemplated.

The still was located in the sand hills south of Red River, about two and one-half miles northwest of Parnell. As the officers advanced upon the still, those operating it were said to have opened fire. Three white men and a negro were found at the still.

TWO 4-H CLUB GIRLS AWARDED TRIPS TO FAIR
Ozella Mitchell and Ollie Brown, 4-H club girls from the Leslie club, have been awarded free trips to the State Fair of Texas by the Hall County District Fair. Each year the directors of the fair offer free trips for outstanding club work.

GYMNASIUM BUILT FOR SCHOOL GAMES
A new gymnasium has recently been completed at Lakeview. The building is large and commodious and has a seating capacity of about five hundred.

HEADLINE BRIEFS—
Fourth Place is Awarded to Hall

MAYOR McGUP

By John Jarvis



Infant Son of Quail Couple Dies Sunday

Graveside services were held at 4 p. m. Monday at Lakeview Cemetery for Roy Lee Stephens, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Stephens of Quail. The child lived only a few hours after his birth on Sunday.

Brother Willet of the Hedley Church of Christ officiated at the ceremony, and funeral arrangements were handled by the Marcum Funeral Home.

Survivors are his father and mother; one sister, Barbara June Tyler; one brother, Coy Creed Stephens, all of Quail; paternal grandmother, Mrs. J. H. Stephens; and maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Baker.

County Exhibit at Tri-State Fair: Circus to Arrive about Oct. 1; Practice Will be Started Soon on Current Edition of Football Follies.

PURELY PERSONAL—
Mr. and Mrs. McCants, Mr. and Mrs. Ringler and family, all of Miami, Oklahoma, were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. E. Bean, on their way to Los Angeles, Calif., where they will make their home. . . Mr. and Mrs. George Sager took the Hall County exhibit to the Tri-State Fair, and will be in Amarillo until next Monday. . . Miss Radie Moreman left Monday for Lubbock where she will attend Texas Tech this winter.

NOTICE OF BIDS

The City of Memphis will receive bids for the purchase and sale to said city of one used or second-hand 50 to 75 H. P. Motor Grader, 12' Moldboard, 7:00 x 24 front tires, 12:00 x 24 rear tires, pre-cleaner, cab w/metal and safety glass enclosure, electric starting and lighting attachment, hour meter.

Bids to be opened at the City Hall, October 4th, 1949, at 8:00 P. M. The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids. File all bids with D. L. C. Kinard, City Secretary, Memphis, Texas, not later than 7:00 P. M. October 4th, 1949.

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After adjustment for seasonal variation, the Bureau's index of dairy production slid 22 per cent from June to 63 per cent of the 1935-39 average.

Cold storage holdings of dairy products in August rose 31 per cent from July, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

With the exception of a 2-per cent decrease in evaporated and condensed milk, holdings of all types of dairy products in August registered large increases from July. During the 12-month period all dairy products showed declines: plastic cream, 86 per cent; fluid cream, 50 per cent; evaporated and condensed milk, 56 per cent; creamery butter, 23 per cent; and cheese, 22 per cent.

In August cold storage holdings of frozen vegetables stepped up 27 per cent from July. During the same period holdings of dried and evaporated fruits rose 21 per cent and frozen fruit holdings increased 17 per cent.

July-to-August holdings of meat and meat products dropped 14 per cent. Holdings of other products also declined: nuts, 11 per cent; hides and pelts, 5 per cent; and fresh vegetables, 4 per cent.

Compared with August 1948, holdings of nuts in cold storage stepped up 112 per cent in August of this year. Holdings of fresh vegetables and frozen vegetables increased 56 and 12 per cent, respectively, during this period.

On the other hand, holdings of hides and pelts dropped 53 per cent from a year earlier. During the 12-month period meat and meat products declined 36 per cent; dried and evaporated fruit, 33 per cent and frozen fruit, 23 per cent.

In comparison with the previous month, manufacture of dairy products dropped 19 per cent with output of all types of dairy products decreasing from 9 to 40 per cent from June.

NEWLIN

By MRS. ALMA HEMPHILL

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McClung and two daughters of Granite, Okla., Mrs. Florence Greer, Mrs. Sam Jarrell, Mrs. Annie Lee Jarrell, all of Childress visited last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Jarrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crow and son of Dodson spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Van Crow and Mrs. G. L. Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Lancaster of Oklahoma spent Monday in the home of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Davis and Jan went to Fort Worth last week end to attend the wedding of her brother.

D. C. Messick Jr., left last week for A & M College where he will be a student this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. (Bud) Watson visited friends here Monday.

Mrs. Merle Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Williams of Wichita Falls spent the week end in the home of J. O. Hemphill.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Gilliam of Memphis spent Sunday evening in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Gardenhire.

Mrs. L. E. Braidfoot of Memphis is visiting in the home of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Braidfoot.

Aunt Rhoda Nelson and Larry

have returned to their home here. They have been staying with Mrs. Whaley of Estelline for the past month.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Floyd of near Memphis spent Sunday in the home of her sister, Mrs. Ott Missenhimer.

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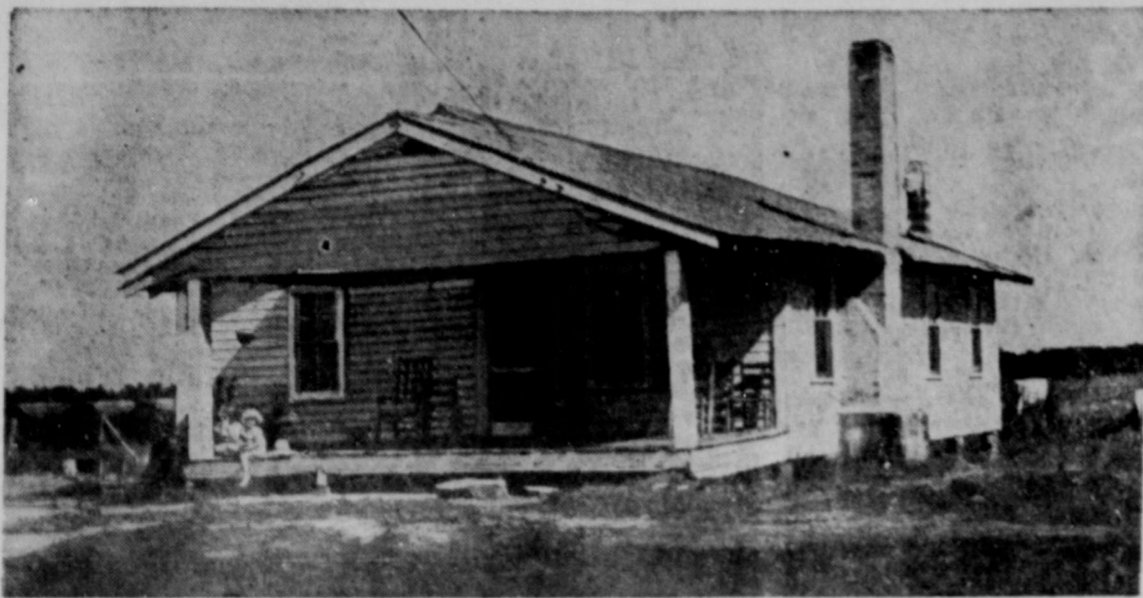
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(This is the first of two articles explaining the function of the Federal Home Administration.)

JOE JOHNSON, typical low-income farmer, frequently occupies a house that no amount of living in could make a home.

The latest census shows that about two and one-half to three million live in farm houses that don't meet standards of decent, safe, and sanitary living. Nearly half the inadequate houses are beyond repair. So the new housing act passed this summer will be a boon to thousands of families.

As soon as congress appropriates funds to start the program, here's how it will work: Johnson may go to his local county office of the Farmers Home administration and apply for a loan to build a new house.

His application must be approved by the county committee composed of three local farmers. To be eligible, he must be unable to get the credit he needs anywhere else to build or make housing improvements. If he meets the necessary requirements, he will get a loan which can be repaid in annual installments at 4 per cent interest over a period up to 33 years.

If Johnson had a house that could be repaired instead of replaced, he could apply for a housing improvement loan. By far the majority of loans are expected to be for repairs. If in addition to fixing up his house, Johnson also needed repairs to his barn or shed, his loan can include money for these too.

Because most loans will be for repairs, they will average about \$2,200.

The program will take into account many kinds of farm family housing needs. For example, if Johnson lacked enough income to support his family, he could increase his earnings by buying 20 more acres or by clearing some acres on his farm, he could get a loan either to enlarge or develop his place.

If he were a tenant, he could not get one of the new loans, but his landlord could apply for the credit to build or repair the house or other farm structure, or to enlarge or develop the farm.

Still another possibility would occur if he were an owner but too poor to qualify for a farm housing loan. He could apply for a grant, not to exceed \$500, to make his house or other buildings safe and sanitary.

(To be continued.)

District 2A Football

Four of the teams of District 2-A wound up their non-district competition last week and are prepared to start family quarrels tomorrow night.

Headlining the two games will be the Memphis Cyclone-Lefors Pirates game to be played at Lefors. The other tussle - - between McLean and Clarendon may not be too far behind in excitement.

The district experienced its worst week against outside opposition, as three teams won and three lost. That gives the district 13 victories, six losses and a tie for the season.

LEFORS 13, CANADIAN 0
A 65-yard run by Fulback Friday Todd, and a four yard scoring plunge - - in the third quarter, were all the points needed as the Lefors Pirates defeated Canadian 13-0 Friday night.

Playing without all their regulars, the Pirates were never in serious trouble. Canadian advanced past the Lefors 20-yard stripe only once.

CLARENDON 20, PERRYTON 13
The Perryton Rangers felt the sting of a District 2-A team for the third straight week Friday night as the Clarendon Bronchos defeated them 20-13 on a last quarter touchdown pass.

The pass came after a Perryton punt went out of bounds on their 36, and it was delivered from Jimmy Jenkins to Rex Bradford. John King scored the first touchdown for the Rangers when he went 60 yards, then kicked the extra point.

J. P. Carlile plunged one yard for the first Bronch score, and the conversion kick was no good. Both teams scored in the third to leave the game tied up to the winning touchdown pass in the fourth.

WELLINGTON 14, MANGUM 32
The Wellington Skyrockets succumbed to a powerful running and clever passing Mangum team Friday night 32-14.

Norman scored the first tally of the game in the first quarter, and Copeland put the Wellington team ahead temporarily in the second with another marker, but the Tigers came back with their second one in the second quarter and two more in the fourth to hand the Skyrockets their second straight setback, by almost identical scores.

The 2-A representatives were never able to get their famed aerial game into successful operation.

MCLEAN 0, PHILLIPS 47
The McLean Tigers were never in the ball game, as the Phillips Blackhawks continued on their unbeaten way with a 47-0 rout Friday night.

The Blackhawks rumbled for an amazing 431 yards on the ground as compared to 75 for McLean.

SHAMROCK 7, DALHART 27
The Dalhart Wolves hung two quick touchdowns on the Shamrock Irish Friday night, then continued strong to defeat the Irish

Methodist WSCS Meets For Study In Kennedy Home

The fourth annual broadcast of "The Methodist Hour" will be carried by the nation's largest independent religious radio network and will be produced in the only interdenominational owned studios in the country. More than 90 radio stations are now cooperating with Southern Religious Radio Conference in the distribution of radio broadcasts produced by radio committees of The Presbyterian Church in the U. S., the Protestant Episcopal Church and The Methodist Church.

Beginning October 2nd The Methodist Hour will be produced in the studios of The Protestant Radio Center, which is a corporation chartered under the laws of the State of Georgia. The studios of The Protestant Radio Center will be used for the production of religious radio programs, audio-visual materials and in the future television programs. This Center

27-7.
Roger Skaggs sped 56 yards for the only Shamrock score, then kicked the extra point. The Irish were able to register only four first downs.

This Week's Schedule
McLean at Clarendon*
Memphis at Lefors*
Wellington at Dalhart
Shamrock at Phillips
* Denotes Conference Game

is owned by radio committees of The Methodist Church, the Protestant Episcopal Church, the Presbyterian Church in the U. S., and by three educational institutions: Agnes Scott College, Columbia Theological Seminary, both in Decatur, Ga., and Emory University. Membership in this corporation is also held by the southern office of the Federal Council of Churches and by certain committees from the Lutheran Church and the Christian Church.
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Miss Doris Bunch In Beauty Contest

Miss Doris Fae Bunch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bunch of Chillicothe, formerly of Memphis was selected recently among 15-year-old girls to represent this area for the title of the nation's most beautiful 15-year-old in a national radio-sponsored contest. Miss Bunch is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Messer of Memphis.

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Before the ceremony Misses Glenna Blair and Harlene Reed lighted the candles. They wore identical dresses of peach broadcloth taffeta in ballerina length with matching mitts and each wore a corsage of orchid asters.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a ballerina length dress of white slipper satin, fashioned with basque waist, yoke and collar of Chantilly lace and leg o'mutton sleeves which tapered to a point at the wrist. Her shoulder length veil was of imported bridal illusion and fell from a crown of matching lace. She carried a white prayer book on which was an arrangement of white asters.

Miss Patsy Foreman, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a light blue taffeta gown trimmed with tiny bows of orchid satin and mitts of the matching taffeta, and carried an old fashioned bouquet of multi-colored asters.

Ted Anderson of Philadelphia was best man and the ushers were

the bridegroom's brothers, Luther H. Fisher of Independence, and Hubert A. Fisher.

Mrs. Foreman, mother of the bride, wore a blue gabardine dress with rose accessories and the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Fisher, was attired in a Windsor blue crepe dress with pink accessories. Both wore corsages of baby orchids.

A reception was held in the church basement following the ceremony. Garden flowers were used in profusion to decorate the entertaining rooms. Assisting at the reception were Mrs. M. W. Myers, Mrs. Glenn Lotspeich, Mrs. Margaret Kimsey and Mrs. Margaret Grainger.

After the reception, the couple left for the Ozarks. For traveling, the bride wore a suit of blue gabardine with accessories of rose and black and a corsage of baby orchids.

The bride, who received her early education in the Memphis schools, received her degree in music from the Central Missouri State College this summer.

The bridegroom is a medical student at the University of Missouri. He is a graduate of the Warrensburg High School and was in the army medical corps for two years during the war. Mr. and Mrs. Fisher are at home in "GI City," Columbia.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding were Miss Mary Foreman and L. L. Foreman of Memphis, Mrs. G. D. Hillis, Mrs. Euba Fae Blevins and daughter, Annetta, of Lakeview, Mr. and Mrs. Thrasher of Newman, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Vaughn of Winfield, Kans., Mr. and Mrs. Luther Fisher and son Ronald of Independence, Dr. and Mrs. Clay Anderson and son Ted of Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Boyd of Moberly and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Pickler of Stafford, Kans.

Mr. and Mrs. Brode Hoover and daughter Regina attended the Oklahoma State fair in Oklahoma City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Harrell left Wednesday for Lubbock where they will visit with Mrs. Harrell's sister, Mrs. Bryant. From Lubbock they plan to go to Slayton to visit a son, R. W. Cudd.

During the social hour a delicious refreshment plate was served to the following members: Mes-



ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED—Mr. and Mrs. Marvin R. Long announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Marion, to James Holt Bownds, Jr., son of Mrs. Hester Bownds and the late Holt Bownds. The ceremony will be read at 7:30 p.m. on November 5 in the home of the bride-elect's parents.

Mrs. Glosson is Hostess to Members Of Sewing Club

Mrs. W. I. Glosson was hostess to the Friendly Sewing Club on Wednesday, September 21.

Twelve members and one visitor were in attendance. The afternoon was spent in quilting a quilt for the hostess.

During the social hour a delicious refreshment plate was served to the following members: Mes-

ladies Henry Newman, Joe Nelson, Jim Webster, Claude Prather, Lucy Phillips, E. C. Rice, A. B. Jones, Frank Smith, Larry Simpson, Ira Foster, one guest, Mrs. Blackie Glosson and daughter and hostess, Mrs. Glosson.

The next meeting is slated for October 5 in the home of Mrs. Joe Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Lemons of Espanola, N. M., are spending the week in Memphis with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Lemons.

Marlatt-Taylor Nuptials Read in Impressive Service in Fort Worth

The marriage of Miss Jessie Marlatt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Marlatt of Fort Worth, to Cecil C. Taylor of Fort Worth, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Waddill of Estelline, was solemnized on Saturday evening at 8:30 o'clock in the chapel of the North Fort Worth Baptist Church. Rev. James N. Morgan, pastor, read the impressive service in the presence of close friends and relatives.

Vows were exchanged before an altar decorated with woodwardia fern and palms, and basket arrangements of white gladioli and mums. Flanking the floral arrangement were candelabra bearing lighted white tapers.

Jack Speight sang "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer" accompanied by Miss Kathryn Roach at the piano. Miss Roach also played the traditional wedding marches for the processional and recession.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was lovely in a gown of white satin fashioned with sweetheart neckline, chantilly lace trim and full train. The fingertip veil of illusion fell from a tiara of seed pearls. Her bouquet was of white gardenias, gladioli and stephanotis. Mrs. Elvin Sewell of Fort Worth,

matron of honor, was attired in a dress or bronze hobnail satin designed with three-quarter length sleeves, high neckline and a full skirt. She carried a colonial bouquet of yellow. The other feminine attendants wore off the shoulder dresses of bronze and winter rose hobnail satin and carried bouquets of yellow and blue mums.

Nancy Moore, cousin of the groom, was flower girl.

Alvin L. Taylor served his brother as best man and ushers were Elvin Sewell, J. C. Carpenter, W. J. Bell, M. C. Garrett and James Boswell.

Candlelighters were James Boswell and Elvin Sewell.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor are at home at 1503 Lincoln.

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Editorial

Diversification Synonymous with Prosperity

The results of much hard labor, time and expense were illustrated last week at the Hall County Dairy Show. The men who brought Jerseys to display had expended a great amount of effort on their animals. The spectators could easily see the results.

But the most important aspect of the show, as we see it, is that the farmers of this area are showing that they have the forethought and planning to diversify their interests to such an extent that one or two commodities are not relied upon to furnish them their livelihood.

Although the fair did not draw as many spectators as was expected, there are a number of persons who are extremely interested in the future dairy potentiality of Hall County. It also tends to focus attention to this community from other areas.

It is highly significant that the show was held at this time—in the very beginning of cotton harvesting, and other seasonal business.

It is also significant that the men of this area have shown an interest in the dairy business when the amount of diversification of the Hall County community may well determine its future prosperity. Acreage allotments will be in force again next year, farmers will be restricted on a number of the usual cash crops, so it is logical to think the dairy industry—so well suited to this area—will grow in momentum.

Texas needs much more of this type industry. Much of her milk is imported from distant states—mostly from Minnesota and Wisconsin. Consequently, the production of a large quantity of milk for sale in several large cities of the state, where the shortage is greatest, should prove very profitable indeed.

We congratulate the men who were responsible for the recent Jersey show. We believe it exemplifies the forward-looking men of this area—men who have confidence in the future and who are making plans in the right direction.



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Press Paragraphs— QUOTING OUR NEIGHBORS

Socialism—American Variety

We received an extract from the Congressional Record the other day, containing a speech made in the House of Representatives by Ralph W. Gwinn, New York, which gives us food for thought. In his speech, Mr. Gwinn pointed out that socialism, in the United States, far from being one of those future threats or fears, is already with us.

While we are not sure of his facts and figures, they are revealing and should be studied by every American interested in preserving the freedom of the individual man. In rebuttal, it should be pointed out that the government "services" now provided were made available through popular demand and it will be a hard task, if not impossible, to get back to the so-called "free enterprise" system of a two decade ago.

"Every day of our lives, the government manages our money, credit, prices, farming, rents and housing, foreign trade, social security, production, transportation, communication and education," says Mr. Gwinn. "Government regulates, controls and taxes business almost to the point of extinction. When we die, inheritance taxes close the final chapter of exploitation."

"The Federal, State, and local governments combined take one-third of everything we produce. That means that, as a people, we work for ourselves only 2 out of every 3 days. With a 40 hour work week, we have less than 27 hours, or about 3 1/3 days per week to produce our food, clothing and shelter, and to maintain our health and education. It cannot be done. So, as a consequence, the people cry out in increasing millions for the Government to do for them what they are unable to do for themselves in 3 1/3 days work per week. The only cure that Government proposes is that of extending Government management, increasing taxes, and thus reducing even further the number of days in which the people can work for themselves in the management of themselves, their property and their happiness."

"A country is social when the central government manages the economy of the people instead of the people managing themselves voluntarily without government compulsion."

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NEW OPPOSITION TO FARM SUBSIDIES

Interesting new sources of opposition to a permanent policy of farm subsidies is The Farm Journal of Philadelphia, one of the major agricultural publications of the United States. Its position is based on the fear that, unless something is done to curb the tremendous outlay the subsidies are imposing on the treasury, there might come a time when an angry public will go to the other extreme, to the serious hurt of agriculture everywhere.

"Might it not be wise," ask The Journal in an editorial, "for agricultural leadership to determine to remove the principal cause of (public) resentment. Would it not be feasible to set a date, say 1955, after which only sound, non-subsidy farm legislation will be supported? That would allow time to make changes and time to develop and test better plans."

There is not so much opposition to subsidies for the major farm crops. People generally realize that there is no possible permanent prosperity for the nation if the agricultural section is "broke" and in desperate financial straits. But there is public anger at the potato subsidy which, at a cost of \$250,000,000 to the taxpayers, yielded a favored few farmers plethoric incomes far beyond their deserts or their contribution to the public income. There is anger also at the egg subsidy under which the Government is being compelled to buy and bury millions of dollars worth of eggs and forcing customers to pay exorbitant prices far above what the rule of supply and demand warrants.

Time was when the farming population represented a considerable majority of the nation. That time has passed, and the percentage of urban population is constantly growing. As a matter of seeking good will, there is sound reason for farm leaders considering The Journal's suggestions.—The Hidalgo County News.

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For You To Feel Well 24 hours every day, 7 days every week, never stopping, the kidneys filter waste matter from the blood. If more people were aware of how the kidneys must constantly remove surplus fluid, excess acids and other waste matter that cannot stay in the blood without injury to health, there would be better understanding of why the whole system is upset when kidneys fail to function properly.

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Social Security News

Q. How many people have Social Security Cards?

A. Over 91 million social security cards have been issued.

Q. Why is it necessary for a person to have a social security card?

A. After a worker is issued a card, the Social Security Administration establishes a ledger sheet and other records under the worker's name and social security number to insure accurate posting of his earnings.

Q. Couldn't these records be set up under the name only?

A. No. With over 91 million accounts it would be impossible to correctly post the wages of persons with identical names. Even uncommon names are numerous in the social security files and common names such as John Henry Brown run into the thousands.

Q. If I get my card in Texas and move to another state should I get a new number?

A. No. You should have only

This Week in WASHINGTON

DEBATE OVER EXTENSION of the reciprocal trade agreements received top billing in the senate this week, and with legislation at a standstill in the house, vacating until Sept. 21, little definite action was in the immediate offing.

The compromise farm bill, offered by Sen. Clint Anderson of New Mexico, appeared to have bipartisan support, and even Senator Aiken of Vermont, author of the Aiken law, appeared to be willing that his law should go out the window without taking effect. Effective date of the Aiken law was January, 1, 1950.

Republicans in both house and senate breathed a sigh of relief when administration forces agreed to support the Anderson bill with a lower parity support than the house-passed Gore bill. Reason is that farm prices will take a dip this fall and the Aiken law would have meant lower farm prices. Thus, with farm states already off the reservation insofar as the Republicans are concerned, they were eager to take the Anderson bill and fight out the issue in the coming campaign on the Brannan program, which is not dead by a long shot.

Every poll, including the Gallup poll, which has been taken indicates that a majority of farmers favor the Brannan plan, even though leaders of farm organizations have taken a stand against the proposal.

Debate on the reciprocal trade extension will take two to three weeks with the Republican members determined to place strings on the president's authority under the measure. Democrats are standing fast on extension of the law as is.

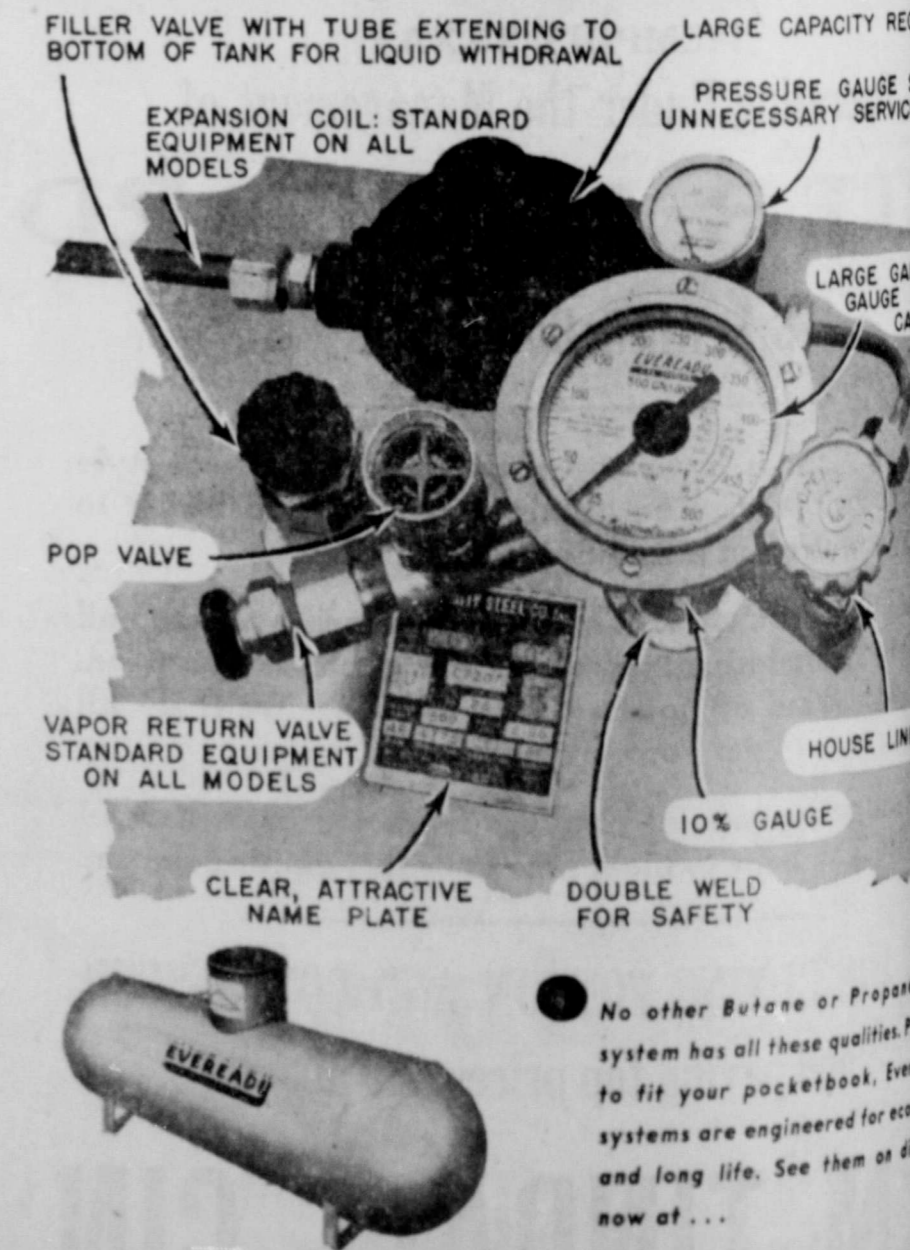
Before adjournment for the Labor day holiday, the senate enacted a watered down minimum wage bill, raising the minimum to 73 cents an hour, but removing an estimated 200,000 persons from its provisions. The house bill already had removed about a million workers from coverage by the measure. So it's a half-way victory for the administration.

Most exemptions came as a result of an amendment offered by Sen. Spessard Holland of Florida and include removal of most retail and service workers. Senator Holland's colleague, Sen. Claude Pepper of Florida, led the fight against

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company built a two-story brick structure on the site. The wooden building was moved out into Noel Street, to clear the ground for construction of the new home.

When the structure was completed, phone equipment was installed in the second story.

Something else was added, too. For the first time a girl was employed as night operator—and she had to stay awake all night. After that, Baker probably slept sounder.

Though it may not have been readily evident at that time, the move into the new building, ushered in a new day in telephone service in Memphis, and ties with the past were severed.

In 1915, the company was sold to A. C. Hendrix for \$30,000. Hendrix operated the exchange until 1926, when he sold it to State Telephone Company for an un-revealed sum. Baker resigned his position as manager in 1916.

In 1928, the exchange was moved to a modern one-story brick building, a block and a half west on Noel. It has continued to occupy this building although the name has been changed to Southwestern Associated Telephone Company.

Another change which was the cause of no little celebration among subscribers was installation of a semi-automatic system, in which it no longer was necessary to turn a crank in order to get operator.

This did not apply to rural subscribers. They went right ahead cranking.

Currently, manager of the company is Roy L. Brewer. There are 21 employees, whose duty it is to keep 1,203 telephones (at the last count, that is) operating.

Oldest employee, in point of service, is Miss Ida May Long, who has been an operator with the company since 1924. Mrs. Mary Beckum Jameson, chief operator, has been an employee since 1926.

An interesting angle is the fact that several firms, which installed phones way back in 1900, still are in business and still have the same numbers. Among these are the



International Choir At Wayland College To Make Fall Tour

The colorfully-dressed International Choir recently organized at Wayland College has received a number of bookings for an extended tour which will take it through two states this fall, Director Shelby Collier announced this week.

During the first semester the choir is scheduled for a ten-day tour of several New Mexico cities, including the Baptist General Convention in Santa Fe on October 26. They will also perform at the Baptist General Convention at El Paso on November 2, and the Texas Baptist Student Union convention in Dallas November 4. Other Texas cities are also on the schedule.

"The International Choir was organized during the spring semester and will really begin work this semester," says Professor Collier. For their regular concerts they will give thirty-minute renditions of traditional accappella music in full dress of tuxedos and evening dresses, followed by a program of foreign music—including Russian, Latvian, French, Spanish and Italian—in their national costumes. Solos, duets, trios, and quartets will also be included in this group. Miss Eulalia Burke, piano teacher, is accompanist, and a number of foreign students are outstanding in the choir.

Wayland's regular a cappella choir will produce the modern opera, "Down in the Valley," in February. Forty voices were chosen for it and 32 for the new group through auditions.

Memphis Lumber Company, with 11, and the First National Bank, with 46.

And giving the razzberry to the proverbial hard luck number 13 is the Fort Worth & Denver Railroad, which has had that number since the beginning.

Mr. and Mrs. Durward Henry of Childress visited here Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Doc Raseo. Mrs. Henry is the former Muriel Jo Cochran.

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Carlje and Mike Murff and N. L. Murff visited relatives in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin and children and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Huffman and son Paul left Friday for their home in Redlands, Calif., after visiting relatives here and in Chillicothe.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ferguson of Amarillo visited Friday with her brothers, the Starr and J. C. Johnsons. The Johnsons returned home with them Saturday and fished Sunday at Buffalo Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Collier of Amarillo visited Sunday in the Merle Lemons home.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Hughs and family of Lakeview visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and rs. W. H. Moreman.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lowry of Clarendon visited Monday evening with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Anisman and son Sheldon were Amarillo visitors Saturday.

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- PERSONALS -

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Vinson had as guests over the week end their son and his family and daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Vinson Jr., and son Wayne of Wichita Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Q. Meason and son Bobby of Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Brents of Amarillo visited here Sunday with Gladys Power.

Guests over the week end in the Edward Hill home were Mr. and Mrs. Willie Herd of Bonham. Mrs. Herd and Mrs. Hill are sisters.

E. F. Granberry of Borger was a week end visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Harrison. Mr. Granberry is a brother of Mrs. Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Myers visited in Brice Sunday with friends.

W. D. Marby and Orville Srygley visited in Superior, Ariz., over the week end with Mrs. Marby's son, Bud Marby and Mrs. Marby.

Dr. James Baldwin of Quanah visited here from Saturday until Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Baldwin and son Jimmy, who is visiting here with his grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Edwards, who were en route to their home in Allen, Okla., after visiting in California, stopped here Saturday for a short visit with their niece, Mrs. Bill Kilpatrick and Mr. Kilpatrick.

Week end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Freeman were Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Browning and family and Miss Marie Cocanougher, all of Idaho.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Greene were Tyler visitors Sunday. Accompanying them to Tyler was Mrs. Greene's mother, Mrs. William Spear, who remained to visit with relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Carlos visited

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guests in the home of Mrs. Montgomery's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Thompson.

Charles Morrison, student at Abilene Christian College, spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Morrison.

Mr. and Mrs. George McLearn, who have been visiting here for several days with relatives, left Monday for their home in California. Mr. McLearn is a brother of Mrs. John Vallance, Mrs. R. E. Duncan, Mrs. M. M. Pounds and Miss Lena McLearn.

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Cyclones Beat

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 reverse with Messer taking the ball from Stargel and handing it to Bobby who circled around left end.

From the 21, Gardenhire took a pitchout from the man under and went for eight to the 13. Crooks added another first on the seven. In three plays, Tommy Messer carried it over and the extra point was not successful.

The first Memphis score came in the second stanza and it came on the throwing arm of Roddy Stargel who flipped an aerial to End Don Rasco for 25 yards and the score. Gardenhire went through left guard for the extra point. The drive started on the Memphis 41 following a Dumas punt out of bounds.

The Cyclone aided materially toward the Demons' only marker, when Crooks and Gardenhire bobbled a fake handoff on a punt run-back on their own 22. The visitors pounced on the ball at that point, and moments later Phelps crossed the double stripe from four paces out. McKown faked a kick and circled the Memphis right end for the extra point.

Game Statistics:

	Memphis	Dumas
First Downs	13	11
Yds. Gained Rushing	200	190
Yds. Lost Rushing	42	27
Net Yds. Rushing	158	163
Forward Passes Att.	6	9
Forward Passes Com.	2	2
Net Yards Passing	27	18
Average Yds. per Punt	24	37
Penalties, Yards	25	5

BRICE

By MRS. STARR JOHNSON

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Barron had as guests the past week his mother Mrs. T. H. Hooton and his grandmother Mrs. G. A. Wallace, both of Davis, Okla.

Guests in the D. P. Osburn home Sunday were Bob Myers of Memphis and Richard Salmon of El.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lowry of Clarendon visited Sunday evening with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson.

Mrs. W. A. Morrison and children of Dumas visited Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Bill Wood.

Mrs. Joyce Parker of Glenwood, Ark., is employed as clerk in the Holland Grocery.

Mrs. Z. L. Salmon and her daughter, Mrs. L. F. Bennett of Amarillo went to Temple Saturday for a visit with Z. L. Salmon.

Mr. and Mrs. Kilburn Gattis visited Saturday evening in Amarillo with his brother, Winfred Gattis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kartzog of Panhandle visited Sunday in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hartzog.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Wood of Amarillo visited here Tuesday with relatives and friends.

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Scoutmaster Myers Completes Ordeal For Honor Campers

Ted Myers, Scoutmaster of Troop 35, successfully completed the Ordeal Honor of the Order of the Arrow, National Brotherhood of Scout Honor Campers, this past week end at Camp Ki-o-wah. The Order of the Arrow, in addition to being for Honor Campers, is a service organization of Scouts and Scouters. Candidates are chosen carefully, and membership may be obtained on an invitational basis only.

There were 35 men "tapped" at the ceremonies this week end, and 34 of them successfully completed the ordeal. This ordeal is a combination of formal ceremonials and service. During the 24 hours of the ordeal, the candidates and members worked on various projects to improve Camp Ki-o-wah for Boy Scout campers. In addition to regular maintenance chores, about 8 more acres were cleared to enlarge the available area for Troop campsites.

Tom Messer, a Scout in Troop 35, was called out at ceremonies during Summer Camp, and was scheduled to complete his initiation this past week end, but was unable to attend due to an injury received while playing football. He will be able to complete his induction at the ceremonies next spring.

LAKEVIEW Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Horce DuVall and daughter, Bennie Earl and Mrs. D. H. Davenport shopped in Amarillo Wednesday of last week. They also visited in Canyon with David Horce, DuVall, who is in school there.

Lyman Davenport has gone to Arlington to see Mrs. Davenport who is visiting there with her mother.

Mrs. David Davenport and Mary Jo and Mrs. Romie Potts of Memphis attended the fair in Shamrock Saturday.

Mrs. Haratio Saunders was carried to a local hospital Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Whitefield are on an extended vocation in Detroit and Lansing, Mich. While there they will visit with friends in Canada.

Ben Bevers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Virge Bevers, was carried to a local hospital Friday. He suffered an attack of appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Polasek spent the week end in Floydada.

Mrs. Mattie Stanley had as her guest this week end Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Stanley and son Jessie Lynn of Amarillo, Jim Stanley, Charles Blanks and son Ray and Mr. George, all of Amarillo. The boys came down on motorcycles. Sunday afternoon visitors in the Stanley home were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Blanks and granddaughters, Cathie and Candy.

Miss Laurel Holland of Amarillo visited Barbara Blanks this



NAVY COURT MARTIAL . . . A navy court martial holds proceedings against Patrick James Ryan, 23, a sailor accused of desertion (on stand). Ryan claims he missed his ship in San Remo, Italy, in July, 1947, made his way to Nice, France, where he was arrested by authorities who refused to believe he was an American. He says he was "shanghaied" into the Foreign Legion for 15 months of service. He claims he was beaten, forced to lie under Sahara desert sun for 24 hours and made to kneel on a nail-studded broomstick. He was sentenced for unauthorized absence, but the desertion charge was dismissed.

week end.

Mrs. Weldon Gable visited her sister, Mrs. Paul McCanne Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Baker Nase spent the week end with Baker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Nase.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCanne had breakfast in the N. E. Nase home Sunday morning.

Mrs. Weldon Gable was carried to a local hospital Tuesday of last week with virus pneumonia, but was able to return home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mitchell and daughter Barbara Sue visited friends here this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. James Skinner and here th Baker.s.b.Sdrooasfhs

Mrs. W. C. Skinner visited in Vernon Sunday in the B. J. Woodington home. Mrs. W. C. Skinner remained a few days to be with Mrs. Woodington, who has been ill, while Mr. Woodington accompanied his daughter Ted to Dallas for a mastoid operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Leggett of Lefors visited with relatives this week end.

Mr. David Groce of Wichita Falls has been employed as science teacher of the Lakeview High School. He replaces James Weichman, who recently resigned.

The pee Wee football team is working out and are expecting to play a game soon.

Dr. Edwin Goodall Takes Post Graduate Course in Maryland

Dr. Edwin Goodall is in Bethesda, Md., this week attending a post graduate course under the auspices of the Navy at the National Medical Center.

The course is for Naval reserve Medical officers and pertains the relationship of new radioactive materials to the practice of medicine.

Mrs. John Dennis and daughter Dink, Mrs. Donald McWilliams and Mrs. B. Settle were Childress visitors Saturday.

Jockeys stand in their stirrups to distribute their weight evenly.

Dairy Cows Need Rest, Good Ration During Dry Period

A dairy cow needs a six to eight weeks rest and a good ration during the dry period to produce well during the next lactation and to produce a strong healthy calf.

The dry cow has three important jobs to do, says A. M. Meekma, assistant extension dairy husbandman of Texas A. & M. College. She must recover from heavy milk producing period, build a calf and store up reserves for the next milking period. How well she gets and how well she is fed during the dry period.

During heavy peak production, a good cow will deplete her body reserves of nutrients and minerals, says Meekma. And unless she is given sufficient rest and proper care to build these body reserves, lower production during the next lactation period will result. The health and condition of the calf will also be affected.

The problem of feeding the dry cow is practically solved if she has access to good pasture. If good pasture isn't available, hay and silage should be fed liberally, says Meekma. The amount of grain to feed will depend upon the condition of the cow, but generally it is practical to feed the same grain mix to the dry cows as is fed to the milking herd.

Every dollar that is put into a good, dry cow ration is a wise investment, states Meekma. A cow that is well fed and cared for during the dry period will very often produce as much as 25 per cent more milk during the next lactation.

The Kentucky Derby has been run every May since 1875.

Lakeview Club Organized

The Lakeview Club was organized last week. Present officers are: president, Mrs. W. M. Mitchell; vice-president, Mrs. J. C. Cartwright; secretary, Mrs. Glynda Neighbors; treasurer, Mrs. Dollie Roseau; and instructor, Mrs. W. M. Mitchell.

Locals and

Mrs. Louis Cook spent Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henderson.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Mitchell were their daughter, Mrs. J. C. Cartwright, and son Buck of Wichita Falls.

Austin E. Clark, manager of the Shop, returned to Memphis following a business trip to Dallas.

Elden Bradford Mitchell of Memphis visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Lubbock visited week end in the N. Beckum.

Mrs. Edwin H. Beckum has been a patient in the hospital, returning home this week.



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