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March of Dimes Goal Still Shy in Memphis

and necessary purchases are draining them of their ready cash. But in general farmers are not as bad off financially as the city white collar workers. So there is no real excuse for farm families, particularly those who have children, not contributing a substantial amount to the polio drive.

Shanks pointed out that last year, seven out of twenty-seven patients treated in polio wards were from rural areas. Lemons reminded all citizens contributions are still being accepted.



THUMBS DOWN—General Dwight D. Eisenhower turns thumbs down on an idea concerning American troops in Europe. Eisenhower appeared before Congress last week presenting his plan for defending Western Europe.

Junior High Cage Play to be Held Here Next Week

Twenty teams have been entered in the annual Memphis Junior High School Invitational Basketball Tournament to be played in the high school gym next Thursday, Friday and Saturday, George F. Childress, Junior High director, announced today.

Eleven boys' teams and nine girls' teams have been entered in the consolation tournament. Six trophies will be awarded, three in each division, to first, second and consolation winners.

Tournament tickets priced at \$1 are on sale from students and at the junior high school. Separate session admission will be 15 and 25 cents for children and adults.

First session of scheduled games starts at 1 p. m. Thursday, February 15. Other games scheduled will be at 6 p. m. Thursday, 1 and 6 p. m. Friday and 9 a. m. and 1 p. m. Saturday with four final games to be played starting at 6 p. m. Saturday evening.

Girls teams entered include: Kellerville, Carey, Quail, Hedley, Hollis, Lakeview, Estelline and the seventh and eighth grade teams of Memphis.

Boys' teams entered are: Hollis, Hedley, Quail, Carey, Kellerville, Childress, Quana, Clarendon, Lakeview, Estelline and Memphis.

This will be the first appearance of the Memphis Junior girls in their new suits.

Harmony Club To Give Program

The Harmony Club will present their annual open program at the First Methodist Church Thursday, February 15 at 8 p. m. The program will consist of organ, piano and vocal numbers by club members and guest artist Mrs. Robert Sexauer.



AIR DELIVERY—A C-117 flying boxcar delivers medical supplies, blankets, rations, ammunition and gasoline to ground forces in Korea.

15 Indictments Returned By Grand Jury

Eleven felonies and four misdemeanors were returned by the district Grand Jury Tuesday after a two day session. Mrs. Isabell Cypert, district clerk, announced. Criminal court will begin Thursday with District Judge Luther Gribble, of Wellington, presiding. Allen Harp of Childress will prosecute the cases as district attorney. Civil cases also will be brought before the court at this session.

Members of the Grand Jury who will serve this term include O. L. Helm, Memphis, J. W. Driver, Lakeview, Luke Lane, Turkey, Elmer Lacy, Turkey, Harry Barnhill, Turkey, Alvin Phillips, Lakeview, A. L. Hall, Lakeview, J. C. Johnson, Brice, O. E. Gardenhire, Lakeview, V. C. Durrett, Lakeview, Ernest McMurry, Memphis, and R. C. Lemons, Memphis. This Grand Jury term will extend until the first Monday in September.

Former Editor Now in Navy

Burl McClellan, former News Editor of The Democrat, passed through early Tuesday enroute to San Diego where he will take basic training in the United States Navy. McClellan plans to continue his journalism work in the navy.

Seventeen Youths Leave for Service

Seventeen young men from this area left last Friday for induction into the army, going to Amarillo to be sworn in and on to Fort Sill in Lawton, Okla., to the induction center. Among those inducted from this immediate area were Joseph R. Hanvey, Memphis; Tommy V. Teeves, Jr., Wellington; Sam D. Morgan, Wellington; David L. Cheatham, Tell; Walter R. Denton, Wellington; Johnnie F. Loranca, Lakeview; and James T. Misenheimer, Newlin.

Normal Weather ... Still No Moisture

Temperatures this past week ranged from 18 degrees last Friday morning all the way up to 70 degrees, recorded during the day Tuesday according to J. J. McMickin, local weather recorder. No moisture was recorded during the week. Temperatures recorded last night and today were 23 and a high of 42.

Seed Harvest High For Erosion Battle

Grass, man's best tool for anchoring soil against erosion, was given a sound vote of confidence during 1950 by Texas farmers and ranchers. Increased respect for this weapon against soil and water is reflected by last year's seed harvest, which shows 746,599 pounds of native grass seed harvested by Texas farmers and ranchers. It was pointed out today by Louis P. Merrill, Soil Conservation Service regional director.

Leading the native grass harvest parade in Texas were little bluestem (400,325 pounds), and blue grama (202,410 pounds), both warm season forage plants. The 1950 seed harvest figures Merrill said, also reflect widely increased use of King Ranch bluestem by conservation-wise farmers and ranchers. It is a deep-rooted introduced perennial grass known for its erosion-resisting and forage qualities and its adaptation to wide extremes of rainfall.

Throughout Texas, a total of 506,537 pounds of King Ranch bluestem seed was harvested, easily a new record seed take for the popular drought and cold-resistant grass, the regional director said. Of the KR seed harvested in Texas last year, 463,082 pounds or about 91 per cent of the statewide harvest were taken from the

farms and ranches of soil conservation district cooperators, Merrill said. An additional 8,430 pounds of KR seed were harvested from the Soil Conservation Service nursery at San Antonio and U. S. land utilization project areas. From Texas' more than 4 1/2 million acres in close-growing soil-conserving legumes, a total of 25,216,000 pounds of legume seed was harvested during 1950. Merrill announced.

Sweet Clover
Leading in the Texas legume seed harvest was Hubam sweet clover (11,258,947 pounds) a versatile conservation crop respected for its ability to overcome cotton root rot, decrease soil and run-off and improve soil productivity. Second was hairy vetch (10,819,087 pounds), a winter cover crop known as a veritable storehouse of soil nutrients. The harvest of native and introduced grass seed and legume seed in Texas last year totaled more than 30 million pounds, the regional director said.

"The 1950 seed harvest is a clear indicator that the Texas farmer and rancher is paying increased attention to the use of grasses and legumes as his best weapons in improving the soil and fighting soil and water waste," Merrill said.



DAVID DUVALL
DuVall Joins Navy; Leaves for Calif.

David Horace DuVall, 19-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace DuVall of Lakeview has joined the United States Navy and left January 31, for induction at Albuquerque. He will take basic training at San Diego.

Grandparents of DuVall are Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Davenport of Lakeview and Mrs. L. B. DuVall of Valley Mill, Calif.

Maj. H. A. McCanne Pioneer Resident, Farmer Dies Here

H. A. (Major) McCanne, 84, long-time resident of Memphis and Hall County died yesterday at a local hospital. Major McCanne is survived by his wife and Will McCanne, a brother, both of Memphis, a sister, Mrs. Birdie Welling of Aberdeen, Miss., and three daughters, Mrs. Hubert Dennis, Trinity, Tex., Mrs. W. D. Lemons and Mrs. Cornelia Harbough, both of Houston.

Funeral services were to be held at 3 p. m. today at the McCanne home, 121 North 15th St. Burial was to be at Fairview Cemetery.

Major McCanne, a retired stock farmer, moved to Hall County in 1892 and was married to Miss Effie Pearl Jackson in 1902. Pall bearers were Jude Gable, Homer Shankle, L. F. Jones, Hubert Jones, Hiram Crawford and J. G. Gardner, Jr.

Flower bearers were Mrs. Ester Bowman, Mrs. Mary Jones Johnson, Ruby Thornton, Mrs. Jude Gable, Mrs. J. G. Gardner, Sr., Mrs. E. E. Roberts, Mrs. Floyd McElreath, Estelle Guthrie and Majorie Stone.

Former Plaska Resident Dies

C. A. Ragan, 76, former resident of Plaska, died Monday in Friona. Mr. Ragan moved from the Memphis area a few years ago and has been living in Friona and Clovis, N. M.

Graveside services were held Wednesday at Fairview Cemetery by the Rev. Tommie Allen. Funeral arrangements were handled by Murphy-Spicer.

Local Entry Takes Top Honors At Pampa Show, Sale

Tomie M. Potts' entry in the Hereford Breeders Association Top O' Texas show and sale held in Pampa Monday and Tuesday TP Dan Domino the 64th took honors as the Grand Champion bull over 46 other entries. Potts said the bull was sold in the sale and topped the sale record price of any animal ever sold by the Association.

Forty seven males and 15 females were consigned by members to the show. The Hereford Breeders' annual banquet was held Monday night in the American Legion-VFW hall. The Top O' Texas Junior Livestock show was also held in connection with the breeders event.

Draft Area to Take 82 Men for Exams

Eighty-two men from this five-county draft area will be sent to Amarillo, February 12 for pre-induction physical examinations according to Miss Frances C. Starkey, secretary of the draft board in Childress.

"This call is made up of 20 and 19-year old registrants," Miss Starkey said. Recent publicity concerning the lack of draft registrants seems to have been overplayed.

Miss Starkey reports that the Childress board, on January 31, had 332 registrants in the five-county area classified Class 1-A from which to fill forth-coming calls. Of course in this group there will be those who will be disqualified because of being in college, married and some deferments which will probably be granted.

Passed Physicals
The childress board represents Childress, Cottle, Briscoe, Collingsworth and Hall counties. Registrants from Hall County who have passed their pre-induction physicals but who have not been mailed an order to report

for induction include Charles B. Russell, Weldon P. Cruse, Glynn D. Christian, all of Turkey; Billy R. Adams, Lakeview, and Joe P. Randal, Richard L. Limer, Carroll T. Pierce, Sammy J. Rasco and A. B. Scott, Jr., all of Memphis.

Early Resident Dies in Sulphur

William Walter Hudgins, an early resident of Hall County, passed away at a hospital in Sulphur, Okla., Monday, February 5 at 9:20 a. m.

Funeral and burial services were held at the First Methodist Church in Sulphur Monday afternoon, conducted by the Rev. Bonner E. Teeter.

Mrs. Anna Dickson and nephew David Hudgins of Lakeview attended the funeral of their brother and uncle. Will Hudgins was a resident of Hall County in the early days of this section. He moved to Elida, N. M. about 1915 where he took claim and lived several years. He drove a team and wagon from there to Sulphur where he resided until his death. He married late in life, his wife preceding him in death eight years ago.

Born March 21, 1883, Will is survived by three brothers and three sisters: H. T. Hudgins, Ft. Worth; T. E. Hudgins, Calexico, Calif.; J. M. Hudgins, Paris, Texas; Mrs. Anna Dickson, Memphis; Mrs. Mary K. Gibbons and Mrs. J. A. Gibbons, Fort Worth. Will visited here last summer with Mrs. Dickson and others.

District Court Opens Today

The case of the People's State Bank of Turkey versus Lee Mosley, A. D. Mosley and T. A. Bynum was the first case brought before the district court which opened this morning with District Judge Luther Gribble presiding.

Jurymen were called and lawyers were in process of panelling the jury throughout most of the morning. The case concerns a promissory note.

MHS Seniors Rate Low in Spelling

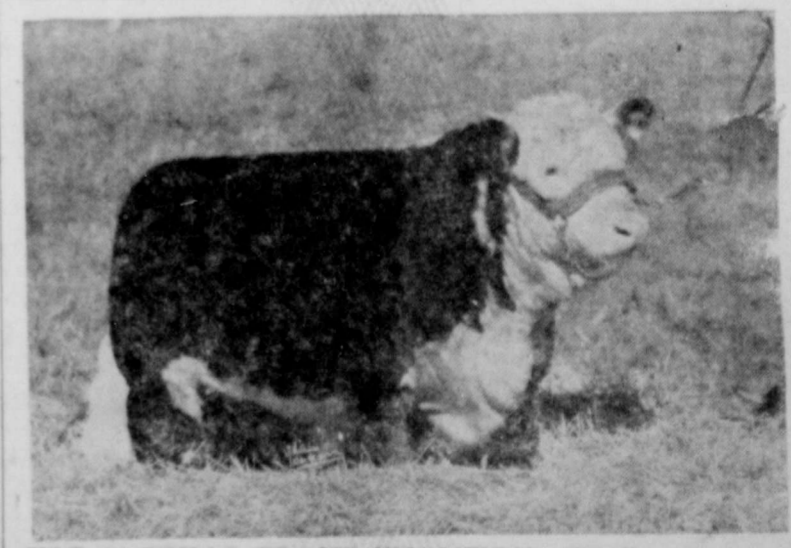
Findings of a study of spelling ability of Hall County students conducted by Jake Barron, supervisor of Memphis and Lakeview schools, were presented at a quarterly meeting of English teachers last week and it was disclosed that the spelling ability of Memphis seniors is considerably below average.

Other results were: eighth grade above the expected level; grades nine, ten and eleven about average standard. Possible explanation was advanced by Barron for seniors that their thoughts concerning the mechanics of spelling are further removed than students in the lower grades. Barron included in his report

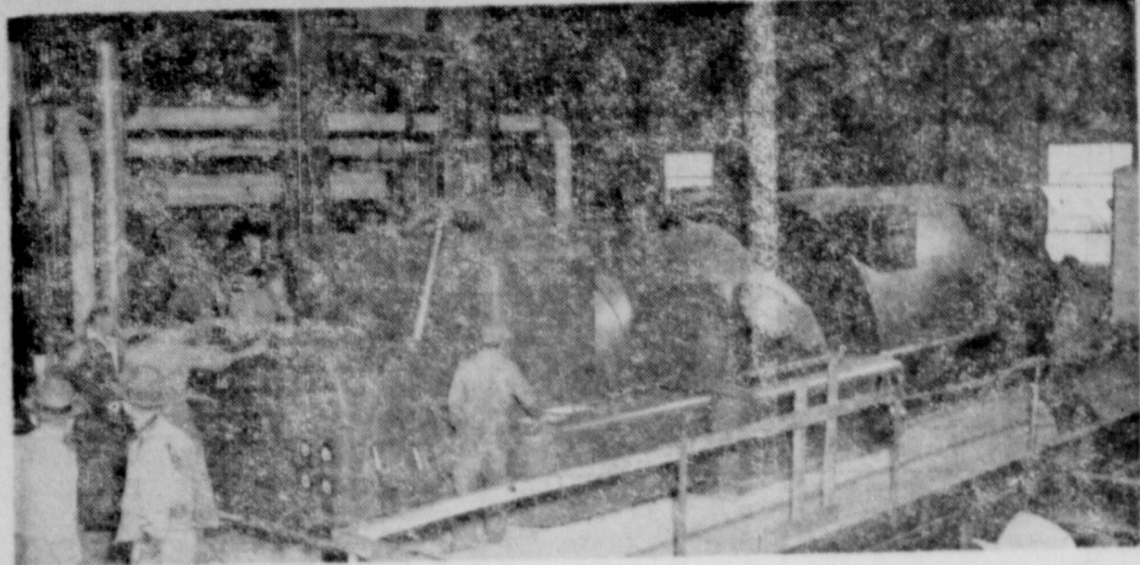
the most common spelling errors, the logical reasons for such errors and suggestions for their elimination.

Recommendation
He recommended the kinesthetic method of teaching to build a stronger spelling vocabulary. W. C. Davis, superintendent of Memphis Public Schools gave a synopsis of his interpretation of the pre-school planning program and indicated possible contributions that English teachers might make.

These training meetings are to unify English courses taught in Hall County and to raise the standards of English departments and to help establish a mutual understanding between students and the faculties.



TOP O' TEXAS GRAND CHAMPION—TP Dan Domino the 64th, a Hereford bull owned and entered by Tomie M. Potts in the Pampa Top O' Texas Hereford Breeders show and sale was chosen Grand Champion at the show.



LAKE PAULINE'S NEW TURBO-GENERATOR - - More than 37,000 horsepower in electric generating capacity was made available for area use when the huge new turbo-generating unit at West Texas Utilities Company's Lake Pauline Plant was integrated into the company's power system last week.

Capitol Sparks From Austin

Lawmakers have now entered into the first phases of committee hearings, during which each bill is discussed, amendments offered, "weeding out" bad or objectionable features and a report is made to the house as a whole on whether the bill should pass.

Committee work continues to add new records to those already marked up by this session. Never before had committees organized and held so many hearings on bills at this point.

Top priority over all other matters has been given to legislation concern with national defense. Military Affairs Committee in the House is led by J. T. Rutherford, Odessa, Ector County; in the Senate by Wayne W. Wagonseller, Stoneburg, Montague County.

Next

Next in importance are matters of state finance. However, it will be several weeks yet before the big money bills are ready for consideration. To study and prepare these bills, the House Committee is divided into four sub-committees, in order that close attention can be given each of the four main purposes for which state money is spent: state departments, higher education, special schools and hospitals, and courts.

Chairmen of these sub-committees are: Jack Cox, Breckenridge, Stephens County; W. R. Chambers, May, Brown County; Albert M. Jones, Valley Mills, Bosque County; and Tom Cheatham, Cuero, DeWitt County.

Senate

In the Senate, however, one sub-committee hears all four bills, in order that a close watch can be kept on the total amount of money spent for all purposes. Members of this sub-committee are: Ottis E. Lock, Lufkin, Angelina County; Keith F. Kelly, Ft. Worth, Tarrant County; A. M.

Aikin, Jr., Parris, Lamar County; Jimmy Phillips, Angleton, Brazoria County; and Wardlow Lane, Center, Shelby County.

Thus, the work of each house is made to serve the purpose of the other.

Another matter being freely discussed and debated is legislative re-districting. House Chairman of this committee is William S. Fly, Victoria; Senate, Rogers Kelley, Edinburg, Hidalgo County, and Kyle Vick, Waco, McLennan County.

These, and other matters to come before the Legislature, will be reported to you by this column with the progress of each legislative week.

Boswell Funeral Conducted Here

Ben King Boswell, former funeral director and embalmer, died last Friday in Houston.

Mr. Boswell was born and raised in Memphis. He lived in Kingsville until ill health forced him to resign from business in 1947.

He is survived by Mrs. Alla Boswell, his mother, all of Memphis and two sisters, Mrs. Art Bralley of San Bernardino, Calif., and Mrs. Charles Jones of Amarillo.

Funeral services were held Sunday at the First Baptist church under the direction of the Rev. Roy Shahan. Burial was at Fairview cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Berry and daughter, Janafaye visited this past week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Goffnett, Jr. in Grand Prairie. They also attended the Southwestern Exposition and Fair Stock Show rodeo in Fort Worth.

TRY THE WANT ADS

Junior Teams To Take Part In Tournament

Junior high basketball teams from Memphis, Estelline and Turkey will take part in the Childress

Junior High School Invitational Basketball tournament today and Friday.

Only players in the eighth grade or lower, who will not be 15 years old until September 1951, are eligible to play in the tourney.

The tournament will be a elimination affair. Championship games will be

played at 7:30 and 8:30 p. m. Saturday.

First round schedules follows: 6 p. m. Thursday—Vernon A vs. Childress B.

7 p. m. Thursday—Estelline vs. Vernon B.

8 p. m. Thursday—Memphis B vs. Quanah.

9 p. m. Thursday—Memphis A vs. Quail.

2 p. m. Friday—Clarendon Paduach.

3 p. m. Friday—Turkey Matador.

4 p. m. Friday—Common Center vs. Cee Vee.

5 p. m. Friday—Chillicothe Childress A.

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CHURCHES

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Sunday Services, Bible classes

9:45 a. m.

Morning Worship 10:45 a. m.

Evening services 6:00 p. m.

Tues.—Ladies Bible class 3:30 p. m.

Wednesday—Bible and vocal music classes 7:00 p. m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Arthur Burr Morris, Minister

10:00 Sunday Church School

11:00 Morning Worship Sermon: "The Christ of our Church"

5:00 Westminster Fellowship

6:00 Evening Services, Sermon: "The Heart of a King."

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Bedford Smith, Minister

9:45 a. m. Sunday Bible School

10:50 Sunday Morning Worship: "Bread From Heaven."

Special music. Lord's Supper service.

6:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor meetings.

7:30 Sunday Evening Worship. Sermon: "To Whom Shall We Go?" Hymn singing featured.

3:00 p. m. Monday meeting of Circle No. 1, Women's Council.

3:00 p. m. Tuesday: J.O.Y. Circle meeting.

8:00 p. m. Tuesday: Monthly meeting of official board.

7:45 p. m. Wednesday: Bible Study and Prayer meeting.

3:30 p. m. Friday: Host Church to World Day or Prayer Program.

First flight to North Pole was made by Lt. Cmdr. Richard E. Byrd, USN (Ret.) (now Rear Admiral) and Floyd Bennett on May 9, 1926 in the "Josephine Ford," a tri-motor Fokker monoplane, from King's Bay, Spitzbergen.

First Navy aircraft catapulted from a shipboard-type catapult was piloted by Lt. Ellyson on Nov. 12, 1912.

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Society News

Delphians Hear Discussion on Investing Money

"What Every Woman Should Know about Investing Money" was the subject studied by members of the Delphian Club at their meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Seth Pallmeyer, according to Mrs. Clarence Morris, program chairman. Mrs. G. W. Kesterson was hostess.

Designed to give women greater knowledge about investing in the securities of American industry, the program covered the pros and cons of various savings and investment methods, ranging from tucking money under the mattress, to putting funds in saving banks, government bonds, and corporate securities. Basic rules for the establishment of sound savings and investment plans were discussed in detail, stressing the importance of diversifying investments and obtaining professional supervision in choosing and handling them.

The program was presented in three talks given by club members. Mrs. A. Anisman had as her topic "How to Make Money Work for You." Mrs. W. C. Davis discussed "Keeping Up With the Cost of Living," and Mrs. R. H. Wherry spoke on "Rules for Good Investing."

The program was concluded with remarks by Mrs. J. S. McMurry on the topic, "Primer for Women Investors."

Members answering roll call with "My Best Buy" were Mrs. Weldon McCreary, W. C. Davis, R. H. Wherry, A. Anisman, J. S. McMurry, Carl Kulp, Lynn McKown, J. W. Stokes, J. L. Barnes, Roy Shahan, W. C. Dickey, Jack Boone, C. D. Morris, C. C. Hodges; Misses Zady Belle Walker and Maud Milam and one guest, Mrs. J. O. Fitzjarrald, and hostess, Mrs. Kesterson.

First Navy dive bombing was made by Maj. Ross E. Rowell, USMC, at Ocotul, Nicaragua, on July 16, 1927.

Memphis Little Theatre Enjoys One-Act Play

The Memphis Little Theatre met in regular session on Wednesday afternoon in the Senior room of the high school for a program presented by members of the Speech Class, under the direction of Mrs. Roy L. Guthrie.

An entertaining one-act play, "Thank You, Doctor," by Gilbert Emery was given by Ann Spoon, Patricia Alexander, Donald Payne, D'Armond Peabody and Jacky Gilbert.

The play evolved around the theft of a valuable string of pearls which were finally taken from Mrs. Lester Through the brilliance and trickery of the detective. Highlight of the business session was an election of officers for the 1951-52 term. The list included Mary Helen Sexauer, president; Roselyn Williams, vice-president; Lena May McNally, treasurer; Joyce Childress, recording secretary; Iris Smith, corresponding secretary; Ida Anisman, critic and parliamentary and Owen Lindsey, press reporter. Directors named were Tomacile Greene and Laura Mai Hightower.

Plans were also made to present a public performance during the latter part of February or early in March.

Coffee and cake were served by Laura Mai Hightower, Chloe Hunt and Ethel Hillhouse, hostesses, to the following members: Owen Lindsey, Ann Ferrel, Helen Boswell, Joyce Childress, Mary Helen Sexauer, Kathrine Milam, Roselyn Williams, Mary Foreman, Verna DeBerry, Nell Beeson, Peaches Harrison, Iris Smith and Mrs. Roy L. Guthrie and students appearing on the program.

Helium Helps Trace Oil

Tests by oil company and Bureau of Mines engineers have shown that helium gas is a useful tool in tracing underground oil and natural gas reservoirs. When used as a tracer, helium is added to the natural gas injected into natural underground reservoirs to effect the secondary recovery of oil. This enables operators to trace the underground migrations of hydrocarbon fluids.

Past Matrons Club of OES Meets Tuesday

Mrs. C. R. Webster, 118 south tenth, was hostess to the Past Matrons Club of the Order of Eastern Star on Tuesday evening.

Red roses and white snapdragons and stock were featured in decoration of the party rooms. A particularly lovely arrangement in a crystal basket centered the refreshment table which was covered with an embroidered linen cloth. Mrs. Lattie Hightower presided at the tea table where dainties, also denoting the valentine motif, were served.

Program highlight was an old-fashioned spelling bee and "double or nothing" quiz conducted by Mrs. Hightower.

Enjoying this affair were Mrs. Annie May Foster, Zetta Baker, Hettie Newman, Ida Anisman, Vera Dickey, Lenora Greehaw,

Mrs. T. L. Rouse Presents Pupils in Recital

Piano pupils of Mrs. T. L. Rouse were presented in recital Saturday, February 3, at 3 p. m. at the Rouse home, 1223 Brier street. Red carnations were used for decorations throughout the party rooms.

Solos and duets were presented by the following pupils: Deeda Dickey, Joy Lynn Phillips, Jerry Dickey, Charles Guthrie, Diana Fowler, Carol Ann Monzingo.

Audrey Neeley, Hattie Dem Thoupson, Addie Wherry, Ruth Fowler, Lattie Hightower, Lola Webster, Della Pallmeyer, and one guest, Mrs. Sumner Redd of Austin, a former member of the chapter.

The next meeting will be held on the 5th Tuesday in May in the home of Mrs. Lattie Hightower. An invitation to attend the meeting is extended all past matrons of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Billy Ray Jones, Recent Bride Honoree At Lovely Tea-Shower

Gifts of china, crystal, silver and cooking utensils were presented to Mrs. Billy Ray Jones at her lovely tea-shower given in her honor Tuesday evening, January 9, in the home of Mrs. George R. Cullin.

Assisting Mrs. Cullin with hostessing were Mrs. Mmes. Henry Hays, Roy Patton, Sam Hamilton, Henry Scott and Carl Baker. The invitation list included approximately 120 friends of the couple.

Selected colors of pink and blue with toasted nuts were served by Mrs. Roy Patton, Sam Hamilton, Henry Scott and Carl Baker. The invitation list included approximately 120 friends of the couple.

Methodist WSCS Meets For Study Monday Afternoon

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church had its regular meeting Monday, February 5, at 3 p. m. in the home of Mrs. W. F. McElreath with Mrs. Geo. Payne as co-hostess.

After the business session, Mrs. A. C. Hoffman gave an inspiring devotional.

Mrs. Ed Hutcherson introduced the program with an informative talk on "The American Indian," giving facts about their health and living conditions. Then a playlet on the same subject was presented in an interesting way by Mrs. R. Grisham, Lee Brown, W. H. Monzingo and W. D. Young.

The hostesses served delicious refreshments to the following members: Mrs. W. D. Young, Lee Brown, Rufus Gisham, Mar Tarver, W. H. Monzingo, Ed Hutcherson, J. S. Ballard, T. J. Hampton, O. M. Gunstream, Hall Nelson, Frank Phelan, A. C. Hoffman, C. R. Webster, Dan McCollum, Rollo Davidson, Mary Lou Irwin, D. C. Kennedy, Bob Roberts, Frank Foxhall, Miss Martha Perkins and one guest, Mrs. Charlie Williams Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Baker of Elk City, Okla., and their son, Elgel Baker of Amarillo, spent the week-end here with Mrs. Baker's sister, Mrs. J. C. Wells.

Marilea Pruett, Jan Smith, and Katherine Wright. Following the program, punch and cookies were served to mothers and friends.

Moving Oil Big Job

During the postwar years, the amount of domestic petroleum transported by pipe lines, tankers, barges, tank cars and tank trucks has been nearly half as great as the total volume of ton-miles handled by our entire railroad system. On the average, during 1950, more than 250,000,000 gallons of petroleum products were delivered to American consumers each day of the year.

New Oil Facts Offered

"Facts About Oil," a compact collection of facts and figures on the domestic oil industry compiled from latest government and industry information, has been published by the American Petroleum Institute. Single copies are available on request from the API Department of Information, 50 West 50th Street, New York 20, New York.

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FOR SALE—2-bedroom modern house, Stucco, 1617 Dover. See Rudolph Miller, Memphis Democrat. 33-tfc

FOR SALE—Three chair barber shop. Also brick building. J. M. Lynn, Hedley Texas. 34-3p

FOR SALE—Upright Piano. Good condition. \$150.00 Box 59 Lakewood. 36-1p

FOR SALE—My modern home, large corner lot at 608 N. 11th St. Fruit and shade trees, garden spot, garage with storage, storm cellar. Large chicken lot with house and barn. Phone 402-R. 35-1p

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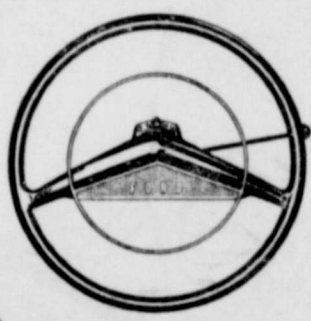
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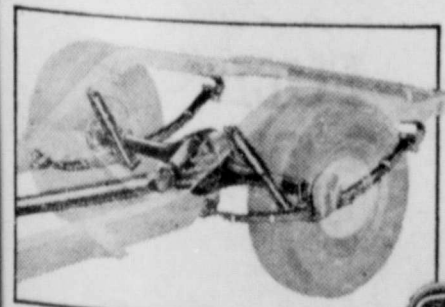
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Spring pastures may be just around the corner but winter can still steal your cattle profits if you don't feed properly.

The most critical need for supplemental feed comes in February and early March. Dry winter pasture is very low in protein and phosphorus content and the volume of grazing may be low.

Louisiana Extension Specialist W. T. Cobb warns that if cattle lose too much weight trouble begins. He says, "Beef steak is an extremely costly feed for cattle." Supplemental feed at this season may be your best investment in this year's cattle profits.

Well-wintered cattle are in the best condition to make most efficient use of good pastures next spring and summer. They produce stronger calves, give more milk and breed promptly for next

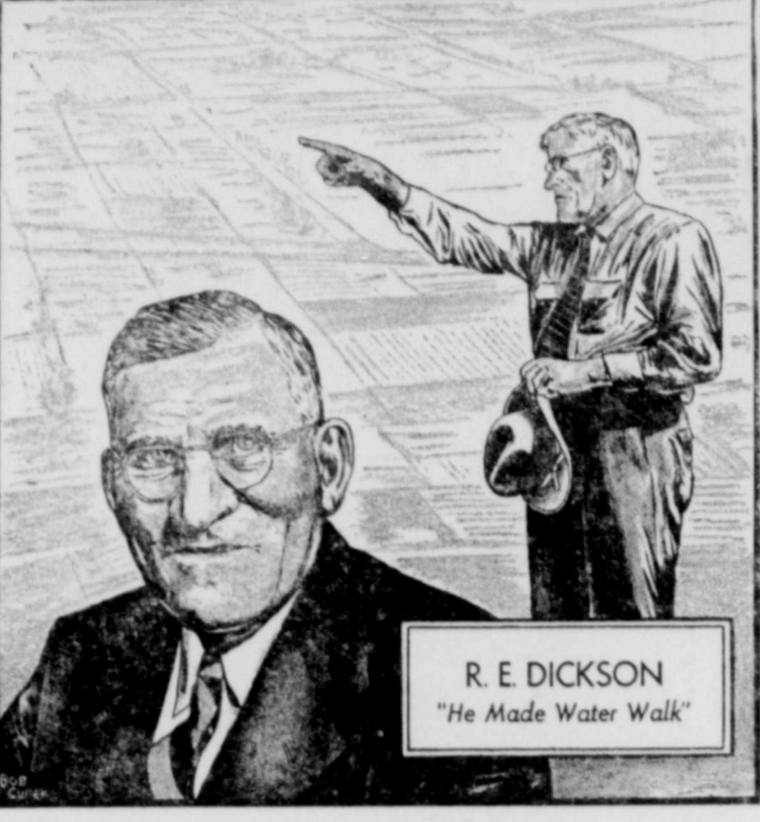
year's calf crop. The cow that loses too much weight in the winter is not producing efficiently while she regains that weight in the spring and summer. Also, the cow that has produced a weak or dead calf because of the lack of winter feed adds nothing to your cattle profits.

Deficiency

Protein is the most common deficiency in dry winter forage. When grass begins to mature the protein content drops rapidly. Winter weathering causes further losses in protein content and by February most dry grass has only one-third as much protein as when young and green. The phosphorus content of the forage is reduced in the same manner.

Most cattlemen like to feed cottonseed cake, meal or pellets in the winter months to supply the

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On the rolling plains of West Texas, where an annual average rainfall of 20 inches creates the most serious problem for agriculture, Ray E. Dickson will be long remembered as "the man who made water walk." In his 36 years as superintendent of the Texas Experiment Substation at Spur, this Texas A. and M. researcher led the way to full use of the country's precious rainfall through development of syrup-pan terraces. He learned and then preached that the rainfall of the plains country was sufficient, if properly conserved. He proved that water conservation is the quickest way to soil saving. On the basis of his pioneering work of the work of the National Soil Conservation Service was established.

deficient protein and phosphorus and help cattle make better use of the dry winter forage.

When the volume of forage is low, feed some dry roughage such as hay, cottonseed hulls or silage. Cattle store vitamin A in their bodies while grazing green forage and most cattle on pasture obtain enough winter weeds or grass to supply vitamin A. But, if cattle have not had any green material for 45 to 60 days, feed 7 to 10 pounds of legume or bright-green hay, per head twice weekly.

Range cows usually need about 2 pounds of cottonseed cake, per head daily, in late winter weeks. Increase this allowance if severe weather restricts grazing. If cows calve before pastures green up, feed 2½ to 3 pounds of cake or cottonseed pellets to insure good milk flow.

Dry Roughage

Farm herds need 1½ to 2 pounds of cottonseed meal or pellets during winter months when green pasture is not available. When forage in pastures or stall fields becomes scarce, feed some dry roughage such as hay or cottonseed hulls. When pasture is not available, feed 15 to 20 pounds of dry roughage or 40 to 50 pounds of silage.

Give calves and replacement heifers all the roughage they will eat when pastures are poor. Weaned calves need 1 to 1½ pounds of meal, per head daily. Heifers develop rapidly and mature early when fed liberally. They need 1 to 2 pounds of cottonseed meal or cake.

Feeder yearlings and older steers develop frame and size when wintered on 1 to 1½ pounds of meal, cake or cottonseed pellets in addition to plenty

of dry grass or roughage. It is usually best not to feed grain to wintering steers if they are to be grazed for extended periods on spring and summer pastures.

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SHIVERS GREETES ECONOMY COMMISSION DIRECTOR

Dr. Stuart A. MacCorkle (left), head of the University of Texas Institute of Public Affairs, is congratulated by Governor Allan Shivers on his selection as executive director of the Texas Economy Commission. University regents have granted Dr. MacCorkle a leave of absence to direct the commission's research into the Texas state government and present a reform program of efficiency and economy.

Bobcats Shackle Local Cyclones 60 to 42 Here

Memphis' high school eagles meet the Vernon quintette tonight in the high school gym there in their last game before entering district contest at Canyon next week.

The Cyclones enter tonight's game with a 13-win and 10-loss record.

Tuesday evening the Cyclones took one of their worst defeats of the year as the Childress Bobcats shackled them 60 to 42 in the A game and 38 to 30 in the B contest.

Early Lead
Childress jumped to an early lead which they held throughout the contest. The Cyclones did manage to pull within 2 points of the Bobcats early in the second period but could never overtake the Cats'.

Memphis trailed 14 to 22 at the first period, 25 to 32 at the half and 34 to 47 at the end of the third period.

Perry Morren countered 16 points for the Bobcats and Clifton sank 14. T. Messer scored five field goals to lead the Cyclones and Grundy and Kennedy, each scored 9 points.

In the B game, Jeffreys sank 16 for the Bobcats while C. Messer was high point for the Cyclones with 7.

Box score:
Memphis 42

	FG	FT	F	TP
T. Messer	5	0	5	10
Grundy	4	1	0	9
Bloxom	0	2	2	2
Kennedy	3	3	3	9
Rasco	3	1	2	7
D. Miller	2	0	3	4
R. Smith	0	1	1	1
TOTALS	17	8	16	42

	FG	FT	F	TP
Bradshaw	1	1	2	3
Clifton	7	0	2	14
Carter	2	2	3	6
Morren	7	2	0	16
Hardin	2	2	1	6
Howard	1	1	0	3
Powell	5	0	3	10
Blain	0	0	0	0
Clync	1	0	0	2
TOTALS	26	8	14	60

Childress 60

	FG	FT	F	TP
Bradshaw	1	1	2	3
Clifton	7	0	2	14
Carter	2	2	3	6
Morren	7	2	0	16
Hardin	2	2	1	6
Howard	1	1	0	3
Powell	5	0	3	10
Blain	0	0	0	0
Clync	1	0	0	2
TOTALS	26	8	14	60

M. L. Solomon Dies At Floydada Home

M. L. Solomon, 46, former resident of Memphis, died at his home in Floydada Tuesday afternoon after an attack of acute indigestion.

Soloman was born in Wise County, Texas. He moved from Salisbury, near Memphis to Floydada in 1923.

He is survived by his wife and one son, Jerry, age 10, three brothers and five sisters. He was the brother of Miss Ida Hutchinson of Memphis.

No Magic Carburetor

Bill Burns the oil industry's well-known fable killer, spikes the old story about the oil companies suppressing a carburetor that gave 100 miles to the gallon. The oil industry spends millions of dollars each year on research in an effort to squeeze the most mileage out of every gallon, Bill points out, and asks, "Don't you think the first guy to get his hands on such a gadget would put it into mass production and corner the field?"

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planting time. Thornton points out, however, that this gave a return of about \$21 on an investment of \$2.50 for fertilizer.

Fertilizer Boosts Cotton Acre Yield

When properly used, fertilizer under cotton doesn't cost; it pays. This fact is shown by the results of 1950 cotton fertilizer demonstrations.

To emphasize the point, M. K. Thornton, agricultural chemist for the Texas A. & M. College Extension service, cites as an example demonstrations conducted last year in Guadalupe county under the supervision of county agent B. N. Rector. Rector reports that Munde Schubert of Kingsbury made over one and one-half bales of cotton per acre on part of his fertilizer demonstration.

Higher Yield
On a plot that was not fertilized, Schubert obtained a yield of 610 pounds of lint cotton per acre. He obtained a yield of 785 pounds from a plot which was fertilized with 200 pounds of 16-20-0 at

planting time and side dressed with 100 pounds of the same fertilizer when the cotton was about knee high. Other plots in the demonstration which received different amounts of fertilizer gave yields that ranged between the high above and the low received when no fertilizer was applied.

Small Cost
Figuring that 16-20-0 fertilizer costs not more than \$4 per hundred, the cost of the three sacks of fertilizer applied was \$12. The increase of 175 pounds of lint obtained by fertilizing was worth about \$70, figuring the price of cotton at 40 cents a pound. Therefore, Schubert's increased income over the cost of fertilizer was about \$58.

The lowest increase obtained was 30 pounds of lint from applying 100 pounds of 5-10-5 at

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- EGGS, fresh country, doz. 37c
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- CHOCOLATE BITS, pkg. 23c
- PNUT BUTTER, Peter Pan, glass 35c
- OATS, Crystal Wedding, box 17c
- MIRACLE WHIP, 8 oz. 23c; pints 40c
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- BOX CANDY, Chocolate Covered Cherries, 1 lb. box 47c
- COOKIES, Lemon or Orange Thins, box 42c
- CATCHUP, large bottle Heinz 27c
- SOAP, Lux or Camay, 2 large bars 29c
- TOILET PAPER, Scot Tissue, 2 rolls 25c
- PAPER NAPKINS, 80 count pkg. 14c
- TOMATO JUICE, 46 oz. can 29c
- PINEAPPLE JUICE, No. 2 can 19c; 46 oz. can 44c
- ORANGE JUICE, 46 oz. Adams or Donald Duck 37c
- GRAPE FRUIT JUICE, 46 oz. can 27c
- GRAPE JUICE, large bottle Welch 39c
- TAMALES, WS, Shack Wrapped, can 25c
- TUNA FISH, Solid Pack, can 41c
- VIENNA SAUSAGE, Armours Star, can 21c
- ARMOURS TREET, can 49c
- RANCH STYLE BEANS, 2 cans 27c
- PORK & BEANS, White Swan, can 11c
- FRESH BLACKEYED PEAS, No. 2 can 14c
- ENGLISH PEAS, No. 1 can small peas 12c
- ENGLISH PEAS, med. can Mission 15c
- SPAGHETTI, Franco American, can 15c
- NEW POTATOES, No. 2 can 14c
- HOMINY, med. can Kuners 9c
- CORN, Primrose white or yellow, can 19c
- SOUP, Campbell's tomato, 12c; vegetable 14c
- CERRIES, No. 2 can Red Pitted 24c
- PEACHES, large can HD 32c
- FRUIT COCKTAIL, large can 39c
- SPUDS, Red or Russet, 5 lbs. 21c
- BULK PURPLE TOP TURNIPS, lb. 8c
- LEMONS, large Sunkist, doz. 37c
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Commissioner Asks Oil Conservation

With his theme the conservation of petroleum, Lt. Gen. Ernest O. Thompson spoke Tuesday on "Oil For Tomorrow" before the formal spring convocation at Texas Christian University. TCU awarded the Texas National Guard commander an honorary Doctor of Laws degree. Dr. Thompson is also a Texas Railroad Commissioner with several years experience in dealing with the problem of conservation.

He pointed out that America is using more oil than it produces, and imports petroleum from Venezuela. "We are now producing 5,700,000 barrels of oil per day in the United States," he declared. "Demand for oil products exceeded six million barrels during recent weeks. . . . The greatest increase has been in heating oil." In explaining why we import oil, General Thompson mentioned that America prospers in proportion to its trade with Venezuela. "We buy their oil, and they use that money to buy goods from the United States."

Conservation

Thompson stated that oil and gas conservation have done much to increase the supply of petroleum in Texas. The general added that more natural resources are purely "neutral staff" totally without value until they are combined with human resources.

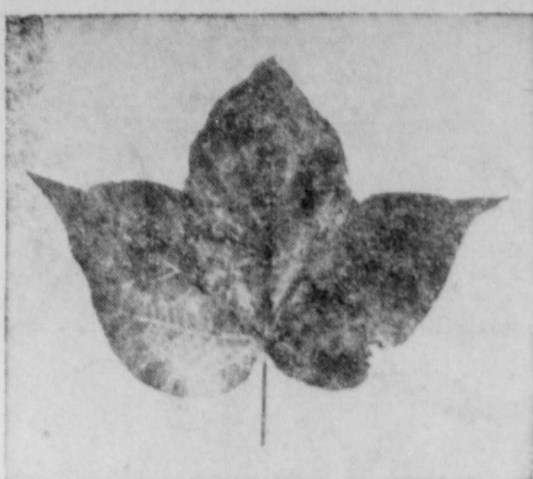
"It is the superior natural resourcefulness of our people that has provided us with an abundance of oil up to the present day," the commissioner declared. Even so, he said, "Our average oil production per well today in Texas is about 20 barrels. Some wells in foreign fields produce up to 10,000 barrels of oil per day. . . . We are going to have to spread our oil-well steel supply much thinner in order to get more barrels of oil per pound of steel expended in the effort. This inescapably means wider spacing of oil wells."

Greatness

The convocation speaker went on to show how the strength, vigor, moral and spiritual fiber of the individual citizen have carried this nation through storms of greater force than the present one in which we are now tossed.

"The greatness of our nation and the quality of our leadership in world affairs will be shown by our resolute progress in preparedness in 1951 and the immediate years thereafter. I know we can and I believe we will meet this challenge successfully," General Thompson declared.

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ANGULAR LEAF SPOT or bacterial blight can be stopped

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Angular leaf spot, bacterial blight, boll rot, vein blight or black arm. These are all names for the same thing, and they all mean bad news for you as a cotton grower. The blight causes death of seedlings, defoliation or loss of leaves from the plant, and shedding or rotting of bolls. It all adds up to less cotton per acre.

As the name shows, it is caused by bacteria. The germs live in the seeds, and grow up in the cotton plant to cause various harmful results.

Clearly the way to wipe out this disease is to plant disease-free seeds. You can make sure that your cotton seeds do not carry the disease germs by killing the bacteria before you plant, using an organic mercury dust. You can do this on your own premises, or have it

done by the seed treating service of your local gin or seed supplier. The chemical costs less than 10¢ per acre. Other control methods include delimiting of seeds with sulphuric acid or by hydrochloric acid gas. These are harder to apply, but also effective.

Because wind-blown rain spreads bacterial blight readily from one field to another, its control is a job that all the planters in an area should do together. Otherwise one field planted with untreated seed might re-infect all the others. It will pay every planter to stamp out bacterial blight in his fields. Planting seed that has been mercury dust-treated will not only reduce this disease, but will reduce seed decay and damping-off (sore shin) organisms, too.

Legion Sponsors Membership Drive

A new membership drive is underway by members of the local American Legion post according to Post Commander O. V. Alexander.

Persons interested in joining the Legion are asked to contact Alexander or other members. The local post will meet tonight at 8 p. m. in the Club, 322 South 6th.

Producing Facilities Claim Largest Oil Investments

The lion's share of the more than \$2 billion invested in new and improved facilities in 1950 by the domestic oil industry went into producing operations—searching for and developing oil and natural gas reserves. In 1950, approximately \$1,360,000,000 was spent on these activities.

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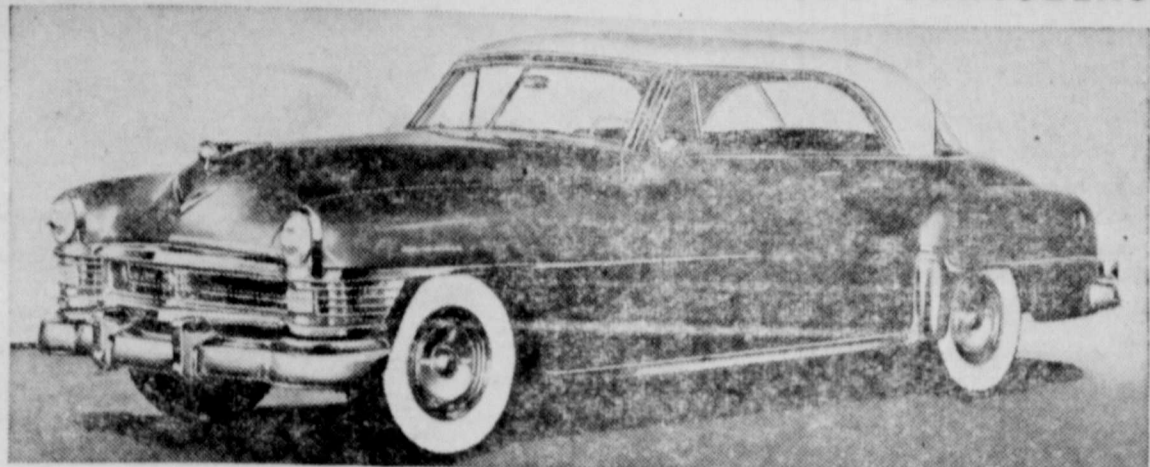
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Memphis

Chrysler Display Saturday

Chrysler Windsor, one of the new body styles in the 1951 automotive line, will be on display in Memphis, Saturday afternoon at the Kermit Monzingo Motor company, Chrysler's new eight-cylinder, V-type engine in the New Yorker Newport as shown here is expected to be on display here in a few weeks.

STYLE AND POWER FEATURED IN 1951 CHRYSLERS



NEW CHRYSLER WINDSOR ON DISPLAY HERE - - The 1951 Chrysler Windsor will be on display Saturday at the Kermit Monzingo Motor company, Chrysler's new eight-cylinder V-type engine in the New Yorker Newport as shown here is expected to be on display here in a few weeks.

Petroleum Men Claim Industry Can Meet Needs

Achievements of the petroleum industry in 1950 offer assurance of oil men's ability to meet the challenges of 1951, according to Roy M. Stephens, newly-appointed Texas chairman of the Oil Industry Information Committee.

Stephens, who is acting sales manager of Humble Oil & Refining Co., called attention to new records established by oil men in 1950 in supplying the American people with the greatest quantity of petroleum products in the nation's history. He said:

"Domestic consumption of petroleum hit an all-time peak last year. This is the eighth consecutive year that consumption has topped the previous year, and is high tribute to the keen competition which effects every branch of petroleum, from exploration and discovery right through marketing and research."

ADDITIONAL OIL
Stephens noted that, according to a recent government forecast, the American people will want an additional 468 thousand barrels per day in 1951. He added:

"Leaders of the industry are confident that they can meet this demand. A lot, of course, rests with what happens in 1951. Depending upon developments in Washington and abroad, and the availability of men and materials, there is every reason to believe that the industry can continue its excellent record of supplying our people with their petroleum needs."

LARGEST NUMBER
To meet this demand, the OIIC spokesman said, the oil men in 1950 drilled approximately 43,000 wells, the greatest number in history; boosted refinery capacity to an all-time peak; processed more crude oil than ever before, passed the billion-barrel mark in motor fuel production; and set new records for production of distillate fuel oil and natural gas. The capacity of the petroleum industry is roughly 25 per cent greater than it was during the peak demand of World War II.

Since the end of the war, the OIIC chairman said, the industry has invested more than 10 billion

Talent Contest To Be Conducted At Lakeview

LAKEVIEW—A talent show contest open to all amateur school children is being sponsored by the Lakeview Junior class and will be presented Thursday evening, March 8, in the grade school auditorium.

Cash prizes will be offered to first, second and third place winners. The contest is open to all school children. Proceeds will go toward the junior-senior banquet.

Entries may be turned in at the Lakeview high school office. Class sponsors Mrs. E. J. McKnight and Henry Cunningham are in charge of the contest.

dollars in capital expansion and development—an average of more than two billion dollars a year.

He concluded: "The industry is well along in its program to meet the challenges of 1951. Judged by its 1950 operations and past achievements, there is no doubt in my mind that the oil industry is better able now than ever before to meet the demands of an uncertain future."

TRY THE WANT ADS

LAKEVIEW Correspondent

Lyman Davenport and family of Childress visited Saturday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Davenport.

Fred Schillinger was a Sunday caller in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Davenport.

Bennie Earl DuVall student at WTSC spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace DuVall.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCanne and Mary visited Sunday afternoon in Memphis with Paul's mother, Mrs. Minnie McCanne.

Red Fuller and family of Anchorage, Alaska visited this week with friends here and in Hollis, Okla., and in Wichita Falls with his brother, Hoyt, who is stationed there with the army.

Mrs. Mac McQueen, Cathie Candy and Mrs. Lance Leggett, visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCanne Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Del Wells spent Saturday evening in the John Camps home.

Dee Ellen Durrett was carried to a local hospital last week where she underwent surgery.

Joyce Durrett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Basil Durrett is attending school in Abilene.

Loiselle Whitefield returned last week from a visit with friends in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Durham, Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCanne and Mary were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Skinner Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Duren, Sharon Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Moore and Connie Mack visited in Pampa Sunday with Mrs. Duren's sister, Mrs. A. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Luttrell were called to East Texas to attend

the funeral of Mrs. Luttrell's brother who passed away Monday. The funeral will be held Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Skinner and James Skinner were Amarillo visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Johnnie Gray and children, Johnnie and Sharon Blayne, visited Mrs. Paul McCanne Monday.

Bill Hamm of Childress visited with friends in Lakeview Monday.

Mrs. James Skinner was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCanne Tuesday.

Mrs. Horace DuVall was a dinner guest of Mrs. Lyman Davenport Monday.

La Wana Henry, who has been employed in Lubbock is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tollie Henry.

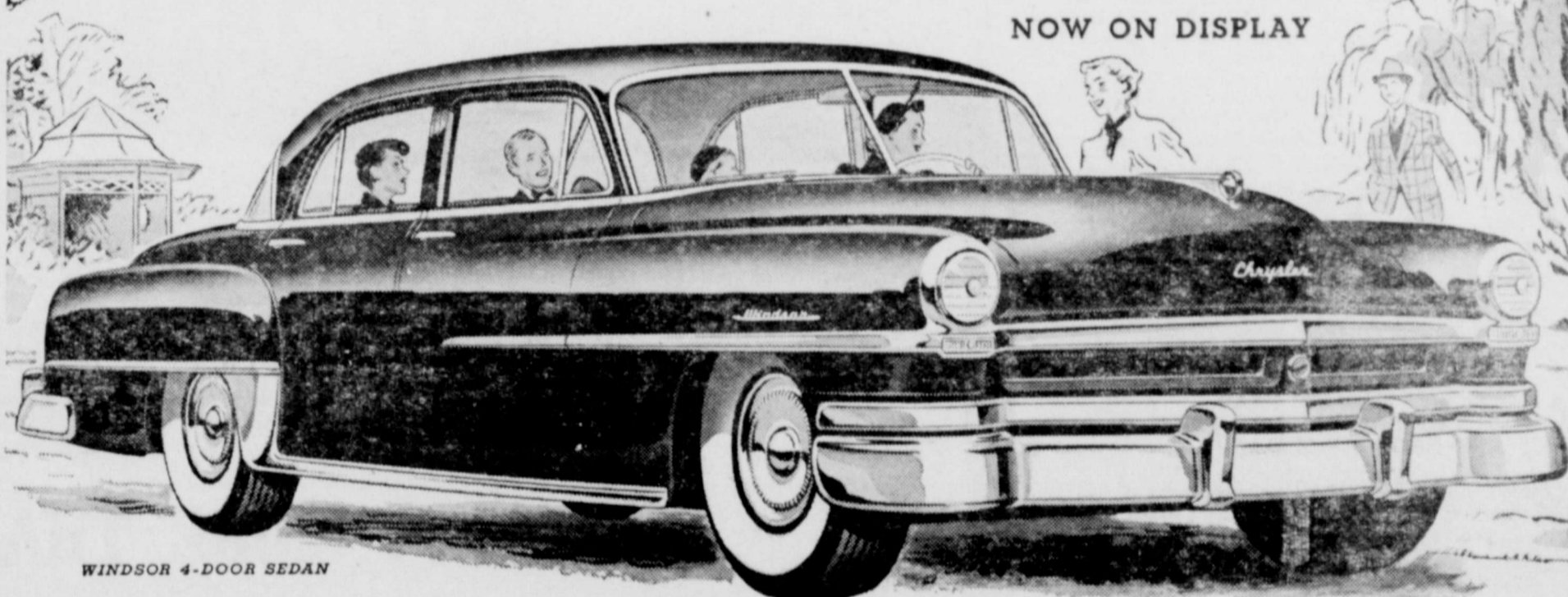
Sam Vaughn visited his daughter, Mrs. Tollie Henry Saturday of last week.

Bennie Earl DuVall made the honor roll at WTSC and is eligible for the Mary Elizabeth Huddell Society.

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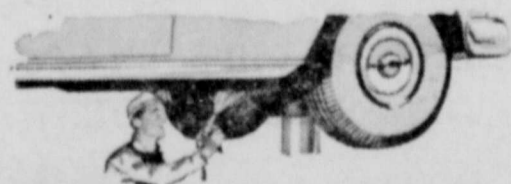
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Housewives Told Of Sales Tricks Recently Used

Reports coming to the National Better Business Bureau indicate that many women are being terribly upset by men selling cooking utensils house-to-house, who are telling them that the aluminum cooking utensils in their homes are bad for health and should be thrown away.

These salesmen even make misleading boiling tests to show an apparently clouded condition of water boiled in aluminum.

False
The National Better Business Bureau states that these rumors being spread and these tricky tests are entirely false and misleading. Prominent health authorities, such as the American Medical Association, state that there is absolutely no truth whatsoever in them.

The Federal Trade Commission has branded such statements as false and its findings have been sustained by the courts.

So, ladies, be warned. Don't throw away your aluminum cooking utensils on the advice of some salesman who tries to interest you in some competitive cooking utensils.

Aluminum cooking utensils are entirely safe and if you have the slightest doubt—ask your family physician or your local health department.

Needle Craft Club Officials Are Installed

Installation of officers was the feature of the day when the Needle Craft Club met on Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. M. Ferrel Jr.

Lovely refreshments were served during the tea hour to Meses. Addie Hampton, Morgan Baker, Mary Long, T. D. Weatherly, Bess Crump, Albert Gerlach, Sidney Mayfield, Mary Lou Erwin, Henry Newman, and hostess, Mrs. Ferrel.

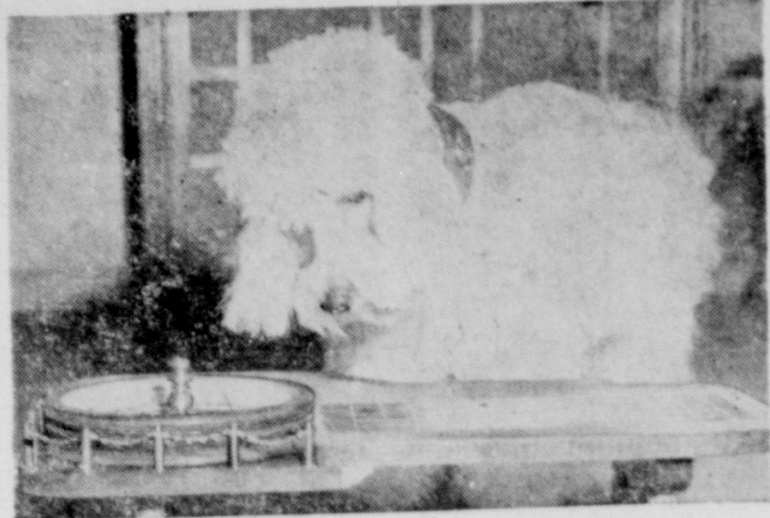
The next meeting is scheduled for February 20 in the home of Mrs. Albert Gerlach.

Oil Wages High

The average weekly earnings of employees in the petroleum refining industry in 1945 were \$75.33, compared with \$34.97 ten years before. Petroleum and natural gas production workers received \$71.48 a week compared with \$34.09 in 1935. These oil industry wages compare with those for all manufacturing workers in 1949 of \$54.92 a week.

First Navy transoceanic flight was made by Lt. Cmdr. A. C. Read who flew the NC-4 from Rockaway, L. I., N. Y., on May 8, 1919 and arrived at Lisbon, Portugal, May 27, 1919.

Democrat Advertising Pays



A WHIRL AT THE WHEEL . . . A miniature poodle, owned by resort manager Wilbur Clark, Las Vegas, takes a glum look at one of his master's roulette wheels.

Shirley Kennon Is Named Honoree At Birthday Party

Shirley Kay Kennon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kennon, was honoree at a birthday party when her mother entertained at the family home on Tuesday afternoon. The occasion was to celebrate Shirley's 8th anniversary.

The Valentine motif was carried by Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Cummings of Santa Ana, Calif., Mrs. Ada Sue Terheyden of LaJolla, Calif., and H. N. Cummings and son Gary of Paris, Calif., have returned home after visiting here with their son and brother, Robert F. Cummings and his wife, Mr. Cummings who was seriously ill for several days, is reported to be improved. ried out in decorations and in the refreshment service.

After a series of well-planned party games, refreshments of cake, punch, and valentine candy were served to the following guests:

Mary Crawford, Sharon Kay Hooser, Shirley Shawhart, Mary Katherine Hall, Nancy Sue Seale, Judy Bishop, Robert Lynn Gardner, Jerald Cunningham, Garland D. Moore, Jimmie Hertzman, Winston Jones, Jerry Rasco, Lacy Montgomery, David Phelps, Eddie Milligan, Ray Lee Hill, Ernestine Young, Linda Hartman, Sara Jane Lee, Caroline Kennon, Juanita Phelps, Carleen Harrison, Patsy Kennon, Joann Durham, Mrs. Roy Grimes and Mrs. Kennon.

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Each one reported a most enjoyable afternoon, recounting and talking of the happy days spent together in the past. The women did some hand work for Mrs. Davidson.

Comments

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the Branford Colony in 1644. B. D. Frisbie of Memphis is one of the descendants and is anxious to know if there are others who have not reported their names to the association.

Matilda Upstart says she is going to send this valentine next week to Bill Phleuger of West Main street:

Someone thinks you're wonderful, Someone loves you, too, Someone thinks you're quite a man . . . And that Someone is YOU!

And Phleuger says if he gets such a valentine from Matilda he will send her this one: If you and I were all alone, I'd turn the light down low . . . And SNEAK OUT!

Frank Phelan Jr. was elected president of the Clarendon Chamber of Commerce recently. He succeeds another former Memphis George Thompson. We predict that Frank will make a good leader for the organization as was his predecessor last year.

There has been no letup of building residences in Memphis. Every time I drive over the residential section of town I see several new buildings have been started since the last time I made such drive. A lot of the homes being built or just completed are really classy. It shows that people still have an incentive to own their own homes, which is a healthy sign.

Hall McMurry, familiar known here as "Mutt", is to be installed as president of the Dumas Chamber of Commerce at the annual banquet. Mutt held that position two years ago, and has served as proxy of the Lions Club, and has held other officer there. He has been actively identified with every civic activity. He manages the theatres of Dumas. He lived in Memphis for a number of years before going to Dumas.

This community was shocked when the death of Major McCanne was announced Wednesday. He was one of the early pioneers of this county and had much to do with the development of this area. He numbered his friends by the last of acquaintances. A good husband, father, neighbor and friend, Major McCanne was the kind of citizen all respected.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy. We deeply appreciate the beautiful floral offerings and the food that was served during the loss of our beloved husband and daddy.

Thanks to Rev. A. V. Hendricks for his consoling words, and to the Murphy-Spicer Funeral home of their kindness and service. May God's richest blessings rest upon each one.

Mrs. J. H. Hays and children Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Huckaby and Sandra Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Courtney and boys Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hays and children Mrs. Mary Davidson.

ESTELLINE VISITORS AT WRIGHT HOME

Those visiting in the home of Mrs. J. H. Wright of Estelline Tuesday afternoon were Meses. Katie Phillips, L. E. Cobb, M. E. Chandler, S. S. Cooper and Gill and Mrs. N. B. Curtis, all of Estelline; Mrs. Artie Davidson of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Richburg, and Mr. and Mrs. James Richburg and Joyce, all of Lake-

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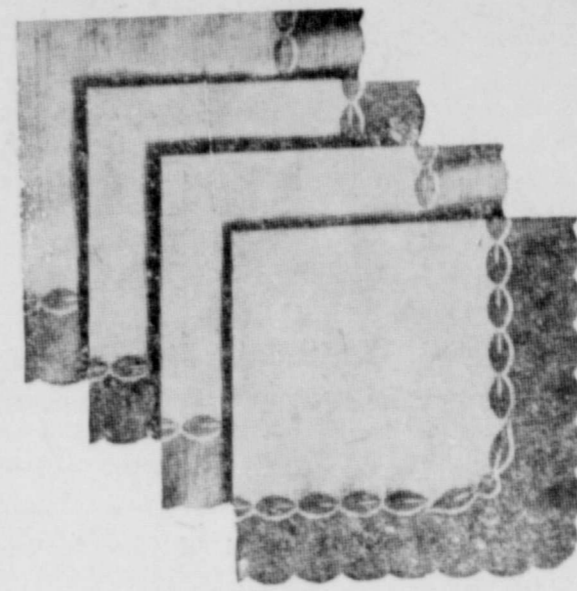
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Saturday "Raiders of Tomahawk Creek" Charles Starrett Smiley Burnette Chapter 1 "DESPERADOES OF THE WEST"

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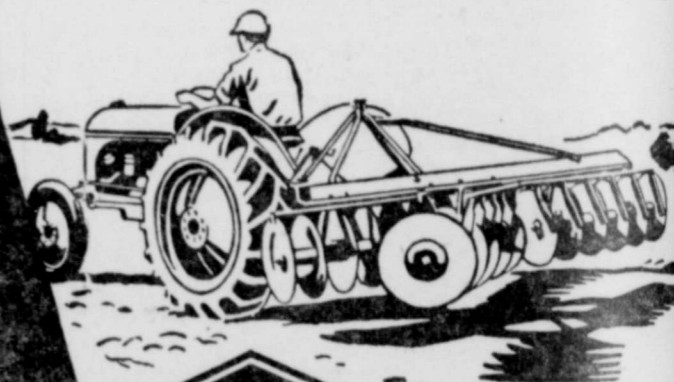
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The Cyclone News

Memphis Splits With Estelline

Four Memphis basketball teams journeyed to Estelline last Tuesday, including the Girls' "A" team, 8th grade Girls' team, Junior High Girls, and Junior High Boys' team.

The final score for the Junior High Girls' game was 5-2 in favor of Memphis. Jonna Sue Smith was high point girl.

The Eighth Grade Girls' team was defeated 26-10. Betty Spencer was high point girl in this game.

The High School Girls lost another, 34-7, with "Mickey" Murdoch racking up the most points for the Cyclonettes.

The Junior High boys won 20-18. Jimmy Davis led the scoring.

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Bro. Smith Speaks To Student Body

The student body was called to general assembly Thursday morning to sing and to hear Bro. Bedford Smith speak. The group sang songs that were led by Minnie Jackson, accompanied by Patsy Hays.

"Climbing a Mountain" was the title of Bro. Smith's address. The steps that he took climbing a mountain were based upon the Beatitudes found in Matt. 5:3-12.

Band to Remain In B Competition

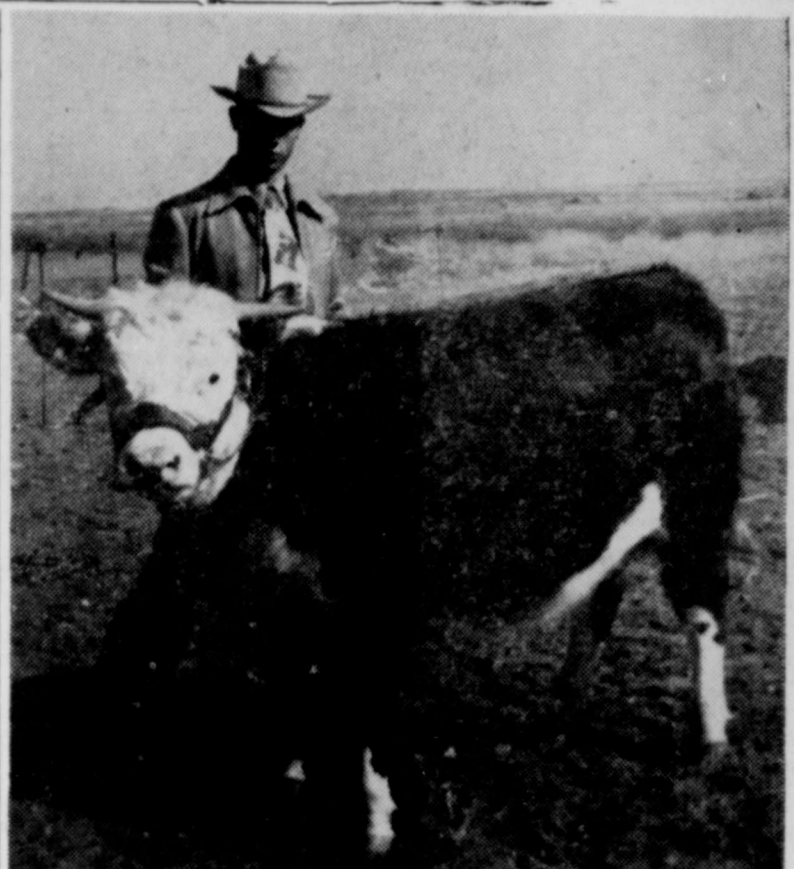
Members of the high school band voted to remain in Class B competition under the University Interscholastic League rules, Perry Keyser, band director announced.

The band plans to enter the Music Competition-Festival in Canyon at West Texas State April 26-28.

Schools that the Cyclone band will compete with are: Booker, Bovina, Briscoe, Bula (Enochs), Canadian, Claude, Dimmit, Farwell Follett, Friona, Groom, Hale Center, Kress, Lefors, Lockney, Lorenza, McLean, Matador, Olton, Paducah, Panhandle, Plains, Post, Spearman, Spring Lake, (Earth), Stinnett Stratford, Sudan, Sundown, Sunray, Tahoka, Vega, Wheeler, White Deer, Whiteface, Witharal and Wildrado.

The contest consists of concert sight reading, and marching. The Cyclone Band is working on concert pieces and sight reading.

Last year, the band won a superior rating in marching, and excellent rating in sight reading, and a good rating in concert. To be a Sweepstake band, the band must win superior ratings in all contest work.



ANOTHER CHAMPION—Grand champion heifer shower in the recent Memphis Fat Stock show was also shown by John Luther Byars. Twenty-eight head of Hereford and Angus were shown by 4-H and F.F.A. boys from this county.



FAMILY OF WINNERS—Left, John Luther Byars holds the halter of his steer while Judge Frank Wendt looks on. Richard Salmon, Lakeview, holds the heifer. Both animals won grand champion awards in the recent Fourth Annual Junior Livestock Show in Memphis.

FHA Chapter Entertains Monday with Annual Mother-Daughter Banquet

Members of the Future Homemakers of America, Memphis Chapter, entertained their mothers February 5, at 7:30 p. m. in the High School Cafeteria with their annual Mother-Daughter banquet.

Betty Burnett FHA president, presided and welcomed the mothers. The invocation was given by Marthlyn Burnett. Piano numbers were rendered by Betty Ann Goodall, Sue Miller, Gloria Harris, and Peggy Smith. Yvonne Sturdevant gave a vocal number.

The highlight of the program was the style show given by the Homemaking I girls who modeled garments they had made this year. Girls participating in the style show were: Johnnie McDaniel, Nancy Brewer, Shirley Miller, Marthlyn Burnett, Sherry Trulove, Yvonne McDaniel, Jo Ann Huggins, Inez Martin and Marilela Pruitt. Betty Burnett was the reader and Betty Ann Goodall played the accompaniment.

Mrs. L. J. Pruitt, Sherry Trulove, Mrs. Ted Trulove, Betty Goodall, Mrs. Myrtle Howard, Gloria Harris, Mrs. C. C. Harris, Roberta Nelson, Mrs. Hall Nelson, Peggy Smith, Mrs. Mary Smith, Betty Stewart, Mrs. Robert Stewart, Janice Anthony, Mrs. J. A. Anthony, Sue Miller, Margie Simmons, Mrs. Velma Simmons, Yvonne Sturdevant, Mrs. O. V. Sturdevant.

Also, Norma Townsend, Mrs. Violet Townsend, Betty Kennon, Mrs. L. J. Kennon, Elizabeth Grundy, Mrs. Allen Grundy, Peggy Evans, Mrs. Cleve Evans, Oneita Ayles, Mrs. Clifton Burnett, Shirley Foster and Mrs. Ira Foster.

Johnny Hardwick Enjoys 15-Day Leave Here

Johnny Hardwick, who recently completed "boot training" at San Diego, Calif. and has been here on a 15-day leave visiting with his mother, Mrs. Ruby Hardwick, left Monday to report for duty aboard the Boxer Aircraft carrier.

Mrs. Hardwick, who has been employed at Ferrel Dry Cleaners for several years, is also planning to leave this week on a six-month vacation due to ill health. She will visit in California with her daughters and in Corpus Christi with a sister.

Mrs. Jeff Welcher and son, Sgt. J. J. Welcher visited in Vernon Saturday night.

Tom Way student at NTSC, Denton, is spending the between semester vacation here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Way.

Program of Prayer Planned

The Christian Four Point Program will be the theme for the 14th Day of Prayer Meeting at the First Christian Church Sunday.

Members of the Speech Under the direction of Mrs. Guthrie will present a skit, "Hour of Prayer" including girls from different countries.

Maesta Graham will portray a ship student of medicine, and Yvonne Medical College in India. Eudine Gable will portray a Young American studying in India. Pat Goodnight has the role of a student from the Gold Coast of Africa, studying Journalism. Beryle Davis will portray a student of rural education in Peeping.

Ann Spoon will be an American Navajo racial background, and will present a religious education. A message student, graduate of Christian College in Iowa will be played by Bettie Snell. Skit background will be played by Beverly Snell.

Members of the Churches of Memphis will contribute to this program.

Hutchinsons Attend REA Convention

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hutchinson of Memphis attended the national REA convention held in Cleveland O., last week representing the Hall County Co-op.

More than 4,000 delegates from over the United States attended. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ross of Flomot, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bloodworth of Matador attended the convention with Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson.

Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Greenhaw spent Sunday with their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Regnal Greenhaw in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Reed and children of Wellington visited here with Mr. and Mrs. Hank Hankins Sunday.

Mrs. Paul Brewer and Glenda visited with her sister and family. Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Combs Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lawrence visited with her sister and family. Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Hicks over the week end in Portales, N. M.

BRICE

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Murf and family visited Sunday in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Cal Holland visited in Amarillo with their daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hartzog of Nashville visited with her daughter, Mrs. Joe Wood and family at church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson home were Mr. and Mrs. C. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. McAnear, Mr. and Mrs. Hudgins. The evening was playing forty two.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Moore and family moved Saturday to Fort Worth. They had lived in the family the past several years.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Osburn and family visited Sunday in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Kerbie Hagins and Mrs. C. C. Rich and family of near Clarendon visited with daughter and sister, Mrs. Alice and attended church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Johnson and J. C. Johnson were visitors Saturday.

Mr. Martin spent the week in Memphis with friends.

Mr. Holcomb of Amarillo spent the past week here with grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lemons.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Denny and daughters of Childress visited here Sunday with his mother Mrs. B. F. Denny.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. McCoy visited with relatives in Childress Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Gidden were in Amarillo Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Bruce and son of Parnell visited in Cross Plains over the week end.

Frank Wright spent the week in Quannah and Vernon with her sister, Mrs. C. Hatfield and cousin, Mrs. Dan White.



GENERAL IKE GETS DUSTED OFF . . . A workman at the Musee Grevin (Paris waxworks museum) polishes up the face of the wax effigy of General Dwight Eisenhower as the prototype moves back into the international spotlight as commander of western European defense forces. The effigy has been in the stockroom of the museum.

Twirp Season Opens in MHS

Twirp season is now in progress. The Cyclone News Staff officially opened the week long season with a proclamation which read: KNOW ALL M.H.S. MEN what ain't married that WHEREAS there is inside our school limits gals what craves to be, and WHEREAS it being only fitten that our M.H.S. pappies and mummies get said woman hood off'n their hands, and WHEREAS February 7-9 is OFFICIAL TWIRP SEASON DAYS WE HEREBY PROCLAIM AND DECREES THAT, February 9, 1951 is our TWIRP NIGHT WHEREON shenanigans to help unmarried gals ketch up with onery men, and no two ways about it, will beheld at the M.H.S. cafeteria.

BY AUTHORITY of the law and the statute laid down by our revered CYCLONE NEWS STAFF of M.H.S., who had to make it to get their selfs some dates, them being the homeliest gals in M.H.S. and no two ways about that, either.

Cyclone News Staff

R.S.V.P.
P. S. Come with yore fav'rite M. H. S. feller . . .

7,483 MEALS SERVED
Miss Ira Hammonds, cafeteria supervisor, reported during the month of January, 7,483 meals were served in the high school cafeteria. West Ward had 3,336 the largest number of student eating from the three divisions of the Memphis public schools.

CYCLONE CUT-UPS
Coach Fred Wright was explaining to his 6th period World History class about the last battle of the Civil War being in Texas. He said, "Colonel Ford defeated 480 men at the battle of Palmito Ranch."

Questionably, Max Kennedy, from the back of the room, stated, "All by himself?"

In the Journalism classroom, Mr. Barron, substituting for Mrs. Irons, asked Ann Spoon if she would type off a Spanish test for him. Ann replied, "I'm sorry, but that typewriter types English."

Larry Gillispie watching Scotty Grundy down in the dressing room making use of a comb, a toothbrush, a nail file, and a whisk broom said, "Say Scotty, are you always that much trouble to yourself?"

As the 16th note passed from Ronnie Mac Smith to Katherine Wright in the study hall, the teacher quietly remarked, "Are you two still playing second-hand post-office?"

In Mrs. DeBerry's History class Duke Frisbie was asked the question, "What was the President's name 50 years ago?" After several answers, Duke finally answered in a matter of fact tone, "Why, his name has always been Harry S. Truman."

Mr. and Mrs. Gayle West and children of Lockney visited here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lee Sunday.

Students Have Ideas on Study Of Shakespear

Following the study of Shakespeare's "Hamlet", the Senior class has undertaken, "Macbeth," one of Shakespeare's tragedies.

The Junior class is studying "Our Town" by Thornton Wilder.

When several Juniors and Seniors were asked their opinion of Shakespeare, the following answers were received:

Margaret Massey—Shakespeare's works are difficult to understand but I enjoy studying them.

Beryle Davis—Shakespeare is the greatest writer that ever lived. In my opinion "Hamlet" is his greatest writing.

Jo Anne Webster—"Shakespeare writings are most interesting", and Jo Anne chose "The Taming of the Shrew" as her favorite.

Troyce Rhudy—I think Shakespeare's writings are cleverly set up, and I enjoy reading and studying them.

Eudine Gable—Shakespeare's writings are interesting, and the various types make them even more interesting. His writings were written for all types of people, but his comedies are my favorite.

Ann Spoon—Shakespeare was undoubtedly the best dramatist the world has ever known. He wrote equally well all varieties, tragedy, comedy, historical and farce.

An ex-senior Tom Way remarked, "It is nice that they were written. Think of how many people make their living by publishing them and talking about them. What's more, I like them."

INTRAMURAL GAME
The Memphis "B" and "C" teams played an intramural game last Tuesday night before the "A" game between Memphis and Clarendon. The score was 34 to 33 in favor of the "B" group, known also as the "Skins."

Duane Miller was high scorer for the winning team with 14 points. Ronnie Smith led the losing team scoring with 12 points.

Members of the "B" group were Duane Miller, Charles Messer, Carl Lee, Dacy Corley, Rayford Hutcherson, Larry Gillispie, Lloyd West, and Doyle Collins.

The "C" group consisted of Ronnie Smith, Harvey Kennedy, Jimmy Morrison, Julius Stevens, Duke Frisbie, Roy Coleman and Don Stewart.

LOOKING AHEAD
February 9—Twirp Party
February 7-8-9-10—Band Convention at Galveston
February 15-16-17—Junior High Tournament
February 15-16-16—District Tournament, Boys and Girls at McLean.

CLUB MEETING
Due to the cancellation of the Cue and Curtain meeting last week another meeting is scheduled to-night at 7:15 in the Senior room. After the regular business session, which will be presided over by Scotty Grundy. The program will consist of a talk on the National Thespan Society by Ann Spoon.

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Editorial

LOCAL SITUATION

During the past few days, we have heard several of our local merchants remarking that recent business has been at its lowest ebb in several years.

In talking this over with various citizens around the community, some have laid the cause to the recent cold weather spell. Others believe the chief cause to be the world situation which scares people from living normally. Still others expressed the belief that current high prices and the recently invoked price freeze and wage control law are causing the decrease in business.

Remembering these different opinions, we think back and also remember that at the recent Chamber of Commerce banquet a Dallas Chamber of Commerce officer for the Southwest District, told us that the best way to promote and help this community, this city, this area, was for each of us to do our own part!

You Can Help Too!

Well now, do we mean to say there is something you can do?

Most certainly that is what we do mean to say! First of all, let us believe in Memphis! Let us be convinced that we want prosperity and want to forge ahead.

With that in mind, as we go about our business each day, each part of a day, let's transact business as if we are glad to have it, let's make our customers glad they came in to trade with us.

After all, whether the world situation gets better or worse, we all are going to continue living and working . . . if we can go about our business happier and with a confident nature, that is one thing that everyone can do. And don't ever think that such a small thing can never help our city, our community . . . even your business!

A Second Thing To Do

As a second thing you can do as an individual . . . how many of you paid your poll tax this year? Well it's too late now if you didn't, but do you even know the name of your Federal representatives, your Congressman and your Senator? Oh, you know their names; well, have you ever taken the trouble to see how they vote on issues that concern you, concern our community, concern your state, your home town? Why not find out sometime . . . you might be surprised!

Also, who is your state congressman and senator . . . you know there is an awfully lot of legislation that takes place down in Austin that some people seem to take for granted and instead are concerned over the National government.

It's Up To You

Find out how your representative and senator vote in matters concerning this area . . . if you are against them . . . do something about it . . . write or wire them and tell them you disagree with their vote . . . after all your vote is what got those men their jobs and it can take it away from them next election . . . that is if you paid your poll tax . . . and take the trouble to vote!!!

Public opinion . . . made up of thousands, even millions of individuals, is what shapes the destiny of our democratic system.

You are proud of our democratic system aren't you? Well, why not do your part to help keep it? By doing that, you not only help your government, you help your country, your state, your city and this community . . . and that in turn helps everyone's business, including yours.

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Press Paragraphs— QUOTING OUR NEIGHBORS

Are You Supporting The PTA?

Parents need to follow closely the progress of their children in the classroom. The public in general needs to be acquainted with the workings in their local school system.

Better mutual understanding of the troubles the problem student faces, the troubles other students face, come about through close association of parents and teachers.

Too Late

Many times students are doing unsatisfactory work, have poor attendance records, unsatisfactory classroom attitudes for some time with parents never learning of this difficulty until too late to remedy the condition.

The Parent-Teacher Association is a means of getting this better understanding and closer cooperation between parents, the students, the general public on one hand and teachers and the school administration on the other.

As a means of serving the school in many fields an active PTA is an asset to the community. Citizens have an obligation to become acquainted with school problems and parents have a double obligation to do so.

—Tribune, Morton, Tex.

A Community Asset

February, a month of notable birthdays, sees the celebration of a "birthday" in which Americans properly join. Boy Scout Week, Feb. 6 to 12, reminds us that one of America's largest youth organizations has reached another milestone.

The Boy Scouts of America has reached its forty-first anniversary. Since Feb. 8, 1910, more than 17,750,000 American boys and men have been influenced by the Scout Oath and Law. They have benefited by using their leisure-time energies in outdoor living and activities of cultural and practical values which lead boys to become dependable men.

Training

Today over 2,750,000 boys and

men are actively enrolled in over 75,000 different units. Fortunate indeed are communities where Scouting flourishes. A man of good character give generously of their time to give leadership. Others help by raising funds and are members of Local Boy Scout Councils which in turn provide training for leaders, camp facilities, worthwhile year-round activities, personal advancement and opportunities for Scouts to render community service.

In celebration of this birthday, the Boy Scouts are engaged in a nationwide clothing collection to meet emergency needs abroad, are stepping up their training for Civil Defense and are promoting greater interest in conserving the nation's natural resources.

May you have many more happy birthdays, Boy Scouts!
—The Miami Chief

"Meat Nightmare"

"If the government wants to develop black markets, putting or meat ceilings is the quickest way I know."
"Honestly, I'd like to get out of the meat business at a time like this."

These remarks are taken from a long, front-page feature article in a recent issue of the Wall Street Journal, called "Meat Nightmare." The men quoted are both retail meat dealers—one, an executive of a supermarket chain, the other the owner of a small butcher shop. And their remarks are typical of those made to Journal reporters in 13 U. S. cities.

Reason

What is the reason for this view? Here is how the article explains it: "It's a matter of memory. They claim few Federal rules have ever had a better claim to the title of 'most violated law' than World War II's meat 'controls.' Reflecting how a hoard of black marketers drained meat from the hands of legitimate dealers who did try to stick to the law, they held that few statutes have

ever so penalized those who tried to observe them."

Remember

"Official record backs them up. In February of 1946, at the tail end of the OPA era, a Senate committee surveyed retail stores in 11 cities from coast to coast and found five out of six charging above-ceiling prices. With the black markets diverting meat from normal channels, the Bureau of Labor Statistics made a similar check of retail counters and found: 85 per cent had no veal; more than 80 per cent were without pork loins, ham or bacon; almost 70 per cent had no beef or lamb."

Millions of consumers also will remember that era when the black marketeer prospered, and most of us went without our fair share of the meat. Let's not have history repeat itself in this case!
—Foard County News

SINGING SAMMY

Lubbock—Sammy Baugh, West Texas rancher and professional football star, has been named to the Texas Technological College Foundation Board of Directors, Chairman C. T. McLaughlin announced.

Democrat Want Ads P-A-Y!

Memories

Turning Back Time 25 Years

From
The Democrat Files

25 Years Ago

Thursday, March 4, 1926

THREE SAFES STOLEN HERE DURING WEEK—Three safes were stolen from local business houses of this city this week on Monday night, all of which have been found. A safe from the Kelly Filling station, containing about \$70 in cash and \$200 in checks was taken through the front door after the glass had been broken and the night latch opened. The other safes taken were from the Seago and Simmons gin and from L. Holt plumbing company.

MEMPHIS TO GET GAS SUPPLY BY 6-INCH PIPE LINE—Contractors bidding on various parts of the pipe line to run from Shamrock to Vernon, inform us that a 12-inch pipe line starts north of Shamrock, runs one mile west of Wellington, comes within two miles of Quanah, whence a booster station will supply Acme, and goes on directly to Vernon.

NEW OVERLAND AGENTS—Joe C. and Ray Webster signed a

contract last Friday as local agents for the Overland and White Knight automobiles. The Overland agency was established in Memphis only a few months ago.

HEADLINES IN THE DEMOCRAT—"Harmony Club Gives Musical Friday Night," "Hedley in Car Hit by Train Sunday Night," "Business Men Believe Scouting as a Factor in Citizenship Development," "Pageant of the Presbyterian Church is First Exhibit at Fat Stock Show," "Coca Cola Business Better," "J. A. Whaley Buys Land," "STRICTLY PERSONAL"—Mr. Mrs. B. T. Prewitt of Estelle were visitors here first of the week . . . Miss Lois Williams was here visiting in Amarillo, who has been visiting in the Cowmen's Convention which is being held this week . . . The Woodmen Circle meets at Public Library every Wednesday afternoon 2:30. There will be gifts for members. All members urged to present.

20 Years Ago

Friday, July 24, 1931

NEW FOOTBALL FIELD IS SECURED—Football enthusiasts will witness all home games on the Cyclone grid schedule this year within the city limits, Frank Phelan, member of the Memphis Athletic Council announced this week. A new field is being put in order south of the grandstand at Fair Park.

NEW PAVING AT TURKEY OPENS WITH PARTY—A number of Memphis people attended the celebration at Turkey last Friday night commemorating the opening of five blocks of paving through the heart of the business district of this city.

ROBBERS ACTIVE HERE SATURDAY—Three local business houses were entered by robbers early last Saturday morning between midnight and six o'clock and money stolen. The City Feed Store, Rube's Coffee Shop and Orr's Studio and Gift Shop were all broken into.

HEADLINES IN THE DEMOCRAT—"Free Clinic To Be Held Here Next Week," "Watson Funeral Is Held At Childress," "Fishes Holding Estelline Revival," "Byrle Beach Will Run Camp Ground," "Estelline Post Office Entered; Make Cash Haul," "Farmers Union Will Handle Diamond 760 Motor Oils, Grand

PROMOTED

CLARK AFB—Recently promoted to the grade of colonel in the U. S. Army, was William V. Harber, of Childress, Director of Armament for Philippines Command (Air Force) and Thirteenth Air Force on Clark Air Force Base in Central Luzon.

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GRAND CHAMPION WINNER—John Luther Byars of Lakeview stands with his Grand Champion steer as Judge Frank Wendt, Vernon County Agent, studies the calf. Byars placed winners in two divisions for Grand Champion honors at the recent Fat Stock show.

groups will have to share in the "holding down" of spending. Economists point out, too, that a general sales tax would not penalize lower-income people any more than the more well-to-do, if food purchases were exempted.

RUBBER OUTLOOK—Despite a 28 per cent government cutback in the use of new rubber during January and February, the industry outlook still is on the optimistic side, barring all-out war. James J. Newman, vice president of the B. F. Goodrich Company, says enough rubber will be available this month and next to produce as many passenger-car tires as in November and December. The Akron executive pointed out that 1950 production of passenger-car tires exceeded 1949 by more than 12 million units and reflected a record-high volume of sales. Unless there is further trouble in the Far Eastern rubber-growing areas, Newman said, this American rubber, together with available supplies of crude rubber, should make it possible to meet all military requirements and all essential civilian requirements for rubber, including tires, during 1951.

THINGS TO COME—For harmonica players, a professional-sounding horn harmonica, capable of producing such special effects as train sounds, mutes and violin sounds; the effects are amplified by a molded-on, lightweight plastic horn 3 7/8 inches in length, containing six holes and 12 reeds. . . . Glamor-type eyebrow tweezers of nickel or gold plate, capable of painless "extractions" . . . For restaurateurs and food store operators, a bulk orange squeezer capable of squeezing 24 oranges a minute; a pump also available if the operator wants to pipe the juice to a serving counter. . . . A window fan that can control ventilation better by reversing itself at the flick of a switch. . . . A new type of metallic printing ink—used in a silver effect on a top magazine's cover this month—has a vinyl-resin base that gives it exceptionally affinity to the paper; that is, it won't rub off.

BITS O' BUSINESS—Retail furniture dealers visiting the big mid-winter markets in Chicago bought extensively despite the fact that in most cases their inventories back home are plentiful. They did it also in the face of an officially predicted 50 per cent cut in home building this year. . . . American business men in Europe detect a heartening change of attitude there in recent weeks with respect to those nations' willingness to put up a real fight in the face of the threat from the East. The Eisenhower visit is doing much to stiffen backbones there. . . . The World's longest natural gas pipeline has just reached New York City. It comes 1,840 miles, originating in the Rio Grande Valley in Texas. It cost \$240 million, will bring 250 million cubic feet of gas a day, and is expected to save the city's utilities some \$15 million a year in operating expenses (because, for one thing, it's hotter than manufactured gas).

Newly commissioned medical officers of the Navy now receive a 24-week basic course in Naval medicine.

More than 2,000 job opportunities exist in 84 scientific and technical fields at 60 naval activities located throughout the country.

PLASKA

By MRS. W. L. NABERS

Visiting in the Rex Rae home last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Sid Gray and children of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Kermet Evans of Ashtola, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. White, field and Mr. and Mrs. Hub Holt and children.

Mrs. T. E. Lenoir is visiting in Monte Vista, Colo., with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Henderickson.

Linda, Jane and Ann Orr of Wellington spent the week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Orr.

Mrs. W. L. Nabers and Mrs. W. C. Whitefield spent Friday with Mrs. J. Keonmeyer, Erlene Foster spent Friday night with Billy Hartwell and attended the ball game in Memphis.

Mrs. Rae Welch spent Friday with her sister, Mrs. John Province. Mrs. Clair Ellis is in Friona where her father is ill. John Province reported sick this week.

Mrs. W. C. Whitefield visited with Mrs. J. W. Oliver Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Cotton Brown of Childress and Mr. and Mrs. Elwen Pate visited with Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Nabers, Monday.

Mrs. W. L. Nabers spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. H. A. Hodges. Last week, Harry Marks visited his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hodges.

Mrs. John Holcomb returned home after spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Burnett.

Mr. and Mrs. John Murdock went to Amarillo Tuesday where their daughter-in-law Mrs. Pinnie Murdock, is in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Galloway and Mrs. Gray visited Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McWhorther Sunday.

Brother Jenkins and his wife had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Doil Hall, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hodges and Robert Allen visited in Memphis Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Marks.

Spending Sunday with Mrs. Martha Howard were Mr. and Mrs. Welton Root, Mr. and Mrs. Worth Howard, Mr. and Mrs. William Lovender and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Howard.

Mrs. Bula Nase was admitted to a local hospital Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McMaster visited in Lakeview Sunday at her brother's home, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Beavers.

Mrs. S. A. Harwell visited with Mrs. J. W. Oliver Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Palmer and children of Shamrock spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Carol Hignight.

The freshly laundered sweater should be pressed after it dries to give it that new look, but using the usual sliding motion for pressing will stretch the knitted material. To prevent this, pick the iron up and set it down gently to press the sweater.

First take-off from a ship in Naval aviation was made on Nov. 14, 1910, by Eugene Ely.

SPORTS AFIELD

By Ted Kesting

Ecology—do you know what that word means? Louis Bromfield says you sportsmen must learn it if you expect to have any future hunting and fishing in this country. Ecology means simply the study of how man can live with nature to the greatest possible advantage in terms of health, prosperity and general welfare. No group is as able to prove how this can be done as farmers and sportsmen.

It is only recently that much attention has been paid to the ecological problems of nature in the United States. But now we realize that ecology begins at home on the individual farm. We know that the prosperous farmer is one who avoids erosion, does not pasture his woodlands, keeps the rainfall where it belongs—on his own land—and makes provisions for fish and wildlife as well as for his own livestock.

The farmer or landowner who uses ecology as the guide in planning his farm activities will benefit in profits and welfare, and provide sports and pleasure for hundreds, not only on his own farm, but elsewhere in the neighborhood, since any well-managed farm is a breeding island for all sorts of game that eventually spread out into the surrounding areas.

In 1939, Bromfield took over five farms in north-central Ohio, all in very poor condition. Today after 11 years, the landscape is no longer recognizable. The woods and pastures which were made bare by animals that were starving because what they ate contained so little nourishment, have become again something resembling the magnificent original hardwood forests of Ohio. The bare, often

Childress PO Gains In 1950 Receipts

Postal receipts in Childress showed 121 per cent increase in December along with 64 other Texas cities showing 10 per cent or more gain over 1949.

Postal receipts in 1950 for the 64 cities totaled \$48,838,467. Other near cities with large increases were Plainview with 94 per cent and Pampa with 84 per

cent gain. gullied surfaces of the old lots are once again green.

Bromfield writes: In our own case with a very small expenditure of time, work and money, we have been able to increase enormously crop yields, control pests, stop erosion, improve the landscape, raise healthier crops and livestock, and immensely increase the population of fish and wildlife.

Quail rival sparrows in number, pheasants and rabbits are a nuisance when cutting hay and necessitate the use of a flushing bar on the mower to avoid injuring or killing them. Ducks and occasionally wild geese pay us visits. Raccoons, squirrels and 'possums abound.

We have derived pleasure, profit and all the delights known to the nature lover by just a little effort in the pattern of that sixty-four dollar question "ecology."

Democrat Advertising Pays

Farm Incomes Drop in 1950

Farm cash income in Texas totaled \$1,622,553,000 in 1950, sliding 13 per cent from \$1,860,722,000 in 1949, the Bureau of Business Research reported.

Farmers in the Black and Grand Prairies had the largest dollar income in 1950—\$255,280,000. The Southern High Plains with \$245,461,000 and Red Bed Plains with \$219,545,000 ranked second and third.

All crop-reporting districts, except three, reported yearly declines in farm cash income in 1950. Increases were in Edwarls Plateau, 22 per cent; Trans-Pecos, 13 per cent; and Coastal Prairies, 3 per cent.

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Behind The Scenes In Washington

NEW YORK, Jan. 22—Obviously the biggest financial question of the year is: where is that additional \$16.5 billion of tax revenue going to come from? Nobody is disposed to quibble for a moment over spending whatever it takes to do the military job confronting the nation, but income tax rates—both individual and corporate—already

have reached the point where raising the rates probably would mean actually less net return. The Biddle Survey cites a hypothetical case showing that a business head making \$30,000 a year and owning 60 per cent of his company's stock would actually be able to add only \$359 to his own net income if he managed to raise his company's yearly earnings by \$20,000; that is, from \$100,000 to \$120,000. It adds that, unfortunately, this is not an extreme example.

So attention is turning once again to the possibility of a general sales tax—a tax on all retail transactions. Traditionally this type of tax has been bitterly opposed as hitting hardest the lower-income groups, but in a time of dire danger of inflation, those

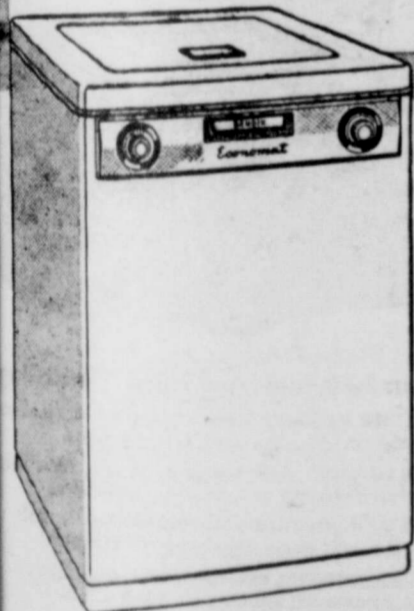
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Dodge Trucks Go On Display Here Saturday

Increased power, new styling, better brakes, improved steering, more driver comfort, and newly designed shock absorbers are among the 50 features of the new B-3 series of Dodge "Job-Rated" trucks which will be introduced here Saturday at the Hickey Motor Co.

Horsepower increases in some of the eight engines powering the new Dodge truck line range as high as 20 per cent. Gross vehicle weight ratings in the new trucks range from 4,250 to 40,000 pounds and gross combination ratings range up to 60,000 pounds.

More Power, Economy
Higher governor settings, redesigned fuel pumps, "hotter" spark plugs with improved moisture-proofing, larger-capacity generators, a new high-torque starting motor, and more efficient cooling systems are among engine improvements which provide the new line with greater power and economy.

A major engineering development for easier riding and better handling are the new Oriflow shock absorbers introduced in the 1/2-, 3/4-, and 1-ton models. Featuring an entirely new design and valving system, they provide better ride control on all road surfaces.

Brakes have been improved on all models. All brake cylinders now are anodized for positive protection against destructive rust and corrosion. A new Cyclebond molded tapered lining was developed to give the brakes smoother, more positive action, and to reduce the tendency to grab or squeal. The new lining is now used on all models not equipped with air brakes from the 1 1/2-ton up.

Loading heights are even lower than before on all models from the 1/2-ton through the 2-ton. This was accomplished by redesigning the rear springs.

Twin Carburetion
A far-reaching development in the new Dodge higher-tonnage trucks is that the power and economy benefits of twin carburetion



HICKEY MOTOR COMPANY TO SHOW DODGE - - More than 50 new features have been built into the new "Job-Rated" Dodge trucks which will be on display here Saturday, to provide faster, safer and more economical hauling of larger payloads. The new line ranges from 4,250 to 40,000 pounds gross vehicle weight. Normal ratings range from one-half to four tons.

and twin exhaust—already proved in the Y (4-ton) model—are now provided on the R (2 3/4-ton), T (3-ton), and V (3 1/2-ton) models. Engine output on these trucks has been greatly increased—from 106 to 125.5 net horsepower on the R model, and from 111.5 to 134.5 net horsepower on the T and V models. The result is higher average load speeds, faster hill climbing, greater economy, and less driver fatigue through reduced gear shifting. Greater axle capacities for higher GVW and GCW ratings are announced on many models.

New styling on all models features a new grille formed by two large horizontal louvers. A new "Job-Rated" medallion is centered in the grille beneath the redesigned Dodge nameplate. Wrap around bumpers give the fenders more protection.

Thicker seat pad cushions and re-contoured seat backs provide greater comfort for the driver. Instruments are arranged in a cluster on the dash. Driver visibility has been increased by lowering the front of the hood line. The windshield wipers have been repositioned to cover a more usable area and to lay closer to the base of the windshield when not in use.

VD Disease Record High Over State

State Health Officer George W. Cox reveals an average of 98 venereal disease cases were uncovered each day of 1950.

Venereal diseases far outnumbered any other of the eighteen other communicable infections reported in the state, with the single exception of influenza.

Statistical records kept by the state health agency show a sharp reduction in syphilis rates, but gonorrhea cases have remained almost constant, with 1950 showing a slight increase over 1949.

Dr. Cox said it indicates a "large segment of the people are not aware of the seriousness of gonorrhea infections, or else they're indifferent to their own health and that of others."

"It is a common misconception that gonorrhea is a minor ailment, when the truth of the matter is that it's a serious disease, capable of causing permanent body damage."
The annual meeting of the Southern Agricultural Workers' Association will be held in Memphis, Tennessee, February 5-7, 1951.

Pioneer Dies At Childress

William Henry "Bill" Thaten, 65-year old retired business man and pioneer of Hall and Childress counties, died Saturday night at his home in Childress.

Mr. Thaten had been ill for several weeks. He came to Childress in the early 1900's and entered the contracting business and built the first concrete sidewalks in Childress and several of the town's business buildings.

He also constructed buildings in other towns in this area including the courthouse at Claude.

Mr. Thaten also was in the bakery business for several years and owned bakeries in Memphis, Wellington, Turkey and Quannah. At the time of his death he owned several business houses in Childress, farms near Tell and land in Moore County and other property throughout the state.

He is survived by his wife, two sisters and a brother. Burial was in the Childress cemetery.

Cadet Ainsman Wins School Distinction

Cadet Sheldon Ainsman, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Ainsman, 615 South 8th street, has qualified for the dean's special distinction list for the first semester at Lexington Military Academy, Lexington, Mo., where he is attending school.

Major Dallas C. Buck, Lexington dean, declared that only superior students qualify for this distinction. Cadets must have above average grades in all subjects and top grades in at least two fields. No cadet may be considered for major academic awards until his scholastic work qualifies him for an honor citation by the dean.

Two of the outstanding fights will be between the Lefors winner of the high school Golden Gloves district winner in Amarillo and Gene Baird of Wellington, and between Lefors' middleweight Newson and Wellington's Dan Jameson.

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Phillips Cagers Make Cyclones

After sinking the first free throw, the Phillips Blackhawks moved to an early lead which they never relinquished and defeated the Memphis Cyclones 62-42 here last Friday night.

The Cyclones managed to tie the Blackhawks twice in the last quarter but could never forge ahead. Fisher pitched in 21 points while the Phillips cagers while Andy Grundy sank 15 for the Cyclones.

Phillips led 15 to 9 the first quarter, 31 to 25 at the half and 59 at the third quarter.

Thriller

An earlier B game proved a more exciting contest as the lead changed hands several times and in the last 3 minutes found both teams tied with Phillips sinking three points in the final seconds to win 40 to 36.

Wainwright tossed in 13 points for the Phillips B squad while D. Frisbie sank 8 for the Cyclones.

This was the second victory over the Cyclones for the Phillips this year.

Hay May Lose Vitamin Content

Livestock producers who feed a heavy diet of hay during the winter months were given some vitamin advice today by the American Foundation for Animal Health.

Hay often loses its Vitamin A content, especially if it has been stored for more than a year, the Foundation reports. When this happens, cattle, horses and swine are more subject to vitamin deficiency problems.

Symptoms

"Symptoms of Vitamin A deficiency in cattle may include dull hair, a stilted gait, night blindness and the 'stocking' of the legs. In sheep, the legs are likely to give birth to stillborn or 'wobbly' calves. Some of these calves are also born weak and are more subject to scouring," the bulletin states.

In horses, the most common signs of Vitamin A deficiency are blindness and unnatural development. Foals may be weak or stillborn.

Shows which lack Vitamin A may show farrow stillborn, blind or weak pigs. Abnormalities may show up too—including cleft palates, feet and poor coordination.

The best way to assure an adequate supply of Vitamin A, veterinarians agree, is to supply an optimum intake of green alfalfa hay, green grass in season, dehydrated alfalfa meal and yellow corn. Farmers should take precautions to put up hay that is green and nutritious and not store for too long a period before using."

Marines to Open Officers School

The Marine Corps announced today its first Officer Candidates Course since World War II, which college graduates with no military experience may become officers.

Qualified graduates, or seniors at accredited colleges who will receive a baccalaureate degree this year other than in medicine, dentistry, or theology, and who are less than 27 years of age July 1, may write to the Commandant of the Marine Corps, Headquarters U. S. Marine Corps, Washington 25, D. C., for information.

Methodist to Note Mission Sunday

The local Methodist church is observing Mission Sunday, February 11, as Mission Sunday.

The needs of suffering humanity are great in the world today," said the Rev. Rollo Davidson, pastor of the church. He said, "The aggressiveness of godless ideologies is challenging to Christian service. The Advance for Christ is the answer. Methodism is giving to the world crisis today."

The Advance is a comprehensive program of educating the church-people on beliefs and policy of the church and showing their relationship to world needs today. Methodists are expected to give thirty million dollars over and above their regular mission giving during the quadrennium.

In the evening service at 7, a high-toned program will be shown entitled "The Life of St. Paul."

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Marcum and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morris were visitors in the T. D. Ward and Charlie Morris home Sunday.

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REPORT FROM WASHINGTON

From the Office of Congressman Walter Rogers

The big freeze to prevent runaway inflation is on. Our American economy is the richest productive mechanism the world has ever known. Now, the Government has placed this great economic machine under controls which will eventually reach down to its smallest cogs. The Mobilizers were given the order, "Get going! Clean up the details later." Basic reason for haste is the need to stabilize economy while mobilizing for defense.

Following the outbreak in Korea, the cost of living reached an all-time high and continued to rise sharply. These price increases added billions to the cost of the defense program and more billions to the cost of living of the general public. Holding prices on a broad front is being applied to stop the high trend toward continuous inflation. And, in the future, price-cost structures in various industries will be examined to determine where changes in the present set-up are appropriate. If we are to have successful stabilization, production and distribution controls must be effectively interwoven with price control. The proper medicine is being injected to stop the rise of the inflationary fever and bring it back to normal without permanent injury to our economy.

The Speaker of the House

The President invited the Texas Delegation to the White House to pay homage to our Speaker, Mr. Rayburn, who has now served in that capacity longer than any man in history. He has hurdled Henry Clay's time of service. After the President's congratulations, Speaker Rayburn thanked him, then spoke deeply of the "happiness" this occasion would give his family back in Texas. "There has never been a greater Speaker of the House and all fellow-Texans join his family in praise of this outstanding man who has worked so earnestly and served the Nation so loyally."

Letters

Congressman Rogers says in a letter to a constituent: "We cannot discount in the least the avowed intentions of the Soviet Union to control the world. We stand today as the leaders of the 'free peoples of the world and if we could be taken out of the path of Russia, world domination by Russia would be realized very shortly. I hope, and I'm sure other members of this congress hope that further fighting and world-wide conflict can be avoided by

this Nation flexing its muscles for the world to view. This, we intend to do as Russia no doubt now realizes, and I feel that the might we will exhibit will forestall further bloodshed and that the service of the young men in this country will be confined to their preparedness and will not extend to actual combat."

Another letter quoted: "I can assure you that there is a great deal of work going on here toward solving the international

problems—more than most people know. I do wish that everyone could see the actual work that is being done and I think they would appreciate and be able to discount much of the talk and rumors that seem to be going around. The program outlined is sound and will undoubtedly have its effect on stopping Russia. I hope this can be done without a Third World War and feel fairly sure it will be."

Rain

Folks who have long joked about asking Washington to do something about the weather may no longer find it a joke if a recent Bill introduced in Congress becomes law, and the Federal Government is asked to take a hand in the rainmaking business.

This Bill states there is no longer any doubt that cloud nucleation can be used to increase precipitation, and unless regulated and carefully planned, these artificial rainmakers might make storms and rain where not intended and cause damage. Well, maybe some day we'll be able to control those big dust clouds that sometimes ride in over the Panhandle and turn them into much needed rain when a drought threatens.

General Eisenhower

General Eisenhower, in his report at a joint meeting of Congress and the public held in the auditorium of the Library of Congress, gave factual information that is so necessary for a proper evaluation by the Congress. One impressive point was his reference to his first hand views of the low, low incomes and standards of living of the average citizen of Western Europe. We in this country still have so much Gal 2 Report from Washington to be thankful for. We do a lot of griping but when the chips are down no one can doubt the sincerity of purpose and the sound dependability of Mr. and Mrs. Average Citizen in our country.

Unity

Every inch gained in unity of purpose at home is equal to a gain of miles for our boys at the battle front.

Visitors

A recent visitor to Mr. Rogers' office was Elmer Tarbox, brother of the Lipscomb County Sheriff. Elmer will be remembered as a quite a star in athletics

Spelling Emphasis Needed In Schools

Decreased emphasis on spelling in elementary grades is causing a decline in high school students' spelling ability, Dr. Fred C. Ayer, University of Texas distinguished

professor of education administration, says.

Dr. Ayer discovered the decline in his 1950 national survey, similar to 1915 and 1925 investigations. In 1915, for example, 100 per cent of the ninth grade pupils tested spelled "trouble" right. In 1925, 95 per cent spelled it correctly, and in 1950 only 91 per cent could spell the word.

at Texas Tech. He is now in business at Lubbock and doing a wonderful job.

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REPORT FROM AUSTIN

By A. J. ROGERS
Rep., 121st. District

Two years ago the Legislature passed enabling legislation to permit Veterans to buy land with small down payments and low interest rates. The purchases were to be financed by a State bond issue. This plan cost the State no money and was also a great boon to many Texas ex-servicemen who wanted to own land, and could find no way to finance their desired purchases. As a whole, the program has been well received and quite successful—as far as it went. It had one great drawback. The bond issue, which was limited to \$25 million by a Constitutional Amendment, was sufficient to care for only a third of the veterans who wished to enter into the program.

Representative Cloyd Young, of Case County, is sponsor of a resolution which would provide for a new State bond issue of \$75 million more to help those ex-servicemen who were not able to take advantage of the original issue. Some appropriation is expected, and though opposition is also expected, the measure will probably pass.

A real fight has developed between the trucking business and the railroads. Both sides have often presented fair and reasonable arguments for their respective sides,

but now they seem to be trying mostly to punish each other for merely existing. It seems apparent that your 52nd Legislature will make some changes regarding truck load limits and safety regulations regarding trucks.

One big Legislative squabble has burst upon the members of the 52nd Session somewhat unexpectedly. Representative Ed Nimits, of Orange, Texas, has offered a bill to let children who become six years old by December 31st enter school in September with free tuition before their sixth birthday. The present law says children must be six by September 1st to enter school with free tuition in the fall of that particular year.

Many school administrators are fighting this legislation. The Panhandle Association of Administrators recently voted against the proposal. Many cities feel that the increased enrollment resulting from passage of such legislation would place an unbearable load on their school facilities—including teachers.

The arguments of those who favor the Nimitz bill have, for the most part, been discussed by parents for many years. I hope the interests of all may be served regarding this issue. Let me know what you think. If the Nimitz bill passes, you may help pay for more teachers, teaching facilities and school buildings.

In the near future a State Auditor's report is expected to reveal that several State supported Junior Colleges have been padding their enrollment audits to get more

Social Security Man To Be Here

A representative from the Amarillo office of Social Security Administration will be at the County Court House Tuesday at 11 a.m., to give assistance concerning social security matters.

Since the Social Security Amendments of 1950 were passed, claims receipts of the Amarillo office have increased approximately 300%, according to John R. Sanderson, manager.

This has been due in part, Sanderson said, to the protection provided in the new law for servicemen of World War II or to their survivors if the serviceman died while in the service or after his discharge.

The amendments provide old-age insurance wage credits at the rate of \$160 per month for each month of military service in World War II, just as though the serviceman had been working on a job covered by the Social Security Act. "The change in the law allowing these wage credits may now make a deceased serviceman fully insured and permit us to make payments to his widow, children or dependent parents," Sanderson said, "or may permit us to increase benefits they are already receiving."

No Steps
Sanderson explained that the 1950 Social Security Act Amendments do not in any instance affect the insured status of persons who died before September 1, 1950, unless the deceased was a serviceman of World War II, and only then where the deceased was survived by a widow, child or dependent parent who could become entitled to monthly benefits.

There are no steps that a living veteran needs to take at this time. Credits for World War II will be given on the social security account at the time the veteran reaches the age of 65 and retires, or at the time his survivors apply for benefits. Survivors of deceased servicemen should contact the Amarillo social security office to ascertain if they may be eligible for benefits.

NAVAL COMMISSIONS
Naval reserve commissions in 12 categories are now open for qualified male and female civilians and Naval Reservists. Full information on the officer procurement program is available from office of naval officer procurement at 1114 Commerce st., Dallas.

The Bureau of Naval Personnel has pointed out that women line ensigns will normally not be assigned to overseas billets.

than their share of State money.

Representative Omar Briggs, Jr. received a post card from one of his constituents which sets some kind of record, and this is a quote: "Will you please raise my pension like you promised at _____ as Hadacol is a mite expensive and we need the money—also I want you to pass a law abolishing state taxes—yours truly."

All of the members wish it were possible to comply with at least the latter part of this request, but it seems that we with other states and the nation as well, Texas and taxes must walk hand in hand.

From Washington:

ZEKE SEZ

By Nugent E. (Zeke) Brown

Washington, D. C. (Special)—So much is happening so fast these days it is hard to write only a few lines and cover top news events.

Biggest story of the week here was the price freeze order on all goods and services, issued by Price Administrator Mike DiSalle. A wage-freeze order also was issued but was being broken down soon after. Biggest shock was that no roll-backs were made at first. Lets hope they will come later. Who wants to pay a dollar a dozen for eggs when the producer got only 40 cents of the dollar?

BEST KNOWN
Sam Rayburn, best-known Texan in this world capital, made a new record Tuesday when he passed the old record of tenure in the office of Speaker of the Congress. Henry Clay, away back, 1811-1825, served 3056½ days in the job, according to the record. Sam Rayburn filled his 3057th day in the job Tuesday of this week with at least 23 more months ahead of him, or until January 1, 1953. Around here they told again the old story of how Sam Rayburn, as a lad of 15, rode horseback 12 miles to hear old Joseph Weldon Bailey (then US senator) deliver one of his oratorical classics. Many persons in Texas today vividly recall Joe Bailey's great speeches. Speaker Sam now says, "I am one man in public life who is satisfied, who has achieved every ambition of his youth." The bald-headed Sam attended Texas University, then served in the Texas Legislature, becoming speaker of it, and came on to Congress in 1913 from his blackland district around Bonham and Greenville. He lives the life of a happy bachelor and seldom attends any social function. His work here has been marked by his abiding faith in his party and its elected leaders. He is a patient man but he sometimes gets annoyed at the "moaners and groaners" as one local writer says. Congressman Joe Martin of Massachusetts, leader of the Republicans in the House, says: "No man could be elected time after time, as Sam Rayburn has, unless he was a parliamentarian par excellence. Those are virtues which we have in our Speaker. He has courage and firm-

ness to do that which is right."

STORY

One of the most far-reaching stories of the week here so far as our farmers are concerned in these hurly burly times is a proposed plan to consolidate the work of some of the major agencies in the U. S. Department of Agriculture on a county level. Backed by Chairman Ellender of the Senate agriculture committee, this plan would put the work of the PMA and SCS under the same committee of farmers in each county. Everyone admits there has been much jealousy and friction between these two agencies, beginning at the Washington headquarters level. The SCS has built up a far-reaching public relations section with even the county unit conservationists spending much time writing "press releases" for the local papers. The PMA has no such press set-up but its local administrators have had the important job of making the soil conservation payments, thus effecting strong ties with farmers, with farm-committees to pass all payments after approval of practices. The plan is so far in the hatching stage, and details need to be worked out and final approval must yet come from Secretary Charles Brannon. The farm Home Administration set-up will not be affected until the law is changed. This SCS-PMA consolation can be done

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without a new law, it is reported here.

HAIR-CUTS

Barbers here are charging \$1.25 for a hair-cut. This is most of the union shops voted for the raise two weeks ago. Barbers in a shop operated in the office building for Congress hope to increase their price from 50 to 75 cents since the barbers in the Senate upped their price to 75 cents for employes. Senators get theirs free but their employes have to pay.

We went down to Mineral and Palo Pinto two weeks ago to see our Palo Pinto County Star was getting along under the Dalrymples. They are transplanted Washingtonians who leased our paper two years ago. They are going over big with the readers. Sure dry down there. Made us homesick! We'll be seeing you, folks.

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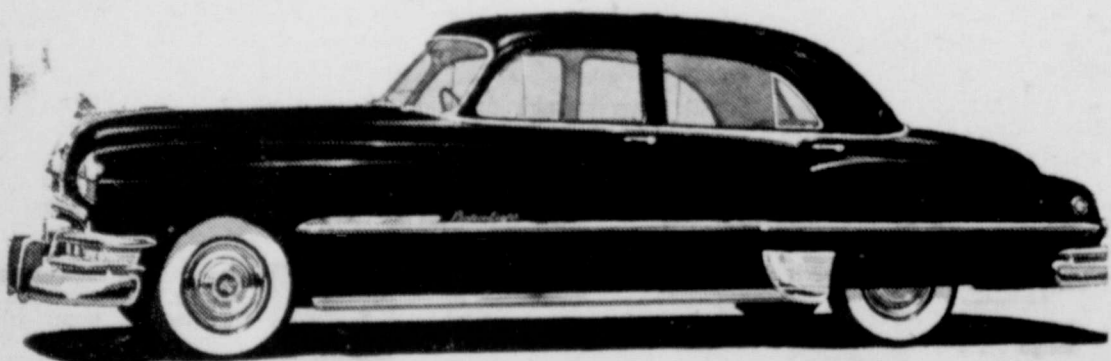
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Mail and Farewell!
 Harry's a winsome lass,
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 comes and stays
 long enough
 to tell us
 thoughts of early spring
 petals, sweet to smell,
 as flippancy as anything,
 bids us fond farewell.
 (Tilly Longhorn)

Month of February, we are
 tossed into the calendar
 the reform element in
 Rome. The word stems
 "februum" meaning some
 purifying agent. However,
 is by origin more of a
 agent, a gadget, a sort
 absorber in the scheme,
 and contracting to make
 year mesh with the uni-

February's a lengthy word,
 month itself is short.
 Woodchuck Day, it's chuck
 activities of every sort.

Mardi Gras and Lent be-
 Valentine's Day
 ivers and friends
 greetings comic and gay.

year, during the month of
 New Orleans stages a
 festival, the last social
 before the sober season of
 carnivals. This mid-winter
 carnival is a riotous
 affair, with floats and
 bands, and elegant balls.
 However, due to the
 of war, Mardi Gras has
 been canceled.

Mardi Gras is canceled,
 still Valentine's Day. The
 of St. Valentine's Day
 the days B. C. when the
 of the month of Febru-
 devoted to the Lupercalia,
 festival and feasting
 Pan and Juno. These
 eries were dear to the
 arts, then came Christian-
 a toning down of the
 ibration. St. Valentine,
 priest, didn't enter the
 mail the third century
 so far as anyone knows,
 connection between this
 man and the festival is
 a martyr's death on
 24. Thereafter, that date
 Valentine's Day when love
 exchanged. Comic val-
 are reminiscent of the
 worn by the Roman
 and the cupids are mes-
 of love as was the boy-

and ingenious,
 and good will
 in this month years ago
 and Buffalo Bill.
 festivals and Ground,
 are not enough for one
 February boasts the
 of two saints, two states-

men, an inventor, a writer, a
 singer and an Indian fighter. Gen.
 George Washington, father of
 democracy. (Feb. 22, 1732);
 Thomas Alva Edison, tireless in-
 ventor (Feb. 11, 1847); William
 F. Buffalo Bill) Cody, Indian scout
 and showman extraordinaire (Feb.
 25, 1873) and two saints, St.
 Bridget, beloved Irish clergyman
 and St. Matthias complete the list
 of notables born this month.

Nor can we do justice to Febru-
 ary without paying our respects
 to his nibs, Mr. Groundhog. Call
 him what you will, groundhog,
 woodchuck, whistle pig or "sif-
 fleur" as the French Canadians
 have dubbed him because of his
 penchant for sitting erect on his
 mound of dirt and whistling. By
 any name, he is still a dignified,
 portly, ground-dwelling rodent, a
 first cousin to the squirrel and the
 prairie dog and as familiar to the
 northeastern farmers as the Sears-
 Roebuck catalogue. He likes nothing
 better than to be left alone to
 finish his long winter's nap which
 lasts from four to six months. As
 to the fable about his seeing his
 shadow February 2, it is doubtful
 if he could be roused from his
 sweet slumber that early in the
 spring but it makes a likely story.
 Besides, looking for shadows, we
 must hasten to plant potatoes,
 prune trees, set hens and so make
 ready for the bonnie maiden with
 violets in her hair. To February,
 hail and farewell!

Send Valentines and celebrate
 Plant potatoes and prune trees.
 Next month will be too late
 For chores such as these.

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VET PROBLEMS AND ANSWERS

Q—Yesterday a salesman came around selling subscriptions to a veterans' magazine which he said was endorsed by VA. Is that true?

A—No. VA has never endorsed any magazine or other publication. The salesman was misrepresenting the facts and should be reported to the proper authorities.

Q—I just received a small inheritance and I'd like to pay my GI home loan in full. Is that permissible?

A—Yes. All GI loans may be paid off ahead of the due date, without fee or penalty on the veteran's part.

Q—I am conducting a GI job training program in my commercial garage, and I want to increase the wage scale of the trainees. How do I go about it?

A—Notify the State Approving Agency in your State. That agency in turn, will inform VA of the new wage scale, so that GI assistance allowance payments can be adjusted accordingly.

Q—My husband, a World War II veteran, died recently. What will happen to the GI loan he obtained for our house?

A—You may take over his GI loan contract and keep making payments on your home under its terms.

Q—I am a World War II veteran who lost a leg in service. Last summer I applied for an automobile under the "cars for amputees" law that limited the cost to \$1,600. But I had to go back to the hospital and never received the car. I did receive a certificate of authorization from VA. May I use the certificate now, under the new law that allows VA to pay \$1,600 toward a car that costs more?

A—Yes.
 Q—Is it necessary to include in a GI loan contract a specific provision barring racial or religious restrictions on the sale or occupancy of the property?

A—No. The provision in the mortgage that VA regulations shall be a part of the contract is sufficient. One of the regulations bars restrictive covenants.

Q—I am a World War II veteran and received an honorable discharge from the Navy in January, 1948. Shortly afterwards, I re-enlisted. If I leave service before the end of the GI Bill unemployment allowance program on July 25, 1952, will I be eligible for this benefit after my discharge?

A—The law states that veterans must apply for unemployment or self-employment allowances within two years after July 25, 1947 or date of discharge, whichever is later. You are bound by your 1948 discharge, for that date marked the end of your World War II

service. Hence your eligibility for the allowances ended two years after that date, or in January, 1950.

Q—My entitlement for GI Bill training will run out just three weeks before I finish my semester. Is it true that VA will let me finish the semester anyhow?

A—So long as your entitlement carries you past the mid-point of a term, quarter or semester, you will be permitted to complete that term, quarter or semester even though you have no remaining entitlement.

Q—Does the law extending VA out-patient medical care to Spanish-American War veterans also allow them private hospital care at VA expense?

A—No. The law specifically

limits the benefits to out-patient treatment.

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Society News

Homemakers Sunday School Class Entertains With Family Dinner Thurs.

Members of the Homemakers Sunday School Class honored their families with a dinner on Thursday evening, February 1. The affair was held in the basement of the First Baptist Church.

After Mrs. Byron Baldwin gave the invocation, 23 families were served hen and dressing, giblet gravy, cranberry sauce, candied potatoes, green beans, relishes, hot rolls, candied apples, whipped cream, coffee and hot chocolate from a Valentine buffet table.

The children were entertained in the beginners department while Mrs. Edwin Smith, Jr., president of the class, presided over a program for the adults. Greetings were brought by Mrs. Byron Baldwin, the teacher, and Mrs. H. Smith, superintendent of the adult department.

Mrs. R. E. Clark gave a most inspiring and thought provoking devotional on "Our Hearts." Mrs. A. L. Gailley, at the piano, played several national anthems including those of China, Russia, England, France and concluded her offerings with our own "Star Spangled Banner."

After some inspirational thought brought by Rev. Shahan, Mrs. Baldwin concluded the program with prayer.

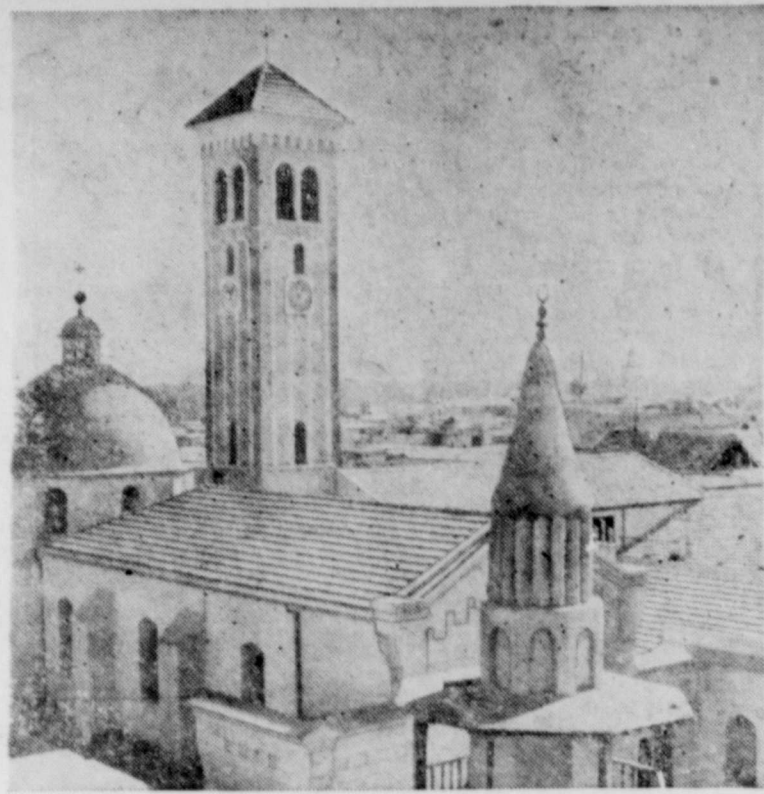
Assisting Mrs. Ted Barnes with arrangements were Mrs. G. T. Gil-

lespie, Mrs. W. Middleton, Mrs. Noel Calloway and Mrs. Edwin Smith Jr.

Enjoying this affair were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Barnes, Jo Beth and Teddy Jay; Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Bradley, Jerry and Eddie; Mr. and Mrs. W. Middleton, Beverley and Marvin; Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Gillespie, Larry, Dudley and Gary; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Godfrey, Linda; Mrs. Rachel Jones and Mary Jane; Mr. and Mrs. Ace Gailey, Don and Dwight; Mrs. Dewey Hawkins, Dwight, Rodney and Gary; Mrs. Henderson Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Odum, Jr., Jo Ann and James Adrian.

Also Mrs. Billy Thompson and Billy Ed; Mrs. Estelle Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Noel D. Calloway, Carol, Jimmie and Coby; Rev. and Mrs. Roy Shahan; Miss Louella Eades, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hill, Jerry and Kay; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moss, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Gentry, Paula, Shari and Gary; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Goffinett and Dan; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Phillips and Barry; Mrs. E. E. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Baldwin and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin A. Smith Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Yarbrough of Plainview visited here with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Yarbrough.



CONTRAST . . . A Christian church steeple and dome (left) and a Moslem minaret stand side by side in Damascus, Syria—symbol of city's significance in two religions.

Carmen Sommers Weds R. Barnett In Memphis Rites

Carmen Sommers and Rial Barnett were united in marriage in an impressive ceremony at the Baptist parsonage on Saturday afternoon, January 20, at 3:00 o'clock with Rev. Ray Shahan pastor of the First Baptist Church officiating.

For her wedding the bride chose a gray suit of complemented by black accessories and a corsage of pink carnations.

Attending the wedding were Mrs. Stella Jones of Memphis, mother of the bride, E. C. Barnett of Lakeview, father of the groom and Mrs. B. F. Davis of Lakeview, the groom's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnett will make their home at Lakeview where the groom is engaged in farming.

Wesley S. S. Class Meets in Home of Mrs. J. L. Barnes

The Daughters of the Wesley Sunday School Class met in regular session on Thursday, February 1, in the home of Mrs. J. L. Barnes with Mrs. Brice Webster and Mrs. D. A. Neeley as co-hostesses.

Mrs. W. F. McElreath, president, presided during the business session.

Seventeen members answered roll call with their favorites quotation on prayer.

Mrs. Chas. Webster gave an interesting report on "Our Faith in Prayer."

The hostess group served sandwiches, cookies and tea during the social hour to the following members: Mmes W. F. McElreath, Chas. Webster, Brice Webster, Albert Gerlach, Mary Lou Erwin, D. A. Neeley, A. S. Moss, Frank Wright, O. M. Gunstream, Myrtis Phelan, C. H. Compton, Bess Crump, G. M. Duren, D. S. Baker, Louie Goffinett, E. E. Roberts and J. L. Barnes.

Vota Vita Class Meets Thursday

The Vota Vita Class of the First Baptist Church met Thursday evening, February 1, at 7:00 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Georgia Forkner.

Mrs. Roy Shahan was leader of Hot chocolate and cake was served to Mmes. Roy Shahan, Georgia Forkner, Helen Crisman,

Memphis Women Attend Lodge Meet in Amarillo

Mrs. Glynn Thompson, Mrs. Billy Thompson, Mrs. Irvin Johnson and Mrs. W. B. Wilson Jr., were in Amarillo Saturday where they attended the Spring ceremonial of Daughters of Nile. The affair was to honor the supreme queen, Eleanor Higtzman of Salt Lake City, Utah, and was held on Saturday evening at Khiva Temple.

Mrs. W. B. Wilson Jr., was one of 23 candidates and she acted as the exemplifying candidate for the ceremony.

At noon Saturday, the group attended a luncheon at the Her-ring Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Markham of Childress visited in the Misses Black home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Morrison visited with Mr. and Mrs. Owen Pyeatt in Clarendon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Duke visited in Kirkland with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Duke.

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The marriage is to be solemnized on Thursday, March 22, in the First Methodist Church here.

The bride-elect has chosen for her maid-of-honor a college roommate, Miss Jean Hinton of Rusk, and Al Couch will serve as his brother's best man.

Miss Reynolds is a graduate of the Memphis High School and Texas State College of Women. For the past two years she has been teaching art in the Andrews Public schools.

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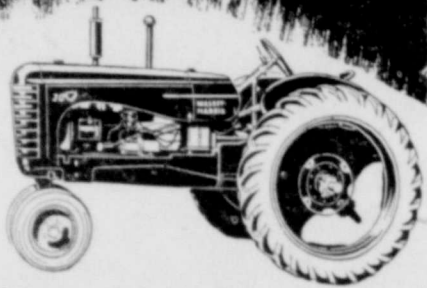
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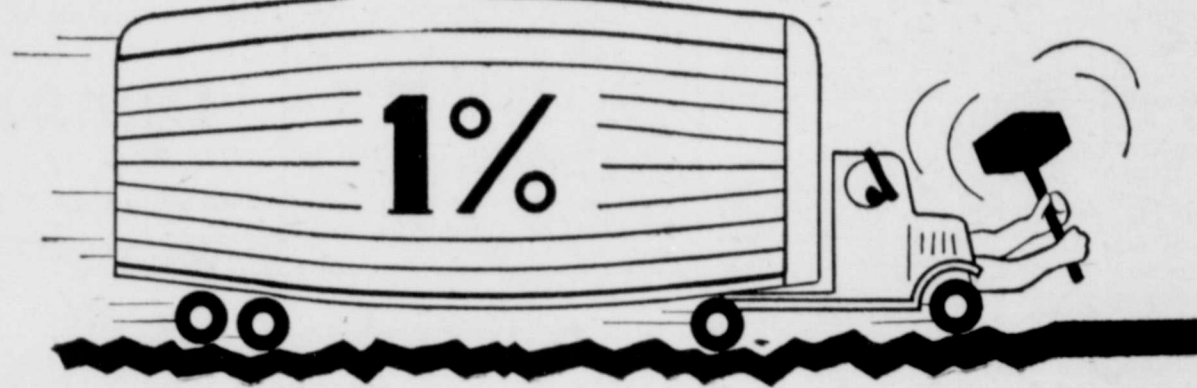
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