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**BACK THEN**—The group of young gridiron warriors above held the honor of dear Memphis high way back in the year 1913. From an old photo of Byron Baldwin's, in row; left to right, Elmer Fisher, Louis Thompson, Jesse Ballew, J. T. Claggett, math teacher, Arthur Blanton, Ollie Jones and Frank Wilson. 2nd Row: A. C. Ted Jamison, Phillip Clipper, Oren Jones, Marion Alexander, Warren Dodson and Blanton. Front: Roy Thompson and Forrest Power. The picture was made by Orr's

## 25-Year Water Franchise Granted

### Weather Hinders Cotton Harvesting

#### PHONE CHECK SHOWS 17,000 BALES GINNED

Local cotton farmers faced another delay in harvesting their not too plentiful 1951 cotton crop these past few days as old man winter invaded the county accompanied with cold weather and some snow.

Damage to young cotton blooms not yet fully developed is expected to hurt some farmers' production but no estimate could be made as to how much.

Also the cold weather has caused some transient labor to leave and go to other places where they could work steadier.

However, WILLIE Basco head of transient labor here said the demand for pullers in this area is down to 600 where it has been 750 for several weeks.

A telephone check of the 17 gins in Hall County Wednesday showed between 16 and 17 thousand bales already ginned. But the state labor estimate furnished shows almost 18,000 bales ginned so far in the county.

A local compress reported about 12,000 bales had been put in storage already this year.

Several local farmers have reported they are having good results with the mechanical pullers in harvesting their crop. A check of implement dealers here found that mechanical pullers are hard to come by unless already ordered.

Local ginner and farmers estimate from 30 to 40 percent of the county's cotton harvest has now been completed.

Some of the county's best cotton, reported to be in the sub-irrigated land below Estelline is

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**SWEETHEART**—Pat Davenport, senior at Lakeview high school was elected FFA Sweetheart of that chapter last week. She will attend the county banquet here November 19 and compete for district Sweetheart honors. She is the 17-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Davenport.

#### County Officials Attend Conference At Corpus Christi

County Commissioners Fred Berry of Estelline and Roy Patton of Memphis and County Judge M. O. Goodpasture attended the State Conference of County Judges and Commissioners in Corpus Christi last week, Nov. 1-3.

Strong point of the conference Judge Goodpasture said was in the discussion on the farm-to-market road question.

"Unless we do a job of selling the farm-to-market road problem to city voters, we may be defeated in the election next year and the tax for support of these roads will come from road users instead of the natural gas tax we now have," Judge Goodpasture said.

"We must show the city voters how these farm-to-market roads help them get more farm business as well as helps the farmers."

#### Rotarians Complete Ladies Night Plans For Tuesday Evening

Rotary Club President Byron Baldwin has announced that all plans have been completed for the Ladies Night program which will be held Tuesday evening at 7 p. m.

Wives of Rotarians are to be guests of members for dinner and a program. Arthur (Art) Briese, humorist, writer and human Relations Counsellor of Hot Springs, Ark., will entertain members and guests.

All members are invited and Secretary J. A. Odom Jr., said the club is looking forward to one of its best programs Tuesday night with Briese.

#### Overseas Christmas Packages Should Be Mailed By Nov. 15

Local Postmaster Jim Vallance has been contacted by national postal authorities concerning early Christmas mailing.

All overseas Christmas packages should be in the mails by November 15, Vallance said. He added that early shipping, early mailing, proper wrapping and proper addressing of Christmas packages would do much to insure their delivery before Christmas.

### LOCAL RATE HIKE PROBABLE AFTER IMPROVEMENTS

The City Council voted Tuesday evening to grant a 25-year water franchise to Community Public Service Company. This action ended a series of applications by the water company for renewal of the franchise which have extended over a period of about three years.

In addition to the franchise, members of the Council agreed to grant rate increases on water use when certain conditions within the franchise contract are met. This rate increase action is not final, according to Mayor Cal Harrison, until such time as the conditions are met.

When the agreement is fulfilled completely, the council will pass a new water rate ordinance, which will legalize the new rates.

Among concessions granted the city by the water company are the drilling of two new water wells, the laying of a main line to morningside addition and a line to the City Park. Also, the company will install additional water hydrants, and try to make available an excess of 250,000 gallons of water per day above the maximum amount consumed.

Appearing before the City Council were W. V. Coursey, local manager of Community Public Service; L. P. Raley, special representative, and H. L. Stout, vice president of the company.

It will cost the water company in excess of \$50,000.00 to meet the conditions set forth in the new franchise. This was brought out when representatives of the company discussed all phases of the proposition with Council members.

A review of the franchise as signed by the city on Nov. 6, 1951, shows the following:

1. Permission has been granted by the city for Community Public Service Company to "construct, maintain and operate a water works system in the City of Memphis" for a period of 25 years.
2. The company agreed to lay, construct and maintain at least a two-inch water line to the City Park, and at least a six-inch line or main to Morning Side addition.
3. The company shall lay pipes of standard type and size.
4. All surface, pavement and sidewalks over excavation shall be replaced with same material, etc.

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### Negroes Injured As Truck Runs Off Bridge Here

A truck loaded with 16 Negroes all from Palestine, Tex., ran off a bridge just on the West outskirts of Memphis about 1 p. m. Monday after attempting to pass a car and 8 of the Negroes were hospitalized at Goodall and Odom hospitals here.

The Negroes were here to pick cotton and were bound for the Barney Burnett farm west of Memphis.

Walter H. Barrett, 36, driver, swerved the truck to avoid an oncoming vehicle. The creek was about waist deep in water and snow began falling as ambulance attendants and highway Patrolmen tried to get the Negroes out of the

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## Paducah Here Fri. Night

### St Pastors Conference Monday

Episcopal pastors conference at the Cyclone-Paducah game and at a Homecoming dance after the game tomorrow night.

All ex-students are invited to be guests of the High School at a luncheon Friday at the school cafeteria.

The high school football queen, Carnis Durham, will be crowned at the Cyclone-Dragon game and all students and ex-students are invited to the Homecoming dance, immediately after the game.

The football game Friday night will be the last grid contest to be played this season at Cyclone Stadium. The last Cyclone game will be November 16 at Childress.

The Cyclones will face the Dragons with a new and re-vamped starting line-up, one that Coach John Hansard says, knows how to do a little blocking and tackling.

On the offensive line-up will be Julius Stevens at right end, either Jimmy Morrison or Kenneth Cheek at left end, Charles Hartman and Mackie Allen at guards, Charles Moore and Freddy Vinson at tackles, Duane Miller at center, Ronnie Smith at quarterback, Clyde Tamplin or Max Kennedy at blocking back and Duke Frisbie and Davey Corley at the other two backfield slots.

Practice this week has been devoted entirely to fundamentals of blocking and tackling, Coach Hansard said. "These boys I'm starting against Paducah are the ones who have worked and are trying," he said.

Last week both the Cyclones and the Dragons were trounced by Wellington and Childress. And almost by similar scores. Wellington won over Memphis 41-6 and Childress over Paducah 46-6.

This should put the Cyclones and Dragons in equal class.

Paducah's big fullback Pat Green scored the only Dragon

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#### Rifle, Pistol Club Elects Officers; Trap Shoot Sunday

New officers for the Memphis Rifle and Pistol Club were elected at a meeting Sunday at the rifle range and E. M. Wilson (Mac) Wilson was named president for the coming year.

Other officers elected include C. S. Compton, vice president; Frank Van Pelt, secretary; Herschel Combs, treasurer; Ira McQueen, chief instructor and Ed Hutcherson, executive officer.

Members have planned to hold their first trap shoot Sunday afternoon starting at 2 o'clock.

President Mac Wilson said a running deer target will soon be erected for hunters before the season gets underway. Wilson also said new interest and activity will be added for members and invited all members to come to the trap shoot Sunday.

### English Comedy To Be Presented By Little Theatre

The Memphis Little Theatre will present one of the most interesting comedy hits as its first production for the 1951-1952 season. "See How They Run" is a new English play, presented only a few times in this country.

No question about the title of this smash London hit. So swift in the action, so involved the situation, so rib-tickling the plot that at its finish audiences are left as exhausted from laughter as though they themselves had run a footrace.

Galloping in and out of the four doors of an English Vicarage are an American actor and actress (he is now stationed with the American Air Force in England), a cockney maid who has seen too many American movies, an old maid who "touches alcohol for the first time in her life," four men in clerical suits presenting the problem of which is which, for disguised as one is an escaped prisoner, and another a sedate bishop aghast at all these goings on and the trumped-up stories that are told him.

Said "Theatre World," an English publication when the play was first produced in London: "An apt title for an excellent farce of the most involved variety—Nor is there any offense anywhere in this admirably written play which deserves a long run for its rollicking good humor."

This three act comedy-farce is under the direction of Peaches Harrison, who has directed many of the past Little Theatre productions. She will be assisted by Emma Deaver.

Heading the cast will be Helen Boswell, Louis Saied and Mac Wilson Jr.

The leads will be ably supported by Mary Lee Fields, Andy De-

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#### Blood Donations Here At Present Too Impractical

National radio networks will carry special broadcasts appealing for blood for defense November 11 and 15. However the nearest Red Cross Regional Blood Center to Memphis is in Fort Worth.

Due to the distance it will not be possible at this time to make a blood collection in Memphis.

Hall County Red Cross Chairman Heydon Hensley said. Although the need for blood is urgent, it has been found impractical to make a collection so far from the Center. Plans may be worked out later on to collect blood from distance areas.

## Rites For Air Crash Victims Held Tuesday

Separate funeral services for Raymond Powell, 38, and Oscar Gerlach, 39, who were both killed Sunday in an airplane accident near Dumas were held here Tuesday afternoon.

Services for Powell were held at 3:30 p. m. at the First Baptist church with the Rev. Roy Shahan conducting, assisted by Rev. M. G. Upton. Gerlach services were held at 2 p. m. at the First Methodist church with the Rev. Rollo Davidson conducting.

Both men were buried in Fairview cemetery. The men were killed when a private plane in which they were flying at low altitude stalled and plunged into the ground. It is believed that Powell was attempting a landing when the stall and crash occurred.

Force of the crash completely demolished the two-place cabin ship and the engine was forced back into the cockpit. Both bodies were badly mutilated.

Powell was a carpenter at Sunray, Gerlach, who lived in Dumas for about two months, was working as a mechanic for Clay Harbert, a witness to the crash. Before moving to Dumas, he was in the garage business here with his father. Powell also was a former Memphis resident.

Powell is survived by his wife, a son, Don, 4 years old, a daughter, Yvonne, 9 months; his mother, Mrs. Joe Powell of Memphis and two brothers, J. H. Powell of Amarillo and Elmo Powell, Wichita Falls.

Gerlach is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Gerlach, Memphis; two sisters, Mrs. Harry Boswell and Mrs. Orville Hearn, both of Memphis, and one brother, Lyndon of El Paso.

Pall bearers for the Gerlach service were Clyde Messer, N. O. Wynn, Gene Hughes, George Payne, Glenn Thompson, Ode Gibson, Chuck Jones and Grant Evans.

Pallbearers for Powell were

#### Hands Across the Sea



**ACHIEVEMENT WEEK**—Hall County boys have joined with more than 118,000 other Texas 4-H club boys and girls this week in observing National 4-H Club Achievement Week. As part of their 4-H program, Texas 4-H members join hands with farm youth across the sea in promoting better world understanding.



# The Cyclone News

## WELLINGTON-MEMPHIS STUDENTS GIVE SPORTS CODE AT GAME

The Student Councils of Memphis and Wellington High Schools presented the Sportmanship Code to the football fans Friday night, at the Memphis and Wellington football game.

James Glascock, president of the Wellington Student Council and Rayford Hutcherson, vice-president of the Memphis S. C., presented the District 3-AA Code which reads as follows:

"We, the students of District 3-AA, hereby stand to uphold the following Sportmanship Code set forth by the District Council, composed of representatives from Memphis, Childress, Paducah and Wellington High Schools.

This code is to promote Friendliness, Respect, Co-operation, Cheerfulness, Fairness, Loyalty,

and Sincerity toward the students of the participating schools and the citizens of the communities.

**Friendliness**

We will be courteous and gracious not only to the school in our district, but also to any visiting us. This not only pertains to when they are our guests, but when we are accepting their hospitality as well. Our opponents will be greeted with a sincere welcome and be congratulated whether they win or lose.

**Respect**

We will respect the school song of the visiting community. Bands will co-operate together.

The drum major and majorities, along with the cheerleaders, will visit the band and pep squad who are the visiting team.

The pep squad will not give "catty yells" at any time.

We will not boo the referees or the school organizations at any time.

This includes the teams, organizations, and the fans or audiences.

We will greet any organization in a hospitable manner by students from various fields in the school curriculum.

We will respect the school and community properties along with

the National Anthem, American Flag, and the Texas State Song.

**Co-operation**

Schools will co-operate with each other in making pre-game arrangements, in observing local rules and regulations, and will show a genuine willingness to co-operate.

**Cheerfulness**

We will strive to maintain cheerful association before and after the game. We will strive to maintain a sense of balance by keeping our emotions and sentiments from overcoming our better judgement and common sense. We will appreciate the game for its own sake and not for what winning will bring.

**Fairness**

We will be fair and considerate to all our opponents and visitors in each and every sports event in which we participate.

We will win without boasting and lose without excuses.

**Loyalty**

Endeavoring to keep the schools names free from reproach, we shall strive to maintain loyalty in every phase of school life—sports, affairs, schools affairs, and civic affairs in which students are involved.

Loyalty should be practiced off the athletic field as well as on; full support of good sportsmanship on the part of each student should be rendered as a boost for loyalty.

**Sincerity**

We will strive to prove our sincerity in proposing this code by incorporating the sub-titles respectively in demonstrations of our attitude toward fellow students.

**LOOKING AHEAD**

November 8—Child Growth Development Class

November 9—Hall County Concert Association

November 9—Memphis vs. Paducah (here)\*; Football Queen will be crowned.

November 9—Homecoming Dance

November 10—Spanish Club Dinner

November 12—Band Banquet

November 15—Open House for all schools

November 16—Southern Assembly Program (10c)

November 16—Memphis vs. Childress (there)\*

\* Denotes conference games.

## Junior Choral Club Sings At Assembly Wed.

The weekly Wednesday assembly was held October 31. Minister Bedford Smith brought the message based on the thirtieth chapter of Proverbs 1-14.

The Junior Choral gave a special number, "For the Beauty of the Earth" accompanied by Janice Smith. The choral then led the student body in "Faith of Our Fathers" and the "Battle Hymn of the Republic."

Following the message Beverly Snell led the group in the closing song, "God Be With You Till We Meet Again" and Minister Smith gave the benediction.

## Cue, Curtain Club Sees Rehearsal Of Amharil Play

Members of the Cue and Curtain Club and Senior Class went to the dress rehearsal of "The Willow and I" in Amarillo, Sunday night at 7 o'clock.

Students attending were Margaret Massey, Jacky Gilbert, Ramon Arnold, Charles Messer, Roberta Nelson, Freddy Vinson, D'Arman Peabody, Frankye Lynn Srygley, Gloria Harris, Nan Crowder, and Clinton Jones. Mrs. Roy L. Guthrie and Mrs. H. M. Nelson chaperoned the trip.

## Schools Begin Inside Recreation

Recreation for MHS students at noon during bad weather was begun Monday.

Boys and girls played basketball during the first part of the hour and a volley ball game was begun during the latter part between the boys and girls.

Each day, when the weather isn't suitable for outdoor recreation, there will be some form of entertainment in which students may participate.

## Sing While You Drive

At 45 miles per hour, sing—"Highways Are Happy Ways."

A 55 miles, sing—"I'm But a Stranger Here, Heaven Is My Home."

At 65 miles, sing—"Nearer, My God, To Thee."

At 75 miles, sing—"When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder, I'll Be There."

At 85 miles, sing—"Lord I'm Coming Home."

## Entertainer To Be Here November 16

Birdman and Musician Paul Leonard member of the Southern School Assemblies, will be in Memphis, Nov. 16 to bring the most unusual treats of many seasons.

Leonard will present Bird Rhapsodies, harmonized to music, and mystery music from his mystery instrument. The instrument has

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## Speech Students Present Minstrel Hallowe'en Show

The Speech Class of MHS presented a Negro Minstrel in the high school auditorium, October 31 for the Elementary PTA Halloween Carnival.

The PTA presented \$5.00 to the Speech class in appreciation for their performance.

Students who participated were: Alma Ruth Potter, as Cossius; Johnnie McDaniel, as Matilda; Roberta Nelson, as Easter Egg; Vondia Blackmon, Bettie Kennon as Sassomo; Margaret Massey, as Pandemonium; D'Arman Peabody as boy; Ramon Arnold, as Lucius; Horace Jones, as Uncle Remus; Frank Norman as Honey Boy; Dempsey Archer, Bobby Hutcherson as Uncle Jo; Clinton Jones as Rastus; Jacky Gilbert, Ben Hur; Mrs. Roy L. Guthrie directed the Minstrel. Frankye Lynn Srygley was student director and stage assistant was Jackie Wells.

## How to Write a Check



Here are a few suggestions which will prove helpful in writing checks, and are offered for your protection:

1. Date and number each check (to make it easier to balance your checkbook)
2. Fill in payee line with name of person or firm you wish to pay.
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# Howe'en Queen Crowned At Party

Jan Goodnight and Dan Durham, 7th grade; 4th, Sue Miller and Jimmy Gibson, sophomores; 5th, Roddy Bice and Juanna Giffenett, freshman; 6th, Edna May and Jerry Hill, 8th grade.

The tackiest couples were: 1st, Dee Ellen Durrett and D'Arman Peabody, seniors; 2nd, Jesse Hammonds and Troy Taylor, juniors; 3rd, Yvonne Sturdevant and Max McCoy, sophomores; 4th, Glenda Ellis and Jimmy Hill, 7th grade; 5th, Pat Gamish and Elvie Williams, 8th grade; 6th, Rita Benton and James Aduddell, 9th grade.

In the apple bobbin contest the winners were: 1st, James Freeman, freshman; 2nd, Duke Frisbie, sophomore; 3rd, tied, Wayne Jenkins, Sr., Mackie Allen, Jr., and Jerry Smith, 8th grade; 4th place was Rodney Veteto, 7th grade.

In the pop corn eating contest the winners were: 1st, Coy Smith, Senior; 2nd, Robert Henson, freshman; 3rd, Larry Glispie, sophomore and 4th place, tie, Montie Clark, junior, and Terry Monzingo, 8th grade.

The final event of the evening was the sale of a cake, won by the Senior class, who later presented it to the Sophomore class.

The judges for the events were: Mrs. C. L. Pierce, Mrs. A. Anisman and Pete Smith; the score keepers were: Mrs. L. L. Thomas, Mrs. Jeanette Irons and Weldon McCreary.

## Students Hold Pep Rally At School Friday

Pep talks and posters were passed all over the high school last Friday before the Memphis-Wellington game to boost the team's and the student's enthusiasm.

The special pep rally was held in the gymnasium with students, band, team, faculty, and business men participating.

The band played several marches and the alma Mater, the students all gave peppy yells, Coach Hansard gave a pep talk and the band topped the rally off with a snake dance to the rumba cadence.

## Band Performs At Half-time Friday Night

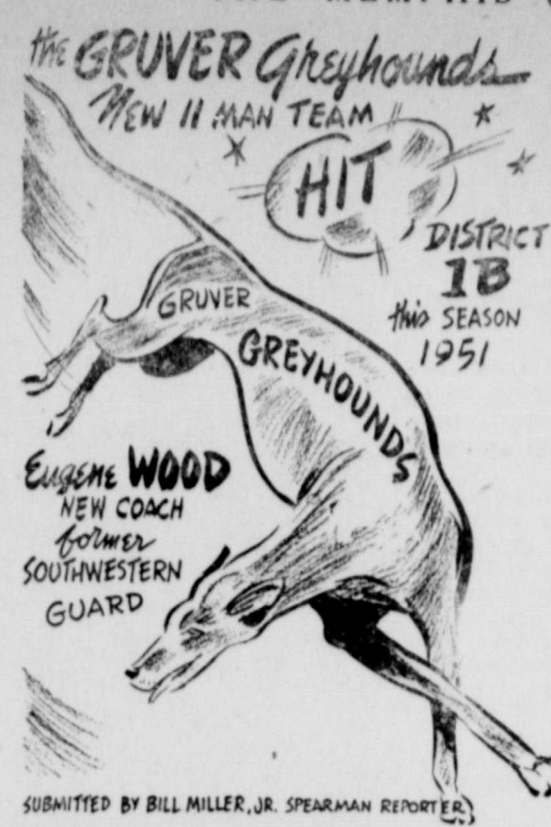
The MHS Cyclone band attended the Memphis-Wellington football game Friday night in below freezing temperature. The band played several songs during the first and second quarters although there was a possibility of some of the instruments freezing.

At half time the Cyclone Band marched onto the field from the south goal playing "College Medley" after the Wellington band had presented their performance.

The Memphis band marched to the north goal and counter-marched. They moved to the fifty yard line playing "Our Director", made a column right turn and counter-marched. The band halted and quickly formed a church, complete with a door, made by regular band members and a cross atop the church formed by the twirlers. While in the church formation the band played "It Is No Secret".

Moving into regular formation the band forward marched and did an airplane countermarch, making an airplane and playing the "Army Air Corps" march. The band did a column left in the airplane formation and marched to the south goal where they single filed off the field.

A salvo of shells from the cruiser Juneau near Chumunjin, Korea on June 29, 1950, announced the U. S. Navy's direct support of the UN war effort.



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## Junior Band Members Elect Student Officers

The Junior Band, under the direction of Perry I. Keyser, is one of the most progressive organizations in the Memphis School system. This group is composed of students in the fourth through the seventh grades.

Officers for the band were chosen last week during band rehearsal. Those elected to office are: President, Linda Collins, Vice President, Dorcie Stargel, Secretary, Sarah Stargel and Librarian, Jean Foxhall.

Students enrolled in this organization are: Linda Collins, Patricia Gammage, Dan Durham, Jean Foxhall, Mona Sue Benton, Patsy Turner, Linda Fields, Paula McCauley, Jo Ann Miller, Ann Tiner, Patsy Jean Moore, Dorcie Stargel, Linda Leslie, Bobbie Lemons, Jackie Hawkins, Henry Seale, Audrey Burnett, Monroe Edwards, Sarah Stargel, Addie Lou Wells, Bobby Scott, Dudley Gillespie, Eddie Gable, Sandy Smith, Denny Irons, John Lemmons, Tresa Jackson, Monty Monzingo.

Neal Foxhall, Ronnie Wynn, Marvin Middleton, Wesley Breedlove, Tommy Brewer, Joyce Hull, Barbara Allen, Lois Ann Clark, Gordon Maddox, Mary Clayton, Ouida Massey, Linda Sturdevant, Johnnie McWhorter, Marie Davidson, Beverly Veteto, Carol Calloway, Carolyn Ferrel.

Cynthia Combest, Sharon McCoy, Glenda Noah, Jan Mitchell, Teddie Tralove, Judy Miller, Morris Davidson, Paula Blevins, Linda Godfrey, Judy Hooser, Jack Gilreath, Brenda Duncan, Thomas Snowden and Walter Smith.

## MORNING WATCH

The Students appearing on the Morning Watch program this week were: Patsy Turner, seventh grade; Billy Jean Stroehle, eighth grade; Juasetta Messer, ninth grade; Roy May, tenth grade; and Carnis Durham, twelfth grade.

Miss Patsy Nell Combs, who is attending Texas Tech, visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Combs over the weekend.

Democrat Advertising Pays

## Football Captains, Sweetheart Elected For Homecoming Fri.

The Cyclone football team elected their sweetheart and captains for the 1951 season Monday afternoon.

Carnis Durham was elected sweetheart along with Charles Messer being elected captain and Duane Miller elected co-captain.

The queen will be crowned at the homecoming game Friday night by the two captains of the Cyclone squad.

## Students See Sports Trophy In Assembly

The Childress Student Service Council displayed the Sportsmanship Trophies for District 3-AA to the Memphis High School students.

dent body in general assembly Thursday morning.

The trophy being awarded by the Childress Rotary Club.

The winner of the trophies will be decided by Representatives of the Student Council from each school in District 3-AA.

Roy Alvin Massey was in Waco this past weekend for the Baylor Homecoming. He also enrolled for the next semester of school which will begin after Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. James Van Pelt visited with their parents in Wellington over the weekend.

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## Nuptial Vows Solemnized Here For Miss Annie Ward and Sgt. Durham

Nuptial vows were solemnized at 8:30 p. m. Wednesday, October 31, in the First Baptist Church in Memphis for Miss Annie L. Ward, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Ward of Giles and Sgt. Billy J. Durham, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Durham of Hedley.

Rev. Roy Shahan, pastor, read the double ring ceremony before a backgroup of white mums, fern and tapers in cathedral candelabra.

Music for the wedding was provided by Mrs. Trimble and Miss Letha Moss, pianists, and Miss Aisy Ursary, vocalist.

Barbara Ward, sister of the bride, and Reatha Ranson lighted the candles.

The bride, given in marriage by her cousin, Fred Crisman, wore a gown of white rayon net over white slipper satin designed with a fitted bodice, high neckline and long sleeves, petal pointed. Her bridal veil of lace-edged illusion

fell from a beaded coronet and she carried a white Bible topped with a bridal bouquet of baby white mums caught with a shower of white satin streamers.

She carried out the bridal tradition of wearing something old, something new, something borrowed and something blue. The something old, was a ruby ring belonging to her mother and for something borrowed she wore a pen set with sapphires and rhinestone belonging to Mrs. Fred Crisman.

Miss Dorothy Altman, cousin of the bride and maid of honor, was groomed in aqua taffeta, and carried a bouquet of yellow mums tied with matching streamers.

Bridesmaids were Dora and Lora Durham, sisters of the groom, and Mrs. Helen Crisman. The Misses Durhams wore gowns of white taffeta and carried nosegays of orchid mums tied with matching streamers, while Mrs. Crisman was attired in a gown of aqua net accented with a nosegay of yellow mums.

Johnnie B. Ward, brother of the bride, attended the groom as best man and ushers were J. G. Pound, Don Altman and Marvin Durham. Male members of the wedding party wore boutonnieres of white carnations.

Jack Donald, cousin of the groom, and Jean Ward, cousin of the bride carried the rings on identical white satin pillows. Trainbearers were Murrem Ward, cousin of the bride, and Nelda Sue Stotts.

The bride's mother, Mrs. John Ward, wore a dress of navy crepe and the groom's mother, Mrs. C. H. Durham, wore a grey dress. Both wore corsages of pink carnations.

The bride is a graduate of the Tedley High school with the class of '50.

Immediately after the ceremony, the couple left for Carlsbad, N. M. and other points for a brief honeymoon, after which they will be at home in Albuquerque, N. M., where the groom is stationed at Kirkland Air Base.

# Society News

## 1913 Study Club Entertains Husbands With Supper Party and Soiree Tuesday

The members of the 1913 Study Club honored their husbands with a supper party and soiree Tuesday evening, October 13, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Foxhall.

Pumpkin jack-o-lantern, with hats, and fall flowers made a festive Hallow'en setting for the informal spaghetti and meat-ball supper and the bingo games and stunts that followed.

The husbands and guests chatted and chuckled over many cups of coffee and pumpkin pie after which Mrs. Ace Gailley acted as caller for the bingo sessions.

As a surprise event in the evening's festivities, Mrs. Boyd Rogers, posing as an out-of-town speaker having just arrived by plane, regaled those present with a bit of tom-foolery entitled

"Our Husbands, God Bless 'Em". A stint of death-defying stunts and pinning the tail on the traditional donkey brought the party to a hilarious end.

In charge of arrangements for this delightful affair were Mrs. Foxhall, her co-hostess, Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard and her social committee. Besides the honorable husbands of the membership, other guests present were Mesdames J. A. Odom and Jeff Ray, Miss Gertrude Rasco and Miss Imogene King.

## Party Surprises R. B. Phillips On Anniversary

Honoring Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Phillips on their ninth wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Gregory of Estelline entertained with a surprise party last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Agnes Bailey composed a lovely poem especially for the occasion which was read before the guests were served cake, coffee and hot cocoa. Mr. Phillips, dressed as Mrs. Phillips, served the beautifully decorated anniversary cake which formed the centerpiece for the lovely lace covered table.

The men, dressed in the ladies' best apparel, enjoyed buying Stanley products, while the ladies, dressed in the Men's best, had a gay time listening to their husbands portraying the fairer sex.

Those present at this gala celebration were Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Scott and Johnny, Mr. and Mrs. Cook and children, Clifford Jester, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Phillips and Kathy, Mrs. Jake Huckabee, Bill Hayes and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Buchanan who presented the honorees with a beautiful silver and gold meat servers.

Len Ruyle, Charline Hall and "Skipper" visited over the weekend in Canute, Okla. with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Ruyle.



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**LAKEVIEW FOOTBALL QUEEN**—Miss Wanda Kennard, Junior student of the Lakeview high school, will be crowned queen of the 1951 team at a pre-game ceremony Thursday night, Nov. 8, at Lakeview stadium. Ronny Gowdy and Gerald Payne, captains of the team, will escort the queen and her attendants to the center of the field where the coronation will take place. Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Kennard of Lakeview, Wanda is vice-president of the FHA club. She has also had the honor of being basketball sweetheart, most popular girl and was cheerleader last year.

## Arthur Gidden's Entertain Dinner Club Thursday

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gidden Sr., entertained members of the Thursday Night Dinner Club at their home in Pliska on the evening of November 1.

Following a baked chicken dinner with all the trimmings, members enjoyed games of forty-two until a late hour.

Members present were Mrs. Anna Dickson, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McDaniel, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert

Sisk, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ferrel Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hall, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Weatherly, and hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Gidden.

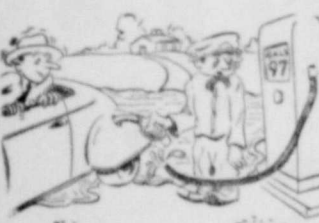
The next meeting is slated for December 6 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hall in Pliska.

Donald Corley, Roddy Stargel and Cletus Lewis, students of Texas Tech were home over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gailley and children and Dwight Kinard attended the Baylor Homecoming in Waco this past weekend.

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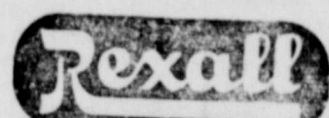
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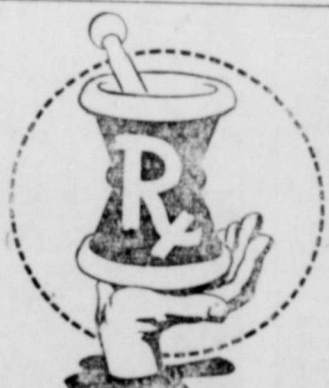
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fine, if not, go ahead and vote anyway! Sentiment so far seems to be against the first amendment as people point out that there already exists pension plans and that this would be a duplication and a waste of money.

In the second amendment, to provide for the investment of the permanent University of Texas in additional securities. As it now stands these funds can only be used in state, federal and certain types of Texas Municipal Bonds. The people favoring this amendment want to use these funds to invest in capitol stock. People against this amendment point out these is a chance of losing money if the stocks go down. The bond investments are safe against inflation, though they pay usually less than 4 per cent interest. Stock investment pays much higher. Most people seem to believe the state university fund is doing well enough! No need for a change of investment procedure.

The third amendment is to increase the tax from 3 cents to as much as 50 cents per \$100 for the creation and establishment of rural fire prevention districts. Now while no one is against fire protection for rural areas, this amendment doesn't state what rural area can be . . . if it is passed, you are going to be taxed more and there is assurance that

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the fire protection will be adequate.

Amendment number four is for increasing veteran's land fund for the purchase of farms in Texas for Texas veterans. This is one amendment I am going to vote for, mainly because it is good in-

vestment for the country to get which there is a lot of controversy. It would give the Legislature power to set up a system of payments to needy persons over 65, needy blind persons over 16, needy children under 16, make a maximum payment of \$30 per month from State funds for old age and remove the \$35 million limitation for such expenditures.

The had part about this amendment is that it make no reference to citizenship, state or federal. Therefore it has been pointed out that instead of helping these people receive assistance, with no limitation on who can draw assistance, there will be so many mor applicants for assistance, it will actually reduce the present assistance checks of those in these categories.

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**Locals and Personals**

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad L. Lohoefer spent the weekend in Amarillo visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Caserta and Mrs. Mrs. D. H. Lohoefer. The returned Monday morning.

Dr. and Mrs. O. R. Goodall were visitors in Waco over the weekend where they visited with their children and attended the Baylor homecoming.

Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Clark attended the Baylor homecoming this past weekend and visited their son John who is a student at Baylor.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Harrell returned home Monday following a two month's visit with their children in Weatherford, Dallas, Longview and Houston.

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## Safety Director Warns Motorists on New Laws

Public Safety Director Homer Garrison, Jr., reminded Texas motorists tonight that their licenses will be suspended if they are involved in a traffic accident and fail to meet damage claims up to \$15,000 when the state's new Motor Vehicle Safety Responsibility Law becomes effective on January 1.

Declaring it "will greatly affect the personal safety and economic security of every man, woman and child in the state," Director Garrison gave the public its first official analysis of the new law since its adoption by the last session of the legislature.

He spoke from Austin over a state-wide radio network and announced that during the next two months the Texas Department of Public Safety will fully acquaint the people with the purposes and requirements of the law through the press and radio and by means of an official leaflet that may be obtained at any service station.

Director Garrison pointed to the rapidly increasing number of

traffic accidents and public indignation over the failure of motor vehicle owners and operators to pay for the damage they cause through negligence as the reasons that prompted the legislature to enact the law, which closely follows safety responsibility statutes in 34 other states.

He declared the law's primary objectives were to deny all motor- ing privileges to owners or operators who do not meet just damage claims resulting from accidents and to put chronic accident causers off of the highways permanently.

In a carefully summarized explanation of the law's principal features, Director Garrison explained its operation as follows:

The operator of every motor vehicle that is involved in an accident resulting in death or injury to a person, or property damage to any one person exceeding \$100, must file with the Texas Department of Public Safety a new report in addition to the regular accident report that is now required by the state's Uniform Traffic Law.

The regular accident report must be filed within 24 hours, but motorists have up to 10 days to file the new report form. Both reports are mandatory regardless of who caused the accident.

The law does not apply, except with respect to filing the new report form, to insured owners or operators, provided the insurance covers possible damage claims resulting from a traffic accident, up to \$15,000.

Uninsured motorists will receive a notice from the Texas Department of Public Safety that they must deposit sufficient security to cover the damage they caused, as determined by the Department. This may range from \$101 to \$15,000, and the collateral may be in the form of cash or negotiable securities. The deposit must be made with the Department within a maximum of 60 days after the accident report was filed.

An uninsured motorist will not be required to deposit security, however, if he files satisfactory evidence, within the 60-day period that he has been released from liability, been finally adjudicated not to be liable, executed a duly acknowledged written agreement to pay damage claims up to \$15,000, or that his motor vehicle was legally parked or was being operated without his permission at the time of the accident.

Should an uninsured motorist fail to meet any of these requirements within 60 days after filing his accident report, both his operator's license and registration of ownership will be suspended until he does or until a year has elapsed without court action for damages being filed. Suspension of registration will apply to all cars owned by the defaulting motorist.

### Optometrists Give Fees For School

Next Tuesday election day in Texas is also Texas Optometry Day, but it won't be a holiday for many Texas optometrists, including Dr. Jack L. Rose and Dr. Chas. Oren of Memphis.

They will see patients on that day as usual, but all fees earned will go to help establish a new professional school of optometry at the University of Houston.

### SOCIAL SECURITY

A representative from the Amarillo social security office will be in Memphis at the Commissioners Court room next Tuesday at 11:15.

## SPORTS AFIELD

By Ted Kesting

Can wild ducks identify danger by scent? I don't believe they can, yet I have met many men who insisted that certain species of ducks can smell a man and when they get the scent are smart enough to get away from him. Some of these men were highly educated fellows and others were wise in the ways of ducks even if their schooling had been neglected.

All big game hunters know that if they want their game it must not get the man scent. This ability to smell man and recognize him by that scent has not been given to game birds. At least, that is my opinion and it is shared by Ray Holland, famous outdoor writer.

A hunter once told him: "Never give a pintail a chance to smell you, or you'll never have a chance to kill him." Another said: "Pintails can't smell you, or none of the rest of them, but a black mallard can smell you."

Not once, but dozens of times I have had singles and pair split from a flock when I was calling and light in the decoys. Wanting the flock in, I have paid little attention to them and kept on calling at the birds in the air. Those birds on the water didn't smell the man in the blind, and that goes for pintails and blacks and greenheads.

And geese. Can a goose smell you? I have had them walk into the decoys with the wind blowing straight from the blind to the flock.

Ruffed grouse and pheasants are credited with being the smartest of our game birds, yet you never hear their staunchest admirer claim that either could identify a man by scent. No one ever heard a shooting man say that a quail smelled him, or that a woodcock or any other species of game bird had that power.

Gene Howe, Texas newspaperman, is a veteran duck hunter. He says that often he has let mallards and pintails light until he would have a mass of ducks covering the water in front of him, with the wind blowing right over the blind into them.

Of course, a duck must have some use for those olfactory nerves. Howe thinks they can smell water and possibly food. I might go along with that.

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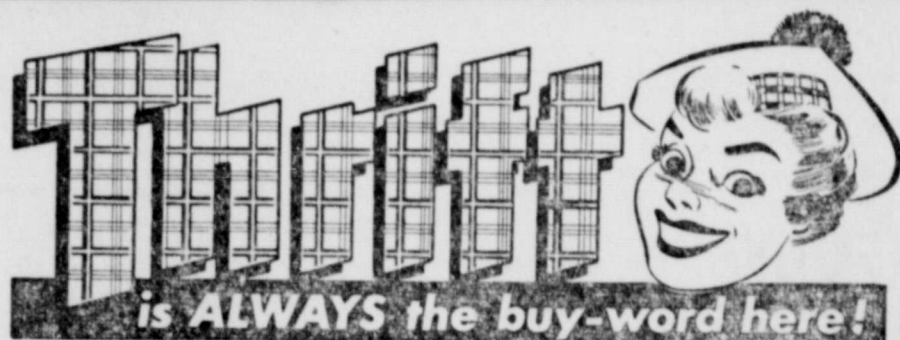
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## PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Massey were called to Van Buren, Ark. last week due to the death of Mrs. Massey's grandmother, Mrs. Lollis.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. McCoy and Max visited in Slaton Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gordon and Mr. and Mrs. John L. Gordon of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Miller and daughter Linda, visited with friends in Lubbock Saturday and attended the Lubbock-Pampa football game.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pullen and daughter, Betty, of Borger visited Sunday with Mrs. Pullen's mother, Mrs. L. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Peabody of Borger visited with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Jack Peabody, over the weekend.

Out-of-town friends and relatives who attended the funeral services of Raymond Powell were Mr. and Mrs. Don Pamsey of Spur, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McEl-

rath of Lindsey, Calif., Mrs. R. H. McElrath of Dallas and Mrs. Floyd McElrath of Dallas and W. W. McElrath daughter of Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashberry son and Mrs. Phoebe, were in Amarillo last Tuesday shopping.

G. J. Hinders of Amarillo, a business visitor in Memphis Sunday.

T. W. Rice of Leakey, sister and husband, Mrs. Ashtola, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Barbee.

Miss Becky Barbee of Lubbock, sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Barbee, were in Memphis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Barbee and Mrs. Bill Dunn of the Lubbock-Pampa game, Lubbock Friday night.

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## Editorial

## Answer This Question

Sometimes we hear someone remark that they don't have any interest in government economy. That's for the big boys in Washington. They are suppose to do all the economy figuring.

Well, I wonder if that is right. Let's examine a few figures and look at the new tax bill that has just gone into effect. If you are a salaried person, did you notice your check was smaller last week after your employer had withdrew more for taxes?

In the U. S. News and World Report one writer said: "Tax collectors . . . are now taking \$84,000,000,000 a year out of the pockets of people and treasuries of corporations. They will take nearly one dollar out of each three dollars of the nation's income. This is a record amount."

But these people who don't have any interest in government economy say, we can always "soak the rich" more and more, and so it won't hurt the average man very much, even if the cost of government keeps on climbing forever.

That idea is blasted by the knowledge that the government would reap less than \$11,000,000,000 if it expropriated all personal income over \$25,000.

Make no mistake, it is to levels below \$25,000 that tax planners are looking for any new revenues that are proposed after the 1931 increase. Individuals who earn \$10,000 to \$25,000 a year have a total of more than \$16,000,000,000 left after Federal taxes. People with incomes of \$5,000 to \$10,000 have an aggregate of nearly \$32,000,000,000 left. And individuals with incomes of less than \$5,000 have a total of more than \$90,000,000,000 left over.

Now let's take note of that paragraph we just read. About two-thirds of all the money left after taxes is in the under \$5,000 bracket. And it's that money which new tax boosts must bite into deeply.

Well, now who does this under—\$5,000 income bracket include . . . I'll bet it includes the fellow who doesn't have much interest in government economy.

If the tax planners are taking bites out of individual incomes from over the \$25,000 bracket down to under—\$5,000 bracket, it seems that everyone included should develop right quick an interest in government economy.

Any person that has ever managed any money knows that you cannot go on indefinitely spending more than you have coming in. And that is what our government has been doing for a good many years now.

What can we do about it?  
Next year is an election year. If enough people demand a strict government economy, it can become a major issue in the 1932 election and if demands are loud enough and strong enough, economy can win the election.

Let your government representatives know what you think of the present government spending policy. After all you pay their salaries . . . they can't afford to ignore your letters!

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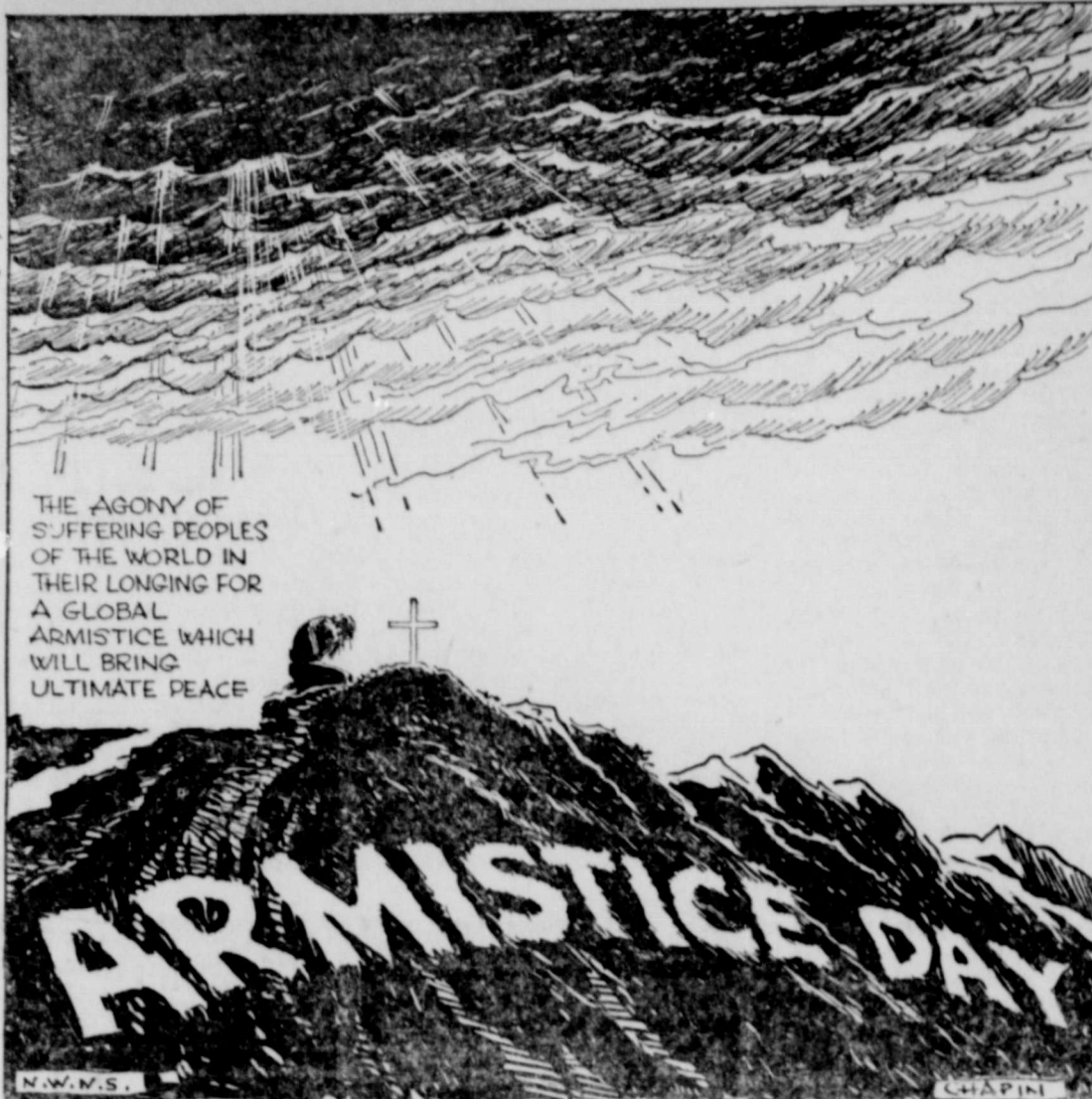


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we can ever expect to halt the present spending spree in which our government is engaged.

Defense efforts in spending are necessary, true, but there is so much useless, wasteful spending that our government economy can be tightened and save tax payers untold millions of dollars.

Now it's up to you, if this spending spree is to continue!

Press Paragraphs—  
QUOTING OUR NEIGHBORS

## Coolidge Set A Fine Precedent

Recent disclosures of shocking irregularities in high places in the government have turned the minds of millions of Americans back to the scandals of the Harding Administration. President Coolidge came to the White House shortly after these crimes began to be exposed. He ordered a sweeping investigation, regardless of whom it touched or where it might lead. Relentless prosecution of the malefactors followed. The President's full weight was behind this all the way, even though some of the men involved had been prominent in his own party.

The country now has a right to ask: Will similar action be taken in the present case? Or will a few of the lesser crooks be thrown to the wolves, and the remainder covered up?

The current scandals have gone deeply in government bodies which should be conducted on the highest conceivable plane of honor, decency and ethics—notably the Internal Revenue Bureau and the Reconstruction Finance Corporation. They have run all the way from clearly illegal acts to the use of "influence" and "connections" which are reminiscent of the most flagrant Tammany ward-healing. To put it bluntly, the whole mess stinks to high heaven.

President Truman can perform one of the greatest services of his career if, as President Coolidge did before him, he orders that the current scandals be completely investigated and completely made public—and makes that order stick.

. . . But now we are living in a

new, frantic age, an age of spending, with the world tottering on the brink of insolvency. Billions have taken the place of thousands in finances. In the financial scheme the penny is as obscure as an electron.

With one-fourth of the income now going for taxes, and increased taxes an imminent certainty, it would seem that there will indeed be no need for the penny piggy bank. We'll be lucky if we have a couple of pennies left to rub together in our pockets.

—Columbus (Ohio) State Journal

Now that ordinary letter postage is going to be four cents, as the design for the new stamp we suggest the etching of a mink coat. This would serve to remind us of where the extra money we pay is going.

—Fredonia (Kans.) Herald  
Advertising is not always merely a matter of presenting goods or services for sale to the public. More and more frequently, it is being used to promote understanding and create good will. The Chicago Teamsters' union is sponsoring radio broadcasts of the Notre Dame football games this fall. During time-out periods the story of the union and its aims is being told to the public.

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## Memories

Turning Back Time  
25 Years

From  
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25 Years Ago

Thursday, November 5, 1926  
FIFTH ANNUAL POULTRY BANQUET DATE SET  
SHOW TO BE HELD HERE—The annual banquet of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce has been scheduled for Friday night, January 20, at the coming year will be announced.

GAS COMPANY LAYS MAINS IN CITY—The Gas Company crew is now laying gas mains in the city, one mile another through the city.

ALL-STARS WIN SPECIAL GAME FROM CYCLONES—The Memphis All-Stars eked out a 6-3 victory over the Cyclones here Christmas Day in a game scheduled after Floydada high school canceled their game. The all-stars were composed of local high school youths and college boys home for the holidays.

BANDIT ROBS TELL BANK AND ESCAPES WITH \$1500, BUT IS CAPTURED—The First State Bank of Tell was robbed by an unmasked bandit Friday morning and the bandit, Robert McFall of Hobart, Okla., escaped with \$1593.00. However he was caught in the river bottom after his escape car developed motor trouble and officers overtook McFall.

20 Years Ago

Friday, November 13, 1931  
CYCLONE LOSES CHAMPIONSHIP GAME TO CLARENDON—More than 3,000 football fans saw a fighting Memphis Cyclone go down in defeat Wednesday afternoon at Clarendon before the vaunted Clarendon Bronchos by a score of 12-0.

FIRE DESTROYS TOP FLOOR OF HOTEL HERE—Fire of undetermined origin destroyed the top floor of the Florence Hotel about 3 a. m. Monday and the Mecca Hotel, an adjoining structure, was considerably damaged by smoke and water, but nothing was burned.

COUNTY INTERSCHOOL LEAGUE OFFICIALS ELECTED—Interscholastic League officials for Hall county were elected Saturday when 75 county teachers met at the First Methodist Church B. F. Dearmore, Lakeview superintendent, was elected director general of the county.

HEADLINES IN THE

CRAT—Appeal Notice

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Bridge Highway to Have

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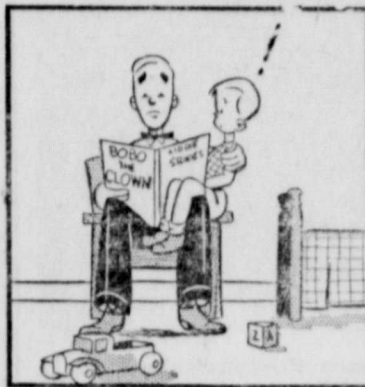
Remember to vote November 13th, the third amendment concerns the Veterans Land Bill, be sure to vote in favor of it.

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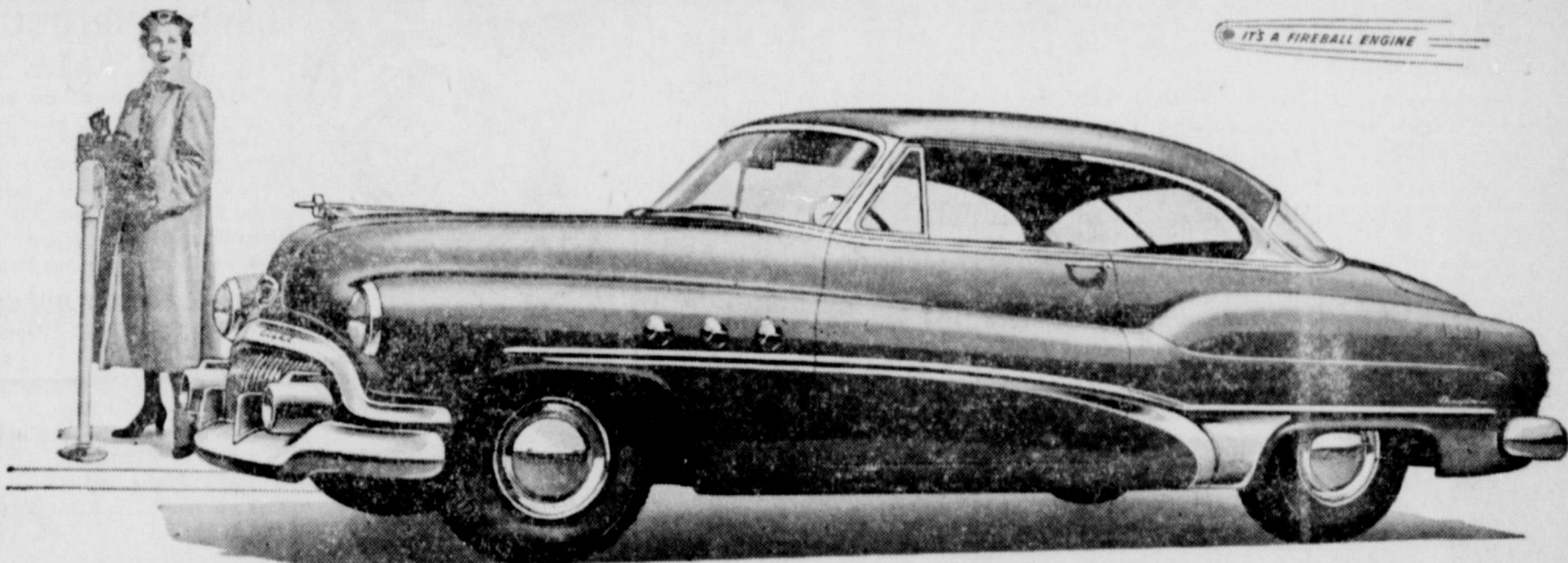
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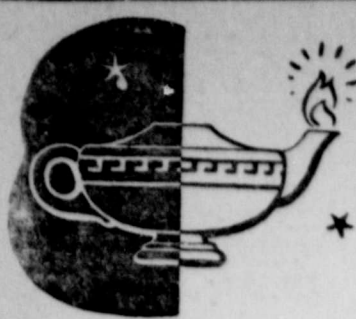
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### Autumn Swan Song

Autumn is the colorful time of year when Dame Nature flaunts her Gypsy garb of russet, reds, and yellows with gay abandon in the mellow sunshine. The wind sighs a mournful tone and stirs the fallen leaves into a "dance macabre", a final fling before they lie still under the winter snows.

November is a Gypsy crone, Sallow and sear and old, Her storm-swept eyes are bare of dreams Her lips are cold.

Autumn is a sad, sweet time of the year . . . a thoughtful time of contemplation and preparation for the days to come. It is time of finish and fulfillment when man and beast alike are busy laying in supplies against the winter's cold. The little squirrel scurries about gathering and storing away nuts the animals that live in holes burrow deeper into Mother Earth, and the larger beasts that stay atop the surface thicken their coats against the winter blasts.

For mankind it is a season of harvest, of garnering the sheaves, shocking the feed, storing potatoes, and gathering the crimson apples. Man sees his labors rewarded and his faith renewed in a bountiful harvest and he knows that . . .

The harvest is God's word made manifest For faith and work . . . It is a truth, age-old; yet every year Its newness is expressed by tall rank corn And wheat the hue of gold.

(Margaret E. Bruner)

Fall is a time of special sights and sounds . . . not of birds so much or babbling brooks but the caw-caw of crows and the cry of the wild geese passing overhead in their flight south, the winds sighing around the corners of the house, and the rustle of falling leaves. Yes, autumn speaks a language all its own if we have ears to hear.

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He blows the wooden shingles off And water from the water trough, Red apples from the quaking tree; And my own wind right out of me.

As the old Darkie remarked, "Fall am a time for readying one self for wat am to come." And we can be ever grateful for the beauty of the scenery and the toil for out hands that keeps us pleasantly occupied with little time for meditation on the icy arms of winter which so soon will hug us to its breast. We are able to content ourselves if we give time to thinking that, "Fall is a time for banking the embers of the heart. Deep steady fires, sun-mac-red and maple flamed against tomorrow's snows". Hands, heart, and harvest cushion the blows of winter.

The magic of a soothing quite Becalms the day and stills the night. I think 'twas fall, the season when God viewed His work, and said, "Amen!"

### Methodist Women Meet in McDaniel Home Monday

The W. S. C. S. met in the home of Mrs. J. J. McDaniel Monday afternoon, Nov. 5, with Mrs. Hall Nelson acting as co-hostess. The president, Mrs. Frank Foxhall, presided during the business session.

The program for the afternoon was centered around the theme, "Latin American Welfare", with Mrs. T. J. Hampton as leader. Others on the program were: Mmes. Lee Brown, Robert Cummings, Dan McCullum, Bess Crump, and C. R. Webster.

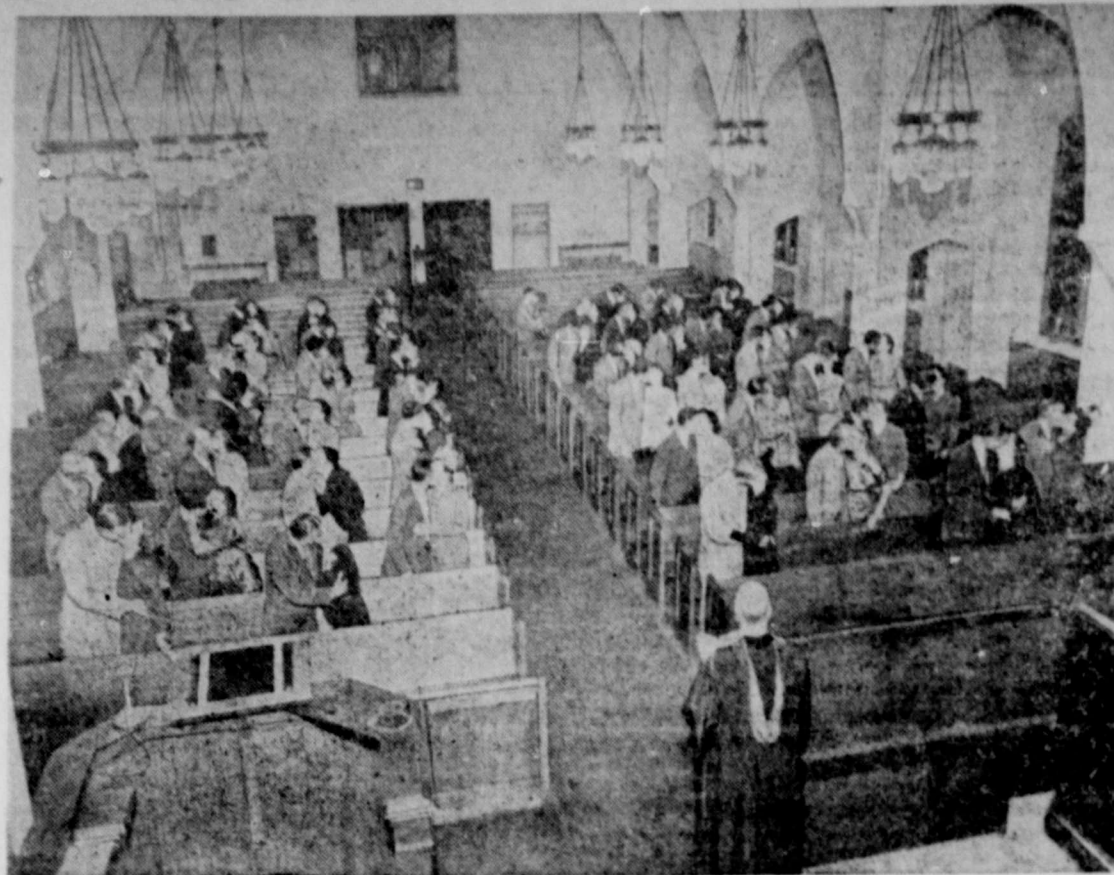
Refreshments of pumpkin pie, topped with whipped cream, and coffee were served to sixteen members. All members are invited to attend the District Meeting in Wellington on Tuesday, Nov. 13.

### Mrs. Weatherby Is Hostess To Needle Club

Mrs. T. D. Weatherby, 710 N. 11th street, was hostess to members of the Needle Craft Club on Tuesday afternoon.

Members did needle work for the hostess throughout the afternoon and a short business session was conducted by the president, Mrs. Morgan Baker. The group voted to send Mrs. Newman's mother, Mrs. Hammond a basket of mixed fruit. Mrs. Hammond has been ill for sometime and confined to the hospital but was able to return home Monday.

Cake and hot chocolate was served to two guests, Mrs. Pearl Massey and Mrs. Weldon Massey and the following members: Mmes. T. M. Ferrel Jr., Nat Bradley, Ed Crump, Robert Cummings, Mary Lou Erwin, Morgan Baker and hostess, Mrs. Weatherby.



COUPLES RENEW VOWS . . . The Rev. Morris Robinson, pastor of Grace Presbyterian church, Minneapolis, reads the marriage service as 55 couples whom he had married renew their vows.

### Paul Smiths' Are Dinner Honorees On Anniversary

Mrs. Lyman Davenport, Mrs. Joe Durham, Mrs. James Skinner and Mrs. Harold Gatlin were joint hostesses for a surprise dinner party given Sunday to honor Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith on their nineteenth wedding anniversary. The lovely affair was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Skinner. The hostesses' gift to the couple was a piece of Royal Haeger china.

Places were laid for Mr. and Mrs. James Skinner, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Durham, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gatlin, Sandra and Gary and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith and Sandy and Jerry.

### Peaches Harrison Gives Play Review At Theatre Meet

Peaches Harrison gave a delightful and entertaining play review of "Mr. Mergenthwipser's Lobbies" by Nelson Bond and David Kent at the recent monthly meeting of the Memphis Little Theatre.

The meeting was held in the Speech auditorium at the high school with Joyce Childress and Owen Lindsey as joint hostesses. Preceding the review, Mary Helen Sexauer, president, conducted a short business session.

Refreshments, carrying out the Halloween theme, were served by the hostesses to the following members: Ida Anisman, Helen Boswell, Helen Combs, Emma Deaver, Verna DeBerry, Ann Ferrel, Mary Lee Fields, Maytee Fisch, Mary Foreman, Charlene Greene, Tomacell Greene, Peaches Harrison, Ethel Hillhouse, Lottie Kinard, Katherine Minam, Mary Helen Sexauer, Wanda Stephenson, Roselyn Williams and one guest, Mrs. Roy Guthrie.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Sargent visited in Denton over the weekend with their daughter, Mrs. S. A. Barron and family.

Mrs. Elmer Spruill of Amarillo visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Jones.

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WEDNESDAY—

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Our Sunday evening meetings

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3:00 p. m. Monday, Circle No. 1 meets at church.

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8:00 p. m. Monday: Meeting Official board.

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Morning worship 10:50 a. m.

Training service 6:30 p. m.

Evening worship 7:30 p. m.

Youth Fellowship following evening worship.

MONDAY—

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WEDNESDAY—

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All departmental officers and Teachers 7:00 p. m.

Sunday school lesson study 7:20 p. m.

Prayer service and Bible study 8:00 p. m.

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Congressman, 18th District



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At the French Embassy party honoring President Auriol last spring, wooden flooring was provided in the tent.

However, this could not be done at the British Embassy because the ground is sloping, while that at the French Embassy is level enough to support the flooring.

At the British Embassy the ground was covered with a hair like carpet, and it really served just as well as the flooring. Joan and I were among the first to shake hands with the Princess and the Duke. They are both most gracious. The Princess inquired about Texas, and of course I did not miss the opportunity to extend to her and her husband an invitation to visit us.

My experience during the day of November 1st made me feel almost like an international traveler. I had spent the early part of the morning with Mr. Elia Shagouri, of Damascus, Syria, discussing the problems of the Middle East.

This seemed to be the beginning of a chain of events involving conversations with nationals from Canada, Mexico, France, England, in addition to the Princess and Duke, Italy, the Philippines, and a final conversation with Madame Pandit, of India, who returns to her native India in the very near future.

After this round of events some of the people in the party at the British Embassy suggested that we go to a Greek or Chinese (Nationalist, that is) restaurant for something to eat, but Jean and I decided we had enough foreign relations for one day, and went home and ate southern fried chicken with the children.

VISIT HOME: I will be back home by the time this letter reaches you for a stay of about ten days. I must be back in Washington around the middle of November, as there are many things to

do between now and the beginning of the next session, including several important matters. I plan to return to the district the first of December for another stay before Christmas and the beginning of the next session of Congress in January.

TEXAS MOVES FORWARD: Texas bank deposits are up from one billion six hundred million dollars at the end of 1939 to six billion nine hundred million dollars today, an increase of more than 325%.

## Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Monzingo, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Monzingo, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brown attended the Texas, S. M. U. football game in Dallas this past weekend.

Mrs. Henry Foster and children spent the weekend in Abilene with relatives. Mrs. Foster's niece, June Gayle Marshall, returned home with them for a weeks visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hawkins and son of Parnell were weekend

visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Galloway.

Dick Fowler and Bill Cosby were in Dallas Saturday for the Texas-S.M.U. game.

Mrs. Wendell Harrison and daughter Rosemary returned home after a ten day visit with Mrs. Harrison's relatives in Sylvester.

Mr. and Mrs. James G. Stephen of Amarillo, Mrs. C. Vandeventer and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Vandeventer of Memphis were in Norman, Okla. this past weekend for the Oklahoma-Colorado football game.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Gardenhire of Borger visited here over the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phaeton Alexander, and Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Gardenhire.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Martin visited with Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Robertson of Lakeview over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Leak of Shamrock were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ode Gibson.

Mrs. Leroy Stephenson of Quanah visited with Mrs. Ralph Howard over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Edmondson and son Wayne visited with relatives in Quanah Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lester of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Edwards of Memphis visited over the weekend in Odessa with

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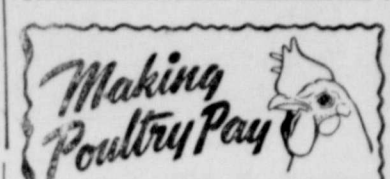
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Liner.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dunn visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dunn in Panhandle Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Gilmer Jr. and son, Bill of Amarillo, visited in the home of Mrs. Gilmer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Vinson, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Ashford of Turkey visited Miss Mary Vinson Saturday.

Misses Ann Spoon and Eudine Gable of WTSC were home over the weekend.



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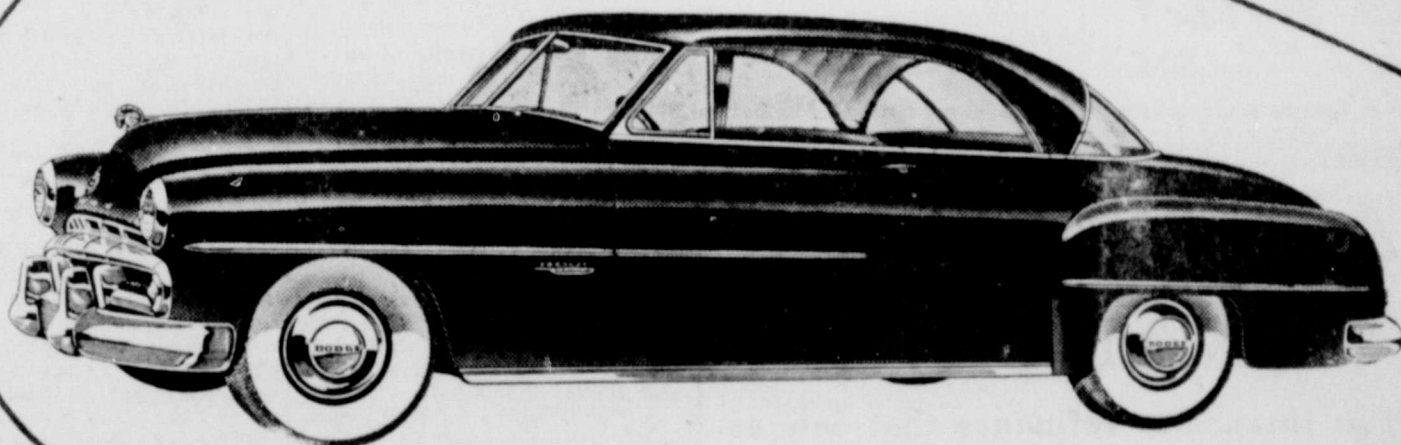
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## Memphis Colonel Gets Silver Star For Korean Duty

Fort Sill, Okla., (Special) Lt. Col. O. B. Lawrence, Memphis, Tex., has received a Silver Star medal with Oak Leaf cluster (in lieu of a second medal.)

He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Lawrence of Memphis.

Lawrence was awarded the medal for gallantry in action against the enemy on February 14, 1951, in the vicinity of Kaejong, Korea. He was commanding officer of the 38th Field Artillery Battalion, 2nd Infantry Division, at the time. When his battalion wire vehicles were pinned down by enemy small arms fire and unable to establish communication between infantry and artillery, he personally carried a line to an artillery observation post. He adjusted fire from there until the enemy fire was silenced.

The Oak Leaf cluster to the medal was given for actions on May 14 and from May 15 to 25. During an enemy offensive, Lawrence personally established an advance observation post when other forward observers were unable to do so. He exposed himself to intense enemy fire again and again, at times with the battalion almost totally surrounded.

In September, Lawrence was presented with a Bronze Star medal for service in Korea.

The second award was made by Maj. Gen. A. M. Harper, commanding general at Sill, during a recent ceremony. Lawrence is now an instructor in Combined Arms department at Fort Sill.

## English Comedy—

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Wees, Mary Helen Sexauer, Bill Teague, Haskell Howell and Ed Monzingo.

The play will be presented the evening of November 29 at the high school auditorium.

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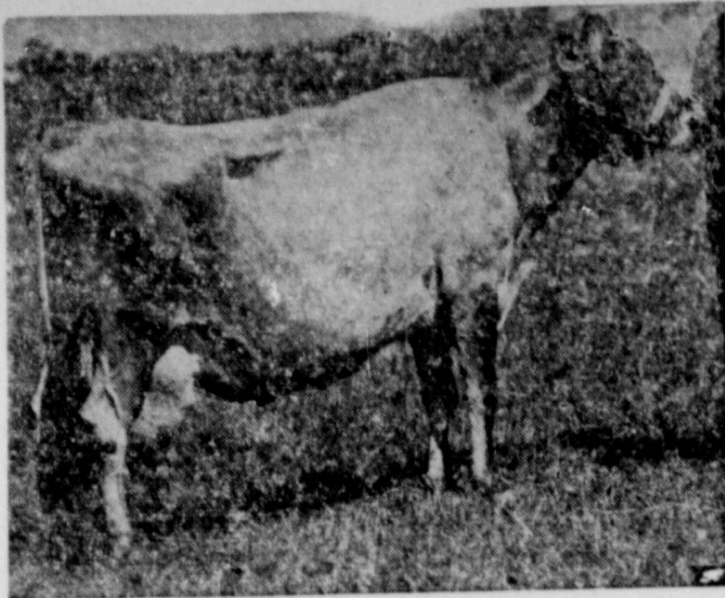
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## Old Ruby Sets Record For Dairy Producers

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The Jersey, well over 21 years of age, finally died this fall. The milking career of the champion lifetime butterfat producer of the nation's dairy cows ended after more than three times the average life of a dairy cow.

She had been a revered champion of the dairy world for many years and adding to it until she died.

Her production accumulated in

20 milking years stands at 196,457 pounds milk and 10,936 pounds butterfat, which is equivalent to 91,375 quarts milk and 13,123 pounds butter.

This would be enough milk to furnish the needs of a family of five for over 60 years and enough butterfat to meet all of its fat requirements for over 77 years.

Old Ruby during her life, had 18 calves and is survived by a host of descendants. Her picture was recently hung in show barns with the inscriptions, "Old Jersey never died, they just milk away."

Ruby was owned by the J. W. Coppini Estate, Ferndale, Calif.

## Comments—

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use mechanical pickers or stripping machines. When that kind of work starts, it won't be long until the crop will be gathered.

Two or three weeks ago I promised to give the readers my reaction to the proposed constitutional amendments coming to be voted upon Tuesday, November 13. After studying these propositions, and getting the views of others of Texas, this is the way most of them think the vote should be:

No. 1 Statewide system for retirement and disability pension for appointive county officials and employees. NO. (They are already on the federal social security rolls.)

No. 2 Investment for permanent funds of Texas University. YES. (The university's board of regents have sensed enough to invest the funds wisely.)

No. 3. Provide for ad valorem tax for rural fire prevention districts. NO. (Already a tax of 3 cents is in force. Any additional levy would mean that much more taxes to be paid and the overall taxes are burdensome.)

No. 4. Increasing fund for purchase of lands to be sold to Texas Veterans. YES.

No. 5. Setting up a system of payments of assistance to needy persons over 65, blind over 16, needy children under 16, removing the 35 million dollar limitation

upon amount of State expenditures for such purposes, disqualifying persons who dispose of property under certain conditions, providing a maximum payment of \$30 per month from State Funds for old age assistance, providing for the acceptance and expenditure of funds from Federal Government, providing that expenditures from State funds shall not exceed the expenditure from federal funds with respect to any individual; and providing conditions as to residence within the state in order to be eligible to receive assistance, and set a limitation of 42 million dollars per year on state funds for such purposes.

As to this last proposed amendment, there has been wide divergence of opinions. Many say it will give present old age pensioners more each month to live upon, and goodness knows the present checks are pitifully small. Others claim that the amendment, if passed, would open the doors for thousands of new pensioners who have not lived in Texas but a short while, and thus take up the difference between the 35 million and the proposed 42 millions—leaving the present pensioners right where they are now as to the amount of their checks. For these obvious reasons voters are going to have to decide for themselves.

TAKE YOUR CHOICE.

## Weather Hinders—

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yet to reach harvest peak. Farmers agree that the yield from this section of the county will give the big boost to production for the county total. As yet not much more than 2,000 bales has been reported ginned from cotton in that area.

Estimated production already ginned in adjoining counties shows Childress has ginned 7,240, Collingsworth 12,118, Cottle 9,875, and Donley 4,550 bales.

Official figures for Hall county as of November 1 will be released by the U. S. Department of Commerce Census Bureau shortly by local agent, Ace Gailey. His report as of October 1, showed 4,237 bales ginned.

## Former Hedley Resident Buried There Wednesday

Funeral services for Mrs. Nellie Wood, 47, daughter of Lee F. Read of Hedley, who died Saturday in Fort Worth, were held Wednesday morning in the First Baptist Church in Hedley under direction of Rev. O. L. Jones.

Burial was in Rowe cemetery under direction of Murphy-Spicer of Hedley.

Mrs. Wood is survived by her husband, W. J. Wood of Fort Worth, her father, three brothers, Dick of Hedley, Roy of Amarillo, and Robert of Sterling, Okla., and six sisters, Alice Read, Hedley, Mrs. Mary Ford and Mrs. Lulu Ferguson, Rush Springs, Okla., Mrs. Effie Musick, Pampa and Mrs. Dewey Roach, Memphis.

Pall bearers were G. L. Leeper, Ray Moreman, D. L. Hickey, T. E. Gibson, Tommie Baine and Hobart Moffett.

## Baptist Pastors—

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Worth, last February. The story is of a brother and sister, played by Movie Stars, Redd Harper, and Cindy Walker, who were both converted under the preaching of world-famous evangelist Billy Graham.

The secretary was instructed to get information about the film, when we could get it, and make plans for the showing in this area. More information will be given very soon.

The program for the monthly Associational Brotherhood was planned, and the date set for Thursday night, Nov. 15, at the First Baptist Church, Clarendon. The program will begin at 7:15 p. m.

Rev. G. C. Sewell, vice president of Wayland College, Plainview, will be the inspirational speaker. Group singing and special numbers from various church brotherhoods will be featured.

The next meeting of the Baptist Pastor's Conference will be on December 3, here. O. L. Jones is chairman, and Bee Nichols, secretary.

## Paducah Here—

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tally against Childress and stopped only after large gains time and time again by the Bobcats. It was reported that most of the Paducah long gains were made after Green attempted to pass, but elected to run with the ball after the Bobcat defense had spread out.

Game time is gains 7:30 and this is the last home game of the season as well as Cyclone Homecoming.

## Liquor Violations Nets \$900 in Fines

Sheriff's officials arrested Raymond McClendon of the Texas hotel and charged him with possession of liquor for purpose of sale Saturday.

Officers confiscated nine half-pints of liquor, Monday in court he pled guilty before Judge M. O. Goodpasture who fined him \$150 and costs.

This was McClendon's second offense since August, according to courthouse records. His first fine was \$200 and costs.

Last week in court Dilly Pierce of Turkey pled guilty to possession for purpose of sale and was fined \$750 and costs.

Woodrow Kincannon, Turkey, pled not guilty and is awaiting trial. He is out on bond.

Claude E. Stevens, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Stevens has recently been promoted to Hospitalman 3rd Class. He is serving with the 1st Fleet Marine Air Wing in Korea.

## Lakeview Eagles; Estelline Bear Cubs To Battle Tonight

The Lakeview Eagles lay their district title hopes on the line tonight when they meet the Estelline Bear Cubs on the Lakeview field at 8 p. m.

Winner of this game will probably cop the district championship.

## Water Franchise—

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5. Agreement is made for the water company to protect and indemnify the city from damages and loss that might arise out of granting of the franchise.

6. Any person desiring water furnished on his premises shall make application in writing and shall comply with such reasonable regulation as may be required by the company. The company shall not be required to extend its mains to any part of the city which shall not give it at least three consumers to each 300 feet of main extended.

7. Permission is granted by the franchise to the company for collection of \$10.00 as a tapping or connection charge for each new service installed; and a fee of \$1.00 may be charged for each connection and disconnection.

8. Community Service Company shall pay the City of Memphis a sum not to exceed 2 percent of their gross receipts derived from sale of water to domestic and commercial customers. This was listed as a street rental charge.

9. The Company further agreed, as set forth in the franchise, to "be equipped to furnish a supply of water, 250,000 gallons per day in excess of maximum consumption in the city, insofar as it is possible, and feasible to produce such supply from lands now owned and leased or to be practically and reasonably acquired by the Grantee (company)."

This section of the franchise further stated, "This . . . shall not obligate the Grantee to drill more wells on land owned by it than are considered proper by the Grantee nor shall the Grantee be obligated to buy additional land at unreasonable prices or at unreasonable distances from Memphis, Tex."

10. The water company shall drill two additional water wells now owned or leased by it supplying the city. These wells are to be drilled as soon after Nov. 6 as a contract therefor may be had and equipment obtained.

11. At least one fire hydrant will be installed in Morningside addition, and others added to the system as the city desires, according to conditions of the franchise.

## Burglars Escape—

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tumblers to gain entrance to the safe. Sheriff E. S. Morrison and officers who investigated said it look like the work of a professional burglar.

An ironic twist to the story, only Tuesday, the Gas Company had a man there who changed the safe combination for safety purposes.



## Ballerina Concert Scheduled Tonight

Lillian Moore, internationally famed American dancer, will appear tonight at the high school auditorium in the first of the Hall County Concert Association's 1951 and 52 programs.

Lillian Moore is one of the few ballerinas to combine virtuoso technique with outstanding abilities as a satirist and comedian.

Admission is by membership only.

## Saturday To Be Poppy Day Here

Saturday will be Poppy Day in Memphis and throughout the United States, Mrs. Doris Pounds, president of Simmons-Noel unit of the American Legion Auxiliary which is sponsoring observance of the day here, has announced.

Everyone will be asked to buy and wear a Poppy in tribute to America's war dead and to contribute to the welfare of disabled war veterans and needy children of veterans.

Poppies will be sold on the streets Saturday by volunteer workers from the Auxiliary.

## Local Delegates Named To Attend WTCC Convention

A delegation from Memphis and Hall County were chosen at a Chamber of Commerce breakfast this morning to represent this area at the 34th annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in Amarillo, November 14-16.

Members selected include Tommie Potts, Herschel Combs, H. J. Howell and Wendell Harrison, Chamber of Commerce Manager Clifford Farmer and Mayor Carl

## Too Late To Classify

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