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## 120,000 CITY BOND ELECTION SET FOR TUESDAY

### Second Primary To Be August 23

Monday, Aug. 23, is the date of the second Democratic Primary. Only six offices are at stake in the run-off. The offices to be elected in Precinct No. 2 at Lakewood, Precinct No. 4 at the Turkey precinct will be a constable. Election polling places and judges are the same as they were for the July 26 primary. Polls will open at 8 a. m. and close at 7 p. m. Even though the ballot is short, local voters are being urged by the Hall County Democratic Executive Committee to use their sacred privilege of the secret ballot on Aug. 23 and keep up the spirit of citizen participation in government affairs.

### OPS Price Expert To Be in Memphis Wed., August 20

W. C. Reynolds, price specialist for the Office of Price Stabilization, will be in Memphis, Wednesday afternoon August 20 to assist merchants in complying with price regulations. While here he will operate from the Chamber of Commerce office in the City Hall and will assist all merchants seeking information concerning the federal price stabilization program. The price officials reminded merchants of this area that the newly revised Defense Production Act has produced some new regulations and amendments to old regulations about which business men will need to know.

### Workers Are Needed To Cut Weeds in Lakeview Cemetery

Volunteers are needed to cut weeds in the Lakeview Cemetery Tuesday morning, August 13, according to Walter Hightower, who says 25 or 30 men can do the job in three or four hours. The plan is to gather early Tuesday morning on the north side and work south, leave the grass, but cut the weeds. With enough workers, one round for each man should finish the job. "Men from Brice, Lesley, Webster, Lakeview and surrounding communities, together with the Od Fellows, please come and help us, and bring your hoe and water jug," Mr. Hightower urged. The annual all-day gathering will be the first Thursday, September 4. A musical program will be given at the noon hour on that date, it was announced.

### Ray Unit To Be Here Sept. 3-4

The chest x-ray service will be held for Memphians two months. The health department is to have an x-ray unit here Sept. 3 and 4. The unit will be here two days, and will be set up at the Lone Star Gas office, Monday morning at a breakfast. Leaders of social groups met there. H. Hoover, field representative, tuberculosis division, emphasized the fact that the service is free to all persons. He said, and not depend-

### MEXICAN LABOR CONFERENCE IS SLATED TONITE

A Mexican Labor Conference will be held tonight at 8 at the Courthouse in Childress. The meeting is sponsored by the Childress Chamber of Commerce, Texas Cotton Ginners' Assoc., Trans-Pecos Cotton Assoc., El Paso Valley Cotton Assoc., Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Assoc., Texas and Southwestern Cattle (Continued on page 12)

### Local Teachers To Receive M. E. Degrees Aug. 22

Three persons from Memphis and four from Estelline are among the 218 candidates for degrees who will participate in commencement activities August 22 at West Texas State College. Mrs. Linda Estes, Mrs. Ollie Brown Lee, and Ms. Minnie Maud Milam of Memphis are all seeking the Master of Education degree. Mrs. Trudie Miller Britt of Estelline is a candidate for the Bachelor of Science degree with a major in education, and Glennie O. Gregory, Mrs. Elizabeth Kennedy and Mrs. Velma N. Tucker of Estelline all seek the "Master of Education" degree. Summer commencement events include a reception August 20 given at their home by president and Mrs. James P. Cornejo, and an address at 8 p. m. August 22 in Buffalo Stadium by President Emeritus J. A. Hill.

### Softball Tourney Gets Underway at City Park Tonite

Six teams are entered in the City Softball tournament which starts tonight at the City Park. Two games will be unreeled tonight. The rebels will play Estelline in the first game starting at 7:30 p. m. Lakeview will be pitted against the strong Cardinals in the nightcap. Next Tuesday Lakeview will play the local Renegades in the first game, and the Cards go against Estelline in the second game. The complete schedule will be announced at a later date. Manager Ted Myers said. The other team in the tournament is Harrell Chapel. In games during the past week, the upset pattern established two weeks ago was continued. Last Thursday the Rebels beat the Renegades, 18 to 14, in a high-scoring game. The next night Estelline upset the strong Cards, 13 to 8. In the nightcap that night the Rebels won another—this time over Lakeview.

### PMA BALLOTS MAILED TUES. TO FARMERS

Ballots for the county PMA elections were mailed out Tuesday to 1,147 Hall County farmers. PMA Officer Lynn L. McKown announced. Most of the balloting in the six communities will be by mail. Those not mailing in their votes can come in to the PMA office in the Courthouse to cast their ballots Friday, Aug. 22. Each of the communities will elect three committeemen and two alternates. They will also select one delegate each and the delegates will elect three county committeemen on Aug. 29. The elections are being held three months early this year due to a change in PMA policy on conservation practices. This will mark the first time that Hall County community committeemen will be required to interview each farmer in the county. The Agricultural Conservation Program will be formulated according to the desires of farmers.

### Memphis Church Hires Noted Song Director

Palmer Wheeler is to begin work with the Church of Christ here, August 25th. He is to serve as song director and instructor in vocal music. Wheeler was a concert singer 12 years and sang in over 37 states. He has been heard over most of the major radio stations. He sang over WSM in Nashville, Tennessee for three years and made Victor Records three years. He taught voice, music appreciation, etc. in Freed-Hardeman College, Henderson, Tenn. two years. Wheeler was one of the original Stamps Quartet and in 1936 was acclaimed "The Golden Voice of Tennessee." During the last twelve years he has devoted his life to evangelistic singing and teaching. He has conducted over 300 singing schools and meetings and has worked with 365 preachers in Gospel meetings. He is editor of "Youth Melodies and Action Songs," a song book for children and is the author of many songs of which some of the most popular are: "I Want to Go To Heaven When I Die," "Unity in Christ," "Christ Is Holy" and "Be Good." The Wheeler's have one son, Thomas Esker, 21, who attends Abilene Christian College. He is majoring in music.



PALMER WHEELER

### 'Flying Saucer' Found at Lesley Turns Out To Be Weather Balloon

A weather balloon that fell shortly before noon yesterday on the John Deaver farm about 2 1/2 miles northwest of Lesley caused considerable excitement for awhile. Folks in that vicinity who saw it drift slowly to earth thought it might be anything from a flying saucer to an aerial bomb. Two Jackson brothers who live on the farm saw the strange device land in a cotton patch and rushed to the J. O. Adams store at Lesley to report the phenomenon. Joe Vandiver who was at the store accompanied them back to the balloon after the sheriff had been summoned. Sheriff E. S. "Peck" Morrison and Deputy Bill Baten went out to investigate and brought the balloon and accompanying equipment back to Memphis where they turned the contraption over to The Democrat. It is reported that the small bulb which is attached to the small package on the balloon was burning when the balloon was first sighted. Also the equipment was said to have been emitting a buzzing sound when it landed. The small package was attached to the balloon by a long cord. The balloon is the type used by weathermen to obtain temperature, humidity and wind velocity and direction aloft. The bulb is used during night releases, and the ascent of the balloon is recorded with a device known as the theodolite. This gives wind direction and velocity at different elevations. The package contains a tiny radio transmitter—radiosonde—which sends back to earth temperature and humidity readings.



At least the weather has been a bit cooler this week, even if the weather man did not bring rain. One farmer thinks seeding clouds is all right, but wonders if the seed used aren't infertile. Old Settlers of Donley and Collingsworth counties are holding reunions the same day—Friday, August 15, one in Wellington and the other at Tate's Grove east of Hedley. Some one has defined Old Settlers as people who can remember when doctors had no office hours, no cars and no hospitals. Did Truman or did he not en-

Wheeler attended college in Durant, Okla. and had special training in Dallas, Tex. and Nashville, Tenn. He is a graduate of the Chicago Conservatory of Music. He worked five years with the Central Church of Christ in Amarillo and two years with the Trinity Heights Church of Christ in Dallas. He is moving to Memphis from Borger.

### FREDDY VINSON ON WEST TEAM IN BOWL GAME

Freddy Vinson will be playing on the West team in the third annual Greenbelt football game tomorrow night in Childress. Vinson graduated in May from Memphis High School. While in school here he lettered three years in football. A big bruising tackle, Vinson stands one inch short of six feet and weighs 240 pounds. He made the Ft. Worth Star-Telegram honor roll twice in 1949. In 1951 he was chosen at tackle on both the all-district and all-regional squads. An all-around athlete, Freddy made all-district in tennis in 1950 and has been an active member of the golf team.

### Local Donors Top Blood Quota By 16 Pints

Memphis and Hall County answered the call for blood donations last Thursday by giving 166 pints to the armed forces through the Red Cross. This was 16 pints over the county quota. H. J. Howell, Red Cross county chairman, and R. C. "Sug" Lemons blood program chairman, praised the spirit of cooperation among the donors and volunteer workers. They said they especially wanted to thank Mrs. O. I. Seale, chairman of the service group. Ben Parks, head of the blood requirement drive, and all those assisting in the work including all local doctors, pastors, and various clubs and organizations. The Bloodmobile unit was located at the high school cafeteria, and operated from mid-morning until mid-afternoon. The Red Cross had asked that 300 pledges be obtained so that a quota of 150 pints of blood would be assured. (Continued on page 12)

### Only Qualified Voters May Vote; Polls Open From 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.

Local qualified voters will go to the polls Tuesday to decide whether or not the city shall be authorized to issue bonds for two civic improvement projects. On the ballot will be two separate propositions. One proposition is for issuance of bonds to finance construction of a modern \$55,000.00 swimming pool. The other proposition to be decided is for bonds to pay for a street paving project that would cost the city \$65,000.00. Total cost of the two proposals is \$120,000.00, payable serially within 30 years at an interest rate not to exceed 3 1/2 per cent.

### Church of Christ Gospel Meeting Starts Tomorrow

A gospel meeting will begin tomorrow night at 8 at the Church of Christ, Min. B. M. Litton announced today. The meeting will continue daily through Sunday night, Aug. 24. Two services will be held daily. The morning service begins at 10 a. m., and the evening service is at 8 p. m. Min. E. N. McCoy, pastor of the Second and Deahl St. Church of Christ in Borger, will do the preaching. He is formerly minister of the Church of Christ in Childress. H. L. Arant of Lubbock will conduct song services at the meeting. He is a popular and well liked song leader, Min. Litton said. He has served at the local church gospel meeting for several years. The public is invited to these services.

### W. E. Hill Dies; Funeral Set For Tomorrow Here

Funeral services for Walter Erwin Hill, 71, will be held tomorrow, Friday, Aug. 15, at 3 p. m. at the First Baptist Church here. The Rev. Roy Shahan, pastor, will officiate. Mr. Hill, a resident of Memphis for 32 years, died last night at about 11:30 at his home at 1303 Montgomery St. Mr. Hill was a carpenter and contractor. Murphy-Spicer Funeral Home has charge of arrangements. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery. Pall bearers were not announced at press time. Honorary pall bearers will be members of the local I.O.O.F. lodge. Flower bearers will be members of the T.E.L. Sunday School class. Mr. Hill was a member of the First Baptist Church here, the Odd Fellows, and the W.O.W. Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Elta Bertha Hill; three sons, Edward Hill and Ralph Hill of Memphis and Albert Hill of Ft. Worth. (Continued on page 12)

All voters will cast their ballots at the City Hall. The polls will open at 8 a. m. and close at 6 p. m. W. C. Davis will be presiding judge. Assistant judge will be T. W. Harrison. Mrs. Glynn Thompson and Mrs. A. H. Miller will serve as election clerks. Only qualified persons may vote. Those meeting the requirements must have rendered property, real or personal, for taxation. In addition they must possess all of the requirements for voting in general elections. Males must have paid a city poll tax. Women voters are exempt from this last requirement. Last week The Democrat published (Continued on Page 12)

### Revival Meeting Coming to Close At First Baptist

Revival services at the First Baptist Church will come to a close with the Sunday evening services. Attendance and interest is growing with each service, the Rev. Roy Shahan, pastor, reported. He said that conversions were being made at each service. Dr. A. C. Donath, evangelist, Conroe, Tex., and former missionary to Africa, is bringing the gospel messages twice daily. The singing is directed by Roy J. Taylor. Reverend Shahan invited the public to attend the remaining services. The ordinance of Baptism will be administered at the Sunday evening service.

### Raymond Ballew Attends Legion State Convention

Raymond Ballew, newly-elected commander of the local American Legion post, attended the Legion's state convention over the past weekend in Dallas. Distinguished speakers at the annual meeting included Donald R. Wilson, Legion national commander; Sen. Lyndon B. Johnson; Bill McGraw, Dallas attorney; Gov. Allan Shivers; and Actor George Murphy. Convention headquarters were in the Adolphus Hotel. Albert Brown of San Antonio was elected new state commander.

### Owls To Play Dickens Tonite At Estes Park

The Memphis Owls will meet Dickens in a grudge game tonight at 8:15 at Estes Park. Memphis downed Dickens by a score of 9 to 6 in a game played here in July. The visitors will be seeking revenge tonight. Memphis will be out to prove that they can do it again. The Owls lost out in the recent Turkey tournament. Dickens captured that double-elimination affair over such powerhousees as Tulsa, Turkey and Childress. Dickens has good pitching and hard-hitting batters. It will take everything Ed Mathes and Claude Hickey, Memphis managers, can muster to turn back the visitors. Mathes and Hickey promise that a strong Memphis team will take the field tonight. The Owls lost a hard-fought contest to a strong Amarillo Air Force Base crew Tuesday night by a score of 9 to 2. Ed Mathes pitched a brilliant game for the Memphians, but the airmen tallied

on lucky fluke hits and Memphis errors. Owl batters failed to find the range that night, and only Mathes, Weldon Fowler and Scotty Grundy collected hits. Both runs were made in the seventh when Mathes tripled into right field, scoring Grundy. Then Mathes scored on a bad throw. Memphis lost two out of three in the recent Turkey tournament. In their tournament debut, they were edged by Turkey 1 to 0. The Owls came back to win the next game when they defeated Vigo Park by a 12 to 3 score. Then Turkey came back to eke out a 6 to 5 victory. That eliminated Memphis. Childress invaded Memphis last Friday night and defeated the Owls by a score of 9 to 6. In most of the games lost recently by the Owls, the team was not up to full strength. Mathes was on vacation, Bennie West out for an appendectomy, and several more were absent from the line-up.



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Besides the usual petroleum products, the Magnolia consignee also acts as wholesaler for the Mobil tires and tubes for cars, trucks and buses. These have been added to the Magnolia line since World War II, and the tires carry a life-time guarantee—adjusted on tread wear.

Doc Saye was born Feb. 2, 1911 on a farm near Savoy in Fannin County. He attended grade school at Savoy and high school at Savoy, Bonham, Denton and Neocoma. He finished at Neocoma. After high school days, Doc worked in the ice business and service station business for four years. In 1934 he started to work for the Halliburton Oil Well Cementing Company of Oklahoma as an apprentice cementer. After two years he worked as a cementer, acidizer and oil well tester. During this period he worked all over North Texas and Oklahoma. On one job in Oklahoma City he cemented the well under the governor's mansion. The well was unique in that it was drilled at an angle from several hundred

Local agent for the Magnolia company since 1943, Saye has a thriving business that he has built through industriousness and faith. With his two delivery trucks, he services all the area north of Red River in this county and parts of other surrounding counties. He makes deliveries to individual farmers and to his five dealer outlets in this county. These dealers are: Alamo Service on Highway 287, Memphis; E. E. Rice Service Station, 10th and Noel, Memphis; B. B. Booth, Memphis; Saye also handles diesel fuel and Lesley; J. & G. Grocery; and Cal

Other wholesale items include Mobile batteries, Mobil fan belts, Purolator oil filters, Champion spark plugs, tire hardware, and windshield wipers and blades. Of course the main products handled are Magnolia petroleum products—Mobiloil and Mobilgas. Mobilgas comes in three grades. Mobiloil is advertised as the world's largest selling motor oil.

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### Mrs. Lena Smith Honoree At Family Gathering

Mrs. Lena Smith, 83 birthday was Saturday. Members of her family gathered for a family reunion Sunday, at country home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Smith, near Memphis.

illies, comprising two sons, Burl B. Smith of Memphis, and W. G. Smith of Elk City, Okla., a daughter Mrs. Lee Driskill of Groom, four grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

Grandchildren and their families present included Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pearce and daughter, Elaine of Oklahoma City; Mr. and Mrs. James Davis and son, Mike of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Smith, Jr., and son, Lonnie Charles and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith and children, Marie, Don and Doak of Elk City, Okla.

Only a great-granddaughter, Carolyn Sue Smith, was unable to attend.

Also attending was Mrs. Smith's niece, Mrs. Gerald Knight, Mr. Knight and son, Jerry of Memphis.

The family reunion on Mrs. Smith's anniversary is an annual event, which is always observed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burl B. Smith.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of expressing our most sincere thanks and appreciation to all for your words and deeds of kindness.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Ellerd and Dwain

Leroy Green, who is stationed at Alameda, Calif., with the Coast Guard, left Wednesday after visiting here for the past week, with Don Corley and other friends.



MRS. F. O. THOMAS Photo by Memphis Studio

### Mary Joe Davenport Becomes Bride of Sgt. F. O. Thomas In Ft. Worth Rites

Miss Mary Joe Davenport, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David H. Davenport, Jr., of Lakeview, became the bride of Sgt. F. O. Thomas of the Carswell Air Force Base, Fort Worth, in a double ring ceremony performed at 4:30 p.m. Saturday, August 2, in the Calvary Methodist Church in Fort Worth.

Rev. Bob Young, pastor, read the marriage service. For her wedding, the bride chose a beige crepe dress accented by black patent accessories.

Mrs. Dale Hanson of Fort Worth, matron of honor, was attired in a tan linen dress with brown accessories.

Dale Hanson of the Carswell Air Force Base attended the groom as best man.

Also attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Dell Lewis of Fort Worth.

The bride is a graduate of the Lakeview High School and attended Clarendon Junior College and Brantley — Draughons Business School in Fort Worth. She was employed for about a year at the County Agent's office here prior to entering school in Fort Worth. At the present time she is em-

### Blades Family Enjoys Reunion In Wellington

Eighty-six descendants of the Blades family met at the Baptist Encampment Ground in Wellington Saturday and Sunday for a family reunion.

Each family brought a basket lunch and meals were served buffet style.

All five brothers and sisters were present and included W. M. Blades and Mrs. J. L. Souder of Wellington, L. D. Blades of Hartley, E. T. Blades of Rush Springs, Okla., and Mrs. A. B. Jones of Memphis.

Others attending were: Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Blades and children of Grand Field, Okla.; F. T. Blades and children, Luava and Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee Blades and sons, Ronald and Donald and Mrs. Alfred Blades and sons, Kenneth and Gene, all of Rush Springs, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberts and children, Treasa Fern, W. R. Tommie Lee and Virginia; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Robertson and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Souder, Jr., and children, Fannette and Reed; Anna Mae Souder; Perry, Tommie Nell, and Connie Souder; Shirley, Reta Mae and Dial Blades all of Wellington; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Sasser and children, Don, Lynnie, and Sandra of Cheyenne, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Thigpen and children, Royce and Sharon Kay of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Christanson of Dalhart; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lancaster of

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Visitors were: Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Orear, Reta, Kay, Lindal and Linda of Wellington; Sandy Roberts of Killeen; Paul Spear of Phillips; Mr. and Mrs. Billie Uleton of Wellington; William O'neal; Irma, Ronnie, Jeannie O'neal; Alvie Wood, Alvie Nell Wood; and Alford Wood all of Wellington.

Mrs. Mary Bounds is visiting in Amarillo this week with her sister, Mrs. Margie Batson.

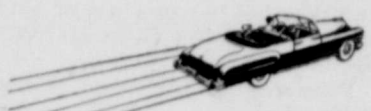
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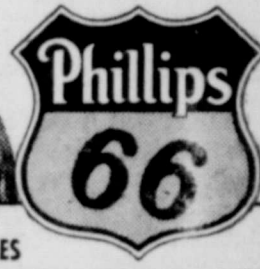
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### Henry Foster Home is Scene For Shower Honoring Mrs. Elton Murdock

A lovely miscellaneous bridal shower was given Friday afternoon, July 25, in the Henry Foster home, 603 South St. honoring Mrs. Elton Murdock, the former Nonnalee Ellis.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mesdames Henry Foster, John Smith, Ernest Foster, Henry Hays, Nat Bradley, N. W. Durham, Haskell Howell, Claud Harris, Lynn Jones, D. A. Grundy, Leon Randolph, Perry Hale, L. O. Dennis, Bill Crowder, Ida Hutcherson, Ace Gailey, Robert Moss, Hulda Wilson, D. A. Neeley and R. H. Wherry.

Mrs. Lynn Jones presided at the bride's book to secure signatures of the guests.

Miss Patsy Hays played lovely soft music as the guests arrived. The entertaining suite of rooms was decorated with an array of beautiful flowers in the rainbow colors.

The tea table was laid with a white satin cloth and was centered with a miniature bride standing

before the altar surrounded by floral arrangements and flanked by tiered candles. White Satin ribbon and white netting was draped around the table and caught at intervals where large white net bows and small white satin bows centered with white wedding bells were placed. Miss Dorothy Hutcherson presided at the tea table.

The guests were seated in the spacious living room where an impressive program was given. Mrs. Robert Moss led the group in playing the game, "Naming the Flowers," and presented Mrs. Perry Hale with the winning prize. Mrs. Haskell Howell read "To Marry or Not to Marry." As Mrs. John Smith read an original reading about the colors of the rainbow and what these colors stand for in a persons married life, Mrs. Robert Moss assisted her by handing Mrs. Murdock streamers of the rainbow colors. Miss Barbara Brewer, accompanied at the piano by Miss Patsy Hays, sang "Over the Rainbow." Mrs. Murdock then followed the rainbow streamers and they led her to a pot of gold which was filled with lovely gifts for the bride.

Fifty friends registered in the bride's book.

Dr. and Mrs. O. R. Goodall, Betty and Robert spent the week end visiting with Dr. Goodall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Goodall in Meridian.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Johnson and daughter of Wellington visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Elliott Sunday.



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### Memphis OES Holds Stated Meeting Tuesday

Memphis Chapter, Number 351, Order of the Eastern Star, held its stated meeting on Tuesday evening, August 5, in the Masonic Hall. Mrs. Vera Gunstream presided in the East and was assisted by Carl Kulp.

A lovely and impressive Rob Morris program was presented by Mrs. Ruth Smith, assisted at the piano by Mrs. Bonnie McMillan. Following the meeting delicious refreshments were served to 25 members.

### J. M. Ferrels Hosts To Memphis Of Dinner Club

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ferrel, Jr. were hosts to members of the Thursday Night Dinner Club on August 7.

A four-course chicken dinner was served to eleven members and two guests after which the group enjoyed games of forty-two until a late hour.

Enjoying this affair were Mr. and Mrs. Clent Srygley, guests; and the following members: Mrs. Anna H. Dickson, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hall, Mr. and Mrs. A. Gidden, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McDaniel, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Weatherby, and hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Ferrel.

The next meeting is slated for September 4 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. McDaniel.

### Memphians Hold Memphians Hold

Lodgepole Camp Ground, located on Taylor River, in Colorado was the scene last Friday for a picnic when several Memphis families who were vacationing in Colorado met for a "hometown" gathering.

A picnic lunch was served and visiting and taking pictures including movies and kodak, were featured throughout the day.

Memphians who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Fields and Linda and Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. P. Montgomery and sons, Donald Jack, Michael, Jerry and Lacy, Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Cosby, Mr. and Mrs. Ace Gailey and children, Don Dwight and Diane, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Combett and Cynthia and Larry, Mr. and Mrs. Mathew Allen and Barbara and Mackie, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard and Gayle Monzingo.

### Needle Craft Club Meets in Home of Mrs. J. M. Ferrel

Mrs. J. M. Ferrel, Jr., 711 North 10th, entertained members of the Needle Craft Club on Tuesday afternoon, August 5.

Members did needle work for the hostess and a short business session was conducted by Mrs. Robert Cummings, vice-president.

Dainty refreshments were served to the following members: Mmes. Lou Erwin, Henry Scott, Henry Newman, Robert Cummings, T. D. Weatherby, J. M. Ferrel.

The next meeting is scheduled for August 19 in the home of Mrs. Henry Newman.

### Florence Champion To Wed Billy Cowan In October Rites

Mrs. O. L. Champion of 2913 Amherst St., Lubbock, announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Florence, to Billy Cowan, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Cowan of Memphis.

The wedding will be solemnized on October 2 at 7 p.m. in the Littlefield Missionary Baptist Church with Dr. Weldon B. Meers, pastor officiating.

Miss June Robertson will be Miss Champion's only attendant and Joe Walden will serve as best man.

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On August 19 you will vote for or against a bond issue that calls for the construction of a municipal swimming pool.

At various times over a period of years we have been contacted in regard to selling the swimming pool. As late as last summer a committee representing the Memphis Chamber of Commerce contacted us and asked that a price to be put on the swimming pool. This Committee also asked a price be quoted for the entire farm, including swimming pool and other improvements. It was indicated that UNRESTRICTED water rights would be desired. UNRESTRICTED WATER RIGHTS WOULD GIVE THE PURCHASER FREEDOM TO DEVELOP THE AVAILABLE WATER SUPPLY FOR ANY PURPOSE HE SAW FIT, INCLUDING, DEVELOPMENT FOR COMMERCIAL AND/OR DOMESTIC USE.

The swimming pool has been advertised for sale in local and out of town newspapers. For an adequate consideration unrestricted water rights might be purchased. HOWEVER, if ONLY the swimming pool is sold certain restrictions would be placed on the water rights. No restrictions would be placed on water rights incidental to pool operations.

It is hoped that this statement will clear up any misunderstanding that might have been caused by numerous rumors recently circulated.

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PERSONALS

Mrs. J. H. New and Mrs. L. O. McCoy and children of Adams visited last Thursday with Mrs. L. O. McCoy and...

Mrs. M. G. Robertson.

Sgt. Robert Duncan is visiting here for a two week leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Duncan. He is stationed in Camp Kilmer, N. J.

Mrs. J. J. Griffin of visited Mr. and Mrs. L. O. and family recently.

Dr. and Mrs. James Baldwin and family of Quanah visited here Thursday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Baldwin and other relatives.

Jeff Welcher of Parnell with Mrs. Pauline Grisham

Guthrie Bennett of Las Vegas is enjoying a vacation here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Bennett. Guthrie is employed in a bank in Las Vegas.

Mrs. Phalen Weatherly of Salem, N. C., visited with Mr. and Mrs. Robert

Mrs. J. A. Parker of Shreveport, La., arrived here this week for an indefinite visit. She plans to remain during the fall to assist her father, R. J. Cooley, at the Cooley Trading Post.

Mrs. D. L. McGrew of Webb City, Okla., visited with Mrs. Doyce George and Mr. and Mrs. James

Mrs. Brodie Hoover and daughters left Monday for Banger, Okla., where they will visit this week with their parents and grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wirght of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wirght weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira McQueen returned home Wednesday of last week following a two-week's vacation trip to Wyoming.

Mrs. Gene Robertson of Catus visited last with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Patrick, and Mr. and

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gwinn and daughter of Amarillo visited here over the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bridges have as guests this week Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Hipp of Chillicothe.

Mrs. Mary Ellen Mills of Mataro was a week end guest in the home of Winnie Cassels.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack White of Corpus Christi visited here Tuesday and Wednesday with Mr. White's aunt's, Winnie Cassels and J. G. Garnener and family.

Gene Davidson of Seymour visited in the home of Fritz Asprenger last week. During his visit he saw many of his friends. His father, Rollo Davidson, former Methodist Minister here, is pastor of the First Methodist Church at Seymour.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bridges have as guests this week Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Hipp of Chillicothe.

Mrs. Clyde Miller and sons, Michael and Rickie, of Clovis, N. M., are visiting with her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Miller. Mr. Miller accompanied them

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Smith and sons, Randy and Dale, of Houston will arrive here Friday for a visit with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bridges.

Alfred Friedlander returned to his home in Tyler Friday accompanied by Sheldon Anisman who

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cowart and son, Dick, of Chicago are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Madden. Mr. Cowart is on

Mrs. Creed Lamb Jr., of Amarillo visited here over the week end with her husband's mother, Mrs. Jean Lamb, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Carmen and Mrs. Jean Lamb visited with Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Sasser at Plaska Sunday.

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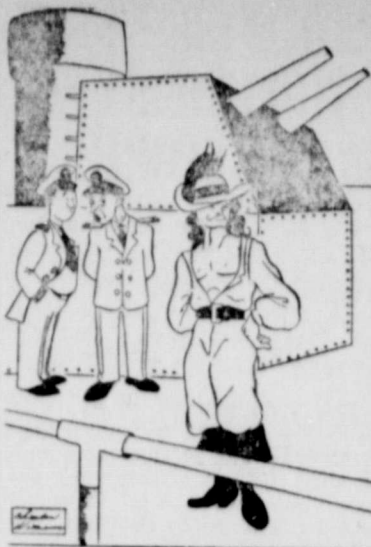
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"He" from one of those old Navy families steeped in tradition.

homa City on a business trip. Memphis and went on to Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Higdon and daughter Sara Elizabeth and son Charles and Gene Willingham of Brownfield visited here Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gip McMurry.

Robert Hanvey left Monday morning to return to Fort Sill Okla., where he is stationed with the U. S. Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Cladaugh of Oklahoma City spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Harrison and Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hanvey of South Carolina are here visiting his brother, J. R. Hanvey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cowart and son, Dick, of Chicago are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Madden. Mr. Cowart is on

the faculty of Northwestern University in Chicago.

Ed. Hutcherson and Ernest Lindsey of Lubbock left Monday for a week's fishing trip at Lake City Colo.

Mrs. Ernest Lindsey and grandson, Dave, of Lubbock spent from Thursday to Tuesday with Mrs. Ed Hutcherson. Mrs. Hutcherson and daughter, Lera Kate, accompanied them home for a few days visit.

Mrs. George Greenhaw spent the past week end with her sister, Mrs. R. F. Curry, who is ill in the Wellington hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Bryan of Corpus Christi and Cora and Cara Belle Lee of Amarillo spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Childress and daughter, Connie and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Burks left Tuesday

on a vacation trip. They plan to go from here to Austin where Connie will remain with her grandmother, Mrs. J. H. Read, Mr. and Mrs. Childress and Mr. and Mrs.

Burks will then go to San Antonio, Galveston and Copus Christi. Advertise in the Democrat

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### HOME PURCHASERS SHOULD BEWARE OF CONFUSING SALE CONTRACTS

The signing of a contract of sale is an extremely important step in the purchase of a home. Once a buyer and seller have signed, they are bound by the provisions of the contract. Their respective legal rights in the transaction are thereby set and determined. If the contract is poorly and haphazardly drawn, a harvest of regret may be reaped later.

Sales contracts are often called by other names, such as earnest money contracts, binders, receipts, etc. All of them are for the same purpose and almost without exception involve the deposit of money by the buyer. Some require the seller to put up a good faith deposit. The fact that such deposited sums are usually to be forfeited in event the depositor later fails to go through with his specified contractual obligations lends weight to the often stated admonition that no contract should be signed without complete understanding as to its terms.

But many home purchasers (and sellers) rush to sign a hastily prepared contract with very little knowledge of its contents. The pressure of time, the informality of the occasion, the causal appearance of the contract, and perhaps the fact that a partially printed form is used may contribute in causing the true importance of the act to be overlooked. At any rate, many are lured into a lapse of good business judgment.

Every significant detail of the bargain should be crystalized in unmistakable terms in the contract of sale. Land and fixtures being sold should be clearly described. A complete legal description of the property by lot and block, or by metes and bounds, is a must, the street number being inadequate by itself.

Articles and fixtures in the sale but not always sold with houses generally should be specifically listed. Included in this category are such items as venetian blinds, removable floor coverings, draperies, air conditioning units and others. In purchasing property construction, complete plans and specifications form an essential part of the agreement.

The price to be paid must, of course, be specified, along with method and terms of payment. If a certain sized loan is a prerequisite to the buyer's ability to complete the purchase, this fact should be noted. Sad indeed is the prospective purchaser who loses his earnest money when a con-

templated loan transaction falls through, his contract payment of the entire consideration in cash.

The sales contract should also state the quality of the title to be conveyed to the buyer and the type of title evidence to be furnished. These matters will be further explained in a later column.

The buyer's individual circumstances and desires may require that various matters not mentioned above be provided for in the contract. A partially printed form may or may not provide sufficient blank space for the addition of all essential details in your case. There is a consistent tendency to try to squeeze every sales contract to fit the type of printed form on hand, omitting or leaving to easily misinterpreted or forgotten oral agreement many vital provisions. Do not fall into the "pitfall of the printed form." Too many unfortunate entanglements have been announced by clients to lawyers with the words, "I have just signed a receipt for a house on Blank Street. Will you take over now and see that everything is O.K.?"

(This column, based on Texas law, is written to inform—not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who knows the facts, because the facts may change the application of the law.)

### HALL COUNTIANS TO GET DEGREES FROM H-S UNIV.

Two persons from Hall County will be among the 225 students who will receive degrees from Hardin-Simmons University during the 60th annual summer commencement exercises, Aug. 24-25.

They are Byron Eugene McCollum of Estelline and Paula Easley of Memphis. Baccalaureate speaker will be the Rev. L. D. Ball, pastor of the Lamesa First Baptist Church. Commencement speaker will be Dr. John W. Inzer, Sylacauga, Ala., Southern Baptist evangelist and past national chaplain of the American Legion.

Degrees will be conferred by Dr. Rupert N. Richardson, president of the university. Baccalaureate services will be held in the evening in Parramore stadium on the campus.

McCollum will receive the master of education degree. Mrs. Easley will receive the bachelor of science degree.



**RODEO QUEEN**—Pretty 18-year old Betty Sue Bradley of Dublin has been selected Queen of the Pre-Madison Square Garden Rodeo to be held at Dublin, Tex., Aug. 27, 29, and 30. Miss Bradley has been one of the Texas sponsors at the Madison Square Garden Rodeo in New York which is produced by Everett E. Colborn of Dublin.

### PVT. HANCOCK COMPLETES COOKING SCHOOL

Pvt. Bobby Hancock of Lakeview has completed the 4th Army Food Services School of the 5th Armored Division at Camp Chaffee, Ark.

During the course, he first learned the basic principles of cooking in class room work. He

then practiced preparing food in small quantities, and in the final phase of the school, he participated in the preparation of actual full scale meals in an army mess hall.

Pvt. Hancock, son of Mrs. Doa-shia Hancock of Memphis attended high school in Memphis and was a farmer before entering the service.

His wife, the former Ethel Smith of Lakeview, still resides there.

### CARDS DEFEAT ESTELLINE BY 19 TO 8 SCORE

The Memphis Cardinals journeyed to Estelline Tuesday night and defeated the Estelline Cubs by a score of 19 to 8. Estelline upset the Cards last Friday, and the Memphis boys were out for revenge.

The Cubs got off to an early start. The first 11 men up scored seven runs. The scoring spree ended until the last inning when the Cubs got two more. Memphis loaded the bases in the first, but failed to score. In the next inning, however, they pushed over ten runs.

Lloyd West was winning pitcher, and G. Gardenhire was the loser.

CARDINALS		Ab	H	R
Lloyd West, P		5	1	2
R. Hutcherson, 2nd		5	3	3
D. Miller, 1st		5	3	3
J. Browning, C		5	2	3
D. Friable, 3rd		5	1	2
T. Taylor, ss		5	0	1
J. Stevens, Lf		5	1	2
J. Foster, Cf		5	0	1
H. Kennedy, Rf		5	0	2
TOTAL		45	11	19

ESTELLINE		Ab	H	R
Fowler, 3rd		4	1	1
Tucker, Lf		4	0	0
Walker, C		4	1	1
Moore, 1st		4	1	1
Winkler, ss		3	0	2
Gardenhire, Rf		3	0	1
Sutterfield, Cf		3	0	1
Adams, 2nd		3	0	0
G. Gardenhire, P		3	1	1
TOTAL		31	4	8

### Ben Parks Named District Chairman For USO Campaign

Ben Parks, Memphis banker, today was named District Chairman of the forthcoming fund campaign in Texas for the U.S.O.

Selection of Mr. Parks was announced by R. R. Gilbert of Dallas, Campaign Chairman of the Texas United Defense Fund Committee, and Wm. O. Mullins of Amarillo, Chairman of Region 1 for the U.S.O. fund appeal.

Parks' district includes Childress, Hall and Briscoe counties. Parks said that regardless of what happens in Korea, as long as Russia continues the cold war and millions of our youths are engaged in the defense of our freedom there will be a need for the familiar home-away-from-home services of the U.S.O. In making this statement, he urged that everyone in District 6 do his part in making the forthcoming campaign for the U.S.O. a success.

Mrs. C. W. Lott of Lubbock is visiting here this week with her mother, Mrs. Cicero Milan.

### Waldrops To Leave Saturday for Utah

Sgt. and Mrs. James Waldrop will leave Saturday for Salt Lake City to spend a few days at the Mormon Temple. Sgt. Waldrop returned July 15 from Utah where he had spent almost a year.

He was discharged from the Army in Oklahoma and spending time at a summer resort there.

Mrs. Waldrop is the daughter of Camilla Stinnett, daughter of and Mrs. Henry Stinnett, Waldrop is the son of Mr. Waldrop of Clarendon.

Mrs. Waldrop worked at telephone office here while her husband was overseas.

### Political Announcement

(The following are candidates for public office in the Democratic primary on August 19, 1952.)

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- HUNTS PEACHES - No. 2 1/2 can ..... 29
- HUNTS CATSUP - 14 oz. Bot. .... 19
- HUNTS - ALL GREEN ASPARAGUS - 2 picnic cans ..... 49
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- SUGAR - 10 lb. bag ..... 1.98
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- HAMBURGER MEAT 49¢  
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  - STEAK 79¢  
 T-BONE, U. S. Good, Pound
  - CHEESE 57¢  
 Aged - Longhorn, Pound
  - PORK CHOPS 59¢  
 Pound
  - FLAT RIBS 39¢  
 Beef - Pound
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CORN Fresh, 4 Ears for	25c	LUNCH MEATS Assorted, Pound	55c
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### SPORTS AFIELD

By Ted Kesting

Archers sometimes object to special archery sessions or to being set aside for archers, but that it makes a privileged group of them and spoils the fun for the rest of the group. It does no such thing. There is plenty of room for all. In fact, the average archer is a gun hunter. The kill by a gun hunter is small compared to the number of birds that are killed by an archer. Another objection—that archery is more than they can handle—is not a valid one. Outdoorsman Bill Wolf has said that he would rather be hit by a bullet than by any of the razor-sharp arrowheads.



**SKY'S THE LIMIT** . . . This Hawker Siddeley GA. 5 is the RAF's solution of how to destroy enemy atom bombers at very high altitudes.

### BETTY PASCHALL SUFFERS BROKEN WRIST IN FALL

Miss Betty Paschall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Paschall and secretary to County Agent W. B. Hooser, suffered a broken left wrist in a fall from a horse about 8:30 Sunday night. An expert rider, she was thrown just as she was preparing to dismount at the Old Fashioned Freeze when a bicycle rider came up suddenly behind the horse, frightening the animal. The horse, owned by Andy DeWees, in ordinarily a gentle animal, but is afraid of bicycles.

Betty also received a minor head injury in the fall, and was unconscious about two hours. She was taken to a local hospital for x-rays and to have the broken bones set. She was released later that night.

She plans to return to work this week.

Others in the riding party when the accident occurred were Janice Ann Anthony, Carol Ann Monzingo and Mr. and Mrs. Andy DeWees.

### Golf Tournament Held Here Sunday

Prizes of golf balls were awarded local golfers in a novelty tournament Sunday afternoon at the Memphis Country Club.

The divisions and winners were Most bogeys on 18 holes, Otis Cobb; "Blind" score of 41 or 9 holes, Jim Walker; "Blind" score of 95 on 18 holes, Hersche Combs; High score, Billy Allen Combs; Second high score, Pets Smith; Birdies made on either 1, 2, 5, or 6 holes; Andy DeWees (on 5), Frank Foxhall (on 6). Most scores of a kind, Reg Greenhaw.

Andy DeWees shot a 75 for the day, but under the rules of the game, he did not win anything for his score.

Entrance fee for the tourney was \$2.00. The money was used to buy the balls used as prizes.

Mrs. Cope and daughter and Miss Emma Bagwell of Claude visited Mrs. Florence Switzer here Sunday.

Mrs. Drucilla Householder has returned to Amarillo after a visit here with her sister, Mrs. J. McMurry.

Miss Mollie Harris, a teacher in the Coleman schools, is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Harris.

### Landlord-Tenant Arrangements Need Revision, Specialist Says

COLLEGE STATION—Tenant situations brought about by the operations are still an important part of Texas agriculture. Some 30 per cent of all Texas farms are operated by tenants. Like most other farming practices, says C. H. Bates, farm management specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, many leasing arrangements are out-of-date. He points out that lease arrangements set up for cash-crop systems of farming do not fit the

solutions to tenure problems. The economists have found that both tenants and landlords improve their lot when leases are used that really cover present day farming and livestock production. The use of up-to-date leasing arrangements meant more income to both tenants and landowners as well as better soil maintenance and improvement programs.

The latest findings of the co-operating economists are reported in the publication "Rental Arrangements for Progressive Farming" which is available at your local county agent's office. Other material on the subject of rental agreements, prepared by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and Extension Service, are also available. Bates says the specialists, through studies and actual experience, have come to the conclusion that a good rental agreement should always be written. It should cover more than a single year or contain an automatic renewal clause. It should specify how the expenses, upkeep and labor as well as income are to be shared. It should encourage the tenant to produce livestock as well as crops.

day from Central City, Colo., where they had been vacationing for several days.

Mrs. Julius F. Neel and children of Big Spring are visiting here with Mrs. Neel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Milam and grandmother, Mrs. J. W. Stokes.

### CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express to our kind neighbors and thoughtful friends our heartfelt thanks for their many expressions of sympathy. The beautiful floral offerings were especially appreciated. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Reed

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**25c**

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**Coffee** Popular Brands Pound **.85**

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Flat Cans — 3 for  
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**27c**

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**KOOL-AID**  
6 pkgs. for **25c**

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**FLOUR**  
25 Pounds  
**1.95**

Yukon's Best  
**MEAL**  
5 Pounds  
**39c**

**STEAK**  
Arm, Chuck or Rib  
Pound  
**45c**

**OLEO**  
Good Value  
2 Pounds  
**45c**

**VALLANCE'S**  
**RECIPE OF THE WEEK**  
By Mary Lee Taylor  
**Skillet Dinner**  
Broadcast: August 16, 1952  
6 slices finely cut bacon 1 can condensed cream of mushroom soup  
2 large, firm tomatoes 1/2 cup Pet Milk  
1/2 teaspoon salt 1 tablespoon liquid off corn  
Cooked or canned  
Cook bacon in skillet until crisp. Drain bacon fat from skillet. Remove crisp bacon and save. Return 2 tablespoons fat to skillet. Cut tomatoes in halves crosswise. Sprinkle with 1/4 teaspoon salt. Put tomatoes in skillet. Cover and cook over medium heat until tomatoes are just tender, or about 5 minutes. Remove to warm platter. Keep hot. Put corn, soup, milk, liquid off corn and 1/4 teaspoon salt into skillet. Cook and stir until steaming hot, but do not boil. Serve hot corn mixture over the tomatoes. Top with bacon. Makes 4 servings.

### GARDEN FRESH VEGETABLES

**Lemons** Large Size Dozen **39c**

**PEACHES** Elberta, Pound **15c** | **GRAPES** Red Malaga, Pound **29c**

**Squash** AND CUCUMBERS 3 Pound for **25c**

**HAMS** Picnic, Pound **40c**

**BACON** Grade A, Pound **40c**

**BAR-B-Q** Hot, Pound **49c**

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## Editorial

### VOTE 'YES' TUESDAY

In the three-score years since the city of Memphis was founded, a great deal of progress has been attained. From a tiny settlement of tents and crude wooden shacks Memphis has grown into an enterprising business center with modern downtown buildings and many fine homes. It is a good place to live—a city with a secure future.

Yet, in spite of the many advancements made over the long period of years, some civic improvements have been sadly neglected. Many of our neighboring towns have modernized their streets in keeping with the automobile age. Also they have secured wholesome recreational facilities for the young people. Others have not. Unless an attitude of complacency is defeated at the polls here next Tuesday, Memphis will remain among the "have nots."

Two propositions will be voted on Tuesday, August 19. One is to authorize the city to issue bonds for constructing a modern \$55,000 swimming pool. The other is for issuance of bonds to finance a program of street paving. Cost of the latter is \$65,000.

For \$120,000 Memphis can obtain both civic improvements. For a slight increase in tax on property, the community can secure things that are considered necessities by progress-minded towns.

There has been no paving of city streets in 26 years—since 1926. This is probably something of a record for a prosperous town the size of Memphis.

Wellington has good paved streets; Olney is paving streets now; and Clarendon has just recently voted a large bond issue—to finance civic improvements, including street paving.

Here is a significant fact: The proposed paving would cost less than the paving of 26 years ago. And that was during a period when a dollar had value.

Something else that may surprise a few folks: Cost of paving would not be prohibitive—only about \$7.20 per running foot, according to a price quoted by one contractor. Of this amount, the city would pay one-third and property owners on each side of the street would pay one-third each. An owner of a 50-foot lot, would have a pay only \$120.00—a small cost for obtaining an all-weather street.

Good streets will mean an automatic increase in property values.

Perhaps one of the best arguments for building a swimming pool here can be found in Wellington. That town has a fine, modern pool. And among the throngs that flock to it in the summertime are a great many Memphians. One thing seems certain, even in our topsy-turvy world: young people are going to go swimming during the hot summer months.

Too many people here have the idea that a swimming pool would be a perpetual "white elephant." The fact is that many of the towns in the Panhandle have public pools that are not only paying expenses, but are showing a profit.

Another thing to think about: a nice swimming pool here would attract persons from all over this county and from several adjoining counties. It would mean more dollars for local businessmen.

The proposed pool for Memphis would be able to handle 500 swimmers at one time. Dalhart and some other towns have pools of comparable size and report capacity crowds at times.

The pool here would be supervised at all times; it would



### "See You In Church"

When someone says: "See you in church" it doesn't mean a social engagement . . . it shouldn't be just an idle quip—it means, or should mean, a sincere invitation to everything that is fine and worthwhile in this world.

To get a new hold on the basic values of life there is nothing to compare with church attendance. The inspiration of sacred music, the comfort of prayer, the stirring ministry of the Word of God, the Christian Fellowship found there not only make you feel better . . . you are better because of them. Join your friends in the church of your choice Sunday.

**MURPHY - SPICER**  
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## ANOTHER HEADACHE



be kept in a sanitary condition by a filtering plant; and the water would be heated during chilly periods. Besides these features, the pool would have diving boards, dressing rooms, showers and wading pools for small children.

Presumably only a small admission fee would be charged—enough to pay operating expenses. It may work out that season tickets could be sold at a discount for local patrons.

To finance both of these projects the increase in property valuation would amount to only 15 per cent. At the present Memphis has the second lowest bonded indebtedness of any city its size in the state. The additional small tax load would last only for about four or five years. By that time old debts will have been retired, leaving only the bonds for the paving and pool to be paid. City officials say that after a five year period the tax load will not be any higher than it is at the present.

Next Tuesday is the day! It will be up to the qualified voters to decide whether or not Memphis is to keep up with the times.

Go to the polls Tuesday and vote "Yes" on both of the propositions on the ballot. You owe it to your children, your neighbors—and yourself.

### Press Paragraphs—

#### QUOTING OUR NEIGHBORS

##### Ladybugs

Thousands of ladybugs will swarm in fields around Sunnyside early next week devouring harmful insects as they go.

It will be the result of a meeting last Friday at the Sunnyside Baptist Church, where a group of farmers placed a collective order for 200 gallons of ladybugs. The shipment is expected to arrive from California this week-end.

Farmers in other sections of the nation have used ladybugs to destroy plant insects for many years. Among the scavengers' targets are aphids, bean thrips, scale insects, asparagus beetle larvae, alfalfa weevils, Colorado potato beetle eggs, and Chinch bugs.

Professional hunters search mountains for ladybugs hibernation grounds. There the insects are scooped up into sacks and jars. Refrigerator trucks carry them to buyers in two-gallon lots, sold at \$7 apiece.

Farmers release the ladybugs in the cool of morning or evening

They would fly away if turned loose in mid-day heat.

Agent Edd Mc Leroy said one gallon would process 50 acres under normal infestation. He expects them to attack boll worm and leaf worm eggs as well as aphids.

Sunnyside landowners made up most of the group Friday. Several people from Olton and Springlake were present.

—Castro County News Dimmitt

**Conventions and Primaries.** Since the two great conventions were held in Chicago, there has arisen, or rather continued, the dispute of which is more effective, the convention or the preferential primary.

As we see it both have their strong points.

The convention in the past has been boss ruled and controlled.

The primary is an expensive means of getting an opinion of from the voters, and too often the

voter refuses to express his opinion, if he has one.

There is little sense of persons just going to the polls to vote, unless they vote intelligently. It is just as well that they stay at home and not be counted unless they have a deep interest in their government and want to see their government improved through the nomination of capable candidates.

As a result of the two conventions, neither Eisenhower nor Stevenson spent one red cent to get the nomination. Yet they are the choice of their respective parties, and no doubt are the best candidates which could have been selected.

Taft and Kefauver spent sizable fortunes in running over the country seeking votes.

Perhaps the recent conventions of both parties settled nothing.

The people will still continue to argue, and perhaps those who have the most to say will continue to shun precinct conventions, which are the foundation of the present system.

—Canyon News

Plenty of shade, water and a balanced diet are musts for growing pigs in the summer time. Neglecting the pig crop can cause trouble this fall. The pigs will not be ready for early fall market.

—Memphis Public Schools To

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## Memories

Turning Back Time 25 Years

From The Democrat Files

32 Years Ago

March 3, 1921

**MAN POUND DEAD IN WAGON ON ROAD**—Charles A. Sandel was found dead in a moving wagon in the new road just after noon Tuesday. He was returning home from Memphis in a wagon. Mr. and Mrs. Wills passed the wagon in a car and noticed that something seemed wrong. Mr. Wills stopped the team and found that Mr. Sandel was dead.

**ACCEPTING BALL OFFER BY LANDIS HELD IMPROPER**—Washington, March 2—The house judiciary committee held today that the acceptance by Federal Judge Landis of the position of supreme baseball arbiter was inconsistent with the full and adequate performance of his duties as judge and constitutes a serious impropriety on his part.

**CAMP FIRE GIRLS FORM ORGANIZATION**—On the afternoon of Feb. 28 Miss Mary King organized the camp fire girls.

After the election of Lucille McCann as president, Katherine Reed as secretary, Lois Pressley as treasurer, Hazel Delaney as bugler, and Ruby McCann as press reporter, important matters were discussed.

**PARENTS! WARNING!**—Do you know what your sons and daughters are doing tonight? Bring them to see King W. Vidor's "The

Family Honor." It shows the gilded path leads to wrecked lives, the gallows.

**ESTRAY NOTICE**—Taken this 26th day of February, A. 1921, by the undersigned, a plantation, east and near S. bury School house, in Hall County, Texas, one coming two old red white-faced mules on left hip, marked swallow on right crop on left. If same not claimed within twenty days I will stray said steer as required by law.

**HEADLINES IN THE DEMOCRAT**—Federal Farm Loan Held Constitutional By U. S. States Supreme Court—Social Of World Condemn Bolshevik Camp Clark Dead—Spur County Seat Of Dickens—Law Passed Over Veto Of

**STRICTLY PERSONAL**—Phillips of Halver was here after business matters today.—L. McMillan of Clarendon here looking after business.

—J. D. Riley made a bus trip to F. Worth the first of week. M. Riley is adding machinery to his mill plant.

D. A. Norris and family moved from the corner of and Seventh St. to a place the high school building.

25 Years Ago

**COTTON CROP ESTIMATED AT 13,492,000 BALES AUGUST 1; PRICES ADVANCED \$15 BALE**—Washington, Aug. 8—The first forecast of this year's cotton crop was placed at 13,492,000 equivalent bales Monday by the Department of Agriculture, which declared the outstanding factor in the situation this year was the boll weevil menace.

**LOCAL CLERKS TO ATTEND MEETING AT AMARILLO**—The fifth annual meeting of the West Texas Auxiliary County and District Clerk's association of Texas will be held in Amarillo August 12 and 13. Miss Edna Bryan, county clerk, and D. H. Arnold, district clerk, of Memphis, will be in attendance. Miss Edna Bryan is secretary-treasurer of the organization.

**GOOD RAIN IN HALL COUNTY FIRST OF WEEK**—Something like one-half inch of rain fell here during the early morning hours Tuesday, and nearly an inch after midnight Tuesday night. These rains practically insure good crops in Hall County this fall and everyone is highly elated over the prospects of good yields as well as the outlook for good prices.

**HEADLINES IN THE DEMOCRAT**—Newlin Citizen Has Letter Written By George Washington.—L. T. Offield Gets 4-Pound Bass.—Memphis Public Schools To

Open Monday, September 1. To Be Used For Heating—Telephone Manager Here to assume Duties.—Kindergarten Here This Week—Opening of C. G. Service Station Is Friday Night.

**STRICTLY PERSONAL**—Mrs. L. M. Grundy and Darel and Tom, visited Grundy's sister, Mrs. J. S. wards of near Hedley San Mrs. H. B. Estes Under operation at the Memphis tal this Thursday morn Mrs. S. T. Harrison and Mrs. J. C. Wells went to this Thursday.—Sheriff Christian and family left ter part of last week for day's outing at Medicine Okla.—Mr. and Mrs. M. er and children and Mr. Temple Deaver and child last Friday for a two week vacation in Colorado.—man returned to his Amarillo Sunday after a visit with his parents. Mrs. W. H. Moreman—Cudd and daughter, Just turned the latter part of from a visit with Mrs. B. son of Amherst.—Mrs. A. and left for her home at night after a ten day's havenport of Lakewood. Davenport of Lakewood business visitor here Satur



Matrons Club In Barnes Tuesday

Part Matrons Club of Memphis... Number 351, Order Eastern Star, met Tuesday afternoon, July 29, in the home of Mrs. Clara Barnes.

Jeff Welcher and Mrs. Bowman of Parnell were visitors Monday night.

JACK L. ROSE Optometrist Main Phone 251-M Thursday Afternoons

CHURCHES

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Arthur Burr Morris, Minister Sunday Church School 10 a.m. Morning Worship 11 a.m. Sermon: "The Unknown" Text: Matthew 25:13

CHURCH OF CHRIST Bible Classes 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. Young People's Class 7 p.m. Evening Worship 8 p.m.

LAKEVIEW METHODIST CHURCH Revival services, 10 a.m. and 8 p.m. Rev. Douglas W. Gossett, preaching, Wilson Texas, August 15-24, 1952

PERSONALS

Tommy Brewer is visiting this week in Amarillo with his sister, Mrs. Kenneth Bounds.

Mrs. H. M. Guest returned home Thursday night after a three week visit in Abilene with her daughter, Mrs. A. E. Wells, who is recovering from an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fowler are vacationing in Colorado this week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Van Pelt attended the alumni homecoming in Wellington Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Elliott attended the alumni homecoming in Wellington Saturday.

Gerald Hickey and son, Jerry of Memphis and H. R. Cushman and son, Layne of Quitaque returned home Monday from St. Louis, Mo., where they had been for the past ten days attending the baseball games.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Monzingo and daughter Carol Ann and Katherine Wright are vacationing in Monte Vista, Colo., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hickey plan to go to Turkey Saturday to spend the week end with Mr. Hickey's sister, Mrs. J. M. Hale.

Mrs. Henry Foster and children are visiting in Abilene this week with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Ball and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Brewer of Clarendon and their son and his family, Capt. and Mrs. J. C. Brewer and daughter, of El Paso were guests Thursday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Patton and Chief of Police and Mrs. T. D. Weatherby.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Mitchell, Mary Helen and Douglas, who were enroute home after a two week vacation in Henderson, Tennessee and the Cumberland Mts. visited this past week end with Mrs. Mitchell's mother and brother, Mrs. Jennie Hill and Fate.

Waller-Proffitt Nuptials Read Here Tuesday

Miss Genevieve Waller of Memphis and Tommy Owen Proffitt of Brice were united in marriage in a double ring ceremony performed at 8 p.m. Tuesday evening in the Church of Christ parsonage with Minister B. M. Litton officiating. Lucille Proffitt, sister of the bridegroom, and Jimmy Steward were the only attendants.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Craft of Tahoka Are Parents of Son

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Craft of Tahoka are the parents of a 4-lb., 12-ounce son, William Patrick, born July 27 in Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Craft of Brice are the grandparents of the new baby. The mother was the former Patty Molesworth of Clarendon. Kathy, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Craft, is staying with her grandparents at Brice this week.

Rev. Seay Returns From Methodist Pastors School

The Rev. Bernard F. Seay, pastor of the Lakeview Methodist Church, recently returned from the Texas Pastors School held Aug. 4-8 at Southwestern University, Georgetown, Tex. The school is an annual affair for all Methodist pastors in Texas. Lecturers this year were: Dr. Edwin Lewis of Drew University, Dr. Arthur Hewitt, pastor of the Northfield Vermont, Methodist Church, and Bishop Donald Tippitt of the San Francisco area of the Methodist Church. About 500 ministers were present for the seminars, lectures, forums and conferences.

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Many lovely gifts were received by the honoree. The invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. Grady Phillips and daughter, Dianna, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Moore and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Dennis, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Patrick, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Posey, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie King, Mr. and Mrs. Melford and Mrs. Freeman.

Kay Pat Cornelius and Sue Carter of Amarillo have been visiting Grace Duke this past week.

WEEK-END SPECIALS

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**PLASKA**

Mrs. Elton Murdock of Memphis spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. John Murdock. She left Thursday for El Paso to join her husband who is stationed at the army base there.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bray attended the baseball game in Turkey Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Williams and daughter of Amarillo are here visiting his mother, Mrs. Pauline Williams, K. D. Nabers and family and Zip Durret and family. Mrs. John Murdock spent Wed-

nesday night in Memphis with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Saxon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roundtree and sons of Hayward, Calif., visited last week with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Howard and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Miller are the parents of a new baby girl. She has been named Cynthia Ann Roy Alvin, Jimmie Don, and William Molloy are spending this week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nabers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Highnight were dinner guests in Wellington Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Palmer.

Bro. Flanagan of Amarillo fil-

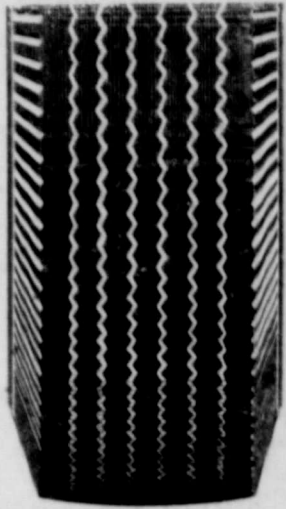


IT'S FOOTBALL TIME AGAIN, and workouts for the Third Annual Greenbelt Bowl game are in progress at Bobcat Stadium for the last time today. The game will be played at Childress tomorrow night. Four of the standout gridgers to appear in the game, shown here, left to right, are: A. J. Viertel of Albany, Kenneth Scott of Anson, Jimmie Camacho of Ranger, and Freddy Vinson of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. James O. Miller and son Stevie, and Adrian Combs spent Monday fishing at Jim's Trout Farm near Borger.

Bill Hoover and Claude attended the Lubbock baseball game in Amarillo day night.

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led his regular appointment here Sunday and was dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Nat Bradley in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Molloy accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Garner Lee of Memphis to Red River, N. M. for a few days vacation this week.

Several from this community attended a shower in Brice by Mrs. D. C. Hall honoring Mrs. Norma Jean Martain Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Harold Hodges spent Monday in Memphis with her sister, Mrs. Vera Stewart, who is recovering from an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Nabers and son, Mike, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Zip Durret Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Saxon and children visited Sunday in Littlefield with relatives and in Tulia with Mr. and Mrs. Jace Hartsell. Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Rae and daughter Myrtle, and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Rae visited in Wichita Falls Sunday and attended a reunion.

Mrs. Mack Wolf and daughter of Belen, N. M., visited her son, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wolf this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Whitfield and Mr. and Mrs. Hub Holt and children visited in Astola Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Evans. Mrs. Polk Adcock accompanied by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Bruce Adcock returned home this week. Mrs. Bruce Adcock will join her husband who is stationed in England soon.

The W.S.C.S. met Monday with Mrs. N. M. Orr. Sue Hall spent from Tuesday until Friday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Crawford in Memphis. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hall and son, John Doyle, returned home Friday from Comanche after an extended visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Hall and other relatives.

**Locals and Personals**

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Fields and son Jimmy and daughter Lynda returned Saturday night from a ten-day vacation in Almont, Colo.

Walter Jameson of Amarillo spent Sunday visiting here with his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Regnal Greenhaw of Amarillo spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Greenhaw.

Maurine Ward of Amarillo spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. T. L. Ward.

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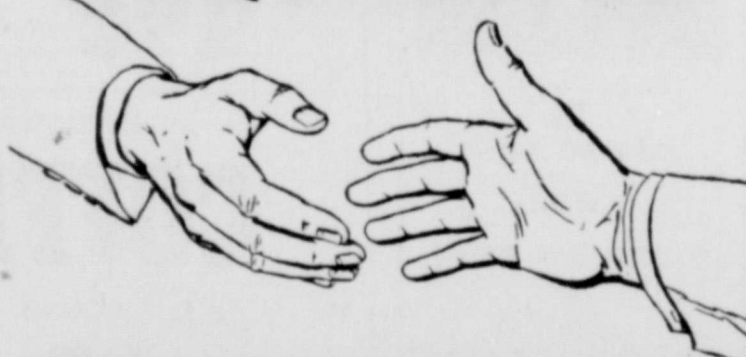


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5 Lb. A. J. <b>MEAL</b> 45c	Supreme Salad Wafer <b>CRACKERS</b> 4 1-4 lb. box 25c	12 oz. box Golden <b>RICE</b> 19c
50 lbs. Sunbonnet Sue <b>FLOUR</b> 3.65	Empson's Cream Style Golden <b>Sweet Corn</b> 300 size cans — 6 for 1.00	No. 2 Condensed <b>TOMATO</b> 6 Cans For 1.00
White Swan <b>Turnip Greens</b> 6 For 89c	3 Rolls <b>Northern Tissue</b> 25c	No. 1 Tall <b>Mackere</b> 25c
<b>COFFEE</b> White Swan 1 Lb. 85c	12 oz. W. S. Homogenized <b>Peanut Butter</b> 35c	We Redeem <b>FOLGER'S Coffee Coup</b>
Sweet Midget <b>Pickles</b> White Swan, 12 oz. jar 49c	Blackburn's <b>SYRUP</b> 3 Flavors—64 oz. jar 55c	Gallon Texo Brand <b>APRICOTS</b> 89c
10 Lbs. A. J. <b>MEAL</b> 85c	Dried <b>APPLES</b> 8 oz. cello bag 25c	<b>SUGAR</b> 5 Pound 55c
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### Constitutional Amendments

#### HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an Amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding Section 61 to authorize cities and villages of this State to provide insurance for employees of the State and to provide for the submission of proposed Amendment to the electorate; and providing for the publication of the same in the Official Gazette of the State.

#### RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding a Section 61 to read as follows: "61. The Legislature shall have the power to enact laws to provide for the insurance of employees of cities, towns, and villages of this State to provide Workmen's Compensation Insurance, in the right to provide their own insurance risk for all employees; and the Legislature shall provide suitable laws for the administration of such insurance in the said municipalities and for payment of the costs, charges, and premiums on policies of insurance and the benefits to be paid thereunder."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electorate of the State at the General Election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1952, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon (or in counties using voting machines the said machines shall provide for) the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for Workmen's Compensation Insurance for employees of cities, towns, and villages"; and

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for Workmen's Compensation Insurance for em-



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ployees of cities, towns and villages."

Each voter shall mark out one (1) of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one (1) expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment; and if it shall appear from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Section 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

#### HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 38

providing an amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by the addition of a new Section to be known as Section 50a, providing for the establishment of a State Medical Education Board and a State Medical Scholarship Fund from which grants, loans or scholarships may be made to students desiring to study medicine; providing that such students shall agree to practice in rural areas of this State; providing certain restrictions and limitations; providing for an election and the issuance of a proclamation therefor.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of the State of Texas be amended thereto a new Section to be known as Section 50a which shall read as follows:

"Sec. 50a. The Legislature shall create a State Medical Education Board to be composed of not more than six (6) members whose qualifications, duties and terms of office shall be prescribed by law. The Legislature shall also establish a State Medical Education Fund and make adequate appropriations thereof to be used by the State Medical Education Board to provide grants, loans or scholar-

ships to students desiring to study medicine and agreeing to practice in the rural areas of this State, upon such terms and conditions as shall be prescribed by law. The term "rural areas" as used in this Section shall be defined by law."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1952, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon (or in counties using voting machines the machines shall provide for) the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment providing for the establishment of a State Education Fund from grants, loans or scholarships may be made to students desiring to study medicine."

AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment providing for the establishment of a State Medical Education Fund from which grants, loans or scholarships may be made to students desiring to study medicine."

Each voter shall mark out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the amendment; and if it shall appear from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said amendment, the same shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Section 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. The expense of publication and election for such amendment shall be paid out of proper appropriation made by law.

#### Magnolia Gas

(Continued from Page 2) feet to reach the spot under the mansion.

In 1933 Doe went into the oil well trucking business at Borger. He sold out when the war began and started to work as a receiving agent at the rubber plant in Borger. He left that job and came to Memphis in May of 1943 and be-

came Magnolia consignee the next month.

Doc's hobbies are hunting and fishing. He also likes baseball and was a catcher in his younger days.

He belongs to the Lions Club, Chamber of Commerce, Fire Department and the Methodist Church. He is a past president of the local Lions Club and a member of the Agricultural Committee of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce and Hall County Board of Development. Interested in getting youth started off to a good start in agriculture, he has donated two registered Duroc Jersey

pigs to local 4-H boys every year since 1944.

Saye was married to the former Connie Sewell of Gainesville Nov. 2, 1936 in Ardmore, Okla. They have three daughters, Monta June, 14; Linda Kay, 9; and Sandra Richard, 2½.

Mrs. Saye keeps the office and does the bookkeeping for her husband. She is a member of the B&P Club, Methodist Church and is active in the Methodist Guild. Her hobby is watching all sorts of sports, a pastime she says she picked up from her hus-

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### Booster Club Sets Aug. 29 Date for Watermelon Feast

The annual Cyclone Booster Club watermelon feast will be held at 7:30 p.m. Aug. 29 at Estes Park, according to Clent Strygley, president of the club.

Coaches, members of the Memphis High School football team and Booster Club members are invited to the feast.

Strygley said that the big electric scoreboard clock was installed Tuesday at Cyclone stadium. The clock has been paid for by the First National Bank of Memphis. It was purchased through the Booster Club from the American Desk Company.

The scoreboard will be operated from the east side-line of the field on the 50-yard line. The scoreboard is located behind the north goal.

### Comments

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Since the nomination of Adlai Stevenson at the Chicago Convention? Since my statement two weeks ago that "Truman missed the boat and is credited with no part in the nomination of Stevenson to head the ticket. Not until every delegate at the convention knew that Stevenson would be nominated did HST come out for him", I have received a lot of fan mail saying the statement was in error. Perhaps so, but a lot of national political writers believe as I stated, and a lot more quite the contrary. Perhaps I was right and perhaps I was wrong. It may have been a keen political trick pulled on us by HST. It so, it was one of the best tricks politically ever pulled on Americans. If Stevenson lets Truman make a whistle-stop campaign as he did four years ago, then I will believe the trick was pulled. If Truman is held down on such a campaign, then there is room for the belief that my statement was right in the first place. But that is neither here nor there. I am waiting to learn what Stevenson thinks about the tideland business. Two of the best men in America will be at the top of the tickets in November, and either one, if elected, will bring a more conservative government, and one not controlled by leaders of union labor, as has been the case for several years.

Cotton is doing all right yet, and the cloudy and cool weather is taking the burn out of the cotton on tight land, is the way a cotton farmer expressed it Tuesday. However, he said that rain is needed and must come soon to give the crops the

### LAFF OF THE WEEK



"I'M AFRAID I CAN'T TELL YOU WHAT IT'S FOR, MADAM — BUT WHERE COULD YOU GET ONE LIKE IT FOR ONLY 59 CENTS?"

start they must have to produce good yields all over the country.

At Tuesday's Rotary Luncheon, "The Flag", its uses and abuses, was presented by a small group of Ted Myers' Boy Scouts. The affair was interesting and more people could benefit by such programs. Too little regard is paid the American flag, because they have not been accorded the privilege of learning more about it. When the young scouts become of age, some of them will doubtless be Rotarians, Lions, Chamber of Commerce members, of city or county officials. Such training they are getting now appearing before audiences will serve them nicely when they take over the reins of their community. They not only will be wiser about a lot of things than their predecessors, but will be able to appear in public without their knees knocking together when they get to their feet to discuss community problems. Recently, a speaker said that for a long time and after much practice he had gotten to the place where when he arose to speak, his mind does not sit down.

Just a little two more weeks and school will start. Youngsters will blame me for bringing up that subject, for the vacation period has been too short for most of them. But such is life!

This is the week of flying saucers—meteors, if you please. Annually meteorites visit within the vision of earthlings. It is said that 50 may be seen each hour during

the night this week. One young fellow, in his teens, wondered what meteors look like, and his father said, "If you lived away from the bright lights like I did as a lad, you would spend hours at lying on your back and looking upward toward the heavens, and you would be amazed at the glory of the firmament, the beauty of the Milky Way, and the rapidity of the meteor in its momentary sweep across the heavens."

A letter from the D. L. C. Kiernards, who are spending the hot weather at Altmont, Colo., states they are enjoying the weather, the scenery, the neighbors from Hall County. A picnic was held the other day by the Hall Countians who are there and 31 attended.

While that bunch of folks are enjoying themselves, we here at home haven't been too gloomy at that. Every day we look at our thermometers to see if it is hotter than the day before, and when it registers the same or a little below, we chuckle and dance with glee. Then late in the afternoon and early evening, we sit in the yard or on the front porch and wait to see if a cooling breeze will spring up. If it does, we are overjoyed and do some camp-meeting shouting. When bed-time comes, we strip even the unmentionables, recline on a hot sheet, wait for a visit from Morpheus (who seems to be off duty most of the time during hot weather) to bring that happy forgetfulness in sleepy dreams, only to become more restless, then have to turn over, then back, then around

### Local Donors

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ed for the one-day stopover here. Mrs. Billy Thompson, who acted as publicity chairman for the recruitment drive, said that 155 of those giving blood had released their names and blood types to the local hospitals for emergency use.

Those helping at the Bloodmobile unit were: Mrs. H. J. Howell, Mrs. Frank Goffinet, Mrs. C. M. McCoy, Miss Neville Wrenn, Mrs. J. A. Odom, Jr., Mrs. Edwin Smith, Mrs. Clifford Farmer, Mrs. John Fowler, Eudine Gable, Mrs. Dwight Kinard, Mrs. Mac Tarver, Mrs. Herschel Combs, Mrs. A. Huckaby, Mrs. Robert Moss, Mrs. Poy Young, Mrs. Parr, Laura Mae Hightower, Mrs. Bob Ayers, Mrs. Chas Dryden, Mrs. Herbert Estes, Mrs. Carl Harrison, Mrs. Hulda Wilson, Mrs. Billy Thompson.

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### Rites Conducted

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D. Bailey of Plainview; three daughters, Miss Ruth Bailey of Amarillo, and Mrs. Lucy Bishop and Mrs. Lela Moffitt, both of Hedley; seven grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Bailey was born Oct. 9, 1866, in Mississippi. She moved to Lamar County, Texas, when she was still a small child. She was married to C. D. Bailey Dec. 9, 1886, in Lamar County. He preceded her in death Oct. 20, 1927. Two children also preceded her in death.

For the past ten years Mrs. Bailey had been making her home with her daughter, Mrs. Lucy Bishop of Hedley.

She was a member of the Church of Christ in Hedley.

to the other end of the bed, then get up to get a drink of cool water, step out in the back yard to see if any breeze is stirring—none—then back to bed, finally become unconscious; wake up in the morning with a kind of hang-over, half alive and half way cross with the world. The morning air feels so cool we perk up and again to hum a tuneless kind of b-z-z-z. Then, each day we look vainly for a black cloud "no longer than a man's hand" that might be bringing rain. In fact that has been my principal occupation for the 51 years I have lived in the Panhandle. Oh yes, the Memphis vacationers in Colorado are missing something after all.

### \$120,000

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lished a letter to voters from the Memphis Civic Affairs Committee of the Chamber of Commerce. The letter explained the proposed paving project, telling how much it would cost, and how the paving work would be carried out.

Another letter has been sent out this week explaining the swimming pool proposal. According to the letter, Memphis would have a pool that would be equal to other pools in other population class-towns in the same population class.

The informational letter stated that the pool would be similar to the pool at Dumas which has a filtering system, water heater, two wading pools, and a bath-house. The Dumas pool is fan-shaped, 50 feet wide at the deep end, 110 feet at the shallow end and 110 feet in length. It accommodates 600 persons.

The letter also states that the Dalhart pool netted more than \$3,000.00 above all expenses in its first summer of operation.

An explanation is given about the wording on the ballot as pertains to the swimming pool. "Park improvement" instead of "swimming pool" as listed on the ballot. This was a matter of legal wording, the letter states, in order to meet the requirements of the state Attorney General who must approve the bonds before they can be sold.

Additional information on the two propositions can be found in an editorial on Page Eight in this issue of The Democrat.

### W. E. Hill Dies

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a daughter, Mrs. Ted Musgrove of Ft. Worth; a brother, J. E. Hill of Dallas; two sisters, Mrs. Annie Gant of Ft. Worth and Mrs. Mae MacFarland of Dallas, a half-sister, Mrs. William Thompson of Evansville, Ind.; a half-brother, Charlie Hill of Evansville, Ind.; and 11 grandchildren.

Mr. Hill was born Oct. 28, 1881, in Dallas County. He was married to Miss Elta Bertha Bradley Nov. 22, 1911, at Shamrock. They moved to Memphis in 1920.

### Mexican Labor

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Raisers' Assoc., West Texas Chamber of Commerce and local chambers of commerce.

This meeting is for the convenience of farmers and ranchers in a seven county area, including Childress, Hall, Collingsworth, Cottle, Hardeman, Motley counties in Texas, and Harmon County, Oklahoma.

The purpose of this meeting is to give information concerning the laws and amendments and work contracts for the year 1952. These amendments have been drawn up by the Mexican Government and the United States Government. The sponsors of this meeting will attempt to give all available information concerning the above amendments and to answer all questions that the farmers, ranchers, and business men present might have concerning Mexican Labor.

### X-Ray Unit

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vantage of the free service.

Present at the breakfast meeting Monday morning were: Mrs. G. W. Kesterson, Delphian Club; Mrs. Jim Beeson, B&PW Club, Mrs. Herschel Pounds, American Legion Auxiliary; Mrs. E. W. Godfrey, Jr., Girl Scouts; Mrs. Lloyd VanDeventer, V.F.W. Auxiliary; J. W. Coppedge, Lions Club; Clyde F. Milan, Rotary Club; Charles H. Hoover, state health department; Clifford Farmer, Chamber of Commerce; and Dr. C. B. Dryden.



PRE-NATAL CHEERFUL. Healthy six-pound baby cried 10 minutes before he was born to Mrs. Thaddeus Heston at the center of attraction at the Ziegler hospital room.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Heston, Astoria visited with Mr. and Mrs. Phaedon Alexander and Mrs. Mrs. Andy Gardenhire Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar White, Roswell, N. M., arrived Saturday to visit for a few days with White's sister, Mrs. Frank

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"Abilene Town"  
Randolph Scott  
Ann Dvorak  
CHAPTER 9  
HURRICANE EXPRESS  
Saturday Night Preview,  
Sunday and Monday  
"The Outcast of  
Poker Flat"  
Dale Robertson  
Anne Baxter  
TUES. WED. THURS.  
Walt Disney's  
"Snow White &  
the Seven Dwarfs"  
(Color by Technicolor)  
PALACE & RITZ  
BARGAIN DAY  
Friday, Aug. 15  
"When I Grow Up"  
Bobby Driscoll  
Robert Preston  
CHAPTER 9  
"King of The Congo"  
Ritz  
Saturday  
"Ghost Town  
Renegades"  
Lash LaRue  
Fuzzy St. John  
CHAPTER 2  
'Zombies of the  
Stratosphere'  
Sunday and Monday  
"Wagons West"  
Rod Cameron  
Peggie Castle  
Tuesday, Wednesday,  
Thursday  
"Here Comes  
The Marines"  
Leo Gorcey and  
Bowery Boys  
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