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Constance Shirley

playing auditions ever to be held

here by the National Guild of

Piano Teachers will be Dr. Constance Shirley of Hollywood,

Calif. The auditions are scheduled

for May 7-8 and 10-11, according

to Miss Gertrude Rasco, who was

appointed chairman of the center.

when announcement was made

recently that Guild auditions were

Dr. Shirley was classed among

Pupils of Memphis and Well-

Ward, Mrs. T. L. Rouse, Mrs. L. G.

United States and attract approxi-

The national program was origi

nated in 1929 and is conducted

Dr. Shirley majored in piano

and composition and has won

many contests and scholarships,

Long Beach, San Francisco, West-

Mrs. D. N. Beaver

mately 35,000 piano students.

auditioned by Dr. Shirley.

Charles Allen, John C.

Rasco and Miss Rasco.

annually.

Pacific Coast child prodigies and

to be held here.

she grew older

Adjudicator For

NWN SERVICE

MEMPHIS, HALL COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY AFTERNOON, APRIL 22, 1954

TEN CENTS

Re-Elected Head

Of Organization

elected at a meeting Monday

night of the Hall County Farm

Bureau. The session was held in

the county courtroom in Mem-

phis, with Harold Hodges of Plas-

Hodges was re-elected pres-

ident. Other officers named were:

Elmer Lacy of Turkey, first vice-

president; Robert Moss of Mem-

phis, second vice-president; and

Earl Richards, of Memphis, secre-

tary-treasurer. Both Moss and

Directors, elected to two-year

terms, and their alternates, are:

Turkey, Jess A. Johnson and E.

L. Geisler; Lesley, Leon Fowler

and David Hudgins; Brice, Clyde

Fowler and Billy Salmon, and Cal

Holland, whose alternate is to be

appointed; Lakeview, R. S. Wans-

ers and J. W. Longshore; Plaska,

Brown Smith and A. C. Sams;

Harrell Chapel, Cecil Phillips and

Louis Richards; Quail, Clee Parr

and Paul Montgomery; Memphis,

on; Salisbury, J. R. Mitchell, Jr.,

Holdover directors are Worth

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ley and V. C. Durrett, Ott E. Bev-

ka, president, in charge.

Richards were re-elected.

vonne Sturdevant Chosen ueen In Lions Contest Here Auditions In May

meen contest last Thursday and 6 o'clock, according to Ayers.

and Mrs. Bob Ayers will any Miss Sturdevant to ed as judges. lle Friday afternoon. The ates from over the district master of ceremonies. parade which is scheduled

televised over KGNC-TV success.

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the Memphis Lions on Friday afternoon between 5

ter of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. last Thursday evening, Ayers said, nt Selected from a field were: Sue Miller, Eudene Lamandidates, she will represent bert, Juanella Goffinet, Betty cal Lions Club in the Queen Claude Hickey, Katherine Wright, st at the district convention Nancy Brewer, Lois Ann Cofer, organization in Amarillo, Elizabeth Grundy, Shirley Miller, opens today and continues Pauline Hammons, Maydell Jef-Saturday. The event here fries, Barbara Kulp, Janice Ann eld in the high school audi-Kennon, Anita Hartsell, Yvonne McDaniel, Carol Ann Monzingo, ette. 17-year-old Miss Peggy Evans, Jo Ann Huggins, ant is a senior in Memphis Betty Hawthorne, Glenna Wid-

W. T. "Dub" Nelson, president een will appear with queen of the Childress Lions Club, was

Members of the Lions Club m. and move up Polk Ayers, who is a member of the

to Third Avenue and then club, was chairman of the event, to Third Avenue and then club, was chairman of the event, the Herring Hotel, where which was attended by more than Brother Of Mrs. 200 persons.

school personnel for their fine co-

ea County Officials Discuss Drouth blems With Gov. Shivers Thursday

ty Judge Tracy Davis was+ the group of officials from No One Injured In last Thursday morning ernment help was needed

Shivers promised the coun- was on State Highway 86, west of before he could be freed. ials he would bend every Estelline. including appointment of the county's plight at a Canyon nce of Governors, called

egation, told the governor still needed in the area, 9:30 o'clock. ough rain has fallen re-

urgently needed, since

through the Farmers Administration.

ries presented the gover- business lives. , and other groups.

DC, April 26-28.

ak-In Tuesday ht At Turkey

Sheriff Bill Baten said

deputy said the only things are away.

had been found missing Dr. Cobb discussed possible day which might result

by breaking a hole at the the persons concerned, Dr. Cobb of the steel-framed case- said.

was Yvonne Sturdevant, Other contestants for queen

hool and is a twirler in ener and Patsy Armstrong.

Three Childress residents serv-

at Amarillo High School sponsored the queen candidates.

girl who is crowned queen The chairman, speaking in berille will receive a com- half of the club, said he wished to hew spring wardrobe, including thank the girls who participated in the queen competition, and the Remains Critical revue of the queen contest operation in making the event a

The injured man had both legs Big Egg Found By who told Gov. Allan Accident At Hulver No injuries resulted in a car- ed, a number of ribs broken, and affected area. The delega- truck collision at Hulver, Sat- suffered concussion, according to et with the governor at urday morning, highway patrol- Mrs. McBee. He was pinned in his men reported. The accident scene automobile for about 45 minutes southwest Memphis, Tuesday af-

Involved were Mrs. Geneva T. Christi, is in Memorial Hospital in wise and 5% inches the other way first vice-president; and O. K. dam. ory committee of state Bryant, 38 years old, of Estel- that city.

Mrs. Bryant was driving a 1951 died shortly after the accident. said one of her White Giant hens

ty Judge James McMorries was driving a 1953 Ford Victoria tion agent at Robstown. in County, spokesman for sedan. Both were headed east.

forries said that liberal Office Relationships mers. with the exceptation rould make crops but they to materialize.

Eyed By Psychologist

Martin county judge de- Relationships of the business statement of Dr. Ozro Woods of that farmers also need a woman and her employer was dis- Dallas, to the effect that: beral loan program, since deathen umber can't borough to exist after three years drouth.

Judge said farmers and derable number can't borough to exist after three years drouth.

Woman and her employer was discussed by Dr. Beatrix Cobb of Houston, principal speaker of the you can, with what you have, and getting a bang out of doing it!"

Dr. Cobb was introduced by Miss Judge said farmers and Oklahoma, according was released early this week by dudge said farmers and sional Women's Club, Monday evening. The dinner which honor-topsoil, through deep. topsoil, through deep- ed the business and professional men by whom B&PW members are cluded: a duet, "Flower Song," be made to farmers and employed, was held in the Mas- from Madame Butterfly, sung by

onic Hall. Women go into the business Lloyd Hamilton, accompanied by Lower Panhandle group, will be Carl Harrison, G. M. Duren, asked Gov. Shivers to pre- world for many reasons, Dr. Cobb. Mrs. Dick Fowler; and the invopersonal request to Pres- who is resident psychologist at cation by Miss Una Loard. enhower for the request- the M. D. Anderson Hospital in including a public works Houston said. These basic reasons the local B&PW organization, was to provide employment are reflected in the women's in charge of the meeting. obless in the affected area. needs and expectations in their

petitions which had been Some girls enter the business up by the Texas County world to meet young people of motif. and Commissioners As- both sexes. Others are working until their husbands complete colas told the delegation the lege, or until they can buy homes, Problem likely would be or can amass sufficient capital to up for discussion at the raise families. Still another group S Conference in Wash- goes into business life to seek careers.

Counterparts of these professional women are found in their "bosses", Dr. Cobb declared. There are employers who seek "decorations" for their offices, there are others who want women "maches broke into the Panhan- ines," who can turn out large Company service station amounts of work, and there are key sometime Tuesday night still other employers who seek nesday to "Baten said "Girl Fridays", who look after all phases of their "bosses" business ednesday to make an invest- and personal lives, including operating their businesses when they

aday were two new white- frustrations which might result from the wrong matching of busi-

break-in was discovered ness women and employers. day morning by an emwhen he came to work.

Solution of any frustrations that
may arise may be found in a betmay arise may be found bealth of aid the thieves gained terment of the mental health of

ndow, reaching in, and In defining mental health, the Houston psychologist quoted a



Charlie McBee

Charles Wesley Hammonds, brother of Mrs. Charlie McBee, both as pianist and composer. was showing some improvement | She has appeared with outstandbut was still unconscious Monday, ing success as a concerto soloist as the result of injuries, suffered in numerous California cities, inin a head-on automobile accident cluding Los Angeles, Pasadena, at Corpus Christi, April 4.

Hammonds, 37 years old, re- wood and Glendale, and critics mained in critical condition and have been effusive in their praiswill until he recovers consciousness, Mrs. McBee quoted physi-

badly broken, his left arm crush-

no was riding with Hammonds, yolks and whites. Mrs. Beaver his month by President Eis-Ford pickup truck and Hunter She was assistant home demonstra- probably laid the egg.

Henry Spruel, Corpus Christi, The accident occurred about driver of the second car involved

Other parts of the program in-

tended the anguet.

with an overcast.

only a few hours.

Panhandle.

Weather Here Hot

During Past Week

Weather in this section was

Forecasts this morning offer-

ed some hope for moisture.

Predictions were for scattered

showers today and tonight in the

Temperature ranges the past

eek, according to Weatherman

lows: last Thursday 59-76 de-

grees; Friday 45-72; Saturday

41-90; Sunday 49-85; Monday

59-83; Tuesday 61-89; and Wed-

nesday 60-75. This morning's

low was 55 degrees.

John McMickin, were as

hot most of the time the past

week. Not until this morning did

Angus Association To Hold Auction Here Saturday

Members of the Lower Panhandle Aberdeen-Angus Association will hold their second annual sale here Saturday. The sale will purchased a large block of stock be held at the Hall County Live- in the First State Bank of Memstock Auction barn on State High- phis. The purchasers were officers way 256, just west of Memphis. and directors of the bank. The

Approximately 10 bulls and 50 stock was bought Saturday and secretary.

Conducting the sale will be Bill bank. Hagel, well-known auctioneer of Springfield, Mo. David Hudgins, president of the Tex., interests, were F. A. Finch, Mrs. Richard Highfill and Mrs.

sales manager for the event. Mrs. Mollie Carlos, president of PRICE SUPPORTS The tables were arranged in the form of an umbrella and were decorated to carry out the spring ARE ANNOUNCED Approximately 90 persons at-

Price supports for feed grains it was announced. in Hall County in 1954 were announced this week by R. A. Eddeman of Estelline, chairman of President, L. C. Martine are: Carl Harrison, Head Of Borger dleman of Estelline, chairman of the Agricultural Stabilization and tive vice-president; F. A. Finch, Conservation county committee.

Supports are as follows: Barley, \$1.10 per bushel, compared with \$1.19 last year. Grain sorghums, \$2.21 per hun-

temperatures slide to a cooler level, as the result of the passdred weight for No. 2 or better. age of a cold front, combined compared with \$2.38 last year. Moisture content must not be more On Monday and again on than 13 per cent. Wednesday, duststorms moved in but fortunately, they lasted

Oats, \$.80 per bushel, compared with \$.85 last year. Support price on cotton seed, on 100 grade basis, will be \$54

Difference in prices this year Ice Boxes Issued and last results from using a new parity formula.

support prices will not go below ice boxes or refrigerators they ident; Don Carmen, treasurer; staircase to stand together at the the above stated figures. there will be no storage charges say,

wish to have removed. If farmers store grain on farms In issusing this plea, Jaycees To be installted as directors are: before the audience as their story here will be no storage charges say, "Let's don't have our first F. D. Saxon, one-year; and Charwas read. but if commercial storage is necessary, farmers will have to pay storage costs.

child fatality, as a result of a les E. Galloway and Melvin Blum. Here are a few of the charact-two-year. Royce Frisbie has one ers and the names of those restorage costs.

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Hamilton.

operated by local people,"

son has controlling interest."

this transfer of stock, no one per-

No change in officers, direct-

ors or management of the bank

resulted from the stock transfer,

President; L. C. Martin; execu-

Crump Ferrel and Carl J. Smith.

Warning on Unused

Bureau Chooses Officers And Directors Monday Harold Hodges



BERLIN REDS RIOT-West Berlin police nab Communist heckler at Free Democratic party meeting which East Berlin Reds tried to disrupt. Forty commies were arrested.

Officers Elected Tuesday By M. L. Long and J. J. McDaniel, Lewis L. Foxhall and Ed Hutcher-County Teachers Association and H. L. Solomon.

County unit of the Texas State health from the standpoint of Teachers Association were elected teaching a problem child. at a meeting of the county group in Turkey on Tuesday night. The rules, to be followed by a teacher Cotton Measuring session, which was the final one in creating closer relations with of this school year, was held in such a child. These were: the First Methodist Church. Mrs. 1. Learn to know the child. An over-sized egg was found by U. F. Coker of Turkey, president, 2. Promote an emotional cli-

Mrs. Beaver said. When broken, Edmondson of Turkey, second 4. Play a listening role with the servation office he c. officials and presentaline, and Tommy R. Hunter, 24, of Miss Hazel Marie Bazemore, 25, volks and whites Mrs. Reaver vice-president. Miss Mary Foreheart, as understanding silence According to the announcement

secretary-treasurer. Dr. Beatrix Cobb. Houston psy-

Six Hall County citizens have+

Officers who will head the Hall teacher in promoting mental Howard, Roy Gresham, Joe Ed-

mate.

Data Announced Information on certain aspects

of cotton measuring under 1954 this week by Lynn L. McKown, tain the bridge didn't become a manager of the Hall County Agriminutes southwest Memphis, Tuesday afternoon. The egg measured 8
Ballard of Estelline, president;
teacher and the child, making certhis week by Lynn L. McKown,
manager of the Hall County Agrimanager of the Hall County Agrimanage cultural Stabilization and Con

> would accomplish more good than farmers may alternate four rows of cotton with four rows fallowed 5. Make a re-definition of goals or planted in something else and it will be considered to be planted 50 per cent in cotton, when acreage is measured.

Local People Purchase Less than four rows planted to cotton, alternated with a like number of fallowed rows or plant-Additional Bank Stock sidered as planted entirely in cotton, McKown said.

The ASC office manager said cotton measuring in Hall County will start at an early date, not later than June 1. This is early for the county, he explained.



day we did our two cents wo:th

toward opening the annual Spring Fiesta by attending opening cere monies at the Delgado Museum of Art, City Park, which ceremony was an elaborate affair. An historical tableau "Lovers of Louisiana," followed introductory remarks and speeches by notables of this French City. Overflow spectators, many in hooped skirts, thronged the walls and hung over the second floor railings. To grace the entrance of the

leans Saturday evening and

C. A. Cryer, president of Frank museum before the program beilton, Harrison, Martin, Finch, Phillips College at Borger, will be gan, 11 women dressed in 19th Duren, and T. J. Dunbar, Allan the main speaker at the installa- century dresses, complete with be-Monzingo, Dr. O. R. Goodall, tion banquet of the Memphis Jun- flowered bonnets and dainty paraior Chamber of Commerce, to- sols, took turn welcoming guests

lovers in which carefully costumed Mr. Cryer is a well-known din- young men and women represented the two prinicpal characters Officers, who will be installed, in famous romances from 1714 Members of the Memphis Jun- are: Joyce Webster, president; to 1912. In sequence a man and If parity goes up, support prices for Chamber urge residents to Homer Jones, first vice-president; a woman came down opposite will go up but if parity drops, phone 181 if they have any old Coy Don Taylor, second vice-pres- wings of the giant auditorium head of the last flight of steps



Officers of the bank, other than College To Speak vice-president; G. M. Duren, vicepresident and cashier; and Bill At Jaycee Dinner Hayes and Starr Johnson, assistant Directors of the bank are: Ham-

night. The dinner will be held at and posing for photographers. the Cyclone Drive Inn, starting at The tableaux was a parade of

ner speaker in this region.

and Mark Stuart, secretary.

Report From Washington

By Walter Rogers Congressman, 18th District



Back In Washington

This Newsletter is being written to take on the role of rainmaker. just a few hours after I returned One of the first things I ran to the Capitol city from a most into when I got back to Washingpleasant visit to the district. ton was the lamate and one, past, When I first got to the Panhan-present, and future. I thought this dle, the dust was blowing and it would probably die down some was about as dry as it could get. during my absence, but it seems to However, when I left, a drizzling, have gained momentum. They are soaking rain had quenched the now having trouble finding in thirst of the wheat and grass and vestigators to investigate the inhad changed the gray color of the vestigators who are now being inearth to a rich brown that blend- vestigated by those who were ined perfectly with the different vestigated by the investigating inhues of green. Some folks claim vestigators. They are thinking of that it even made the people having a limited number of badsmile. However, one fellow ac-counted for this as follows. He no confusion as to who is the insaid that Panhandle folks always vestigator and who is the investi- this situation here in Washingsmile. The rain just washed the gatee from day to day. As the in- ton. In fact, I have often said dust off so other folks could see vestigation shifts from one side that a good West Texas county it. A pretty good philosophy and to the other, the badges will do or district attorney, with a good we are glad we got the rain, be- to keep down the cost of badges. probably ge tmore facts in shorter cause if anyone needed it, we did. I don't claim that I brought it, American Bar Association, as well past. I know a number of good

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but I'll tell you one thing; I'm as the Texas Bar Association, as well past. I know a number of good as the Texas Bar Association, for justice of the peace lawyers that a number of years, and I deeply could really make this thing sizespect the members of both As-zle. if it's the truth they want and stretch my luck, but if it gets respect the members of both As- zle, if it's the truth they want and think that the Senate Investigat- and a couple of good county seat ing Committee should confine lawyers can get more facts and their search to the American Bar more truth in less time than many Association. There are many able an investigating committee. members of that Association who | Speaking of investigations, ould do an outstanding job, but made a litle private one of my



FOR LEADERSHIP . . Wheeler, 15, of Houston, Texas, was chosen "Boy of the Year" from 350,000 members of U. S. Boys' Clubs.

I have been a member of the time than has been the case in the

that does not mean that there are own to find out how many of the not plenty of other good lawyers organizations listed as subversive in the United States who are not by the Attorney General and the leading figures in the American Un-American Activities Commit-Bar Association, who could do a tee, were enjoying second class wonderful job of investigating mail permits. (The second class of mail is that class of mail that has never paid its own way. The taxpayers must make up the deficits out of tax money.) I found that two organizations having second class mail permits are o the Attorney General's Federal Employee Security Program list. One of these is the "Daily Worker." On the "Guide to Subversive Organizations and Publications' (House Document 137, 82nd Congress, 1st session), I find twenty- wide department store organizathree, including the two that were teion, will carry on its largest on the Attorney General's list. It new-store expansion program in seems rather odd to me that while more than 20 years, stockholders Multiply that by fifty years, and we are supposed to be fighting were told at the annual meeting have a heart. Otherwise the ducks Communism, we are helping to in New York Tuesday. pay the cost of spreading some of

CARD OF THANKS

ness. I deeply appreciated the shopping facilities outside targe, cards, gifts and flowers sent to kind to me during my recent illme by friends. I also appreciated the excellent care rendered by

In addition, 53 existing stores will be relocated in new buildings Dr. Goodall, Dr. Hunt and the and an extensive remodeling and

Mrs. John D. Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sims and hildren of Fort Worth were Memhis visitors over the weekend

PROPER USE OF SOCIAL SECURITY To Be Careful In CARD IS URGED

"The importance of properly tion office, said this week.

lead to the loss of thousands of uncharted man-made lakes. dollars in old-age benefits or surfamily of a worker who died," he explained.

"Social security records, which are kept by name and number, not only are used to determine how much will be paid, but whether benefits can be paid at all. Consequently, part-time workers or barely meet the minimum requireproperly recorded. Omission of when the weather is rough. one or two wage items could easi-

lo office on request. Application son on record.'

forms to get either new or dupli-cate social security cards can be obtained from any social security office, any post office or State employment office. The social security office, will also provide a free post card from to be used in getting a statement of wages credited to the worker's social security account.

A representative from the Amarillo Social Security Administration office will be in the commissioners courtroom in the court house in Memphis, commencing at

Penney Expanding Store Facilities

A. W. Hughes, president, said er may yet outlive us." its propaganda. I introduced a bill the company will open at least 30 to put a stop to this two years new stores this year in communi ago and hope to get it passed this ties where it has not previously operated stores.

In the planning stage is a total of 63 new stores including 46 I want to take this means of which, Hughes said, will be suburthanking all those who were so ban or shopping center stores to meet the increasing demand for

improvement program will be con-

Henry C. Anderson Arrives In Korea

Pvt. Henry C Anderson of Memphis, recently arrived in Korea for duty with the 571st Engineer Dump Truck Company.

Private Henderson's new unit maintains 184 miles of supply roads in the Seoul-Yongdungpe area while hauling bulk materials construction projects.

Henderson entered the Army in April of last year and completed basic training at Fort Hood, Tex.

Bob Turner of Wichita Falls was a Memphis visitor over the weekend.

Anglers Warned Handling Of Boats

AUSTIN-Three recent cases using one's social security card of fishermen's multiple drownings Ivan Thornton of Fort Worth can hardly be overstressed," J. R. prompted Howard D. Dodgen, the visited here over the Easter holi-Sanderson, manager of the Amarillo Social Security Administra- executive secretary of the Game and Fish Commission to again "The omission of even a single caution Texas anglers about wat- day morning for Shawnee, Okla. wage report could conceivably er hazards, particularly in the to attend the funeral of an aunt,

vivors insurance benefits to the artificial impoundments, a total where she is visiting this week in Possum Kingdom, two on Lake feh and other relatives. Travis and three in Lake Tyler.

Rough water apparently caused all three multi-drownings and the Executive Secretary suggested fishermen unfamiliar with large those whose work is irregular may bodies of water, particularly the comparatively new lakes, should ments even when all wages are exercise maximum precautions

"Most of our modern boats are easy to prove out West. Anyway, likewise. This is an economy move West Texas grand jury, could ly result in ineligibility," Sander- as seaworthy as man can make them," he said, "but when the Every worker can guard again- going is rough, the pilots must st this happening by making sure be careful even though they have that his social security number has the best boats and the latest type been copied correctely into his em- power equipment. At the presen ployer's records. Lost cards can accident pace, this could become be replaced easily by the Amaril- the worst fisherman fatality sea

To Show Concern In Wildlife Trend

TEXAS CITY - "Civilization may admit some mistakes and show belated concern for God's menaced creatures now that its own fate is challenged by the H-bomb," Jay Vessels, assistant director of publications for the Game and Fish Commission, told the Mainland Sportmens' Club here recently.

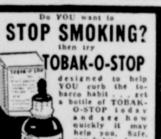
"Wildlife has been under the shadow of a time-fuse ever since man began looting his natural resources," he said. "For example, water fowl has been losing northern nesting grounds at the which know about massed firepow

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Mrs. Charles Dryden and children spent the Easter holidays in Stephenville visiting with rela-

Mrs. Tim Paulsel and son and

Mrs. John Shadid left Thurs. Mrs. Naiefeh. From Shawnee, Mrs. In the three tragedies, all in Shadid will go to Woodward of seven fishermen perished-two with her mother, Mrs. J. T. Naie-

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Mrs. Mildred Monzingo Locals and Personals Tony and Mrs. Cora Monk Canyon visited here ov weekend with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobart M of Hedley visited here with her parents, Mr. and Mr. W. Crawford.

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Total Cash & Quick Assets	1,

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Reserves	7,627.23
Undivided Profits	14,129.93
Deposits	1,991,656.93

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Carl J. Smith

and Mrs. Dutch Vallance of visited with Mr. and M. N. Orr Wednesday night. A. Gidden was a visitor in me of Mr. and Mrs. V. Ale-Sunday afternoon.

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Jim Gowdy has returned after spending several days her daughter and son-in-law, and Mrs. Frankie Thomas in N. M. The Thomas have a

Verden of Plains and Windy relatives. ef Midwestern Univer-

Orr Sunday afternoon.

and Mrs. Ford Lane and tors care in Memphis.

spending Sunday in the re Mr. and Mrs. Frank and children of Borger, Mr. Mrs. Burl Lowe and girls of

mer Lee of Amarillo visited

and Mrs. Roy Amons of of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hall.

Velma Nabers spent Fri- tess. emon with Eula Bell Hall. Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Sherley of

Hall, who is a student at treatment. ern University, spent the

and Mrs. L. A. Bray visited K. D. Nabers.

Oliver accompanied the holidays.

Mrs. Buddie Davis, and Mrs. W. J. McMaster Mrs. A. H. Orr entertained



AMOS AND ANDY JR. of radio - TV stars Freeman 'Amos" Gosden and Charles "Andy" Correll pose in New York City for first published photo, Richard Correll, 5 (left), and Craig Gosden, 4.

Shirley Nabers accompanied Mr. the Easter holidays with and Mrs. Loran Denton to Amarilents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen To for the weekend. Shirley played tennis Friday but was defeated.

and Mrs. Coy Clark and Mrs. E. J. Galloway and Mrs. er Sue visited Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bray visited in Borger Wednesday. Mrs. J. W. Dunn returned and Mrs. T. J. Brock visit- home with them after spending the Jim Oliver home Sun- two weeks in the Galloway home. She had her baby under a doc-

mie of Olton spent the Mrs. W. B. Odell and Mr. and with Mr. and Mrs. John Mrs. M. G. Alewine of Memphis and attended the fun- spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. Alewine.

Billie Hartsell spent from Mr. and Mrs. John Mol- Thursday until Sunday in Tulia visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Murdock o. In the afternoon callers and children of Wichita Falls Mr. and Mrs. Ruff Lowe and spent the weekend in the home of Stanley and children, all her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim

Winnie Nabers and Mr. and day in the Alvin Molloy Mrs. Davis and girls of Panhandle spent Saturday night in the home

okla., visited her parents, Mrs. W. L. Nabers, Nadine Hall nd Mrs. John Provence over and Eula Bell Hall attended the ekend and attended the-of Mrs. Amon's uncle, McKnight School house Wednesday. Mrs. J. E. Murdock was hos-

Nadine Hall and Mrs. Friona visited Mr. and Mrs. Col-Adding Hall attended the PTA lin Craighead Thursday. They were g at Pampa Tuesday. Na-lall is president of the Lake-Mr. Sherley will receive medical

E. J. Galloway returned home olidays in the home of her Friday from an Amarillo hospital Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hall. where he had been for the past visiting Mrs. Rhodia Dav- two weeks. Mr. Galloway underlay were Mr. and Mrs. Bud- went surgery while there.

vis and girls of Panhandle, Jace Hartsell underwent surand Mrs. Arnold Hall, Mrs. gery in a local hospital Saturday. ee Nabers and children, He is reported to be doing nicely. ind Mrs. Raymond Martin Mr. and Mrs. Glen Verden visitighter and Mr. and Mrs. ed over the weekend in Follett with Ruby Verden.

M. N. Orr and Mrs. W. J. Hendrix Williams of Brownter and Mrs. Roy Spruill wood visited here during the madra visited Mrs. Amanda Easter holidays with his mother, n in Memphis Tuesday after- Mrs. Pauline Williams and his si ters, Mrs. V. C. Durrett and Mrs.

mes Bray.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Brock visited Monday in Brice in the home of and Mrs. Lewis Wells and Mr. and Mrs. Murl Lemons.

Vickie of Amarillo visit- Shelby Hignight visited his parthe weekend in the home ents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hignd Mrs. J. W. Oliver. Mr. night at Tulia over the Easter

Lelia Lake Sunday and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hall and he day in the home of Mr. girls visited Sunday in the home

of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Teel. Rhodia Davis is visiting in Mrs. W. L. Crawford of Memlle this week in the home phis and Mrs. Robert Muncie of on and daughter-in-law, Lockney spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hall.

Roy Spruill and Sandria with a dinner on Monday evening d Sunday in Lakeview in the honoring her father, J. S. Spencer Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Law- on his birthday. Present were Mrs. J. S. Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Barnett, Sr., has re- Noel Bruce and son, and Laverne ome after spending two Rollins all of Memphis and Edin Wichita, Kans., with ward Spencer of Houston and the G, Guy Duncan and other honoree, J. S. Spencer.

Out-Of-Town People Mrs. Gene Munday and children, Bennie Dennises and Mrs. Howard Hoffman, all of Parents Of Son

Griffin, Crosbyton; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Griffin and Mrs. Viva Grif-Mrs. Howard Cooper, all of Lock- Shipp's mother, Mrs. J. H. Norney; Mr. and Mrs. Bob McCoy and man.

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Attend McCoy Rites Coy and children, Dalhart; Mrs. Parents Of Son Ruby Hutton and children, Clar-Among out-of-town relatives dadon; and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. and friends attending the funeral Brown, Mrs. Minnie Sewell and not Davis, are the parents of a United States. After leaving here

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Shipp of

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Dennis. services for G. L. McCoy here Friday were: Mr. and Mrs. W. H.

Griffin, Crosbyton: Mr. and Mrs. W. H. fin, of McAdoo; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Shipp of Rod Marr, Clarence McCoy and Mrs. Howard Cooper, all of Lock of Mrs. Howard Cooper, all of Lock of Mrs. The grandparents are Mr. April 9. The grandparents are Mr. he was the guest for about a revisiting in Lakeview with Ed McCreary of Memphis.

M. F. CROWDER HOME FROM EXTENDED VISIT

day afternoon from an extended ents for the mixup in names last Calif., visiting a son, Paul Crowdand Mrs. L. O. Dennis and Mrs. week of another son, Roy Crowd- their parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. T. er, and family. En route home, he Hoggatt, and Mrs. W. A. Henry.

stopped briefly in El Paso, to see a sister-in-law, Mrs. Pearl Carp-M. F. Crowder returned Mon- er, and children. He came on to Lubbock for an overnight visit with another son, Hughie Crowder, and family, before making the

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tea. pepper, and 2 tea. paprika in a paper bag. Shake 3 or 4 pieces of chicken in the bag at a time to coat thoroughly. Heat enough butter and shortening in a heavy skillet to make a layer & inch deep. Place chicken in hot shortening. Brown on both sides. Place chicken, one layer deep, in a shallow baking pan. Brush chicken generously with melted butter. Bake in a moderate even (350°F.) until tender, about 30 to 40 minutes. Baste with melted butter after 15 minutes of baking. If chicken cannot be served at once, reduce oven heat. Brush chicken with more melted butter.

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Society News

Easter Fashion Parade Sponsored By 1913 Study Club Acclaimed Success

One of the most colorful and to change their meeting time in

everybody's show considering the ed the Kiddies rubber swimming number of participants. More pool than one hundred women and In fact, the willing cooperation iginal model white satin wedding from amateurish.

the local merchants. Stores fur- the 1913 Study Club stated. mishing clothes for the show included Baldwins, The Fair, Greene Mrs. E. T. Prater Dry Goods. The Popular Dry Goods and J. C. Penney Co.

Mrs. T. J. Dunbar was chair- Birthday Dinner man of the Fashion Show com-

with specialty numbers by Mrs. dinner at her home on Easter tions. She also carried a bouquet Angus Huckaby's kindergarten Sunday. group and Miss Clarisse Taylor's Enjoying this affair were Mr. Bridesmalds were Marion Mapes dancing classes as well as the and Mrs. J. U. Dennis, Mr. and of Houston and Peggy Gaston of

An Easter egg hunt and birth- Roddy, Hamp Prater, Mr. foursome for the grownups. Melissa, Miss Lynn Foxhall acted as honoree at the birthday party while Cleve Taylor Mrs. Rufus Greene played hat Creve Laylor shop saleslady and Mrs. Brode Family Meets For Hoover was hostess for the afternoon bridge group.

Keeping the show going backris as "pushers"; Roy Alvin Mas- er Egg Hunt. sey assisting with staging, Robspet light, Billy Combs pulling the featured. curtain, and Virginia Rogers as coordinator of operations.

Several clubs scheduled to meet that evening were kind enough

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delightful bits of entertainment deference to the style show. R. C. Hise of Alpine in a double ring offered the public in some time Lemons hauled the stage properi- ceremony performed at 4 p. m was The Easter Fashion Parade ties free of charge. Bill Hart con- Friday, April 16, in the First Bapsponsored by The 1913 Study Club
tributed paint for the stage pantist Church at Colorado City. and staged in the High School els and several fellows were kind Rev. S. F. Selcaig, pastor of the auditorium the evening of April in helping to move the piano to church, read the marriage vows the auditorium and Miss Zady before an altar banked in yellow Though sponsored originally by Belle Walker lettered the scene gladioli sprays, daffodils, lemon The 1913 Club, it was actually placecards. Fowlers Drug furnish- leaf follage and fern.

children in their sports and East- from all sides was most gratifying gown with pleated tulle over net er finery delighted their audience and the 1913 Study Club is in- and taffeta, designed with porwith modeling which was far deed appreciative of the concentrait neckline. The fitted satin trated efforts of all who had a bodice had long sleeves ending in Mrs. A. Anisman was narrator hand in making The Easter Fash- points over the hands. Her fingerand introduced the models, giving ion Parade one of the most suc- tip veil of silk illusion fell from a colorful descriptions of the many cessful social events of the spring tiara of pearls accented with fashionable frocks displayed by season in Memphis, members of pearlized flowers and leaves, stud-

Honoree At Surprise

Mrs. E. T. Prater was compl-i Variety of staging punctuated mented with a surprise birthday ing headdress of yellow carna-

freshman Square Dance set add- Mrs. T. H. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Gainesville, They, too, wore white ed interest and charm to the style J. W. Bowden, Mr. and Mrs. W. organdy dresses over a pastel presentations.

C. Prater, Mrs J. J. Bice and shade of yellow taffeta. Their day party for the youngsters was Mrs. Coy Davis, and Mr. and Mrs. nations as were their bouquets.

offset by a hat shop skit and brid- J. H. Barbee, Jr., and daughter Lynn Hise of Van Horn served

Family Reunion

Following a bountiful picnic Both are cousins of the bride. ert Breedlove, Jr., directing the hunch, an Easter egg hunt was Mrs. P. C. Smith was organist Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McDaniel and

Enjoying this outing were Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Taylor and Ken- was soloist. ou and Bary Lynn of near Mem-Mr. and Mrs. Troy Taylor of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Oakley and Tony, Monte, and Nelda, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sharp and Pauline Mrs. Jimmy Purser and Deborah Ann and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy

Zora Mae Sweatt Weds Ross Hise In Colorado City

Miss Zora Mae Sweatt of Denver City, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Olson Sweatt of Colorado City, became the bride of Ross

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attired in an or ded with rhinestones. Her flowers were yellow iris, daffodils and stephanotis with ivy shower.

Mrs. Lynn Hise of Van Horn, sister-in-law of the groom, was matron of honor. She wore a full length white organdy dress over bright yellow taffets with matchof yellow carnations.

and headdresses were of yellow car-

as his brother's best man. Ushers several guests enjoyed a social at were George Hise, of Falfurrias, brother of the groom and Omon Sweatt of Clarendon, uncle of the

The family of Mr. and Mrs. Rue Sweatt of Wellington, niece stage were Mrs. Joe DeBerry with Cleve Taylor of Memphis, met at of the bride, lighted the candles make-up, Mrs. Tom Dunbar, Mrs. Palo Duro Park Sunday for the Carol Keener of Mineral Wells with Claud Ferrel and Mrs. Burr Mor- annual family gathering and East- flower girl and Don Paul Sweatt by the group following the meal of Wellington was ring bearer. Those present of Wellington was ring bearer. Mrs. Thomas Clayton and family

and Mrs. Woody Smith, pianist. Johnnie, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vick-Earle Hise, brother of the groom, ers, Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Callaway

with yellow hat and gloves and Dale. brown lizard shoes and bag. the elementary and high school.



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Lynn Hise of Van Horn served Department, their families and

Mary Evelyn Smith of Falfur- the ladies, with Mrs. Arlis McBee rias, niece of the groom, and Va and Mrs. E. M. Murphy in charge. A very enjoyable evening was

Those present were Mr. and and family, Mr. and Mrs. A reception was held at the Mathes and family, Mr. and Mrs. meth of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. A reception was held at the Clinton Culp and family. Mr. and home of the bride's parents immediately following the ceremony. Mrs. Louis Saied and family, Mr. For a wedding trip to points in and Mrs. Lloyd Ward and Jone, New Mexico, the bride chose for Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Massey and traveling a light tan linen suit family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Vardeman Mr. and Mrs. Hise will make Mr. and Mrs. Bill George Kesterby Taylor and Jerry Don, Mr. and their home in Denver City where son, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Sturde they are both teaching in the pub- vant and family, Mr. and Mrs. lic schools. Mrs. Hise is an in- Guy Wright and daughter, Mr. structor of the second grade while and Mrs. E. M. Murphy, Mr. and he is director of music in both Mrs. Ariis McBee, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Sargent, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Aspgreo, Mr. and Mrs. John Alaska is known as "Seward's Dennis and Elmer Neel and Miss

Members Of Club '51 Enjoy Easter Dinner In Home Of Mrs. Gene Lindsey

was the festive scene recently to with the Easter Bun- Sunday afternoon, April 25, the First President Pre bers of Club '51. Mrs. Joyce Dot ny and his bride. Webster was co-hostess.

candles held by unique candelabras accenting the Easter motif. Instead of the regular place cards. places were marked with miniature Shasta daisy corsages.

Covering the dining table, to Ruth Class Of match the foursome tables, was a Mission Church lovely Maderia table cloth. The table was centered with a chim ing candelabra sitting in a nest of gaily colored Easter eggs.

The buffet dinner consisted of baked ham, fresh irish potatoes, ereamed asparagus tips, congealed salad, relish plate, rolls, coffee and angel chocolate cups.

Following the dinner the annual Easter parade of original, hand made Easter bonnets was staged Mrs. Louis Saied was declared first place winner and was awarded a pair of white ear screws. Mrs. Gerald Hickey was second place winner and Mrs. Elmont Branigan was third place winner.

collie type, covered with sequins. yellow jonquils, colored rhinestone pins, and a heavy orchid netting. Mrs. Hickey wore an imitavelvet. Mrs. Branigan's hat was a C. D. Ardery

The home of Mrs. Gene Lindsey large picture hat made of a box The home of Mrs. Gene Lindsey with colored plastic and Easter group of students in plane re

Enjoying this affair was Mmes. The Easter motif was used in Elmont Branigan, T. O. Pounds, decorations throughout the home. Laid with dainty Maderia linen Gerald Hickey, Louis Saied, Herluncheon sets, the foursome tables man Yarbrough, Herschel Pounds, were centered with lovely pastel J. Wynn. Carl Wood. Harold Vandiver. Hubert Jones. Homer Burleson and hostesses, Mrs. Lindsey and Mrs. Webster.

Meets Friday

Baptist Church met in the home of ing Northwest Texas School Mrs. E. L. Spruill for the month- Nursing and Miss Shirley H ly class meeting on Friday, April who is employed in Pt. Wor

devotional and Mrs. J. C. Myers Perry Hale read the class history.

Announcement was made that the next meeting would be in the home of Mrs. W. F. Brown.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. Claud Johnson, J. C. Myers, Bill Hardage, C. A. Melton, W. F. Brown, Loyd Archer, W. F. Nun-Mrs. Saied's hat was a straw nelly, E. L. Spruill, James Freeman and one visitor, Mrs. Rachel

Mrs. Cressie Washam of Houstion fruit bowl with large white ton is visiting here this week with rabbit ears covered with white her sister, Myrtle Wood and father

In Recital Sunday

the First Presbyterian Chi The program will begin at The following students play: Fredna Brown, Par Buchanan, Pat Hamilton, L. Helm, Regina Hoover, Pu Lindsey, Ann McCreary, McQueen, T'Nina Nelson, Carol Saied, Shirley Rick Georgia Saied, Suzanne Ser Donny Spicer, Starr Tinsley,

Gertrude Rasco will present

Charles Turner and Jone Wr The program is open to terested friends.

The Ruth Class of the Mission Miss Rita Jo Hale, who is atte spent the Easter holidays Mrs. James Freeman gave the with their parents, Mr. and W

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What else do we need? Overall best chance . They may be wrong, development of the water resourthey may have records indise may be starting a brief Rio Grande ran dry at Laredo almost on the same day the Presdesaying rain cycle agood part of ident released funds for repairing has had some rain. Some flood damage at Orange. Somehas had too much rain — how, we should be able to get to

and escape before they There have been plenty of trapped. Other areas have plans; plenty of surveys. But the atle, soaking rains—the plans and the surveys mean noththat mean life to thirsty ing unless we all unite and roll Some areas have had only up our shirtsleeves and get to work.

the time you read this, we We all want to leave something know what the future to our children. The most prewhether the rain will con- cious gift within our power is the whether they are just a soil. The hydrogen bomb can desf nature. Either way, how- troy life. It is high gruesome and before June. have had a clear and undramatic. But soil erosion-though warning. We can expect not dramatic—can make life nature if we ignore impossible to maintain!

e beginning of April, 1, save the future for prosperity. Or five per cent in February, compared with F es of Texas soil were we can let things slide and pile pared with February of last year. on or before Monday, May 3rd, 1954, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. at its Even more signifi- up more trouble for the future. Somehow, I think Texans will take March, according to the Crop Re- Childress, Texas, on the following

WHAT HAPPENED TO THE take a lot of rain to the months and years TAX BILL? The House bill is now writes me from Texas that "Farm-In some areas, 10 to before the Senate Finance Com- ers are getting a bad deal in pubmittee and hearings are under licity on the price support proway. A few witnesses from the gram." I agree. The facts bear Treasury and from private or out that contention. G RANGE MEASURES ganizations have been heard. Look TEDED! We need small for weeks of hearings-perhaps trap water when it rains through May. It is unlikely that

porting Board of the Department described property of Agriculture. COST OF SUPPORTS: A friend

SPRING CLEANING . . . 8. 8.

Constitution, largest ship to visit

Baltimore, enters drydock for

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FARM PRICES: Overall prices

Here are some of the facts: The cost of the price support program on basic crops from October 17, 1933 through June 30, just about one million dollars a

Total cost of the program for ALL crops for the 20-year period was \$1,110,136,889. More than 000,000. half of this was accounted for by losses on potatoes and eggs, which are no longer supported.

These figures show that the cost of the price support program on al commodities over twenty years has averaged approximate- I told Texans in Lubbock last fall, ly 50 million dollars a year.

Aids and Special Services (Subsidies)" for 1954. The total while, however, I think it would shown is \$15,194,000,000.

Of this sum, agriculture will receive \$520,000,000. That will cover the cost of the price support

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Said election shall be held in the Schoolhouse at Loco, at 7:30 P. M., Tuesday, April 27. It shall be a convention type election. F. R. GENTRY

Hall County Soil Conservation District Supervisor

received by Texas farmers for all We can go to work now and their products showed a drop of tive, Inc., will receive sealed bids There was a further decline in office at 1900 Avenue C, N. W.,

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program, the school lunch program, the International Wheat 1953, (a total of 20 years) was all other aids to agriculture. Agreement, the Sugar Act, and

The tabulation shows that business will receive \$1,063,000,000. Labor will get \$222,000,000. Veterans will receive \$4,445,

International aids will total \$7,544,000,000. Other aids and special services PROVED America's Top will amount to \$1,533,000,000. Endurance Car-In official AAA tests, the '54 Dodge

TIME FOR A LONG LOOK: As it's time for us to take a long, OTHER SUBSIDIES: The lib- could reach the ridiculous point rary of Congress has made a tabu- where the whole economy would ation of "Current Expenses for be subsidized—which would be the same as no subsidy at all. Meanbe a mistake to single out just one group supported by the government, and ignore all of the

address above given, and must be tion. removed from the premises within Right to reject any and all bids

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The Navy destroyer USS Bain-

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Attempts to eradicate mesquite

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treatments can prove fruitless unless proper soil moisture is avail-

able. Mesquites should not be

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December 16, 1923.

spent the Easter holidays here

PASTURE DAMAGE

Ranchmen in West Texas are lesson it teaches. It pinpoints the working under two serious handi- crying need for comprehensive caps this year: (1) The drouth is soil and water legislation in Texapproaching the extremely critical. cal state, and (2) the public is The time has arrived when each not fully aware of the long-range region of the state should have effect of the dry spell on Texas area committees made up of men

The gradual disintergration of ing of the problem at hand. These grassland during prolonged drouth local men could serve in an addoes not have the dramatic impact visory capacity, promoting an efof a sudden crop failure. Yet, the fective soil and water program, eventual result of this disaster to both through the Legislature at our grass could be, and probably Austin and in their own territoris, more serious to our state's ec- ies onomy than the immediate effect on our crops.

The soil and water problem affects the people of the state. And

Crops can make a comeback in the people, themselves, must aid one year of normal rainfall. But in working out a solution. it will take many years to regain adequate natural cover on our pastureland.

Late last fall, the drouth damage in Texas was estimated at roughly \$500 million. Probably Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Saunders \$150 million of this figure re- and Mr. and Mrs. Doug Cathy sulted from lower range evalua- have gone to Possum Kingdom tion due to poor cover.

Continuation of the drouth this Miss Verna White has been visityear could easily equal or top this loss and prevent a full range recovery until late in this decade. been visiting Mr. and Mrs Burl

If we receive the rains we nor-mally expect during April and May, the picture in West Texas will be considerably brighter. But B. P. Watson Tuesday night. we shouldn't let temporary relief Mr. and Mrs. Rachie Sanders lull us into a false sense of secur- and Mr. and Mrs. Doug Cathy

Records show that, down day. through the years, drouths occur Mrs. Rhodia Davis has been in with alarming regularity. It is up a Memphis hospital but is home to us to prepare in advance for and is reported to be improving. these natural disasters.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Watson had tary losses suffered in the past Oneita and Royce and Mr. and of the Memphis High School Ex- ident; Mrs. Jeanette Irons, secrethree years, this present drouth Mrs. Burl Bevers and Donna for Students Association here Satur- tary-treasurer; and Mrs. Dick

Prevention Of Childhood Mishaps Adults' Business

AUSTIN—"It is the adult's job to prevent childhood accidents."

Mrs. Nell Dean of Plainview is they went on sale.

visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Bill Coursey of Memphis Health Officer.

As children do not always con- many form to the practices that would Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Queary and dancing by a group of high school daughter Pat of Dimmitt spent the students, who are directed by Mr. be made to understand the aceident problem of children and be ter, Mrs. E. D. Watson and family. can hat dance, performed by two as concerned about it as they Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coffman high school students of Mrs. Luas concerned about it as they of Dimmitt visited Mr. and Mrs. cille Dennis.

A notable decrease in infant E. D. Watson Sunday. mortality has been brought about by physicians and public health work during the past quarter cen- Juanita, Colo tury. Despite the efforts of the medical profession to protect the country's future citizens, childaccidents—accidents that Mr. and Mrs. D. I dinner guests Sunday evening of Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Wheeler in

The accident death rate among children is being reduced only with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hulsey. rate for death by disease. Preventable accidents are the leading causes of death in the age group one to fourteen. Only by the understanding and cooperation of and son of Blend, N. M., visited adults can the toll of child ac-Sunday in Lakeview. cident deaths be reduced.

Besides causing deaths, dents are responsibe for thousands of school children being injured sufficiently to require the rescued 482 persons from the attention of a physician or cause absence from school. Injuries occurring in school buildings account for 26 per cent of such cent, going to and from school for grazing can be given a new lease on life with an application eases, on school grounds 29 per places 23 per cent. "Children deserve the right to lizer is especially needed if the

grow up and it is up to every plants are yellow to a light green adult to give them that chance," in color.

Paducah Woman Is Fined Monday On Liquor Count

in county jail here Wednesday morning, charged with transporting intoxicating liquor for the purpose of sale in a dry area.

The woman was returned to fail, after she pleaded guilty to the charge and failed to pay a \$500 fine and court costs. assessed by County Judge Tracy Davis.

The Paducah woman was ar-rested about 1 p. m. Monday on North Front Street, by Chief of Police Guy Weight and turned over to county officers. Highway patrolmen were working with Wright on the case.

In the car, driven by the woman, officers found 20 cases beer, 2 cases of wine, and 18 halfpints, 8 pints and 7 fifths of whiskey, according to Wright.

Evidence was heard in county court late Monday afternoon.

There is a difference between insect repellents and insecticides. Repellents are applied to the skin or clothing to keep insects off while insecticides are used to kill insect pests.

LAFF OF THE WEEK



"Remember the good old days when you had to work for it by

fulles extent.

Dennis, class sponsor.

Ticket sales were headed by

Officers of the ex-students as

(Read the Classified Ads)

Attendance Good At Third Annual **Exes Dinner Here**

Hubert Dennis. sociation, other than Massey, are: Despite the tremendous mone- Mr. and Mrs. Seb Sanders and tended the third annual banquet Mrs. Pauline Wynn, vice-pres could be a blessing in dis- a fish fry Tuesday night at their day night. The dinner was held in Shelton, reported. the high school gymnasium, with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sims and Alvin Massey, association preschildren and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph ident, as master of ceremonies.

Proffitt of Amarllo visited Mr. Helen Madden, who teaches in and Mrs. R. O. Proffitt Sunday, the school system at Geneseo, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Houdashell was the ex-student coming from of Amarillo visited her parents, the fartherest distance to attend Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Driver Sun- the banquet. Miss Madden also day.

Mrs. Nell Dean of Plainview is purchased the first they went on sale. purchased the first ticket, after

declares Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Wendell Mitchell. Mrs. Dean has was a member of the earliest class just returned home from Ger- represented, that of 1912.

The program included square Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Queary and dancing by a group of high school Easter Holidays with their daugh- and Mrs. Roy Guthrie and a Mexi-

Exes were reported to have en-Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Smith and joyed the get-together which was Connie are going to move to La informal and impromptu, to the

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Battlefield Scenes To Be Shown Here

lin banker now living at Lubbock, activities, etc. will be at the American Legion Hall here, Thursday night, April vise the youth center now in opeof France, which Whitacre took cees, and youth safety. last summer on a visit to that country. The program will last ident, will be in charge of the about an hour and a half, accord-first two committees and Ccy Don

County for many years, served in bers will be appointed in the near France during World War I, as a future. member of Co. H.. 142nd Infantry Regiment of the 36th Division A number of Hall County residents served in the same company with Whitacre.

While in France last summer, Whitacre revisited several battlefields on which he served, and shot numerous pictures.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend the program next Thursday evening, Pounds said.

Jaycee Directors List Committees Thursday Evening

Committees and objectives for at a meeting last Thursday night of the board of directors of the Memphis Junior Chamber of Com Members of the senior class merce. helped prepare the food and serve | Committees and their purpos

it, under the direction of Mrs. are as follows: Entertainment and recreation-

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club entertainment and parties. Finance and provided for chances for early grazing of Finance and profit-making-

of the state have improve Public affairs—Will sponsor Early temporary pastures O Be Shown Here such projects as "get out the such projects as "get out the such projects as "get out the permanent pastures a charles Whitacre. former New-vote," "Go to church," Christmas come back

Youth activities-Will super-Hall here, Thursday higher vise the year Age Road-co, waitian Islands is located at 29, to present a movie and slides ration, the Teen Age Road-co, waitian Islands is located at 29, to present a movie and slides ration, the Teen Age Road-co, waitian Islands is located at 29, to present a movie and slides ration, the Teen Age Road-co, waitian Islands is located at 29, to present a movie and slides ration, the Teen Age Road-co, waitian Islands is located at 29, to present a movie and slides ration, the Teen Age Road-co, waitian Islands is located at 29, to present a movie and slides ration, the Teen Age Road-co, waitian Islands is located at 29, to present a movie and slides ration, the Teen Age Road-co, waitian Islands is located at 29, to present a movie and slides ration, the Teen Age Road-co, waitian Islands is located at 29, to present a movie and slides ration. of World War I and II battlefields which is sponsored by Texas Jay- island of Oahu, Homer Jones, first vice-pres-

ing to Herschel Pounds, post commander. Starting time is 7:30. Whitacre, who resided in Hall | Committee chairman and memPHILCO T.V

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Legion Members To District Meet

Frank Van Pelt and H. C. Pounds have helped us through the years husband. Mr. and Mrs. Kelly rehave been named as delegates in every possible way. We love turned home Wednesday, nation is a careful from Simmons-Noel American Le- and appreciate you. gion Post here to the annual district, to be held at Borger, Sat- in my present illness. May all of the Easter holidays Mr. and Mrs urday and Sunday. Pounds is

commander of the local post. In a meeting some time ago, my, to make good record Mrs. Glynn Thompson was endorss is not a simple process. ed by the local Auxiliary as a saw service with Navy and Ma- Ruth of Borger and Mr. and Mrs candidate for Auxiliary president rine Corps units during hostilities Chesty Walker and Penny and

of the 18th district. Dr. Tom B. Clark of Buffalo, title examination can- Okla., national chaplain of the ne by anyone except a American Legion, will be the principal speaker at the Borger gath-

e insurance policy is a Mike McCully of Clarendon, is

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the doctors and nurses at Goodall Hospital for the atentions shown Mr. G. L. le to the real estate McCoy while he was a patient n the policy. Just as there and also would like to express our appreciation to those who stayed with him when he was in the hospital at Amarillo. We likewise, want to thank everyone for the kindnesses and the nest Money Contracts thoughtfulness shown us during

The family of G. L. McCoy

An earnest money contract tate what land and fix- which does not provide for fur eing sold, what price is nishing proper title evidence sad-, the terms of payment, dles the buyer with that expense. essession is to be deliv- A contract describing property by uality of title to be con- street number only will leave unkind of title evidence settled the question of just how hed, and all other mat- much land is to conveyed. A conupon by the parties tract with no condition expressing that it is dependent upon buyer securing a mortgage-loan traps a buyer who finds himself unable to borrow.

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Duke Frisbie placed fourth in the 220-yard dash at the annual Sandie Relays at Amarillo, Saturday, according to Nolan Poteet, coach of the local track and field

In Sandie Relays

Frisbie also qualified in the 100yard dash but came in fifth in the finals. Only four contestants were

The mile-relay team, Kenneth Taylor, Jack Montgomery, Carrol Gardenhire and Clyde Tamplen, posted a time of 3:42 minutes but did not qualify for the finals.

Frisbie will compete in the 100 and 220 yard dashes, and Tampen. in the 880 yard run, at the Interscholastic League regional meet in Lubbock this weekend. The mile-relay team also will take part in the track and field meet.

Jaycees Plan State Convention Trek

Several members of the Memphis Junior Chamber of Commerce are planning to attend the state convention at El Paso, presentatives from the local or-

spring convention of the 18th encouragement and good wishes Belle Walker had as guests over us merit your loyalty! Mrs. George Bass

in Korea.



TO SPAN MACKINAC . . . Planned for completion in 1957, 5-mile bridge will connect two peninsulas over Straits of Mackinae in Borthern Michigan at cost of \$80,000,000.

phis Church of Christ. En route indicates his rank. To our friends who brought home he visited with his parentssolace in our grief caused by the in-law, Minister and Mrs. K. M. death of my brother, Claude B. Kelly, in Alice. Mrs. Kelly accom-Morton, my family and I wish to panied him to Memphis where she say a sincere "Thank You." You was joined on Tuesday by her

I am grateful, too, for your Mrs. E. E. Walker and Zady Ned Pilcher and Ned Jr., and Kay of Lamesa, Mrs. K. C. May and Lynn of Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. E. More than 300 Navy chaplains L. Walker and Sue and Thelma Betsy of Phillips.

Jere Via returned Saturday | A flag officer in the Navy is April 29-30, and May 1, as re- from Edcouch where he went to one that holds the rank of Comperform a marriage ceremony. modore of above, that because he is entitled to fly Mr. Via is minister of the Mem- his personal flag which, by stars,

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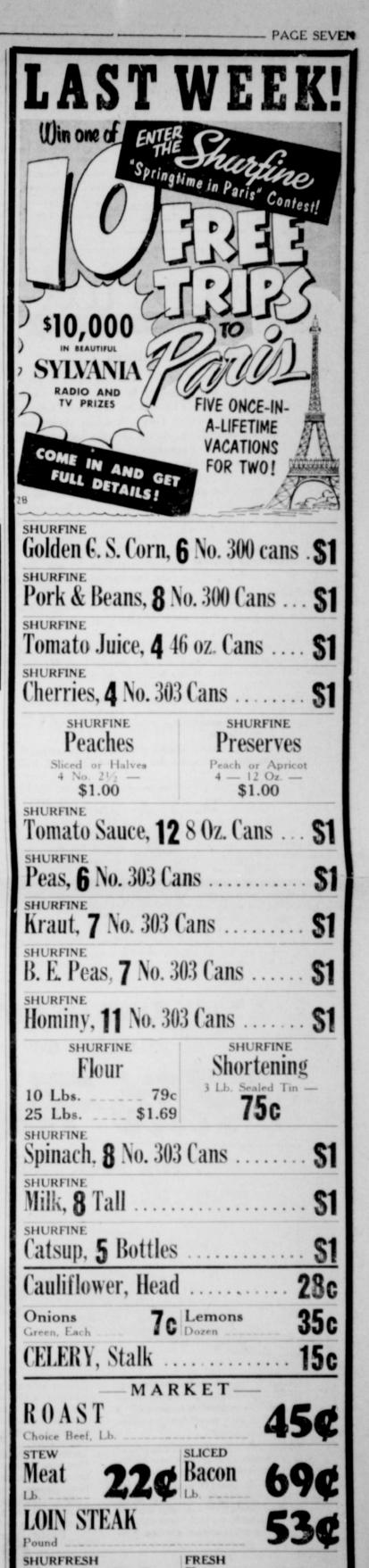


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Rain Helps Feelings

We had to wait a long time for rain but when it came, wasn't it wonderful? It wasn't nearly as much as we would liked to have had but it couldn't have fallen in a better way for us to get the full benefit from it. Down, it came, slowly and gently, and soaked down, down, down, into the thirsty earth. Even though it probably didn't measure as much as an inch and a half anywhere around here, it was enough to make moisture meet, according to many farmers.

And, if our memories don't trick us, that probably leaves us better off than we were this time last year. As we remember, we had some good topsoil moisture a year ago, but we had little or no "bottom season." The hard rains last fall did a lot of harm to cotton crops in this area but on the other hand, they wet our land clear to hardpan by the time they let up. And that might be the difference this year between making a good crop and making a poor one, for anyone familiar with this section knows that there have been a number of times when crops were pretty good as the result of plenty of subsoil moisture, even though summers were dry.

And the way it looks to us now, we may be on the way to a good crop this fall, because we can usually look forward page from the record of FDR in to considerable rain in May. If this happens this year, our crop night of last week. prospects will be bright.

The rain last week helped peoples' feelings immensely. ful speaker that Roosevelt was, And it should have, after the months of dry weather we en- but is a distinct improvement over dured, topped off by several of the worst duststorms we have Truman. had since "the dirty thirties."

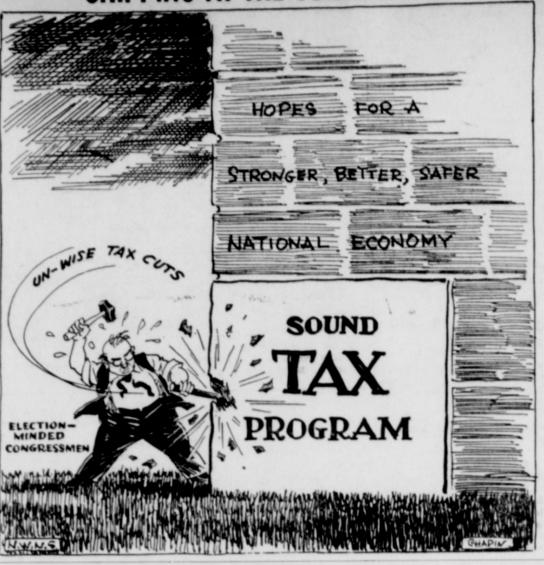
Seed sales picked up from almost nothing, on the strength of the precipitation, as farmers, for the first time this year, had moisture enough to plant on.

One indication of the effectiveness of the showers is the not swallowed Communist. Mcway wheat around here has "perked up." It had just barely Carthy seems to think, and to of the Communist party. been holding on-if that-recently. By Friday, the wheat looked as if it had grown several inches. And its color was much better. Of course, we don't have much wheat in this section nation but it provides now-and will provide in weeks to come-a good barometer of soil moisture.

We can't help but feel that things are going to be better for us in the weeks and months to come. We imagine we will American who does not agree have some more sandstorms or duststorms, because this wouldn't be the Panhandle otherwise, and we will have some windstorms and hail because we always do.

But when it is all over we won't be a bit surprised if this means minimizes the dangers of area winds up making a lot of cotton and feed. It just looks Reds in the world, he discounts like things are shaping up for that kind of a year.

CHIPPING AT THE CORNERSTONE



QUOTING OUR NEIGHBORS

Press Paragraphs—

President Eisenhower took a upon sane Americans.

The President is not the force- vails.

He warned against the "jitters" care against Red Russia.

It was time that some one warned the nation that all America had unanimously a resolution oppospreach, that a Red is hiding be-hind every bush, attempting to ship in the Communist or any grounds swallow all of the people of this other party should not brand the

good job, his success has gone to alty. his head. He believes that every could be tricked into membership patriotic, God-fearing women, but CITY—The "Woolaroc," the plane with him is tinted with Red and is in such a party, but the average unconsciously they are helping to which made history when it won ready to surrender to the Red for-

While the President by no the case.

PRESIDENT SPEAKS MIND the influence of Red propaganda munism and Socialism. There is a distinct clash

-Canyon News

CHURCH WOMEN WRONG

11 are reported to have adopted

American jury would take that

The group at Houston must

have short memories. American boys fought in Korea for three years and thousands did not come home alive. The reason they did not come back is because of Com-

It is regretted that the pressure was so strong upon the Texas legpeaking to the nation Monday thought about Reds in this nation. islature that the members did not We shall see which thought pre- have the courage to go along with here Wednesday .- Mr. and Mrs. the original proposal by Gov. Allan Shivers to demand the death penalty.

that Gov. Shivers saw the death W. F. Holland of Estelline shopn particular to the prevailing Women meeting in Houston March penalty clause would not pass ped and visited relatives here ing a death sentence to members the pressure behind groups and Ardmore, Okla., to make their individuals that opposed the death home.—Miss Bill Garrett left The women hold that member- penalty had Communist back- Monday for Estelline .- John Eth-

> member as a traitor to his coun- Council of Church Women would try and subject to the death pen- deny that they are fronts for Communism. They are not fronts July 26, 1929 build Communism in America. -Panhandle Herald

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Memories Turning Back Time From The Democrat File

32 YEARS AGO Oct. 19, 1922

SEVERAL HALL COUNTY SCHOOLS OPENED MONDAY-Public schools in four Hall County districts opened last Monday morning. New buildings are under construction at Turkey and Lodge and old buildings, though crowded, are being used temporarily. At Newlin, a new building is being constructed to replace the school building which was lost by fire. Churches are being used until the new structure is ready, probably about Nov. 1. The Hulver school has adequate buildings.

Reports from each of these communities indicates an unusually large attendance for this season of the year.

SALVATION ARMY STATE REPRESENTATIVE MEETS WITH MEMPHIS PEOPLE -Rev. Arthur Oliver, state representative of the Salvation Army, met with a group of Memphis citizens, at a luncheon Tuesday to Lakeview where Mr. We noon, to make arrangements for employed .- Marcus Roser the annual campaign for funds of Lockhart, is in Memphis for the organization.

The campaign began today and his brother, Jess, is attend ends Saturday night, except for New York market.-France collections at the churches Sun- er and Mary Nail spent the

Chairmen for the various com- Mrs. John Deaver returned mittees are: Judge W. A. McIn- day from a vacation trip to tosh, businessmen; Mrs. E. L. ornia.—Lesley Foxhall, wh Houghton, ladies; J. L. Walker, been attending Officers In American Legion; and Miss Lela Camp, has returned home

STRICTLY PERSONAL L. C. field, is vsiting in Memphi Payne of Estelline was here Friday.—Sim Hinton of Hulver was a vacation trip in the Co visitor here Tuesday.-Pete Salt- mountains.-Rev. A. D. Rog er visited relatives at Wellington San Marcos, former min Sunday .- Mr. and Mrs. Horace the First Christian Church Mullins of Buffalo Flat shopped visiting his son, V. B. Roger B. T. Williams of Childress were here Monday on business matters .- Mesdames R. A. Eddleman, The pressure was so strong C. M. Greene, Albert Bailey and the special session of this legisla- Monday .- Mr. and Mrs. Claude ture. You will find that a lot of Kennedy came in Sunday from eridge of Lodge was here Monday Organizations like the Texas on business.

24 YEARS AGO

FAMOUS PLANE WILL VISIT the Dole prize by beating other planes in a flight from Oakland, Calif., to Honolulu, will visit Memphis on its final flight before

going into a museum, acc to word received here this The plane will arrive her o'clock Thursday morning, and remain here for 30 m The plane also will visit Tur

Col. Art Goebel, who flee controls of the aircraft.

SCHOLASTIC SHOW MAT IAL INCREASE OVER FOR YEARS-The number of sr tics in Hall County has appreciably since the las was taken, according to The Swift, county superintender total amounts to 4,941, or ar crease of 416.

Figures by schools, are as lows: Memphis 1,249; Es 465; Lodge 423; Turkey Lakeview 274; Lesley 232 lin 178; Weatherly 143; as

STRICTLY PERSONAL end in Medicine Park .- Mr. Ethel Lucile Ballew of

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days Easter vacation.

Lynn Srygley, Mackie Allen,

Gayle Monzingo, Donna Webb,

UDC Chapter

was held at 3 p. m.

Meets In Home Of

Miss Sybil Gurley

Chapter of the United Daughters

of the Confederacy on Tuesday

afternoon, April 13. The meeting

Society News

finders' Council Entertains With dy Easter Tea In Gidden Home

ring one of the prettiest ons. The group joined in singing of the Easter season, the "My Faith Looks up to Thee."

with a colorful Easter Chamberlain. deled frosted punch.

Mrs. A. Gidden gracious- Betty Lemons.

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ison, who was honorely corsage. Mrs. Bar-

wlers Drug

Council entertained Mrs. Gene Chamberlain con-"Grandmother's" tea on ducted the games for the afterafternoon, April 13, in noon. She also presented beautiful ous home of Mrs. A. O. Easter corsages to the oldest grandmother, Mrs. Wrenn; the stertaining rooms were youngest grandmother, Mrs. Mcwith beautiful arrange- Daniel; the grandmother married spring flowers and East- the longest, Mrs. Gibson, the grandmother with the most child-reing, guests were greet-iving, guests were greet-ren, Mrs. Youngblood; the grand-A O. Gidden and in- mother traveling the longest disthe tea table which was tance to the party, Mrs. Wilton. a lovely hand-drawn In conclusion, quotations from cloth. The table was "Remember" were read by Mrs.

and pretty cookies re- Guests and members enjoying the flowers from this affair were Mmes. Wines, the flowers from this affair were Mmes. Wines, there garden. Mrs. Hall Bradley, A. B. Jones, J. B. Wrenn, R. E. Lowe, I. Wilton, Jim Mc Carence Baxter played Murry, Tracy Davis, J. W. Burks, selections during the J. Gardenhire, Odie Hughes, Mary Youngblood, J. Gibson, L. Highthe following quotation, tower, Jim Vallance, George Bass, ow so levely growing Clarence Baxter, Hall Nelson so many fine things do; Gene Chamberlain, Charlie Wilhory, and gold, and silks liams, Earl Pritchett, A. O. Gidbe new, and there is den. O. M. Gunstream, Hester a old trees, old streets Bownds, Barney Burnett, W. F. hold; Grandmothers as McElreath, Lloyd Ward, J. J. Mc see, grow lovely, grow- Daniel and A. O. Gidden and Miss

of Pritchett gave the in-and then Mrs. Gidden, TEL Class Meets the club president In Cypert Home

The T. E. L. Sunday School sang "When I Grow Class of the First Baptist Church ream," accompanied met Thursday, April 15 in the

by Miss Betty Lem- home of Mrs. Isabell Cypert. Mrs. Omer Hill gave an interesting devotional. Monthly reports were given by Mrs. Alla Boswell and group captains. After the business session, the meeting was turned into prayer service.

Delicious refreshments were O'Neal and Mrs. Joe Weathersby and six members, Mrs. Frank Ellis, Mrs. W. E. Hill, Mrs. T. T. Loard, Mrs. Alla Boswell, Mrs. Dick Watson and the hostess, Mrs. Outlook.'

ndications point to more in '54. over and above the pledges.



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Methodist WSCS Meets For Study

The Woman's Society of Christ-Church met in regular session U. D. C. Ritual were given.

brought the scripture lesson.

L. G. Yarbrough were in charge in Amarillo. Plans for attending of the program. Mrs. Newman's the District meeting on May 14 topic dealt with the risen Christ, in Lubbock were also discussed. Delicious refreshments were and she stressed whether or not served to two visitors, Mrs. Billie and she stressed whether or not the afternoon's program as visitors over the Easter hollowed the control of the control "Christ has come into our individual lives." Mrs. Yarbrough gave "Who is the Guilty?" from the Southern Man," and Mrs. J. H. Vermen reviewed the By-Laws of "Methodist Woman and World Norman reviewed the By-Laws of Derr and son of Fort Worth. They the chapter.

Mrs. Mac Tarver, president, concluded the program by bring- served to six members and two who remained for a week's visit. More than half a million Tex- ing a report concerning the Trea- guests. ans planted gardens last year and sury Chest, which is an offering

College Students Mrs. Doc Messick **Entertains Members** Here For Holidays Salisbury Club

College students left the first of the week for their respective colleges and universities throughout the state to again resume their Club on April 6.

Among those visiting their par- conversation. ents the past weekend were Mal-The next meeting is slated for

ce Adams, SMU; Clinton Jones, hostesses. Billy West and Bob Hanna, Har- Delicious refreshments were din-Simmons; Joyce McDaniel and Bennie Parks, North Texas State College; Peggy Smith, Texas Wes-Davis, Ted Barnes. E. E. Rice, with his mother, Mrs. Pauline leyan College; Jackie Gilbert, Ira McQueen. E. L. Kilgore, Ed Knight. Sheldon Anisman, Texas Univer- Hutcherson, E. L. McQueen, Doc sity, Scotty Grundy, Frank Nor- Messick, Ida Hutcherson, W. B. Roden, Jo Ann Hart, Frankie

CARD OF THANKS

Our heartfelt thanks go out to Davy Corley, Ann Spoon and all who extended comforting sym-- The Beryle Ann Davis, West Texas pathy and help in our recent sor State College; Rita Jo Hale, row. For the beautiful service North Texas School of Nursing; floral offerings, and other kind-Billie Hartman, Draughons Business College, Amarillo.

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CARD OF THANKS

May we take this method of thanking our neighbors and friends for their kind expressions of sympathy during our bereave-Miss Sybil Gurley was hostess ment. These expressions have been to members of the Winnie Davis deeply appreciated.

Mrs. Claude Morton Mrs. Geo. Bass and familles.

Mrs. L. G. DeBerry, president, Those visiting over the weekian Service of the First Methodist Church met in regular session April 19 in the church parlor.

called the meeting to order and the Pledge to the Flags and the U. D. C. Ritual were given.

end in the John Campbell home at Lakeview were their children including Mr. and Mrs. Ed Shirley Mrs. Tracy Davis conducted the During the business session, a Vickie Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Charles and children, Judy, Donna and Bible study for a period of 30 min- letter was read from Mrs. Keyes Campbell of Amarillo, Mr. and utes and then Mrs. A. B. Jones of Amarillo inviting the Chapter Mrs. Jack Cromwell and daughter rought the scripture lesson.

to attend a meeting on April 15

Mrs. Henry Newman and Mrs. to attend a meeting on April 15

at the home of Mrs. C. M. Ford
sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. D.

> Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Roberts had have all returned home with the Delicious refreshments were exception of Mrs. Derr and son

Mrs. E. L. Jones of Lincoln, Ark., and Mr. and Mrs. Dorse Mrs. Doc Messick, assisted by Rogers of Goree arrived here Sunhave returned but Mrs. Jones re- daughters, Judy and Jan, and son, studies after enjoying several During the afternoon the group mained for a month's visit. Mrs. Tommie, of Altus, Okla., were

Mrs. W. F. Ritchie returned cum Martin and Don Paul How-ell, who attend Allen Military Gammage with Mrs. E. L. Kilgore visit in Dallas through Easter with gene "Butch" Slater of Fort Academy; Bobby Crooks and Van- and Mrs. Ida Hutcherson as co- her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Bowling.

man, Roddy Stargel, Lloyd West, McQueen and one viistor, Mrs. children, Jimmy Dell and Judy of Easter holidays with their daugh-Olney, were guests last week of ter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dickey and Locals and Personals James spent the Easter weekend in Amarillo with their son and brother, Bill Dickey, and wife.

Mrs. Jess Mitchell, entertained day night to visit Mr. and Mrs. E. and daughter, Woodine, and Mrs. members of the Salisbury Needle E. Roberts. Mr. and Mrs. Rogers and Mrs. Odell Garrison and daughters, Judy and Jan, and son, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Roudebush made aprons and enjoyed pleasant Jones is an aunt of Mrs. Roberts. guests over Easter in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Long.

> Worth and Mrs. J. L. Smith, Geo. Freelan, Jr., Lee Roy Hodges and Boaz Stotts attended the Easter pageant Sunday in the Wichita Mountains near Lawton, Okla. The group visited Craterville Park en route home.

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Horticulturist Says Borer Is Most **Troublesome Tree Pest In West Texas**

pest of shade and fruit trees in the fumigant to confine the fum-west Texas is the tree borer.

number of fine shade trees.

the bores that their days are num- the latter part of May.

The big. clumsy, white, inch-long adult lays its works in much the same manner eggs around the bases of the as the shade tree borer, but its tree. After hatching, the grub damage is easier to spot. Bark of bores through the bark and be- the lower trunk usually turns

Later, it drills into the wood. causing it to die. Often the grub spray will not reach him. operates just below the soil level.

knife often results in greater dam- a tiny fellow that bores holes age than the grub. Fumigants are about the size of a buck shot in partially successful if the damage the bark of twigs and branches is at ground level or below. Ethy- This borer causes branches to die lene dichloride is the most prac-tical fumigant. Pour one-fourth hole borers, spray the branche pint of the 50 per cent solution just as you did for the peach tree in a band around the base of the borer; then religiously fertilis tree one inch away from the and irrigate the tree for good trunk of a five and a six year old growth to ward off more borers

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The peach tree borer attacks black and the stone-fruit trees. This pest gins to tunnel through the cam- black and a gummy material exbium and important inner bark. udes. Control is the same as for the popular tree borer. Remem-Result is a girdling of the tree ber: Once the borer is in the

Another troublesome pest Digging for the borers with a fruit trees is the shot-hole borer, trunk of a live and a soil one A small wood borer tree. Build a mound of soil one the trunk and branches of weepng willow trees so effectively that

an old weeping willow is a rarity in West Texas. Again use the Texas Safety Association, labeled branches and trunk. Adherence le cause of death among children to this spray program will allow 1 to 14 years old - a cause that your weeping willow to live. In all borer control three things are important: (1) Make

your first application of preventitive spray early in the season before the adult has an opportunity to enter the tree and begin to lay its eggs, (2) Spray at eason, (3) Use DDT spray of the the bark thoroughly.

By Mahoney THE BAFFLES









Traffic Accidents Called Leading Killer Of One To Fourteen Year-Old Children

ley of Houston, president of the ecommended DDT spray on the traffic accidents the greatest singclaims hundreds more victims annually than cancer, it's closest

competitor for this gruesome title. Speaking on behalf of the current Child Pedestrian and Bicycle Safety program which the Texas

In these words, Col. E. B. Til- in cooperation with the Department of Public Safety and the early plant growth. County agri-National Safety Council, Col. Tilley said, "Contrary to general mation on seed treating and can opinion, neither cancer nor pneumonia, tuberculosis nor polio, take tions. as high a toll of young lives as traffic accidents.'

latest year for which figures o deaths from disease are available' he showed that traffic accidents were the leading cause of death imong children from 1 to 14 years month intervals throughout the correct concentration and cover of age. "Traffic accidents claimed 3,655 victims", he said, "while cancer accounted for 3,156, pneu- are doing all they can to help prononia for 2,821, tuberculosis for .263, and polio for 862.

"The great tragedy in this whole icture is that most of this child forcement for the Game and Fish laughter on the highways is unecessary," Col. Tilley said. "In he majority of cases, traffic acidents are due to somebody's more than the usual number of arelessness. If we would just prosecutions for taking wild game abstitute careful walking, driv- out of season ng and bike riding for the careaarply over night.'

impress upon youngsters the portance of being alert in trafic, of crossing at cross walks and with traffic lights and of never laying in the street.

He made a special plea to motrists to watch out for children whenever they drive.

"Youngsters are carried away by play," Col. Tilley said. "Sometimes they forget entirely the real around them. hould be aware of this and alvays expect the unexpected from He warned motorists to keep a

harp eye out for children when riving near school, playgrounds, n residential districts, or whereer else children are likely to be

"Whenever you're near their naunts, drive slow," he advised. Remember, children move fast.

Weatherbys Return After Fishing Trip

eturned Saturday after a 10-day eep sea fishing trip to Port Arthe trip by relatives from Waco and visited in that city en route

The Weatherbys reported good to Amarillo Sunday where they ill furnish the fish for a fish ry and family gathering.

nome of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Harkins. Relatives planning to atend in addition to Mr. and Mrs. Weatherby include Mr. and Mrs. loward Weatherby and family of hamrock, Mrs. Lonnie Isaac and on Al of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Snyder and son, also

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adequate, but last minute shoppers may find local supplies deleted and thus forced to plant hatever seed is available.

Coffey says if planting seed has not been chemically treated for seed-borne and seedling diseases, farmers by doing so will gain additional insurance against poor stands and plant losses during cultural agents can supply informake local variety recommeda-

Quoting statistics for 1950 (the Number Are Fined For Hunting When Season Is Closed

tect the Animal Kingdom during the spring propagating season, E M. Sprott, director of law en Commission, said recently.

He cited as an example the monthly arrest report showing Two différent men in widely

ess variety so often practiced, the hild traffic toll could be reduced caught and fined for shooting caught and fined for shooting both quail and ducks out of sea-He urged parents and teachers son. Nine cases were filed each

for illegal hunting of ducks and ing or night hunting quail; four for bagging geese after the season closed and two possessing a deer carcass for shooting mourning doves for shooting hearing for some twenty-seven license which have been nesting for some for more flagrant

The director said thirty-nine persons were fined for assorted violations of the deer code, with twenty-eight cases for headlight-

The largest fine was \$2 dence of sex removed. Then Cases totaled 241 and court costs came to \$6,694

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Ira Lawrence returned aturday from Eldorado, where she spent several ing with her mother, Mrs.

and Mrs. Douglas Lawrence dren visited in Clarendon with friends.

Watts of Seminole spent kend here visiting with y. Mr. Watts is employed il company in Seminole.

and Mrs. Jerry Matlock of were here to spend the holidays with her parents, Mrs. J. L. Barnes. and Mrs. Regnal Green-

Amarillo spent the week with his mother, Mrs. Bragg left Monday for

where he will visit with Dr. Bill Bragg.

W. J. Bragg, who is teachhe Highland Park school in spent the Easter holi-

nd Mrs. Lewis Wells and of Amarillo visited here weekend with relatives.

George Greenhaw returnlast week from Long Calif., where she visited sister, Mrs. J. W. For-

Morgensen of Oklahoma rmer long-time Memphis notified friends here last the recent death of his Mr. Morgensen's father Snyder, Okla., and was years of age.

and Mrs. Grover Kesterson istors during the Easter their children, Dorothy Deris Kesterson and Mrs. son, all of Amarillo and Mrs. A. G. Kesterson and of Pampa.

and Mrs. Adrian Combs ock visited here over the with her grandmother, R. Durham and his par-

Henry Foster and childary and Cheryle Ann visitene during the Easter with her mother, Mrs. ther relatives.

Mrs. L. W. Stanford nday visitors their and son-in-law, Mr. and rias Shelton of Ashtola Sandra Shelton of Clar-

oster Watkins and sons, Seth Pall of Quanah. ere Easter Sunday with er, Mrs. Seth Pallmeyer.

d Mrs. Dwight Betts and Mary Idell of Borger end guests in the home nd Mrs. Clifton Burnett.

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d Mrs. Paul Brewer and ou of Wellington visited day night in the home of Mrs. Herschel Combs

d Mrs. Bobby Jack Mc-ad children of Amarillo weekend here with their and Mrs. Gip Mc-Mr. and Mrs. Clyde

of Lubbock visited here

Mrs. Guy Smith and Iulia were here to spend tend with her parents, Mr. D. A. Neeley.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bridges, Mrs. her parents. lo spent the weekend here with Easter holidays with their parents, their parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith and Mr. Memphians who went to Fitzjarrald and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. and Mrs. Roy Patton.

W. J. Messer is back home and Sheldon Anisman and his cou-sin, Melvin Anisman, who is also being discharged last Thursday eral weeks.

Mrs. Walter White and Don and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bridges, Mrs. her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wilks and helidays. Don and June returned tives. home Sunday while Mrs. White remained for a longer visit.

Miller, Sue MilWelch, Betty spent the Easter holidays here Amazilla where Mrs. John Ward left Monday her pare
Welch, Betty spent the Easter holidays here Amazilla where Mrs. John Ward left Monday her pare spent the Easter holidays here Amarillo, where he had been re- visiting during the Easter holiwith his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. ceiving medical treatment for sev- days with her mother, Mrs. Estel-

Memphis to spend the Easter ey spent the Easter holidays in Houston visiting with their rela-

visited here over the weekend with Mrs. John Ward left Monday her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo.

Borger visited here Sunday with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Hardin and her father, J. T. Dennis. son of Liberal, Kans., visited here over the weekend with her par-Mrs. Kermit Upshaw of Dallas ents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Siddle.

Mr. and Mrs. Durwood McCool and grandchildren of Dumas visit-Mr. and Mrs. Jack Youree of ed here over the weekend with

children, Dennis and Mary of Floydada visited here Sunday with

Leroy Greene of Plainview was here to spend the Easter holidays in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gene

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Boys and girls all-district 1-A Clarendon; Ronald Mills, White basketball teams were named last Deer; Wayne Moore, McLean; week during a dinner meeting of and Gregory Sherwood. Panhanschool officials at White Deer.

At the session, Gruver was added and the district was divided team are: Kay Williams, Panhaninto two four-team sections.

The two boys and girls teams in each half will compete in championship play at White Deer, Feb. 11-13 of next year. Single elimination games will determine the champion in the boys and panhandle; Christine Hunt, girls divisions. Two games are to Lean; and Annette Smith, be played each night during the Lean tournament.

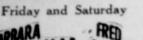
Memphis, Clarendon, Lefors and succeeded James R. Cox as chair-McLean will compose one half of man of the district school offithe district, and Panhandle, White cials group. He was elected to a Deer, Canadian and Gruver, the one-year term.

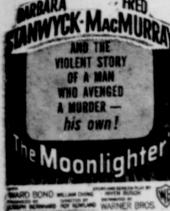
Duke Frisbie. forward on the Officers Elected Memphis squad, was placed on the all-district boys team. Last fall, he was named on the all-district with the teacher looking into his football squad.

Nolan Poteet coached the local lasting ties with others and to see basketball team and George Child- if he is ready to share responsiress, the football squad.

Also on the all-district boys basketball team are: Don Dennam, gist at the M. D. Anderson Hospi-Mc- tal in Houston. White Deer: Jim Fannin. Lean, Dale Roselius, Panhandle; Also on the program were sev Phillip Earhart, Lefors, Ray Ram- eral selections by a boys' vocal irez, Canadian; Don Landers, trio. Incidental music was played







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Panhandle; Horlene Smith, Clar-

endon; Kathleen Riley, Canadian;

Irene Detten, Panhandle; Mar-lene Moore, McLean; Sandy Wilk-

inson, Canadian; Rose Detten,

Panhandle; Christine Hunt, Mc-

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the meeting by a pianist and vio-

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nore year to serve on the board.

Douglas Lawrence will retire

Jack Allen, state Jaycee vice-

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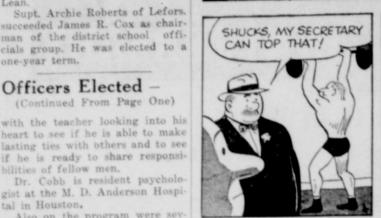
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Head Of -

By John Jarvis MAYOR McGUP





all through the dinner portion of Comments (Continued From Page One)

The food was prepared and ser- presenting them, printed here just red by ladies of the Methodist to show the Spanish and French names that are common in New Approximately 70 persons were Orleans: 1714—Louis Juchereau de Navarro-Evelyn Jordan telegrams from Panhandle and Mumme; 1721—Captain Henri d' West Texas farmers, Senator

as president and become a state etc., etc. with everyone trying to outdo deduction for the installation of resident, will conduct the instal- each other in Easter finery. It was underground concrete pipe as a death. not, of course, colorful like the current farm operating expense. Mardi gras, but to West Texans Those, expected to be present it was a great show.

pastures, crowded with cattle, resource.' some crossed with Brahmas, all for their stock.

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Daniel Seeks Tax **Deduction For Pipe** Laying On Farms

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"The wise use and conservation torn lose and hurled 150 feet beof irrigation water is of supreme Lousiana is a showy state. From importance in the drouth areas embers and their wives, com- Shreveport to N. O., the country of our Country," Senator Daniel cunity leaders, and representa- is almost level and in places told the Committee. "Such a prores from other Junior Chambers swampy. Rice and sugar cane vision would assist materially in fields predominate. We saw green the conservation of this valuable

Under present law, expendialong the route and wished our tures made by farmers to improve cattlemen could have like pastures their land are required to be capitalized rather than deducted as a One thing we note the absence current expense. As passed by the of and that is dust. The damp air House of Representatives, the new bill would allow the farmer to deduct the cost of soil and water conservation improvements as a current expense, up to a maxium of 25 per cent of the gross ome derived from farming in ny one year.

Senator Daniel's proposal would xtend this provision to include ie installation of underground



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ins, Crump Ferrel, D. C. Hall, Elmer Lacy and J. D. Cox. Arvin Orr was appointed to succeed W. C. Hignight as alternate to Ho-

Outgoing directors are Olton Pate, E. L. McQueen, Jr., J. J. Hunter, Robert Sexauer, Paul Smith and E. L. Geisler.

Membership chairmen Crump Ferrel, Estelline; G. O. Coker, Turkey; J. W. Longshore, Lakeview; and Robert Moss, Mem-

Brown Smith was named chairman of the resolutions committee. Chairmen of the program and refreshment committees were to be appointed this week by Hodges.

Results of a drive for members, which has been going on, are expected to be disclosed in the near future. The county Farm Bureau will award a suit of clothes to the one, signing up the greatest number of members, and Crump Ferrel will donate a \$15 hat to the man who is second in the cam-

Gene Koeninger of Plaska, ser- For District Attorney: vice officer of the county organization, made a short talk on the various services which the Farm For District Clerks Bureau provides members. It was decided that each Farm

Bureau member should receive the For County Judges official sign of the organization, bearing the member's name, to beput up at the member's farm The next meeting of the county

rganization is scheduled Monday night, May 24, at which time Cong. Walter Rogers is expected to be present to address the ses-

Approximately 40 persons at Dona Marie Emmanuella Sanche sponse to hundreds of letters and tended Monday evening's meeting.

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nection with Miss Bazemore'

The engine of Spruel's car was yond the point of impact by the force of the collision.



Band To Compete At Canyon Friday

The Memphis High School Band will be in Canyon Friday to compete in the Interscholastic Region XI band contest. The musical organization is directed by Richard Highfill, director of music in the local high school.

The Memphis band will participate in concert, sightreading and marching contests.

In addition, twirlers will demonstrate their prowess at the band meet.

Monta June Saye will present a solo twirling act. A twirling en-

Political Announcements

For State Representative: ELBERT REEVES

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County Attorney: WILLIAM J. BRAGG WILLIAM B. TEAGUE

For County Sheriff: W. P. (BILL) BATEN For Tax Assessor-Collector:

OLIN W. COOPER County Clerk: MRS. RUBY COLLINS

For County Treasurer:

MRS. HESTER BOWNDS For County Superintendent: MISS MARY FOREMAN

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 1: J. S. GRIMES (Re-Election)

For Commissioner, Precinct 1: EDWIN HUTCHERSON For Commissioner, Precinct 2: GEORGE BLEWER

For Commissioner, Precinct 3: CLINTON RICHBURG JOHN C. CHAUDOIN FRED B. BERRY For Constable, Precinct 1:

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Soloists and ensemble Memphis High took part in al contests at Canyon, A Approximately 165 per

Japan surrendered for the Allies on board the br USS Missouri in Tokyo P September 1, 1945.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Fow randdaughter, Donna For Lesley, spent Saturday me Sunday in Lubbock with lers' daughter, Mrs. W. and family.

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April 23rd "Two Flags W Joseph Cotten Linda Da

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Kirk Douglas Wednesday Thurs

"Here Come The Groom Bing Crosby Jane Wy

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