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Area Farmers And Ranchers Seek Drouth Aid Increase

Members of Lakeview will meet with the state ASC...

quest that cotton seed cake be made available at reduced prices...

that more than 80,000 acres of tilled land, or about one-third of the cultivated acreage...

Funeral Services For Mrs. S. P. Wells Sunday In Methodist Church Here

Funeral services for Mrs. S. P. Wells who died last Thursday afternoon...

of Memphis since 1936. She was 68 years old. Born in Tarrant County, Dec. 25, 1885...

Among survivors are: three sons, W. O. Cope, Abilene, D. S. Cope, Colorado City, Colo., and H. L. Cope, Enid, Okla.;

Review School Tomorrow Friday

Review High School will hold its homecoming Friday, according to Clayton Wells, senior...

Other survivors are: a brother, Charlie Shaw, Hedley; a sister, Mrs. Laura Luttrell, Bethel, Kan.;

Approximately 5,000 bales of cotton have been ginned in Hall County the past week...

Funeral Services For Mrs. Josie Norton, Former Resident, Conducted Here Saturday

Funeral services for Mrs. Josie Norton, former Memphis resident...

her home with Mrs. Lee Vickers, a daughter. A native of Logan County, Ark., she was born Feb. 5, 1890.

Survivors, besides Mrs. Vickers, include: three sons, Russell Norton, Memphis; Marion Norton, Phoenix, Ariz., and R. E. Norton, Greenriver, Utah; two other daughters, Mrs. Imogene Smith, Borger, and Mrs. Zonie Hilton, Fresno, Calif.

Man Injured In Head-On Collision With Plaska

A county resident was injured this morning in a head-on automobile-truck collision...

Also surviving are: four brothers, Dick Heathcott, Wingate, Tex., and Robert Mack and Otto Heathcott, all of Holdenville, Okla.;

Final settlement rate will be on grade basis. All cottonseed delivered grading over 100 shall draw a premium; all cottonseed (Continued on Page 8, Sec. 1)

County Men Enter Military Service

Six Hall County men were sent to Amarillo this week by the Selective Service Board at Childress for induction into the armed forces.

They are: Charles Edgar Cullin, John D. Clark, William Donald Vallance and Herbert Hughey Shahan, all of Memphis; Bobby Lee Adams of Estelline; and Otis Lee Record of Lakeview.

After they have completed their collections, the youths will re-gather at the Methodist Church to determine the amount of donations and for a social period.

ham was driving south to Plaska and Mrs. Koeninger was driving north, according to reports of both vehicles...

Campaigns of this nature all over the United States will enable CROP to send milk to the hungry of the world at the rate of \$20

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Fire Burns Houses In Morningside Monday Afternoon

Fire at noon Monday destroyed one house and badly damaged another in Morningside Addition...

The dwelling which was burned was occupied by James Davis and family and owned by J. W. Scott, who is in military service.

Nobody was at home in either house at the time the blaze began but neighbors noticed fire coming from the Scott structure and notified the fire department.

It was unknown Wednesday whether insurance was carried on the houses and furnishings.

County Ginnings At 20,000-Bale Mark By Tuesday

Approximately 5,000 bales of cotton have been ginned in Hall County the past week...

Loans Available On 1954 Cottonseed Stored On Farms

Loans are now available on 1954 cottonseed stored on farms at \$54.00 per ton...

Coppedge Attends Albuquerque Meet

J. W. Coppedge, manager of the Hall County Electric Cooperative, attended the annual Region 10 REA meeting...

Memphis Youths To Raise CROP Funds Hallowe'en

"Trick or treat" will take on a new meaning in Memphis this Hallowe'en. Because on Sunday night a group of Memphis youths will call at residences here...

Homecoming Day For Exes Friday

Memphis High School exes will be served a barbecue lunch at noon Friday as part of homecoming activities scheduled for the day...

Weather Remains Relatively Good

Temperatures have been considerably lower this week as a result of the passage of a cold front. Fortunately, however, weather remained relatively good...

COUNTY ATTORNEY EXPLAINS TAX RE-ALLOCATION ELECTION



FASTEST 'COPTER—Shown in flight is U. S. Army's XH-39 Sikorski helicopter which set new speed record of 156.005 miles per hour...

Declares Approval Will Not Increase Taxes Of Citizens

An explanation of the special tax re-allocation election, Nov. 2, was made this week by County Attorney Bill Teague.

According to Teague, the re-allocation of funds will not raise taxes but instead should eliminate the need of such a move by taking money from funds which have surpluses...

Every year, the general fund is exhausted and the Commissioners Court has to borrow money for general county purposes...

Under the proposed re-allocation the 10 cents per \$100 property valuation would be transferred from the courthouse sinking fund to the general fund...

A re-allocation election was held in Hall County in 1949, carrying 356 for to 61 against, Teague said.

If taxes are not re-allocated, it likely will necessitate raising property valuations, which would affect everyone in the county...

Travis And Austin P-TA Hallowe'en Party At High School Saturday Night

Games, refreshments and a play are among the activities which will be found at the annual William B. Travis and Stephen F. Austin P-TA Hallowe'en Party Saturday night at the high school here.

Admission charges of 10 cents for students and 20 cents for adults will be made for the play but entrance to the gym will be free.

The cafeteria will open at 6 p. m., and the gym at 6:30. Working people who eat between 5 and 6, will be served, starting at 5.

First performance of the play is scheduled to begin at 7, with the second showing starting at 8 o'clock.

568 Have Chest X-rays Made Here

A total of 568 persons had chest x-rays made Saturday and Monday while equipment of the Texas State Department of Health was in operation at the Lone Star Gas Company offices here...

Farmer expressed himself as well pleased with the public's response, especially since the equipment was out of service most of the day Saturday, due to technical trouble.

Leon Rogers, son of A. L. Rogers, will escort Miss Messer, and Jacky Ben Boone, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Boone, will be Miss Monzingo's escort.

Coronation music will be furnished by the Cyclone Band, under the direction of Miss Kathryn Phillips, director of music in the Memphis schools.

Katherine Wright To Be Crowned Football Queen

Katherine Wright will be crowned queen of the Memphis Cyclone football team Friday night at Cyclone Stadium...

The coronation is scheduled for 7:20 o'clock, with the football game to get underway at 7:30.

Miss Wright will have the traditional football helmet placed on her head by Cyclone Co-Captains Carol Gardenhire and Jimmy Davis.

Queen Katherine's attendants will be Miss Juassetta Messer, daughter of the late C. J. Messer and Mrs. Faye Messer...

According to John McMickin, weatherman here, the mercury readings this past week were as follows: last Thursday 47-56 degrees; Friday 51-79; Saturday 52-68; Sunday 49-69; Monday 44-65; Tuesday 44-58; and Wednesday 42-62.



CLAUDE'S COMMENTS

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark., Oct. 25.—From our window today we see green grass, vari-colored tree leaves, dripping raindrops, roads with running water on each side, cars splashing mud and water in great splashes...

The rains of the past two weeks have caused grass and trees to take on new life, and has delayed the usual autumn colors.

Since the Razorbacks (the University of Arkansas) winning football team) licked Ole Miss at Little Rock Saturday, the Fayetteville fans are really in high glory. I haven't seen a razor-back hog (Continued on Page 8, Sec. 1)

Report From Washington

By Walter Rogers
Congressman, 18th District



"Fire Power"

People have asked me how prepared we are to defend this question is promptly answered by one of our armed forces, while I wish that all of our Air Force fire power were concentrated at Eglin Field, Florida. Incidentally, General Campbell is deputy commander of the Pampa Air Field World War II. Needless to say, his lovely wife, Ruth, and Mrs. DeLoach are all yearning to come back to the States.

It would be impossible to draw a picture of the unbelievable that could be delivered in a few minutes on an aggressor. To witness man-made breaking the sound barrier over your very eyes, while talking to you over a loud-speaker system, has you entranced by the sound waves created by the result in a concussion that knocks you out of your seat. The display had been planned for 10,000 feet but had to be moved to 10,000 feet for fear the noise might burst the speaker drums.

Also witnessed formation by several planes doing acrobatics in unison that could not be performed by a single plane years ago. The exhibition included both jet propelled conventional type aircraft, pointed out the tremendous difference between the speed of the jet. Speaking of jets, I remembered that we have a base here in the Panhandle that trains the boys to fly these planes flying. The boys who really deserve credit, but those mechanics that we have at Amarillo Air Force Base. These nut or defective screw mean untold death and destruction.

Working of Amarillo and the man, who did we run into at Air Force Base but our good friend Bob Izzard. He was really the show with both tele- and radio equipment. He described as a whirlwind, a camera and a sound system. Also was Bob Batten, former manager of the Childress office of Commerce. Bob was

down from Dallas where he now works.

"Crime In 1953"

Statistics reflect that 1953 saw 2,159,080 major crimes committed in the United States during that year. This meant that crime was up 6 per cent, with all offenses on the rise except murder. Here is the time table of crime for 1953:

- 1 major crime committed every 14.6 seconds.
- 1 felonious homicide committed every 41.0 minutes.
- 1 burglary committed every 1.1 minutes.
- 1 robbery committed every 8.3 minutes.
- 1 larceny committed every 24.9 seconds.
- 1 aggravated assault committed every 5.7 minutes.
- 1 auto theft committed every 2.3 minutes.

"About Women"

In 1900 there were 37 million females in the United States; in 1950 there were 76 million. This means that percentage wise there was a 2.9 per cent increase in the



BEAUTY AND GRAPES

Carol King, 22, of Mill Valley, Calif., reigned as Vintage Queen during National Wine Week. Here she holds basket of luscious California wine grapes.

number of women as compared to the number of men. This may account for the prosperity that we have enjoyed. An article in the New York Herald Tribune in 1950 quoted these figures:

- Women influence 85 per cent of all purchases of consumer goods.
- Women are beneficiaries of 80 per cent of all life insurances.
- Women inherit 70 per cent of the estates left by men.

Postal Receipts Climb In Texas

AUSTIN—September postal receipts in Texas reached almost \$6.2 million, compared with less than \$5.8 million in August, a rise of 7 per cent, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports.

Compared with September, 1953 when postal receipts totaled \$5.5 million, there was an 11 per cent increase.

The monthly tabulation, which included 117 cities, showed 97 gained over August levels. Pecos

with a 110-per cent jump, led all other cities in the increase. Also reporting huge rises were Cameron (98 per cent), Vernon (90 per cent) and Kirbyville (79 per cent). Luling was up 63 per cent, while Denton and Hereford registered 55 per cent gains.

All of Texas' five largest cities showed August-September improvement in postal receipts: Houston gained 8 per cent; Dallas, 7 per cent; Fort Worth, 5 per cent; San Antonio, 3 per cent, and Austin, 1 per cent.

El Campo reported a 51 per cent decrease, and Texarkana was down

29 per cent. All other September drops were small.

Fires are unknown in the forests of the Amazon region because the wood does not burn easily.



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Precautions To Be Observed Hallowe'en Are Outlined By Authority On Safety

"Don't hide traffic safety behind a mask on Hallowe'en!"

R. B. Roaper of Houston, president of the Texas Safety Association, today gave this warning to Texans who are preparing to observe the special night with traditional celebrations.

"I mean this advice both literally and figuratively," he said. "Of course, safety always should be of primary concern to both motorists and pedestrians, and never should be out of view."

"But Hallowe'en brings an even more immediate, practical application to this advice," Roaper pointed out, "because at this time so many people, especially children, will be wearing fancy dress costumes and masks."

"These masks can cause a lot of trouble if they cut down the wearer's vision," he said. "The masks usually are worn after dark, which is the most dangerous time of the day, traffic-wise, when both drivers and walkers sometimes have trouble trying to see adequately and keep safe. Masks can make the situation even more dangerous."

"Also," he said, "costumes worn by pedestrian Hallowe'eners sometimes are dark in color and difficult for motorists to see."

"Parents should see to it that their children wear white or light-colored costumes, or that some reflectorized material is used at least for the trimmings," Roaper said. "This precaution, in addition to making sure that masks fit properly and allow normal vision, will do a lot to keep children safe in traffic on Hallowe'en."

"The same safeguards should be observed by adults, too, of course," he added.

"And everyone should be made aware of the extra caution required in traffic at a holiday time," he said.

"The best safety plan for Hallowe'en night," Roaper said, "is to have home or community parties for children — and for adults."

He called attention to the night traffic hazards program being sponsored in Texas this month by the Texas Safety Association, the Texas Department of Public Safety and the National Safety Council.

"Every day of the month, every month of the year, darkness means danger in traffic," he said. "And Hallowe'en night, when celebrations are apt to step up the pace for both drivers and walkers, the slogan of this traffic safety program is particularly applicable."

"Cut Your Speed after Dark!"

Memphians Attend Industrial Meet

Three Memphis men attended an industrial development meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, which was held at Amarillo last Wednesday.

The three were: Rufus Grisham, chairman of the local Chamber committee; Mack Wilson, a member of the committee; and Clifford Farmer, manager of the Memphis and Hall County unit.

Probably receiving more emphasis than anything else was the fact that industry is constantly shifting from the congested areas of the East to other sections of the nation, Farmer said. It is felt that some of these industries will come to this region, as they have in the past.

However, speakers at the Amarillo meeting pointed out that towns which expect to go after such industries should try to obtain ones which will be suited to their particular situations, considered in the light of raw products, natural resources and type of labor available, among others.

Representatives from most of the towns in the Panhandle were present at Amarillo.

Fred Husbands, manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce at Abilene, was in charge of the meeting.

LaMaster To Stop Here Briefly Friday

LeRoy (Pete) LaMaster of Perryton is scheduled to be in Memphis at 4:40 p. m., Friday for a 10-minute stop, in behalf of his candidacy for Congressman from this district on the Republican ticket.

LaMaster will head an automobile caravan, which will originate in Amarillo Friday morning and will visit more than 30 towns in the district during a two-day tour.

During the tour, the Perryton farmer-stockman plans to meet as many citizens personally as possible and explain his program and campaign issues to Panhandle voters.



WHERE'S DIOR? White lace "panty gown" with narrow legs and cape-like skirt was labeled "Undine" at West Berlin fashion exhibit.

The Butantan Institute near Sao Paulo, South America, is a snake farm where snake bite serum is produced.

Billie Stroehle Hallowe'en Queen At Party Tuesday

Billie Jean Stroehle was crowned Hallowe'en queen for 1954-55 at a Hallowe'en Party at the local high school Tuesday evening. The party is sponsored annually by the senior class.

Miss Stroehle was the junior class candidate. The juniors won by two points over the seniors, amassing 67 points to 65 for the seniors. The points were picked up from various contests, participated in by representatives from the different high school classes. The eighth grade accumulated 28 points.

Results of the contests were as follows:

Best dancers—seniors, first and juniors and eighth grade tied for second.

Pop corn eating—Eighth grade, first; juniors, second; and seventh grade, third.

Tackiest couple—Seniors, first; juniors, second; and ninth grade, third.

Cracker eating and whistling—Seniors, first; freshmen, second; and eighth grade, third.

Potato sack relay—Juniors, first; tenth grade, second; ninth grade, third.

Cutest couples—Seniors, first; juniors, second; and ninth grade, third.

Nazarene Church Holding Meeting

A five-day revival began at the Church of the Nazarene here Wednesday evening and will continue through Sunday night, according to Rev. Don Sanders, pastor. Services will be held nightly at 7:30 and also on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. The church is located at 717 Montgomery St.

Rev. Walter Patterson is the evangelist for the meeting. Rev. Patterson is a converted cowboy and still wears cowboy boots and western clothing.

His days as a cowboy were spent at Dodson, east of Wellington, and following his conversion, he was pastor of the Dodson Nazarene Church at one time.

He also held pastorates at Buffalo Gap and Wichita Falls before entering the evangelistic field.

The public is cordially invited to attend the revival services.

Third.

Balloon shaving—Ninth grade, first; juniors second; and eighth grade, third.

Three-legged race—Seventh grade, first; juniors, second; and eighth grade, third.

Apple bobbing—Seniors, first; and juniors and eighth grade, tied for second place.

Judges were Melton Wilhite, Mrs. Rufus Grisham and Mrs. Bob Magness.

Austin PTA Meets In Monthly Session Tuesday

The Stephen F. Austin PTA met Tuesday, October 12, with the president, Mrs. Worth Howard, presiding.

Regular business matters were transacted and the room award was given to the kindergarten group. Miss Walker's fifth grade had a Hobby Show display.

Rev. Fred Ridener, pastor of the Assembly of God Church, brought the devotional using the text from Prov. 22:6: "Train Up a Child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not depart from it." He said we should take the Bible as an example and live it.

Mrs. Billy Thompson, Mrs. Ace Gailey, Mrs. Wilma Leslie and Betty Leslie presented a skit "Equal Rights for Women."

The topic for the evening was, "We, the People, in Order to Form a More Perfect Union Between the Home and the School." Speakers were Joyce Webster, representing the home, and Mrs. Clarence Morris who represented the school.

The fourth grade with Alma Bruce as teacher gave a short program.

Mrs. Ace Gailey led the group in singing action songs.

Preceding the meeting the local unit enjoyed a lovely basket lunch in observance of the regular family night.

Assembly Of God Convention Starts

The fall convention of the Texas District Council of the Assemblies of God will be held Tuesday and Wednesday, at the Assembly of God Church, according to Rev. Fred L. Ridener, pastor. The church is located at 622 North Eleventh Street.

The dedicatory sermon at the new auditorium of the church will be preached Tuesday night by Rev. J. A. Thomas, Lubbock, district superintendent.

A revival will begin at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening and will continue for weeks or more. Rev. and Clinton Vanzant of Fort Worth, will be the evangelist.

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As inspection agents for the state, we urge you to bring in your car now, before the regular fall rush of work begins. We can handle your inspection now, giving undivided attention to every point of inspection. The inspection test is not as severe as many think. The items checked are the ones that save your life!



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WEEK-END SPECIALS

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COFFEE, Folgers, 1 Lb. \$1.09; 2 Lbs.	\$2.16
FLOUR, Gladiola, 5 Lbs. 53c; 10 Lbs.	97c
MILK, All Kinds, Sm. Can 7c; Lg. Can	14c
SALT, Morton's Round Box	11c
CRISCO, SNOWDRIFT or SPRY, 3 Lbs.	93c
EGGS, Stamped Infertile, Doz.	49c
BLACK PEPPER, Schillings, 1 1/2 Oz. 19c; 4 Oz.	43c
JELLO, All Flavors, 2 Boxes	17c
HERSHEYS CHOCOLATE DAINTIES, Pkg.	29c
MARSHMALLOWS, Lg. Pkg.	18c
Heinz CATSUP, Lg. Bottle	25c
CHEWING GUM, All Kinds, 2 Pkgs.	7c
DOG FOOD, Ideal, Can	15c
BABO or AJAX CLEANSER, 2 Cans	25c
SOAP POWDER, All Kinds, Lg. 32c; Giant	75c
TOILET PAPER, Scot Tissue, 2 Rolls	23c
PAPER NAPKINS, 80 Count, Pkg.	13c
KLEENEX, 200 Size 15c; 300 Size	23c
PINEAPPLE JUICE, 46 Oz. Can	36c
GRAPE JUICE, 46 Oz. Can Tea Garden	59c
TUNA FISH, Solid Pack, Can	39c
VIENNA SAUSAGE, Armours Star, Can	19c
Armours TREET, Can	49c
CHILI BEANS, Ranch Style, 2 Cans	25c
PORK & BEANS, White Swan, Can	11c
Campbell's SOUP, Tomato 12c; Vegetable	15c
Campbell's SOUP, All 20c Cans	18c
Fresh BLACKKEYED PEAS, No. 2 Cans	15c
Irvington Club Whole GREEN BEANS, Can	28c
SPINACH, HD, Lg. Can	14c
PEACHES, HD, Med. Can 20c; Lg. Cans	29c
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FRUIT COCKTAIL, HD, Med. Can 25c; Lg.	39c
SWEET POTATOES, Maryland Sweets, Lb.	10c
GRAPEFRUIT, Lg. Ruby Red, 2 For	19c
APPLES, Lg. Fancy, Wine Saps or Romes, 2 Lbs.	23c
CRANBERRIES, 1 Lb. Box	24c
CABBAGE, Nice Green Heads, Lb.	4c
Bulk Purple Top TURNIPS, Lb.	8c
LETTUCE, Lg. Heads	13c
Meadolake, Nuco, Bluebonnet or Parkay, Lb.	30c
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Bob R. Hanna Begins Army Basic Training

Pvt. Bob R. Hanna, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Hanna who live southeast of Memphis...

Pvt. Hanna, 21 years old, will spend the eight weeks on fundamental subjects, such as rifle, machine gun and bazooka marksmanship...

Potts Exhibits Winners At Fair

Tomie M. Potts, Memphis Hereford breeder, exhibited several prize-winning animals recently at the State Fair of Texas in Dallas.

Awarded prizes were the following Potts-owned livestock: Senior yearling bull, calved between Sept. 1 and Dec. 31, 1952, TP Dandy Larry D 18, sixth place.

Junior yearling bull, calved between Jan. 1 and April 30, 1953, TP Larry Mixer 3, seventeenth.

Senior bull calf, calved between Sept. 1 and Dec. 31, 1953, TP Larry Mixer 5, tenth.

Summer yearling heifer, calved between May 1 and Aug. 31, 1953, TP Larry Ann, eleventh.

Senior heifer calf, calved between Sept. 1 and Dec. 31, 1953, TP Larry Ann 47, twentieth.

Arvin C. Spencer At Laughlin AFB

Airman Third Class Arvin C. Spencer of Memphis is now stationed at Laughlin Air Force Base at Del Rio as a dental assistant.

Laughlin AFB is an advanced training field for jet pilots, and part of the Combat Crew Training Division of the Air Training Command.

Barbara Smith Is Estelline Grid Queen

The Estelline Bear Cubs elected Miss Barbara Smith, a member of the senior class as the 1954 Cub Football Queen. She will be crowned before the coming game between the Cubs and the Silverton Owls.

Miss Smith is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Smith. She has participated in all school activities and ranks at the top of her class scholastically.

Wesley Hammonds Getting Along Fine

Mrs. O. L. Hammonds returned Friday from a three-week visit in Corpus Christi with her son, Wesley, who is recovering satisfactorily from injuries suffered last April in a two-car accident in the Gulf Coast city.

Mrs. Hammonds says her son uses a wheel chair but is able to pull himself into his automobile and drive it. She said he is planning on coming to Memphis in a couple of weeks to visit relatives and old friends.

Earl Lloyd West Fraternity Pledge

Earl Lloyd West, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lamar West who reside southwest of Memphis, is a pledge of the Kappa Sigma fraternity at Texas Tech, according to word received here. Kappa Sigma is one of eight Greek letter fraternities at the college.

Lightning damages or destroys an average of about \$18,000,000 worth of property each year.

Texas Farm Bureau Convention To Meet At Galveston, Nov. 8-10

GALVESTON—Acreage allotments, price supports and the farmer's cost-price squeeze are likely to get top billing when the Texas Farm Bureau holds its 1954 convention here Nov. 8-10.

Some 1,500 members, representing every phase of agriculture in Texas, are expected to converge on this resort city for the state farm organization's 21st annual session.

Policies to guide the organization in its dealings next year with Congress, various government agencies and officials will be formulated by voting delegates from about 180 counties.

Registration for the convention will begin Sunday afternoon, Nov. 7, in the Buccaneer Hotel. A vesper service will be held that evening.

An open hearing on tentative resolutions will be held Monday morning, with conferences on various commodities scheduled for that afternoon.

Finals of the state-wide Farm Bureau queen contest will be held Monday night. Thirteen district nominees will compete for the state crown and its accompanying prize, a trip to New York.

County 4-H Club Is Safety Winner

Hall County is one of 10 Texas counties in which 4-H Clubs have been selected to receive certificates citing them for their outstanding farm and home safety programs. This information has been received here by County Agent W. B. Hooser, who heads 4-H activities in Hall County.

The Hall County club, along with the other nine, will receive a two-color certificate from General Motors of Detroit, Mich., who sponsors the National 4-H Safety Awards Program.

County agents and adult leaders direct the club programs, with assistance from individuals and organizations who are interested in farm safety.

The Hall County 4-H Club annually has been the recipient of safety awards for a number of years, Hooser said.

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Attendants to the Queen who will participate in her coronation on the night of Nov. 5 at the conclusion of the school carnival are as follows: senior—Wynnell Bell and Monty Richerson; junior—Donnae Williams and Willie Roy McClendon; sophomore—Jeanne Self and Elvie Williams; and freshman—Julia Richburg and J. M. Rothwell.

Donkeys are the only mode of transportation in Clovelly (Devon, England) high street.

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Sgt. Joe M. Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Thompson of Lakeview, recently spent a seven-day rest and recuperation leave at Camp Kobe, Japan. Thompson, 21 years old, is stationed with a unit in Korea.

Sight-seeing and entertainment facilities at Camp Kobe provided Sergeant Thompson with a welcome break in the task of maintaining security in Korea, where he is a member of the Headquarters and Service Company of the 7th Infantry Division's 13th Engineer Battalion.

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AUSTIN—Reports indicate that native ducks, like other Texas wildlife species, have been hard hit by the drought, according to W. C. Glazener, director of wildlife restoration for the Game and Fish Commission.

Glazener quoted field reports by J. R. Singleton, wildlife biologist stationed in the coastal marshes, that the birds' population has reached an all-time low.

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Singleton reported that the dry weather for the last several years, plus heavy grazing, has drastically

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The importance of the mottled duck to Singleton's territory, ranging from Freeport to the Louisiana border, is shown by figures that from ten to twenty per cent of the early season kill along that part of the coast comprises mottled ducks.

Singleton said that many Texans from inland areas do their hunting in the mottled duck zone.

The waterfowl biologist went on to observe that the crippling dry spell may affect some of the coastal lands so far as the general hunting season is concerned even though rains restore water levels in the marshes.

Mrs. Henry Scott visited the first part of last week in Fort Worth with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Robbins. Mr. Robbins is seriously ill but was slightly better when Mrs. Scott returned home.

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A son was born on October 14 to Mr. and Mrs. Y. Z. Taylor. He weighed 7 pounds, 9 ounces, and has been named Kerry Jim.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wheeler of Parnell are the parents of a daughter, Mimra Jo, born on Oc-

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"Remember we agreed I should have one night out a week with the boys? ... well, tonight's the night."

PLASKA

Mrs. J. W. Molloy had-as her guest Thursday, Mrs. Renzy Yarbrough.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sams visited Sunday in Lesley in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sims.

Mr. and Mrs. Handy Brock of Friona spent Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Brock.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nabers spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otha Gardenhire.

Mrs. J. H. Hartsell and daughter Billie were shopping in Amarillo Saturday. Mrs. Hartsell had a medical check up while there.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Durrett Sunday and Sunday night were Mrs. Lupe Sahaguen and children, Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Nabers, Mike and

Pamela, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Jones and children of Memphis and Mr. Jones' father and mother of Turkey.

Mrs. B. M. Durrett was carried to Amarillo for medical treatment and was returned to a local hospital where she is being treated for an ear infection.

Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Orr visited Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McMaster Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Oliver had

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Mr. and Mrs. Charley Spencer and Max of Paducah and Emma Lou Spruill and Sandra of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Orr Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Galloway were Amarillo visitors Sunday.

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Culture Club Meets In Home Of Mrs. R. L. Madden

The Woman's Culture Club met recently in the home of Mrs. R. L. Madden. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Frank Ellis, who gave the devotional.

During the business meeting that followed, it was decided that

the club meetings would convene at 4 p. m. in the future to accommodate the teachers.

The B&PW Club skit on Women in Jury service was presented with Mrs. Billy Thompson as chairman, Mrs. W. E. Leslie was the criminal; Mrs. Burr Morris, the idiot, while Mrs. Robert Moss took the part of the woman.

The program for the days was presented by Miss Alma Bruce, chairman. "The American Flag" was the theme. She led the group in the salute, explaining the new wording approved by congress. The club then sang "America."

Mrs. R. L. Madden gave an informative resume of an article on "Miss Liberty"—the statue of Lib-

erty.

Mrs. Clifford Farmer had as the topic for her talk, "The U. S. Flag and its Heritage."

Delicious refreshments were served to the following members: Mmes. T. E. Adams, Frank Ellis, Clifford Farmer, Ward Gurley, A. W. Howard, W. E. Leslie, R. L. Madden, Burr Morris, Grover Moss, Robert Moss, L. A. Stilwell, Guy Wright, Miss Alma Bruce and one visitor, Cindy Morris.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Sealey of Lelia Lake are the parents of a son born on October 17 in a local hospital. He has been named William Lesley and weighed 8 pounds, 2 ounces.

Kay Lynn was born on October 2 to Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Johnson of Memphis. She weighed 7 pounds and 10 ounces at birth.

A son, Raphael Joe, was born on October 5 to Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Mullin of Turkey. He weighed 8 pounds, 2 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Phillips announce the birth of a daughter on October 8. She has been named Karen Denise and weighed 7 pounds, 3 ounces.

A son was born on October 14 to Mr. and Mrs. Y. Z. Taylor. He weighed 7 pounds, 9 ounces, and has been named Kerry Jim.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wheeler of Farnell are the parents of a daughter, Mimra Jo, born on Oc-

tober 16. She weighed 7 pounds, 8 ounces at birth.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. White of Tell are the parents of a son, born on October 16 in a local hospital. He has been named Billy Dean and weighed 8 pounds, 12 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Brown of Amarillo announce the arrival of a son, Roddy Lee, born on October 12. He weighed 7 pounds and 13 ounces at birth and is the great grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Bryan, Jr., of Odessa announce the birth of a son, I. B. III, born on October 8.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. White of Tell are the parents of a son, Billy Dean, born on October 16. He weighed 8 pounds and 12 ounces at birth.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bob Holland of Estelina announce the birth of a son, Richard Sinley, born on October 18.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fulton of Quitauque announce the birth of a son, Richard Derl. He was born on October 21 and weighed 7 pounds and 4 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. T. U. Hughes of Lakeview are the parents of a daughter, Carolyn Joyce, born on

October 21. She weighed 6 pounds and 4 ounces at birth.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gray of Pueblo, Colo., announce the arrival of a daughter born October 26. She weighed six and one-half pounds, and is the great granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Madden.

Legion To Sponsor Group Of Rides Here

Hagenack's Rides will be next week with a collection of bile devices for both young and grown-ups under the sponsorship of the local American Legion. The rides, which will be to operation on Monday and main here through Nov. 8, will be located east of the railroad tracks. Included will be jeeps, fun, ferris wheel, kiddie train autos.

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Among arrests were: driving while intoxicated, 632; speeding, 5,065; improper passing, 864; and vehicles on wrong side not in passing, 474.

Included in warnings for hazardous violations were: speeding, 8,853; improper passing, 1,654; vehicles on wrong side not in passing, 1,147; stop sign violations, 1,810; and defective lights, 7,181.

Car mileage clocked by the 439 patrolmen in 322 patrol units totaled 1,107,866 miles.

Patrolmen spent 4,028 hours in accident investigation, 2,184 hours on safety work, and 3,664 hours on court duty.

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Keith McCormick, Pastor

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**Mattie Clark
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 With Dinner
 89th Birthday**

Mattie Clark was honored at a family reunion on Sunday, Oct. 17, at her home in Hedley. The occasion was Mrs. Clark's birthday anniversary.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following members: Mmes. T. E. Adams, Frank Ellis, Clifford Farmer, Ward Gurley, A. W. Howard, W. E. Leslie, R. L. Madden, Burr Morris, Grover Moss, Robert Moss, L. A. Stilwell, Guy Wright, Miss Alma Bruce and one visitor, Cindy Morris.

Booker T. Washington, the negro educator, was entertained at a luncheon in the White House by President Theodore Roosevelt, on October 18, 1901.

LAFF OF THE WEEK



"Remember we agreed I should have one night out a week with the boys? ... well tonight's the night."

as their guests over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Will Furgeson of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Spencer and Max of Paducah and Emma Lou Spruill and Sandra of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Orr Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Galloway were Amarillo visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McMaster visited Sunday in Lakeview with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Beavers.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Koeninger and children were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wolf at Lakeview Sunday.

Mrs. W. L. Crawford of Memphis and Mrs. Doyle Hall visited

Mrs. Hubert Hall Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. W. L. Crawford of Memphis is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. R. D. Hall, and Mr. Hall.

**Culture Club
 Meets In Home Of
 Mrs. R. L. Madden**

The Woman's Culture Club met recently in the home of Mrs. R. L. Madden. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Frank Ellis, who gave the devotional.

During the business meeting that followed, it was decided that

the club meetings would convene at 4 p. m. in the future to accommodate the teachers.

The B&PW Club skit on Women in Jury service was presented with Mrs. Billy Thompson as chairman, Mrs. W. E. Leslie was the criminal; Mrs. Burr Morris, the idiot, while Mrs. Robert Moss took the part of the woman.

The program for the days was presented by Miss Alma Bruce, chairman. "The American Flag" was the theme. She led the group in the salute, explaining the new wording approved by congress. The club then sang "America."

Mrs. R. L. Madden gave an informative resume of an article on "Miss Liberty"—the statue of Lib-

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Mrs. J. W. Molloy had-as her guest Thursday, Mrs. Renzy Yarbrough.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sams visited Sunday in Lesley in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sims.

Mr. and Mrs. Handy Brock of Friona spent Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Brock.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Lenoir visited Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Molloy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nabers spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otha Gardenhire.

Mrs. J. H. Hartsell and daughter Billie were shopping in Amarillo Saturday. Mrs. Hartsell had a medical check up while there.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Durrett Sunday and Sunday night were Mrs. Lupe Sahaguen and children, Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Nabers, Mike and

Pamela, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Jones and children of Memphis and Mr. Jones' father and mother of Turkey.

Mrs. B. M. Durrett was carried to Amarillo for medical treatment and was returned to a local hospital where she is being treated for an ear infection.

Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Orr visited Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McMaster Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Oliver had

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Wine Couple Complimented With Pre-Nuptial Shower Saturday

Chaudoin and Joe Kent who are to be married at 8 o'clock October 30, were complimented with an informal pre-nuptial shower. The affair was given by the Estelline Methodist church Saturday evening, Oct. 24.

Masonic Lodge Welcomes Family Thursday

Members of the Memphis Masonic lodge, their families and guests met in the Masonic lodge Thursday evening, Oct. 27, at 7:30 o'clock for an ole family night and get-together.

Master of the Lodge, Sam ...

Master of the lodge, Sam ... introduced Rev. Burr Morris ... He introduced the members of his family and then Mrs. Roy Guthrie, who ...

CARD OF THANKS

The recent bereavement which has visited our home has brought us a greater appreciation of our friends. Such kindnesses and neighborly thoughtfulness can never be forgotten.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank the Goodalls and all of the good nurses and everyone that helped in any way while I was in the hospital. God bless all of you.

Society News

1913 Study Club Meets For Program On 'Speech Arts'

Even though "Silence is a talent as greatly to be desired as that other asset, the gift speech," in planning programs for the 1913 Study Club, the program committee decided it was well to know something about the gift of speech and the art of public speaking.

It was with this thought in mind that a self-improvement program was built around "Speech Arts" for the club's second meeting in October. Mrs. Boyd Rogers, as director, with the assistance of audience participation, conducted a sort of speech arts workshop supplementing factual data with charts pointing up the most important factors contributing toward a pleasing voice, creditable speech, and ease and ability on the speaker's platform.

Special attention was called to the preparation and presentation of a speech with particular emphasis on "platform manners." And, since the voice reports un-faithfully one's degree of culture, voice improvement was suggested with an ear to modulation. Even Shakespeare took note of a pleasing voice. "Her voice was ever soft, gentle, and low, an excellent thing in a woman." In closing, Mrs. Rogers admonished her listeners to remember: "Folks love a finished speaker. They really truly do. They don't mean one who's polished. They just mean one who's through."

During the business interlude preceding the program, various matters requiring the action of the membership were considered. A simple supper plate rather than the usual turkey and trimmings for the Christmas party was decided upon. Reports from the several committee chairmen were received with Mrs. Rufus Greene, parliamentarian and critic, bringing forward some points of order as to club procedure. The Club Collect, as an excellent digest of self-improvement, was read in unison prior to Mrs. Rogers' program.

Before adjourning, lovely refreshments were served by Miss Mary Foreman and her co-hostesses, Mmes. T. M. Harrison and Lewis Foxhall, to the following members: Mmes. L. G. DeBerry, T. J. Dunbar, H. A. Finch, Frank Foxhall, Edwin Goodall, Rufus

Women's Council Meets For Study In Pallmeyer Home

The Woman's Council of the First Christian Church met Monday afternoon, October 25, in the home of Mrs. Seth Pallmeyer with Mrs. Lillian Mills as co-hostess.

The president, Mrs. Inez Aspreen, called the meeting to order and the prayer was given by Mrs. Ara Faye Maddox.

After the business session, a missionary program was presented. Theme of the program was "Growing Stronger Around the World."

The group sang "You Ought to Know Him," followed by a prayer by Mrs. Mable Roberts.

Faye Posey, leader, gave an introductory talk. Three reports on missionary work were given and included "Baptizing in a Prison in the Philippines" by Ara Faye Maddox; "Need of Doctors in Burma," by Dorothy Stargel; and "Progress Made in Work of Kiamichi Mountain," by Lucile Ragdal.

Della Pallmeyer gave the devotional entitled, "Not for Ours Alone."

The song, "What a Friend We Have in Jesus," followed by prayer by Faye Posey concluded the program.

A delicious refreshment plate was served to the following: Mmes. C. S. Compton, Jake McCulloch, Cecil Stargel, Elmer Moore, Jeff Aduddell, Tom Posey, Clyde Milam, J. W. Stokes, B. Webster, Bill Maddox, J. A. Rinson, Harry Aspreen, Gerald Knight, Cicero Milam, Howard Randal, Seth Pallmeyer, E. E. Roberts and one visitor, Vivian Faye Maddox.

Information on growing poinsettia is given in a new publication just released by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. It is available at the office of county extension agents or from the Agricultural Information Office, College Station. Ask for B-235--The Poinsettia.

Only one state, Washington, has been named for a U. S. President. The strait connecting the upper and lower New York bays is called the Narrows.

Grisham, R. S. Greene, Allen Grundy, O. L. Helm, Clyde Milam, Joe Montgomery, Mills Roberts, M. G. Tarver, R. C. Walker, E. M. Wilson, and Boyd Rogers.

Wm. Travis PTA Meets In Monthly Session Thursday

The Wm Travis Parent-Teacher Association met Thursday afternoon, October 14, at 3 o'clock in the Travis Cafeteria.

The president, Mrs. Robert Moss, presided during the business session. Mrs. W. E. Leslie, third vice president, reported 186 paid memberships.

The program chairman, Mrs. W. P. Baten, presented the program entitled, "We, the People, in Order to Form a More Perfect Union."

She introduced Rev. Tom Posey, who brought the devotional; Mrs. Gene Lindsey, who spoke on "Contributions of the Home" and Weldon McCreary who spoke on "Contributions of the School."

For the scripture text, Rev. Posey read Psalms 1. He stated that the word influence is greatly overused and down through the ages we have lost its true meaning. Before closing with prayer, Rev. Posey said, "The most common use today of influence is for personal gain. But in its true meaning our influence as parents, or teachers, is the predominant force that guides our children."

Mrs. Lindsey encouraged the parents to work with the school as the home and school have joint responsibilities for a child's growth. "We are what we are because of our inheritance and our environment. Parents should guide their children physically, emotionally, socially and intellectually," Mrs. Lindsey said.

"A noble character is not created by favor or chance. It is the one thing that can be best developed in the home. Child training truly begins with parent education," Mrs. Lindsey concluded.

Introducing his theme, Mr. McCreary gave the changes of students, schools, teachers, parents through the years, starting with the Pilgrims. "The primary thing taught in our early school was the Bible," he said. "The industrial revolution has had a direct bearing on home and school."

"We should teach our children to use wisely their leisure time," he concluded.

A short skit was presented by the B&PW Club encouraging the voters to go to the polls and vote Nov. 2.

Miss Esta McElrath, teacher of first grade, was awarded the room prize for the best attendance.

Room representatives were announced as follows: Miss Esta McElrath's room—Mrs. J. W. McCreary and Mrs. Gayle Greene; Mrs. Bessie Newton's room—Mrs. Ben Parks and Mrs. T. L. Ridener; Mrs. Carrie Belle King's room—Mrs. A. O. Gidden and Mrs. J. M. Ferrel; Miss Maud Milam's room—Mrs. M. D. Gunstream and Mrs. H. E. Craig; Mrs. Reba Strohle's room—Mrs. C. B. Wallace and Mrs. Royce Crisler; Mrs. Noel Callaway's room—Mrs. Boyd Allison and Mrs. Guy Crawford; Mrs. W. C. Davis' room—Mrs. J. C. Fulton and Mrs. S. C. Waites; Mrs. Ward Gurley's room—Mrs. O. T. Hook and Mrs. Melvin Srygley; Miss Ethel Hillhouse's room—Mrs. W. B. Hooser and Mrs. Louis Saied.

Mrs. Geo. Bass had as guests Sunday, Oct. 17 Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gordon and two boys of Olton, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hulsey and Tommie Lynn of Hereford and Mr. and Mrs. John Bass of Clarendon. Mr. and Mrs. Hulsey arrived Saturday and visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Guthrie.

For the soil's sake plant a winter cover crop. Help keep Texas green.

Three successive Presidents occupied the White House within 30 days. They were: Presidents Martin Van Buren, William Henry Harrison and John Tyler.

Look What Your Burlap Feed Bags Become After Dye-Bath, Some Sewing



Bohero costume worn by Elizabeth Cowan, designer, as well as curtains, place mats, napkins, pillow cover and apron from burlap sacks.

"Do-it-yourself" homemakers have just received a new boon to the family budget from a most unexpected source—the lowly burlap feed bag.

Successful tests show that a quick trip to an all-fabric dye bath and some simple needlework are about all you need to introduce burlap bags to a new life of usefulness and beauty in the shape of colorful clothing and home furnishings.

To show you how to make the transformation, the Burlap Council and Tintex Home Economics Bureau have published an illustrated folder of instructions written by Elizabeth Cowan,

handicraft expert and designer.

To prepare a bag for tintexing, first open the seams by pulling thread of chain stitching, shake out remaining feed or dust and stitch raw edges to prevent raveling. Next place burlap in tub or washing machine filled with warm soap suds, soak for a couple of hours and wash to remove printing. The dyeing process is the same as for other fabrics.

The folder, entitled "From Burlap Bags to Brilliant Beauty," is obtainable free from Tintex Home Economics Bureau, 485 Fifth Ave., New York 17, N. Y.

Al Morrah Shrine Club Holds Reception And Dance At Memphis Country Club

At 9:00 o'clock on Tuesday evening, October 19, the Al Morrah Shrine Club, composed of Hall and Donley County Shriners and their wives, entertained the Khiva Temple Divan and their wives and other distinguished guests, with a reception and dance at the Memphis Country Club. The club house was artistically decorated with seasonal fall flowers. About fifty couples joined in the festivities.

The Potentate is chosen for his work with crippled children and crippled children's hospitals, his work as a Mason and devoting his time unselfishly in aiding the interests of his fellowman.

Al Morrah is the oldest shrine club in the Amarillo District. A former Memphis businessman, George M. Thompson, Jr., now of Clarendon, was honored as Potentate of Khiva Temple at the affair. Mr. Thompson is one of three men from Memphis ever to have attained such high prestige. The other two were James E. King and the late Henry Read.

Potentate Thompson was presented with a beautiful desk set in appreciation for his efforts as leader this year by the Al Morrah club. Officers of the club this year are: Lynn Thompson, president; Ben Wilson, Jr., vice president; Sam Putts, treasurer; Bill George Kesterson, social chairman.

Estelline PTA Meets Tuesday

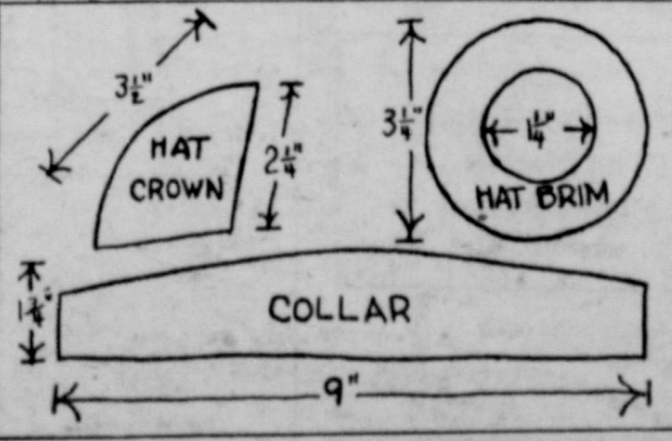
Miss Vera "Topps" Gilreath, public relations teacher for Estelline public school, spoke briefly concerning her work with the school system when the Estelline Parent-Teacher Association met in regular session Tuesday afternoon, October 19.

Following the talk by Miss Gilreath, a miscellaneous musical program was given by pupils of the first three grades under the direction of Mrs. L. A. Tucker and Mrs. A. D. Britt. Mrs. Frank Cooper then discussed the topic, "How Your Child Grows."

Mrs. E. F. Kennedy, vice president, conducted a short business session. Members decided to have the annual school carnival sponsored by the PTA on November 6. Mrs. Elam Orest was elected secretary-treasurer.

Forty members were present for the meeting. Regular meeting days are on the first and third Tuesdays at 2:30 p. m.

Eggs for Halloween Favors



Something Big is going to happen at Penney's Saturday, Nov. 6. Read about it in next week's paper —plan to be here—don't let anything keep you away.

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Editorial

Politics Are Vital To Everyone

Another election is coming up Tuesday but if things run true to form, a great many citizens probably will stay away from the polls even though several important matters are to be settled. Included are the selection of a Congressman from this district and decisions on eleven proposed amendments to the state constitution.

Since some or all of these likely will affect the future of everyone of us, it would seem that voters would make a point of expressing their wishes concerning them. Nevertheless, chances are that they will not take the time to do this. It appears that Americans just do not swarm to the polls unless there is a lot of campaign excitement, consisting principally of name calling and mud slinging. To say the least, this is a peculiar situation, as the majority of voters term such actions as "dirty politics," which they claim to detest.

Citizens should not require the stimulus of candidates' accusations and counter-accusations to interest them to the point of voting. We hope the time will come when Americans participate in elections because they have come to realize that it is an integral part of their lives.

In a recent article in the New York Times Magazine, Gov. John Lodge of Connecticut declared that "politics is everybody's business," in which we heartily agree. He went on to point out why some citizens avoid participating in them. One reason he gave was "dirty politics," already mentioned. In our opinion, there is little or no validity to this, because the only way that we see to clean up the situation is for the huge rank and file of American voters to get into politics and actively work toward placing high-minded, courageous men in public office.

Apparently considerable numbers of Americans are themselves going to have to demonstrate courage, however, before they can justly criticize government officials for such lack, if another charge made by Gov. Lodge is correct. He says that some citizens stay out of politics because they are afraid it will harm their business or professional standings to do otherwise. To this fear, he attributes a great amount of current political conformity.

This poses a great danger since representative government is seriously weakened when honest, intelligent, resourceful people fail to exercise their rights and responsibilities in matters affecting the welfare of their country. He goes on to point out the paradox of such behavior, by citing the willingness of Americans to risk their lives and undergo all kinds of hardships and denials when their country is endangered by war.

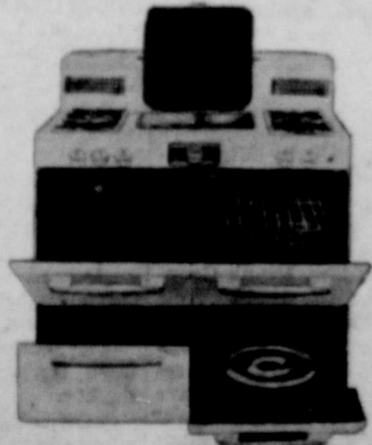
If men and women of principle avoid taking part in public affairs, he continues, then the way is left open to those who engage in politics for their own selfish gain.

Based upon his long experience and observation, Gov. Lodge has come to the conclusion that "one of the most compelling obligations of the good citizen and one of the most urgent for the man or woman in public life . . . is to hold and exercise convictions." It is his belief that "if we Americans become afraid of supporting the man or woman who stands for something, then we shall have in public life an increasing number of men and women who will stand for anything."

We think Gov. Lodge has something there. In too many instances today, we see public officials and would-be public officials who try to be everything to everybody, by tailoring their statements and their actions to fit the individual or group with whom they happen to be. We also witness officials who make statements, only to retract them later, not because they find themselves to be wrong but because what they said proved to be unpopular with some pressure group.

We only hope leaders and citizens of this nation realize the dangers of such shilly-shallying. If both base their behavior on what they believe to be right, rather than on what they feel to be the easiest way or the most expedient, they will become more useful citizens and at the same time, will have helped to assure the future of their nation.

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Press Paragraphs— QUOTING OUR NEIGHBORS

OFFICERS PRAISED
The Ministerial Alliance last week focused attention on local police, city and county, by issuing a public commendation for work done by peace officers.

Actually, law enforcement is a tough job, even at best—and current conditions have made the job more difficult in recent months as hundreds of people have moved into the community to help harvest grain sorghums and lettuce. The result was a normal force of officers organized to handle a community of 7,000 people, suddenly faced with the task of handling problems of some 10,000.

What prompted action on the part of Hereford ministers, we do not know. However, we feel sure that the "pat on the back" went a long way to improve the morale of the officers at a trying time. People are prone to criticize officers, especially when they are given parking tickets, traffic tickets or get "pulled in" for minor violations. All of this contributes to make the job a general headache.

All in all, we are inclined to agree with the ministers. Hereford and Deaf Smith County do have alert, capable officers. In addition, they seem to handle the duties without prejudice or favoritism. This goes for the State Highway Patrol, too, which is handling more than a man-size job in the area. —Hereford Brand

BETTER TRAINING
"In the long run a lot of good will come out of it," was the statement that came from the lips of Mrs. O. L. Batchelor of Kermit, the 44-year-old mother of Cpl. Claude Batchelor. These words were spoken by the mother follow-

ing the life sentence imposed on her son by an army court-martial for collaborating with the enemy and informing on fellow prisoners. "I think it will be good for all of us. I think it will teach all of us to train our children better in the homes and the schools," Mrs. Batchelor concluded.

Mrs. Batchelor bestowed all the mother's love on her son. She sat with him and consoled him during his lengthy trial. Listened to an array of witnesses recite damaging testimony against her son. Then, when the life sentence was passed on him which would confine him to prison for life, the mother offered her opinion that "I think it will be good for all of us," speaking for the mothers of the country who might not have been as diligent in training "our children better in the home and in the schools."

Claude Batchelor, 22, joined the army at 16, signifying that her son to be eligible to enter the service to fight for his country, would be required to obtain the consent of his mother and father.

Still in his youth he was taken a prisoner and lodged in the prison camp of the Red Chinese. Thirty-eight months he was confined in the prison camp, there to suffer whatever torture the Reds cared to mete out of him.

From reading the accounts of the suffering the American soldier went through in Red prison camps, sounded more like a stay in a miniature camp of Hades—some prisoners meeting with treatment more resembling the reception Old Mephisto himself would dish out on his own home lot.

So, when a soldier emerges from a Red prison camp in possession of

all his mental faculties, he is a very lucky boy. —Stanton Reporter

Good land preparation, fertilization based on soil test and planting the right corn hybrid are credited with being major contributors to San Jacinto county's top corn yield for 1954. Wade Parker used Texas Hybrid 30,200 pounds of 10-10-0 at planting time and 100 pounds of ammonium nitrate as a side dressing and harvested 91 bushels of corn an acre.

Laying hens need 13 to 14 hours of light daily to keep up top egg production. It is time to turn on the lights in the laying house. Increase the lighting period as the days become shorter. One 40-watt bulb for each 200 square feet of floor space will do the job.

The Victory Bell at Annapolis is rung only on the occasion of a Navy football victory over Army.

Memories Turning Back To
From The Democrat Files

31 YEARS AGO
March 29, 1923
LODGE SCHOOL GIVES PROGRAM AND HOLDS MEET
The three schools of the Lodge Independent School District met at Plaska last Thursday for elimination contests in literary and track and field events, in preparation for the Hall County Interscholastic League meet which will be held here on Friday and Saturday.

Other county schools, including Turkey, Hulver, Gasoline, Newlin, Estelline, Deep Lake, Buffalo Flat, already have held elimination contests, and are expected to be well represented at the meet this weekend.

MEMPHIS SCHOOL ELECTS SUPERINTENDENT—R. A. Dean of Mineral Wells, was elected superintendent of the Memphis schools Monday evening, at a meeting of the local board of trustees. Prof. Hibbetts, who is now superintendent, tendered his resignation at a previous board meeting, to become effective at the close of the present term. Prof. Vaughn will continue as principal of the high school.

TURKEY PEOPLE FEEL ASSURED OF RAILROAD—Turkey people are very enthused over the prospects of obtaining a railroad after conferring with Col. C. H. Fowell of Chicago, who has been in Fort Worth the past few days in the interest of the line. Col. Fowell assured Turkey residents that the railroad will be built and the citizens in turn told him they are ready to help in every way possible.

STRICTLY PERSONAL—D. L. C. Kinard, G. A. Sager, W. C. Dickson and Rev. Chas. T. Whaley went to Childress Wednesday night in interest of the "Texas Tech" Jubilee at Amarillo, April 4.—Misses Elsie Bass and Verna Crump attended the Lodge School meet last Thursday.—Eugene Cornelius of Estelline was a Memphis visitor Tuesday.—Rev. Enoch Eiland of Plaska was a Memphis visitor on Friday.—Miss Florence Robinson left Sunday night for Vernon.—Prof. Otis Coy of Deep Lake visited here Saturday.—Mrs. J. H. Ethridge and Miss Mary Jifred Minor of Lodge were here shopping Wednesday.—J. T. Dennis and Jim May of Plaska were in Memphis Wednesday.

25 YEARS AGO
Dec. 13, 1929
GIRL IS STRUCK BY CROSSES STREET

Ethel Louise May, a year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther May, is suffering a number of bruises and lacerations which she received last Thursday when struck by a truck. The child was said to have been driving the street south of the Ward School when she was struck to have been run over by a truck.

Ethel Louise was knocked unconscious by the truck and run over. She was rushed to local hospital immediately, where it was thought that her injuries were a serious nature.

NEWLIN MEETING ATTENDED BY MEMPHISANS—Memphis citizens journeyed to Newlin last Thursday night to participate in a community meeting sponsored by the Methodist Church of the Missionary Society of the Methodist Church.

Immediately following a tenuous dinner in the home of the department of the Newlin School, the Memphis were newly completed gymnasium auditorium, where a large number of citizens were assembled for a program including a welcome by which W. C. Dickey presided. Mayor Sam Harris briefly, Mayor Sam Harris in behalf of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce, Judge Moss and J. Claude Wells made speeches.

STRICTLY PERSONAL—John C. Wilson and daughter He C., visited in Childress Tuesday.—Mrs. F. Y. Gandy, Mrs. Bill Kesterson returned to Childress Wednesday in interest of the "Texas Tech" Jubilee at Amarillo, April 4.—Misses Elsie Bass and Verna Crump attended the Lodge School meet last Thursday.—Eugene Cornelius of Estelline was a Memphis visitor Tuesday.—Rev. Enoch Eiland of Plaska was a Memphis visitor on Friday.—Miss Florence Robinson left Sunday night for Vernon.—Prof. Otis Coy of Deep Lake visited here Saturday.—Mrs. J. H. Ethridge and Miss Mary Jifred Minor of Lodge were here shopping Wednesday.—J. T. Dennis and Jim May of Plaska were in Memphis Wednesday.

DIAL "ON" FOR HELP
SET THE DIAL—the laundry clean from your automatic washer
SET THE DIAL—your clothes are dried by your automatic electric clothes dryer
SET THE DIAL—the dishes are done by your automatic dishwasher

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Changes Make 1955 Chevrolet Spectacular In Firm's History

Advanced mechanical advances plus new riding comfort and complete restyling of body make the 1955 Chevrolet model announced by the Potts Chevrolet Company here. Tomie and Homer Tucker are owners of the agency.

Overdrive installation will be offered for the first time. Engine speed reduction of more than 20 per cent is accomplished by the overdrive which automatically cuts in when the foot is lifted off the accelerator above 31 miles an hour. Operating economy is better while reduced engine revolutions also give smoother, quieter performance.

8—More electrical power. A 12-volt electrical system will furnish ample reserve power for the ever-growing demands of accessories.

9—Tubeless tires for increased safety.

10—Easier steering.

Brand new among 14 bodies on the One-Fifty, Two-Ten and Bel Air series are two-door station wagons. The complete line-up shows two- and four-door sedans in all series, two-door station wagons in the One-Fifty and Two-Ten, four-door station wagons in the Two-Ten and Bel Air, a utility sedan in the One-Fifty, a club coupe in the Two-Ten and sport and convertible coupes in the Bel Air series.

Major part of the car has been looked in the broadscale restyling program. Driving riding comfort benefit from the creation of fresh design. The accomplishment only because of a job of the product re-engineering and the tremendous new features Chevrolet adds this year. An extraordinary fong new features the public will be particularly out-

A. D. Britt Eligible For Honor Society

A. D. Britt is eligible for junior membership in Alpha Chi, national honor society at West Texas State College, according to information reaching here. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Britt of Estelline, and a junior pre-medical major at the college.

To be eligible for membership in the society, a student must be in the upper 10 per cent scholastically in the junior and senior classes.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Betts and daughter of Amarillo visited his mother, Mrs. Claude Betts and his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Burnett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Whitley visited Mr. and Mrs. Willie Whitley in Amarillo Sunday.

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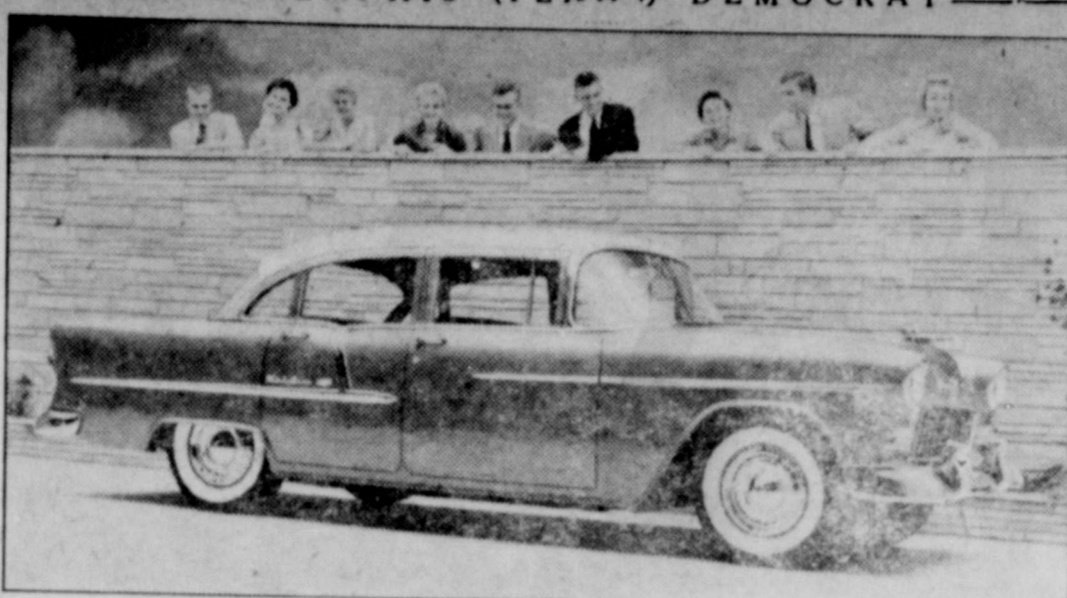
WE KEEP PACE WITH SCIENCE

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V8 POWER—A styling advance from any point of view is claimed by the company for 1955 Chevrolets. The latest lineup of 14 models has been completely restyled and in addition incorporates the widest array of chassis improvements ever offered by Chevrolet on a new lower, fleetier lines are accompanied by new frames, new suspensions, new operating devices and new power. With the optional Powerglide or overdrive and new V8 engine plus two six-cylinder engines, a customer has a choice of six "power packages." The Bel Air 4-door sedan is pictured here.

Locals and Personal:

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Collins Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Estal Collins and family of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Collins and fam-

ily, Mrs. Buck Waters of Ida, La., Mr. and Mrs. Arch Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Thomas and daughter of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Webb. Mr. and Mrs. Webb are the parents of Mrs. Andy Collins.

visited in Lubbock over the week end with Mrs. Troy Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Ellis and Richard visited their daughters in Lubbock over the weekend.

Mrs. R. A. Massey and Roy Alvin went to Baylor over the week

end to attend the homecoming, and to visit Margaret Ann, who is a student at Baylor.

Mrs. B. O. Shankle, Mrs. Gip McMurry and Myrtle Howard visited in Amarillo Tuesday.

Elton Murdock and Frankie McWhorter are visiting in Baytown.

Mrs. Vesta Jeffries visited her daughter, Mrs. Flavil Yeakley in Albuquerque, New Mexico, the past two weeks.

S. M. Watts is in Fort Worth to be with his father, Frank Watts, who is ill.

Mrs. Nolan Fowler visited in Fort Worth over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parish of Ralls visited relatives here over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stallings and son of Canyon visited with Mrs. Don Wright over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Trussell of Amarillo spent the weekend with John Rollins and Lavern.

Mrs. J. N. Helm is spending a few days in Liberal, Kans., with relatives.

Pearl Hague visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Crittenden of Mangum, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Cummings were Amarillo shoppers Thursday.

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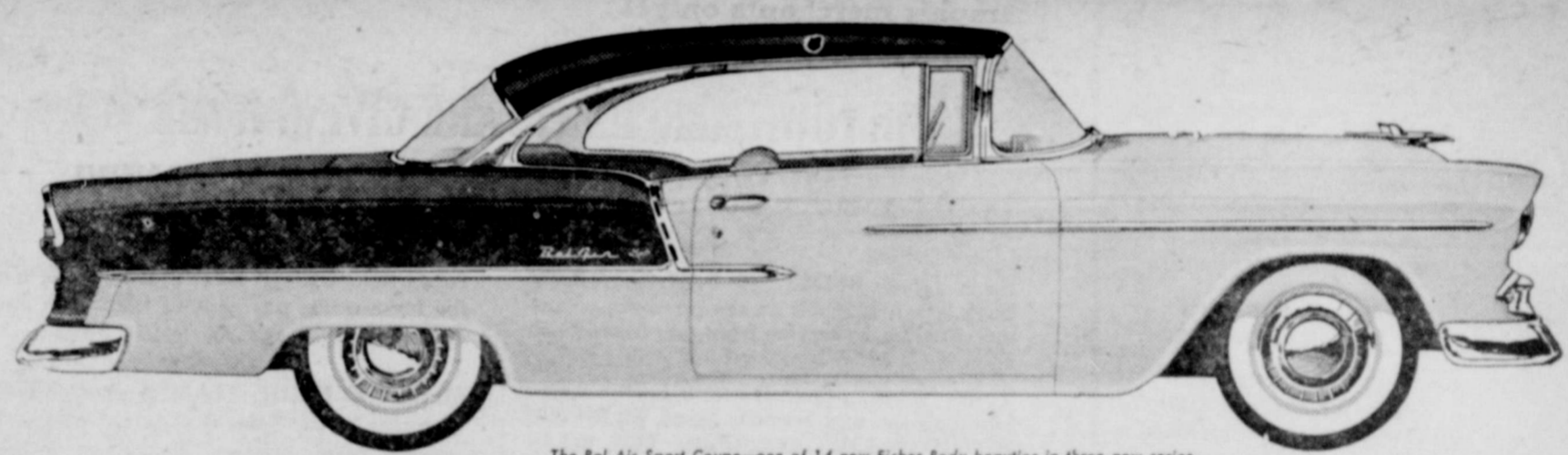


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The motoramic Chevrolet for '55

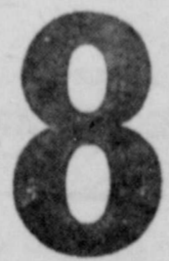
Chevrolet and General Motors took a whole new look at the low-cost car—and just look what happened!

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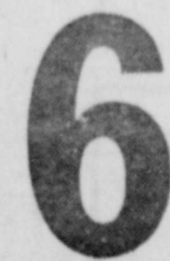


The Bel Air Sport Coupe—one of 14 new Fisher Body beauties in three new series.

The valve-in-head V-8 as only the valve-in-head leader can build it!



Now Chevrolet, the leading builder of valve-in-head engines, introduces the "Turbo-Fire V8." It carries the V8 design to a new high in efficiency with its high horsepower (162), high-compression (8 to 1), high performance and surprisingly high gas mileage. Available with standard transmission, or with the extra-cost options of Overdrive or Powerglide.



You can choose from two new sixes, too! Chevrolet also offers the last word in six-cylinder performance and economy! There's a new "Blue-Flame 136" teamed with Powerglide and a new "Blue-Flame 123" with either standard transmission or Overdrive.

Can't you tell just by looking that Chevrolet and General Motors have come up with a completely new idea about the low-priced car? The idea is this: to build a car that offers the very newest thing in styling, the most modern features, the finest kind of performance and the highest quality of manufacture—all at a modest price. It's something that took a lot of doing and that only the world's leading car builders could do. Everything's new in this Motoramic Chevrolet from its lower top right down to its tubeless tires. Come in for the most fascinating visit you ever made to an automobile showroom!

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Our entire stock of men's wear is open to you to receive M. P. S. with every purchase. Take advantage of this... and make our store your redemption headquarters.

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The finest in dry cleaning—that's SANTONE. Let us use this modern method on your clothing. Call for M. P. S. here. We also redeem these stamps.

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HARRISON HARDWARE CO.
Shop our store for a complete line of hardware and home appliances, and receive M. P. S. with every purchase. Spend your M. P. S. stamps just like money!

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We will work with you in all your building and remodeling plans. There is a MATERIAL difference when you buy here. We give and redeem M. P. S.

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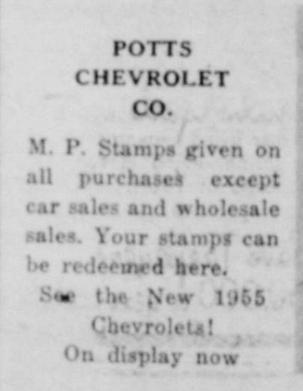
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Every purchase you make in our jewelry store entitles you to receive M. P. S. Stamps. Also let us be your redemption center. We're featuring a huge collection of costume jewelry.

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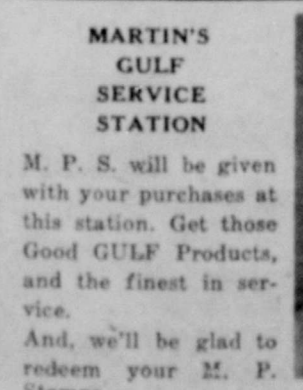
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Oil, Water Conservation Plans Available At FHA

and water conservation plans now available to eligible farmers in Hall County, according to the county Farmers Home Administration supervisor. Plans may be used to carry out measures for soil conservation, development, construction and use, and drainage. They include the construction of terraces, dikes, ditches, and tanks, the establishment of improvement of pastures, basic application of lime and fertilizer, tree well drilling, and the installation of pumps and other irrigation equipment.

The new loan program was made possible by legislation passed by the 83rd Congress. Loans will be scheduled for repayment within the shortest period consistent with the ability of the borrower to repay. No loan will be scheduled for repayment over a period which exceeds the useful life of the improvement or the security, whichever is less. In no case will the repayment period on loans to individuals exceed 20 years. Loans to associations will be repaid on the same basis as individual loans but in exceptional cases can be amortized over periods up to 40 years. Each borrower will be required to refinance the unpaid balance of his loan when he is able to obtain a loan at reasonable rates and terms from other sources.

Individuals can borrow amounts up to \$25,000. It is expected that the average loan to a farmer will be less than \$5,000. Water facility loans last year averaged \$4,500. Loans to associations have a ceiling of \$250,000. All loans will be secured by the best lien obtainable on chattels or real estate to the extent necessary to adequately protect the Government's investment.

Applicants will obtain whatever technical assistance they need from the Soil Conservation Service, Extension Service, other agencies, individuals and firms. Technical assistance of this sort from the Farmers Home Administration will be limited to a review of the engineering and economic soundness of the improvements to be financed. The Farmers Home Administration will also take whatever steps are necessary to make sure that loans are used for authorized purposes and that the construction carried on with loan funds meets required standards.

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Locals and Personal

Mrs. Janie A. Ayres and Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Kennedy and family, of Lubbock, have been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Glass of Giles.

Mrs. Foster Watkins and sons Joe and Seth Pall of Abilene spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Seth Pallmeyer.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hawkins of Marionville, Mo., are visiting Mrs. Carl Harrison and family and Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Harrison and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gen Carlos visited relatives in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Easley and Mrs. Frankie Vawter of Los Angeles, Calif., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Parks Mitchum the past week.

Maurine Ward of Amarillo visited here with relatives over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Corley and Claudia visited Donnie Corley in Lubbock over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hall and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. James Hall and family in Stamford Sunday.

Mrs. Bernie Davis and sons of

Paducah visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Gardner, Sunday.

Roger McCool of Compton, Cal., arrived here Sunday night for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McCool. He will leave here next week, stopping at Dunham to visit a brother, W. D. McCool, and family.

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- IGA Lighter... PANCAKE MIX 39c** 2 1/2 Lb. Pkg.
- IGA Cane & Maple SYRUP 39c** 32 Oz. Bottle

- Fresh, No. 1 Large **Tomatoes 17c** Lb.
- Lettuce 12c** Head
- YAMS 10c** Lb.
- Tokay **Grapes 12c** Lb.
- MEAL 39c** Yukon's Best, 5 Lbs.
- FLOUR \$1.95** Yukon's Best, 25 Lbs.
- PURE LARD 69c** Delight, 3 Lb. Carton
- CANDY BARS 25c** 6 For
- GUM 10c** 3 Pkgs.
- CATSUP 35c** IGA, 2-14 Oz. Bottles

- POT ROAST 34c** Blade Bone lb.
- Round Bone 39c** Lb.
- STEAK \$1.00** Family Style, 3 Lbs.
- BEEF STEW 19c** Lb.
- GROUND BEEF 29c** Fresh Lean, Lb.
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New Pontiac's Engineering Advances Greatest Since Introduction In 1926

The great new 1955 Pontiac which embodies more engineering advances in its mechanical make-up than has any model since the introduction of the first Pontiac car in 1926 has gone on display at Reames Pontiac, according to L. R. Reames, agency owner.

It has 109 new features, a number of them new to the automotive industry and all of them important to the safety, comfort, performance and appearance of Pontiac's finest car in history.

Heading its new features is the 180 horsepower, overhead valve, Strato-Streak V-8 engine. This fine new power plant is Pontiac's long sought for goal of engineering a V-8 engine with high performance, stamina and economy — qualities which have made Pontiac engines famous through the years, and at the same time, have the compactness, power and quick response that modern drivers demand. The Strato-Streak, after years of development, road testing and millions of miles of dynamometer tests, meets these requirements.

Entering the V-8 field at an ideal time, the Strato-Streak profits greatly from the experience of Pontiac and General Motors Research engineers with V-8 engines and from the experience of tool manufacturers in building automatic machinery. The Strato-Streak with a compression ratio of 8:1 develops 180 horsepower.

Equally as important as the new V-8 engine this year, is Pontiac's "all new" body styling. Long, low, and road-hugging, it is designed to utilize the full power of the new engine with safety and comfort to the driver.

The overall height of the new

bodies is two and three-fourths inches lower while the hood line is lowered three and three-fourths inches.

Two series of bodies, the 210.3 inch Star Chief on 124 inch wheelbase and the 203.2 inch long Chieftain on a 122 inch wheelbase are offered. Twelve body styles which include two and four-door sedans, two and four-door station wagons, Catalina coupes and convertibles are available.

The interiors of the 1955 Pontiacs are equally as striking as the new body. The front seats of all models are a full three inches wider providing a substantial increase in hip and shoulder room. There is also more head room over rear seats. Additional rear seat leg room is provided in the convertible and the three-seat station wagon.

Using a wide range of upholstery fabrics, including three types of nylon material; top grain leather, Merrokide, wool and sparkling new plastics, the richness and utility of the interiors provide a wide selection for the most discriminating owner.

Pontiac will offer GM Hydra-Matic and Synchronesh transmissions again this year. Several changes have been made in the 1955 Hydra-Matic to give it even smoother shifting. The front planetary gear ratio has been raised from 1.45:1 to 1.55:1 for better acceleration and passing safety.

Sgt. and Mrs. Jack Helm of Fort Worth are visiting relatives here.



1955 PONTIAC — "Vogue" two-toning and new panoramic body styling enhance the long sleek look of the all new 1955 Pontiac Star Chief Custom Catalina. Powered with Pontiac's new 180 h. p. Strato-Streak overhead valve engine, the very popular Catalina is offered in Star Chief Custom and Chieftain 870 models.

Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Crisler and sons spent the weekend in Fredrick, Okla.

Mrs. Dutch Davis of Amarillo visited with her family over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Howard and Dennis visited over the weekend with their families Mr. and Mrs. Buster Howard and Mr. and Mrs. John Dennis.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lott and daughter of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. Jude Gable over the weekend.

Mrs. Leroy Stephenson and Stevie of Childress visited in the John Dennis home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Currin and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Gibson, Sr., visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Currin in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Latimer and Neal of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. Herb Blackmon Sunday.

"Corky" Randal and J. C. Curtis of Amarillo attended the car races in Altus, Okla., Sunday.

Bud Mabry of Superior, Ariz., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Mabry, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hoffman and family of Lubbock visited his mother, Mrs. A. C. Hoffman, Sunday.

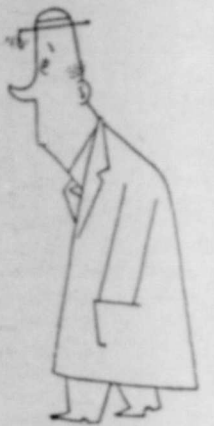
Mr. and Mrs. Paul McQueen of Richmond, Calif., spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Whitey Middleton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Thomas and daughter spent Saturday night in the home of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Collins.

Mrs. Ted Pennix and family of Santa Ana, Calif., Harvey Hill and daughters of Grove, Calif. and Mrs. Edna and Billie Kay visited Mr. and Mrs. Felix Jarrell Sunday.

Bryant Maddox of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eddleman of Altus, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Bedford Moore of Newlin, Mrs. Ethel Hemphill of Santa Ana, Calif.,

Roy Don Coleman of Amarillo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Coleman over the weekend.



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Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Watson of Iowa Park visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Watson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Bevers are moving to Amarillo where he will be employed.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reed and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Watson visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Saunders Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Spry were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kennedy will make their home in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Watson visited in Childress recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Knox and family of Spearman visited in Lakeview recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Brown of Hedley visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Whitefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Hopper and children of Tulla visited in Lakeview Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Watson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Owens, in Wellington Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Saunders of Memphis visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Saunders Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Bevers visited her sister, Mrs. Harvey Kennedy, in Memphis Saturday night.

Miss Sharon Duron spent Sunday with Nancy Lindsey.

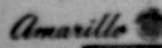
Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Whitefield are in Amarillo visiting.

Estelline Barber Shop Open For Business

Mr. James Whitehorn has leased the Estelline Barber Shop in Estelline from Mrs. Buelah Travis and opened for business. He is being welcomed because he is the only barber in town. Mr. Whitehorn, who has worked in several towns in the Panhandle, is from Wichita Falls.

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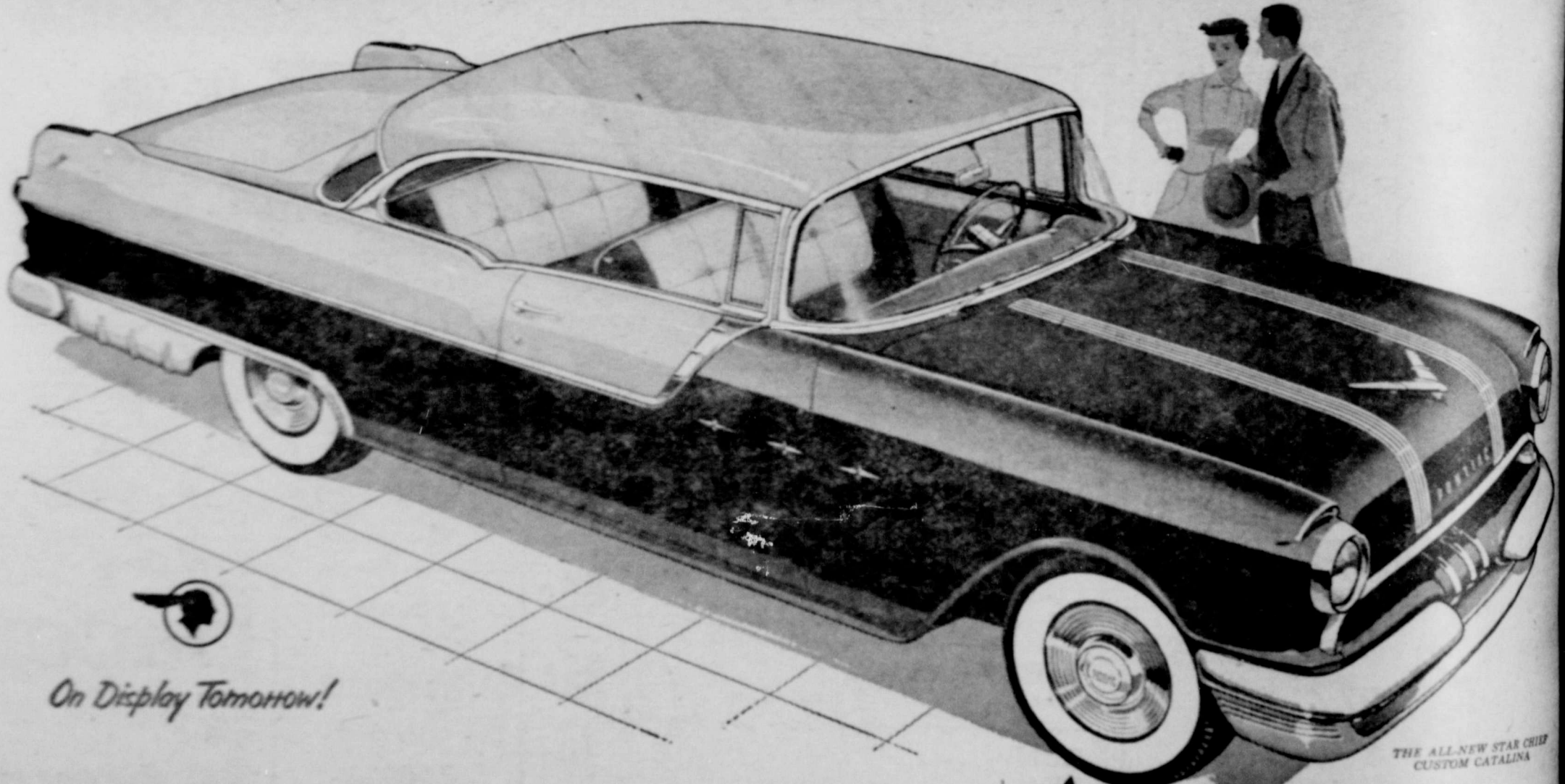
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PLASKA

Late For Last Week)
Smith has returned home from California where he went to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry to Amarillo. E. J. Galloway visited her mother, Mrs. Amanda Martin, in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Clark of Amarillo and Mrs. Bray of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Clark Sunday.

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Lakeview with Mr. and Mrs. Troy Payne.
Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Reedy of Tupelo, Miss., are visiting this week with the Erwin Paynes and W. J. Payne at Lakeview.
N. L. Reedy of Tulepo, Miss., and Erwin Payne visited Monday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nabers.

Travis Fourth Grade Organizes Book Club

Students of the Travis Elementary fourth grade have organized an English Book Club which will meet each Friday afternoon. Purpose of the club is to encourage more reading.

Officers are: Kenneth Allison, president; Eddie Milligan, vice-president; and George Childress, secretary.

Travis First Grade Has 52 Students

Enrollment in the Travis Elementary first grade has reached 52 pupils. Art work is centering around Hallowe'en, with Jack-o'-lanterns, pumpkin faces, posters and drawings furnishing the decorations for the classrooms.

Spirit of the Hallowe'en carnival is running high in the rooms. "White Elephants" are being brought by the youngsters to be used as prizes in the carnival.

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More Constitutional Amendments Listed And Briefly Discussed

(Other amendments which Texas voters will find on the general election ballot, Nov. 2, are listed and briefly discussed below. Discussions of four other amendments appeared in a previous issue of The Democrat.)

One of the amendments which will appear on ballots in the general election, Tuesday, Nov. 2, proposes to:

Authorize the Legislature to fix the salaries of the governor, attorney general, comptroller of public accounts, state treasurer, commissioner of the general land office, and secretary of state; and fix compensation of members of the Legislature at \$25 per day for not more than 120 days of any session.

Legislators now receive \$10 per day for the first 120 days of a session and \$5 a day during the remainder of a session. Under the amendment, legislators would get no pay after 120 days.

The governor receives \$12,000 a year; the attorney general, \$10,000; and the comptroller, treasurer, land commissioner and secretary of State, \$8,000 each.

The amendment would set these salaries as the minimum and grant the Legislature the power to raise them as they saw fit.

Supporters of the amendment say that present legislative salaries do not cover living expenses at Austin, adding that higher salaries would attract more capable lawmakers, while the "no pay after 120 days" feature would limit sessions to 120 days as suggested by the Constitution.

Those who favor a change in the manner of setting the state officials' salaries contend that all other state salaries are set by statute and a number of these exceed the governor's salary. They also state that 26 states pay their governors more than Texas.

Opponents of the legislative pay hike declare that lawmakers should be thinking of rendering public service rather than with the pay they receive. Some believe lawmakers should be on a straight salary and prohibited from performing other work. Others object to the added tax levy the pay increase would necessitate.

Those opposing the change in setting officials' salaries argue their pay should not be left to the judgement of the Legislature and that the amendment also should have included a prohibition against raising salaries during an unexpired term to guard against influence from the legislative body.

Another amendment would:

Prohibit use of the credit of the State or grants of any public money for construction, maintenance or operation of toll roads and turnpikes.

Favoring this are persons who say it will help keep the state out of toll road operations, maintain the flow of tax money to free public highways and result in toll roads paying their own ways. In addition, they declare the amendment will provide a guard against building of unfeasible toll roads.

Opponents of the amendment say toll roads are money makers and keeping the state out of this type of operations would cut off a source of income. They add that toll roads are the only answer to an adequate system in a state as large as Texas and say that a lower interest rate would be made possible on toll road projects, backed by pledges of faith and credit from the state.

Still another of the amendments seeks to:

If passed, this amendment would make it mandatory for women to serve on juries, except for the same exemptions now specified for men. Only six states in the nation now prohibit women from serving on juries.

Proponents argue that women deserve full rights, responsibilities and duties of citizenship and that if they became eligible to serve on juries, it would relieve the short supply of jurors in many areas and speed up court procedure.

Those who are against the proposal say women are too emotional to properly evaluate court evidence. Further, they state that some testimony is too sordid for women's ears and that courthouses lack facilities for accommodating women overnight.

Also on the general election ballot will be an amendment which would:

Change the length of elective district, county and precinct offices which have two-year terms, to four years.

There is considerable doubt whether all offices, such as state representatives and local school board members, are included, or only those specifically named. Some offices would be increased to four year terms following the Nov. 2 election, while others would not be increased to this length until the general election in 1956.

Offices whose length would be increased now are district and county clerks, judges of all categories of county courts, county treasurers, criminal district attor-

neys, county surveyors, inspectors, of hides and animals, county commissioners for Precincts 2 and 4, and justices of the peace.

Those which would be raised to four year terms two years hence, are sheriffs, assessors and collectors of taxes, district and county attorneys, public weighers, county commissioners for precincts 1 and 3, and constables.

Since the office of inspector of hides and animals no longer exists in Texas, it is puzzling why this section should be added to the Constitution unless the possible intention is to include all those district, county and precinct offices that were not otherwise listed for four year terms.

Those favoring longer terms of office for the above-named officials say that two-year terms do not give a capable official time to accomplish improvements in administration but instead require too much of their time in campaigning for re-election. They also state that running for office every two years is expensive and tends to cause candidates to depend too much on outside contributions.

Opponents to changing terms of office to four years declare it is a fundamental principle of the State Constitution for elective local officials to subject themselves frequently to the will of the voters, at least every two years and that re-election represents no great problem to a competent official. In addition, they also argue that outside contributions stand less chance of injuring the public interest than longer terms during which no accounting is made to citizens.

Included among the constitutional amendments is one:

Authorizing the creation of countywide hospital districts in Bexar, Dallas, El Paso, Galveston, Harris, Jefferson and Tarrant counties, and authorizing ad valorem taxes for support and operation of such districts.

This amendment would not in itself create the above-named hospital districts but would only make it possible for them to be set up if voters in the counties so desired. If approved, the amendment would open the way to consolidation under a single management hospital services now performed by both the city and county.

Supporters say consolidation would prove more economical by eliminating duplications and by reducing administrative costs. This would apply only to the big coun-

ties, they say, and tax levies would be offset by resulting decreases in the cities and counties relieved of hospital responsibilities.

Opponents declare the measure would open the door to new taxes without any assurance that cities and counties would make corresponding cuts in present levies. In addition, they are against control of hospital districts by politically appointive boards, and further feel that creation of another political subdivision would add to already heavy problems faced in maintaining the government.

Purpose of one of the amendments is:

Providing that a member of the armed forces of the United States (a component branch thereof) may vote in the county in which he or she resided at the time of entering such service.

Those who argue for the amendment say it would remove unfair disfranchisement of regular military personnel, eliminate vote discrimination between regulars and citizen armed forces, and avoid danger of military control of local government by restricting the voting right to the county in which the individual lived at the time of entering service.

Arguments against the amendment include such contentions as those that military personnel living in Texas are prevented from voting in this state if they did not enter service in the state, that votes would almost inevitably have to be cast absentee in a former county of residence no matter the length of individuals' actual residence in their present counties, and that right of military persons to change their legal residence is not recognized.

Rounding out the amendments is one:

Providing that counties with less than 10,000 inhabitants may elect

to have a tax assessor-collector.

At present, constitutional provisions require that one person serve as sheriff and tax assessor-collector when as a matter of fact, the positions call for completely separate talents and qualifications, proponents of the amendment contend. Deputies usually are employed to assess and collect taxes but it is difficult to obtain competent persons for the salaries which by statute are based on population,

those favoring the amendment continue.

On the other hand, opponents say that creation of a new office with a salary higher than that paid chief deputies would raise county expenses and taxes. They state that a tax roll of 50 pages or less in the less-populated counties could easily be handled by a chief deputy and assistant since months elapse between assessment and preparation of the roll, and collection.

Further, they say the trend toward shortening the ballot is reducing the number of elector-

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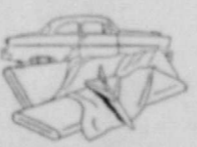
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