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COUNTY GINNINGS CLIMB ABOVE 32,000-BALE MARK

Approximately 90 Per Cent Of Crop Gathered, TEC Estimates

Ginnings in Hall County had climbed to 32,410 bales of cotton early this week, W. H. Monroe, manager of the Texas Employment Commission office at Childress, reported Wednesday. The figure was determined after Monroe had made a survey of gins in the county.

This is 7,455-bale increase over the 24,955 bales which had been ginned when a similar survey was made two weeks ago.

Monroe estimated that about 90 per cent of the 1954 cotton crop in this county had been harvested. If this estimate proves out, it would give Hall County a final ginning figure for this season of around 36,000 bales.

In his report, the TEC office manager stated that strippers are more or less being utilized in gathering the remainder of the cotton in the county, going on to say that many of the crews that had been helping in the harvest have left this area.

Favorable weather this fall has accelerated the gathering of cotton and other crops, the result being that probably in no previous year when sizable yields were made, have fields been cleared so early. Harvesting operations were halted by showers for a few days several weeks ago and by fog for a few hours two or three mornings last week. Otherwise, no other interference of consequence was encountered this fall.

At this time last year, county ginnings amounted to only 5,409 bales, due to the fact that continued rain completely halted cotton pulling for several weeks. A hard rain, coupled with driving hail which lambasted part of the area, started a run of bad weather which before it ended, had blasted prospects for a fairly good crop in the territory that surrounded Memphis.

The result was that the final ginning figure was 22,017 bales. Producers did not get the full benefit even from this amount of cotton since the rain and hail. (Continued on Page 8, Sec. 1)

Area Weather Remains Mild, Dry

Weather in this area the past week generally continued to follow the same mild, dry pattern that it has throughout the fall. There was some wind during the period, one instance being Wednesday when air currents became strong enough to stir up a haze of dust. And there were some bits of moisture reported Sunday afternoon and evening.

Weatherman John McMickin reported that mercury extremes were as follows: last Thursday 47-72 degrees; Friday 43-74; Saturday 40-75; Sunday 38-66; Monday 42-71; Tuesday 40-78; and Wednesday 40-70.

Man Released After DWI Fine Payment

Andrew Simons, who has been pulling bolts in the Plaska community, was assessed \$100 and costs Monday morning in the court of County Judge Tracy Davis.

Simons was charged with driving while intoxicated after his car overturned Sunday morning, west of Plaska, according to Sheriff E. S. Morrison.

In addition to the fine, Simons had to serve a three-day sentence in county jail, as required by a recently-enacted state law on offenses of this nature, the sheriff said.

Simons was released Tuesday, following payment of the fine and court costs.

Memphis Cyclone To Wind Up Play Against McLean

The Memphis Cyclone will wind up their 1954 football season when they play the District 1-A champion McLean Tigers in Cyclone Stadium at 7:30 o'clock Friday night.

Coach George Childress said the Cyclone is ready to go and they will need to be if they are to stay in the stadium with McLean for the Tigers probably are. (Continued on Page 8, Sec. 1)

Dec. 1 Last Day For Report On Sorghum Mulching

December 1 will be the last day to report completion of stubble mulching of grain sorghum stalks for 274 farmers who have requested cost-sharing assistance on this practice, Lynn L. McKown, manager of the Hall County Agricultural Stabilization & Conservation office here, said Tuesday.

Chiseling or hoeing of grain sorghum fields after harvest is a special wind erosion practice applicable only in drought emergency counties to assist farmers in preventing wind destruction to fields after harvest, McKown said.

In order for a farmer to accomplish the desired results, tillage operations must be carried out immediately after harvest, the A. S. C. office manager explained. Since most grain sorghum has been harvested, the practice must be completed not later than Dec. 1, to meet specifications of the practice.

There are approximately 28,000 acres of grain sorghum stubble mulching which have been approved for cost-sharing assistance. (Continued on Page 8, Sec. 1)

Unidentified Thug Tries To Hold Up Tower Drive-In

An unidentified gunman failed in his attempt to hold up the Tower Drive-in just west of Memphis last Thursday night when the theatre cashier screamed and frightened him away.

The cashier, Mrs. Kirby Hagin, said she was getting ready to close up when the bandit appeared near the ticket booth, pointed a weapon at her and declared, "This is a stickup."

Startled, Mrs. Hagin screamed several times and the highjacker hurriedly disappeared. Mrs. Hagin telephoned for help but officers were unable to find the thug. The cashier said a car which passed near the booth during the attempted holdup may have helped scare the gunman away.

She said the bandit stood too far from the booth for her to be able to tell what kind of weapon he had. She was unable to see the highjacker very clearly in the gloom, therefore could tell officers very little about him.

Officers had little to go on and no trace of the suspect had been found Wednesday afternoon.



CONFER ON FACULTY COMICS—John Ben Sheppard, Texas Attorney General, left, studies a comic strip with Judge Charles Murphy, administrator of the Code of Comic Books for the nation, in Murphy's New York office. Sheppard conferred with Murphy to seek a Texas answer to the nation-wide "objectionable comic book" situation.

Potts Sells Top-Priced Bull In Childress Show

A Hereford bull from the Tomie M. Potts' herd at Hedley brought the highest price in the Greenbelt Hereford Breeders Association Sale at Childress on Monday. The animal, TP Dandy Larry D 49th, sold for \$800 to Erwin and Dudley Hamilton of Rochester, Tex. The bull was judged the reserve champion bull in the organization's show which preceded the sale.

Average bull price in the sale was \$249.50, and the average heifer price was \$192.50. Average price for all sales was \$224.05 which was below that of the 1953 sale.

Tex Dandy Domino was the grand champion bull. Owned by Alex Born & Sons of Fallett, he sold to Marvin Shaw of Bowie for. (Continued on Page 8, Sec. 1)

HA Office Here Taking Growth Feed Applications

Applications from Hall County ranchers for emergency feed are now being taken at the Farmers Home Administration office in Memphis, J. J. F. H. A. county superintendent announced. The office is located at 505 Main Street, on the north side of the square.

The conditions are as follows: 1. Assistance will be provided only for the maintenance of foundation herds of cattle, sheep or goats. For this purpose, the foundation herd shall consist only of the breeding stock—cows, bulls and heifers or calves retained for replacement; ewes, rams and ewe kids.

Memphis Girls' Basketball Teams To Play Estelline Here Saturday Night

The Memphis High School A and B girls' basketball teams will officially usher in play in the 1954-55 season here when they meet the Estelline teams in the local gym Saturday night, Coach George Childress said Wednesday. The B game is scheduled to get underway at 7:30, with the A contest following at 8:30.

New black and gold uniforms have been ordered and it is hoped they will be here by Saturday night, Childress said. New uniforms also have been ordered for the boys' teams.

Betty Claude Hickey, forward, is captain of this year's girls' A team.

Other players on the girls' squads are: Sharon Harrison, pivot; Lois Ann Cofer, Betty Sue Spencer, Beverly Crawford, Lola Roeherson, Barbara Shackelford.

For Fun And Money Painting Is Job And Hobby to Marshall Man

M. B. Cole of Marshall, who will have a group of Western paintings on exhibit in the Carnegie Library here during December, follows painting both as a vocation and an avocation.

During his work day, he is a painter for the Texas & Pacific Railway, while he spends part of his time away from his job in working on oil paintings or water colors.

He is a native of Lansing, Mich., but was reared in Texas. He early displayed an interest in art since his first grade teacher remembers he was continuously

drawing pictures on his school books. An indication of his ultimate destiny in the field of art was his boyhood liking for work of the famous Western artist, Frederic Remington, and his vow to some day paint like him.

Cole is a participant in Ark-La-Tex artists' activities, a member of the Shreveport, La., Art Club, and is a charter member and past president of the East Texas Art Club.

For the past five years, he has served either as superintendent or assistant superintendent for the Fire Arts department of the school cafeteria by members of

Conference play will commence after the first of the year, according to the coach.

A steering committee to assist the officers also was named. The committee consists of one member from each class, with Del E. Wells of Lakeview, as chairman.

Following this portion of the meeting, an impressive memorial service for ex-students who have passed away was conducted by N. W. Durham. Assisting in the ceremonies were B. E. Davenport, R. M. Holt, Del Wells and Min. Paul Thompson.

In another phase of the gathering, special recognition was paid to Mr. Holt, who was associated with the Lakeview schools for something like 20 years, as teacher, principal and superintendent. As a token of ex-students' affection, gifts were presented to the veteran educator and also to Mrs. Holt.

Supt. Loran Denton acted as master of ceremonies.

Dinner was served in the high school cafeteria by members of



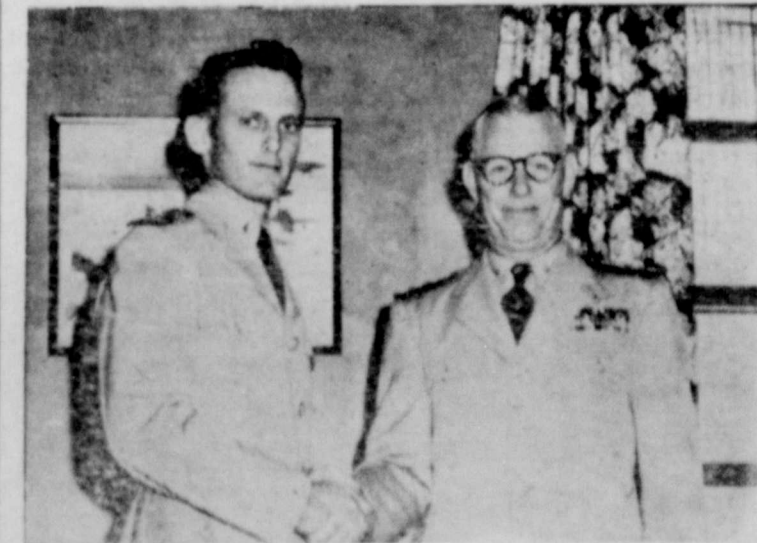
It's time to start another campaign. Since a movement has been started called "Ten Million People for McCarthy," why not a movement to get 10 million signers who think McCarthy ought to be censured? True, he has done a great work in fighting Communism, but no man, because of the position he holds should take it upon himself to brand his opponents as Communist leaners because they do not grovel at his feet. The Senate should either censure him or praise him, and go home for a rest. The Democratic Senate when it takes over in January will take care of the future of the investigating committee.

Readers may think this columnist is daffy about Autumn colors. Lovers of the wonders of nature, as created and kept in effect by the Creator, cannot help but marvel at the beauty of nature, in whatever form it takes. Out here in a prairie country, trees are a rarity, and most of them have been set out by human hands. When these trees vie with the wooded country in fall coloring, one cannot help but admire them. During the past two weeks these colors have been more pronounced than ever before. There has not been the variety of colors as in wooded countries, but enough to make them worth seeing.

We wonder if any movement has been started toward forming a highway association to look after our east-west highway which will be a connected paved road from the Atlantic to the Pacific. An effort should be made to divert trans-country travel next summer to this new highway, as well as to get it Federalized so that all highway maps will show the route in red instead of black print.

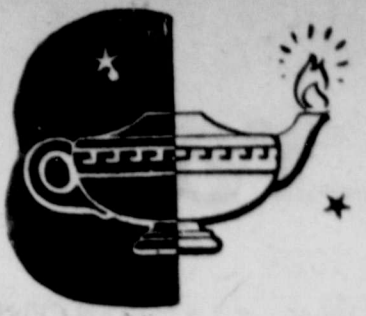
Do any of the readers recall a finer fall for crop harvesting

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RECEIVES WINGS—Navy Ensign Charles Russell, left, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Russell of Turkey, is congratulated by Rear Admiral Cato D. Glover, USN, Chief of Naval Air Training, after being awarded the "Wings of Gold" of a Naval Aviator and his commission. Ensign Russell won his wings and commission after completing nearly 20 months of intensive training.

Pearls of Wisdom



An Almost Lost Art
Emerson called walking "a fine art," and yet it takes neither training nor talent. Sad but true, it's not only a fine but almost "a lost art," so few people practice it today.

Walking is much too slow as a mode of locomotion in this modern hustle and bustle world, or so most folks think. We start late and have to hurry or, like the Irishman who missed his train, we hurry fast enough but don't start in time and so walking isn't fast enough to get us there. Children miss the fun of walking to school, scuffing their "Buster Browns" in the dust as they go. And almost no one in town walks to work or into the country, on a day off, to commune with nature.

"Too many men and women think of walking as nature's clumsy substitute for easier ways of going places," so says Donald Culross Peattie. And yet, no special equipment is needed for the walker's pleasure, says Emerson, than "endurance, plain clothes, old shoes, an eye for nature, good humor, a vast curiosity, good speech, good silence, and nothing too much."

"Walking is for all seasons, all ages. Only the man afoot really knows the time of year. The pedestrian misses nothing by the way and arrives at his destination the better for the journey in both body and soul," so says our naturalist friend, Mr. Peattie.

Besides the exhilaration of a good brisk walk, many a great thinker has found solace and inspiration by "walking into the world." Wordsworth delighted to roam the moors of the Scottish lake regions and Saint Francis of Assisi loved to tramp the Umbrian hills, singing praises to God for the beauty of the hills and trees, wild flowers and birds.

John Muir, to whom we Americans are indebted for the preservation of our timberlands and the establishment of our numerous national parks, was one of the greatest thinkers of all time. His preparation for a ramble on foot through California's Sierra mountains was to "throw some tea and bread in an old sack and jump over the back fence." It was during his twelve years of walking through the Sierras that John Muir became aware of the wanton destruction of California's Big Trees and set about to save them.

Again the year is at the autumn, the "falling-leaf time" of year and the most pleasant season, unless it is the spring, for walking. Not infrequently, the season of harvest and fulfillment is a sad time for the dreamer, and a new planting must be begun before new dreams can take shape and new hope rise with the human breast. Whether you walk in the country or in the city, walk.

Of course, country walks are choicest, whether you hike "Up the Great Smokies' miles of trails, to the porch where a mountain woman sits weaving. To the cider presses of Vermont, the fishing villages of Maine, the friendly farmyards of rolling Ohio. You do not know a country till you have drunk from its springs and traveled its trains." But there is also virtue to be found in walks in the city for "what birdsong and wild flowers are to the country walker, so must be the glimpses into the human heart which walking in the city affords the observant."

So, lest our spirits be inclined to fall with the leaves, put on some old shoes, take your dog, a friend, or go alone for a walk through the draws where the cottonwoods are golden and the poplar bushes and poison ivy supply the reds. Don't let the fall come and go without a walk into the country and hurry before the leaves have faded and fallen.

Oh for the crunch beneath my feet
Of the leaves that litter up the lawn;
That dance, like elves, down the village street
And swirling before the wind are gone.
Except that the fragrance of burning leaves
Is a part of every autumn,
Shame on him who sets fire to them.
Let them lay whence the breezes brought 'em.
You do not know how to do a job until you know how to do it safely!

LAFF OF THE WEEK



"The difference between the fifteen cent oil and the forty-five cent oil is that the forty-five cent oil has never been used yet . . ."

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CHURCHES

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Jere Via, Minister

The Lord's Day services are: Bible Study, 9:45 a. m.; Worship at 10:45 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. On Tuesday a Ladies Bible class meets at 3:30 p. m. with study beginning with Acts 14:7. Wednesday evening there is another period of Bible Study, at 7:30 p. m.

The sermon topic for Sunday morning is "Music in the Worship." The Bible teaches us that worship to God must be "in spirit and in truth," and this all must strive to do. If our worship is in accordance with God's revealed

will for man in this Christian age, then we may be safe in saying that our worship is in "truth," and if our attitude is in "harmony with His Word, then will our worship be in "spirit." Christians believe that music is a necessary part of worship, and the Bible teaches which kind of music. In addition to Scriptural evidence presented, the testimony of John Calvin, John Wesley, Martina Luther, whose teachings are foundations of many religious institutions, and Adam Clarke, Charles H. Spurgeon with others, as to what they say concerning what kind of music is in accord with the Bible. Many who are willing to accept the teaching of these men in most all other matters, will not accept their teaching relating to this subject.

The sermon for Sunday evening will be "From Heaven or From Men?" This question will be asked of many subjects: of their origin, of their authority and other related matters. Since "there is a way that seemeth right unto a man, but the end thereof are the ways of death," Prov. 14:24, and "To prove all things," 1 Thess. 5:21, we want to be sure that all is from God, and is approved of God.

"The Bible is like a mirror; we get the best results when we smile at it."

First state to abolish capital punishment was Michigan, in 1847.

The more we hear about safety the less we will hear about accidents.

A few minutes late, a few years in the hospital.

Drivers are safe when the roads are dry, and the roads are safer when drivers are dry.

Future Readers of The Democrat



Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Gleaton of Memphis announce the arrival of a son. He has been named Michael Henry and weighed 7 pounds and 14 ounces. Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Taylor are the grandparents. Michael makes their 22nd grandchild and they have 7 great grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl B. Morrow of Clarendon are the parents of a daughter Shari Deleas. She was born November 13 and weighed 7 pounds and 9 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Oakley of Memphis are the parents of a daughter. She has been named Jo Ann and was born November 10.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Holt announce the arrival of a son, Dennis Keith. He was born November 13.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Richerson of Estelline are the parents of a son. He has been named David Lynn and was born November 13.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burr of Carey announce the arrival of a son, J. T. He was born November 14.

The demand for farm products in foreign countries has strengthened in recent months and exports are expected to increase next year. May be up as much as 10 per cent over last year.

Telephone Co. Stages Barbecue For Employees

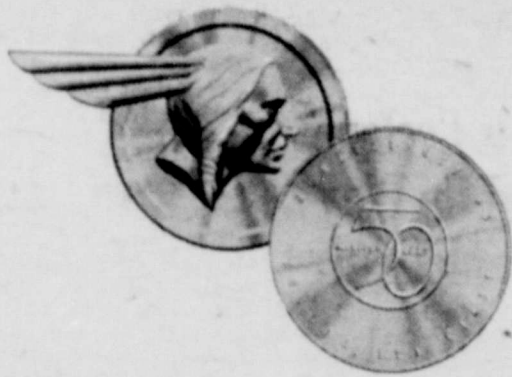
The employees of the Memphis District and Northern Texas Office of the General Telephone Company of the Southwest their families enjoyed a barbecue Monday evening, November 14, at the high school cafeteria in Memphis. H. E. Craig, district manager, introduced several guests including L. O. Evenson, assistant manager in the general office, St. George, and Mrs. Evenson; Nichols, traffic supervisor; Brownfield; D. W. Moran, Seymour district manager; Ethel Andrews, traffic supervisor; San Angelo; J. W. Hammons, retired employee of the company; Panhandle, and Misses Wheeler and Emma Bloer, traffic supervisors with the western Bell Telephone Company.

After a dinner of pit beans, salads, coffee and an excellent program was presented by employees from Clarendon, Wellington, Park and Memphis, with a tape record address by W. G. Wright, ident of the company.

There would be fewer trian patients if there were patient pedestrians.

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COLD take 66
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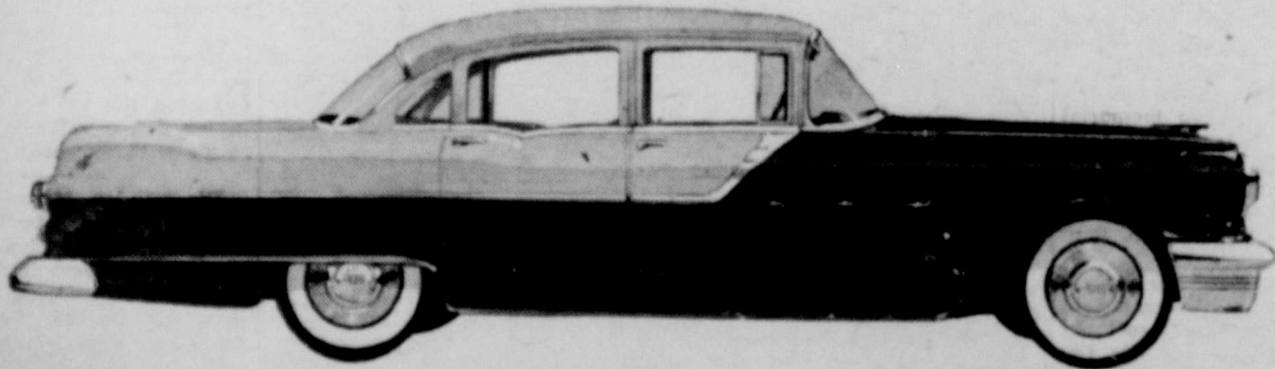
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The reason lies in the achievement General Motors is now celebrating—the vast experience gained in building 50 million cars. Research experience that uncovers what you want and need. Design experience that creates new trends. Engineering experience producing more dollar-for-dollar quality year after year.

That's the background of this All-New General Motors Masterpiece. Come in, drive it, and find out what it means to you. Let your own eyes tell you that here is the smartest car on the highway. Let your own hands report the new handling perfection brought about by recirculating ball steering and other advancements in the all-new shock-proof chassis. And let the great new Strato-Streak V-8 whisper its tale of getaway, response and compelling power that make driving a brand-new experience.

Then let us tell you about Pontiac's new thrift and reliability—and how little it costs to buy this future-fashioned beauty. Come in soon and get the exciting facts!



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PLASKA

Mr. and Mrs. E. Galloway last week were Mrs. Martin and Jimmy Dunn...

W. R. Orr of Wellington...

Mrs. A. Gidden Sunday...

Mrs. Cecil Heath, Kar...

Mrs. M. N. Orr...

Polk Adcock has returned...

Mrs. Frank Ward and...

Mrs. John Molloy...

Mrs. A. Gidden...

Mrs. Clyde Reed's...

Mrs. Patsy Ann, has been...

Mrs. Delbert Brannon...

Mrs. Raymond Martin...

Mrs. Gene Koeninger...

Mrs. Toliferio spent...

Rev. F. N. Allen is on the...

Jimmie Hunter of Brice...

Patsy Nabers spent...

Mrs. and Mrs. Bennie Brock...

Mrs. Bob Tiner and family...

Mrs. Clevia May Tiner...

Mrs. K. D. Nabers, Sr., and...

Mrs. Charlie Crozier...



GLAMOR IN BLACK... Marilyn Monroe, recently divorced from Joe Di Maggio, wears this transparent black cellophane gown in her film 'The Seven Year Itch.'

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Mrs. Charlie Crozier...

Houston Polasek and daughter...

Lakeview Residents Enrolled At Wayland

Three students from Lakeview are among those who have helped increase enrollment at Wayland College in Plainview by six percent over the fall of 1953.

Registered from Lakeview are Jetti Sams and Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Wiley.

Miss Sams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sams, is a sophomore. She is majoring in physical education and minoring in education.

Mrs. Betty Wiley, daughter of

night in the J. W. Oliver home and attended the funeral of Mrs. Maddox Friday.

Mrs. Rae Welch visited Sunday in the John Provence home.

Mrs. A. Gidden spent Sunday in Memphis in the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Gidden.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Heath and children of Dickinson, Mrs. Bob Tiner and Ann of Memphis and Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Orr visited Wednesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Orr.

Mrs. Noel Bruce and son and Mrs. A. Gidden visited Mrs. H. A. Orr Thursday.

Mrs. B. E. Durrett has returned home from Amarillo after spending several days with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Byars.

Mrs. Bula Nase is visiting this week in Oton with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Barnett of Dumas visited Friday in the V. C. Durrett home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Weatherston of Carlsbad, N. M., visited over the weekend with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Skinner.

Mrs. Mary Youngblood spent Tuesday night and Wednesday with Mrs. A. Gidden.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lamb and Sue Ann of Friona spent Sunday visiting in the M. N. Orr home.

Mrs. Bob Tiner and family of Memphis, Clevia May Tiner and Ray Lawer of Wichita Falls and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Orr and children visited last weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Orr.

Mrs. Dutch Vallance of Memphis visited her mother, Mrs. Polka Adcock Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ferguson and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Roach of Plainview visited Thursday

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ariola, Southmayd, is a freshman. She is majoring in education.

Mr. Wiley, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Wiley, is also a freshman. He is majoring in English and minoring in Bible.

Jack Holcomb and Benny of Amarillo visited Margaret Holcomb over the weekend.

The United States gained the sovereignty of the canal strip at Panama by the Hay-Bunau-Varilla Treaty of Nov. 18, 1903.

PARNELL

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burk and children of Phillips visited with the Jim Burks and other relatives last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Driskill of Canyon visited with their daughter, Mrs. Slick Johnson over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Helm and Carl of Childress, and Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Mullin, Sr., of Turkey visited Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Mullin, Jr., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hawkins

and Steve of Turkey were guests in the Zeb Latham home last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Weatherly and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Weatherly were Amarillo visitors last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Franklin of Lockney visited friends and relatives Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Orcutt and their grandson, Jim Tom Orcutt of Tell visited in Amarillo over the weekend.

Mrs. Elizabeth Neely is on our sick list this week.

Mrs. Leroy Hutcheson was an

Amarillo visitor Sunday.

Visiting in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Collins, over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Thomas and daughter, Ruby Raye of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Estal Collins and son of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Collins and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Collins and family, all of Memphis.

The laying flock will stay on the job during the winter if ventilation, lighting, litter and watering and feeding facilities are handled properly.



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\$7.00 for your old Electric Razor on a trade for a new Sunbeam Shavemaster

FOWLERS Your Rexall Store

Kitchen Karnival To Be Staged Here, Saturday, Nov. 27

Plans were nearing completion this week for a Kitchen Karnival which is to be held Saturday afternoon, Nov. 27, at the Travis Elementary cafeteria under the auspices of the 1913 Study Club. The event will begin at 3 o'clock.

During the two-hour program, activities will include the presentation of recipes and "kitchen kapers."

Ladies are requested to bring a favorite recipe, if they wish to be eligible for the award of the file box of everybody's recipes which will be collected at the door.

Aprons, potholders, cup towels and other items of this kind will be on sale. In addition, there will be a "White Elephant" table of nick-nacks and B&W members will take orders for deluxe fruit cakes. There also will be ideas for Christmas wrapping and a beautiful holiday table setting. A cake and door prizes will be awarded.

At 4:30, a 30-minute film, entitled "New Ideas in Cooking," will be shown. Peaches Harrison will give a skit, "How To Cook a Husband."

Admission will be 50 cents. Tickets went on sale today and may be obtained from 1913 Study Club members.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to everyone who helped us in any way in the death of our husband, father and grandfather. We are indeed grateful for the beautiful floral offerings, for the food that was served, and for the words of sympathy and kindness. We also want to thank Brother Miller and Brother Campbell. May the Lord's richest blessings be with all of you in times of sorrow.

Mrs. Alice Bartley, her children and grandchildren

School Tax Response Is Reported Good

Tax payments in the Memphis Independent School District totaled \$56,049.22 at the end of October, Miss Sybil Gurley, school tax assessor-collector, said Wednesday. This amounted to 66 per cent of the 1954 school tax roll, she explained.

Payments at the same time last year came to \$56,569.70. Even though this figure was slightly higher than the total this year, it represented only 65 per cent of the roll, since assessments in 1953 were above those this year, Miss Gurley explained.

She expressed herself as being pleased with the way tax payments have come in, adding that she felt they would continue this trend in November.

Tax payments were slow the first half of October but picked up momentum in the latter part of the month, according to the school tax official.

Two Out On Bond In Theft Of Truck

Two of three men arrested Nov. 6 in connection with the theft here of a truck were released from the county jail Wednesday morning after making \$1,000 bonds, according to Sheriff E. S. Morrison.

Freed from custody were Sammie Garcia and Julio Gonzales Garcia.

The third man, Joe Garcia, still was in jail, the sheriff said.

The trio were arrested near Clarendon soon after the 1952 Ford pickup was taken from the local Veterans of Foreign Wars Hall. The truck, owned by Pedro Perez, was stolen on the night of Nov. 6.

The men were riding in the truck at the time of their arrest.

Mrs. Bill Albright of Chester, Ark., visited this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Prather. Mrs. Albright is a niece of Mrs. Prather.



QUEEN MEETS CHANCELLOR . . . West German Chancellor Konrad Adenauer and British Queen Mother Elizabeth, both visiting in America, chat after receiving honorary law degrees at Columbia U. ceremony.

Community-Wide Grocery And Toy Drive Slated Here

A community-wide campaign designed to bring Christmas into the homes of needy Memphis families will get underway Monday and continue until Christmas Eve, Frank Smith, Jr., who is in charge of the program, said Tuesday.

On Christmas Eve, baskets, containing \$10 worth of groceries and toys, will be distributed to families who are found to be in need. A committee will make a careful investigation to make certain that recipients should have help, Smith explained.

During the campaign which begins Monday, Memphis residents are asked to donate toys and money for purchasing groceries and a small amount of supplies, such as brushes and paint, the latter to be used in making needed repairs on toys.

All those who have toys they wish to contribute can bring them by the old White's Auto Store location on the south side of the square Monday afternoon from 1:30 to 5 o'clock, or if desired, toys will be picked up by members of the recently activated Boys' Club under the direction of Smith.

From now until Christmas, adults are requested to spend one or two hours weekly at the auto store site for the purpose of repairing the playthings. Those who would like to help are asked to get in touch with Smith for further information, concerning the work.

Wm. Travis PTA Meets In Monthly Session Thursday

The Wm. Travis Parent-Teacher Association met in regular monthly session Thursday afternoon, November 11, in the cafeteria.

Rev. Burr Morris brought the afternoon's devotional using as a text the 119th Psalm.

The program theme was in keeping with National Education Week and a most interesting talk was given by Lewis Foxhall, pertaining to this subject. A question and answer period followed the discussion.

Mrs. Robert Moss, president, presided during the business session. She expressed thanks to the membership for the co-operation and work on the Hallowe'en carnival.

A membership contest was concluded at this meeting and Mrs. Carrie Belle King's room won the award for securing the most memberships. Second place went to Mrs. Reba Stroehle's room and Miss Maud Milam's room, who tied for second place.

Announcement was made that the nursing course, sponsored by the organization, was finished and a new course was to begin with Mrs. Mary Sue Beasley as instructor.

Announcement was also made that a \$50 scholarship is being offered jointly by the two PTA units to some Memphis student this year. The student must be planning to enter the teaching profession.

J. L. Leffew Is Birthday Honoree

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Leffew of Memphis entertained friends and relatives with a birthday dinner recently. The occasion was Mr. Leffew's 75th birthday.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Akins of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Mattie Commer of Lelia Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Brawley and Mackie, Mrs. Melissa Tyler and Bessie Lue, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Leffew, Mrs. Pearl Crosley and two children, Bro. Dotson and Mr. and Mrs. Whitten, all of Memphis.

J. R. Dale Is Dinner Honoree On 83rd Birthday

J. R. Dale was surprised with a family gathering and birthday dinner Sunday, November 7, when his children and their families gathered at his home. The occasion was Mr. Dale's 83rd birthday anniversary.

Five generations were present on this occasion. The honoree received many lovely birthday gifts. The table was centered with a three-tiered birthday cake topped with 83 candles.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Dale, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Bier of Altus, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Mafoe Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Hudson and children, Barry, Betty and Becky, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hudson and Buddy, Mrs. G. D. Cross, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Lindley and Roberta, Harold and Tommy, Mr. and Mrs. John Richie, Maurine, Truman and Dortha, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Floyd and Johnnie, all of Clarendon.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Adudell and son, James, of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Vandiver and Barry Ronney and Martie, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Culbertson and Larry of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Moore, Eddie and Jeff Dale of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy (Speedy) Scott and Casandra and Johnnie of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Taylor and Jerry Don of Amarillo.

The safe driver is the law's ally, the reckless one its charge.

June, a 1 per cent penalty is added each successive month, for a total of 5 per cent in June. Beginning in July, taxes which remain unpaid are placed on the delinquent rolls, Carlos explained.

City Tax Payments Up From Last Year

A total of \$34,605.37 in 1954 city taxes were paid by the close of October, according to Glen Carlos, city tax assessor-collector. This was the amount left after the 3 per cent discount allowed in October, was deducted.

The total represented 61.57 per cent of the 1954 roll and exceeded city tax payments through October of last year by \$1,086.65.

A 2 per cent deduction is given on payments in November and 1 per cent in December, Carlos said. The full assessment is due in January and from February through

Austin Students Quizdown Runnersup

Students of the Stephen F. Austin elementary school were runnersup in the weekly Quizdown at Amarillo on Sunday over KGNC radio and television. Outscoring them were pupils from the Claude Elementary School.

The Austin team was composed of the following contestants: Abbie Massey, Dwight Gailey, and Marsha Armes (alternate), fourth grade; Leslie Helm, Don Gailey, and Barbara Mauck (alternate), fifth grade; and Mary Crawford, Linda Kay Saye, and Judy Bishop (alternate), sixth grade.

The local elementary students received silver medals, KGNC pencils, and a World Atlas.

A number of parents and interested friends drove to Amarillo to attend the program.

A photograph which showed Dwight and Don Gailey admiring a table model radio that was presented to the Claude school, appeared in this morning's Amarillo Daily News.

The New York Daily Graphic was the first illustrated daily newspaper.

"Stonewall" Jackson, the Confederate general was accidentally killed by his own men in the battle of Chancellorsville, in 1863.

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William W. Byars Found Dead Here

William Wyatt "Big Boy" Byars, who had lived here off and on for a number of years, was found dead about 10:30 Wednesday morning in a room located in the northeast corner of the old Tarver building here. He was lying on the floor of the room. Death was attributed to a heart attack, which suffered after preparing breakfast.

The body was sent Wednesday night to Cleburne for funeral services and burial. Spicer Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements here.

A native of Johnson County, Mo., Byars was born Nov. 18, 1896.

Among survivors are a brother and two sisters, and a number of relatives who live in this area.

Alexander Hamilton was killed in a duel with Aaron Burr Wee-hawken Heights, New Jersey, July 11, 1804.

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Der Describes rt Operation

Editor's Note: The following letter from a reader of The Democrat is published because of the valuable information it contains. It was written by Mrs. Ruby Sutton of 1111th Place, Los Angeles, Calif., and it is printed because of the fact that she has been a Democrat member for a number of years.

Memphis Democrat:
I have been published in the issue of The Democrat of this year, encouraging me to contribute to the fund drive. I wish to take this opportunity to thank each and every one who contributed to this cause. For it is you, the readers, who made it possible for me to write this letter of my heart operation, June 1954.

I attempt to tell you something of my condition, and how it was corrected by highly skilled surgeons. My case was classified as Inter-Auricular-Septal—meaning the incomplete development of the septum, between the right and left sides, which is the upper part of the heart. In this septum, a hole one and one-half inches in diameter caused blood to mix, and impure blood to mix, bringing an insufficient supply of oxygen into the lungs. I was a semi-invalid for the past years, spending much of my time in the General Hospital in Los Angeles, being studied by heart specialists of U. C. until they felt it safe to

atrio-septo-plexy method, or better known as the Baily method, and finger tip surgery, and positive pressure anesthesia. A soft rubber tube with a balloon-like cuff wrapped around it was inserted into my throat and the cuff inflated, making an airtight connection between the tube and the trachea. A mixture of cyclopropane and oxygen was forced through this rubber airway into the lungs by squeezing on a rubber bag, and then withdrawn again, the lungs being alternately filled and emptied and the oxygen being purified as it was drawn through a canister of lime salts which absorb carbon dioxide. And, so the anesthetist, by manipulating the rubber bag, actually breathed for me.

A 10-inch incision was made on the right side, from the breast bone, under the breast extending half way to the shoulder blade, thus separating the ribs, and clipping the appendage of the heart, inserting the finger into the right atrium. The assistant surgeon pressed the right wall against the septum or wall while the surgeon sutured around the defect from the cut side, using a silk braided thread, and closing the defect, giving the heart what is known as the doughnut appearance, and a little out of shape. The blood now flows in a horse shoe shape around the defect, making me a normal human. This condition was congenital.

I have gained 10 pounds of weight, and do all my work. I was in the hospital only 11 days. Now that Thanksgiving nears, I really have something to be thankful for.

Yours sincerely,
Mrs. Ruby Sutton

Harvest Festival At Estelline Friday

The annual P-TA-sponsored Harvest Festival will be held in the Estelline school Friday evening, according to an announcement this week.

P-TA members will be in charge of a chili supper which is to be served in the school cafeteria.

Booths are to be located in the gym.

At 8:30, coronation ceremonies for the high school queen and the elementary school princess will be performed in the high school auditorium.

The public is cordially invited to be present.



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Hospital Releases Shooting Victim

M. C. Washington of Waxahachie, who officers said was shot once through the stomach Nov. 6 as the result of an argument stemming from a dice game, was dismissed from a local hospital last Thursday.

Washington was allegedly shot with a .22 caliber rifle by Edward Francis, Sheriff E. S. Morrison said.

Francis was charged with assault with intent to murder. He is out on \$3,000 bond. He told officers that he lives at St. Hedwig, Bexar County, Tex.

The shooting occurred at the old Lesley schoolhouse.

Washington was engaged in the cotton harvest in the Lesley community and Francis had been pulling bolts at Hedley.

The sheriff's department has the weapon, allegedly used in the shooting.

In the development stage is a TV screen that will hang on the wall like a picture, connected only by a thin wire to the TV receiver.

The American public spends \$30,600,000,000 a year on leisure and recreation, but only \$300,000,000 on eye-care.

Enrollment in U. S. public schools today is a record 29.6 million; growing so fast it is expected to top 36 million by 1960.

Boys' Club Opens Monday Evening

Fifty-one boys attended the initial meeting of the Boys' Club Monday evening, in the Memphis High School gym, according to Frank Smith, Jr., director. Five parents also were present.

At the Monday evening session, tumbling races were engaged in by the boys to get them limbered up for tumbling, wrestling and other sports activities in which they will participate this coming Monday evening and at subsequent meetings.

More parents are urged to be present Monday evening. Activities will last from 5:30 until 7:30 o'clock, Smith said. Between 75 and 100 boys are expected to take part in the gymnastics, the club director said.

Boren Dismissed From Hospital

Hollis Boren, Memphis businessman, was dismissed last Thursday from a local hospital where he was taken the previous night for treatment of injuries suffered when his automobile was involved in a rear-end collision with a wrecker truck. The mishap occurred on Noel Street in the west part of Memphis.

Carol Bland, who was driving the wrecker, was shaken up. His wife, a passenger in the truck, was bruised.

Boren and Bland were driving west on Noel Street at the time of the collision, according to Sheriff E. S. Morrison.

The wrecker was owned by the Memphis Garage & Body Company, for whom Bland works.

Thanksgiving Rites Are Slated Here

Most Memphis business firms and offices will be closed Thanksgiving Day, a survey made this week by the Chamber of Commerce indicated. Exceptions likely will include service stations and theaters. The post office, banks, and county and federal offices also will be closed. The sheriff's, police and fire departments will be on duty as will the highway patrol.

Joint Thanksgiving services are scheduled to be held Wednesday night at 7:30 in the First Baptist Church, with Rev. Jim H. Sharp, pastor of the First Methodist Church, bringing the message. A combined choir, composed of singers from Memphis churches, will present music in keeping with the occasion.

A youth service will be held at the First Methodist Church the same evening.

Mrs. Carl Harrison Put On Home Board

Mrs. Carl Harrison of Memphis was elected to the board of directors of the Amarillo Presbyterian Children's Home, at the annual dinner of the board recently. The dinner was held at the Home.

Mrs. Harrison was named to fill the vacancy left by the death last July of her husband.

The election of Mrs. Harrison was in the nature of an honor for her, the local Presbyterian Church and the city of Memphis, of whom the late Mr. Harrison was mayor at the time of his death.

Ladies of the Presbyterian Church here and several merchants of Memphis send groceries to the Home each month.

At the annual directors' dinner meeting, the Children's Home band provided the entertainment.

Weight reduction through balanced use of milk and dairy products in combination with other foods has been proved by studies at Michigan State College in cooperation with the National Dairy Council.

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Lakeview Lions Sell 300 Of Home Items

A total of \$300 was collected Monday by members of the Lakeview Lions Club as the result of a blind caravan broom and mop sale, according to Loran Denton, president of the Lakeview service group. The Lakeview club sponsored the sales.

Of the total collected, \$75 will be retained by the Lakeview Lions to help finance Lions-supported projects, while the remainder will go to Texas Lighthouse of the Blind, composed of a group of blind Texans.

Assisting the Lions Monday were Boy Scouts who helped make a house-to-house canvass.

On Dec. 16, the Lakeview Lions will have their second annual Pancake Supper. The event will start at 5 p. m. The public is invited to come, eat all the pancakes they can for 50 cents, then go on to the Lakeview gymnasium to witness some good basketball games.

Cotton Laborer Dies Of Heart Attack

Guadalupe Gutierrez, who had been coming to the Memphis area for the past 10 years to work in the cotton harvest, died about midnight Wednesday in a local hospital where he was brought after suffering a heart attack.

At the time of his death, he was living at the Lakeview Co-Op Gin. He had been working for Bray Cook, who lives west of Brice.

He was a native of Riollitas, Tex.

The body was sent to Odem, Tex., for services and burial. In charge of arrangements here was Spicer Funeral Home.

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Baggett Taken To Amarillo Hospital

Leland Baggett of Memphis was transferred from a local hospital to one in Amarillo Monday for treatment of a fractured leg, according to personnel of the hospital here. At Amarillo, the Memphis man will be under the care of a specialist.

Baggett had been in the hospital since fracturing his left leg in a freak accident at the Memphis Farmers Co-Op Gin here on Nov. 1.

Hospital personnel said at that time that Baggett told them he was hurt when a bale of cotton jumped out of a gin press he was operating. The injured man explained that the bottom of the press caught his leg before he was able to get out of the way. Both bones below the knee were broken.

en, an examination at the hospital here disclosed. Baggett is 34 years old.

An old Iranian folk tale holds that the world is perched between the horns of a cow, and when the cow becomes tired and shakes her head the earth quakes.

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Attorney General Clarifies Some Misconceptions On Amendments

(Following are excerpts from an address by Attorney General John Ben Shepperd to the Texas Association of Sheep and Goat Raisers at Austin, Nov. 9.)

A number of questions have arisen about the Constitutional Amendments passed in the November 2 election. I'd like to clarify a few misunderstandings, taking the amendments one by one and omitting the amendment on Teacher Retirement Benefits, since there seems to be no question about it. As you know, none of the eleven amendments becomes effective until the State Canvassing Board meets November 19 to verify the vote.

Public Assistance
You will remember that Amendment No. 1 raised the ceiling for public assistance programs from thirty-five to forty-two million dollars. There seems to be an understanding that the seven million dollar increase will automatically raise the amount of money going to needy individuals. This is not true. It is not automatic, but will have to be appropriated by the Legislature every two years. Furthermore, it will enable the state to give public assistance to more people, and to give a full allotment to some who have been receiving it, but it will not raise the maximum amount that can be given to an individual under the law.

The Legislature cannot appropriate the extra seven million dollars until it is shown by a certification from the State Comptroller that the anticipated revenues of the State will be sufficient to cover the additional appropriation. If they are not sufficient, new revenues will have

to be obtained through legislation.

Social Security
Amendment No. 3 on the ballot was an amendment allowing the extension of social security coverage to proprietary employees of counties, cities and other subdivisions. A proprietary employee, you understand, is one who is not connected with the actual function of government, but works in a related field, such as a water works, light and power plant, or transit system.

The amendment authorizes the Legislature to pass whatever laws are necessary to allow social security to be extended to these employees. The Legislature anticipated the need for such laws and passed them at the last session. The governing bodies of cities and other subdivisions can now contract for coverage of their proprietary employees, but do not have to do so.

This amendment does not affect county employees, because they are directly connected with governmental functions and are already subject to coverage. Neither does it affect State employees. Under Federal law, State employees who are included in State retirement systems may be covered by social security upon a referendum vote by the employees and upon the enactment of state legislation authorizing their coverage. The amendment of such legislation will probably come up in the next Legislative session, but that has nothing to do with the present amendment.

Recent changes in Federal law, incidentally, make it possible for employees of political subdivisions retirement systems, provid-

ed it is done by a vote of the employees themselves.

State Building Fund
Amendment No. 4 on the ballot authorized the use of surplus money in the Confederate Pension Fund for a state building program, and set up a commission consisting of the Governor, the Attorney General and the Chairman of the Board of Control to oversee the project. None of the money in the State Building Fund can be spent until it is appropriated by the Legislature. Consequently, the building commission will not be able to begin the construction of new buildings until the Legislature passes an appropriation act.

It is also doubtful that the building commission can take any steps forward acquiring sites and making other plans for new buildings until enabling legislation is enacted.

Salaries and Compensation
Under Amendment No. 5 members of the Legislature will begin drawing compensation at the rate of \$25 a day for the first 120 days of a session, and nothing thereafter. The Constitutional officers from whose salaries the ceiling was lifted and left up to Legislative discretion—the Governor, Attorney General, Secretary of State, Comptroller, Treasurer and Land Commissioner—will continue at their present salaries until the Legislature re-sets them, if it chooses to re-set them.

Toll Roads
A number of voters seem to have misunderstood the amendment on toll roads. It is not an amendment to authorize the construction of toll roads. They are already authorized under the law.



Amendment No. 6, on the contrary prohibits the Legislature from building them with state money. It forbids the State to extend any credit to, or to assume any financial obligation for, any agency authorized to build or maintain toll roads in Texas.

This amendment does not prohibit the construction of toll roads by state agencies, nor does it interfere with the functioning of the Texas Turnpike Authority which was created at the last regular session of the Legislature and given authority to construct toll roads. These roads were to be financed out of the revenues of the roads themselves.

What the amendment does prohibit is the use of state tax or other general revenues to finance the construction or to pay off the indebtedness of toll roads.

Women on Juries
Questions arising about jury service by women have been widespread. One of them is: Is the amendment self-enacting, or will legislation be necessary to establish the duty and right of women to serve on juries?

During the last fifty years it has been the presumption that all provisions of a Constitution are self-executing; otherwise the Legislature would have power to ignore them and thereby nullify lists have already been made up, them. The amendment therefore is self-enacting. After the effective date (November 18), it will be lawful for women to serve on juries in Texas.

As you know, some Texas counties select juries by the jury wheel method, and some have jury commissions to name them. In jury wheel counties, the names of women will not be added to the jury wheel prior to the regular time for making up the list of names for the jury wheel (August 1-August 15, 1955). In the jury commission counties, lists of jurors selected before the effective date of the amendment (November 19) will not have to be changed. If a person moves into a county or comes of age after the jury lists are made up, his name does not have to be added to the jury wheel or to the list of eligible jurors furnished to the Commissioners. By the same token, women do not have to be added until the regular time.

Women may still be called for jury service in counties where however, if the existing list is exhausted and other persons have to be summoned to complete a jury. Women may also be called for service on justice and corporation court juries, in which the wheel and commission systems are not used.

Under the new amendment the list of property taxpayers provided by the tax assessor for jury selection must of course include women.

If jury commissioners make up lists after the effective date of the amendment and intentionally exclude women, the panel will be subject to challenge, but it appears that the challenge would not be sustained if the reason for omitting them is a lack of adequate facilities to take care of women jurors, or doubt on the part of the jury commissioners as to whether the constitutional amendment was self-enacting—in other words, if there was justifiable reason for omitting them and the omission was not an intentional discrimination because they were women. Until counties have had a reasonable time to provide for the necessary facilities, it appears that a failure to include women on the jury panels would not be a valid ground for challenge. If a jury should be challenged for any reason, it appears that only a woman could do it.

Where women are selected for jury service in felony cases, it would be possible for the court to work out an arrangement for lawful separation of the jury at night and at other times. The present statute prohibits separation of the jury in felony cases, unless by permission of the court with the consent of the attorney repre-

could be provided at any place, so long as an officer was in attendance.

Many women have wondered whether their excuses for not being able to serve on juries will be valid, since a person wanting to be excused can claim only those exemptions set out by law. These exemptions were originally outlined with only men in mind, and they exempt, in general, only old people and those engaged in certain occupations. They make no mention of small children or other valid excuses peculiar to women. Until the Legislature makes further exemptions, a woman cannot of right be excused from jury service except for the reasons set out in the statute. However, the judge has a certain amount of discretion in excusing persons from jury service.

Four Year Terms
The question of four-year terms for district, county and precinct officials has been a source of confusion to many. Amendment No. 8 increases terms, so that the terms of approximately half the officers will expire every two years. Some of the officers elected at the 1954 general election will serve for four years, but others will serve for only two years and then will be elected for the full four-year term at the general election in 1956. The officers who will serve for the full four-year term beginning January 1, 1955, are: district clerks, county clerks, county judges, and judges of other courts of county-wide jurisdiction, county treasurers, criminal district attorneys, county surveyors, county commissioners for Precincts Two and Four, justices of the peace, and inspectors

of hides and animals. However, if the office is such that more persons hold the office, the result that the candidates for "Place No. 1," "Place No. 2," etc., the officers elected in 1954 general election serve four years if the designated officer's term is even and for two years if it is an even number.

For example, in justice precincts having a population of more than 8000 inhabitants in 1950, the justice holding Place No. 1 will serve for a two-year term ending December 31, 1956; the justice elected to this office in the 1954 election will serve a four-year term beginning January 1, 1957.

The officers elected at the general election who will serve two-year terms include: assessors and collectors of district attorneys, county clerks, public weighers, commissioners for Precincts One and Three, and constables.

Hospital Districts
Amendment No. 9 authorizes the creation of county hospital districts in seven Texas counties. This creation is automatic in anticipation of an amendment the Legislature has already passed which would allow the districts to be created.

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- FOR SALE—Pen fed baby beef turkeys for the holidays. Mrs. Roy Widener, phone 638J1. 25-6p
- FOR SALE—One set of second hand bath fixtures. Kulp Plumbing Co. 720 South 5th St. 24-tfc
- FOR SALE—Wilson's Dairy equipment; feed mill and tractor. See Donley County State Bank, Clarendon, Tex. 25-7p
- FOR SALE—Grocery Store in irrigation area. Doing good business now. Low lease on building and fixtures. Reason for selling: death in family. Write Box 192, Memphis. 24-3p
- FOR SALE—My five room home and garage apartment. If interested, write L. O. McCoy, 3303 Dartmouth, Lubbock, Texas. 24-3c
- FOR SALE—Boston screw-tail bull dog. Just right for Christmas gift. G. W. Lockhart, Rt. 2, Memphis. 24-3p
- FOR SALE—100-foot front, brick pavement, 8-room house, 2 baths, service porch, 7x13, glassed in, three 6x6 closets and three others. 1921 Bradford. H. B. Broek. 24-3p
- FOR SALE—Service Station (new). Been open 8 months, and currently doing 17,000 gals. per month. Low rent. In irrigation area. Reason for selling: death in family. Write Box 192, Memphis. 24-3p
- FOR SALE—Jersey milk cow. Fresh in few days. Ivan McElreath, Memphis, Texas. 23-3p
- FOR SALE—5 room house, 518 North 13th St. Gayle West, Abernathy, Texas. 22-tfc
- FOR SALE—John Deere tractor and cotton stripper. See at Bruce Bros. Texas Service Station 22-tfc
- FOR SALE—Good used pianos. Lemons Furniture Co., phone 12. 3-tfc

FOR SALE—Irrigated farms, dry land farms, ranches, houses and city property. See Bryan Adams, or phone 624. 21-tfc

FOR SALE—Weaning pigs. Also Wintex winter barley, \$1.35 bushel, and International row binder, mounted on rubber, \$75.00. Weldon Gable, Rt. 2, Lakeview. 21-5p

FOR SALE: Big 3-room stucco house \$800. Also 2-room stucco to be moved. See Bill Luttrell. 23-4p

FOR SALE—Seed barley, wheat and oats. James Norman. 19-tfc

I HAVE turnips for sale. Last house on north side of East Brice. M. A. Martin. 24-2p

For Rent

- FOR RENT—Unfurnished three-room apartment with bath. Floor furnace. Offfield Apartments. Phone 517. 25-tfc
- FOR RENT—Four room unfurnished house. 410 South 6th Street. Phone 311. 25-tfc
- FOR RENT—Furnished garage apartment. Bills paid. Phone 416 or 65. 24-3c
- FOR RENT—Modern 5-room house with bath. 711 N. 10th St. Phone 416 or 65. 24-3c
- FOR RENT—Unfurnished apartment, phone 128-M. 1321 West Main. 17-tfc
- FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished apartment. All utilities paid. 891 Main St. 40-tfc
- FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. Phone 607-M. 21-tfc

Special Notices

- BIBLES and BOOKS. Just received a fine line of Holman Bibles at popular prices. Come and see. You will wonder at their real value and reasonable price. Also a fine line of the best of books for your home. Bible & Book Store. 908 Noel St. Phone 163. 25-3c
- HAVE GOOD used upright and spinet piano in this vicinity soon. Real buy for responsible parties. Low terms on balance. Write Credit Department, McBrayer Piano Co., P. O. Box 442, Childress, Texas. 24-3c
- Listen to the Memphis Hour over KCTX—1510 every day 2 to 3 p. m. beginning Nov. 1. News, music and everything relative to Memphis and Hall County. 21-tfc
- A. H. Moore & Son water well contractors, acidizing and cleaning wells. Phone 495-W, Clarendon, P. O. Box 254. 14-tfc
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NOTICE—We do Washing and Greasing. Phone 629-J when you have a flat. We'll pick up and deliver. J. D. May, Phillips 66 Service Station. 24-3c

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SEWING MACHINES For Rent by week or month. Also sewing machines for sale. Reheis Furniture & Repair Shop. 808 Cleveland St., phone 542-M. 19-tf

ELECTRICAL Repair Work. Contract wiring. Call 671. Perry Glover. 19-tfc

Wanted

WANTED—Ironing. Call after 5 p. m. at 303 South 7th, upstairs apartment on right. Lorene Fryer. 24-2p

Lost

- LOST—Marie Barnes lost a ladies gold Baylor wrist watch. If finder will return to Curry Barnes, he will pay liberal reward. 421 South 4th. Phone 247-M. 25-1c
- LOST—Parakeet, blue with grey wings. Answers to name "Pepper." Reward. Notify Joe Vandiver, or phone 396-R. 25-2p

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LESLEY

Mrs. Wendell Mitchell and her children, Patsy, Nell, and Dorman home over the weekend.

Josephine Verden visited the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Verden, and Mrs. E. H. Watson in Clarendon recently.

Verna White of Childress with Mrs. George Watson and Mrs. Burl Bevers of the visited in Lakeview with recently.

Mrs. Elmer Watson and Mrs. E. D. Watson and Mrs. B. P. Watson Friday were supper guests of Mrs. B. P. Watson Friday.

Elsie Bumpus of Estelline her sister, Mrs. Sonny over the weekend.

Mrs. Junin Ward and Mrs. Borger visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Molloy.

J. T. Whitten of Anton her sister, Mrs. E. H. over the weekend.

Ida Mae Hankins of Am- visiting her grandparents, Mrs. W. H. Whitefield.

Mrs. Wade Rice of is visiting her parents, Mrs. Leon Shira.

E. H. Saunders is in a hospital.

Mrs. E. H. Watson in Goodnight with Mrs. and her recently.

Alexander visited with Mrs. B. P. Watson Monday.

Montgomery was here weekend visiting friends.

CORRECTION
Atalantean Club met Nov. 13 in the country home of Al Allen, near Quail. An unintentionally made in the paper which stated that the meeting was held in the home of W. C. Diekey.

New corn hybrids have been released by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station. They are 17W, a white hybrid and 32, a yellow hybrid. Planting in 1955 will be through established seed.

Abundance of high quality at lower prices is available this holiday season. The low prices should encourage consumers to buy and store for the later use.

July 18, 1938, Douglas Corbett in Dublin on his way to flight.



WORLD BEAUTY . . . Antigone Constanda of Egypt won title "Miss World, 1954" over beauties of 16 countries in London contest. She gets \$1,400 and film contract.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to our many friends and neighbors for their kindness and thoughtful ministrations to us during the illness and at the time of the death of our loved one. And for the beautiful floral offerings they sent. We also want to thank Dr. Hunt, Dr. Odum and the entire hospital staff for the services and kindness rendered. It is our wish that when this same sadness comes to your home you will have God's richest blessings and the same kindness at the hands of your friends and neighbors.

The children and grandchildren of Mrs. L. J. Maddox.

Rural schools in Texas are keeping pace with urban schools despite a 66 per cent drop in number since 1949. Findings of a recent survey made by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station are given in a new bulletin 783, Rural Education in Transition. It's available from the Agricultural Information Office, College Station.

Attorney General -
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but they must be created by a favorable vote of the taxing voters in the county. The election may be called by the commissioners, court on its own motion, or on the petition of 100 resident qualified taxing voters.

"Soldier Vote"
Persons in the regular military service who have formerly been disfranchised under Texas law are made qualified voters by amendment No. 10. However, they can vote only in the county of their residence at the time they entered

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I was off for a week in Canada. We crossed the border and headed north. A heavy fog rolled in and I was whipped clouds of powdery snow into the air. But I didn't realize I was being overtaken. I swung left and passed. I was out of the swirling snow — another car. We hit head-on. My car was badly damaged. I'd hit was furious. To my claim for damages, he asked a court order for seizure of my car.

There I was, stranded in Canada. My friend Jim hurt. He was up in legal red tape. Who was I to turn to for help?

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the service. All members of the armed forces are now required to pay the poll tax or get an exemption certificate, just like civilians. Under the new amendment no person who entered the military service while he was a resident of another state may acquire voting residence in Texas while he remains in the armed forces, nor can a person who lived in Texas when he entered the service vote in this state while he is in the service if he changes his legal residence from one county to another.

Sheriff-Tax Assessor

Ninety-six Texas counties having fewer than 10,000 people are affected by the amendment authorizing the separation of the offices of Sheriff and Tax Assessor-Collector. This amendment does not separate these offices; it merely authorizes the commissioners' court to submit the question to the property taxing voters of the county. If the offices are separated, the office of tax assessor-collector will be filled at the next general election. It cannot be filled by appointment of the commissioners' court or any other body prior to that time.

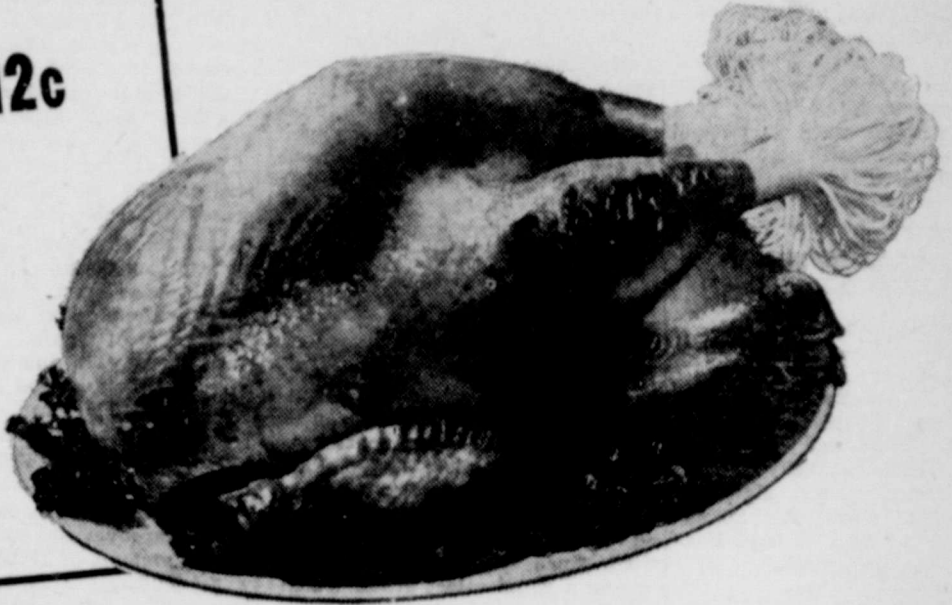
I hope I have answered some question you may have had about these amendments. Most of them deal with matters of county and local significance, as do the major part of all our laws in Texas where we believe in local government, close to home and close to the people who make the laws and

live under them. You ranchers are more conscientious than others in paying attention to the problems and the actions of local and county governments, and I feel that those amendments would not have been passed if you had not first understood them and approved them. As long as responsible Texas ranchers like you, with your feet on Texas soil and your heads in the Texas sky, are taking an active part in local government, we will continue to be gov-

erned the way our forefathers intended—from 254 county courthouses, where justice is only a twenty-minute drive from the ranch . . . where every citizen can see the men who govern him walking on the streets in his own hometown . . . and where every man can walk up the courthouse steps and look his government in the eye. By your continued participation, you can keep Texas the kind of place where no man is treated like a sheep, or made a goat.

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BACON	IGA Table Rite, Lb. Sliced	53c

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- Armours PURE LARD, 8 Lb. Bucket \$1.89**
- IGA MINCE MEAT, 9 ounce Pkg. 25c**
- YUKON BEST MEAL, 5 Pounds 39c**

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Tax Payments In County \$92,757.86 Through October

Collection of 1954 taxes in Hall County totaled \$92,757.86 at the end of October, according to Olin Cooper, county tax assessor-collector. This represents 67 per cent of the tax roll, Cooper said.

The payments consisted of \$65,051.20 county taxes, \$4,059.54 road district No. 1, and \$23,647.12 state.

A total of 341 poll taxes had been paid by the close of October. One exemption had been registered.

At the end of October last year, tax payments in the county amounted to \$95,968.37, the tax assessor-collector explained.

Of these, \$67,161.10 were county taxes, \$4,209.78 were road district No. 1, and \$24,527.49 were state.

Total payments were 65.86 per cent of the roll.

Poll taxes paid totaled 407, plus five exemptions.

Citizens can save 2 per cent by paying their taxes in November, Cooper said. A 1 per cent discount will be given in December while the full amount of taxes will have to be paid in January.

Students Choose -

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Boone and Bobbie Nell Long. Most versatile—Jimmy Davis and Ann May.

Who's Who—Seniors, Jackie Boone, Jimmy Davis, Harold Aspren, Ann May and Katherine Wright; Juniors, Dicky Craig, Betty Lemons, Jerry McQueen and Sharon Harrison; Sophomores, Tanya Fletcher, Jean Foxhall and Don McElreath.

A heavy foot below may put a heavy tombstone above.

County Ginnings -

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plus wind, sand and dirt, caused an extensive drop in the grade and staple of the lint.

This fall has been quite different and cotton generally has continued to bring a relatively good price throughout the season, that is, wherever holders have sold it. Reports from various sources indicate that the majority of cotton in the county has been placed in government loan.

A Memphis banker said last week that most of the cotton in this area had averaged middling 15-16ths or better. He said there had been a number of instances where lint had graded 1 and 1-32. There also have been reports of some cotton grading 1-4.

The Memphis banker went along with the report that most cotton was being put through the loan. He pointed out that good grades and staples were allowing producers to realize maximum profits from their cotton.

The banker estimated that the average price for cotton had been around 32 to 32 1/2 cents, with most prices falling in the 31 to 34 cent range.

He declared that conditions look better now than at any time since 1950.

Wednesday, a Memphis ginner stated that he had never seen such a fine fall for gathering crops as this area has experienced this season. He added that he also has never seen grades and staples remain so consistent as they have throughout this season, a statement that later was corroborated by a local cotton buyer.

Unfortunately, the same bright picture did not exist in some other parts of the county, particularly in the southern and southwestern sections. As a matter of fact, the Memphis, Hulver-Parnell, Plaska and Lakeview sections likely were among the most favored dryland areas of the Southwest, since they were numbered among a small select group which had fairly consistent moisture this year.



UN PALS . . . Russia's Andrei Vishinsky and India's V. K. Krishna Menon show good humor at UN recess, but later Vishinsky violently attacked rearming of Germany.

FHA Office -

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lams for replacement; and nannies, billies and kids for replacement.

2. Assistance to any one applicant will be limited to that required for him to obtain a 60-day supply of feed grains, or a supply of hay to last until March 1, 1955.

3. Any feed obtained under this program by an applicant may be used only for feeding the basic herd of the applicant which is located in Hall County.

Assistance given under this program for the purchase of grain (corn, oats, grain sorghum and barley) is one dollar on each hundredweight of grain. Assistance given on hay is one-half of the freight cost if shipped by rail not to exceed \$10 per ton. If the hay is shipped by truck assistance paid is one dollar per ton per 100 miles trucked.

After the F. H. A. county committee approves an applicant for a given amount of feed, the county Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation office will issue him a purchase order for this much

feed. The farmer or rancher buys from a local feed dealer, in effect using his purchase order to pay part of his bill, according to Roun.

Farmers and stockmen can get feed grain from their dealers in the form of whole grain (corn, grain, sorghum, oats or barley), or if they wish they can get the same amounts of these grains as part of a mixed feed. In most cases, this mixed feed would be in a form of cubes or pellets. The mixed feed must contain either 75 or 60 per cent of the designated feed grains.

Members of the F. H. A. county committee who will pass on the applications are: Joe W. Eddins, Del E. Wells and L. I. Davis.

Further information on the Emergency Feed Program may be obtained from the county F. H. A. office, A. S. C. office, or county agent's office.

Potts Sells -

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\$465, the second highest price in the sale.

The following residents of this area were parties to consignment of bulls in the sale:

E. E. Silk of Newlin sold WHR Regal Aspect 42nd to B. H. Porter of Red Springs for \$330.

Born & Sons consigned Tex Dandy Domino 32 to Henry Rouse of Turkey for \$295.

Logan D. Hyder of Chattanooga, Okla., sold Don Larry 71st to Jim Hutchins of Estelline for \$320.

Silk sold DR Triumph 4th to Ernest Rea of Childress for \$260. H. C. Slaton of Plainview consigned BACA Aster to Clyde Milam for \$225.

Silk sold ES Roal Domino 6th to Byrd Sewell of Shamrock for \$185.

Potts consigned a heifer, TP Larry Ann 57th, to Steve Owens of Wellington for \$170.

At the association banquet Sunday night in Childress, Potts was elected to the board of directors. Silk, the outgoing president, also will serve on the board.

Glen Ross of Goodlett succeeded Silk as president. Jake Hess of McLean was named vice-president and Bob Polson of Childress was re-elected secretary.

Homecoming -

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records prior to 1937 are incomplete, but every effort is being made to obtain names and addresses of all former students at Lakeview.

Ex-students can assist in this by checking to see if their names and addresses are on file. If not, they are asked to send this information either to N. W. Durham at Memphis, or to Senior Class President at Lakeview.

Another meeting of Lakeview exes was scheduled for Saturday, April 9. At that time, it will be decided whether reunions of ex-students will be held annually or semi-annually, Durham said.

Speller Of -

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the week were available this week. Both attend Memphis schools.

They are: Joyce Hall, of the eighth grade; and Carleen Harrison, of the sixth grade at Stephen F. Austin Elementary School.

Under present plans, spellers of the week will be determined each week among students of the sixth through the eighth grades in schools here and at Lakeview, Estelline and Turkey. The champion speller in each class will be chosen by way of weekly spelling matches which will continue until eliminations are held at the various schools, Feb. 18, Miss Foreman said.

The following week, on Feb. 25, county Junior and Senior Spelling Bees will be held at Memphis High School. The Hall County winner will be eligible to compete in the Amarillo regional contest. The champion speller at Amarillo will be sent to Washington, D. C., to participate in the National Spelling Bee.

A list of the spellers of the week in Hall County is scheduled to be published each week in The Democrat.

Memphis Cyclone -

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one of the best 1-A teams in the state this year. So far, they have won nearly all of their contests by top-heavy scores. If the Memphis boys are able to hold the Tigers' scoring down, it should be considered a moral victory for the home team.

The Memphis players now have four victories to their credit against five losses. Three of the games in the win column were in district play.

The Tigers clinched the District 1-A championship Friday by swamping the previously undefeated Lefors Pirates, 27-6, in a contest played at McLean. The Tigers now have nine victories to their credit against no losses this season.

County Teachers -

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numerous matters of proposed legislation which it may sponsor at the next legislature with the purpose of improving the state's public schools.

Memphis schools will close for the Thanksgiving holidays at 4 p. m. Wednesday, Supt. W. C. Davis said this week. Classes will be resumed Monday morning, Nov. 29.

Comments -

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than has been the case this fall? The weather has certainly been fine for a town of this size.

Since it is now a law that women may be summoned to serve on juries, one may look for a lot of the males to apply for the job of summoning jurors.

Straw in the wind: Gov. Allan Shivers this week proposed Senator Lyndon Johnson as a compromise Democratic presidential candidate in 1956. Final Texas election bureau reports show that Governor Shivers won 521,373 to 61,007 votes over Republican opponent Ted R. Crockett, while Senator Johnson won over his Republican opponent Charles Watson 491,228 to 85,079 votes. Is this a straw pointing toward Shivers opposing Johnson for the Senate seat later on?

Painting Is -

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Central East Texas Fair.

One-man shows at which his art has been on exhibit have been staged recently at the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum at Canyon, Tucker Tower Museum at Lake Murray, Okla., and No Man's Land Museum, Goodwell, Okla. In addition, his work was on display at Marshall High School during Texas Education Week last March.

Cole is not a stranger to Hall County, as he and his wife lived and farmed near Turkey in 1930-31. Mrs. Cole's father farmed at Quitaque from 1926 to 1930 and that is where the couple met.

Teague Speaks At Lakeview P-TA Meet

Establishing justice was the subject of a talk by County Attorney William B. Teague, at the regular monthly meeting of the Lakeview Parent-Teachers Association on Monday evening. The session was held in the Lakeview school auditorium.

R. M. Holt offered the invocation to open the gathering, and special music was presented by students of the third and fourth grades. Refreshments were served to approximately 70 persons by the mothers of the third and fourth grade pupils.

Mrs. Paul Thompson is president of the Lakeview P-TA.

WEEK-END SPECIALS

SUGAR, Pure Cane, 5 Lb. 50c; 10 Lb.	98c
COFFEE, Folgers, 1 Lb. \$1.05; 2 Lb.	\$2.08
FLOUR, Gold Medal, 5 Lb. 55c; 10 Lb.	\$1.04
MEAL, Aunt Jemima, 5 Lb.	44c
CRISCO, SNOW DRIFT or SPRY, 3 Lb.	93c
Powdered or Brown SUGAR, 1 Lb. Box	14c
EGGS, Stamped Infertile, Doz.	49c
Shelled PECANS, New Crop, 3 1/2 Oz. 35c; 7 Oz.	69c
Sunmaid RAISINS, 15 Oz. Pkg.	23c
Dromedary DATES, New Crop, Pkg.	20c
White or Red KARO, Pint Bottles	23c
MIRACLE WHIP, 8 Oz. 21c; Pints 35c; Quarts	61c
Hunt's or Kuners CATSUP, Lg. Bottle	19c
PEANUT BUTTER, Peter Pan, Glass	37c
Ideal DOG FOOD, Can	15c
Krispy CRACKERS, 1 Lb. 25c; 2 Lb.	49c
Sunshine VANILLA WAFERS, Box	16c
TOILET PAPER, Scot Tissue, 2 Rolls	23c
PAPER TOWELS, Scot, 2 Rolls	35c
Cut Rite WAX PAPER, Roll	26c
KLEENEX, 200 Size 15c; 300 Size	23c
CLOROX, Qts. 18c; 1/2 Gallon	33c
SOAP POWDER, All Kinds, Lg. 32c; Giant	75c
TOMATO JUICE, HD, 46 Oz. Can	31c
ORANGE JUICE, 46 Oz. Adams 31c; DD	34c
TUNA FISH, Solid Pack, Can	39c
Wolf's CHILI, Sm. Can 32c; Lg. Can	49c
Wolf's TAMALES, Lg. Can	21c
Armours TREET, Can	49c
VIENNA SAUSAGE, Armours Star, Can	19c
Our Darling CORN, Can	20c
Mission ENGLISH PEAS, Can	14c
CRANBERRY SAUCE, Ocean Spray, Can	22c
Kuners PUMPKIN, Sm. Can 13c; Lg. Can	19c
CHERRIES, Sour Red Pitted, Can	26c
Sliced PINEAPPLE, Flat Can 17c; No. 2 Cans	32c
Crushed PINEAPPLE, Flat Can 16c; No. 2 Cans	29c
Purple Top or Rutabaga TURNIPS, Lb.	8c
CABBAGE, Green Heads, Lb.	4c
Celo. Pkg. CARROTS, 2 Pkgs.	25c
Fresh COCOANUTS, Each	15c
GRAPEFRUIT, Lg. Ruby Red, 2 For	15c
Can BISCUITS, Puffin or Gladioli, 2 Cans	25c
Meadolake, Nucoa, Blue Bonnet or Parkay, Lb.	30c
Borden's ICE CREAM, Pints 25c; 1/2 Gallon	79c
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by the A. S. C. county committee on which no report has been received, McKown said. This represents payments of \$23,600 on the 274 farmers will earn if practice is carried out according to specifications before the deadline, he said.

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Chapter 10
"Man With The Steel Whip"

Sat. Night Prev.
Sunday-Monday
"The Outcast"
(In Color)
John Derek
Joan Evans
Tues.-Wed.-Thurs.
"Dial M For Murder"
(In Color)
Ray Milland
Grace Kelly

RITZ
Friday BARGAIN NIGHT
"The Clown"
Red Skelton
Jane Greer
Chapter 6
"BATMAN"

SATURDAY
"California Outpost"
Bill Elliot
Andy Devine
Sunday Matinee
"Frances Joins The WACS"
Donald O'Connor
Julia Adams

TOWNE Drive-In
Friday-Saturday
"TAXI"
Dan Dailey
Constance Talmadge
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Tuesday BUCK NIGHT
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Society News

Shower-Reception In Church Parlors Compliments Estelline Couple Saturday

Mrs. and Mrs. Alvis Bryant of Estelline were complimented with a shower-reception on Saturday evening, November 13, in the Baptist Church parlors.

The banquet room was beautifully arranged with low bowls of yellow and bronze mums and yellow tapers. The gifts were displayed on a lace covered table, white over blue, centered with two red hearts put together with a golden arrow and bearing the words "Alvis and Barbara." These were on a styrofoam base covered with autumn leaves.

Mrs. Lanny Tucker presided at the bride's book.

Mrs. E. F. Kennedy introduced the program with two poems: "Advice to the Groom" and an acrostic with the first letter of each line spelling the names of the honorees. Mrs. Joe Kent Eddins, accompanied by Mrs. Raleigh Adams, sang a story of the courtship, using the following songs: "Harvest Moon," "Ma, He's Making Eyes at Me," "Let's Go to Church" and "My Blue Heaven."

Refreshments of golden punch and dainty cakes iced in white with gold and green flowers for decorations were served. During the refreshment hour, Mrs. Raleigh Adams played piano selections.

The hostess's gift was a service for eight in Rogers silverware.

Ophelia Club Of Estelline Meets With Mrs. Collier

The Ophelia Junior Club held its regular meeting in the home of Mrs. W. T. Collier recently.

During the business meeting, Mrs. Paul Collins reported approximately \$75.00 of magazine subscriptions had been sold.

Mrs. Jim Hutchins presented the program entitled "The Luckiest Family in the World."

Spiced tea and cookies were served to Mes. Bill Abram, Paul Collins, Joe Kent Eddins, Dude Helm, Hank Helm, Charles Kelly, Jack Kinark, Joe Bob Nivens, J. R. Adamson, Collier and Hutchins, and two guests, Mrs. Edwin Wyatt and Mrs. Bill Collins.

a white chest. Hostesses were: Mesdames J. A. Ballard, A. W. Johnson, Arthur Eddleman, Barney Russell, Jim Morrison, Bill Collins, William Collier, Joe Joubert, John Chaudoin, L. A. Tucker, E. F. Kennedy, Joe Eddins, Raleigh Adams, and J. E. Hudlow.

Mrs. T. J. Hampton Hostess To Members Of UDC Tuesday

The Winnie Davis Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy met for monthly session Thursday afternoon, November 9, in the home of Mrs. T. J. Hampton.

Seasonal flowers were used to decorate the entertaining rooms. A horn of plenty filled with fall flowers was used as a centerpiece for the dining table.

Mrs. L. G. DeBerry, president, presided during the business session and then gave a report on the district convention which was held recently in Amarillo.

Introducing the afternoon's program on "Louisiana," the thought for the day was given by Mrs. Emma Baskerville. "Will New Orleans Lose the Mississippi?" was given by Mrs. J. A. Odum and "The Bayou Country" was discussed by Mrs. Glynn Thompson.

A tasty salad plate was served to the following: Mes. L. G. DeBerry, C. W. Broome, Bray Cook, J. H. Norman, Herlie Moreman, Frank Wright, R. E. Clark, J. A. Odum, Glynn Thompson, Emma Baskerville and hostess, Mrs. Hampton.

Charlotte Calhoun And Joseph Slaney To Marry In Alaska

From Fairbanks, Alaska, comes news of the approaching marriage of Miss Charlotte Mooneyann Calhoun, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Lesley H. Calhoun of Fairbanks, Alaska, to Joseph Thomas Slaney, who is also stationed in Alaska.

The wedding will be solemnized Saturday, November 20, in the chapel in Fairbanks.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Mrs. A. W. Howard of Memphis and has visited here numerous times throughout the years, having attended the Memphis school for a short time.

The groom-to-be attended Indiana University and has served for over three years in the U. S. Air Force. He is being transferred to Riverside, Calif., where the newlyweds will establish residence.

Mrs. Howard, accompanied by her two daughters, Mrs. Charles J. Imbordino and Mrs. Samuel S. Whiteside of Lubbock, will leave Wednesday from Amarillo to attend the wedding. They will fly to Fairbanks by way of Seattle, Wash.

Mrs. Rapp Conducts Personality Tests For Estelline Club

When the 1932 Culture Club of Estelline met in the home of Mrs. Albert Bailey recently, Mrs. Jerrell Rapp conducted three personality tests which were informative and entertaining. Each lady applied the answers to the questions to the study of her own personality. The roll call was: A bit of humor. The program title was "How Do You Rate?"

A short business session was conducted by Mrs. Rapp, president.

The hostess served toasted chicken sandwiches, mints, and coffee or tea to the following members: Mesdames W. B. Davidson, F. O. Cooper, D. T. Eddins, Joe Eddins, S. T. Hutchins, B. T. Jackson, E. F. Kennedy, J. L. Mothershed, J. L. Phillips, J. B. Rapp, W. M. Whaley and two guests, Mrs. Erbin Gilbert and Mrs. Arthur Eddleman.

Mrs. E. T. Prater returned home this week after visiting the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Pate and family in Waco.



BLACK WATCH — The fashion world is talking a lot about winter cottons this year. Cotton, traditional queen of summer fashion, has become a year-round favorite. Nalie Bee designs this winter cotton in a black watch cotton plaid and adds petticoated fullness with a crisp cotton undershirt.

Mother's Club Of Newlin Elects Officers Thursday

The Newlin Mother's Club met Thursday afternoon, November 11, in the home of Mrs. R. V. Sweatt. Mrs. Nathan Hughes served as co-hostess.

The afternoon was spent quilting for the club. Mrs. Sweatt presided over the business session at which time the following officers were elected for the coming year: Mrs. T. E. Davis, president; Mrs. D. W. Lawrence, vice president; and Miss Isabelle Walker, secretary-treasurer.

Refreshments were served to Mes. Ralph Scott, Trilton Davis, T. E. Davis, Tom Sweatt, D. C. Messick, D. W. Lawrence, Elmer Gardenhire, Ott Misenhimer, Fred Hemphill, R. V. Sweatt, Nathan Hughes and Miss Isabelle Walker.

The next meeting will be the annual Christmas party in the home of Mrs. D. W. Lawrence December 9 at 2 p. m. All members are urged to be present and to bring a \$1.50 gift.

Mrs. G. A. Davis, and Mrs. Sam Jackson were Amarillo shoppers Saturday. While there they visited Mrs. Jackson's daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Horrell and family.



COTTONS TO TRAVEL — This young lady cottons to travel. Both her luggage and her blouse are washable because they are cotton. For her trip she packs her vacation wardrobe in lightweight but sturdy, cotton coated luggage. She wears a crisp cotton blouse.

Salisbury Club Entertains With Dinner Party

Members of the Salisbury Club entertained their husbands with a dinner party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Williams recently.

A delicious dinner of baked ham with all the trimmings was enjoyed by the group after which games of forty-two and Samba were played until a late hour. Following the games coffee and pumpkin pie topped with whipped cream was served.

Enjoying this affair were Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Messick, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McQueen, Mr. and Mrs. Ira McQueen, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McQueen, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Rice, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hutcherson, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Stout, Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. E. Lee, two guests, Geo. Williams and Geo. Wilton of Van Nuys, Calif., and hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Williams.

Wesleyan Guild Concludes Study Of Far East

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the Methodist Church met Monday night for the final study of the countries, India, Pakistan and Ceylon.

Miss Ira Hammond began the devotional with prayer, after which all joined in singing, "All Hail the Power." Mrs. Mary Owens read the scripture Matthew 16; 13-16, and then introduced the program as follows:

"Late news report of India and Pakistan," Mrs. W. P. Baten; "Christian Institutions," Mrs. Clinton Culp; "The Christian Church," Mrs. Jim Sharp; "The Church Union," Mrs. Geo. Greenhaw; "Why Missionaries?" Mrs. Edwin Hutcherson, and Meditation by Mrs. Louise Merrill.

Some pertinent facts were given by each speaker. It was brought out that Christianity is in the main a religion of the simple and poor in India. The great religions are Buddhism in Ceylon, Hinduism in India and Islam in Pakistan. During the twentieth century all Christian churches have quadrupled their numbers. No tribute is too high, no praise exaggerated to give the evangelists who work among the Indians.

Slides of many scenes in these countries were shown by Mrs. Jim Sharp with the narrative given by Mrs. Edwin Hutcherson.

Mrs. A. O. Gidden, president, led a short business session after which tasty refreshments were served.

Members present were Mes. Barney Burnett, A. O. Gidden, Clinton Culp, J. H. Sharp, Edwin Hutcherson, Ruby Compton, W. P. Baten, Mary Owens, Hester Bownds, Clyde Morris, H. B. Bennett, George Greenhaw, John Fowler, L. A. Stilwell, Louise Merrill, W. V. Coursey and Misses Neville Wrenn and Ira Hammond.

Amarillo Youth Visit Presbyterian Church In Memphis

The young people of the Presbyterian Church had a very special treat this past weekend in the form of a visit of a gospel team from The First Presbyterian Church in Amarillo.

The five young people, Cullen Allen, Jimmie Jones, Bobby Stone, Sharon Hannum and Helen Hindman arrived Saturday night to a supper and party where they provided the games. That evening, they were the house guests of Sharon Harrison.

Sunday morning, the group was in charge at the opening worship service of the youth department of the Sunday School. They attended class and were introduced at the closing exercise. They sang in the choir during the morning worship.

Sunday afternoon the group met with the advisers and officers of the Westminster Fellowship of the local Presbyterian Church. After attending evening vesper service, they provided the program for the regular meeting of the W. F. groups, and discussed ways of

making the young people's work more effective.



SLUMBER PARTY—Here's what the smart coed is wearing to slumber parties this season! The slumbertime outfits include nighties with short bloomers, matching scuffs and nightcaps all in cotton flannelette. At left, polka dot flannelette is used for the sleepytime ensemble. At right, the fabric is calico-print flannelette. The easy-to-laundry cotton outfits are coed favorites for dormitory lounging and sleeping.

District Officer Visit Harmony Club

Miss Gertrude Rasco, assisted by Mrs. T. L. Rouse, Mrs. Dick Shelton, and Mrs. T. T. Posey, entertained members of the Harmony Club on Wednesday afternoon, November 10.

Mrs. Dick Fowler, president, introduced Mrs. E. Glynn Ross of Goodlett, district president, and Mrs. Barry McGee of Quanah, district junior counselor and state junior project chairman. Both officers made short talks.

Mrs. Clyde Milam was leader for the afternoon's program. The following numbers were presented: vocal duet, "Jesus Lover of My Soul," Mrs. L. G. DeBerry and Mrs. C. H. Compton; piano duo, "The Lord's Prayer," Miss Mary Foreman and Mrs. T. A. Hunt; piano duo, "Prelude Militaire" by Rachmanioff, Miss Gertrude Rasco, Mrs. Dick Fowler; piano quartet, "Hungarian Rhapsody No. 2," by Litz, Mrs. Edwin Goodall, Mrs. T. L. Rouse, Mrs. S. C. Hindman and Mrs. M. C. Allen; Hunt, Clyde Milam, Fern Miller, Robert Sexauer, Bluford Walker, Conley Ward, Misses Mary Foreman and Esta McElrath, and two guests, Mrs. McGee of Quanah and Mrs. Ross of Goodlett.

Refreshments were served during the social hour to the following members: Mes. C. H. Compton, L. G. DeBerry, Henry Foster, Dick Fowler, Gordon Gilliam, Edwin Goodall, R. S. Greene, S. C. Hindman, T. A. Hunt, Clyde Milam, Fern Miller, Robert Sexauer, Bluford Walker, Conley Ward, Misses Mary Foreman and Esta McElrath, and two guests, Mrs. McGee of Quanah and Mrs. Ross of Goodlett.

The next meeting is slated for December 10 at 6:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Bluford Walker.

Gleaners Class Meets In Home Of Mrs. Ross Gentry

Mrs. Ross Gentry was hostess to members of the Gleaners Sunday School Class on Tuesday evening, November 9.

Mrs. H. E. Craig opened the meeting with prayer. An inspiring devotional on "Gratitude" was given by the teacher, Mrs. W. C. Anderson.

The class president, Daphne Hillhouse, presided over a short business session and urged members to visit prospective members.

A social hour followed and members enjoyed a guessing game.

Refreshments were served to one guest, Glenda Gaff, and the following members: Mes. W. C. Anderson, Margie Miller, Miss Daphne Hillhouse, Lorraine Dewey, Charlene Tinsley, Rebecca Carson, H. E. Craig, and hostess, Mrs. Gentry.

Linda Leslie is the moderator of Westminster Fellowship while Ila Roberts and Ruth Harrison are co-sponsors.

Mrs. R. L. Duncan Hostess To Members Of Culture Club

The Woman's Culture Club met recently with Mrs. R. L. Duncan as hostess in the home of her aunt, Mrs. S. W. Fielding.

Mrs. Frank Ellis, president, opened the meeting. An inspirational devotional on the theme "I Am My Brother's Keeper" was given by Mrs. R. E. Clark. She pointed out that "our Indian friends are our brothers and are truly Americans."

After a short business meeting, Miss Alma Bruce, program chairman, introduced Mrs. Burr Morris, a part Choctaw Indian, who addressed the group on "Progress Made by Indians in Texas." Mention was made of Alakama-Coushatta tribes in East Texas in which Texas clubwomen have a particular interest. She also spoke of the Indian influence in the U. S. vocabulary, foodstuffs, and city names. By a poll, Susquehanna was found to be the most beautiful Indian place-name in America.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following: Mes. T. E. Adams, R. E. Clark, Robert Duncan, Frank Ellis, Ward Gurdley, Jeanette Irons, Burr Morris, Robert Moss, L. A. Stilwell, Miss Alma Bruce, and four guests, Brenda Duncan, Mrs. Jack Rose, Mrs. Bob Queener and Mrs. S. W. Fielding, the co-hostess.

Mrs. Sam Moore of Childress is here this week visiting with her mother, Mrs. Geo. Bass.



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Editorial

Much To Be Thankful For

Next Thursday will be Thanksgiving Day throughout the United States and there will be much for us to be thankful for. There may be some who, because of ill health, misfortune or other troubles, may feel they have nothing for which to give thanks. Most people likely would feel the same way under similar circumstances. But even the less fortunate may find they have been blessed in various ways, if they will only look for them.

Most of us have plenty for which to be thankful—loved ones, friends, health, homes, churches, schools, food and clothing, the opportunity to work and live as free people—probably our list of blessings are endless.

If further proof is needed as to how well off we are, we only have to glance backward to the days when this nation was in the process of being forged out of wild, sparsely settled territory, to get it. We may have troubles but we are a united, powerful people. In contrast, our early forefathers were only a relatively small band whose future was none too promising. But, even though the odds may frequently have seemed almost insurmountable, they kept courageously striving for the kind of life they desired and believed in and were grateful for whatever blessings came their way.

An example of this spirit of thankfulness was brought to our attention recently by a good friend. We found it both interesting and inspiring and thought that perhaps our readers would also.

In a message to his fellow countrymen, George Washington proclaimed the first Thanksgiving for citizens of this nation, born of revolution only a few years earlier. Even though 165 years have passed, we agree with our friend that the message is just as appropriate today.

The First President's proclamation declared that:

WHEREAS, It is the duty of all Nations to acknowledge the Providence of Almighty God, to obey his Will, to be grateful for his Benefits, and humbly to implore his Protection and Favor; And whereas both houses of Congress have, by their joint Committee, requested me "To recommend to the People of the UNITED STATES, a Day of PUBLIC THANKSGIVING and PRAYER, to be observed by acknowledging with grateful Hearts the many Signal Favors of Almighty God, especially by affording them an opportunity peaceably to establish a Form of Government for their Safety and Happiness.

"Now, THEREFORE, I do recommend and assign THURSDAY, the Twenty-Sixth day of November next, to be devoted by the People of these States, to the Service of that great and glorious Being, who is the beneficent Author of all the good that was, that is, or that will be; That we may all unite in rendering unto him our sincere and humble thanks for his kind Care and Protection of the People of this Country previous to their becoming a Nation;—for the signal and manifold Mercies, and the favorable Interposition of his Providence in the Course & Conclusion of the late War;—for the great degree of Tranquility, Union, and Plenty, which we have since enjoyed;—for the peaceable and rational Manner in which we have been enabled to establish Constitutions of Government for our Safety and Happiness, and particularly the national one lately instituted;—for the civil and religious Liberty with which we are blessed, and the means we have of acquiring and diffusing useful Favors which he hath been pleased to confer upon us.

"AND ALSO, that we may then unite in most humbly offering our Prayers and supplications to the great Lord and Ruler of Nations, and beseech him to pardon our National and other Transgressions;—to enable us all, whether in public or private Stations, to perform our several and relative Duties properly and punctually;—to render our national Government a Blessing to all the people, by constantly being a government of wise, just and Constitutional Laws, directly and faithfully obeyed;—to protect and guide all Sovereigns and nations, (especially such as have shown kindness unto us) and to bless them with good Government, Peace and Concord;—to promote the Knowledge and Practice of true Religion and Virtue, and the increase of Science among them and us;—and generally to grant unto all mankind such a Degree of temporal Prosperity as He alone knows to be best.

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 Through trial and error and simply reasoning, we have come to believe that there is no tonic like work for what ails you. Man is endowed with a natural and in-born desire to achieve, and achieve he will not without effort.
 We view with alarm the nationwide trend today to shorten, and shorten, and shorten some more the time a man should be expected

to spend each week in gainful employment. Several years ago we hit the 40-hour week, and now we are fast after a 37 1/2 hour one. In fact, many trades are now already on that schedule, and are driving for 35 hours. What sort of madness is this? What is so wrong with sweating a little bit for the things that can be ours if we will but produce?
 This fad about people working themselves to death is pure baloney. They don't work themselves to death—they WORRY themselves to death. A man's body is possessed with the capability of almost boundless activity if he knows how to control and care for it. Given good food, healthful surroundings, and from 8 to 10 hours of

sleep each night, a man's body will flourish in a steady pursuit of work. There's one big "if" attached to this theory, however, and that is if he is able to control his mind.
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Memories Turning Back Time

31 YEARS AGO
 April 19, 1923
CITY COUNCIL ACCEPTS NEW FIRE ENGINE—The City Council has accepted the new Stutz fire truck and equipment which arrived last week and is now in service. The pumping capacity of the truck surpassed even claims made by the manufacturer. Memphis is now well protected from fire losses.
CITIZENS ASSIST CITY IN CLEAN-UP CAMPAIGN—Most of the Memphis people responded to the request of Mayor H. Baldwin that they assist the city in a clean-up campaign on Wednesday, by having their rubbish piled up where it could be easily gotten. The city furnished wagons for hauling the trash and rubbish to dump piles outside the city limits and several loads were hauled away during the day. However, much can be done yet in cleaning up the city and keeping it clean.

24 YEARS AGO
 Jan. 10, 1930
TERRACING PROGRAM BEING TAKEN UP THROUGHOUT COUNTY—Efforts to terracing started as a new practice in Hall County are made by County Agent J. Thomas. The county agent works with farmers in various communities before Christmas, giving instructions on terracing so that the holidays are part of the program. The program shown farmers how to run the lines and how to build terracing lines, have been used by the local banks, and by and Thompson Bros. and companies. The levels are set to farmers who wish to participate in the terracing program.
MEMPHIS FEELS EFFECT OF REAL WINTER WEATHER—Memphis, in keeping with the rest of the Panhandle, has had the grip of real winter weather. Its effects were intensified by a balmy December day which ended it. Sleet began falling Tuesday morning and continued intermittently during most of the day. Walking and driving are equally precarious because of sidewalks and streets. The here amounted to about 80

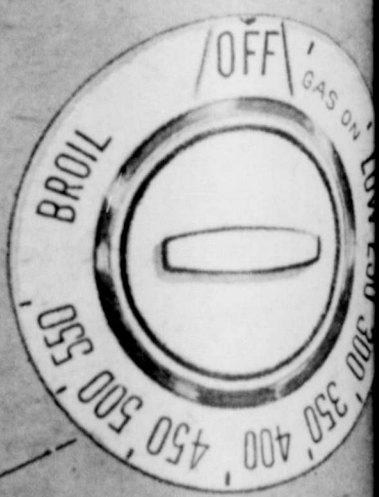
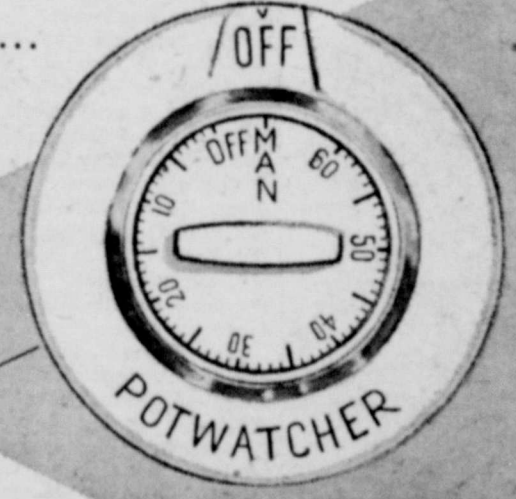
DRILLERS SHOOT WELL NEAR NEWLIN TUESDAY—The Burk-Harian-Hilton well near Newlin was shot Tuesday morning. The first explosion indicated that a considerable amount of gas had been struck as debris was blown above the 80-foot derrick. Eighty quarts of nitroglycerin were used but the expert in charge of the work said that the explosion was assisted by some other force than the explosive.
STRICTLY PERSONAL—Mrs. W. A. Womack of Clarendon came Monday to spend the week with her son, Andrew Womack—J. W. Noel of Hedley was a Memphis visitor Friday.—Mrs. O. B. Burnett of Dumas arrived Monday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. E. A. Thomas.—Jackson Collier and R. E. Tackitt of Estelline were business visitors here Tuesday.—B. J. Woodington left Tuesday morning for a 15-day visit in his old home country of Fannin and Delta counties.—J. P. Bass of Mineral Wells is here this week to look after business interests.—Jake Masterson of Hedley is here today on business.—Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cross visited Sunday and Monday at Hollis, Okla., where they formerly lived.

STRICTLY PERSONAL—Orville Goodpasture, Mrs. Vaughn and daughter, and Edward Long and John visited last Thursday in Memphis.—Dr. and Mrs. T. L. Lee, Mrs. J. R. Jones and Bobbie Sunday in Childress.—Frankie Barnes and Mildred lin left Sunday to attend in Virginia.—Mr. and Mrs. Berry of Quitaque visited with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. H. W. Kuhn was in Amarillo White Deer on business the part of last week.—Mrs. M. Morgan Andrews and Mrs. Brown drove to Amarillo, Tex. Workers for the Bureau Census have started their gathering information for a year agricultural census. The questionnaire have been to farmers and by complete early, much time can be saved the part of all concerned.

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Firm In New Angelo Quarters

Central Telephone Company of Southwest moved into its new \$1,000,000 dollar general headquarters building in San Angelo today, according to an announcement by W. G. Wright, president.

The 400,000 pounds of office equipment was involved in the temporary move from the business section of San Angelo to the new building in Colwell, a new residential area four miles from downtown Angelo.

Employees did not lose a day's work because of the move, Wright said.

The three-story building is 312 feet long and 192 feet wide. It has 58,470 feet of usable space for the more than 300 office employees.

Thomas and Mrs. Frank B. Toner, and Susanne of Port Forth, arrived last night to stay in ways with her parents and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Milam and Mrs. J. W.



NEW FORD TRUCK — Ford's 24 series of 1955 trucks, with 190 models extending from the tandem axle "Big Job" (shown above) to pickups, are designed to make money for operators on every hauling job. The new models, with improved engines and chassis, and more comfortable full foam rubber seats in custom cabs, will be introduced at Ford dealers showrooms November 12.

1955 Ford Trucks Designed To Make Money For Operators On All Jobs

The 1955 Ford truck is now available at Foxhall Motor Company here, according to Eddie Foxhall, owner of the local agency. Composing the lineup are 24 series which include 190 models ranging from 30-ton tandem-axle "Big Jobs" down to F-100 pickups, all designed to make money for operators on every hauling job.

Ford's five truck engines, built exclusively for the truck lines, include Six and V-8 engines. Three engines have increased horsepower and compression ratios.

The 1955 models are manufactured in five lines and 24 series which include: nine conventional series, six cab forward series, four school bus chassis series, two tandem axle series, two parcel delivery chassis series and a new Courier custom delivery truck styled like the 1955 Ford passenger cars. GVW ratings run from 4,000 to 40,000 lbs. and GCW ratings to 60,000 lbs. There are 15 wheelbase lengths for custom-built bodies from 5 1/2 to 19 ft. long.

Ford has designed its 1955 truck cabs for even greater driving ease and efficiency than current models which paced the industry. The optional custom "driverized" cabs, available in all models, have a new full foam-rubber seat—five-inch deep cushion and three-inch seat back. It provides buoyant, restful support for the driver's body under all driving conditions and will keep its leanness for the life of the truck.

Cab doors which are almost a yard wide, let the biggest driver slip in and out easily, while weather sealing around the doors and body joints keeps out dust, fumes and moisture.

The big one-piece curved windshield, deep side windows and a rear window which is almost as wide as the cab, provide full range vision for safer and easier driving. Ford truck cabs have more glass area than any competitive trucks.

Single tone colors and two-tone color combinations are offered in the new Ford trucks. The single tones include vermilion, raven black, aquatone blue, banner blue, waterfall blue, meadow green and sea sprite green. Two-tone combinations of these colors are available on the custom cab with snowshoe white on the cab roof and upper back panel.

Improved fully automatic Fordomatic transmission is available at extra cost on the Courier and Series F-100, F-250, P-350 and F-350. It permits much faster acceleration from standing position through an automatic "kick-down" to low gear. Overdrive and regular transmissions also are available.

New tubeless tires are standard on the Courier and Series F-100 models. And a new school bus chassis with a 220 in. wheelbase is available in the B-600 series for a 55 passenger bus body.

Locals and Personal:

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ferrel and family visited in Amarillo Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Jester and family.

Mrs. Douglas Leverett of Weatherford is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wynn.

Mrs. Alice Crawford and Mary visited in Lubbock and Amarillo over the weekend.

Elton Murdock and Frankie McWhorter visited last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Murdock and Mr. and Mrs. John McWhorter.

Mrs. Claude Hickey visited her mother, Mrs. W. C. Eddleman in Quitaque Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Adams and Terry of Dallas, Mrs. M. W. Paschall and Betty visited in Luttie over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Paschall, Jr., and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Combs and Tanya Fisher visited in Lubbock over the weekend and

attended the homecoming of Texas Tech.

Mrs. George Greenhaw visited in Amarillo Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Greenhaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lide of Toyleda visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Saunders and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blum.

Elton Murdock and Frankie McWhorter left Thursday for Kermit where they will be employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Baldwin and Mrs. Ned of Amarillo visited over the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hall and family visited in Clarendon Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wright.

Mrs. J. Emory Barton of Denton visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Webster.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Noel of Denton spent the weekend with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Jim Cornelius of Amarillo visited her mother, Mrs. Grace

Duke over the weekend. Mrs. Duke returned with her for a few days visit.

Mrs. H. B. Bennett visited in Tullia Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tompy Hulsey.

Mrs. Martin Johnson went to Fort Smith, Ark., last week to be with her father, H. G. Landers, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. John George spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Butler.

Ralph Howard of Lubbock visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Buster Howard and Mr. and

Mrs. John Dennis and Dink. Mrs. Howard and son returned home with him after visiting the past week.

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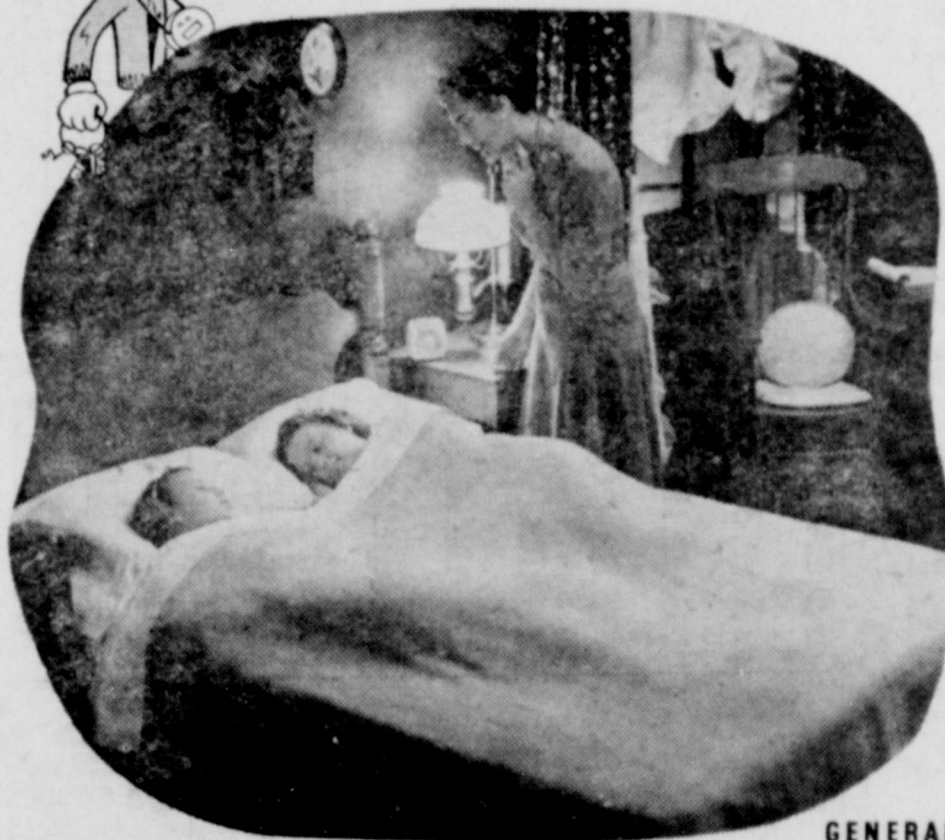
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too. For example, Ford's new full-wrap-around windshield has over a square-foot more area for up to 20% better visibility. Interiors are completely new, with the freshest colors and upholsteries in the industry. Brakes are 10% larger—stop more smoothly, last up to 50% longer. New tubeless tires offer puncture and blowout protection. New Turbo-Action Spark Plugs resist "fouling" up to three times longer.

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Report From Washington

By Walter Rogers

Congressman, 18th District

The Queen Mother's Visit to the British Embassy on November 9th was the scene of one of the world's leading social events. The Queen Mother of England was honored by a reception. Approximately 2,000 guests were present to greet the Queen Mother. The main entrance to the Embassy is on Massachusetts Avenue where entry on such occasions can be gained only by complete and proper identification of one's self. It makes little difference that you may be well acquainted with the person stationed at the entrance to require the identification, the invitation issued must be presented by the person named therein. I am afraid my wife might have been a little put out with me as I had forgotten just which pocket I

had put mine in. I am going to advocate that some manufacturer produce a man's suit with just one pocket. It would save lots of hunting.

After entering the Embassy, the guests were directed through the beautiful rooms and hallways and into the reception hall, where the Queen Mother stood between Sir Roger Makins, the British Ambassador, and his lovely wife.

Many of you have seen colored pictures of the Queen Mother and have noticed the beautiful blue in her eyes. I can assure you that they are more beautiful in real life than in the colored pictures. The Queen Mother is a lovely, gracious person, and I wish all of you could meet her. After the introduction, the guests were escorted



ed into the garden. This may seem rather odd for this time of year. Let me explain it. The garden is covered with a heavy tarpaulin laid on the ground similar to that laid on a baseball field or football field to prevent it from getting wet. Then a huge tent is erected, and decorations and tables are provided. The tent is heated by strategically located heating units, and actually you do not realize that you are being entertained in a temporary structure. The reception was attended by representatives of governments all over the world, and you could hear almost any language being spoken, from the clipped English of the true Britisher to the Japanese, which I can make neither heads or tails of, and back to the Texas drawl, which is always present, no matter whether the party be large or small.

Speaking Of The Japanese

Senator Grady Hazlewood and his lovely wife, Andrene, honored us with a visit the other day. It was late in the afternoon, and they wanted to make a hurried visit to the National Cathedral. Since it closes pretty early, we got into my car and were making a dash for it so that they might get in before closing time. We were going down Rock Creek Drive when we heard the wailing of sirens that continued to grow closer and closer. I thought it was an ambulance, but when I looked in my rear view mirror, I could see two policemen with flashing red lights waving everyone to the side of the road. We pulled over to keep from being run down and also to clear the way for that appeared to be an emergency. Much to our surprise, the car that was being led by the officers had an American flag on one fender and a Rising Star flag on the other. It was Shigeru Yoshida, the Prime Minister of Japan. Soon after this, we were again blocked by this same car coming up on Massachusetts Avenue and going to the Japanese Embassy. It did seem rather strange that all of this fanfare was taking place in honor of a Japanese who only a few short years ago was probably the most hated man in the Capital City. In any event, I got Grady and Andrene to the National Cathedral, and hopethy had a good time. I did not get to see them again before they had to leave. It was certainly nice to have them here to get in a good visit.

We also had a visit from Mr. Lyle Restine, of Amarillo, who works for the Santa Fe. He was

Antlerless Deer Harvest In Texas Has Been Widened

AUSTIN—Continued acute food conditions in the Hill Country plus high population rates have prompted expanding of the 1954 antlerless deer harvest in three Texas counties.

W. C. Glazener, director of wildlife restoration for the Game and Fish Commission said present plans are to issue in excess of three thousand permits for antlerless deer.

Last fall when the taking of antlerless deer was introduced into two counties as a means of reducing overpopulation and balancing herds, 1136 permits were issued with a harvest of 946 head. These were taken in Mason and Gillespie counties. Llano County since has joined the area from which both buck and doe deer may be taken.

Meanwhile, it was emphasized that persons interested in the special harvest should contact the Chambers of Commerce in Fredericksburg for Gillespie County, Mason for Mason County and Llano for Llano County.

While the special antlerless deer harvest is supervised by Commission technicians, all arrangements are made on the local level and all permits are processed through ranchers and landowners.

The final allotment of permits for this fall will be determined at county-wide meetings in each of the counties. The actual figures will be based on population counts which are delayed until the last minute to allow the greatest possible harvest to avoid extreme herd die-offs this winter.

Wildlife technicians said interest in the special antlerless hunt is such that all permits doubtless will be taken.

Dates of the actual hunt are from December 1 to December 15 inclusive.

on his way to Bermuda for a visit.

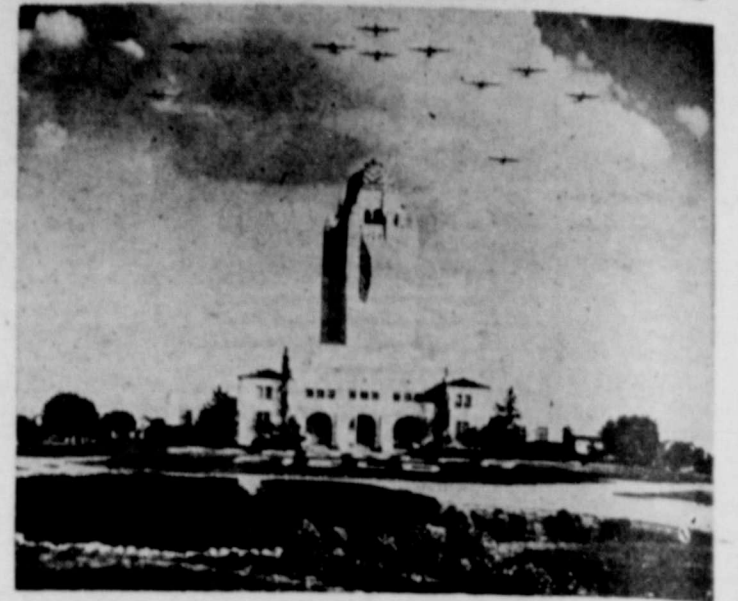
Thirty-six years ago, on the 11th of November, the then President of the United States made the following statement:

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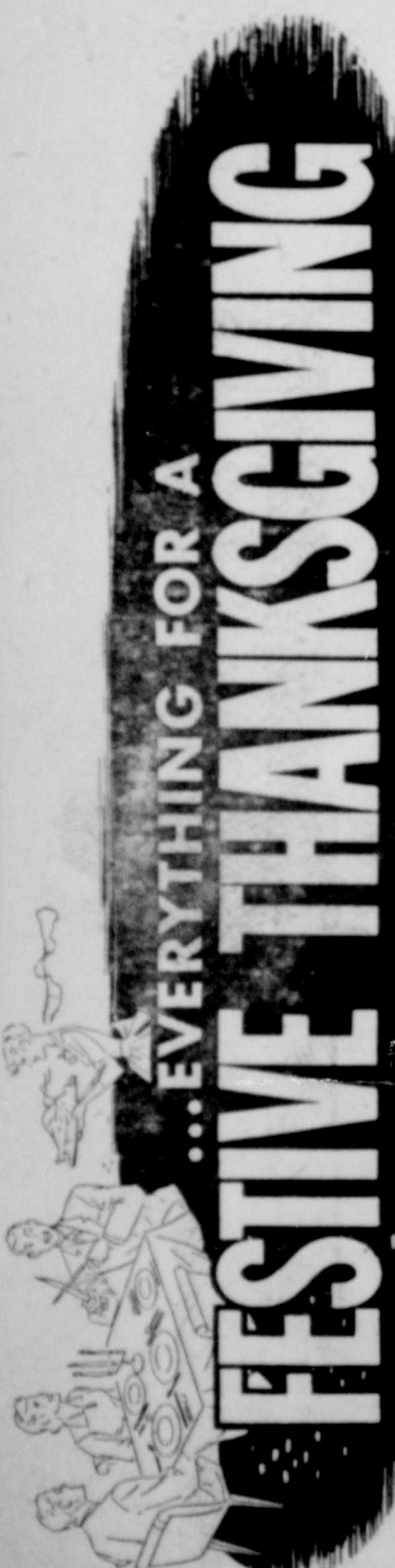
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1955 Oldsmobile Boasts Improved Engineering And Restyled Appearance

Oldsmobile for 1955 presents a more advanced concept and more advanced concept in body color, important styling improvements and a completely restyled appearance. The new series will go on sale Friday at Potts Chevrolet Co. here, local Oldsmobile dealer. Tommie Potts and Homer own and operate the agency.

The luxurious "98" series and the performance "88" series are powered by a more efficient 202-horsepower "Rocket" engine, as announced by J. F. Potts, vice-president of General Motors and general manager Oldsmobile Division.

Oldsmobile's popular low silhouette and wide vision panoramic windshield are enhanced by the new styling that Oldsmobile designers have incorporated in the 1955 models. Oldsmobile presents three series of cars in a total of 10 body types. There are three Fisher body types in the luxury "98" series—four-door sedan, deluxe Holiday (convertible), and Starfire (convertible). The "88" Series has four body types—four-door sedan, two-door sedan, Holiday (convertible) and coupe. In economy-priced "88" Series there is a four-door sedan, Holiday

coupe and two-door sedan. Improvement of "Rocket" engine power, torque and performance has been achieved through newly designed combustion chambers, higher lift camshaft and valves, larger exhaust valves, cooler operating sparkplugs and full chrome top piston rings. Horsepower is raised to 202-h. p. in the "98" and Super "88" and to 185-h. p. in the "88" Series.

A new feature in 1955 is the offering of the 202-h.p. "Rocket" engine as optional equipment at extra cost on the "88" series. Standard equipment on the "88" Series is the 185-h. p. "Rocket" engine, which this year is equipped with a new dual Rochester carburetor.

Riding qualities of the 1955 Oldsmobile have been further improved through incorporating direct-acting shock absorbers that are mounted vertically within the springs and attached directly to the frame and the lower control arm. Tubeless tires will be standard on the 1955 Oldsmobiles. These tires have an improved safety factor, with greater resistance to punctures and blowouts. Steering effort has been reduced appreciably through use of new needle bearings on the steering pitman arm shaft.

Color again plays an important part in Oldsmobile's 1955 styling. Fourteen new color choices are being offered among the 19 available on the 1955 models. Eighty-nine conventional top and body two-tone color combinations will be available, along with twenty special two-tone combinations where the side moulding provides the color separation. Interiors of the 1955 Oldsmobiles are as colorful and varied as the exteriors. Forty-seven different upholstery selections are offered in the three series of cars. Genuine leather, covert cloth, nylon cloth and Morocco are among the upholstery materials available.



FLYING COLORS — Streamlined symmetry of the 1955 Oldsmobile is embodied in this Series "98" four-door sedan with its two-tone flying colors styling. A stainless steel moulding that dips gracefully from the rear door towards the taillights, then sweeps forward past the front wheel opening, providing the color separation. This two-tone color styling is optional at extra cost. Other distinctive new styling notes are the hooded headlights, redesigned bumpers front and rear, a new Oldsmobile emblem and name identification in the grille. The series is inditified in chrome script on the front fender. The 1955 Oldsmobile "98" is powered by a 202-h.p. "Rocket" engine with 8.5 to 1 compression ratio.

LOCAL PEOPLE ATTEND OPERA AT AMARILLO

Among those attending the presentation of the "Madame Butterfly" opera in Amarillo on Tuesday night were: Mr. and Mrs. Burr Morris, Mrs. Conley Ward,

and Misses Mary Noel, Gertrude Rasco, Clara Pyeatt, Inez Mason, Ethel Hillhouse, Kathryn Phillips and Betty Lemons.

The Cape to Cairo Railroad was completed in 1918.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Appleby visited Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ferrel Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Butler visited Mr. and Mrs. Jude Gable of Lakeview Sunday night.

Rito Jo Hale of Amarillo spent the weekend with her parents and grandmother, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hale and Linda and Mrs. Maud Chaudoin.

Mrs. Bonnie Isaac of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Carlos of Memphis were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Weatherby at their lodge at Lake Kemp Sunday.

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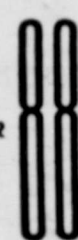
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Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Mann, Ruby and Frances of Clarendon visited R. A. Payne Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Brandon of Colorado Springs, Colo., visited from Friday to Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hall, of Lakeview, and other relatives. The Brandons' recently bought a home in Colorado Springs.

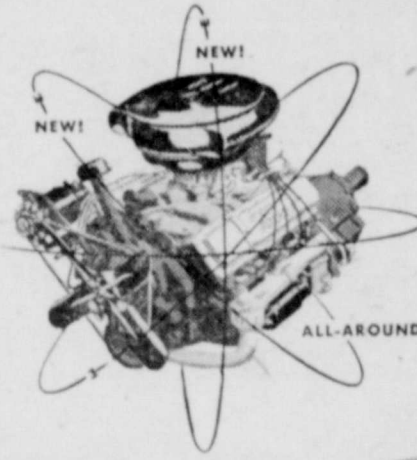
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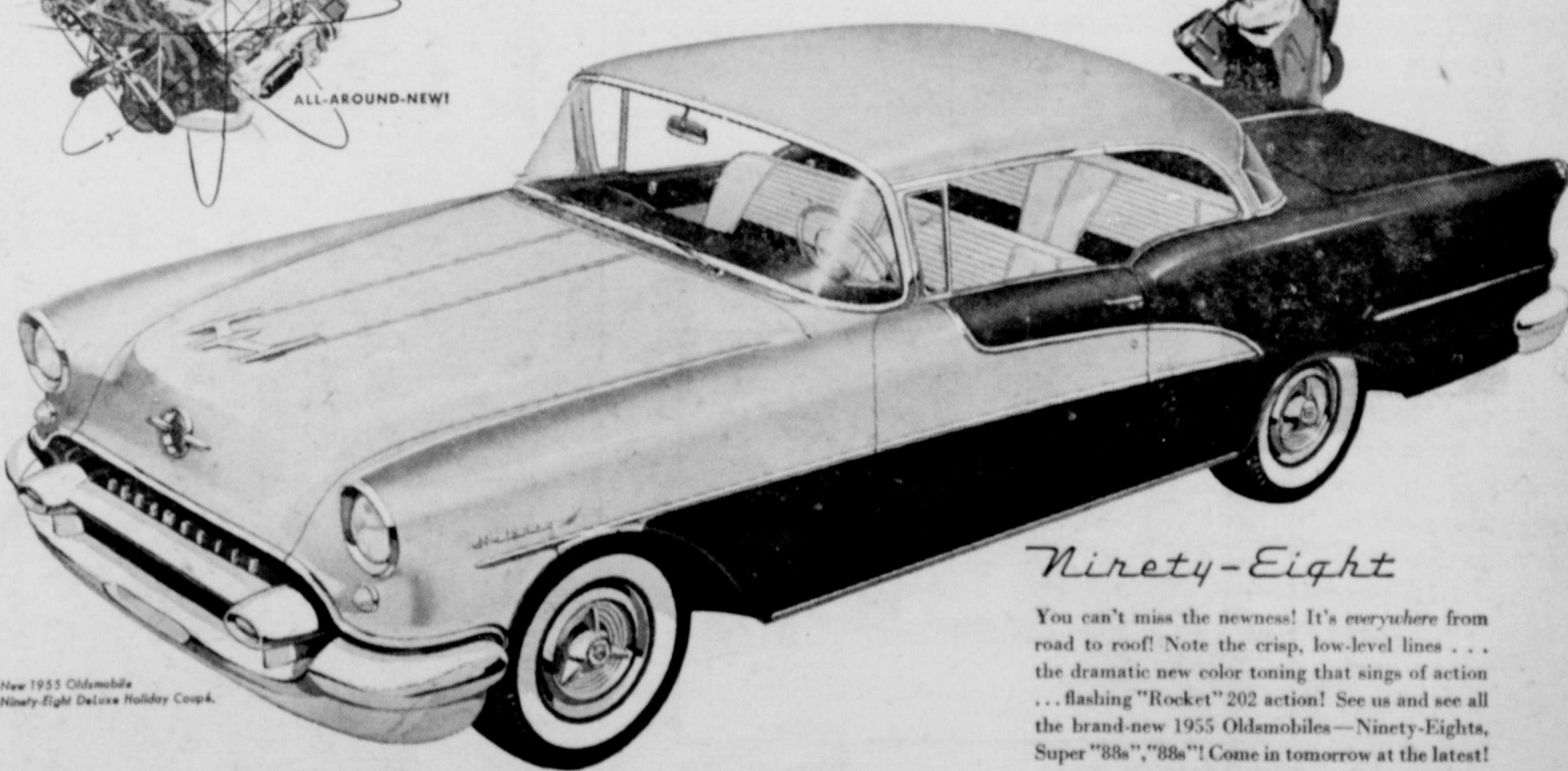
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New Dodge Embodies Advanced Concept In Automotive Body Design

The 1955 Dodge passenger car line embodies an advanced concept in automotive body design, according to Gerald Hickey, owner of Hickey Motor Company. The New Dodge series went on display Wednesday at the local agency.

Corroborating Hickey's statement is William C. Newberg, Dodge president, who explained that car stylists have blended aircraft sleekness and power into a "design of refreshing beauty."

He revealed that Dodge engineers have incorporated over 100 structural mechanical innovations in the longer, lower and wider 1955 line.

Offering three series — the new and luxurious Custom Royal, the richly appointed Royal and the classic Coronet — the '55 Dodge has a built-in look of action, resulting from its swept-back design.

Performance to bear out the air-slicing swiftness in styling is provided by a wide choice of engines — the "Get-Away Six" developing 123 horsepower, the all-new Red Ram V-8 rated at 175 horsepower, the Super Red Ram V-8 at 183 horsepower, and the super-powered Super Red Ram V-8 at 193 horsepower.

Newberg announced another automotive first for Dodge in the introduction of three-tone combinations on Dodge Lancer hardtop and convertible models. These multiple-tone paints accent the flair styling and permit exciting new combinations in exterior color design.

From front to rear the 1955 Dodge conveys an impression of classic, clean-lined simplicity. A feeling of streamlined flight is

embodied in the car from the twin-opening grille to the twin-jet taillights.

All 14 models have an increased wheelbase of 120 inches. Overall length is increased by as much as 16 inches on some models, but the cars appear even more lengthy due to Dodge's flair styling.

The wider interior is flair-fashioned in harmonious color blends. Easily-cleaned Cordagrain is combined with exclusive double-patterned Jacquard seat cloths. Door panels are dramatically decorated with two-tone color designs and chrome, complimenting the new Dodge upholstery and trim.

R. C. Somerville, Dodge vice president in charge of sales, pointed out that along with the new Dodge engines, the gear selector lever for PowerFlite transmission will share the spotlight as a major mechanical innovation.

Somerville revealed that the Custom Royal series incorporates a Super Red Ram V-8 engine of 183 horsepower and compression ratio of 7.6 to 1.

A super-powered Super Red Ram V-8 develops 193 horsepower through use of four-barreled carburetor and dual exhaust system.

Royal and Coronet series have a completely new Red Ram V-8 engine of 175 horsepower.

In addition, a Dodge "Get-Away Six" engine, with horsepower rated at 123, is available on the Coronet series.

"New Horizon" windshields wrap around at both top and bottom of the glass for improved and safer vision.

Optional new features on the 1955 Dodge line include power



FLAIR STYLED DODGE—The flair-styled Dodge features a dashing hood ornament, projected headlight hoods, "New Horizon" swept-around windshield, cut back doors, flared wheel openings and streamlined rear deck. This four-door sedan in the Custom Royal series has Super Red Ram V-8 engine of 183 horsepower. Two-tone paint treatment accents the lowered roof line, sloping hood, and twin-jet taillight section.

brakes, power-controlled seats, power window lifts, and a back seat hi-fidelity radio speaker. Tubeless tires are standard equipment for the first time on all models. This, together with the Dodge safety rims, make a great twin safety feature.

Keith Wells Speaks At Marine Corps Banquet

Keith Wells of Abilene, who commanded the Marine flag raisers of Iwo Jima, was the speaker last Thursday night at a "birthday banquet" for the U. S. Marine Corps. The dinner was held in an Abilene hotel, according to an article in the Abilene Reporter-News.

Wells, an Abilene oil man, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Del E. Wells of Lakeview. He was lieutenant in command of the Marine platoon that took Mount Suribachi on Iwo Jima during World War II. He is now a captain in the USMC Reserve Unit at Abilene.

The four Marines in the well-known flag-raising picture were members of his platoon.

The Abilene dinner was held in observance of the Marine Corps' 197th anniversary.

Wells continued fighting for almost an hour after he was wounded by a mortar blast scarcely six feet from him and was awarded the Navy Cross, second highest U. S. decoration, for his part in the engagement.

After Mount Suribachi was secured, three of his men went down the hill and carried the wounded Wells to where the flag had been planted at the crest.

Wells entered the Marine Corps in March, 1942, and early in the war served with Marine paratroopers in the South Pacific.

He is married and has a five-year-old daughter, Connie, and a four-month-old son, John.

Wilkinson Elected To Rocky Mountain Post

Clyde Wilkinson of Salida, Colo., recently was elected to the board of directors of the Rocky Mountain Ford Advertising Association by Denver district Ford Dealers, according to an item in the Salida Daily Record.

Wilkinson was elected for a two-year term.

Before taking the Ford dealership at Salida, he operated the agency at Estelline.

The Rocky Mountain comprises all of Colorado, and parts of Nebraska, Wyoming, New Mexico and Texas.

Farm Families To Be Added To Social Security

1954 Amendments to the Social Security Law will bring Federal old-age and survivors insurance to most farm families beginning in January, declares John R. Sanderson, manager of the Amarillo Social Security district office. These amendments, signed into law by the President on September 1, extend social security coverage to all farm operators who earn as much as \$400 in profits in 1955 and later years and to all farm employees whose cash earnings amount to as much as \$100 paid by the same employer farmer in 1955 and following years.

Any farm operator or farm employee who does not now have a social security card should apply

for one immediately. Application forms are available at most post offices. The social security number will identify a person's earnings which will be used when figuring the social security payments to which he will be entitled when he reaches age 65 and files a claim or the amounts payable to his family when he dies.

Farm operators and farm workers are urged to drop a postal card immediately to the Social Security Office at Amarillo, Texas and request a leaflet on social security for farm families. This leaflet will explain in understandable language what farmers and their families should know about their social security, and what they should do now and in the future to protect their rights.

A representative from the Amarillo Social Security office will be in the commissioners' courtroom in the courthouse in Memphis, beginning at 10 a. m. Tuesday.

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Memphis Cyclone chalked up a third conference victory on Saturday night when they blanked Panhandle Panthers, 19-0. The Panthers, which now has a record of four wins and five losses, will close out their 1954 season when they meet the high school Memphis Tigers in Cyclone at 7:30 p. m. Friday.

The Cyclone made all of their points in the first half and then the Panthers scored in the second half.

The first Cyclone tally occurred in the first period when Dean Deane, running back, ran a 65-yard touchdown pass to Jimmy Davis, quarterback, who tried for extra point.

In the second quarter, Deane, fullback, went over the top to successfully cap a drive. Jimmy Davis again crossed the goal line later in the

same quarter, the result of a two-yard thrust. The attempted extra point kick was no good.

The complexion of the game changed considerably in the second half. Twice, the Panthers drove deep into Cyclone territory but both times lost the ball around the Memphis 10-yard line. A fumble ended one of the Panhandle marches, while stout defensive play by the Memphis boys crushed the losers' offensive.

First downs were fairly even, with the Cyclone accumulating 16 and the Panthers making 13.

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More Civil Service Exams Announced

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced its examination for stenographers and typists and has announced new examinations for highway Engineer, Trainee and Design Patent Examiner.

Stenographers and typists are needed in various Federal agencies in Washington, D. C., and vicinity. The entrance salaries for typists are \$2,750 and \$2,950, and for stenographers, \$2,750 to \$3,175 a year. A written test is required.

The Highway Engineer Trainee positions are in the Bureau of Public Roads and are located in Washington, D. C., and throughout the United States. Some may also be filled in Territories and Possessions of the United States, and in foreign countries. The salaries are \$3,175 and \$3,410 a year. To qualify, applicants must pass a written test and must have had education or experience in civil engineering.

Design Patent Examiner positions are in the U. S. Patent Office in Washington, D. C., and pay \$3,410 and \$4,265 a year. Positions paying \$3,410 a year

are trainee positions. To qualify applicants must pass a written test and must have had appropriate college study or experience.

Further information and application forms, including instructions on applying, may be obtained from the Commission's representative, H. C. Pounds, located at the post office in Memphis, or from the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington 25, D. C. Closing date for the acceptance of applications for Highway Engineer Trainee is February 8, 1955. The other examinations are open until further notice.

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Superintendent Named At Amarillo Experiment Farm

AMARILLO—C. E. Can Doren has been named superintendent of the Amarillo Experiment Station, Director R. D. Lewis of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station has announced.

Van Doren, who is widely known to Panhandle area farmers and ranchers for his soil conservation research, became associated with the station in 1939. He succeeds C. J. Whitfield, who is now with the U. S. Department of Agriculture located in Denver.

The Amarillo Experiment Station is operated cooperatively by the USDA and the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station. It is located about 16 miles west of Amarillo.

Van Doren will continue his research work in tillage operations, planting practices, crop rotations, as related to moisture conservation and erosion control and other phases of research related to agriculture in the Panhandle area.

The new superintendent received his degree in agriculture from Kansas State College in 1933.

Matt L. Ward arrived here last Thursday to visit his daughter, Mrs. Billy Thompson, and family, and to attend the Lakeview High School homecoming. Mr. Ward is a member of the Lakeview graduating class of 1917. He returned home Saturday.

UT Offers Training In Public Service

AUSTIN—The University of Texas, in cooperation with state and local governmental units, is training a group of graduate students to hold responsible public-service positions.

The public administration graduate program, directed by the University's Institute of Public Affairs, combines classroom instruction with practical on-the-job training. The first Master of Arts in Public Administration degrees will be awarded next spring.

Interns are working in several state government offices in Austin, Austin city departments, and

Lubbock city offices. They are paid a regular salary.

"At the present time, the demand for interns from agencies located throughout Texas is greater than we are able to fill," Dr. Stuart A. MacCorkle, Institute of Public Affairs director, said. "As the program grows, however, we hope to have students in training in all levels of government."

Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Davis visited Sunday in Borger with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Youree.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Adams and son of Dallas are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Adams and Mrs. M. W. Paschall and Betty.



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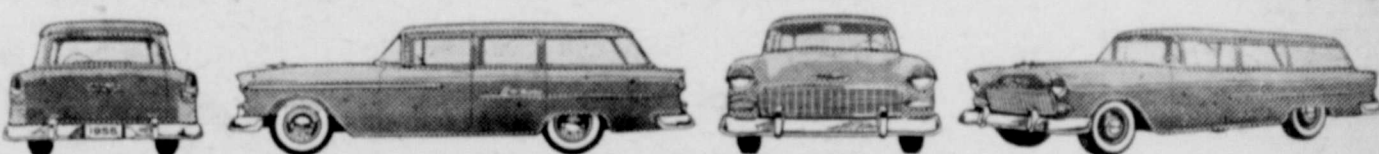
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Big Game Hunting To Be Tried On Government-Owned Land In East Texas

AUSTIN—Hunting for big game will be tried this fall on Government-owned land in parts of six East Texas counties, under a joint agreement by the Game and Fish Commission and the United States Forest Service, according to Howard D. Dodgen, Commission executive secretary.

The deer and turkey harvest will be permitted on three of the five wildlife management areas which are in operation in three of the four Texas National Forests. About 50,000 acres in all will be opened up to the public. Surplus game, besides providing hunting this fall, helps increase wildlife population on lands surrounding the management areas.

In two areas, not open to hunting for the present, protection will be given brood stock needed to maintain a harvestable population in surrounding areas.

Game and Fish laws of the county containing each area will prevail. Local game wardens as well as Forest Service personnel will aid hunters in determining the areas to be hunted, which will be marked with signs.

The three areas to be opened for hunting are:

Alabama Creek Area, 13,500 acres of the Davy Crockett National Forest, four miles southwest of Apple Springs, Trinity County; development begun in 1954.

Bannister Lake Area; 10,000 acres of the Angelina National Forest, twelve miles southwest of San Augustine; development begun in 1954.

Boykin Springs-McGee Bend Area; 28,000 acres of the Angelina National Forest, twenty miles southwest of Jasper, in Jasper and Angelina Counties; development begun in 1954.

The two management areas which will not be opened are: Moore Plantation Area; 10,000 acres of the Sabine National Forest, Sabine County, ten miles south of Hemphill; development begun in 1949.

Lake Creek Area, 12,500 acres

Dr. Goodall Attends Recent Austin Meet

Dr. O. R. Goodall was in Austin recently to attend a meeting of the state educational committee of the American Academy of General Practitioners. He is a member of the committee.

Quarterly meetings are held at Amarillo and Lubbock for members of the nation-wide organization who reside in this section of Texas.

The Austin session was held to make plans for coming meetings of this nature.

At the regional meetings, general practitioners hear lectures on various medical subjects by well-known members of the profession. Texas members of the American Academy meet annually at one of the larger cities in the state, Dr. Goodall explained.

of the Davy Crockett National Forest, Houston County, twelve miles southeast of Crockett; development begun in 1952.

Dodgen said satisfactory results from the opening public shoot, would stimulate prospects for development of additional such management areas. He emphasized public cooperation during and between hunting seasons as being the deciding factor.

"The Texas Game and Fish Commission and the United States Forest Service will do everything within their authority to provide something to hunt and a place in which to hunt it," he said, "but without the good will and cooperation of all concerned such advancements for the future will be impossible."

"It must be remembered that privately owned lands are not open to public hunting and permission to hunt thereon must be obtained from the individual landowners. Texas Game and Fish Commission markers have been installed along the outside boundaries of each cooperative development area for identification.

Specialist Outlines Care Of Deer After Killing

COLLEGE STATION—Antlered buck, beware! A corps of Texas hunters has taken to brush and mountainside.

Preservation of the meat after the prize buck has fallen is the practical side of deer hunting, says R. E. Callender, extension wildlife management specialist. Venison is a palatable substitute for domestic animals and is processed similar to beef or lamb, says the specialist.

Bleed and remove the viscera immediately after the animal is shot in the field, he says. Wipe the carcass dry with clean rags and if the animal is shot badly it's wiser to wash the inside with water first. In either case, dry the carcass.

The animal should stay dry and be cooled immediately. If cold storage isn't available, prop open the carcass and hang it from a tree to chill at night. During daylight hours wrap the carcass in a tarp or blanket and remove to a shady spot, Callender adds.

He says transport the buck inside the car or in the trunk—not on the fender next to the warm engine. Wrap the carcass for protection, especially from flies.

The thick, plump rounds of the carcass process the best, Callender says. The shoulder, neck and lower portions of the ribs, when boned, make good sausage.

If the processed meat must be transported over long distances it will keep better if frozen solid. But, reminds Callender, frozen meat must always be used soon after thawing.



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Electrical Wiring In Many American Homes Outdated

COLLEGE STATION—Half the homes in America today need larger wires or more circuits to take care of their increased electrical needs with air conditioners, television, home freezers, etc., a report from the United States Department of Agriculture reveals.

Well-equipped homes may be using twice as much electricity in 1955 as they did in 1945. Adequate wiring systems are an investment not only in home safety but also in efficient and economical operation of electric appliances.

Misuse of electricity now accounts for 12 per cent of home fires. Mrs. Bernice Claytor, home management specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, says overloaded wires have become an increasing home hazard as families use more and more electrical equipment without modernizing household wiring systems.

Overloaded wires can blow fuses or overheat and damage insulation. Then they may start fires smoldering in the walls.

Mary Bownds visited in Stratford Monday with her brother.

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Abundance Of High Quality Turkeys Ready This Year

COLLEGE STATION—An abundance of high quality turkeys at lower prices will be ready for holiday dinners this year.

The supply is adequate to furnish turkey for every table at Thanksgiving and Christmas, according to F. Z. Beanblossom, extension poultry marketing specialist. The number of birds on the market will be even larger than last year.

The specialist says with the abundant supply, families can afford to be selective when shopping for turkey of their choice. He suggests the shopper look for quality birds, well fleshed and finished and processed to give good flavor. "Don't waste money buying a bird with too much fat," he advises. "Get a bird with

enough fat to insure good flavor and dressed properly. The meat will look white rather than pink in color and there will be no pin feathers and bruised marks on the flesh. "Ask to see the dressed bird to check for these signs," Beanblossom says.

The trend is to lighter birds around eight pounds and making turkey a practical dish for small families at Thanksgiving, Christmas and for other occasions as well. Buy a larger bird for home food freezer or other use for extra meat is available. The turkey will come in handy for later meals, too.

Shopping for high quality turkeys is not only efficient but helpful to the poultry man in providing the kind of turkey most in demand.

Geo. Wilton has returned home in Van Nuys, Calif., after visiting here for the past week with his mother, Mrs. T. K. Wilton.

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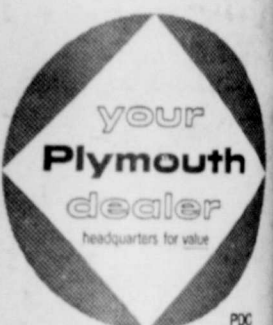
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