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1954 Farm Income Over 7 Million

Products sold by operators of farms in Hall County in 1954 totaled \$7,363,895, according to a preliminary report on the Census of Agriculture published by the Bureau of the Census of the U. S. Department of Commerce. The preliminary figures were received here Monday.

Value for all livestock and products sold in 1954 totaled \$711,367. Of this, \$41,487 from dairy products and \$35,576 from poultry products.

Meat Allotment Applications Open

Operators working land on which allotment was needed for grain in any of the years 1954, 1955 or 1956, may apply for a 1957 allotment, according to E. A. Eddleman of Estel, chairman of the Hall County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee.

Applications for allotment on a farm that had been needed for grain in any of the years listed, the operator should apply in writing to the county committee by July 16. Applications for allotment on the northeast corner of the square in Memphis.

Miss Foreman's Died May 2

Funeral services for John Samuel Foreman, great-grandfather of Miss Mary Foreman of Memphis, were conducted May 2 at Saint Jo, Texas.

Miss Foreman, who was 86 years old, was co-founder of the Saint Jo Tribune, a weekly publication which she still in operation.

She died April 30 at the Home of the Aged in Memphis, where she had been living for six years.

Miss Foreman was born in Cook County, Jan. 31, 1870. With her husband, the late Ed Ross, she established the Saint Jo newspaper in 1908, and continued to publish for many years.

After disposing of the paper, she moved to Memphis, where she was employed in drug stores at Memphis and Farmersville, before returning to Saint Jo, where she lived until five days before she died.

Miss Foreman attended the funeral services.

Memphians Plan Trip to 287 Meet

Representatives of Memphis citizens plan to attend the annual Highway 287 convention at Lubbock, May 18-19, Clifford Farmstead, president of the organization, announced. Sessions will be held on both days.

Honor Students, Graduation Activities Listed at Turkey

Honor students and the scheduled graduation activities of the high school senior class were announced this week by Supt. Edmondson.

Salutatorian was an average of 92.28, was Kay Pierce. Valedictorian, the salutatorian, was an average of 92.17.

Miss Hickey was the high-ranking graduate with an 89.87 average. Miss Hickey had an average of 92.17. Miss Hickey, one of the graduates for diplomas.



OUTSTANDING—The above Lakeview High School lasses competed in tennis contests at the state Interscholastic League meet in Austin the past weekend. They are, from the left, Rita Doyce Durrett, Martha Reed, and Sherry Denton.

Regional Champions Lose at State Meet

Regional champion girls' tennis players from Lakeview High School lost their first-round Class B matches at the state Interscholastic League meet in Austin the past weekend and were eliminated from the contest.

Rita Doyce Durrett was defeated 6-3 and 6-1 in a singles match Friday morning. Her opponent was from Odell High School.

In another Friday morning contest, the doubles team, composed of Sherry Denton and Martha Reed, succumbed to a duo from Hallettsville, 6-2, 6-0.

The Lakeview girls won the regional Class B tennis championship and the right to compete in the state competition by taking the girls' singles and doubles titles in an Interscholastic League meet at Lubbock on April 20 and 21. Four matches were played in both singles and doubles.

Lions To Dedicate Park Barbecue Pit

The picnic season for 1956 will be initiated at the City Park in Memphis Thursday evening, May 24, when the Lions Club dedicates a new barbecue unit, and plays host to the members of the Memphis High School Band.

Feature of the entertainment program of the evening will be the band concert. To satisfy hungry appetites will be jumbo hamburgers which Lions club members will prepare for all present, Gene Lindsey, president, announced this week. Cold drinks will be served

by committee members from the club. The club will give away a TV set and several other prizes during the evening.

"We plan to dedicate our barbecue picnic unit on this date, and turn it over to the people of this area," Lindsey said. "All proceeds from the sale of the hamburgers, and other money-raising activities of the program will go to our club's park improvement fund. At the same time, we wish to thank the members of the club."

Junior Olympics Set for Stadium On Friday Night

The seventh Junior Olympics of the Memphis schools will be staged Friday night at Cyclone Stadium. Coach Nolan Poteet announced Wednesday. No admission will be charged and everyone is invited to come out and watch the youthful contestants. Activities are scheduled to begin at 8 o'clock.

All twelve grades in the local schools will compete in the Olympics.

Among events will be 50-yard dashes for all grades, 220-yard relays for the first six grades, 440-yard relays for the remaining grades, wheelbarrow races, tugs of war, and bicycle relays.

Poteet said there were a large number of entries and that he was expecting this year's Olympics to be one of the biggest and best.

The junior class won for three consecutive years in the junior high and senior high school division and were given permanent possession of a trophy.

In the elementary school division, Mrs. Reba Stroehle's class accomplished the same feat and also received permanent possession of a trophy.

Mrs. Callaway's Father Dies in Glen Rose Hospital

Funeral services were held Friday at Glen Rose and Quannah for Dr. John James Hanna, father of Mrs. Noel D. Callaway of Memphis.

Dr. Hanna, well-known West Texas physician and Baptist lay leader, died in a Glen Rose hospital about 11 o'clock last Thursday morning. In failing health for about three and a half years, he suffered a severe stroke April 8, and had been in the hospital since then. He was 80 years old.

Born in Arkansas, in 1875, he was graduated from Fort Worth Medical University in 1899. He practiced medicine in Desdemona and Lingville until 1905, then in Amarillo from 1905 until 1908.

In the latter year, he moved to Quannah and continued to live there until 1941, when he went to Glen Rose. He established the Hanna Hospital at Glen Rose in 1944, and retained ownership until last summer.

He served twice as president of the Panhandle District Medical Association, was a past president of the Johnson County Medical Society, and was a member of the Texas Medical Association.

Dr. Hanna was a member of the Baptist Church, in which he served as deacon for more than half a century. He was chairman of the board of deacons of the church. He was a member of the board of directors of the church. (Continued on Page Twelve)

Memphis-Pampa To Play Twin Bill Here Saturday

The Memphis High School baseball squad will close its season here Saturday afternoon with a double-header against Pampa at Estes Field. Coach Nolan Poteet announced Wednesday.

The first contest is slated to get underway at 1 p. m., and the second one will start immediately after the initial tilt ends.

The Pampa High School nine is much more experienced than Memphis and should provide strong competition, Poteet stated.

The local boys are in top shape for Saturday's games, with none of them bothered by injuries, the coach added.

Local Firemen Win Regional Polo Event

The water polo team from the Memphis Fire Department captured first place at the 44th semi-annual convention of the Panhandle Firemen's Association in Sunray Tuesday. Twenty towns were represented at the meeting.

Attending from Memphis were Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Stardevant, and Alvin Massey. Wellington won the pumper race.

Next convention of the group will be held at Lubbock in September.

County Democrats Favor Sen. Johnson for President



ELBERT REEVES

State Legislator Speaker at Local Commencement

Speaker at commencement exercises of the Memphis High School graduating class on Friday night, May 25, will be Elbert Reeves of Matador, state representative from this district. This announcement was made Wednesday by Supt. W. C. Davis.

Reeves is a farmer and rancher in Motley County, and has served as representative in the 53rd and 54th sessions of the Texas Legislature.

He is chairman of the Agriculture Committee, and a member of the Education Committee, the (Continued on Page Twelve)

Advocate Fair Farm Prices To Balance U. S. Economy

Delegates to the Hall County Democratic county convention here Tuesday afternoon overwhelmingly favored Sen. Lyndon Johnson as a candidate for President and also as chairman of the Texas delegation to the national Democratic convention in Chicago this summer.

The delegates from the various county voting precincts, likewise, went on record as approving a drive for a balanced economy, in which all groups would receive a fair share of the national income. To this end, delegates proposed that the first step be the reenactment of legislation to guarantee farmers a fair price for their products.

In all, six resolutions were accepted for presentation at the Democratic state convention in Dallas, May 22.

The county meeting was held in the county courtroom in the courthouse here.

May Rains Fail To Show in Area

Showers the first day of May made it appear the month stood a good chance of being a wet one in this area but the moisture shut off just as quickly as it started and no precipitation has occurred since then. Total for the year to this point is 3.79 inches, according to John McMickin, weather observer here.

Windy, dusty conditions have prevailed several times within the past week, with Wednesday probably being the worst of the lot. Southerly winds started blowing early this morning, and dust was again beginning to stir.

According to McMickin, temperatures covered the following ranges: Last Thursday 55-89 degrees; Friday 59-87; Saturday 57-93; Sunday 61-89; Monday 61-81; Tuesday 60-90; and Wednesday 61-93. Minimum this morning was 65 degrees.

Front Street On Approved Program

Widening and paving of South Front Street here has been placed on an approved program of work for 1957 and 1958 by the Texas Highway Commission at Austin, according to information received by The Democrat this week. Data on the project was contained in a letter from Palmer Massey, of Childress, district engineer of the Texas Highway Department, to W. O. Hamm, senior resident engineer at Childress.

The proposed project extends from the Donley County line to State Highway 256, where it intersects South Front Street in Memphis. Estimated cost of the project is \$162,100.

The program also includes a

project on Highway 287 from Hedley to the Hall County line. Plans for this stretch call for improving the grade line, widening culverts, bridges and pavement, and resurfacing, at an estimated cost of \$367,600. This strip is approximately 10 miles in length.

Mayor O. L. Helm said Monday that he had been informed of the Front Street proposal. The City of Memphis has obtained right of way needed for widening the street along a portion of the route, and the mayor stated negotiations are underway to gain necessary roadway on the remainder of the route.

Greenbelt Sweetheart Vying for Area Title

Representing the Greenbelt FFA district in an Area I sweetheart contest at Lubbock Saturday will be Bettye Claude Hickey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hickey of Memphis. Winner of the Lubbock contest will compete at Dallas on July 24 for the title of state FFA sweetheart.

Miss Hickey, as sweetheart from the Memphis High School FFA chapter, was chosen to represent this district, at a banquet here last December.

At Lubbock, she will face contestants from the seven other districts in Area I.

Jimmy Hill, member of the local chapter, will be her escort.

The Greenbelt district sweetheart will appear on a television program on KDU-TV, Lubbock, which is scheduled from 4 to 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Miss Hickey, 18 years old, has participated in numerous activities during her high school career, which she is completing this spring.

She has been a member of the girls' basketball team for four years, was captain of the group in 1954-55, and was named on the all-district team from 1954 to 1956. Active in tennis, she gained



BETTIE CLAUDE HICKEY

the regional semi-finals in 1956, and the finals in 1955. She was chosen basketball sweetheart in the latter year.

A member of the high school since 1952, she was drum major this year and a majorette from 1954 to 1956. (Continued on Page Twelve)

Memphis Teams Play Thrillers In Summer Bills

Two Memphis boys teams, the Yankees and the Giants, played a thrilling exhibition softball game Saturday night on the City Park diamond, according to Ted Myers, summer recreation director. The Yankees won, 9-6.

Buster McQueen and Larry Helm each scored two runs for the winners, and Mike Simmons, John Lemons, Jimmy Harrison, Billy Ed Thompson, and Jay Dunlar made one run each.

Making two runs apiece for the Giants were David May, Hoot Jones, and John Ferrel.

Mike Simmons was winning pitcher, and Hoot Jones was the loser.

In Junior League play, the Eagles defeated the Rattlers, 13-12. After trailing 9 to 0 for three innings, the Rattlers nearly upset their opponents.

The losers put on a brilliant (Continued on Page Twelve)

Phillips Station To Be Built Here

Construction work on a new service station probably will start around June 1, Ralph Williams, consignee here for Phillips Petroleum Company, said Tuesday. The station will be located on South Front Street, just south of Robertson Street.

The structure will be built to Phillips' specifications, at an estimated cost of \$35,000, according to Williams. It will be of stone and glass construction, and everything about it will be modern and new, Williams stated.

Among features will be a double driveway, four gasoline pumps, a diesel pump, a butane dispenser. The building will measure 48 feet across the front and be 23 feet in depth. It will include a washing and greasing bay.

Construction work is expected to be completed in about 60 days after it is begun.

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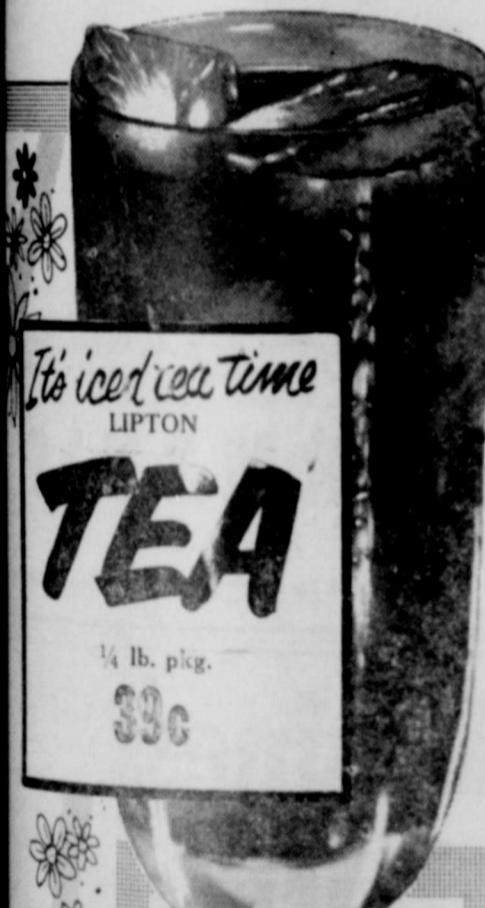
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Delphian Club Hears Program on Art Appreciation

The home of Mrs. Robert E. Clark was the scene Tuesday, May 1, at 4 o'clock for the May Day meet of the members of the Delphian Club.

The Clark living room featured as center of interest an appropriate Maypole arrangement of carnations. Mrs. Sidney Baker, president, called the meeting to order and Mrs. J. W. Stokes gave the invocation.

In her introduction of the program topic, "Art Appreciation," Mrs. Henry Hays, using a magnifying mirror as a comparison, remarked that people should magnify their appreciation of art. Program meditation was presented by Mrs. B. J. Thomson, who spoke on "Improvements of the Home."

"Blueprints for Beauty in Ceramics" was the subject discussed by Mrs. O. R. Goodall. She explained first the psychological uses of ceramics in occupational therapy, such as the asset provided by three dimensions, the outlet available for self-expression and the texture that is an aid to the blind.

Mrs. C. C. Hodges, local collector of antiques, spoke to the group on "Antiques Are My Business." She narrowed her topic to antique glass, the No. 1 collector's item today.

"One Step Up Toward Heaven" was the title of the talk by Mrs. Lynn McKown, in which she illustrated and explained Forrest Lawn Memorial Park. She told of the California cemetery's founding by Dr. Eaton, who was seeking to construct a beautiful cemetery.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to Meses A. Anisman, Sidney Baker, J. L. Barnes, Jack Boone, Kenneth Dale, Bill Hajek, Henry Hays, C. C. Hodges, O. R. Goodall, Walter D. Hicks, Mildred Stephens, Weldon McCreary, Lynn McKown, J. S. McMurry, J. K. Porter, Clyde Smith, J. W. Stokes, E. J. Thomson and R. H. Wherry.

Mr. and Mrs. James Montgomery of Amarillo visited here over the weekend with Mr. Montgomery's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Montgomery.

Society News



MRS. SAM COOK SANDY ARNOLD

Sandy Arnold and Sister, Mrs. Cook, Enjoy Visit; Both Pioneer Residents

Sandy Arnold, long-time resident of Hall County, was complimented with a dinner and surprise visit from his only living sister, Mrs. Sam Cook of Pecos, on Friday, April 20. Hosts for the affair were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McBee and Mrs. O. L. Hammonds, life-long friends of the Arnold family.

Mrs. Arnold was accompanied to Memphis by a son, Calvin Cook and family of Silverton. Numerous friends called at the McBee home during the day to visit with the out-of-town guests and Mr. Arnold.

Mrs. Cook, who is the former

Lillie Arnold, is the daughter of the late George Nathine Arnold who served as post master at Wellington for a number of years, later moving to Memphis. Although she is now living at Pecos to be near a son, Mrs. Cook still considers Memphis her home town. She and Mr. Cook lived here for many years and it was here they reared their family of 4 sons and two daughters. Mrs. Cook was born at Ennis, Texas in 1879.

Born in 1871, Mr. Arnold came to Hall County as a young man. Until he retired a few years ago, Mr. Arnold served as lobby clerk at Thompson Hotel for many years. He also worked as warehouse man for the Fort Worth and Denver Railway Co. for several years before taking the job as hotel clerk.

Gertrude Rasco To Present Pupils In Recital Sunday

Gertrude Rasco will present a group of students in an ensemble program Sunday afternoon, May 13, at 4 o'clock in the First Presbyterian Church. The program is open to the public.

The following students will play: Teresa Ann Beckham, Janie Buchanan, Pauline Buchanan, Kay Ferrel, Diane Gailey, Ginger Greene, Carol Greene, Leslie Helm, Regina Hoover, Challeons Hoover, Lynette Hoover, Carolyn Hoover, Joyce Hull, Sharon Kay Hooser, Velma Jo Hutcherson, Pamela Lindsey, Marsha Potts, Lou Carol Saied, Georgia Kay Saied, Carol Smith, Jim Stewart and Kay Stillwell.

Informal Party In Parks Home Honors Seniors

The Senior Class of Memphis High School enjoyed an annual signing party last Friday night, May 4, in the home of Miss Joy Beth Parks. The party was an informal affair, with guests dressed in school clothes.

Delicious refreshments of punch and cookies were served to the approximately 30 guests.

Seniors enjoying the party were: Bobbie Jo Welch, Marie Barnes, Betty Jean Moore, Mary Frank Garrett, Jerry McQueen, Dickey Craig, Sharon Harrison, Duane Foad, Monta June Saye, Robert Goodall, Cleve Evans, Jo Ann Odom, Dorcille Stargel, Billie Jean Stroehle, Helen Bishop, Dean Sustaie, Glenda Ellis, Rodney Lewis, Perry Till, and John Chamberlain.

Other guests included Mr. and Mrs. Glen Bruce and Sammy, Buzzy Patrick, of West Texas State College, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garrett, Jean Foxhall, a junior, and Judy Miller, a pre-freshman. The hostesses parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Parks, and Larry, her brother, also were present.

Around and About

By Helen Combs

Several local women are in Dallas this week attending the 59th convention of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs. Going from here were Mrs. J. L. Barnes, Mrs. W. C. Dickey, who is a member of the state board; Mrs. L. C. Martin, Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard, who is a state vice president; and Mrs. T. M. Harrison. Mrs. Harrison and Mrs. Barnes are both killing two birds with one stone, so to speak—attending the convention and also visiting with their children.

It was interesting to us to note that among the 9 resolutions to be presented at the TFWC state convention was one calling for the support of House Joint Resolution 588 by our 18th Congressional District Congressman, Walter Rogers, which seeks approval of the principle of reserving to the several states the power to conserve and regulate the exploration, production and distribution of their petroleum products, water, sulphur and other minerals. . . . another resolution which most women are interested in is one which relates to the inequalities of the law in the handling of separate property by married men and women and calls for petition to the 55th Legislature to pass legislation that will remove the disabilities arising from women's marital status.

Vacation days may seem ahead for most of you . . . but not for Mr. and Mrs. Temple Deaver, who are vacationing at Jamaica, Bahama West Indies, according to a press release received Monday from the Tower Isle Hotel in Jamaica . . . on vacation with them is their daughter, Dorothy, an airline hostess. The accompanying picture of Mr. and Mrs. Deaver, which was enclosed with the release, made us wish that we, too, were in Jamaica enjoying the ocean breeze.

Mrs. Robert Sexauer, who goes to Dallas each year for the Metropolitan Opera season, is being joined this year by another Memphian, Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard . . . after the convention Mrs. Kinard plans to remain in Dallas with friends over the weekend especially to attend the opera . . . The opera features 4 performances by the entire company from the Metropolitan Opera House in New York.

Sometimes we fail to notice our own surroundings and think that over the hill the pasture is just a little greener . . . this applies not only to big things but many little things which involve our every day life . . . this thought came to mind when our son-in-law came into the kitchen this past weekend and said, "I have an item for your column." He was wearing a new shirt we bought at a local store for his 23rd birthday. He went on to say that a friend in Borger had complimented his shirt and then asked him if he got it in Borger . . . when A. J. replied he had not bought it there . . . the friend said, "I knew you couldn't get a shirt like that in a town as small as Borger!" Yes, the shirt did come from Memphis — a town not one-sixth as large as Borger. The moral of the story: you might be surprised what you can find in the home town!

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DOROTHY MAE VINING

Corpus Christi Girl To Marry Henry Vallance

The announcement of the engagement of Miss Dorothy Mae Vining of Corpus Christi to Henry Lee Vallance of this city and the U. S. Navy has been made by her mother, Mrs. Estelle Starns Vining of Amite, La.

Mr. Vallance is the son of Mrs. Jewel M. Goode of Bakersfield, Calif., and A. R. Vallance of Memphis.

The wedding date will be announced later.

day, is a continuous marvel to us . . . it is not at all uncommon for people to be allergic to this and that . . . but we did not know that an allergy could be quite so severe until we talked to Mrs. Paul Buchanan of Estelline last week about her daughter, Pauline . . . seems Pauline is allergic to over 300 different items, including many foods. The allergy developed following a penicillin rash. Among the foods the doctors told Pauline she could eat was chicken, but only the rooster. Pauline, who is in her early teens, thinking chicken was chicken, one day tried eating pullet . . . the doctor was right — she broke out with a rash!

We got a chuckle out of this joke . . . hope you do too! The boss of a large company walked into the stock room and saw a young man leaning against the Coke machine doing nothing. The boss went up to him and asked, "How much do you make, young man?" "Thirty dollars a week," was the reply. Taking three crisp ten spots out of his billfold, he told the boy to be on his way. After the boy departed, the boss turned to the foreman and asked, "How long has he been here?" The foreman said, "About ten minutes. He came in to deliver a message."

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Homemaking Students From Area Schools Enjoy Style Show Friday

Adding a dash of color to classroom technique as well as practical training, homemaking students from five area schools enjoyed a style show of summer cottons at the Ritz Theatre in Memphis on Friday morning.

Students were present from Lelia Lake, Hedley, Lakeview, Estelline and Memphis. Accompanying the students were their instructors and included: Mrs. Fred Bourland, Lelia Lake homemaking teacher; Mrs. Milton Beasley, Memphis instructor; Mrs. Ben Wilson, Jr., Hedley home ec teacher; Mrs. Jess Whittington, Lakeview instructor, and Mrs. Lester Phillips, Estelline teacher.

The theatre building was furnished by Hollis Boren while cotton frocks featured in the show were from J. C. Penney Co. The event was not open to the public.

Dividing the show into three divisions, the girls first modeled sport clothes, then dresses suitable for casual wear and concluded with dresses for dress-up wear.

A lovely array of dresses for summer wear were modeled by the high school students. Each school furnished three models.

Taking part in the show as models were the following students:

Ann Douglas, Jackie B. Carole Woods of Lelia Lake; Barbara Kay Widener, Barbara Evelyn Haire of Hedley; Loveta Houdashell, Miss and Barbara Hansard of Dorothy Proffit, Diana Maurice Revell of Lakeview; LaQuetta Wade, Imogene and Linda Walker of

As each model appeared on stage, a colorful describer of the frock was given by the announcer for which the modeling. Mrs. Fred served as announcer from Lelia Lake school as did Mrs. Beasley and Mrs. Ben Wilson of the Memphis and Hedley. Evelyn Revell, senior high student from the Lakeview, was announcer for the models and the Estelline featured three announcers: Long, Linda Crisman and McClendon.

Mrs. H. M. Thompson view, Miss Faye Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles of Amarillo visited their brother, B. M. S. N. Thompson over the weekend. Fittsimon's Army Hospital, Ver, Colo.

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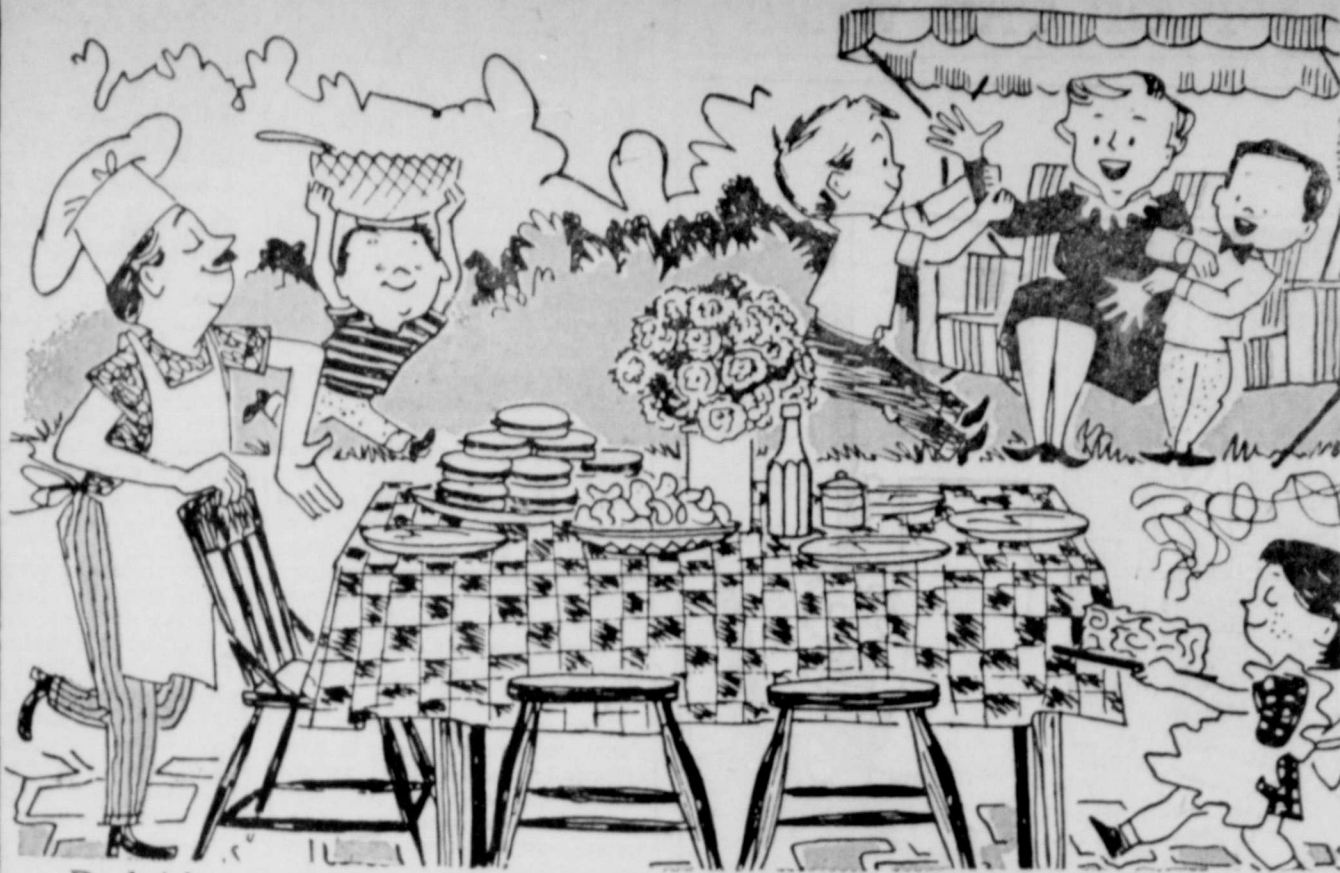
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Extension Service Perfects New Plant Varieties

COLLEGE STATION — Combine Hegari, a high-yielding grain sorghum, and cogwheel bur clover are new crop varieties released by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

The new grain sorghum variety is adapted to combine harvesting; stalks are well braced; makes a uniform growth; produces a high yield under good growing conditions; produces highly palatable stalks; is a good livestock feed but is unsatisfactory for starch making. The heads will not dry as quickly nor do they have as good exertion from the top leaf as the dry headed varieties such as the Redbines 160 and 66 and Martin.

Seed of the new variety were released to seed growers in the spring of 1955 and certified seed are now available. Adequate supplies should be available to farmers in 1957.

Cogwheel bur clover is adapted to an area extending from the Red River on the north through central Texas and to the Gulf Coast area from Orange southward to Refugio county. It is a close relative of California bur clover but produces a spineless seed pod or bur, and is adapted to the same area as its relative.

Seed may be obtained in limited quantities in seed stores in the fall of 1956. Larger quantities should be available in the fall of 1957. Unhulled seed occasionally may be purchased in 25-pound bag lots from the Foundation Seed Section of the Experiment Station, College Station.

Lakeview Eighth Grade Exercises To Be Held May 17

Commencement exercises of the Lakeview eighth grade will be held in the junior high school auditorium at 8 o'clock, Thursday night, May 17, it was announced Monday. Supt. Loran Denton will be in charge of the ceremonies.

Nila Rae Holt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Holt, who live on Rt. 2 out of Lakeview, is valedictorian of the class, and Linda L. Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Campbell of Lakeview, is salutatorian.

Others in the class are: Larry Bailey, Don Booth, Kenneth Booth, Kenneth Casteel, Minnie Clark, Glenn Dilbeck, Dwayne Floyd, Dwight Floyd, Mary Sue Freelen, Mary Hubbard, Retha June Kennard, Glenn Lemmons, Sherman Medford, Sue Melton, Josie Mestas, Reba Mitchell, Tony Molloy, Allan Murdock, Patsy Nabers, Don Neighbors, Larry Neighbors, Larry Parnell, Lois Pierce, Joyce Ponder, Minnie Rice, Quentina Sahagun, Charles Shira, Teddy Sparks, Leseta Teel, Cecil Case, and George Perkins.

Sandra Youree Hedley Lions' Queen

Sandra Youree was chosen queen last Thursday night at Hedley, in a contest sponsored by the Lions Club of that city.

Miss Youree, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Youree of Hedley, will represent the Hedley service club in queen competition at the district Lions Club convention in Amarillo, Thursday, May 17. She is 17 years old and a senior in Hedley High School.

Judges for the Hedley contest last week were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Boren, Mr. and Mrs. Aris McBoe, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ayres, all of Memphis. The men are members of the Lions Club here.

LAFF OF THE WEEK



"She told me to tell you she went out with Tom . . . You'll find her out on the back porch with our cat."

Harvest Delay Damages Cotton, Research Reveals

LUBBOCK — Cotton, kept too long in the field before harvest, undergoes harmful changes, according to research by Dr. Lyle E. Hessler, Texas Tech Textile engineering professor.

But these changes are diminished by early harvesting, Dr. Hessler reports.

His findings demonstrate that two types of chemical changes, biological and oxidative, cause degradation in field weathered cotton.

Biological decay, due to heavy rain or fog during harvest causes no harm to South Plains cotton, Dr. Hessler said. But oxidative degradation, because of sunlight, wind and dust, causes color changes in the area staples, he added.

Oxidation-induced cotton changes are latent, and show up in finishing and laundrying, Dr. Hessler said.

"Oxidation's effects are removed by alkali boiling and alkali bleaching," he stated. "Dye absorption is affected, and this causes shade variations in the completed fabric."

Oxidative degradation is lessened by early harvesting which necessitates stripping the cotton leaves by a chemical process, rather than waiting for the first frost to strip them, Dr. Hessler said.

Experiments leading to these results were conducted in two cotton fields — one weathered up to five months, starting Sept. 4, and the other up to two months, starting Nov. 9, according to Dr. Hessler.

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New Information Helps Control Vegetable Pests

COLLEGE STATION — Residue data, based on research work done at the Weslaco substation of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, clears the way for vegetable producers to do a more effective job of controlling certain insects on beans, tomatoes and peas just prior to harvest.

Extension Entomologist F. M. Fuller says that dust forms of toxaphene and heptachlor may be safely used on black-eyed peas within 10 days of harvest and on snap beans within 10 days of harvest if the beans are thoroughly washed before shipping.

He also reports that toxaphene dust is now recommended for use on tomatoes within seven days of harvest for controlling the stink bug.

This information, points out Fuller, will allow farmers to more effectively control the cowpea curculionid on beans and peas, and the troublesome stink bug on tomatoes without danger of excessive residues. Food and Drug Administration inspectors working in the Valley have been in close contact with the research being done and have approved the above recommendations, adds Fuller.

Farmers are warned, however, that these insecticides should be used only in the dust form and that they should continue to consult the Vegetable Guide, L-255, for information on the use of insecticides. Copies of the Guide are available from the offices of local county agents or from the Agricultural Information Office, College Station, Texas.

During the week of May 14-17 the agricultural spotlight will be focused on the Texas broiler industry. It's Broiler Week in Texas. The final of the Texas Broiler Festival program will be held in Corsicana during the week and a high-point of this activity will be the naming of the 1956 Broiler Queen.

Good records are a must if the farm tractor is to be operated at highest efficiency. Now these records can be put to another use, as they'll be mighty important, says Extension Agricultural Engineer W. L. Ulrich, when a claim is filed for a refund of the Federal excise tax on gasoline which is used on the farm for farming purposes.

LONE STAR Agriculture

Released by The Texas Department of Agriculture

A Boost for Poultry Products

The Texas Department of Agriculture is laying groundwork for a new and important marketing program aimed at helping the Texas poultry and egg industry.

Plans are for inauguration of a marketing service intent on improving quality of Texas poultry through inspection and grading, boosting the Texas egg industry through a grading and standards program, and thereby expanding market outlets for Texas poultry products.

Since there are at present no state laws which regulate quality or set standards for the sale of poultry or eggs within the state, Texas producers often run into problems in both local and national trade. Lack of standards often causes Texas to be used as a dumping ground for produce from neighboring states which fails to meet proper standards.

For lack of poultry inspection and egg standards laws, Texas cannot compete successfully on the national market with graded and inspected produce from other states.

Trade sentiment is strongly in favor of state laws providing for such poultry and egg inspection programs, and chances are excellent for their eventual passage. However, until such legislation is adopted, the proposed self-help program is needed to help promote Texas poultry products as quality merchandise on the national and home markets.

Such a plan, properly executed, could put thousands more dollars in the pockets of Texas growers. Through information and demonstration programs showing proper grading, handling, shipping and display and storage methods, poultrymen would learn how to market

quality produce at minimum cost. Research would be made to determine causes and cures for seasonal gluts and shortages of certain products with special emphasis on balancing the overall supply-demand situation.

Texas has long been a leading state in poultry production. In fact, the U. S. commercial broiler industry had its first beginning in the heart of the South Texas broiler area. In order to meet growing competition from other areas, highest standards must be maintained to protect Texas' interests in this big and important industry.

Pilot Holds T-33 Record at Air Base

Maj. John P. Howard, husband of the former Jimmie Fern Bell of Estelle, recently logged his 5,000th hour of flying time in a T-33 jet at Bryan, Tex., Air Force Base.

This time—totaling 208 days in the air—is at present the highest tabulation in this category at the base.

Major Howard, a wing inspector, has been flying since July, 1941, when he entered primary pilot training at Rankin Air Academy in California. Thirty-five years of age, he has flown P-40's, B-17's, and B-24's, in addition to the T-33's.

During the second World War, he flew 100 combat hours in the B-17 "Flying Fortress" over Italy. Since then, he served in China in 1948-49, and then in Japan until May, 1950.

The officer is the son of Dennis C. Howard of Lewiston, Idaho.

Erosion Report Due by May 15

Final date for reporting of emergency wind practices of listing or is May 15, Lynn L. manager of the Agricultural Conservation and Conservation office in Memphis, reminded this week.

Quite a few farmers supplied the A. S. C. office this information, and if not do so by the deadline, receive government assistance their erosion work, McKee phasized.

Church Clinics Set For Weekend

Three rural church clinics will be held this weekend under sponsorship of the Panhandle Baptist Association. Clinics are scheduled at 7:30 p. m. Friday, Lelia Lake Baptist Church, the same hour Saturday at the Lesley Baptist Church, and one will be held at 3 p. m. Sunday, at the Baptist Church in Memphis.

Dr. Carl A. Clark, professor of pastoral ministry at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth, is in charge of the clinics.

All interested persons invited to attend.

Doyle L. Collins Home From Service

PFC Doyle L. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Collins live just southeast of Memphis returned home the latter last week after receiving a charge from the Army.

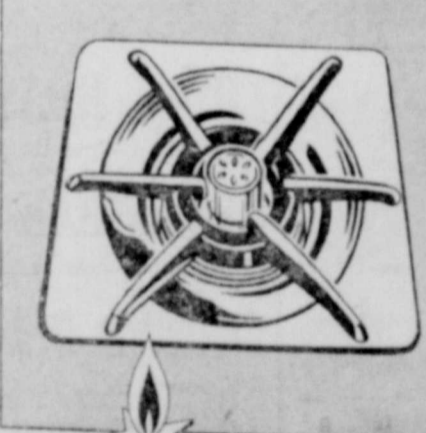
Collins was graduated Memphis High School in 1953, and entered the army in the spring of 1954, completing his training at Bliss, he was sent to Germany where he was stationed at Baden Air Base.



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- COFFEE, Folgers, 1 lb. 99c; 2 lb. \$1.96
- TEA, Liptons, 1/4 lb. 38c; 1/2 lb. 75c; 1 lb. \$1.49
- MILK, all kinds, sm. 7c; lg. 14c
- FLOUR, Gold Medal, 5 lb. 54c; 10 lb. \$1.03
- CRISCO, Snowdrift or Spry, 3 lb. 93c
- SALT, Morton's Round Box 11c
- Schillings BLACK PEPPER, 1 1/2 oz. 14c; 4 lb. 29c
- RICE, Comet, 12 oz. box 17c
- JELL-O, all flavors, 2 boxes 17c
- CHEWING GUM, all kinds, 2 pkgs. 7c
- Heinz CATSUP, lg. bottle 25c
- Ideal DOG FOOD, 2 cans 25c
- BABO or AJAX Cleanser, 2 cans 25c
- SOAP POWDER, all kinds, lg. 31c; giant 74c
- Ivory SOAP, lg. bars 15c
- TOILET PAPER, Scot Tissue, 2 rolls 23c
- ALUMINUM FOIL, roll 28c
- KLEENEX, 200 size 15c; 400 size 25c
- PAPER NAPKINS, 80 count, 2 pkgs. 27c
- PINEAPPLE JUICE, 46 oz. cans 32c
- TUNA FISH, Star Kist, Solid pack, can 36c
- Armours TREET, can 37c
- VIENNA SAUSAGE, Armours Star, can 18c
- Franco American SPAGHETTI, can 15c
- SPINACH, Dm. or HD, can 14c
- White Swan Whole GREEN BEANS, can 27c
- TOMATOES, Our Value, 2 cans 25c
- PEARS, HD. Med. cans 25c; lg. cans 39c
- PEACHES, HD. Med. can 23c; lg. cans 34c
- FRUIT COCKTAIL, HD. Med. can 25c; lg. can 39c
- LEMONS, lg. Sunkist, doz. 33c
- LETTUCE, lg. heads, each 15c
- SQUASH, nice yellow, lb. 10c
- Fresh GREEN ONIONS, bunch 5c
- Fresh CORN, New Texas, 3 for 19c
- Fresh OKRA, lb. 33c
- Fresh GREEN BEANS, fancy Ky's., lb. 24c
- Fresh STRAWBERRIES, Ark. quarts get our price
- PORK CHOPS, nice fresh, lb. 49c
- Armours Star Sliced BACON, lb. 44c
- Sliced BACON, Gold Coin or Corn King lb. 37c
- Puffin or Gladiola BISCUITS, can 10c
- Frozen ORANGE JUICE, can 19c
- Bordens ICE CREAM, pints 25c; 1/2 gallon 83c
- Bordens CHARLOTTE FREEZE, 1/2 gallon 49c
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Study Club Program on Psychology

Members of the 1956 Study Club met in the home of Mrs. ...

Paul Montgomery gave an address on the use of color in the scheme of our ...

Members of the J. O. Y. Circle met in regular session Tuesday, May 8, at 2:45 o'clock in the church parlor.

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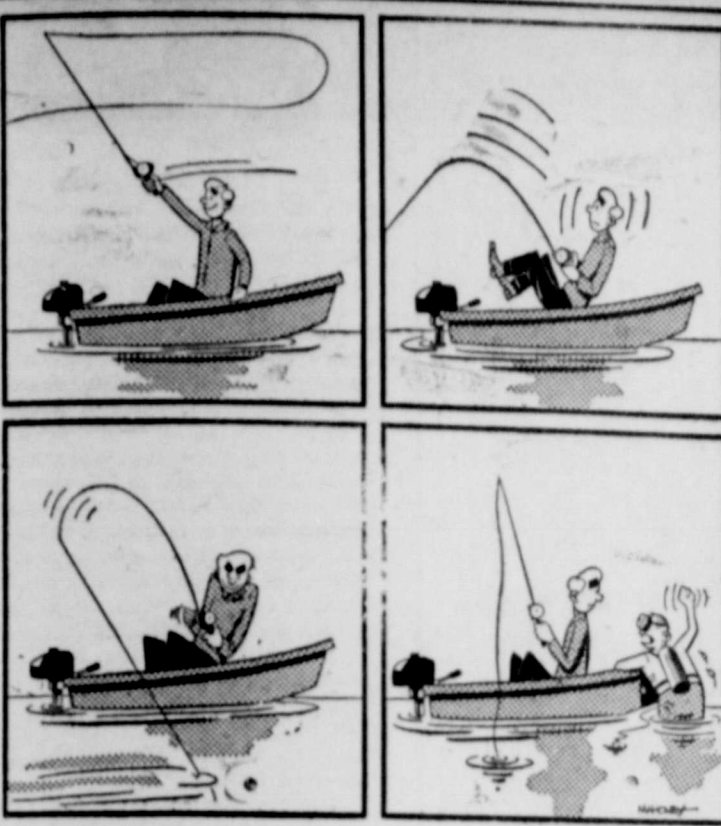
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THE BAFFLES By Mahoney



C. A. Parkers Move Here From Quanh

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J. O. Y. Circle Meets Tuesday

Members of the J. O. Y. Circle of the First Christian Church met in regular session Tuesday, May 8, at 2:45 o'clock in the church parlor.

Ice cream and cake were served to Mmes. Leroy McCoy, Oscar Maddox, Bill Maddox, Joe Williams, Dick Spoon, Harry Aspgren, Cecil Stargel and the hostess, Mrs. Knight.

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Name Estelline Eighth Grade Honor Students

Larry Braidfoot and Kathy Bennett have been declared the honor students of the eighth grade in the Estelline schools.

The valedictorian is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Braidfoot, and the salutatorian is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bennett.

Seek Fire Truck For Boys Ranch

The Panhandle Firemen's Association, of which the Memphis Department is a member, is asking for help in obtaining funds to purchase a fire truck for Boye Ranch.

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Rivalry as Force In Education Eyed

AUSTIN — Competition as an educational force gets thorough examination in a new University of Texas publication.

Combine Hegari and cogwheel bur clover are two new plant varieties developed by plant breeders of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

Wildlife Agency Cannot Take Gifts

AUSTIN — Thirty dollars in cash were mailed to the Game and Fish Commission anonymously, stipulating the money be used to help finance the Commission's wildlife restoration program.

Jaycees Thankful For Park Assistance

Memphis Jaycees wish to thank everyone who has cooperated with them in helping beautify the grounds of the City Park.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Dickey of Wellington visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Combs.

Early Romans used razors made of iron.

Mrs. L. G. Rasco Presents Lakeview Pupils in Recital

Mrs. L. G. Rasco, local music teacher, will present a group of piano students in recital on Tuesday, May 15, at 8 o'clock in the Lakeview Grade School Auditorium.

District Cuboree Set at Clarendon

A Cuboree for the Southern District of the Adobe Walls Council of Boy Scouts will be held at Clarendon on Saturday.

Cubs, parents and friends from over the district will gather at the rodeo grounds at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon and complete instructions will be given at that time on the various activities.

A wiener roast will follow, and the program will conclude with a campfire, at which time the grand champion pack will be announced and winners of the different events will be recognized.

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Editorial

No Bag Limit On Human Lives

Are human lives becoming less important than those of animals and other wildlife? On the face of it, this seems like a foolish question. But is it? For instance, there are limits, in most instances, on the number of wildlife that can be bagged, but there is no such quota on humans—at least, not on our streets and highways.

For in spite of constant pleas in the press, and on radio and television, traffic fatalities and injuries continue to increase. In fact, The Travelers Insurance Companies, who make an annual survey of the situation, have just released a report which discloses that the worst automobile toll in the nation's history was recorded last year.

During 1955, deaths in traffic amounted to 37,800 persons, compared with 35,500 the previous year, or a jump of 2,300. Last year, more people were injured, also, the number totaling 2,158,000, as against 1,960,000 the year before.

Excessive speed continued to be the most dangerous mistake drivers made in 1955, this one error alone killing 12,700. A total of 702,560 were injured because of this. The previous year's figures were 12,380 and 659,000.

Only bright spot in 1955 was on pedestrians, the report stated. Here, improvement was reflected for the fifth consecutive year. The decline was small—230,400 in 1955 compared to 235,060 one year earlier—but, nevertheless, it was an improvement.

Crossing between intersections, "jay walking," and stepping into the street from behind parked cars were the principal causes of pedestrian deaths and injuries.

Although, they constitute only 14 per cent of the United States total, drivers under 25 years of age, were involved in more than 27 per cent of the fatal accidents which occurred in 1955. This despite the fact that more and more schools are adding drivers' training courses to their curriculums.

Weekend crashes were responsible for 15,730 fatalities and 766,090 injuries. The year before, 13,980 were killed and 678,000 injured.

The report contains several other thought-provoking statements. Among them were that one of every 75 persons in this country was a traffic casualty in 1955; that 22 per cent of deaths occurred on Saturdays; that 4 to 8 p. m. were the most dangerous hours of the day; and that 85 per cent of vehicles involved in accidents were passenger cars.

Now—that summertime, when the nation's highways will be swarming with their annual crop of vacationers, is nearly here—would be an excellent time for everyone to resolve to drive as carefully as possible, and in addition, to be alert for hazards, created by other drivers.

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By HARRY GRAHAM

SCRIPTURAL PLEA FOR UNITY

In the agony of approaching the crucifixion Christ prayed for the unity of his followers. (Jno. 17:20-21) In America today there are more than 250 distinct parties, denominations, sects. All these groups recognize the tragedy of division, and most of them are increasingly seeking means and ways of bringing about the unity of all believers. It is impossible to unify all these groups on any single human (I) creed, (II) name, (III) worship. We earnestly plead for the unity of all believers on the following scriptural platform:

(I) NO CREED BUT THE BIBLE.

Human creeds are nearly always occasions, and often even the cause of discord, division, and strife. Yet all denominations can agree to accept the Bible. And the Bible is sufficient for all our spiritual needs (II Tim. 3: 16-17).

(II) NO NAME BUT CHRIST'S

Human names in religion are marks of distinctions and differences. Yet all believers in Christ are willing to be known by the simple name 'Christian.' On this name we can unite. Why not, therefore, eliminate the distinctive party names?

(III) NO ORGANIZATION BUT THE CHURCH

It would be a hopeless task to seek agreement on the multitude of guilds, societies, clubs, and other ecclesiastical organizations of modern denominationalism. But in the day of the church's greatest power and glory the local congregation was the highest and only, organization known. The church as such, can do all the work God wants done (Eph. 3:10, 21).

(IV) NO WORSHIP BUT THAT AUTHORIZED BY CHRIST

The essence of Christian worship is simplicity . . . a worship that is spiritual and not material. The great emphasis given to religious pageantry, ritualism, and elaborate forms in many churches today cannot but destroy the purpose of worship. The appeal is to the senses rather than to the spirit. By following strictly the plan of worship given by Christ and the Apostles, we can occupy a position broad enough for all Christendom.

Church of Christ

MOTHER'S DAY REMINDER

IT IS IN THE AMERICAN HOME THAT REALLY IMPORTANT ISSUES OF LIFE ARE FACED; IT IS IN THE HOME THAT THE GREAT MORAL BATTLES ARE FOUGHT; IT IS IN THE HOME THAT GOOD CITIZENS ARE MADE.



MOTHER HAS THE GREATEST INFLUENCE IN THE HOME, AND IT IS ONLY FITTING THAT, ON THIS DAY, WE ONCE AGAIN SALUTE HER.

Press Paragraphs—

QUOTING OUR NEIGHBORS

County Unity

Centering around the use of a "nail picker," owned and paid for with funds allocated for use within one individual precinct, arose a controversy in Commissioners Court this week. The situation, in our opinion, merits some publicity and further investigation because it does effect every single person in every precinct of Deaf Smith county.

In a nutshell, the circumstances can be summed up with the phrase, "Precinct Rights." The whole situation centers around one question: "Should each of the four precincts own, maintain and operate separate sets of equipment and hire precinct employees?" Or, in reverse, "Should all machinery, expenses and employees be pooled and established for county-wide use?" There are, without question, valid arguments on both sides.

As previously expressed, The Brand feels that the Commissioners Court should carefully investigate a countywide "unit" system on roads. Such a system is working well and paying handsome dividends in some other Texas counties, including Ochiltree. Chiefly, such a plan would locate a machinery warehouse in the center of the county and employ a full-time supervisor, who would be in charge of all county roads, being responsible and reporting regularly to the four commissioners. He would also ride the roads each week with each commissioner in his individual precinct, and would make purchases in a systemic manner on a bid basis of gasoline and other large items.

The proposed plan is good in that all equipment could be utilized at all times by throwing an idle maintainer from one precinct to the other, according to immediate needs. It might be bad in that priorities would have to be established on use in the individual precincts, according to actual and immediate needs. It should, however, do much toward eliminating the enormous road bills which Deaf Smith county has accrued over the past 25 years.

The county tax payer pays for and deserves good roads within his precinct, also in the area of his operations and residence. However, we doubt if very many people, after pondering the question, would want to maintain four independent little counties within the boundaries of Deaf Smith. By working together, it seems to us, more people can be served with greater efficiency and at less cost.

Our Commissioners have considered the question to some extent. They will, without doubt, appreciate your suggestions and your thinking on the subject. As we said, there are good arguments on both sides, and we do recognize their merit. Most important, though, is that citizens of the county — the people who pay the bills — make up their minds and let their wishes be heard.—Hereford Brand

Times Changed

We noticed a newspaper article recently which reminded us that it is a quarter of a century since the college and university classes of 1931 were turning into the last lap before graduation.

This was the first class to be nicknamed by some pundit "The Lost Generation." The name stuck for the principal reason that they went out into a world beset by depression and gloom, where a

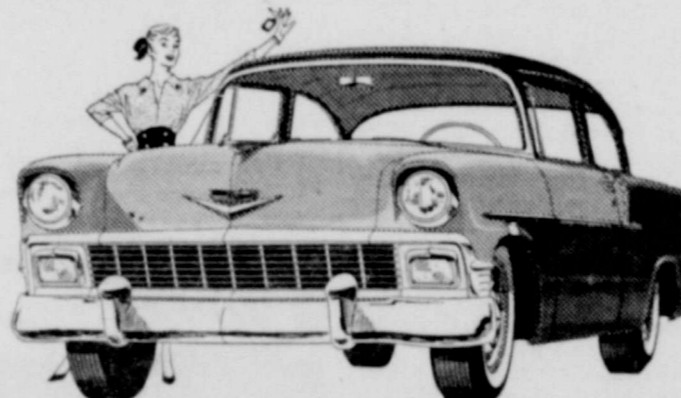
job was something rather precious.

Nowadays the situation is different. We noticed in the classified section of several metropolitan dailies this Sunday many advertisements to the effect that a big company is offering "careers" to young engineers at "starting salaries ranging from \$400 to \$1,100 per month," with "no aircraft experience necessary." Others offer "generous travel and moving allowance . . . free life and medical insurance . . . retirement pension . . . paid vacations up to three weeks . . . sick leave with pay" . . . and so on.

A college graduate of today has a dozen or more job choices, leaving him only the knotty problem of picking the best one. The young folks of today have a slew of problems, but even deducting 50 per cent for inflation, opportunity is not one of them.—Ochiltree County Herald, Perryton.

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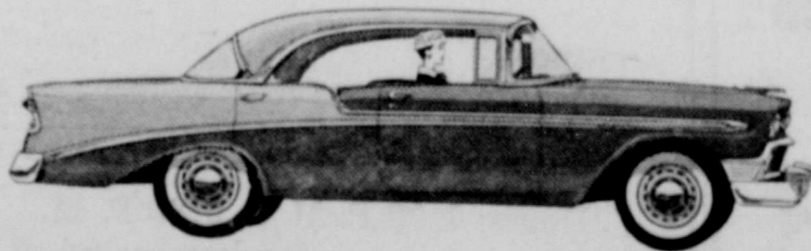
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Memories

Turning Back Time From The Democrat Files

19 Years Ago
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WILD DOG PACK CREATES BEDLAM—A pack of vicious wild dogs broke into the hog pen on the George R. Dickson farm in the Brice community last Friday night and destroyed two hogs, one belonging to Mrs. George Dickson and the other to her son Boyd.

The dog pack also killed four hens and injured a number of other hogs before the bedlam awakened the family. The men had to beat off the wild dogs with clubs, as all the ammunition for their guns had been used that afternoon in shooting jackrabbits.

The Brice area has been bothered by wild dogs before. For a time a cunning dog, known to the Brice citizens as "The Phantom" roamed the countryside, destroying farm poultry.

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similar rackets," Tarver. "Recently, there has been a siege of it in Memphis and County."

Tarver pointed out that some of these campaigns are good, all of them carry a money out of town.

MAYBE HE WASN'T IN OF BATH — NOT SURE — Temptation to across the lawn might have greatly lessened if all of us firmly believe in the expedi- the short-cut had witness- plight of one pedestrian.

While hurrying past a cent-appearing courthouse- ler, he suddenly was at- when the man who turns on, turned the water on.

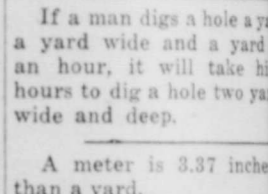
Muttering expressively, corner-cutter beat a hasty TWO STUDENTS TIE VALEDICTORIAN OF HIGH—Sue Ann Roberts, Robert Clark tied for valedictorian of the graduating class here averages of 96.84. Supt. Davis announced this week Verne Orr, whose average is the staturatorian.

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Grandmother's Friendship Tea Given by Pathfinders' Council

Members of the Pathfinders' Council entertained members and guests at a Grandmother's Friendship Tea at the home of Mrs. A. O. Gidden, May 8.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Ernest Lee, Mrs. W. W. Linville and Mrs. E. W. Wrenn. An appointed table featured punch and white and green squares were served. Refreshments were served to members and guests on May 8. During this time, Mrs. Gidden played softly on the piano a variety of selections. A welcome to the guests was given by Mrs. J. J. McDaniel, who presented a poem. Mrs. Earl Pritchett gave a reading of "If You Were a Poem." Mrs. Betty Jo DeFoe, who presented a poem, was accompanied by Betty Jo DeFoe.

The final phase of the program was an Antique Display, whose articles were brought by the members and guests, and arranged against an attractive background. The array of antiques was highlighted by the 150 year old platter belonging to Mrs. Brice Webster's grandmother, a cameo brooch, 125 years old belonging to Mrs. Mac Tarver's grandmother and a 110 year old china plate owned by Mrs. N. A. Hightower's grandmother. Each person displaying an article related its approximate age and background data.

Mother's Day Program Topic Parnell Club

Parnell Club members met at the Parnell Clubhouse on May 8. Mrs. M. A. Hightower presided. Mrs. M. A. Hightower presided. Mrs. M. A. Hightower presided.

The afternoon concluded with a group song. The next meeting date for the Pathfinders' Council will be May 22 for the Installation Program in the Cyclone Drive Inn.

Guests enjoying the affair were Mmes. Lonnie Richburg, A. E. Jones, W. D. Orr, J. B. Burnett, Pearl McCanne, J. H. Smith, J. M. Baker, T. K. Wilson, C. A. Veteto, J. M. Ferrel, Jr., Lee Thornton, N. A. Hightower, W. T. Hightower, C. E. Hankins, Clarence Vickers, Velma Cannon, J. B. Wrenn and Mac Tarver.

Members included Mmes. Gene Chamberlain, C. A. Williams, W. F. Ritchie, Hester Bowns, Barney Barnett, George Payne, W. F. McElreath, O. M. Gunstream, Anna Dickson, A. Gidden, J. J. McDaniel, E. Lee, E. L. McQueen, Lloyd Ward, W. W. Linville, Clinton Culp, Earl Pritchett and the hostess, Mrs. A. O. Gidden.

Mizpah Guild Meets May 7

The members of the Mizpah Guild met May 7 in the home of Ora Denny and Gladys Power. Mrs. Claude Ferrel opened the meeting with prayer and the afternoon's devotional thoughts were presented by Mrs. Buster Helm.

Mrs. O. V. Alexander spoke on "Enfold Even the Least of These" using as the basis for her talk the book, "In All and Through All."

Refreshments were served to Mmes. Claude Ferrel, Boyd Rogers, Bill Leslie, Mack Wilson, O. V. Alexander, Brode Hoover, Mills Roberts, Allen Grundy, Frank King, Guy Wright, Ruth Alexander, Pearl Ward, Bill Cosby, Paul Montgomery, Buster Helm, Joe Montgomery, Miss Mary Noel and the hostesses, Mrs. Ora Denny and Mrs. Gladys Power.

Mrs. A. M. Wyatt went to Dallas Wednesday of last week to visit with her brother, Walter Hollifield and his wife.



YOUTH DELEGATE . . . Marilyn Graves, 19, 4-H clubber of Hebron, Miss., represents 8 million teen-age American girls at Paris International Teen-Age Conference.

Cecil Stargels Named 'Family of The Year' by PTA

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Stargel and their children, Doreille, Sandra and Jack, were selected the Travis Family of the Year and recognized at the annual meeting of the Travis Parent-Teacher Association on April 26 in the school cafeteria.

A buffet style supper was enjoyed by the 150 persons attending the affair. Following the supper, Mrs. Gene Lindsey, program chairman, introduced the Morningside High School Choir. The Choir sang a variety of selections.

Mrs. Edward Hill, president, gave a sketch of the life and activities of each member of the Travis Family of the Year, without revealing their names until the conclusion. Mrs. Hill called the Cecil Stargel family to the front to be recognized as the Travis Family of the Year and awarded them an appropriate gift. Cecil Stargel accepted the honor for his family and thanked the P.T.A. members.

Mrs. Hill's sketch of the Stargels partially pointed out that Mr. Stargel is engaged in farming near Memphis and that the entire family are active members in church, school and civic organizations. Doreille is a popular senior student; Sandra is active in sixth grade activities and Jack, a third grade student, is interested in livestock, farming and school.

Mrs. R. H. Wherry is spending the week in Amarillo with her daughter, Mrs. J. O. Fitzjarrald and family.

Sodalitan Class Meets in Home of Mrs. A. J. Fowler

Mrs. A. J. Fowler, assisted by Mrs. Ida Hutcherson and Mrs. J. W. Smith, entertained the Sodalitan Class in the Fowler home recently when the members met in regular session.

Mrs. Henry Scott, president, presided during the business meeting which was opened with prayer led by Mrs. J. W. Fitzjarrald. "Patience" was the devotional theme presented by Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard. Officers' reports were given.

In charge of the afternoon's program was Mrs. Rud Godfrey, vice-president. She introduced Mrs. Frank Ellis, who read excerpts from Genesis, Chapter 1, in the Bible. The showing of colored slides about "Wild Flowers We All Know" concluded the program by Mrs. Ellis.

Following the singing of the class song, refreshments were served to these members and guests: Mmes. Leta Ellis, Clara Pritchett, Iva Byrd, Enod Godfrey, Iva Smith, Grace Crowder, Emma Baskerville, Omer Hill, Osie Scott, T. J. Bridges, Maude Fitzjarrald, Lottie Kinard, Ona Rasco, Pauline Wilson, Ida Hutcherson and Ethel Fowler.

Daughters of Wesley Have Class Meeting

Daughters of Wesley Sunday School Class met in the home of Mrs. W. V. Coursey Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The afternoon's program included "Behold Thy Mother," by G. Brunley Oxnam, which was given by Mrs. Bess Crump and Eliza Lamb's "Woman of the Warm Heart," reviewed by Mrs. J. N. Gilreath.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. O. M. Gunstream, Bess Crump, Brice Webster, J. N. Gilreath, A. Gidden, Sr., Henry Newman, Chas. Williams, T. J. Hampton, Jim Sharp, Clara Cummings, Miss Neville Wrenn, and the hostesses, Mrs. Coursey and Mrs. Mary Lou Erwin.

Patsy Davenport Is Shower Honoree

Miss Patsy Jean Davenport, bride-elect of Jesse Michael Rosen, was honored at a bridal shower on April 27 in the Lakeview School Cafeteria.

The approximately 95 guests who attended were greeted by Mrs. Paul Thompson and Mrs. Joe Durham, who also secured their names for the guest register.

The bride-elect's chosen colors of turquoise and white were featured in the corsage she was presented and in the decorations. The refreshment table displayed a crystal vase containing white hydrangeas and marked by turquoise sat in streamers. Crystal and silver appointments were used.

Mrs. James Skinner, Mrs. Leo Brister and Miss Katrina Nabers served punch and white cake squares adorned with blue designs.

Mrs. C. J. Reed and Mrs. Lee Blanks, assisted by Jennifer and Lometa Kay Pate, directed the program. Special music was presented by Patsy Nabers and Linda Campbell. Following the program, the honoree was presented with a number of gifts.

Hostesses for the affair were Mmes. T. W. Luttrell, R. A. Bowerman, Paul Thompson, Cartie Dunn, Lee Blanks, Raymond Martin, Lee Skinner, O. L. Favors, Ted Montgomery, Herbert Payne, Troy Payne, E. D. Hillhouse, James Skinner, Joe Durham, Fan Kirk, C. J. Reed, E. Moreland, O. E. Bevers, E. J. McKnight, M. D. Kinard, Leo Brister and Miss Katrina Nabers.

Lt. and Mrs. Douglas Barber of Wichita Falls arrived here Monday to spend a few days visiting with his mother, Mrs. Estelle Barber.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Nance of Pampa visited here with Mrs. Nance's aunt, Mrs. G. M. Bass, over the weekend. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Guthrie.

Atalantean Club Honors Guests at Mother's Day Tea

Over 70 members and guests attended the Atalantean Club Mother's Day Tea and Guest Day on May 2 at 3 o'clock in the Methodist Church Annex. Sharing hostess duties for the affair were Mrs. Claud Johnson, Mrs. W. R. Scott, Mrs. Earl Allen and Mrs. Jack L. Rose.

The program introduction was given by Mrs. J. W. Coppedge. Billie Jean Stroehe, accompanied by Mary Frank Garrett, sang "Silver Threads Among the Gold" and "When You and I Were Young, Maggie." Mrs. Ralph Williams read a medley of appropriate poems including "Ma and the Auto," "The Old Razor Strap," "When Ma's Away," "Little Things," "God Made This Day For Me" and "Where is Mother?"

"Paying Mother a Beautiful Tribute," by Margaret Hill McCarter, was reviewed by Mrs. N. A. Hightower. She summarized the main thought as "a touching tribute to the love of all mothers whether they be in palace or cabin and a little romantic insight into the lives which were touched by one of those mothers."

Refreshments of gold and white finger sandwiches, pickles, olives, strawberry and cream meringues and gold punch were served. The Cyclone Cafe will be the scene for the next meeting of the Atalantean Club on May 16 at 12.30 o'clock.

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Revised School Library Facilities Presented to Memphis Faculty Members

A meeting with its purpose being to acquaint the Memphis Public Schools Faculty members with the revised school library was held Monday, May 7, at 3 o'clock in the library, which is housed in the high school building. The meeting was directed by Miss Ira Hammond, school librarian. Assisting Miss Hammond were student members of the Librarians' Club.

Miss Hammond gave a brief opening talk on state requirements for a high school library and introduced Tanya Kay Fletcher, chairman of the librarians. She welcomed the faculty, explained the purpose of the meeting and introduced the co-chairman, Guyula Cawfield, who is in charge of shelving the library books. She gave a report on the number of books, magazines and newspapers a school should have for each pupil enrolled.

The number system of classifying the books was explained in groups. Everly Kittrell and Martha Hawthorne pointed out the classification number and position on the shelves of the fiction books; Brenda Duncan and Judy Lemon, the biography books; Priscilla Wright, the short stories; Jarita Hartman, reference books; Dorothy Moore, the social sciences; Carolyn Ferrel, the language books; Lois Clark, the general science books; Charlotte Clayton, the useful and fine arts books and Linda Leslie, the speech, history and travel books.

These students explained also the quantity of books the state recommends in each division and the number possessed by the Memphis library.

Marie Barnes, who is in charge of mending books that can be repaired in the school workshop, discussed her tasks and recognized Helen Bishop for her work in keeping the magazines repaired. Carolyn Ferrel presented each person present with a clever bookmark made by the students in the Librarians' Club.

Jean Foxhall, chairman of the Card Catalog work, gave a summary of the initial beginnings of the card catalog, which was begun effectively about six years ago by Miss Hammond and various groups of students since then. She explained the processing procedure every book requires to be properly displayed and cataloged. Patricia Gammage displayed examples and explained the Picture File and the Vertical File available to faculty members and pupils in the same manner a book is checked out.

The students presented each faculty member with a labeled booklet listing articles other than books available to faculty members of all the Memphis schools. The list included indexes of pictures, vertical file, films, film strips, and miscellaneous items. Miss Hammond cited Tanya Fletcher and Patricia Gammage for their work in compiling the booklets. Tanya Fletcher concluded with a talk presenting to the faculty the library and its facilities and urging them to make use of it.

Punch and cookies were served to the teaching staffs from Travis and Austin Elementary Schools, the Junior High and High Schools, their principals, Supt. W. C. Davis and County Superintendent Mary Foreman.

Mrs. Ella Johnson Is Party Honoree In McQueen Home

Mrs. Ella Johnson was honored at a surprise birthday party on May 4 in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Arvor McQueen.

The guests, arriving at 2:30 o'clock, were greeted by the hostess, Mrs. McQueen. The entertaining rooms were decorated with various varieties of garden flowers.

The group enjoyed visiting and the displaying of the birthday gifts by the honoree.

The white-covered serving table was centered with a white frosted, four-tiered birthday cake, a gift from Mrs. Dick Spoon. The cake was garlanded with pink garden roses highlighting a satin covered maypole from which pastel satin streamers were attached to gaily colored Japanese fans, gifts for the guests. Pale green punch, colored mints and assorted nuts complemented the refreshments.

Mrs. Grady Simpson, Mrs. Dick Spoon, Mrs. R. E. Crooks and Miss Ann Spoon assisted Mrs. McQueen with serving duties.

Attending were Meses. Anna Dickson, Velma Cannon, Grady Simpson, Pearl McCanne, Cora Tynner, E. E. Foster, Jett Roberts, L. G. Yarbrough, Guy Kercheville, Nellie Gerlach, Fanny Gerlach, Florence Paschall, C. E. Gowan, W. B. Funk, A. B. Jones, C. E. Hankins, Leroy McCoy, Dick Spoon, R. E. Crooks, Miss Ann Spoon, the hostess, Mrs. McQueen and the honoree, Mrs. Johnson.

Those sending gifts included Meses. Herb Curry, J. M. Ferrel, George Hammond, L. Simpson, R. A. Lemon, Boyce Bruce, Alla Boswell, Miss Roselyn Williams and Judy Carol Bruce.

Salisbury Club Has Social Hour

The Salisbury Club members met recently in the home of Mrs. L. I. Davis, with Mrs. Davis and Mrs. C. F. Stout sharing hostess duties.

The group enjoyed a social hour, during which Mrs. Ed Hutcherson played a medley of sacred songs. Mrs. Ernest Lee gave a prayer and a short story entitled "Mothers" was read by Mrs. E. L. Kilgore.

Refreshments of sandwiches, cake, and iced drinks were served to guests Meses. C. A. Veteto, Ted Barnes, Dick Hutcherson, Rolly Kelly and G. M. Bass. Members present included Meses. C. A. E. Lockhart, T. K. Wilton, C. A. Williams, Ed Hutcherson, E. L. McQueen, Jess Mitchell, D. C. Messick, C. W. Lawrence, Ernest Lee, E. L. Kilgore, and the hostesses, Mrs. Stout and Mrs. Davis.

Debs Cofer Recognized For Scholarship at SWTSC

Debs Cofer, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cofer of Memphis, was cited for his scholarship in physics during Awards Day at Southwest Texas State College last Thursday. The state school is located at San Marcos.

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Collins Home Is Scene For Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Collins entertained with a dinner recently honoring their son, Doyle L. Collins, who has returned home following 18 months of service in Germany with the U. S. Armed Forces.

Mr. and Mrs. Collins had the pleasure of having all eight of their children home for this occasion.

Enjoying the family gathering were Mr. and Mrs. Estal Collins and son, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Collins and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Thomas and daughter, all of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Collins and family of Lakeview, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith and son of Weatherford, Fred Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Collins and son, all of Memphis.

Other friends and relatives present were Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Webb and daughter of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Dean Jones and daughter of Lubbock, Jim Beasley of Lelia Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Virgal Adams and boys of Amarillo, Mrs. Della Smith of Clarendon, Troy Moore and Don Stewart of Memphis, and Mr. and Mrs. Davis of Memphis.

Lakeview WSCS To Feature Bake Sale Saturday

Lakeview Women's Society of Christian Service will hold a bake sale Saturday, May 12. The sale starts at 8:30 a. m. and will be at the corner of the Lakeview Post Office.

Delicious home-baked pies, cakes and other goodies will be sold. Members suggest this will be an ideal place to buy your dessert for that Mother's Day dinner.

Mrs. E. G. Archer and George visited over the weekend in Oklahoma City with Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Kinsley and family and Sgt. and Mrs. Kent W. Archer and family. Sgt. Archer and family are leaving this week for Kings Lynn, England, where Sgt. Archer has been assigned for 3 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Painter of Sunray visited in Memphis Monday with Mrs. Painter's sister, Mrs. J. E. Gable, and husband.

PARNELL

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Mothershead and Mrs. Eric Trapp visited Sunday afternoon near Estelline in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Hutchison and the S. P. Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Weatherly of Spade visited with relatives here over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Morehead were guests Sunday afternoon of Mrs. Shortie Nivens and her mother, Mrs. Jackie Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Ryan of Tishomingo, Okla., were guests Saturday night in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Morehead.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Bruce visited over the weekend with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wheeler and daughter Nema were weekend guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pargo Winn.

Mrs. Susan Pearce, mother of Mrs. Wilbur Potts, who is a patient in the Twilight Rest Home in Childress, suffered a stroke Monday night of last week. She has been critically ill, but is somewhat improved now.

Mrs. Maude Billingsley of Memphis was a guest Friday evening of Mrs. Ray Weatherly.

Marilyn and Jeanette May of Newlin visited with their grandmother, Mrs. T. W. Potts, part of last week.

A group of ladies of the community met at the church last Thursday and painted the interior of the building.

Mrs. Bill Grett, Mrs. Carl Hill and Mrs. Jimmie Weatherly will be members of the choir which will sing at the Baccalaureate Service at the Estelline high school on May 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fielding of Quail honored her mother, Mrs. Ernest Neel, with an ice cream and cake supper last Thursday evening. The occasion was Mrs. Neel's birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bridges attended the old settler's picnic at Dean's Crossing, near Vernon, Saturday and later visited in Vernon with relatives.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Warren W. Witham of Long Beach, Calif. announce the birth of a son, who has been named Micheal Warren. Micheal Warren weighed 6 pounds and 3 ounces at the time of his birth on May 6. Mrs. Witham is the former Merlene Burks, former Memphis resident.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Welch of Borger are the parents of a daughter, who was born in a local hospital early Thursday morning. She weighed 6 pounds, 8 ounces at birth, and has been named Susan Lynette. Mrs. Welch is the former Patsy Nell Combs.

A son, Steve Allen, was born April 25 to Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Marcum of Amarillo. Steven Allen weighed 8 pounds and 12 ounces. Formerly Edith Compton, Mrs. Marcum was a resident here many years.

Miss Mary McCanne Is Airline Hostess

Miss Mary McCanne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCanne of Pecos, former residents of Lakeview, has recently received her wings as a stewardess with American Airlines after completing a course of instruction at the airline's training school in Chicago.

Miss McCanne has been assigned to flight crew duty on American Airlines flagships operating out of the Tulsa area.

A graduate of Lakeview High School, Miss McCanne attended Texas Technological College in Lubbock where she majored in home economics and was selected a campus beauty.

Mrs. R. N. Francis of Dallas and Mrs. R. P. Baker of Fort Worth will return to their homes Friday after a week's visit here with their sisters, Mrs. Vernon Fowler, Mrs. O. B. Phillips and Mrs. Maggie Martin.

Farmers Advised To Keep Alert For Grasshoppers

COLLEGE STATION—Farmers should be alert to the possibility of severe grasshopper infestations this spring and summer and be ready if necessary, to take the proper control measures in time to stop heavy crop damage, says Freeman M. Fuller, Jr., Extension Entomologist, Texas A&M College.

USDA reports indicate that farmers will need to be on the lookout for hoppers in Panhandle and southward along crock and from the Red River into deep central Texas.

If conditions are favorable, young, wingless grasshoppers will begin hatching during this month, and possibly June. Applications of insecticides should begin as soon as possible after hatching, and if the insects are numerous, several applications may be necessary. In applying insecticides, farmers should look for hatching grounds on roadsides, field margins, ditch banks and unused land bordering croplands. Treatment of these areas will prevent hoppers from moving into fields where such operations as plowing and disking may already have cut down the numbers of hatchable eggs.

In the use of any insecticide the instructions of the manufacturer should be carefully followed to avoid harmful residues on crops. County agents are a good source of information about specific measures to be used in any particular region or situation.

A number of insecticides now available are effective in grasshopper control. Aldrin, dieldrin, heptachlor, and toxaphene among those listed.

A-3c John Ferguson At Korean Air Base

Airman Third Class John Ferguson recently was assigned to Kimpo Air Base in Korea as an aircraft operator. He is son of Mrs. W. H. Peters of Memphis, with whom his daughter, year-old Vickie, is living.

Before his enlistment in Air Force in November, Airman Ferguson had completed three years service in the Army.

Fires Damage Wildlife Habitat

AUSTIN — Enormity of fire to game and fish habitat forest and brush fires in Texas prompted the Texas Forestry Service to ask game wardens to fire safety with hunters and fishermen. D. A. Anderson, chief of game and law enforcement, told the annual warden school that hunters contribute "alarmingly" to the blaze which have cut so sharply into the life cover and feed. He said that more than one-third of the fire in timber country have been due to careless outdoorsmen.

Mrs. Boyd Rogers, president of the Presbyterian Mizpah Church, Mrs. Brode Hoover, Mrs. J. Roberts, Mrs. O. V. Alexander and Mrs. Will E. Leslie attended the Spring Presbyterial for Amarillo district in the Amarillo Presbyterian Church April 26-27.

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Report From Washington

By Walter Rogers
Congressman, 18th District



denial of federal funds to those school districts that were not desegregated. The author of the amendment feels that an attempt will be made to defeat his amendment by having it brought up at a time when those Members favorable to it are not in attendance. And having it voted on under circumstances that would not require a recorded vote. His letter to the other Members of Congress indicates that there is a small group of individuals who will appear in the gallery on the day of the vote to make mental notes of the Members who are not present and voting, and to immediately expose to the press and the public generally these Members. This is somewhat of an odd twist with reference to this amendment. Heretofore, it has been argued that the Powell Amendment would be adopted because many Members who oppose federal aid to education would vote to make the amendment a part of the bill, so that Members from the South who generally favor federal aid to education would not be able to vote on the final passage. That by such procedure the entire bill could be defeated. This gives you some idea of the mental gymnastics that go on in Washington. The truth is that there is entirely too much piggy-back legislating; that is, the

attaching of legislative riders, because of the fear that the rider could not stand up for passage if offered as a separate bill. There is no reason why these legislative matters should not be treated separately. If a proposal will make a good law, there is no reason why it could not be debated on its own merits. If it would result in a bad law, it has no business being attached to a good law simply because it cannot pass on its own merits.

In any event, you can watch for some fireworks on the federal aid to education bill and may expect the race issue to be the number one controversy.

Defense Appropriation

When you receive this letter the House, according to the present schedule, will be considering the Defense Appropriation Bill. As you know, there has been a tremendous amount of controversy recently as to whether or not Russia has outstripped us in air power. The reports would indicate that Russia had gone ahead. However, I call to your attention the fact that it would not be good policy for this country to be openly advertising its potential air strength. The Congress has provided the funds asked for by the Defense Department for carrying out an effective defense program, one that was designed and advertised to keep this country well ahead of its potential enemies. If the Defense Department has failed this latter item, an immediate correction would be in order. However, it must be recognized that our potential air strength, whether ahead or behind Russia, cannot be openly and notoriously advertised. If we are behind Russia, these facts should be made known to the Congress so that the program may be stepped up without delay. This procedure would require no backbiting, name-calling or bitter arguments, that could serve the only purpose of benefitting our enemies. The tremendous size of this appropriation bill, to wit: 33 billion, 635 million, 66 thousand dollars for the fiscal year July 1, 1956, through June 30, 1957, would indicate that ample funds are available if properly used.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McMurry visited in Dumas over the weekend with Mr. McMurry's mother, Mrs. T. M. McMurry, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ferrel and children visited in Lubbock Friday afternoon.



DR. JAMES B. ROBERTS

Roberts Speaker At Lelia Lake Commencement

Speaker at the Lelia Lake High School commencement exercises on Friday night, May 25, will be Dr. James B. Roberts, head of the department of education and chairman of the professional and vocational division of West Texas State College.

Dr. Roberts received his B. A. and M. A. degrees from North Texas State College at Denton, and was awarded the doctorate in 1943 by George Peabody College for Teachers.

PFC Gary Ferguson Driver School Grad

Pfc. Gary E. Ferguson, son of Mrs. W. H. Peters of Memphis, recently was graduated from the 85th Infantry Regiment's driver's school at Bamberg, Germany.

Ferguson, a member of Headquarters Company of the Regiment's 3rd Battalion, entered the Army in April, 1955, and completed basic training at Fort Riley, Kan. He arrived in Europe last December.

Jimmie Gean Stanford, who had been visiting his grandmothers, Mrs. Tom Lenoir and Mrs. E. H. Stanford, left Saturday morning for Seattle, Wash., to visit his mother. He was discharged from the Navy at Norfolk, Va., about two weeks ago. Prior to that time he was stationed in the Panama Canal Zone for 10 months.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Ferguson left Saturday for a visit in Fort Worth with friends, and in Little Rock, Ark., with Mrs. Bertha Grant and family. They expected to be gone about two weeks.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Gerlach Sunday were her daughter-in-law and grandchildren, Mrs. Carl Gerlach, John and Jo Ella, of Hedley.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cooper and Dale of Hobbs, N. M., visited in Memphis over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Mac Graham.

Visiting here during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Chaney and Rhonda of Amarillo.

Mickey and Bobbie Neal Dawson of Amarillo visited here Friday night with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Clent Srygley.

John Shadid returned Tuesday from Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hickey and Mr. and Mrs. Brigham Young visited in Amarillo Sunday with the Hickey's son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hickey and Janet.

Mrs. Claude Betts of Amarillo spent the weekend here with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Burnett.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Shankle visited in Lockney over the weekend with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lee, Jr.

Maureen Ward of Amarillo visited here over the weekend.

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Mrs. Zelma Lamkin visited last week in Amarillo with her sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. John Lamkin, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Lamkin, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Lamkin, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lamkin, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lamkin.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy White and family of Fort Worth spent the weekend here with their aunts, Mrs. J. G. Gardner and Winnie Cassels.

Harold and Carroll Foxhall are here visiting their father, G. J. Foxhall. The boys arrived last Thursday on leave from the U. S. Air Force until May 25. Harold is presently stationed in Virginia and Carroll is serving on the Texas Tower off the Massachusetts coast.

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Brotherhood Meets At Turkey Tuesday

A brotherhood meeting of the Panhandle Baptist Association will be held in the First Baptist Church at Turkey on Tuesday evening, according to Rev. Lanham Campbell, pastor of the Travis Baptist Church here.

A stew supper will be served at 7 o'clock, followed by a program at 8 o'clock.

One of the features of the program will be an address by Dr. H. C. Sivells, state secretary for Brotherhood and Royal Ambassador work in New Mexico.

Dr. Sivells holds an A. B. degree from Howard Payne College, and an M. A. degree from North Texas State College, and has done graduate work at Baylor Medical College, as well as worked on the Ph. D. degree at the University of Texas.

He taught for 16 years in Texas high schools, and was head of the Department of Biology at Southwestern College at Georgetown for five years.

After serving as associate Brotherhood secretary of Texas for nearly four years, he was named Brotherhood and Foundation Secretary of New Mexico, June 1, 1954.

Some 40 men are expected to attend the Turkey gathering from the First Baptist and Travis Baptist churches here. Among them are: Kenneth Dale, president of the First Baptist Brotherhood; and Cecil Edwards, president of the Travis Brotherhood.

T. J. Bridges of Memphis, is the program chairman for the session, and T. C. Messer of Clarendon, will preside.

Lions To -

(Continued From Page One) honor our high school band. This is a fine group of students, and deserve full recognition from everyone."

Full details of the evening's program have not been worked out, Lindsey stated.

Committee members are as follows:

Cooks — H. E. Craig, chairman; A. L. Galle, J. W. Coppedge, Bill Cosby, R. A. Massey, O. L. Helm, Herb Curry, M. C. Allen, Joyce Webster, Bill Baten, O. S. Goodpasture, Homer Tucker, W. B. Wilson, Dr. Leon Taylor, Dick Fowler, Roy Coleman, and Herman Vallance.

Drinks — Kenneth Dale, chairman; Doyle Fowler, Ted Myers, Billy Hall, John McCauley, Charley Cape, Frank Van Pelt, and M. O. Goodpasture.

Entertainment and drawing — Bob Ayers, Chairman; Arlis McBee, Robert Spicer, H. J. Howell, Elmont Branigan, O. R. Saye, and Earl Pritchett.

Prizes — Pete Shankle, chairman; Clifford Farmer, Elmont Branigan, and Bill Leslie.

Advertising — H. A. Combs, chairman; Ted Myers, Clifford Farmer, and Dr. Jack Rose.

Finance and Tickets — Lynn McKown, chairman; Billy Ray Jones, Bill Leslie, and Arlis McBee.

Visitation — O. R. Saye, chairman; Bob Ayers, Arlis McBee, and J. W. Coppedge.

Choir To Appear At Local Church

The Dallas Christian College Choir will present a program Monday evening at the First Christian Church in Memphis, according to an announcement Tuesday. Included will be solos, duets, trios, quartets, and a girls' sextet, as well as several instrumental numbers. Paul Hancock of Memphis, a ministerial student at the college, furnished information on the choir's appearance here.

The program is scheduled to start at 7 o'clock.

The musical group will be accompanied by Prof. M. Baker who will render a solo, and Mrs. J. T. Segroves who will be featured at the piano. The choir has toured both Texas and New Mexico.



DR. H. C. SIVELLS

Honor Students -

(Continued from page 1) Mrs. U. F. Coker, Jr., is sponsor of the group.

The graduates will leave Saturday morning on their senior trip, following a breakfast prepared by ladies of the Methodist Guild. After spending Saturday night in Austin, they will go on to Galveston for a visit of several days. They also plan to visit places of interest in other cities.

The seniors will be accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. U. F. Coker, Jr., Mrs. Doc Williams, Mrs. Roy Arnold, Mrs. H. E. Mullin, Jr., Mrs. Claude Wilson, Mrs. Burl Pierce, Mrs. Ralph Meacham, Mrs. George Setliff, Mrs. Mark Lane, and Mrs. Jess Russell.

State Legislature -

(Continued From Page One) State Affairs Committee, the School Districts Committee, and the Motor Traffic Committee.

The commencement speaker has been active in church and Boy Scout activities at Matador, and is a former superintendent of schools, former school trustee, former chairman of the county school board of Motley County, and past president of the Matador Lions Club. He is an honorary member of the Matador FFA chapter.

Baccalaureate services for the Memphis seniors will be held at 8 o'clock Sunday evening, May 20, in the high school auditorium. The graduates plan to leave on their annual senior trip following the commencement exercises.

Greenbelt -

(Continued From Page One) 1953 to 1956.

This year, she was on the annual staff and in the cast of the senior play.

Other activities include membership in the F. H. A. Club in 1953, and serving as secretary-treasurer of her class in 1952. In the latter year, she also was on the student council.

Winning honors is nothing new to Miss Hickey, for she was class queen in 1953, and was first in the annual beauty contest in 1952-53, and third in 1954-55, and in 1955-56.

Tractor Injures Mrs. Leslie's Father

Mr. and Mrs. Will Leslie were called to Slaton Wednesday morning to be at the bedside of Mrs. Leslie's father, G. W. Jones, who had suffered serious injuries when a tractor ran over him.

When found lying in his yard, members of the family believed he had suffered a heart attack. Upon examination by a physician, it was found that he had received chest injuries. When Mr. Jones recovered consciousness, he reported that one wheel of the tractor passed over his chest.

Mr. Leslie reported Thursday morning that he was recovering from the accident. Mrs. Leslie remained in Slaton.

Hunger Worse Than Law, Man Decides

Hunger Wednesday outweighed prospects of a possible trip to the penitentiary, as far as a Wichita man was concerned. Walking into the office of Sheriff W. P. Baten, the man reported he had not eaten in two days and wanted to give himself up in connection with check offenses in Wichita Falls.

Baten called Wichita Falls and found that the fugitive from hunger had a felony warrant for forgery against him. The suspect told the officer he had passed two forged checks on his employer in February, before leaving for California.

En route back, he ran out of money to buy food, and by the time he reached Memphis, hunger had become more menacing than the law.

County Democrats -

(Continued From Page One) farm commodities for the two-fold purpose of enriching business and industrial interests at the farmer's expense, and of forcing the family-sized farmer off the farm into cities, to compete with industrial labor, in the hope that wages would be depressed, further benefitting business and industry.

The resolution concludes by asking a fair price for the farmer's products, "if he in turn will agree to abide by a production control program designed to prevent the accumulation of unmanageable surpluses."

In the other three resolutions, the delegates favored:

Instructing the Texas delegation to oppose inclusion of civil rights or anti-segregation planks in the national Democratic platform.

Making conservation and regulation of gas, oil, minerals, and other resources the responsibility of individual states.

Restoring the two-thirds rule at national conventions.

J. Claude Wells was elected permanent chairman of the county convention, and Herschel Combs was chosen permanent secretary.

All 12 voting precincts in the county held conventions Saturday to elect delegates to the county meeting and to draft resolutions.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Neel of Memphis visited in Dumas Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Neel. Other dinner guests in the Neel home were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fielding and Jarrell of Quail, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Neel and Lilith of Hereford. The occasion was honoring Owen Neel on his birthday anniversary.

Political Announcements

The Memphis Democrat is authorized to announce the following as candidates for public office, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July.

For District Attorney: ALLEN HARP (Re-Election) JOHN T. FORBIS PAUL SPILLMAN

For State Representative: ELBERT REEVES (Re-Election) WILLIAM L. (WILL) EHRLE

For District Judge: LUTHER GRIBBLE (Re-Election)

For District Clerk: MILDRED STEPHENS

For County Sheriff: W. P. (BILL) BATEN (Re-election, second term)

For County Attorney: Wm. B. TEAGUE (Re-Election)

For Tax Assessor-Collector: Mrs. W. C. (MELISSA) ANDERSON

For Commissioner, Precinct 1: EDWIN HUTCHERSON (Re-Election)

For Commissioner, Precinct 3: S. E. WINKLER PETE DAVIS EDWARD F. KENNEDY

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Lakeview Senior Class Plans Made

Evelyn Revelle will deliver the valedictory address at commencement exercises for the Lakeview High School graduating class, Friday evening, May 18, in the junior high school auditorium. Making the salutatory address will be Jo Ann Melton. Evelyn is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Revelle, who live on Route 1 out of Lakeview, and Jo Ann is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Melton of Lakeview.

High-ranking boy in the class was Nolan Salmon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Salmon, who reside on Route 1 out of Lakeview.

Dr. Rupert N. Richardson, president emeritus of Hardin-Simmons University, will be the commencement speaker.

Supt. Loran Denton will present diplomas to the seniors.

Baccalaureate services for the graduates are scheduled for 8 o'clock Friday night, in the First Baptist Church at Lakeview. Rev. Jim H. Sharp, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Memphis, will deliver the sermon.

Receiving diplomas, besides the honor students, will be the following: Joyce Ann Arloia, Marietta B. Byars, Clara Canida, Sherry Denton, Jimmie Hunter, Edith

Regional Champs -

(Continued From Page 1) 1934, when Jimmy Gilreath, now Mrs. Jack Norman of Matador, defeated all of her singles' rivals at Austin.

Accompanying the Lakeview girls last weekend were: Supt. and Mrs. Loran Denton, parents of Sherry; Mrs. V. C. Durrett, mother of Rita Doyce; Mrs. Clyde Reed, mother of Martha; and Mrs. Jack Wolf.

Murlock, Dortha Proffitt, Mary Sahagun, Jean Sams, Robert Davidson, Gurvis Kennard, Jerry Lemmons, Roy Molloy, Billy Paschall, Regnal Robertson, Kenneth Shira, and Vernon Whitehead.

Following the commencement exercises, the graduates will leave for New Orleans on their senior trip. They will be gone approximately one week, returning home by way of Galveston and Dallas.

Accompanying them will be their sponsor, George James, and Mrs. James, Mrs. Jeanette Irons, and Barney Joe Beavers.

Hedley to Play League Tilt Sunday

Hedley will play the Rath Packing Company baseball team of Amarillo Sunday afternoon at Hedley, in a Cap Rock League contest. The game is scheduled to begin at 3 o'clock.

This will be the second league game of the season for Hedley, the squad having defeated Groom in their opening tilt.

Prior to the regular season, Hedley split games with Clarendon, and lost to the West Texas State College Buffaloes from Canyon.

Senior Follies Due Monday Night

The Memphis High School graduating class will present their annual Senior Follies Monday night in the high school auditorium. Curtain time is 7:30 o'clock.

All seniors will participate in the presentation, which is reported to be entirely different from any previous Follies.

Admission will be 50 cents for adults, and 25 cents for students.

Memphis Teams -

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batting display in the fourth, combining homers by Barry Phillips and Phil Howard with six hits, to force the Eagles into an overtime session before they could unknit the contest in the fifth.

Jimmy Morris and Robert Gardner, of the Eagles, made three runs each, Robert Moss tallied two, and Dan Goffinett, Perry Wright, Bunky Adcock, Kenneth Allison, and Teddy Barnes once. Gardner banged two homers.

Adcock pitched for the Eagles, and Gardner for the Rattlers.

The Memphis Cardinals, composed of boys from 14 to 16 years of age and captained by Tomie Tucker, will play a Clarendon team there Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Saturday night, Parnell will come here for a match at City Park with one of the Junior League teams, according to Myers.

Memphians Plan -

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in the Hotel Sneed. The convention will include a banquet Friday night, May 18, and the program will conclude Saturday afternoon, May 19, following a noon luncheon.

Charlie Cotton, manager of the transportation department of the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce, is scheduled to address the convention, and L. B. Dean, district highway engineer at Wichita Falls, probably will speak.

Expected to attend the gathering are representatives from Texas, Oklahoma, Colorado, and Wyoming, the states the highway traverses.

Mrs. Callaway's

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First Baptist Church at

In addition he was a member of the Quana Club, and was a member Knights Templar Comman

Survivors, besides Mrs. way, include: his wife; daughters, Dr. Mildred of Glen Rose, and Mrs. of Pasadena, Tex.; two

Hanna of Quana, and Hanna of Sulphur Springs

sisters, Mrs. J. W. Alex Mrs. R. E. L. Pattie, Lubbock; and 13 grand

Funeral rites were con 9 a. m. Friday in the F odist Church at Glen

another service was he First Baptist Church in 5 p. m. the same day. Burial was in the Qu

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