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Emergency Feed Program Now Open to Stockmen

County stockmen can now apply for the Emergency Feed Program. The program is open to stockmen who have been affected by the drought. The program will provide feed for stockmen who are unable to purchase feed on the open market.

When these applications for feed are approved they should be carried to the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation office where a purchase order will be issued for the grain, Lynn L. McKown, office manager of ASC, said.

This purchase order will be good for \$1.00 per hundred pounds of the actual grain in the feed pellet, McKown said. If the feed is 75 per cent grain feed, the purchase order will amount to \$15.00 on a ton of feed. If it is 60 per cent feed, the amount will be \$12.00 on a ton, he continued.

Under this program the feed dealers who sell the grain have to be approved by the County ASC (Continued on Page Twelve)

Agricultural Credit Meeting Set for Sept. 28 at FHA Office Here

Meeting of importance to representatives of all sources of agricultural credit in Hall County will be held Sept. 28 at 3 p. m. at the office of the Farmers Administration in Memphis. The meeting is being held to discuss the needs of the county and to plan for the future.

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Cyclone Tangles With Cubs Here

Memphis Cyclone will tangle with the Estelino Cubs at 8 p. m. at the Cyclone Stadium Friday night. The game is expected to be a close one.

Estelino will have some new uniforms for the game this week, Wood said. They are white with green trim. The Cub schedule for the remainder of this year is as follows: Sept. 28, Lockett Home; Oct. 5, Turkey Home; Oct. 12, Matador Home; Oct. 19, Kress There; Oct. 26, Quittake There; Nov. 2, Wheeler Home; Nov. 9, Silverton There; Nov. 16, Lakeview Home.

Work Begins On Fifth Hedley Cotton Festival

Committees have been appointed and the Hedley citizens are hard at work making preparations for the Fifth Annual Cotton Festival scheduled for Friday and Saturday, Oct. 13 and 14, according to an announcement this week by Clifford Johnson, president of the Hedley Booster Club.

The program is sponsored jointly by the Hedley Lions and Booster Clubs. Ross Springer is president of the Lions Club.

The festival this year will be conducted along the same lines as in years before and with several (Continued on page Twelve)

Al Dewlen, Former Memphis Resident, Makes Debut as Novelist Sept. 24

This native now living in Amarillo, will make his debut as a novelist on Sept. 24 when McGraw-Hill Book Company of New York publishes his first book, a period story titled "The Night of the Tiger."

The novel, a character-suspense narrative set in a small West Texas town in the 1880's and told by its six principal characters, has been chosen by the Doubleday One-Dollar Book Club as its October selection. The story also has sold to motion pictures and is to be filmed soon by Universal-International studios.

Dewlen, whose aunt and foster mother, Mrs. Florence Switzer, resides at 303 South 7th Street, attended public schools in Memphis. He attended Hillsboro (Tex.) Junior College, Baylor University, and studied professional writing at the University of Oklahoma.

The new author was employed by The Democrat, briefly, after completing 45 months Marine Corps service in World War II. He afterwards was a staff writer for the Amarillo Daily News, city editor of The Amarillo Times, and a staff writer for United Press at Dallas and Oklahoma City. He began his free-lance writing career as a magazine writer, three of his successes being with the Saturday Evening Post.

Dewlen is married to the former Imogene Lamb, daughter of Mrs. Ara Jean Lamb, 421 North 12th. Their son, Mike, is 12 years old.

Advance reviews on "The Night of the Tiger" have acclaimed it as "a violent but tender portrayal" of early-day, small town life. Its writing style is valued by the publishers as being "as individual as

Hindman Attending Basic Radio School

S. C. Hindman, division equipment supervisor for General Telephone Company of the Southwest in Memphis, is in San Angelo attending a three-week course in basic radio fundamentals.

He is one of nine persons taking the course in preparation for the Federal Communications Commission's examination for a second class radio-telephone license. The 120-hour course is being held at the General Telephone Company of the Southwest Plant Training School in San Angelo.

Applications For 1957 Wheat Soil Bank Total 78

Application for placing wheat land in the Soil Bank for 1957 have taken a big jump this week, Lynn L. McKown, manager of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation office said Wednesday.

A total of 78 applications, which would bring the farmers payments of \$41,390 if all stipulations are met, have been approved, McKown said. This county received an allotment of \$49,900 for the wheat Soil Bank.

A count last Friday revealed that 2,900 acres of Hall County wheat land had been placed in the Soil Bank.

The 78 applications represent about 22 per cent of the farmers who received wheat allotments for 1957, he concluded.

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Excuse me, I said I came here in 1901. I did not come here—I was brought here by my parents in 1901. So it is not altogether my fault that I am here.

We came here as many of you did in an immigrant car. Well do I remember that experience. In the east end of the box car we had two or three wagon loads of ear corn that my father raised in Wise County and brought along because he did not believe the horses could live on Kaffir corn. I don't remember any maize being raised here at that time. On top of the corn in the end of the car we had two or three mattresses; next to the corn was our wagon which was filled to the ceiling of the car with (Continued on page Twelve)

Rotary District Governor To Visit Local Club Tues.

The Memphis Rotary Club will play host at noon Tuesday to Rex Webster of Lubbock, governor of the 183rd District of Rotary International. Webster will address the club and confer with Thomas Clayton, president, and W. A. Leigon, secretary, and with committee chairmen on administration and service activities.

Webster is vice-president and public relations director of an insurance company in Lubbock, and is a member and past president of the Rotary Club of that city. He was born in Gatesville, graduated from Texas Technological College in Lubbock, and has lived in Lubbock since 1934.

In 1953 Webster was named Lubbock's Man of the Year. In 1941 he married Madge Malone of Lubbock. They have three children, a boy and two girls.

He was elected district governor at Rotary's 47th Annual Convention in Philadelphia last June. He is one of 248 district governors supervising the activities of

Hall County Homecoming Picnic Draws Big Crowd Sunday Afternoon

E. P. Thompson Welcomes Visitors At Homecoming

(Editor's Note: A number of visitors at the Hall County Picnic Sunday, have asked that the welcome address of E. P. Thompson be printed in The Democrat. Upon being informed of this request, Mr. Thompson released a copy of the speech, which is printed below.)

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Approximately 600 People at Reunion; Basket Lunch Followed by Short Talks

Services For Arthur Sandridge Held Here Monday

Services for Arthur L. Sandridge, 72, retired farmer and rancher of Donley county, were conducted Monday morning at 10:30 in the Chapel of the Spicer Funeral Home.

Mr. Sandridge died Sunday morning at a convalescing home in Childress where he had been staying for two or three years.

He had been a resident of the Giles community and Donley county for over 40 years and was a member of the First Methodist Church.

Mr. Sandridge was born Dec. 18, 1883 at Cooper, Texas and was 72 years and 9 months old at the time of his death.

Rev. G. C. Sharp, pastor of the First Christian Church of Memphis, conducted the services. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Spicer Funeral Home.

Survivors include: three half-brothers, Harvey Stotts of Fort Worth, Tom and A. P. Stotts of Enid, Okla.; a half-sister, Mrs. A. S. Edwards of Fort Worth; and a step-brother, John Stotts of Clarendon.

Sam T. West Rites Conducted Here Monday Afternoon

Sam T. West, contractor and long time resident of this area, died Sunday morning about 8 o'clock at his home a mile west of Memphis.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 3:30 at the family residence with Rev. David H. Binkley, pastor of the First Methodist Church, officiating.

The well-liked contractor and builder will be remembered by people all over the Panhandle for the many school buildings he constructed, as well as other types of buildings. He had lived and worked here for over 45 years.

Mr. West was born Sept. 22, 1889 at Gainesville and was 66 years, 11 months and 24 days old at the time of his death.

He was united in marriage to Mary Jane Gillenwater on Nov. 2, 1912, at Miami, Texas. Mrs. West died April 6, 1953.

Survivors include a son, J. W. West of San Angelo; a daughter, Mrs. W. J. Walker of Wichita Falls; a brother, Raynes V. West of Roswell, N. M.; two sisters, Mrs. Patterson and Mrs. Keller Brock, both of Indianapolis, Ind. (Continued on page 6)

Ginning Figures For Past Years

Ginning figures for some of the past years are as follows:	
1900	717
1905	5,651
1910	20,118
1916	28,964
1920	31,406
1925	62,121
1930	23,709
1934	7,953
1939	14,563
1940	26,882
1942	52,820
1943	28,068
1945	24,712
1946	23,723
1947	42,160
1948	42,826
1949	88,214
1950	30,123
1951	50,542
1952	30,840
1953	22,017
1954	40,809
1955	41,292
1956	7

Approximately 600 residents and former residents assembled at the Memphis City Park Sunday for the Second Annual Hall County Homecoming Picnic.

People began gathering about 10:30 and by noon basket lunches had been spread on park tables and other long tables which had been set up for the occasion. The park was covered with persons enjoying the bountiful amount of food.

A total of 478 persons registered but many more, mostly residents of the immediate area, failed to list their names.

Following lunch a short business meeting and entertainment program was held with J. Claude Wells acting as master of ceremonies. After this, those present spent the remainder of the afternoon shaking hands, renewing acquaintances and talking over old times.

During the business meeting Otis Jones was elected president of the organization and Byron Baldwin was elected vice-president. Bill Cosby will handle the secretary-treasurer's job.

Outgoing officers were J. Claude Wells, president; Otis Jones, vice-president; Mrs. N. A. Hightower, secretary; and Byron Baldwin, treasurer.

Oldest homecomers were Bert Boon, L. T. Frizzell of Lubbock and Hardy Benson of Hereford.

E. P. Thompson gave the welcome address, telling how the county was when he arrived here in 1901 and inviting the people to come back each year for this Homecoming Picnic.

Following this, Master of Ceremonies Wells introduced several oldtimers who made short talks. Speaking were Mrs. D. H. Davenport, Cooper Stout of Amarillo, Marcus Gist of Missouri, and O. H. Finch of Dalhart.

Alvin White, president of the Hall County Day sponsored by the former residents in Lubbock each year, extended an invitation to everyone to come up and be with (Continued on Page Seven)

Clement To Speak At Sudan Festival

Tennessee's Gov. Frank Clement, the keynote speaker at the Democratic National Convention, will speak at the Sudan Fall Festival at 7:30 p. m. Sept. 28. This was announced last night by F. O. Masten, prominent West Texas farmer, in a telephone conversation with The Democrat editor.

Masten said the theme of the festival this year is "The United Nations and World Peace." In conjunction with Clement's appearance, area farmers are asked to donate 100 pound sacks of grain, and any other farm products which will be auctioned and the proceeds will go to the Texas quota of \$200,000 which Texas Democrats have been asked to raise for the party's national campaign.

Already, many sacks of grain, several beef cattle, and bales of cotton have been donated. One merchant has donated a \$550 carpet. Farmers all over West Texas (Continued on page 6)

Presley Thomson Begins Work as New Patrolman

Presley Thomson began work last week as the new Patrolman for the Department of Public Safety to replace Noel D. Callaway who recently was transferred to San Antonio.

Thomson is 26 years old and was accompanied to Memphis by his wife Frankie and son, 3 month old Mike. They are making their home at 920 Harrison Street.

The Thomsons grew up in Crowell and are members of the Church of Christ. Thomson graduated from the 3 month, Department of Public Safety School for Patrolmen on Aug. 31.

Deadline For Entering Is Sept. 28 Cotton Guessing Contest Goes Into Last Week

Guesses continued to pour in this week with the deadline for entering the 1956 cotton-guessing contest a little over a week away. The contest closes Saturday, Sept. 29 at 5 p. m. so don't delay send your estimate in now.

A total of 89 persons had entered the contest by 4 p. m. Tuesday.

Last year many persons waited until the last moment to guess with 119 persons submitting estimates in the last three days of the contest. Guesses last year ranged from 18,000 to 65,000. So far this year, estimates are from 12,500 to 41,575 bales.

Winners will be decided on the basis of ginning figures for the county, tabulated by the Census Bureau of the U. S. Department of Commerce. This information probably will be released the latter part of next March. The person guessing closest to the official total will receive a three-year subscription to The Democrat, the one placing second will be awarded a two-year subscription, and the one who ranks third will be given a one-year subscription.

Contestants who had entered the contest through Tuesday are as follows:

C. W. Vallance, 18,000; Mrs. W. C. Vallance, 22,222; Lettie Goodnight, 40,000; W. H. Goodnight, 41,575; C. J. Goodnight, 35,000; Susan K. Goodnight, 37,500; J. B. Estes, 27,777; W. E. Williams, 22,245; J. C. Hoover, 20,000; Ted Myers, 26,255; C. J. Billington, 30,840; Harry Graham, 28,113; Lee Waddill, 29,450; J. B. Waddill, 27,777; Mrs. C. A. B. Crow, 31,408; Mrs. Henry Scott, 30,500; Lanham F. Campbell, 39,232; J. W. Coppedge, 20,101; Mrs. A. J. Pannell, 40,977; Mrs. H. B. Marks, 33,871.

Also Clyde H. Pannell, 28,980; Mrs. Clyde H. Pannell, 31,331; Roy L. Guthrie, 19,945; Billy Hancock, 27,900; J. E. Miller, 36,565; Gip McMurtry, 31,311; Jerry McQueen, 30,998; Terry Monzingo, 29,999; Jack L. Rose, 30,683; John L. Gordon, 12,500; Majorie Gordon, 21,750; Mrs. L. O. McCoy, 29,750; L. O. McCoy, 22,160; Max McCoy, 23,713; Pat McCoy, 32,100; Mrs. Bertiel Cassel, 28,373; Mrs. Frances Williams, 36,421; W. L. Durham, 37,090; Mrs. W. L. Durham, 40,985; Leo Fields, 29,741; Mrs. Leo Fields, 28,950; Mrs. Maggie Simons, 30,450; L. P. Wilson, 28,998; C. A. Crow, 21,090; J. E. Reheis, 24,650; Dwight Kinard, 24,999; Mrs. Frank Wright, 37,290; Mrs. W. M. Davis, 40,380; Faye Anspaugh, 35,000; James Anspaugh, 37,829; Mrs. Herlie Moreman, 36,946.

Also Herlie Moreman, 34,880; D. L. Howard, 22,030; W. A. Howard, 20,000; Tig Howard, 23,510; John Howard, 18,000; Etir Howard, 21,000; Mrs. Dave Lefew, 27,000; H. W. Spear, 25,472; Mrs. H. W. Spear, 27,313; Mrs. Oscar Maddox, 32,000; Oscar Maddox, 27,001; John Chamberlain, 35,123; Jerry Hill, 24,244; Hubert Dennis, 34,462; Mrs. Hubert Dennis, 38,762; Rodney Lewis, 26,123; James West, 28,783; C. A. Powell, 30,109; Mrs. Aubrey Robertson, 28,123.

Also Aubrey Robertson, 29,179; Mrs. James Dixon, 26,000; James Dixon, 28,303; Mrs. Love Huggins, 24,034; Bobby Hein, 23,343; Don Carmen, 19,788; Mrs. E. I. Adams, 25,250; J. L. Richburg, 23,155; Rhodie Davis, 39,999; Bill Ballew, 23,456; Frank Cox, 27,713; Mrs. Bess Crump, 35,380; Bill G. Kesterson, 31,418; Mrs. Lucile Wright, 28,517; J. B. Moore, 21,191; Raymond Ballew, 23,333; Edna Ballew, 19,999; Herbert Curry, 26,357.

Report From Washington

By Walter Rogers

Congressman, 18th District

Federal Regulation of Gas at The Wellhead

Most of you will recall the fight that was had last session on the gas bill. The bill finally passed both Houses of the Congress and was sent to the White House. President Eisenhower vetoed the bill, even though he had previously expressed his opinion that federal regulation of the producers of gas at the wellhead was not in keeping with the best interests of this country or of our form of government. Although he stated in his veto message that there was some indication of undue lobbying activities and based his veto on that reason, he did not impress me or others who were thoroughly familiar with the situation. I suspected at the time, and so pointed out in a newsletter, that there was more politics in the veto than there was reasoning. The bill was either a good bill or a bad bill. If it was a good bill it should not have been vetoed, because somebody tried to get somebody else some money in some lobbying activities. If the bill was a bad bill, it should never have passed the Congress, lobbying activities or no lobbying activities. The truth is that it was a good bill, although I did not feel that it went far enough in freeing the producers from federal control. Very few bills in our legislative history have been the subject of more extensive hearings than were had on this gas bill. It was thoroughly debated in the

house of Representatives and passed the House by a vote of 209 to 203. It then passed the Senate and went to the White House where it was vetoed. I thought the veto was wrong then, and I still think the same way.

The odd situation that has developed concerning the gas bill is simply this.

Rumors around Washington are that some ardent supporters of the President are seeking the active and financial support of the oil and gas people for the fall campaign. The O and G people are supposed to have been told that if such support is forthcoming, the President will sign the gas bill as soon as it gets to the White House next year. I would advise the O and G people to be sure to read and understand exactly what is going on. In the first place, it should be pointed out that the phrase "as soon as it gets to the White House" is the tricky part of the language. In the second place, it must be remembered that the bill passed the House by a final vote of 209 to 203—a margin of only 6 votes. In the third place, it would not be difficult for several of the Members who voted for the bill to change their votes in the next session and vote against the bill. It would only require a change of 4 votes to defeat the bill in the House. This would mean that the bill would never reach the White House. Therefore, the promise of the ardent supporters of the President that the bill would be signed "as soon as it reaches the White House" would not be broken, simply because the bill

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had not reached the White House.

The truth is there is a propaganda campaign going on today against the oil and gas industry. The present Senate lobbying hearings are furnishing a good stage from which to criticize the oil and gas people at the producer level. If this propaganda campaign is successful, it will hurt the economy of the Panhandle of Texas. The big utility companies in the East want to firm up their gas sources and fix it so that the producers and royalty owners must sell their gas into the pipelines for use in the East and Middle West.

They realize the possibility that many new discoveries for gas usage are highly probable, and that the value of gas as a natural resource will be measurably increased.

These utility companies are willing to subject gas producers to federal control in order to protect their own source of supply. These utility companies had better wake up. Because federal control of the gas at one end will simply open the door to federal control of rates to be fixed at the consumer level, and these utility companies will find that such a policy as they now support, could easily result in nationalization of the fuel industry. Certainly no freethinking American would subscribe to that policy.

The propaganda campaign against the oil and gas people will not only hurt the economy of the oil and gas people themselves and the people who work at that particular field in the Panhandle of

Highway Patrol Positions Open

Applications for appointment as Texas Highway Patrolmen will be accepted from the present time until October 15, according to an announcement by Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., Director of the Texas Department of Public Safety.

Examinations for the men qualifying will be given state-wide during the latter part of October and those scoring the highest will enter the recruit training school next January.

Garrison said that appointments will be made to fill the additional positions authorized by the last Texas Legislature and to fill existing vacancies caused by promotions and resignations.

Salary of patrolmen is \$315 monthly plus longevity. They are also paid during training, he continued. Other benefits include annual leave of absence and benefits of the State Retirement System and Federal Social Security.

General requirements for appointment to the State Highway Patrol include: 21 to 35 years of age, inclusive; minimum height of five feet, eight inches; weight in proportion to height; excellent physical condition; and high school education or equivalent.

In addition, applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of Texas for at least a year immediately prior to filing of the application. They are also subject to a rigid character examination.

Application blanks and further details may be obtained by writing to W. J. Elliott, Chief, Texas Highway Patrol, at Austin or by contacting the Captain in command of the nearest Patrol District.

Miss Dorothy Rae Kesterson of Amarillo visited here over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Kesterson.

Texas, but it will hurt every business in our section of the country including the farmers and the ranchers.

What this country needs, and especially the Panhandle of Texas, is a restabilization of the segments of the economy that have been throttled in the last few years. I refer especially to the farmers and ranchers. Certainly we do not need any attacks on other segments of the economy in our District.

THE BAFFLES • By Mahoney



Wheat Acreage Reserve Open

COLLEGE STATION — Any producer who has a regular wheat allotment may take part in the Soil Bank's Acreage program for the 1957 winter wheat crop, Robert Shrauner, chairman of the Texas Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee, said today. Producers on farms which receive an allotment as a "new farm" for the 1957 wheat crop, however, are not eligible for participation in the 1957 Acreage Reserve Program.

Payments under the program will be made for reducing the acreage of winter wheat below the amount of the allotment, designating in a written agreement a specified part of the allotment acreage as acreage to be "reserved" from production. Land so designated may not be cropped or grazed for the period of the agreement.

The rate of payment for wheat acreage placed in the Acreage Reserve varies by counties. The amount of the payment will be based on the normal yield for

the farm or the normal yield for the designated acreage, whichever is smaller.

The Acreage Reserve agreement must be signed not only by the farm operator, but also, if the operator is a share tenant, by each person who as owner or landlord has control of the Acreage Reserve land or who is to receive compensation under the agreement. Provision is made for properly protecting the interests of tenants and sharecroppers under the program.

Chairman Shrauner explained that farmers may designate as much as 50 per cent of their allotment or 50 acres, whichever is larger, for inclusion in the wheat Acreage Reserve. However, the wheat acreage designated for the Acreage Reserve may not exceed the wheat allotment. The minimum acreage which the farmer may designate for the Acreage Reserve is 3 acres or the

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wheat allotment, which is smaller.

If any winter wheat is on the farm this fall, September 21 is the deadline for agreements to place 1957 wheat acreage allotment on the Soil Bank's Acreage Reserve.

Southwind Delta 24 2700 registered Holstein-Friesian owned by Edmund Camp Seguin has set a new Texas record for January year-old Tolsteins on a day milking. She produced 15 pounds of milk and 659 pounds of butterfat.

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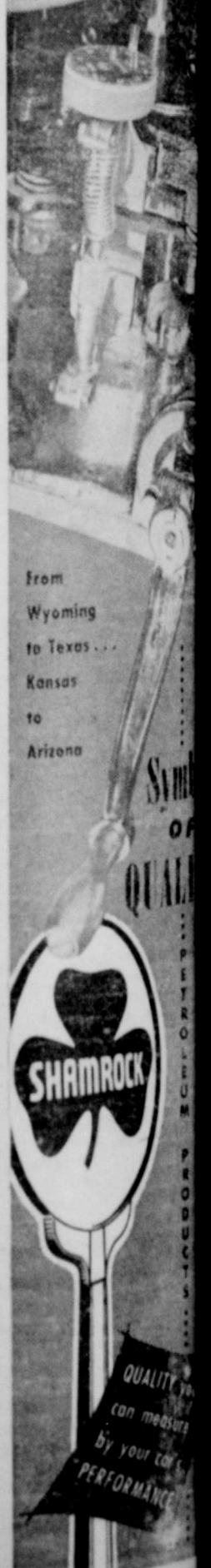
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Suggestion Offered As Range Aids For Keeping Water Where It Falls

COLLEGE STATION — It is not the rain you get but the rain you keep that counts, says G. O. Hoffman, extension range specialist.

It is going to take a lot of good soaking rains to break the present drought but if history repeats itself, he adds, heavy down pours usually follow long dry periods and unless provisions have been made to hold such rainfall, too much will be lost.

Hoffman offers several suggestions for holding a maximum amount of these heavy rains should they occur this fall. He cautions: "Don't go out and buy expensive equipment for doing the necessary work, but do use what is available on the farm or ranch. Net wire spreaders do an effective job of slowing down runoff water. They stop drift and hold water well even on slopes. Too, they are cheaper to build than dirt spreaders and there is no dam to be washed out or blown away.

"Trees and brush thrown into the heads of gullies will greatly aid in slowing down and spreading runoff water. Brush piles placed in gullies at intervals will tame running water and also catch soil and cause much more of the runoff to be soaked into the soil. Fallen brush scattered over the pasture holds water and helps grass seedlings get started by giving them protection."

A range which is dotted with wire spreaders, pits and piles of fallen trees and brush holds many times more water than a range which is bare of vegetation or

man-made constructions. The bare areas should be pitted, says Hoffman, for little water will be absorbed if measures are not taken to break the surface crust which will shed water, especially, if the rain comes as a down pour.

Many good soakings will be required to get growth ravaged ranges back in good shape and because most ranges and pastures are now bare, any device, construction or practice which can be put on the land to hold water will help the comeback, says Hoffman. Most of these jobs, he adds, can be done piece-meal and with available labor and equipment. They will not cost much money but can be great aids in shutting the gate to keep water where it falls.

Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Dunlap of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Richburg of Morton visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Richburg of 816 South 7th street, Thursday night of last week. Mrs. Dunlap is a sister of Mrs. Lee Richburg. They had been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Glenn Richburg at Morton, and were being taken to their home at Fort Worth by their daughter and son-in-law.

George M. Bugbee of Redlands, Calif., arrived Sunday to look after his farming interests in the Deeplake community. He is visiting the W. M. Cofers in Memphis.

Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Vineyard of Amarillo visited in the home of his sister, Mrs. J. C. Wells, over the weekend.

ELECTRICALLY SPEAKING

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Farmers Can File Social Security Returns Yearly

Farmers are no longer required to file Social Security returns on a quarterly basis, according to Mr. J. I. Pearce Administrative Officer of the Amarillo, Texas office. During 1955 farmers were required to file a quarterly Social Security return with the District Director of Internal Revenue. Due to a change in procedure, farmers now file one return in January covering all taxable wages paid to farm employees during the preceding calendar year.

A farmer must file a Social Security return during the year when he quits farming before the end of the year and has paid taxable wages during the year.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Nixon and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Magness are planning to spend the coming weekend in Lubbock. While there they will attend a social at the Lubbock Country Club on Saturday for employees of the Western Cotton Oil Company.

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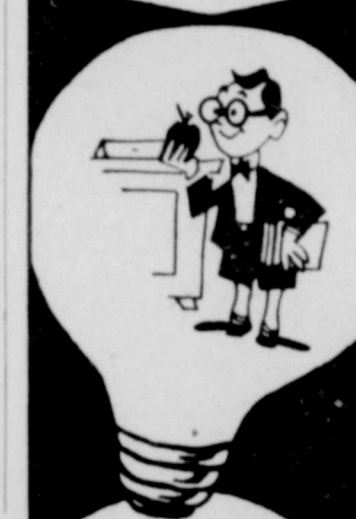
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There will be 24 performances in the Auditorium of the Broadway musical comedy hit, "Damn Yankees", starring the famous comedian, Bobby Clark. Shows are scheduled nightly with matinees Saturdays, Sundays and Wednesdays.

The always-popular Ice Capades featuring an unusual production of "Peter Pan", will have 23 performances nightly except Sundays, with matinees Oct. 6, 10, 12, 20, 21, and two matinees Oct. 7-14. The Jole Chitwood Auto Dare-devils will smash and crash their way through 27 thrill shows in

front of the Grandstand. Famous entertainers appearing at the fair will include Elvis Presley, the rock 'n' roll star, Oct. 11; Jack Benny's Sportsman Quartet and Pianist Roger Williams in the big free East Texas Day show Oct. 16; and Victor Borge's one-man "Comedy in Music" show Oct. 20.

Louis "Satchmo" Armstrong and his band will give four free shows on Oct. 15, Negro Achievement Day, and Johnny Long and his orchestra will play free shows daily in the Automobile Building.

Free spectacles in the Cotton Bowl will include the "Fiesta Mexicana" on Mexico Day Oct. 8, and the colorful statewide Music Festival Oct. 9, in which over 4,000 high school musicians will take part. There'll be free aerial

acts twice daily high in the Magnolia Midway stage, as pianist Mark Wilson will free magic shows presented daily in the Dr. Pepper Theatre.

The Million-Dollar Midway seekers. There'll be dozens of new-fangled thrill rides, Rotor, Roundup and Twist old favorites like the glass coaster and the nautical midjet rides in Kiddie Town the small fry.

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Club Elects Officers Wednesday

The Mother's Club met in the club building on Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 12, with Mrs. M. Beasley as hostess.

During the business session, officers were elected for the coming year and included Mrs. M. A. Beasley, president; Mrs. Cecil Beasley, vice president; Mrs. Cecil Beasley, secretary-treasurer.

The afternoon was spent working on tea towels for the hostess. Members present were Meses Phillips, Ira Davis, J. H. Van Howard, Cecil Starling, Brown Smith, M. L. Smith, Clark, Stacey Waites; one Mrs. Bill Maddox, and hostess, Mrs. Beasley.

The next meeting is slated for Sept. 19 with Mrs. J. Gilreath as hostess.

Mrs. G. B. Montgomery left Tuesday for their home in Paul, Minn., after visiting for the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Allan Dunbar and Mr. J. P. Montgomery.

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Quail Aid Pushed As Rain Helps

AUSTIN — Drought inflicted paralysis is the state's restoration program has been eased in some areas as showers have stimulated fall "catch up" work, according to the Assistant Executive Secretary of the Game and Fish Commission.

He said "now is the time" for Texas hunters to pledge time that might have been devoted to their favorite field sport of quail hunting under more favorable conditions.

Quail hunting in Texas is just another one of the many victims

of the devastating drought. Outside of the Panhandle and parts of East Texas, the popular fall pastime has been reduced to a fraction of former facilities.

The Game and Fish Commission has spearheaded efforts to begin restoring quail as soon as the dry spell yields to conditions conducive to providing food and cover. As a key part of the program, the Commission this year established an experimental state quail farm at Tyler which is designed to provide brood quail for areas where native stock has disappeared.

The Assistant Executive Secretary said the first year's production has been only partly distributed simply because lack of rainfall and heat balked establishment efforts.

"Now we're beginning to get some rain," he said, "and the people really interested in personally helping bring back the quail have their chance. After all, fall is the ideal time for plowing and

for planting at least some of the needed cover and food plants."

All available field personnel, particularly game wardens, are available for consultant services for individuals and group eager to have an actual part in the greatest quail restoration program in Texas history.

The Assistant Executive Secretary said persons desiring a share in the effort will be contacted if they will simply notify the Commission. He asked the news media, which have been the backbone of the quail restoration information facility, to pass along this basic bid for identifying potential participants:

"I want to help bring back quail to Texas. My name is: _____ My address is: _____ My phone number is: _____"

The data should be mailed to the Game and Fish Commission headquarters in Austin, which will have the names processed through local game wardens or other field

personnel.

"I have a hunch," said the Assistant Executive Secretary, "that many a Texan who misses his quail hunting will slow down long enough to send us his name. They may have some land or know somebody who has some land suitable for quail propagation. Our men will work with them and, where conditions are at all possible, the ground work will be laid for definite action."

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Andrews had as weekend guests her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hawkins left Sunday for their home in Marionville, Mo., after spending the past week here with Mrs. Carl Harrison and family and Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Harrison and Rosemary.

Visiting in the T. J. Bridges home over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Hipp of Chillicothe.

A. Baldwin and Mrs. T. L. Rouse left Friday for a several days visit in Dallas, Tyler and Kilgore with relatives. They will probably be gone three or four weeks.

Mrs. Clifton Burnett, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Claude Betts, who visited here last week, went to Amarillo Sunday. Mrs. Burnett will return home the first of the week.



Top-O-the Morning!

PEPPY FOODS FOR BETTER BREAKFASTS

Pep up those lagging breakfast-time appetites with new exciting food variety... It's no trick these days with so many ready-to-eat items available... Here are some suggestions to surprise the family.



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Changes in Laws Enables Farmers Home Administration to Expand

Recent changes in the laws governing Farmers Home Administration will enable the agency to serve the credit needs of a larger number of farm families, Walter T. McKay, State Director, said today.

The expanded credit services are the best yet devised to help our farmers and ranchers through the worst drought in Texas history, McKay stated.

The new law provides broader authority to assist family-type farmers with loans to improve and operate their farms. It also authorizes, as a part of the rural development program, loans for operating and developing farms where the farmer has part-time employment off the farm. Included in the broader authority are loans for refinancing existing debts and an increase in the maximum amount that can be advanced for operating loans, he said.

All county office staffs of the agency have been brought up to date on these changes at meetings held throughout the state, and will begin operating under the new authorities and policies on September 4, he continued.

Types of loans which can now be made include:

1. Operating Loans to Full-Time Farmers — Initial operating loans may be made in amounts up to \$10,000 to one borrower, with subsequent loans authorized as needed so long as total amount of indebtedness does not exceed \$20,000. Operating loans are used for the purchase of equipment, livestock, or to refinance debts owed on equipment and livestock, and for fertilizer, seed and other farm and home operating expenses needed to carry out efficient farming operations on family-type farms. Interest is at the rate of five percent, and these loans are repayable over periods up to seven years. The new law increased from \$7,000 to \$10,000 the amount of the initial loan; from \$10,000 to \$20,000 the limitation on the indebtedness; and increased from 7 to 10 years the period during which additional credit can be extended in hardship cases when the inability of the borrower to repay his indebtedness within 7 years was due to causes beyond his control. Under former law no new credit could be extended to borrowers who have been indebted continuously for 7 years.

2. Farm Ownership Loans — These loans are made for the purchase, enlargement, or development of family-type farms, and to refinance existing debts for farmers who have adequate real estate security but who are unable to meet present credit obligations and need credit on more favorable terms. Payments are scheduled according to the ability of the borrower to repay, up to 40 years. Insured loans are made from funds provided by private lenders. The loans bear interest at the rate of 3½ per cent, plus a one per cent insurance charge. In the past, the agency has only refinanced existing real estate debts, and then only when the refinancing was incidental to the making of a real estate loan for purchase or improvement of family-type farms.

3. Farm Housing Loans — These are made for the construction and repair of farm houses and other farm buildings, including farmstead water supplies. Interest is four per cent on the outstanding principal, and repayments may be scheduled over periods up to 35

years, with the loan secured by a deed of trust on the borrower's farm. This loan program was reactivated in May of this year.

4. Soil and Water Conservation Loans — Made to carry out measures for soil conservation, water development, conservation and use, and drainage. Individuals can borrow up to \$25,000 for these purposes. Interest and insurance charges are 4½ per cent with repayments scheduled according to the borrower's ability to pay, up to 20 years.

5. Loans to Part-Time Farmers — These are designed to help farmers in areas designated for the rural development program, who are unable to obtain enough land resources to develop full-time farms. Loans may be made for operating and developing less than family-type farms, if the applicants are established bona-fide farmers who have historically resided on farms and depend on farm income for their livelihood, and who are conducting substantial farming operations and spending a major portion of their time farming. Such operators must have dependable sources of outside income. When such loans are made for operating expenses, they bear interest at five per cent and are repayable over periods up to seven years. Loans for real estate development bear interest of 4½ per cent and are repayable over periods of up to forty years.

6. Special Livestock Loans — Initial loans of this type will be available until July 14, 1957, and loans to indebted borrowers can be made available until July 14, 1959. Such loans are made to help established producers of cattle, sheep and goats maintain their normal operations. Loans are made for replacement livestock and for purchase and production of feed and for other operating expense. Interest is five per cent and loans are repayable in one to three years. They are not made to pay existing debts.

7. Emergency Loans — These are made to enable farmers to continue normal operations but not to refinance existing indebtedness. They bear interest at the rate of three per cent. Ordinarily loans secured by liens on chattel property are scheduled for repayment within one to five years. Loans for crop production are due when the crop is harvested.

8. Great Plains Loans — These loans are available only in the 57 West Texas designated counties under the Great Plains Special Credit Program. They are made in the same manner and for all purposes authorized for the making of Operating Loans, except that under these loans the operator may be conducting farming operations on larger than a family-type farm.

The fifty-seven counties in the Great Plains Special Credit area are: Andrews, Armstrong, Bailey, Borden, Briscoe, Carson, Castro, Childress, Cochran, Collingsworth, Cottle, Crosby, Dallam, Dawson, Deaf Smith, Dickens, Donley, Fisher, Floyd, Gaines, Garza, Gentry, Hale, Hall, Hansford, Hardeman, Hartley, Hemphill, Hockley, Howard, Hutchinson, Kent, King, Lamb, Lipscomb, Lubbock, Lynn, Martin, Mitchell, Moore, Motley, Nolan, Ochiltree, Oldham, Parmer, Potter, Randall, Roberts, Runnels, Scurry, Sherman, Stone, Swisher, Taylor, Terry, Wheeler and Yoakum.

Eligibility for all types of loan assistance available is determined by a three-man county Farmers Home Administration committee. FHA credit supplements but does not replace other sources of credit. Loans are made only when the applicant is unable to obtain credit from private or cooperative sources of credit. While FHA requires less security than usually is required by other lenders, no loan is made unless it appears that the loan can be repaid.

PROCLAMATION

I, O. L. Helm, Mayor, of Memphis, Texas do hereby proclaim September 23, 1956 through September 29, 1956 to be:

NATIONAL BUSINESS WOMEN'S WEEK

This annual Week, sponsored throughout the United States by The National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, is set aside to pay tribute to women in business and the professions, and the contributions they make to the nation.

(Signed)
O. L. HELM
Mayor, Memphis, Texas

LOCALS

Mrs. R. V. Tims of Big Spring visited here over the weekend with her mother, Mrs. W. T. Franks.

James Lott of College Station and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Lott of Los Angeles, Calif., visited here the first of last week with Mrs. James Lott who is staying here in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jude Gable.

Mrs. George Cullin and son, Charles, of Matador visited here Sunday and Monday with friends. Charles arrived in the states a few days ago after serving for the past 18 months in France with the U. S. Army. He received his separation papers at Fort Smith, Ark., and was met there by Mr. and Mrs. Cullin.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyce Wynn and Paula of Amarillo were Memphis visitors Sunday afternoon. They visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Beeson and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wynn, Sr., who accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Odom, who took their daughter, Jo Ann, to Waco last week where she enrolled in Baylor University, also visited at Hubbard with Mrs. Odom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Weatherby, while gone.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Corley and Mrs. Floyd Liner went to Canyon Saturday night to attend the WTSC-Corpus Christi football game. The Corleys' son, David, is a member of the WTSC squad.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Tyler of Hedley visited a few days recently in Glendale, Ariz., with their son, Vernon Tyler, and family and then in California for a week with his two daughters, Mrs. W. M. Bewley and Mrs. B. E. Smith and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jarrell of Lubbock visited here over the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. May and Mr. and Mrs. Felix Jarrell.

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Memphis College Students Begin Work This Week

Approximately 60 Memphis students have enrolled in various colleges and universities for the fall semester. Most of the students are attending Texas institutions; however, two have chosen out-of-state colleges, one going to the University of Kansas and the other enrolling in Ventura College in California.

Texas Technological College at Lubbock received the largest number of students from here. Those enrolled are:

Jack Montgomery, Ronald Cawfield, Frank Norman, Yvonne McDaniel, Duke Frisbie, Billie Jean Stroehle, Mary Frank Garrett, Billy Allen Combs, Phillip Patrick, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crawford, Marvin Smith, Jimmy Hill, Rodney Lewis and Lloyd West.

West Texas State College at Canyon received the second largest number. Those enrolled are: Terry Monginzo, Carol Gardenhire, Katherine Wright, Frankie Strygley, Davey Corley, Mackie Allen, Monta June Saye, Carol Ann Monzingo, Jimmy West, Elizabeth Grundy, Roy Don Coleman, Sharon Harrison.

Students enrolled in other colleges and universities are: Janice Smith, Joy Beth Parks, Duane Ford, Johnny Chamberlain, Jerry Hill, Roddy Bice, Jimmy Davis, Benny Parks, North Texas State College in Denton. Jo Ann Odom, Jim Walker, Sim Goodall, at Baylor University in Waco, and Scott Grundy at Baylor Medical School in Houston.

Wayne Tiner and Betty Lemons enrolled at McMurry in Abilene, and Harold Aspgren at Texas Christian University in Fort Worth.

James Freeman, Richard Liner, David Duncan, Betty Claude Hickley, Cleve Evans are going to Clarendon Junior College. Jerry McQueen, Dickey Craig, Jackie Ben Boone, Sheldon Anisman and John Deaver are students at the University of Texas at Austin.

Other students and their schools are: Malcolm Martin and Don Paul Howell, Allen Military Academy; John Foster and Charles Hartman at Amarillo Center; Paul Hancock, Dallas Christian College; Roy May, Frank Phillips Junior College in Borger; Debs Cofer at Southwest Texas State, San Marcos; Dean Sustaire, Ventura College at Ventura, Calif.; and Robert Breedlove Jr. at University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kans.

The searchlight in the wingtip of a Navy P5M patrol plane is equivalent in brightness to 15,000 one hundred watt bulbs.

1913 Study Club Begins Club Year With Brunch in Greene Home Wed.

The members of the 1913 Study Club began the club year with a "brunch" in the home of Mrs. Gayle Greene with Mrs. Mills Roberts as co-hostess Wednesday morning.

From a gay breakfast table covered with a beige organdy cloth festooned with autumn leaves and centered with a multicolored pepper plant, the guests served themselves to breakfast sausages, melon balls and toasted jelly rolls. Mrs. L. G. DeBerry, the club president, presided at the coffee urn.

Following the tasty brunch, the meeting was called to order, the matters of business dispensed with, and the program begun. Mrs. R. S. Greene, as program chairman, introduced Mrs. DeBerry as the first speaker. In her message to the members, Mrs. DeBerry emphasized the challenge, problems, opportunities, and responsibilities facing women in today's world. She further suggested various avenues of approach whereby women could help in molding a better future for all.

Next, Mrs. Greene elaborated on the year's theme of study, "The Making of Our Modern World" and explained why the program committee had chosen "to study the world" and not just community, state, or national affairs. Her talk was threaded with bits of humor as to the trials and tribulations of program planning and a year book in the making.

Each member was then called on to give some of the highlights of her summer and the results were altogether hilarious, as the members seemed to have gone in all directions and had most interesting experiences. One member had enjoyed Julie Harris' theatrical performance of "The Lark" in Central City, Colo.; another journeyed to Alaska where she was intrigued by the Indian totem poles; especially the one with Lincoln's face included in the carvings; still another member and her family went "back to nature" for two weeks, cooking over an open fire and generally roughing it. Other summer holidays, a broken bone, an actual visit to a glass house in Denver, and some "garden variety" experiences and Mrs. Greene's account of her Alaskan trip completed the "Holiday Highlights".

The new members welcomed to the club by the president were Meses. David Binkley, Hubert Jones, and Nelson Combest. Others present for the first meeting of the year were Meses. Tom Robinson, Frank Foxhall, Carl Yancey, T. J. Dunbar, L. G. DeBerry, Joe Montgomery, T. M. Harrison, R. S. Greene, M. G. Tarver, Allen Dunbar, O. L. Helm, Leo Fields, Ace Gailey, Boyd Rogers, and the hostesses.

CARD OF THANKS
I want to express my sincere thanks to my friends for their prayers, letters, cards, flowers and gifts during my recent illness.
Mrs. Herbert Estes

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Beasley and Jerry visited in Vernon Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Don Beasley.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hill and Kay spent the weekend in Bonham visiting relatives. While there they attended the wedding of Mrs. Hill's niece, Barbara Ann Robertson and Bobby Brown at the First Methodist Church.

District Court

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medical expenses, growing to a collision which occurred August 1955. Goodnight was awarded \$7500 plus medical expenses.

In another case, Wade B. Pryor was awarded \$740 for services and materials plus attorney fees by the jury in suit against C. V. Meacham. The suit concerned the drilling of wells.

The suit C. I. Pryor vs. Pryor resulted in an order for judgment for \$1000. The only other case tried one against Lester Winn. He received a five-year suspended sentence for passing a forged instrument.

Sam West

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and five grandchildren. Pall bearers were Bill McWalter, Walter Whaley, Oren Jones, Ian Dunbar, Frank Foxhall, Er Burleson, Elmo Whaley, Hulen Clifton.

Honorary pall bearers were E. Cudd, Frank Garrett, Ross, T. J. Dunbar, Holly B. O. M. Cosby, Lynn Durren, Sam Hale, Claude Wells and M. Wilson.

Clement To Speak

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By HARRY GRAHAM

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Was founded by Christ—(Matt. 16:18)
Has no head but Christ—(Eph. 1:22-23; Col. 1:18)
Wears no name but Christ's—(Acts 11:26; I Pet. 4:16; Rom. 16:16)

Has no creed but the Bible—(II Tim. 3:16-17)
Speaks where the Bible speaks and is silent where the Bible is silent—(I Pet. 4:11; Gal. 1:8; II Jno. 9)
Worships exactly as God directs—(John 4:24)

Teaches the plan of salvation as revealed in the New Testament:

Faith in Jesus the Christ (Jno. 20:30-31; 8:24; Heb. 11:6)

Repentance (Acts 2:38; 17:30-31)

Confession of Christ's name (Matt. 10:32-33; Rom. 10:9-10)

Be baptized (immersed) into Christ in order to obtain the remission of sins (Acts 2:38; 22:16; Rom. 6:3-4; Gal. 3:26-27)

Is promised and earnestly expects eternal glory with Christ—(I Thess. 4:17; Titus 2:13)

Friends, in view of these plain truths won't you submit yourselves to diligent Bible study that you may be prepared at the judgement day. The church of Christ exists today as it did over 1900 years ago when it was established on the day of Pentecost (Acts 2). We, as members of the church of the Lord, propose on every point to order our work and worship by the pattern (the New Testament). Your investigation of our work and worship is humbly solicited, and if you find ANY point that we are astray we ask you to tell us about it that we might rectify our lives before the day of reckoning. Come and study with us.

Church of Christ

Memphis FHA Officers, Parents

Memphis Future Home-owners of America held a meeting last night, Sept. 17, to elect officers and club parents.

Officers elected this year are: President, Carl Chappell; vice-president, Wanda Collins; secretary, Linda Collins; treasurer, Ernest Young; and club mother, Kay Ferrel.

Parliamentarian, Johnnie McWhorter, Song and Judy Miller, pianist.

Parents are: Mrs. J. W. Brumby, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cudd, Mrs. Barney Burnett, Mr. L. C. Martin.

County

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Next year on the third Sunday of August.

Reed of Plainview entered the group with a story of a woman who had moved to the county. In a meeting, she asked everyone who would go to Heaven to stand up and did not stand up and the group was on a trade to go to Heaven with her.

Reed went through the group from out of town. Mrs. Vivian (Benson) Ma- hereford, Edith Sims of Jewell, Glascio Phillips of Jewell, Mrs. Charles Parks Turner of Lubbock, Mrs. Lacy Crabtree of Lubbock, and Mrs. Garrett of Amarillo.

and Mrs. Carl Stout of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. of Lubbock, Mrs. Ira of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds of Childress, Mrs. W. A. Pressley of Lubbock, and Mrs. John K. Milam of Lubbock, Mrs. Harper of Lubbock, Mrs. of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Spring of Lubbock, Mrs. Jake Lamb of Lubbock, and Mrs. Tom McCrary of Lubbock, Mrs. Artie Davidson of Lubbock, Mrs. Eva of Lubbock, W. W. of Lubbock, C. A. Powell of Lubbock.

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WEEK-END SPECIALS

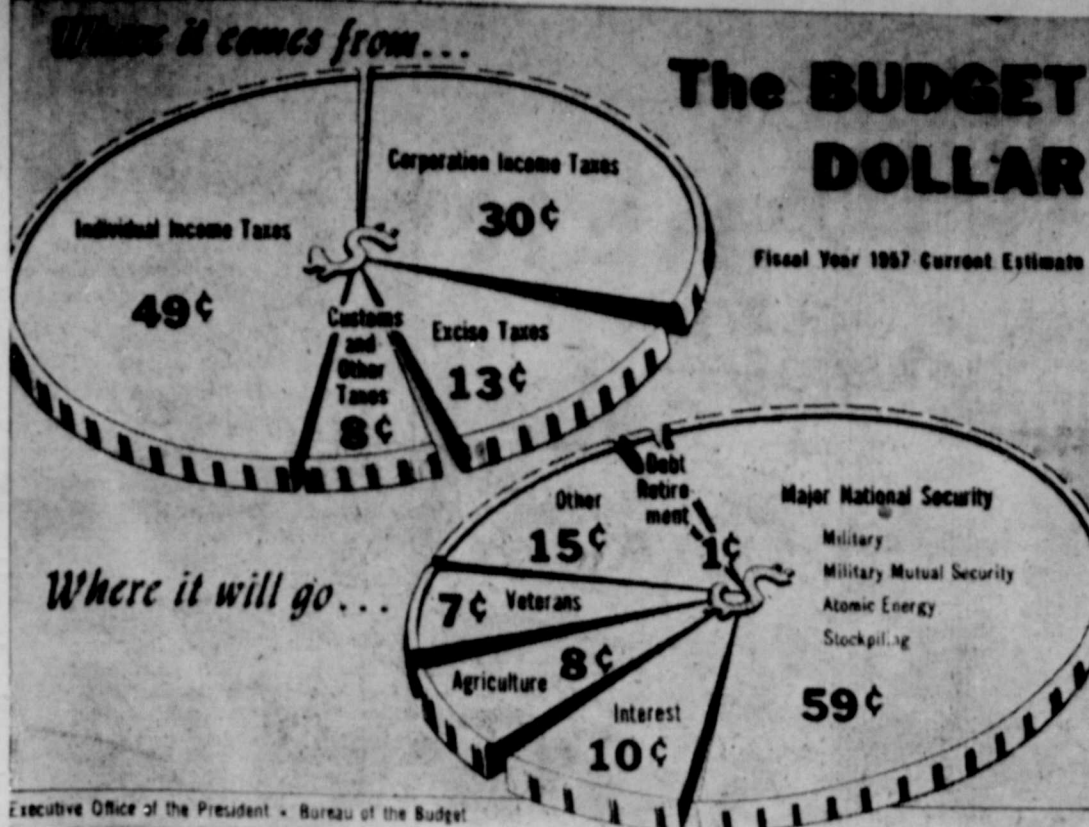
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SCO, 3 lb. can	93c
AL, Aunt Jemima, 5 lb.	44c
McCormick, 1/4 lb. box	27c
DAINTIES, pkg.	23c
SWEET CHOCOLATE, pkg.	23c
ored or Brown SUGAR, 1 lb. box	14c
White or Red, pt. jar	23c
WHIP, 1/2 pt. 22c; pt. 36c; qt. 63c	63c
DOG FOOD, 2 for	27c
CRACKERS, 1 lb. 26c; 2 lb. 51c	51c
VANILLA WAFERS, box	17c
PAPER, Scot, 2 rolls	25c
TOWELS, Scot, 2 rolls	35c
WAX PAPER, roll	26c
EXEX, 200 size 15c; 400 size 25c	25c
APS, all kinds, sm. 32c; lg. 70c	70c
ENTOS, sm. can	14c
ET, Armours, can	36c
NA SAUSAGE, Armours Star, can	18c
ORANGE ADE, 46 oz. can	25c
Darling CORN, can	18c
PEAS, can	16c
Lima BEANS, Del Monte, can	27c
Style BEANS, 2 cans	27c
Green BEANS, Blue Tag, can	27c
APPLE, Crushed, sm. can 16c; lg. can 29c	29c
APPLE, Sliced, sm. can 17c; lg. can 33c	33c
BERRIES, Red sour pitted, can	23c
WONS, Sunkist, doz.	35c
LASH, yellow, lb.	9c
ERY HEARTS, nice and fresh, pkg.	23c
APES, Tokay, 2 lbs.	23c
PEPPERS, lg. Calif., lb.	19c
EN BEANS, Calif. "K's", lb.	21c
POTATOES, cello bags, 2 lbs.	19c
ATOES, No. 1 Russets, 10 lb. bag	51c
ON, Wilson Certified, lb.	49c
ON, Ranch Style, 2 lb. pkg.	95c
CO, all the good ones, lb.	31c
UTTS, Gladia, 2 for	23c
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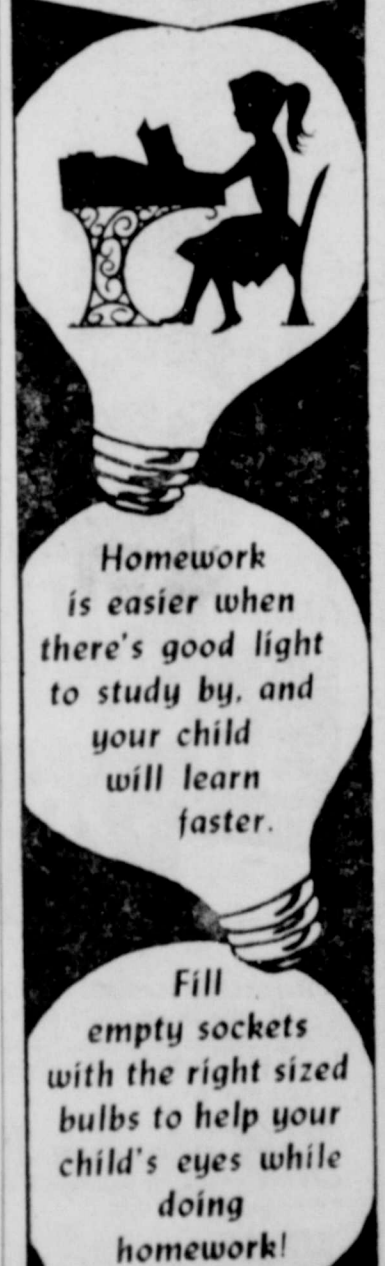
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Memphis High Elects Staff For 1956-57 Annual

Students of Memphis High School last week elected the mem-bers of the annual staff for this year.

Jean Foxhall was selected as ed-itor; John Lemmon, business man-ager; Truman Smith, art editor; Linda Fields, society editor; Aud-rey Beth Burnett, treasurer; Lola Robertson, photographer; Francis Wright, secretary; Paul Wilson, sports editor.

Bobbie Lemons was named as-sistant editor by the faculty.

Members of the staff met Tues-day evening at the Cyclone Drive Inn restaurant for a dinner, after which a program of work was out-lined, and assignments were given each member of the staff.

Sponsor of the annual staff is Mrs. Hubert Dennis.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Messer of Earth were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jude Gable.



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TOMATOES Fancy Calif., lb. 15c	Beef Ribs Heavy Meat, lb. 19c
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Editorial

Fifty Years of Cooperation

For fifty years, American consumers have had the protection of the Federal law to insure that they receive the best and purest food, drugs and cosmetics available in any country. But even before the advent of Federal regulation, they benefited from the quality controls and high standards maintained by reputable firms in these industries.

This year, the Food and Drug Administration, the nation's watchdog over high standards in the production of food, drugs and cosmetics, is observing the Golden Jubilee of Federal protection for consumers. And one of the most important themes in its anniversary celebration will be the deserved recognition of the great degree of voluntary cooperation it has received from the very industries it was set up to regulate.

Recently, FDA Commissioner George P. Larrick gave some specific examples of this cooperation. The drug standards contained in the U. S. Pharmacopoeia, the National Formulary and the Homeopathic Pharmacopoeia, for example, have been adopted by the FDA for its own.

And in certifying drugs as to purity and effectiveness, he said, if the FDA's analyst and the manufacturer's analyst come up with different results, they may join forces and work side by side, studying each other's techniques, until the reason for the difference is found.

Without this willing cooperation on the part of industry, Commissioner Larrick observed, "effective enforcement of this country's food and drug legislation would have been extremely difficult, if not impossible, to achieve." That is has succeeded so well could call for a vote of thanks from consumers for both the FDA and the food and drug industry.

Shopping In Two Berlins

There is no place in the world where the differences between the economics of Communism and the economics of free enterprise are so vividly illustrated as in Berlin. Half the city is under total Communist rule, the other half has representative government and a competitive economy to match.

Writing in the New York Times Magazine, Harry Gilroy points up the contrast in an excellent way. First, he takes us on a tour of a Communist department store. Its three floors, he writes, "contain more second-rate merchandise than all the 'fire sale' shops in Manhattan; sleazy cloth, loose or protruding seams, clumsy leather goods often made of something that is not quite leather, furniture with poisonous green and dispiriting brown upholstery. Some departments are really melancholy in their poverty."

Then he takes us to a store in West Berlin: "This turns out to be a department store in the style to which Americans are quite content to be accustomed. . . . There is quality and quantity, all the usual things that are required for a decent existence, and choice enough to give individuality a play."

At this point Mr. Gilroy states a significant fact. East Berliners are eager to exchange their hard-earned money for West Berlin currency, even though they must do so at a very unfavorable rate. The reason: They want to shop in West Berlin.

We Americans, who are used to the very best in retail service whether we patronize a big store or some little independent shop, would do well to wonder occasionally what makes that kind of service possible. It is this: A free, competitive system where each man can produce what he wants and can sell when he wants. And where each man is free to engage in any type of work he chooses.

Sign of the Times

The government now uses a check writing machine which produces 100 checks a minute. But, apparently, this machine is obsolescent. A new one is on order—and it will zoom out the checks at the rate of 300 a minute.

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Trail Dust

Childhood impressions have experienced many changes in the past three or four decades and future changes promise to be more dramatic. As a youth I liked to hear the plodding of horses' hoofs, the chime of trace chains and the soft thud of wagon wheels playing on the axles. Today the sound has changed to whining gears, the exhaust of motors starting in unison and soft tires slobbering over bricks in the paving.

A friend says he has little patience with cigarette smokers who can't quit. He has quit a thousand times without any trouble.

Political influence is like the air in a balloon. Once the container is fractured it is difficult to assemble again.

The hand that is removed from the steering wheel of a speeding automobile is reaching for a lily. —Douglas Meador in the Matador Tribune.

Preventive Medicine

There are, broadly speaking, two kinds of medicine. The one with which we, as patients, are familiar is that which works to correct a specific illness.

The other is preventive medicine, its purpose, as the name implies, is to see to it that we don't become ill. And the progress made in this all-important field in the last half century has been little short of miraculous.

Writing in the Journal of the American Medical Association, Dr. James Watt says: "While literally thousands of cases of malaria were seen each year in my home state when I was a child, today there are virtually none. If the diphtheria mortality rate of 1900 prevailed today, there would be over 60,000 deaths a year. In 1950 there were actually 410. According to rates of 1900, there should now be over 45,000 deaths from typhoid; actually in 1950 there were 114. Similar figures could be given for other major communicable diseases." Now the medical fraternity is battling the diseases

and afflictions which have not yet been defeated.

It is worth noting that preventive medicine has suffered most in countries where medicine is either socialized or controlled by government. Writers on England's national health system have pointed to this. Doctors in such countries are often overworked. They lack the time for study, experiment, and research. And the bureaucrats who make the rules and issue the orders have small interest in projects which may not produce results for long periods of time.

Progress in medicine—like all progress—flourishes in an atmosphere of freedom, and withers in an atmosphere of coercion.—The Stanton Reporter.

Shall We Spray?

Encephalitis, "sleeping sickness," has reached epidemic proportions in Lubbock and adjacent counties. Thirty-three cases are reported in Lubbock, seven of which are from adjoining counties.

Relatedly, Lubbock County has embarked on a mosquito eradication program in an effort to kill carriers of the deadly disease.

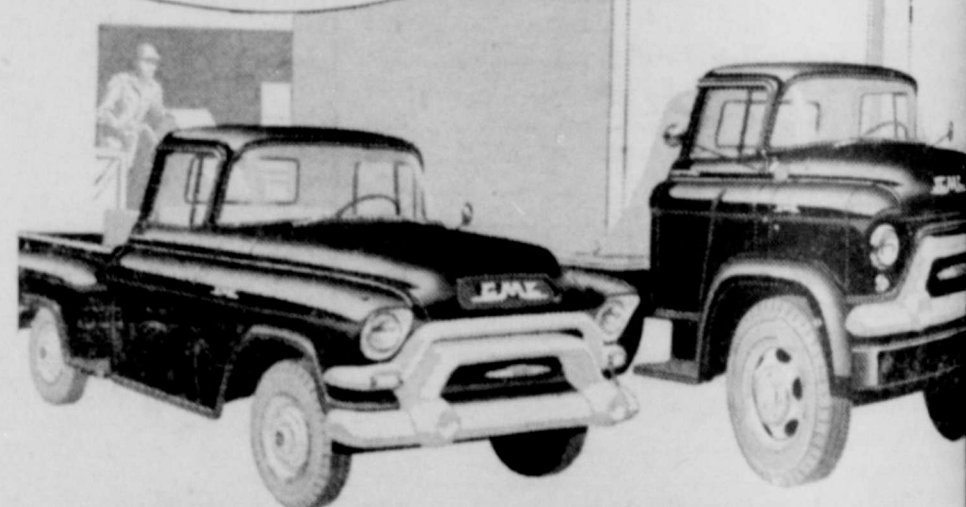
While no incidence of encephalitis has been reported in Crosby County, precautions are in order.

Some spraying has been done by the city of Ralls, but not in any effective pattern or quantity. Mosquitoes are abundant now, and their control should be given every consideration.

Ralls, like Lubbock, is confronted with lack of funds to carry on an intensive mosquito program. However, should we be hit as hard as Lubbock County, Ralls (just like Lubbock) will find ways to meet the danger.

Wouldn't it be far better, and less expensive, to control the mosquito before the disease breaks out? We think so.—Ralls Banner

It is just good business, points out W. S. Allen, extension agricultural engineer, to see that wheat in storage doesn't become contaminated. Rodents and insects offer the biggest threat to stored grain. Both can be controlled. A recent Extension publication, L-257, Clean Wheat Program for 1956, is now available at the office of county agents in the major wheat producing areas.

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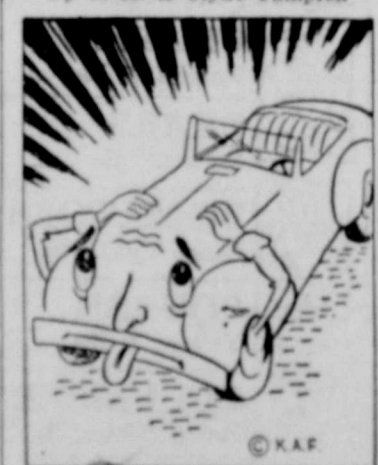
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Miss Elizabeth Wilson Is Complimented With Lovely Bridal Shower Thursday

Honoring Miss Elizabeth Wilson, bride-elect of John Bransford, Jr., of Pecos, a group of friends entertained with a lovely bridal shower at the Memphis Country Club on Thursday evening, Sept. 13.

The bride-elect's chosen autumn colors of green and gold, were featured in party decorations. The tea table was laid with a cut work cloth and centered with a floral arrangement in gold and green. Green candles and wedding bells were also noted in the table decor.

Guests calling between the hours of 7:30 and 9 p. m. were greeted by Mrs. Dick Fowler and presented to a receiving line composed of the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Tom Wilson; and Mrs. Earl Allen, aunt of the bride.

Sue Wilson, sister of the honoree, presided at the bride's book to secure signatures of the guests.

On display were many beautiful and useful gifts presented to the honoree by her friends.

Hostesses for the courtesy were Meses. Dick Fowler, Cleve Evans, Jimmie Ford, Morris Odom, S. B. Pallmeyer, F. E. Monzingo, James Van Pelt, Joyce Webster, Myrtle Wood, Lucile Wright, Wayne Hutcherson, Clyde Milam, J. W. Stokes, Allen Monzingo, Herb Curry, Pauline Knight, J. N. Helm, Jr., Yvonne Bird, Dick Watson, Willie Isham, Paul Montgomery and Pearl Hague; and Misses Mary

Lee Mabry, Patsy Jarrell, Shirley Miller, Peggy Evans, Carol Ann Monzingo and Katherine Wright.

Wm. Travis PTA Holds Opening Meeting Wed.

The William Travis Parent-Teacher Association met on Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 13, in the cafeteria for its first regular meeting of the school year. Mrs. Gene Lindsey, president, presided and expressed welcome to the new mothers attending.

Reports by the committee chairmen included the announcement by Mrs. Hubert Jones, goals chairman, that the organization had been recognized by the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers as having been "Grade A" during the 1955-56 year.

The executive committee recommended the Travis PTA to join the Austin unit in sponsoring the Halloween carnival again this year. Room count was taken and a tie between the second grade rooms of Miss Milam and Mrs. King resulted in equal awards for the two rooms.

Mrs. Weldon McCreary, program chairman, introduced the day's program, "We the People, Parents and Teachers Together." She presented W. C. Davis, who talked on the subject, "Looking Forward with Our Schools." Mr. Davis emphasized the fact that the Memphis school system has a definite long-range plan for improvement. He compared planning for the school with similar delays and interruptions. "By looking forward," he said, "we develop better school spirit, attitude and happier students and faculty."

Mrs. Gene Lindsey concluded the program, speaking on "Looking Forward Through Our PTA." She stated that the PTA is a liaison between home and community. Her definition of the PTA looking forward was "Good teaching is common sense put into practice, with love and understanding."

Following the meeting, punch and cookies were served from a pretty refreshment table by the social committee, Mrs. Kenneth Dale, Mrs. Boyd Allison, Mrs. Hubert Jones and Mrs. Ben Moss.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Parker and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lynn, all of Amarillo, visited last Friday night at Brice with Mrs. Parker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Arnold.

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MRS. REGINAL ROBERTSON

Jo Ann Melton Becomes Bride of Reginal Robertson in Memphis Rites

Miss Jo Ann Melton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff M. Melton, became the bride of Reginal Robertson, son of L. B. Robertson, on Monday, August 27, at the First Methodist parsonage in Memphis.

Federated Club Women Attend San Antonio Meet

Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard, Mrs. W. C. Dickey and Mrs. Lloyd Martin are in San Antonio this week attending the State Board meeting of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

The meeting convened on Tuesday and will continue through Thursday. The meeting is open to all federated club members. Mrs. Kinard, who is a immediate past vice-president, is now a member of the state board. Mrs. Dickey and Mrs. Martin have also been active in federated work.

Mrs. Martin is a member of the Atalantean Club; Mrs. Kinard, a member of the 1913 Study Club and Mrs. Dickey is a member of the Delphian and Atalantean Clubs.

Rev. David H. Binkley, pastor, read the marriage service.

For her wedding the bride wore a brown two-piece dress accented with pink accessories.

Both the bride and groom are graduates of the Lakeview High School. They are at home in Groom.

Attending the wedding were Mrs. Jeff M. Melton, L. B. Robertson, Mrs. L. J. Robertson and William Wheeler.

Mrs. J. H. Norman has returned home following a 5-week visit with relatives. While gone she visited in Dallas with her daughter, Mrs. M. D. Fry and family, and in Midland with another daughter, Mrs. W. E. Ship and family, spending two weeks with each. Then she spent a week in Graham with a sister, Mrs. W. M. Morton and family.

Mizpah Guild Meets in Home of Mrs. C. Farmer

The Mizpah Guild met Monday, Sept. 17, in the home of Mrs. Clifford Farmer with the president, Mrs. Boyd Rogers, presiding.

The meeting was opened by prayer led by Mrs. Bill Cosby. The devotional on Responsibility was given by Mrs. Bill Leslie.

Mrs. Buster Helm was the program leader for a study entitled, "In All and Through All." Those taking part on the program were Mrs. Ora Denny, Mrs. Bill Cosby, Mrs. Mills Roberts, and Mrs. Ruth Harrison. Mrs. Gladys Power sang "The Day Thou Gavest Lord, Is Ended," to conclude the program.

Officers were elected for the new year which begins in January, and included Mrs. Brode Hoover, president; Mrs. Claude Ferrel, vice-president; Mrs. Boyd Rogers, program chairman; Mrs. Guy Wright, secretary; Mrs. Boodie Grundy, corresponding secretary and reporter and Mrs. Bill Cosby, treasurer.

Those present were Meses. Buster Helm, Mills Roberts, Boodie Grundy, Brode Hoover, Claude Ferrel, Ruth Harrison, Bill Leslie, Guy Wright, Boyd Rogers, Paul Montgomery, Gladys Power, Joe Bob Browning, Ora Denny, Bill Cosby and hostess, Mrs. Farmer.

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My sincere thanks to every one who sent the many beautiful flowers, reading material, get well cards and who came to see me and did so many other things to make my long stay in the hospital and at home more pleasant. You can't imagine just how much it means to me. I shall never forget you.

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Mrs. Wm. Gerlach Hostess to Members Of Sunday S. Class

Members of the Truth Seekers Sunday School Class met in the home of Mrs. Wm. Gerlach, 203 S. 12th Street, Thursday, Sept. 13, for a business and social meeting.

Mrs. L. G. Yarbrough, president, presided. The meeting opened with the class song, "What a Friend We Have in Jesus." Mrs. J. J. Evans, secretary, read the minutes of the last meeting.

Mrs. Anna Kercheville brought the devotional using for her text the 2nd Chapter of Genesis. Mrs. J. W. Oliver led in prayer. Mrs. J. J. Evans gave a reading entitled, "The One Oasis," and Mrs. A. B. Jones read, "Why Are Americans Prosperous?"

Miss Rena Waller conducted the Bible lesson. The meeting closed with the Lord's prayer in unison.

Refreshments were served to the following members and guests: Meses. C. E. Hankins, Cleve Evans, Pearl Massey, Henry McCanne, Ella Johnson, Anna H. Dickson, A. B. Jones, L. G. Yarbrough, J. W. Oliver, R. S. Bradley, C. E. Gowan, Guy Kercheville, J. J. Evans, C. Gerlach, D. Wington, J. M. Baker, Gerlach and Waller, hostesses. Two guests, Mrs. J. B. Wren and Mrs. J. S. Ballard, were also present.

Mrs. Ida Ellis and son, Otho, of Tulsa visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McBee here last week. Mrs. Ellis is an aunt of Mr. McBee.

Mrs. Vera Chapman and Mrs. Ethel Neely of Lubbock were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Roberts over the weekend.

G. H. Hattenbach has returned home from a visit of several weeks with his daughter, Mrs. Bert Fleming and husband in Topeka, Kansas.

Kilpatrick Home Scene For Ruth Class Meeting

The Ruth Sunday School Class of the First Baptist met for regular monthly meeting in the home of Mrs. Bill Kilpatrick, associate members serving as hostesses.

After the invocation by Mac Graham, Mrs. Kilpatrick presided, conducted the business session.

Mrs. Ralph Williams gave a very inspiring devotional, "Little Things," as her theme. Ernest R. Clark, teacher, discussed duties of the officers and members of the class.

The retiring president, Mrs. Kilpatrick, was presented by class members in appreciation of her year of devoted service. The class members also expressed their appreciation to their teacher Mrs. Clark, surprising with a gift and beautifully decorated birthday cake.

During the social hour, the class was served with iced drinks by following members: Meses. Williams, Ward Gurley, Nat. Lay, Perry Hale, Ed Clark, Ellis, T. L. May, C. H. Potens, E. Clemons, Bill Vardeman, Paris, Mac Graham, Charlie St. art, Bill Kilpatrick, Bob Le and Katie Clark.



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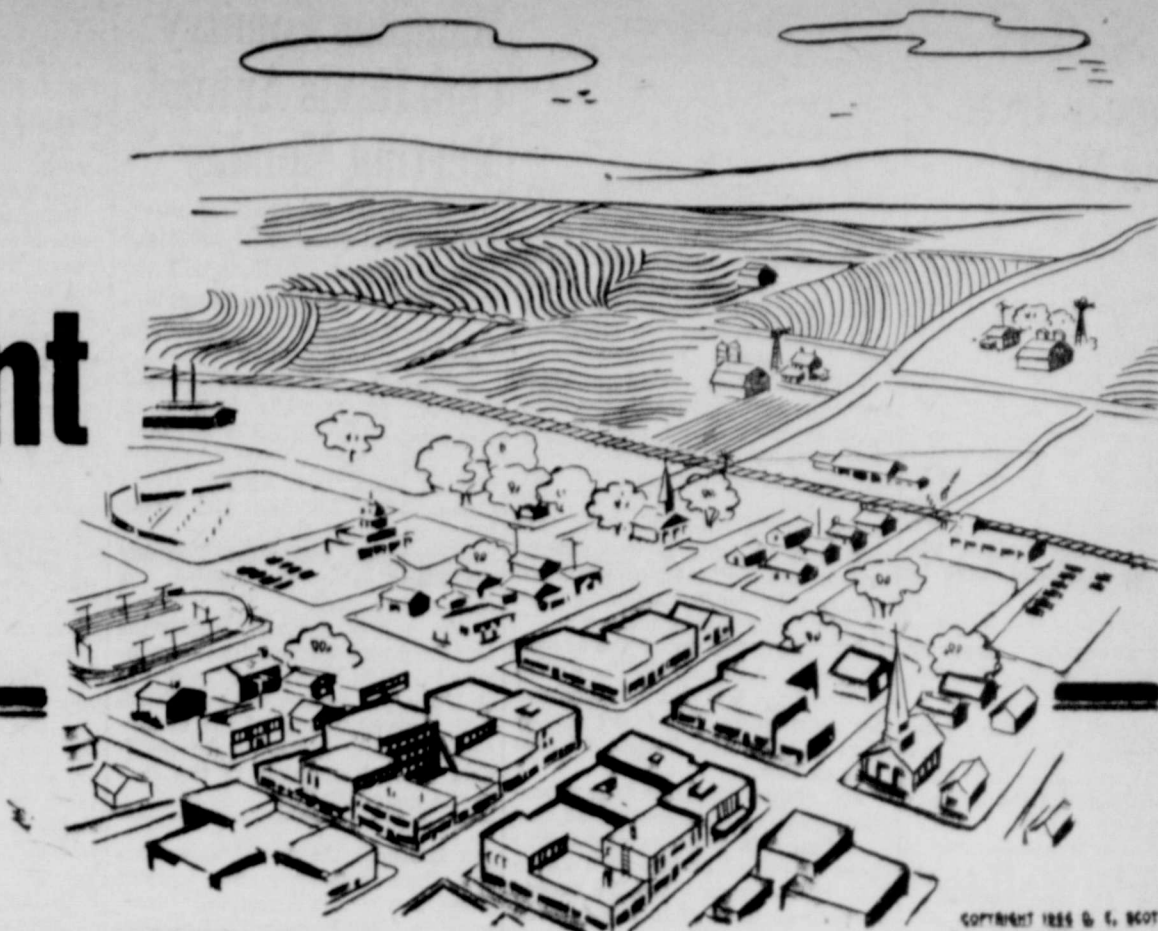
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County Spellers To Compete Over Memphis Hour

Two representatives from each school in the county will appear in a spell-down over the Memphis Hour next Tuesday, Mary Foreman, county superintendent, announced this week.

The program will be over the Childress radio station from 11 until 12 a. m., she continued.

Students from the seventh and eighth grades will appear next week. The spell-down was originated in an attempt to create more interest in spelling before the county spelling bee held later in the year, Miss Foreman said.

Plans are to make this a weekly feature with representatives of the sixth grade appearing the following week, she continued.

"We hope to have another winner in Amarillo this year," she said. "So far, we are the only county which has won the contest more than once."

Roy Alvin Malloy District 3 Winner In 4-H Club Work

Roy Alvin Malloy received word this week that he had been selected as winner of the Santa Fe Award for District No. 3, according to an announcement by W. B. Hooser, county agent.

The award was for achievement in 4-H Club work and his records have been submitted to the state level where he will compete with the winners of the 11 other districts in Texas for the all-expense paid trip to Chicago, Ill., which will be given the state winner, Hooser said.

The letter announcing the selection said, "Your record indicated that the quality of your 4-H Club work has been high, and also your records show that you have done an excellent job of compiling your record book in the years that you have been a 4-H Club member."

Kay Clark Is Recovering From Polio Attack

Kay Christi Clark, six-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Clark of Waco, is recovering nicely following a recent attack of polio, Henry Hays, the maternal grandfather said Wednesday.

Kay Christi was stricken with the disease about 2 weeks ago, soon after the Clarks arrived in Waco from here. She appears to have suffered no lasting effects from the disease and is now at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hays went to Waco when they learned of the baby's illness and Mrs. Hays is still in Waco.

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E. P. Thompson — (Continued From Page One)

miscellaneous items of furniture and household goods so completely that there was only a scuttle hole left that permitted my brother Louie and I to get back on the mattresses and hide and also sleep so that the conductor and brakeman on the freight train could not see us when the train would stop at the different stations along the line.

I remember we would get up to the door with father and the horses and take a good look at this vast country from Wichita Falls on up here in between stations, but when approaching a town, father would shove us back into our hide out, for it was strictly against the rules of the railroad company for more than one person to ride in an immigrant car.

Well do I remember the horses, "Old Jim and Bailey." They were slick and fat and had never missed their regulation feed of 10 ears of good corn and a bundle of oats in their life.

My father had previously purchased the quarter section of raw land that is about one and a half miles southwest of Memphis where Mrs. Hillyer now lives. We rented a house in town that was located in the vicinity of what we know now as 16th and Brice streets, and our closest neighbors was the Uncle Sam Alexander family. We lived there while my father, assisted by Uncle Hamp Roberts, built a house and dug a well on this 160 acres which did not take long.

Just to prove to some of you who might not remember me, that I was actually here, I will tell you who our closest neighbors were. To the south of our place was the B. F. King family. Three of the children of this family still live in Memphis, namely Miss Imogene King, Jim King and Mrs. F. H. Boswell. To the east of us was the Forgy family, and well do I remember Herbert and George.

This Forgy place is now known as the J. C. Wilson place. To the north of us was the G. W. Cox family, and this place is now known as the P. O. Young place and Mr. Melton now lives there. To the northwest, our nearest neighbors were the Dover Webster family and most of them still live here, with the exception of Uncle Dover and Mrs. Webster and Roy and Brice, who have passed on. We still have living here Jim Webster, who is one of my closest neighbors, Charles Webster, B and Dot Webster and Mrs. Ed McMurtry. Directly west from our place and next neighbor I can recall was J. M. (Uncle Mat) Lane who lived in a half dugout in the vicinity of where Eli now is located near Twin Buttes.

After finishing high school and three years in Baylor University, I became actively associated with my father, the late George Thompson, and his two brothers, Uncle Billy and Uncle Jeff, in the hardware business. They had purchased the store from Berry and Hudgens. The business was operated then as it is today, as Thompson

Memphis Country Club Holds Annual Meeting Monday

The annual stockholders meeting was held Monday night at the Memphis Country Club, with President Eddie Foxhall presiding, and directors for the coming year were selected.

Homer Tucker, H. R. Crawford and M. E. McNally, Jr., were elected by stockholders as hold-over directors. New directors elected were Lee Brown, H. E. Craig, Allen Dunbar and Ralph Williams.

This group will meet Tuesday night and select the officers for the coming year.

The annual financial statement was read and discussed and a proposed change in the by-laws of the club was put before the stockholders. A revised copy of the constitution and by-laws will be available to each member of the club in the near future.

son Brothers. At first I was not a full time employee but worked when I was not in school. However, in 1908 I became a full time employee and have not missed a day's pay from that time up to now. Some have asked me, "how did you come to stay in such a place as this all this time?" My answer was that at first I did not know any better, and after being here a few years I got in such bad shape financially, I just have not been able to get away.

Of course you can tell when a fellow is joking a bit. I have been through panics, drouths, depressions and recessions and three wars one after another. But I have never thought of such a thing as leaving good old Hall County. I have been too busy to think of such a thing.

I am glad my parents came to Hall County when they did and brought me with them instead of leaving me behind with some other unwanted items. It has been the best half century any man has ever been permitted to experience. I have seen Hall County develop from a strictly ranching country into one of the best dry land farming countries any one ever lived in, and I am now witnessing its change into an irrigation farming country. With the exception of counties that were fortunate enough to strike oil and the counties that have the large industrial cities, I think we are

doing as well if not better than any of them.

I think I can truthfully say that I have had the privilege of spending 50 years of my adult life in the best county in Texas and among the best people God ever let live on this earth.

Many of our early settlers have passed on and a lot more have moved west to the plains country and many even to California and other parts of the country. I have met many old timers here today who have traveled many miles to be here this Hall County day and meet old friends and relatives and relive the days they once enjoyed here. Some have come from as far as Missouri and California. Which goes to show you how we cherish the memories and friends we had in our younger days; the time when we felt like the world was just a big spacious beautiful place in which to work and play and have a good time. Certainly I have not forgotten those days when the fields seemed so large and the school house was so far, far away. Today, as we grow older, you have noticed how things seem to have swiveled up. The fields don't seem near so large and it is not near as far down to the cow pasture as it used to be, and doesn't the whole world seem to have swiveled up a bit.

By using our TV and radio we see and hear things in seconds after they happen in any and all parts of the world that we probably would not have heard of for months 50 or 60 years ago.

In closing I would like to say a few words on the subject, "The Brevity of Life." I am sure many of you have already given this subject some serious thought. It was brought home to me very forcibly a few days ago. I was looking up some bible reference in connection with my Sunday school lesson when I came to a verse in the ninetieth Psalm. I think it might be fitting to read to you now a portion of it. (Here Rev. Lanham Campbell read the 90th Psalm.)

I had read this scripture many times and heard it read from the pulpit many more times, but it seemed to register with me stronger than it ever had before. That three score years and ten part seemed to keep ringing in my ears. I think it was because if the Lord let me live until Sept. 11th I was going to reach my allotted time. In old Bible times people lived much longer and even today we have people well over 100 years old. Why is it some are permitted to live so much longer than others? I became interested in this phase

4-H Clubs and Members Take Awards This Week

Hall County 4-H Club boys took two places at the judging in Amarillo during the first of this week, County Agent W. B. Hooser announced Tuesday.

Donald Wayne Widener took 5th place in the Sears gilt contest for a prize of \$25.00.

Jimmy Don Malloy placed 8th with his boar in the Sears contest for a prize of \$15.00.

Electrification Award
Hall County 4-H Clubs also won another award this week, Hooser said. This was the \$50.00 Electrification award presented each year by a group of power and light companies.

The money from this award will be used to further the 4-H Club work in this county he added.

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committee, he said. Dealers can pick up applications at the county ASC office.

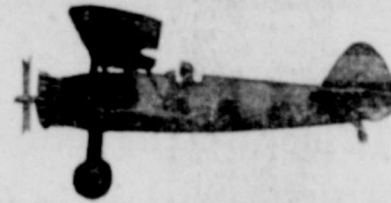
The declaring of this county in the drought disaster area also means that land placed in the Soil Bank can be grazed until Dec. 31, McKown said.

of this subject and have taken two Bible characters, and made a study of their lives to try and determine if possible why one of them lived to be only 70 years old and the other lived to be 120. So far as I am concerned, I believe I know the reason, but am going to leave it to you who are Bible students to read up on these two characters and come to your own conclusion. As a clue, one of them lived around 1096 to 1016 B. C. and the other around 1500 B. C. Look up on these two characters and write me your opinion.

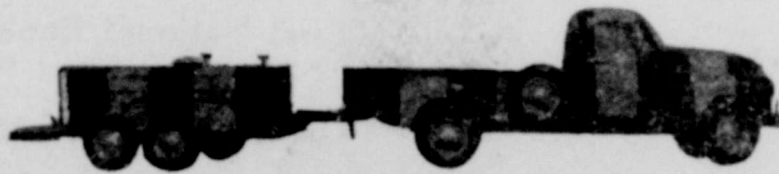
I want to extend to each of you a hearty welcome and hope that you thoroughly enjoy this occasion, and hope you live to come back each year for many, many years.



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Work Begins — (Continued from Page 1)

The National Cotton Council will furnish, in addition to their usual literature and material, an unusual exhibit of apparel cottons. This exhibit will consist of the newest textures, colors, prints and finishes. They will also have an exhibit of drapery and upholstery cottons.

Another attraction this year will be a buffalo barbecue, Johnson said. The festival committee has contracted for one or more wild buffalo from the game refuge in the Wichita Mountains. These animals will head the menu for the entertainers and will be on sale to the general public.

Rotary District — (Continued from Page 1)

ed, President Clayton asserted in discussing the governor's visit, their activities are similar to those of the local club, because they are based on the same general objective—developing better understanding and fellowship among business and professional men, promoting community-betterment undertakings, raising the standards of business and professions, and fostering the advancement of good will, understanding and peace among all the peoples of the world.

Each year, this world-wide service organization continues to grow in numbers and in strength, Pres. Clayton added. During the past fiscal year, 351 new Rotary Clubs were organized in 48 countries of North, South and Central America, Europe, Asia, Africa and the Islands of the Pacific, and seven countries were added to Rotary's roster—Angola, Iran, Iraq, Jordan, Netherlands, New Guinea, Ruanda-Urundi and Swaziland.

Mrs. Kate Crabb of California has been visiting here with friends.

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Junior High and B Team To See Action Tonight

The Memphis B football team will play host to Packer night, Nolan Poteet, coach Wednesday. The game will start at 7:30 p. m. at Cyclone Stadium.

Before this game the High team, under the coaching of D. C. Andrews, will meet from Quana. The Junior game will start at 6 p. m.

This is the first game season for both of these teams. It will also be the first game the Junior High team has ever played, since they did not play a team last year, he continued. Admission prices will be 50 cents for students and 75 cents for adults.

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