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DISTRICT CHAMPIONS — Pictured above are members of the Lakeview Girls squad who won the District Championship in a tournament last weekend. Members are, front row left to right Dell Whitehead, Patricia Lawrence, Joyce Ponder, Minnie Rice, Carolyn Floyd, Ella Mae Ariola, Nannie Hubbard, Edna Earl Gardenhire, Nila Holt, Jimmie Harris, Naema Pierce, Linda Campbell. Back row, left to right, Brenda Brister (co-capt.), Glynda Lewis, Betty Barclay, Elizabeth Casteel, Lela Garrison, Sue Melton, Patsy Neighbors, Martha Joy Reed, Lavern Sams, Elizabeth Pierce and Rita Durrett (co-capt.). Shirley Ariola, senior member of the basketball squad is not pictured.

Lakeview Girls Take Dist. Basketball Championship

The Lakeview girls basketball team took the district championship last weekend by defeating Estelline in the final game Saturday night by a score of 68 to 46.

The contest took place at the Lakeview gymnasium last Thursday, Friday and Saturday where all the teams from District 9-B competed for the championships.

The Silvertown boys won the championship in the boys bracket by defeating Turkey in the finals Saturday night by a score of 81 to 69.

The Lakeview girls gained the finals by defeating Kirkland in the first round of play 85 to 49.

Voters to Elect Mayor and Four Aldermen April 2

Memphis voters will elect a mayor and four aldermen in the city election scheduled for Tuesday, April 2, Mayor O. L. Helm said this week.

The deadline for filing as a candidate for any of the places is 30 days before the election, or March 2. Anyone wishing to file should contact Dwight Kinard, city secretary.

Memphis is divided into four wards, each of which has two aldermen. The men are elected for two-year terms with one of them coming up for election each year.

So far three men have announced as candidates for the positions. Mayor Helm will be seeking re-election. He has served one term and before that time served about nine months of the term vacated by the death of Carl Harrison. L. W. Stanford is seeking re-election from Ward No. 1, and O. M. Gunstream from Ward No. 2. Both men have served one term.

Other aldermen whose terms expire this year are Gene Lindsey, Ward No. 3, and E. C. Rice, Ward No. 4.

County 4-H Youths To Leave Sunday Morning For Houston Stock Show

Hall County 4-H Club members leave Sunday morning at 3 o'clock with their cattle to enter the Houston Fair Stock Show at Houston, county agent, said this week.

One of the highlights of the show is the calf scramble which will be held Saturday afternoon, March 2, at the rodeo. In this event about 15 calves are released at one end of the arena. About 30 boys are at the other end of the arena, and they have to catch one of the calves and return with it across a line.

Last year, in this event, Long captured one of the animals, and is returning to the show with it this year to enter it in the judging. Two boys are selected from each district to participate in the event. This year Jimmy Don Molloy has been selected as an alternate for the event, and will get to participate if one of the contestants fails to show up for the scramble.

COUNTY RECEIVES \$75,000.00 FOR CONSERVATION RESERVE

Cotton Sign-Up Deadline Is Friday, March 1

A new change in the regulations concerning cotton Acreage Reserve program was received by the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation office here Wednesday, according to Lynn L. McKown, manager of the office.

Under the old rules, a farmer had to place 30 per cent of his cotton in the Acreage Reserve program before he could sign a request to place more than that amount in the program.

Now farmers are permitted to specify any amount of their allotment to be placed in the program and do not have to decide on the final amount until funds become available later in the year. This move will give farmers a little more time to make their decision on the amount of cotton land they wish to place in the program.

An example of the working of the new rule would be as follows: A farmer may go into the local ASC office and request that he be permitted to place 40 per cent of his cotton allotment in the acreage reserve program. Later in the year, when funds become available, he will be permitted to place that amount or change his request and place, for example, only 10 acres, in the program if he desires.

The new rule only applies to those who want to place more than the 30 per cent of the allotment into the program.

However, for farmers who want to sign up a definite amount now, they can place up to 30 per cent of their allotment in the program.

Only 140 contracts had been signed for the cotton Acreage Reserve program through last Friday with approximately 5,000 acres covered.

Deadline for signing 1957 cotton Acreage Reserve agreements is next Friday, March 1.

License Plate Sale Continues

Sale of license plates in Hall County continued to be slow this week with only 179 passenger cars having been registered up to Wednesday, Mrs. W. C. Anderson, county tax assessor-collector, announced.

The license plates went on sale Feb. 1 and 79 persons registered their cars in the first week. Deadline for securing the new car tags is March 31, Mrs. Anderson said.

The new passenger car plates are white with black lettering. (Continued on Page 12)

Slow Rains Up To One Inch Soak Hall County This Week

Memphis received .45 of an inch of moisture during the rain which fell Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, according to a report by J. J. McMickin, official weather observer.

By Monday morning .27 of an inch had fallen. From that time until Tuesday morning another .14 of an inch fell and then Wednesday's reading revealed .04 of an inch.

The rain was general over the county but some points reported more moisture than others. The Lakeview area received about an inch, and the same report was received from the Deeplake area. The area south of Memphis received about the same amount as Memphis.

Every drop that fell soaked into the ground. Since it fell slowly, and for the most part as a drizzle, the maximum benefit came from the amount.

William C. Swindle of the Soil Conservation Service reported that the moisture penetrated very well in all areas.

At Newlin it penetrated 15 inches in a field which had been chiseled. North of Lakeview, moisture was down eight inches in a pasture, and 11 inches in a chiseled field.

South of Lesley it had penetrated seven inches in a field, and then southwest of that point it had gone down four inches. One mile east of Brice, penetration of 15 inches in a field was recorded.

The difference in penetration (Continued on Page Twelve)

Enough To Cover All Land Now Signed Up

The Hall County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation office received an additional allotment of approximately \$75,000 to be used for the Conservation Reserve part of the Soil Bank, Lynn L. McKown, manager of the office, said Tuesday.

This extra allotment will enable the local office to make payments on all of the land which has been signed up under the Conservation Reserve program up to the present time, McKown said.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture also announced that the closing date for signing Conservation Reserve contracts has been extended until April 15, 1957. The original deadline was Mar. 15.

The action was taken because of the current heavy work load in the county ASC office where personnel were also busy with the (Continued on Page 12)

Boxing Tourney To Be Here Thurs., Fri., Sat.

The annual Memphis Boys Club boxing tournament will get underway here Thursday night at 8 p. m. at the Memphis High School gymnasium, H. R. Crawford, director of the tournament said Wednesday.

The fights will begin at 7 p. m. Friday and Saturday with the finals scheduled for Saturday night.

A total of 14 towns and 91 boys had entered the tournament by Wednesday, with eight of the entries being heavyweights.

The tournament will be divided into four divisions. These are peewee, novice, high school and open. The peewee group will be composed of boys who weigh from 60 to 100 pounds.

The novice division is for boys who are only starting in boxing. They can not enter this division if they have had more than five fights. Weights run from 105 up to heavy. Boys can not box in this division if they were 19 years old before Sept. 1, 1956.

The high school division regulations are the same as those for the novice division with the only difference being that there is no limit on the amount of fights that (Continued on Page 12)

C. of C. Banquet Tickets Go On Sale Wednesday

Ticket sales began this week for the 37th annual Memphis Chamber of Commerce and Hall County Board of Development Banquet, Eddie Foxhall, newly-elected president of the group, announced Wednesday.

The speaker for the occasion will be Herbert C. Petry, Jr., of Carrizo Springs. Petry is a past president of Lions International, and at present is a member of the Texas State Highway Commission.

The directors of the organization will be in charge of the ticket sales, and will be attempting to contact every member in the near future. Tickets will also be on sale at the Chamber of Commerce office.

The banquet will be held in the Travis School Cafeteria on Friday evening, March 1, beginning at 7:30 p. m.

Petry, Foxhall explained that the banquet is for any citizen of Memphis and the surrounding area, and is not limited to members of the county-wide organization.

Caprock Angus Farm Purchases Champion Bull At Okla. Show

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Houston, owners of the Caprock Angus Farm, announced this week that they have recently purchased the grand champion bull at the Colgate County Angus Breeders Association sale in Colgate, Okla.

The animal, Elban Bardolier RH 20th, is 26 months old and won over 22 other bulls in the judging. He is the grandson of Elban Bardolier 3rd, an international champion in 1951. There are champions on both the sire and dam side of the animal's lineage, Houston said.

The purchase of the bull will bring a grand champion blood line to the herd at the Caprock Angus Farm, Houston added.

The bull was purchased from Blanche and Jerry Miller of the Round Hill Angus Farm at Colgate, Okla.



4-H COUNTY GROUP—Pictured above is the county group of ten animals which placed third in the group judging in the Amarillo Livestock Show. The animals, with five others, will compete in the group event in Houston next week when the local 4-H clubs enter the livestock show there. Persons in the above picture are: left to right, Mike Widener, Roy Stephens, Donald Wayne Widener, Ronnie George, Clayton Lisenby, Bobbie Stephens, T. R. Fuston, Jr., Tony Molloy, Jimmy Don Molloy, Roy Alvin Molloy, Shari Gentry and County Agent W. B. Hooser.

West Texas Utilities Has Cooking School

All the housewives in Memphis and the surrounding area are invited to be guests of the West Texas Utilities Company at a Live Better — Electrically Cooking School to be conducted here next Friday, February 22.

The demonstration, will present the most recent and modern developments of cooking will be held at the American Legion Bldg. at 2 p. m., E. M. Wilson, West Texas Utilities Company's local manager, in announcing the school said, "As a result of numerous requests to repeat the Cooking

School, which we presented last year, this school was planned."

Mrs. Abbie Andrews, a senior Home Economist for Frigidaire Sales Corp., will present the newest developments and new recipes and ideas. She will be assisted by Mrs. Helen Hurst of West Texas Utilities District staff.

Mrs. Andrews is a graduate Home Economist with years of practical experience. She has had special training in food preparation, preservation and quick-freezing techniques at the Nationally famous Frigidaire Home Economics Department at Dayton, Ohio.

Recipes will be given to home-

makers who attend the demonstration. All the food used in demonstrating the modern electric way of food preparation will be presented to the women attending the school.

Rita Jo Hale of Amarillo visited with Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hale, her parents, here Thursday and Friday of last week. Linda Hale returned to Amarillo with her sister and stayed until Sunday afternoon. While Linda was in Amarillo she also visited Janet Nelson.

A landing deceleration parachute has been designed to help reduce rollout of the Navy's largest carrier-based bomber, the Douglas A3D Sky Warrior. It will insure safe landings on wet runways, and during instrument landings or emergency landings.

Ronald Amundsen discovered the South Pole.



GEM DRESS . . . Nancy Dolen wears \$1,500,000 in diamonds and emeralds when she attended New York's "Night in Rio" benefit ball for Sister Kenny, hospitalized vets, and foundlings.

Service Dependents Now Eligible For Some Civilian Medical Care

Engineers and accountants are two position categories which currently offer the best opportunities for career employment with the federal government, the Civil Service Commission announced this week.

Graduate engineers in any branch of the profession, with or without actual work experience, may choose from a wide variety of assignments throughout the United States at a starting salary ranging from \$4,480 to \$10,320, depending on education and experience.

Excellent opportunities also exist throughout the nation for professional accountants, the commission stated. A college degree in accounting, a CPA certificate, or suitable experience in commercial

accounting or auditing will qualify an applicant for positions in many federal agencies, including that of Internal Revenue agent. Starting salary is \$3,670 a year, with promotion in many instances to \$4,825 after six months' training.

Application forms and information may be obtained from post offices or from the Eighth U. S. Civil Service Regional Office, 1114 Commerce Street, Dallas 2, Texas. Applications should be submitted to that address.

The seven seas are the North Atlantic, South Atlantic, North Pacific, South Pacific, Arctic, Antarctic and Indian Oceans.

Delaware has only three counties.

Chief Wang Wan Kuo of the Navy more than 20 years ago and has been a naturalized American citizen since 1915. He never set foot in the United States until this year when he came to the Naval Hospital at San Francisco, Calif., for treatment. Wang is Chief Steward who has served aboard such ships as the USS and flagship Estes. At 60, he is still eager to ship over.

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Harold Aspgren Named To Dean's List At TCU

Harold Aspgren, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Aspgren of Memphis, is one of the sixty-eight students majoring in arts and sciences at Texas Christian University to have been named to the "Dean's Honor List" for outstanding scholastic achievement during the fall semester.

The list represents the top five percent of all students working in the college and is the first to be announced under a new system of honors made effective at TCU last year.

Duane Foard To Go On Tour With North Texas State Band

Duane Foard is a member of the North Texas State College Concert Band, which will be presented in concerts in four Texas cities in March.

Under the direction of Maurice McAdow of the NTSC School of Music faculty, the band will be presented in Garland, March 5; Weatherford, March 12; Bowie, March 14; and Denison, March 16.

Foard, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Pratt Foard of Memphis, is a freshman journalism major.

Selective Service Inducts 42,318 Men During 1956

A total of 42,318 Texans entered the armed forces in 1956, and 42,264 were separated during the same time, according to a consolidation of state Selective Service headquarters reports.

Of the 42,318 reported as entering, 34,857 went in by enlistment or other voluntary means. The remaining 7,461 were drafted through the state's 137 Selective Service boards.

"Actually, a considerable number of those drafted were volunteers," Col. Morris S. Schwartz, state Selective Service director, said Friday.

"During 1956, the percentage of inductees who volunteered for induction," he continued, "range from 13 per cent in the lowest month to 53 per cent during the highest month. Volunteers for induction took a nosedive in the fall of 1956."

A Selective Service registrant 18 years old through 25 years old may volunteer through his own local board. Any male who has attained the age of 17 may volunteer for induction with the written consent of his parents or guardian. Under such circumstances, he is registered with the local board at 17.

State Selective Service during the year 1956 forwarded a total of 11,913 men to armed forces examining stations for combined mental and physical examinations. Of this number, 7,601 were accepted for armed forces service, the remaining 4,312 being rejected as unacceptable, a rejection rate of 36 men out of every 100 examined.

TAX TIPS

from the office of James Z. Pearce Amarillo, Texas

Thousands of taxpayers are costing themselves needless time and expense in preparing and submitting estate and gift tax returns in duplicate, according to James Z. Pearce.

The Internal Revenue Service announced that, under the 1954 Code, duplicate estate and gift tax returns were no longer required. However, thousands of taxpayers failed to note the change and each year the Internal Revenue Service is required to return the second copy of estate and gift tax returns to many taxpayers and/or their accounts.

Unfortunately, it costs the taxpayer quite a bit to make the duplicate copy, Pearce explained.

Form 706 is to be used for estate taxes, and form 709 is for gift taxes.



The Live Better — Electrically Cooking School will be conducted by Mrs. Abbie Andrews, a Senior Home Economist for Frigidaire Sales Corporation. Mrs. Andrews, recognized as one of the outstanding economists in the Southwest, is well known for her practical approach to the problem of stretching the kitchen dollar and at the same time providing balanced, nourishing meals.

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BORDEN Charlotte Freeze 39¢
1.2 gal (Thereafter 49¢)

IGA Milk 8 tall cans 1.00

VEGETOLE SHORTENING 79¢
3 lb. Carton

KRAFT VELVEETA 2 lb. loaf 79¢

WABISCO PREMIUMS CRACKERS 2 lb. box 49¢

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Lb. pkg.

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Lb.

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Lb.

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Mrs. Raymond Whitten Honored With Tea Shower in Gayle Greene Home

The home of Mrs. Gayle Greene was the scene on Thursday afternoon for a lovely tea shower complimenting Mrs. Raymond Whitten, the former Miss Beverly Bow-ern.

Serving as co-hostesses for the courtesy were Meses. Leo Fields, Wyley Whitley, E. E. Cudd, Herschel Combs, A. Anisman, Buster Helm, Coy Davis, Alvin Massey, Clarence Morris, T. M. Harrison and Mac Tarver.

Guests calling between the hours of 4 and 6 p. m. were greeted by Mrs. Greene and presented to the receiving line composed of the honoree; her mother, Mrs. M. J. Hodge of Ft. Worth; the honoree's grandmother, Mrs. T. J. Dunbar; and the groom's mother, Mrs. Cecile Whitten.

Decorations throughout the spacious entertaining rooms carried out the valentine motif, featuring the colors of red and white. Of special interest in the living room was a "wishing well" in which the guests were asked to drop their special wish for the bride and groom.

In the dining room the table was laid with a white organdy cloth adorned with lace medallions. Centering the table was an arrangement of red carnations, white cupid and greenery.

Miss Linda Fields and Miss Ouida Massey alternated at the crystal punch service.

On display in one room of the party suite was a lovely array of gifts including pottery, silver, linens and many other miscellaneous gifts.

More than 70 guests were registered in the bride's book by Miss Addie Lou Wells.

Around and About

Happiness for the wonderful rainfall was reflected in every face as we made our way around town this week . . . smiles and beaming faces greeted us everywhere.

That's one of the nice things about living in a dry climate . . . when occasionally we do see the raindrops falling, it's just like a child being handed a stick of candy!

Surprises are always nice if somewhat a little shocking! Quite often we write about surprise birthday dinners given husbands by their wives—but this time the story is reversed. Sunday T. J. Bridges surprised his wife with a birthday dinner . . . he wouldn't take credit for cooking the meal, but did admit to maneuvering his wife into cooking enough food for the guests he had invited. Completely surprised was Mrs. Bridges when Mr. and Mrs. Otis Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hays arrived to share the birthday meal. The birthday cake? It was baked and decorated by Mrs. Emma Baskerville.

Then on Tuesday, a pleasant surprise awaited that long-time Hall County physician, Dr. J. A. Odom, when he arrived at the Rotary Club for the regular weekly luncheon meeting. Imagine his surprise when time for the program arrived to hear Byron Baldwin announce "This Is Your Life"—Dr. J. A. Odom.

The John Fowlers, too, had a pleasant surprise in the form of visitors from Iowa. A cousin of Mr. Fowler and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Fredericks, whom Mr. Fowler had seen only once, came by for a visit last week. Now the Fowlers are planning a trip to Iowa to visit the family home-

place . . . seems Mrs. Fredericks resides within a short distance of the farm.

A wedding of interest to his friends here is that of Dan McMillan to Miss Shirley Anne Mason in Fort Worth on January 26. Dan was reared in Memphis, and served as news editor of The Democrat for several months. He is now associated with Southwestern Bell Telephone Company as public relations director. Congratulations, Dan, and best wishes to you both.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Burnett, who have spent most of their married life in Hall County, will observe their Golden Wedding Anniversary with open house at their home in Memphis Sunday. They have extended an invitation to their many friends to call between the hours of 3 and 5 o'clock.

Are you an ex-student of Lakeview, Lesley, Brice or Deeplake schools? If so, then you will want to make plans to attend the homecoming activities at Lakeview on April 20. Plans are being made to send out invitations, and names and addresses of ex-students are needed. If you know of some ex-student, please give the name and address to Mrs. Jack Wolf or Clayton Wells.

Memphis, Tenn., vs. Memphis, Texas: Sometime ago Mrs. Bernice Ellis of Pampa placed a call to her sister, Mrs. H. B. Bennett at Greene Dry Goods Store here. Shortly she was connected and the person said, "Yes, this is Greene's Dry Goods Store, and we will call Mrs. Bennett." Mrs. Bennett came to the telephone and they started talking. In a moment they both agreed something was wrong. It was . . . the town. She was talking to Mrs. Bennett, at Greene's Dry Goods in Memphis, Tenn.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Stout who celebrated their

Religious Music Makes Up Program At Harmony Club

A program of Religious Music was presented Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 13, when the Harmony Club met in regular monthly session. The meeting was held in the First Christian Church with Mrs. Dick Fowler, Mrs. T. A. Hunt and Mrs. Clyde Milam as co-hostesses.

Under the direction of Mrs. Conley Ward, the afternoon's program included the following numbers: Hymn of the Month, Mrs. L. G. Rasco; "Now Let All the Heavens Adore Thee," Bach, by chorus; Mmes. Ace Gailey, Gayle Greene, G. Gilliam, N. Combest, Fern Miller, C. H. Compton, Carl Smith, Dick Fowler, Miss Esta McElrath, accompanied by Mrs. T. L. Rouse; piano solo, "My Heart Ever Faithful," Bach, by Mrs. Carl Smith; organ solo, "Meditation from Thais," Massenet, by Mrs. T. L. Rouse; vocal solo, "Deep River" by Mrs. Robert Sexauer with accompaniment

50th wedding anniversary Wednesday. This jolly and genial couple has spent all their married life in Memphis. They were married here 50 years ago at the Baptist parsonage with Mrs. T. O. Young and Jim King as their attendants. They lived in Memphis for several years and then moved to the farm southeast of the city, where they have resided these many years.

by Miss Gertrude Rasco; organ-piano duo, "Gloria from the Twelfth Mass," Mozart, by Mrs. Conley Ward and Miss Mary Foreman; "America, the Beautiful" arr. Pinney, by chorus.

Refreshments of cherry tarts, valentine sandwiches, potato chips, coffee and tea were served to two guests, Mrs. Ace Gailey and Mrs. Gayle Greene, and to the following members: Mmes. M. C. Allen, Nelson Combest, C. H. Compton, Dick Fowler, Gordon Gilliam, T. A. Hunt, D. L. C. Kinard, Fern

Miller, L. G. Rasco, T. L. Robert Sexauer, Carl Smith, ley Ward, Miss Mary Foreman, Miss Gertrude Rasco.

The next meeting in set for March 13 in the home of R. S. Greene.

Visiting Sunday with Mrs. A. J. Fowler were daughter and son-in-law, Mrs. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Childress visited here Sunday. Mrs. Gladys Power.

CARD OF THANKS
We want to thank our dear neighbors and friends here at Memphis who sent and wired flowers for the funeral of my father, B. I. Whitworth of Alba, Texas. He passed away Jan. 31, 1957. Thanks for the kind words of comfort, the letters and sympathy cards we received from each one of you. It's nice to have good friends and neighbors like you. We appreciate everything you did for us. When sorrow and sadness comes to you we hope each one of you will have the same kindness as we have. Wonderful friends mean so much to us. You will always be remembered. God bless you all. Thanks again.
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Commemorating 50 Years of Service

Fifty years ago—in 1907—the first "BALDWIN'S" sign went up on the square of Memphis, Texas. It was erected by A. Baldwin on the front of an early-day business establishment. This sign has been up continuously since that time, even though not the same type of business, but still in the same family.

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Duwall County, USA

This is the 7th in a series of articles by New York newspaper reporters Frederick Hodgson and Franz Rosenwald, who recently spent several weeks in Duwall Co. and South Texas, gathering facts for this series.

Refugees Cut Population 43 Per Cent in Fifteen Years

FREDERICK HODGSON SAN DIEGO, TEX.—In Duwall County there has existed "an almost indestructible machine of secrecy and terror." So John Ben Shepperd, Attorney General of Texas.

children in the school had dropped to 4,150, a loss of 927 in five years. The 1940 figure was 6,213. All of the above figures are taken from the authoritative Texas Almanac—except the percentages.

Seven other Texas counties touch on the borders of Duwall. These are Brooks, Jim Hogg, Jim Wells, LaSalle, Live Oak, Webb, and McMullen.

Ask a Parr opponent to explain the exodus from Duwall and has a ready answer, the long drought and the trend to the big cities.

It isn't explained how the dry period affects Duwall more than her seven neighbors.

Nor what big cities exist in those seven counties. The only "big city" is Webb's Laredo with an estimated 59,000 people.

There can be but one answer for the Duwall exodus. Too many people found life there unpleasant, unbearable, unsafe or unprofitable.

I was sitting in a restaurant in Jourdan, the Atacosa county town, when a man came over and wanted to know what was going on at the courthouse.

yers are celebrities in Jourdan.

I told him that Judge Barrow was hearing a case having to do with Parr's 55,711-acre Dobie Ranch.

"Use'ta live in San Diego one't," the man said.

I asked him why he left the place.

"Couldn't raise my kids there proper," he said. "I got beaten up one't and we didn't want our kids to see their daddy get beaten up."

When I pulled out my note book to jot down his name the man added this: "Nope, Nope, I got a married sister still livin' there."

The list of people forced to leave Duwall County for one reason or another, frightened out or ordered out, is as long as your arm, people whose names are on the record.

Let's consider a speech by Ricardo Barton, wealthy Duwall and Jim Wells rancher, former Parr stalwart and now a foe to the Machine.

It takes courage to face up to one's past and obey the dictates of conscience.

Barton, over the protests of his fearful family, showed up at an anti-Parr election rally and made a speech.

This, in part, is what he said: "I've been with the Duke in stealing from the school kids . . . Sixteen years ago Parr ran my own brother out of the county . . . I could tell you a few things about an unsolved murder or two . . . I want you all to know the truth about the Possum (the Latins' nickname for Parr, El Tlacacave—the Possum) even if I have to go to prison for it."

The exodus is not only from Duwall. People are deserting the Parr camp in droves.

Most important of the defections, of course, is the present District Judge C. Woodrow Laughlin, a former Parr man who was unceremoniously ousted from office by the Texas Supreme Court.

Duwall County Judge Dan Tobin is another. Yet another is Manuel Marroquin, now editor of the anti-Parr bi-lingual tabloid newspaper "New Duwall."

Marroquin, the man described by Assistant Attorney General Sidney Chandler as having "more intestinal fortitude than any other man in the county," gives an interesting sidelight on the Duke of Duwall—and it's by the side-lights, the little things, that we understand people.

Here's Marroquin's story, taken directly from a tape recording: "I started to sell milk in my store and George Parr came in. I said 'George, will you do me a

favor, take a bottle of milk and go outside with it, let people see you with it?"

"George said to me, he said 'Meme'—he always called me Meme, that's short for Manuel you know—he said 'Meme, you know I don't drink milk' and he started to go out."

"I said, 'George, I know you don't drink milk but they'll buy it from me.'"

"He said, 'Sure, Meme, give me a bottle of milk.'"

"And I said, 'I won't charge you anything.' He put the money down anyway and I said 'If you want to throw the bottle away then throw it away. Just let the people see you with my milk and they'll buy my milk.'"

"He went out of my store and held up the bottle of milk and he waved it before he got in his car. He told everybody what fine milk I had. And he waved the bottle of milk out of the window of his car and drove off."

"For three days everybody in San Diego buys my milk. Everybody in San Diego's drinking milk, then . . . Wham! Nobody at all buys my milk. I had all my milk and it went bad. I lost plenty money. You know what that blankety blank so and so did? His pistoleros found out they could make money with the milk business so George gave the milk business to a deputy sheriff."

If that isn't a whimsical switch on old-style Bossism I'd like to know what it is. If the men who bossed Chicago in the days of Al Capone ever hear of it they'll be doing a derwish act in their graves.

Later Marroquin opened a tortilla bakery. Parr put him out of business.

Marroquin today is one of the

Duwall emigres. The five members of the Marroquin family have helped swell the census of neighboring Jim Wells County.

"Meme," with his Winchester always at the ready, lives just across the county line on Highway 44.

Take the case of another refugee, Jose Serna, brother of Donato Serna, now the Duwall County auditor.

Jose owned a cafe in San Diego and incurred the displeasure of the Boss. Here's how Donato tells the story:

"George Parr drove my brother out of the County, out of San Diego. Deputy sheriffs blocked the entrance to his place of business. They'd arrest customers who had one beer and charge them with drunken driving whether they owned automobiles or not. They didn't press any charges. Just scared them so they wouldn't go in my brother's place any more."

"I went across the street with a loaded camera to take a picture for evidence and George Parr grabbed his pistol and ran across the street to me, cursing in Spanish. I tried to grab my camera. Amaya (Manuel Amaya, then deputy sheriff and now chief of police in San Diego) hit my camera with the barrel of his gun."

"Amaya said 'You're both (Donato and Jose) under arrest. Get in that car.' We got in and I said 'All right, arrest me but don't hit me.' They took us to the courthouse. George put his gun in its holster and hit me hard on the head with a five-cell flashlight. I sat down on the jailer's bunk. He was beating me up when Amaya took the flashlight away from him. Amaya put the camera on the table and they tore it to pieces. Then George told us 'Get the hell out of here.' We went."

Donato Serna stayed in Duwall

to fight.

In Duwall these days a man either fights for Parr or fights against him. The days of "inactive subversion" are over.

In Duwall it's physically impossible to sit on your hands and straddle the fence at one and the same time.

I first heard that term "inactive subversion" a few weeks ago in Austin as I talked about Duwall with John Ben Shepperd, who knows more about the county, probably, than any other person outside the immediate vicinity.

Shepperd's knowledge has grown out of his early, undercover visits to Duwall back in 1953, when he waited in a dark ranch house to talk with anti-Parr citizens who he said came stealing out of the bushes in the dark after parking their cars a mile away. Sometimes, he tells, they changed cars two or three times on the way to the rendezvous to keep from being followed by Parr men.

Months of this undercover investigation gave Shepperd enough information to sustain a frontal

attack on the stronghold of Parr.

When the Parr dictatorship was first bated down on Duwall, consolidating himself into "an almost indestructible machine of theft, secrecy and terror," the people were ignorant, miserable, exploited and politically inexperienced.

Perhaps they cannot be blamed for letting themselves get caught in the coils. Today they're still miserable, still exploited and the illiteracy rate is among the very highest in the State of Texas.

But they've had political experience thrust upon them.

Quien sabe? Who knows, perhaps with upsurge of real democracy in the county that satatrophic drop in population will be halted, even reversed.

Thanks to men like Serna, and Marroquin, and Shepperd and many, many others, Duwall may yet come into its own.

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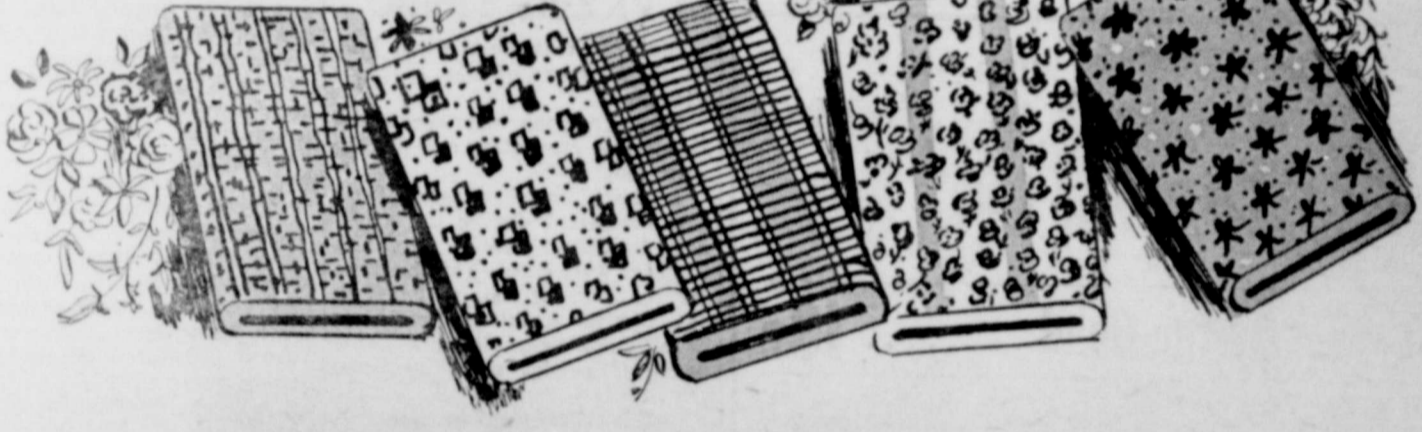
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Lovely Bridal Shower in Tiner Home Honors Mary Jane Jones, Bride-Elect

Complimenting Miss Mary Jane Jones, a group of hostesses entertained with a lovely bridal shower in the home of Mrs. R. T. Tiner on Friday evening.

J. B. Burnetts To Observe 50th Anniversary Sun.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Burnett, long-time Hall County residents, will observe their Golden Wedding anniversary with open house at their home, 1520 Brice, in Memphis on Sunday afternoon, Feb. 24.

An invitation has been extended their friends to call at the family home between the hours of 3 and 5 p. m. Sunday.

Mrs. Elmer Fisher of Pampa visited here Friday with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Burnett, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Monzingo, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Monzingo and Dr. O. R. Goodall were in Fort Worth Friday where they attended the Golden Gloves boxing tournament.

blue and white were noted in decorations throughout the entertaining rooms. The refreshment table was laid with a white lace cloth over blue and appointed in silver. Centering the table was a miniature bride and groom and double wedding ring arrangement. Alternating at the silver service were Iola Robertson and Beverley Crawford.

A lovely selection of gifts were on display. Appropriate piano selections were played throughout the party hours by Ann Tiner and Mrs. L. G. Raseo.

Salisbury Club Holds Meeting In Messick Home

The Salisbury Club met Feb. 5 in the home of Mrs. D. C. Messick. After a business meeting, those present enjoyed various games.

Delicious refreshments of sandwiches, cakes, nuts, salads, and coffee were served by the hostess to five guests, Meses. Annie Mitchell, Ott Misenheimer, Elmer Gardener, Fred Hemphill, Gene Chamberlain, and regular members, Meses. Stout, Davis, Wilton, Lockhart, McQueen, Lee Lawrence, Hutcherson, Mitchell, Cudd and Kilgore.

The next meeting will be held on March 5 in the home of Mrs. Ernest Lee.

PARNELL

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Weatherby of Memphis were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bothershed on Sunday of last week.

Mrs. Etta Canada and Mrs. Pat Wells of Memphis were Abilene visitors last Sunday.

Among those attending the basketball tournament at Lakeview last week were Mr. and Mrs. Parge Winn, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Couch, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Long and Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Mullin and Ronald Lynn.

The Harold Wheelers of Amarillo visited in the Parge Winn home Friday night. Mrs. Neely returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Long were Childress visitors Friday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Neely was a guest of Mrs. Maye Weatherly Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Taylor of Tell were guests in the Z. C. Latham home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Beauchamp and children and Edwin Weatherly of Pecos are visiting relatives and friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. MOTHERS and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Graham of Clarendon attended the birthday celebration of Mrs. Pearl Graham Sunday in the home of Mrs. Graham's daughter, Mrs. Hulan Monkard and family in Crowell.

Mrs. Crump Ferrel and Mrs. Bill Orcutt were Sunday afternoon guests of Mrs. Carl Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Weatherly and Linda visited in Memphis Saturday evening with Mrs. Maudie Billingsley.

I. D. Mullin was a Turkey visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hutcherson were Amarillo visitors last Saturday.

T. E. L. Class Meets in Home of Mrs. Grace Duke

Mrs. Grace Duke was hostess to members of the T. E. L. Class of the First Baptist Church at her home on Thursday evening.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. Myrtle Crabb after which the group sang the class song, "My Faith Looks Up To Thee."

Mrs. Hulda Wilson offered prayer and a most inspiring devotional was brought by Mrs. W. E. Hill, who chose as her subject "Faith," taking the text from the 11th chapter of Hebrews.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. E. T. Prater, Mrs. Emma Baskerville presided over the business session. During the business session, reports were given by Mrs. J. S. McMurry, Mrs. W. E. Hill and Mrs. J. S. Spencer, group captains and Mrs. A. Boswell who gave the monthly report. The treasurer's report was given by Mrs. W. L. Crawford. Mrs. J. W. Fitzjarrald closed the business session with an inspirational talk.

After the business session games carrying out the George Washington theme were enjoyed and later Mrs. Hulda Wilson led the group in singing church hymns with Mrs. Henderson Smith at the piano. The closing prayer was offered by Mrs. Fitzjarrald.

A tasty refreshment plate was served to Meses. J. S. Spencer, J. M. Saunders, J. S. McMurry, W. E. Hill, Mary Bownds, Hulda Wilson, J. W. Fitzjarrald, Frank Ellis, Alla Boswell, W. L. Crawford, Myrtle Crabb, Henderson Smith, Stella Jones, Grace Duke and Emma Baskerville.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Welcher visited in Hollis, Okla., Tuesday.

Mary B. Jameson, Walter Jameson Marry Friday

Mary Beckum Jameson and Walter Nelson Jameson were united in marriage in a quiet ceremony performed Friday, Feb. 15, at the Methodist parsonage in Clarendon with Rev. Conrad Ryan, pastor, officiating.

Mrs. Jameson wore a champagne suit and hat accented with amber accessories.

An employee of the General Telephone Company of the Southwest, Mrs. Jameson is head of the traffic dept. in the Memphis office. She plans to continue with her work.

Mr. Jameson is educational advisor of the Civilian personnel at Amarillo Air Force Base, Amarillo.

Mrs. John Fowler, Mrs. Myrtle Howard Attend Lubbock Meet

Mrs. John Fowler and Mrs. Myrtle Howard were in Lubbock the first of the week to attend a sales training school featured by Helen Rubinstein.

The meeting was held at the Caprock Hotel on Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Beulah Niebuhr was instructor for the school program which included all the new items and the latest glamour news in make-up.

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Miss Mary Jane Jones Becomes Bride Harold Foxhall In Memphis Rites

Miss Mary Jane Jones, daughter of Mrs. Rachel Jones of Memphis, became the bride of Harold Foxhall, son of Jim Foxhall of Memphis, on Sunday, Feb. 17.

G. S. Sharp, minister of the First Christian Church, read the marriage service at 2 p. m. in the church parsonage.

'World Day of Prayer' To Be Observed March 8

"World Day of Prayer" will be observed in Memphis with a special program to be held at the Methodist Church on Friday, March 8.

Complete plans for the program have not yet been worked out, but all churches in the city are invited to participate. The meeting is open to members of all churches.

CARD OF THANKS

Words cannot adequately express our deepest appreciation to all who extended comforting sympathy in our recent sorrow. We are deeply grateful for the beautiful floral offering and other kindness shown us.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Kennedy
Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hitehie
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ayers

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Taylor and son of Amarillo visited here Sunday with friends. The Taylors were en route to Abilene to attend the lectureship at Abilene Christian College.

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The bride's only attendant, Miss Ann Tiner. She was in a pink embroidered costume in suit complimented with accessories and a corsage of carnations.

Carol Foxhall, twin bride of the groom, was best man.

For her wedding the bride wore an embroidered cotton suit of blue accented with accessories. Her corsage was a camelia.

Both the bride and groom graduates of the Memphis School. The bride has been employed as an operator at the local office of the General Telephone Co.

The bridegroom has served the U. S. Air Force for four years and is now stationed at Cape Charles, Va., where he will be at home after Feb. 26.

Immediately following the ceremony, the couple left on a moon trip to Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. F. had as weekend visitors daughter and family, Mrs. Herman Cross and Mrs. of Clarendon. Sunday visitors Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Lema family of Amarillo and Mrs. Mrs. Zeno Lemons and of Memphis.

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Club '54 Meets In Vickers' Home

Club '54 met Wednesday, Feb. 13, in the home of Mrs. Florence Vickers.

The afternoon was spent embroidering, crocheting and piecing quilt blocks.

A short business session was also conducted during the afternoon by Ollie Edwards, president. Officers were elected at this time for the ensuing year and included: Gladys Anthony, president; Ethel Kilpatrick, vice president; Laura Peabody, secretary-treasurer.

Delicious refreshments, carrying out the valentine theme, were served to the following members: Meses. Ollie Edwards, Alma Ledford, Christine Long, Elva Johnson, Lucille Ables, Inez Lester, Elene Gilbert, Pauline Gillespie, Gladys Anthony, Edna Merrill, Ethel Kilpatrick, Tressie Paris, Laura Peabody and hostess, Mrs. Vickers.

Sharon Harrison and Earl Wheatley spent the weekend here with Sharon's mother, Mrs. Carl Harrison and family. Sharon and Earl are both students at West Texas State College.

LEGAL NOTICES

The City of Memphis, Texas, offers for sale on Tuesday Night, March 5, 1957, at the regular meeting place of the City Council in the City in the City Hall, in Memphis, Texas, to the highest acceptable bid, the following described real property, to-wit: a part of Section 10, Block 19, H & GN Ry. Co. Survey in Hall County, Texas, by metes and bounds described as beginning at a point in the East line of Ninth Street, 216 feet North of the Northwest corner of Block 99, Original Town of Memphis, Texas; Thence East 110 feet to a point in the South line of South Front Street as widened and improved; Thence North 37 degrees 52 inches West with the West line of South Front Street as widened and improved 180 feet to the point of intersection of the South line of South Front Street as widened and improved with the East line of Ninth Street; Thence South with the East line of Ninth Street 140 feet to the place of beginning.

Sealed bids may be filed with Dwight L. Kinard, City Secretary of the City of Memphis, Texas, at any time prior to 7:30 o'clock P. M. March 4, 1957. The bids will be opened by the City Council at its regular meeting on March 4, 1957, the successful bidder will be required to enter into a written agreement, subject to the City of Memphis furnishing a merchantable title, the contract of purchase to be completed within 30 days from date of contract; and, ten percent of the purchase price shall be deposited with the bid and to be held by the City as earnest money to secure the completion of the contract. The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

O. L. Helm Mayor

Dwight L. Kinard City Secretary 38-3c

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCreary and Debbie of Wichita Falls visited here over the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Loraine Lockhart.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lester visited in Wichita Falls with her brother, Homer Clark and family on Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fowler visited here over the weekend with Bob's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fowler. Bob is a student at Southwestern State Teachers' College at Weatherford, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Adcock left Monday night for Cleburne to be with Mrs. Adcock's mother, Mrs. Bell Hawkins, who is seriously ill in a hospital in that City. Mrs. Hawkins is a former Memphis resident, but has been making her home in Jacksboro for the past two years.

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Hughes, Former Resident in Lubbock

Hughes, 61, former resident of Lubbock, Texas, died at his home in Lubbock, Texas, on Feb. 18, 1957. He was a member of the Delta Chi social sorority. The scholarship group making the honor roll includes the upper five per cent of the undergraduate student body.

Katherine Wright Makes Honor Roll At West Texas

Katherine Wright was among the 73 students listed by Dean Walter H. Juniper on the fall semester honor roll at West Texas State College, according to information released this week. Daughter of Mrs. Lucile Wright, Miss Wright is a member of Delta Zeta Chi social sorority.

Services for Mrs. R. E. Saunders Held Saturday

Funeral services for a former Hedley resident, Mrs. R. E. Saunders, 74, were held Saturday afternoon in the First Methodist Church in Hedley. Mrs. Saunders died at her home in Amarillo, 728 N. Jackson St., Thursday morning, Feb. 14. She was born Dec. 1, 1883, in Mississippi. Miss Mattie Lee Broughton was united in marriage to R. E. Saunders on Feb. 8, 1902, at Mt. Pleasant, Texas.

The family moved to Donley County on Dec. 7, 1923, and resided there for many years. Mrs. Saunders was a member of the First Methodist Church of Hedley. She was preceded in death by her husband and one son, Ott. Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Lee Anderson of Amarillo, Mrs. J. W. Harris of Wellington, Mrs. Pete Darnell of Clarendon and Mrs. Edward Watson of Claude; two sons, A. M. of Wellington and R. A. of Amarillo; 13 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; two brothers, M. E. Broughton of Seminole and G. C. Broughton of Big Spring; two sisters, Mrs. J. B. Cherry of Mt. Pleasant and Mrs. J. C. Newton of Dimmitt.

Burial was in the Rowe Cemetery at Hedley under the direction of Spicer Funeral Home. Pall bearers were Jay Hunt, Carl Reid, Hobert Moffitt, Ray Moreman, Clifford Johnson and Leroy Harris. Mrs. Jack Slappy and children of Vernon visited here over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan McCollum.

Miss Doris Pritchard of Lubbock visited here over the weekend with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wyley Whitley. Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Pounds of Odessa were weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Williams.

Services Conducted In Arkansas for Mrs. Zelma Hughes

Funeral services for Mrs. Zelma Hughes, sister-in-law of Mrs. D. B. Kennedy and Mrs. W. F. Ritchie of Memphis, were held Monday of last week in Mt. Holly, Ark. Mrs. Hughes visited in Memphis several months ago when her husband, M. O. Hughes, was here visiting with his sisters.

Services were conducted from the First Methodist Church with Rev. E. E. Lawrence officiating. He was assisted by Rev. R. C. Brinkly. Mrs. Hughes died Feb. 4 after an illness of several months. Burial was in the family cemetery with nephews acting as pall bearers.

Survivors include her husband; one daughter, Mrs. H. E. Ballard of Magnolia, Ark.; one son, Sgt. Travis Hughes, now stationed on the Island of Crete; and five grandchildren.

LAKEVIEW

Jettie Sams, student at Wayland College, visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sams and family over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Blum and children of Amarillo visited Sunday with Mrs. Blum's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Wiley of Wayland College visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Wiley, over the weekend. Among those who attended the Baptist Panhandle Association meeting at Brice last Tuesday night were Pastor and Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Jim Gowdy, Mrs. Seay and children, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Barnett, Mrs. Vira Floyd and Dalton, V. L. Bevers, Mrs. Loran Denton, Mrs. M. L. Alexander, Mrs. C. J. Reed, Mrs. Brownlee and Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Wiley.

Sherry Denton visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loran Denton, over the weekend. She is attending college at Brownwood. Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Nabers, Jr., Sunday were Mrs. Pauline Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Marck Williams and children, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Zipp Durrett and children and Hendricks Williams of Brownwood. Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Payne of Amarillo visited over the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Payne and Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Kennard.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Hignight of Canyon visited Mr. and Mrs. Glen Verden and Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Hignight Saturday and Sunday. Tim Kirk of Texas Tech visited his mother, Mrs. Fan Kirk, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Blanks over the weekend. Sherry Lewis, Carolyn Bailey and Jane Fowler spent Sunday with Winnie Ruth Nabers.

Estelline Football Jackets Presented At Special Assembly

At a special assembly in Estelline High School Auditorium on Friday, February 15, Superintendent W. M. Roberts presented the award football jackets. Boys receiving letter jackets were: Bobby Hayes, Larry Braidfoot, Gayle Morrison, Mike Cope, Ronny Burl Bruce, Gary Adams, Joe Corona, Gary Joe Rogers, Ronald Crump, Russell Latham, Jimmie Dunn, Charles Anderson, Donald James, Don Ferrel, James Huffmaster and reserve jackets to James Barnett and Ray Lambert. Coach Raymond Adams was presented a jacket like those of the boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Foy Young and daughters, Betty Ann and Alice Kae and Mrs. Kate Byars visited in Amarillo with relatives over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Floyd of Lazbuddie visited here over the weekend with Mrs. Floyd's mother, Mrs. Martha Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McQueen, Sr. and William spent the weekend in Amarillo with the McQueen's son, E. L. McQueen, Jr., and family.

Local Parent-Teacher Units Observe Founder's Day with Tea Thursday

In observance of Founder's Day, a joint meeting of Austin and Travis Parent-Teacher Association was held on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Travis Cafeteria. An annual event, past presidents of the two units were honored as special guests on this occasion.

Mrs. Zeno Lemons, president of Austin unit, presided during the meeting. The invocation was given by B. J. Thomson and the address of welcome was extended by Miss Ethel Hillhouse.

The Brownies led the audience in the pledge of allegiance to the flag and the Brownie pledge followed. Mrs. Jack Rose, vice president of the Austin unit, introduced the program which was given by members of the Harmony Club under the direction of Miss Mary Foreman.

Introducing the program, the chorus sang, "Now Let All the Heavens Adore Thee," accompanied by Mrs. T. L. Rouse. Members of the chorus included Mesdames Gordon Gilliam, Robert Sexauer, Nelson Combest, Dick Fowler, Gayle Greene, Ace Gailey, Fern Miller and Miss Esta McElrath.

The next number was a vocal duet, "Some Enchanted Evening" by Mrs. Gayle Greene and Mrs. Nelson Combest accompanied by Mrs. Dick Fowler.

Other numbers included a piano duet, "Victor Herbert Favorites," by Mrs. Matthew Allen and Mrs. Fern Miller; vocal solo, "Deep River" by Mrs. Robert Sexauer accompanied by Gertrude Ranco; and "America, the Beautiful" by the chorus.

In introducing the honor guests, Mrs. Lemons said, "As we gather here this afternoon to pay tribute to the Founders of our National Association our thoughts naturally come back to those among us who have in the past years served, unselfishly and lovingly to fill the purposes of the Parent-Teacher Association. We are indeed grateful to them and are honored to have some of those women with us today."

"I have here a bouquet of your devoted service to our Association. These blossoms will fade and wither, their leaves will drop away and their fragrance be but a memory, but the inspiration you have given us by your devoted service will live forever."

Among honor guests present were Mrs. N. A. Hightower, who served as president from 1924 to 1928; Mrs. Henderson Smith, 1931 to 1932; Mrs. Emma Baskerville, 1938 to 1940; Mrs. Dunbar Posey, 1942 to 1944; Mrs. Robert Moss, 1954 to 1955; Mrs. Edward Hill, 1955 to 1956; Mrs. Lloyd Phillips, and Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard, who served as president of all three units and president of the 8th district.

Mrs. Weldon McCreary presented Texas Life Memberships to Mrs. Gene Lindsey and Mrs. Zeno Lemons. W. C. Davis, superintendent of Memphis schools, presented certificates of honor to officers of two local units in appreciation of their service during the year. Mrs. Gene Lindsey, president of the Travis unit, told of the beginning of P. T. A. on Feb. 17, 1897. She told of the extension work of the organization and explained that half of the silver offering would be used for the

Truth Seekers Class Meets With Mrs. C. E. Hankins

Members of the Truth Seekers Sunday School Class met in the home of Mrs. C. E. Hankins on February 14 for their regular monthly meeting with Mrs. W. I. Glosson as co-hostess. Mrs. L. G. Yarbrough, president, presided over the business session.

The program opened with the class song, "What a Friend We Have in Jesus." Mrs. W. B. Funk led in prayer and minutes of the previous meeting were read by Mrs. J. J. Evans, secretary.

Mrs. C. E. Gowan brought the devotional using for the scripture text the 14th chapter of John. Mrs. Cleve Evans gave a reading titled, "My Five Talent Teacher." She also led in prayer. Mrs. Pearl Massey conducted the Bible lesson. The meeting closed with the members repeating the Lord's prayer in unison.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Meses. Annie Kercheville, Wm. Gerlach, L. G. Yarbrough, D. Wigington, A. B. Jones, Ella Johnson, J. R. Cannon, Pearl Massey, Henry McCann, C. Gerlach, J. J. Evans, C. E. Gowan, W. B. Funk, J. W. Oliver, Cleve Evans, J. B. Wrenn, J. S. Ballard, Anna H. Dickson, Miss Rena Waller and two visitors, Mrs. W. M. Youngblood, Mrs. H. A. McCann and hostesses, Mrs. Hankins and Mrs. Glosson.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Roberts Jr. and children of Lubbock visited over the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Roberts.

Glen A. Gilbert Gets Promotion

According to information received by friends here Glen A. Gilbert has recently been promoted to Director General of Servicios De Aviacion, S. A., American Travel Service, Inc., with main offices in Mexico City, Mexico. Mr. Gilbert is the husband of the former Martha Draper, who was reared in Memphis.

An expert on air traffic control, Mr. Gilbert has written several books on this subject and has held traffic control schools throughout the world. He is a former director general of the International Civil Aviation Training Center in Mexico and aviation adviser to the International Civil Aviation organization of the United States.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fowler had as guests on Tuesday of last week Mr. and Mrs. Fredericks of Des Moines, Iowa. Mrs. Fredericks is a cousin of Mr. Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. McMurry of Austin were business visitors here last Friday. While here they were visitors in the home of Mrs. Verna Phillips.

Ben Jonson, English poet laureate, as buried in an upright position in Westminster Abbey.

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Editorial

Defense For Less Money

We can have better national defense for less money. That is the substance of an article by Francis and Katharine Drake in the February issue of The Reader's Digest. And it is certainly something that should interest everyone, in the light of current and prospective military expenditures. For instance, next fiscal year, this spending will come to some \$38 billion, if the President's budget is approved by Congress—more than half of the total budget of \$71.8 billion.

The Drakes' article does not deal with some marvelous new weapon that will give us maximum fighting power at low cost. It deals, instead, with the personnel problem faced by the forces, and with a solution to that problem. What they have to say is in general agreement with the views of many other people who have studied our military establishments.

At the heart of the problem is turnover. Close to 100 per cent of young men taken into the Army get out after one hitch, along with 94 per cent in the Navy and 90 per cent in the Air Force. This incredibly high loss, in the Drakes' view, results largely from the fact that "in an age of unprecedented prosperity we are imposing on our servicemen, and on their families, hand-to-mouth living conditions which would not be tolerated in civilian life." That policy, they go on, is not saving the taxpayers any money—on the contrary, the alarming turnover of manpower is costing us enormous sums in everlasting re-training programs. And all that lengthy and expensive training is being given to men who will leave the service as soon as the law allows.

Modern weapons are complicated and almost unbelievably costly, and it takes top-flight technicians to handle them. In the Air Force, the Drakes write, the average cost of equipment per man is \$80,000, as against \$11.00 for General Motors. A five-man bomber crew is entrusted with \$8 million worth of aircraft. It takes three years to train an electronics expert, and the cost to the government (that is, the taxpayers) is \$20,000—and if he quits at the end of a four-year hitch, as most do, he is of full value only for one year. As the Drakes put it, "Thus we always have four men for a highly skilled job—one man doing it, a second man being trained to take over, a third to take his place, and so on."

It's even worse in the case of officers. As an extreme example, the Drakes cite a captain qualified to fly and command an intercontinental atom bomber. This pay is \$7,000 a year—and if he leaves the service it costs \$618,000 to replace him.

The Drakes point to the tremendous differences between civilian pay and related benefits and military pay and related benefits. It is commonplace for an unskilled laborer to receive better pay than a master sergeant of 18 years' service holding a job of critical importance that demands very high skills.

Their solution, as can be imagined, is better pay and improved fringe benefits for the military people. They go into considerable detail as to what they believe should be done to encourage men to stay in the services. The point of their article is found in this paragraph: "What would it cost to put through a pay raise making a military career attractive to the high caliber men we need to guard our homeland? The total initial bill would be under a billion dollars a year. But if, as military leaders believe, this resulted in reducing our manpower turnover to 25 per cent per annum, we should save up to five billion dollars a year. Where else in Government do we have the chance to invest one dollar to save five?"

Heartfelt Help For Hearts

Now that we have given our annual St. Valentine's Day gifts to those we love, it is time for us to think of additional gifts from our hearts—for the hearts of every Texan and American.

The Texas and American Heart Associations have passed the halfway mark in their annual Heart Fund campaign for funds with which to combat the nation's number one health enemy—heart disease. President Dwight D. Eisenhower has declared that "heart diseases constitute a foremost national health problem and pose a constant threat for almost every American family."

The annual Heart Fund of the Texas Heart Association, which is affiliated with the American Heart Association, makes possible a broad program of research, professional and lay education and community heart services—the front line of attack against the disease that kills more Texans and Americans annually than any other illness.

The majority—three-fourths—of all contributions to the 1937 Texas Heart Fund will remain in the state of Texas and its communities to make possible still more research, and educational facilities and more community heart services.

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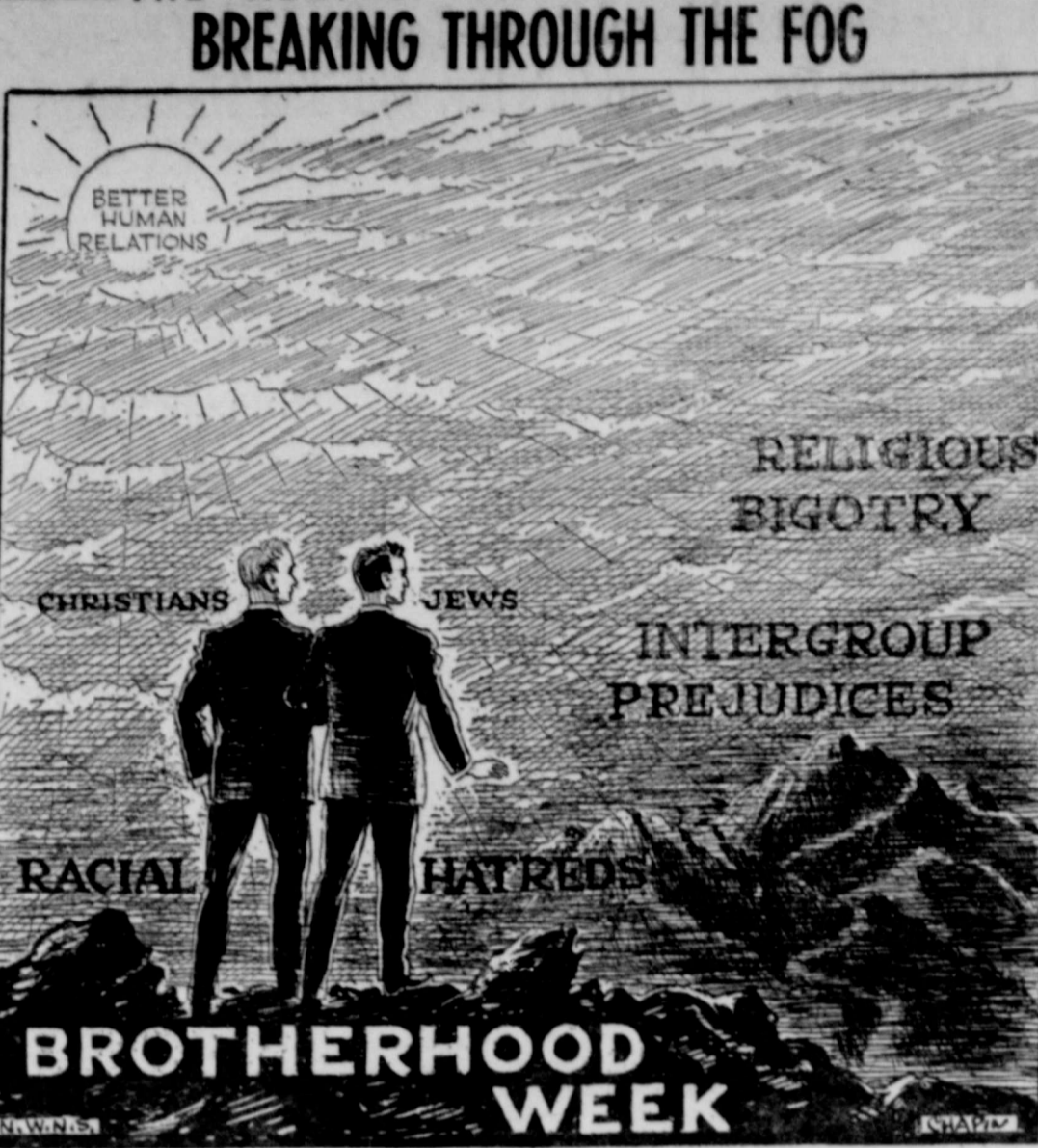
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Secret Meetings

A good indication of why every newspaper worth its salt is opposed to secret or closed meetings of public governing bodies can be seen in what has happened to Dave W. Sherill, a former Hockley County Agent.

Sherill was "fired" from his job in a secret meeting, although he's done an outstanding job as county agent for Lubbock county during the past ten years, because a vengeful group of officials felt the Extension Service had prompted an editorial appearing in a Lubbock paper.

The really smart thing for any city council, school board, or commissioners court to do if it gets ready to go on a firing spree, or do any leaning toward the controversial side, is to call in the newspaper and see that the facts are received first hand.

The governing body usually gets a better break that way, and such policy also calms the men involved enough that they

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approved.

We agree. If hardship were the criterion, the license suspension law would have little meaning as a protective device. The governor pointed out that 7,127 licenses now under suspension because of drunken driving convictions and that appeals for restoration before the pardon board averages 120 a month. Of this number approximately 50 restorations are recommended.

The governor had some other statistics. Nearly a fourth of the drivers involved in fatal accidents on the highways had been drinking. In numbers this represented 2,301 drivers, to whom he added 9,417 drinking drivers involved in non-fatal accidents outside city limits.

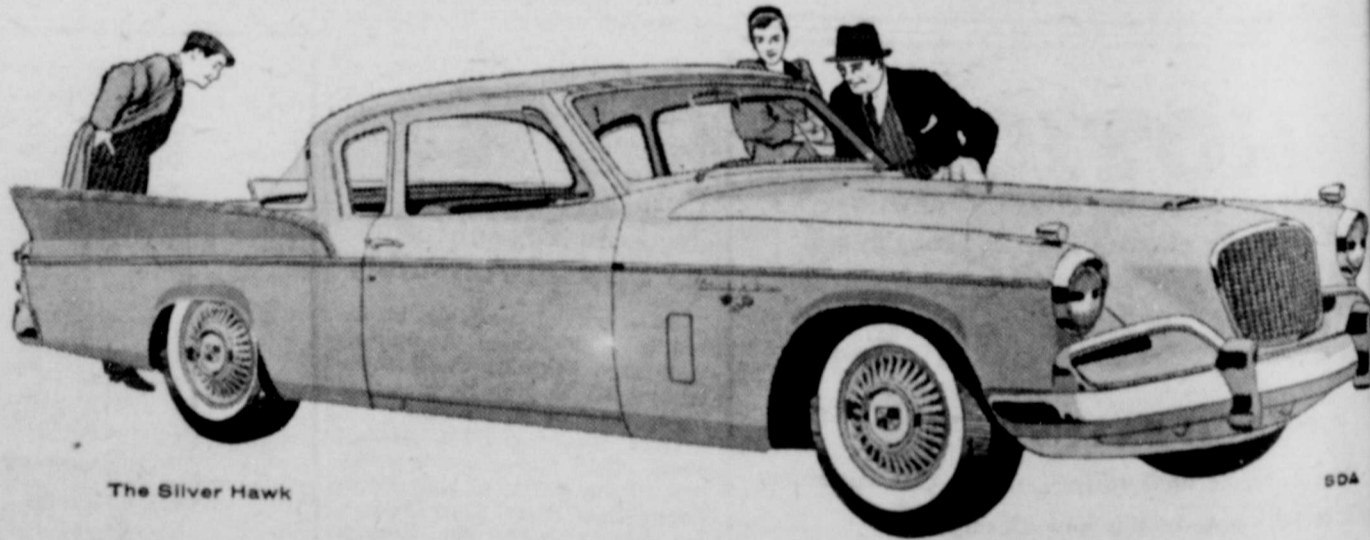
In the face of such figures, a policy of leniency is something the state and the driving public can hardly afford. Licenses are suspended for only six months in drunken-driving convictions. That is a short enough period if a cure is the objective. Hardships upon families are regrettable, even for six months, but drunken drivers are exceedingly dangerous. If the suspension of the driving privilege—and it is a privilege, not a right—is to mean anything it must be universal in its application. The loopholes of sympathy won't get the job done.

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Hall County Interscholastic League Meet: The Hall County Interscholastic League will meet in Memphis on April 6th and 7th. There will be contests in spelling, debate, declamation, essay writing and athletics. A New Jersey policeman pursued a man across the county line: "You beat me," he said; "shake hands." The culprit shook hands, was jerked back across the boundary and arrested. The president of the National Association of the Motion Picture Industry says many moving picture stars who claim to get \$1,500 a week, get less than half that amount.

30 YEARS AGO
July 8, 1926

Business Club Organized By Memphis Girls: Seventeen girls, employed in the various establishments of Memphis organized a club which will be known as the Business Girls Club, at a meeting held at the home of Mrs. Roy L. Guthrie Tuesday evening of this week. Denver Track Washed Out Near Lelia Lake: The Denver track near Lelia Lake washed out Wednesday evening following the heavy rain, and all trains have been tied up. The wrecker went out early Thursday morning and it is believed trains will be running before night. Large Crowds Attend Giles Annual Picnic From Many Counties; Candidates Speak.

20 YEARS AGO
August 21, 1936

Memphis Day Is Sept. 3 At Frontier Show: Thursday, Sept. 3, has been designated as Memphis Day at the Frontier Centennial Celebration at Fort Worth. Memphis officials have been notified. Two other cities, however, Childress and Quanah, will be honored by the Fort Worth Centennial.



Stated Meeting of Memphis Lodge First Monday No. 729; AF&AM School Instruction Each Wednesday Chapter No. 220 Second Monday Commandry No. 50 Third Monday Members urged to attend. Visitors Welcome. W. B. WILSON, Jr., W. M.



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Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cudd, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Barney Burnett were hosts to members of the F. H. A. club and their escorts at a Valentine dance Thursday evening at the Travis Cafeterium.

As the guests arrived they were asked to sign the red and silver, heart-shaped guest book by Miss Elaine Clayton. Boys were then presented with a red and white carnation for their lapels and the girls received a corsage of red hearts tied with red and white streamers.

Guest of honor at the dance was Mike Montgomery, F. H. A. Ideal. To begin the dance, Mike was crowned by Virginia Chappell, club president. Attendants were Wanda Moore, Club treasurer, escorted by Neal Foxhall. Carolyn Ferrel, pianist, played "Let Me Call You Sweetheart."

Delicious refreshments of dainty sandwiches, cookies and punch were served by Mrs. L. C. Martin, Mrs. E. Cudd and Mrs. D. H. Aronofsky. The table decorations were made up of three large hearts covered with lace and net and figurines of gold paper cupids, with bows and arrows.

Those present were: Carolyn Ferrel, Joyce Hull, Evelyn Haire, Neal Foxhall, Virginia Chappell, Lois Clark, Wilma Martin, Paula Blevins, Ouida Massey, Barbara Simpson, Judith Evans, Betty Lewis, Betty Gladden, Ernestine Young, Barbara Little, Maxine Archer, Martha Hawthorne, Linda Collins, Wayland McElreath, Johnnie McWhorter, Addie Lou Wells, Truman Smith, Charles Massey, Dudley Gillespie, David Binkley, Coy West, Pat Moore, Smokey Davis, Linda Stardevant, Lera Kate Hutcherson, Roger Crooks, Paul Nelson, Eddie Pi-land, Fredna Brown, Don Deaver, John Freeman, Don McElreath, Butch Adcock, Barbara Allen, Linda Codfrey, Jerry Burnett, Tomie Tucker, Roy Gene Pate, Judy Pate, Priscilla Wright, Elaine Clayton, Audrey Beth Burnett, Kay Stilwell, Judy Lemons, Helen Shackelford, Peggy Shockley, Guyula Cawfield, Carolyn Collins, Patricia Leigon, Tommy Foster, Jan Mitchell, Jimmie Dunn, Ruth Ann Jackson, Keith Rogers, Ronald Crump, Sandy Smith, Jimmy Malloy, Alvis Bryant, Shirley Reed, Kenneth Crump, Jerry Hickey, and Dan Durham.

Sponsors were Miss Joyce Jones, home economics teacher, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Martin, Dr. and Mrs. D. H. Aronofsky, Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Potts, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Burnett, and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cudd.

Mrs. Ted Bruce Hostess to Members Of Ophelia Club

Mrs. Ted Bruce was hostess to members of the Ophelia Junior Club on Monday evening, Feb. 11.

Mrs. Joe Kent Eddins, president, conducted a short business session after which a Valentine program was presented under the direction of Mrs. Roy Gresham.

Heart-shaped sandwiches, candy and Cokes were served to one guest, Mrs. Pete Woods, and the following members: Mmes. Joe Kent Eddins, Gerald Fowler, Roy Gresham, George Helm, J. M. Nivens, Jr., Leon Heim, Billy Bob Holland, Jack Kinard, Donald Ray Nivens, Raymond Adams, Joe Bob Nivens and Ted Bruce.

The next meeting is slated for February 21 at 7:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Leon Helm.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Martin left Thursday for Fort Worth where they will attend a Banker's convention. From Ft. Worth, Mr. Martin plans to go to Huntsville and Houston for visits before returning home.

Among Texas students who were home for the weekend were Jerry Hill, Ronald Cawfield, Billy Combs, Yvonne McDaniel, and Carol Foxhall.

Dickson Home Is Scene For Club Forty-Two Party

Members of the Pathfinders' Council entertained their husbands with a Valentine forty-two party on Tuesday evening, Feb. 12, in the home of Mrs. Anna Dickson.

The focal point of interest was the serving table which was centered with an arrangement of red and white hearts. The foursome tables were laid with red cloths and napkins and centered with a bud vase containing two red rose buds.

Refreshments consisted of chicken salad sandwiches, heart-shaped cakes topped with whipped cream, nuts and candy.

Enjoying this affair were Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Gunstream, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Linville, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Gidden, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lee, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. McElreath, Mrs. J. R. Mitchell, Mrs. Hester Bownds, Mrs. A. Gidden, Mrs. J. J. McDaniel, Charles A. Williams and Mrs. Dickson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Beeson visited relatives in Amarillo Sunday.

Newlin Club Meets in Home of Mrs. Gardenhire

The Newlin Mother's Club met Thursday afternoon, Feb. 14, in the home of Mrs. Ruth Gardenhire.

The afternoon was spent piecing quilt tops for the club.

Mrs. Marie Messick was in charge of the short business session. Roll call was answered with "My Favorite Joke."

Delicious refreshments were served to one visitor, Mrs. Garland Gardenhire of Estelline and the following members: Mmes. Ralph Scott, M. E. Ellis, R. V. Sweatt, D. W. Lawrence, D. C. Messick, Ruth Misenhimer, Fred Hemp-hill, Miss Isabelle Walker and hostess. Childre, present were Melody Gardenhire and Melinda Messick.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Ruth Misenhimer the second Thursday afternoon in March.

Mr. and Mrs. Gregg Fitzjarrald of Arthur, Ill., visited here over the weekend with Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Fitzjarrald and Reba Stroehle. Mr. Fitzjarrald is a cousin of Dr. Fitzjarrald.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shadid visited in Altus, Okla., Sunday with relatives.

Cecile Little And Ray Brown Wed In Clovis

In a single-ring-ceremony performed on February 13 at Clovis, N. M., Miss Cecile Little, daughter of Mrs. Billie Little of Memphis, became the bride of Ray Dean Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Brown of Hedley.

For her wedding the bride chose a blue dress with matching accessories.

The couple will reside near Hedley where the groom is engaged in farming with his father.

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Report From Washington

By Walter Rogers
Congressman, 18th District



Developments in Oil
The distinguished visitor from the Panhandle and Texas in Austin, General Thompson, Member of the Railroad Commission, the special invitation of the Interstate and Commerce Commission, to discuss the much discussed but questionable European oil situation. The General displayed his varied knowledge of the oil business and his capabilities as an excellent witness. His reputation as an authority on oil matters, together with his outstanding cooperation with the Texas Railroad Commission, always given the United States government in matters of oil, caused some of the officials of the Interstate and Commerce Commission to confer with him, a crisis indeed existed. The venerable Felix Wormser, Secretary of Interior, on Thursday of last week, the creation of the Middle East Agency Committee, made representatives of 15 major oil companies engaged in international operations, was the de-



WINTER FROLIC . . . Jackie Bourbonais sends word to folks back home in Boston to join her in surf wading at St. Petersburg, Fla.

dertake to even hint at the subject matter of any of them. They are not responsible for the clutter. But along with this mail there comes a tremendous amount of other material, such as a letter from the National Authority for the Ladies Handbag Industry concerning the importation of leather bags from Italy, France and Cuba, and stating that such imports are giving the jitters to domestic producers and will spell doom for the domestic industry; a reprint story in the Charlotte Observer on the 12-month schooling plan; a letter from the United States Wholesale Grocers Association requesting support for certain legislation; a letter from Reader's Digest enclosing a reprint of an article by Governor Alfred E. Driscoll of New Jersey entitled "The Biggest Con Game in Politics"; a letter from the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs in support of the enactment of the "equal rights amendment" to the federal Constitution; a bundle of information from the National Small Businessmen's Association; copy of two columns to be published by a columnist for the week of February 18 and the week of February 25; news from Turkey (Turkey in the Near East—not Turkey, Texas) from constituents and is not included in this round-up); a release from the National Headquarters of the Selective Service System concerning periodic review of classifications of registrants; several newspapers from Longview, Texas, concerning proposed release of educational TV channels for commercial purposes; a letter with enclosures from the National Rural Electric Cooperative Association; a reminder from a florist shop about Valentine's Day; a reprint from the Congressional Record of a speech Senator Holland of Florida entitled, "Statehood for the Territory of Alaska"; a tear sheet from the New York Times setting forth a program on how not to forfeit the Middle East region to the Kremlin; a lengthy communication from one of the automobile manufacturers; a letter from the Retail Tobacco Dealers of America; a newsletter from one of the railroads; a reprint from the Washington Post and Times-Herald in support of federal aid to education; a letter from the United States Representative-elect of Alaska, on the statehood question. These are only a few. I still can't see the desk top but the next thing I see is a letter which says, "It is time for Congress to take a firm hand and stop the giveaways, cut down the top-heavy bureaucratic government, reduce taxes, and stop all unwarranted spending and squandering of mon-

ey." This is a good idea and I'm for it.

The Mason-Dixon Line is now the boundary line between Maryland and Pennsylvania.

Calvin Coolidge wrote a history of the United States in five hundred words.

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have been advanced.
General Thompson's testimony ended on a splendid note. He was asked by Chairman Owen Harris what action would be taken if the security of this nation demanded action by the Railroad Commission of Texas, and the President of the United States requested that such action be taken. The General's very terse but all inclusive answer was that the President of the United States could have whatever he desired for the security and protection of this nation. This final statement by the General exemplified the attitude that has always been displayed by Texas on the subject of patriotism.


The Mail
Sometime ago I wrote a news-letter concerning the cluttered condition of the top of my desk. Some people wonder how any person's desk can become cluttered to the extent that it cannot be cleaned off once in a while. I would like to point out that it isn't a case of the same material remaining on the desk top. It is a revolutionary situation. Each day brings in more material to replace that which was removed during the previous day's operations. Once the desk top becomes cluttered there is very little chance of it ever becoming uncluttered. For example, the morning mail brought in numerous letters from the people of Texas on varied subjects. These always receive priority, and I consider them all confidential; therefore, I will not un-



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West Texas Band To Play Here Monday

West Texas State College's 75-piece concert band will appear in concert here Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the Memphis High School auditorium, Miss Kathy Phillips, local band director, announced this week.

The concert is being sponsored by the Memphis High School Band, which will receive all proceeds from the event.

The program here is one of 18 concert programs the WT band will make within a week in Panhandle cities. Following two concerts on the college campus, the group will also appear in Palo Duro and Amarillo High Schools in Amarillo, and in Clarendon, Tulla, Childress, Wellington, McLean, Canadian, Perryton, Spearman, Stratford, Dumas, Borger, Hereford and Friona.

Members of the WT band will spend the night in homes of local band members.

Members of the band from Memphis who will appear here will be Jimmy West and Sharon Harrison.

Among the selections on the band's repertoire for the tour is an original composition by Dr. Houston Bright, associate professor of music at WT and director of the A Capella Choir. It is entitled "Marche du Concert."

The band will be under the direction of M. J. Newman.

Other selections which the band will play here include Southwest composer Don Gillis' "Uncle Walt's Waltz," Richard Rodgers' "The March of the Samese Children," from the movie, "The King

Comments

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Texas opportunity to express their choice. Isn't it true, also, that you are for the bill because the big guns of Texas are afraid a real Democrat might win in a "sudden death" special election April 2?

So much camouflaging of issues at stake has been done by interests unfavorable to a real democratic government, and so much undercover work is being done in order to confuse voters, that it is now reacting in the minds of many voters, who are beginning to suspect they are being brainwashed. So much so, in fact, that all over this section of the state, and we suspect all over Texas, a lot of voters are now doing their own thinking.

Hall County, Collingsworth County, and perhaps 50 per cent of the counties in Texas, have protested to Governor Daniel and their Senators having two expensive elections in the Senate race, and should a congressman-at-large be the winner, it would mean four elections—all at the expense of these counties that are having hard sledding to carry on necessary things.

If you fear Republicans so much, or a real Democrat so much, you might consider the Herring Bill, which would do away with an election at this time and let the present interim Senator finish out the Daniel term. Remember, he was appointed by Shivers who was elected by the majority.

This would eliminate having to go through two—possibly four—elections too expensive for most counties. That way, no Republican and not one of the six or more Democratic candidates you do not want, would get the post. Simple, isn't it?

As for the voters at home, most of them have become sick, tired and "regusted" over the way some vested interests in Texas have taken over the reins and run the state to suit their own selfish desires, and not for the good of the Great State of Texas.

The son of a veteran of the Southern Army during the War Between the States, the writer believes in the principles of the Democratic Party and votes as such a believer should. So why have two elections or do away with one entirely? Have Democrats fell from grace so much that the number is depleted to the extent that 300,000 bona fide Republicans can outvote them?

We believe there are enough Democrats to elect a real Democrat, regardless of whether one or two elections are held.

Why not forget politics for awhile and spend all your thoughts toward making Texas a greater state, and in the meantime not force expensive and unnecessary elections on a drouth-ridden— for eight long years now—people who have been hanging on by the skin of their teeth hoping conditions would get better?

You have expressed your desires to do what the constituents back home want and need. They certainly do not need to be saddled with a lot of unnecessary expense to satisfy a politically minded faction.

Sincerely,
The Commentor in Person.

Austin News

The first grade had a delightful Valentine party at 1:45 last Thursday. The hostesses were: Mrs. John McCauley, Mrs. Chester Carson, Mrs. Doyle Fowler, and Mrs. E. D. Watson.

The party was concluded with group singing. The "Just for Fun" songs were: "The Money Tree" and "Singing the Blues." Several patriotic songs also were sung.

The following pupils presented a dramatization of "What Was It" to the other pupils in the room early this week: Judy Bruce, Janet Baten, Susan Stevenson, Cheryl Solomon, Janie Watson, Sandra Saye, and Melissa Barbee. This is a feature of the Austin School reading program.

Bobby Freeman withdrew from the fourth grade. At present there are 18 boys and nine girls in this grade.

Monta Ballew was absent from school Thursday and Friday because of illness.

The fourth grade boys have been high-jumping the past week. The fourth grade students saw the film, "Exercises for Everyday Living." They learned from this film that every muscle can grow strong, but it takes exercise.

Last Thursday afternoon, the fourth grade enjoyed a Valentine party. After the girls and boys had received their Valentines, the following mothers served refreshments: Mrs. Raymond Ballew, Mrs. Arvor McQueen, Mrs. J. L. Foxhall, Mrs. Lynn McKown and Mrs. Gene Koeninger.

This week the sixth grade enjoyed a Valentine party. Visitors at the party were the following: Pat Wilson, Johnnie Sue Hancock, Elaine Phillips and Jane Dunbar. The students had a fire drill during the party.

The class saw three films this week. They were "Nile River," "Good Sportsmanship," and "The Story of Uranium."

The pupils have started to practice for a talent show which is to be Friday, Feb. 22. The contestants that have planned to be in it from the sixth grade are: Phil Howard, Randy Robertson, Jim Newbrough, Dale Kilgore, John Lavender, Neva Sue Koeninger, Dwight Gailey, Jo Ann Stanley and Abbie Massey.

Darrell Collins had an average of 93 for the first semester. Dwight Gailey was second, and Katie Phillips, third.

Students in Miss Pyeatt's class

W. E. Leslie To Speak Sunday At Presbyterian Church

W. E. Leslie will speak at the First Presbyterian Church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock on "The Miracle of America," according to an announcement this week by the pulpit committee.

Rev. F. E. King, pastor of the church, is in a Houston hospital where he underwent surgery about 10 days ago. A post card from Mrs. King, received Thursday morning, stated that he was doing nicely.

Baptist Class Meets Saturday

Aulis Ayers was hostess to the 17-year-old class of girls of the First Baptist Church for their regular monthly class meeting Saturday, Feb. 16.

After the business session, the class enjoyed the conclusion of the book entitled "The Greatest Story Ever Told" given by Florence Gilliam.

Refreshments were served by the hostess and Mrs. Gilliam to Peggy Shockley, Guyula Cawfield, Sue Daugherty, Ruth Ann Jackson, Barbara Winters, Teresa Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cosby and sons spent the weekend in Wichita Falls in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Charles B. Dryden.

Ralph Howard visited here over the weekend with relatives and his wife and son Dennis accompanied him to their home in Lubbock Sunday after spending the past week here.

Visiting here over the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Saied were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Saied and children of Childress.

Mrs. Bill Dunn and daughter Billie Kay of Amarillo visited here Sunday and Monday with relatives and friends.

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COFFEE, Folgers, 1 lb. \$1.01; 2 lbs.	\$1.99
FLOUR, Gold Medal, 10 lbs.	98c
MEAL, Aunt Jemima, 5 lbs.	44c
MILK, All Kinds, Sm. 7c; lg.	14c
CRISCO, 3 lb. can	91c
Powdered or Brown SUGAR, 1 lb. box	14c
RAISINS, Sunmaid, box	23c
Hershey's CHOCOLATE DAINTIES, pkg.	22c
Hunts CATCHUP, lg. bottle	21c
MIRACLE WHIP, 8 oz. 23c; pints 39c; qts.	64c
Ideal DOG FOOD, 2 cans	27c
Krispy CRACKERS, 1 lb. 27c; 2 lbs.	53c
Sunshine VANILLA WAFERS, box	17c
TOILET PAPER, Scot Tissue, 2 rolls	25c
PAPER TOWELS, Scot, 2 rolls	39c
Cut Rite WAX PAPER, roll	26c
KLEENEX, 200 size 16c; 400 size	29c
SOAP POWDER, all kinds, lg. 32c; giant	76c
CLOROX, qts. 19c; 1-2 gal.	35c
Armour's TREET, can	41c
Vienna SAUSAGE, Armour's Star, can	19c
Tuna FISH, Solid Pack, can	39c
White Swan WHOLE GREEN BEANS, can	27c
Mission ENGLISH PEAS, Can	15c
Stoiley's Country Gentleman CORN, can	18c
Ranch Style CHILI BEANS, 2 cans	27c
Campbell's SOUP, Tomato 11c; vegetable	15c
Campbell's SOUP, All 20c cans	18c
Crushed PINEAPPLE, flat cans 16c; No. 2 cans	29c
Sliced PINEAPPLE, flat cans 17c; No. 2 cans	33c
CHERRIES, Red Pitted, can	23c
CARROTS, Celo pkg. each	10c
CABBAGE, Fresh Green, lb.	6c
LETTUCE, Lg. Heads, each	12c
CELERY, fancy Green Pascal, stalk	19c
Florida GREEN BEANS, Ky's, lb.	23c
PARKAY or BLUE BONNET OLEO, lb.	33c
GLADIOLA BISCUIT, 2 cans	21c
Wilson's Certified SLICED BACON, lb.	57c
Gold Coin or Virginia Reel SLICED BACON, lb.	51c
PORK CHOPS, Nice Fresh, lb.	53c
Frozen FISH STICKS, pkg.	42c
Frozen ORANGE JUICE, can	18c
Borden's ICE CREAM, Pints 26c; 1-2 gal.	89c
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Father of Mrs. C. C. Hodges Celebrates 98th Birthday Feb. 10

Mrs. C. C. Hodges returned recently from McKinney where she attended open house, Feb. 10, for her father on his 98th birthday. Grandchildren of the honoree were hosts for the delightful affair.

Throughout the house floral arrangements were used, and in the dining room, a pink and blue color motif was selected for table decorations and refreshments. The table was covered in a lace cloth, over blue satin, and centered with an arrangement of pink gladioli and carnations, tied with pink satin bows. The numerals "98" were inscribed on a large Valentine heart.

Throughout the day, Mr. Clayton received telephone calls, cards and letters along with the personal good wishes of his host of friends.

Lakeview Girls

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Lakeview girls team will be held Tuesday night, Feb. 26, when they meet the team from McLean. McLean girls won their district in Class A and both teams are looking forward to the match. Girls B squad game will be held beginning at 7 p. m., and the A squad game will begin about 8:30 p. m. The games will be played in the Lakeview gymnasium.

Referees for the matches will be Dean Webb, veteran of the Amarillo Golden Gloves, and Art Paul of Tulla.

Wendell Harrison will be the timekeeper during the tournament and Dr. O. R. Goodall the tournament physician.

Ed Foxhall, Dr. Goodall and N. W. Durham will alternate as the third judge for the events.

The boxers will weigh-in from 4 until 7 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

A concession stand will be operated during the tournament by the senior class.

Tickets may be obtained at Tarver-Stanford Pharmacy, Saied's, or from Billy Thompson, H. R. Crawford, or Frank Smith, Jr., organizer of the boys club.

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Boxing

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the boy may have had. The open division will be composed of boxers up to 28 years old and will begin with 112 pounders and on up to the heavyweights.

A highlight of the tournament will be the presentation of the Lavern Roach Memorial Trophy. This will be presented to the boy who, in the opinion of the judges and referee, exhibits the greatest degree of sportsmanship during the tournament.

Stanley Roach, father of Lavern, will make the presentation of the trophy Saturday night.

Lavern was born here and moved to Plainview when he was about 12 years old. He has been called the greatest boxer to ever come out of Memphis by many sports fans, and was making a name for himself before his death on the east coast in 1950.

Trophies will be presented to all the winners Saturday night by Tournament Director Crawford. They will be on display in the window of Saied's up until that time.

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County Receives

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signing of contracts for the Acreage Reserve program for other spring basic crops.

No extension of the Acreage Reserve deadline beyond April 15 date is anticipated. So far 231 contracts have been signed placing land in the Acreage Reserve program in Hall County. The land amounting to 22,020 acres. The amount of land placed in the program last year and all been signed up through Feb. 15.

The total amount of which will be paid to farmers participating in the program will be \$374,332.00. This includes the amount paid annual rental as well as government assistance in making a cover for the land.

McKown was in Childress Tuesday attending the conference for office manager.

Slow Rain

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of the moisture was due to differences in the soils and amount of rain which fell.

The much needed rain a boon to the wheat crop county as well as the corn and small grains.

Soil Conservation reported that pastures ready showing signs blades of grass coming.

Low temperature morning was 36 degrees. Temperatures were as Wednesday 45-36, Tuesday 45-38, Sunday 45-30, Friday 55-40, Friday 65-40.

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