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## Honor Students Selected At Estelline High School

Wood, principal of Estelline High School, announced this morning that Miss Karen Eddins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eddins, was the valedictorian of the 1957 graduating class of the school.

Salutatorian is Ronald Wood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ar. Wood.

Students who have attended Estelline Public Schools for 12 years and have participated in all school activities, are listed below.

Eddins lettered four years in basketball, is editor of the school paper, a member of the cheer staff, and was cheer leader two years in addition to attaining the highest scholastic average. She is an accomplished pianist, and has participated in dramatic productions and Homecoming of America.

Wood was a member of the cheer staff, a member of the Homecoming of America work, and was cheer leader two years in addition to attaining the highest scholastic average.

## Funeral Services Held Tues. for Mrs. C. R. Webster

Funeral services for Mrs. Lola Kealy Webster, wife of C. R. Webster and well-known pioneer citizen, were conducted at 3 p. m. Tuesday, April 23, in the First Methodist Church with Rev. David Binkley, pastor, officiating, assisted by Rev. Jim H. Sharp, pastor of the Shamrock Methodist Church and former pastor here.

Interment was in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Spicer Funeral Home.

Mrs. Webster died April 22 in a local hospital. She suffered a stroke over two years ago, and had been an invalid since that time.

Mrs. Webster came to Memphis in 1905. She was united in marriage to Charles Robert Webster on Oct. 28, 1908, in Memphis.

Mrs. Webster was a devout member of the First Methodist Church and was most active in community and civic work as well. She was a charter member of the Woman's Society of Christian Service, holding a life membership in the society. She had served as president of the society as well as holding other offices. She also served as teacher for the Daughters of the Wesley Class for a number of years.

A charter member of the Memphis chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star, Mrs. Webster was instrumental in the organization of the local chapter. She served as

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MRS. BONNIE MERRIMAN

## B&PW Banquet Honoring Bosses Set for Friday

The Annual Bosses Banquet, sponsored by the Business and Professional Women's Club will be held in the Masonic Building Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock with Mrs. Bonnie Merriman of Amarillo as the main speaker.

Mrs. Merriman is a past president of the Amarillo club, and has served two years as state news service chairman. She has been employed by the Amarillo Globe-Times newspaper since 1942 and is now a copy reader in the editorial department.

The banquet is held each year in honor of the employers.

## Services For Mrs. J. M. Province Held Saturday

Funeral services for Mrs. John M. Province were conducted in the Spicer Funeral Home Chapel Saturday at 2 p. m. with Rev. Mervyn Hall, pastor of the Lakeview Baptist Church, officiating.

Mrs. Province died in an Olton hospital last Thursday afternoon. She was 76 years, 2 months and 22 days old at the time of her death.

Miss Olga E. Nase was born on Feb. 26, 1881, in Wise County, and was united in marriage to John M. Province on Aug. 31, 1908.

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## All-Day Cemetery Working To Be Held At Lakeview Thurs.

The semi-annual joint meeting of the Odd Fellows and the Union Hill Cemetery Association will be held at Lakeview Thursday, May 2, according to an announcement this week.

The groups will meet at the cemetery for an all-day working and meeting.

Everyone is invited to bring a lunch and spend all day on the site helping with work and visiting.

# Small Tornado Dips Down At Lesley Monday Afternoon; Homes Damaged

## Summer Round-Up of Pre-School Age Children To Be Held Tuesday

The annual visitation day for parents and their children who will start to school next year, will be held Tuesday at the Memphis High School Auditorium, beginning at 10:30 a. m. Supt. W. C. Davis announced this week.

The annual event is being sponsored by the Austin and Travis Parent-Teacher Associations in an effort to give the children an opportunity to get acquainted with the first grade teachers and be introduced to the classroom procedure, as well as future classmates.

Mrs. Zeno Lemons is president of the Austin P-TA unit and Mrs. Gene Lindsey of the Travis group.

Following a short program of introduction at 10:30 a. m. Tuesday, a film concerning the Salk polio vaccine will be shown to the parents.

After this, parents and children will board busses and go to the school their child will attend next year. A free lunch will be served to all pre-school children.

Parents at the meeting will also be reminded that children must be vaccinated against diphtheria, whooping cough, polio, smallpox, and receive tetanus shots before they start to school.

## Final Rites For Mrs. W. T. Clifton Conducted Monday

Funeral services for Mrs. W. T. Clifton, 91, were conducted at 2 p. m. Monday afternoon from the First Baptist Church with Rev. Fern A. Miller, pastor, officiating, assisted by Rev. Joe W. Allison, pastor of the Estelline church.

Mrs. Clifton died Saturday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Leonard Wilson, 223 South 12th St. She was 91 years, 7 months and 10 days of age at the time of her death.

Burial was in Carey Cemetery under the direction of Spicer Funeral Home.

A Memphis resident for more than 50 years, Mrs. Clifton was born Sept. 10, 1865, in Parker County, Texas. She was married to W. T. Clifton March 27, 1881, at Springtown, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton moved to Memphis in 1905. He preceded his wife in death on March 3, 1933.

Mrs. Clifton was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include four daughters.

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## Andy B. Collins Services Held Here Saturday

Andy B. Collins, 78, retired farmer and Hall County resident for more than 30 years, died Friday in a local hospital.

Funeral services were held at 4 p. m. Saturday afternoon in the First Baptist Church with Rev. Lanham F. Campbell, pastor of the Travis Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial was in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Spicer Funeral Home.

Mr. Collins was born Feb. 12, 1879, in Evansville, Tenn. He was united in marriage to Miss Rosa Lee Beasley Jan. 25, 1903. Mrs. Collins died in 1918. One son and two daughters also preceded him in death.

In 1919 he was married to Mrs. Ada Beasley at Hughes Springs, Texas. The family moved to Hall County in 1920 where Mr. Collins was engaged in farming for many years. Two years ago he retired and he and Mrs. Collins have resided at 303 South Eighth Street in Memphis since that time.

Pall bearers were Jim Caviness.

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## Barns, Garages, Other Buildings Destroyed

High winds, rain, hail and a small tornado struck the Lesley community Monday afternoon a little before 3 p. m. heavily damaging three homes and destroyed numerous barns, garages, and other small buildings.

The twister came to the ground near Red River and traveled in a northeastern direction for several miles before it disappeared.

The heaviest damage was incurred on the Sam Brown farm where the roof was blown off the house and all of the farm buildings were destroyed. Tuesday morning carpenters estimated that it would cost about \$2,000 to repair the house and between \$3,000 and \$4,000 to replace the other buildings.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown were at

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## Rainfall Above Average So Far During 1957

Rainfall during the past week totaled 1.94 inches as recorded by John J. McMickin, official weather observer here. This amount places Memphis 1.60 inches above the average for the year.

Last Friday .18 of an inch of moisture fell and then Sunday morning another .98 of an inch was standing in the rain gauge. Monday's storm gave the area .78 of an inch of moisture.

The average rainfall, according to the Texas Almanac, for January, February, March and April totals 3.98 inches, and to date the area has received 5.58 inches.

Monday afternoon Turkey received only a light shower and Estelline measured .36 of an inch. Lakeview recorded .81 of an inch.

## Estelline Services Conducted For T. Z. Zint Monday

T. Z. Zint, 70, Estelline plumber, died suddenly Saturday afternoon following a heart attack. He had been a resident of Estelline for more than 20 years.

Funeral services were conducted at 4 p. m. Monday afternoon from the First Baptist Church in Estelline with Rev. Joe W. Allison, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Estelline Cemetery.

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## Little League Team Co-Managers To Meet Friday At REA Office

Co-managers for the proposed seven Little League baseball teams will meet Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the office of the Hall County Electric Co-Op, J. W. Coppedge announced this week.

Co-managers of the seven teams will be as follows: Hubert Jones and Robert Moss; Joe Williams and Dr. David Aronofsky; Joe Pat Randall and Bobby Dick Hutcherson; "Doc" Pittman and Jack Boone; J. H. Ford and Cecil

Stargel; Grover Booth and Gayle Monzingo; Garvis Davis and Johnny Walker.

A joint committee of Rotary and Lions Club members, headed by Coppedge has been working out plans for the summer baseball program. Coach D. C. Andrews will head the overall program. Over 100 boys have indicated that they want to be placed on teams to participate in the league.

The meeting Friday will be to determine method of selecting members of the teams.



MISS NANCY HINDS

## Miss Nancy Hinds Named Queen of Hedley Lions Club

Miss Nancy Hinds, who won the recent Hedley Lions Club Queen Contest, will represent the Hedley organization at the Bi-District Lions Queen Contest in Lubbock May 2, 3 and 4.

The contest will be held in conjunction with the Bi-District Convention of Lions Clubs from Districts 2T-1 and 2T-2. The convention, which is held every five years, will draw delegates from 65 counties with 155 clubs.

Miss Hinds is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hinds of Hedley and a sophomore in Hedley High School. There were 11 girls in the contest. Mildred Sims and Judy Wynn tied for second place in the event.

Judges were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ayers, Mr. and Mrs. Arlis McBee and Elmont Branigan.

## District Court Holds Quiet Session

District Court was in session here last week with Judge Luther Gribble presiding.

Three cases were scheduled to come before the court but all parties settled without going to trial after a jury was called.

The court also dismissed four criminal cases for lack of evidence upon the request of John Forbis, district attorney, according to records in the office of District Clerk Mrs. Mildred Stephens.



**W. DRIVER HOME**—The tornado Monday afternoon took away the back portion of the roof on the east side of the J. W. Driver home located about one and one-half miles northwest of the Lesley community. Another small house located about 100 yards west of here lost all of its roof.

**SAM BROWN TORNADO DAMAGE**—The twisting winds damaged the Sam Brown farm buildings worse than any of the others. The entire roof of the home was taken away and not a single other building was left standing. The following rains did extensive damage to furnishings.

**ELMER WATSON LOSES ROOF**—Most of the roof on the east side of the Elmer Watson home was also taken away by the twister. Five other buildings on the premises were scattered across the surrounding countryside and another small house nearby lost part of its roof.



**PARNELL**

Otis Cobb of Newlin, Barney Russell of Estelline and Carl Hill attended a Masonic meeting in Beaumont last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Braidfoot were home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Braidfoot, and Larry last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Goyno of Olton were guests Thursday night of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Potts.

Mrs. Meadows of Amarillo, a former resident of Parnell, was buried Thursday afternoon in the Hulver Cemetery.

Visiting Saturday with the I. D. Mullin, Jr. family were Mrs. Roberson and Mary Ann and Harold of Turkey, and I. D. Mullin, Sr. of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Burk and Vickie were guests in the Kenneth Hawkins home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Weatherly and Linda visited in Amarillo this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hutcheson visited Sunday night in Turkey with Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Meacham and Randy Paul.

Mrs. Leonard Braidfoot, Mrs. Bob Mothershed, Mrs. Carl Hill and Mrs. Barney Russell attended the Eastern Star School of Instruction held in Childress last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Orcutt visited in Wellington Sunday in the Carl Stout home.

Also visiting in Wellington Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Burk, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Burk and Cathy and Terry. They were guests of the Don Davis family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Weatherly are the parents of a son, born April 6 in a Memphis hospital. He has been named Barry Lee, and weighed seven and one-half pounds.

Enjoying forty-two in the Kenneth Hawkins home Saturday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Burk and Terry and Cathy, and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Burk and Vickie.

Pargy Winn and J. Warner Cope are fishing at Possum Kingdom this week.

Miss Janet Long appeared on Cotten John's farm program in Amarillo Sunday. Miss Long has been chosen Sweetheart of the FFA chapter of Estelline high school. She proudly modeled her sweetheart jacket. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Long.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hutcheson of Quitaque visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hutcheson.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Couch visited in Lubbock Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Weeks.

Mrs. Marshall Lang visited with Mrs. A. T. Freeze Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Trapp visited Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Dameron Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Trapp visited Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hutcheson.

Mr. and Mrs. Slick Johnson and Winnie Ruth visited relatives in Amarillo and Canyon this weekend.

Miss Helen Madden has returned to Geneva, Ill., after visiting here for the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Madden. Miss Madden is an English instructor in the Geneva High School.

Guthrie Bennett of Santa Fe, N. M. visited here from Thursday until Monday with his mother Mrs. H. B. Bennett.



**BON VOYAGE . . . Ellis Cross and party leave San Pedro, Cal., on 98-foot staysail schooner "Four Winds" for 6-year 'round-the-world' cruise.**



**LOCALS**

Miss Jo Ann Odom, accompanied by her roommate, Miss Barbara Weaver of Radford, Va., spent the Easter holidays in Memphis with Jo Ann's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Odom. Both girls are students at Baylor University.

Mrs. Dwight Betts and daughter of Amarillo and Mrs. Clifton Barnett left Monday for Ennis where they will visit for several days with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Betts.

Mrs. Nora Painter of Sunray was a holiday visitor in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jude Gable.

Mr. and Mrs. Garner Moore and his mother, Mrs. Moore, all of Lubbock visited here over the weekend with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Ethelyn Amadam and Diane of Amarillo visited here over the weekend with her father, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Ellerd.

Miss Debbie Ferrel returned home Friday after visiting for several days in Pampa with Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Ampleby.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Davis and sons Rod and Randy of Paducah visited here Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Garner and J. G., Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Crump and family of Friona visited here over the Easter holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Hayes and Mrs. Bess Crump.

Miss Vernell Butler visited in Hamlin over the Easter holidays with her parents and other relatives and friends.

Easter visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Reed, Jr. were Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Perkins of Clovis, N. M. and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Wilson and daughter of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davis and daughter of Panhandle were weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Combs and Billy Combs and Miss Tanya Kay Fletcher visited in Fort Worth over the Easter holidays with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Welch and Susan.

Mrs. Louis Saied and daughters visited in Childress Sunday with relatives.

Mrs. C. D. Davis and Grady of Honey Grove spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Davis.

James Freeman, Jr., of Idalou visited here over the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Freeman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Watkins and sons spent the weekend in Memphis visiting with relatives. Mrs. Watkins and boys are making their home in Abilene at the present, but will join Mr. Watkins in Pampa as soon as school is out. Mrs. Watkins is teaching in the Abilene school, but will join the Pampa faculty next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crawford of Lubbock visited here over the Easter holidays with their parents, Mrs. Alice Crawford and Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Morrison.

**NEWLIN**

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Messick spent last Thursday in Lazbuddie in the home of her niece.

Izabelle Walker is in Pampa in the home of her mother, recuperating from a recent illness.

Marvin Wesson of Childress was a Newlin visitor last Saturday.

Recent weekend visitors in the home of Doc Murphy were his children, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Murphy and Mr. and Mrs. Huey Justice and children, all of Borger.

Bill Diggs was a business visitor in Amarillo one day last week. Mrs. Bill Rose of Childress spent last Friday in the home of her sister, Mrs. A. M. Sims.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Baile of Porterville, Calif., spent last Friday night in the home of his aunt, Mrs. H. G. Nelson.

Word was received here last week of the death of the young

son of Mr. and Mrs. Arden Drake of Muleshoe. Mrs. Drake is the former Yvonne Hemphill.

Sunday visitors in the J. W. Barnett home were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Scott and Jerry of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Barnett and Carol, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barnett of Flomot and Don and Bob Sperry of Memphis.

Mrs. Lela Hughs spent last Monday with Mrs. D. W. Lawrence.

Shirley and Vivian Sweatt of Amarillo visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Sweatt recently.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Diggs and daughter of Wichita Falls spent last weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Diggs.

Allen Murphy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pate Murphy, was carried to Amarillo last week for a medical check-up.

Sonny Nelson of Lubbock spent one day last week with his mother, Mrs. G. F. Nelson.

Mrs. Otis Cobb returned to her home here last Monday after

spending the past month in Houston with her son and family.

Mrs. T. K. Wilton and Mrs. Cecil Lockhart visited last Friday with Mrs. A. M. Sims.

Clet, Sherry, Marsha and Judy Angell of Childress spent the weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sexton.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Nelson spent the weekend in Rule in the home of her sister.

**Locals and Personal**

Carol Gardenhire of visited here over the weekend with friends.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mrs. Mable Meacham were daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Sheldon and child Clarendon.

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 1/2 teaspoon pepper  
 1 can SPAM, cubed  
 Heat oven to 425° (hot). Melt cheese in CARNATION Evaporated Milk, stirring constantly. Mix with all remaining ingredients except SPAM. Spread in pastry-lined pan. Top with cubed SPAM. Trim bottom crust. Place top crust over, gently peel off paper. Turn upper crust under lower crust and seal by pressing edges together. Flute. Bake 3 or 4 shades near center. Bake 35-40 minutes. Serve hot, with CARNATION SAUCE.

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# Society News



**PLANS MAY WEDDING**—Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Jackson announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Teresa, to Richard Hale, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sale. The wedding will be solemnized at 8 p. m. May 23, in the First Baptist Church in Memphis with Fern Miller, pastor officiating. Friends of the couple are cordially invited to attend.

## 'Women of Bible' Program Title At 1913 Study Club

Mrs. M. G. Tarver was hostess to the members of the 1913 Study Club Wednesday afternoon, April 5, for one of the most outstanding programs of the year. Using Edith Dean's book, "All The Women of the Bible" as a basic for their planning, the program committee selected eight of the most prominent women of Biblical times for presentation by way of emphasizing "Christianity in Our Modern World."

Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard as narrator set the stage for the appearance of the women whose costuming and reading were excellent. The script was transposed from the third to the first person so as to make the parts even more realistic. The sincerity of the characterizations held the audience spellbound with attention. In fact, the program was so well received it was repeated at an Easter afternoon vesper service at the First Presbyterian Church in order that it might be enjoyed by a larger audience.

In order of appearance, the part of Eve was played by Mrs. T. L. Robinson; Sarah was Mrs. A. L. Galley; Hannah, Mrs. David Binkley; Jezebel, Mrs. Leo Fields; Mary, mother of Jesus, Mrs. O. L. Helm; Sapphira, Mrs. Nelson Combs; Mary Magdalene, Mrs. Hubert Jones; and Lydia, Mrs. Blufford Walker.

A brief business session was conducted by Mrs. R. S. Greene following the program. Plans were made to send flowers to the funeral of the mother of Mrs. L. G. DeBerry, the club president. Also, the committees and the names of the counselors for next year were read by the president, Mrs. Boyd Rogers, who will take office next fall. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, and the meeting was adjourned.

## Mrs. Jeff Smith Hostess to Members Of Christine Class

The Christine Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Jeff Smith, Mrs. Ed McMurry served as co-hostess.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. Bud Godfrey.

Mrs. W. B. McQueen, president, presided over a short business session, after which Mrs. McMurry brought the devotional reading from the 17th chapter of John. She chose as the theme, "Supreme Gift." Mrs. McQueen read several Easter poems. The group sang several songs and Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard offered the closing prayer. The hostesses served a lovely refreshment plate to Mmes. D. L. C. Kinard, Estelle Barber, Larry Simpson, W. T. Hightower, Omer Hill, Ethel Fowler, Byrd, Bud Godfrey, Emma Baskerville, Henry Scott, W. B. McQueen, Ollie Jones, Edna Merrill, Ed McMurry, Oma Lee Pharr and Jeff Smith.

## Mrs. A. Womack Hostess to Members Truth Seekers Class

Members of the Truth Seekers Sunday School class meet in the home of Mrs. A. Womack Thursday, April 11, for a business and social meeting. Mrs. Pearl Massey was co-hostess.

The meeting opened with the class song "What a Friend We Have in Jesus," after which Mrs. J. R. Cannon led in prayer. The devotional was brought by Mrs. C. Gerlach who used as the scripture text the 13th Chapter of First Corinthians. Mrs. Kercheville gave a story titled, "Where Real Charity Begins." The Bible lesson was conducted by Mrs. W. B. Funk.

Mrs. L. G. Yarbrough, president, presided over the business session and minutes of the previous meeting were read by Mrs. J. J. Evans, secretary.

The meeting closed with the Lord's prayer in unison.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mmes. L. G. Yarbrough, C. E. Hankins, J. R. Cannon, J. J. Evans, Ola Gowen, Wm. Gerlach, Guy Kercheville, C. Gerlach, Ella Johnson, W. B. Funk, J. B. Wrenn, Miss Rena Waller and hostesses, Mrs. Womack and Mrs. Massey.

Mrs. Isaac Hancock had as guests over the holiday weekend Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Myers and Cindy and Jane of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hancock and Perry of Borger, and Paul Hancock, who is a student at Dallas Christian College. Mrs. Hancock fell recently and broke her ankle.



**SPRING FIND**—Cotton jersey knit goes high fashion for spring. Fitted bolero is worn over sleeveless princess sheath, which is fully lined to retain its sleek molded look. Costume, designed for early or late-day year, is by Alfred Werber of St. Louis.

## Crump Home Is Scene For Easter Breakfast Tuesday

The home of Mrs. Bess Crump on South Eighth Street was the scene for an Easter breakfast on Tuesday morning, April 16. Guests were members of the needlecraft club.

The Crump home was attractively decorated for the occasion featuring the typical Easter decor. Miniature Easter bunnies were given as favors.

The group enjoyed a meal of pineapple juice, bacon and scrambled eggs, hot biscuits, and preserves and coffee.

Places were laid for Mmes. Ossie Scott, Hettie Newman, Addie Hampton, Christene Long, Minnie Ferrel, Clara Ellis, Zettie Baker and hostess, Mrs. Crump.

## Blue Bonnet Club Members Enjoy Easter Breakfast

An enjoyable occasion for members of the Blue Bonnet Needle Club was an Easter breakfast on Friday morning, April 19. Mrs. Mary Lenoir was hostess to the group at her home on North Main Street.

Spring flowers decorated the entertaining rooms. Foursome tables were appointed with china and silver. Attractive Easter motifs centered each table.

A delectable meal was served. Mrs. Ellen Sams assisted her mother in serving.

Members present included Mmes. Gussie Jones, Winnie Johnson, Grace Foxhall, Floy Hightower, Susie Coleman, Grace Bridges, Mary Bownds, Fern Boone, Idell Burnett and hostess, Mrs. Lenoir, and one guest, Mrs. Sams.

## Memphis Women Attend Guild Meet In Hedley Sunday

The district meeting of the Wesleyan Service Guild met in Hedley Sunday, April 14. Each town in the district was represented.

Mrs. Sam Breedlove of Quanah gave a very interesting and enlightening lecture on "Youth in a Responsible Society." Christine Flynn of Childress gave the devotional.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: Ethel Ford of Vernon, district secretary, and Lenora Greenhaw of Memphis, district recording secretary.

The following members from the local guild attended: Mmes. Lenora Greenhaw, Ruby Compton, Ira Hammond, Hester Bownds, Barney Burnett, H. B. Bennett, A. O. Gidden and Mary Owens.

## Atalantean Club Meets in Home of Mrs. J. A. Odom

The Atalantean Club met on Wednesday afternoon, April 17, in the home of Mrs. J. A. Odom.

Mrs. W. C. Dickey introduced the program for the afternoon. Mrs. J. W. Coppedge gave "Faith—Les Miserables" and Mrs. Elvia Davenport talked on "Sharing—Visions of Sir Launfal." Miss Imogene King concluded the program with a talk on "Forgiveness—The Ring of the Book," by Robert Browning.

A short business session was conducted by Mrs. N. A. Hightower, president.

Delicious refreshments were served to Mmes. J. W. Coppedge, Bill Cosby, N. A. Hightower, Elvia Davenport, C. W. Kinslow, J. H. Morris, J. H. Norman, Claud Johnson, Robert Sexauer, H. B. Estes, Ed Hill, Ralph Williams, Ed Foxhall, W. C. Dickey, J. A. Odom and Miss Imogene King.

The next meeting is slated for May 1 in the home of Mrs. Ed Foxhall.

## Orr Home At Plaska Scene For Birthday Dinner

Mrs. A. H. Orr entertained with a birthday party dinner Sunday honoring her husband, A. H. Orr, J. S. Spencer and Mrs. Noel Bruce of Amarillo. The dinner was held at the family home in the Plaska community.

Enjoying the day were Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Orr, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Spencer of Paducah, Mr. and Mrs. Noel Bruce and son of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Orr.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Montgomery of Dallas were here to spend the Easter holidays with Mrs. Montgomery's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Thompson and other relatives.



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## T. E. L. Class of Baptist Church Enjoys Easter Luncheon Thursday

Mrs. Mary Bownds entertained with a lovely Easter luncheon on Thursday, April 18, for members of the T. E. L. Class of the First Baptist Church.

The entertaining rooms were lovely with garden flowers. Centering the mantle was a beautiful arrangement of lilacs and iris.

Quartet tables, at which the guests were seated, were laid with colored cloths carrying out the Easter colors. Centering the tables were Easter bunnies drawing a cart of Easter eggs.

Mrs. J. W. Fitzjarrald gave the invocation.

Following the meal, a program was presented. Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard offered prayer and the evenings devotional was brought by Mrs. Henderson Smith, who used a beautiful Easter story.

Mrs. Kinard and Mrs. Hulda Wilson then sang "In the Garden," and "The Old Rugged Cross." Mrs. W. E. Hill offered prayer.

Mrs. Emma Baskerville presided over the business session in the absence of the president, Mrs. E. T. Prater. Mrs. Alla Boswell gave the monthly reports of the

class. A letter was read secretary Mrs. Boswell from Prater thanking the class for flowers and cards sent during her illness. Mrs. also offered her resignation as president of the class. Weatherbee was elected the unexpired term.

As the concluding Mrs. Frank Ellis read written by Mrs. Ruth Kinard titled "When You Pass On."

Enjoying the luncheon five guests, Mrs. J. W. rald, Mrs. Theo. Swift, Mrs. Kinard, Mrs. Ruth King, Lisa Anderson; and the members: Mmes. H. Smith, T. E. Lenoir, E. L. Alla Boswell, W. L. O. Frank Ellis, W. E. Hill, Duke J. M. Saunders, Scott, J. S. Spencer, Weathersby, Hulda Wilson, Baskerville, and the hostess Bownds.

Miss Euna Loard visited over the Easter weekend, parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Miss Loard is employed in

## Miss Tommye Noel Is Presented As Guest Artist by 1913 Study Club

One of the most unique and enjoyable parties of the spring season in Memphis was the tea and art display given at the First Christian Church by the 1913 Study Club early in April honoring Miss Tommye Noel of Denton as guest artist.

The church sanctuary was appropriately decorated with spring blossoms and an easel and drawing board was placed center stage awaiting the artist. While the guests were assembling and being seated, Mrs. C. L. Sloan of Estelling entertained with semi-classical selections on the piano. Greetings and welcome were extended by Mrs. L. G. DeBerry, president of the 1913 Study Club.

To set the stage as it were for the main portion of the program, Mrs. M. G. Tarver gave a most interesting talk on "Art Appreciation," emphasizing the importance of painting and the works of "the old masters" as a cultural influence. The artist, Miss Noel, introduced by a life-long friend and club member, Mrs. R. S. Greene, who referred to "Tommye" as "a prophet with honor in her own country." Miss Noel, casually attired in studio coveralls (a gift from the club), then took her position at the easel to begin sketching.

Miss Rene Pardue of Estelling, aged five, and beautifully dressed in a pale blue organza frock and bonnet, posed as model for the portrait which Miss Noel sketched while the viewers chatted quietly,

and Miss Mary Foreman played softly on the Hammond organ. The little model was assisted in holding her pose between rest intervals by a story which her mother, Mrs. J. B. Nivens, read to her.

The time passed so pleasantly that it seemed only a few minutes before a very life-like charcoal sketch was ready for the approval of the audience. Shortly thereafter, all present retired to the church parlor where refreshments of frosted punch, nuts, and tiny parasol-shaped cookies were served from an attractively decorated tea table. The pale green tea cloth, the parasol trimmed with fresh flowers, the doll dressed as an artist, the miniature easel and sketch of the parasol were both clever and timely for the April party.

Most people of Memphis know and appreciate Miss Tommye Noel as a capable artist and gracious personality. By way of cultivating her natural talent, she has studied extensively. She studied at Sul Ross in Alpine, at T.S.C.W. in Denton and the Art Institute in Kansas City. Drawn for a time to costume design, she eventually settled on portraiture as her specialty. Many of her very excellent portraits were on display in the church parlor so that the guests could enjoy them along with their refreshments. Miss Noel works equally well in the media of oils, pastels, and water colors, but seems to prefer pastels for portraits.

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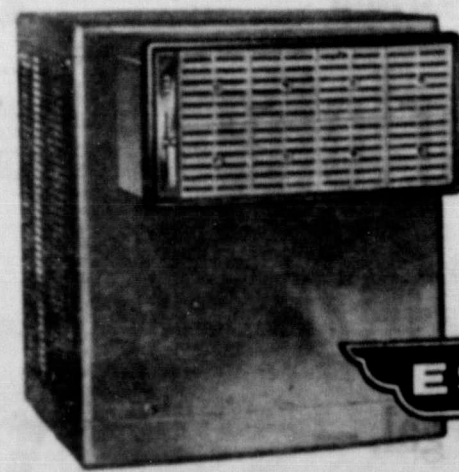
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### Ben Wilson Guest Speaker Culture Club

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Brode Hoover gave the ... on "Faith." Mrs. Frank ... program chairman, introduc- ... Ben Wilson, Jr., guest ... who gave a very interest- ... talk on silverware.

Wilson began her talk by ... "I ask you to visualize, ... a man about to ... of a waistcoat pocket ... his own spoon. It's a snap- ... no doubt engraved with ... crest. Somewhat in ... of a one-bladed jack- ... He opens it, lays ... his plate and turns to ... neighbors on his right and ... "Lately weather we're hav- ... this time of year."

"I assure you," Mrs. Wil- ... "that nowhere in ... of Emily Post will you ... down any special rules of ... for the genteel manipu- ... of collapsible spoons you ... with pocket-model ... and forks. They passed out ... many years ago. Today you ... find them only in museums, ... that sell camping

equipment. But they do typify an interesting historical fact about silverware."

She then discussed the types of silverware used during the early centuries and how it has been improved and the many styles and patterns of beautiful silverware in use today.

She also demonstrated how to place silverware at table settings. After Mrs. Wilson's talk, members and guests were invited into the dining room where an attractive display was arranged. Featured was sterling and silverplate in many beautiful patterns from Branigan Jewelry; stainless steel silverware and picnic baskets from Harrison's and Memphis Tire & Supply.

Refreshments were served to two guests, Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Joe Bob Browning and the following club members: Meses. Nat Bradley, H. E. Craig, Frank Ellis, Grover Moss, Theo. Swift, W. E. Leslie, Ward Gurley, R. E. Clark, Jeanette Irons, Robert Moss and Miss Alma Bruce.

**Card of Thanks**

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our friends and neighbors for your kindness to us in our sad hour.

We are indeed grateful for the beautiful floral offerings, and for the food that was served. May God's blessing be upon you, is our prayer.

The Family of Mrs. C. W. McCool



**WEDDING PLANS REVEALED**—Mr. and Mrs. Hal Goodnight announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Jan, to Dean Sustaire, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Sustaire of Ventura, Calif. The wedding will be an event of June 14.

### Grant-in-Aid Awarded By Gamma Kappa

Miss Mary Beth Kelso, outstanding senior student of Wellington High School, was awarded the Gamma Kappa Chapter grant-in-aid as a promising future teacher. The award was presented by Miss Hattie D. Wells, Wellington high school teacher, at a tea in Wellington, Saturday, April 13, honoring future teachers and pioneer teachers.

The Gamma Kappa Chapter of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society gives such an award annually in the interest of recruiting young people into the teaching profession. Miss Kelso is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Kelso of Wellington.

### 'Year of Love' Is Reviewed For Estelline Club

The 1932 Culture Club of Estelline met in the home of Mrs. Willie Bob Davidson on April 16. Mrs. Alice Eddins reviewed "The Year of Love" by Runbeck in an interesting manner.

Mrs. Joe Eddins conducted a business meeting.

The hostess served meringue cake with coffee or tea.

Attending were Mesdames: Joe Eddins, Leon Phillips, R. V. Wood, Alice Eddins, Albert Bailey, Lester Phillips, Raleigh Adams, Bill Holland and the hostess.

love of country and appreciation of opportunities that make America leaders.

Attending from Memphis were Meses. Maxine Cape, Brunetta Morris and Audrey Tribble; Meses Mary Foreman, Zady Belle Walker, Esta McElreath, Ethel Hillhouse and Neville Wrenn. Mrs. Elizabeth Kennedy of Estelline also attended.

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

### Wm. Travis PTA Officers Attend Conference Sat.

Mrs. Weldon McCreary and Mrs. Brode Hoover, delegates from the Wm. B. Travis PTA, attended the second annual conference of the 19th District of Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers, which met Saturday, April 13, in Gruver.

The conference theme, "Opportunity with Responsibility for Every Child," was ably presented by a group from Frank Phillips Junior College.

The state and national program

was presented by Mrs. C. D. Beard, state vice president. Also speaking was State Chairman of Education for Family Living Mrs. Maurice McNall. Mrs. Frank Ogle, president of the 19th district, presided at the conference.

The Wm. B. Travis unit was honored to receive first place award on its year book and a "good" rating on the Goal Excellence for the current year.

Mrs. Gene Lindsey is president of the unit and Mrs. McCreary, who has served as first vice president, is president-elect. Mrs. Hoover is secretary and will serve as first vice president during 1957-58.

Mrs. S. A. Goodall and Robert Goodall visited in Abilene over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Herby Shahan.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Howell had as holiday guests their son Don Paul, who is a student at Allen Military Academy and two of his classmates, James and John Perner of San Barbara, Mexico. James is cadet corps commander at Allen Military Academy.

Mrs. O. R. Goodall returned home Saturday following a 10-day visit in Collins and Meridian, Miss., with her mother, Mrs. L. V. Deese and sister, Mrs. Reed Davis.



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# Hall County Soil Conservation District News

Remember the song that was so popular a year or so ago—"It's Later Than You Think"? Well in many ways it is later than you think, and for sure it's time for us to stop and take inventory of our resources in the way of soils, plants, and water.

Any successful business man will tell you that an inventory every so often is necessary for him to stay in business. As farming is one of the biggest businesses in the world it follows that we as farmers should be the first to complete that inventory.

In the past, too few farmers stopped to do this. That is one reason we have the great amount of erosion we have today. Did you know that every year over 5 billion tons of topsoil is washed and blown from our farms? Did you know that every year over one billion tons of topsoil washes down the Mississippi River alone? If this soil that washes down this one river was put into 10-ton trucks and they were parked bumper to bumper they would stretch from the northern most tip of Alaska to the southern most tip of South America. Now let us stop to realize that it takes nature from 300 to 1,000 years to build one inch of topsoil, depending upon the parent material. We all know that the topsoil is where our "dollars" come from. When we think about this erosion it no longer puzzles us why some of our yields have been decreasing.

At the present time we have about 170 million people in these United States. In 1975—not even 20 short years away—it is estimated that our population will have increased to 221 million. Right now there is less than 3 acres to produce food for each person. In 1975 this will have decreased to about 2 acres per person. Now with our population ever increasing and our fertile farms ever decreasing when will our abundant America cease to be the land of plenty?

This is not a problem that will be in the future. It is with us now. Our sons and daughters are the ones who will have to live with our mistakes of today—our mistakes of soil erosion.

Some of you have heard the story of the small community in which there lived an old gentleman that some people regarded to be the smartest person in the world. One day a couple of small boys who doubted this claim decided to see for themselves if this was true. One of them said "I

know where there is a nest that has a small bird in it. Let's get the bird and cup in in our hands where the old man can't tell what it is. Then we will ask the old man what it is that we have in our hands. I know he can't tell us but if he does we will ask him if the bird is alive or dead. If he says it is alive, we can just squeeze it and if he says the bird is dead we will show him it is alive. That way we know he won't be the smartest person in the world."—This plan was carried out and as the boys approached the old man one of them asked "Old man what is this we have in our hand?" The old man saw a tiny blue feather sticking out and said "Well son, that's a bird you have in your hand." The boys were very surprised and then asked "Well, is that bird alive or dead?" The old gentleman immediately saw through their plan and answered, "Sonny, in your hand you hold a way of life. With that life you can make it useful and productive or crush it and make it forever worthless."

This is our position of today. In our hands as farmers we hold the very future of the world. Are we going to make this way of life useful and productive or forever worthless? There are many people available today to help work out the problem of soil erosion. Among these persons and agencies are the Soil Conservation Service technicians assisting the Hall County Soil Conservation District. You are urged to take advantage of this technical service.

## More Fertilizer Sold in 1956 Report Shows

Total fertilizer tonnage sold during the fall of 1956 was five per cent higher than 1955 figures and about 23 per cent below the 1950 total, reports State Chemist J. F. Fudge.

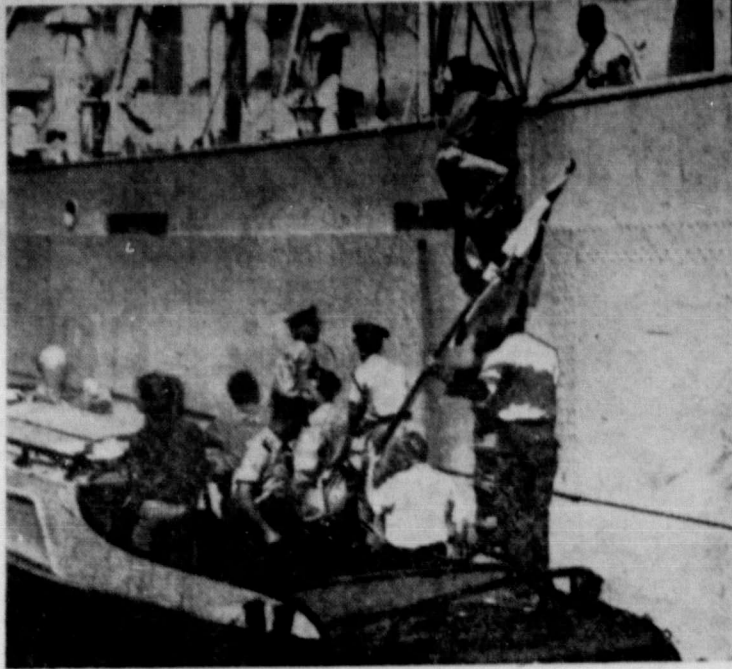
Although there were significant decreases in tonnages of fertilizer sold, Fudge says the concentration was such that tonnage of primary components used during this period was greater than ever before. Sales of mixed goods were about four per cent over 1955, and one-third greater than 1950. Fudge also points out that while 1956 sales of materials were only 52 per cent as great as 1950, they were five per cent over sales in 1955.

For the first time, sales of 10-20-10 were significantly greater than 5-10-5. Sales of 5-10-5 were 17 per cent lower than a year ago, but 10-20-10 sales were 39 per cent higher, Fudge says. Seventy-five per cent of the total mixed goods tonnage sold and primary components used during the fall of 1956 were goods of 1-2-1 ratio with an average composition of 8-16-8.

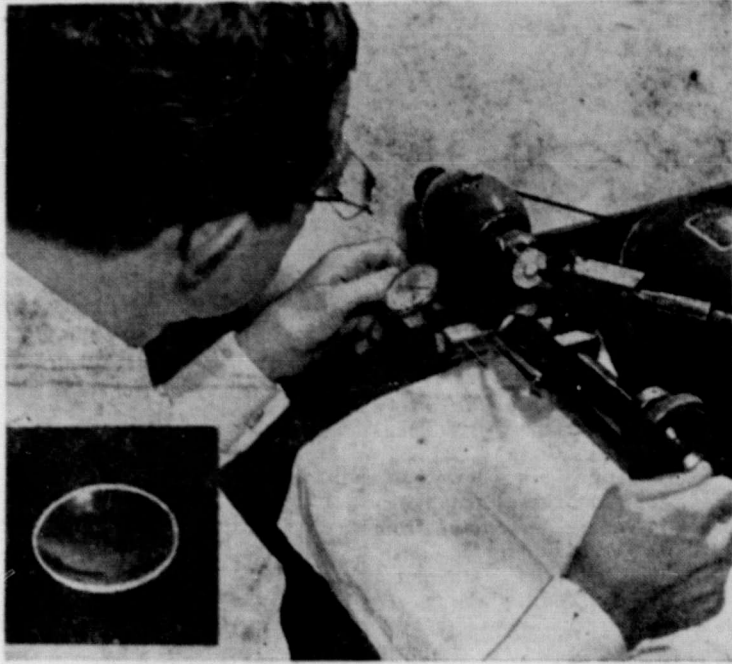
Superphosphate sales were down approximately 7,500 tons and rock phosphate was down about 1,000 tons. However, Fudge says, the tonnage of materials supplying both nitrogen and available phosphoric acid was much greater during 1956 than any previous year.

Mixed goods accounted for 83 per cent of the total tonnage sold in East Texas and about 49 per cent of the Gulf Coast and North Central totals, but constituted less than four per cent of West Texas sales. East Texas used 53 per cent of the nitrogen, available phosphoric acid, and potash in mixed goods while West Texas used 82 per cent of the total tonnage of anhydrous ammonia.

Average composition for the state was about 25-15-0. Fudge says this is significantly higher than a year ago and markedly different from the 4-20-0 average of 1950.



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### PARNELL

The A. T. Freeze family, Hugh Wayne Lang and the Neil Smith, Jr., family of Plainview visited with relatives in Detroit, Texas, last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Bruce and

Charles spent Easter in Amarillo with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wheeler and children of Amarillo were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Parge Winn and Lotus.

Visiting Sunday in the Leroy Hutcheson home were Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Marcum and sons of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Meachum and son, Randy Paul, of

### Baseball Team Wins Two Games

The Memphis High School Baseball team won two games during the past week, defeating Turkey 10 to 3 and the Childress B team 7 to 2.

In the game with Turkey last Friday, Billy Don Johnson was the winning pitcher and Hawkins the loser.

Wednesday afternoon at Childress, Tom Wyatt led his teammates to victory.

A full schedule of baseball will be played here at Estes Park next week. Memphis will meet Quannah Monday, Turkey Tuesday, Lakeview Thursday and Estelline Friday.

All of the games will begin at 4 p. m.

Christopher Columbus is buried in the cathedral of Seville, Spain.

One twentieth of the world's population lives south of the equator.

Turkey.

The annual Easter luncheon and egg hunt held here Sunday was enjoyed by many.

Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Mullin attended the ex-students banquet held in Lakeview Saturday evening.

Visitors in the Zeb Latham home last Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. John Creamer and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Henson of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Weatherly enjoyed a visit last week with their daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Beauchamp and children from Pecos, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Potts and son, Noel, of Amarillo visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Potts.

Mrs. Nell Curtis of Estelline visited one day last week with her daughter, Mrs. Weldon Couch.

### Spring Clean-Ups Make Farms Safer

Get in the swing and clean up for spring, is the latest word from the Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council. The lengthening spring days will provide extra time for farmers everywhere to give their farms a new look and make them safer places to live and work.

Help nature by cleaning up around the farm and in the farm home. Make it easy to keep clean, too, the Council urges, by assigning everything a definite place and keeping it there.

Disorder ranks second only to poor judgement as a cause of accidents, according to Safety Council statistics. One out of every five people contacted in a recent study of hospitalized home accident cases was put there by disorder. Ac-

cidents happen far more cluttered, untidy surroundings. Fire finds a breeding ground in closets, attics or corners. Stale fuels, paint, cleaners, pesticides are other important hazards. Check your farm for overloaded circuits; lubricate electric motors; and take a look at your home ventilation.

Eliminate fall hazards by clearing stairs, halls and other areas of obstructions. Check bulbs and clean all lamp shades. Make stairs and hallways safe. Careless clean-up practices result in serious foot injuries to men and livestock. Remove from used loads; pick up glass and loose wire.

### Greenbelt Water Bill Signed by Governor

State Rep. Will Ehrle notified The Democrat by telegram Tuesday that Gov. Price Daniel signed the bill which will clear the way for validation of the Greenbelt Municipal and Industrial Water Authority.

The bill amends a 1954 statute creating the water authority so as to remove a stumbling block to confirmation elections. The measure makes clear that a city election confirming the authority would not obligate the city to future participation. It also allows additional towns to join in the project which contemplates a two million-dollar dam on the Salt Fork of Red River and a pipeline supply to the member towns.

Towns now included in the act are Memphis, Wellington, Childress, Clarendon, Quanah, Hedley and Paducah.

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- Stamp Pads
- Yankee Statements
- Regular Statements
- Pencil Sharpeners
- Stationery
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- Desk Files
- Gummed Reinforcements
- Gummed Tabs
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- Pencil Erasers
- Speedo Index Tabs
- Laundry Ink
- Parcel Post Labels
- Letter Trays
- Waste Baskets
- Chair Cushions
- Sales Books
- Personal Stationery
- Brass Paper Fasteners
- File Fasteners
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- EGGS, Stamped Infertile, doz. 29c
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- Skinners MACARONI or SPAGHETTI, 2 pkgs. 25c
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- DRIED APRICOTS, pkg. 49c
- CHEWING GUM, all kinds, 2 pkg. 7c; box 67c
- Heinz CATSUP, lg. bottle 25c
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- TOMATOES, 303 cans, 2 for 27c
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PEEK AT FUTURE... U. S. senators examine earth satellite model as Alan Waterman, National Science Foundation director (left) explains it to Sen. Allen Ellender (La.) and Sen. Warren Magnuson (Wash.)

Wesleyan Guild Meets For Study Monday Evening

The Wesleyan Service Guild met Monday evening with Mrs. A. Gidden and Viola Morris as hostesses.

Mrs. W. V. Coursey, program leader, opened the program with the songs, "I Would Be True," and "Evening Prayer."

Neville Wrenn gave an inspiring devotional on "Walking With Christ," assisted by John Binkley reading in the background.

The study, "Paul's Letters to the Churches" was concluded. Those appearing on the program were: Sarah Gillingham, Ruth Fowler, and Mary Jameson.

A short business session was conducted by the president, Mary Owens.

Following members were present: Mmes. Mary Owens, Bernice Coursey, Mary Jameson, H. B. Bennett, Ruth Fowler, Sarah Gillingham, Pauline Wynn, Lucille Burnett, Hester Bownds, Lillabelle Binkley, Mildred Gidden, Neville Wrenn and hostesses, Mrs. Gidden and Mrs. Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cudd visited in Oklahoma City over the Easter holidays with Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Morgenson, former Memphis residents.

Woman's Council Meets For Study

The Woman's Council of the First Christian Church met in the church lounge Tuesday at 3 p. m.

The meeting opened with the group singing "Tell It to Jesus." A short business was then conducted by Mrs. Lucile Randall, president.

Mrs. Mable Roberts was leader for the afternoon program. Mrs. Tommie Kesterson gave the devotional taking the scripture from the 14th chapter of John, and closing with a prayer.

Mrs. Lucile Randall gave a brief history of "Missions of the Restoration Movement." Delicious refreshments of home made ice cream, cake and coffee were served to Lucile Randall, Leola Stokes, Katherine Milam, Mable Roberts, Tommie Kesterson, Ella Norman, Foye Maddox, Belle Odum and hostess, Vee Knight and Jo Ann Sharp.



EASY, JUNIOR!... Mother elephant uses her trunk to help steady wobbly-legged infant in zoo at Budapest, Hungary.

College Students Leave After Easter Vacation Here

College students departed for their respective schools the first of the week after enjoying a short Easter vacation here with their families.

Among students who were here during the holidays were: Wayne Tiner and Betty Lemons from McMurry; Fritz Aspgren from TCU; Malcolm Martin and Don Paul Howell from Allen Military Academy; Jim Walker and Jo Ann Odum from Baylor; Sharon Harrison, Mackie Allen and Frankye Lynn Srygley from West Texas State College in Canyon.

Also Dickey Craig, Jerry McQueen, John Deaver, Sheldon Anisman and Jackie Ben Boone from Texas University; Janice Smith, Joy Beth Parks, Johnny Chamberlain and Roddy Biee from North Texas State College, and Billy Combs, Buzzy Patrick, Billie Jean Stroehle, Mary Frank Garrett, Jimmy Hill, Jerry Hill, Ronald Cawfield, Lloyd West, Marvin Smith, Duke Frisbie, Carol Foxhall from Texas Tech.

Both the newlyweds have attended the Memphis schools. Mrs. Gilchrest is a junior student this year.

The couple will make their home in Memphis where the groom is employed with Nat Bradley in the construction business.

Visiting here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elie Stilwell and Darrell Thursday and Friday nights were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McBee of Plainview and Mrs. O. L. Hammonds of Childress. Mrs. Blanche Archer and George were also visitors in the Stilwell home. Mr. and Mrs. McBee also visited with their son, Arlis McBee, and family.

T. J. Brock is Dinner Honoree On 81st Birthday

T. J. Brock was complimented with a dinner Sunday on his 81st birthday anniversary. Mr. Brock has lived in Hall County since 1912.

Among those present for the family gathering and dinner were Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Dollar and Sue of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dollar and Elaine of Berger, Mr. and Mrs. Murel Lemons and sons of Brice, Miss Oree Brock of Tulsa, Mr. and Mrs. Benny Brock and Joe of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wheeler and children of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Beckham of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Sasser of Memphis.

Juanella Goffinett and Bob Pritchett of Amarillo spent the Easter holidays here with Juanella's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Goffinett. On Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Goffinett, Juanella and Dan and Bob Pritchett and Kay Hill went to the Easter Pageant in the Wichita Mountains, near Lawton, Okla.

Harmony Club To Present Musical Program Sunday

The Harmony Club will present an afternoon of musical entertainment at the First Methodist Church Sunday, beginning at 3 p. m., Mrs. R. S. Greene, president of the club, announced this week.

Members of the club and other area artists will present a program approximately an hour in length.

Two junior musicians will appear on the program as guest artists. They are Brenda Duncan of Memphis and Don Cox of Hedley.

The program will consist of piano numbers, choral selections, vocal solos, and organ-piano duos. An invitation was extended to the public to attend.

H. Byrd Receives 30-Year Service Award in Austin

H. Byrd, senior maintenance foreman for Hall and Donley Counties of the State Highway Department, was presented with a 30-year service award in Austin Wednesday.

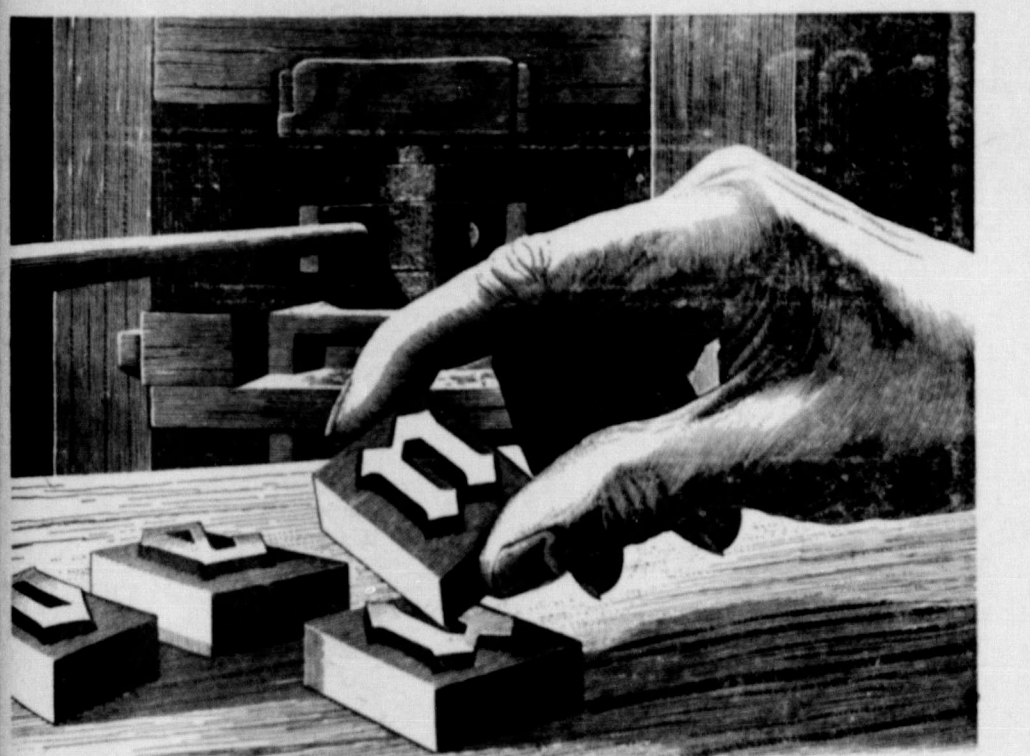
Byrd began work for the department in Bowie and has been foreman in Childress, Motley, Cottle, Hardeman, Collingsworth, Hall and Donley counties. He began work in Memphis 13 years ago.

The presentation was made at the State Capitol building Wednesday morning. Byrd left Memphis Tuesday to be on hand for the ceremonies.

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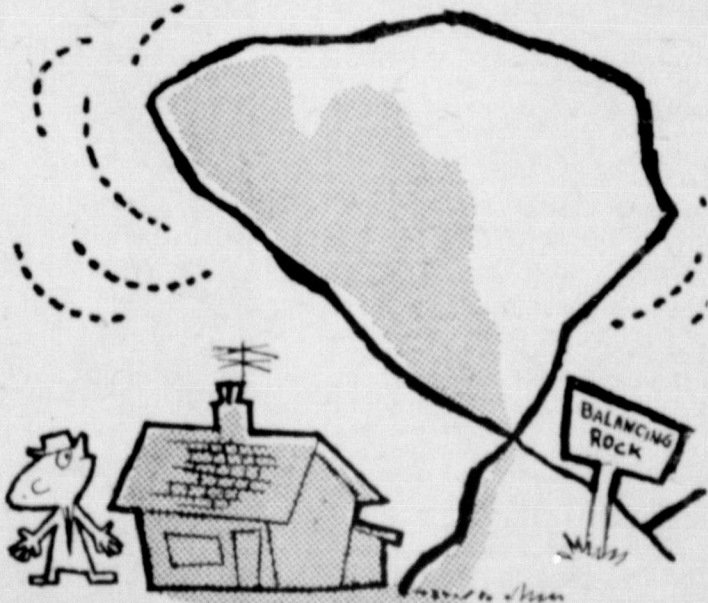
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men of many races and creeds crossed the ocean to establish homes on this continent. They and their children founded here a nation dedicated to a new principle: government by the people, and for the people. And knowing that liberty could be overthrown only by subduing freedom of speech and the press, they provided further that this basic freedom should never be abridged.

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Social Security News

By JOHN R. SANDERSON

Social security payments can be paid retroactively for only one year before the formal application is filed, if entitlement exists in the earlier months, according to John R. Sanderson, manager of the Amarillo district office.

benefits," added Sanderson. He further stated that the vast majority of the more than nine million people now receiving the monthly social security payments had no trouble getting their checks started. It was thus not necessary to pay them retroactively for more than a month or so unless they had delayed filing their claims for many months past their initial eligibility.

Ordinarily, such occasions are few and far between, as a social security office is usually able to help most people gather, in about three weeks or so, any evidence needed to prove their rights to

"We have always suggested that the nearest social security office be notified when a possible claimant reaches the age of 65, or when a person insured under social security dies," Sanderson concluded.

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Editorial

Price Fixing Legislation Introduced Again

The "Fair Trade" boys were at it again last week down in Austin when bills were introduced in the Senate and house to provide for price fixing for both wholesale and retail merchants. The new drive is being called the Sales Limitation Act. It would provide that any merchant who advertises or offers for sale any item below his cost-basis (his invoice or replacement cost, plus freight charges, plus 3-4 of one per cent for cartage, plus any extra federal and state taxes) may not limit the number of items offered. If he does limit the number of items sold below cost to prevent his supply from being raided by peddlers, institutional buyers or other merchants, he is guilty of a crime and is subject to a \$500 fine and may be enjoined in civil action by his competitor or their trade associations.

Sponsors of the bill say it would keep a man from coming into a town, with the intention of loosing several thousand dollars the first year, and putting established merchants out of business by selling everything under cost. On the other hand, however, what would the small stores do in relation to the large chains? Since the chains can buy in large lots cheaper they would be allowed to sell at a lower price since the cost-basis will determine the lowest possible sale price.

One bad feature of this type of legislation is that it would tend to keep the progressive merchant down and it might help the small businessman who never tries any work for the consumer's trade, but it appears that it would be protecting only the less progressive merchant. To be sure, it would put a damper on competition, and competition is one of the essentials of a democratic government. The proposal is also another step down the socialistic road where the government dictates every move of the citizens.

It is time for both businessmen and the mass of consumers to study the arguments on both sides, and make up their minds. Then let their elected officials in Austin know what they think. When the people speak, the voice of any special lobby always sounds much weaker.

Small Dams And Conservation

The benefit of small dams, known as retention reservoirs, is now being recognized as one of the better conservation measures established in this state.

The dams which have been constructed on upstream tributaries in different watersheds, are planned by the various Soil Conservation Districts in Texas. They have a three-fold purpose: prevent damage from flash floods, conserve water, and stop soil erosion.

Better use of low-land areas is now possible because the dams have eliminated seasonal flash floods.

A certain amount of "red tape" is encountered when co-operators band together on a watershed to establish the small dams. The dams, when constructed, remain the property of the landowners. Recreational facilities have been up by many owners, and irrigation programs have been applied to small, adjoining crops.

The structures are designed to release excessive water downstream at a slow rate. When a flash flood strikes, the reservoirs catch the water, and release it very slowly.

The program has been viewed with interest by many farmers and ranchers of this area. They are beginning to recognize that the flow of water in large creeks must be stabilized. This will provide dependable, year-round surface water supplies.

The development in the area west of Lakeview will be watched with interest in the months ahead.

Middle East Oil Taxes

During this period of tension in the Middle East when it might be necessary for United States military forces to use their power to protect large American investments there, it might be interesting to know how much of the profit from this area goes into the U. S. Treasury—exactly none.

This fact was recently brought out in hearings by Senator O'Mahoney (D-Wyo.) in the Senate Judiciary subcommittee. Here is the deal which the oil cartel cooked up with King Saud of Arabia:

Aramco is owned by the Standard Oil companies of New Jersey, New York, and California, and the Texas Co. Their Arabian oil amounts to one-fifth of the entire world reserve. The original deal with the Arabian ruler called for a 50-50 split of the profits. Under this agreement, Aramco had to pay income taxes to Uncle Sam on its share of the profits. But beginning in 1950, this was changed.

F. A. Davies, Aramco's board chairman, explained it this way: "In 1949 Aramco's U. S. income taxes were larger than King Saud's take. The Saudis came to us and said: 'Isn't there some way in which the income tax Aramco pays to the U. S. can be diverted to us in whole or in part?'"

To accomplish this, Davies explained, the oil executives figured out a plan whereby King Saud "imposed an income tax on Aramco by royal decree." All that was done was that part of King Saud's 50 per cent was called an "income tax" instead of a royalty. The gimmick here is that one of the numerous loopholes in U. S. tax laws allows oil companies to deduct all foreign "income taxes" from their U. S. tax bill. Last year Aramco paid no income taxes at all to Uncle Sam on its \$280 million share of the profits on its Arabian operations.

If war should erupt in the area it will be interesting to see who has to protect the oil fields. Will it be King Saud's troops, paid with the money from the tax on the oil company, or will it be American troops, paid with the tax money collected from the citizens here in the United States?

PUBLICITY STOPS CRIME

The New York police had followed a policy of "no publicity" for about 16 years concerning the activities of George Metesky, who bombed public places because of a grudge against a former employer.

About two months ago the policy was changed and the public was told all about the Mad Bomber. The result was that the public, with the help of the newspapers, radio and television, pitched into the search and today George Metesky is in confinement.

Just another example of the public helping solve its own problems when it knows the facts.

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Press Paragraphs— QUOTING OUR NEIGHBORS

**Ike Remains Silent**  
During the weekend, the American people were treated to an example of what happens when an arrogant department head in the executive branch of the Government decides to defy the Congress.

Mail service, so far as most Americans are concerned, has been practically suspended the past two days while Postmaster General Arthur Summerfield awaits the final decision of Congress regarding the appropriation of operating funds for his department. Many of the restrictions still are in effect today and may continue to be until the Postmaster General gets what he wants.

Summerfield has asked for a \$47,000,000 deficiency appropriation, which he claims is needed to keep operations on normal schedule through June 30, the end of the fiscal year. The House Appropriations Committee cut this to \$17,000,000 whereupon Summerfield ordered a drastic curtailment of mail service until the full amount was appropriated.

Last Friday, the House Committee, realizing the gravity of the situation, voted to appropriate \$41,000,000—\$6,000,000 less than Summerfield had asked. Summerfield called this "an encouraging first step" but indicated that he still expects to get the full amount.

But he showed his distrust of the Committee's action by ordering restrictions to remain in force until the funds actually are made available. The House will consider the Committee's recommendations today and swift action is expected.

Curtalement of service affects not only the citizens at large, but thousands of postal employees who will lose wages through layoffs or by shortening of hours. It could hurt the economy all the way around.

Summerfield explained that the Post Office Department does not receive revenue from the sale of stamps and other sources, since all money received is turned over to the U. S. Treasury. The Department, he said, must operate on funds appropriated by Congress, and if these are not enough to meet expenses, the Department goes in the hole. It has been doing that for several years.

What the Postmaster General did not explain, however, is why the Department did not operate on the funds set aside for it. Congress always has set an appropriation high enough to meet Post Office operating expenses if that Department attempted to keep within its budget, which it never has done. Moreover, there is scant prospect of its ever doing so. Post Office deficits have come to be accepted as a chronic condition.

The disturbing thing, however, is the picture of an Executive official defying the Legislative Department, which is charged, under the Constitution, with the responsibility of raising taxes and setting appropriations.

What the American people would like to know is, what does President Eisenhower think about the whole matter—and the arrogance of Summerfield?

So far, he doesn't seem to have heard of it.  
—Lubbock Morning Avalanche  
**Farmers Beware**  
More and more magazines are turning their "Big guns" on the farmer. Never in the history of man has the farmer been so vilified and if it continues the farmers may be forced to let the na-

tion starve via refusal to produce, to show these pencil pushers that the farmer deserves a share of the national prosperity.

In last week's Life magazine, an editorial was devoted to the National Budget. A part of that editorial reads:

"Sacred Cows. Some \$8.5 billion, or 5 per cent, is for farm subsidies of various kinds. Never has so much money been given away to so few 'unneeded' people as our farm subsidies give to American farmers. If there is any economic monstrosity in the budget, this is it. Some \$1 billion of this sum is for modern Republicanism's efforts (via the soil bank) to reduce the problem itself. But the rest is a

built-in vested interest that Congress ought to root out but doesn't dare."

What the editorial does not mention or even advocate, is the cutting out billions in subsidies to big industry, steam shippers, navigation, oil companies and related fields of our economy. Nor does it mention high tariffs on imported goods and low or no tariffs on imported farm products.  
—Claude News

**Shoplifters and Hubcaps**  
Lynn Rieves, local Western Auto Store owner, is now convinced that among thieves there is no honor.

Stealing hubcaps off automobiles, of course, has long been a favorite practice of the petty thief, and various steps have been taken to discourage the irksome

**Memories**  
Turning Back Time  
From The Democrat Files

**40 YEARS AGO**  
April 12, 1917  
Insulter of Flag Beaten: A cow-puncher who used abusive language toward the American flag and President Wilson received a severe beating today at the hands of H. Roberts, a barber, while several men looked on. The cow-puncher declared he would fight with the Mexicans against the United States. After the beating, he agreed to kiss the flag...

**20 YEARS AGO**  
April 23, 1937  
Honors Students Announced: Kathryn Reynolds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Reynolds, was named Valedictorian of the senior class this year of 95.1. Maurice daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Heis, won the Salutatorian with a record of 93.65. Other students of the school for the year include Frank Phelan Jr., Hattie Dem Ward, 91.2; Sue Fultz, 90.3; and Bill slow, 90.1...

**30 YEARS AGO**  
April 21, 1927  
Local Band To Play National Anthems: The Memphis Gold Medal Band received an invitation Monday from the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to play for the Congress of Nations to be held at Wichita Falls on the night of May 16, when each sponsor will be introduced as she appears wearing the costume of the nation she represents...

**10 YEARS AGO**  
April 24, 1947  
Seniors Give Play Tonight: The Memphis High seniors will present a play, "Too Sweet for Sugar," the cast includes Ann Ellen Lenior, Gladys Jackie Ward, Jo Fowler, Gibbs, Rebecca Moss, Haynes, Jerry Hayes, Gay and Helen Jones...

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A weekly public service feature from the Texas State Department of Health. HENRY A. HOLLE, M.D., Commissioner

Between now and the annual battle between garden pests is joined. Farmers will fight with insecticides and aerosol mists as the summer sun brings maturity to the vulnerable field crops.

What those precautions are. The project has taken this form: Kits of material on every conceivable phase of insecticide usage, including the composition of poisons and their relative toxicity, and a description of insects and mites each is effective against, have been made available for physicians, veterinarians, and county agents.

All the information is the latest obtainable, condensed to bare essentials for quick reading and reference. The intention is to make the office of every doctor and every county agent an information center in the safe use of economic poisons.

Still, the burden of safe use will always be on the person behind the spray gun. He is the one who must follow the instructions on the manufacturer's label. He is the one who must guard other people and livestock against wind drifts containing spray.

Visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lindsey and other relatives over the Easter weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Heath and children of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Lindsey and boys of Dimmitt.



SUEZ IS CLEAR . . . Two German salvage tugs lift Egyptian frigate "Abukir" sunk at south end of Suez Canal, freeing canal of last obstacle to free passage of shipping.

### Change Made in Meeting Place For Study Course

The personality course under the direction of Dr. Jack Walker of Canyon will be held in the high school cafeteria Thursday, April 25, at 7:30 p. m.

The meeting place has been changed because of family night at the Travis cafeteria where the sessions have previously been held.

### CARD OF THANKS

To our friends and neighbors we wish to thank each and every one of you from the bottom of our hearts for the kindness shown during the illness and loss of our loved one. For the wonderful food served and the beautiful floral offerings, we thank you. Our many thanks to Dr. Goodall, Dr. Stevenson and the entire staff of Goodall Hospital. May God's blessings be upon everyone of you.

David H. Aronofsky D. D. S. DENTISTRY Office Hours 9-12, 1-6 Phone 675 First State Bank Bldg.

### Soil Conservation News

By ODIS CURRY Range Conservationist

If one observes the process of degeneration on a piece of grassland, under unlimited grazing, there is a definite trend that each kind of plant in the vegetative composition will follow. The more palatable or tasty species are eaten down and gradually disappear from the composition. These plants may be called decreaseers. This is due to the fact that these plants are eaten more often, consequently, more of the food-manufacturing leaves are removed.

As the decreaseers are taken out, this quickly throws the advantage of survival to the side of the less palatable plants. Because of more water and light, their growth is greatly increased. They are enabled to store more food as well as to produce more seed. These plants that start increasing at this stage are, therefore, called increaseers. Buffalograss is such a plant.

If continuous year-long heavy stocking is practiced, initial increase is followed by decrease as degeneration of the forage cover continues. This is due to the fact that these increaseers, such as Buffalograss, are the most palatable at this stage.

When the increaseers, in effect, become decreaseers, bare spots appear and are colonized by invaders. These invading plants, such as broomweed, threeawn grasses, and mesquite trees, were not present in the original vegetation but invade from some other area and may finally make up most of the vegetative cover.

Sideoats Gamma is a perennial grass that can best be identified by the lower edges of the leaves, and throat-like seed head. The seed heads appear to hang from one side of the seed stalk and are formed in June or July. September brings a marked increase in production of new leaves and a second crop of seed. Fall deferment to permit seeding followed by a spring deferment, when seedlings appear, will greatly increase the stands of Sideoats Gamma.

### Locals and Personal

Dr. and Mrs. Russel E. Baldwin of Tyler visited here over the weekend with relatives. A Baldwin and Mrs. T. L. Rouse accompanied them to Dallas on Sunday where they will visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Noel Bruce and son of Amarillo visited here over the weekend with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Norman, Jr., and girls of Lubbock visited here Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Combs. They were en route to their home in Lubbock after spending the Easter holidays in Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Caviness and family of Gravelly, Ark., were here to spend the Easter holidays with relatives and friends. Mrs. Caviness is the daughter of Mrs. Frank Ellis.

Jet Bramley of Pampa was a Memphis visitor over the weekend.

Miss Adelle Harrell of Phillips visited here over the Easter holidays with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Forkner and son of Amarillo were Memphis visitors over the Easter holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Wells of Anton visited here from Wednesday until Friday with his mother, Mrs. J. R. Cannon, and other relatives and friends.

### BIRTHS

John David was born on March 26 to Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Brundige of Memphis. He weighed 6 pounds, 4 ounces at birth.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Woodward of Hedley are the parents of a daughter, born on April 8. She has been named Lee Ann and weighed 8 pounds, 2 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Gooch, Jr., of Memphis announce the arrival of a son, Richard Dale. He was born on April 18 and weighed 7 pounds, 6 ounces.

A daughter, Cynthia Ann, was born on April 20 to Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Hignight of Canyon in a local hospital. She weighed 7 pounds, 7 ounces.

On April 22 a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Pierce of Memphis. She weighed 7 pounds, 1 ounce and has been named Nancie Dianne.

Twins were born on April 10 to Mrs. LaWana Gragson of Turkey in a local hospital. The twins, a boy and a girl, were named Robert Rex and Jo Debra. Robert weighed 4 pounds, 15 ounces while Debra weighed 6 pounds.

A son, Charles Cavin, was born on April 12 to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wyatt of Tell. He weighed 8 pounds, 8 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Weatherly of Parnell are the parents of a son, born on April 6. He has been named Barry Lee and weighed 7 pounds, 8 ounces.

Lisa Lynette was born April 12 to Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Sammann of Plainview. She weighed 8 pounds. Mr. and Mrs. Nat Bradley of Memphis are the maternal grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Jack Wilks of Austin are the parents of a son, born on April 9 in an Austin hospital. He has been named Robert Jackson and weighed 6 pounds and 14 ounces. Robert is the great grandson of Mrs. B. J. Ellerd of Memphis.

Dr. and Mrs. E. Nath Hudgins of Fort Worth announce the birth of a son, David Scott. He was born on March 15 and weighed 13 pounds, 13 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Casey Cohlman and children of Enid, Okla., were house guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Shadid over the Easter holidays.

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# NOTICE

## To Our Patrons

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The annual meeting for patrons of the Memphis Farmers Cooperative Gin, originally scheduled for April 20th, will be held next Saturday, April 27th.

All Customers and Stockholders Are Invited To Be At The Gin Office at 2:00 P. M.

New directors will be elected for next year, and plenty of free coffee and doughnuts will be served to those who attend.

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### Hall County Farm Families Pay FHA \$463,809.71

Farm families in Hall County who are using credit obtained through the Farmers Home Administration are making efficient use of the funds and are maintaining a good repayment record, according to a report by the agency's county supervisor, Claude Moore.

Many farmers are using the loan funds to obtain higher grade livestock, to improve their pastures, to buy proper types and amounts of fertilizer.

So far this fiscal year, or since June 30, 1956, farmers in Hall County have repaid a total of \$463,809.71 on all types of loans.

The FHA provides loans to farm better, buy or improve farms, build or repair farm buildings, improve soil and water conservation practices, meet emergency needs, or take care of certain refinancing problems, Moore said.

Farmers Home Administration credit is supplied on the basis of supplementing credit from other sources, he explained. The loans are available only when other lenders are not in position to supply the credit the farmers need to get the greatest possible returns from their land and family labor resources.

The average time taken by the farmer in the county to repay their loans for farm operating purposes, and to reach the point where they can obtain the credit they need from conventional lenders, is approximately six years, Moore said.

Before a loan is closed, the agency and the applicant plan ahead to make sure that every loan will be repayable from planned income.

In addition to credit, farmers with FHA loans receive necessary aid with farm and home management problems and in keeping records that help them to keep their farm business on a sound financial basis.

### Garry Ferguson Promoted to SP-3 In Germany

Garry Ferguson, son of Mrs. H. W. Ferguson, 1412 Brumly, Memphis, recently was promoted to specialist third class while serving with the 10th Infantry Division in Germany.

Specialist Ferguson, a member of the 3rd Battalion Headquarters Company of the division's 85th Infantry Regiment, entered the Army in May 1955 and completed basic training at Fort Riley, Kan.

### Estelline School Board Organizes

In the recent election in Estelline, Crump Ferrel and J. D. Cox were re-elected for three-year terms on the Estelline Board of Education.

The board met recently and organized for the next year. Officers elected were: Ferrel, president; Clinton Richburg, vice-president; Raleigh Adams, secretary-treasurer; and J. W. Crisman, assistant secretary.

Other members of the board are O. B. Hoover and Joe Eddins.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ward of Estelline visited here over the week end with friends.

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### Robert E. Erwin Returns From Far East Cruise

Robert E. Erwin, seaman, U. S. Navy, son of Mrs. Mary L. Erwin of Memphis, returned to Long Beach, Calif. April 10 aboard the destroyer USS Leonard F. Mason after a five month cruise in the Far East.

The Mason left Long Beach, Nov. 11, 1956, with Fast Carrier Task Force 11 for intensive training in Hawaiian waters. Upon completion of training, the destroyer continued to Yokosuka, Japan, where her crew spent Christmas.

After the holidays, the Mason joined other destroyers of the Western Pacific in anti-submarine training operations. She also took part in the Taiwan Defense Patrol Force from Feb. 13 until relieved Mar. 8.

While in Oriental waters, the ship visited Sasebo, Japan; Burckner Bay, Okinawa; Subic Bay, P. I.; Kaohsiung, Taiwan; Hong Kong B.C.C.; and the Midway Islands.

### NEWLIN

Lon Williams of Wichita Falls spent Saturday night here with his brother, Edmund Williams.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. D. C. Messick last Wednesday afternoon were Mrs. Luke Hamilton of Carey, Mrs. P. E. Gardenhire, Mrs. Ruth Misenhimer and Mrs. Fred Hemphill.

Mrs. Annie Margaret Turner and Parks of Lubbock spent the weekend her with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Ray McCleendon of Dallas spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Hoover and son of Sunray spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. J. N. Hoover.

Edmund Williams spent the weekend in Crosbyton with his brother, Milton Williams.

Mrs. Charlie Alexander of Sudan spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sweatt and boys visited Sunday in Wellington with her brother and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crow and sons were Childress visitors Sunday.

Donna Berryman of Lubbock was a weekend visitor with her cousins, Cindy and Brenda Gresham.

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Nelson and son were weekend visitors here with relatives.

Mrs. Gene Mitchell of Amarillo visited Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Nelson.

### Memphis Farmers Co-Op Gin To Hold Meeting Saturday

The annual meeting of the Memphis Farmers Co-Op Gin will be held Saturday at 2 p. m. at the gin office, Odell Anthony, manager said this week.

The meeting of stockholders and customers was originally scheduled for last Saturday but was cancelled due to the bad weather and the death of Andy B. Collins, the father of one of the directors, Anthony said.

Fresh coffee and doughnuts will be served and the dividend checks will be presented.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. A. B. Jones for the Easter holidays were Curry Stephens, student at the University of Dallas, Mrs. B. J. Spencer of Corpus Christi, and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Johnson of Sherman Oaks, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson also attended the ex-student banquet.

Mrs. B. O. Shankle returned home Tuesday night from Borger where she had been with her brother, Wayne Ewing, who was seriously ill for several days. Mr. Ewing is recovering nicely.

### LAFF OF THE WEEK



"Too bad we don't have a key like that for your father."

### 12th Santa Rosa Roundup To Begin May 1 at Vernon

The annual Santa Rosa Roundup and Livestock Exposition will be held in Vernon May 1 through 4 according to an announcement this week.

The 12th annual rodeo and quarterhorse show opens May 1 at 2 p. m. with a two-mile long parade, featuring 10 or more regional bands and more than 1,000 horses ridden by members of some 25 Texas and Oklahoma riding clubs.

Scores of colorful floats are expected to compete for prize money totaling \$950, offered in five divisions. The float theme will be "Giant Texas."

Three local men, Tomie Potts, H. J. Howell and Jim King, are directors of the Santa Rosa Roundup Association.

The rodeo performances will be held each night at 8 p. m. A prize list of \$8,000 has been posted to which entry fees will be added, making the purse the fourth largest to be offered this season in the state, John Biggs, general manager of the Roundup said.

### Former Memphian And Student To Enjoy Week Tour

Mrs. J. W. Brown, homemaking instructor at Plains High School, and one of her students, Willie Mae Addison, will leave Lubbock Saturday for a week's educational tour in Washington, D. C., Williamsburg, Va., and New York City.

Mrs. Brown will be remembered by her friends here as the former Josephine Verden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Verden of Lakeview.

Miss Addison is winner of the Betty Crocker state homemaking contest and while in New York will compete for the title of National Betty Crocker Homemaker. The national winner will be announced at a banquet to be given at the Waldorf-Astoria on May 2. The program will be televised starting at 7 p. m. New York time.

### CARD OF THANKS

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### TRAVIS NEWS

Travis third grade pupils presented a 15-minute program over Radio Station KCTX. A new student, Ronnie Ward, has been enrolled, which brings the third grade total to 36.

Mrs. Gurley and Mrs. Gilliam's fourth grade rooms held their annual Easter picnic Thursday, April 18, from 12:00 noon until 2:30 p. m. It was a pretty day and everybody enjoyed it. Some of the boys and girls played baseball.

Ronnie George and Kay Hill, fifth grade students, made interesting reports on their trip to view the annual Easter Pageant, which was held in the Wichita Mountains near Lawton, Okla., early Easter Sunday.

The following pupils were on the honor roll at the end of the last six weeks and received an A in all subjects: Pamela Lindsey, Kay Hill, Fanice Pounds, Susetta Lemmon, Randy Brown and Billy Jay Pounds.

Students from Travis played Austin Elementary in baseball, and won the contest. The boys won 11 to 1, and the girls' score was 5 to 4.

Students drew pictures of girls in their Easter bonnets in art class. Some of the boys drew Huckaberry Finn, Tom Sawyer and Watson Jim. One of the girls drew Becky Thacker. Miss Pyatt is reading "Huckaberry Finn." Students are rehearsing for a play to be presented for Family Night.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Wilson have returned home after spending the Easter holidays in San Antonio with their son, Mack Wilson, Jr., and other relatives.

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Dr. Jack L. Rose  
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will be out of the office from April 27th through May 4th while attending the Texas Optometrist Association annual Convention in Corpus Christi. The office will remain open for minor services.  
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### LOCALS

Mrs. Jessie Chancey of Saint Jo was a house guest in the home of Ira Hammond last week.

Mrs. Henry Newman, Mrs. Geo. Hammond, Miss Ira Hammond and Mrs. Jessie Chancey visited in Amarillo Friday in the home of Mrs. Newman's son, Henry Boyd Newman, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Johnsey of Amarillo visited here Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Johnsey.

Cpl. and Mrs. Gayle Smallin and son Gregg are visiting here with Mrs. Smallin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Watts. Cpl. Smallin is being sent to Tokyo, Japan. He is here for a few days delayed in route. Mrs. Smallin and son will remain in Memphis for the present.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Bain of Clarendon visited here Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Emma Baskerville.

Mrs. Estelle Barber spent the Easter holidays in Corpus Christi with her sister, Mrs. Max D. Allison and family.

Visiting here Sunday with Mrs. Ora Denny and Mrs. Gladys Power were Jim Travis, Mrs. Ruth McAlpin and Mrs. Grace Brown, all of Amarillo.

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GRASS SEED—All kinds. Limited amount of Sorghum Alum left. Carman Rhode, phone 3231, Silverton, Texas. 46-10p  
PLENTY Baby Chicks, started chicks. Clarendon Hatchery, Clarendon, Texas. 41-tfc  
FOR SALE—8 1/2 cubic ft. Westinghouse refrigerator. Deluxe model, excellent condition. Phone 94, Martin Johnson. 42-tfc  
FOR SALE—Good used pianos. Lemons Furniture Co., phone 12. 3-tfc  
FOR SALE—120 acres, \$138.00 per acre, 1/2 of minerals and oils reserved, one mile west of Plaska, -mall down payment, rest easy terms, E. J. Galloway, 719 N. Pierce St., Amarillo, Texas. Phone Drake 2-2038. 33-tfc

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Mr. and Mrs. John Smith of Memphis and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Murock of Hedley were in Muleshoe Sunday to attend funeral services for Mrs. M. V. Robinson. Mrs. Robinson formerly lived in the Plaska community, moving from here in 1929.

Mrs. B. E. Harper of Canyon visited here from Tuesday until Monday of this week in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Allen Dunbar and family. Jay Dunbar accompanied her home for a few days visit.

Holiday visitors in the home of Mrs. Bess Crump were her children and their families and included Mr. and Mrs. Joe Crump and Gary and Seri and Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Crump of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Alber Crump and Carolyn, Eddie, Tommy, Cindy and Cathy of Friona, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Shepherd and Barry and Susan of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Godfrey and Linda and Lugay of Memphis.

Mrs. Elmer Fisher of Pampa visited here over the Easter holidays with relatives and attended the banquet on Saturday night.

**Baby Chicks Started Chicks Clarendon Hatchery**  
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Weekend guests in the home of Mrs. Ernest Neel were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fielding and Mrs. Charlie Wallace and daughter Glenda Murphy and Jess Wallace of Littlefield by Sheriff Elmer Neel and Ernest, Clarence and Chester. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fielding of Quail.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Paul Fielding and Mrs. Charlie Wallace and daughter Glenda Murphy and Jess Wallace of Littlefield by Sheriff Elmer Neel and Ernest, Clarence and Chester. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fielding of Quail.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Brigg and Mrs. Earl Miller last weekend in Pasadena families have children in the While there the Millers attended other places of historical interest.



### Report From Washington

By Walter Rogers  
Congressman, 18th District



#### The British Loan Debate

On April 10 the House debated Resolution 225. This resolution concerned the approval of a loan to Britain in the 1946 loan agreement between this country and Great Britain. At that time this country loaned Great Britain \$3,750 million dollars, which was in addition to a balance of \$1,250 million dollars which Britain owes this country under the lend lease program. Under terms of the agreement Britain was to make annual payments of 138.4 million dollars. These payments were to be made in principal and interest. The agreement had the effect of making Britain the debtor, the lender, the creditor, and the borrower. The agreement was approved by the House of Representatives on April 10, 1950. The agreement was approved by the Senate on April 11, 1950. The agreement was approved by the President on April 12, 1950. The agreement was approved by the House of Representatives on April 10, 1950. The agreement was approved by the Senate on April 11, 1950. The agreement was approved by the President on April 12, 1950.

payments on the loan began in 1951 and were met each year. On December 31, 1956, a payment date, Britain advised the U. S. that she was withholding the interest in the amount of approximately 81 million dollars and would seek approval of her right to waive the interest under section 5 and 6 of the original agreement. The 81 million dollars was deposited in the Federal Reserve Bank of New York pending final settlement. Negotiations began between our Secretary of the Treasury and Britain with reference to the proper course to pursue. The 1946 agreement continues until the year 2000. Under the proposed change, approved by the Secretary of the Treasury, the British could select any 7 years

of the remaining years and postpone the entire payment of 138.4 million dollars for that particular year, until the end of the agreement.

The debate was most interesting and generated considerable heat. One of the major points made by the opposition to the resolution was the fact that Great Britain had announced a tax cut for its citizens and the gimmick that had worked with our Secretary of the Treasury was for the purpose of helping to finance that tax cut and to support the present government of Britain. Whether or not it was intended to support the present government of Britain is, of course, debatable. However, there is little question, and no doubt in my mind, that the approximate 250 million dollars tax cut recently announced by Great Britain would be, more than 50 per cent, financed by the change in the agreement as recommended by Mr. Humphrey. A great deal was said about the recent statement of the British that their government revenue in the fiscal year ending March 31 reflected a balance, above expenditures, of \$12 million dollars. Also pointed out was the fact that the British would be required to pay only 2 per cent interest on these postponed payments. This is, of course, much less than our own government is presently paying for the use of money. Numerous other arguments were advanced and included a full discussion of the many socialized programs being maintained by the British government.

The proponents argued that the resolution should be adopted because Great Britain was our ally and our friend, and in addition had the right to claim a waiver of the entire interest payment whether we liked it or not. They argued also that if Britain claimed her waiver of interest for all of the years, it could cost our country 2 billion dollars. Actually Britain did not have the first right to waive the interest. She had the right only upon the existence of certain factors which she would be required to establish. Whether or not she could establish them is another question.

It is my opinion that such a provision should never have been made a part of the 1946 agreement. In ordinary business transactions the party who has the right to waive interest payments is the lender of the money, not the borrower. However, the agreement was made and Britain was insisting upon the interest waiver



SHAPELY MODEL . . . Fanny Kohler, 29, shows form which won her title "Miss Parisian Mannequin of 1957" in annual Paris mannequin school contest.

right.

My analysis of the situation was as follows: In the first place, Britain hired the money and agreed to pay interest. In the second place, if she was the staunch ally and loyal friend that the proponents of the resolution claimed, it occurred to me that she should not be undertaking to welch on an interest payment. In the third place, she had advertised that her income was approximately 1 billion dollars more than her expenditures for the past fiscal year, which is much better than this country has done, percentage wise. In the fourth place, it occurred to me that if anyone was entitled to some tax relief, it was the overburdened American taxpayer—the same taxpayer who shouldered the tremendous tax burdens to pay for the arms, equipment and facilities that saved Britain from complete annihilation in the last war. Certainly he should not be required to finance a tax cut for a Britisher under the circumstances.

It was for these reasons and others, which limited space will not permit me to present, that caused me to vote against the resolution.

However, my vote, along with the votes of 166 other Members of the House, went down the drain so to speak, because the resolution carried to the tune of 218 yeas and 167 nays. We do feel that much additional strength was evident in our ranks, and that we are gaining in our efforts to slow down the tremendous foreign expenditures that have so grievously burdened the American taxpayers, and have obviously lessened our friends in the world rather than increased them.

**Taxes**  
Speaking of taxes, I do want to pass on to you the general feeling on this subject in Washington. For many years any talk of a general tax cut was distasteful. However, in this session of Congress I have noticed more interest in the possibility of a general tax cut than in any other year since I have been here. By a "general tax cut" I mean a tax cut that will have some material benefit for those in the lower income brackets who most need such a reduction. As I pointed out in a previous news letter, my approach would be to increase the individual and dependent exemption allowances. By doing this the tax cut would be fair to everyone concerned, and all would actually share equally in the cut. Others want to reduce the over-all tax rates. Certainly I would not be adverse to that procedure so long as those who need the cut most are not the victims of discrimination. Another approach is to give a blanket dollar credit on the amount of taxes owed. In other words, if you owe \$100 in taxes, this plan would allow you to subtract \$20 from the amount you owe and pay to the government \$80 in full payment of your tax liability.

The truth is I don't care how it is done. The time has come when a tax reduction is not only sorely desired, by all of the people, but is necessary to properly stabilize and sustain our general economy.

Mrs. J. R. Owen returned Friday from a 10-day trip to California where she saw her daughter, Mrs. T. D. Kirby off to join her husband in Japan. Kirby is stationed in Japan with the U. S. Air Force.

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

### Lakeview FHA Elects Officers For Coming Year

The Lakeview Future Homemakers of America, elected officers April 9 who will serve for the coming year.

Maurice Revell was elected president; Martha Joy Reed, 1st vice president; Pat Lawrence, 2nd vice president; Brenda Brister, 3rd vice president; Patsy Neighbors, secretary; Deva Helin, Treasurer; Dixie Barber, reporter; Rita Durrett, song leader and Linda Campbell, historian.

The installation service for the new officers will be held Monday, April 22, at the Parent-Teacher Association meeting.

At a called meeting in March Diana Fowler and Carolyn Hall were elected to go to the state meeting in Dallas. Both are members of the senior class.

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### Lindseys Attend Lumber Convention

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lindsey returned Tuesday night of last week after attending the Texas Lumberman's Convention which was held in Dallas Saturday through

Tuesday. They also visited with Mrs. Lindsey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Gilmore, former Memphis residents.

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# Boxing To Be Held At Gym Sat. Night

The Memphis Boys Club will sponsor approximately 15 boxing bouts in the Memphis High School Gymnasium Saturday night, beginning at 8 p. m., Frank Smith, Jr. announced this week.

The schedule for the night includes 10 Negro bouts with boys from Wellington, Clarendon, Amarillo and Memphis entered in this division. Thirteen boys from the Memphis Morningside Addition will be competing.

White teams from Estelline, Quitaque, Flomot, Lakeview, Amarillo and Memphis comprise the other five fights.

All of the proceeds from the event will be used to pay for debts incurred during the boxing tournament which was held here in February, Smith said.

Bad weather lowered the attendance to such an extent that a debt of \$160 still remains for the club to pay, he added.

Admission will be \$1.00 for ringside, 75 cents for general admission and 50 cents for students.

## Andy B. Collins—

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Lester Graham, Ernest Lee Kilgore, Ed Hutcherson, Milton Beasley and Ernest Lee.

Survivors include his wife, six sons, Archie Collins, Estal Collins and Doyle Collins, all of Amarillo, and Fred Collins, Tom Collins and Clyde Collins, all of Memphis; two daughters, Mrs. Homer Smith of Weatherford and Mrs. Vincent Thomas of Amarillo, 13 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

## T. Z. Zint—

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tery under the directions of Spicer Funeral Home.

Mr. Zint was born May 6, 1886, in Hopkins County, Texas. He was married to Miss Eula Abernethy in February, 1913. The family moved to Estelline in 1936 and have lived in or near there since that time.

He was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. T. Z. Zint of Estelline, two daughters, Mrs. C. P. Lambert of Brice, and Mrs. T. D. Mabry of Tell; four sons, Clifford Zint of Lubbock, George W. Zint, Edwin H. Zint and Calvin C. Zint, all of Amarillo, and 11 grandchildren.

Pall bearers were Paul Buchanan, Otis Lambert, Arles Crump, Geo. McMinn, Floyd Mabry and Arch Bumpass.

## Mrs. W. T. Clifton—

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ters, Mrs. Letha Miller of Reno, Nev., Mrs. J. E. Masterson of Estelline, Mrs. Leonard Wilson and Mrs. Glen Carlos of Memphis; five sons, J. G. Clifton of Dalhart, W. L. Clifton of Los Angeles, B. G. Clifton of Phillips, L. H. Clifton of Childress, C. W. Clifton of Lamar, Colo.; 21 grandchildren, 21 great grandchildren and two great, great grandchildren.

## Mrs. J. M. Province—

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1898, in the same county.

The family moved to Hall County in 1906 and settled in the Plaska community where they were engaged in farming. Approximately two years ago Mr. and Mrs. Province retired and since that time have made their home with their two daughters, Mrs. Elmer Baker in Olton and Mrs. A. L. Ammons in Fort Smith, Ark.

Mrs. Province was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church.

Burial was in the Union Hill Cemetery at Lakeview under the direction of Spicer Funeral Home.

Survivors include her husband, John M. Province of Olton; two daughters, Mrs. Elmer Baker of Olton, Mrs. A. L. Ammons of Fort Smith, Ark.; 10 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; 1 sister, Miss Ray Nase and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Bulah Nase, both of Lakeview.

Pall bearers were Raymond Foster, Henry Foster, Gene Koeninger, John Smith, Harold Hodges and C. B. Craighend.

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## Five Minute Fire Siren Blast Will Indicate Cyclone

Mayor O. L. Helm reminded Memphis residents this week that the signal for a cyclone is one long blast of the fire siren which will last from four to five minutes.

All fire signals are of a shorter duration, he explained.

Local members of the Ground Observer Corps have been working in conjunction with law enforcement officials in trying to spot the storms, Hubert Dennis, post supervisor, said Monday.

GOC members were on top of the court house several times during the past week when weather conditions were such that a cyclone might develop, Dennis said.

Law enforcement officials drive out on the different roads from Memphis during the periods of bad weather, and watch for the deadly funnels. If they see a tornado, they radio back to the City Hall where someone is on duty to sound the siren, Dennis explained.

GOC personnel watch for the storms from their position on top of the court house, and will also contact the city hall if they see a cyclone.

When the siren blows from four to five minutes Memphis residents should take cover because it indicates that a funnel has been sighted which might enter the town, officials explained.

## Mrs. C. R. Webster—

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Worthy Matron of the chapter and also as district deputy.

She was a member of the Atalantean Club, the Priscilla Club, the Bucilla Club and a charter member of the Mystic Weavers Club.

Survivors include her husband, C. R. Webster of Memphis; one daughter, Mrs. J. Emory Barton of Denton; one granddaughter, Alice Kealy Barton, and one grandson, Charles Barton, both of Denton; one sister, Mrs. F. C. Mayes of Austin; two brothers, W. P. Kealy of Pine Bluff, Ark., and J. C. Kealy of Rialto, Calif.; and one niece, Mrs. Grace Duke of Memphis.

Pall bearers were D. A. Neeley, R. S. Greene, Byron Baldwin, M. G. Tarver, Frank Foxhall and Irvin Johnsey.

## Local GOC Post To Participate In Spotting Exercise

Members of the local Ground Observer Corps post will participate in a practice spotting exercise Sunday afternoon from 2 until 5 p. m., Hubert Dennis, supervisor of the post said Monday.

The group will report all airplanes they spot to the filter center in Oklahoma City where the courses of the crafts will be plotted on a chart.

## THE BAFFLES

By Mahoney



## Tornado—

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home watching the clouds when they saw the twisting funnel about 300 yards away. They ran into the cellar, and remained there until it passed overhead. Brown said the twister sounded like a very hard hail storm when it passed overhead.

Debris from the house and surrounding buildings was scattered across an adjoining hill for at least a half mile, marking the exact course of the tornado.

The roof and ceiling in all rooms of the Brown house were completely ripped away, except that over the living room. The rain which followed the twister wet all furnishings inside the home. Other structures blown away included two chicken houses, a double garage, barn and windmill.

J. W. Driver Home Damaged

Extensive damage was also inflicted on the J. W. Driver home where the storm tore the east side of the roof off the back part of the house as well as destroying other buildings.

Driver was home by himself at the time the storm struck. He saw the churning funnel about a quarter of a mile away and dived into his cellar. The storm took away the roof of a small house about 100 yards west of the Driver home and tore the back off another house located approximately 50 yards east of the home.

A rail road tie, which was being used to support a basketball goal, was snapped off at the ground, and several trees around the house were uprooted.

The storm blew one garage down on a car which was parked inside, tore the roof off another, and then shifted a tractor shed off its foundation, and stretched the walls out of shape.

Storm Hits Elmer Watson Home

The east side of the roof on the Elmer Watson home was missing after the twister passed. The winds also took away the west part of the roof of a nearby vacant house and destroyed five smaller buildings, such as barns, garages, etc.

The cyclone's path could be easily followed through a nearby pasture where the mesquite bushes were twisted and broken by the violent winds.

Also in this area, a new, tin barn, belonging to Carl Smith, was completely destroyed.

Over near Red River, where the storm first started, six buildings on the Joe Montgomery farm were torn down, but the house escaped with only minor damage. A building, filled with baled hay, was completely carried away while the hay was left neatly stacked.

A water well drilling rig, owned by Crenshaw Drilling Company, was blown over and damaged heavily in one of the Montgomery fields. A small metal house, made from an old school bus, was carried about a quarter of a mile away from the rig.

On the B. B. Gibson farm near by, the twister took away the hen house, barn and all the other out-buildings.

At the A. O. Proffitt home immediately west of Lesley, a large tree in the front yard and another in the back yard were blown down, but no damage was inflicted upon the house.

Miles of fence were torn down through the entire path of the storm and in some places power line poles were broken and others left leaning at an odd angle.

## C. of C. Committee Studies Industrial Foundation Idea

The Industrial Committee of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce and Hall County Board of Development met last Thursday at the City Hall and heard a report by members who recently made a trip to Dallas.

Committee Chairman Homer Tucker told the group that before Memphis had much chance of getting an industry, the citizens would have to organize an industrial foundation.

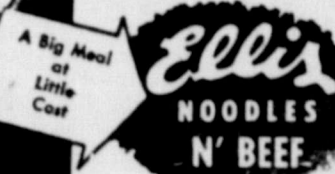
This was the most important information Tucker, Dr. David Aronofsky and Chamber Manager Clifford Farmer brought back from their recent trip.

Everyone the group conferred with brought out the fact that any industrial concern would want some type of industrial foundation with which they could negotiate.

President Ed Foxhall appointed a sub-committee, composed of Tucker, Dr. Aronofsky, Adrian Odom and Maurice Nixon to study the problems involved in setting up an industrial foundation, and to outline the organization of such a project.

The subcommittee will report back to the Industrial Committee on Friday night, providing that no serious conflicting events arise on that date, Tucker said.

It is warmer to wear two thin garments than one thick one because the air between them serves as insulation.



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## Highway 287 Group Visit Memphis Wed.

Highway 287 boosters stopped in Memphis Wednesday at noon on a tour from Yellowstone National Park to the Gulf of Mexico. The trip was sponsored by the Highway 287 Association in an effort to stimulate trade along this shortest route from the Gulf plains to the mountains.

While in Memphis, boosters passed out literature advertising the route and points of interest along it. A similar trip last year did much to make persons along Highway 287 realize the advantages of staying on the route, a spokesman announced.

## Senior Girls To Be Guests at B&PW Club Luncheon

Senior girls of the Memphis, Estelline and Lakeview High Schools and their sponsors will be honor guests on Thursday, May 2, when the Memphis Business and Professional Women's Club entertains with a 12 o'clock luncheon. The meeting will be held in the Masonic building. Following the meal, a program will be presented.

Sailing due east out of Boston Harbor, one would first land in Spain.

## Explorer Scouts Seeking Flowers To Put In City Park

Members of Explorer No. 35 announced this that they would work Saturday transplanting flowers to homes in town to the City.

Tommy Robinson, advisor to the post, stated the boys would pick up flowers from homes Saturday morning. Anyone wanting to donate flowers to be transplanted in City Park should call Tom Stanford Pharmacy, telephone 24, during the morning.

The boys will come to homes and pick up the flowers, Robinson said.

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<b>CANDY</b>	Kisses or Miniatures	2 pkgs. ... 4
<b>Jelly</b>	Orange, Lime, or Pomgranate, 1 lb. jar	49c
<b>COOKIES</b>	Nabisco, Peanut Butter 1 lb. pkg.	4
<b>OLEO</b>	2 lbs.	35c
<b>Kim Dog Food</b>	3 CANS	25
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