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PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, The security and future progress of our nation depends more than ever before upon the adequacy of our schools, and

WHEREAS, Since the founding of the Texas Public School System 105 years ago, the growth and development of our State has been tied closely to the educational advantages available to Texas citizens and depends upon the continuance and furtherance of educational opportunities of all Texas children, and

WHEREAS, The State Board of Education has designated this week of March 2 through 6 as the ninth annual Public Schools Week in Texas and urges all citizens in the State to visit a public school during that week,

NOW, therefore, I, O. L. Helm, Mayor of the City of Memphis, Texas hereby declare March 2 through 6 as Public School week and urge all citizens to take particular interest in their schools at that time.

Given under my hand and seal of said city this 24th day of February, A. D. 1959.

(Signed) O. L. HELM
Mayor

Public School Week To Be Observed

The Memphis School system will observe Public School Week, March 2-7 with a special visitation program for parents Thursday and Friday of next week.

Billy Joe Murdock Funeral Services Held Here Sunday

Funeral services for Billy Joe Murdock were conducted at 2:30 p. m. Sunday from the First Baptist Church with Rev. Fern A. Miller officiating, assisted by Rev. L. Barrett.

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

Mr. Murdock drowned Feb. 14 at Lake Diversion, near Wichita Falls. His body was not recovered until the following Saturday.

Born June 5, 1927, in Tulia, Mr. Murdock was reared in Memphis and attended the local schools. He was married to Miss Ruth Lowdy Sept. 4, 1948, in Memphis. The couple had lived in Wichita Falls for the past five years where he was employed as a welder at the Air Force Base.

Survivors include his wife, Ruth Murdock of Wichita Falls, three sons, Gary, Johnny and Danny, and one daughter, Kay, all of Wichita Falls; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Murdock of Memphis; three brothers, J. H. Murdock of Albuquerque, N. M., Elton Murdock of Memphis and Bobby Murdock of Amarillo; three sisters, Mrs. Earl Bloxom of Memphis, Mrs. Buz Wilson of Amarillo and Mrs. Harold Saxon of Amarillo.

Funeral bearers were J. W. Martin, Donald Whitecotton, J. J. McDaniels, Raymond Martin, L. A. Martin and C. B. Craighead.

Honorary pall bearers were Joe Berry, J. L. Ray, James Bray, Melvin Blum, Troy Payne and Glenn Verden.

March 7 Deadline For Applications In City Election

Saturday, March 7, is the last day for filing application for names to appear on the city ballot, Dwight Kinard, city secretary, reminded residents this week.

As of Thursday morning there was still a vacancy on the ballot for mayor and alderman of Ward 1.

Those who have filed for the various positions to date are O. M. Gunstream, Ward 2; Ben Parks, Ward 3; and E. C. Rice, Ward 4.

Services Held Wednesday For Mrs. Sybil Rasco

Funeral services for Mrs. Sybil H. Rasco of Wichita Falls were conducted Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. from the Church of Christ with Tom Pickard, minister, officiating.

Mrs. Rasco died Monday in a local hospital shortly after suffering a heart attack. She had arrived in Memphis Saturday from her home in Wichita Falls to visit a sister, Mrs. C. Hansard, and (Continued from Page 1)

Annual Heart Drive To Be Held March 1

Sunday afternoon volunteer workers will canvas Memphis seeking contributions in the annual Heart Sunday effort, according to an announcement this week by Ted Myers, chairman of the drive.

The drive will be composed of all volunteer workers that want to help, he said. Workers will knock at each house in Memphis and will have envelopes for the residents to put their contribution in, or if there is no one home, the envelope will be left.

Tops Gilreath is serving as treasurer of the drive.

Den mothers Mrs. Kenneth Bowns, Mrs. Bill Hall, Mrs. Del Rich, Mrs. Joe Williams and Mrs. Gene Hughs will also have groups of Cub Scouts assisting.

Anyone desiring to assist with the drive should be at the Carnegie Library at 2 p. m. Sunday.

Two From C. of C. Attend Austin Meet

Chamber of Commerce President Dick Fowler and past president Homer Tucker were in Austin Monday to lend support to two bills designed to help the industrial and tourist attractions of Texas.

They also attended a luncheon of the Texas Industrial Advisory Board, of which Tucker is a member.

The bills under consideration would create a Texas Development Board with tourist promotion handled by the Texas Highway Department and industrial work under the Texas Industrial Commission.

Support Price On Grain Sorghum Will Be 31c Cwt. Lower For 1959 Crop

Cotton Seed Set at \$38 Per Ton As Compared With \$45 Last Year

Dept. Approves City Delivery for Whaley Addition

Postmaster Jim Vallance this week announced that city delivery of mail for the Whaley Addition has been approved by the Post Office Department.

Delivery can start as soon as sufficient patrons in the area make application at the post office, he said.

He also urged all who wanted their mail delivered to be sure and have a box installed in order that it may be left at the house.

Atalantean Club To Hold Fashion Parade March 17

The annual Pre-Easter fashion parade sponsored each year by the Atalantean Club will take place at 7 p. m. March 17, in the Travis Cafeteria, it was announced today.

The combination dinner and fashion show will be known this season as "Carousel". Truly gay and colorful, the social promises a delightful evening of entertainment. On parade will be a large array of the season's highest fashions shown by the local merchants.

A three course dinner will be served and door prizes will be given. New features have been added to the fashion floor show this year according to Mrs. Robert Sexauer, director.

The "Carousel of Fashion" is one of a series of projects planned to further one of the Atalantean Club's chief projects, a department club building for Memphis.

"Because of limited seating space ticket sales this year will be limited to 200," members of the club said. "We suggest you buy your tickets early. Tickets may be secured from Meses. Bill Cosby, J. W. Coppedge, Eddie Fox, Herb Curry or Robert Sexauer."



—Photo by Adrian Combs

MOBILE EMERGENCY FIRST AID UNITS — Highway Patrolmen Presley Thompson, left, and Don Collins, right, are pictured above after placing an emergency first aid decal on the left rear bumper of their patrol car. This is part of a statewide program in the Department of Public Safety to provide emergency first aid care for victims of highway traffic accidents. Each vehicle is operated by an employee holding a current advanced Red Cross first aid certificate, or higher and the vehicle is equipped with a least a 16-unit first aid kit.

School Count Shows Gain of 83 Students

The total number of children within the various school districts over the county is 1777, according to the recent census just completed.

This is a gain of 83 students over the 1694 counted in last year's census.

The county as a whole lost 46 white students and gained 129 colored. There are 1419 white this year as compared with 1465 at the same time a year ago. There are 358 colored whereas there were 229 last year.

Broken down by the various communities the figures are as follows:

Memphis—this year, 926, 690 white, 236 colored; last year, 822, 686 white, 136 colored; gain of 104, 4 white, 100 colored.

Lakeview—this year 297, 257 white, 40 colored; last year 283 white, 32 colored; loss of 18, loss of 26 white, gain of 8 colored.

Estelline—this year 219, 187 white, 32 colored; last year 236, 211 white, 25 colored; loss of 17, loss of 24 white, gain of 7 colored.

Turkey—this year 355, 285 white, 50 colored; last year 321, 285 white, 36 colored; gain of 14, same number white, gain of 14 colored.

Census enumerators for the various communities were as follows: Memphis, Miss Ira Hammond; Lakeview, Jess Whittington; Estelline, JoEd Cuppell; Turkey, Lewis Ferguson.

Agriculture Committee Of C. of C. Lays Plans

The new agriculture committee of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce and Hall County Board of Development held its first meeting of the year in the City Hall last week with Chairman V. C. Durrett, presiding.

Present for the meeting were M. C. Allen, Lynn McKown, Harold Hodges, Oren Jones, A. L. Gailey, Howard Finch, C. of C. President Dick Fowler and Manager Clifford Farmer.

Durrett opened the meeting by saying that he wanted everyone to take part in the discussions for it was to be a meeting in which plans would be made for the coming year and during which objectives would be planned which would benefit agriculture and the economy of Hall County and the surrounding area.

Gailey suggested that consideration be given to find cash crops which could be grown here. He related what a vegetable market man in Memphis recently had to say about sweet potatoes, known to grow well here. After discussion,

Durrett said that when additional information could be obtained on vegetable marketing it would be taken up in another meeting.

The cotton classing office project was discussed with Durrett outlining the work that had been done thus far. He told of a meeting held in Memphis when the 12 county district office was formed, followed by an official application for the office. This went to the Dallas division of the marketing department of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. The next

(Continued on Page Ten)

Methodist Church At Lakeview To Hold Dedication

Special dedication services will be held at the Methodist Church in Lakeview on Sunday evening, March 8 at 7 p. m., according to an announcement made this week by Rev. L. J. Helm, pastor.

Bishop Wm. C. Martin of Dallas will be the guest speaker. He is bishop of the Dallas-Fort Worth area.

The church building has been completely remodeled, inside and out, at a cost of approximately \$4,000, Rev. Helm said. Much of the labor was done by members of the congregation, thus making the cost considerably less than it would have been otherwise, he added.

A cordial invitation is extended the public to attend the dedication service.



BISHOP Wm. C. MARTIN

BOARD RE-ELECTS PRINCIPALS; CALLS SCHOOL ELECTION APRIL 4

Members of the Memphis School Board re-elected all of the principals to serve another year and called for the school election on April 4 in a meeting Monday night.

Principals re-elected included Clinton E. Voyles, high school; B. M. Thomson, Austin Elementary; Miss Ethel Hillhouse, Travis Elementary; and J. R. Whitfield, Morningside.

Supt. W. C. Davis was given a three-year contract at a previous meeting of the board.

L. H. Sims was appointed to fill the unexpired term of W. A. Leigton to the board. The group also called for a

Hall County grain growers received another slap in the face last week when Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Taft Benson announced that grain sorghum support prices would be 31 cent per hundred lower than last year.

Support for the 1958 crop was \$1.75 per cwt. for grain stored on the farm. The 1959 price will be \$1.44 per cwt. If the grain is put in storage the cost of storage is usually about 14 cents per cwt., which is subtracted from the amount the farmer receives.

Thus the net to farmers will be about \$1.30 this year as compared with \$1.61 last year, Lynn McKown, manager of the local Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation office, said.

The Agriculture Department also announced that the support price of cotton seed will be \$38 per ton this year as compared with \$45 per ton last year. The price available to farmers at the gin is usually about \$4.00 per ton less than the support price, thus the local farmers will probably receive about \$34 per ton for cotton seed this fall.

The 1959 support price on barley will be 77 cents as compared with 97 cents last year. This year oats will be supported at 50 cents as compared with 69 cents last year.

Local farmers explained that the support price on grain sorghums will be the most damaging to area economy since this is a major crop in this area.

Memphis FFA To Hold Meeting For Fathers Thurs.

The Memphis Chapter of the Future Farmers of America will observe National FFA Week, Feb. 21-28, with a program Thursday at the vocational agriculture building for fathers of the members, Hershel Potts, instructor of the group, said early this week.

The program, which begins at 7:30 p. m., will get underway with an opening ceremony by chapter officers. This will be followed by two film strips, the first on "How to Judge Livestock," and the second on "More Pigs per Litter," with Morris Crump and Robert (Continued on Page Ten)

Request Road From Hedley To McLean

Two Hedley men were in Austin last week to request the paving of a road from Hedley north to McLean.

Appearing before the State Highway Department were R. W. Scales and V. F. Wade, accompanied by E. L. Sitter of McLean.

They requested a road to run from State Highway 273 south of McLean to State Highway 203 at McKnight, east of Hedley.

The estimated cost of the project is \$965,000 including \$250,000 for a bridge across the Salt Fork of Red River.



—Photo by Adrian Combs

DISTRICT CHAMPS—Pictured above are the members of the Lakeview girls basketball team who recently won district and will compete in the bi-district Tuesday night, March 3, at Jayton. The game will get underway at 7:30 p. m. Coach L. M. Watson explained that the bi-district was to be played at either Jayton or Lakeview and Lakeview lost on the coin toss. The winner of the game will compete in the regional tournament beginning March 6 at Canyon. Members of the team are, left to right, front row, Betty Floyd, Betty Barclay, Patsy Lawrence, Ann Weaver, Linda Campbell, Winnie Neighbors, Virginia Barclay, Nancy Lindley; back row, Coach Watson, Nila Holt, mgr., Janie Ward, Lela Garrison, Minnie Rice, Carolyn Floyd, Nannie Hubbard, Joyce Ponder and Judy Pate, mgr.

Report From Washington

By WALTER ROGERS
Congressional District
Representative, 18th



An Injustice To The Grain Sorghum Producers

The farmers were, undoubtedly, dismayed last week when Secretary Benson announced support prices for the 1959 grain sorghum crop at \$1.52 cwt. He had previously announced a support price for corn at the price of \$1.12 per bushel.

I heartily disapprove of the action of the Secretary in these two matters. I feel that he has indulged in favoritism to the corn producers and has subjected the grain sorghum producers to rank discrimination. The support price for corn was fixed in the law to be 90 per cent of the preceding 3 year average price of corn received by farmers. Although it is openly admitted that grain sorghum has at least 95 per cent of the feed value of corn, the Secretary did not want the law to specify that grain sorghum supports should be 95 per cent of the price support of corn. It was argued that the Secretary would be fair and reasonable in fixing the price supports on grain sorghum on a basis in relation to the feed value of the two grains. Under the circumstances, the law contained the provision that the price supports on feed grains, including grain sorghums, would be fair and reasonable in relation to the support for corn, and listed as one of the major factors for consideration the feed value of grain sorghum in relation to corn. It was felt by the Congress that the Secretary would carry out his obligation to keep these two grains in relative relationship based upon feed value. However, the Secretary did not do this. He has indulged in favorit-

ism to the Midwest corn farmers and, I repeat, in rank discrimination against the grain sorghum producers of this country. Had he followed the intent of Congress and a fair and honest approach to the problem, the price support on grain sorghums would have been about \$1.83 cwt., which it was last year. The price support fixed by the Secretary will, in many instances, be below the cost of production.

This practice concerning agriculture in this country is going to cause future trouble. I have said it many times, and I repeat it—the people on the farms are being forced to move into the cities because they have been unfairly attacked by propaganda and government practices. Many of them are being forced to seek public welfare at tremendous expense to the American taxpayer, if this forced movement into the metropolitan areas is continued. The family farm that has been one of the main sinews of strength of the United States of America will be completely destroyed.

Obligational Authority

A fight is shaping up in the United States Congress on the issue of who should or should not have obligational authority insofar as congressional committees are concerned. There has been dissatisfaction with the manner in which the Appropriations Committees have held closed hearings in passing upon appropriations items. A number of years ago, a practice developed whereby other committees of Congress, in writing a bill, would include obligational authority to provide a source of funds to carry out the purpose of



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the bill. It is this practice that is under fire and constitutes the core of the issue. Many speeches will be made on the subject this year, and I am sure that much publicity will be given to the fight.

Number One Problem

Inflation continues to be the number one concern of most of the people writing to Members of Congress. I am happy to see that the people at the grassroots level are beginning to awaken to this insidious and dangerous trend that has been quietly cutting into the economy of this country. The voice of the people in a democracy is the much-needed force to bring about the necessary reforms.

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Woman's Society of Christian Service Entertains With Dinner Mon. Evening

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church was hostess to the Wesleyan Guild and visitors from Lubbock and Amarillo Monday evening in the Methodist Church annex where dinner was served to about 55 members and guests.

The serving table carried out the Eastern motif in its appointments. A flounced print cloth in shades of bright red, yellow and green was used. Golden roses in a apstone vase resting on a gold-enameled oval mirror between an-announced candelabra holding tall green candles made the center-piece.

Guests and members were seated at tables of four, centered with gold tapered and figurines many of which were hand-carved by refugees. Place mats and napkins of white, brown and orange continued the middle Eastern theme. On the mats were depicted ninety-nine names meaning the most high, The Ancient of Days. Serving trays were of copper.

The menu, like the appointments, was typically Eastern. This consisted of chicken Pakistan, saal-la la Smyra, Persian relishes, Syrian coffee-cake and fruit sauce, and rolls and Arabian coffee.

Mrs. Frank Foxhall, president of the WSCS, welcomed the Wesleyan Guild members and the guests of honor, Mrs. Marvin Boyd of Lubbock, wife of Rev. Marvin Boyd, district superintendent of the Lubbock district, and Mrs. E. D. Landreth, wife of Rev. E. D. Landreth of the Amarillo District.

Mrs. L. G. DeBerry, leader of the study unit on the Middle East, introduced Mrs. Boyd, who showed slides of pictures she and her husband made on a tour of the Middle East. She accompanied the pic-

tures with a carefully arranged pattern, informative and entertaining.

The finale of the evening's program was a play, "The Khanum and Her Treasures," played by six members of the church group. Mrs. R. S. Greene played the star role, the Khanum; Rev. David Binkley, Assad, her son; Fatima was played by Mrs. J. W. Coppedge; Pari by Mrs. David Binkley; Satareh by Mrs. Mildred Stephens and Too-tie by Mrs. John Fowler. This one act play closed the unit of study on the Middle East, a study the Wesleyan Guild is just beginning.

Another outstanding feature of the evening program was the presentation of a pin and certificate of Life membership in the WSCS to Mrs. Walter Jameson by her sister, Mrs. Ed Hutcherson. The presentation was made by Mrs. Mac Tarver with appropriate comments on the contribution made by both to the church and to the WSCS.

Fashion Turned By Many Things Throughout Years

Fashion is a fickle goddess whose head has been turned by everything from bunions and bets to politics and even the winds of change.

A London dress designer, for example, recently attributed the popularity of the sack dress to a reaction against the curves of Jayne Mansfield and Marilyn Monroe.

Queen Victoria reacted differently, however, when Albert cast admiring eyes on a Scottish peasant girl dressed in a red flannel petticoat.

According to the research department of World Book encyclopedia, the queen ordered a red flannel petticoat for herself, and began the fashion typical of her reign.

The French Revolution took the frills out of Parisian dress for a while, and substituted its own somber tone. The guillotine left its mark in the Titus coiffure, cut very close at the back with the front arranged in loose ringlets. A red necklace was worn, and sometimes a red shawl, to complete the effect.

Another hair style was initiated by accident, when the wind blew off the hat of the Duchess of Fontanges at a royal hunting party. The resourceful duchess tied up her hair with her ribbon garter. The next day, all the court ladies appeared with a headdress "a la Fontanges."

The wife of an Australian arch-



COOL LOOKING—Casual coordinates by White Stag come in tempting ice cream colors. The trim jacket and calf length pants are styled in washable Dan River cotton.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bowen of Lubbock visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Shockley. Visiting in the Shockley home Sunday was Tommy Pritchett of Lubbock, who was spending the weekend in Hedley.

duke introduced a new color by airing her dirty linen. Isabella had vowed not to change her linen until her armies had taken the town of Ostend. The seige lasted more than three years. And for more than a century after, fashionable men and women dressed in yellow-gray, dubbed "Isabella color".

During the Middle Ages, long-toed shoes denoted wealth and dignity. The style has been blamed on a Frenchman who reportedly invented it to hide the huge bunions on his feet.

About the year 1800, Lord Spencer set out to expose the capricious fashion world. He is said to have made a bet that he could launch a meaningless fashion that would become popular within six months. Whereupon he cut off his coat-tails with a pair of shears and went out for a walk.

In two weeks, all London had adopted the style, and the spencer jacket was born.



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Scout Troop Makes Plans for Girl Scout Week

Girl Scout Troop No. 6 met at 4 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 17, in the American Legion Hall.

The troop formed a horseshoe and gave the pledge of allegiance to the flag. They met in patrols for roll call and payment of dues. The court of honor met for discussion of likes and dislikes of the troop.

Mrs. Billy Thompson met with

the scouts and gave instructions for Girl Scouts and programs for the girls in March in observance of Girl Scout Week.

Scouts present were Louise Shawhart, Janie Hutcherson, Linda Eubanks, Shirley Watson, Lana Kay Waites, Suzanne Sexauer, Catherine Ivy, Carolyn Linville, Linda Snider, Mary Sue Scott, Lynn Foxhall, C. J. Goodnight, Trudy Cofer, Kay Lynn Martin, Dawn Yarbrough, Ginger Hancock and Sue Gidden.



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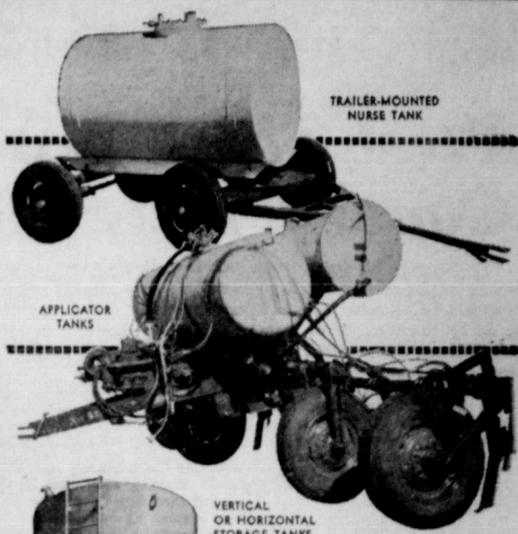
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Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Shankle visited in Lockney Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Carl Lee Jr. and family.

Phaeton Alexander and Marvin Alexander were Amarillo visitors Monday.

Mrs. Andy DeWees and Vern of Lubbock are visiting here this week with her mother, Mrs. Hester Bownds.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bridges spent the weekend in Abilene with his mother, Mrs. H. W. Bridges.



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Estelline Seniors Entertained With Valentine Party

The 1932 Culture Club of Estelline entertained the Estelline senior class and guests with a Valentine party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. JoEd Cupell Tuesday, Feb. 23.

A buffet supper was served on a beautifully arranged table featuring Valentine motifs. The center floral arrangement of red gerberas was on a red and white styrofoam heart base.

The menu included chicken sandwiches, pimento-cheese sandwiches, potato chips, olives, pickles, cherry pudding with whipped cream and iced tea. Valentine candy in red and white nut cups was at each place on the foursome tables.

Table games were enjoyed. Those attending were Gary Adams, Nelda Arnold, Linda Altman, Perry Murphy, Joe Corona, Gary Fox, Cathy Clifton, Jo Ann Cupell, Benny Davidson, Jo Beth Barnes, Linda Hayes, Ray Lambert, Pat Stevens, Boyd Pipes, Muream Ford, Gary Rogers and Mrs. E. F. Kennedy, sponsor. Mr. JoEd Cupell directed the games. The club committee was composed of Mrs. Ed Cupell, John Chaudoin, W. Davidson and Leon Phillips.

Carolyn Hoover To Be Initiated into WTSC Society

Carolyn Gail Hoover was initiated into Mary E. Hudspeth, honorary society for freshmen and sophomores at West Texas State College, Feb. 25.

To be eligible a student must have been on the Dean's honor roll one time and rank among the top five per cent in his class.

Miss Hoover, who is a freshman English major, is a member of the Freshman Council for the Baptist Student Union. She is a 1958 graduate of Estelline High School and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Hoover, Newlin.

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West Texas Band To Present Concert Here Monday Night

The Memphis High School Band will be sponsor of a concert to be presented here Monday night at 8 p. m. by the West Texas State College Band, Larry Sparks, band director, announced.

The program will be presented in the high school auditorium with admission 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for students. Money derived from the sale of tickets will be used to sponsor the various activities of the Memphis band throughout the year.

This is one of a series of concerts the Canyon group will present in 12 Panhandle cities while on tour. The 70-piece group is under the direction of Dr. Ted J. Cramer, head of the WT music department.

Included in the band's repertoire are such marches as "Paraphrase," "La Boheme," "Rolling Thunder March," and "March de Concert." Other selections from Dvorak, Mozart, and Bach are to be included with contemporary numbers as Bernstein's selections from the "Man With the Golden Arm" and Glenn Osser's "Beguine for Band" and "Beguine Festival." One Memphis student, Audrey

Beth Burnett, player of an alto saxophone, is a member of the band.

Woman's Council, Christian Church Meets Monday

The Woman's Council of the First Christian Church met at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Eva Odom with Mrs. Roy Coleman as co-hostess.

The meeting was opened with a song, "I Love to Tell the Story", followed by prayer by Mrs. Harry Aspgren.

Mrs. Ella Norman gave the devotional, "Why Television Evangelism." Mrs. Roy McClure read the scripture. Reports on Christian Television Missions by the Vernon brothers were given by Mrs. Faye Maddox and Mrs. Margaret Barton. Mrs. Charles Hamilton concluded the study with a message in song, "Lord Lay Some Soul Upon my Heart."

Sandwiches, potato chips, date cake topped with whipped cream and coffee were served to Mmes.

Walter Hicks, Margaret Barton, Tommie Kesterson, Charles Hamilton, Lena Milam, Peggy Williams, Clyde Milam, Della Pallmeyer, Dorothy Stargel, Ella Norman, Lena Stokes, J. A. Odom, Harry Aspgren, Lucile Randal, Faye Maddox, Roy McClure and daughter Nancy, and the hostesses, Mrs. Odom and Mrs. Coleman.

James B. Jones Dies; Brother of Mrs. Kate Byars

James Birkley Jones, 89, brother of Mrs. Kate Byars, died last Thursday at Edenburg where he had made his home for the past 12 years.

He was a retired employee of the Santa Fe railroad.

Funeral services were held Monday at Cleburne with burial in the San Flat cemetery near there.

Mrs. Byars was unable to attend the funeral. However, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Byars of Amarillo, J. B. Byars of Lakeview and Foy Young of Lakeview did attend the services.

Friendly Sewing Club Meets in Jones Home Tues.

The Friendly Sewing Club met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. A. B. Jones.

Mrs. Estelle Barber offered the opening prayer.

Mrs. Lula McMurry, president, presided over the business session. Members voted to make bandages for the local cancer unit.

Following the business session members embroidered for the hostess.

Apple pie a la mode and coffee was served by the hostess to Mmes. W. E. Beckham, Sam Alexander, J. B. Wrenn, L. G. Yarbrough, Lula McMurry, Estelle Barber, Ethel Moreman, Jim Webster, Ora Willingham and hostess, Mrs. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Fowler visited in Lubbock last week from Wednesday through Friday with their daughter, Mrs. W. B. Miller and family.

1913 Study Club Holds Meeting In Tarver Home

The 1913 Study Club met last Wednesday in the home of Mrs. M. G. Tarver with Mrs. O. L. Helm, presiding.

At the conclusion of the meeting the president placed special emphasis on the March 4 meeting, at which time the club will journey to Canyon to visit the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum. The group will eat lunch at the West Texas State College Cafeteria. All members were urged to make the trip.

Mrs. A. L. Gailey introduced the program for the afternoon, the subject being medical science.

Mrs. Clyde Milam introduced Dr. H. R. Stevenson, guest speaker who brought a very informative and interesting talk on "The Growing Roll of Hypnosis." The program was conducted with medical science topics by Mrs. Allen Dunbar and Mrs. Joe Montgomery.

During the social hour refreshments were served to the following members: Mmes. Bray Cook, L. G. DeBerry, W. C. Davis, Allen Dunbar, T. J. Dunbar, Leo Fields, Frank Foxhall, A. L. Gailey, R. S. Greene, T. M. Harrison, O. L. Helm, Hubert Jones, Clyde Milam, Joe Montgomery, Paul Montgomery, Mills Roberts, Carl Yang and Virginia Browder.

Mr. and Mrs. Holmes Posey took Mrs. Albert Gerlach to Fort Worth last Sunday to accompany friends on to Port Isabel for a visit with her sister.

Travis Executive Committee, PTA Meets Tuesday

The Executive committee of the Travis Parent-Teacher Association met Tuesday morning at 9:30 in the cafeteria to make plans for Health and Safety posters and for Public School Week which is March 2 through 6.

Plans were also made for compiling material for the publicity procedure book.

Those taking part in the discussion were the president Mrs. Brode

Hoover, and Mmes. Lee Brown, D. H. Aronofsky, Lowell Houston, Gerald Hickey, Hubert Jones, Gordon Maddox and Miss Ethel Hillhouse.

Mrs. M. G. Tarver, Mrs. T. J. Dunbar and Mrs. L. W. Stanford were in Lubbock over the weekend. Mrs. Tarver attended a Methodist conference finance committee meeting, Mrs. Stanford visited her sister, Mrs. Ed Kennedy, and Mrs. Dunbar was a guest in the home of Mrs. W. H. Ballew. She remained for several days visit.

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AD HATTERS ALL—Shown above are the four winners in the "Mad Hatter" contest sponsored Thursday evening by the Business and Professional Women's Club. From left to right, Bill Leslie is shown wearing the hat that won the men's division. His creation lends a humorous twist to the historic William Tell story. Mrs. Jack Rose was winner in the Space-Age division with her "flying-saucer" creation. The hat was made of aluminum foil trimmed with styrofoam balls which were attached. Mrs. Clifton Burnett won the comical division. Her hat signified a walking clothes line with the wash out to dry. The unique division, Myrtle Howard was winner. Her hat was a tan straw creation covered with sundry items from the grocery store, featuring everything from the toothbrush to Carter's Little Liver pills.

Prompt Attention Can Save Injured Teeth

This is the fourth in a series of articles published by the Memphis Democrat in cooperation with the Middle District Dental Society in observance of National Children's Dental Health Week, Feb. 14 and the centennial of the American Dental Association. Recent developments in dentistry affecting children are discussed. Prompt attention by a dentist often save a child's tooth which has been broken or pushed out of place in an accident. Sometimes a tooth that has been loosened from its socket can be saved. The rate of accidents has risen, dentists have devised ways for treating the increasing number of children's teeth being traumatically injured. The success of various treatments often depends upon how soon after the accident they are begun. Sometimes a first or primary tooth may be completely pushed out of the gum as the result of an accident. If the roots are not injured, the tooth usually will re-erect in its correct position. Whether a tooth is a primary or permanent one, it is important that it be restored if at all possible. If a primary tooth is lost prematurely, the permanent tooth may erupt out of position or become impacted and fail to erupt at all. To prevent these difficulties, a dentist may suggest that a space maintainer be inserted. Loss of a permanent tooth can cause psychological damage as well as further dental harm. This is true whether the tooth was lost accidentally or had to be extracted because of neglected decay. A missing tooth is disfiguring, especially when it is one of the upper front teeth, the teeth most often injured in accidents. Such disfigurement may be a source of emotional disturbances, particularly in sensitive teenagers. When one tooth is missing, the other teeth tend to drift into the space that has been left. This may result in poor tooth alignment, difficulty in chewing, more decay than would be normal for that person, and an irritation of the gums which may lead to gum disease. If a natural tooth can't be saved—and sometimes it can't be—it should be replaced with an artificial tooth.

Sheriff Warns Residents of Peddling Gang

Sheriff W. P. Baten Jr. warned area residents this week that the "Terrible Williamsons" may be headed this way again. They are the unwanted "merchants" who knock at your door and: 1. Solicit quick paint spray jobs, done with paint that washes off with the first rain. 2. Try to sell you at bargain prices "Oriental" rugs from New York's Seventh Ave., "antique Irish" lace that never saw Ireland, or "British woolens" containing mostly acetate or rayon; or rabbit skins and dyed to resemble baby seal. 3. Lightning rods that "automatically" drops your insurance rate 50 per cent. 4. Pave your driveway with used motor oil. And a host of other such things. In January of 1958 three members of the clan were here in Memphis selling "woolens," and they may come back again. Of Scottish origin, the Williamsons are among the craftiest professional swindlers in the country, the sheriff said. Marriage among first cousins of the clan are common. And though

the great majority of them are Williamsons, there are innumerable names such as Stewart, McMillan, McDonald, Riley, Gregg and Johnston. An article in the Sunday addition of the Fort Worth Press stated that the clan is believed to be operating in Fort Worth again. The Better Business Bureau there received a letter from Dayton, Ohio warning them that the group planned to be there. Purportedly from a "reformed" member of the clan, it says the gang is paying no taxes on "over \$15 million it made in Texas in the past year." Ironically, similar letters have been received by Better Business Bureaus all over the country since 1938 tipping authorities off on the gang's operation in those areas. The letters are frequently right, the Fort Worth Paper stated. The Williamsons travel in expensive cars, most of them fitted with nickel-plated trailer hitchers. They own race horses, pedigreed dogs and gilt-edged securities. When caught and prosecuted, they obtain the sharpest legal brains available. They can furnish bonds in large amounts. And they frequently jump bail rather than submit to courtroom examination. Money lost in forfeited bonds they figure as normal operating expense. Anyone contacted by this group is urged to contact city or county officers.

Memphis Seniors To Give Annual Play March 6

The senior class of Memphis High School will present their annual play Friday, March 6 at 7:30 p. m. in the school auditorium. The play, a three-act comedy, was written by William Davidson and is titled "A Little Honey." Members of the cast are Johnnie McWhorter, Jimmy Bownds, Ouida Massey, Lynn Foxhall, Linda Collins, Neal Foxhall, Morris Crump, Joyce Hull, Teddie Trulove, Patsy Kennon, Virginia Chappell and Tommy Brewer. Carolyn Kay Ferrel will be in charge of the reserved seats. Student director is Lois Clark and Roger Crooks is stage manager.

Cub Scouts, Den 6 Enjoy Skating at Memphis Rink Sat.

Cub Scouts, Den 6, enjoyed a skating party at the local Skating Rink on Saturday afternoon. Cub Scouts attending were Jerry Don Duger, Paul J. Smith, Ernie Lee Spruill, Jimmy Lewis Freeman, Jimmy Grice, Gary Lee Duger, and one guest, Mike Leslie. Den Mother is Mrs. W. L. Duger and assistant den mother is Mrs. Paul Smith. The famed swallows of southern California's mission of San Juan Capistrano are cliff swallows. The first newspaper ever printed on a train was issued by Thomas A. Edison when he was between twelve and thirteen years old.

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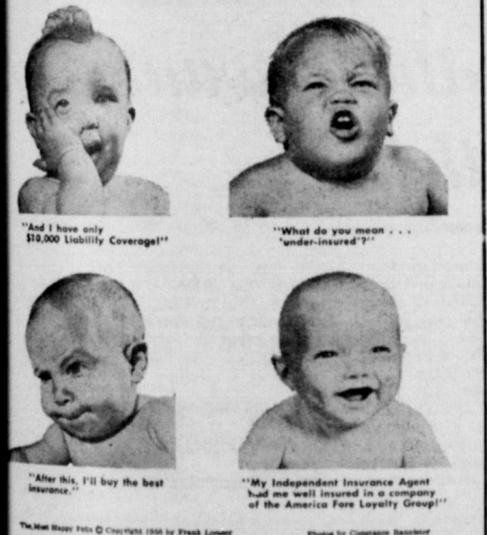
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Editorial

County Gives Financial Report

In the last week's issue of The Democrat was the complete financial report of Hall County. This report, called "Statement of Receipts and Disbursements of All Funds of Hall County for the Year 1958," should be read by each taxpayer and citizen. It shows the full picture of our county's finances as far as what was paid out and what came in is concerned.

Members of the Commissioners Court should be commended upon publishing this report each year. County taxpayers deserve to have this information placed before them in a convenient form. As has been said many times, "the people deserve to know where their money goes."

More and more public officials are coming to recognize the basic fact that good government depends upon conscientious handling of tax monies, and the full reporting of it to the voters. Although laws requiring publication of certain financial statements by different governing bodies have been on the statute books of the State of Texas for many years, most officials completely ignored them. The reason was simple as any lawyer can tell you. Although the law was enacted, it carried no penalty.

In recent year, some "teeth" have been added to the Laws of Texas. This is causing more compliance with statutory provisions. In 1949 a general Act was passed by the 51st Legislature, which provides for punishment of those public officials who fail, refuse, or neglect to publish legal notices of financial statements required by law. This is known as the "Mandatory Publication Act," and places responsibility for its enforcement upon the district or county attorney.

In October, 1958, Attorney General Will Wilson, in Opinion No. WW-514, answered the question of a county attorney of Refugio County. In a recent issue of The Texas Tax Journal appeared an article about this. Under the heading, "County Finance Reports Ordered," the article follows:

"County Commissioners Courts must inspect the county treasurer's books quarterly and publish the results four times a year in a newspaper. Attorney General Will Wilson said recently.

"Non-compliance with a new law punishable by fines of \$25 to \$500. Wilson told Refugio County Attorney Gerald T. Bissett in an official opinion.

"Wilson said it was necessary that the commissioners court determine the amount received and paid out of each county fund since the previous report.

"It is mandatory, the opinion said, that the order of the commissioners court approving the county treasurer's report recite separately the amount received and paid out of each fund since the preceding report and the balance of such fund, if any."

"Affidavits of compliance by the county judge and each commissioner must be made, filed with the county clerk and published in a newspaper in the county."

Portugal's 1958 Wheat Crop Nears Record

Portugal's 1958 wheat production is now estimated at 27.4 million bushels, a better outturn than was expected earlier in the season. The 1958 crop is 7 per cent under the record crop of 29.4 million bushels in 1957. Acreage was about the same in the two years, indicating a poorer per acre yield in 1958.

Since the support price for wheat is fixed at about 50 per cent above the world price, a wheat crop of the size harvested means relative prosperity for Portugal's farmers again this year. Production of feed grains other than corn was also large, but the corn crop was below the 10-year average.

—Foreign Crops and Markets

HALF-PAST TEEN



We have a couple of matters particularly in mind. First, there are our ignorant Eastern countrymen who haw-haw about the Southern word "youall". Here is a word with a purpose, intelligibility and a pleasant sound to it. Yet there isn't a fish-peddler in Brooklyn, nay nor a smudgepot lighter in California who doesn't laugh about it. The English language has been simplifying for years, dropping grammatical gender for what we like to consider "natural gender," paring away inflections until there are darn few left. In the case of "you," however, the acids seem to have destroyed too much. There is no longer any distinction between singular and plural, between you—Charlie and you—Charlie & Mary, etc. During early Modern English times, the "thou" forms supplied one person pronouns. Like trier-tops and nickle hamburger, they have passed from the scene. We Southerners have come to

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While things like this give publications like the Ladies Home Journal even more ammunition to prove that this is a woman's world instead of a man's world, we suppose there is no use arguing with the facts.

The Health Insurance Institute says while married men enter the hospital more frequently than bachelors, their length of stay is decidedly shorter. This indicates that the ever loving wife hustles her spouse off to the hospital while his medical needs are still comparatively minor.

But by the time the men reach 65 and over, bachelors not only have longer stays, they also are admitted to the hospital at a more frequent rate.

This study does not mention the horrible wear and tear on a bachelor's stomach by eating out all of the time, even worse, eating his own cooking.

There is another angle of the family man. Dad usually has to keep working to pay the bills—probably a healthy thing for him to do—while mother and the kids have the luxury of being sick.

If the Health Insurance Institute's figures are correct, then they prove the old adage: It isn't being with women that hurts, it's chasing after them that's enough to kill a man.

—Ochiltree County Herald

Our Language

Alexander Pope's famous line about a little knowledge being a dangerous thing is never truer than in the matter of the American language. Lots of persons who can hardly speak it set up shop as experts.

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We Southerners have come to

represent an attempt to hide behind skirts of the remainder of the newspaper staff. It is simply a continuance of a long tradition of speaking formally in the plural.

As noted above, the second person singular in the language was once "thou" while the second plural was "you." Well, folks go so formal that the "thous" were dropped.

We're now waiting to see if our colleagues will return to the thee-thou-thine forms.

—Crosbyton Review

The Court of Appeals . . . splits a fine hair

Ben McLaren, Wichita County, was convicted of driving while intoxicated. The complaint form has the words, figures and blanks like this: ". . . on or about the . . . day of . . . A.D., 19 . . ."

The typist got it down correctly, on or about the 11th day of October, but when he got to the point where he was to fill in a blank to make it read "1957," he typed the "57" on top of the "19." And our Court of Criminal Appeals solemnly holds the year of A.D. 57 to be unreasonable and impossible date

Memories Turning Back Time From The Democrat Files

30 YEARS AGO
January 29, 1929
Winners of the beauty contest held at Memphis high school were announced last week. Frances Denny was declared "prettiest girl"; Raymond Evans as "most handsome boy"; Eloise Cooper as "best all-around girl"; Emmett Lee Walker as the "best all-around boy" . . . Wanted: To buy mules in Memphis Monday. From 4 to 10 years old. All sizes; must be fast and broke . . . Wampus Baby Stars of 1929, chosen by movie critics as being the most like of all young movie actresses to achieve stardom are as follows: Josephine Dunn, Ethylene Clair, Caryl Lincoln, Mona Rico, Doris Dawson, Helen Foster, Loretta Young, Jean Arthur, Betty Boyd, Anita Paige, Helen Twelvetrees and Sally Blane . . . Ches Davis and his Vaudeville Revue opened a two nights stay at the Gem Theatre last night, with a fast-moving, kill-care company that kept the audience tickled pink until the final curtain was rung down . . . Hear the new Auto-phone, mechanical musical instrument, at Rube's Coffee Shop . . . Correspondents neglected to mention that the betrothal of Helen Wills, and young Moody of San Francisco, was a love match.

20 YEARS AGO
March 10, 1939
Memphis teachers present at the organization of the Gamma Kappa chapter at Childress Saturday included Tops Gilreath, honorary member; Edna Bryan, vice presi-

dent; Esta McElrath, president; Mary Foreman, Carrie Bella and Mrs. Norma Hunt . . . Gilmore was elected area treasurer of the Future Homemakers of Texas at a meeting held Saturday in Pampa . . . Organized blacksmith shop with the anvil serving as its pulpit. First Baptist Church, which is celebrating the 49th anniversary of its founding Sunday morning, look back with pride to nearly a century of progress . . . Chapel News: A large crowd attended the singing Sunday morning. Among the visitors from other communities present were Jesse Lambert of Fort Worth, Anita Williams of Strong City, Okla., Moody Kennedy of Lelia Lake, several others from Clarendon. Honoring her daughter, Tom Ruth, Mrs. T. M. Poits entertained Wednesday with a lovely day dinner at the Potts home. Guests were Misses Ouida Martha Thompson, Bobby June Power, Jayce Reed, and Tye Dem Ward and the home Tommie Ruth Potts . . . New of the world's Catholics, Pope XII, the former Eugenio Cardinal Pacelli, was elected at a conclave of cardinals in the city at Rome last week to succeed the late Pope Pius XI. Seniors on the honor roll Charlotte Coursey, Anna Davenport, Marion Ruth, Mary Isabelle Hanvey, Mary Lindsey, Katie Posey, Doree Reed, Evan Roberts, Thelma Sanders, Doris Jo Vallance and Red Baker.

10 YEARS AGO
March 3, 1948
Members of the 1948 class of Memphis high school celebrating this weekend and wing their annual trip by bus to Austin to see the State champions play in the State first game, they will play the first game of the Madisonville-Gallatin game tonight . . . Directors of newly formed Memphis baseball club at a meeting Monday decided to make application immediately for a state charter incorporate. President J. J. Daniel reported that under the proposed organization, 100 shares stock will be sold to 100 fans members.

Week-ends are the most busy time to be on U. S. highways. In 1956, more than 56 per cent of all fatalities occurred on Friday Saturdays and Sundays.

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Estelline Methodist Church Is Scene For Banquet Honoring Estelline Seniors

The Estelline Methodist Church retained the 1959 senior class Estelline high school and the people of the church with banquet served in the basement church on Wednesday evening, Feb. 11.

by Rev. and Mrs. Rucker, Richburg, W. B. Davidson, Noel Clifton, Joe Eddins and R. V. Wood. The decorating was done

New Officers Named For Girl Scout Troop No. 7

Girl Scout Troop No. 7 met in the home of Mrs. C. T. Snowdon at 4 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 17.

The meeting opened with the Flag ceremony which was followed by roll call and payment of dues. Minutes of the last meeting were read by Anita Snowdon, secretary.

"Thinking Day" will be observed by sending of friendship greetings to out-of-town troops. Since February is International Month, special thought was given to the things which are of importance to all people, such as good will, peace and health.

Second class rank requirements in the Music and Agriculture fields furnished plenty of activity during project time.

New officers were elected as follows: Frances Cawfield, scribe; Shyrel Wheeler, treasurer; Regina Hoover, flag bearer; Gaylynn Jeffers, color sgt.; Anita Snowdon and Charlotte Jones, color guards; Carol Voyles, Pixie patrol leader; Amy Hillhouse, assistant leader; Elmonette Branigan, Caballera patrol leader and Laurel Pounds, assistant leader.

Scouts present were Elmonette Branigan, Frances Cawfield, Bonnie Eubanks, Ginger Greene, Sandra Guthrie, Amy Hillhouse, Regina Hoover, Goylynn Jeffers, Charlotte Jones, Susan McQueen, Laurel Pounds, Sandra Shackelford, Anita Snowdon, Shyrel Wheeler, Carol Voyles and Mrs. C. T. Snowdon, leader.

Mrs. Claude Hickey spent the weekend in Amarillo with her son, Bill Hickey and family.

Misses Shirley and Willie Mae Ward visited in Wichita Falls Saturday.



PARTY GOER—The trapeze look is for children, too. Rose-printed cotton satin is used in this holiday party frock designed by Joseph Love. A self bow accents the high yoke.

CARD OF THANKS

To all the many kind and thoughtful friends who have been so helpful to us at the tragic loss of our dear mother and grandmother, we express our most sincere and heartfelt thanks.

Words are not adequate to state our full appreciation. Such spontaneous acts of generous spirit can only be manifestations of God's love. May He be kind to you in your every hour of need.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Wright
Mr. and Mrs. Joe. B. Morrow
and family
Mr. and Mrs. Billy P. Nevines

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Roberts and Denny of Abilene visited here over the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Roberts and Mrs. Ora Denny.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hightower returned from Waco Saturday where they visited their daughter H. T. Lilly and family and little Jane, born Feb. 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Goodpasture visited in Lubbock Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Dempsey Archer and family.

Since the commissioning of the Navy's Hurricane Hunters in 1946, the squadron has flown into 70 hurricanes involving winds over 75 miles per hour.

Local Churches Observe 'World Day Of Prayer' Friday

Members of various churches in the city met in the sanctuary of the Methodist Church at 7 p.m. Feb. 13 to observe "World Day of Prayer".

Committee members arranging the service were Mmes. Bill Cosby, Frank Foxhall and Lee Brown.

The service was composed by a committee of nine Egyptian women of the Coptic Orthodox, Anglican, Evangelical churches and the Y. W. C. A. from African Christian colleges.

The service consisted of a call to worship by the leaders followed by response from the congregation in affirmation of faith and prayers. Appropriate scripture passages were also read by the leaders and responded to by the choir composed of members from all churches taking part.

Six parts made up the service: call to worship, act of penitence, act of assurance, act of thanksgiving, intercession and consecration.

In connection with the history and world-wide observance of World Day of Prayer, Mrs. Brode Hoover reviewed briefly religious

activities in the Western world.

Virginia Browder discussed briefly low income farming communities and agricultural migrants. Overseas educational programs were briefly reviewed by Mrs. E. Davenport, and Mrs. A. O. Gidden gave a short discussion on Christian Home and Family Life in all spheres of religious activity.

The service was concluded with a vocal solo, "The Living God", by Mrs. Gladys Power and a prayer

of consecration and benediction by Mrs. Ed Hutcherson.

Under the tracks of American railroads are more than a billion cross ties—enough to circle the earth with a boardwalk 50 feet wide.

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It is a curious fact that both the author and the date of the famous railroad song, "I've Been Working on the Railroad," are unknown.

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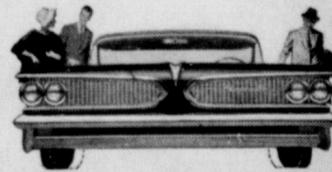
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Ladies Head Scarves 30 x 30, 69c Value 2 for \$1.00	Ladies Terry Cloth Scuffs Regular 98c Value Special only 88c
Large Cannon Towels 25 x 46 2 for 97c	Face Towels 15 x 26 4 for \$1.00
Ladies Half Slips Asst. colors, extra sizes Only \$1.00	Ladies Nylon Hose First quality, 51 ga., 15 dn. New spring shades, special 2 pair for \$1.00
Excellent Quality Sport Shirts Regular \$1.49 Value Special \$1.00	New Spring Blouses Asst. styles, colors and sizes Special \$1.00
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Vehicles Must Be Inspected By April 15

Residents of Hall County were reminded today that the 1959 deadline for having their motor vehicles inspected is midnight, April 15.

Captain Alan Johnson, Motor Vehicle Inspection Service, Texas Department of Public Safety, stated today there are 4,012 motor vehicles registered in Hall County; of these 23 per cent have been inspected.

Drivers are urged to have their vehicles inspected early to avoid a last minute rush. This time of the year is noted for adverse weather conditions which may be predominant during the next two and one-half months. As a result the num-

ber of inspection days will be cut down since stations cannot inspect vehicles under these adverse conditions.

"Passenger cars are inspected for brakes, lights, reflectors, horn and windshield wipers; while commercial vehicles are inspected for the above plus additional items required by law," Johnson said. "In 1958 approximately five out of every one hundred accidents were caused by a mechanical defect; therefore, owners are urged to have their vehicles inspected as soon as possible."

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Welch and Susan and Carolyn of Fort Worth arrived here Friday for a visit with Mrs. Welch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Combs and brother, Adrian Combs and family. Mr. Welch returned home Sunday while Mrs. Welch and girls remained for the week.



CASUAL — Cotton drawing-string blouse, trimmed with shiny brass buttons, has a "knot look." The blouse by Mac Shore comes in hot pink and green stripes.

Katherine Wright To Participate Society Initiation

Katherine Wright, Memphis senior, will be among students participating in initiation ceremonies in Alpha Chi, honorary society for juniors and seniors at West Texas State College.

Approximately 50 students, representing the upper ten per cent of the junior and senior classes will be given recognition and awarded "shingles", or certificates of membership.

Miss Wright, a new member of Alpha Chi, is an elementary education major. A 1955 graduate of Memphis high school, Miss Wright is the daughter of Mrs. Lucille Wright of Memphis.

She is also a member of Student Education Association, a future teachers' organization for college students.

Mrs. Ruby Leggett of Ralls visited here over the weekend with relatives and friends. A former employee of the local telephone company, Mrs. Leggett is chief operator in Ralls.

Pfc. Randall Brice, who is stationed at Ft. Sill, Okla., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Stephens at Brice and in Turkey with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Brice.



SENATOR ☆☆☆ Yarborough's Report

When Communist jet fighter pilots pressed their trigger buttons and mercilessly shot down an unarmed U.S. Air Force plane and its 17-man crew recently, they involved the entire world in a controversy. And they involved 17 families—two of them from Texas—in the deepest of all tragedies.

Our airmen have paid the price of thousands of our heroes and we have paid them honor and respect. But I feel we must go much further than this. Aside from praise, let's see what concrete actions a grateful government and people can take. Right now, all the families of these men will receive, other than this country's condolences and gratitude, is a small Social Security allotment and a little money to pay for the flier's burial. I think this nation can and should do much more.

I'm thinking particularly now of their children. To help all the children who find themselves without a father because he is killed while being required to serve in our armed forces, I have introduced a bill to help them with their education through special allowances up to \$6 months.

Before January 31, 1955, if a soldier died in service or from a

disability he acquired in the service, his children were entitled to be helped to complete their education. My bill would extend those provisions through June 30, 1963. I think this help for the children is the very least a grateful nation can do for the families of men who die in the armed forces, protecting the peace and keeping themselves prepared to defend us in armed conflict if the need should arise.

Brownie Troop No. 5 Elects New Officers

Brownie Troop No. 5 met in regular weekly session February 10 at the Methodist Church annex.

New officers were elected and included the following: Susan Sturdevant, president; Patti Lynn Saied, secretary; and Carolyn Sue Hutcherson, reporter and treasurer.

During the meeting the scouts worked on miser bags which they will carry on hikes.

Scouts present were Carol Greene, Pattie Lynn Saied, Judy Milton, Harriet Watts, Judy Burleson, Susan Sturdevant, Carolyn Sue Hutcherson and Jane Hoover.

Tax Man — SAM SEZ

How to determine the number of income tax exemptions you get shouldn't be too much of a problem for most taxpayers. However, more people get tangled up with the Internal Revenue Service in an audit of their tax return over dependents than any other item. The law is liberal on allowing exemptions for children attending schools although they may have earned enough income to file a return on their own. The taxpayer must make sure that each dependent meets the requirements spelled

led out in the tax instructions. You pay to carefully study your instructions on dependents. You may find you are entitled to more extra \$600 exemptions by reading these instructions. On the other hand you may find that you are not entitled to an exemption and save yourself an audit by Internal Revenue.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lindsey had as weekend guests their daughter, Mrs. B. B. Lindsey, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lindsey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Lindsey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey and sons of Dallas. The Bobby Lindseys also visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Stilwell.

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Memphis Production Credit Assn. To Observe Silver Anniversary

The Memphis Production Credit Association will celebrate their silver anniversary at the annual meeting of stockholders scheduled for March 6, James Van Pelt, manager of the organization, announced this week.

The meeting will be held in the community building at Wellington.

Van Pelt explained that the meeting had been held in Childress for the past several years, and was being held in Wellington this year because there was no building here large enough to accommodate the group.

"We would like to hold the meeting here, at least part of the time, if adequate facilities were available," he said.

Between 400 and 500 persons are expected to attend.

The Memphis Production Credit Association was organized in 1934 with the first stock being sold on March 11 of that year. The original authorized capital was \$320,000 and since that time the organization has retired all of the government investment in the association.

The organization now has a member-owned capital and surplus of over \$400,000. The total assets of the organization were listed as

\$915,795.89 in the statement of condition as of Dec. 31, 1958.

When the association was first organized in 1934 the first stockholders were T. M. McMurry of Memphis, J. L. Darby of Estelline, W. H. Youngblood of Brice, C. E. Fletcher of Childress, C. W. Alveerson of Childress, Andy Bell of Wellington, A. O. Sweatt of Wellington, J. T. Sims of Clarendon and J. D. Swift of Clarendon.

Present officers and directors of the organization are J. C. Emmert, president; John E. Glover, vice president; L. M. Bartlett, director; W. C. McClendon, director; W. W. George, director; Joyce Webster, assistant secretary-treasurer; Beatrice Baker, assistant treasurer.

Mrs. Sybil Rasco

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brothers, R. F. Hartsell and C. C. Hartsell.

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

Mrs. Rasco was born Dec. 24, 1907, in Montague County, Tex. She had resided in Wichita Falls for the past 10 years.

She was a member of the Church of Christ.

One son preceded her in death.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. June White of Wichita Falls, one grandson, Michael Vaughn White of Wichita Falls; three brothers, R. F. Hartsell of Memphis, J. J. Hartsell of Plainview and C. C. Hartsell of Memphis; three sisters, Mrs. R. M. Bowling and Mrs. E. B. Jackson of Borger and Mrs. C. Hansard of Memphis.

Pall bearers were E. H. Saunders, O. C. Stilwell, L. C. Paris, Bill Kilpatrick, Robert Grisham and Carl Fulton.



FRANK SMITH JR.

Frank Smith Jr. Will Move To Borger Soon

Frank Smith Jr. will leave Memphis next week to become general agent for the American National Insurance Co. in Borger.

Smith, his wife and family, have made their home here for the past six years while he was employed as a mail carrier.

He graduated from Memphis High School in 1945 and from East Texas State College in 1951. He taught school two years before coming to Memphis.

He will be in charge of the northern and eastern part of the Panhandle for the insurance company. For the past three years he has been serving as their agent here.

Miss Lou Currie of Cleburne is visiting this week with her aunt, Mrs. Kate Byars.

Ag Committee

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step was a survey of farmers being conducted by the county agents in each county. The reports of this survey so far have been overwhelmingly in favor of the office in this area, he said. The committee went on record to assist in any way it could in the future activities connected with the project.

Oren Jones discussed work that had been done in organizing the watershed district in the west part of Hall and Donley Counties. It will be a valuable water and soil conservation program when completed, he said.

There followed a discussion of returning cotton burs to the land. Several truck owners are considering equipping trucks with spreaders that can be used to haul burs from the gins direct to the fields and spread as they unload. It was agreed that this should be encouraged. Fowler said that soil conservation was a matter of importance to everyone connected directly or indirectly with agriculture.

Three other projects were considered: a custom feedlot, a custom feed mill, and a commercial feed manufacturing plant. It was pointed out that many farmers take the grain they grow to other towns to have it ground and mixed with protein supplements, then haul it back to their farms to feed to their livestock.

The importance of custom feedlots in other areas was outlined by several who have visited such operations. About six new ones are planned in the High Plains area this year. Such a setup in Memphis would furnish a good market for the feed farmers grow and would enable stockmen to have their animals fattened for market.

The commercial feed manufacturing project will be recommended as an item for further work by the Industrial Committee.

N. A. Payne

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view Methodist Church.

His mother preceded him in death Dec. 12, 1925. One sister and one brother also preceded him in death.

Survivors are his father, W. J. Payne of Lakeview, seven brothers, Ervin, Troy and Russell Payne, all of Lakeview, George Payne of Memphis, Joe and Royce Payne of Reno, Nev., and Alvin Payne of Tulsa; three sisters, Mrs. Sam Moore and Mrs. Sam Armstrong of Frost and Mrs. W. M. Gowdy Sr. of Lakeview.

Pall bearers were Oscar Jennings, Joe Durham, C. B. Craighead, Perry Campbell, J. B. Duran and Glen Verden.

Memphis F. F. A.

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Gardner in charge of the showing.

Dwain Ellerd will then give a talk on the Hall County Commercial Calf Program. Gayle Gilreath and Jerry Smith will speak on cotton stapling and grading.

This will be followed by a discussion of culling of hens by Don Gailey and Robert Moss. Ringing and castration of swine will be discussed by Bunky Adcock and Don Spicer.

Bill Whitten, Glenn Callahan

and Tommy Brewer will present the various methods of insect vaccines. Dick Morgan, Moore and Kenneth Jones will discuss castration of calves with dizzo and James Barnett will speak on hormone injections in steers. Dehorning will be the subject of a talk by Donald Wain and Clifford Edwards.

Rainbow trout introduced from New Zealand rivers from Australia to such size that they do not fit into a creel.

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9.00-14	44.85	27.00	54.85	32.88	44.85	27.00
9.50-14	49.50	29.50	60.00	35.88	49.50	29.50
10.00-14	54.25	32.00	65.50	38.88	54.25	32.00
10.50-14	59.00	34.50	71.00	41.88	59.00	34.50
11.00-14	63.75	37.00	76.50	44.88	63.75	37.00
11.50-14	68.50	39.50	82.00	47.88	68.50	39.50
12.00-14	73.25	42.00	87.50	50.88	73.25	42.00

ASK ABOUT OUR LIFETIME GUARANTEE & DEALER SERVICE WARRANTY

MEMPHIS TIRE & SUPPLY J. M. Ferrel, Jr. 516 Noel Phone 65



YOUR GUIDEPOST TO Food Economy

Mellorine Gold Bar, 1/2 Gallon 39¢

MILK Homogenized, (Swisher County Dairy) No Deposit—1 Gal. jug 78¢

BREAD Regular Round Top White—Mead's or Mrs. Baird's Small 18¢ Large 24¢

Raider Brand SPINACH 303 size cans 2 for 25¢ Kounty Kist PEAS 303 size cans 2 for 29¢ Allen's CORN 303 size cans 2 for 29¢

OLEO -- 2 lbs. for 35¢

BISCUITS - 3 cans . . . 29¢

SUGAR—10 lbs. 99¢ CRISCO—3 lbs. 79¢

PurAnow FLOUR 25 lbs. 1.95 White Swan COFFEE 1 lb. can . . . 69¢ Wolf Brand CHILI No. 2 can . . . 69¢

-QUALITY MEATS-

Pork Chops Per lb. 59¢ Picnic Hams Per lb. 39¢

SWINDELL Sausage 2 lb. sack 1.15 GRADE "A" Bacon 2 lbs. for 1.18

Pork Roast Per lb. 39¢ Bologna Per lb. 39¢

Goodnight Grocery

1419 West Noel Street—On Lakeview Highway

The Bloomin' News

I promised last week that I would be back from Oklahoma this week with some items for the yard but haven't made the trip yet. Anyway, we will have plenty of small plants for the yard and garden before too much longer. We planted our first batch of tomato seed today (Monday) and these should be nice plants by soon after Easter.

The other promise I made last week about my idea of home progress and improvement that could be made in Memphis has to do with garbage and trash collection. I believe that for about \$1.50 per month per family in Memphis, we could have garbage and trash collected in the residential area twice a week (instead of the present once a month) and in the business area every day. Along with this, we should have covered garbage containers — eliminating one of the major sources of flies and other insects — and ABSOLUTELY NO, I repeat, ABSOLUTELY NO burning of trash in the City limits (or do you relish the aroma of burning chicken feathers, tin can label glue, melon rinds, rags, etc., etc. floating in your bedroom window on a warm summer night). This would eliminate one of the major fire hazards in our town. At least three of the fire calls in the last weeks were the result of trash burning.

Last year (1958) we received 878 floral orders from members of our Florists' Telegraph Delivery Association (in addition to about 100 from what we call non-member florists) but we only sent 498 orders. In the language of commerce, this is an unfavorable trade balance for us. You can help to correct this balance by sending more flowers more often to friends, loved ones and even business acquaintances in other localities. The results for you will be pleasing and especially pleasing for the recipient and remember, we GUARANTEE satisfactory value and service on every order we send. The three or four, I don't remember which, complaints out of the above 1,376 wire orders handled have been completely reconciled to the satisfaction of the customer who bought the flowers.

The Easter lily crop continues to look wonderful and we appreciate so many of you coming by and helping us watch them grow. We have been selling a few lily blooms in the last few days but wouldn't kid you into believing they were home grown. We shipped them from Colorado. In about three more weeks though, ours should start to bloom.

Visit your public schools often and ESPECIALLY during Public School Week next month. Most of the best public schools are in communities where the public is interested and well-informed about their schools.

I've never heard of any ill-will or harsh feelings resulting from the sending of flowers on any occasion.

Lesties

AMARILLO 3:37 A. M., 9:45 A. M., 3:08 P. M. 7:43 P. M., 10:01 P. M. DENVER 3:37 A. M., 9:45 A. M., 3:08 P. M. 10:01 P. M. FT. WORTH 1:03 P. M. DALLAS 5:54 A. M., 9:58 A. M., 1:03 P. M. 4:28 P. M., 11:06 P. M.



TRAILWAYS MEMPHIS HOTEL Phone 220



OUR MESSAGE TO ALL FUTURE FARMERS . . .

We wholeheartedly congratulate these young men of our community who are learning to do by doing. Their activities have been an inspiration to all of us who seek to do a better job in our own occupation . . . who strive to be better citizens. Their contributions to the progress of our community are immeasurable.

The FFA Motto: Learning to Do Earning to Live Doing to Learn Living to Serve

First State Bank Member F. D. I. C. Memphis, Tex.

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