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## District Track Meet Held Tues. at Lefors

Under a hot, bright, spring sun Tuesday afternoon, Larry Craig sprinted a 10.1 second, 100-yard dash to win first place in District 2-A competition at Lefors.

Jacky Bridges cleared the pole vault bar at 10 feet to tie for first place with Carter of Clarendon in that event. Both boys were unsuccessful in their attempts at the 10-foot, 3-inch level.

Bunky Adeock won first place in high jump clearing the pole at 5 feet, 8 inches. Adeock has been able in previous matches to clear 5 feet, 11 inches in the high jump so far this season.

The 44-yard sprint relay team, composed of Eddie Jones, Garland Moore, Wayne Lesley and Larry Craig, took second place in District competition behind Lefors. Both teams will go to Regional competition. The MHS relay team ran a 46-second quarter while Lefors' squad turned in a 45.9 quarter.

Other entries in the competition from MHS and their places include Dale Sexton, disc, third place; Wayne Lesley, mile, fifth place; Randy Robertson 880-yard dash, fifth place; Dale Sexton, 12 lb. shot put, fifth place.

## City Council Meets Tuesday

The Memphis City Council met Tuesday night for the regular April session.

An Equalization Board for 1961 was appointed by the Council and includes E. McMurry, J. W. Coppedge and Oren Jones.

Alderman M. E. McNally, Jr., who was recently appointed a director of the Donley County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1, presented a letter to the Council from the bonding company which handled the original bonds for the District.

The letter contained the re-scheduling of the present bonds of the company on a longer term as was granted in the city's franchise with the District.

The letter requested the City Council's approval of the re-scheduling as to form, and the members voted unanimously to approve the re-scheduling.

The Council also voted to buy a power steering unit for the city's motor grader.

The Council will meet again Monday night to swear in the newly elected officials.

## After 54 Years Service

# C. R. Webster To Resign As Methodist Church SS Secretary

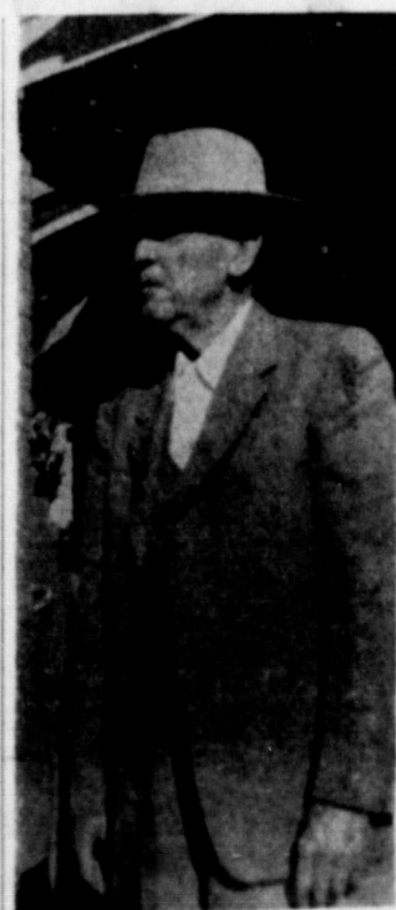
C. R. Webster, 77, 118 S. 10th St., long pioneer resident of Memphis, announced this week his intention of resigning as secretary of the Sunday School Department of the First Methodist Church after serving in that capacity for 54 years.

Mr. Webster, who was a member of the first family to settle here in 1889 (their's was the first house here), has set quite an attendance record at Sunday School during the past 40 years or more having not missed a Sunday being present, except two when he had the mumps and a few Sundays when he had to be out of town.

The Democrat Editor has taken the liberty to request of Mr. Webster a feature about his life in Memphis. Mr. Webster has accepted and the following is some of the things Democrat readers might find interesting.

Mr. Webster concluded the interview with the following quotation: "Democrat readers, please don't give me all of the blame for this story. I was talking with one of The Democrat Staff, telling him that I had been secretary of the Methodist Sunday School for the past 54 years. He insisted that in as much as you have been in this country for several days, give us a write up, and I inquired how long?, and he said the longer the better."

Mr. Webster stated that when he was 4 years old he arrived by train, at Salisbury, Hall County, Texas, in the year 1889, before



C. R. WEBSTER

his arrival in Memphis. Salisbury was a small village, consisting of some six or seven houses, located

# Tower, Blakley To Be In Runoff In United States Senator Race

## Funeral Service For Wyley Whitley Held Monday

Wyley V. Whitley, 68, well-known Memphis resident, died about 11 p. m. Friday night in a local hospital. Mr. Whitley had been ill for more than a year and critically ill for the past few weeks.

Funeral services were held at 1 p. m. Monday from the First Methodist Church with Rev. O. B. Herring, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Frederick, Okla., Cemetery, with services under the direction of Spicer Funeral Home.

A native Texan, Mr. Whitley was born April 26, 1892, at Rising Star. He was married to Maudie Pritchard July 18, 1936, in Memphis, and the couple have lived here since that time.

For many years, Mr. Whitley was associated with men's department in stores in this area. Before coming to Memphis he was employed as a retail clerk in Wellington. For a number of years he was employed with Ross & Lemons Men's Store here, and in later years with Greene Dry Goods Co.

He was a member of the Methodist Church.

## Howell Re-Elected Mayor Of Memphis

Mayor H. J. Howell and the four men seeking alderman spots on the Memphis City Council were elected Tuesday with 74 votes being cast.

Mayor Howell received 73 of the 74 votes with Lloyd Ward receiving one write-in vote.

M. E. McNally, Jr., was re-elected alderman of Ward No. 1 receiving all of the 23 votes cast in that ward.

Ben Parks was re-elected alderman of Ward No. 3 receiving all

of the 25 votes cast. Clenton Srygley was elected alderman of Ward No. 2 replacing O. M. Gunstream, who did not seek re-election. He received all of the 11 votes cast in his ward.

Elmont Branigan received all of the 15 votes cast in Ward 4 to be elected alderman of that ward. The newly elected city officials will be sworn in Monday night at a special meeting of the City Council, Secretary Ace Galley announced.

## Write-In Campaign Elects 3 Trustees

Three write-in candidates were elected in the Memphis Independent School District Trustee Election Saturday. A total of 377 votes were cast by citizens of the district.

Tabulations showed that Charles Snowden received 248 votes, Alvin Phillips 219, and Robert Moss 210.

John R. (Dick) Fowler received 165 votes, Worth Howard 144, and R. C. Lemons 138 votes. Lemons and Howard were seeking re-election. These three names appeared on the ballot.

The write-in campaign was announced two weeks ago following the discovery that the three candidates' names had been filed in the wrong place—with the county judge. It was pointed out that they should have been filed with the Board of Trustees.

Holdover members of the school board include Coy Beckham, Joe Montgomery, H. E. Craig and W. A. Smith.

## T. M. Harrison, Pioneer Resident, Dies Here Monday

Funeral services for T. M. (Tommy) Harrison, 73, retired pioneer hardware merchant, were held at 2 p. m. Wednesday from the First Baptist Church with Rev. Fern Miller, pastor, officiating, assisted by Rev. Richard Avery, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church.

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

Mr. Harrison had lived in Hall County for the past 55 years, coming here in 1906 to become associated with his brother, Sam, in the operation of Harrison Hardware Co. He was active with the firm until 1953 when his health forced him to retire.

Thomas Mann Harrison was born Nov. 16, 1887, in Rome, Texas. He was married to Miss Alberta Granberry June 5, 1916, in Memphis.

He was a member of the First Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. T. M. Harrison; one son, Thomas Robert Harrison of Richardson; two grandchildren, Jami and Bryant Harrison of Richardson.

Pall bearers were J. W. Ivy, M. E. McNally, Jr., Allen Dunbar, J. C. Turner, Gayle Greene, A. L. Gailey, Ross Gentry and Robert Saxauer.

Honorary pall bearers were Baker Jones, R. S. Greene, T. J. Dunbar, Byron Baldwin, Dr. J. A. Odom, Dr. H. R. Stevenson and Ben Wilson, Sr.

## Important Meet Scheduled For Tuesday Night

Palmer Massey, district highway engineer of Childress, announced this week that at 8 p. m. Tuesday, April 11, in the courthouse in Memphis there will be a meeting to discuss the problem of drainage in the area one and a half mile east of Lakeview to near Plaska.

The Highway Department engineer requested that all persons interested in this problem to be present at this meeting. Damage has been occurring to Highway 256 and the FM road to Plaska as well as to farmland during heavy rains, and the Highway Department would like to find a solution to the drainage problem.

A detailed plan for the solution of the drainage problem will be presented by Massey to those who attend the important meeting. Massey said that letters will be mailed to all land owners in the area under discussion before the meeting.

## WEATHER

Thursday morning	40
Wednesday	78-40
Tuesday	88-43
Monday	74-53
Sunday	80-40
Saturday	73-35
Friday	43-37

## Mrs. Kate Byars Funeral Service Held at Lakeview

Funeral services for Mrs. Kate Byars, 73, long-time Hall County resident, were held at 3 p. m. Monday from the Methodist Church in Lakeview with Rev. Clesby Patterson, pastor, officiating, assisted by Rev. N. W. Hill, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Lakeview.

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

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She was united in marriage to John N. Byars Oct. 21, 1906, in Johnson County. The couple moved to Hall County in 1907 and for many years were engaged in farming in the Lakeview community.

Mr. Byars preceded his wife in death in May, 1945.

Mrs. Byars moved to Memphis in 1960. She was a member of the Lakeview Methodist Church. Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Don Van Ausdall of Amarillo and Mrs. Foy Young of Memphis; two sons, J. B. of Lakeview and Lloyd of Amarillo, 11 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

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## Dist. 9-B Competition Scheduled This Week

So far, in District 9-B spring sports competition, Estelline is leading in the number of points for the District trophy. Students have a total of 62 points.

Lakeview is in second place with 49 points, Quitaque third with 25, Turkey 15, Matador 5, and Flomot 0.

Points will be given to each school in the district in one-act play competition, tennis, track, volleyball, and literary events. So far, competition in one-act play and tennis have been held.

This afternoon at Estelline, District volleyball competition will be held with literary events competition scheduled for tomorrow there.

The district track meet is scheduled for Saturday at Turkey.

In senior boys singles, James Starkey of Quitaque won first place while Tony Sahagun of Lakeview placed second.

In senior girls singles, Jane Fowler of Lakeview won first and Jo Beth Barnes of Estelline placed second.

Don Guest and Conroy Lacy of Turkey won first place honors in senior boys doubles while Rolfe Wooten and Teddy Barnes of Estelline placed second.

## Important Meet Of Estelline Co-Op Set For Friday

An important meeting for those interested in the Co-Op Gin in Estelline will be held Friday, April 7, at 7:30 p. m. in the high school building there, it was announced this week.

Postal cards are to be sent to all citizens interested in this project.

## County Voters Favor Wright

John Tower, a Republican, with 324,465 votes, and Wm. Blakley, a Democrat, with 188,809 votes, will be in the runoff for the U. S. Senate seat vacated by Vice President Lyndon B. Johnson.

In the special election held Tuesday, U. S. Rep. Jim Wright received 168,826 votes while Texas Atty. Gen. Will Wilson received 121,234 votes.

In fifth and sixth places were former State Rep. Maury Maverick, Jr., with 104,499 votes, and State Sen. Henry B. Gonzalez with 96,477.

Tower polled 31.50 per cent of the vote, Blakley 18.33, Wright 16.39, Wilson 11.77, Maverick 10.14 and Gonzalez 9.32.

## Hall County Voting

In Hall County, U. S. Rep. Jim Wright received 375 of the 868 votes cast to lead the other candidates. Blakley received 216 votes, Tower received 136, and Wilson 91 votes. Maverick polled 18 votes in the county, Art Glover 9 votes, and Gonzalez 2 votes.

Percentage-wise Wright polled 43.2 per cent, Blakley 24.9, Tower 15.7, Wilson 10.5 and Maverick 2 per cent.

## Voting by Precincts

Memphis No. 1—Wright 92, Tower 49, Blakley 66, Wilson 17, Maverick 8.

Brice—Wright 29, Tower 3, Glover 2.

Parnell—Wright 7, Blakley 9, Wilson 3, Maverick 2, Glover 2.

Estelline—Wright 43, Tower 4, Blakley 24, Wilson 10, Maverick 1, Gonzalez 1, Glover 3.

Newlin—Wright 3, Tower 3, Blakley 3, Wilson 7, Glover 1.

Plaska—Wright 8, Tower 1, Blakley 4, Wilson 2.

Ell—Wright 3, Blakley 3, Wilson 2.

Lakeview—Wright 37, Tower 8, Blakley 16, Wilson 6, Maverick 1, Gonzalez 1.

Turkey—Wright 73, Tower 17, Blakley 14, Wilson 7, Maverick 3, Glover 1.

Baylor—Wright 12, Tower 1, Blakley 2, Wilson 6.

Lesley—Wright 10, Tower 4, Blakley 4, Wilson 7.

Memphis No. 13—Wright 57, Tower 40, Blakley 59, Wilson 21, Maverick 3.

In the junior division, Conny Moore of Lakeview won the boys singles while Bennie Longbine of Estelline placed second.

Sandy Verden of Lakeview won first and Brenda Stewart of Estelline second in the girls singles.

Junior boys doubles was won by Jack Johnson and Terry Woods of Quitaque while Albert Cupell and Noel Clifton of Estelline won second. Jo Williams and Donna Crump of Estelline won first place in the girls doubles, and Teresa Neal and Judy Whitehead of Lakeview placed second.

Estelline's one-act play had previously taken first place honors in District competition, which was held several weeks ago.

# C. R. Webster Relates Facts Concerning Early Days In Hall County History

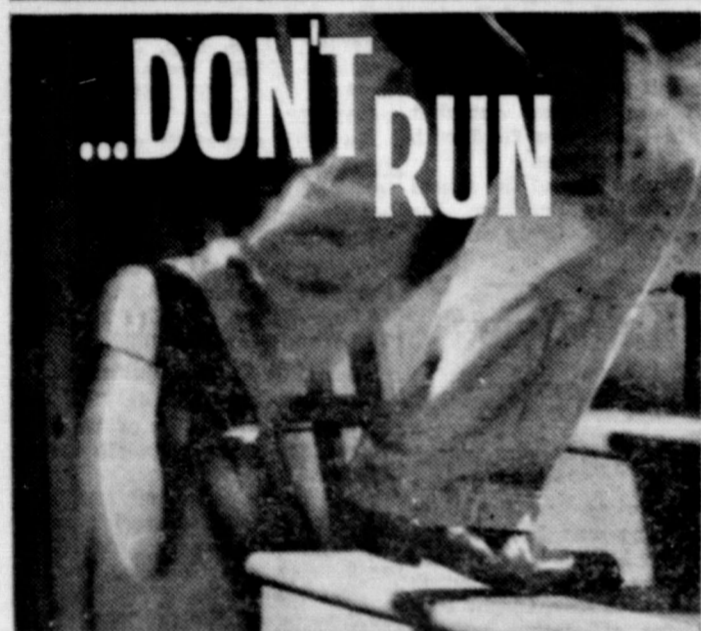
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 No provisions had been made for a cemetery. J. C. Montgomery said that he would give an acre of his land for this purpose. I remember going along with Mr. Montgomery, J. G. Noel and my father, all walking across the land to the south part of the present cemetery, and the location was there made, and I attended the funeral.  
 "Sept. 28, 1890, my father

traded for a half section one and a half miles due west, from the center of 9th Street, in Memphis. We children walked to school and it was my duty every other morning to bring some butter or milk to our customers. I never thought of spending a nickel of that money. Dad seemed to not have any trouble finding something for us to do when we were not in school.

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## Laff Of The Week



"As you folks know, I've been with you for some time now and the cost of living index continues to climb..."

My oldest sister died in the year 1899.

"The school term of 1901 and 1902, I attended Goodnight College," he said. That summer Mr. Webster recalled his dad had leased eight sections just north of Jerico and he helped him with cattle and farming. He recalled one experience when he got up at 3 a.m. to attend a July 4th picnic at Clarendon, 25 miles away, and had trouble staying in the saddle of a pitching horse he was to ride. After being pitched out of the saddle a couple of times, he got some sacks, tied them to the saddle in front, hobbled his stirrups, and climbed aboard. He didn't have any more trouble.

After attending another year at Goodnight College (1902-1903) he returned to Memphis and was employed by Bob Stevenson who owned a thrashing machine for the thrashing season. Mr. Webster received 75 cents a day and received a check for \$63 at the end of the season. Upon returning to Memphis, Mr. Webster recalled hearing about a baseball game in Ft. Worth and decided to go to the game and seek employment in Ft. Worth. Upon arrival he saw a sign marked "Employment Agency" and went in to see what they had. He stated, "that bunch of slick tongs, had me sold a stock of merchandise, and the rent of a passenger train, as they called it, for 12 days, at the expense of nearly \$50.

"The train turned out to be a one passenger coach on a rear end of a local. The train took all night going to Brownwood doing

switching, unloading of merchandise, etc. I had loaded my basket with candy, apples, bananas, books etc. to approach the people there. I sold \$1 worth at the end of the trip, so I returned to these fellows, with my stock, to sell it back to them. They didn't want the stock but finally bought it back from me for \$5."

Mr. Webster said he found himself in Ft. Worth without a job, and broke when Theodore Stewart slapped him on the back, they talked and he was given a job at Mansfield in the dray business driving a wagon, loading and unloading supplies. He worked for four months and then came back to Memphis where he went to school the remainder of the term following Christmas. L. A. Wells was the superintendent at that time. The spring of 1904 Mr. Webster rented some 50 to 60 acres of land from the Ben Thompson section (now Mrs. Hampton's) working on the halves, however, before the crop was out he traded his interest in the crop and otherwise to Mr. W. L. Wheat for a team of red mules.

"I immediately went to work for Mr. A. J. Kinard helping him operate his grocery store, running his delivery wagon, including the delivery of ice from an ice house that he had built near the railroad. When Mr. Kinard and M. Barton opened up a store at Quail, the first one there, I went over there and operated it until they sold, which wasn't too long," he said. Following this, Mr. Webster said he was living with Mr. Kinard and helping him break young horses which he kept in a lot behind his house on Noel Street. He worked for Mr. Kinard until July 1905. Mr. Webster recalled that his salary was \$18 per month then and he quit because he and his brother, Jim bought a dray line which they operated for four months and then Mr. Webster went to work for Mr. J. A. Bradford who was running a grocery store. He worked for Mr. Bradford until March 1907, and worked for Cicero Smith Lumber Co. until Jan. 1, 1909.

"This included the year 1908, the grandest and most wonderful of all, for Lola Kealy, who had been born and raised at Lewisville, had come here and had worked at a dry goods store during the time, said yes to my marriage proposal. She knew how, and did make a wife that was in the class of the best. We married Oct. 28, 1908 and to this union two children were born, a girl named Ione, now the wife of J. Emory Barton, of Denton, and a boy, that lived only a few hours," he said.

The C. R. Webster family lived in the same house at 118 S. 10th St. since 1908. The house has been remodeled three times. Mrs. Webster died April 22, 1957 and Mr. Webster's sister, Mrs. Ora Williamson, has been living with him since that time.

Mr. Webster ran for and was elected Tax Assessor of Hall County and took office on Jan. 1, 1909. He served in this capacity for four, two-year terms until 1916. "In the year 1915, Dave and Joe Grundy, who had been in the Abstract & Real Estate business for years, approached me to know if I would be interested in making a deal with them to come into their office to operate it," he said.

A corporation was formed with Dave Grundy as president, Joe Grundy as vice president, and Mr. Webster as secretary-treasurer. "Mr. Joe died in July 1934 and Mr. Dave died on March 16, 1935. I operated the business until June 1, 1945, when it was sold to Geo. Cullin. After five years, Mr. Webster went back into the insurance business which he operated until March 1, 1959 when he sold it to Wilson's Ins. Agency. He has been in retirement since that time. Recalling cheap land deals in

the early days, Mr. Webster recalled his dad owning a half section, 320 acres the west half of this being the W. B. Gilreath home place for a number of years. "Dad wanted to fence it so we went out and tied a rope around the rear wheel of a wagon and he drove while I counted the number of turns the wheel took. We fenced it accordingly, but later after an actual survey was made, we had to move the fence back," he said. "Dad came in one day and was telling mother that he traded the half section to Jno. M. Gist for a team of mules and a wagon. Of course, I suppose that it still had the State debt against it," Mr. Webster said.

"Another time a bank failed (not a Memphis bank) and it had a debt against 370 lots in the town of Memphis. The assets of the bank were being sold to the highest bidder. The 370 lots sold for \$370, some of them were located around the public square... this being the information that I remember Dad telling mother after he had come from town one day, and she said, why didn't you buy them, and he said what about the \$370."

Mr. Webster served on the school board and was secretary

of the school board in the 1920's, ending in 1927 as near as he could recall. He served on the city council and was mayor pro-tem when W. M. Fore resigned and he was appointed to fill his unexpired term. He ran for and was elected mayor for one term and recalled one problem which came before the council during that time.

The Light Plant building and contents were damaged by fire, and the owner reported that he was unable to finance the repairs and new machinery. A buyer was unable to be found so the council purchased the plant for \$20,000 and the repairs and machinery cost another \$10,000. The city was offered \$50,000 for the plant shortly thereafter and sold the plant.

As to the exact dates that Mr. Webster served on the City Council, City Secretary Ace Galbreath reported that the records from 1910 to 1920 were not available to him but Mr. Webster believed the years were from 1914 to 1917. Visiting over the weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hale and Linda, Mrs. and Mrs. Robert Anderson of Amarillo.

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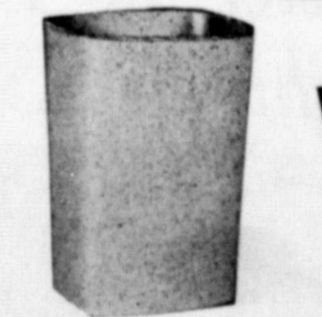
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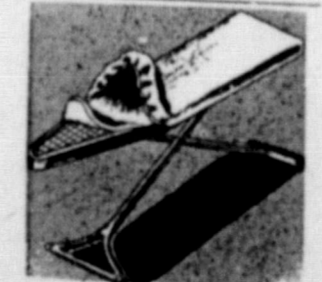


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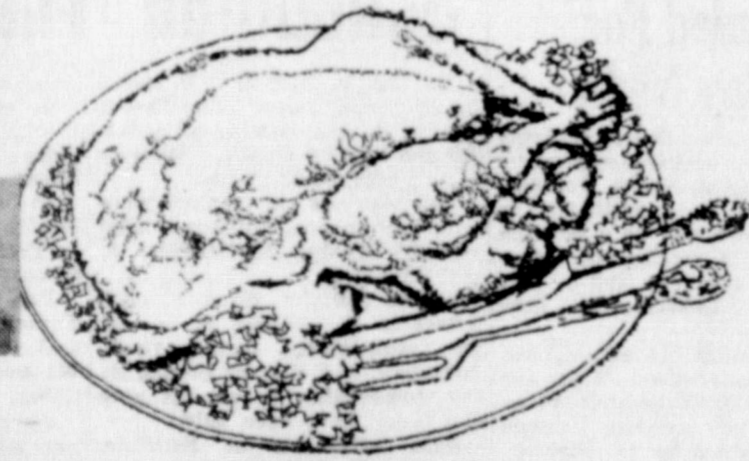
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# More Than 200 Ex-Students Attend Easter Banquet Saturday

Highlighting the Easter week-end holiday was the Ex-Student Banquet at the Travis Cafeteria Saturday evening at which more than 200 ex-students were in attendance.

Goodall, president of the association, presided.

The principal speaker for the evening was Al Dewlen of Amarillo, 1938 graduate of Memphis School. Noted author and editor, Mr. Dewlen spoke on "Declining Morals." He pointed out that declining morals of individuals can only be stopped if it is through the change on the local, state and national basis, he said.

Mr. Glenn Ostering was Mrs. Glenn Ostering, 1941; Mrs. Oran Adams, 1941; Marie Barber Ward, 1932; Virginia Chapman, 1929; Elaine Clayton, 1959; Gilmore Lindsey, 1940; Lindsey, 1939; Dee Ellen Abilene, 1952; Hubert, 1942; Evan Roberts, Lubbock, 1939; Tops Gilreath, 1925; Jane Roberts, Lubbock, 1933.

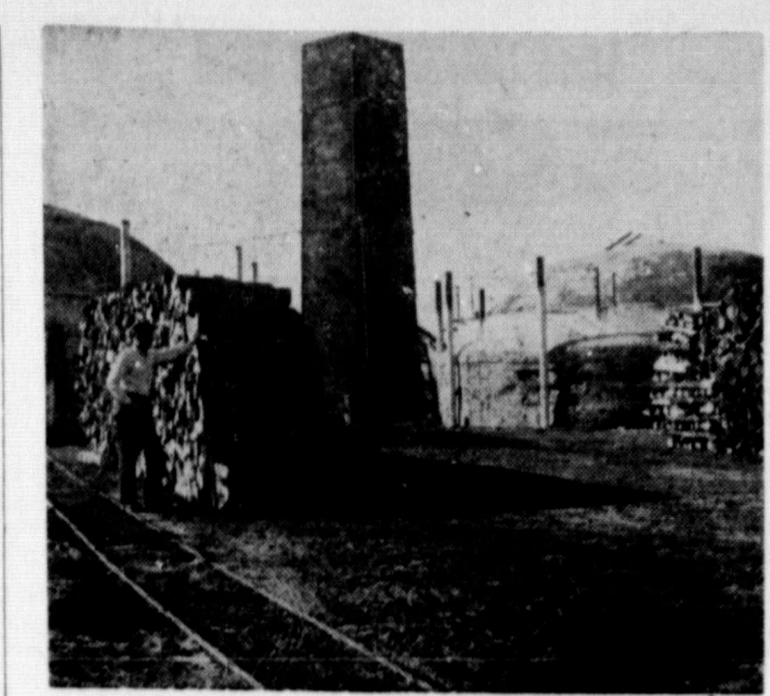
Chamberlain, 1956; Rodney Lewis, 1956; Priscilla Wright, Amarillo, 1960; John Deaver, 1956; Olamae Ward, 1930; Lloyd Ward, 1935; Troy J. Guy, 1958; Barbara Allen Long, Amarillo, 1959; Fredna Winters, 1960; Jimmy Winters, 1960; Ouida Massey, Dumas, 1959; Linda Sturdevant, 1959; Tomie Tucker, 1960; Dennis Walker, Corpus Christi, 1937; Marie Williamson Walker, Corpus Christi, 1958.

Julius Stevens, Childress, 1953; Peggy Stevens, Childress; Walte, Elizabeth Smith, 1960; Lera Kate Hutcherson, 1959; Jerry Burnett, 1960; Jerry Montgomery, 1960; Mrs. John Albrecht, Doland, S. D., 1941; Jo Lamb Carmen, 1942; Hattie Dem Thompson, 1937; Billy Thompson, 1938; Mr. and Mrs. Gelton King, 1940; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dewlen, 1936; Carrol L. Gardenhire, 1955; Jim O. Davila, 1955; John Guthrie, 1954; Ila Sue Youree, 1945; Patsy Jarral, 1952; Jack Youree, 1946; Shirley Miller, 1954; Betty Sue Lewis, 1960.

N. Koen, 1957; Mary Alice Hatter; J. H. Morris, Jr., 1943; Marjory Morris; Mrs. Frank Morrison; Joyce Webster, 1936; Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Forkner, 1940; R. A. Massey, Dumas, 1927; Garland Moore, 1961.

Dick Morgan, 1961; Lucille McCann, 1921; Hubert Dennis, 1927; Mrs. A. S. Campese, Wichita Falls, 1936; Charles Massey, Dumas, 1960; A. L. Paschall, Slaton, 1946; Chas. A. Williams, 1910; Gerald Phipps, Plainview, 1947; Mazine Longshore Phillips, 1941; Pauline Longshore Wynn, 1937; Rhubert F. Wynn, Ed Hutcherson, 1928; Mrs. Edwin Hutcherson, 1925; Tom Harrison, Richardson, 1936; Yvonne Jamison Harrison, Richardson, 1936; T. W. Harrison, 1929; Mattie Orah Kennon Jones, Lubbock, 1927; Clinton Buck Jones, Abilene, 1952; Winston Jones, Abilene, 1960; Lynn B. Jones, Lubbock; Sim W. Goodall, 1949; Bobbie Goodall, 1952; Bernice McCoy, 1928; Dorcas Ruth Foster, 1928; Rachel Piland Jones, 1933.

Don Deaver; Jan Mitchell; A. G. Kesterson, 1939; Mary Whaley Kesterson, 1945; Judith Evans,



**BETTER DAYS AHEAD . . .** Folks around Campbell Hill, Ill., a depressed area, get a lift from the sight of smoke from a former brickyard converted to charcoal manufacturing, creating new jobs for the unemployed.

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## LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brewer, Kathy and Owen Lee attended the Easter Pageant in Lawton, Okla.

Sheldon Anisman of Fort Worth visited Friday through Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Anisman.

Tomie Tucker, student at TCU in Fort Worth, was an Easter visitor in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McElreath and children of Montevista, Colo., spent the weekend with their mother, Mrs. Floyd McElreath.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Burks of Shamrock visited Sunday with Mrs. Floyd McElreath.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shadid and Terri visited in Wellington Sunday.

Mabel Meacham visited Sunday afternoon in Turkey with relatives.

Collum, 1913; Mary McCollum Slappy, 1948; Jack Slappy, 1945.

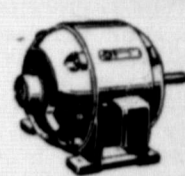
Mr. and Mrs. James L. Billingsley and daughters of Denton spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Maudie Billingsley.

Visiting in the J. M. Ferrel, Jr., home over the Easter holidays were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Jester and family of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Bo Hightower and family of Childress.

Visitors in the Robert Stewart home during the holidays were their daughters, Bobbie, of Amarillo, and Betty, of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Grimes and Gary of Amarillo visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Grimes.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith and son of Borger were here visiting his mother, Mrs. Julia Smith, this weekend.



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David Duncan, 1955; Joy Baten; Dorothy Wells Smith, 1948; Frank J. Smith, Jr., 1945; Julia Smith, Sr., 1917; Virginia Smith Kinard, 1948; Joe M. Kinard, Ordway, Colo., 1940; Marjorie Morrison Crawford, Lubbock, 1956; Loree Cornelius, 1929; Jan Morrison Taylor, 1945; David Hudgins, 1929; Mary Hudgins, 1931; Jo Ann Crawford, 1929; H. R. Crawford, 1928; Kenneth

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### Santa Rosa District Officials Are Honored by Local Federated Clubs

One of the pretty parties of the spring season was an afternoon tea given March 30 by members of the 1913 Study Club honoring Mrs. Philip A. Carpenter of Burkburnett, president of the Santa Rosa District of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs; her secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Geo. McClarty; and the first vice president of the district, Mrs. Frank Long of Vernon.

The Memphis Country Club, appropriately decorated with spring blossoms and Easter bunnies, provided a suitable setting for the guest speaker and the tea party that followed her most interesting talk. In the absence of the president of the 1913 Study Club, Mrs. W. C. Davis, the guests were greeted at the door by Meses. Mills Roberts, Virginia Browder, L. G. DeBerry, and the honorees, Meses. Carpenter, Long and McClarty.

When the guests were assembled, Virginia Browder (mimicing John Bailey of TV fame) said the speaker was not salaried, that she rendered a great service to Santa Rosa District as its president, and that her secret had to do with "Federation and Youth." Aided and abetted by her "little people" (some 15 styrofoam lady-dolls and one lone man-doll fashionably costumed in "buttons, bows, and natty hats,") Mrs. Carpenter emphasized the benefits to be had from federation activities and interests pointing up the ways whereby the theme of her administration, "Building a Better Heritage for Youth," could be realized.

Immediately following her speech and the subsequent applause, Mrs. Carpenter was invited to lead the guests to the beautifully appointed tea table centered with a pressed-glass basket of yellow pom-poms flanked by yellow tapers with tiny multi-colored mint Easter eggs, cookies, and chilled punch for refreshment.

Besides the three honor guests, two other out-of-town visitors, Miss Tommie Noel of Denton and Mrs. John D. Clark of Dallas, were included among those enjoying the afternoon's festivities. Members of the four other federated clubs of Memphis, the Atalantean, the Woman's Culture, the Delphian, and the Pathfinders, by their presence assisted the host club in extending this courtesy to the district officers.

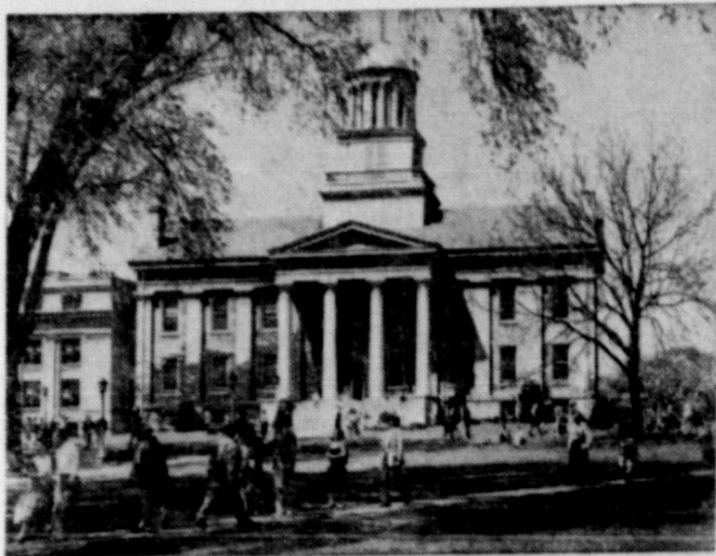
Attending this social function, besides the aforementioned, were: Meses. Eddie Foxhall, J. W. Copeidge, W. C. Dickey, Myrtis Phelan, Mildred Stephens, C. C. Hodges, J. S. McMurry, Jack Boone, A. Anisman, J. L. Barnes, Lynn McKown, Henry Hays, Fred H. Erwin, W. F. Ritchie, W. F. McElreath, Clyde Milam, M. G. Tarver, R. S. Greene, F. W. Foxhall, A. H. Hull, Edwin Hutcherson, Richard Avery, D. L. C. Kinard, and Meses. Maud Milam and Gertrude Rasco.

Prior to the tea party, Meses. Carpenter, Long and McClarty had been guests at a covered-dish luncheon in the home of Mrs. Kinard. Invited and assisting with the luncheon were: Mrs. W. C. Dickey, a district board member;

### AMERICANA

### College Notebook

## State University Of Iowa



**HISTORIC**—Administration Building at State University of Iowa was the seat of territorial government from 1842 to 1846.

... and so, by an act of the First General Assembly, approved on February 25, 1847, the State University of Iowa, with such branches as the General Assembly might thereafter determine upon, was established at Iowa City, the capital of the State.

Thus an educational history of the State of Iowa records simply the founding of the State University of Iowa. It was established only 59 days after the Territory of Iowa became a state.

The University and the State had almost simultaneous beginnings, and the school's growth has paralleled the development of the State from a pioneer prairie to a thriving agricultural and industrial region. Standing on the campus as a testimonial to this close relationship is Old Capitol, the first capitol of the State, and now the central administration building of the University and its sentimental symbol. The General Assembly which established the University met in the building.

Instruction was offered for the first time in March of 1855 by a faculty of three. In 1857 the enrollment was 124 and the first degree—a bachelor of science—was awarded in 1858 to, appropriately

enough for a state university, a Mr. Smith. Since that memorable day more than a century ago, approximately 81,500 degrees have been granted by the University.

From its humble beginnings the University of Iowa has had an almost continuous growth. During the fall semester of this school year (1935-36) an all-time high of 11,113 students were enrolled. All 99 counties of Iowa, all 50 states, and some 40 countries are represented.

The University is made up of ten colleges—Liberal Arts, Engineering, Education, Business Administration, Law, Dentistry, Pharmacy, Nursing, Medicine, and the Graduate College. Within these colleges are 81 departments, offering major courses of study in everything from Art to Zoology.

The 1,327 acre campus includes 59 major buildings and many smaller structures.

Mrs. J. W. Copeidge, president of the Atalantean Club; Mrs. Mildred Stephens, president of the Delphian Club; Mrs. Robert Moss, vice president of the Woman's Culture Club; Mrs. W. F. McElreath, president of the Pathfinder's Club; Mrs. Bray Cook, incoming president of the 1913 Study Club; Virginia Browder, third vice president of Santa Rosa District; Mrs. Eddie Foxhall and Mrs. Herschel Combs, board members.

### Pathfinders Have Dinner Meeting In Lee Home

The members of the Pathfinder's Council and guests met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lee at 7 p. m. on March 28.

A delicious buffet dinner of salads was served to foursome tables. Centering the serving table was a beautiful arrangement of Easter lilies.

The opening prayer was led by D. C. Messick.

The evening was spent in playing "42." Enjoying the affair were: Mrs. Ivan McElreath, Mr. and Mrs. A. Gidden, Mr. and Mrs. Angus Huckaby, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McDaniel, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Gunstrom, Meses. Hester Rownds, W. F. Ritchie, W. F. McElreath, Mona Robertson, Anna Dickson, Mary Lou Erwin, Gene Chamberlain, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Messick and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lee.

Mrs. Dorcas Ruth Foster of Amarillo visited with her mother, Mrs. Clementine Wilson, and her daughter, Mrs. Jim Hansard, and husband over the weekend.

### Holmes Family Has Reunion At Hudlow Ranch On Sunday

A family reunion was held Easter Sunday at the ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hudlow for the descendants of the G. T. Holmes family.

The dinner consisted of turkey and all the trimmings, baked ham, and many assorted covered dishes. The traditional Easter egg hunt was held for the children, and many prizes awarded.

Forty-one persons attended.

They included: Mrs. G. T. Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Penn and Randy, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hill, Lonnie, Alyssa, Rocky and Dusty, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lancaster, Pepper, Skipper, and Tammy, Mrs. Maxine Stonecipher, Scotty and Rene, all of Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ariola, Paula Sue and Bobo of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pascal, Tommy, Linda and Kim of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Nick Nicholson and Stacy of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Baker and Gary of Brownfield; Kenneth Bevers of Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hudlow, Jan and Jay of Estelline, Johnny Hudlow of San Antonio, and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hudlow.

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Miss Brenda Duncan of Memphis has pledged Mu Phi Epsilon, national music sorority, at North Texas State College this semester.

Miss Duncan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Duncan, is a sophomore music major at NTSC.

### Friendly Club Enjoys Easter Breakfast Thurs.

The Friendly Sewing Club members enjoyed the annual Easter Breakfast on Thursday morning, March 30, in the home of Mrs. Estelle Barber.

Mrs. Ella Johnson gave the invocation after which members enjoyed a tasty breakfast.

An Easter program was presented and included "The Meaning of Easter" by Mrs. Lula McMurry; the 20th Chapter of John by Mrs. Ora Willingham; "Easter Tide" by Mrs. Lucy Phillips; "What Is Easter?" by Mrs. A. B. Jones, and prayer by Mrs. Lula McMurry.

The next regular meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. A. B. Jones on April 11.

Attending were the following members and guests: Meses. J. W. Molloy, Jerry Foster, Sam Alexander, Alla Boswell, Jean Lamb, Julia Smith, Ora Willingham, Alla Johnson, J. B. Wrenn, Larry Simpson, Lucy Phillips, A. B. Jones, Lulu McMurry, L. G. Yarborough and hostess, Mrs. Barber.

Mary Foreman of Big Spring and her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. George Hillis, of Clarendon, were Memphis visitors over the weekend. While here, Mary completed the moving of her household goods to Big Spring.

### Former Memphians To Observe 50th Wed. Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Reynolds of Lubbock, former Memphis residents, will observe their Golden Wedding anniversary Sunday, April 9, at their home in Lubbock, 2514 21st Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds lived in Memphis for 30 years prior to moving to Lubbock in 1906, and have many friends here.

Mrs. Reynolds is the former Miss Ora Lee Williams. The couple were married April 9, 1911, in Paducah. Later they moved to Quannah and from there to Memphis.

Mr. Reynolds was in the life insurance business before his retirement in 1930 because of ill health.

They have two daughters, Mrs. J. P. Roach of Andrews and Mrs. D. R. Couch of Lubbock; three granddaughters, Mrs. Lonnie Wheelchel of Lubbock and Meses. Cristi and Candice Couch of Lubbock. They also have one great-granddaughter, Sheri Kay Wheelchel of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Roach will celebrate their silver wedding anniversary on the same day. They were married April 9, 1935, at the home of Mrs. Roach's parents in Memphis.

Visitors over Easter week in the home of Mrs. Laelle Wright were her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Wright and children, Bruce and Nancy, and daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Reeves, all of Amarillo. Also Harry Carson of Wichita Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilson of Quail.

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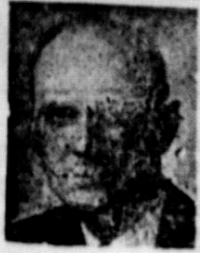
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**Federal Aid**

seems that we are living in an age of "aid." The dictionary office defines this much-used word as follows: "To help; to assist; to aid." That which promotes or helps in something done; an extraordinary "subsidy." I suppose there must have been eras of "aid," which were, followed by eras in which people were seeking "state aid." But for the last several decades the trend seems to be away from the local and state levels and toward the Federal level. It is true that all segments of the economy are pointing their efforts toward Washington for aid of one kind or another. And I would point out that there are no exceptions when it comes to the low income groups that are seeking aid from the Federal Government. The fact is that many very rich individuals and giant corporations who daily preach free enterprise and contribute generously to publications and programs that denounce government aid, maintain high-paid positions in the Nation's Capital with the sole purpose of obtaining contracts and lucrative purchases that are to be paid out of taxes wrung from the ordinary American. During the debates on the area reorganization bills, letters and telegrams were received by Members of Congress of Commerce and municipal corporations from all this country, many of whom

have soundly denounced excessive Federal spending and socialistic trends in the Federal government. It is difficult to understand how a socialistic program becomes less socialistic simply because one is allowed to participate in it. Let us take a look at some of the measures with which Congress has been faced in the past several years and will be again faced with this year.

**Federal Aid To Education**

This proposal is not new. It was vigorously pushed for a number of years. The only reason that it has not been adopted on a wide front during the past 10 years is because of an amendment which provided that Federal funds should be denied to any school practicing segregation. Yet each year, the difference between the years and nays narrows. It seems to be generally assumed that there was nothing wrong with Federal aid as a general proposition. This, of course, was starting from an assumed premise that was false. Under our Constitution, it was undoubtedly intended that education would be the responsibility of the states under the dual sovereignty form of government—dual sovereignty meaning that the Federal government would be a national sovereignty composed of the several states as separate sovereignties joined together in one united sovereignty. As time moved on, attempts have been continuous to reduce the powers of the state sovereignty and weld them into the Federal sovereignty. The field

## CANDY by Tom Dorr



of education is no exception. Since we are all deeply interested in the welfare and education of our children and in seeing that they obtain the best possible education, this furnishes a fertile field for the advocates of centralized government. Federal aid in the form of money, whether it be loans or direct grants, if practiced on a wide scale general program, must eventually result in control of the educational processes of this nation. Once the Federal government assumes the responsibility of providing the funds (probably supplemental in the first instance), it cannot escape the responsibility of controlling the expenditures of those funds and, hence, dictating the educational procedures. It is the yielding in the first instance which creates the foothold that eventually ripens into full conquest. The transition could come very quickly in this country even though it is a government of law rather than man. It must be remembered that the laws are made by man. Once

the Federal door is opened in the field of education, it would require only one session of a Congress manned by a simple majority of centralized government advocates and a friendly President to complete the conquest. The same rule could be applied in almost any other area of our general economy. A good example is the recent situation brought into focus by the debate on the minimum wage bill. The real purpose behind the minimum wage bill was not the amount of wages that person received, but the attempt by the centralized government advocates to expand the coverage of Federal law; that is, to provide that Federal law would supersede state law insofar as certain employees were concerned. There were three bills before the House. Insofar as the principle involved is concerned, there was no difference in any of the bills. The principle

sought was for the Federal government to invade state jurisdiction. None of the bills took in all employees, but the passage of any one of the bills means that the difference between interstate commerce and intrastate commerce as far as the Fair Labor Standards Act is concerned has been broken. Hence, it is only a matter of time until amendments would be made to cover all employees of the United States under Federal law. This may seem very good to many people, but it must be remembered that once this course is followed in regard to one segment of the economy, that same rule would be applicable to all other segments of the economy. Carrying it out to its logical conclusion, the end result would be the complete abolition of the effectiveness of state governments and the vesting of omnipotent power in the central government

of the United States. Once this is done, complete control of our entire operations, both governmental and private, could be secured by the election of 219 Members of the House of Representatives and 51 Members of the United States Senate by a power seeking individual or small group of individuals. There are many, many things that can be and probably will be furnished by the Federal government to the individuals, to corporations, and to cities and towns that may be looked upon by the recipient as most beneficial. But I would admonish each and every one before counting such blessings, if blessings they are, to consider well the price that is being paid. Many of you will find it much too high. I do.

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**IN TEXAS, YOU PAY 90¢ TAX ON 10 GALLONS OF GASOLINE**

Gasoline taxes will be lowered— if the latest temporary Federal gasoline tax increase expires on June 30th as scheduled by the 1959 Federal Highway Act.

Along with all good citizens, we are in favor of building the roads that the motoring public needs. But, in the last 10 years alone, Federal and State taxes nationwide on gasoline have skyrocketed 51%—skyrocketed to a point where gasoline, a basic commodity, is actually taxed at a rate five times as high as luxuries like diamonds and mink coats.

Must gasoline taxes be so high? Most people believe that gasoline taxes are high because the money is needed to pay for our national highway program. This is not so. The fact is that out of every highway-user tax dollar collected last year by the Federal government, more than 40 cents was diverted to non-highway purposes.

If these highway-user tax revenues were spent for highways—as they should be—gasoline taxes could be lowered, and the highway program given a boost.

In fact, the Federal-Aid Highway Act of 1959 provides that when the added temporary Federal gasoline tax expires on June 30th, 1961, as scheduled, some \$802 million a year in highway-user taxes—now diverted to the U. S. Treasury's general fund—will instead be deposited in the Highway Trust Fund.

As a result, if the latest Federal temporary gasoline tax

increase expires on June 30th as scheduled—the national highway program will actually get \$225 million more each year than it now receives from the latest Federal temporary gasoline tax increase.

In January of this year, after an exhaustive 2-year survey of national transportation policy, a special U. S. Senate study group confirmed the wisdom of this decision.

This will be good news for you. You will be able to enjoy a steadily improving highway system, at a lower gasoline tax-rate.

**HERE ARE THE FACTS ABOUT TODAY'S HIGH GASOLINE TAXES**

- In Texas, you pay 90¢ tax on 10 gallons of gasoline.
- You pay 9¢ tax a gallon—4¢ in Federal taxes plus 5¢ in State taxes.
- Gasoline is taxed at a rate 5 times as high as diamonds.
- The average Texas motor vehicle owner pays \$78 a year in gasoline taxes.
- Since 1951 there have been three increases in the Federal gasoline tax alone.
- In the last 10 years, gasoline taxes nationwide have skyrocketed 51%—yet the national average price of gasoline itself has risen only 5.5% during the same period.

## The Gasoline You Buy Is Taxed Too High!

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### Morningside To Host Dist. 1-B Spring Meets

The Morningside School will host the District 1-B Interscholastic League meet Saturday, April 8, beginning at 9 a. m.

The District is composed of seven schools, Pampa, Wellington, Childress, Shamrock, Memphis, Quanah and Paducah.

League events will be divided into three divisions, music, track and field, and literary events. All first place winners will compete for state honors at Prairie View A & M College.

Track and field events will be held at 2 p. m. at Cyclone Stadium.

### Negro Cagers Receive Awards At Dinner Thurs.

At a special dinner Thursday night in the Morningside auditorium eight girls and 12 boys of the school's basketball teams received awards.

Awards of blue and white jackets with leather sleeves and letters were given to the students.

The boys finished the season with 25 wins and three losses, while the girls had an eight-win, six-loss record.

Coaches D. McNeel and G. M. Berry also received award jackets.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miles Kinard and children of Ordway, Colo., were here over the weekend visiting their mothers, Mrs. Emma Kinard and Mrs. Frank Smith.

Dr. and Mrs. Jack L. Rose and children visited the R. D. Jones family in Dalhart over the weekend.

## HALF-PAST TEEN



### Relatives and Friends Attend Whitley Service

Among out-of-town relatives and friends who were here Monday to attend funeral services for Wyley Whitley were the following:

Mrs. Cicero Gulley, Mrs. A. B. Clark, Claude McKinney, Mrs. Mamie Summerville, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Glenn, all of Wellington, Mrs. Eva Phelps, Mrs. Flip Breedlove and Mrs. Carol Phelps, all of Clarendon, Mrs. Stenett of Tell, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Whaley of McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Moore of Amarillo, Clifford Whitley of Las Cruces, N. M., Mrs. A. P. Wilcox of Frederick, Okla., Joyce Lee Bradley of Wichita Falls, Mrs. Myrtle Whitley, Mrs. Myrtle Perkins and Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Wilcox, all of Frederick.

Mr. and Mrs. Randal Brice of Amarillo were weekend visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Winters.

### Mizpah Guild Meets In Home of Virginia Browder

Twelve members of the Mizpah Guild of the First Presbyterian Church met in the ranch home of Virginia Browder, the evening of April 3, for the dual purpose of study and fellowship.

Following the call to order by the president, Mrs. Mills Roberts, the meeting was opened with a prayer by Mrs. Bill Cosby. During the business session which followed, Mrs. Roberts urged all who could to attend the forthcoming Plains Presbyterian meeting in Pampa April 13 and 14.

The main speaker for this two-day district meeting will be Dr. Ivanoel Gibbons, a medical missionary who has spent the best part of 28 years at Philadelphia Hospital in Ambala, India. During these years, Dr. Gibbons has seen many social and political changes in India and many advances in medical science come about which have rendered her work among the suffering of that region more effective, it was pointed out.

Dr. Gibbons, who is from Nebraska, is a graduate of Park College, Parkville, Mo., and of Rush Medical College, Chicago. She has also had a year of nurses' training at the Mayo Brothers Clinic in Rochester, Minn. Besides heading the staff of the hospital in Ambala, Dr. Gibbons is well qualified for the important part she takes in the Christian program in the Punjab. In addition to her heavy responsibilities at the hospital, she finds time to serve as counselor for a boys club and to share in many church and community activities.

With such a guest speaker and such a thought-provoking theme for the meeting, "Living as the Community of the Reconciled," those women attending are sure to become informed, inspired, and led to a deeper commitment and understanding of the Christian way of life, according to the announcement.

The study of the Gospel of John, "In Him Was Life," was continued by Miss Agnes Nelson, and the study of Christian family life, "One Thing Needful," was given by Mrs. Clifford Farmer. The meeting closed with the unison singing of "Blessed Be the Tie That Binds" and the Mizpah benediction. Refreshments were served and the meeting was adjourned.

### Uncle of Guy Wright Dies Sun. In Vernon

Mont L. King, 89, of Vernon, an uncle of Guy Wright, passed away Sunday, April 2.

Services were held Monday, April 3, and burial was in the Vernon cemetery.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wright, Mrs. Howard Randal of Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pat Randal; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hodel and Mike of Lockney; and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wright and Johnny of Clarendon.

### Cub Scouts Enjoy Childress Train Trip

Forty-five Cub Scouts enjoyed a trip to Childress recently by train.

Accompanying them were 10 den mothers. While there, they saw the depot and visited the park, where they enjoyed a sack lunch.

### CARD OF THANKS

To the host of friends who came to us with love and sympathy, to those who could not come but sent flowers or messages of condolence, we want to express our deepest appreciation. We are especially grateful to those who brought food and to the friends who accompanied us to Frederick. May you be blessed and comforted as we were in our loss by the devotion of friends and may we be more worthy of such friendship.

Mrs. Wyley Whitley  
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pritchard  
Doris, Jimmy and Jerry

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There was a time when a "chicken in every pot" was held out as the goal of prosperity. Thanks to research and its application to poultry production, a chicken is no longer regarded as a luxury item on the food bill.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture points out that the broiler chick is the most efficient converter of grain and other food into flesh, requiring 2 1/2 pounds of feed to produce a pound of gain.

Many producers specialize the year-around in growing broilers. Processors use assembly line methods. Cut-up chicken of uniform high quality is a large volume seller in supermarkets.

Between 1950 and 1955, when prices of most food products increased, the retail price of frying chickens dropped an average of 12c a pound.

And in 1955, as compared with the average for the years 1935-39, each of us was consuming 34.8 pounds of poultry instead of 15.6.

It took researchers about 10 years to perfect a small, meaty turkey, and now some 12 million are sold a year. In 1955, we ate 6 pounds of turkey per person—twice as much as in 1940.

Visitors in the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Odom Sunday were their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Odom, and grandchildren, Guy and Pam Jones, of Portales, New Mexico.

### Hymn Singing To Be Held In Turkey Sunday

The Associational hymn singing will be held at the First Baptist Church in Turkey Sunday afternoon, April 9, James Smith, Lelia Lake announced.

A cordial invitation is extended everyone who enjoys singing to come meet with us, Smith said.

The singing session is expected to begin at 3 o'clock.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Nat Bradley over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Don and Mark of Wellington, Mrs. Carroll Fammann of book, and Don Neighbors, Joyce Ponder, both of Dallas.

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### For Sale

FOR SALE: Dummy fireplace, white; screen doors, window screens, 12 doors, large air conditioner. Call Gayle Greene, 259-2912. 46-2c

FOR SALE: Modern, three bedroom stucco house, reasonable price, good location. Telephone 259-2262. 46-3p

Use our efficient Carpet Shampooer Free with purchase of Blue Lustre shampoo. Thompson Bros. Co. 46-1c

FOR SALE: Aluminum and steel building 20' by 80'. Originally cage layer. Edwin Thompson, Memphis, Tex. 46-3p

Windows look like they're out when cleaned with Newspaper Glass Cleaner. It's amazing. Thompson Bros. Co. 46-1c

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FOR SALE: 6 lots, 150 x 140, Whaley Addition; corner of 18th and FM 2361. Phone 259-2414. 45-2p

FOR SALE: Portable barbecue 24-inch grill, at a bargain. 808 Noel. J. C. Wells. 45-1fc

FOR SALE: Blightmaster and Western cottonseed, cane, hagar, combine oats, ground barley, sudan, sorghum alum. Norman's, 10th ann Noel, phone 259-2910, Memphis, Texas. 45-1fc

FOR SALE: My home, 8 rooms and two baths; close in. Also pair twin beds; mattresses with built-in springs. Myrtle Brown, 621 Robertson. 44-1fc

FOR SALE: 16' fiberglass Yellow Jacket boat, 50 h. p. Evinrude motor, custom trailer, skiing equipment. 259-2343. 44-1fc

FOR SALE: My home at 802 So. 6th Street. Priced right. Terms right. Raymond Ballew. 42-1fc

WAIT until our big new 6-plow tractor gets here! You'll see many new money saving features. Watch for our announcement soon. A big surprise is in store for you. Memphis Tractor Sales & Service. 42-5c

### For Rent

FOR RENT: 3-bedroom house, 1502 W. Noel. See Mrs. J. M. Saunders, 1504 W. Noel. 46-1p

FOR RENT: Modern 2 bedroom house, recently redecorated. Call 259-2909. 45-2p

FOR RENT: 4 room furnished house, newly decorated. 903 9th and Robertson. Phone 259-2538. 42-1fc

FOR RENT: Unfurnished apartment, floor furnace, wired for electric stove and gas, washer. 502 1/2 S. 6th St., phone 259-3006. 42-1fc

Furnished apartment; bills paid. Main Apartments, 821 Main. See Mr. Beavers. Call 259-2048. 40-1fc

APARTMENT for rent, furnished or unfurnished. Odom Apartments. 41-1fc

NICE furnished garage apartment 1420 Brice Street. Phone 259-2048 after 5 p. m. 40-1fc

### Help Wanted

ONE LADY with car to help with our Spring rush business. 4 hours a day, \$40 per week. No Investment. For information write Mrs. Charlene Clements, 808 Ave. B NW, Childress, Texas. 45-4c

AVAILABLE AT ONCE Rawleigh business in Hall County or Memphis. Good Opportunity. Experience helpful but not necessary. See or write at once. Rawleigh's, Dept. TXD-250-102, Memphis, Tenn. 46-1p

WOMAN WHO Can Drive . . . If you would enjoy working 3 or 4 hours a day calling regularly each month on a group of Studio Girl Cosmetic clients on a route to be established in and around Memphis, and are willing to make light deliveries, etc., write to Studio Girl Cosmetics, Dept. WN-42, Glendale, California. Route will pay up to \$3.50 per hour. 43-4c

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FARM WORK Wanted: Enclosed. 259-2569.

WANT to buy a two or three room house to be moved. M. Ferrel, 259-3024.

WANTED: Lawns to mow. Adams, 223 N. 3rd.

WILL PAY cash for good pianos. Lemons Furniture Co.

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WILL those who brought my home please call at the for their dishes. Mrs. Wyley.

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FOR windmill repair or for contact Winford Lutz, 1, Hedley, or phone Cherry Hedley.

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NOTICE: For aerial spraying or call either of the following: Raymond Whitten, phone Lakeview; Bill Hildebrand, E. Blakesley, phone 259-2544 Memphis.

We are happy to announce addition of Lonnie Shaw to our staff as salesman. If wanting to buy a car, truck, implements is invited to see Staff Pontiac & Implement.

WHEN you need money in amount to finance your purchase other land, I can help—long terms, cheap interest, annual payments, prompt approval. See me or call me at Clarendon, Texas. Office phone TR4-residence TR4-3374. J. P. P.

VENETIAN-blinds repaired, tapes and cord—furniture repairing—sewing machine repair and parts. Rehels Furniture Shop, 808 Cleveland St., 259-2672.

A. H. MOORE & SON, Water and Irrigation Contractors, cleaning and cleaning wells. Phone 4-3596, Clarendon, P. O. Box.

NOTICE—If you have work let me know. I appreciate your business. I can't help up as I have to watch my but I'll make your beds any you want it done. I may see the summer, so see me for your needs. Miller Mattress, 4-3596, Clarendon, P. O. Box 4-3596, Clarendon, P. O. Box.

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Masonry Service Station With concrete driveway, 75' x 90'. Located 10th & Street, Memphis, Texas.

If interested write: **Texaco, Inc.** Box 2431 Amarillo, Texas

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<i>Low Prices</i>		<b>Strawberries</b>	
		1 lb. boxes	
		3 for ..... \$1.00	
<b>COFFEE</b>		Maryland Club,	
		1 lb. Can ..... <b>69c</b>	
<b>SUGAR 10 lbs.</b>		<b>95c</b>	
<b>Bread</b>	Mrs. Baird's or Mead's, Fresh, Thin sliced	<b>1 1/2 lb. loaf 15c</b>	
<b>OLEO</b>	Solid Pounds	2 lbs. for ... <b>35c</b>	
<b>MEAD'S BISCUITS</b>		3 cans ..... <b>25c</b>	
<b>CHEER</b>	Washing Powder	Giant size .. <b>69c</b>	
<b>Fruit Cocktail</b>	White Swan 303 size cans	<b>3 for 79c</b>	
<b>JELL-O 3 pkg.</b>		<b>25c</b>	
<b>MILK</b>		White Swan, Large cans <b>2 for 29c</b>	
<b>FLOUR</b>		Sweetheart, 25 lb. Sack <b>\$1.79</b>	
<b>AUSTEX SPAGHETTI &amp; MEAT — 2 cans for ..... 49c</b>			
<b>Blackberries</b>	300 size cans	<b>CAKE MIX</b>	Cinch Brand
3 for ..... <b>69c</b>		3 boxes for . <b>69c</b>	
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<b>— PRODUCE —</b>		<b>— MEATS —</b>	
<b>LETTUCE</b>	Per Head <b>12c</b>	<b>BACON</b>	1 lb. Sliced <b>49c</b>
<b>GREEN BEANS</b>	Ky's — Per Pound <b>27c</b>	<b>CURED HAM</b>	<b>79c</b>
<b>SQUASH</b>	Yellow — Per Pound <b>19c</b>	<b>PORK ROAST</b>	<b>39c</b>
<b>NEW POTATOES</b>	Per Pound <b>9c</b>	<b>WEINERS</b>	1 lb. pkg. <b>45c</b>
<b>BANANAS</b>	Per Pound <b>12c</b>		

**Goodnight Grocery**

1419 West Noel Street — On Lakeview Highway

1932 Culture Club entertains Husbands with Dinner Mon.

Estelle 1932 Culture Club entertained their husbands at dinner at 7:30 p. m. Monday, April 3, in the home of Mrs. J. W. Morrison.

Estelle WSCS meets Mon., April 3

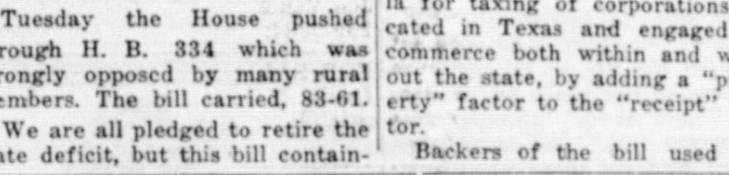
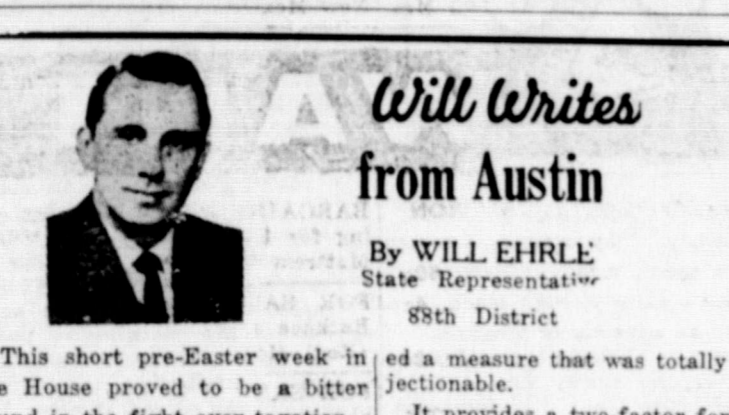
W. S. C. S. of Estelle Monday, April 3, at 2 p. m. in country home of Mrs. C. L. Sloan for their fourth study on "Beliefs of Christianity."

Don Lambert over the East-holidays were her aunt and un-

and Mrs. Bob Martin and after spent the Easter week-

and Mrs. Harry Baskerville daughter, Charlene, visited the Easter holidays with mother, Mrs. Emma Baskerville.

# CANDY by Tom Dorr



**Will Writes from Austin**  
By WILL EHRLÉ  
State Representative  
88th District

This short pre-Easter week in the House proved to be a bitter round in the fight over taxation. Tuesday the House pushed through H. B. 334 which was strongly opposed by many rural members. The bill carried, 83-61. We are all pledged to retire the state deficit, but this bill contain-

propaganda approach that this would take care of large corporations—that they are not being taxed sufficiently. But this bill would affect small industries much more adversely. The giant manufacturing interests successfully obtained an exemption for their plants and property.

**The Other Side**  
What we pointed out was that this franchise tax would really discourage new small industry from coming into Texas—and I firmly believe it will.

If Corporation X wanted a new business in our district, it would discover that by locating its investments, etc., in Hollis, Okla., it would obtain a 40 per cent tax break over locating in our area under this bill if it passes the Senate.

The tax again hits at business property ownership and we don't have to be reminded just how high our ad valorem property taxes are in Texas.

I agree that we should tax receipts and profits made from interstate commerce, but we should not then tax a business if it wants to build in our area. Let's tax its profits, not its property investment.

**No Recommendation**  
In December of last year the State Finance Advisory Commission submitted a 54-page booklet to Governor Daniel and the Legislature. That fact-finding and research group did not find in its studies any recommendation for the two-factor formula which passed the House.

The overall income to be provided by the bill is an estimated \$42,124,000 for the next two-year period, and, of course, is insufficient to retire the deficit.

We still are faced with arriving at a tax to handle the deficit now and in the future. Those of



**BRIDE-TO-BE**— Mr. and Mrs. Odel Anthony of Vernon and formerly of Memphis, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Patricia, to Clois Cobb, Jr., of Vernon. The wedding will be an event of August 26 at the Church of Christ in Vernon. The bride is a graduate of the Memphis High School and a graduate of Draughons Business College of Wichita Falls. Mr. Cobb is a graduate of Lockett High School. He plans to enter Texas Tech College in September.

Jo Ann Odom left Friday to return to her home in Denver, Colo. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Odom, and Jim accompanied her to Denver and returned home Monday.

## Gas Co. District Manager Assigned To Grand Prairie

Doyle C. McKinney has been appointed manager of the Lone Star Gas Company's Grand Prairie district, according to an announcement by A. F. Rowland, vice president in charge of the Fort Worth division of distribution. A 27-year employee of the gas firm, McKinney succeeds M. D. McNiel.

McKinney was born near Van Alstyne in Grayson County Oct. 26, 1912, and is a graduate of Pilot Point High School. He began his career with Lone Star Gas in 1934 at Sherman in the customer service department. Transferred to Greenville in 1938 where he remained until entering the U. S. Air Force in 1942, he resumed his work with Lone Star following his discharge in 1945.

He received his initial managerial appointment at Wellington in April, 1952, and served there until moving to Childress in 1954 as district manager.

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**WHITE SWAN COFFEE 63¢**

**BOBEY'S SHOESTRING POTATOES 43¢** GIANT 8 oz. CAN

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Robert A. Wells  
Monte Blue  
Fimis Lewis  
Mrs. Mabel Lavender  
Mrs. Garland Coldiron  
Mrs. L. J. Kennon  
Bud Norman  
Mrs. Elmer Saunders  
Lela Duncan

10th Ruby Reynolds  
Billy Joe Hall  
Mrs. G. W. Kesterson  
Larry Don Ivy  
Betty Shira  
Ida Whitten  
Mrs. Ben C. Davis  
Mary Erwin  
Rex Rea

All above names received set of plastic glasses

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**BANQUET FROZEN PIES 89¢** 3 FOR  
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**LIBBY'S Fruit Cocktail 5 303 cans for--- \$1**

**FOOD KING SHORTENING 3 lb. can 59¢**

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Marie Yandell

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**Fresh U.S.D.A. Meats**

**NICE PORK CHOPS 39¢** POUND

**GROUND BEEF 39¢** POUND

**From the Swanee River Country**

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**NICE BEEF RIBS 29¢** POUND

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## EDITORIAL

### The Tourist Advertising Program

Will the Texas Legislature let the tourist advertising program die a quiet death for lack of funds? Many observers at the State Capitol think so — unless that program's supporters are willing to stand up and be counted.

Now being studied by the lawmakers is a budget requesting \$300,000 a year for the next biennium for tourist advertising. In the State Senate, this request is in the Senate Finance Committee; in the House of Representatives, it is in the Subcommittee on Finance of the House Appropriations Committee.

The \$300,000 a year seems a pittance when compared with the giant budgets submitted for many other programs, but it must be remembered that the Legislature is working in a troubled fiscal climate. A large deficit in the General Fund hangs over the lawmakers' heads and they are faced with a multitude of requests for State funds. In this atmosphere the feeling about tourist advertising seems to be, "It's a good thing, but there is no money for it."

Tourist advertising would indeed be a good thing for the State of Texas, the Panhandle of Texas and for Hall County. The Legislature should be encouraged to find the money for it. Texas has fallen 20 years behind the times in advertising its tourist attractions in competition with other States. If Texas could compete for the tourist dollar, the result would be a healthy increase in the amount of tax money poured into State coffers by out-of-state visitors. Our neighbors to the west, New Mexico, reports that it gets a return of \$35 in State taxes for each dollar spent for tourist advertising.

How does it help Hall County and Memphis? Tourists use Highways 287 and 256 going to see the tourist attraction sites in the state. Within the last two years Memphis residents have seen new service stations put up on these Highways. Plans for another new service station are being discussed. Also tourists need lodging, car repairs, food and many other essential services.

The danger in which tourist advertising now finds itself results largely from public complacency. Many people thought the job was done when a constitutional amendment was approved by popular vote in 1958 authorizing the Legislature to go ahead with tourist advertising. It was felt that this was a clear mandate from the people. But although the Legislature in 1959 set up the machinery necessary to advertise Texas, no funds were found available to do the job. The battle remains only half won.

At this crucial point, the lawmakers in Austin are making up their minds about tourist advertising. Many ears are now to the ground listening for any expression of opinion from the home folks. If there is none, tourist advertising may be allowed to die on the vine.

Texas tourism is in the midst of a disquieting decline. Failure to adequately finance a tourist advertising program could deal a death blow to Texas tourist trade for years to come. If tourist advertising is to be saved, its supporters must stand up and speak up — now.



#### Good Enuf for Comstock

Springs that provide 116,000 gallons of water per day should be good enough for anybody.

People in the Southwest Texas town of Comstock decided long ago that such springs were good enough for them, so they named them "Good Enough Springs."

The springs are located just south of Comstock, in Val Verde County, and their fine waters feed the Rio Grande River.

#### Famous Tree Near Rockport

You won't believe it until you see it yourself.

It's the largest live oak tree in the world, and it's located by Goose Island State Park near Rockport, in Aransas County, on the Gulf Coast.

This majestic symbol of the ages is more than 2,000 years old, having burst into life a hundred years before the birth of Christ.

From its majestic trunk, branches spread forth 118 feet to shade the approximate area of a city block.

#### Famous San Antonio Fort

Teddy Roosevelt trained his famous Rough Riders in Texas in the same fort that housed such outstanding generals as Grant, Lee, Sheridan and Hood.

It's the 3,000 acre Fort Sam Houston, the greatest Army Post in the United States. It's located within the confines of San Antonio. Old "Fort Sam" dates back to the pre-Civil-War days and still is active today. Much of the old atmosphere remains.

It's a sight to see, whether you're interested in the activities of today or of yesteryear.

#### Brownsville's Jose Is First

Jose Ayala is its name and its number is No. 1. Jose is a miniature, but honest-to-goodness, railroad locomotive.

Today it is a tourist attraction at Brownsville, in Cameron County, on the southern tip of Texas on the border of Mexico.

Around the end of the 1800's, "Jose" was the first locomotive to pull the freight-laden, toy-like railroad cars over the Rio Grande Railroad coming from Port Isabel into Brownsville.

#### Eggs in Your Mail

A post office may seem like an ordinary building to most anyone, and certainly not a tourist attraction. But there is one post office in Texas that really is a sight to behold.

It is referred to as "The Federal Building" and is east of Huntsville at Point Blank, Texas, in East Texas' San Jacinto County.

Don't expect to be awed by its beauty or immense size, but do be prepared for a little chuckle. After all, what do you expect from a former chicken house?

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## NEW JUGGLING ACT



## ACROSS the DESK

### What Other Editors Say

#### Sunshine In The Economic Field

For several months, reports on the economic situation in the nation have varied from very bleak to bright. Some of the reports have been nothing more than guesswork. Some have been depressing.

In face of conflicting reports, is there any way for the retail merchant to get a true picture of his potential sales for 1961?

Yes. A few reports are based on facts. Perhaps the most reliable are the figures of the Federal Reserve Board. This disinterested agency indicates that 1961 is going to be an exceptionally good year for the retailer.

The volume of spring shopping, according to the Federal Reserve Board, is running well above last year's volume. During the first week in March, department stores did 26 per cent more business than they did in 1960.

Dunn and Bradstreet, another reliable source of information on market conditions, supports the optimism reflected in the Federal Reserve Board estimates. The firm reports retail trade "smartly" above a year ago.

Another sign worth noting: The nation's largest retail store has just announced that it will spend more on newspaper advertising in 1961 than it has during any previous year.

Of course some retail stores have lost business because of localized unemployment. In general, however, the retail merchant should be doing better than he did in 1960 or 1959.

Apparently some retailers are assuming that things are going to get worse before they get better. This attitude can certainly make the assumption true.

It leads to a reduction in advertising and promotion which drives business to other stores. There is good evidence that the consumer has money to spend, and that he is spending it where he is being sold by strong local advertising.

— Ochiltree County Herald

#### Newspaper Advertising

Editor and Publisher quotes the head of a large retailing organization, which has 36 stores around the country, as saying that it "couldn't do business today without the 84 papers in which we advertise."

This magazine adds: "Other retailing establishments are paying the same tribute to newspapers every day in the year through their advertising dollars. They know which advertising medium sells

goods with speed and economy... Newspaper advertising moves goods off the retailers' shelves into the hands of consumers regardless of whether the sales effort is made by the manufacturer or the retailer."

Nothing replaces the printed word — and most particularly, from an advertiser's standpoint, the printed word which the thousands of daily and weekly newspapers of this country bring to their tens of millions of readers.

And yet we know merchants who won't advertise because: "Local papers don't have enough circulation," "advertising in a

weekly paper is a waste of money," "my business is too small to spend money advertising," "I don't carry enough stock to back up an advertising program," "I've been in business here a long time, everyone knows I'm here," "I'll advertise when I'm forced to do so," "I'm doing all the business we want to do anyway," "People won't come here because they read those big ads in the daily every morning and night and hear is on TV and radio," "Circulators get to more people." And on and on, and on! And yet those same business people fret by the hour because they would like to see a payroll come to town, new industry and more people — never stopping to realize with the fixed attitudes they have they could never hope to attract any of this "hoped-for" new money into their establishments. They are really making it tough on the businesses that advertise regularly and try to bring people (and are doing so) here every day and every week.

To all the above excuses for not spending a few bucks helping themselves and their town, we feel like saying "Ho Hum!" But we won't!

— The Sinton Enterprises

**Burlington Route** Way of the Zephyrs

**Hi Kids!**  
HAVE FUN as you learn

FW&D All-Expense Educational Tour to **COLORADO**

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**\$2878 \$2119**

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Eden, Ghost Town, Cave of the Winds,  
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RESERVATIONS should be made for Colo-  
rado tour not later than Monday, April 17.

FW&D All-Expense Educational Tours to **DALLAS**

TOUR NO. 1—APRIL 15  
TOUR NO. 2—APRIL 29

TOUR COST FROM MEMPHIS  
ADULT CHILD UNDER 12  
**\$1678 \$1227**

TOUR FEATURES  
Dallas Morning News, Marshall Park  
Zoo, Spitz Planetarium Show, Health  
and Science Museum, Museum of Na-  
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seum of Fine Arts and Hall of State.  
Also many other interesting and edu-  
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Tour five days before departure date.

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### Memories Turning Back Time

From The Democrat Files

20 YEARS AGO  
April 3, 1941

Robert Breedlove of United Gas Corporation organization here, will leave April 6 for Houston to attend the annual two-day operating meeting of the company there, according to G. L. Taylor, district manager.

Mrs. Mary Bownds, Mrs. T. Holcomb, and Misses Corene Holcomb, Eva Mae Holcomb, and Mildred Baker visited in Clarendon Sunday.

Actual construction work on the new amphitheatre at the Memphis City Park was begun this week, according to C. C. Hodges, chairman of the Park Board. Workmen are busy cutting the seats from the hillside and building forms for the concrete.

Compilation of the first printed city directory in Memphis since 1930 started this week with the arrival of C. L. Moorhead of the Moorhead Directory Company of Amarillo.

Misses Tops and Jimmy Gilreath visited Sunday in the home of their sister, Miss Jewel Gilreath of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamar West announce the birth of a son March 31.

Mr. and Mrs. Glyn Thompson visited in Shamrock Sunday.

April Fool's Day was observed in Giles with a play-day, when school students of that community were joined by those from Jericho, Martin and McKnight to make the observance a success. During the morning, a program was given, with each school present contributing two numbers. Lunch was served at noon. In the afternoon, the students played various games while the parents

10 YEARS AGO  
April 12, 1951

H. J. Howell was elected president of the Memphis Lions Club last week at the annual meeting held in the Masonic Temple. Other officers elected included B. Wilson, Sr., first vice president; Ace Gailey, second vice president; and J. W. Coppedge, elected secretary. E. A. Smith, treasurer; Robert Young, tamer and Bob Ayers, teller.

Installation of a dial telephone system and expansion of the wire system plans for the community were announced by Roy L. Brewer, district manager of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company.

Hall County was credited with 10,930 residents in the Bureau's final tabulation for 1950 — a decrease of 1,187 from last ten years.

Dr. James Odom of Memphis was named president-elect of the Panhandle District Medical Society in Amarillo Tuesday at the 52nd annual meeting of the society.

A host of Memphis citizens were in Amarillo this week to attend the district convention of the Federation of Women's Clubs. Among those who attended from here were Mrs. L. Kinard, Mrs. W. C. Dickson, Mrs. Mac Tarver, Mrs. T. M. MacRae, Mrs. R. S. Geene, Mrs. Phillips, Mrs. Clifford, Mrs. Lynn McKown, Mrs. Stokes, Mrs. Mac Wilson, Robert Moss, Mr. D. A. Odom, Mrs. Frank Ellis, Mrs. R. E. Ry and Mrs. Seth Palmer.

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We send this free booklet to industry leaders as another step in our area development program

THE business of West Texas Utilities Company is growing because the area we serve is growing. But our plant expansion is growing faster than our business. That's because we work hard to stay ahead of the additional area growth we are convinced is coming. To stimulate even more growth, we are engaged in an extensive program designed to invite new industry our way. The campaign includes an advertising schedule in national publications, personal visits to industrial areas, development of statistical data, and area booklets such as the one shown above. This is one of the ways we work with and for our communities to assist in local development. We do so with enthusiasm and vigor because of our conviction that this area faces GROWTH UNLIMITED.

West Texas Utilities Company



# Objectives Of New Feed Grain Program Outlined

Feed grain legislation, signed by law on March 22 by President Kennedy, has four purposes: to increase farm income; to further buildup of the grain surplus and reduce its price; to help assure the consumer of fair and stable prices for poultry and dairy products; and to reduce the ultimate feed grain costs to taxpayers.

Cooperating farmers will be eligible for support prices—\$1.93 cwt. on grain sorghums, \$1.20 per bushel on corn, 92c per bushel on barley, 62c for oats and \$1.02 per bushel for rye. The non-cooperator will not be eligible for price support on any of these crops, Bates said. His production would have to move at market prices. He cannot depend upon the government price support nor his neighbor's production adjustment to hold up the market price.

Cooperators, if they choose, may receive payments in the form of negotiable certificates which represent grain from CCC stocks. The Secretary of Agriculture will determine the flow of this grain into market channels.

A cooperator, Bates said, agrees to reduce by at least 20 per cent his grain sorghum or corn acreage for 1961 below his 1959-60 average. The diverted acres must be put to some conservation use. It cannot be harvested or pasture. Weeds, insects and rodents must be controlled on the diverted acreage.

In turn he will receive, in addition to his eligibility for price supports on his grain crops, a payment for each acre diverted to conservation use. The rate of payment for the first 20 per cent diverted will be 50 per cent of the normal production of the acreage diverted times the county support price. (This price will be announced shortly by county ASC officials). As an additional incentive, a grower may divert an additional 20 per cent and receive a

payment rate of 60 per cent times the county price per acre diverted. A grower becomes eligible for advance payment—50 per cent of the total—when he signifies his intention of cooperating. This advance payment, Bates said, will help the producer meet his production expenses and is expected to be an important incentive for cooperation.

The specialist added that the program is effective protection in case of crop failure. The payment on diverted acres will be made regardless of weather and is a measure of income insurance as are the higher price supports.

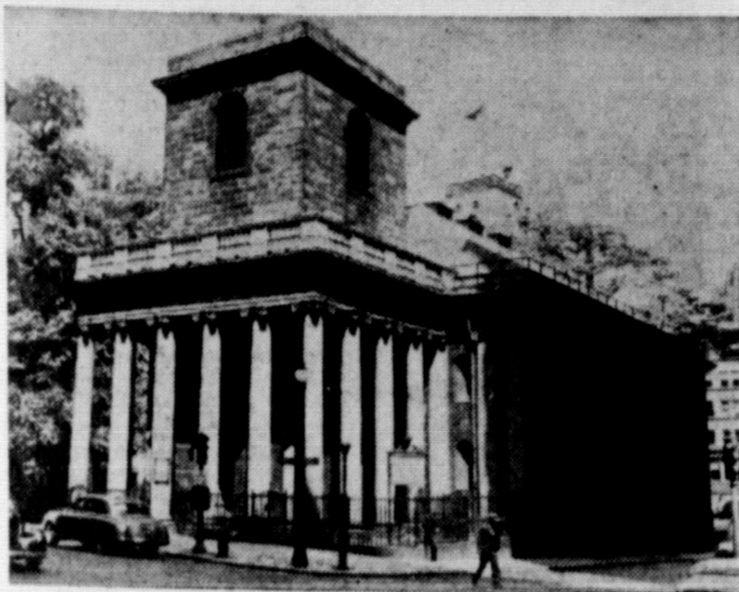
The non-cooperator, Bates advised, will not be eligible for price support on any grain crop and cannot expect to build up his acreage base for future programs. It has been emphasized that the U. S. Department of Agriculture will strongly recommend to Congress that any legislation involving production adjustments give no advantage to producers who fail to cooperate in the 1961 feed grain program.

While many details remain to be worked out, Bates said, county ASC officials have the basic information on the program and are in a position to answer most questions.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Beasley of Amarillo visited here during the Easter weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Beasley Sr. and with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Widener.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crawford, Bryan and Nathan of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morrison and sons of Happy, Doris Gibson and daughters Karen Ann and Lynn of Amarillo visited over the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Morrison.

## Snapshots—Boston's Famous Church



With few exceptions, every major American city has among its most outstanding landmarks a famous church. As the early settlers pushed westward, they marked the site of a new settlement with a house of worship. The first structures, of course, were of rude construction but as civilization progressed, so did the church buildings soon become strong, sturdy and lasting monuments to the various faiths of our forefathers. Shown above is King's Chapel, Boston—first Episcopal Church in New England. The present church, built in the 1750's, is the first granite structure built in New England.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Monzingo and daughters of Amarillo visited over the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Monzingo.

Helen Madden of Geneseo, Ill., was here over the Easter holidays to visit her mother, Mrs. R. L. Madden, and to attend the Ex-Student Banquet.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Dennis and sons of Berger were weekend visitors in the homes of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Dennis, and her mother, Mrs. Ed McCreary.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Breedlove visited during the Easter holidays with their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Breedlove, Jr., of Lawrence, Kansas.



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## LOCALS AND PERSONALS

Bobby and Judy Lemons, students at McMurry College in Abilene visited over the Easter holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Lemons and family. Also visiting in the Lemons home was Kathy Phillips, former Memphis band director and now director of the Muleshoe band.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Gunstream and sons of Muleshoe and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lowrie and Donna of Dodson visited during the holidays with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Gunstream.

Mrs. Wendell Harrison and daughter, Rose Mary, visited over the weekend in Sylvester with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Beck.

Mrs. Rex Hull visited this weekend in Canyon with her daughter and husband, the Roger McParrens. While there, they and other relatives enjoyed spending some time at Buffalo Lake.

Carroll Foxhall of Oklahoma City visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Piland and Rachael Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson and Mrs. Myrtle Crabb spent Sunday in Amarillo visiting with their brother and son, Noy Crabb and wife.

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- FRESH LOUISIANA CAT FISH** **69¢**
- Pound
- HAMBURGER MEAT** **39¢**
- Pound
- FAMILY STYLE STEAK** **59¢**
- Pound
- BEEF ROAST** **45¢**
- Pound
- GOOD VALUE BACON** **49¢**
- Pound

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**Coffee lb. can 59¢**

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**R. C. Cola** **29¢**

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- 12 oz. pkg.
- MORTON DINNERS** **49¢**
- 11 oz. pkg.
- IGA TUNA** **45¢**
- 2 FOR Reg. Cans
- BORDEN'S Charlotte Freeze MELLORINE** **39¢**
- ½ Gallon
- GOOD VALUE PEACHES** **79¢**
- 3 FOR 2½ Cans
- KLEENEX** **49¢**
- 2 FOR 400 Count pkg.
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- 25 lb. Print Bag
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- Pound
- GOOD VALUE EARLY JUNE PEAS** **59¢**
- 4 FOR 303 Can
- GOOD VALUE TOMATOES** **59¢**
- 4 FOR 303 Can
- GOOD VALUE PORK & BEANS** **29¢**
- 3 FOR 300 Cans
- GOOD VALUE HOMINY** **29¢**
- 3 FOR 300 Cans
- GOOD VALUE SPAGHETTI** **45¢**
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### New Ford 6000 Tractor To Be On Display Here

"Work-hungry" is a description of the newest, biggest and most powerful tractor ever built by Ford Motor Co. Designated the Ford "6000," it goes on display Saturday at Memphis Tractor Sales & Service showroom in Memphis.

Farmers of this area were extended an invitation to visit the local Ford tractor dealer, 706 Noel St., Saturday, and see the new tractor. Free coffee and doughnuts will be served all day.

"The 6000 is a five-plow tractor. Its work-ability, the economical operation and its adaptability to all farming tasks ideally qualify it for use by farmers seeking to ease the cost-prize squeeze," John Dorsey, manager, said.

Among the new implements engineered by Ford especially for the new tractor is a rear-mounted heavy-duty tool bar and a unit planter which provides components for the assembly of multi-row planters to handle up to six 40-inch rows. A six-row Flexo-hitch drill planter and a six-row front mounted cultivator are other new items.

"The new Ford 6000 tractor," Dorsey continued, "is designed for operation with most three-point hitch and pull-type equipment now commonly owned by or available to farmers.

Heart of the 6000 is a completely new six-cylinder diesel engine. It delivers manufacturer's horsepower ratings of 60 at the drawbar and 66 at the power-take-off. With a 3.62-inch bore and a 3.9-inch stroke, it has a 16.5 to 1 compression ratio to make it a power and economy leader.

In addition to unusual power, Dorsey said Ford designed the 6000 to excel in stability, safety and operator ease and comfort.

Its balanced design employs full-length side rails for even distribution of its fully loaded weight of about 10,000 pounds.

Completely adapting the 6000 to all farm tasks is the exclusive Ford feature of power-shift "Select-O-Speed" 10-speed transmission. This advanced transmission requires no clutch pedal and provides 10 forward and two reverse speeds with 540 and 1,000 RPM PTO for the operation of tractor-powered equipment.

"Farmers will welcome the new tractor's built-in comfort and convenience," he added. "Such standard items as power steering, wet disc power brakes needing only the weight of a foot for positive application, step-plates etc., will reduce operator fatigue."

An exclusive hydraulic power accumulator system keeps hydraulic power at constant pressure for peak demand loads.

"We believe every tractor user in this area will want to inspect this new tractor," Dorsey said. "And we cordially invite them to do so."

### J. H. Richardson Of Turkey Dies

John H. Richardson, 87, a Hall County and Turkey resident for 51 years, died late Wednesday, March 29, in Stanley Hospital in Matador.

Funeral services were held at 10:30 a.m. Friday in the Turkey Church of Christ with Minister Alva Johnson and Rev. Johnny Williams, pastor of the Turkey Methodist Church, officiating.

Burial was in Dreamland Cemetery under the direction of Eudy-Seale Funeral Home of Turkey.

Mr. Richardson, a retired farmer, was born Sept. 2, 1875.

Survivors include his wife, Frances of the home; one daughter, Mrs. Ethyl Eudy, of Turkey; one son, Joe Richardson of Turkey; 12 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.



**WORLDLY COTTONS**—Cotton has become a year-round fashion favorite both in this country and abroad. Smart fashions above, left to right, include a man's cabana outfit from Holland; a lady's terry beach suit from the United States; a double-weight cotton knit checked suit from Sweden; and a weather-proof checked cotton coat with detachable Sherlock Holmes cape from England. New chemical finishes and mass market manufacturing techniques have opened new horizons for cotton at home and abroad, Cotton Council International reports.

### ESTELLINE NEWS

David Walker, a seventh grade student, had the misfortune to break his left leg over the weekend. He is at present a patient in a Memphis hospital. The horse he was riding fell on David, and both bones are broken.

Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Price of Big Spring spent the weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arle Jones.

Mrs. Dick Voegler, Susan and Jeri, were weekend guests of her mother, Mrs. D. T. Eddins, and two sisters, Mrs. R. V. Wood and family and Mrs. Rab Holland and family. The family grouping was completed Sunday with the arrival

of Mrs. Annis Carol Bruce, Jenns and Gene of Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meadows and two girls of Amarillo were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lura Marcum, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Ferrel and Donna Gail spent the weekend in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Crump Ferrel of Par-

nell and Mr. and Mrs. Elem Or-cutt of Estelline.

Mias Sue Harris of Memphis spent Sunday in the home of her sister, Mrs. Leon Helm, and family.

Mrs. L. P. Blevins of Amarillo has recently visited in the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Helm, and family.

Cecil and Rusty McCollum of Lubbock visited in the home of their aunt, Mrs. W. B. Davidson and family recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Whaley spent the Easter week in Beaumont in the home of their son, Jim Whaley, wife and children, Mimi and Jim.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Darby had as their Easter guests, their daughter, Frankie, and grandson, of Lubbock.

The Curtis family had their reunion over the Easter holidays. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Buz Summerour of Dairhart, Mr. and Mrs. Finis Curtis of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Carl-ton of Memphis, and Miss Mildred Wright, who is a student at West Texas State College in Canyon.

On Saturday, all ate dinner with Mrs. Iva Wright in Estelline. Making the grouping complete were Mrs. Nell Curtis of Estelline and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Couch of Parnell.

Students home for the holidays were Larry Braidfoot of Texas A and M College and Becky Moore from Texas Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jackson are in Alanreed visiting in the home of her brother, Rev. S. T. Greenwood, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dick Sr. of Bonham spent the weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Phillips.

An Easter reunion was held in

Silverton for the Welch family. All but one of the Welch children were present and the entire group talked with Mrs. Olof McElmurry in California, a sister, before the day was over. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Claudia Welch and four children of Estelline, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Long and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Welch and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Welch and family, and Ronald Welch and their mother, Mrs. M. L. Welch, of Silverton.

Mr. and Mrs. James Roberts and son, Rodney, spent the weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eddins, and Donna.

Three school board members re-elected last Saturday were Jerrel Rapp, George Helm and O. B. Hoover.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Richburg spent the weekend in Fort Worth visiting in the home of their two daughters and son who live there with their families.

Mrs. David Cannon and three children of Pratt, Kansas, spent Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Britt, Sr.

Those attending the MYF dinner and services in the Memphis Methodist Church Sunday were Mrs. Rab Holland, Sarah Holland, Jay Holland, Mrs. R. V. Wood, Sandra Wood, Mike Davidson, Ricky Futch, Donna Sue Eddins, Freddie Futch, Rev. and Mrs. James Futch and Jan and Mrs. Joe Eddins came later after church at Estelline.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Smith of Midland visited over the Easter weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brown Smith, her mother, Mrs. Reba Stroehle, and grand-children, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Fitz-jarrald.

### Estelline Play Gets Superior Rating In Area Contest

The Estelline One-Act Play entered the area contest Thursday, March 30, in the Cooper School near Lubbock.

Their play, "The Make Dreams," was given an excellent rating and was chosen the best play from this area. J. Barnes was chosen the Best Actress of the area. Noel Star Actors. The group Bledsoe won first in the area and will go to regional in back on April 22. Four groups competed, Bledsoe, Estelline, beetie and Cooper, Districts 9 and 11.

Those attending the contest from Estelline were the Misses Joe Allen Ballard, Jeanne Ballard, Mr. and Mrs. Seay, Mrs. Forrest Hall, Mrs. Clifton, Sr., Mrs. Jernell Laynette Seay, Elaine Seay, Longbine, and the cast which included Noel Clifton, Jr., Stephens and Jo Beth Barnes.

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**NEW! PTO with dual power range.** The Ford 6000 offers both 540 and 1000 rpm PTO speeds each at two different throttle settings. Delivers up to 20% more power for heavy PTO work; up to 25% saving in fuel on light PTO jobs.

**NEW! Only 5-plow tractor with on-the-go shifting** to any speed at any time —without clutching, without stopping. Just a flick of the wrist does it. Your choice of 10 speeds forward and 2 in reverse. Proved by more than 6 million hours of operation. Try Select-O-Speed!

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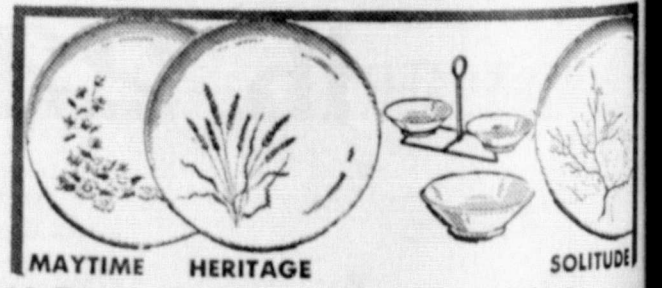
**\$2 for \$5**



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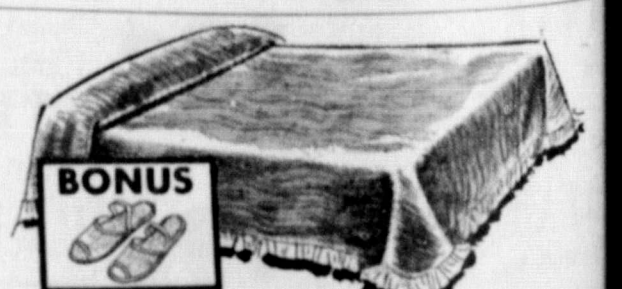
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Locals and Personals

Visiting over the Easter holidays with Mrs. Bess Crump were Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Crump, Carolyn, Eddie and Tommy, Cinda and Cathy of Bovina; Mr. and Mrs. J. Shepherd and Susan, Barry and Jimmy of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Godfrey and Lugay, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Callahan and Deborah and T. D. Weatherby of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Massey and children of Dumas visited over Easter weekend with his mother, Mrs. Alvin Massey, and attended the Ex-Students Banquet.

Visiting in the Guy Smith home over the holidays were their son, Jim, of Tulia, Cynthia Robinson and Gay Roper, also of Tulia, Mr. and Mrs. Arvor Smith of Denton and Mr. and Mrs. Arch Thornton of Paducah.

Visitors in the Bill Miller home over the weekend were their two daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Don Davis of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Morrison and Jay Mark, also of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ace Gailey and family and Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard visited in Abilene during the Easter weekend with their brothers and sons, Dwight Kinard and family, and Cearley Reed Kinard and family. Mrs. Kinard remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Patrick and daughter, Kerry, of Borger were weekend visitors in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Patrick.

Further information on soil building crops can be obtained by contacting your local Soil Conservation Service at the Court House in Memphis.

HALF-PAST TEEN



Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kilgore and son, Mike, spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Gardenhire and Mrs. Ruth Kilgore of Memphis. The Kilgores live in Los Alamos, New Mexico.

Mrs. Henry Manton of Dallas arrived Tuesday for a two-week visit here with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fowler, Sara and Peggy.

Mrs. Phaeton Alexander, and Mrs. Andy Gardenhire, Sheila and Dena of Plainview visited in Pampa Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ferrel and children, Debbie Ferrel returned home with Sheila and Dena for an overnight visit.

Phaeton Alexander, Andy Gardenhire, Oran Adcock and Wayne Martin fished at Possum Kingdom over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Young and boys of Dumas, Mrs. Thursa Smith and Paul and Mrs. S. C. Davis and children of Memphis visited here Sunday with their mother.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Welch and daughters, Susan, Carolyn and Diane, arrived from Houston Saturday to spend the Easter holidays with Mrs. Welch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Combs and other relatives. Mr. Welch has returned home while Mrs. Welch and daughters remained for a two week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Yancey, Carla and Bill spent the Easter holidays in Austin visiting with his father, M. L. Yancey.

Mr. and Mrs. James Freeman Jr. and son of Lubbock were weekend visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Gentry and family, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Freeman and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark and family of Dallas spent the holidays visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hays, and his mother, Mrs. R. E. Clark.

Tim Kirk, son of Mrs. Fan Kirk of Lakeview, visited over the Easter holidays. He is a student at University of Texas Law school at Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Piland of Norman, Okla., spent the Easter holidays here visiting his aunt, Rachel Jones, and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Piland.

Brenda Duncan of North Texas State College at Denton spent the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Duncan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Youree of Borger were visitors during the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Gidden and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Richburg of Estelline visited in Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Dodson Jr., and family, and Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Murphy Jr. during the Easter weekend.

Mr. Fred Chamberlain and children of Clarendon were Memphis visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Jones and boys of Borger, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Jones and boys of Amarillo were weekend visitors in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Jones, and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry McQueen of Austin spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira McQueen and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Parks and Larry.

NEWLIN

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Messick of Plainview were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dock Messick last week. The Bill Messicks were former residents of the Newlin community several years ago and he is Dock Messick's brother.

Carolyn Hoover and Murram Ward are home from W. T. S. C. in Canyon for the Easter holidays. Mrs. Oleta Wells of Quanah, Mrs. Helen Johnson of Childress and Sonja Gayle Gresham of Austin visited Mrs. B. L. Gresham in Memphis and relatives in Newlin Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Messick were Easter visitors in Vernon. Their son, D. C., Jr., and family, are their interest, and especially the grandchildren.

Mrs. R. O. Nelson of Estelline was a Newlin visitor Friday afternoon.

J. H. Misenhimer of Illinois visited his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Misenhimer, last Tuesday and Tuesday night.

Easter visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gardenhire were their daughter and family, M. and Mrs. Lewis Kilgore and Mike of Los Alamos, N. M. While here, they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Misenhimer.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Berryman, Donna and Zoe of Lubbock visited Mrs. B. L. Gresham of Memphis and Newlin relatives over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Stewart had as Easter visitors their son, Gene, and wife and son of Andrews,

Locals and Personals

Henry Scott was in Wichita Falls last week for a medical checkup and while there he visited with his daughters, Mrs. C. E. Tension and family and Mrs. D. Jack Battle and family. When Mr. Scott returned to Memphis, Mrs. Tension and son, Robert, brought him and visited until Saturday.

The Baptist Ambassadors of Pampa and Clarendon were guests in the home of Barbara Elem and Beatrice Hook during the Youth Revival.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Koeninger and daughter, Neva Sue, visited his brother and wife in Duncan, Okla., this past weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Dude Helm were Amarillo visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Murray and son Jeffrey Scott of Canyon spent the Easter holidays here with Mrs. Murray's mother, Mrs. Allen Grundy.

their daughter, Melba, and family of Amarillo.

Mrs. John Hoover received word from Commerce this last week that her brother-in-law, Sam Poe, had passed away. Mr. Poe was 97 years old.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Sims Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Don Sims of Perryton, Raye and Gaye Maddox of Memphis, Mrs. Bill Ross and Mrs. E. A. Nelson of Childress.

Miss Tommye Noel of Denton has been visiting here for several days with her aunts, Mrs. Mac Tarver and Mrs. Allen Grundy and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Elmer Fisher of Pampa spent the weekend here visiting her mother, Mrs. C. E. Gowan and Dorothy.

Mrs. John Albrecht of Doland, S. D., visited here with her father, Angus Huckaby.

CARD OF THANKS We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to our many friends and neighbors for their kindness and kindly ministrations to us during the illness and at the time of the death of our loved one, and those who sent the beautiful floral offerings. It is our wish that when this same sadness comes to your home you will have God's richest blessings and the same kindness at the hands of your friends and neighbors.

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Conservation District News Hall County

Supervisors of the Hall County Conservation District are planning to consider several different crops adapted to Hall County soil that is adapted to the area. The crops are: 1. Cotton. 2. Soybeans. 3. Corn. 4. Sorghum. 5. Alfalfa. 6. Clover. 7. Beans. 8. Peas. 9. Lentils. 10. Chickpeas. 11. Sunflower. 12. Millet. 13. Buckwheat. 14. Rye. 15. Oats. 16. Barley. 17. Flax. 18. Sesame. 19. Castor. 20. Hemp. 21. Flue-cured tobacco. 22. Burley tobacco. 23. Shredded tobacco. 24. Cattle. 25. Horses. 26. Poultry. 27. Swine. 28. Sheep. 29. Goats. 30. Bees. 31. Aquaculture. 32. Horticulture. 33. Forestry. 34. Wildlife. 35. Recreation. 36. Education. 37. Research. 38. Extension. 39. Administration. 40. Miscellaneous.

On dryland guar is from 300 to 600 pounds per acre. Guar may be planted with a combine and if quality is high will bring same income as grain.

Soil building crops such as (blackeyes, brown melon, red, white, and yellow) will put approximately 100 pounds of pure nitrogen into the soil. Both cowpeas and soybeans help maintain vital organic matter in the soil. Builders have other uses such as helping the soil hold more water and help prevent blowing.

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### Car Inspection Deadline Is Sat., April 15

Inspection stickers deadline is Saturday midnight, April 15. Motorists are warned there is less than a week and a half for procuring their new 1961 inspection stickers.

This announcement was made by Captain Allan Johnson of the Motor Vehicle Inspection Service of the Texas Department of Public Safety.

Johnson pointed out that of the 544,419 vehicles registered in the 60 counties of this region, only a little more than half of them have been inspected and approved. This means that in the last few days of inspection there will be long lines of cars and trucks waiting to be inspected.

Local motorists are reminded that the inspection law prohibits inspections being made when it is raining or the streets are wet.

"So, it is possible that inclement weather could prevent inspection these last few days," Johnson said. "There will be no extension of the April 15 deadline for inspection."

Anyone operating a motor vehicle after midnight April 15 without displaying a 1961 inspection sticker will be operating in violation of the law and subject to a fine, not to exceed \$200.00 plus court cost.

### Baptist Church At Lakeview Plans Revival

The Lakeview Baptist Church will have a Revival Meeting beginning Sunday, April 9, and concluding Sunday, April 16, it was announced this week by church leaders.

The evangelist will be the local pastor, Rev. H. W. Hill.

Song leader will be Lester Bevers of Lakeview, and Mrs. H. W. Spear will be the pianist.

Services on the weekdays will begin at 10 a. m. and at 8 p. m., with the evening services being preceded by prayer services at 7:30.

The public is invited to attend all services of the revival.

### Estelline Gin

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ect, but the public is urgently requested to attend.

A mailing list has been compiled and anyone whose name has been omitted from the list and would like to be on it are asked to contact one of the board members.

At a past meeting, Mrs. Hildred McMinn was elected secretary of the group and in addition to the seven board members, the following men were added to the board: Lester Phillips, Leon Phillips, Joe Kent Eddins, John Chaudoin, Crump Ferrel, Lloyd Williams, Rayford Jones and George Helm.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ward had as weekend guests their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Ward and daughter, Karen Maddox, Mrs. Wanda Morris and Jay and Kay, all of Amarillo.



**FIVE GENERATIONS**—Five generations of the S. S. Montgomery family were together here recently for a reunion. Mr. Montgomery is shown holding his great, great-granddaughter, four month old Shelly Sue Voirin, who was born one day after Mr. Montgomery's birthday. To the left of Mr. Montgomery is Mrs. Mert Wilson of Irving and to the right, is Mrs. Steve Ann Voirin, also of Irving. Standing is S. S. Montgomery, Jr., of Irving.

### School Students Railway Tour Being Offered

School students from cities along the main line of Fort Worth and Denver Railway, and from outlying towns, will have an opportunity of taking educational tours via train this spring.

Several thousand children will take train trips from 10 to 1,000 miles or more as part of their studies in American Transportation. Over 40,000 students made educational trips last year.

The railroad offers all-expense student trips to Dallas April 15 and April 29, and to Colorado Springs, Colo., on April 22, which are not only studies in transportation, but also feature many interesting points of educational and entertainment value.

The Sam Jacksons had as weekend visitors their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hale and daughter of Borger, and grandchildren, Stevie, Tim, Kent and Vicki Horrell, all of Amarillo.

### Methodists To Begin Revival Sun. At Estelline

The Estelline Methodist Church will hold a revival beginning Sunday, April 9, and continuing through April 16.

Dr. E. R. Kirk, Sr., from San Jacinto Methodist Church in Amarillo will conduct the services. Morning services will begin at 10 a. m. Each evening at 7 p. m. there will be a prayer meeting for the adults, as well as provision for the young people and children. Worship services will be conducted nightly at 7:30 p. m.

Dr. Kirk will be unable to come to Estelline until the evening of April 9, but the pastor, Rev. James Futch, will conduct the morning worship service as usual. The public is cordially invited to attend all services.

Henry Lee Solomon and family of Andrews visited here this week.

### Comments

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"Why, if I'd put a fence around a tree, Starvation would force you to steal from me!"

Here's another thing a monk won't do.

Go out at night and get in a stew;

"Or use a gun, a club, or knife, To take some other monkey's life;

Yes, man descended, the ornery cuss

But, brother, he didn't descend from us!"

Here's a n o t h e r contribution that should make Memphis folks feel good. It was written by George Stanley, a former Memphian, who is now attending the George Washington University. The writing is a copy of the Foreword used in his writings about Memphis:

### There Will Always Be a Memphis

On the edge of the city limits is a sign which reads: "Memphis, Population: 3,332." Hundreds of automobiles pass this sign every day, and if it is even noticed, it is considered to be just another population marker showing that a little over three thousand people are stuck out in the middle of a West Texas desert. But to a person who knows this city and who loves it very much can come the most glorious feeling to see that sign, and continue driving down the long, wide, Texas-wide, Boykin Drive into the heart of the most wonderful city in the world. I know this town and I love every part of it. Memphis has an air about her that makes her a queen city. Oh, yes, I know that there are some people, usually those who don't have faith in anything, who say that in fifty years, Memphis won't exist. But then, there are always those kind of people. Their ancestors said the same thing about New York, Washington, Philadelphia, and Boston. Let me tell you something. There will always be a Memphis. Maybe she will never be a Boston, Washington, or New York, but then, maybe she wasn't meant to be. Maybe she was meant to show people the unhurried way of life, to teach them the little things of life, to show that deep-rooted love for goodness can take precedence over the mightiest missile, to let them see the miracles that can be had through faith in God. Maybe she was created to show that life could be enjoyed to a fuller extent. Yes, there will always be a Memphis. And mark my word. Someday, the world will revolve around the ideas for which she stands.

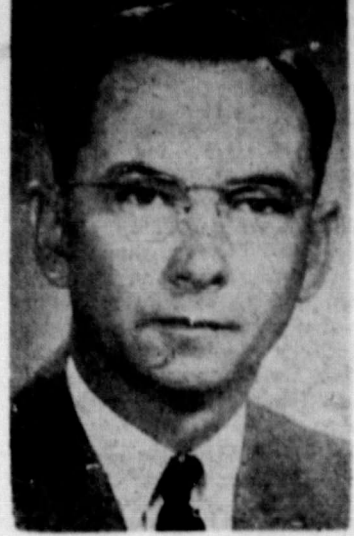
### WATCH STORED SEED

Farmers have been warned to make sure that cotton planting seed, which is stored on farms, does not become infested with insects. According to Extension Entomologist C. F. Garner and Fred Elliott, cotton specialist, seeds may become severely damaged before planting time. They suggest that local county agents be contacted for information on seed treatment.

Today, more than one-half million Texans, or one out of every 11, are over 65 years of age.



**NEW WTU OFFICERS**—Pictured above are R. E. Kennedy, left, and J. C. Hunter, Jr., new West Texas Utility Co. officials. Mr. Kennedy has been named a Vice President of W.T.U. He formerly served as manager of the Public Service Department in Abilene. J. C. Hunter, Jr. of Abilene has been elected as a new member of the Board of Directors of the company.



### More Operating Credit for Family Farms

A prompt attack on the essential short range credit problem for farmers operating on a family-size scale was predicted not long ago by Texas Agriculture Commissioner John C. White after a visit with U. S. Secretary of Agriculture Orville L. Freeman in Washington.

This has now been confirmed by an announcement from Secretary Freeman that an additional \$35 million, over and above the \$197.1 million previously allocated, has now been made available for farm operating loans.

"To the extent that farm loan policies and available funds can prevent it," Secretary Freeman declared, "no qualified family farmer will be required to give up farming because of his inability to finance his 1961 operations."

The additional funds are being made available through the Farmers Home Administration of the USDA, which has been instructed to review its regulations and to take every step within its authority to meet realistic farm credit needs.

The additional \$35 million came from a contingency fund set up by Congress for the 1961 fiscal year. Previously, \$197.1 million had been made available for this type of credit for the 1961 fiscal year. As of Feb. 10, approximately \$150 million of the \$197.1 million had been loaned and most of the remainder committed.

In announcing expanded measures being taken to meet credit needs, Secretary Freeman said that "we expect the extension of agricultural credit services can be carried out without additional personnel, and with no increase in administrative expense. Additional loans will be made available to farmers, but this will not result in any actual increase in expenditures of the federal government since borrowers of the Farmers Home Administration have a superb record of repaying their loans.

"Over the past nine years the

total real net income of farm families from farming has dropped approximately one-fourth; farm prices have dropped to around four-fifths of the parity level. . . . It is the intention to reverse the downward trend in farm income and enable efficient family farmers to earn and get a parity of income. When the new farm program becomes effective, these efficient family type farmers will again be good commercial credit risks. It would be unthinkable to allow many efficient farm families to give up the struggle now because they are unable to obtain credit needed to finance 1961 operations."



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odist Church. He was a veteran of World War I and a member of the Simmons-Noel Post.

Pall bearers were Homer Burleson, Clyde Milam, Elmo Whaley, Bud Godfrey, Roy Jewel, Bob Glenn, Dot Webster and Zeb Moore.

Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Wyley Whitley; one stepson, Edward Lee Pritchard of Carlsbad, N. M.; three step-grandchildren, Doris, Jimmy and Jerry, and one sister, Mrs. A. P. Wilcox of Frederick, Okla.

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