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## Cyclonettes Win District, Face Stratford At Canyon Tuesday

### Memphis Cagers in Last Four

Memphis Cyclonettes won the district championship by defeating Clarendon 64 to 28 (girls) and 93 to 61 (boys) in the final home game of the season.

Basketball King Darryl Smith and Queen Melba Walker were crowned at halftime ceremonies of the boys game. The Cyclonettes, needing two victories to win the championship, were keyed high for the game against Clarendon, a team that gave the local girls some trouble in an earlier district game. The results were a one sided victory for the Cyclonettes with Faye Beck scoring 38 points, while both Jana Davis and Melba Walker were in double figures.



DAVIS SCORES — Jana Davis, Cyclonette forward, is shown making a lay-up against Clarendon here last Friday. Jane Richardson is shown on the right. The Memphis girls play Groom here Friday, before taking on Stratford in Bi-Dist. next Tuesday.

### Victory Over Claude Captures First Crown

The 1975-76 Memphis Cyclonettes did it. They won their last two games and captured the District 2-A girls basketball crown, the first in the history of Memphis High, and the team did it with only one senior starter, with an impressive 56 to 39 victory over the Claude Mustangettes, who have dominated the district for several years.

Going into the final showdown at Claude, the Cyclonettes, according to their coach, Bill Montgomery, were determined to win. "Our girls just wanted this ball game real bad, and all of our girls played real well," he said. Our forwards, Melba Walker (the senior) Jana Davis (a junior) and Faye Beck (a sophomore) had an outstanding night shooting 69 per cent in the second half and giving up only three turnovers of the 11 for the team. That's the best they have done, the coach said.

The Memphis Cyclonettes will face the Stratford Elkettes in West Texas State Field House in Canyon at 8 p.m. Tuesday night in Class A Bi-District, and the Cyclonettes will be in the underdog roll as far as prior records are concerned. The Elkettes are 28-1 for the season, losing only to the Canyon Eaglettes, but otherwise have a perfect mark for the season. The Cyclonettes are 19-10, coming out of district play with a 12-2 record to win the district title outright. The first girls basketball championship ever for a Memphis girls team. The Stratford girls last year went to region only to lose out to the Vega girls, after defeating Claude in Bi-District. Stratford has two starters back from last years teams, O'Lynn Brown, their high scoring senior forward who stands 5 foot 10 inches tall. Other seniors are Vickie Bell, a forward, and Guard Dalene Prescott, a returning starter from last season. Brenda Hawkins is the other forward, while Barrie Donelson and Janice Messer are guards on the squad. Tuesday night, D'Lynn Brown had 41 points as Stratford girls downed Spearman girls 63 to 49. The Cyclonettes will host the Groom Tigerettes, winners of their Class B district, in Cyclone Gymnasium Friday night at 7 p.m. and all fans are invited to attend the game.

### Gym Is Site For Valley-Groom Bi-Dist. Mon., Playoff Thurs.

High girl Patriots will play-off with the Quail Monday night, Feb. 16, 7:30 p.m. meeting the Groom after making a clean sweep of District 1.

Valley boys right down to the end of the last district game, but Valley won by seven points, after trailing at halftime by five points. The Quail - Hedley game last Friday went into overtime play, with Quail eventually winning the contest as Hedley had to finish play with four players on the court as fouls had benched several. Meanwhile, Valley teams were winning two games from Estelline 80-49 (girls) and 77 to 52 (boys) on Friday night. Lakeview and Samnorwood played the final games Friday, with Norwood taking two victories, 68 to 27 (girls) and 64 to 22 (boys).

### Firemen Take C.P.R. Course, Public Next

Memphis volunteer firemen and associate members were busy Monday and Tuesday nights completing a course in Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation in basic life support which is provided for the public by the American Heart Assn. Monday night, Dr. H. R. Stevenson, M. D., of Hall County Hospital, spoke to the firemen on the subject and other professionals also assisted. The two-night course will be offered to the public next Monday and Tuesday nights, from 7 to 11 p.m., for all citizens interested. Citizens should contact Fireman Charles Waller at the Memphis Police Station to get their names on the list of those planning to take the course. Fire Chief Bob Hutcherson said, "Our firemen worked hard for two nights to pass the course and to receive a card, good for two years, which states they have received training in cardiopulmonary (CPR)." "We never know when we answer a fire call when someone may come in contact with electric wires or need immediate assist-

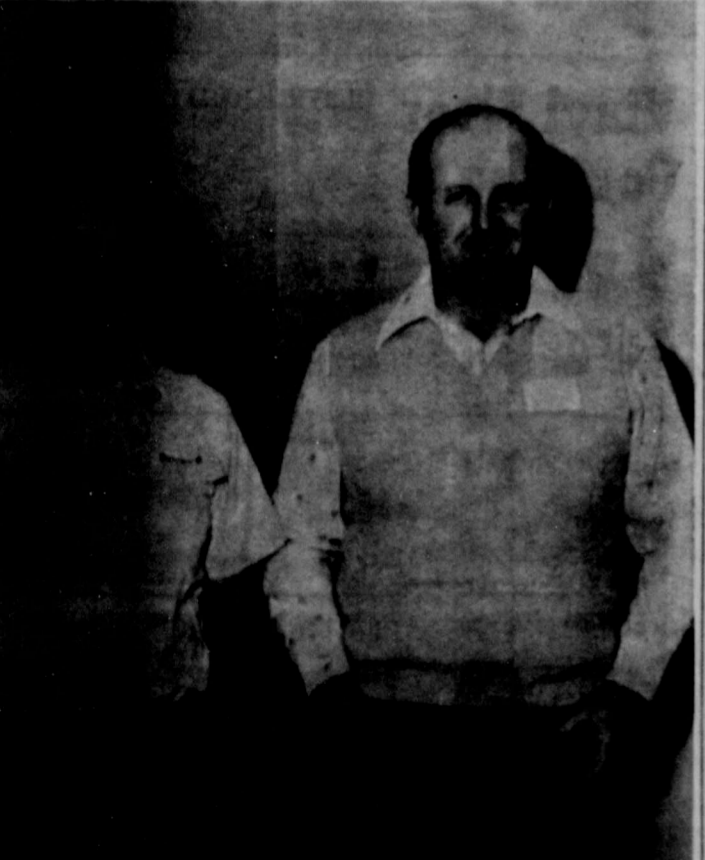
ance. It may even be one of our own firemen," the fire chief said in explaining why all the local firemen took the training. Those competing the training include: Charles Waller, Clyde Smith, Jack Scott, Tom Posey, Gene Sasser, Lee Roy Hall, Hector Olivias, Kenny Schull, Jerry Smith, Ed Hutcherson, Billy Rowden, Bill Ballew, Bill Leslie, Duwaine Floyd. Also, Bill Stone, Ben Moss, Eddie Braidfoot, Gayle Gilreath, Rayford Hutcherson, Alvin Phillips, John Ferrel, Monte Rogers, Lloyd Ward, Clyde Collins, Elmer Neel, Jerry Leaverton, Bob Hutcherson and Troy Phillips. Troy Phillips served as projectionist showing two films Tuesday night covering C.P.R. Also, firemen practiced on a baby dummy and two air filled dummies learning the skills necessary to render aid to persons needing cardiopulmonary resuscitation. Helping firemen with the training were L. V. N. students and instructors of the American Heart Association. These included Glynn (Continued from Page 1)

### View Seniors To Annual Talent Show March 12

Senior Class of Lakeview school will have their annual talent show Friday, March 12, 7:30 p.m., according to class officers.

### Ladies Invited To Country Club Meeting Tuesday

A meeting for Ladies of the Country Club will be held on Tuesday evening, Feb. 17 at 7:30 p.m. at the club house, upstairs it was announced this week. All women of the Country Club are invited to attend. Officers will be elected for the new year and plans made for the women's Golf and game day for the coming spring and summer. Also a woman will be named to serve on the Country Club Golf committee.



HOUSE — Owners of 4 County Tractor and Equipment, Howard Moore (left) and Larry Womble well a large turnout at Open House Friday of the new store facility here. The owners thanked everyone for the day a success.

### Mon. Night Is Date For Speech Class Program; Presentation of HS Honorees

The Memphis High School Speech Class will present a bi-centennial program Monday night February 16, at 7:30 in the High School auditorium. General admission is \$1.25 for all ages. "To My Country" is a salute to America and what America means to the youth of Memphis, it was stated. The Boy Scouts will serve as the Color Guard and will present the colors. Following the program the Year-book Queen will be crowned in the auditorium. Yearbook Queen is Sara Fowler, who edits the yearbook and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Bob Fowler. Her escort will be Matthew Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith. The Queen's attendants will be class princesses elected from their respective classes. Freshman princess Sandy Hindman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Hindman, will be escorted by Terry Allard. Donna Butler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Messer, is Sophomore princess and will be escorted by Rodney Hall. Tammy Lockhart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lockhart, is junior princess and will be escorted by Don Cofer. The senior princess, Sondra Elem, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill (Continued on Page 10)

### Cub Scout Pack To Have Banquet Feb. 19 at Travis

Cub Scout Pack 35 will have its annual Blue and Gold Banquet Thursday night, Feb. 19, at 6:30 in the Travis Cafetorium, according to David Morris, Cubmaster. The banquet will be a covered dish meal with those attending asked to bring a salad or a dessert. Scouts and their families are making plans to attend and all boys who are now eight years old and are interested in becoming Cub Scouts are asked to attend with their families.

### Funeral Services Held Sunday For Roy H. Grimes

Funeral services for Roy Herbert Grimes, 76, were held at 2 p.m. Sunday at the Church of Christ. Officiating was Jesse Wade, minister, and the Rev. C. H. Murphy, pastor of the First Baptist Church. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Spicer Funeral home. Mr. Grimes was a retired employee of Memphis Compress Company and had lived in Memphis and Hall County Area since 1931. He was born January 8, 1900 at Paris and was united in marriage to Ethel Lillina Gober on January 2, 1925 at Haskell. Mr. Grimes died on Friday. Surviving are his wife of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Maxine Arias of Bryan and Mrs. Jarita Weddel of Odessa; a brother Elmer of Stockton, Calif.; two sisters, Mrs. Ollie Jackson of Ceares, Calif., and Mrs. Ruth Jenkins of Littlefield; nine grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren. Pall bearers were Lynn Jones, James Jeffers, Mackie Allen, Thomas Clayton, Jay Nunnely, Mack Graham, Dutch Vallance and Floyd Edwards.



KING AND QUEEN — MHS Basketball King and Queen, Melba Walker and Darryl Smith, were presented to the fans at the halftime of the boys game Friday night. Both are seniors.

### John Chamberlain Announces For County Attorney

John Chamberlain, a Memphis attorney for the past nine years, this week authorized the Memphis Democrat to announce that he is a candidate for re-election to the office of Hall County Attorney subject to the action of the Democratic party primaries. Attorney Chamberlain is a native of Memphis a Memphis High School graduate of 1956. He graduated from North Texas State University in 1960 receiving his bachelor of business administration degree. After working for an insurance firm in Dallas, he decided to become a lawyer and attended the University of Texas School of Law. He was awarded the Very Thompson scholarship attainment and record while at the university, and graduated in 1966. After successfully passing his bar examination in 1966, he moved his family to Memphis and set up a law practice. John and (Continued on Page 10)

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## EDITORIAL

### City Sales Tax Collections Have Grown!

The City of Memphis, like almost all cities in the state, has collected more city sales taxes in 1975 than was collected the first full year the city collected a sales tax, according to information from the State Comptroller's Office. The percentage amount of this increase is interesting.

The first year Memphis collected sales taxes the total was \$37,520.32, while in 1975 the city collected \$63,358.42, showing an increase of 69 per cent growth.

This figure reveals a certain amount of inflation, but it also reflects a growth in total sales subjected to sales tax. Memphis first began collecting a sales tax in the fourth quarter of 1968.

How does Memphis compare with other cities in the area? Neighbor Wellington collected \$41,963.68 but did not start collecting sales taxes until the first quarter of 1974. Clarendon collected \$39,781.50 and recorded a 40 per cent increase since 1971 when they started collecting city sales taxes. Childress registered a 75 per cent increase since 1969, collecting \$106,584.37. Quanah registered a 45 per cent increase collecting \$63,430.53. Shamrock collected \$48,147.50.

A little place called Hewitt jumped 1,339 per cent since 1968 increasing from \$2,066.83 to \$33,875.68 to be the fastest growing town in the state.

Texas has 780 cities showing increases ranging up to the 1,339 per cent, while only 30 cities showed a decline in rebates. Cities receive one per cent of the five per cent state and city sales tax collected.

This money is mailed monthly to the cities by the Comptroller and this money has become a cornerstone in most city budgets. One of the popular features about the sales tax is it is borne equally by all citizens who purchase retail items. All other forms of city taxation are on property owners and businesses.

When shoppers buy from local retail stores, one per cent of their sales tax returns to the city where the purchase is made, to be spent by city fathers to improve or maintain city services. Because of the one per cent sales tax (and revenue sharing from federal taxation) many cities across the state have not had to increase ad valorem tax rates. Without these two sources of added income, property owners would have to pay a much higher percentage, or municipal services would have to be sharply curtailed.

This editor can not resist putting in a plug for shopping at home. Opportunity presents itself so rarely that when it arrives, the editor likes to take advantage of it. Citizens who shop at home, with local merchants, are helping to keep their city tax rate from climbing and helping to make their city a better place for their family to live.

But, trading in a neighboring city, just adds a one per cent to their city government to improve their parks, streets, and make the neighboring city a better place. Meanwhile, back home, revenue is lost. Money disappears from the community, from bank deposits, and tax revenue is lost to city government.

Amarillo did pretty well, increased 81 per cent during the period from 1970 to 1975. Lubbock on the other hand, increased 99 per cent, while Wichita Falls increased 105 per cent during the same period.

Lakeview increased 23 per cent, Turkey five per cent (over 1973), while Estelline dropped 21 per cent.

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## ACROSS THE DESK

What Other Editors Say

### KITCHEN-TESTED EDITORS

The National Observer recently published an article on journalism ethics which prompted a letter from an Observer reader, a Mrs. Mary Sather of New Richmond, Wisconsin, which must strike a responsive chord in the heart of every small town newspaper editor in the country.

Here is the letter:

"I was most interested in The Observer article on the ethics of journalists. I would have liked to have seen a bit more on the problems of the small-town newspapers. You know, those little towns across the country where everybody knows, if not everybody, at least a lot of people. And everybody knows the publisher of the local paper.

"So if his paper says anything even slightly offensive to the advertiser whose revenue supports the paper, that advertiser cannot cancel out arbitrarily, he can come in and tell off the publisher and threaten to wring his neck if it happens again. The New Richmond News comes out on Thursday. It is always a bad day on Friday for our publisher, although so far his neck is intact.

"Under these conditions, it is a fine art to say anything significant editorially and hang on to the advertising. It takes guts and the local school board when you know all of them and some are close personal friends, or were before you wrote about them. It takes some courage to continue to publish all of the reported traffic violations or other offenses or crimes along with all of those familiar names and to hang out the town's dirty linen even if that is legitimately what news so often is. Our publisher, Bob Bradford (last year's Wisconsin Press Association's weekly newspaper publisher of the year), sometimes roams that it would be far easier to forget one's responsibility to the community to publish a newspaper and just put out an advertiser."

The problem exists in small towns... and in large ones but we know a considerable number of small-town editors who manage to publish excellent small town newspapers, and maintain

forceful editorial pages, and survive both physically and economically.

Pressures from advertisers, in fairness to American businessmen, aren't all that great... not when the newspaper insists on its editorial independence and exhibits its editorial integrity.

Newspaper advertisers are human... they can be angered by editorial opinions with which they disagree, or by news reports which are unfavorable, even as anyone else.

But newspaper advertisers are also realists... they are businessmen who are buying space in a newspaper because they believe it has readership, and integrity, and provides a medium for the advertising message which people will read and can believe in... and as good businessmen, they don't often allow personal animosities to influence business judgment.

So there need not be any major conflict of interest between editor and advertiser. Both require public readership, and both desire public confidence. There is no profit for either in attempting to dictate policy to the other... but there can also be mutual independence and mutual respect. Independently-owned small-town newspapers in America are probably less influenced by advertising pressure in areas of editorial opinion and news coverage than any other news medium. Mrs. Sather's publisher, we'll wager, would agree... and while he may bemoan the pressures on him every Friday, he wouldn't try to duck a one of them.

There's an old saying to the effect that "if you can't stand the heat, get out of the kitchen." Successful small-town editors are kitchen-tested.

### THE BEEF RIP OFF

In every Chicago supermarket at 6 p.m. a union butcher pulls a cover over the fresh beef case.

And the hapless shopper who walks in at 6:20 p.m. finds he can't even buy a pound of hamburger. He's stuck with cold cuts! Why no beef? Simply because union butchers in Chicago have a

contract that forbids stores from selling fresh meat unless a union butcher is on duty.

And union butchers refuse to work after 6 p.m. Or on Sunday or holidays. They've turned beef into strictly a weekday, 9 to 5 business, in Chicago.

The labor unions, not only in Chicago, but in New York and other major cities, hold the upper hand.

They are refusing to let beef be processed and packaged in the most efficient manner, which would lead to savings to the customer, because they feel their jobs are threatened.

Iowa Beef Processors tangled with the labor unions in New York City and came out second best.

A pioneer in the development of cut and wrapped beef, IBP built up a considerable business over the country with its fabricated cuts, preparing individual cuts of beef more efficiently than the traditional manner where butchers cut carcasses in their own shops.

IBP could document savings of \$30 to \$50 per carcass by central cutting of beef, but this didn't affect the union decision. When IBP persisted and tried to sell boxed beef in New York City, it found trouble and plenty of it. Deliveries were prevented and stock was destroyed. The IBP president tried another tactic and found himself in trouble with the government over bribery charges, stating that IBP paid off union leaders and meat buyers.

What has this to do with the people that produce the beef?

Well, it stands to reason that the harsh union rules add to the cost of beef to the consumer. If the union were to be removed from the scene and the cost-cutting practices adopted, then beef could be sold cheaper and undoubtedly there would be more of it sold.

This would strengthen the cattle market and perhaps restore some strength to one of our leading industries out here.

—The Perryton Herald

—The Canadian Record

## MEMORIES

From The Democrat Files

30 YEARS AGO  
 February 14, 1946

In contrast to the spring-like days early this week, a strong blast of winter hit Memphis Tuesday night about 7 o'clock, bringing with it high winds, hail, rain and then snow. The wind hit first about 6:30 and then shortly after, hail was being driven to the earth.

After a wartime absence of seven months, Burlington Lines' over-night sleeping car service between Dallas, Fort Worth and Amarillo will be restored from both ends of the run Friday evening. The cars formerly in this service were removed from regular daily operation and placed in a pool of Pullman equipment which was established under Office of Defense Transportation General Order ODT 53 to speed up troop movements.

Three Hall County boys received prizes of \$25 savings bonds as the awards were given to winners of the state in the national 4-H contests held recently. Receiving the bonds were Jim Whaley for winning the garden contest; Harold Rappy, for winning the farm safety contest; and Laddie Sloan, for winning the dairy production contest.

Thirteen small girls became girl scout brownies when Miss McClure, regional director, presented their pins to them Friday of last week. Among girls receiving pins were Jo Ann Kennon, Jartita Grimes, Juanetta Messer, Betty Sue Floyd, Katherine Wright, Barbara Edmondson, Carol Ann Monzingo, Juanella Goffinet and Barbara Shackelford.

20 YEARS AGO  
 February 16, 1956

Royce Young, representing the Memphis Boys Club, won the Golden Gloves regional featherweight title (126 pounds) in the high school division at Lubbock on Friday night. Two weeks earlier, Young captured the district title at Golden Gloves matches in Wellington, by decisioning Clinton Gibbs of Wellington.

Lieut. and Mrs. Douglas Barber of Wichita Falls announce the birth of a son on February 7. He has been named Thomas Ross and weighed 7 pounds, 7 ounces.

Mrs. Bill Cosby gave a most interesting review by Louis DeWitt of the Atlatlan in the home of boosters is at here for lunch. The booster between Longmire and Arthur, for the highest to travel to the terrace, and to the summertime.

O. R. Doc Sroleum Company had a narrow morning when was involved in a Fort Worth way Co. diesel, just north of the 10 YEA stands.

The first Memphis announces the new bank building located on the corner of First Street, the north side of the building.

The Estelline hotel was recently selected a brick Queen for 1964. Longbline and who were present Estelline in game in Estelline as a lot had t great n Clarendon Collet spring semester. We d day, bu rds, 3 smith's smith's 5 a.m.

Frank Browder of the local spoke to members Grades at the School Friday in conjunction science studies.

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**B. B. Shots**

By  
**BYRON BALDWIN**



Reading the articles of the days about the different towns of the Panhandle brought back many memories of Memphis of almost 70 years ago. I remember the hotel buildings. The Stepotel was on Main Street spot where Dr. Ross's office was located. The Lawrence office was on the southeast corner square where Gibson's now located and the other building now located on Street where Mrs. Ritchie bus station. The "Shaw" house was located on the block that the White Auto now operated by K. B. stands. Mrs. Howell also yarding house in her home meals. This place was the General Telephone office located across the street corner the First Baptist Church. The nichols operated a two-story building (boarding house) on 6th Street; also, the hotel was the first hotel a brick building. I think completed in 1908 by the abbs. There was a big de-esser brick layers in Memphis in 1907. At that time, Estelline as a lot of building going had three lumber yards great number of carpenters who were in great We did not have motels day, but we had three wa- smith shops. You could smithee p-ounding on the 5 a.m. each day while the were crowing and the howling, dogs barking and cackling when they had finished their days work in egg and also the loving row waiting to be fed and also the calf bawling for kfast and the hog grunting slop bucket. As almost some in Memphis had the animals in a lot back of se, near the path that was many times a day to the e and the coal bin. There garages for the car but, have horses and a buggy on wet days, you had to buckle overshoes or rub-ots to wade through the on the lot.

the square early in the fresh bread Jim Mann was out of the ovens in his which was located on the le of the square in a frame g. I remember his baker time was Mike (I have en his surname). The next I remember that Mr. Mann was Walter Teeter. Jim bread was well known as a good recipe. Jim and fe had two children, Janie (deceased) and Brownie, who in Canyon a number of before retiring to Greenbelt. The Manns operated bak- Vernon and in Amarillo ir active years. Brownie is ly survivor of this family. and Mrs. Gene Corley are a family homecoming this their son Don with his wife the past week from Norway they have lived the past years since Don has been the Phillips Co. in the off-crew in the North Sea ing for more energy. Don graduates of MHS and Tex-

as Tech. He has been with Phillips for over 26 years. If my memory is right, he married an Amarillo girl. I was thinking their children were about 3 to 6 years old, but time flies and I found out from Grandmother Flo that they are now 8, 9, 14 and 16 years old. When Don and his family arrived in the U. S., they first reported to Bartlesville, Okla., where the main office of Phillips is located and then on to Memphis. Gene and Flo's daughter, Claudia, made the trip to Norway to visit her brother about 6 months ago. With her personality and recommendations, she immediately was hired by the Phillips Co. and I noticed soon after she started working, they gained in production. Claudia was delayed a few days on her way home as she wanted to pay a visit to Paris, France. I guess she wanted to see the Eiffel Tower or a towering young man or it could be to go to a style show. Or it could be to eat at a nice sidewalk cafe on the boardwalk. But anyway, she will see many things different from her home-town in Hall County. We should get a good story to print when she arrives home. Our graduates of Hall County schools go places and do things. We are proud of their records that have been made.

We are glad to report that Dink Dennis is back home from the hospital in Amarillo. From the report Hubert and Estelle gave me, she is well qualified to enter the balloon contest as the doctor had her blowing the balloons. She had the hospital corridor so full they had to shoot them off the ceiling.

The mention I made of the Harley Sadler shows here a half century ago brought us a letter from Harry Delaney who reported that one of the programs of the Kiwanis Club of Lubbock had a retired theater instructor at Texas Tech speak to them about the Harley Sadler shows and a group from Tech will re-create some of these shows July 4, 1976, in a setting as nearly like they used to be as they can. Harry gave us a special invitation to see these shows and buy some of the "Frozen Sweets" between acts. I am sure they will have the green tent. Texas Tech museum will have their official opening show July 4 on the west side of the campus. There are 15 or 20 buildings that have been moved including houses, half - dugouts, blacksmith shops and many others furnished as they were in the early days. This should be a great show for the Bi-Centennial year of 1976.

Word from Claude Benton Harrison, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Harrison. His question was, "What ever became of the airplane that hung in the J. E. Neel Grocery Store made by the late Earl Johnson, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Johnson?" Claude Benton is thinking back in the days when he could go in the Neel Grocery Store and buy an all day sucker for a penny.

In reading the Bi-Centennial edition of the Amarillo Daily News, the article from Mobeetie, Texas, that Abe Mulkey and his wife held the first evangelist meeting there in the early days and there were 300 who made professions in this series of sermons. From then on, this town was a safer place to live. I believe it was about 1911 that Abe Mulkey



**MEMPHIS COMMANDERY**—The Annual inspection of the Memphis Commandery No. 50 was held Jan. 28. Pictured above are the officers of the Commandery. From left to right, front row, are: R. C. Lemons, Sentinel; Orville Goodpasture, Treasurer; Charles D. Browder, Jr., Eminent Grand Sentinel, Grand Commandery Knights Templar of Texas of Houston; Joe Browning, Commander, Hershel Pounds, Recorder; John Hancock, Senior Warden. Back row from left are: Mike Branigan, Warden; Ray Evans, Standard Bearer; Clyde Price of Clarendon, Generalissimo; Barney Russell of Estelline, Prelate; Charles Blackburn of Clarendon, Captain General; David Morris, Sword Bearer; J. O. Cobb, Junior Warden. The Memphis Commandery No. 50 is composed of all Masonic Lodges of this area.

had a revival in Memphis. This meeting was held east of Fowler Drug in the buildings before they were finished with the 1 x 12 board seats facing the west with 1 x 4 inch boards for the backs of the seats. If I remember right, it was a very successful meeting for all denominations.

I think one of the greatest attractions we could have during our Hall County Picnic would be a cow milking contest as we had in the early days. I imagine there are kids about grown now who do not know where their milk comes from; and if they did, they would not know which side of the udder that the cow likes best for you to enlarge the joints of your fingers. The older people are trying to forget the experiences of milking the cow with the calf slobber on it and the cow kicking the bucket over about the time you had it full. Anyway, I think an old time cow milking contest would draw people from many other towns.

In some ways, people must be some better than they were half a century ago, as I can remember when one of the great attractions on the square of Memphis was 3 to 6 fights on weekdays and 12 to 15 on Saturday. I have not heard of a fist fight on our square for several years.

Another thing I remember was that a lady would not go in a barber shop or pool hall; and if she passed by one, she would shut off her hearing and seeing. We do not have profanity from men as we did in the early days.

Tops Gilreath received a letter the past week from Rosa Bull Osburn of Pine Bluff, Ark., Rt. 5, Box 582. She would like to have information about her first

cousin, Henry Lytle Johnston, who owned a farm and possibly taught school and also was a lay Methodist preacher in the early 1900's in Memphis. Is he buried here? Where did he die? Who were his children? Also, whom did his widow marry? I need this information for a "Bull Book" that is being written. If anyone knows this information, contact Tops Gilreath or write the above address.

A note received the past week from Allyn Harrison of Minneapolis, Minn., expressing his appreciation of the Hall County post card. He stated that their warm weather there is 30 degrees and their cold is -20. They have had 34 inches of snow this winter. Their average snow fall is 40 inches. He reports that even with this cold weather that he and Helen and their two children are fine except growing to fast.

The Republican and Democratic parties with their economists have predicted a better year in 1976. In some cases, it has already started off better. I heard of one great - grandmother whose great-grandchildren doubled in count in the second month of 1976. Mr. and Mrs. Denny Roberts of Austin had twin sons delivered by the stork bird. Denny is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Roberts of Abilene. Jake will be remembered as the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Bob Roberts. His wife, Frances, is the daughter of the late Courtney Denny and Ora (Long) Denny of Memphis. On January 1, 1976, Ora only had two great-grandchildren and has already doubled her assets in great-grandchildren, which is a pretty good

gain for one year and the year has just started.

Denny Roberts and his wife carried out the family tradition as there had been twins before in the two families. With inflation on as it is, I imagine they would not have been surprised if there had been more than twins!

The passing away of the Rev. Luther Crawford made me think of one of the many people that I had interviewed in the past 10 years who stated that Bro. Crawford married them. I think he tied pretty hard knots in his matrimonial services, as we see so many of the youngsters now in the fourth generation. He has been an inspiration to many people in this area.

As we live and try to learn, each of us has disappointments. We have to try to make something good out of our disappointments. What made me think of this was the story I read a few days ago about a yong fellow in

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Decatur, Ill., who was deeply interested in photography. He saved his money to buy a certain book on this subject. He ordered the book and the publisher sent a book on ventriloquism and he was not interested in this subject. He did not throw this book aside after his disappointment. He learned to throw his voice. He whittled out a wooden doll. If Edgar Bergen had not made something out of his disappointment, there would not have been a Charlie McCarthy!

In a news bulletin from the San Leandro (California) Chamber of Commerce, mailed to our Memphis Chamber of Commerce we find the Observer Newspaper's annual Civic Service Awards were presented at the January 8 Chamber board of directors meeting. Editor Ad Fried made the special award presentations to three San Leandrons whose contributions to the community are unsung in the public eye. Among these three was Katherine Frances Toner, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Milam of Memphis, and sister of Mrs. J. F. Neel Katherine Frances received a beautiful trophy contributed by the Observer Newspaper.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We would like to express our heartfelt appreciation to our friends and neighbors for all of their kindness and comforting sympathy for the flowers, food and messages of condolence shown to us in the loss of our loved one. And to Bro. Wade and Bro. Murphy and all who helped in the beautiful service. And the prayers that give us strength from day to day. May God bless each and everyone is our prayer for you.

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Mrs. Maxine Arias  
Mrs. Jarita Weddel  
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**Mrs. Robert Clark Is Chairman Of Fibrosis Campaign**

Mrs. Robert Clark has been named chairman of the Cystic Fibrosis Spring Breath of Life Campaign to fight children's Lung diseases, according to Chuck Laurent, President of the Lone Star Chapter, Cystic Fibrosis Foundation.

This Spring, Mrs. Clark will lead local volunteers to support research and care programs for children affected by lung - damaging diseases like cystic fibrosis, severe asthma, chronic bronchitis, bronchiectasis, and a condition called "childhood emphysema."

Cystic Fibrosis, an incurable genetic disease, is inherited when both parents carry the recessive gene for C/F. It is believed that one in twenty persons or 10 million Americans may carry the C/F Gene, usually without knowing it. Current research funded by the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation is seeking a practical test to identify these carriers.

Because of improved therapy and constant research, many C/F patients are living longer and hoping for the future. This kind of therapy is relieving and often curing children suffering from other respiratory afflictions whose symptoms resemble those of C/F. Through campaigns all over Texas the goals of education, research and patient care are reached.

The Breath of Life Campaign supports only research but over 100 C/F Centers for diagnosis and treatment across the country, five of which are located within Texas.

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There are many aspects of money, as it moves through the financial and banking system, that have a substantial impact on everyone. Aspects that many of us are unaware of, or don't completely understand. Some aspects are on the wave of the future, and are fascinating in the implications they may have on our lives. Many decisions and regulations made by state and federal agencies can have a substantial impact on how much you receive on your savings, or how much you will pay for your next financial automobile.

In the ensuing weeks, we will be discussing in this space some of the less understood, but extremely important, aspects of money and its management. Whatever the topic, when you read it here... you can **BANK** on it!

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### Mrs. Robert E. Clark Is Named New President Of Delphian Club '76-'77

The Delphian Club met in the home of Mrs. Robert L. Duncan on Feb. 8. Mrs. Dean Yarbrough, program chairman, presided during the business meeting. She opened the meeting by asking that the

### 1913 Study Club Meets in Regular Session Wed.

Mrs. Bill Wood was hostess for the meeting of the members of the 1913 Study Club on February 4 in the Steak Room of the De-Ville Motel. The meeting was called to order by the president, Virginia Browder.

Following the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting and the treasurer's report, there was a brief business session.

Mrs. Bill Wood as program chairperson introduced the program which consisted of material taken from the inspirational magazine, "Guidposts". Mrs. Paul Montgomery told of the heroic deeds of a double agent, back during the Revolutionary war.

Then, Miss Noville Wrenn gave the story of a courageous Quaker woman who, during the Civil War days, saved the lives of many soldiers by her unflinching bravery. It was a most appropriate program for this bicentennial year of 1976.

Eleven members enjoyed delicious refreshments of pie and coffee and the meeting was adjourned to reconvene with Mrs. T. M. Harrison on February 18.

### Demonstration Club Meets Mon., Feb. 2

The Hall County Demonstration Club met at 1:30 p.m. in the Broom Room of the First National Bank on Monday, Feb. 2, with Mrs. Lynn B. Jones, president, presiding. Roll call was answered by the members naming their favorite book and reading material.

Estelle Barber led in prayer after LaNora Wood gave the devotional. The club was invited to the spring meeting April 6 in Sugartown, also, to the "Fix It Festival" in Childress Feb. 12.

Cooking recipes were exchanged after slides on food prepared by our forefathers were shown by Sally Seavel. She prepared "Liberty Spud" in sauce with the cookies prepared by Mrs. Juliet and Jean Lamb.

Those present were LaNora Wood, Estelle Barber, Margie Brewer, Una Vay Neighbors, Oma Jean Pace, Mrs. Lynn Jones, Sally Seavel, Florence Yarbrough, Albin Kenyon and Jean Lamb.

### Royal Service Program Heard By Travis Bapt. Women

The Royal Women of Travis Baptist Church met Tuesday, Feb. 9, at 7:30 a.m. at the church for their Royal Service program.

Mrs. Lynn B. Jones, presided at the meeting. Mrs. J. L. Harshbarger read Heb. 1:1-4 and the prayer, followed Mrs. A. L. Rogers led in prayer remembering the missionaries. The sick and bereaved were mentioned and remembered in prayer led by Mrs. Grace Richardson.

Mrs. Jones gave the introduction to the program, "American Women in Missionary History." Mrs. Rogers gave "Missionary's Mother" and Mrs. Myrtle Dunn, "Missionary Mrs." "Missionary Miss" was the topic of Mrs. J. W. Chappell and "Missionary at Home" was discussed by Mrs. W. S. McQueen. Mrs. T. C. Stevens led in the closing prayer.

Attending were Mrs. Joan Harshbarger, Rogers, Richardson, Dunn, Chappell, McQueen Stevens and Miss Jayce Richardson.



Mr. and Mrs. Denny Roberts of Austin are the parents of twins, born on January 26. The twins have been named David Neal and Stephen Wayne and weighed 6 pounds each. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jake Roberts of Abilene and the great-grandmother is Mrs. Ora Denny of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Pruitt are the parents of a son, Brandon, Mike, born Jan. 22 in Collingsworth General Hospital in Wellington. He weighed 6 pounds, 12 ounces. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cross of Calville, Washington. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Pounds of Memphis. Also, great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Hanna of Darby.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Haire of Clarendon announce the birth of a son on Feb. 4. He has been named Randy Allen and weighed 7 pounds, 1 ounce.

members read the Club Collect in unison.

Officers were elected for the coming year and include: Mrs. Robert E. Clark, president; Mrs. Leon Davis, first vice president; Mrs. L. F. Jones, second vice president; Mrs. Kenneth Dale, recording secretary; Mrs. Wayne Sweatt, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Ben Moss, treasurer; Mrs. Clyde Smith, parliamentarian; and Mrs. Norman Archer, reporter.

The Americanism program was introduced by Mrs. Yarbrough quoting Emma Lazarus, "Give me your tired, your poor, your huddled masses, yearning to breathe free, the wretched refuse of your teeming shore. Send these, the homeless, tempest-tossed to me, I lift my lamp beside the golden door."

Mrs. Neal Hindman chose for her devotional, "What is an American?" by Michael Brown. She stated that an American is a person from many places with many shades of skin of different sizes and varied energies. Regardless of what he is, there is a bond of strength in tradition which exemplifies the American way; a way which opens the doors of opportunity to all peoples who may knock upon them. A true American is the essence of pride in a way of life.

"Old Glory, a Proud Symbol" was Mrs. Sam Reeves' topic. She gave many historical facts concerning the American flag.

Mrs. L. F. Jones spoke on the National Anthem telling of the writing by Sir Francis Scott Key during a time of national crisis. She stated that it was first given the title, "The Bombardment of Fort Mifflin." On March 3, 1831, Herbert Hoover signed a law designating the Star Spangled Banner as the National Anthem.

Mrs. W. C. Dickey gave a most interesting talk on the "Proud Eagle." She said that right after the birth of the nation, the founding fathers decided it would be nice for the new United States of America to have an official seal to be placed on the money, the coins and all important documents. She then traced the decision to name the bald eagle as the symbol and discussed the history and life of the bird then and now.

Refreshments were served to

guests and members with an entertaining review of the book, "The Birth of Sarah Perkins" by Marian Cockrell. The story setting was in Bull City, Colo., in 1849 and is the story of a school teacher and her fight to get things changed in education.

During the social hour the guests and members were served from a beautiful tea table decorated with a Valentine motif.

Guests present were Mrs. George Greenhaw, Henry Hays, Ruby Compton, Clara Pritchard, Charlie Foster and Rebecca Moss.

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**SURPRISE WELCOME**—A bus of Shriners, enroute from Tyler to Amarillo, were surprised as they entered Memphis to be stopped by Chief of Police Kenny Schall, who is pictured writing a ticket for Potentate J. B. Glaspie. Glaspie was taken in the Police Car to Big O Restaurant where the group was welcomed by the Memphis Chamber of Commerce and members of the Al Moctra Shrine.

### Woman's Culture Club Enjoys Guest Day In Home of Mrs. R. E. Clark

The Woman's Culture Club met February 4 in the home of Mrs. R. E. Clark. Assisting with hostess duties were Mrs. Alvin Poyant and Mrs. L. A. Silwell.

The devotional was given by Mrs. L. G. Rasco using as the title "Love." She read Romans 12:1-2 and Ephesians 4:29. She concluded by reading Helen Steiner's poem, "Where There Is Love." I Corinthians 13 and leading in prayer.

Miss Jackie Culbert entertained Mrs. Leon Davis, Kenneth Dale, Jessie Wood, Robert E. Clark, Norman Archer, J. S. McQuary, Jack Boone, Neal Hindman, Henry Hays, W. C. Dickey, Sam Reeves, Dean Yarbrough, L. F. Jones and Mildred Stephens.



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## Twenty-Two 4-H Girls Compete In County Food Show Saturday

Twenty-two 4-H girls competed in the Hall County 4-H Food Show on Saturday, Feb. 7, at the Memphis High School. The top scoring contestants in the four categories will represent Hall County at the District 3 Food Show on Saturday, March 13, at Sikes Center in Wichita Falls.

### Liberty Tree To Be Planted At Courthouse

A special tree planting ceremony will be held at the North-east corner of Hall County Courthouse either Wednesday, Feb. 18 or Thursday, according to an announcement made this week. The program is sponsored by Hall County Bicentennial Foundation and Memphis Chamber of Commerce, through the Texas Forestry Service and the Texas Forestry Association as an official American Revolution Bicentennial project.

A highlight of the ceremony will be the dedication and planting of a "Liberty Tree". Judge Lester Campbell, Chairman of the Hall Co. Bicentennial Foundation, will be in charge of the ceremony. The Liberty Tree is a "Texas" variety pecan. Pecan is the state tree of Texas and is a variety which grows well throughout the state and produces abundant shade and tasty fruit.

Participating in the event will be the members of the Delphian Club. The public is invited to attend. Largest of the seeds has an estimated value of \$5 million tons.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, Ora Ritchie. Members present were Beth Lemons, Ruth Fowler, Mildred Spicer, Hester Bownds, Lucile Burnett, Maxine Phillips, Ora Ritchie, Helen Madden, Pauline Wynn, Mildred Stephens, Sophia Stilwell and Leona Greenhaw.



**4-H FOOD WINNERS**—Pictured above are the first place winners in the Hall County 4-H Food show held on Saturday at the high school. From right, Donna Richardson, snacks and beverages; Karen Davis, bread and dessert; and Jana Smith, main dish. The four winners will represent at the District 3 Food Show in Wichita Falls March 13.



**EXTENDS WELCOME**—Paul Hancock of Clarendon, president of the Al Moctra Shrine, is pictured above presenting Potentate J. B. Glaspie with a bale of Hall County Shiner. The Sharon Temple Shriners were welcomed here Thursday when they enroute from Tyler to Amarillo.



**TYLER SHRINERS**—Dale Lawrence, president of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce, is pictured above presenting a miniature bale of Hall County Cotton to a delegation of Sharon Temple Shriners before proceeding to the Amarillo for the State Director's Staff Meeting.

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### Vilson-Sims Nuptials Read in Pretty Church Service in Hobbs, N. M.

Miss Chrissy N. Wilson and George Lynn Sims were united in marriage at the Grace Lutheran church in Hobbs, N. M., on December 19. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Servis.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Paul J. Mühle and Leo Sims, of Hobbs, N. M.

The couple stood before an arch decorated with boxwood garland and lime green gingham checked and made carnations and white roses, flanked by two branchedandelabra entwined with garlands and large lime green bows. Islands of boxwood and hurricane lamps lined the altar rail. Candles were marked with lime green bows and carnations. Candelabra were used in the windows with green branches.

Music was provided by Mrs. Irvin Jones, pianist, and Miss Mallow, vocalist. Mrs. Jones played a medley of love songs and accompanied Miss Mallow as she sang "He." The traditional wedding marches were used for the recessional.

Given in marriage by her parents, the bride was attired in an additional gown of white satin. The princess silhouette featured an epik outlined with a ruffled applique of Venetian lace and flowers. The long full sleeves were cuffed with lace and ruffles and the skirt swept into a chapel length train. Her imported veil of agliale illusion was secured by a address matching the lace on her gown.

She carried a bouquet of lime green carnations with white roses trimmed in green and white checked ribbons. She carried out the bridal custom of wearing something old, something new, something borrowed and something blue. For something old, she wore her mother's wedding

ring; the something borrowed was a handkerchief and something new was a diamond necklace, a wedding gift from the groom.

Suzanne Keeling of San Angelo was the maid of honor and bridesmaids were Debbie Parker of Knott, Renee Wilson of Memphis and Jo Collum of Hobbs, N. M. The attendants wore identical printed dotted swiss over lime green. The dresses were designed princless style with sweetheart necklines and short puffed sleeves. The skirts were encircled with a deep ruffle. They carried nosegays of handmade gingham checked flowers.

Samatha Sims, daughter of the groom, was flower girl. She wore a dress of lime green gingham check with white eyelet pinafore and a matching bonnet. Kendall Boys of Eunice, N. M. was ring bearer.

Vivian Sims served his brother as best man and groomsmen were Irvin Boyd, Pete Farmer and K. P. Wright.

Candlelighters and ushers were Paul Wilson, brother of the bride, and Ronnie Wilson of Memphis, cousin of the bride.

The bride's mother wore a melon interlocked knit blouse and matching skirt of polyester knit.

At a reception in the church parish hall, Mrs. K. P. Wright and Mrs. Irvin Boyd attended the bride's table.

The three-tiered wedding cake was decorated with white roses and lime green hearts. Lime green punch, green mints, nuts and coffee were served with the cake from a table covered with a lime green checked tablecloth.

The newlyweds are now at home in Hobbs, N. M. following a wedding trip to Rudoso, N. M.

For travel, the bride wore an orange pant suit with co-ordinate blouse.

The bride is attending Hobbs

### Hall County Trustee Election Set for April 3

Two Hall County Board Members are to be elected the 1st Saturday in April according to George F. Helm, President of Hall County School Board of Trustees. The members whose terms expire this year are Billie Fuston, Precinct No. 4 and Harlen Hood, Precinct No. 3.

The date of Hall County School Trustee election is set by statute and with only few exceptions always falls on the 1st Saturday in April. At an election for County School Trustees, all persons who are otherwise qualified to vote are eligible to vote for County Trustees. Each year there shall be elected alternately two (2) County School Trustees and three (3) County Trustees in each county. One of whom shall be elected from County-at-large by the Qualified voters of the county and one (1) from each Commissioner's Precinct who shall hold office for 2 years. The election officers appointed to hold election for District Trustees in each of said school districts respectively will hold the election for County School Trustees. This year the qualified voters will elect trustee for Commissioner's Precincts three and four.

Any vacancy on a Board of County School Trustees shall be filled for the unexpired portion of the term by the remaining trustees of Board Members. Other members of Board are George Helm, Precinct No. 1, O. E. Gardenhire, Precinct No. 2, Roy Gresham, County Board Member at-Large and Tops Gilreath, County Superintendent, Secretary of County Board.

Names of candidates must be filed by March 3rd.

High School and is a member of the student council. She is an honorary member of the Chi Delta Chi Sorority.

The groom attended New Mexico Junior College and is now a patrolman for the Hobbs, Police Department.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Wilson of Portales, N. M. Mrs. M. C. Robertson of Memphis, Mrs. Lurla Talley of Memphis and Ronald Wilson of Memphis.

### Gov. Dolph Briscoe Approves \$14,249 Grant To 100th Judicial District

AUSTIN — Governor Dolph Briscoe today approved a \$14,249 grant to Collingsworth County for a prosecutor aides and assistance project in the five-county 100th Judicial District.

The money comes from the Criminal Justice Division of the Governor's Office. CJD administers the state's block grant from the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration under the Crime Control Act of 1973.

The project provides partial salaries, benefits and equipment for an investigator and a secretary in the office of the district attorney of the 100th Judicial District. Counties included in that district are Carson, Childress, Donley, Hall and Collingsworth.

The local grant was among 90, for a total of \$5.7 million, which

Governor Briscoe approved today for improvements in Texas' juvenile and criminal justice systems at local, regional and state levels.

### Musical Program Sun. To Feature Steve Boney

A musical program to be presented Sunday, Feb. 15, at 2 p.m. in the Memphis Community Center Auditorium will feature Steve Boney, son of Mrs. LaWayne Boney of Memphis.

Steve is a Senior at Memphis High School and has participated in many community school and church activities. He has been a member of the Cyclone Band for four years and is experienced in playing the tuba, saxophone and bassoon.

Having been an active member of the Youth Choir at the First Baptist Church, he has been featured several times as soloist for the group and has participated in numerous musical programs throughout this area.

Steve plans to attend Hardin-Simmons University following graduation. He will be majoring in music and plans to pursue a vocal career.

Assisting in the program will be Mike Murphy, son of Rev. and Mrs. C. H. Murphy. Mike is a junior in Memphis High School

### 34 Persons Donate Blood Here Wednesday

Thirty-four citizens reported Wednesday from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. to give blood to Coffee Memorial Blood Bank in the first of three scheduled collections for this year.

The program, under the sponsorship of Memphis Business Women Club, is designed to provide blood for Hall County medical facilities throughout the year under a volunteer donor system.

Donors receive no cash for the blood but do qualify to receive blood from Coffee Memorial for their families under special conditions should the need arise.

Those giving blood include: Jerry Murdock, Iva Nell Abram, Myrtle Helm, Herbert Jones, Willie Leggett, Jack Scott, M. G. Alewine, W. L. Dugger, Johnny Farnsworth.

Also, Coy Miller, Sheldon Johnson, Jerry Jaco, Jimmy Roden, Lettie Goodnight, Roddy Bice, Loyd Elliott, Richard Ellis, C. E. Lindsey, Peggy Becker, T. W. Harrison, Pauline Kilpatrick.

Also, Jerry Montgomery, James Chappell, John Lemons, Barbara Sasser, Billy Foster, Don Curl, Orvilla Evans, Lois Goffinet, Dennis Taylor, Bill Ballew, Sr., Billy Gilbert, L. E. Hughes and Thomas Cope.

### Wildlife Trapper To Meet With Farmers, Landowners Friday

Wildlife trapper Benjamin Maynard, assigned to Hall County, has arrived and will meet with farmers and landowners at 2 p.m. Friday, Feb. 13, in the District Courtroom, according to County Judge Lester H. Campbell.

County Agent Warren Mitchell will be in charge of the meeting to obtain written consent of the owners so that Mr. Maynard can begin tripping animals on their property. These agreements can be signed at the meeting, or at any time in the future as long as the trapper's services are retained.



CYCLONE — Pictured above are MHS Basketball team which completed its season Tuesday night. From left to right are: Anthony Johnson, Ricky Woodward, Randall Shahan, Kirk Fields, Ricky Guy, Steve Flemmons, Ricky Miller, Darryl Smith, Charles Bryley and Kenneth Bryley. The team ended the season 15-12.

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## Dandruff Woes Plague Thousands

Thousands of flurries of little white flakes are falling across the state. It's not snow that's affecting people from the Panhandle to South Texas. The winter dandruff season is going strong.

According to the Texas Medical Association, almost everyone's scalp flakes and itches somewhat after shampooing. But dandruff becomes a problem when it is severe or annoying.

Regularly washing the scalp helps control dandruff so actually any good shampoo is a dandruff shampoo to some degree. Preparations specifically marketed to control dandruff may help control the problem even more. However, frequent shampooing and some shampoos themselves dry out the scalp and can increase the flaking problem.

Severe dandruff can cause some hair loss. Dandruff symptoms can become so serious there is redness and inflammation along with itching and flaking. Sometimes this problem occurs on the chest, around the ears or on the sides of the nose. You should see a doctor about severe dandruff. A physician can tell you the proper treatment and determine if you have a more severe problem like psoriasis, a problem with some symptoms of dandruff.

Psoriasis, a disease affecting at least one of every fifty persons in the U. S., can appear as itchy, silvery scaled, red patches on many parts of the body. The scalp, elbows, knees, hands, chest, back, underarm and genital areas may show psoriasis (so RYE ah sis) symptoms.

On the scalp, red areas with definite borders often are visible at the hair line. These areas shed large quantities of silvery white scales like dandruff. The elbows, knees and trunk are the most common sites of the same signs of psoriasis. Very serious psoriasis also can cause many small, raindrop-like areas on the body.

Perhaps the greatest problem dandruff and psoriasis suffers encounter is embarrassment. Sympathetic understanding and tolerance of their problem can greatly ease their burdens.

No one knows for sure what causes psoriasis and dandruff but psoriasis does occur after skin injury sometimes. Weather definitely affects both problems. For instance, both are worse in winter; bright sunlight can help psoriasis victims. Researchers do know the problems are not contagious.

There is no sure cause and cure for these problems but a physician can identify the disease and recommend proper treatment to help remove scales and ease the itching.

### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all the people who showed their concern for me while I was in the hospital by sending cards, gifts and flowers, and made phone calls. Also, I thank Dr. Clark and the hospital staff for their care and encouragement. And to the Reverend Metzger for his many visits and prayers.

Odessa D. Dennis

I wish there were just something left these days that could honestly be called unmentionable.



RESERVE CHAMP—Pictured above is Joe Hillhouse, showing his heavy weight Chester White Barrow at the FFA, 4-H Livestock Show recently. The animal took the Reserve Champion honors.

## Atalantean Club Entertains With 48th Anniversary Breakfast Sat., Morning

The 48th anniversary breakfast of the Atalantean Club was held January 24 at the Homemaking Department in the high school. The hostess Mrs. Dub Parker and social committee served a delicious breakfast following the welcome by Mrs. Parker, club president.

Mrs. Parker gave a special welcome to Mrs. W. C. Dickey presenting her with beautiful corsage in special appreciation of her being the club's only charter member.

Mrs. Murphy gave a report from the nominating committee for officers for 1976-77.

Mrs. Thompson read a beautiful poem after which Mrs. Atkisson presented the club president, Mrs. Parker, with a gift from club members.

The program was presented by Mrs. C. H. Murphy, Jr., and Mrs. Clinton Voyles. They presented a playlet on "Julia Ward Howe," who helped to found the Federation of Womens Clubs of America. Following the program pictures were taken.

Those members who were present were: Mrs. Bryan Adams, Mrs. Thomas Atkisson, Mrs. Bill Collier, Mrs. James Davis, Mrs. W. C. Dickey, Mrs. H. B. Estes,

Mrs. Robert Montgomery, Miss Imogene King, Mrs. C. H. Murphy, Mrs. Dub Parker, Mrs. Glynn Thompson, Mrs. Clinton Voyles, Mrs. Winfred Wilson, Miss Gertrude Rasco and Mrs. W. R. Scott.

## Plaska Sewing Club Enjoys Afternoon Of Needlework Jan. 29

The Plaska Sewing Club met Thursday, Jan. 29, at 1:30 p.m. with Mrs. Vera Orr. The afternoon was spent embroidering pillow cases, dresser scarves and shirt for the hostess.

Delicious refreshments were served to Meses Harvey Wines, Hub Holt, Brown Smith, Lynn B. Jones, Odessa Crisman and the hostess, Mrs. Orr.

Mrs. O. L. Helm was in Memphis last week making plans to move to Denton after selling her home here to Mr. and Mrs. John Binkley. Mrs. Helm has been in Denton for several months. She left for Denton on Monday.

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

## Baptist Women Have Bible Study Tues.

Women of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday, Feb. 10, for Bible study.

Mrs. Leta Ellis presided for the meeting. Following special prayer requests, Mrs. Erma Denton had charge of the call to prayer and Mrs. Billie Parker led in prayer.

Mrs. Nita Murphy presented a gift and the group enjoyed cookies made by Mrs. Ellis.

Bro. C. H. Murphy taught the study from the book of Romans in the New Testament. The closing prayer was led by Mrs. Betty Rose.

Others present were: Meses. Hulda Wilson, Nettie Adams, Martha Billington, Una Ramy, Myrtle Hammons, Bertha Alexander, Hucie Lindsey, Maud Fitzjarrald, Clara Pritchett, Grace Craton, Lessie Salmon, Amanda Simpson, Grace Duke, Ida Hutcherson, Dorothy Gurley, Pug Scott, Audra Foster, Sylvia Lewis, Margaret Lundschen, Paulina Kilpatrick, Lorene Swift and Clara Pyeatt.

Dink Dennis, who recently underwent heart surgery in Amarillo, is home and doing nicely.

Elem Orcutt returned home this week from an Amarillo hospital and is reported to be doing nicely.

## Mrs. Wilfred Is Hostess Woman's Club

Mrs. Wilfred presided for the meeting of the Woman's Club on Monday, Feb. 9, at her home, 7th Street. The group met to order and roll called with scriptures and a Missionary offering.

Following the program, led by Mrs. Wilfred, was held. "Tell me the Story and Faye Posey presented "The Women of the Bible" as the devotional and a title was given by Inez Hebrews 2:10-15.

A presentation of the Artesia Christian given by Mrs. Mable Roberts. The happenings at the Missionary Benediction study.

The hostess served refreshment from Murdock, Faye Stotts, Faye Madsen, Dorothy St. Pate, Charlotte Odum, Lucile Aspreen.

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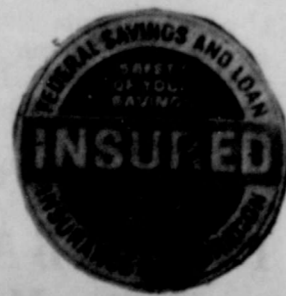
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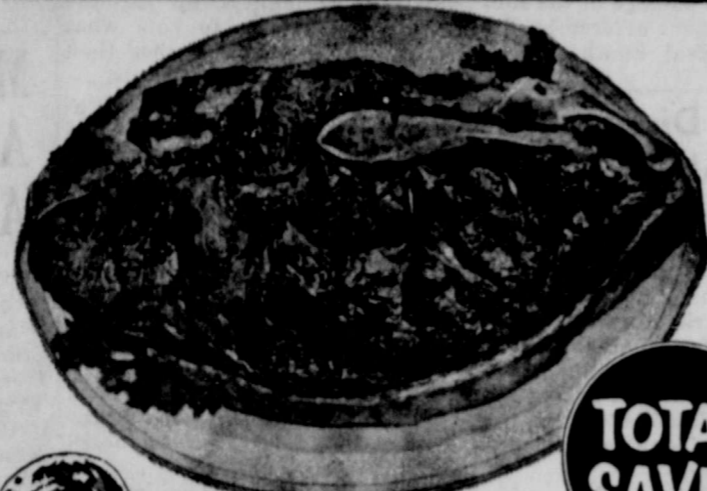
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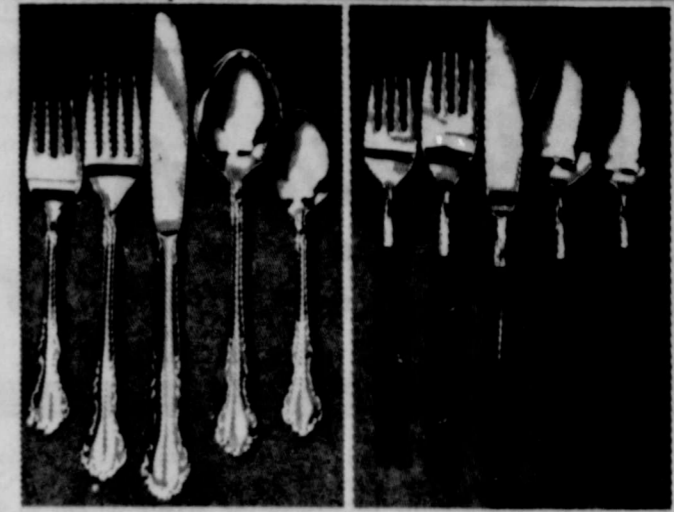
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SPECIALS GOOD FEBRUARY 9-14, 1976

## STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights by Bill Boykin TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN — Six Democratic and two Republican candidates for president will be campaigning for Texas votes in the May 1 state preference primary.

Texas' 130-member delegation will be the sixth largest in the nation to the Democratic National Convention July 12 in New York City. The 100-member Republican delegation will be the fifth largest at the Republican Convention August 16 in Kansas City.

Ninety-eight Democratic delegates will be elected in the one-time-only primary authorized for this presidential year by the 1975 legislature.

Democrats Lloyd Bentsen, George Wallace and Jimmy Carter qualified for the ballot in all 31 Texas senatorial districts.

President Gerald Ford and Former California Gov. Ronald Reagan submitted qualifying petitions to get on the Republican ballot in the 24 congressional districts.

Democrats Fred Harris will run in 15 Texas districts, Sargent Shivers in six and Ellen McCormack (anti-abortion campaign leader) in five.

**Oil Firms Sued**  
Atty. Gen. John Hill filed damage suits totaling \$1.4 million against Gulf Oil and Phillips Petroleum, alleging violations of state laws against contributing corporate funds to political campaigns.

Hill asked at least \$1,050,000 from Gulf and \$375,000 from Phillips, as the state's "triple damages" recovery of the amount of the corporate donations. He also asked injunctions against future violations.

Gulf contributions began in 1960, the Phillips contributions in 1964.

**Appointments**  
Gov. Dolph Briscoe named James M. Rose to succeed Harry P. Burrell as executive director of Texas Water Development Board.

At the same time, he announced combining of the Division of Planning Coordination (headed by Rose) and the Governor's Budget Office. Charles D. Travis, now budget director, will head the combined office. Appointments are effective February 16.

Briscoe appointed J. Michael Smith of Gilmer as Criminal District attorney for Upshur County replacing Welby K. Parish of Gilmer who resigned.

He named George Wayne Miller of Floydada 110th district judge, succeeding the late L. D. Ratliff of Spur and picked John R. "Randy" Hollums of Floydada to succeed Miller as 110th district attorney.

**Courts Speak**  
The Court of Criminal Appeals upheld life sentences for two men convicted of killing two Dallas policemen in 1971.

An insurance company cannot rely on an exclusion of commercial vehicles to deny payment of death benefits to survivors of a Navy employee killed in a truck - auto crash, the State Supreme Court held.

A divided Court of Criminal Appeals reversed a Houston woman's robbery conviction because the indictment failed to say who owned stolen property.

The Supreme Court rejected an insurance company's appeal to recover \$5,000 it paid owners of a burned house (from parents of an 11-year-old who set the fire).

The high court also affirmed a lower court ruling that a former state securities commissioner must help pay back \$50,000 to victims of a Mexican real estate promotion scheme.

Court of Criminal Appeals overturned a Dallas heroin conviction of a man arrested with needle marks on his arm. Police also found 25 packets of the drug in his bedroom closet.

**AG Opinions**  
Atty. Gen. Hill said accident reports may be considered by the Department of Public Safety in determining whether there is a reasonable probability of a judgment against a driver.

In other recent opinions Hill concluded, Board of Health Resources members can collect pay only for meetings designed to be attended by all members.

Waller County may build and maintain a medical clinic without submitting the matter to a vote. Money budgeted for major building repairs can be used.

## Homemakers To Sponsor Volley Ball Tourney

A Men's and Women's Volleyball Tournament will be sponsored by the Memphis Young Homemakers on March 18, 19 and 20 at the Memphis High School gym, it was announced this week.

The entry fee will be \$12.00 per team which must be paid in advance. Deadline for entries will be March 11. Due to time limitations only the first ten entries in each division will be accepted, it was stated.

Admission to the games will be 75 cents for adults and 25 cents for children.

A concession stand will be featured and those attending can buy refreshments.

Proceeds from the project will go to the Memphis Young Homemakers Scholarship Fund in memory of Nancy May.

Persons interested in entering the tournament should contact Mrs. Susan McQueen, Box 392, Memphis, Phone 259-3238 or Mrs. Nelwyn Ward, phone 259-3397.

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### SHORT SNORTS

Texas \$1.3 billion in agricultural exports for 1975 ranked among the top five states.

The new auto registration season opened February 1 and continues through March.

Regional chambers of commerce are accepting nominations for the 1975 Governor's Industrial Expansion Awards.

Welfare Commissioner Raymond W. Vowell is a new member of the national advisory committee on child abuse and neglect for the Education Commission of the States.

The State Board of Insurance has hired readability expert Dr. Rudolph Flesch to help write insurance policies people can understand.

The Welfare Department invited open bidding April 1 on administering its purchased health care program.

Judge O. P. Carrillo, convicted in an impeachment trial by the Senate last month, is suing to retain his job.

A series of hearings by a House special committee on alternatives to public school financing methods began in Houston February 10.

## HIGHTOWER WASHINGTON HIGHLIGHTS

from Congressman Jack Hightower



WASHINGTON, D. C. — Congressman Jack Hightower said today that House passage of the substitute amendment offered by Representative Neal Smith (D-Ia.)

### Outlook Discussions To Highlight School

COLLEGE STATION — Texas bankers dealing with agricultural loans must have firsthand knowledge about what's down the road for various agricultural commodities. And that's just what they're going to get at the 24th Texas Farm and Ranch Credit School for Commercial Bankers, February 9-11, at the Rudder Center, Texas A&M University.

A special session will provide "Outlook" information on livestock, cotton, grain and the money market, points out Dr. Richard Trimble, economist in management for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Speakers will be Extension specialists Dr. Ed Uvacek and Roland Smith; Dr. Phillip Gramm, Texas A&M professor of economics (currently on leave); and Dan Davis of Lubbock, general manager of the Plains Cotton Cooperative Association.

"We think this portion of the school will be of special interest to bankers since it will give them some idea of what to expect in the coming months in these particular areas," notes Trimble. "Many of the decisions they will have to make during the year will be based on 'outlook' information."

Other features of the school will include concurrent sessions on loans for crops and machinery, cow-calf operations and feedlots along with a special session for bank directors.

Setting the stage at the beginning of the three-day school will be discussions on changing agricultural environment — political, market and financial.

A special Agricultural Credit Analysis Workshop will begin the afternoon of February 11 and continue through the morning of February 13. The workshop will deal with preparing financial statements, analyzing and reconciling farm records, and preparing cash flow projections. Case problems will also be studied and solved, points out Trimble.

to the Natural Gas Bill was a stunning disappointment and indicated a willingness by far too many congressmen to vote what is politically popular rather than consider hard economic facts.

"I voted against the Smith amendment and against the final bill that contained it," Hightower said.

Hightower said that although the bill supposedly contains an exemption for independent producers, he believes the independents will find that its complex conditions will prevent many of them from qualifying.

"The provision which would extend regulation into the intrastate market for major producers mocks the free enterprise system that is essential to providing the incentive for the petroleum industry to increase exploration, production and development of our domestic resources," Hightower said. "Texas has an abundant supply of natural gas only because gas produced within the state can be sold in the state at its fair market value, not at the artificially low prices received in the regulated interstate market."

Hightower said the bill would empower the Federal Power Commission to survey an independent producer's contracts, profits, affiliated and joint - production interests, farmout arrangements and countless other activities. "He would likely find himself saddled with more regulations than under present conditions," the Congressman said.

He said the bill would also drive a sharp wedge between the independent and major producers, when in reality the two must be dependent upon each other.

"If this bill is allowed to become law in its present form," Hightower said, "I believe independent producers will derive little benefit from it and the net result will be a natural gas famine in portions of the nation that are now experiencing a natural gas shortage."

Hightower said he would do whatever he can to persuade members of the House - Senate Conference Committee, which will attempt to formulate a compromise measure from their respective

## Senior Citizens Invited to Valentine's Dinner Friday at Community Center

Friday, February 13, is the day — not for avoiding black cats and unlucky ladders — but for valentines and games and visiting and eating.

The Senior citizens will meet in the Community Center about ten o'clock for recreation. At twelve a pot-luck luncheon will be served. The Pounds Family will entertain with vocal and instrumental music.

### MHS Ex-Students Asked to List Addresses Now

"We are desperately trying to assemble the names, addresses and years of graduates of the Ex-Students of Memphis High School from the teens to the present," Virginia Browder said this week.

Persons who are graduates of Memphis High School are being requested to write or phone and give names and addresses of themselves and other members of their families or friends from out-of-town. Persons should call or write Mildred Stephens, 820 S. 7th St., Memphis, Texas 79245, phone 259-2075; or Virginia Browder, 413 Main, Memphis, Texas.

Persons are also asked to send in \$1.00 membership dues.

"We hope to have our plans for the Easter weekend reunion finalized by the first of March so we can mail information to the Ex-Students, Ms. Browder stated.

### CORN STILL TOP SWINE FEED

Corn still continues to be the most efficient feed for swine rations, according to research by the Texas Agriculture Experiment Station. However, the research shows that carcasses from sorghum - fed hogs are equal to those fed corn in pork yield, finish, lean-to-fat ratio, quality and firmness. Tests rated fed corn in pork yield, finish, lean-to-fat ratio, quality and firmness. Tests rated sorghum as having an average efficiency value of 96 percent compared to corn.

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Eva B. D. To Celebrate 100th Birth

Eva Beatrice was one of the original residents of the city, celebrating her 100th birthday on February 13.

The party will be held at the day Inn at 903 1/2 of Gro. Diner. Dinner ticket is \$6.00. Identical served followed luncheon at 8:00 p.m. Monthly general will be on hand to serve and/or account.

Parnell C. Meets In Session

The Parnell C. Meets In Session will be held at the day Inn at 903 1/2 of Gro. Diner. Dinner ticket is \$6.00. Identical served followed luncheon at 8:00 p.m. Monthly general will be on hand to serve and/or account.

Refreshments will be served at the following used guests: Billie Potts, Lena Hill, Lena Hill, Morris, Cindy Burrell, and Dawn Ammen. Ruth Ann Mose, char. Sandy Schuler and a and guests, Ann M. Cathy Fuller and e) le beoq or dist new or July bi nate may y ad. wou mo f Co ment r of to t any part mont ble t rat with illing applic ab res emer ny P us ad C to res its year

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ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF LAKEVIEW:

**SECTION 1.** Effective with the date this bill is rendered from and thirty (30) days from the date of final passage of this ordinance the maximum general rate for sales of natural gas to residential and commercial consumers within the limits of Lakeview by Lone Star Gas Company, its successors or assigns, is hereby fixed and amended as follows:

For 1000 Cu. Ft. or Fraction 13.14 @ \$2.4444 Gross; \$2.2000 Net  
 For over 1000 cu. ft. @ \$2.0451 Gross; \$1.8406 Net  
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**ADJUSTMENTS**

The amount of each net monthly bill shall be computed at the above rates and shall be subject to the following adjustments: Plus or minus the amount of any increase or decrease, respectively, in the rate or below the \$1.0399 per cubic foot level in the intracompany rate charge as authorized by the Railroad Commission of the State of Texas or other regulatory body having jurisdiction over the business delivered to Lone Star Gas Company's distribution system within the residential and commercial consumers where such adjustments are caused by increases or decreases in the cost of gas following as used by the Company; plus or minus the amount equivalent to the property tax part of any new tax, increase in tax, or any other tax, rental, or other charge (except state, county, city and special district ad valorem taxes and taxes on net worth) levied, assessed or imposed subsequent to July 1, 1975, or allocable to the Company's distribution operations, by law or amended law, ordinance or contract. Each gross rate shall be adjusted proportionately. Company, at its option may forego the application of adjustment if such adjustment would result in an increase in the monthly bill; however, failure of Company to apply any adjustment shall not constitute a waiver of Company's right from time to time, or at any time, to any adjustment, in whole or in part, in any subsequent monthly bill that may be applicable to such bill. The above rate is applicable to residential and commercial consumers per meter per month or any part of a month for which used at the same location. In addition to the aforesaid, Company shall have the right to collect such reasonable rates as are necessary to conduct its business and to carry out reasonable rules and regula-



**GRAND CHAMPION** — David Davidson, pictured above, showed the Grand Champion in the FFA-4-H Livestock Show here Saturday. The Grand Champion is a crossbreed.

**Travis Bapt. Women Meet At Church For Mission Study Tues.**

The Baptist Women of Travis Baptist Church met Tuesday, Feb. 10, at 9:30 a.m. at the church for Mission Study.

The meeting was opened by Mrs. Lynn B. Jones. Mrs. J. I. Herndon read Exodus 23: 1-8 and the prayer calendar and led in prayer remembering the missionaries. Mrs. L. G. Rasco led in prayer remembering the bereaved, sick, unsaved and the church.

Mrs. A. L. Rogers continued the teaching of the Home Mission book, "Tomorrow Starts Today."

Mrs. Grace Richardson led in the closing prayer. Attending were: Mmes. J. W. Chappell, T. C. Stevens, Myrtle Dunn, Lynn B. Jones, A. L. Rogers, L. C. Rasco, J. I. Herndon, W. S. McQueen, C. H. Davidson, Grace Richardson and Miss Joyce Richardson.

Attend The Church of Your Choice This Sunday.

**Relatives And Friends Attend Potts Service**

A large number of out of town friends and relatives were in Memphis on January 26 to attend funeral services for Tommie M. Potts. Among those who were here for the services were the following:

Relatives included: Mary Jo Monroe, Prairie, Kirk Monroe Tyler, Ellis Clawson of Pittsburg, Coyle Feazel of Dekalb, Mrs. Floyd Henry of Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. Will Alf Cobb of Big Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Beck of Lubbock, Alf Cobb of Amarillo, Ken Cobb of Big Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Mahone of New Boston, Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Clawson of Dekalb, Tonia Tucker of Garland, Mr. and Mrs. James Potts of Hedley, James Edward Potts of Hedley, Billie Morgan Salmon of Brice and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Carter of

Kansas. Among friends attending from out of town were Estelle Guthrie of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Murray of Canyon, Mrs. Susan White of Amarillo, Mrs. Elmer Fisher of Oklahoma City, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Springer of Hedley, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore of Hedley, Mrs. June Leary of Estelline, George Tucker of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baten of Pampa, Don C. Springer of Hedley, Bob Newton of Groom, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Woods of Lark, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Callihan of Panhandle, Frank Smith of Borger, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Weatherby of Shamrock, Mrs. Bess Wilson of Hedley, Jerald Rapp of Estelline, Mrs. Horace DuVall of Lakeview and Mrs. B. E. Davenport of Lakeview.

Tom Salem of Turkey, brother-in-law of Lester Campbell, underwent surgery last week in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. He returned to his home in Turkey Monday and is recovering nicely.

**Cafeteria Menus Memphis Public Schools**

- Monday, Feb. 16**  
Beef stew, cornbread, crackers and peanut butter, cookies, milk.
- Tuesday, Feb. 17**  
Barbecue weiners, potato salad, green peas, hot rolls with butter, apricot preserves, milk.
- Wednesday, Feb. 18**  
Sloppy Joes, ranch style beans, pickles, potato chips, cake, milk.
- Thursday, Feb. 19**  
Corn dogs, pink beans, mustard, cornbread, Jello with fruit, milk.
- Friday, Feb. 20**  
Hamburger on a bun, pickles, onion and lettuce, French fries, cobbler, milk.

Worth Howard, who underwent surgery Monday, is reported to be doing nicely following the surgery. Mr. Howard has been in St. Anthony's Hospital for several days and had undergone surgery prior to the operation Monday.

**BY LOW FOOD STORE**

**CRISCO SHORTENING**  
  
**\$1.39**  
 3 LB. CAN

**FROZEN FOOD SAVINGS**  
**FISHER BOY 16 OZ. PKG.**  
**Fish Sticks 69c**

**DEL MONTE, 303 Can 2 FOR**  
**Fruit Cocktail 79c**

**BANQUET MEXICAN 11 OZ. PKG.**  
**Dinners 49c**

**CLOVERLAKE 1/2 GALLON**  
**Buttermilk 79c**

**KEITHS CRINKLE CUT 2 LB. PKG.**  
**Potatoes 39c**

**CLOVERLAKE 1/2 GALLON**  
**Ice Cream \$1.19**

**Wilson's 12 OZ. PKG.**  
**Franks 67c**

**WHITE SWAN, 303 Can 3 FOR**  
**Tomatoes 89c**

**HARVEST BRAND 16 OZ. PKG.**  
**Bacon 1.19**

**KOUNTY KIST, 303 Can 4 FOR**  
**C. S. Corn \$1.**

**WRIGHTS, Halves or Whole POUND**  
**Hams 1.29**

**KOUNTY KIST, 303 Can 4 FOR**  
**Peas \$1.00**

**KOUNTY KIST CUT, 303 Can 4 FOR**  
**Green Beans \$1.**

**CORNET, 2 Roll Pkg. 2 FOR**  
**Tissue 79c**

**PORK RIBS POUND**  
**Pork Ribs 89c**

**HERSHEY INSTANT 16 OZ. CRT.**  
**Cocoa Mix 79c**


**BEEF LIVER POUND**  
**Beef Liver 39c**

**WHITE SWAN 1 LB. CRT.**  
**Soft Oleo 47c**

**BEEF RIBS POUND**  
**Beef Ribs 59c**

**BORDEN'S 24 OZ. CRT.**  
**Cottage Cheese 99c**

**CHUCK RIBS LB.**  
**CHUCK RIBS 69c**

**COFFEE**  
  
**1 Lb. Can \$1.29**

**PRODUCE**  
**COLORADO RUSSET 10 LB. SACK**  
**Potatoes 89c**

**WISHING WELL WINNERS**  
 E. E. ROBERTS  
 MRS. LEO FIELDS  
 MRS. HENRY HAYS

**SUNKIST LB.**  
**Cabbage 10c**  
**ORANGES LB.**  
**Oranges 19c**

I, J. C. Stepp, Secretary of the Town of Lakeview, Hall County, Texas, hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of an ordinance passed and approved by the Town Council of the Town of Lakeview at a regular session held on the 9th day of February, 1976, as it appears of record in the Minutes of said Town Council in Book 1, page 157.

**WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF SAID TOWN, this 9th day of February, A.D. 1976.**  
 J. C. STEPP, Secretary  
 Town of Lakeview, Texas  
 41-1c

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Lawrence of Dumas visited here Monday night with his sister, Mrs. Peggy Lawrence, and her parents and brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Brewer and Tommy Brewer and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Brewer and family.

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**NEW SHIPMENT**

Fall City Minnow Buckets	-----	\$3.98
Stringers - 6 ft., 9 ft.	-----	15c ea.
Eagle Claw Hooks	-----	53c
Zebco 700's, Hoss Reel	-----	\$10.95
Dolphin Crappie Rigs	-----	12c ea.

**Red River Bait & Tackle**  
 G. W. Blount & Son  
 902 S. 7th St. Memphis, Texas

**The Ideal Gift**

**FINE Valentine Candies**

FROM OUR **PANGBURN'S** SELECTION  
 RANGE OF PRICES AND ASSORTMENTS



**Fowler Drug**

