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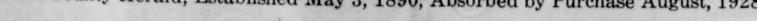
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MEMPHIS, HALL COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY AFTERNOON, APRIL 22, 1976 15c (Inc. 1c sales tax)



Regional play is already under-way for Tina Foxhall and girls golfers of Class A, at Meadow-brook Golf Course in Lubbock, and the Memphis freshmen is tied for medalist honors at the end of the first 18th holes, played Wednesday.

She shot 88 to be tied with Vega's Bez Winters, with the final 18 holes today to determine the eventual winners. Miss Foxhall, despite her young years, is a veteran of competitive golf as she has devoted several summers of participation in numerous tournaments over the state.

The Memphis and Lakeview girl tennis players will be competing tomorrow and Saturday in Region competition, with Memphis girls competing in Lubbock and the Lakeview girls participating in Levelland where the Class B regionals are being held.

Although predictions of winners in Regional and State competition is extremely difficult, Memphis and Lakeview both have hopes of qualifying girls in the State Tennis meet in their respective classes.

Lakeview has Karen Cofer in girls singles, and two doubles teams, Starla Byars and Tina Watson and Belinda Barbee and Animal Control official, Charles Leslie Cofer. Valley's Dianna Purcell was runner-up in District singles and will compete in Re-

Memphis has two singles and indoors on gymnasium floors, so all are hoping for better weather

Julie Fowler and Beaky Morgan will be competing in girls sineles as they to It is a violation of a city ord- | cond places respectively in disinance for dogs not to have a trict. Jana Richardson and partcity tag and be vaccinated for ra- ner Jana Davis won district by defeating Liz Phillips and Lise two tags will be given each dog; Ferris the other Memphis team (by default). This gives Memphis four shots at a regional crown, in girls tennis. Regional competition for boys will be the weekend of April 30, May 1, in golf, tennis and track.



TO DISTRICT - The Memphis track team, pictured above around the meet and trophies the team has won this season, left early this morning for Shamrock to parin the District 2-A track and field meet, and the team has high hopes of capturing er district title in this sport. The meet started at 9 a.m. this morning, with running finals to be held this afternoon, with the last event scheduled around 5 p.m. es George Berry and Steve Land hosted trackmen to a hamburger fry Wednesday g, after which Coach Berry gave the traditional coach's advise to get plenty of and be on time in the morning.

urkey Will Host 5th Annual Wills Celebration Saturday

The popu- | liff and several members of the | said Robison, a cotton gin man-Elections will continue until Tuesf Turkey, Texas, a small Texas Playboys, the band that gaer in everyday life. "This year day, April 27, four days prior and ranching community helped vault Wills into interna- the six member board has planned to the May 1 Primary Elections, blish a practical and personal rapto ten times it's normal ahead, expanded the facilities and tional stardom after his humble turday April 24th., as the beginning "along the river" only we are hoping for another fine erves the 5th annual Bob turnout.' a few miles from Turkey. The Bob Wills Museum will be day, set aside to honor Bob Wills Day was started five unveiled this year, with several most famous citizen, is years ago by a group of Turkey artifacts from the career of Wills to attract five to six residents in an effort to honor on display in a special room. Al visitors from Texas and the man who always called Tur-Strickland, former piano player key, Texas (Pop. 641) his home. ring states for Wills, will preview his new ent for the event will be Bob Wills Foundation Board book, "My Years with Bob" for Member Jim Robison welcomed etty Wills, widow of the the first time, with copies on sale. iger and fiddle player, everyone to this years event. A parade at 10:30 a.m., barbeas the "King of Western "Last year we were stunned and que lunch from 11:30 a.m. to , along with Leon McAu- pleased by the large turnout" 1:00 p.m. and Old Fiddlers Contest at 1:00 p.m. An outdoor musical tribute to Bob Wills will bere Than 500 Persons Enjoy 70th gin at 3:30 p.m. That evening at 9:00 p.m. a dance will be held niversary Party at Thompson Bros. featuring Leon McAuliff and several members of the Texas Playboys.

County Bank Figures Are At All Time High Marks depositors | Peoples State Bank of Turkey and

have almost five million dollars First State Bank of Memphis are more in the bank this April than published in this week's issue of they did last April according to The Democrat. The statements rethe statements of condition of flect a new policy of rounding Hall County's banks. But last off figures to the nearest one April, deposits were three milon dollars less than were de-

posits in April 1974. Total deposits in the three Hall

County banking institutions reached \$32,878,000.00 as of call date March 31, 1976, which is an increase of \$5,009,881.42 above total deposits figures of April, 1975.

Total assets of the three couny banks as of March 31, are \$35,-793,000.00, or \$4.78 million over total assets of April 1975.

Showing a \$1.98 million inrease in the total loans figure, standing at \$17,065,000.00 as compared to \$15,080,425.47 on April 16, 1975.

Statements of condition of the First National Bank of Memphis,

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Abentee voting in the Demo-

cratic and Republican Primary

Johnny Cash Film To Be Shown Sun. At First Methodist

The story is old, but the perspective is up-dated and brought into sharp focus by the film "" he Gospel Road" to be shown on Sunday, April 25, at First United Methodist Church. The showing will begin at 7:30 p.m.

"The Gospel Road", distributed by World Wide Pictures, was conceived and produced by Johnny Cash and his wife, June Carter Cash, whose desire was to tell the story of Jesus Christ in a realistic and meaningful way.

The film is a unique blend of scripture - based narrative, an abundant supply of specially written songs, and a series of in-depth character portrayals, with Israel itself as the mixing bowl.

You are there, walking beside the Jordan and the Sea of Galilee; you are there, seeing Him in many human situations that esta-

(Continued on Page 12)

Daylight Saving time will go

Persons should take note of

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into effect at 2 s.m. Sunday,

Daylight Saving

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Comparing the March 31 bank figures with Dec. 31, 1975 figures, total deposits reflect approximately a \$1.5 million increase, as do total assets figures.

Considering that Dec. 31, 1975 figures were the highest the three county banks have ever reported, on total deposits and total assets, the March 31, 1976 figures have broken this record.



Memphis residents are reminded that it is time again to obtain city registration and vaccinations for their dogs, according to City Waller

Dr. Mark Fires of Wellington will be at the Memphis City Hall gional in Levelland. on Saturday from 9 a.m. till 1 p.m. to vaccinate all dogs. The two doubles teams competing in rabies vaccine will be given at Lubbock Friday and Saturday. a cost of \$4 per animal and dis-Last year, due to poor weather, temper at \$5 for those who want Memphis tennis entries had to play

On Saturday only, the City of Memphis will forege charging the this year. \$2.00 fee for dog tags and citizens should take advantage of the saving.

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than 500 persons attend-| Hightower of Vernon, former Memphian. 70th Anniversary Party Anniversary cake and punch

son Bros. Saturday, Mr. Billy Thompson stated. were pleased to have so to all who called at the store. out-of-town guests among was Congressman Jack

vices Held nday For ank Spruill

tal services for Benjamin in "Frank" Spruill, 75, were p.m. Sunday, April 18, First Baptist Church. Ofwere the Rev. V. L. as, pastor of Travis Baptist and the Rev. Jimmy Dan , a grandson, officiating. ent was in Fairview Ceunder the direction of uneral Home.

pruill passed away Friday, 16, in Hall County Hospi-

was born August 29, 1900, his in 1917. A retired buildractor, Mr. Spruill was a of the First Baptist

rs include; two sons, f Memphis and Billy of two daughters, Mrs. Bland of Hedley and Mrs. Robertson of Lakeview; ther, Louis Spruill of San-Calif.; one sister, Mrs. children and 15 great-

rers were Travis Bland,

An art, craft and hobby show will be held in connection with

the Bob Wills Day celebration. The items will be on display in was served throughout the day Bob Wills Center building the Among those who presided at the from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

refreshment table, which was cen-Artists who would like to distered with a lovely arrangement play their works may make reof cut flowers, were Kedron Stepservations with Marjorie Bell by hens, Mrs. Bobbye Carrol, Mrs. phoning 806-423-1086 or write Lester Campbell and Mrs. Jim 79261.

Hansard. Tthe store was decorated with many lovely flowers and pot plants sent to the Thompson on the observance of the store's 70th anniversary in Memphis. Personnel of the store wore red & white carnation corsages with the nu-

merals "70". Live broadcasting by KBGH was presented throughout the day with interviews and tales of old

times being presented my many old-timers of the area. The oldest proof of purchases was brought in by Charlie Williams which was machinery for the first silo built in Hall County in 1914, Mr. Williams was presented a beautiful gold serving

tray Other gifts given away during the day included the following: (Continued on Page 12)

Powderpuff Football Game Is Set For Fri.

A Powderpuff Football game between the junior and senior girls of Memphis High School will be held Friday, April 23, at Cy-Needham of Wellington; clone Stadium. The game will begin at 7:30 p.m. and is sponsored by the MHS Junior Class.

Tickets will sell for \$1.25 for RES, L. M. Wiginton, Ron-adults and 75c for students and Gene Hearn and Jay children. The public is cordially invited to attaend.

in Hall County Clerks Office.

County Clerk Ruby Goodnight explained that most voters will need to appear in person at the County Clerk's office in order to vote.

However, the law says, "Any qualified voter of this state who fore Pilate, and becoming so personally involved that you feel expects to be absent from the county of his residence on the day of the election, or who will Elfstrom, in an outstanding portrayal of Christ, suffers the phybe 65 years of age or older on sical attack that precedes the the day of the election, or who Crucifixion, Rev. Metzger said. because of sickness, physical disability, confinement in jail, or Adding to the effectiveness of 'The Gospel Road" in its endeareligious belief cannot appear at vor to convey reality for this day the polling place in the election precinct of his residence on the are: the fascinating treatment of day of the election, may never-

theless cause his vote to be cast at any election held in this state by compliance with the applicable method herein provided for absentee voting."

Mrs. Goodnight said that for voters to vote by mail they must be over 65 years of age or have a medical certificate (if under 65).

Absentee voting is done only P. O. Box 338, Turkey, Texas during regular office hours at the County Clerk's office.



EX-STUDENT BANQUET - Pictured above is the head table at the Ex-Student banquet here Saturday night at which 460 exes were in attendance from the oldest, Charlie Williams of the class of 1910, on up through the years. On the right are Mr. and Mrs. John Clark of Grand Rapids, Mich. Mrs. Patsy Sue (Hays) Clark was the speaker for the affair, introduced by Mrs. Mildred Stephens, co-chairman of the Exes Activities, shown second from right. Virginia Browder, at the microphone, also served as co-chairman.

port with every viewer, according to the Rev. Ken Metzger, pastor. You are there, being introduced to the disciples, and bies, it was explained. This year gaining insights into their varied personalities. You are there, exa city tag and a vaccination tag periencing the highly charged will both be issued. emotional impact of the trial be-

The vaccination clinic is sponsored this year by the City Ani-mal Control and the Hall County sympathetic pain when Robert 4-H Club .

Valley, Lakeview Win Tennis Spots

viewy took second in both divi- the semi-finals. sions.

For the Lakeview tennis team. qualifying two entries to Regional competition in Levelland April 30 - May 1 was considered an achievement considering the talent and depth of the Valley High boys tennis team.

Valley's Joey Barfield downed Hank Wurst 6-0, 6-1, in the opening match, then defeated Danny Collins 6-0, 6-0 before defeating Lakeview's Kelly Clark 6-3, 6-0.

Clark, however, survived a match against Valley's Ernie Lucero 2-6, 6-1, 6-1 to reach the finals despite a bout with the flu. Lucero won third by defeating

Collins of Estelline 6-0, 6-3. In boys doubles, Valley's Ron Eudy and Scotty Setliff defeated Lakeview's Brad Byars and Gregg Clark 6-2, 6-3 to win the doubles

championship. After drawing a bye in the opening round, they defeated Chris Molloy and Gary Gregory 6-0, 6-0 to reach the finals

Molloy and Gregory had an interesting match with Loel Morris and Felix Morris which went 6-4, 3-6, 6-3 in the opening round. Brad Byars and Gregg Clark

downed Joe Nivens and Tommy Davis, before defeating Lyndoll Couch and Dan Douglas 7-5, 6-2 in the semi-finals.

The Gregory - Molloy team of Lakeview defeated the Couch and Douglas team of Valley 7-5, 6-4 to take third place. In Junior High division, Estel-line's John Mark Holland defeat-den and Scott Vacca.

District 3-B boys tennis was ed Valley's Terry Britten 6-1, 6-1 held Wednesday in Lakeview, and to win the singles. Holland downwhen play was concluded, Valley ed Wilborn 6-0, 6-1 to reach the High captured both singles and finals, while Wilborn had downed doubles first places, while Lake- Edward Sampley 6-1, 6-0 to make

Adlbert Alfaro downed Don Duke 6-2, 6-2, to meet Britten in the semi-finals, a match Britten won 6-1, 6-0.

In boys doubles, Valley's James Green and Bruce Setliff down Valley's Shane Parsley and Angel Costillo 6-1, to win this division.

Dusty Byars and Brent Molloy gave the Parsley - Costillo team a real match, losing 6-4, 7-6 in the semi-finals.

MHS Honor Roll For Fifth Six Weeks Released

A total of 32 students were named on the Memphis High Honor Roll for the fifth six weeks according to Clinton Voyles, principal.

Seniors named were: Zetta Austin, Helen Bolden, Dorothy Cabler, Martha Clark, Steve Boney, Charles Phillips, Clyde Smith, Matt Smith and Dale Wiginton. Juniors included: Jana Davis, Linda Gomez, Deborah Norton, Nilda Ortiz, Dacarla Sasser, Alfredia Walker, Joe Hillhouse and J. Frank Spry.

Sophomores were Alice Anglin, Debbie Atkinson, Brenda Davis and Sonny Morris.

Eleven freshmen were named and included: Priscilla Anglin, Theresa Davis, Donna Ferrel, Lisa Ferris, Tina Foxhall, Martha Griffith, Donna Maddox, Terry Allard, Robert Kehr, Michael Ro-

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EDITORIAL

Primary Election Time Nears!

Voters in Texas will be facing a new type Primary Election in 1976, as absentee balloting for the Democratic and Republican Party Primaries has already begun in the County Clerk's office in Hall County Courthouse.

The Republican Party primary will be held in the office of Fisher-Red River Ins. Agency, on Main Street, and the Democratic Party Primary will be held in five Precinct polling places across the county.

Voters could be confused about voting on the Presidential candidates in Texas Primary Elections this year. This is the first time Texas has used a Presidential Primary system. Voters will, first off, select which Primary they desire to vote in. Texas law clearly states that it is illegal to vote in more than one Party Primary election. Art. 13.03 states: "No person who participates in the primary or convention of any political party during a voting year shall participate in any subsequent primary or convention of any other party during that same voting year. Any vote cast in a primary election in violation of this prohibition shall be void and shall not be counted for any purpose, and the violator shall be punishable as provided in Article 240 of the Texas Penal Code.

When a voter votes in a Party Primary election, he may have his registration certificate stamped with the party designation, or a certificate of party affiliation issued, to make him therefore eligible to participate in that party's conventions.

The Democratic Party Ballot, contains the names of nine delegate candidates, three for Lloyd Bentsen, three for Jimmy Carter and three from George C. Wallace. These delegate candidates all reside in Ray Farabee's Senatorial 30th District. Voters will vote on which of these they desire to be delegate to National Presidential Nominating Convention.

Republican Party Ballot has eight delegate candidates, four for Gerald R. Ford and four for Ronald Reagan. Among the four for Gerald R. Ford is Memphis' Zack Fisher. Also on the Republican Party ballot, are five propositions voters are asked to express opinion upon. Four of the propositions are about changes in the constitution concerning legal treatment of felons from the right to life itself. and the fifth concerns forced busing of school children for the purpose of achieving racial balance.

Voters in the Democratic Party Primary will name 98 of that everybody has the right to price of what the farmers pro- contemplate. Texas' 130 delegates (and 70 alternates) to the Democratic food. To say otherwise would be duce. National Convention to be held in New York City, July 12-15. declaring in favor of starvation Farmers in this country are the The other 25 percent of the delegates (32) and all of the 70 and nobody is in favor of that. alternates-will be elected at a two-day State Convention to be held in Houston, June 18 and 19.





THE RIGHT TO FOOD

Twenty - seven national religious leaders recently drafted a thoughtful appeal to Congress that people. The big reason is the free bound to stimulate widespread public discussion.

These religious leaders said that until recently hunger was unavoidable for much of the human means to overcome hunger it is longer acceptable.

Every man, woman and child time dry up the food production on earth has the right to a nutri- of this country if not changed. tionally adequate diet, they said, since the food to sustain life is odd way of encouraging its farm- that persons work for it. a fundamental right that derives ers to produce more when they

its starving masses if the country could somehow adopt the idea that modern farming is done with modern machinery rather than oxen and wooden plows.

But while waiting for other countries to adopt our methods of increasing production, we can ease some of their plight by exporting them grain, not free, but at a other nations with just as much

land and just as many natural price. After all, these countries spend resources fail to feed their own money to import almost everything else under the sun, why not enterprise system, where the prospend some to buy American food ducer of food gets to make a products and thus help strengthen profit. This is a powerful incenthe American food market for the tive and one that has made this people producing the food?

Yet the free enterprise system We have some serious reserfamily, but now that we have the is under attack and the food pro- vations about the religious leaders ducers are the victims of punitive and their demand that everybody laws and regulations which will in in the world get adequate food. We do not see in this statement anything that couples the need Our own government has an for food with the requirement

It may be great to contemplate slap embargoes on export grain the day when everybody will have This is hard to argue with, and and lift the gates for meat and a full stomach. But the problems nobody in public life would dare dairy product imports, both mea- standing in the way of that utogo on record against the premise sures designed to drive down the pian dream are too plentiful to

-The Perryton Herald

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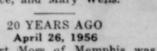
Ed Hutcherson of near Memphis has been named as manager of the Memphis baseball club, The team will have its first contest of the year Sunday when they journey to Samnorwood for their opener in the Red River Valley League.

The charter for the Estelline Cooperative Hospital has been approved and this week was received.

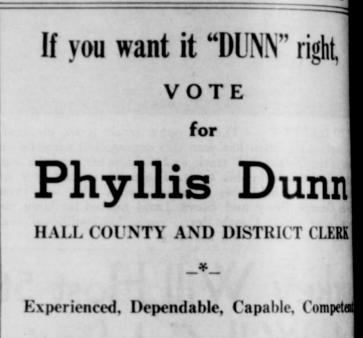
Memphis has been named as one of the cities of West Texas, New Mexico, Southern Colorado, Kansas and Oklahoma to receive airplane service through facili-ties of the feeder line to be set up by the Texas - New Mexico salutatorian is Edna May, Airlines.

In the holy atmosphere of an early Easter morning, hundreds Jerry McQueen, son of of Hall Countians and a large Mrs. Ira McQueen, who ine east of Memphis. number from other counties, observed the anniversary of the resurrection of Christ.

The senior Choral Club of Memphis High School will present its annual spring concert, "A Night With Musical Comedy", Mrs. Robert Sexauer, director. Among its members are: Joyce the Business & Profes McDaniel, Barbara Brewer, Edith men's Club of Memphis Compton, Cleva Mae Tiner, Lois Wines, Gayle Stilwell, Gladys Bownds, Betty Gibbs, Rebecca trict last Monday. Mente Moss, Yetive McDaniel, Louise James Walker, Spencer Rogers, Marjorie Stone, Peggy Lawrence, and Mary Wells.



She was born April 25 and Robert Moss of Memphis was elected president of the Hall ed 7 pounds and 8 our



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Each voter, for the Presidential Delegate candidates, has in the world is entitled to an ade- steadily worse until it actually three votes in the Democratic Party ballot, or four votes on quate diet of food, whose respon- calls for running up the panic the Republican ballot, and he does not have to cast all of them for the same Presidential candidate's delegates if he so chooses.

Voters should remember to bring their voter registration certificates to the polls with them and remember to vote by placing and X in the little boxes beside the candidate's name they desire to vote for.

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Some influential Americans describe U. S. agricultural methods as unscientific and wasteful and

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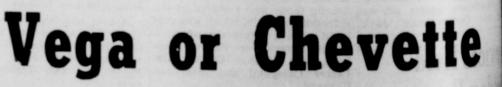
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Hightower Says Congressional **Action is Good**

(Washington, D. C.) - Congressman Jack Hightower said today he was delighted with favorable action this week on two bills that are extremely important to the 13th District.

The House of Representatives today passed the Grain Standards Act of 1976 by the overwhelming margin of 246-33, and on Wednesday the House Agriculture Committee, of which Hightower is a member, favorably reported the Amendments to the Packers and Stockyards Act by a vote of 35-2.

"When we began consideration of both of these measures last year some members of the House Agriculture Committee favored provisions that would have been severely detrimental to agricul-tural interests in our area," Hightower said, "I am happy to report that we achieved compromises on both measures."

Changes in the Grain Standards Act were prompted by revelations in 1974 of a developing scandal in the grain inspection system. Since August of 1974 there have been 78 separate indictments, including seven grain companies, and convictions on various violations.

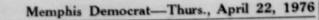
Amendments to the Packers and Stockyards Act were prompted in part by bankruptcy proceedings involving American Beef Packers, Inc., in which some 900 producers claimed losses of approximately \$20 million and which resulted in closing the company's then uncompleted plant at would not jeopardize the integrity Cactus, near Dumas.

Hightower said many members of Congress over - reacted to the grain inspection scandals by pushing strongly for a fully federalized grain inspection system. He ation, he is confident it will be said such proposals were narrowly enacted because of the broad supdefeated in the House Agriculture port demonstrated by the House Committee. When an amendment was offered today on the House floor that would have federated Livestock and Grains Subcommitonly the export points, it was tee of the House Agriculture Comsoundly defeated.

the floor of the House, High- in addition to hearings in Omaha tower said the point congressmen and Washington. must keep in mind is not who does it, but how it is done. "It is our responsibility to enact the the Congressman sponsored an alaws that provide the guidelines mendment that would require for those who perform the func- packers, market agencies and dealtions and prescribe penalties for | ers purchasing livestock to deviolation of those laws," he said.

who advocated a fully federalized sion of the animals by check or system apparently assumed that wire transfer of funds the full federal employees were blessed with a higher degree of integrity amendment brings the law into than the people the government compliance with the basic proviserves. "That is an assumption sions of a prompt payment law I cannot accept," he said.

quire U. S. Department of Agri- that it gives packers one addiculture or state agencies author- tional day to tender payment. ized by the U.S.D.A. to inspect Hightower said various states





son Bros. Co., and Mrs. Kedron Stephens who greeted customers during the Anniversary Party Saturday. Pictured, left to right, are Barbara Bowen, Betty Lesley, Tommie Sue Odom and Kedron Stephens.

"Livestock producers strongly

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Mr. and Mrs. Dayle Thompson

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the Secretary of Agriculture to have enacted similar prompt paywaive the conflict - of - interest ment laws, "but my amendment, which was adopted unamiously, requirements if such a conflict would make the provisions uniform throughout the nation." of the program. Another key provision of the

Hightower said that although the Amendments to the Packers bill would require any packer and Stockyards Act has not been with average annual purchases of scheduled for full House considerover \$500,000 to be bonded and to hold in trust, in event of bankruptcy, until all producers who had sold livestock to the producer Agriculture Committee. on a cash basis had received pay-

At Hightower's invitation, the ment. mittee conducted field hearings Hightower said, "and the bond-In a statement delivered on on the bill July 12 in Amarillo packers because it will provide some uniformity instead of repuiring them to comply with dif-

During final consideration of the Bill Tuesday and Wednesday liver to the seller or his agent at Hightower said congressmen the point of transfer of posses-Easter holidays visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Thompamount of the purchase price. His friends. Mrs. Dayle Thompson was the former Miss Faye Rasco and enacted last year by the Texas As passed the bill would re- Legislature, with the exception

Mrs. Gayle Greene and Mrs. Herschel Combs visited in Lubbock Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. David McKay.

To Visit Jehovah's Witnesses

> H. D. Bradshaw, a widely traveled overseer of Circuit activities, will visit with the Memphis congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses for a week of instruction on April 20 through April 25, Steve Lane, presiding overseer of the local congregation, said.

H. D. Bradshaw

"The week will be one of increased Bible instruction, and special program at the local Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses and expanded christian activity in the Memphis area," Mr. Lane said.

Included in the Bible program will be a discussion Saturday at 7:30 p.m. entitled "New Things Learned," which is a talk from the scripture and a review of the new things learned through Bible Study the past six months.

All interested persons are invited to a discourse that includes 80 colored slides on the theme "God Prospers the Subjects of His Kingdom" at 10:00 a.m. Sunday. "Loyalty to Marriage Covenant the cards, flowers and food and Moves God to Mercy," will fol-every act of love shown us. A Bible study, on the subject

The public is welcome to attend these meetings. No collection will be taken.

A man has to live with himself and he should see to it that he always has good company.

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Monday, April 26 Italian Spaghetti, green beans, salad, hot rolls, butter, preserves

and milk.

Tuesday, April 27 Beans and ham, mixed greens,

tomato relish, corn bread, prune brownies and milk.

Wednesday, April 28

Fried chicken, cream potatoes gravy, salad, hot rolls, butter, Jelly and milk.

Thursday, April 29

Pizza, cabbage slaw, green beans, sliced peaches, milk.

Friday, April 30

Hamburger on bun, pickles, onions, lettuce, potato chips, fruit

We want to thank all our friends who remembered us in the loss of our father. We appreciate

and the nurses. Also a special thanks to Rev. Jimmy Spruill and Rev. V. L. Huggins and to Kipp Barnett for his beautiful songs. Also Mrs. Carl Smith who played

attend the Memphis Ex-Student The Family of Frank Spruill activities.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Massey and Roy Alvin Massey of Dallas were

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Wendell Harrison, E. W. Tyler, Johnnie B. Harris, Modesta Mar-Chief Schull tinez and baby girl, Jamie Frye, Attends 3-Day Mary Richardson, Alice Young, Tom Ariola, Janice Creel, Mich-Traffic Course ael Creel, Clayton Hill, Rugena Young, Mary Scott, Fay Johnson, Chief of Police Kenny Sta Ellen Speed, J. W. Chadwick, of Memphis attended a thread Floyd Wiginton, Cheryl Thomas course on Traffic Engine and baby girl, Mary Miller, Jewel Plainview April 12-15. Grady, Taylor Pauls, Evelyn Baker and baby girl, Gene Chamber-

Instructors for the course from Texas A&M, Traffic E lain, Cindy Leaverton, Pauline neering Dept., and the course Gillespie, Helen Anthony, Lewis under sponsorship of the Ger Nichols, Zeta Williams, Bessie Flowers, Sam Buchanan and Pearl nor's Office.

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Mrs. Bob Lindsey of Dim and Mrs. Herbert Johnson of F Spring visited here Easter end with their parents, Mr. Mrs. L. A. Stilwell and at the Ex-students' affair. Ter Johnson of Colorado City visited with her grandparents. Stilwell

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kend to attend the Memphis h School activities. Classes rens, a banquet on Saturday ht and various other social ities were planned by local students under the chairmanof Virginia Browder and dred Stephens.

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tes of Junction.

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The Kitchen Almanac

Staggering Statistics - Do | 50% of the electricity normally Americans really love hot dogs? So much so that about 14 billion are eaten every year - that's an average of nearly

80 per per-son. At this rate, 500 hot dogs are being consumedevery second of every day. A The hot dog and its history is certainly animportant part

of our American folklore!

Just in case you've ever wondered - mulfins as well as fruit and nut breads can be frozen. Cool, wrap and freeze for 2-3 months. When ready to use, thaw loaves, wrapped at room temperature, or heat foil wrapped muffins at 350 degrees for 10-15 minutes until piping hot.

Energy-saving info: Perhaps you've never thought of it this way, but every time you save energy, you also save money!

For example, when cook-ing, use flat bottom pans that cover the burner heating element. More heat enters the pot and less is lost to the surrounding air. . . Also, clean the heat reflectors below the stove heating elements. Doing so will reflect the heat more efficiently. Consider purchasing

"energy-saver" automatic dishwasher. According to researchers, KitchenAid energy-saver units can conserve as much as

querque, N. M. Mr. and Mrs. | Mrs. Jimmy Dunn (Shirley Ken-Cloyd Foreman of Warrensburg, Mo., Sallie Foreman Fisher of Sedalia, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. George Wilton (Ruth Leary) of New Hall, Calif., J. E. Hodges of Denver, Colo., Mr. and Mrs. John D. Clark (Patsy Sue Hays) of Grand

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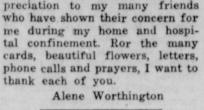
Honored At **Midwestern State** Mike Helm, son of Mr. and

Mrs. Leon Helm of Memphis, was honored at a reception recently in the Clark Student Center Ballroom at Midwestern State University honoring senior students who were selected for Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges.

Alfred D. Steward, chairman of the Medwestern State University Who's Who Faculty Committee, stated that selection for senior students is based on academic achievement, leadership, extracur- during the illness and death of ricular activities and future potential.

Mike was awarded a plaque in his name and biography will be at Hall County Hospital for their included in the 1975-1976 edition care. of Who's Who, which includes students from 1,000 institutions | The Family of Mrs. W. C. Skinner of higher learning.

Mike will graduate in May with a B. S. degree in economics and based in Wichita Fals.



High School and is married to the

former Mylina Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Miller of

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Thank you, dear friends, for your thoughtfulness and concern our loved one. Thanking each of you for your prayers, visits, cards, flowers and food and a special recognition of his selection and thanks to Dr. Steve and the nurses

May God bless each of you.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Massey and Roy Alvin Massey of Dallas spent will then be employed with the the weekend here with their mo-U. S. Comptroller of Currency ther and grandmother, Mrs. Pearl Massey, and attended the Ex-stu-



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used in a wash/dry cycle. In addition, you'll be taking a giant step toward liberty and away from "dishpan hands". If you already have a con-

ventional dishwasher, one lacking the energy-saver fea-tures, let the dishes "air dry". After the final rinse, open the door.

Incidentally, be sure the dishwasher is full (but, not overloaded), before washing the dishes. That would possibly eliminate at least one use of the dishwasher each week. If every dishwasher user in the country could do that, enough oil could be saved to heat more than 100,000 homes in winter. And, your dishwasher could last longer. Lastly, use proper de-frosting methods for manual refrigerator/ freezers. This will also save energy and cut operating costs.

Looks can be deceiving. Before it's cooked, a pound of good oldfashioned spinach looks as if it may be enough to feed crowd. Don't let it fool you it isn't.When cooked it will

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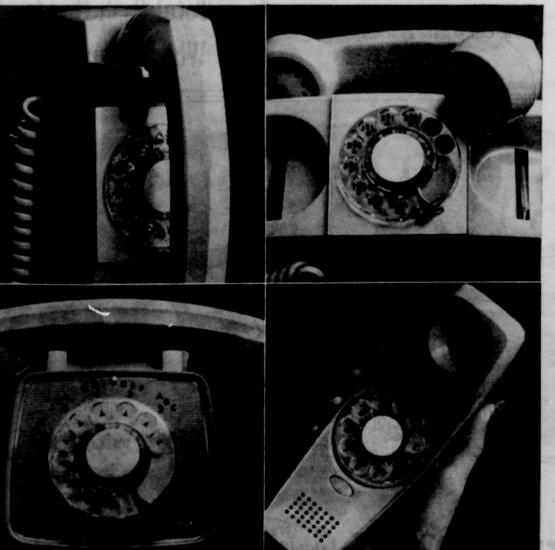
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non of Clovis, N. M. Mr. and Mrs. Don Corley of Bartlesville, Okla., Senator Jack Hightower of Washington, D. C. and Mr. and Mrs. Max Nail of Salem, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Harwell and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Messer and son, Karl Lee, all of Amarillo, visited here over the week end with Nell Messer, the Raymond Martins and the Ruseell Nortons.

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| TOTAL DEPOSITS | 19,119,000.00 |
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of Memphis, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on March

Memphis Democrat-Thurs., April 22, 1976

Bob Wills Commemorative Coin To Be on Sale at Turkey Festival April 24

Wills Commemorative Coin Series, will become first available during the Annual Bob Wills Day Festival this Saturday, April 24.

in Turkey, Texas. The Bob Wills Commemorative tennial coin of Hall County and is dedicated in tribute and as a who passed away on May 13, 1975, and also to his home of Hall County. The Bob Wills Series has nation-wide popularity gained from country music fans and medal collectors of 38 different states during the first minting (1975 first medal edition.)

The Bob Wills Series was created by the Hall County Bicentennial Foundation to be minted in limited edition with annual design changes. The Bob Wills commemorative medals will be released on the last Saturday in April and will be on sale to the public for the remainder of the year.

The medals of the Bob Wills

Virgil Blakney

Receives Letters

On Estate Bills

Virgil Blakney, of Box 205 in

Turkey, has received recent cor-

Hightower concerning the estate

tax exemption, and all are in

favor of passage of new legisla-

spond to your request concerning

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the same way. I will do whatever

I can to accure that the Congress

passes legislation with the high-

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Senator John G. Tower of Tex-

as said in his letter to Mr. V.

Blakney on April 7: "I strongly

believe there is a need to increase

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estate tax reform proposals set

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may be assured of my continuing

"For these reasons, I have join-

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Rep. Hightower said, "I can re-

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Turkey , Texas - The Second | Series are being struck in four Medal (1976 edition of the Bob different surfaces of: gold vermeil (24 karat gold on .999 fine silver); .999 fine silver; antique silver plated on bronze; and antique bronze. The madels are available in verious sets and in in-

dividual pieces encased in beau-Coin Series is the official bicen- tiful serially numbered and engraved cases. The medals are also available in attractive and dismemorial to the legendary "King tinctive gold or silver coin je-of Western Swing." Bob Wills, welry.

The 1976 Bob Wills Coin (second medal edition) features on the obverse side of the medal, minted in high relief, the bust of | tend. Bob Wills during the 1950's and his authentic autograph. The reverse side of the medal, which will feature a different design each year, the featurs 1976 Texas Panhandle Bicentennial emblem.

All proceeds from the sales of the Bob Wills Series will go to both the Bob Wills Foundation of Turkey, Hall County, Texas and the Memphis Chamber of Commerce of Memphis, Hall County, Texas, co-sponsors of the Hall County Bicentennial Foundation. Proceeds will be used to promote the Bob Wills Coin Series, the Annual Bob Wills Day Celebration, the development of the Bob Wills Monument and Park in Turkey, the Bob Wills Museum in

Turkey, and other community development projects in Memphis and Hall County.

The Bob Wills Commemorative Coins are now on sale and may be purchased from the Chamber respondence with Texas Senators office, Branigan Jewelry, or Peoand U. S. Representative Jack ple's State Bank of Turkey.

> Out-of-town residents may send for free information and coin order forms at the Memphis Chamber of Commerce, P. O. Box 789, Memphis, Texas 79245.

islation has three major provisions. First, it would increase the present estate tax exemption from \$60,000 to \$200,000. Second, it would allow \$100,000 to pass tax free to the surviving husband or wife in addition to the present 50 percent marital deduction. Third, it would allow farms and ranches to be valued for estate tax purposes at their value as the federal estate tax exemption farm land rather than their value for other commercial purposes, as duction. In addition there is an long as the land continues to be used for farming for five years immediate need to develop an alternative method of valuing cer- after the decendant's death.

"This proposal is pending before the Senate Finance Committee, of which I am a member, and \$ assure you I am making every effort to see that this concept is approved by the Congress.

Gas clothes dryers with only conventional pilot lights waste ents. efforts to ensure that the farms five to nine cubic feet of gas a which pass from generation to day and add as much as 8.65 to daughter Lesley of Baltimore

Book on Bob Wills' life and Music to be for Sale at Turkey Festival

vailable and on sale to the public at the 5th Annual Bob Wills Day Festival, this Saturday, April 24. in Turkey, Texas. The first copy of the newly released Bob Wills Biography will be presented to fore his death May 13, 1975. Mrs. Bob Wills during ceremonies of the annual Turkey Festival by Jim Edd Wines, Executive Vice President of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce for Townsend who will be unable to at-

The 5th Annual Bob Wills Day Festival, Saturday, April 24th will include a 10:30 a.m. parade, 11:30 Bar-B-Que dinner, 1:00 p.m. fiddle contest, 3:30 live concert by Leon and the original Texas Playboys to be Broadcasted live over several state wide radio stations. The day long Bob Wills Festival will climax with the 9:00 dance by the Texas Playboys.

Townsend spent ten years of research in the writing of the biography and the book will contain the biggest and largest collection

LETTERS To The Editor

(Editor's Note: The following letter was written to Mildred Stephens, who served as co-chairman with Virginia Browder for the 1976 Ex-Student reunion.). Dearest Mildred,

Just a note to tell you that the ex-students meeting was the best one that I've ever attended (and I've missed very few). You and Virginia did a beautiful job. There was so much laughter, good and fun; informality, which I like; and a genuine good, happy fellowship. Everybody acted as if he had put his best foot forward in appearance and participation in the activities. The food was good; service, excellent. All in all, everything seemed geared for a fine 1976 reunion. Thank you so much for all you did. I realize good leadership gave

us the fine weekend. Best wishes for happy summer. Sincerely,

Marie Barber Ward Class of 1929.

Lesley Foxhall **Children Arrive** Here For Reunion

For the first time in several years, the Lesley Foxhall's four children had planned a reunion during the Easter holidays in Memphis at the home of their par-

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Foxhall and

On Sunday afternoon, Mr. Fox-

is now a patient in the local hos-

Turkey, Texas — "San Antonio of pictures of Bob Wills to be Rose: The Life and Music of Bob found. The book itself contains Wills," the Bob Wills Biography 500 pages of rich lode of personby Charles R. Townsend, profes- al insights and anecdotes found sor of history at West Texas among the Will's family, mem-State University, will be first a- bers of his various bands, business associates, friends, and fans. Townsend was able to interview the late Bob Wills many times for the biography and even sat in on the last recording of Wills be-

Townsend received a "Gram my Award" in 1975 for his writings of the album notes which accompanied the Bob Wills Album "Bob Wills and His Texas Playboys; For the Last Time" reeased in 1975.

Autographed copies of the Bob Wills Biography are available by mail for \$14.00 per copy from West Texas Books, co Chamber whatever falls on them makes an of Commerce, P. O. Box 789, impression Memphis, Texas 79245.

Carolyn Welch selected for Membership In Society of Distinguished Students

Children are like wet cement,

MISS CAROLYN WELCH

Carolyn Welch, daughter of Dr. | cording to E. Vinson Givens, ad and Mrs. A. J. Welch of Austin ministrator. and granddaughter of Mrs. H. A.

Combs of Memphis, has been selected to represent Austin High School in the Society of Distinguished American High School students, the nation's leading honorary

Each year high school principals and counselors from across the country assist The Society recognizing and rewarding in America's most distinguished students. This honor is one of the highest that can be bestowed upon a student and is representative of her superior scholastic achievements, as well as the leadership she has demonstrated in extracurricular and civic activities. Carolyn will be featured in the

1976 volume of The Society of Distinguished American High School Students. This membership registry will include her name, high school and biography of honors and accomplishments, ac

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By VIRGINIA BROWDER

The population of Memphis, Texas was increased by at least Texas was increased by students such hugging, kissing, and hand, 500 when the one-time students shaking as was carried hand. and alumnae of Memphis High shaking as was carried on under and alumnae of Mempilis that the roof of that old train sta-came from all directions to at- the roof of that old train stacame from all directions in tion. A plano had been moved in tent the Ex-Student Reunion in to liven up the moved in the 'old home town' the weekend to liven up the gathering by of April seventeenth. Many arriv- there was such a buzz of chat ed Friday afternoon.

The festivities began with parade Saturday morning, probably the shortest parade ever to They began to gather in abo tour the Memphis Square but a happier group of 'paraders' you'll o'clock. The cars around the de seldom see. Led by Kenny Schull, the police chief with his sirene wide open, the next unit was a pickup truck hauling three musicians playing 'When The Saints bbbbbbbbbb bbgg greathagli Go Marching In' The musical combo of James Canida with Steve Martin, carrying the American to don their finery for the flag and conducted as Uncle Sam came next followed by three bycli-

clists, Clinton Voyles, George Berry, and Gene Lindsey surprisingly enough, that trio make the square without calamity be-falling them.

Next came Ed Foxhall's Model-A coupe driven by Morris Odom. Then, a group from the 20s was followed by Lester Campbell's van carrying some older teachers like Elsie Bass Guthrie, Peaches Granberry Harrison, Linda Peters Estes, Esta McElrath, and Juanita Montgomery Le Tulle. The Branigan Model-A sedan came next; then some 30s, some 40s, 50s, and 60s. It was fun for all and all in fun. Reminiscent of the baubles thrown from the floats in the Mardi Gras parades in New Orleans were the souvenir pencils tossed by Leo Fields from his yellow pickup filled with 'giggling gals'. After the grand par-

ade, everyone went his separate way for lunch to reassemble later to all who helped make this in the old depot. Not since the 40s when the boys

went off to war has there been were not ready and willing such a gathering in the old Ft. oblige and we are most m Worth and Denver depot. Folks for their assistance. Mildrei a had returned to the old home Virginia

Memphis Farmers Co-Op Gin **To Have Annual Meeting** and Fish Fry Thursday Night, April 29 7:30 p.m. At **Community Center**

Ginned 9,003 Bales

join in the celebration. Not be fore nor will there ever be since ter, visiting, and reminiscing no body would have stopped to lister even to Shirey Patrick play piana noon and stayed until after fin pot looked like a Baptist meeting was in full swing inside Sody pop flowed freely and cook were consumed betwee

forty - eight years absence

breaths. Gradually, they bad good byes until later and slipped awa quet. And the banquet was a blast Places were laid for 460 Em and their spouces with a fer

teachers and VIPs intermi Besides Patsy Hays Clark th after-dinner speaker from Gm Rapids, Michigan and her has band John, there were at head table Senator Jack Highton Mrs. Hays, Clinton Voyles, High School principal and with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ballew; Char lie Williams, the oldest graduate Jackie Don Martin, the voel loist, Mildred Stephens and m self. All together the celebr with fun, food, and an abu ance of good fellowship was joyous occassion to be re bered and recounted until next get-together two years her Both the town's people and visitors reveled in the Ex.Sm

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letter of March 31, stated: "I am Agricultural Extension Service, deeply disturbed by the growing The Texas A&M University Sys- hall suffered a heart attack and number of family farms and ranches that are being forcibly liquidated just to pay excessive federal estate taxes. I believe that the existing \$60,000 federal estate tax exemption should be increased to \$200,000 to bring it more into line with today's price levels. The existing exemption which was written into law in 1942 is unrealistically low in view of the inflation in land values since that time.

"I support and have introduced legislation to alleviate these problems. My estate tax reform leg-

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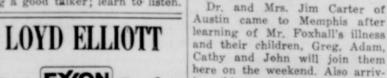
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yearly gas bills, Mrs. Linda Mc- Md., arrived the past weekend Cormack, family resource man- and others were scheduled to ar-Senator Lloyd Bentsen in his agement specialist with the Texas rive this week.

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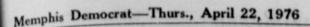
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Delphian Club Meets in Home of Mrs. W. C. Dickey

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The Delphian Club met in the home of Mrs. W. C. Dickey on April 20.

The meeting was called to order by the President, Mrs. Wayne Sweatt.

Mrs. Dean Yarbrough introduced the program entitled Communication, by quotin "A Happy Marriage is a long Conversation that seems all too short", by Andre Maurois.

Mrs. Ben Moss brought the devotional entitled Compassion, using the scripture passage Proverbs 15:1.

Mrs. Yarbrough introduced Jesse Wade, minister of the Church of Christ. He spoke on the subject Communication — The Vital Factor in a Happy Marriage. He stated that many marital problems are due to poor communication and many are solved by good communication. He also said there are many ways to communicate - touch - look but the most important is language. One thing couples should never do is assassnate the others character in public.

Mrs. Sweatt conducted the business meeting. The meeting for May 18 will be in the home of Mrs. L. F. Jones.

Refreshments were served to the folowing members: Mmes: Norman Archer, Gaylen Ariola, Robert Clark, Kenneth Dale, Leon Davis, Henry Hays, Neal Hindman, L. F. Jones, E. L. Kilgore, Ben Moss, Sim Reeves, Clyde Smith, Wayne Sweatt, Dean Yarbrough, James Chappell, R. L. Duncan, J. S. McMurry, Mildred Stephens and guest speaker, Jessie Wade.

Rubber Stamps Made-To-Order The Memphis Democrat

638 48 HEIGHTS ADONTION 4 49 ACONT 15 87 GRAND PRIX ROUTE - Pictured above is a map of the south and eastern portion of Memphis (North being up) with the streets involved in the Memphis Grand Prix motorcycle race from 2 to 4:15 p.m. Saturday, May 1, indicated with the solid line. Barriers will be erected at the intersections indicated on the map. The map shows the route from City Park up 6th street to Mendon, east on Mendon one block to 5th, north on 5th street to Davis, east on Davis to fourth street, north on fourth to Harrison, west on Harrison to fifth, north on fifth to the square, around the south and west sides of the square to Main, west on Main a block, turning south on 7th at the corner of the Post Office, one and a half blocks, east down alley behind Radio Shack and Foxhall Motors, to 6th street, south down 6th street for one and a half blocks, turning west a half block and down two blocks of alleys between 6th and 7th streets, turning west on Davis street for one-half block to 7th Street, south on 7th to Mendon street, west on Mendon for about nine blocks to Maple street, north on Maple to Hwy. 256 then west of city. Motorcycles will be racing

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Careful Planning Makes Home Improvement Pay

COLLEGE STATION - Be fore planning home remodeling, homeowners should consider an objective evaluation of their neighborhood, design of the house whether the project will be improvement or only maintenance and whether the scale of the project fits in with the rest of the house, Denise Beigbeder, a housing and home furnishings specialist, said.

"Families usually consider home remodeling & improvement to make their present home more livesble - but they also need to consider the return on their investment. Not all improvements add to the resale value of the house," she added.

Miss Beigbeder is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System

"If the neighborhood is start-ing to 'go downhill,' the homeowner would probably loose on any improvements he made. It does not pay to over-improve regardless of the neighborhood. A sensible addition to the smallest house in the neighborhood will enhance its resale value as will any improvements made by neighbors", she said.

And she pointed out that homeowners will want to be careful that the changes don't violate local regulations, or the existing architectural or functional integrity of the house. Any addition should harmonize with the original plan and avoid blunder such as a new bedroom that can be entered only through another room, she said.

"Regular maintenance items shouldn't be confused with remodeling improvements. Replacing the furnace, rewiring, changing the plumbing system, re-roofing, waterproofing or planting shrubbery are not considered home improvements. These things only bring the house up to the level that most buyers would expect," she explained.

And the scale of the remodeling in relation to the rest of the house is an important consideration, too. A kitchen appropriate for a \$70,000 house does not belong in a less expensive dwelling. Much of the investment will be lost at resale, she noted.

"The prospective buyer generally will not pay as much for a fifth or sixth bedroom as he would a third or fourth one. But if the house does not have something that its price might indicate, such as a garage on a \$50,-000 house, this would probably depress the resale value," she said.

HOG OUTLOOK BRIGHT BUT CAUTION NEEDED Hog producers can look for a profitable year in 1976 if they don't get over anxious and expand operations to quickly, says a livestock marketing specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Hog prices should continue strong due mainly to a continued shortage of pork supplies. However, increased farrowings during the first half of the year could boost pork supplies for the second half of 1976 as 16 per cent above those of the second half of 1975. Prices for market barrows and gilts should range from 46 to 48 per hundredweight through mid-year and then drop off to around \$40 to \$42 during the latter part of 1976.

Memphis Fire Alarm System **Undergoes** Change

The fire alarm system of the Memphis Fire Department has been changed, according to Charles Waller, Memphis fireman.

Two short blasts of the whistle will now indicate a city fire and one short blast will mean a fire in the country. Each blast will be of about a 10-second duration.

In the past, the city has been divided into five wards and the number of times the whistle blew indicated the part of town where the fire was to local firemen. This system was put into effect at a time when it was the only way local firemen had of knowing which direction to go, Fireman Waller said. Now the old system is worn out, and since each fireman is equipped with a radio, it was decided to change rather than spend a great deal of money repairing the old system.

The storm warning will remain the same, one continuous blast of the siren lasting for two to three minutes, Waller said.

Keep Good **Family Records**

COLLEGE STATION - Keeping good family records is essential for realistic planning for the future, Mrs. Linda McCormack, a family resource management specialist, says.

She also mentioned income tax returns as another reason for sultant, attorney, banker, insurkeeping good records. It's easier ance representatives, employer, to prepare the income tax re- all creditors and debtors," she suggested. turn if the family business affairs are in order first. burglarized or if there is a fire

Mrs. McCormack is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System

"Although each family must work out its own home file sysdual will located? tem, some general guidelines may be helpful. Ask yourself a few deposit box? questions for a starter," she said. How easy or difficult would be a family affair, rather than

it be for other family members the responsibility of just one to figure out your record system member of the household," she -or do you have a system? said. Who in the family besides you

knows where to turn for necessary information about the family Dallas were here to spend the Easter weekend with her parents, assets and obligations? Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Greene and Church Sunday was Velma Le-

Do you have a list of people who are important financial ad- grandmother, Mrs. R. S. Greene. mons.

Tuna Spaghetti For Budget Meals

Packaged dinners can pro vide you with an economical and easy way to feed your family without skimping on quality or appetite appeal. Italian style spaghetti din-

ner, the base for Tangy Tuna Spaghetti is only about 18¢ per serving "as is." Home economists in The Kraft Kitchens have used their imaginations to create an interesting yet economical variation on this basic dinner by adding canned tuna, milk, green pepper strips and shred-ded natural cheddar cheese. Served with a green salad and fruit and cookies for dessert, Tangy Tuna Spaghetti makes a special occasion of an everyday meal.

You can use your own ingenuity to vary basic spa-ghetti dinners. Here are some more ideas. Prepare tangy Italian style spaghetti dinner and sauce as directed on package. Add browned pork sausage, zucchini and mushroom slices to sauce; heat thoroughly and serve over spaghetti. Or make a spaghetti-cheese casserole. Just layer hot prepared dinner with mozzarella and cottage cheese in a shallow baking dish. Bake in moderate oven

until bubbly. When you're looking for economy and fine flavor, don't overlook packaged dinners as a way to stretch your food budget tastefully. Tangy Tuna Spaghetti

1 cup green pepper strips 1/4 cup Parkay margarine, melted 1 pkg. Kraft tangy Italian

"The list might include tax con-

What happens if your home is

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Which ones can be replaced, and

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Mr. and Mrs. Mike Caldwell of tor.

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stantly, until thickened. Add tuna. Cover; simmer 10 min-utes. Add cheese, stirring until melted. Prepare spaghetti as directed on package; toss with The Grated Parmesan Cheese. Pour sauce over spaghetti mix-

cup chepped cooked chicken or turkey for tuna.

4 to 6 servings Variation: Substitute 1 Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson were business visitors in Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. Art Palmer of California The community was sadden to is visiting here with her parents, learn of the death of Mrs. Henry Youngblood in Amarillo Friday. Mrs. Youngblood is a former re-Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Martin sident. and Mrs. Art Palmer visited in

> Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fowler moved to Cody, Monday. We are sorry to loose them.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Johnson of Dumas visited here Friday with Mrs. Starr Johnson.

of business on March 31, 1976.

Cash and due from banks

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Murff went to Amarillo Friday to visit their preached at Brice Baptist Church grand-grandchild. Sunday in the absence of the pas-

ASSETS

Mary Youngblood, Former Resident, Personals **Buried**, Lakeview

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Moalton Youngblood, 95, of Clarendon were held at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Schooler - Gordon - Ro-bertson Funeral Chapel at Clarendon. Burial was in Union Hill Cemetery at Lakeview.

Mrs. Youngblood was the mother of Mrs. T. H. Gattis of Brice. She passed away Saturday

Mrs. Youngblood, born in Pulaski, Tenn., came in 1884 to Hall County, where she lived until 8 years ago when she moved to Amarillo. Her husband, William Henry Youngblood, died in 1951. She was a Methodist.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Frank Harrison of Amarillo Lubbock spent the Easter weekand Mrs. Gwyn Kessler of San end here visiting his parents, Mr. Angelo; one son, W. M. of Cath-edral City, Calif.; 10 grandchild-ren and 24 great-grandchildren. Herschel Combs.

Janet McNally, who is attend-ing nursing school at West Texas State University, and Alan Mc. Nally of Iowa Park spent the weekend here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. McNally.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell McClure of Midland spent the weekend here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Beeson and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Harrison

and children of Dallas spent the Easter holidays here with his mother, Mrs. Carl Harrison. Also visiting with Mrs. Harrison was her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Finch of Dalhart.

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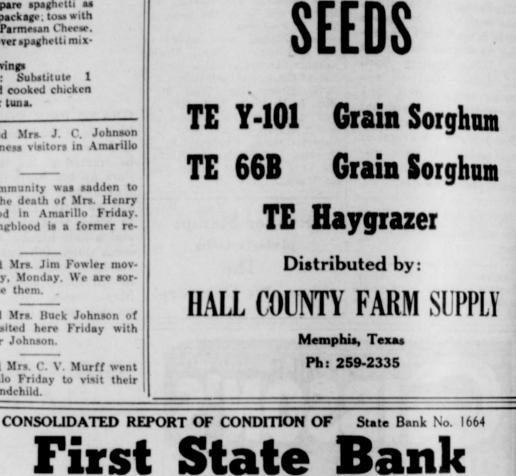
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GOLDEN ACRES





style spaghetti dinner tablespoons flour cups milk 6-1/2-oz. can tuna,

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Martin.

Plains last week with Mr. and

Mrs. G. W. Selmon of Vernor

Rev. Frankie Just of Clarendon

Also visiting at Brice Baptist

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visited here last Friday with Mr.

Mrs. Mack McWherter.

Also, keeping records should and Mrs. Merle Lemons and Mrs.

Starr Johnson

ture. Spice Mix and flour. Gradually add milk; cook, stirring con-Brice News

drained, flaked 1 cup (4 ozs.) shredded Kraft sharp natural cheddar cheese Sauté green pepper in margarine; blend in The Herb

Mrs. Quinton Brown, Katie and Jason of Wichita Falls were here from Thursday until Sunday visiting her mother, Mrs. D. H. Moore. Mrs. Brown, the former Betty Jean Moore, who graduated from MHS with the class of 1956, enjoyed the various festivities and get - togethers activities with her classmates and teachers, Mrs. Dorothy Stewart and son, Mark, of Amarillo were here on Saturday to visit with her mother and sister. Also Quinton Brown and son, Luke were here on Sunday before the family returned home late in the afternoon.

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| Corporations | 50,000.00 |
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| Federal funds sold and securities purchased under | |
| agreements to resell | 1,025,000.00 |
| a. Loans, Total (excluding unearned income) 1,285,000.00 | |
| c. Loans, Net | 1,285,000.00 |
| Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other | |
| assets representing bank premises | 14,000.00 |
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| a. Cash and due from banks (corresponds to item 1 above) 363,000.00 |
| b. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under |
| agreements to resell (corresponds to item 8 above) 1,061,000.00 |
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| Memoranda items 3a plus 3b below) 100,000.00 |
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| I, Linda Ferguson, Cashier. of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my know- ledge and belief. |
| Correct-Attest: Linda Ferguson |
| Lee Vardy, Homer Hawkins, Bob Russell, Directors, |
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| Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th day of April, 1976 and |

I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank. My Commission expires June, 1977, A. L. Hedrick, Notary Public.

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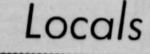
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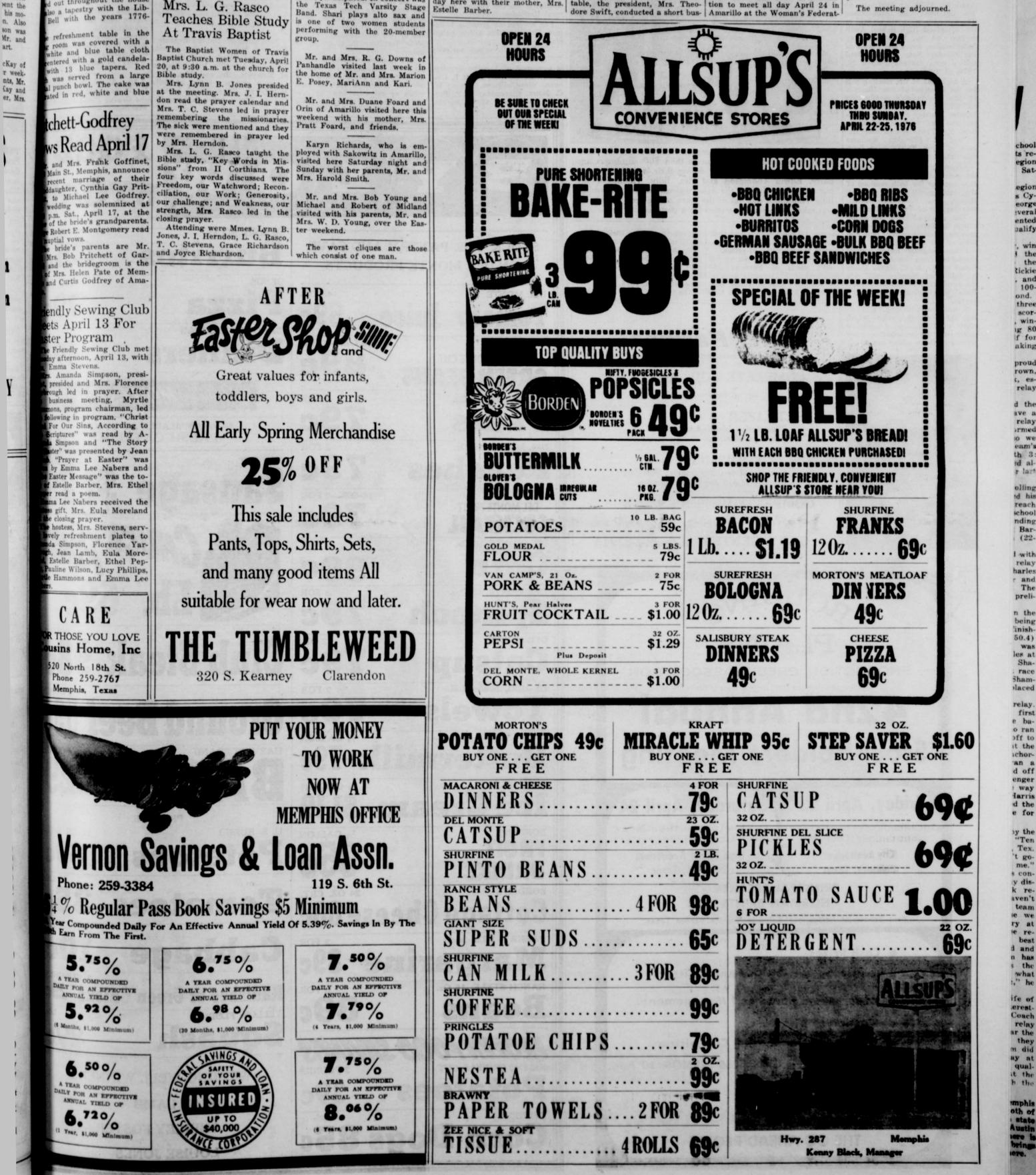
for a two-year 1976-78 term: president, Mrs. Bray Cook; first vice president, Mrs. Glynn Thompson; second vice president, Mrs. Herlie Moreman; secretary, Mrs. Royce Williams; treasurer, Mrs. L. G. Rasco; historian, Mrs. R. E. Clark; registrar, Miss Gertrude Rasco; parliamentarian, Miss Sybil Gurley; reporter, Mrs. Bryan Adams. Mrs. Bray Cook was elected the delegate from the

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Careful Planning Makes Home Improvement Pay

COLLEGE STATION - Be fore planning home remodeling, homeowners should consider an objective evaluation of their neighborhood, design of the house whether the project will be improvement or only maintenance and whether the scale of the project fits in with the rest of the house, Denise Beigbeder, a housing and home furnishings specialist, said.

"Families usually consider home remodeling & improvement to make their present home more liveable - but they also need to consider the return on their investment. Not all improvements add to the resale value of the house," she added.

Miss Beigbeder is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

"If the neighborhood is starting to 'go downhill,' the homeowner would probably loose on any improvements he made. It does not pay to over-improve re-gardless of the neighborhood. A sensible addition to the smallest house in the neighborhood will enhance its resale value as will any improvements made by neighbors", she said.

And she pointed out that homeowners will want to be careful that the changes don't violate local regulations, or the existing architectural or functional integrity of the house. Any addition should harmonize with the original plan and avoid blunder such as a new bedroom that can be entered only through another room, she said.

"Regular maintenance items shouldn't be confused with remodeling improvements. Replacing the furnace, rewiring, changing the plumbing system, re-roofing, waterproofing or planting shrubbery are not considered home improvements. These things only bring the house up to the level that most buyers would expect," she explained.

And the scale of the remodeling in relation to the rest of the house is an important consideration, too. A kitchen appropriate for a \$70,000 house does not belong in a less expensive dwelling. Much of the investment will be lost at resale, she noted.

'The prospective buyer generally will not pay as much for a fifth or sixth bedroom as he would a third or fourth one. But if the house does not have something that its price might indicate, such as a garage on a \$50,-000 house, this would probably depress the resale value," she said.

HOG OUTLOOK BRIGHT

Memphis Fire Alarm System Undergoes Change

The fire alarm system of the Memphis Fire Department has been changed, according to Charles Waller, Memphis fireman.

Two short blasts of the whistle will now indicate a city fire and one short blast will mean a fire in the country. Each blast will be of about a 10-second duration.

In the past, the city has been divided into five wards and the number of times the whistle blew indicated the part of town where the fire was to local firemen. This system was put into effect at a time when it was the only way local firemen had of knowing which direction to go, Fireman Waller said. Now the old system is worn out, and since each fireman is equipped with a radio, it was decided to change rather than spend a great deal of money repairing the old system.

The storm warning will remain the same, one continuous blast of the siren lasting for two to three minutes, Waller said.

Keep Good **Family Records**

COLLEGE STATION - Keeping good family records is essen tial for realistic planning for the future, Mrs. Linda McCormack, a family resource management specialist, says.

She also mentioned income tax returns as another reason for keeping good records. It's easier to prepare the income tax return if the family business af-

fairs are in order first. Mrs. McCormack is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

"Although each family must vork out its own home file system, some general guidelines may be helpful. Ask yourself a few questions for a starter," she said.

How easy or difficult would to figure out your record system or do you have a system?

Who in the family besides you cnows where to turn for necessary information about the family assets and obligations?

Tuna Spaghetti For Budget Meals

Packaged dinners can pro-vide you with an economical and easy way to feed your family without skimping on quality or appetite appeal.

Italian style spaghetti din-ner, the base for Tangy Tuna ner, the base for Tangy Tuna Spaghetti is only about 18¢ per serving "as is." Home economists in The Kraft Kitchens have used their imaginations to create an interesting yet economical variation on this basic dinner by adding canned tuna, milk, green pepper strips and shred-ded natural cheddar cheese. Served with a green salad and fruit and cookies for dessert, Tangy Tuna Spaghetti makes a special occasion of an everyday meal.

You can use your own ingenuity to vary basic spa-ghetti dinners. Here are some more ideas. Prepare tangy Italian style spaghetti dinner and sauce as directed on package. Add browned pork sausage, zucchini and mushroom slices to sauce; heat thoroughly and serve over spaghetti. Or make a spaghetti-cheese casserole. Just layer hot prepared dinner with mozzarella and cottage cheese in a shallow baking dish. Bake in moderate oven

until bubbly. When you're looking for economy and fine flavor, don't overlook packaged dinners as a way to stretch your food budget tastefully. Tangy Tuna Spaghetti

1 cup green pepper strips 3/4 cup Parkay margarine, melted 1 pkg. Kraft tangy Italian

visers? "The list might include tax consultant, attorney, banker, insurance representatives, employer, all creditors and debtors," she suggested.

What happens if your home is burglarized or if there is a fire and all records are destroyed? Which ones can be replaced, and how do you do so? Where is a copy of each indivi-

dual will located? What documents are in the safe

deposit box? Also, keeping records should be a family affair, rather than Starr Johnson. be for other family members the responsibility of just one member of the household," she

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Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson

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Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Moulton Youngblood, 95, of Clarendon were held at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Schooler - Gordon - Robertson Funeral Chapel at Clarendon. Burial was in Union Hill Cemetery at Lakeview.

Mrs. Youngblood was the mother of Mrs. T. H. Gattis of Brice. She passed away Saturday.

Mrs. Youngblood, born in Pulaski, Tenn., came in 1884 to Hall County, where she lived until 8 years ago when she moved to Amarillo. Her husband, William Henry Youngblood, died in 1951. She was a Methodist.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Frank Harrison of Amarillo edral City, Calif.; 10 grandchild-ren and 24 great-grandchildren. Mrs. McKay's grandmother, Mrs. Herschel Combs.

Janet McNally, who is attendng nursing school at West Texas

State University, and Alan Mc-Nally of Iowa Park spent the weekend here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. McNally.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell McClure of Midland spent the weekend here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Beeson and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Harrison and children of Dallas spent the Easter holidays here with his mother, Mrs. Carl Harrison. Also visiting with Mrs. Harrison was her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Finch of Dalhart.

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Brice News

Mrs. Art Palmer of California

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Martin

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Plains last week with Mr. and

Mrs. G. W. Selmon of Vernon

Rev. Frankie Just of Clarendon

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BUT CAUTION NEEDED Hog producers can look for a profitable year in 1976 if they don't get over anxious and expand operations to quickly, says a livestock marketing specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Hog prices should continue strong due mainly to a continued shortage of pork supplies. However, increased farrowings during the first half of the year could boost pork supplies for the se-cond half of 1976 as 16 per cent above those of the second half of 1975. Prices for market barrows and gilts should range from 46 to 48 per hundredweight through mid-year and then drop off to around \$40 to \$42 during the latter part of 1976.

Mrs. Quinton Brown, Katie and Jason of Wichita Falls were here from Thursday until Sunday visiting her mother, Mrs. D. H. Moore, Mrs. Brown, the former Betty Jean Moore, who graduated from MHS with the class of 1956, enjoyed the various festivities and get - togethers activities with her classmates and teachers, Mrs. Dorothy Stewart and son, Mark, of Amarillo were here on Saturday to visit with her mother and sister. Also Quinton Brown and son, Luke were here on Sunday before the family returned home late in the afternoon.

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I. Linda Ferguson, Cashier. of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest: Linda Ferguson Lee Vardy, Homer Hawkins, Bob Russell, Directors. State of Texas, County of Hall, m: Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th day of April, 1976 and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank. My Commission expires June, 1977, A. L. Hedrick, Notary Public

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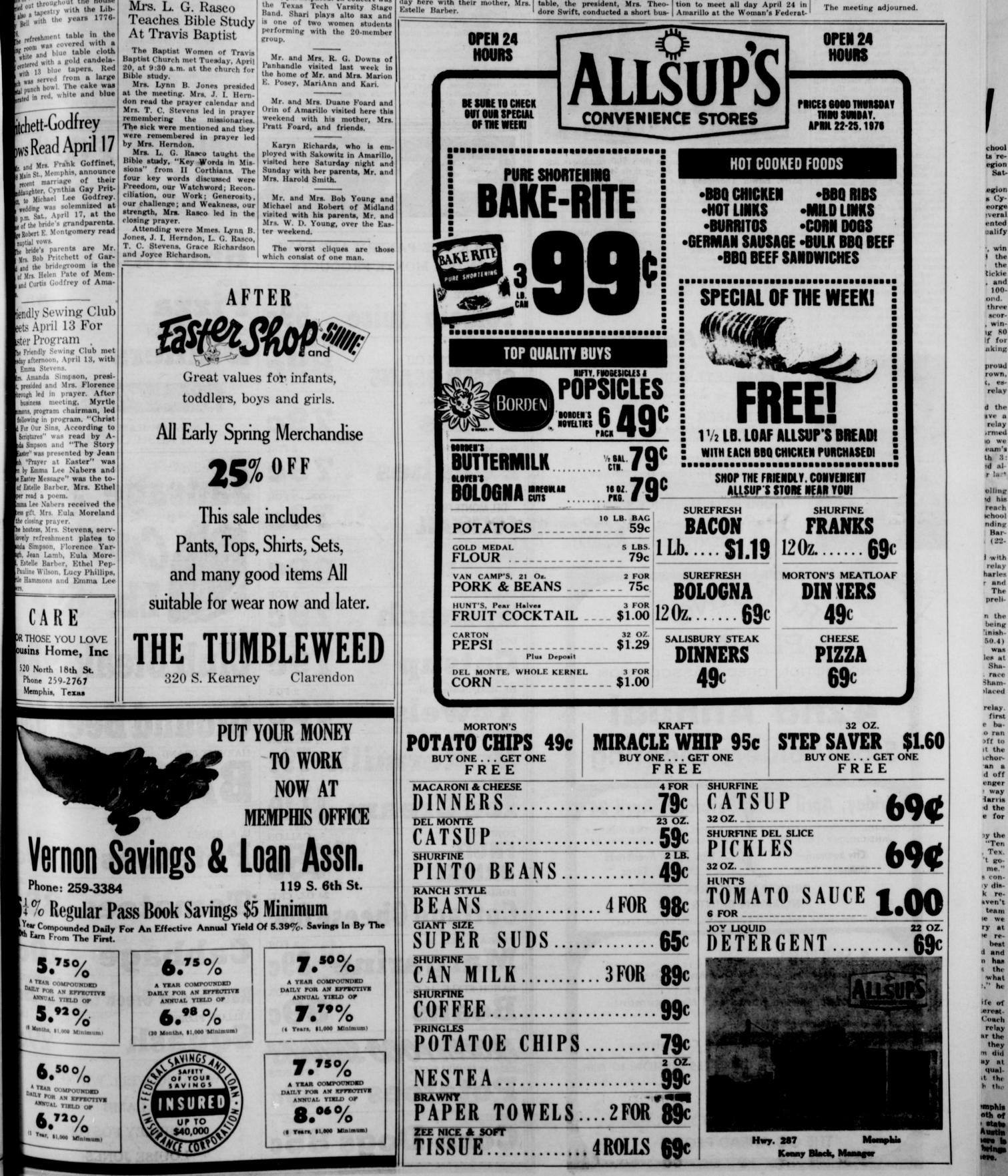
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Rolling Plains PSC To Meet In Childress, Stamf.

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A highlight of the meeting will be the election of one Director by the Association's membership to fill the place held by Mr. Lasater Hensley of Guthrie, Texas, who has declined renomination. Mr. Fred Neaves and Mr. Willard H. (Snooks) Williams both of Spur, Texas, have been nominated to fill this vacancy.

According to Mr. R. C. Cobb, the Association's President, keynote speaker for both sessions of the meeting will be Mr. Norman Brints, Area Economist, Extension Service of Vernon, Texas.

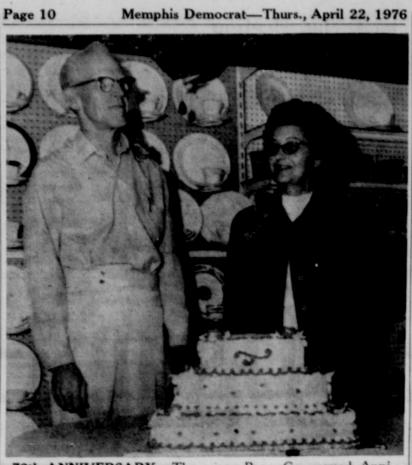
The Angle Sisters, recording artists of Knox City, Texas, will provide entertainment at both sessions of the meeting.

Other program items include the report from the Association's Board by Mr. W. C. Mann. James the nominating committee report. the Rolling Plains of Texas, con-Mr. Cobb will give the President's sisting of Briscoe, Childress, Col-The present Board of Directors report.

A meal for participants will fol. low the business session, which starts at 10:00 a.m. Attendance prizes will be awarded at each session to those whose names are



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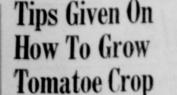
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COLLEGE STATION - Just about every home gardener has a few tomato plants that are his pride and joy. But there's more to a good crop of tomatoes than just setting out the plants.

"Tomatoes can be some of the most rewarding garden plants, but they can also bring frustration," points out Sam Cotner, horticulturist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

For success at growing tomatoes, Cotner offers a few point-

"First of all, select varieties

is composed of Lasater Hensley, Chairman, Guthrie; Mack T. Claburn, Vice-Chairman, Anson; W.

that are adapted to the area and that resist many of the common provide some form of support to diseases. Such varieties as Spring keep fruit off the ground, such Giant, Homestead, Porter, Terri- as stakes, trellises or wire cages. fic or Small Fry are excellent for most areas of Texas.

"When buying tomato plants, select those that are short, stocky fruit, apply small amounts of ferand dark green - ones that are about as tall as they are wide.

"Be sure to locate tomatoes n an area that receives at least

six honurs of sunlight a day. "Plant tomatoes in a soil rich in organic matter and contain-

ing adequate fertilization. Allow about four square feet of space for each plant. "Set the plants somewhat deep-

er than they were originally growing. Apply a starter solution; one can be made by mixing one or two tablespoons of a complete fertilizer in a gallon of

water. "To reduce wilting, set out

plants on a cloudy day or late in the afternoon, Protect them from winds or excessive heat by pro-C. Mann, Clarendon; J. P. Per-rin, Haskell; and W. J. Boykin, viding some cover, such as milk George Pierce home last weekcartons with the ends cut out.

"At first bloom, dust or spray

tomatoes for both insects and diseases. Once plants start setting tilizer every week or so. "For tops in quality and fla-

vor, harvest the fruits at peak maturity," suggests Cotner,

CORRECTION

An error was made in the name carried under one of the fashion show pictures in last week's edition of the Democrat. The name should have been D'Lynn Christian instead of D'Lynn Floyd. We are sorry for this error.

Pierce home last week were th grandchildren, Rickey, Be Crone, Steven Rowlett of Mrs. Elizabeth Dabney Regenia, rillo, Billy and Angelia Pie of Amarillo and Matt and Sh Mr. and Mrs. Gene Crone and Tonya and Marty and Clenton Waller of Memphis. Pierce of Amarillo, Violet Waller of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Ray adverse conditions such as high Lambert and son Kirby of Tell and L. D. Stone visited in the

Mrs. Maggie Waller and Ch les Waller were supper guests the George Pierce home Thursd

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LOCALS Mr. and Mrs. Herman

had as visitors last week Mrs. R. Cross of Hereford, Mr. Mrs. C. Ray Cross and Jenn Cross of Anaheim, Calif., Mr. a Mrs. Art Fisher and Robbis Laguna Niguel, Calif. Also M Benny Osburn and Miss Dor Osburn of Clarendon.

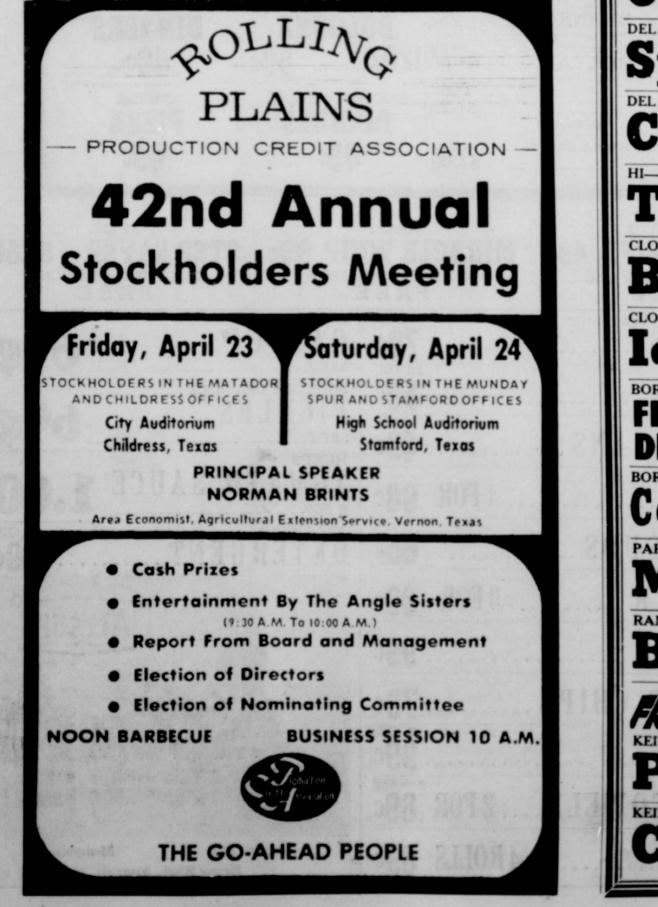
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_ Comptroller Bob average amounts to about four per cent, according to board calcula tions. The adjustment was less ash surplus when it con- than industry recommendations and less than those presented by the board staff at a February

> 'The industry sought a 5.1 per cent increase and the staff 5.4

Board Chairman Joe Christie says rates on a \$35,000 brick veneer home would increase about \$18 in Galveston, \$16 in Houston, \$12 in Austin and \$21 in Lubbock.

Meanwhile, the board set July 15 at 9 a.m. as the tentative date for its public hearing on automobile insurance rates. **Dispute Put Off**

A hot dispute over sale of Colorado River water for nuclear power plant cooling has been postponed until June 16. Texas Water Rights Commis-

said the reserve fund sion delayed a hearing on whethinsure a fiscally sound er Lower Colorado River Authernment for the foresee- ority can sell the water to Housure within the existing ton Power and Lighting Company for \$1 million. Atty. Gen. John use Speaker Bill Clayton Hill asked for the delay. Hill op-

d the second \$1 billion be the South Texas Nuclear Project

Courts Speak The State Supreme Court has turned down a suit for \$1.8 million against a Houston physician

who allegedly did not disclose that Briscoe will ask legislators the husband of a Mexico City worize court - ordered and man was dying of cancer and ensed wiretapping to help po- couraged the couple to have child-

The high court agreed to review May 12 a district court injunction against the State Board cluded in a recent opinion. overnor said there is no of Pharmacy's enforcing limits on argument as to whether prescription drug advertising.

Another May 12 review was set in a former Texas Tech footon the extent of the in- ball player's suit against the and how it can be controll- school following a knee injury. A three-judge federal court up-

held a state requirement that voe bills to make organized ters must sign ballot stubs and deposit them in a box at paper balnie surveillance in investi- lot elections. In other rulings the Supreme

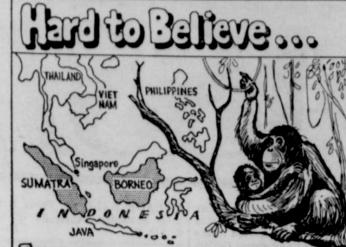
tried for all organized cri- Court voided a Beaumont ordinance requiring liquor stores to close at 8 p.m. and overturned insurance companies' \$100,000 aflu shots starting about ward to the guardian woman who shot her husband.

Short Snorts Former Gov. John Connally was honored here April 19 at an appreciation dinner. An average of only 2.58 per

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THE ORANGUTAN MAY BE THE MOST NEAR-HUMAN MEMBER OF THE ANIMAL KIN GDOM, ONCE NUMBERING OVER 1/2 MILLION NOW THIS LEGENDARY "WILD MAN OF BORNEO" IS THREAT-ENED WITH EXTINCTION. PERHAPS NO MORE THAN 5,000 EXIST TODAY, THEIR HOME BEING THE RAIN FORESTS OF SOUTHEAST ASIA .

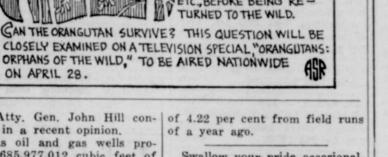
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CLOSELY EXAMINED ON A TELEVISION SPECIAL "ORANGUTANS: ORPHANS OF THE WILD," TO BE AIRED NATIONWIDE ON APRIL 28.

obat, Atty. Gen. John Hill con- of 4.22 per cent from field runs of a year ago. Texas oil and gas wells pro-

duced 685,977,012 cubic feet of gas in January 1976—a decrease ly, it's non-fattening.



Memphis Dmeocrat-Thurs., April 22, 1976 **Clarendon** College **Exes To Meet** Weekend of May 1

Clarendon College Ex-Students and Ex-Teachers will be convening on the campus of Clarendon College Saturday and Sunday, May 1-2, G. W. Estlack, president of the Ex-Student Association, has announced. Classes to be honored this year are those of 1926 and 1951.

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Registration will be held Saturday morning, May 1, in the Col-lege Cafeteria. Saturday afternoon class meetings and tours will be arranged for those inter- week end. ested.

Mrs. Ruby Bromley will again host a Tea in her famous Dining Room from 2 until 4 p.m. The annual dinner meeting will be held Saturday evening in the Cafeteria. The Art Department of Claren-

don College under the direction

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The meeting will be concluded with a Sunday noon luncheon and business meeting in the Cafeteria. The annual College Aggie Club Rodeo is scheduled for this same

Advanced tickets are now on sale for the dinner and luncheon meeting and are \$3.50 each meal per person. Reservations should be sent to Mrs. Edna Smith, Box 843, Clarendon, Texas 79226. For late arrivals tickets may be bought until noon Saturday.

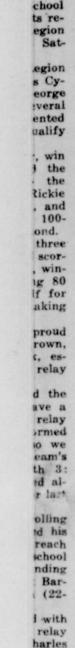
A warm welcome is extended to all ex-students, teachers, and prepartment's spring production, and brunch in the Cafeteria from sent students and faculty to at-"THE AMERICAN DAME", un- 8:30 to 11 Sunday morning, May tend this year's meeting.

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