

the opening of the 1937-38 sch Monday, September 6, mark term of the Memphis Pu ders' meeting of schools.

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believing this District court of the Monday all County will dicial District convened Monday ery from de. morning, September 6, at 10 o'clock, with District Judge A. S. Moss presiding.

OF INDICTMENT

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District Court Term

Sam S. Cowan, fo

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trict, which includes those of Am-arillo, Plainview, Lubbock, Canadian, Dalhart, and Childress have been invited to attend, and about fifty visiting members are ex-According to Sup pected to come. A. G. Powell, Re-335 corder of the Memphis Commandthe ery, said that all of its members High School, 328 in Junior High, are hereby notified and urged to

be present

Holiness Revival

Eighth and Montgomery streets here, with Amos R. Meador of Floated been seriously ill, however, for two or three days.

Electra as the evangelist. . The evangelistic revival will Linn, who run from Friday, Sept. 10, to Sunday, Sept. 19, with services being a, Texas and third o'clock.

h, sixth, and these services of gospel preaching, igh, and the according to B. W. Taylor, pastor and eleventh of the local Church of the Nazar-

September 21.

Had Resided Here for 30 Years; Buried

In Newlin Plot

George W. Kesterson, almost 82 years of age and a resident of Hall County for more than 30 son George W. Kesterson Jr. Opens Sept. 10th Monday afternoon, September 6, at 5:30 o'clock. Mr. Kesterson's death was quite unexpected, as he had been active up until a few

at the Church of the Nazarene at days before his death. He had

Funeral services for the aged Memphis resident were conducted from his son's home here, 514 South Seventh street, Tuesday morning, September 7, at 10:30 e chosen conducted each morning at 10 o'clock and each evening at 7:45 nd third t at West Everyone is invited to attend

(Continued on page 6) Meeting in Progress

large attendance.

Court This Week Rev. Apple, formerly pastor of the Lakeview church, is having considerable success, it is report-ed; and there have been a number The State of Texas vs. Tense Martin and Earl Durham, for being assisted by Rev. G. W. Gatburglary; dismissed on motion of tis, pastor. The meeting will continue until next Sunday

> **Insurance** Dealer Wins Sales Trip

State of Texas vs. Lon Elliott, Floyd Elliott, and Herschel Elliott, for burglary; dismissed on motion

Speeches On Program

Hundreds of persons from Col-lingsworth, Hall, Donley, and sev-

to converge at Quail on Friday and Saturday, September 17 and 18, twenty-three Hall County citizens of that year. for the two-day community fair aligned themselves with the Red

A gigantic carnival is to be years, died at the home of his staged there, and high-lights of the Red Cross this year. concerts, outstanding speakers two-day rodeo, softball tourna ment, F. F. A. judging contests. community booths, medicine show picture show, athletic contests, three rounds of boxing, and other features. The carnival will feature a free gate. Invitations have been extended for citizens of this entire territory to attend.

Rural Schools Get

State aid money amounting to Meeting in Progress At Lakeview Church schools of the source and for the rural schools of the convention Saturday night schools of the convention sturday night schools of the convention schools of the con

per cent of the amount of the or- outstanding singers are expected 18 months old daughter of Mrs. Church in Lakeview is drawing iginal grant for the county.

> Parallel Parking Is Provided For Traffic By City Council Tuesday

Memphis is to have parallel Hereafter traffic will run both ways on Noel street on the south parking!

At a meeting of the Memphis side of the square, south of the City Council in the City Hall last center parking lane, made possible Memphis Tuesday night, a city ordinance by the new traffic rule.

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agreement for September of Texas vs. Robert Mc-Dewey Sims, and Perry II. for felony theft; dis-en motion of district at-ce cases granted were R. ce cases granted were R. continued on page 6) pany for selling an annual quota salesmen. The Memphis insurance is by the company for all its salesmen. The Memphis insurance representative qualified with the states the only six months. There were only about ify for the trip.

County again this year as roll call According to reports from Tur-chairman for the Red Cross, it key, that territory is expecting was announced this week.

Cross last year, a big increase over the preceding year; and it is exstaged there, and high-lights of pected that even more will join

> Semi-Annual Meet Of Hall Singers To Be Sept. 12th John Roberts, Wife, And Two Others Trapped In Car

The semi-annual convention of the Hall County Singers Association will be held at Eli Saturday Money on State Aid night and Sunday, September 11 and 12, it has been announced.

Well over 1,000 singers and vis- riding was caught in a two-foot \$3,137 was received this week by itors attend the semi-annual sess- headrise in an ordinarily dry Miss Vera Tops Gilreath, county ions of the association, and A. B. draw 25 miles southwest of Clay-

to be present.

Mr. bumper feed and cotton crops Moore stated that the annual Red The crop there this year is expecteral other counties are expected Cross Roll Call will likely be in ed to be the largest since 1928, November. Three hundred and and it may exceed the production (Continued on page 6)

According to reports from Tur-



In New Mexico Rise

Four persons were drowned early Sunday, Sept. 5, when an automobile in which they were

The revival meeting being con-ducted by Rev. Ollie Apple of Petersburgh at the Methodist Church is Lakarian in the Methodist Church is La Jones. Mrs. Harris Royal, 27, another sister of Mrs. Roberts, escaped when she was washed out of the car. Mrs. Royal also is from Wellington.

The tragedy occurred at o'clock Sunday morning as the party was returning from a dance at a ranch. Mr. Roberts was foreman of the Browder Ranch near Dalhart. He is a brother of Mrs. W. C. Lewallen of Memphis. He s the father of W. J. Roberts of

car, and searchers found her 50

Approaching the draw, Mrs. was passed requiring that the park-ing of automobiles on Noel street Tuesday night to require all trucks the automobile, asking Mr. Rob-Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Reynolds and on North Tenth street must and cars with trailers to park on erts to take the wheel. As the be parallel with the curb. burgiary; dismissed on motion district attorney. State of Texas vs. Lonnie Camp-day morning form Fort Worth, State of Texas vs. Lonnie Camp-day morning form fort soveral days at

State of Texas vs. Lonnie Cange of where they spent several days at been parked on the two streets, trucks and trailers projecting out into it. The machine was swept

district attorney. The State of Texas vs. Henry Jordan, for murder; dismissed on Motion of district attorney. State of Texas vs. F. B. Posey, for arson; set by agreement for PAGE TWO

SEAL BROTHERS

WILL HAVE ONE

DAY STOP HERE

Local Merchants To Offer Half Price

Circus Tickets

tooting of the calliopes bring

memories of circus days, and these memories were awakened here

this week when the advance men of the Seal Brothers Three Ring

Wild Animal Circus were in Mem-

phis last week making final ar-

rangements for the coming of the circus in Memphis. The circus folks will pitch their tented city on the old Fair Grounds here for

an afternoon and night perform-

It has been several years since

a circus has given a street parade

on the streets of Memphis, and this

season many children and adults

are expected to be on hand to wit-

ness the parade Friday of next

As a prelude to the circus prop-

er, a spectacular pageant is presented, which is said to be a glit-

tering professional fiesta of the land of music, song, and romance,

In the circus there are many

seen this season-the Romig Roon-

ey troupe of internations, somer-the Henry Duo, dancing, somer-

saulting wizards of the tight wire; Miss Vates Lola, movie star; the Smith family of riders; an army

of funny clowns; the Maritomoto troupe of Japanese artists.

Memphis merchants and business

men have been made, and it will

be possible for every man, woman

and child to attend the circus at half price. Merchants are giving

half-price tickets, which will al

low patrons to see the circus at

either the afternoon or night per-

formance for half price. If tickets

are not secured from the mer-

chants, the customer will have to

pay full price at the ticket win-

LESLEY

dow at the circus grounds.

Special arrangements with

and added features to be

entitled "Sunny Spain."

ance Friday, Sept. 17.

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THE MEMPHIS (TEXAS) DEMOCRAT

Three Ring Circus To Be In Memphis September

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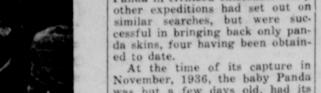
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was but a few days old, had its eyes closed and weighed but two and a half pounds. Today, large-ly because off Mrs. Harkness' intelligent and constant care, the an-imal weighs more than fifty pounds and, it is estimated will eventually weigh three hundred pounds. It was found near the Chinese-Tibetan border.

Explorer Has Only

Panda in Captivity

To Mrs. William H. Harkness,

Jr. goes the credit for capturing and bringing back alive the only Panda in civilized existence. Many

Mrs. Harkness' feat is remarkable inasmuch as it was accomplished single-handed. She was accompanied only by a young Chinese explorer and 2 or 3 carriers.

Today she is hailed as America's Ace Woman Explorer and is re-garded as one of America's greatest women. So many active people find that Quaker Oats with sugar and cream, is a wonderful source of food energy and that its rich supply of Vitamin B helps one in combatting nervousness, indigestion and appetite. A great American-Explorer Harkness says, "I consider Quaker Oats a splendid breakfast for active people."

By GUSSIE MARIE BULLOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Dean and sons and Pat Salmon of Brice attended the turkey growers' meeting at Lubbock Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Adams of Ropes visited in the W. N. Bullock nome Tuesday.

Henry Edens made a pleasure and business trip to Glenrose and Granbury this week.

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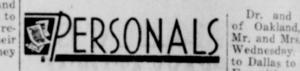
hildren of Roswell, N. M., came man for the Kahn Tailoring Co., ere this week for an indefinite spent from Saturday until Tues-

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bullock and Tepresentatives, Alexander &

and

were in Memphis Monday.

Up on Cheyenne mountain, half a mile above the Broadmoor hotel, near Colorado Springs, Colo., Spencer Penrose has built this beautiful Will Rogers Shrine of the Sun. On the backbone of America, it is as near as man can build to Will's celestial resting place. The picture seem-ingly shows Will Rogers in the heavens, smiling his approval of this memorial, which is now



to Dallas to see th Exposition and to R. C. Lemons, traveling salesin Arkansas, Mrs. J. F. Wald arrived from Ber day in Memphis with the local

spend until Sund Mrs. Herbert B.

Mrs. Mary Combests who is

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Sanders Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Graves and children and C. W. Graves went to

Silverton Thursday night in re sponse to a message that their brother Ernest was quite ill. They found him improving.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Durham and isit with relatives.

children and Mrs. C. W. Graves Ross,

Miss Lottie Durham left Satur-day for Lone Star, where she will Hedley, visited he

A number of baseball fans at-

game at Crossroads Sunday.

set on the rope; Bottom, left-Princess Red Wing Clear and her brother and at right, members of the Rooney troupe, appearing in a riding act.

elsewhere were Mrs. Sam Hardage, Mrs. Willis Hardage, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Walker and daughters, Mr.

By MRS. L. L. MITCHELL and Mrs. John Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Ashcraft, Walter Mrs. Virgie Burleson of near Hightower, and Rev. J. W. Mason, Huntsville is visiting her brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. Will Em-F. C. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Willie

chell Sunday.

FRIENDSHIP

Mrs. Doyle Simmons' father of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Meredith Miss Annie Siddle of Gammage Adams and Mrs. Tennie Adams, al days with her.

By MRS. C. L. PADGETT

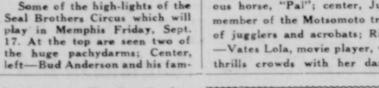
Tell came Sunday to spend sever- and children of Clarendon visited here Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Meredith. spent last week with her aunt er and granddaughter, and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Butler Stewart Misses Aleen and Pauleen Mc. Mrs. S. J. Braddock. P. D. Ashcraft, Sudan; Willie Hall visited Mr. Stewart's parents at Cants were shoppers in Memphis Saturday.

GILES

member of the Motsomoto troop of jugglers and acrobats; Right -Vates Lola, movie player, who thrills crowds with her daring

ous horse, "Pal"; center, Julia,

Circus Is Coming To Town September 17th



Miss Carter, who is a teacher and son Harrison, Hedley; and Memphis Saturday night. in the Quail school, spent last Menday night with Miss Ollie Mr and Mr Iau Mitch Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. George Scott and children spent a few days re-cently with Mr. Mitchell's sister family have gone to Austin for Mrs. Jess McMillian at Clovis. a visit with relatives. Tom Robertson of Paris visited

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Spelce and children have gone to Honeygrove has a Mrs. M. I. Hendrix last for an extended visit with rela- week. Otho Mercer took his sister Miss tives

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Taylor of Ollie Brown up near McLean Sun-Pampa visited relatives here and day, where she is employed as a at Lakeview over the week-end. teacher for the coming term.

dock. Rev. Harper Fowler, who did the

Neva Rich of Salisbury spent preaching, left for his home in last week with her brother Loris Dallas. Rev. Brister, who is pas-Rich and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Wallace cele- Sunday afternoon, 23 having joinbrated their 24th wedding anniver- ed at Lesley. sary recently. Those present were

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Neal, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Neal, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Neal, all of Memphis, and Mr.

and Mrs. J. W. Wallace, who re-

sons, Lowell Edward and Cecil H. Neal of Memphis and Mr. James Caddell, returned to their ÷E. Mrs. J. L. Wallace here home in Plainview Sunday after and spent the week-end in Amarillo a three-week visit with her father

with Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Messer. J. W. Durham and sister, Mrs. At-Tuesday, August 31, was ob-served as "homecoming day" at Mrs. R. F. Mrs. R. B. Fairly of Lubbock the local Baptist Church. A large

crowd attended the all-day pro- spent Sunday and Monday in the welcome address, which was ployed. Lunch was spread at the Memphis as the guest of Mr. and enjoyed by all that were present. gram. noon hour. Those attending from Mrs. Roy L. Brewer.

Leaving Memphis

... but, NOT BURNING BRIDGES!

I am moving to Clovis, New Mexico, this week where I will be located for the present . . . but, I want my friends and old customers to know that I am not burning any bridges behind me-I may be back in Memphis again some day.

I have always appreciated the fine spirit of friendship and the way which you have favored my markets with your business.



Miss Rebecca Edwards had as Mr. and Mrs. Jay Mitchell and her dinner guests Sunday Misses Iva Lou Scott, Mary Joe Sheffer, Louis Spruill, and Mary Helen Padgett.

> Mrs. H. A. Parker and children returned Sunday from Alvarado, where they had spent severa, days visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Spruill of Plaska visited Mr. Spruill's moth-Miss Lucille Smith of Quail is visiting her aunt Mrs. S. J. Brad-Church closed Friday night and family were guests Sunday of Mr. er, Mrs. W. H. Spruill, last week. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bruce and

and Mrs. I. F. McBride Misses Cresta Mae Kilgore of

Claude and Billy Duncan of Memtor, baptized 25 in Deep Lake phis were guests Thursday of Mary Helen Padgett.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Burnett and Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Adams were Mr. and Mrs. Blufford Burnett Hedley Friday dinner guests of Mrs. L. L. Mitand children were guests Friday of Lakeview.

Mrs. S. B. Upton and grand-Miss Tommye Baker has returnthe summer visiting relatives. School started at Friendship Monday with a good attendance

"for such bad weather." Several parents were present. Miss Vera Tops Gilreath of Memphis gave

FAIRVIEW

By MRS. R. ELLERD

W. P. Rogers returned last week from a visit with relatives in Waxahachie. N. M. Vaughn is reported on

the sick list at the home of his Sunday son Lester Vaughn. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Moore and

family and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Godfrey and family of Memphis spent last week-end at Palo Duro Can- phis Saturday. yon Mr. and Mrs. Exie Sweatt spent.

Friday in the Ellerd home. Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Smith visited relatives at Lesley Sunday.

Misses Alma, Velma, and Estelle Sweatt visited their grand-

parents at McKnight Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Eber Henderson and daughter of Sanford, Misses

Daisy and Allene Henderson of Mrs. J. B. Ellerd, and Leroy Martin visited in the Ellerd home Sunday.

returned last week from a week's Exposition. Mr. Reynolds is line- days. in Amarillo, Canyon, and man for the Southwestern Assovisit in Hereford.

were shoppers in Memphi teach the ensuing term. daughte Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brown and nesday. Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Profitt and

children of Lesley spent Sunday children, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Dean, here in the W. B. Profitt home. and Seth Edens were in Memphis Mary Sue Foster of Turkey Saturday W. N. Bullock visited his grandspent this week-end here with her

parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Fospital in Clarendon Saturday. Fred L. Behrens and his mother

By MRS. J. A. LEMMON

vere visitors in Clarendon Satur. ens Jr. and son Bennie Roe spent he week-end with Mr. and Mrs. lay and Sunday. Buck Tidwell of Amarillo. Mrs. Mrs. Buck Frisbie and children of Carey spent Sunday here with Tidwell is Mrs. Edens' sister.

Rev. Saffel of Plainview and Mrs. Theo Johnson. Mrs. E. W. Godfrey Jr. of Brownfield was here Saturday and Mrs. Sunday. Rev. Applewhite of Lone Star

Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ranson. daughter Jo Marie of Heckman Mrs. A. L. Wall and little son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Donald visited their daugh- D. W. Evans

ter and sister Mrs. Earl Tollett in Mr. and Mrs. Robert Newman of Mrs. J. D. McCants and Mrs. J. home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Burnett of A. Lemmon were Hedley and Memphis visitors Saturday. Mrs. Ida Cope of Memphis vis-

ed from Denton, where she spent ited her daughter Mrs. Theo Johnson Wednesday and Thursday. O. W. Meredith is visiting his

Typewriter Exchange, was in uncle A. B. Meredith in Saleville this month.

Boyd and James Sims have gone to Vernon, where they will be em. Monday.

Word received from W. B. Kim-Mr. and Mrs. Hal Walker and berlin who has been in a Dallas little daughter of Amarillo visited hospital for two weeks, was that in the home of Mrs. G. W. Sims he is much improved this week. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Webster and Mrs. W. O. Cope and children children, Billy Scott and Jo Ann, returned to their home in Lub- of Littlefield are spending this bock Wednesday after a visit of week visiting with her father, C. several days here with relatives. E. Nall in the Eli community, and Theo Johnson was an Amarillo isitor Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. C. W. Broome. risitor Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Profitt and Mr. and Mrs. J. Emory Barton

ions of Hedley were visitors here left Thursady for their home in Denton after a visit with her B. F. Kelley was a Memphis vis- parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Webitor Saturday

ster Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McCowan Mrs. James Ed Teer and daugh and children were visitors in Mem- ter Dorothy Dell of Vernon and here on account of the illness Roy Kelley of Conchas Dam was Judge J. M. Elliott. Judge Elliot recent visitor here in the home has been confined to his hom of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F.

several weeks recovering from najor operation. L. B. Madden accompanied Mr. Calif., arrived last week to sper George Bugbee of Redland and Mrs. R. L. Madden to Little- the crop-gathering season on I field Sunday for a visit with their

farms in the west end of brother, Haynes Madden and fam-He has several hundr ounty. acres of cotton on the farms an

Mr. and Mrs. V. S. Reynolds and says the yield will run from on Borger, Kelly and Sylvia Gable, daughters, Doris and Dorothy, are half bale to a bale per acre. on their vacation and are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom Draper relatives in Dallas and Sherman. to Snyder Sunday to take is During their visit in Dallas they mother, Mrs. B. N. Marcum, vio Mrs. Julius Gable and daughter are to attend the Pan-American had been their guest for seveal

Mrs. C. W. Dunnam and dash-ther Mary Helen of Childress isi-Hereford. Lizzie Mae and Maxine Vaughn spent Sunday night with Aleen and Kathleen Phillips. Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Ellerd visited relatives in Childress last week. Mrs. Attamae Lane and son Robert went to Clarendon Sun-day to attend the 70th birthday celebration of their father-in-law and grandfather, C. M. Lane. ciated Telephone Co.

- her darghter, Mrs. L. G. Rasco Wed-Raymond Ball on a trip to South attend a meeting

Lee dealers. Mrs. Emma Miller, Mrs. He ma Ownsby and daughters, Mary Amarillo by rail Ruth and Emma Jean, returned drive a 1938 m to their home in Celina Sunday back. son Max Rhea at the Adair Hos- after a visit here with Mrs. Mill-

Sunday. Miss Pearl Bn er's sister, Mrs. J. A. Grundy. arrived in Memph proving, thoug Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bell Ed- Mrs. Grundy accompanied them accept a position ime yet befor esume his pra home for a visit. Cafe.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Hoover of Miss Theima S Eunice, N. M., spent the past Bill Gerlach and week-end with his parents, Mr. Saturday from T RIST SCHOOL and Mrs. J. N. Hoover near New- Long Beach, Ca lin. had spent the sun

Miss Georgia J. D. Roden and Joyce Dot Webster will be among those to Turkey Sunda Mr. and Mrs. Onis Heron and from Memphis to enroll at Texas teach in the Turk Tech for the coming year. They the coming year will leave for Lubbock Sunday. Drake's third year

Mr. and Mr. Jim O. Ballew and school. Amarillo visited in the Dan Dean daughter Jo A in of Abilene spent Ewell Grundy ith his father, Dr. in Memphis Mon Ewell Grundy (y here Sun J. M. d Mrs. Ballew. Jim Ballew a

tended the Lesley - Crossroade has taught in he Abilene public schools for th past several years is principal of one of the

01 Carl-Leverett, with the Childress ward schools.

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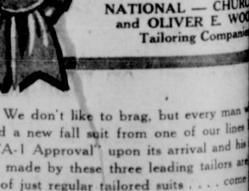
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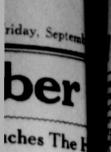
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Agriculture Program In Effect Here Its Beginning In The Year of The Hegina tion features of Conservation 800 Young Men Will Be Accepted By re now are instituted **Conservation** Corps During October al-Mansur and Barmak, as

Barmak, as Barmak, as a Barmak, as b Barmak b Barmak Mansur how beasts on the provided with at when Allah ters from the ters from t

perished in from families receiving assistance and soaked in the ground. About because of through the Works Progress Ad- the same amount was received Sunday night slowly there was ministration, Resettlement Admin- Sunday night and Monday mornthe grasses the rocks, Corporation, city, county, or local fenuded and charitable institutions. the addition to being from family founday night and Monday morn-ing. Almost two inches fell Tues-day morning. Rev. Brister, pastor of the Bap-tist church being from family

In addition to being from fami- tist church here, had a large numless grass, released the lies with a relief status, a fairly ber to hear him preach both morn-douds . . . the large percent will be selected from ing and evening services Sunday douds . . . the hirge percent with the schereted from ins and evening services Sunday families not receiving relief but in spite of the muddy roads and threatening weather Sunday night. Income for a normal standard of iving. This is the first time in son Don and Jim Lemons of Amar-

ag order out over two years that the selecting illo spent the week-end visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hope council of cept applications from boys whose Lemons, and sisters, Misses, Velon to de- families are not actually receiv- ma, Thelma, and Virginia Lemons of the Caliph ing relief. This enrollment pre-sents an opportunity to these fam. Mr. and Mrs. Boyd T. Dickson have as their guest this week Miss

divided into ilies to supplement their insuf- Gladys Salmond of Canyon. She the great into ficient income and at the same will return next week of finish to still lesser, time to give the boys of these he senior year's work in West atering places families an opportunity for train-te set officers ing that will be of great benefit Miss Hawkins, intermediate he set officers ing that will be of great benefit rom among the to them in fitting themselves for with home folks at Hedley.

ere given au-ere given au-er the number of between the ages of 17 and 23 ents and friends,

ach place ... inclusive, single, unemployed, not Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kello and ach place ... in regularly in school, having no son Billie of Clarendon visited beasts on the criminal records, boys physically in the Cal Holland home Sunday, and a cove- fit to perform a normal day's seeing old friends. Mrs. Kello has ach stockman work, and who have need of the entirely recovered from her res, the num- training that they will receive. cent illness of several months' dured him, and They must be from families in ation at Clarendon.

which there is insufficient income Jim Swift and son Jim Jr. were visiting with George R. Dickson The boys enrolled will receive Sunday. ast up barriers

wild not flow a salary of \$30 per month, of The Brice P.-T. A. held its first ... saw fit to which amount \$25 will be allotted meet of the year Thursday, Sepfrom the to the dependents. The enroll- tember 2. A pleasing talk was binding the ment of 800 boys from these 35 given by John Deaver, district with the roots counties means an income of \$24, attorney, and by Miss Tops Gils permitted the 000 monthly, of which amount reath, county school superintenfruitful ver-fruitful ver-s20,000 will go to the support of dependents. If the 800 boys en-rolled remain in camp as long as was heard from Mrs. Charley Williams of Salisbury. Her sub-

wild lands, and two years, the total wages of these boys would be \$576,000, of which \$480,000 would go to needy families. are by reason of needy families.

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prised at the home of Mrs. Zack Salmon by 25 or 30 friends and neighbors, who gave her a shower.

Mrs. Winnifred Quisenbery and on Wilson visited in Amarillo Fri-

Mrs. Winnifred Quisenbery and son Wilson visited in Amarillo Fri-day and Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Collins and son O. P., Jr. arrived in Mem-phis Saturday from Pampa to make their home. Mr. Collins has accepted a position with the T. T. Harrison Gin for the gin-ing season. Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Tarver and Mrs. Muldred Bishop left Sun-

Gwindolyn, Buddy and Ballew of Wichita Falls can Friday and spend until Wed Friday and spend until Wedness here with their father, Raym Ballew and their grandpard Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Ballew. 7 recently moved to Wichita Fa

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Lloyd Phillips returned Sun-day from a few days business trip in Dallas.



MERCHANTS OF MEMPHIS

Practically every retail store in Memphis has a supply of free tickets to give away. There are no strings attached or connected in any way. The tickets are good for half the admission price. Children's regular admission is fifty cents, but with one of these free tickets the child pays only twenty-five cents. Adults tickets are seventy-five cents at the circus wagon, but with the free merchant ticket the adult pays only thirty-five cents. THE MERCHANT YOU TRADE WITH WILL GIVE YOU ONE OF THESE TICKETS.

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RETURN FROM CALIFORNIA Mr. and Mrs. J. W. D. Chappel spent Sunday in Lakeview W. M. Walker and children, Den- Mrs. Chappell's brother H. H. Colwere accom-ry were accom-ry were accom-swift returned Friday of last is by Mr. and week from an extended visit at

mon who were points in California. Mr. Walker moving, though ime yet before ter, Mrs. W. A. Chapman in Santa Ana and his son Bob Walker and sume his pracfamily in San Bernardino.

Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Griffin and

visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Rev. Emmitt Evans preached er is spend- Wheat here last Friday. They Sunday morning. Singing was well er attending were en route to Denver where attended Sunday night.

the Denver Medical College. He visiting her daughter Mrs. Cloyd is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Foreman.

week with their daughter Mrs. W. Orleans in June.

Pampa arrived in Memphis Sat-urday for a few days visit with her Juanita Petree of Abilene spent parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rey-nolds. They are on their vaca-their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Louis tion and will visit points of in-terest in New and Old Mexico, re-has been visiting them for the past turning by San Angelo to visit week, returned home Sunday.

Atty. W. W. Sanders of Gilmer was in Memphis Monday in the interest of his property, which to the needle club last Tuesday. was formerly owned by W. A. Mc- The afternoon was spent quilting Those present were: Mrs. C. R. Intosh,

Sunday for Stillwater, Okla., where they will attend Oklahoma A. & dill, Mrs. A. H. Jones, Mrs. B. L. M. Miss Garner, a graduate of the college last spring, is doing some special work and Robert will Mrs. W. A. McClanahan, Mrs. be in his senior year. Mrs. S. H. Wills, Mrs. D. S. Jones

TO WOMEN

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struation have, in many, many Roy Francis. cases been eased by Cardui. Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hattenbach And where malnutrition (poor went to Wichita Falls Friday of nourishment) had taken away last week to take their grand-

that way help to build up a natural resistance to certain useless suf-fering. (Where Cardui fails to benefit, consult a physician.) Ask your decent for Cardui (pronounced "Card-u-i").

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By MRS. LOUIS RICHARDS

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Wheat and graduated from the Tulane Medical University in New North Carolina spent the past Mr. and Mrs. Jake P. Roach of L. Morrison.

Opal Martin of Fairview spent his mother.

Reba and Robert Garner left Woodson, Mrs. Roy Francis, Mrs. Louis Richards, Mrs. D. T. Petree,

Spruill, Mrs. Eva Denson, Mrs. G. W. Mason, Mrs. C. E. McCauley, Misses Opal Marie Martin, Jerry If you suffer every month Francis, Evarene Wills, Honeria you owe it to yourself to take Phillips, Ed and Del McCauley, note of Cardui and find out Opal Wills, Maxine and Mildred Phillips, and the bostess. Mrs. Richards, and the hostess, Mrs. Roy Widener. The club will meet

Functional pains of men- Tuesday, September 14, with Mrs.

woman's strength, Cardui has daughter, Shirley Mae Whaley, been found to increase the en route to her home in Weather-appetite, improve direction and in appetite, improve digestion and in in Memphis with Mr. and Mrs.

Ask your druggist for Cardui- from Memphis, spent Sunday and Monday here visiting with friends.

Mrs. O. D. Phillips, Mrs. J.

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Bring the kiddies and come yourself you'll enjoy every minute as well as they will because the show is different this year from any you have ever seen. The Roming Rooney Troupe of International Riders; Henry Duo, the dancing, bounding, somersaulting wizard of the wire; Miss Vates Lola, movie star, in person; The Smith Family of Riders; The Maritomoto Troupe of Japanese artists and an army of famous, funny clowns.

The show is clean, respectful, and one you will enjoy. Your merchant, in Memphis invites you to ask for tickets.

Old Fair Grounds

THE MEMPHIS (TEXAS) DEMOCRAL

Memphis Democrat wife is a barefoot slattern, and his staring children will grow to be replicas of their father.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

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WHY ADDITIONAL STATE TAXES?

OVERNOR James V. Allred has called a special session of the legislature for September 27 to levy additional taxes. In the light of this we note with interest the following editorial remarks from the Gainesville Daily Register:

"Just as the Texas taxpayer begins to feel the brunt of stepped-up federal scurity taxes, just as he takes the shock of last October's omnibus levy of millions more, there comes the warning of the Big Bertha of them all. There will be one, probably two, special sessions of the legislature this fall, on the sole topic of levying more taxes," writes Raymond Brooks, political observer for the Austin American-Statesman.

"Word of nine, or 12 or 16 millions of new taxes to be added to all the rest is freely circulated. Prophets say Gov. Allred will ask the lawmaking bodies to raise at least \$12,000,000 more money a year, and maybe as much as \$16,000,000.

"Mr. Texas has the job of figuring whether he can pay the bill; if so, where the money is coming from; if not, how to manage its avoidance," Mr. Brooks comments further.

The constant talk of new and higher taxes coming the quota of part-time NYA jobs tember 27-28. from high sources at the state captial is serving to for Hall County this year will be further irritate a festering sore in the state's business signed to white schools and one to attending from schools. It has structure and an ominous grumble is being heard the negro school in Memphis. from the wage earners of Texas who have been grant- by the state director, after coned in some cases wage increases based on the expectation of industry to be permitted to go ahead without basis of the latest and most refurther tax penalties in their conduct of business.

Labor generally in Texas is of high intelligence total number of jobs available to and capable of doing its own sound reasoning and it Texas this year was only 75 per cent of last year's original quota. now realizes that federal, state, and local tax demands constitute a lien against future wage payrolls. ed to organize a county commit-Industrial leaders and business men generally have ficials of Hall County for the pur- Mo., where Mr. Bass has accepted Industrial leaders and business men generally have a worried expression as they endeavor to keep the tax wolf from their doors. Representative Jesse James of Cameron, one of

the authors of the omnibus tax bill of 1936, insists have been made, local schools will that this law is bringing in more revenue than was county school superintendent with expected and that no new levies are needed in 1937. forms necessary for execution of College Station where he will be "We need an economy session, not a tax session," he an application for approval for participation in the NYA program. declared. He supported the stand of some of those working on the senate investigating committee's con- perintendent to inform her and Monday for Childress to resum solidation-efficiency-economy report, to the same the county committee regarding the needs of their school for partpractical effect. Senator Albert Stone of Brenham, member of the senate economy and efficiency committee, has evolved intendent of their school, since it a plan designed to provide without imposition of new taxes, millions of dollars of added revenues if such lect those students who shall be money is needed, a matter which many people doubt. given employment. He advocates collection of delinquent taxes to meet the insatiable demand of the state's tax-eaters. week-end visitors in Childress. Comptroller Sheppard has advised Senator Stone that more than \$14,000,000 are due the state in uncollected taxes, and the counties of the state have past due taxes in the staggering sum of more than 150 million TRI-STATE FAIR dollars. Furthermore, this delinquent tax collection does not penalize the poorer class of ownership. Un-Amarillo - FREE GATE - Sept. 20-25 deniable analysis shows that large ownership owes more than 90 per cent of this tax to the state and counties. The amount due constitutes a surplus of great proportions because it would be over and above present needs, to be taken care of by taxes already in effect or to become effective shortly. Still further increased revenues may be expected, owing to taxes that will be paid on increased earnings in practically all lines of business. Based on this premise, it occurs to us that Governor Allred and the legislature could render no greater or lasting service to the people of Texas than to effect laws to collect taxes now assessed, including those delinquent, insist on economy through consolidation of departments, elimination of useless and inefficient state agencies, and advise the people in general that they are to have a tax holiday. 0000000 GIGANTIC LIVESTOCK AND

"And with that picture you have the share-cropper as the rest of the United States sees him, and as he frequently is. His position has come to be a lamented evil, though an eccepted one."

If people in general consider the above to be true, share-croppers in the Hall County vicinity. For, al-though there are many tenants in this section who work farms on the shares, the large majority of them are upstanding citizens who want to get ahead in the world. It is true that the share-croppers have score to the the share-croppers have score to the the share-croppers have score to the de-world. It is true that the share-croppers have score to the de-world. It is true that the share-croppers have score to the de-world. It is true that the share-croppers have score to the de-world. It is true that the share-croppers have score to the de-world. It is true that the share-croppers have score to the de-world. It is true that the share-croppers have score to the de-world. It is true that the share-croppers have score to the de-to the stare to the score to the de-to the stare to the stare to the score to the de-to the stare to the score to the de-to the stare to the score to the de-to the stare to the score to the then we are happy to announce that there are no owners met at Lelia Lake last week his time world. It is true that the share-croppers have seen hard years of late, but so have the rest of us; and who hard years of late, but so have the rest of us; and who Interest in the former lease regress has one of Mark Countryman is that loans for who minds spitting a little tobacco juice on the stove in the from the old hole revealed both worrying now whether relief work- made this year to community store on winter afternoons? We've done gas and oil. Four oil companies ers will pick it for that price ... the same thing many times.

But what rankles us most is the statement about Kate Johnson, owner of the drill- these days they mostly begin with his wife, the "barefoot slattern." We have been in this county a good many years, and we have a good many farmers friends who farm on the shares. And they take part in their church and community affairs in the character of news he made, and see to it that their children have a better chance would likely give thanks several of the entire population than the made, the farmer for an education than they had. Of course they have the newspaper knew about him servation Association which has serve their soil to "skimp" to make ends meet, and they have to have and could not decently put in behind it the idea of creating aratory to growing their children to help in the fields; but for the most print.-Donley County Leader. part they are good honest people, the sort that produce a living for the rest of the nation.

But we are not criticizing our neighboring newspaper. The editorial was written by an Eastern ed- ing ground. itorial service, and went on to tell about a farmer in Georgia who owns 2,000 acres of land farmed by share-croppers who really take an interest in the farm and their homes. But we still maintain that day off should Mile. Jadwiga Jedthe Hall County section does not have any sharecroppers, as the term is generally construed to mean.

NYA Jobs To Be **Exposition** Date **Apportioned Hall County Students**

J. C. Kellam, Teaxs director of the National Youth Administra- Greater Texas and Pan American tion, has informed Miss Vera Gil- Exposition. The date that has realth, county superintendent, that been set for Hall County is Sep-

sulting state school officials and relief and welfare agencies, on the

liable figures available on youth population and financial need. The

Miss Gilreath has been requestamong the school of-

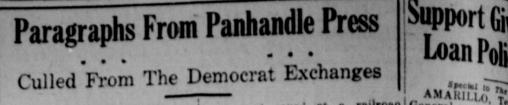
Governor James V. Allred has set aside two days for each school in Teas as class vacations for the school children to attend the

Set For County

Special privileges and price re-Of this number 22 were as- ductions will be granted to groups been pointed out that the trip is entertainment purposes.

MOVING FROM DALLAS

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Bass arrived in Memphis Friday from Dall as for a visit among relatives and friends. Mr. Bass spent until Sunday and Mrs. Bass remained to spend this week here. They are moving from Dallas to Springfield,



are anxious to lease a block of Young couples used to start out

ing site .- Clarendon News.

Amen!

The man who gets sore about what the newspaper said about him

forms us that the movement of help to alleviate dust storms and Jack Garner of Texas for president of the U. S. is rapidly gain-

The Name, Please?

We understand there is a movenent being sponsored by Headline Writers' Local 407 to take the rzejowska win the tennis tournament at Forest Hills .- Floyd County Hesperian.

> He Who Laughs Last The Hereford Brand: Frank Cogwell bats 1.000 per cent. Last Monday night when playing softball, he let the bat slip and shattered the windshield of an automobile. He laughed until he found

that it was the windshield of his own car.

Taken for Ride

We are told by the Childress Index about a constable at Quanch being kidnaped and taken for ride by a woman he was holding in technical custody. The constable started with the woman to her home to get the key to the trunk of her automobile so that The county allocation was made worth much for educational and officers could search the trunk for iquor. the highway and said she'd wreck the car before she would permit

a search of the trunk. The con-TO SPRINGFIELD, MISSOURI stable finally talked her into letting him out on the highway several miles east of Quanah.

> Talkative Tillie sees nothing but grief ahead for the pigeon-toed or lin, and Tom Martin went to Es-

As the average citizens sees it. Carr. there are still too many politicians A business session and safety anxious aw instead

It's a wise motorist who realizes the evening.

General recogni Clarendon Oil Play A group of farmers and land crossing may save all the rest of ness of the Reset Speaking of clothes tration's recently icy included ins rural rehabilitat ing less than 24 in penetration in the propose to seed. will not be made a diamond ring and a coupe.-Muleshoe Journal. ing unless the the various impre tices approved for

Benefits of Conservation

No other New Deal venture has It was explained more to commend it to the favor areas where wheat

The Quanah Tribune-Chief in- many who believe the idea will Betz reports that where the growin highly hazardou drouth, but in the opinion of this sufficient moi paper the main thing to commend peculiar physics the plan is that it will make play grounds and recreational centers; cy's announced for the people of a section who gratifying. He have for years not had access to land in nearly these advantages .-- Curry County growing areas Times. ter prepared than

Turns Over in "Nighty"

in those A woman giving the name of moisture Mrs. Tubbs overturned her car purposes near Clarendon last Tuesday mornards are at ing at 4 a. m. right in front of the settlement's home of the Justice of the Peace. receiving great f According to the Donley County Betz reports d Leader, she was clad only in a nightgown and house-shoes. She and below norma was arrested for driving while the extreme ea rado, 25 drunk.

Dishonorable Intentions

The Briscoe County News: Jeff Steel comes along to defend hand, the South his community with a rattlesnake He ran over one on the story. highway the other night that was years.

swerved the car off in the ditch. good crops in Jeff said it felt like he had run the probl over a dog. It had eleven rattles, has disclosed And then Chas. Cowart told about instance, that i one with 14 rattles that tried to showers, The woman drove out on get in bed with him one time. He suspected that the snake had dis honorable intentions.

ATTEND SAFETY MEETING

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fultz, James Betz sai and Betty Frances Fultz, Martha learn of Draper, Maurine Reheis, A. Dew- pointed agency knock-kneed young thing who per- telline last Thursday evening to the bor sists in aping the dress lengths attend a regular monthly safety as well prescribed by fall stylists, the meeting of the Community. Public against v Scurry County Times reports. Service company held on the lawn found that at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alton ers and problem

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NO SHARE-CROPPERS HERE

NEIGHBORING newspaper had this to say recently: "The Southern share-cropper lives on a dreary soil-depleted farm in an unpainted shack with a sagging porch and strips of burlap over broken window panes. He is a taciturn person who emphasizes his silence with frequent ejections of tobacco juice, prefers to hunt with mournful hounds, seldom sees five dollars in cash, and his credit is limited. His

field be notified and supplied by the Local school officials should coming year. communicate with the county sutime NYA jobs, Mr. Kellam said.

Youths seeking NYA jobs should apply to the principal or superthe function and responsibility of the local school officials to se

Mr. and Mrs. C. Partain were

A Galaxy of Dazzling Stars

NITE SHOW

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Miss Ernestine Walker left will also teach Ancient history.



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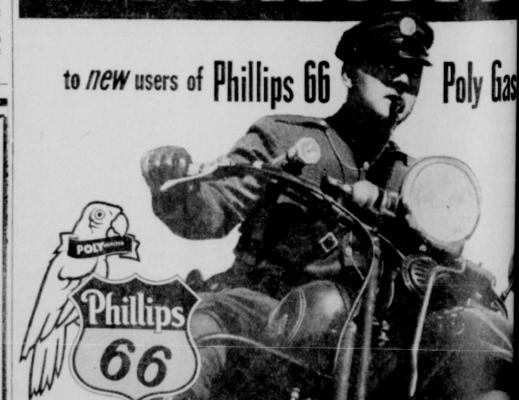
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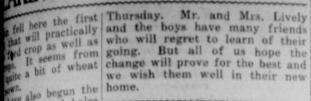
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THE MEMPHIS (TEXAS) DEMOCRAT



SALISBURY By MRS. H. L. YARBROUGH

Crops are much e past three years. ing conducted at being conducted at Church during the heen drawing large and Mrs. H. L. Yarbrough spent congregations. Tuesday of last week in the home former pastor, of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Yarbrough

hing. His mesfine and inspiring of Swearingen. disbeing done. Ten received into the standard the Girl Scouts and the Secure the meeting fore the meeting day of last week. Little Bobbie Sandra Upshaw of

til next Sunday. Winters is here for an extended the meeting being and Mrs. George C. Dickson. Alvin Yarbrough spent Sunday

Rev. Apple the past with Billy Albert Sweatt of Lake Wyatt, who has been (view,

Mrs. J. D. Rothwell of Littlethe past two weeks field is visiting friends and relaed at Memphis, tives in this community and in reated that Memphis. Miss Janie Adcock returned to

pastor of the Meth-her home in Memphis Saturday. Newlin, attended She has been employed in the home of Mrs. Bones McQueen s Lee Blanks and during the illness of Mrs. Mc. with others, Queen.

sitors in Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Lyrel Davis of y night. Hy and son C. B. Friendship, Mr., and Mrs. Garvis Davis of Harrell Chapel, and Mrs. om Mr. Lively, J. D. Rothwell of Littlefield wer in Lubbock, to ar- dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W to that city during M. Davis Sunday.

Very good rains have been rewill likely leave! ceived in this community the last few days.



Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Nelson and amily spent the week-end visiting daughters Lillie Mae and Mary Ellen in Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Webster are here visiting her father, C. E. Nalll, and her sisters Lucille and Ina Smith

Mrs. W. D. Smith and family have returned home from points in Arkansas.

The farmers are smiling about the good crops and the fine rain in the community. The singing convention at Eli

will be held Saturday night and Sunday. Everyone is invited, Several out-of-town singers are ex-

EK SPECI FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

James Martin has returned home rom a several weeks' stay in East

of Lavoyce Orrell.

W. H. Durham.

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remains fair, and will be in full

WEBSTER

By NELL COCHRANE

and Mrs. Mack Kimmons spent

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wing before October 1.



of Japanese tumblers, acrobats, and jugglers who will exhibit showing here September 17.

Childress WPA TO PLEASANT **Close For Cotton** VALLEY Picking Sept. 15th y MRS. NORA VANDEVENTER

Mrs. Dorothy Lee Crawford of CHILDRESS - Virtually all Amarillo spent last week here vis-VPA projects in Childress Coun- iting Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Crawford y will be shut down around Sept. and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. 15 and all able-bodied men on the D. Morrison. olls will be ordered to "pick cot-on or else," city and county of-

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bell of Pampa Wednesday with Mr. and spent Mrs. Charlie Ragen.

With the biggest cotton crop Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Francis Jr. the county has produced in several returned home Saturday after a ears in prospect, farmers are altwo-week visit in Arkansas. eady seeking pickers and a serious

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Daniels of

Picking will get under way ithin a few days if the weather emains fair, and will be in full Buddan visited ay. W. Pate Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Rea were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Foster Tuesday

Mr. and Mrs. John Blanks and family of Lakeview spent Satur-day night in the home of M. M.

Miss Helen Nash of Lakeview and Miss Olitha Richards of Eli were guests of Oleta Fay and Mr. and Mrs. Ray McMurry and Laura Crawford Wednesday night. Rev. L. J. Crawford filled his regular appointment at Plaska Sat-urday night and Sunday. ildren, Marion Sue and Don Ray, om Thursday of last week until

unday here as guests in the J. R. Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Lowe from Mulshoe visited in the R. E. Lowe home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Yarbrough had for their guests Wednesday on was night Mrs. Parsons and children Deep Lake visitor Sunday after. of Weartherly. Mrs. Nelse Williams and son of

WPA Projects May Be Closed To Allow Workers To Help With Cotton Harvest spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ramsey. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh R. Lee and

Farmers desirous of obtaining worker will turn down a iegitimate WPA workers to assist in seasonal offer of work and WPA workers week-end crop-gathering have been invited are assured that they will not lose State Administrator H. P. employment status with this agen-

Drought to direct their requests to county judges, county farm Eaw complaints that WD agents, or to the offices of the National Reemployment Service and Texas State Employment

"These offices are familiar with stances have received prompt inour policy that Works Progress vestigation. "To date," he Administration projects will be clared, suspended if necessary to provide workers for private employers," Drought said. "They are anxious to cooperate with farmers who need k bor and I am sure that they will convey any private employer's request promptly to the proper WPA office."

Policy of closing WPA projects temporarily when outside job opportunities are available for work. Lake visited their daughter Mrs. men is in line with the provisions R. L. Vallance Sunday. of the 1937 appropriation act. Drought stated:

certified person who refuses a bona-fide offer of private employment under reasonable working onditions which pays as much as r more than he receives from WPA employment. It provides furthermore that any person leav ing WPA rolls for private employment is entitled to immediate resumption of his previous employ nent status if he is still in need of relief and has lost the private

mployment through no fault of his own. Thus, any private em ployer is assured that no WPA

LIBERTY By MRS. ED RAMSEY

Mr. and Mrs. Wade of Deep Mr. and Mrs. Burl Cummins vis

Drought stated: "The 1937 appropriation act provided that the Works Progress" Mr. and Mrs. Aubry Cook from Administration may employ no the Plains spent last week-end

Old Line LIFE—ACCIDENT—HEALTH

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BUSINESS MEN'S

ASSURANCE COMPANY

with Mrs. Cook's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Cummins. Mrs. Thelma Leea of Amarillo

grandson Jack Rasberry of Friona visited with relatives here last

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lar appointment here Sunday morn-

ing and night. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Vallance are the proud parents of a baby boy, born August 24. Both baby and mother are doing fine. The young-

family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Mitchell Sunday.

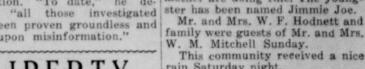


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Rev. Byron Todd filled his regu-

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This community received a nice rain Saturday night.

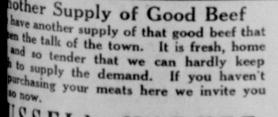


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Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Alexander and little daughter spent the lat-Williams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. ter part of last week visiting on Tom Lenoir. The Baptist meeting will begin Misses Mary Lue and Johnnie Sue Byars spent Saturday night visiting in Memphis. Mrs. Roy Sweatt has as her guest this week a brother from

onduct the singing. Wichita Falls. Edd Fields of Pampa visited

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Robertson and little son were guests in the and also his brother B. C. Crabb. J. Robertson home last week-John Lowe and family of Turkey were guests of Rufe Lowe Miss Bernice Patterson of East Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin King and sons of Oklahoma were visitors here Friday night. They were en route to the Plaine. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ragen. 'exas is here visiting in the C. F.

oute to the Plains. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Vandeventer was a busi-Allen Henry accompanied them, returning Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Byars and children were visitors here Sun-day.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Harrison returned last Thursday night from Dwain Little was a Sunday guest a visit with their son Wendell in Ardmore, Okla., and the Pan-Mr. and Mrs. Jake West were American Exposition in Dallas isitors here Sunday afternoon. and the Frontier Fiesta in Fort

McCracken is here visiting Worth. the home of her daughter Mrs. Miss Wilma Jarrell left last W. H. Durham. Mrs. C. B. Robertson spent Mon-teach in the Pampa school this day visiting her mother at Lesley. year.

Miss Ruby Henry of near Plain-W. E. Reaves of Hedley was a view is here visiting relatives and business visitor in Memphis Tuesday. Mrs. Floyd Mann and children

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Thorne of Dallas arrived in Memphis Tues-day to vicit with for Several from here have been at-tending the meeting at Lakeview. This community received a good lingsworth county.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Anisman and Give Some Thought went to Borger Sunday and visited To The LAXATIVE with Mr. and Mrs. S. Anisman You Take until Monday morning, going from there to Amarillo to attend Jew-Constipation is not to be sh New Year services at the Jew- trifled with. When you need a ish Temple. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dakil of Quanah, Mr. and Mrs. Mac Saied and Sol Bayouth of Wellington and Jim Barkett of Clarendon method Mr. Mac Saied upset the stomach but acts on were guests here Sunday of Mr. the lower bowel, relieving con-

stipation. When you need a laxative,

DON'T SCRATCH take

To relieve the itching associated with Minor Skin Irritations, Prickly Heat, Ecrema, Ivy Poisoning, and Chiggers, get a bottle of LITTELL'S LIQUID, a sulphurate compound. Used for more than twenty-five years.

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and better business, the

council members declared.

is expected to heed all traffic

rules as a matter of safety, the

Grid Luncheon-

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The bounteous luncheon was

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Tom and Mrs. Wood are domiciled in the Whaley Apartment.

An addition to the Democrat's to be a newspaper man and, know-ing that several now successful derhanded practice," Bill said. newspaper men started their career in The Democrat office, he chose this office as his starting reporters.

Acceding to a request made by the Division Engineer of the State Highway Department, Noel Street of country. being made a two-way street from the railroad west and parallel parking will be done instead angle parking. An ordinance was Tuesday night session of the City Council.

handle Progress Edition," Heretofore Highway 5 has been split entering the square and the formative and entertaining readtraveler going west has had to curve in toward the courthouse ing and plenty of advertising. Congratulations, Albert Cooper to get around the cars parked in the middle of the street. To those good job. good job. unfamiliar with such a layout the arrangement has been confusing. Under the new ordinance both the east and west travel will go between the center parking line and the curb on the south side. Those going west may still make the curve toward the court house football. Harry Daleney led the if they desire. By parking parallel group in songs, and he gave a to the curb or the center parking solo, accompanied by Mrs. Marline, room will be given for the garet Morgan. two-way travel.

Parallel parking will be en- served by women of the First forced from the railroad west on Christian Church in the church Noel Street to Tenth Street, and dining room. north on Tenth to the end of the. A motion made at the luncheon street. Double parking is prohib- to make the banquet an annual ited by a previous ordinance. affair was roundly applauded, and

ordinance is the prohibiting of a luncheon every week or two dur-trucks, trucks and trailers and ing football season. "There will be 13 schools in attrucks, trucks and trailers and ing football season. cars with trailers from parking on the streets anywhere in the city Mr. and Mrs. Bill Whitley, Mrs. limits except parallel to the curb. Considerable congestion has been Chas. Bishop of Wellington were caused by such long vehicles doing guests here Sunday of Mrs. Wyley angle parking and has been a Whitley.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chitwood and menace to public safety. Now, that the busy season is son Joe Jr. left Wednesday for approaching, and it will ilkely be Clovis, N. M., where they will make busier than usual due to good crops their home.

MR. JAMES TANNER

has accepted the position of Body and Paint Man at-

NORMAN'S

-will render prompt and courteous service.

THE MEMPHIS (TEXAS) DEMOCRAT

LAW OBSERVANCE WEEK PROCLAMATION

Sponsored by the Law Observance Division of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, the week of Sep-tember 12 to 18, inclusive, has been set aside as LAW **OBSERVANCE WEEK in our State.**

I, THEREFORE, J. C. Wells, Mayor of the City of Memphis, do proclaim this period of seven days of Law Observance Week in Memphis and respectfully call upon all the people of this community; men, women and children, to give particular thought to the need of proper observance and respect of all of our laws; City, State and Federal.

I urge all of the pastors of every church, creed and denomination in this city to use as the central theme of their sermons on Sunday morning, September 12, that of Law Observance; I urge that every Civic Club and Fraternal Organization in the city have a portion of their programs during this week devoted to Law Observance; I urge all of the Federation of Women's Clubs in the City to devote portions of their programs to Law Observance during this week; I urge the school superintendent, principals and teachers to stress the grave importance of Law Observance in the class rooms of all the schools in the city during this week; and lastly, I urge that all the fathers and mothers of the city discuss Law Observance in their homes and in the presence during this week.

While we are particularly fortunate in this city as compared to many other cities in our state, with reference to Law Observance, and while we have not had for a long time that which is usually termed a crime-wave in this community, yet it is most commendable that an organization such as the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs should promote a Law Observance Week, and with the serious attention of our citizens, including the children of our community, this movement should go far in educating all of us to the end that we may have a better respect for all laws and our law enforcing agencies, which will not only tend to reduce law violations, intentional and unintentional, but will stress the importance of Law Observance to the boys and girls of our community and help them to develop into the type of citizens that they should be to make this community a better place in which to live.

J. C. WELLS, Mayor.

R. C. Parks et al vs. Ada Cavi-50 cents for bonds that brought in, based on 100 per cent collec- ness et al, for correct judgment "The sources of money for ru- tion, \$839,45 to be spent in the and debt; death of Ada Caviness As I told trict has 98 pupils at \$18.55 per make independent administrator

> Mrs. G. W. Helm et al vs R. L. Smith et al, for debt and fore-"The expenditures for teachers' closure; judgment subject to Audre Lofland vs. Billie Mar-

> > City of Estelline vs. G. C. Ewing, for foreclosure for delinquent

City of Estelline vs. W. F. Hart, for foreclosure for delinquent taxes; motion to quash citation sustained.

City of Estelline vs. R. H. Whaely, for foreclosure for delinquent taxes; motion to quash citation

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taxes; motion to quash citation sustained. City of Estelline vs. Mrs. Bertie Jones, for taxes; motion to quash citation sustained.

(Continued Grand jurors empaneled were: E. E. Foster, Oral Orcutt, T. L. Colvin, R. A. Eddleman, J. M. Eudy, J. T. Darby, H. R. Irby, A. Womack, T. J. Cope, M. O. Ev-ans, Joe Barnett, and S. T. Har-trophysic difference for the Newlin Cem King's Mortuan Pallbearers w Seth Pallmeyer, F. V. Clark, J. Zeb A. Moore Grand jurors empaneled were: rison. T. J. Cope was foreman of the jury, and W. C. Anderson Zeb A. Moore. Mr. Kesterse and J. K. Gibson were bailiffs. ington, Missor 1855, and move

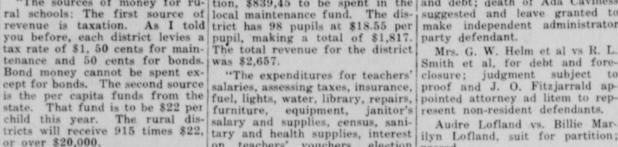
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Powell and Texas, when a son Benny Ted of Dumas visited was married to son Benny Ted of Dunas Powell's was married to here Sunday with Mrs. Powell's in 1874. To the mother, Mrs. T. M. McMurry. They came to bring Janie Sue Mc-they came to bring Janie Sue Mc-

They came to bring Janie Sue Mc-Murry home who had been their guest for several weeks. Mrs. R. L. Johnsey of Dallas spent from Friday until Sunday here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Johnsey and Mr. and Mrs. L. L.

E. Johnsey and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Moses. Mr. and Mrs. Scotty Sigler and children Saundra and Dianne of Archer City visited here from Fri-day until Sunday with Mrs. Sig-ler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy R. Fultz. Mr. and Mrs. Don Atkin of Lib-eral, Kan., visited here Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr.

and Sunday with her parents, Mr. Wyley Stuar and Mrs. I. F. Huckaby, and with Mr. and Mrs. Angus Huckaby. trip to Pampa





"The third source is the equal- supplies, and tests made a total of ization, or rural aid, received from \$3,812. Subtracting the total exthe state. It is figured on need. penses from the revenue gave the taxes; motion to quash citation Take the Pleasant Valley district, district \$1,106 in state aid. So you sustained. for instance. It is common of can see what state aid means to other rural aid districts of the the rural schools.

Labors Begin-

county. Valuation was \$167,895, and tax rate was \$1. Fifty cents



Four Inches— (Continued from Page 1)

Bill Phleuger of West Main Four inches of rain have fallen Street says he knows some guys in the section around Brice in the who have no regard for game past week. A rain of about an laws, and are killing quail out of season. "I am going to report the inch fell in that locality Saturday editorial staff was made this week. first one I catch red-handed, and night, another inch fell Sunday Bill Anthony has decided he wants believe it is the duty of every cit- night, and two inches fell Sunizen to help put a stop to such un- day morning.

As usual, a deluge fell in the Salisbury and Newlin vicinity, with Since Bill has brought up the water running across the highway. subject, it might be well to state Heavy rains were reported south point, and is acting as one of the that a number of citizens feel just of the river in the Estelline, Par-

like he does about breaking the nell, and Hulver sections, and game laws, and are planning to heavy rains fell at Eli. Light at Plaska The rains were lighter around

Lakeview and Lesley, and less than an inch fell in the dry section near One of the best special editions Plaska, although part of the Plas of any newspaper in the Panhandle ka vicinity benefited greatly. One the Shamrock Daily Texan Plaska farmer reported plowing that effect was passed at the which was issued last Tuesday. The up dry dirt while planting wheat esday night session of the City edition was labeled "Eastern Pan- after the rains this week. A part con- of the rich farming land near tained 60 pages, filled with in-Plaska has suffered from lack of moisture this year.

Four inches were received at Antelope Flat Wednesday morn

Most of the farmers have received ample rains to date and are anxious for the weather to clear up in order that they may get some of their cotton harvested. Cotton ginning has been slowed almost to a standstill the past week because of the rains.

Superintendent-

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schools, seventh grade classification; five three-teacher schools seventh grade classification; three three-teacher schools, eighth grade Another provision of the new other motions were made to have classification; one four-teacher tendance with 38 teachers and 915

scholastics for 1937-38.

Sources of Money revenue is taxation. Bond money cannot be spent ex-

or over \$20,000. on teachers' vouchers, election passed.

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MRS. MARY FAULKNER

SFROM ESTELLINE

Two Local Firms Close to Observe Jewish New Year

vest and thanksgiving festival.

of Dallas vis-L. C. Richburg and children. Lonie, Gwendolyn, and Mildred, ber mother, d. a few days Miss DeAlys Eddins of Amarillo er of Childress spent Thursday in the home of her

and son Lonie dins. Memphis Me

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returned last Mabry. where he vis- Herschel Faulkner of Childress was a business visitor in Estelline RETURNS HOME AFTER

McLean, who Friday. The Organization of Federated

tal in Childress, tal in Childress, m to the home telline Tuesday. The Organization of Federated Missionary Society, which includes the societies of the Estelline School District, met at the Estelline Bap-Chicago and Restored Restored To ST-GRADUATE WORK telline Tuesday. The societ, met at the Estelline Bap-ds were enter- District, met at the Estelline Bap-chicago and Rochester where he and can assure you now that the ds were enter-Just Church. The program was on took post graduate work in Chi-in her home in the theme of Missions. Mrs. Earl in her home in the theme of Missions, Mrs. Earl took post graduate work in Chi-took post gradu

er home in the theme of information and the figure of the experiences in the mass of the experiences in the mrs. Goodall and children, Sim where one resides. "Let me live in emonade, and some of the experience of the Belgian Con-served to the go. Officers were elected for the parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Good-and be a friend to man," is a arter, Nell Bal-organization: Mrs. J. T. Duncan, all during his stay. slamber party Estelline, president; Mrs. Dewey

Warner Cope the durches are urged to be pres-ent churches are urged to be pres-ent at the next meeting, to be held at the Hulver Methodist Church. Amarillo have an extended The organization's purpose is to the U. S. A. and is stationed at sic feature in both morning and Calveston, and create good will between the dif- Panama. Exposition in ferent churches.

in Childress **RETURNS FROM WICHITA** and Mrs. Fred Buck Richer-

night from Wichita Falls where he and Mildred Cooley in Memphis. had been ten days on account of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gay and A most con nd Mrs. Bitts the illness of Mrs. Noel. He re-ports Mrs. Noel and Mrs. Eliza-Mildred Cooley and Mrs. Zera Mae riends at her beth Johnston who is also in Wich- McCreary of the Local Perry Bros. line Friday were played, ita Falls for medical treatment, store visited at the Childress store served to the will be necessary for Mrs. Noel to visited with Mr. and Mrs. Alan

yn Richburg, remain in the hospital for another Brown. er, Vera Maye week. son, Ruth

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she will attend turned Saurday from a three-week visit with their son Herschel Melear and family at Okmulgee, Mrs. W. J. Franks, Jim Franks, s winter. returned Sunvisit with her Missouri. Okla.

W. J. Roberts were among those Mrs. Thena Boswell of Fort from Memphis to attend the fun-Worth arrived in Memphis Thurs- eral of Mr. and Mrs. John Roberts day of last week for a visit with in Hollis Tuesday. ruolas her sister, Mrs. Ben Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Fitzgerup up. BROWN'S ald of Fort Worth visited in the THE MEMPHIS (TEXAS) DEMOCRAT

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Miss DeAlys Eddins of Amarillo sparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Ed-dins. Mesdames Perry Hale, Bill Hol-ing Memphis ad children bis visitors Thursday of last week. Ball and Margie Grundy of Jack were Mesdames Hulen Clifton, Wal. Mesdames Hulen Clifton, Wal.

reached on the Day of Atonement, Lord." rection of the Day of Atonement, is few days in is bather wake their is on sake their is on rot bab is their home is the base of the Day of Atonement, is friday were: Mr. and Mrs. John Russel and daughter Nancy, Mrs. Art Latham and daughter Vera Maye, Oscar Tucker, and Floyd ing and evening. On Tuesday af-ternoon at 3:30 the women's Bible class will meet for study. The prayer service of the week will be

POST-GRADUATE WORK Wednesday at 8:15 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

evening service. Mrs. E. W. Godfrey Jr. of The "Guild Meeting" Monday

Brownfield spent from Friday un-til Monday visiting with her par-good, and the devotional period ents Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ranson | led by Mrs. Periman, was excell-T. E. Noel returned Tuesday at Giles and with Lucille Crump ent and so timely for our day

E. C. Cargill, Pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday morning the pastor will bring the message on "Throng-Mr. and Mrs. Lester C. Linn and ing or Touching," the subject will children returned from Lubbock be taken from Mark 5:24-27. Miss Jewel Gilreath has return- Thursday of last week where Mr. Which are you doing? The mes-Linn attended the summer session sage Sunday evening will be on at Texas Tech, working on his "A Morning Call," taken from Ephesians 5:14. We would like

Mrs. J. W. Stokes, Mrs. Clyde for you to read this verse and Milam and daughters, Katherine find out if the message is for you. Mrs. Marion Heald of Lubbock Frances and Betty Gene, have re- With school under way now and is spending this week in Memphis turned from a visit with relatives everything coming back to nor-B. Sams, at 615 South Eighteenth in Dallas, Corsicana, Blooming malcy, we want the Sunday Grove, Port Neches and Galves- School, B. T. U. and prayer meet-Mr. and Mrs. George Melear re-they attended the Pan-American age attendance. We need you.

Come help us out.

CHURCH OF CHRIST Lakeview, Texas

C. L. Taylor, Minister. Preaching the first and third Sundays in each month. Bible study each Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock

Allred Calls Special Legislature Session to Raise More Taxes

Bill and Margie Grundy of back to Creation. and Jack were made days in in Childress. Bell and Margie Grundy of back to Creation. Ball and Margie Grundy of back to Creation. Rosh Hashana, or New Year's Day, which is the first 10 days of pentitence, is the most important season in the Jewish calendar. The pentitence season's climax will be reached on the Day of Atonement, for the content of the lord. Hall age pension program, state funds for teachers' pensions, aid to the adult needy blind and dependent children, and to pay the much be the pentitence season's climax will be reached on the Day of Atonement, the days in in Childress.

recommendations to the state leg-islators but did not say what they were. In the past he has urged higher levies on oil, gas, sulphur, and other natural resources. Revenue raising is expected to be the only subject submitted at the spe-cial session of the legislature.

Arthur Eddleman and J. L. Darby of Estelline were among those here Monday for the opening of the fall term of district court. James E. King was a week-end visitor in Amarillo

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of lovely desire and may find its expressing our deep appreciation Britt, Hulver, vice-president; Mrs. Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Odom went and in many experiences along the came to our assistance with words Britt, Hulver, Rewlin, secretary-Britt, Hulver, Rewlin, secretary-Britt, Hulver, Rewlin, secretary-to Rogers Saturday and visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. lighted to see you face to face br. and Mrs. J. A. Odom went and in many experiences along the came to our assistance with words way of life. We were much de-ness in the tragic death of our br. and Mrs. J. A. Odom went to Rogers Saturday and visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. lighted to see you face to face here and mother. We are also reversifield last service committees were also ap-w. Odom until Tuesday and to last Sunday and to welcome into father and mother. We are also pointed. All women of the differ- be with his brother, C. C. Odom, our Church Mr. and Mrs. Wilson. grateful for the beautiful floral

> W. J. Roberts, Olen Montgomery, Nolen Montgomery.

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G. M. DUREN

Ermine McVicker and family of Miss Inez Crow, formerly of Clebourne visited here with their Memphis but now of Lubbock, has cousin Mrs. E. C. Yeary the past accepted the position as manager Miss Lillian Huckaby left Fri- and hostess of the Hilton Hotel

day of last week for Amarillo where she will attend the Amarillo with the Hilton Hotel for the past

CELERY, nice stalk, each	12c
LETTUCE, per head	5c
FRESH TOMATOES, per pound	6c
ORANGES, nice size	20c
SPUDS, No. 1, peck, 15 pounds	25c
SUGAR, 10-pound bag	55c
SALAD DRESSING, White Swan, quart	35c
PICKLES, sour or dill, quart	
SOAP, "OK" laundry, 7 bars	
APPLES, delicious, per dozen	25c
CHERRIES, red pitted, 2 for	29c
TOMATO SOUP, Van Camps, 1-lb. 6-oz. can	
FLOUR, Guaranteed, 48 pounds	\$1.65
BUTTER, home made, per pound	35c
EGGS, fresh, per dozen	18c
DREFT, small size	10c
PEANUT BUTTER, per quart	29 c
CABBAGE, solid, green heads, per pound	2c
VINEGAR, bulk, per gallon	25c
COCOANUT, bulk, per pound	25c
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SOCIETY PAGE

Local Legion Auxiliary Wins In State Contest

Social Happenings

Wedding News

Study Clubs

The local unit of the American Legion Auxiliary scored another triumph recently, when their scrap book won second place in the annual state scrap book con-test held during the American Year's Work For the annual state scrap book con-Legion Auxiliary convention

San Angelo, August 21-24. The Charles R. Simmons unit has just been notified by the State Publicity Chairman, Mrs. E. A. Powers, that it had won sec-tended to the contest this year. E. A. Powers, that it had won sec-tended to the contest this year. Barbinders Council opened 1937-38 year's work Tuesday Sep-tember 7, 1937 with a breakfast at the breakfast at the contest this year. ond place in the contest this year, and received in return a beautiful silver vanity, which was the per-sonal trophy awarded by Mrs. Newman, Mrs. W. C. Milam, Mrs.

competition is keen, since there; are hundreds of beautiful scrap ion of yellow flowers and the books entered in these contests breakfast was served at foursome each year.

The scrap book was unique in bouquets. Yellow and pink was that the cover was made of wood the color scheme carried out in the with the American Legion Auxil- appointments. iary emblem painted in blue and gold. It was a gift from Dr. Win-fred Wilson, having been made by President's address, Mrs. Lloyd himself, and presented to the lo- Phillips. In her address she dis Wilson

State Publicity contest last year nice Webster, who pointed out at Beaumont and made the head- what the club might do for publines by winning not only first place in the class of weekly papers but by winning the State's Pub-licity Grand Prize. The book may be seen on display

during this week-end in the Demo- H. H. Newman, Mrs. W. C. Milam,

crat window. To be a winner; first you must be good enough to win, and sec-ond you must have the cooperation of the local newspaper; stated the unit president. The Charles R. Simmons unit

has been a winner for the second consecutive year, because of the fine cooperation of its individual members and the publicity given left Tuesday for Idaho Springs, on outstanding projects through Colo., where they will spend ten Lewis to Orville H. Utley on Augthe local newspaper. Thanks to days visiting with their daughter, ust 7, in Hillsboro was announced you, Mr. Editor, and your staff of Mrs. Clarence Stroehle and husfine co-workers.

AUXILIARY MEETING TO BE HELD TODAY

The regular monthly meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will be held this afternoon (Fri-day) September 10, at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. S. Gooch at the American Legion Auxiliary will be held this afternoon (Fri-day) September 10, at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. S. Gooch at the home of Mrs. W. S. Gooch

Breakfast Opens

the home of Mrs. J. M. Ferrel at

Powers for outstanding publicity. This is a coveted honor and sisted by Mrs. Lloyd Phillips. The home was decorated with a profustables centered with golden glow

After the business session the

cal unit at their annual Yuletide Banquet last January 1. The scrap book arrangement was by Mrs. L. L. Doss and Mrs. Hulda "Public Welfare Prob-Home."

The local unit first entered the lems" was discussed by Miss Ber-

ON VISIT TO COLORADO

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Fitzjarrald last week-end. band

They were accompanied by Mrs. Roy Fultz, who will go on to Den- daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. opened its year of study with an ver to make arrangements to en- Wicker of the Eli community and American breakfast Friday norn

Leaves For School

Miss Dorothy Sue Fultz, above, left Thursday for Denver where she will attend Colorado Women's College the coming year. She was one of the honor graduates of the Memphis High School last spring. She was popular in all high school activities and was crowned Football Queen of the 1937 Cyclone team. She is the talented daughter of Mr. and M rs. Roy R. Fultz.

Round Up Dinner Acquaintance N Features Mizpah **Guild Meeting**

The Mizpah Guild of the First

After the devotional a business of the school for this year. His Friends.'

After the devotional a business session was held and the following members answered to roll call: Mrs. E. C. Cargill, Mrs. John Dea-ver, Mrs. Courtney Denny, Mrs. Ira Foster, Mrs. H. J. Gore, Mrs. Allen Grunde Mrs. Denny Mrs. Beckett.

James E. Bass of Springfield, Mo.

Silas Wood here Sunday.

Every parent and all others who Presbyterian Church met in the are interested in the schools are not want to church parlor Monday evening. September 6, with the Guild members as hostess for a "Round" are interested in the scroots are invited and urged to attend the open house Friday evening, Sep-tember 10, at 7:30 o'clock at the Rememb

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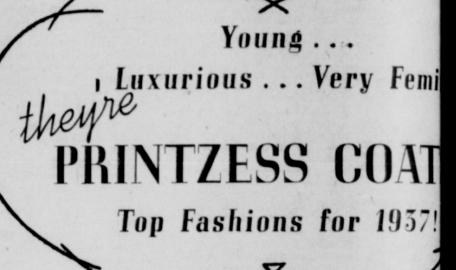
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Society Edit

Up Dinner." Dinner was served buffet style after which Mrs. Carl Periman reve a very inspirational devotion. High School Auditorium. The purpose of this meeting is for the parents and teachers to be-o'clock, gave a very inspirational devotion, using for her subject, "How did come acquainted, to have an ev- ditorium. using for her subject, "How did Jesus meet People and Who Were thing of fun, and to learn some-thing of the plans and program of coopera

Allen Grundy, Mrs. Durwood Mc-Cool, Mrs. Carl Periman, Mrs. Conly Ward, Mrs. Forrest Power, Miss Mary Noel and Miss Irene Beckett eckett. Guests were Rev. E. C. Cargill, to the Religious Life of Our Com-Guests were Rev. E. C. Cargin, Mrs. Gerald Sensabaugh and Mrs. James E. Bass of Springfield, Mo. "Public Schools from the Instructor's Point of View."

Mr. and Mrs. Si Wood of Amar-illo visited with his mother, Mrs. Silas Wood here Sunday. Following this program there she attend will be a "Get Acquainted" hour and a program of fun. If you do college as





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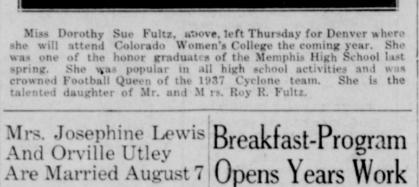
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ast week-end. Mrs. Utley is the youngest Tomorrow," the Delphian Club ing, September 3, with Mrs. Jack

will be held this afternoon (Fri-day) September 10, at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. S. Gooch at 921 West Harrison Street, with Mrs. C. C. Dodson and Mrs. Joe Reheis co-hostesses. A request is made that all mem-berr he present. See will fetter to the present of the prese place After the delightful meal, Mrs. Z. A. Moore introduced the club's new president, Mrs. Hal Goodnight, whose message, "Tomor-row's Opportunity," was very inspiring to the club as a whole Following this, a panel discussion on "Club Ethics" was led by Mrs. Moore, with Mrs. H. B. Sams, Mrs. Jack Boone, and Miss Maud Milam taking part. Members attending the break-fast were: Mrs. A. Anisman, Miss Frankie Barnes, Mrs. J. L. Barnes. Mrs. Jack Boone, Mrs. Alfred Burks, Mrs. R. A. Cole, Mrs. W. C. Davis, Mrs. W. C. Dickey, Mrs. Otho Fitzjarrald, Mrs. Hal Good-night, Mrs. F. C. Goyne, Mrs. R. C. Honseholder. taking part. night, Mrs. F. C. Goyne, Mrs. R. C. Housebolder. Mrs. G. W. Kesterson, Mrs. L. C. Linn, Mrs. J. S. McMurry, Mrs. Cleron McMurry, Miss Maud Mi-lam, Mrs. Z. A. Moore, Mrs. C. Partain, Mrs. Herbert Sams, Mrs. Henderson Smith, Mrs. J. W. Stokes, Mrs. R. H. Wherry and Mrs. Harry Womack Mrs. Harry Womack.



Tommie Ruth Potts Is Given Going Away Party

Honoring her daughter Tommie Ruth before leaving for Denver to enter C. W. C., Mrs. T. M. Potts entertained with a lawn party and watermelon feast on Wednesday evening at the Potts home, 317 North Thirteenth.

The guest list included: Mar-tha Thompson, Zob Moore Jr., June Power, Tom Bob Harrison, June Fower, fom hob Harrison, Jeanette Watson, Harold Foxhall, Jackie Boren, Claude Ferrel, Ger-aldine Kinard, C. A. Powell, Bob-by Clark, J. C. Webster, Dorothy Sue Fulz, Pat Noel, Ann Pall-meyer, Jesse Mont Read, Jean Draper, Bill Joe Boren, Tommye Nucl. Lack Baldwin, Harold High Noel, Jack Baldwin, Harold Hightower and the honoree, Tommie Ruth Potts.

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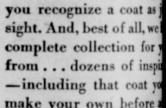
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Acts and Mr. and Mrs. George Broome in embroidering and sewing. prayer, and daughter Sandra Sue returned Mrs. Smith gave the devotion m is to their home in Anton Sunday al, reading the 56th Psalm for W. L. after a visit of two weeks here the scripture lesson, which was rese; Ra-given by W. Broome, Mr. and Mrs. C. followed by singing, "What A Friend We Have In Jesus." Mrs. s given by W. Broome.

M. O. Goodpasture, Mrs. T. S. Strickland and Mrs. Alfred Hut-

M. O. Goodpasture led in prayer. Members present were: Mrs. L. O. Dennis, Mrs. Lucy Pullen, Mrs. W. E. Jonnsey, Mrs. Sam Brown, Mrs. Gene Corley, Mrs.

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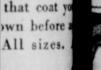


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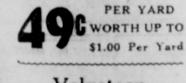
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Daughters of Wesley Have Meeting At Coursey Home

Daughters of Wesley Sunday School Class of the Methodist Church met in the home of Mrs. W. V. Coursey Thursday after-noon, September 2, with Mrs. Albert Gerlach and Mrs. John Lofland assisting.

The program was opened by Mrs. John Lofland discussing, 'The Negro in American Life, followed with a poem, "Self Determination" by Mrs. S. L. Seago. During the business session the election of officers were as follows: Mrs. J. L. Barnes, teacher; Mrs. W. V. Coursey, assistant teacher; Mrs. A. S. Moss, presi-dent; Mrs. J. W. Slover, vice presi-dent; Mrs. H. H. Newman, secre-tary; Mrs. Tomie M. Potts, treasurer; Mrs. B. Wattenbarger, press reporter. A lovely salad course was served

by the hostesses to the following: Mrs. J. L. Barnes, Mrs. F. C. Goyne, Mrs. R. A. Cole, Mrs. S. L. Seago, Mrs. W. C. Dickey, Mrs. B. Wattenbarger, and Mrs. J. B. Wrenn. . . .

Pleasant Valley Homemakers Have Meeting Sept. 1

Miss Oleta Faye Crawford was nostess for the Pleasant Valley Homemakers Club on Wednesday afternoon, September 1, at the home of Mrs. H. C. Crawford. Quilting and pleasant conversation occupied the afternoon hours. Visitors and members present

included Mrs. M. M. Shirley, Miss Delora Shirley, Mrs. H. Rea, Miss Myrtle Rea, Mrs L. H. Weaver, Mrs. E. H. Watson, Mrs. Clyde Crawford, Mrs. A. O. Wines, Mrs. J. R. Sullivan, Mrs. A. Dutton, Mrs. C. A. Reagan, Mrs. E. W. Pate, Mrs. Ruby Howard, Mrs. A. W. Francis Jr., Mrs. H. C. Cont. Mrs. H. C. Cont. Mrs. H. C. Grant, Mrs. H. C. Crawford, Mrs. J. W. Molloy, Mra. C. Vandeventer, Mrs. H. H. Wines and Miss Laura Crawford.

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Hall County Delegation In Water Conservation

100 PONDS TO BE BUILT IN HALL COUNTY 'Additional Funds Are Asked Of Congress To Further Work

mass meeting in Amarillo Wednesday and joined in lauding Marvin Jones, chairman of the House Agriculture Committee, and other congressmen from the dust bowl region for their work in securing a federal appropriation of \$50, a federal appropriation of \$50, 000,000 for water conservation use in the 10-state dust bowl area.

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Reheis, Conley Ward, A. . Mc-Master, C. L. Caviness, T. J. Thompson; and a Turkey delega-**Memphis Theatre** tion was headed by Mayor Earl **Dedicates** Sound Lyles and Roy Russell. The five-state delegates asked System Thursday the federal government to appro-priate another \$60,000,000 for

and soil conservation program about to be launched. The re-"Magic Voice of Screen" Will **Give Ritz Radical Advance** quest was made in behalf of the In "Talkie" Equipment

A WPA appropriation for \$40,-With the showing of "Fly Away 000,000 already has been made in the five-state water conservation and \$10,000,000 has been set aside Theatre, announces the public inresult of a program launched by reproducing system, the Magic the Panhandle Water Conservation Voice of the Screen which has been

hemselves with the organization. the morning so as not to interfere County Judge M. O. Goodpas- with the regular showings, RCA Attending from Memphis were ture stated Thursday morning af- Victor sound engineers have in-County Judge M. O. Goodpasture, ter returning from the meeting stalled and tested the elaborate a number of guests honoring Mr. County Chairman James E. King, of the association, of which he is a new sound system and reported it and Mrs. Poole,

director, that small lakes are to ready. A new loud-speaker system be constructed all over the Pan- which insures uniform distribution handle, and that approximately of all sound frequencies to every Poole and Mrs. J. Ray Snyder of Margaret Morgan. 100 of the ponds will be con- part of the theatre, has been put Wichita Falls. They were then lake will be constructed for every sound waves penetrate tiny perour counties, he said. forations in the screen, which are He suggested that Hall Count- invisible from the auditorium and

ians interested in having ponds flow out from around the top and built on their land should let their sides of the screen. In the prowishes be known as soon as posjection booth a "High Fidelity sible. Judge Goodpasture stated soundhead has been incorporated that actual work on the small lakes into the picture projection system is not expected to get started until and powerful amplifier racks in after the first of the year, but that stalled. A cable connects the

arveys will be started soon. sound projection apparatus with Hall County officials have ta- the loudspeaker system and the ken part in the Panhandle Water Conservation Authority from the of the new "Magic Voice of the outset, and the county recently Screen." agreed to transfer all WPA work-

Technical progress in the sound motion picture art has been so rapid since the time, when speech and music were added to the image

on the screen, that sound repro-Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cummings are now hopelessly inadequate for went to Amarillo Tuesday and Mr. recreating the finely recorded with a watermelon feast at Road-Cummings underwent an operation pictures of the present day, said side Park. Wednesday on his eyes between 12 Mr. Boren. Whereas previous sysand 1 o'clock at the St. Anthony tems have been able to reproduce Hospital. The attending physi- tones as low as 100 cycles and as. cian reported that as far as the high as 6,000 cycles at the very operation was concerned it was a best, the new RCA equipment can success though it would be several faithfully reproduce tones as low

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The development of the new Magic Voice of the Screen sound system comes as the culmination independent schools started on the



and friends with a three course 12 o'clock luncheon Sunday hon-oring Mr. and Mrs. M. Poole of Delber with a three course A business session was followed Miss Bernie Lee Collins of Fort May by sections of Kansas, Colo-rado, and Oklahoma. Three New Mexico counties have affiliated themselves with the organization. County Judge M. O. Conductor County Judge M. O. Conductor County Judge M. O. Conductor County Judge M. Conductor County Jud

The guests were greeted by Mr. and Mrs. Hightower, Mr. and Mrs. Punch was served and a large rald, Mrs. R. S. Greene, Miss Mary Sixth street. white clematis and tube roses. three-tier wedding cake was cut and served by the bride.

Mrs. J. Emory Barton of Denton played- several- appropriate piano numbers for the occasion.

Watermelon Feast Enjoyed By S. S. **Class and Guests**

Mrs. Orion W. Carter and Mrs.) ducing systems of the earlier days Hicks' Sunday School class of the came Sunday to attend the funeral

group attended.

The group met at the Carter upon receipt of the message to be L. Johnsey. nome and proceded to the park at his bedside. where iced watermelon was served and outdoor games furnished en-



Three rural schools and three of years of persistent research. 1937-38 term last Monday morn- parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Funk. Mrs. S. L. Seago. This same group of engineers was ing, and all of the schools of the

Locals and Personals Abilene

George R. Dickson of Brice was ents, Mr. brought to a Memphis hospital Mr. and Mrs Monday afternoon, having suf-fered a relapse of the illness which had him confined to the hospital daughter Mr. and here recently. His condition at daughter an Pittman and this time is improved, and he was from Frid taken to his home at Brice Wednes-

G. C. Conley, with the Pounds day Cafe, visited in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mabe Pool of Dallas and Mrs. J. R. Snyder and son Vernon of Wichita Falls came Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Hightower The Harmony Club began the Saturday and spent until Monlands in the five-state area as lutionary new RCA Victor sound entertained a number of relatives year's work with a delightful din-T. Hightower and Mr. and

From 5 to 6 o'clock in the af-ternoon they held open house for a number of guests honoring Mr. "Lungi Dal Caro Bene" by Secchi, Candler Hawkins. MR. AND M

Margaret Milam, accompanied by Mrs. Marion McNeely. Piano solo, "Nocturne" by Greig, Mrs. Jr. were visitors in Amarillo last Friday.

W. P. Allen and Ben S. McGill The following members and structed in Hall County. One large in place behind the screen. The ushered into the dining room guests were present: Miss Lowena of Terrell spent Sunday and Monwhich was beautifully decorated in Moore, Mrs. L. B. Madden, Mrs. dayhere visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Joe DeBerry, Mrs. Otho Fitzjar- Matthew C. Allen at 523 South Tues Mrs. Marietta Allen and son

Foreman, Miss Jewel Keenan, Mr.s. Mrs. Marietta Allen and son C. D. Denny, Mrs. Marion Mc- Gary Keith arrived Sunday from TWINS BO Neely, Mrs. Clyde Milam, Mrs. T. Shamrock and are her for a visit M. Harrison, Mrs. Ralph Bennett, with their parents and grandpar-Miss Mildred Phelan, Mrs. Mar- ents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Gibson. nd 11 ou garet Morgan, and Miss Margaret Mrs. Allen has been making her Milam, members and Mrs. G. R. home in Colorado Springs and visto Mr. and Sensabaugh, Mrs. James E. Bass ited two weeks in Shamrock enof Weather route to Memphis. and Miss Mary Noel, guests. nital Wedr

Mrs. Perry Hall and Mrs. Ruth ber 8. Jess and Marcus Rosenwasser Richerson were visitors in Mem-

spent Sunday and Monday in Lock- phis Saturday from Estelline. ATTEND Russell E. Baldwin, student at Rev. Rosenwasser and attended Jewish the Baylor Medical College in Mrs. Lloyd Dallas, arrived in Memphis to New Year services. W. J. Roberts will return to spend antil the beginning of the G. H. Hatter David Hudgins were co-hostesses Lubbock today where he will be fall term, October 1, with his mo Wednesday evening to Mrs. Lloyd a student at Texas Tech. He parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Baldwin. L. more, Mrs. G G. Rased Mrs. C. M. Ware of Dallas spent Mrs. H. C.

from Friday until Sunday in Mem- Smith, Mrs. Methodist Church, entertaining of his father, John Roberts. with a watermelon feast at Road-Dr. E. H. Boaz received a mes-phis. She came to bring her daugh-F. Forkner sage Thursday morning that his ter, Mary Blanche Ware, who Association The husbands and children were guests of the affair and a large and Mrs. Boaz left immediately companied to Memphis by Mrs. R. Association Wednesday, there Tuesd

Claude Montgomery of Sham-Frank Bayouth returned Wed. rock visited here Monday with his nesday from an extended buying brother Herschel Montgomery trip of fall and winter merchan- who was very ill Sunday and Monday. He was accompanied to A. R. Evans Jr. who has been Memphis by his sister, Mrs. Baremployed on the Conchas Dam in ney Pool, who spent until Tuesday New Mexico visited with friends and was accompanied home by in Memphis Sunday en route to Herschel Montgomery who will Austin where he will enroll at the spend this week in Shamrock with

State University for the coming home folks. Norman Seago of Hamlin spent Mrs. Ruthie B. Brown of Alvord from Friday night until Monday visited here last week with her here with his parents, Mr. and

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Duncan of Clarendon and Mr. and Mrs. J. B.

hart with their mother, Mrs. M.

DINCE

work, if they are needed.

Belle Perkins to Memphis last Fri-day and was guest in the home of accompanied her daughter Anna the grass, the thundering roar of day and was guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy R. Fultz Friday

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Local News Service

MEMPHIS, HALL COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1937 ***

COTTON The Life's-Bread of Hall County Trade!

Another Money-Crop Moves to Market

"Lift up your eyes, and look on the fields; for they are white already to harvest."

The big parade is starting, the band of "first bales" has already passed; but the elephant section, composed of a constant stream of trucks, wagons and trailers with their loads of seed cotton, will soon pass in review ... on their way to the gins. It is going to be a big parade in Hall County this year, in fact predictions are that it will be the biggest of any in recent years ... and with favorable weather conFortunes have been made and lost for many individuals engaged in cotton producing or marketing in Hall County. Cotton has been the medium of exchange on many occasions. It has bought food, clothing and placed shelter over many families. It has built churches, schools, hospitals and homes. It has built cities and communities in the county it organized.

The welfare of individual business establishments in Hall depend primarily on the outcome of each

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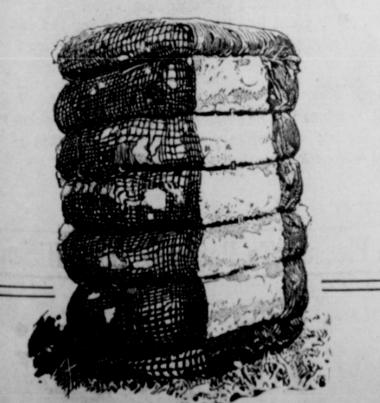
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ditions it will last many weeks.

The Rain Gods were kind to this section during the major part of the summer and the cotton fields have benefited by the moisture. Thus bringing King Cotton back to his throne in Hall County; where he presides, directly or indirectly, over the livelihood of every individual.

Cotton has been the life's-bread of Hall County trade since this once vast ranching sector was turned under by the plows of the pioneers many years ago. An average crop yield is 45,000 bales. In 1928, the county produced more than 82,000 bales to become the sixth greatest cotton producing county in the State of Texas.



year's cotton crop. Since King Cotton has ruled in this area, these business firms have seen good, extra good and bad years according to cotton productions and prices. All is in the hands of this King of crops when he reigns well, all is well.

Today the fields are again white with cotton. In them one sees a symbol of back-breaking labor and heart-breaking insecurity, or a promise of sudden riches for a season. Perhaps, in a romantic mood, one might look at vast stretches of cotton fields and think, "This is what gave my father his living, and my grandfather. This is what made this country and the South. The very clothes on my back, and sometimes the food on my table, come directly from it. Maybe sometimes I get back my own cotton in the things I buy."

Hall County loves its rolling fields of green and white cotton . . . loves it for what it is and what it can do to make a citizenship happy and comfortable. The pious hope is expressed that the "white harvest" will be big and profitable for a territory that depends so much upon it.

Interesting Facts!

GIN OPENINGS

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Regarding Hall County Cotton production and industry

No. of Gins in County2	6	
Cotton Oil Mills	1	
Cotton Compresses	2	
Av. Bales per year44,27	5	

BALE PRODUCTION BY YEARS

58,518 .60,331 _69.738 _50.009 1927 _82,515 1928 (6th County in State) 52,249 1929 22,848 1930 48,784 193 41,541 38,292 193 7,934 24,366 18,453 1936 55553 193

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Plant Is Newest In County,

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The Hulver Gin located six miles

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Friday, Septen

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Government Cotton Loans Expected HULVER GIN ON To Be Ready Here By September 15

GOVERNMENT TO OFFER SUBSIDY TO PEG PRICES

County Would Be Eligible To Receive \$445,000 Subsidies **Under National Program**

Complete details of the government loans on this year's cotton year will qualify for the loans, crop have not been announced, but it is stated that the government will be ready to accept applications for the cotton loans by September 15.

cotton crop in an effort to stabilize the price at 12 cents a pound control program.

pegged at 10 cents a pound.

Three-Cents Subsidy

Wallace said cotton producers 000. who co-operate in the crop pro- Cotton grown in Hall County kets of the day the cotton is sold and 12-cents cotton. The maxi- The Texas Bureau of Agriculmum subsidy, he said, will be tural Economics has released the three cents.

No loans will be made on seven- eighths inch in staple. eighths inch cotton or better in staple which is of a grade not deder middling grade.

Mature In July, 1938 The loans will bear interest at states.

the rate of four per cent and mature on July 31, 1938. The first payments will be made on a basis of 65 per cent of the grower's base production.

The effect of the program is to assure the farmer nine-cent cotton, regardless of market price and regardless of whether he co-

operates with the government in a crop control program. If he co-operates, he enjoys the benefits of 12-cent cotton-both the loan and subsidies.

It has been estimated that 90 per cent of the nation's crop this \$455,000 for County

Under the present base acreage, Hall County cotton producers can draw subsidies on 29,680 bales.

At \$15 a bale, Hall County cot-President Roosevelt authorized ton farmers will be able to bene the Commodity Credit Corpora- fit by some \$455,000 from the tion to make loans of nine cents a subsidies, if all producers co-op pound and additional subsidies erate. The base acreage is 153, to producers of the 1937 bumper 000, and 65 per cent of that is some 97,000 acres.

Last year cotton men of this and safeguard the proposed cotton county received \$343,000 in rental payments from the government in In fixing the loan at nine cents, the cotton crop control program, the chief executive ignored de- and it is thought that they will mands of Southern Congressmen receive about the same amount and Senators that the loan be this year. This brings the total that Hall County producers may re

ceive from the government on the Secretary of Agriculture Henry cotton program to almost \$800,-

duction program next year will is high enough in grade and staple be paid a subsidity comprising the diffrence between the average price of seven-eighths inch mid-dling cotton on the ten spot mar-tio command the top to an provide by the government, generally speaking, County Farm Agent R. E. L. Pattillo stated. paid a subsidity comprising to command the top loan provided

present status. W. L. Crabtree is manager of

first weekly Texas cotton grade Following is the lending plan: and staple report of the current the cotton plant. He has been as-Nine cents a pound on cotton season. Of cotton classed to classing seven-eighths inch mid-date, 17 per cent was white strict sociated with cotton gins in Hall dlin or better. Eight cents a pound middling and better in grade, on cotton classing thirteen-six- nearly one-half was reported as teenths inch in staple and mid-imiddling, and about one-third as dling or better grade. Seven and below middling. Only three per three-fourths cents a pound on cent was spotted grades. Less cotton classing seven-eighths inch than two per cent of all cotton as to staple but under middling. classed was shorter than sevenal number this season.

has been remodeled and recondi-Even though the invention of liverable on contract under the the cotton gin has meant billions tioned each season since; and this regulations of the New York and to the South, Eli Whitney, its in. year it has been tuned and conand no loans will be made on the manufacture and sale of it. crops in some parts of the Newlin thirteen-sixteenths inch cotton un- The money he finally received sector are said to be the best of was from gifts voted him by the legislatures of three southern a full share of the rains visiting this area this year.

Less Cotton 1938! Grain Acreage Increase Is **Expected** Next

Season

Wheat and grain turnouts in this county this year were so good, even on small acreage, that many land owners are already planning to devote much more land to the crops next year, has been the indication by many.

Average land devoted to wheat this year produced approximately 15 bushels, and good prices were realized.

This, along with the government's proposed program, is expected to result in less cotton acreage another year in Hall County.

The plant, constructed in 1926,

NEWLIN GIN IS SET FOR HEAVY COTTON SEASON

the county south of Red River. The plant was built in the early days, but burned in October, 1935; and the present gin was conpany. structed in 1936. The moving of the firm's head-D. C. Denson, manager; has been (associated with the gin since 1932, quarters to Memphis was in order to locate the center of the gin-

MOVES TO CITY

To Serve Gins Of

Wide Territory

family from Clarendon to

J. H. Morris and Company will

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Estelline Farmers

The cotton company ships

and has been manager since the ning, compress, and cotton proseason of 1935. duction area for this section, Mr. The present Hulver Gin claims Morris stated. the newest plant in the county and has the most modern of ma

chinery. It is a four-stand gin and this year saw the installation of new Huller-feedercleaners.

The Hulver Gin is located in the cotton firm is not entirely new to heart of the most promising cot-ton area in the east-central part from area in the east-central part of the county, and one of the past. It was operated here last heaviest ginning seasons in many year by Gene Chamberlain, who years is forecast for this fall. The has also moved from Clarendon first bale of cotton was turned to Memphis to be with the comout by the gin this year on Aupany. Thomas Clayton has moved gust 26, two days earlier than last vear.



By Gasoline Engine: Gidden Manager

County and around Newlin for the The Lodge Gin Company at past 27 years, and has been man-Plaska has been ginning cotton ager of gins at Newlin since 1924. for Hall County producers for al-The Newlin Gin turned out ap-

ESTELLINE .- Members of the most 30 years. The first plant proximately 700 bales of cotton of the Lodge Gin Company was Estelline Arricultural Association from last year's short crop, and Mr. built in 1908, powered then by a have already begun their new farm Crabtree is expecting an addition- four-cylinder gas engine. This program for this year.

engine brought both danger and At a recent meeting the comhumor on many occasions with mittee read for the approval of its spells of "blowing-up." the members the following pro-The plant burned in 1920; it gram for the year: A study of was re-built and it burned again the improvement of plants, of live-New Orleans Cotton Exchanges ventor, derived little profit from ditioned for a big season. The structure was built at the improvement of plants, of livestructure was built at that time. detailed study of better soil con-It is a five-stand, 70-saw plant. servation. At the meeting the A. Gidden, manager of the cot- members discussed "Would Farm-

ton ginning company, has been ers Profit by Growing Better manager since 1921, and has been Staple?" Each farmer agreed to associated with the ginning in- keep a record on his farm to de-

dustry in Plaska and area since termine what variety would bring 1918 more money if bought on staple The Lodge Gin was completely length. The association also sent reconditioned this year. Mr. Gidden stated that the first vin Jones endorsing a farm conbale of this year's cotton was trolled program.

ginned on August 26. Last year's Last week members and their first bale was ginned on Septemwives met at the ber 1

COTTON AGENCY COTTON CLASSING ACT WIL FARMERS OF TEXAS DU

COLLEGE STATION .- The at gins and othe J. H. Morris Company drive for improvement in the cotton growing of Texas cotton will be When the other will be when the cotton growing of the cotton will be when the cotton growing of the cotton will be when the cotton growing of the cotton will be when the cotton growing of the cotton will be when the cotton growing of the cotton will be when the cotton growing of the cotton will be when the cotton growing of the When the ser aided in 1938 by the terms of the the new act are added in 1950 act, E. A. Miller the new act are agronomist of the Texas Extension will be sent to e Service, beileves. The act was classing, and Mi J. H. Morris and Company, passed by Congress and signed by growers should cotton merchants and exporters, the President on April 13 of this ing turnout wi er ginning.

moved the firm's headquarters year. of the first gin sites laid out in from Clarendon to Memphis last Designed to correct the "hog There are now week, operations beginning here on round" system of cotton buying, variety comm the first of this month. Office the act requires that the Depart- proximately 3.00 quarters are on Noel Street next ment of Agriculture, upon request state, according

ment of cotton, determine and groups for the make promptly available to the ity cotton. On producers the classification of any interpretation farmers and ch cotton they produce. The act, as explained by Miller, a position to t

also provides that the Department the services of of Agriculture shall collect and ton classing act.

Malone Hagan of Memphis, a publish timely information on the veteran cotton man and who has market prices of the various Cotton cla been associated here until recently with the A. W. Howard cotton company, is now associated with the J. H. Morris company. The market prices of the various classes of cotton. Information on the current prices for grades and staple lengths will be posted usually face the

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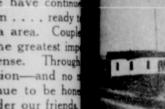
Founded upon the need of service to formers of this section, we have contin tain a complete, modern gin ready ton producers of the Plaska area. Cour vice we consider honesty the greatest imp modity of which we dispense. Through years, through the depression-and no may come-we will continue to be he customers, whom we consider our friends.

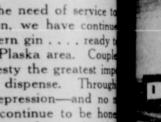
Service is also an important common each year we spend hundreds of dollars our gin and replacing worn parts in order give our customers the best possible t staple.

Honesty, Service and a Modern C ready to serve YOU at Plaska, the Lod solicit your ginning business.

A. GIDDEN, Manager







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GIN WITH YOUR HOME GIN ... SELL AT YOUR HOME MARKET

Hulver Gin

D. C. DENSON, Manager

6 Miles W. Esteline at Hulver, Tex.

Government Cotton Moved

W. Crosslin, At this meeting C. superintendent of Childress Coun-More than 4,800 bales of govty schools, spoke to the group on ernment cotton, which had been Cooperation in the Community.

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stored here, has been shipped to One hundred and fifty people atport at Galveston. It was con- tended the meeting. signed to the Cotton Concentra-Thirty members made tion Co. Movement of the nearly trip to Chillicothe recently and five thousand bales was neces. on August 26 another group of sary to make room for the new farmers made a second field trip crop. to Spur to the experiment statio



It's "white harvest" time, in the Newlin territory. If the crop is to be gathe thoroughly, picking must continue without interruption and ginning ser must be fast and efficient. Our plant has been conditioned for the demands of season, and we stand ready to give prompt and proper ginning service when the son hits its full stride.

When cotton is properly ginned it has much to do with the market value. aim is to always produce the best and when you entrust your cotton ginning to be assured it will receive our best attention . . . as quickly as our modern facility afford.



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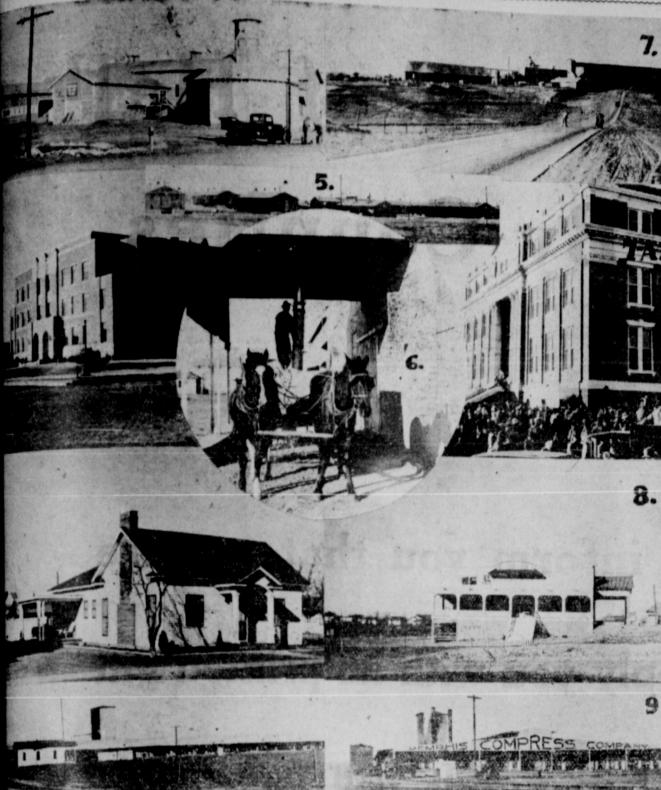
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Cotton Has Place in Memphis and Wellington Progress

lington; 2. Collingsworth County courthouse; 3. The modern home of Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Pigg in Wellington; 4. Huge cotton compress in Wellington; 5. CCC camp at Memphis, headquarters

of extensive soil conservation work; 6. A farmer at gin in Wellington; 7. In the foreground, Highway 5, in the background Memphis Cotton Oil Company plant; 7-A. Trades Day crowd

at the Hall County courthouse in Memphis; 8. Modern clubhouse of the Memphis Country Club, seen from the ninth green; 9. Plant of Memphis Compress Company.

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THE MEMPHIS (TEXAS) DEMOCRAT

COTTON FARMERS RECEIVE \$356,000 IN 1937 FOR COMPLIANCE WITH GOVERNMENT PROGRAM

FALSE PACKED COTTON SCORED

In spite of the fact that Amer- he has bought a two-sided bale at an cotton is without doubt the the value of its higher grade side. Ingures complied by the Agriculst desirable of all cotton, Eng- Damaged and false-packed bales show.

Ish and European spinners have for years been complaining about bales received from this country. American cotton, they say, is fre-quently false-packed with a lower section of the state per cent. But they are sufficiently per cent. But they are sufficiently grade of cotton in the middle of numerous to require that somethe bale and on the top and bot-tom. Other complaints were on appearance and condition of our The state's land mixed packed bales, oily bales, cotton bales.

remnants, bales with pieces of old by other countries, such action be- practices, though terracing and poorly bagged bales, use of sisal bagging and twine, unkempt ap-to improve our cotton bales would AAA offices in College Station erally, tie buckles and the use of indelible ink or tarlike paint in traced to its original source. At present a large number of bales

Because of the recurring comhave lost all gin tags when delaints from foreign cotton spinlivered abroad. The farmer should ers, the Bureau of Agricultural plant better cotton in the first lish and Continental mills. Visits place, and the ginner should use were made to nearly 100 mills in caution not to mix the poorer grades with the better grades in England, and complaints were investigated in Denmark, Sweden, ginning .- Paducah Post. Germany, Switzerland, Czechoslovakia, Austria, Hungary, Yugoslavia, Italy, Spain, France, Bel houses are called "godowns." gium, and Holland. Before and

were made to many American price ever quoted on middling cotmills Most complaints on the condi- 65-\$1.90 per pound. The low- gaged in the manufacture of firetion of the United States cotton est quotations were made bales came from those using grades 1844-45-4 3-8 cents.

use mostly middling and above made fewer charges against our otton. England uses most of the ost complaints are from England. Thompson, secretary of the Texas

False-packed or "sandwich" Ginners Association. ning some good cotton, then some ower grade, and finally some better grade again for the top of the United States, as against 6,140, pected 1937 crop would wrap ne pale. Often the farmer loads his 000 bales on same date last year. more than one-fourth of the wagon with seed cotton to accomolish the same result. Mixed packed to two-sided bales, on the other ional fraud. Farmers may com- Germany was a bale of cotton con- by mixing cotton and sour milk. ine half bales of different grades signed to the Cotton Exchange in when they do not have a sufficient quantity of either to make out a off for charity.

ombined with cotton picked late, the latter picking will be of a lower tablished on water before it was about 500,000 bales over the grade. General practice in American mills is to sample both sides of other way of saying that without other way of saying that with o that frequently a spinner finds have been.

Hall County farmers to date have received \$356,155.29 in 1936 conservation payments, for diverting acreage from cotton usage,

COTTON SECTION

have received \$35,545,248.74 to date from the governmental pro-

The state's land area is 167,water-packed bales, sand-packed bales, bales with wood and metal bales, bales with wood and metal comes more and more necessary. contouring together was a close Perhaps the most important way second, figures from the State be to identify permanently every disclose.

Two types of payments were made-for taking out of cultiva-tion such soil-depleting crops as cotton; for planting soil-building crops such as summer legumes and using approved betterland practices such as terracing and contouring.

Briscoe County has received \$162,382.51 from the program, Collingsworth County has received \$328,286.02, Childress County has received \$296,289.49, and Donley County has received \$230,310.77.

Although Whitney invented the ton was in New Orleans in 1864- gin in 1793 he later became enin arms for the government and amassed a fortune.

Aside from cotton lint products advised to quit buying cotton on its seed is the basis of a large in-"hog round" basis and purchase dustry.

Experts have said that to manufacture cotton bale coverings for a single year's crop would con-On July 1, 1937, there were sume close to 200,000 bales. In 5,083,000 bales of cotton in the other words Hall County's exworld's cotton crop.

ill-fated dirigible "Hindenburg" Many cigarette holders are hand, are seldom a result of inten- on her first trip from America to made of a product manufactured.

> Bremen, where it was auctioned During the current season, world consumption of American cotton is estimated at around 13,-King Cotton's throne was es- 000,000 bales, an increase of

a bale, but in foreign countries, Mississippi steamboats the South Many airplane propellers are nany mills sample only one side, —the cotton South—would never now being compressed from cotton.

PERVERSION OF COUNTY AGENTS

for him to efficiently handle both (An Editorial) Every year New Deal ideas con- jobs. work becomes Far ue agricultural

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Before 1800 cotton in America was classed as Prime, Seconds, Senator Tom id last week. Third Quality, or Inferior. How-ever, the term "middling," as deton is fixed in scriptive of a grade cotton, was has no control. re cotton from used in Liverpool as early as 1800 It has been he world com

TEXAS COTTON GROWERS

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the the this season and predicted better times for Memphis and Hall County. The spot." It is impossible curtailment.—Muleshoe Journal.

more and more endangered and ing to get the assistance they need more and more evidences are piling and for which they are paying. up that the county farm agent 18 Doubtless infestations of various not principally such any more; kinds afflict crops which might but rather a governmental fi-nancial agent. It is no fault of his had more time to visit and advise entirely that such is his situation, farmers regarding preventative rather he has become the victim measures. More demonstrations of political and economic circum- of various kinds could be held in More demonstrations stances over which he apparently has no control. timate relationship could be estab-

It has been nearly two years inshed between ruralists and Exsince the Journal first called at- tension agents in numerous ways Cotton's popularity in the man- tention of its readers to this grow- which would be to the benefit of ing situation and since that time the farmers and stockmen and no remedy has been applied nor react to the ultimate benefit of has the imposed condition been the county in which they reside. Cotton is nature's whitest fab-Cotton is nature's whitest fabric and it does not "yellow" in were told by one of the leading such any more; he just was.

have been service, neither does it deteriorate officials of the Extension depart-in storage. In the past the Department of matters should not be allowed to agriculture of the nation and to Cotton furnishes the livelihood interfere with real legitimate ac its participants. The Smith-Lever Congressman for some 12,000,000 people in the tivity of the farm agent; but at bill and other measures providing that time we thought the adviser for farm agents have indeed been was misguided in his ideas, and a great boon to states and coun-Recent excavations made in the have since become quite con- ties availing themselves of such valley of the Indus river show that vinced of that fact. Now soil con-cotton textiles were used as early servation interests seem still more cultural teachers in public schools imposing than they did under the have furnished a large quota of assistance and information to former AAA.

No farm agent, no matter his growing youth. The 4-H club high qualifications and undimin- work has been incalculable value ished energy, can successfully fill to boys and girls growing up on two big jobs at once, nor have the farms. Of course, some of they. The one must be largely neglected in the interest of the other, and apparently the federal the New Deal measures of Presijob comes first. County Commis- dent Roosevelt; but the county sioners' courts make appropria- farm agent has been the butt tions of several hundred dollars aplenty.

annually to help pay the salaries | The farm agent is not essentialof farm agents, taxpayers putting ly a scientist or even a research up that money so paid. Officials man. His duty is out in the fields are told they will be cut off from telling his clients, the farmers, 10 Years Old; Gins federal benefits unless they keep how to put into profitable use a county farm agent employed, the things discovered by scientists and then the government takes and other specialists who work out advantage of that ruling to use by such information. He is not even troduced and Walter White Gin, located in the agent's time in other ways than statistician nor stenographer; but wild have paid gin section of Memphis, it hav-ter in 1937 a ing been erected in 1928 after a agent should act. t in 1937 a sing been erected in 1928 after a agent should act. 21-3 cents alove fund. Stroyed by fire the preceding fully realize they are not getting agent. or all of these, while forfeiting his ability and successes as a farm agent. actual value received for their ap- agent.

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Among the cargo carried by the



25,000 bales or 40,000 bales regardless of the county's production from this season's crop we are ready for the grind ahead.

Our plant has been put in readiness for your service, and cotton, picked or pulled, brought to us will be given most thorough ginning. The turnout will be high in percentage, and the sample will be the best your cotton will afford, is our promise to the patrons of our up-to-date plant.

We are back on the job to welcome old patrons and extend an invitation to all new customers to gin with us.



At Your Service

WALTER H. WHITE, Mgr.

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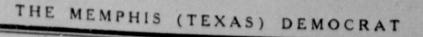
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ty Ginners Expect 40,000 Bale Yield, Democrat Survey Reveals

It Saves the Land and Conserves Moisture

Friday, Sep

10, 1937.



good terracing, to save land and conserve moisture, is given or the soil conservation service in the Memphis CCC Camp. Winter wheat is while cotton is planted in the rows. Williams can be seen in the right

REW AT WORK SINCE MARCH AT OIL HERE IN PREPARATION FOR BIG CROP COTTON IN HALL COUNTY AND VICINITY

prog- mum production. Operations are rayon goods and for ammunition is Cotton Oil expected to be in full swing by use. Hulls, the other product of er to put the the first of October. The cotton the local concern, are sold localess concern in oil mill is expecting to employ ly as feed for cattle the increased 80 men in the heavy work this The Memphis Cotton Oil Mill ted this fal! fall. is noted for its quality of produc-

Products from the Memphis tion, and if the season is started has been re- Cotton Oil Mill, which is one of here early enough this year quanand the entire the county's largest business or titles of the mill's products will verhauled in ganizations, are shipped all over be sent to the Tri-State Fair in t is expected the United States and abroad. Arge run. Cotton oil from the mill is The method used by the cotton

large run. shipped to the southern states, oil company in the cooking of cot-Work 10 to 20 men and the cottonseed cake is shipped tonseed cake has gained nation k in the plant to the North and West. Linters wide notice. The cooking process, last March, and from the mill here are sent East wherein heated air is used, was eady for maxi- to be used in the manufacture of manufactured by Lowery Johnson, superintendent of the mill.



COUNTY TOURS DISCLOSE FEW 'H O T - SPOTS'

Some Sections Claim One and Half Bales;

ners and other persons, directly of the predictions were made on interested in the 1937 cotton crop in Hall County, place the average prediction at 40,000 bales for this were made on the basis of an approximately 9 per cent increase in acreage and vear's viald according to for this the transformation of the basis of an approximately 9 prediction at 40,000 bales for this the transformation of the basis of a bale erop. Much of the cotton in the "more favorable" sections is expected to bale and half per acre, according of obtaining better yields, better year's yield, according to figures ment in general crop conditions to farmers in those regions. Many staples and better price, it is un-the last farmers in the sector east of Esthe last few weeks.

Some placed their figures as low general prospects were more fav-as 20,000 bales, with the explan-ation that they had not made a bort, these localities show prom-Plaska territory that there is no provement of first hand study of conditions in any parts of the county other than their own; other "guesses" were as high as 45,000 and 50,-in the Lesley-Lakeview areas, ex-state to any promotion that there is no comparison in the improvement of the stand where higher grade seeds were used. Ginners also note that state there is no comparison in the improvement of the stand where higher grade seeds were used. Ginners also note that 000 bales under the conditions that the entire county would aver-age as good as their respective materially cuts down the expected "hot-spot" regions. Much of this localities. The survey, conducted by the Antelope Flat, Plaska, Estelline of greenness.

Democrat especially for this sec-tion, reveals that the average "fair," compared to other sections sons the crop in Hall County will Good Seed Used Unofficial estimates of 17 gin-ers and other parents of 17 gin-ger's 18,453 bale crop. Many time last year.

All of the ginners, who helped were made over the major part of half-bale yields in spite of lack To sum the situation: The govprice; the producers have planted

make this section possible with the county and first hand informa- of moisture. their advertising, were questioned for their personal prediction as to the present crop's output and the in various sections. In the im-the present crop's output and the individual for their personal prediction as to individual for their personal prediction as to individual for the present crop's output and the individual for the present crop's output and the individual for the present crop's output and the individual for the present crop is the fact that individual for the present crop is the fact that individual for the present crop is the fact that individual for the present crop is the fact that individual for the present crop is the fact that individual for the present crop is the fact that individual for the present crop is the fact that individual for the present crop is the fact that individual for the present crop is the fact that individual for the present crop is the fact that individual for the present crop is the fact that individual for the present crop is the fact that individual for the present crop is the fact that individual for the present crop is the fact that individual for the present crop is the fact that individual for the present crop is the fact that individual for the present crop is the fact that is many second the present crop is the fact that is the present crop is the fact that the present crop is the fact that is the present crop is the fact that the present crop individual "guesses" ran from one Newlin, Parnell and Turkey, very year than in many seasons and of any year since 1929, with per-extreme to another, so to speak. few "hot-spots" were found, and the result is noted with interest, haps the exception of 1931.

Cooperation

"... joint operation promoting the same end" says Webster's Dictionary

Around these points cooperation, honest and efficient ginning we have established two completely modern Farmers Co-operative Gins in Memphis.

Promotions have been instituted from year to year with the idea of cooperation, better joint-operation ...



Crown Prince Seed

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long time after cotton conquered the South, cotton seed was s a menace to the health of livestock, which ate it, and of no breathed the somewhat odoriferous emanations of its ousands of tons of valuable commodity were thrown as Southern creeks and rivers. Even after the first cotton ere built, their limited output was used only as fertilizer in ry and in England as a stock feed. Since 1880 cottonseed lave become recognized as valuable commodities, and today more stock feeders are using cottonseed cake and meal to

the cotton oil industry is entrenched as a major develope Southwest, and cottonseed products - linters, cotton oil, shortening, cottonseed meal, cottonseed hulls-make subintributions to the service of mankind. With these by-prodang such additional revenue for cotton producing sections it understand why Seed is hailed as "Crown Prince."

And As Today's Adding Stock Feeds, Offer Hall County Farmers Additional Revenues and Savings in Feeds.

nphis Cotton Oil Co.

all to the same end-an economical institution of service to the cotton farmers of Hall County. That service



has been rendered in other year, and with general reconditioning completed on each unit we are ready to continue that service through the good season ahead.

Among the featured points of cooperation we offer is the market methods we use in handling cottonseed for the members it is the most important single source of income. Another feature, and perhaps the most important one for the individual cotton farmer is the improved quality of ginning offered. These better ginning practices result in vast savings to patrons of our gins.

This gin is yours and your neighbors'. It is always at your service during ginning season. We make every effort to live up to the ideals of Cooperative Gins . . . promotional interests, improved ginning, honest and efficient service.

YOUR NEIGHBOR INVITES YOUR PATRONAGE

First in Memphis to Complete L the Ginning of a 1937 Bale of Cotton

Farmers Co-op. Gins

SOCIETY NO. 1. Memphis

SOCIETY NO. 2, Memphis

Coleman White, General Manager

THE MEMPHIS (TEXAS) DEMOCRAT

Big Cotton Yield Seen at Lakeview FARMERS CO-OP Hang On to That Cotton Sales Slip! **POTTS PLANT IS POWERED BY RECEIVES** 1ST It May Be Worth Plenty by Spring **BALE AUG. 26**

Don Wright Manages One of Two Crack Lakeview Gins

Lakeview gins will gin almost Gin at Lakeview, has predicted. Mr. Potts believes that the two gins will turn out from 3,500 to 4,000 bales of cotton this year; whereas last year only 2,000 bales were ginned at Lakeview.

Don Wright is manager of the Potts Gin Company at Lakeview, a position he has held for the past four years. Mr. Potts purchased have shown interest in the allot- neering. the ginning plant in 1931 from I. ment of an additional \$100,000 Other proposed new uses of cot-D. Mullins. The gin was former- for development of new uses of ton enumerated by the AAA were the old Smith Lewis gin.

at the Potts Gin on Thursday, Au- uses was authorized last March. infestation; to lessen the nuisance gust 26. Lakeview merchants a 400-pound bale.

GINNERS' GROUP MEET IN QUANAH

Three hundred members of the Northwest Texas Ginners' Association attended the organiza-The group named Simmons director for district 23 and Bennett Conservation Service. Bond, of Wellington, director of district 21.

Featured on the program were: made for the use of 22,500 square

Texas Cotton growers have been cents a pound as approved by warned by Rep. Lyndon Johnson President Roosevelt.

not to lose or misplace the sales slips on their 1937 cotton already sold or to be sold in the future. Any grower who does not have his sales slip or receipt will be in danger of losing the payment Rep. Johnson issued the warn- which will range up to as high as ing after Secretary of Agriculture three cents a pound on the 1937 Wallace notified members of con- sales. The payment under presgress from Texas that the sales ent plans will not be made until

slips will be used as evidence when next spring after all farmers have of Lakeview have suffered from twice the amount of cotton from benefit payments are made for had an opportunity to sign the the drought this year perhaps more the 1937 harvest as was ginned by the 1937 crop next year to bring 1938 control program and make than in any other section of the

Funds Will Be Available To Study **New Uses For United States Cotton**

Cotton men of Hall County the Bureau of Agricultural Engi- held at Lakeview to form an

D. Mullins. The gin was former-ly owned by T. T. Harrison of cotton, which has been announced As a reinforcing material for Memphis, and has been known as by the Agricultural Adjustment coverings on levees and revet-Administration. ments; covering on banks of dams

It was a double gin in the early days, but now it is a modern five-plus cotton were made available and reservoirs; covering in seed-ing lawns and terraces; for cages stand house with late-type ma-chinery. The first bale of cotton ginned at Lakeview this year was ginned \$7,000 for developing other new age plants and other sources of

For this work, the AAA will caused by birds and as a covering gust 26. Lakeview merchants For this work, the AAA will caused by birds and as a covering made up a purse of \$14 for N. W. furnish cotton and cotton prod-Thomas, who brought in 1,600 ucts to Federal, State, and local pounds of snap cotton and ginned governmental agencies and to previously studied in addition to colleges, universities, and other highway construction were: As a covering for sides of irnon-profit bodies. The marketing section of the AAA is super- rigation and drainage ditches; vising the new uses program. Under the new allotment, the cuts; for hides of beeves; for covering for highway fills and AAA will furnish the cotton for fruits and vegetables while grow-

the continuation of these demon- ing; shading or protecting tree strations and additional work in seedlings and shrubs during critieight proposed new cotton uses, cal periods of growth; as a portincluding the use of cotton fabric able covering; hood or tent for tion's annual meeting at Quanah, August 30, and elected Tom B. Simmons and G. A. Vestal presi-dent and secretary, respectively. ing was received from the Soil membrane or reinforcing material in surfacing airport run-

As a part of the new program ways, roads, bridges, paths, and recommendation has already been walks.

J. C. Thompson, secretary of the yards of cotton fabric in further Texas Ginners' Association; M. E. testing the adaptability of the ma- terial of a very dense nature. It Heard, head of the textile depart-ment of Texas Tech; and F. E. Litche, extension service, of A. & M. Heard, head of the textile depart-terial as a reinforcement of as-phalt-lined irrigation canals. This will be used near Soda Springs, Idaho. The test will be made by

DIESEL ENGINE Ross Springer Heads

Co-operative Plant Formed In 1928

Although the cotton crops west the two Lakeview plants last year, the price up to the guaranteed 12 themselves eligible for the subsidy. T. M. Potts, head of the Potts ly wiped out several sections of

cotton land in the Lakeview sector, the Lakeview Co-op Gin is laying plans for a bigger rush season this fall than has been seen for many years. The Lakeview Co-op Gin, built in 1928 after a mass meeting was

ganization, boasts one of the few plants in this entire cotton section powered by a diesel engine. Practically all of the plants are run by steam engines. The Lakeview Coop Gin is powered by a 165-horse power diesel

Ross Springer, formerly con-nected with the Potts Chevrolet Company in Memphis, is the new manager of the co-operative gin. Springer is a veteran ginner, working at Lakeview before go-ing to Memphis. The Lakeview Co-op Gin turned out 908 bales of cotton from the

short crop of last year, and Mr. Springer is expecting a big increase this ginning season.

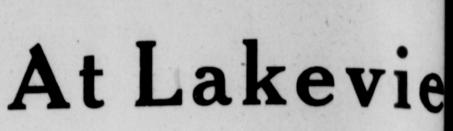
Cotton Is Major Industry In U.S.

Oscar Johnston, writing in the Harvest Edition of the American Cotton Grower, points out the importance of cotton, including cottonseed, as a major industry in the United States. "... it is the important item

of production in seventeen of the forty-eight states comprising our The production of cot-Union.

ton and cottonseed gives direct Cotton can be pressed into maemployment to more than 2,500, ployed in various clerical capacities in connection with the keeping of records and accounts involved in the production, harvesting, marketing, and processing of

these commodities. "Processing establishments,



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The results of such endeavors be found in the decline of loss duri process of ginning. We have made aim to give the most in turnout a result have a following of patr which we are proud.

Cooperative Gins Give B

Ready to Serve Farmers, Ginners, Shippers

YOON another crop will start moving toward markets. Farmers, Ginners and Shippers will find us ready to serve them with modern press equipment.



Memphis Compress

Hedley Compress M. C. ALLEN, Mgr.

cated in the New England States and in the South Atlantic States expend annually millions of dollars in payrolls to labor engaged in processing of cotton fibre. In-cluding dependents of persons engaged in the production, market ing, and processing of these com-modities, more than 12,000,000 persons depend directly upon the production of cotton, lint, and seed for a livelihood "Cotton fabric

furnishes satisfactory, and at the same time an expensive, textile for clothing and adorning a very considerable part of our population. As a matter of fact, there is probably not a human being in the land who is not daily clad, at least partially, with a fabric constructed from cotton.

And, "Cotton is America's major export commodity."

Cotton Loan Pact Of Government Is Scored by Texans

Southern agricultural commis ioners have criticized Secretary of Agriculture Wallace for "de-feating the will of congress" in limiting cotton loans to 65 per cent of the base acreage. They have charged the an-

nounced program of a 9-cent loan and 3-cent subsidy payment violated an agreement between congress and the President and deprived cotton growers of payments that would place them on a parity with producers of tariff-protected commodities.

missioner, has declared that no mention was made of a limitation during committee hearing in Washington. agricultural leaders left the capi tal with the understanding that the loan and parity payment would be made to all cotton growers on all their acreage, contingent upon co-operation in a control program next year. Several high Texas farm leaders have also criticized Wallace on this point.

Wallace supporters, however, say that the 65 per cent base is the only fair and equitable method of making payments. Payments on the entire 15,600,000 bale crop would require \$234,000,000, was pointed out.

Cotton Sacks

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J. C. Holton, Mississippi com-He said southern

Service, Weights and Ginning

Cooperative gin associations, states, account for their rapid gro recent years to the fact that m have found that they receive bett vice, improved quality of ginning, weights and a square deal from the associations.

The Lakeview Farmers Coop Gin has succeeded in improving practices and furnishing more e ginning service and have strived vide a convenient market for col both its members and individual

Your Neighbor Invites Yo Gin With Him.

Lakeview Farmers Co-op.

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Plaska, and G. M. Dial manages the country.

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the managers of the four gins have expressed optimism over with gins in summer, and some new machin-with gins in summer, and some new machin-this year's cotton prospects, but pects Hall County to produce that thousand bales had been handled with gins in summer, and end a bit especially optimistic is Mr. Dial, Paska and Eli, ery has been installed. Quite a bit especially optimistic is Mr. Dial, much cotton this fall, Mr. Allen the preceding year. Paska and Eli, of new machinery has been added who has been with the company said. The local compress draws Now, Mr. Allen the preceding year.

The Farmers Union Co-opera-

e. O. M. Cosby, 1920 on its present site. Expand- waterproof.

Ewen, R. A. Hutcherson, and E. creased business brought about the building of a second gin in O. M. Cosby is general mana- 1924, this one also in Memphis.

Branches Out In 1926 the company branched

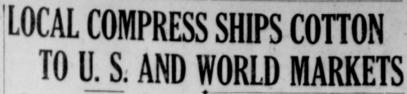
Eli. He personally manages the out and erected a cotton ginning two Memphis gins but has mana-plant at Eli, and in 1929, just gers at Plaska and at Eli. J. J. before the depression, another gin

> There are now approximately company; and M. C. Allen, presi-200 stockholders in the large cotton dent and manager of the compress standard and high-density presses.

and of them residing in Hall County. modern gin machinery. All have The managers of the four gins Well over 60,000 1937 fall crop. This does not

the Eli ginning territory is small. is the farthest compress north on the Forth Worth and Denver Rail-

tive Gin Company had its begin-conton can be woven into prod-way line in the state. The Hed-employed at the compress here workmen returned last Friday feeders and cleaners have been Corrus Christi in the state. The Hedthe ning in Memphis 17 years ago, ucts that can be changed chemi- ley compress is a little farther during the fall season, which will morning from Corpus Christi, installed. The stands have all the ning in Memphis 17 years ago, ucts that can be changed chemi-J. when the first gin, now the Mem-cally without being destroyed. It morth, but it is a subsidiary of the the north, but it is a subsidiary of the the north, but it is a subsidiary of the the north, but it is a subsidiary of the the north, but it is a subsidiary of the the north, but it is a subsidiary of the the north, but it is a subsidiary of the the north, but it is a subsidiary of the the north, but it is a subsidiary of the the north, but it is a subsidiary of the the north, but it is a subsidiary of the the north, but it is a subsidiary of the the north, but it is a subsidiary of the the north, but it is a subsidiary of the the north, but it is a subsidiary of the the north, but it is a subsidiary of the the north, but it is a subsidiary of the the north, but it is a subsidiary of the the north and will run into the north and the the local more will work at the busiest ton season in South Texas. Ernest Mc- phis gin No. 1, was constructed in can be rendered fireproof and local plant.



McDaniel is manager of the Far-McDaniel is manager of the Far-Union Co-operative Gin at methods the Plaska, the center of the Memphis Compress Company September 25, after a consider-Preparations are being made by compress will begin pressing about mers Union Co-operative Gin at perhaps the richest cotton area in to handle one of the biggest cot- able amount of cotton has reached ton rushes in the history of the the docks.

season.

All four of the co-operative ginning and buying concern, most company, is expecting to receive The largest number of bales ever well over 60,000 bales from the received at the house here in on season was in 1928, when 72,000

Alvin Massey, foreman at the To Use 100 Men An average of 60 men will be Memphis cotton compress, and 10 annual custom; and five

The Memphis men had worked

Cotton is shipped from the for three weeks for the Aransas Lesley Gin, has been with the Memphis Cotton Compress Com- Compress Company, after requests company for more than 10 years. pany direct to England, Germany, for help had been made by the Australia, Spain, France, and South Texas plant because of the 1929. Holland. Most of the cotton, how- heavy crop in that section this fall. ever, is shipped to Galveston and The local compress crew is now 1,470 bales of cotton from that to Houston, where cotton brokers getting the plant here ready for area, and Mr. Hagins is expecting route it to the various marts. pressing the latter part of this approximately 2,000 bales to be A large amount of cotton was month.

shipped from here last year to Texas mills, at Corsicana, El Paso,

and other cities. Considerable of Terrell was made vice presi- in spite of the fact that cotton cotton has been shipped from here denit, L. Rash of Terrell was named in that area has received less rain in recent years to the Eastern and vice president, W. P. Allen Jr. of this year than in any other section New England mills in Massachu- Terrell was made secretary-treas- of the county. setts, the Carolinas, Alabama, and urer, and Alvin Massey of Mem-| The Lesley Gin turned out its

other southern and eastern states. phis was elected assistant secre-tary-treasurer. first bale Saturday, August 28, while the first bale there was

At a recent directors' meeting, M. C. Allen of Memphis was made president of the Memphis and ett in addition to the Memphis Cotton is used in the manufactors. Hedley compresses. W. P. Allen and Hedley plants.



periment on the part of high-way officials and engineers. Various weights of cotton sheeting have been laid and highway engineers will determine after a three-year trial what weight of cotton fabric forms the best binding layer.

Compress Southern

Longest Stretch **Cotton Road**

The Lesley Gin has served a rich farming country in the western section of Hall County for more than 20 years, and is still Memphis Men Help the community.

The gin was built in 1916. It was known a few years ago as the Lon Montgomery Gin. The Texas Cotton Crop plant was re-built in 1932; a com-plete new building was construct-ed and new machinery was added. plant was re-built in 1932; a comed, and new machinery was added. This summer the plant has had

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Kirby Hagins, manager of the

Last year the plant turned out brought to the gin this year from

the wide territory his gin serves this year. His expectations are

Cotton is used in the manufacture of many automobile tires.



Careful Ginning

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1928, in this great cotton producing section of Hall County, but a bumper crop will not catch us unprepared. We have reconditioned our machinery and made general overhauling in anticipation of being ready to serve you better this year.

Years of experience in the Lakeview territory has brought us face to face with the problems of the cotton producers and a study of those problems has made it possible for us to be of service in ways other than just mechanical ginners. We are always considerate of our patrons, who will find us fair in our dealings and unexcelled in turn out.

We are careful ginners which means that we will give you our best turn out . . . and better turn out means bigger profits to the producers. We invite you to gin with us . . .

IN LAKEVIEW IT'S

Potts Gin

GINNERS AND COTTON BUYERS "We Appreciate Your Patronage"

RIGHT, Mgr.

cotton leaves the picker's hands and moves on its way to market. While the crop is approaching maturity, most cotton farmers have time on their hands time to think. Tractors and mules have been more plentiful weather conditions more favorable and the outlook the brightest in years but when ginning time comes they have to move fast. There will be little time for thinking then.

We have given the acreage increase and general conditions due consideration and predict a crop far in excess of any in recent years. In case of the bumper yield . . . we can serve you in the capacity of ginners. We are equipped, in both machinery and experience, to give you efficient turnout . . . in good years as well as bad ones. We have made every effort to condition our plant for the grind ahead.

While there is time to think we invite you to make your plans to gin with us this year. We assure you our personal consideration, honest and fair dealings, along with good ginning.

Lesley Gin

Kirby Hagins, Mgr.

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The Development of The Gin

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gin, improvements in ginning operated by a mule. own plant-public gins were ginning process. the exception, not the rule. The modern ginner repre- community's activity.

ney's invention of the cotton means of a cumbersome screw show an investment run - cotton into cloth. A few years machinery were few and far The break-up of the planta- equipment includes not only established an experimental between; and indeed, even to- tion system after the War and gin stands but cleaners, hull- gin at Stoneville, Mississippi,

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day, Whitney's fundamental the settlement by cotton farm- ers, driers, and other machin- which has already demonstratprincipals are sill used. During ers of smaller holdings in the ery made necessary by existing ed its value to both ginners the period prior to the War West tended to eliminate an in- conditions. The power is de- and manufacturers of cotton. between the States, there was dependent ginning industry as rived from steam, Diesel and The cooperation which ginners small necessity for changing it exists today. Competition gas engines or electricity. Near- are giving this important work the equipment; cotton was between "public gins" was ly every community in the speaks well for the future decarefully picked by hand, gin- keen, and this served to quick- cotton belt supports two or velopment of the ginning inning was slow, and each plan- en the development of ma- more of these efficient units; dustry along lines which will

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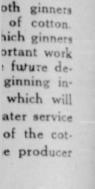
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> The passing years with their trails and their tests, have brought an experience that we value more highly than we do all our physical equipment. For gin plants are something that have to be constantly . replaced. As methods improve, new machinery is required, but such is not the case with experience, for it is gained only by time and toil; but once gained it is a foundation upon which a greater service can be rendered to the cutomers who have made the continued existence of our business possible.

As we survey the past, we are grateful for our iriends and we are thankful for the opportunity of having a chance to work with them and for them over a period of years. But we ask no favors for times gone by. The past has brought its own records of rewards experience, competence and stability, and we know that we can use these to the profit of our customers. Now, as always, we solicit business only upon our ability to perform a task for you and do it well.



were able to make most of their crop before the insect did the greatest part of his damage. This discovery practically revolution. ized character of the Texas crop. The battle against the boll weevil in American cotton fields has been unceasing, and both the beetle and the grasshopper are the object of poisoning and other elimination programs throughout every state engaged in cotton production.

Better Profit From Ginning Snap Cotton

Is there a greater profit to ginners in the ginning of picked cot-ton or snaps? That question has been broached, yet no answer has been given that was entirely satisfactory. But a farm economist over in Oklahoma has made a careful survey of the question, and his report is interesting to the ginner and the farmer.

He found that where 3,000 to 4,000 bales were ginned there was a greater profit in ginning snaps than in ginning picked cotton. In his report he brings up the matter of weight, showing the greater profit is derived from the larger weight of snaps to make a 500pound bale.

According to this man's figures the ginning rate for picked and snaps should be the same, under which plan the ginner would make as much money as if he ginned picked cotton alone. In arriving at this conclusion, value of the gin, wear and tear, and other expenses were taken into consideration .--- Quanah Tribune-Chief.

More than 283,000,000 acres, or 67 per cent of the Nation's crop land, were covered by farmers' appilcations for grants under last year's agricultural conservation program.

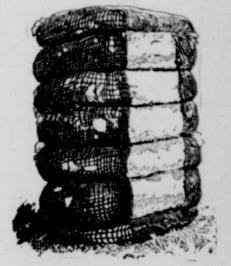
More than 400,000 head of cattle were processed into 90 million cans of meat by the Texas Relief Commission in the three years it operated.

The Agriculture Department reports that farmers received a 12per cent greater cash income from the sale of their products the first half of this year than in the first half of 1936.

Texas Planning Board figures the state manufactures goods to the value of 1,300 million dollars annually. The Board also states that manufacturing industries are coming into the state at the rate of more than two million dollars a month.

We've got the Gin

Machinery, correctly tuned and controlled, counts a long way on the turnout of your cotton. Conditions are favorable for a nice yield from the cotton fields of Hall County this year but proper ginning must be counted on for your crop's yield to count the most.



We have the gin that can give you a better sample a better turnout. Years of experience, and seasonal conditioning of our equipment makes this higher grade service possible.

We are proud of the efficiency of our plant proud of the patronage we receive each season and proud that our customers are always well pleased with our ginning. We invite you to gin with us and learn why so many of your neighbors patronize SEAGO & SIMMONS.

SEAGO & SIMMONS GINNERS AND BUYERS

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Prospects at Turkey Bright; May Produce 10,000 Bales of (

SEVERAL GINS SERVE MAJOR

Better Staple Of

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Cotton Is Urged

For Best Crop In Many Seasons

Ginners in the Turkey area are predicting the largest cotton crop in many years for that rich farm-ing section of Hall County. Fa-vorable August rains over slightly increased cotton acreage prompted the ginners of the region to venture early estimates as high as 10,000 bales, in that immediate territory this season.

The additional moisture is said to have placed the cotton crop in the best condition of any period since 1928. Many farmers re-port the best crops since 1919 and are predicting a crop in excess of the production in 1928.

Managers of the gins in the Turkey territory are estimating from 24,000 to 45,000 bales as the expected 1937 crop in Hall County. The average estimate was placed at 32,800 bales, or about 14,000 above the 1936 crop.

Long considered one of the leading cotton producing regions of this county, the Turkey territory is well served by modern and efficient gins. Producers along the southern border of the county patronize them and many bales are ginned from eastern Briscoe and northern Motley counties each year.

Oldest Gin in Area

The Wolf Flat Gin, located 6 miles southeast of Turkey, is one of the oldest gins in the territory having been established some 18 or 20 years. Mr. Bert Degan, manager for the past two years, reports that approximately 600 iles were produced around Wolf Flat and ginned by them last year. "Early indications are that the crop this year will far exceed any of recent years," Mr. Degan says. The gin has been reconditioned and made ready for the season shead ahead

Ginned 1289 Bales

Manager J. A. Christian points with pride to the fact that the Farmers Gin, in Turkey, ginned 1,289 bales of last year's meager crop. The plant was located in Turkey about 11 years ago but has undergone reconditioning each summer in an effort to maintain modern and efficient machinery for each season ahead. Rain on August 20th prevented them from ginning the first bales of cotton Turkey 11 days earlier than that of 1936. Mr. Christian has been manager of the gin for two years and has been active in the industry around Turkey for many years.

government on this. Cotton half and half for a number of shorter than seven-eighths inch (if lower in grade than middling) years. Some of it yields a long staple cotton, but there has not been a bale of cotton ginned from will not only be refused by the this section with a staple of one government but will bring a poor inch in two or three years.

Conditions Favorable Condition

loan on poor grade and short grade cotton that would stand the aple cotton. Those who have immense heat better. A large cloth is used along with asphalt to grown short staple and poor grade percentage of the farmers in this build experimental roads in Texas, can not expect a loan from the section of the country have grown South Carolina, and Georgia.

Farmers Visit At 1927 First Bale Earlier Than 1928 **Experiment Farms**

The first bale of cotton gin-ned in Hall county in 1927 came in on August 24. The first bale in 1928, the bumper crop year in this county, was ginned August 28. In 1927 the county's crop totaled 50,009 and in 1928 the total was 82,-515. The first bale in this year was ginned August 16 and some say the county's yield will ex-ceed the 1927 figures.

various kinds the state stat the stations a Hundreds of cotton farmers of Hall County and of this area gen-erally are learning improved cot-ton raising practices by making field trips to state stations of this area. Many farmers from here have visited the Texas State Ex-periment Sub-stations at Lubbock periment Sub-stations at Lubbock

and at Spur in recent weeks to made from

4 of Hall County's Finest Gins Serve the Turkey Territory

IN A COTTON GIN, machinery by itself is a meaningless thing, unless EXPERIENCE lends its significance. Experience is the guiding force that turns the machinery into useful effort that is the reason that ginning in this territory is not just a mechanical effort. Because the needs and problems of the cotton producing farmers of this area are known by the management of its gins, they are naturally given every consideration possible. Such is the result of years of experience.

OF THE FINEST GINS in Hall County are located to serve the needs of the Turkey territory. We are prepared to render a service of more than just turning lint into bales of

PROSPECTSFOR A BIG cotton year in this area are bright ...

much is to be expected of us as ginners . . . but the memory of the good years and the bad has qualified us for the long pull. Our business is not built for a single day or a single season, but for all the days and all the seasons. We have made ready for the season ahead.

ALWAYS BEEN our policy to give TAD fair dealings along with perfect mechanical ginning, and for this reason we have enjoyed good business in other years. The 1937 sea-

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Installs New Extractors

The Turkey Gin, with Dick Jones manager, has been totally reconditioned and newest mode extractors installed in preparedness for the expected crop. The gin was first established on the location approximately 25 years ago by M. E. Thrasher, but was rebuilt in 1925 and has been remodeled from season to season until today it claims the most modern and some of the latest machinery in the country. Mr. Jones, who has been manager for two years, was formerly manager of the Wolf Flat Gin.

With Gin Since 1925

Roy Fuston has been connected with the Gregory Gin, in Turkey, since 1925. He was made man ager ten years later in 1935 and has served in that capacity since. The Gregory Gin was erected in Turkey in 1924, the year the county produced better than 58,-500 bales, and has continued to remodel and install machinery throughout the years, in an effort to better serve producers. This year the machinery has received general overhauling and the plant nade ready to again offer efficient turn out of lint.

Five Gins in Region Five efficient gins serve the Turkey territory. Each one is modern and well managed. They are: Gregory Gin, Turkey Gin, Farmers, Gin, Duncan Gin, and Wolf Flat Gin.

Cotton Grade Of State Is Higher

The grades of cotton from current ginnings in Texas are considerably higher than those of last year to similar date; however, they are not as high as those re-ported for either of the past two weeks.

Of the cotton classed to date this season, one-half has been white strict middling and better in grade, whereas these grades represented 37 per cent of that classed during the week. Some

classed during the week. Some increase is noticeable in the pro-portions of the grades below mid-dling and of the spotted grades. A very small proportion, 2.4 per cent, of the cotton to date has been shorter than 7-8 inch in staple; 26 per cent has been 7-8 inch and 29-32 inch; 56 per cent has been 15-16 inch and 31-32 inch; and 16 per cent has been 1 inch and longer in staple length. nd longer in staple lengt

cotton and cottonseed, because we are interested in you. Experience has not only taught us the art of mechanical ginning but this lesson and this lesson well, that fair dealing and sincere interest in our customers make the most money in the long run.

son will find us rendering service under the same policies and we have faith enough in the producers of this territory to believe that they will again bring their cotton to our gins.

We Offer Our Best Wishes and Stand Ready to Serve the Producers



DICK JONES, Mgr.

TURKEY

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The Farmers Gin

The Turkey Gin

J. A. CHRISTIAN, Mgr.

The Gregory Gin

ROY FUSTON, Mgr.

The Wolf Flat Gin

BERT DEGAN, Mgr.

6-MILES SE TURKEY