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## Y, Buddy, Can Spare A Vote

### HEADSTREAM IS NEW GRID COACH

Succeeds A. B. Murphy as  
Cyclone Mentor; Season  
To Start September 13

C. E. Headstream of Lawn, stellar halfback for Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene during the 1938 football season, was elected last week by the Memphis Independent School board as head grid mentor for the 1940 season.

The new coach arrived in Memphis Tuesday with his wife and small child, and will assume his duties September 1. The initial workout is scheduled to be held Monday, September 2.

Headstream graduated from Hardin-Simmons in 1939. He has had one year's experience as coach since that time, and was elected as coach at Dimmitt for the coming season. He resigned from the Dimmitt position to accept the position left vacant here when A. B. Murphy resigned to coach at Littlefield.

The football season will open for the Cyclone team in Memphis September 13, when Lakeview will play the local team here. Last year's game with Lakeview was the last of the season, and ended in a 0-0.

The remainder of the schedule is as follows: September 20, Mobeetie, here; September 27, Paducah, here; October 4, Shamrock, here; October 11, McLean, there; October 18, Lefors, here; October 25, Wheeler, there; November 1, Wellington, there; November 8, Clarendon, here.

T. E. Lenoir of Lakeview was named by the board of directors of the Hall County Electric Co-Op as superintendent to fill the vacancy created last week when Alvis Yarbrough resigned.

Mr. Lenoir will take office September 1, it was announced. Mr. Lenoir has been a member of the directors since the organization of the Co-Op, and was, until he was chosen as superintendent, the secretary-treasurer.

Mr. Yarbrough has been serving as superintendent since the Co-Op was organized. During his tenure in office, the original line has been completed, and is now in use, as has an extension of 126 miles to the original line. Mr. Yarbrough's home is also in Lakeview.

Directors of the Co-Op are Carl Hill, Parnell; Arthur Gidden, Plaska; Starr Johnson, Brice; R. H. Hutcherson, Newlin; Clyde Fowler, Lesley, and T. B. Roberts, Memphis.

Worley Club Has  
Rally in Memphis

Members of the Pampa "Mr. Worley Goes to Washington Club" sponsored a Eugene Worley for Congress rally on the courthouse square Tuesday night.

Master of ceremonies was Archer Fullingame of the Pampa Daily News, and speakers included several of the boys and girls who are members of the club.

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Turkey, Newlin, and Estelline schools will open September 2, and the schools in Memphis, Eli, and Plaska will begin September 9.

## Democrat to Have Second Primary Election 'Shindig'

Results of the second primary balloting will be compiled and announced at the election party to be sponsored by The Democrat next Saturday night.

Arrangements are now being made for the unofficial returns to be turned in to The Democrat as soon as possible. Election judges at each of the boxes in the county are urged by the publishers to phone in results as quickly as the votes have been counted.

Tabulations on all county races, as well as on the district races, will be made at the party. State race results will be based on radio reports.

All interested in the results of the election are invited to attend, publishers said. The party will begin immediately after polls close. Phone 15 for results.

## Extension to REA Gets Temporary Washington Okay

Approval, Not Final, Made  
On Maps, Plans Submitted  
From Here by Engineers

Temporary approval of the second extension to the Hall County electric Co-Op line has been made by officials in the REA headquarters in Washington, Alvis Yarbrough, project superintendent, announced this week.

No definite approval has been made, Yarbrough said, and neither has an appropriation been made. The temporary approval was made on the maps and other data which was submitted several weeks ago.

The extension, which would be designated as Section C, will be approximately 170 miles in length if constructed. It will consist mostly of lines in Hall County, although portions of it will extend into Motley and Briscoe counties.

The line will serve citizens of the area around Flomot, Quitaque, Gammage, Gilpin, Friendship, Harrell Chapel, Giles, Brice, and the Brookhollow Country Club. Part of the area around Harrell Chapel and around Giles is already being served by Section B of the Hall County Co-Op.

Two REA lines have already been constructed by and are under the supervision of the Hall County office.

## Lewis Foxhall to Get Law Degree

Lewis Foxhall, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Foxhall of Memphis, is a candidate for a bachelor of laws degree from the University of Texas, to be awarded at the August 26 commencement exercises, it was announced this week.

More than 750 students will receive degrees at the exercises, it was announced, including degrees in arts and sciences, engineering, pharmacy, business administration, and law.

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## W. C. Skinner Rites Being Held Today

William Charles Skinner, 65, died at his home near Lesley early Wednesday morning after a long illness. Funeral services are being held this afternoon from the Lesley church.

Mr. Skinner was born in Arkansas, and had lived in Hall County for the past 19 years. He was 65 years, 9 months, and 10 days old at the time of his death. Survivors include two sons, James and Lee Skinner.

## Final Plans Made for Dairy Show To Be Held in Memphis August 29

### DESKINS WELLS PLEDGES SUPPORT TO DAM PROJECT IN SPEECH HERE

Pledging his wholehearted support to the end that the Red River dam project may be approved and completed, Deskins Wells of Collingsworth County, leading candidate for Congressman from the 18th District, addressed a large crowd from the courthouse square last Saturday night. The speech was the third address Wells has made in Memphis during his campaign.

Expressing his belief that the project is one of the most important in the district, Wells told of the study which he has made of the dam and its possibilities.

The proposed dam, he pointed out, will be a mile and one-fourth long, and will provide water to irrigate 75,000 acres of land. In addition, Wells said his study of the project reveals that the dam would provide 26 towns in Hall, Briscoe, and Childress counties with municipal water, if needed, as well as a few other towns outside the three counties.

More than five million dollars will be required to build the dam, Wells said, and approximately \$75,000 have already been spent in preliminary work. The work on the dam, he explained, will take care of all the unemployment in the three counties, as well as that in the surrounding counties.

The Collingsworth candidate led the first primary ticket with more than 6,000 votes over his nearest opponent in a field of 12 men. Political observers were (Continued on page 7)

## Rain Still Coming —1.9 More Inches Fall in Memphis

Mercury on Downgrade;  
Cotton Crop Prospects  
In County Reported 'Good'

Once more rain fell in Hall County, as the moisture total for last Friday night and early Saturday morning was 1.9 inches, according to a report from J. J. McMickin, local weather observer.

The rain was general over the county, it was reported, and heavier rains were reported as falling in the southwest corner, particularly in the Turkey area.

Childress reported another rain, too, as did the communities between Memphis and Childress where only light showers fell when the two-inch rain fell in Memphis two weeks ago.

Cooler weather accompanied the rains. The temperature in parts of Oklahoma was reported as 56 degrees, the coolest at this time of the year in Oklahoma City in more than 40 years.

Farmers throughout the county were jubilant over crop prospects. Late-planted cotton is looking particularly good, since it had not been out of the ground long enough for the hot rays from the sun to damage it to much extent, the farmers reported.

No hail was reported, although many observers pointed out that the rumbling thunder and heavy flashes of lightning were indications that hail was falling. A number of Memphians pointed out that the heavy reports of thunder were the loudest to occur in a number of years.

No reports of crops being washed out were reported, although some farmers said that the down- (Continued on page 7)

## Funeral Rites Held At Plaska Church For Floyd Davis

Son of Plaska Citizens  
Killed in Auto Accident  
Near Effingham, Ill.

Funeral services were held last Friday afternoon for William Floyd Davis, 25, from the Plaska Methodist Church, with Reverends C. Sargent of Kellerville, E. F. Cook of Amarillo, Elmer Murdock of Plaska, and Albert Cooper of Plaska in charge of the rites.

Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Davis of the Plaska community, was killed in an automobile accident near Effingham, Ill., Sunday, August 11. The body was shipped to Memphis for funeral rites. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery in Memphis, with King's Mortuary in charge of arrangements.

The accident occurred near Effingham at about 8:30 o'clock Sunday night, August 11. The car driven by Davis collided head-on with a large semi-trailer truck, and Davis was killed instantly as a piece of wood about an inch square and a foot long pierced his neck just below the chin. Davis was employed in Effingham. (Continued on page 7)

## Eight Schools in County Already in Progress; Three Others To Start September 2; Memphis, Eli, Plaska September 9

With eight schools in Hall County already in progress, three more scheduled to start September 2, and three September 5, children of school age, as well as teachers, have already or are beginning to cast aside their summer pastimes and pick up books for the nine-month session.

Schools at Lakeview, Lesley, Brice, Deep Lake, Pleasant Valley, Parnell, and Buffalo Flat started last Monday. The Monday before found the Weatherly school getting a head start and beginning one week earlier.

The 7th grade will become the 8th grade and students will attend school at the high school building where they will have access to the laboratories and the use of the gym.

"The 3rd grade will become the 4th grade and students will attend school at the junior high school building. Parents should note the change in classes so they will know where to send their children when school starts."

ESTELLINE SCHOOLS  
Official opening of the Estelline schools will be held Monday, September 2, Superintendent J. T. Duncan announced this week. All

students classified as juniors or seniors, however, will register Friday and Saturday, August 30 and 31, Mr. Duncan said.

J. W. D. Chappell, principal of the Brice school for the past several years, was selected last Saturday at a called meeting of the Estelline School Board as principal of the elementary school.

Other teachers in the elementary school will be Miss Lena Faye Vaughn, Mrs. Marietta Martin, Mrs. Daisy Kennedy, Mrs. Vida James, Mrs. L. A. Tucker, and Miss Clematis Taylor.

High school teachers will be Mr. Duncan, Miss Erolene Wischkaemper, Mrs. Blanche Davis, Greer Cottingham, Walter Lakay, and J. A. Ballard, principal.

During the summer months, class rooms and halls of the Estelline schools have been refinishing, Mr. Duncan said. Work on refinishing the wood work on the inside is still in progress, he said this week.

## Funeral Services For George Hale Held in Memphis

Resident of County for  
25 Years Dies Suddenly  
At Home; Interment Here

Funeral services for George W. Hale were held from the King Funeral Chapel Wednesday afternoon, with Rev. S. F. Martin, pastor of the First Baptist Church, conducting the rites.

Mr. Hale died suddenly late Monday afternoon at his home in Memphis. He had been to town during the day. He was 67 years, 7 months, and 4 days old at the time of his death. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of King's Mortuary.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Leon Hale of Houston and George W. Hale Jr. of Memphis; one daughter, Mrs. Bill Rule of Childress; five brothers, Jack Hale and John Hale of Childress, and Douglas Hale of Parnell, all (Continued on page 7)

## Revival at Parnell Is Now in Progress

A revival of old-fashioned religion is now in progress at the Parnell Church, with Rev. S. Borum conducting the services.

Morning services begin at 11 o'clock, and evening services at 8. Large crowds have been attending both the morning and night services, and last Sunday night's crowd more than filled the church building. Twelve have already made professions of faith.

Rev. Byron F. Todd, pastor of the church, is aiding Rev. Borum in the revival. Rev. Borum was pastor of the First Baptist Church in Salem, Ill., for five years. At present he is attending the Seminary in Fort Worth, and is pastor of the Glen Garden Baptist Church of Fort Worth.

## Two Hall Teachers Degree Candidates

Two rural teachers in Hall County, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lowe, will receive bachelor's degrees from West Texas State College at the August 23 commencement exercises, it was announced this week.

Mrs. Lowe attended the Pleasant Valley school during her freshman year in high school, and later graduated from Plaska High School. Mr. Lowe was a freshman in Lubbock High School, and also graduated from Plaska High.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowe have taught at Weatherly for the past four years. They returned to Canyon last Sunday to attend the baccalaureate sermon.

## MORE THAN 100 TO GET RIBBONS

Classification of Cattle  
Announced; D. T. Simons  
To Act as Judge of Show

Final plans for Hall County's biggest and most outstanding dairy show, to be held at the Memphis Cotton Oil Mill in Memphis next Thursday, August 29, were made Tuesday night at a meeting of the Hall County Dairy Association.

More than one hundred ribbons will be awarded at the show, which is to be held under the classification plan this year. Grand and reserve champion males and females will be chosen. The cows will be divided into six groups, and the bulls into five classes.

Highlighting the show will be the giving away of a \$100 registered Jersey cow to some farmer in the county. The cow, which will be given by the chamber of commerce in cooperation with a number of Memphis business men, will be bought from the Tierra Blanca Farms near Canyon, Carroll Snyers, secretary of the chamber of commerce, said this week.

Any farmer will be eligible to receive the cow, Snyers said, whether he is already an owner of registered cattle or not.

Females to be shown will be classified as follows: 6 months and under in age; 6 months to a year; one year to 2 years; 2 years to 3; and 3 years and over.

More than one hundred head of registered cattle are expected to be shown, Carl Periman, president of the dairy association, said this week.

To pick out the best in each (Continued on page 7)

## Patrolman Okays Condition of Buses Of County Schools

Bus Drivers Named by  
County Board Advised  
Of Safety by Gardner

All school buses of the county were pronounced in "very good condition" by Highway Patrolman Sam Gardner Thursday morning of last week at the annual inspection of the vehicles.

Bus drivers for the county, who were named by members of the county board, heard an explanation of the rules and regulations for drivers by Patrolman Gardner. The patrolman also spoke briefly to the group on safe driving.

The county board approved transfer students for the year, but a complete tabulation of the transfers has not been made as yet, the county superintendent said this week.

Bus drivers named were as follows: Memphis: H. N. Guest, O. A. McCormick, H. A. Tatum, and Charlie McAbee (one driver is yet to be hired.)

Turkey: Claude Weeks, George Johnson, R. D. Rivers, and Jess Jenkins.

Estelline: Ben McDaniel, Robert H. Butler, Jesse E. Bumpas, and R. L. Leeper.

Weatherly: Bill Dunn.

Lakeview: Troy Payne, P. C. Merritt, Aubrey Robertson, John Ritchey, and Roy Stephens.

GET THE HABIT!  
Every once in a while a news article of some size, type, or description is missed by the news staff of The Democrat simply because we fail to hear of it.

Get the habit of phoning in news tips—you don't have to know the details. Just phone in the tip, and we'll try to get to work on gathering the details immediately.

The same thing goes for personal mentions—names and residences of people visiting you, or where you visited during the week-end.

Just phone these tips and news items to The Democrat—Phone No. 15.

HALL COUNTY'S CLUB REPORTS—WEDDINGS

# Society News

## Watermelon Feast Given for Friends By B. B. McMillans

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. McMillans entertained a group of their friends with a watermelon feast on their back lawn Friday night. Games of "42" furnished entertainment during the evening.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McElreath, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ferrel, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Chamberlain, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Clayton, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Wattenbarger, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Byars, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pritchett.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Newman, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Massey, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wolf, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Davison, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Strygley, Mrs. Holt Bownds, Mrs. Thomas Everett, Miss Rebecca McCann, Henry Boyd Newman, Eugene McElreath, Gordon Gilliam, Edwin Gilliam, and J. W. Slover Jr.

Music was furnished throughout the evening by Gordon and Edwin Gilliam.

Senator Clint Small of Amarillo was a Memphis visitor Monday.

Mrs. Roy Nix of Fort Worth and Mrs. Gertrude Greene of Dallas are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Shankle. Mrs. Nix and Mrs. Shankle are cousins.

## Pleasant Valley Club Meets With Mrs. Clara Rea

The Pleasant Valley Needle Club met in the home of Mrs. Clara Rea Wednesday of last week. The afternoon was spent quilting, sewing, and chatting.

Mrs. C. C. Spivey was the only member absent. Visitors present were Mesdames Clara Ellis, Kermit Evans, H. T. Rea, Ellis, Bobbit Dutton, and Katherine Whitfield.

During the business session Mrs. Jessie Gardenhire was appointed as a committee of one to make arrangements for the refreshments for the social meeting which is to be given by the club at the home of Mrs. R. E. Lowe. The next meeting of the club will be at the home of Mrs. E. W. Pate August 27.

## Ruth Paulsen of Nebraska Weds Eddie McQueen

Announcement has been made here of a wedding of interest July 14 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Paulsen of Bertrand, Nebr., in which Ruth Paulsen became the bride of Eddie M. McQueen Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. McQueen of Hedley. Rev. J. H. Chamberlin of Stamford, Nebr., officiated.

The couple were attended by the bride's brother, Herbert Paulsen, and Miss Nita Dannehl.

Mrs. McQueen wore a dusty rose crepe dress trimmed in matching lace with white accessories. Miss Dannehl's dress was of aqua lace. The men wore Oxford gray suits. Mr. and Mrs. McQueen are at home in Denver where Mr. McQueen is in the air corps.

## Family Reunion Held at Hartman Home in Memphis

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Hartman on 14th street was the scene of a reunion of the Hartman family Sunday.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Wise and daughter of Quitaque, Lester Hartman and Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Smith and daughters, Audene and Mary Jo of Austin, Mrs. Arnold McClelland of Marlin, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hartman and daughter Marlene of Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Coleman and son of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Campbell of Houston, and Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Harrell and children, Curtis, Vallie, and Adelle, of Memphis.

T. E. Noel left Sunday for Dallas on business.

## Baptist Class Has Session in Home of Mrs. Hattenbach

The T. E. L. Class of the First Baptist Church met Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. C. H. Hattenbach with Mrs. J. W. Fitzjarrald and Mrs. E. W. Evans as co-hostesses.

The program was opened with the group singing "My Faith Looks Up to Thee." Mrs. J. N. Cypert led in prayer and Mrs. W. E. Hill brought the devotional from 1 Cor. 13 and read the poem, "Love." Mrs. D. A. Grundy offered prayer.

During the business session Mrs. John Barber read the minutes of the last meeting and gave the treasurer's report. The class voted to meet at 3 o'clock for the next social. The president, Mrs. Charles Oren, appointed the following nominating committee: Mrs. Lee Thornton, chairman, Mrs. J. C. Wells, Mrs. W. E. Hill, and Mrs. J. W. Fitzjarrald.

T. T. Loard and Mrs. W. Wilson had charge of the entertainment at the social hour. Mrs. Loard conducted a contest on the Bible and Mrs. Wilson acted as instructor of art and had members of the class draw pictures of other class members. Some very good artists were discovered.

The hostesses served refreshments to Mesdames Sam Hamilton, D. A. Grundy, Maggie Holcomb, T. T. Loard, W. E. Durham, W. B. Scott, J. N. Cypert, W. E. Hill, J. R. Harrell, Charles Oren, Charles Drake, Claude Harris, C. W. Crawford, W. Wilson, J. C. Wells, R. H. Wherry, John Barber, H. C. Crow, and J. H. Smith.

Closing prayer was offered by Mrs. Claude Harris.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Sam Hamilton, September 10.

## Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Honored at Dinner At Ranson Home

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Godfrey Jr. were honored on their fourth wedding anniversary at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ranson, in Giles Thursday night of last week.

The centerpiece on the dining table was a marble cake topped with four candles and the initials L. and J.

A buffet supper was served to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lacy, Miss Inez Morrison, J. D. Sims, the honorees and children, Pat and Beth, and the host and hostess.

## Hooded Coat Of Camel's Hair



This substitute for the traditional polo coat, made of the same soft camel's hair material, has a full swagger back, wide shoulders and a flattering hood. It's worn by actress Joan Blondell.

## Peggy Jane Leary of Estelline Is Wed To Guy Leatherwood of Beaumont

Miss Peggy Jane Leary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Leary of Estelline, and Guy Leatherwood of Beaumont were united in marriage Sunday morning at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. A. Ballard.

Rev. Vernon Henderson, pastor of the First Methodist Church, read the ceremony.

The bride wore a black sheer lace-trimmed dress with white accessories. Her traveling suit was of navy sheer. Mrs. Leatherwood was graduated from Estelline High School with honors. She continued her education at Texas Technological College, where she received her business administration degree in June. She was active in the student and social affairs, including Alpha Chi, of which she was an officer.

Immediately following the ceremony was a wedding breakfast served to members of the bride's family and to Mr. and Mrs. Hulon Clifton, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Leary of Estelline and to the following out-of-town guests: Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Leatherwood, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Garner, Amarillo; and Mrs. Pete Henderson, Jacksboro.

The couple left immediately after the breakfast for Beaumont, where they will make their home.

## Peggy Jane Leary Given Shower at Estelline Church

Miss Peggy Jane Leary, bride-elect of Guy Leatherwood of Beaumont, was honored with a miscellaneous shower in the reception room of the First Methodist Church at Estelline Saturday afternoon.

The entertaining rooms were decorated with baskets of late-summer cut flowers.

The guests were greeted at the

## WHY MAX BOYER SHOULD BE ELECTED STATE SENATOR

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BECAUSE—Max Boyer has co-operated with the voters of this state and has voted at all times to pay old age pensions, aid for the blind, dependent children and for teacher retirement.

BECAUSE—Max Boyer received a letter from an error commending him and thanking him for his aid and help in assisting the old people included in the Social Security program, which was written on May 30, 1939.

BECAUSE—Max Boyer, when he saw that the would be passed by the Legislature, after the killed all measures passed by the House, and he ed for S J R 12, he then voted to adjourn the day which was costing the taxpayers of this State

BECAUSE—Max Boyer has always fought for the average citizen.

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## Coffee Given for Baptist W. M. U. State Secretary

The Women of the First Baptist Church honored Mrs. E. H. Lyons, state secretary of the Baptist W. M. U., with a coffee at the home of Mrs. D. A. Grundy Monday morning. Coffee was poured by Mrs. Lloyd Phillips, president of the local W. M. U.

Present were Mesdames Henderson Smith, Charles Oren, Mary Bownds, Clifton Burnett, S. F. Martin, R. E. Clark, J. S. McMurry, W. H. Hawthorn, Leon Randolph, G. H. Hattenbach, W. H. Hood, L. G. Carlos, Fifer, H. B. Gilmore, Ottilie Jones, W. Wilson, J. W. Fitzjarrald, Lee Thornton, Lloyd Phillips, D. A. Grundy, and the honoree.

Wesley Powell and Jessie Carnell of Clarendon were Memphis visitors Sunday.

## Indian Creek Club Meets in Home Of Viola Jenkins

The Indian Creek Needle and Thimble Club met at the home of Viola Jenkins last week and two quilts were quilted.

Members present were Mary Smith, Carrie Bruce, Lillie Harris, Jimmie Padgett, Irene Stewart, Alma Bruce, Martha Billington, Tessie Smith, Josephine Tyler, May Cooper, Mollie Vick, Thelma Jenkins, Norene Vick, Nora Vandeventer, and the hostess.

Neighbors, Alma Sheehan, Ruby Gardenhire, Mary Padgett, and Zettie Jo Jenkins.

## Harrell Chapel Club Meets in Home of Mrs. S. Shepherd

The Harrell Chapel Needle Club met Tuesday afternoon of last week in the home of Mrs. S. E. Shepherd. The afternoon was spent quilting.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Monroe Tell, T. L. Waddill, Wyman Davis, Lloyd Widener, Louis Richards, Edgar Daugherty, Roy Widener, O. D. Phillips, Trilton Davis, Roy Francis, Dick Martin, Windell Gammage, Jim Phillips.

Mrs. Alvin Jaynes, Misses Corene Phillips, Eloise Martin, Honora Phillips, and Mildred Richards.

The next meeting of the club will be in the home of Mrs. Dick Martin.

## Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hoffman of Lubbock spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hoffman. Miss Ruby Hoffman returned home with them. Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Harrison left Tuesday for El Paso, where Mr. Harrison has accepted a position with the International Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Tug Sanders and family returned today to their home in Grand Saline after a visit here with his mother, Mrs. L. D. Sanders.

Mrs. E. H. Stanford returned to her home in Memphis Sunday from a four weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. Rank Howard and family in Levelland.

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AY AFTERNOON... PURCHE... PARTIES, EN... PERSONAL... -CALL... DIST NEWS N... L. Doyle, Guest... m. Church Sch... me to the grow... Mr. Mayfield... Morris' worsh... render an anth... preach on th... Who? Mark 10... m. Epworth... folks are cord... attend... m. Evening wor... peoples choir... will preach on... Had Only Know... Now." An evi... from St. Luke 19... acting pastor's... you. Rev. D... and will be c... where his tea... early Monday... early invite all to... day... BAPTIST CH... Martin, Pas... m. Sunday Sch... m. Morning... m. Training U... Evening Worsu... m. W.M.S. Bibl... DAY... m. S. S. Off... ers meeting... m. Pray... me... services throu... worship with u... and evening... We have a place... of the family in... and Training... the mid-wee... Start a good... -come to... DIST NEWS... by E. L. Ye... pastor, who... (ll)... meeting of the... in July, it was... revival the... in October... we not been c... in this mind... the greatest pe... Sunday will... Sunday wit... him the lat... of the year... the cordial... M... B... Advent... brify can b... are adventu... The homema... heat out of... the homey... is an ar... an... of adventu... to plan and... and deser... the deep we... electric ran... without e... of flavors... restablis of... cooking new... one item... small amoun... by these elec... provides add... preparation? I... took the less... which are a... well cooker... new, is just... every spring... low, for it... just can't... prepar... Well Cooker... out Beef I... Potatoes... Cole Slaw... and Ori...

CHURCHES

CHURCH NEWS NOTES

L. Doyle, Guest Pastor... m. Church School. All...

New Jersey Man Heads Elks



Joseph G. Buch of Trenton, N. J., elected grand exalted ruler of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks at the grand lodge convention in Houston, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Cummings and family of Channing are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Williams.

BAPTIST CHURCH

F. Martin, Pastor... m. Sunday School...

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

E. C. Cargill, Pastor... Let us pray: "Our Father which art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name. Thy Kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For thine is the Kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen." (Matthew 6th chapter.)

W.M.S. Bible Study

W.M.S. Officers and members meeting...

CHURCH NEWS NOTES

by E. L. Yeats, regular pastor, who is now in...

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Sunday will be Rev. and...

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of the year. I appreciate the cordial reception...

received 79 per cent of the vote which he served.

has co-operated with the school and has voted at all times for pensions, aid for the blind and for teacher retirement.

received a letter from the State and thanking him for assisting the old people on the Social Security program, which was passed in 1939.

when he saw that the Legislature, after the session by the House, and before then voted to adjourn the session, taxpayers of this State...

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PERSONALS

Mrs. Eva Murphy and daughter Jimmie of Fort Worth are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pyatt.

Mrs. J. O. Haynes and daughter Daisy Irene of Tyler and Mrs. T. L. Rouse of Vernon are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Cummings and family of Channing are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vanya of Fort Worth visited in the home of...

Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Swift Sunday. Their daughter, Mrs. Swift, accompanied them to Colorado, where they will visit for several days.

Mrs. James C. Mahan of Childress visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Greenhaw Friday.

Jean Denny is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jake Roberts in Abilene. Miss Denny and Mrs. Roberts are sisters.

George Melear of LeFors and Carl Melear of Pampa visited friends and relatives in Memphis Sunday.

Dr. Alvin Baldwin of Olney spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Baldwin. Byron...

Baldwin returned home with him and spent Sunday night and Monday.

Robert Breedlove returned home Sunday after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Breedlove, in Wellington for two weeks.

Jack Deahl and Miss Rachel Deahl of Dodson visited friends in Memphis Friday.

Mrs. E. S. Foote of Cottonwood Ranch near Wellington visited in Memphis Monday.

Mrs. Robert Breedlove and son Robert Jr. returned Sunday after a two-weeks visit with relatives in Paris, Tenn.

line Stafford of Lubbock were house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Barnett the first part of the week. Miss Molly Davis, who has been visiting here, returned home with them Wednesday.

Winnie Lee Hughes of Erick, Okla., is visiting Frances Simmons this week.

Mrs. A. Anisman and son Sheldon visited relatives in Borger Sunday.

Miss Mona Churchman of Clarendon visited the Misses Black from Thursday until Saturday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Thompson returned Sunday from a three-weeks vacation, during which they attended the Golden Gate Expo...

sition in San Francisco and also visited their daughter in Seattle.

Mrs. R. C. O'Keefe, David O'Keefe, Lloyd Bond, all of Panhandle, and Mrs. W. G. Shaw of Itasca visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Periman Sunday.

Mrs. James Norman, Miss Rita Jane Norman, and Mrs. Fannie Norman, all of Plainview, visited in the homes of Dr and Mrs. R. E. Clark and M. J. Draper Sunday.

Miss Zady Belle Walker, who has been attending Northwestern University in Evanston, Ill., returned home last week. Mrs. James Hayes of Marshall accompanied her home for a few days' visit.

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Deck Wells is the preferred candidate of the Farmers and Ranchers, and People in Small Towns as shown by the vote from agricultural counties. Wells, who led his nearest opponent by approximately 6,000 votes, was first in HEMPHILL, BRISCOE, PARMER, RANDALL, SHERMAN, CASTRO, COLLINGSWORTH, DALLAM, DEAF SMITH and OCHILTREE Counties. Wells led his opponent in ARMSTRONG, CHILDRESS, COTTLE, HALL, HANSFORD, HARTLEY, LIPSCOMB, MOTLEY, OLDHAM, POTTER, ROBERTS, and SWISHER Counties.

There is a reason for such an overwhelming vote in the Agricultural Counties where Deck Wells is widely known— Because DECK WELLS has spent 15 of his 38 years in working with and serving men and women who live on farms, on ranches and in small towns. Having grown to manhood on a stock farm, DECK WELLS knows the problems of Farmers and Ranchers; having edited a newspaper in a small town he knows the Ambitions and Desires of men and women who live in rural communities; having successfully operated a small-town business he knows from experience the problems which they offer.

Hall County gave DECK WELLS a nice vote in the First Primary on July 27. Let's join the men and women who know Deck Wells at home—Let's give this man who has PROVEN his friendship to the men and women of Rural Communities An Even GREATER MAJORITY on Saturday, August 24th!

**"THOSE WHO KNOW HIM ARE FOR HIM"**

Deskins Wells is the only candidate who announced that he would withdraw from the Congressional race when Marvin Jones consented to become a candidate. He was willing to sacrifice his own personal ambition in order that the people might have the benefit of Jones' experience and ability.

Deskins Wells is being supported in his campaign by farmers and ranchers all over the district, and not by special interests. He has proven that he is a friend of agriculture and is strongly in favor of the continuation of the Government farm and ranch program.

Deskins Wells has pledged his support to the Red River Dam Project, and has already shown that he has given it much study, even while busy making the campaign for Congress

Deskins Wells deserves the support of his friends and neighbors.

**WIN WITH WELLS**

(This advertisement paid for by Hall County Farmers and Ranchers who are Friends of Deskins Wells and believe him the logical man for the office)

What's New in Cooking

By Gertrude Dent



### Adventures In Budgeteering

Thrifty can be fun—and are adventures in budgeteering. The homemaker who can stretch out of economical the honey fruits and is an artist and a scientist.

of adventuring in budgeteering is to plan and cook meat, and dessert all in one the deep well cooker of electric range. And this without even the tinge of flavors, even when potatoes of strong flavor cooking several foods at one utensil, and with small amount of current by these electric cookers, provides added economy separation! The constant measured heat is just cook the less, tender cuts which are also the economical.

well cooker menu which is just right for one busy spring days ahead. Also, for the busy day just can't spend much on preparation.

**Well Cooker Dinner**

Saltines  
But Beef Shanks  
Potatoes  
Onions  
Coke Slaw  
and Orange Pudding

Have a 2 1/2 pound beef shank cut across in 2-inch pieces. Dredge with flour and season with salt and pepper. Turn the deep well cooker switch to high and brown the meat in the cooker using about 2 tablespoons of fat. Arrange the vegetables around the meat, and put the trivet (or rack) in position. Place pudding pan on rack, cover the cooker, and cook on high heat until vigorous steaming begins. Then turn switch to low and continue cooking for about 2 hours.

**Steamed Date and Orange Pudding**  
(Serves 5)

- 2 cups soft bread crumbs
- 1 cup sweet milk
- 1 egg (well beaten)
- 2 tablespoons orange rind (grated)
- 1 cup flour
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 2 teaspoons baking powder
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1 1/4 cups dates (sliced)

Soak the bread crumbs in half the milk. Combine remaining milk with the beaten egg and grated orange rind. Sift together the flour, sugar, baking powder, and salt, and add to the soaked crumbs alternately with the milk and egg. Fold in the dates. Pour into greased pudding mold and steam for 2 hours.

**INDIAN CREEK**  
By MRS. NORA VANDEVENTER

Mrs. Martha Howard has for her guests over the week-end her sister, Mrs. J. W. Cole and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cole and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Godfrey, and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Randolph were supper guests of Mrs. Lillie Harris Friday night.

Miss Jane Harris of Amarillo visited her parents last week.

The Indian Creek bridge was damaged Friday night. The center portion of the bridge gave way, and crossing is now dangerous.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Ramsey of California visited in the Rex Rea home Friday night.

Florence Evans and children visited her sister, Mrs. Clara Bee, Wednesday.

Mrs. Burnett, and Mrs. Josephine Tyler and sons, Harry and Don, returned Tuesday from Dallas.

Otha and Elmer Gardenhire made a business trip to Claude Thursday.

The R. M. A. Baptist Church baptized members Sunday afternoon at the Indian Creek bridge. Those baptized were Sula Fay Galloway, Robert Galloway, Eugene Galloway, Raymond Martin, Tommie Boswell, James Gray, Colbert Chappell, and Billie Joe Murdock.

**PLEASANT VALLEY**  
By MRS. E. W. PATE

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Molloy and daughter Verna, and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lowe of Weatherly were Canyon visitors Sunday.

Miss Freda Grant was the guest of Miss Erma Gardenhire of Memphis Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Watson and children visited in the home of Mrs. E. W. Pate Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Daniel of Sudan visited in the home of Mrs. E. W. Pate last week. He also visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dennis of Pliska.

Mrs. J. H. Lowe is visiting relatives in Parker and Wise Counties this week.

Mrs. Kermit Evans and children and Mr. and Mrs. E. Ramsey have returned to their home in California after a three-weeks visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Harrison of Amarillo visited friends and relatives in Memphis Sunday.

Mrs. C. T. Johnson, N. W. Durham and son Dan, Bernice Davis, Clarence Partain, and Ben Buck spent Tuesday with Mrs. Zeb Moore in Amarillo.

Miss Lena McLearn is visiting friends in Dallas and Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cudd and Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Johnson spent Sunday at Medicine Park, Okla.

**SCS Men Talk at Rotary Luncheon**

Work done by the Soil Conservation Service and the Veterans' C.C.C. camp in Memphis, and what a soil conservation district would mean to Hall County was explained to Rotarians at the regular Tuesday luncheon this week.

Speakers were B. F. Parsons, who is in charge of the SCS office, and Jess J. Shaw, planning engineer for the SCS. Both addresses were received attentively, and Rotarians expressed their appreciation of the speeches following the meeting.

**NEWLIN**  
By MRS. FRED HEMPHILL

The revival services conducted at the Methodist Church by Rev. Wilford Jones of Welsh, Okla., closed Sunday night after ten days. Large crowds were present for most of the services and Memphis was well-represented at the night services. Special music was furnished by the Jones brothers quartet and Rayburn and Miss Elwanda Jones sang at several services accompanied by Rayburn on the accordion. The Baptist revival will start Wednesday night with Rev. Noble Crawford of Los Angeles, son of Rev. and Mrs. L. J. Crawford, in charge of the services. Miss Alma Rogers will conduct the song service.

**Crop Prospects Good Here**

Approximately an inch and a half of rain fell here Friday night which brings the total precipitation for August to almost five inches. The prospect for food and cotton crops are better here than in a number of years. Mesquite trees in pastures and ranges are heavily fruited with mesquite beans. Mrs. G. W. Helm states that in her observation a heavy crop of mesquite beans in August is always followed by a heavy yield of farm crops.

**Miss Whitten Injured**

Miss May Whitten, daughter of Mrs. Mary Whitten, was seriously injured in a car wreck last week in Oklahoma. One person was killed and several injured in the accident. Miss Whitten suffered a broken leg, broken arm and shoulder bone, and minor cuts and bruises. She was brought to her home in Newlin in an ambulance.

**Car Collides Near Town**

A car driven by Miss Melba Knight, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Knight, and one driven by W. H. Rowell collided on a hill near town Friday night. Miss Knight and her family were on their way to church. Both cars were badly damaged but none of the occupants were injured.

**Visitors**

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Cheves and daughter Betty returned to their home here after a two-weeks visit with relatives in and near Bridgeport.

Mrs. Pierce of Vernon spent the week with her daughter and family, Rev. and Mrs. Alton Vaughn. She left Monday for

**Memphis Golfers Defeat Mangum**

Seventeen Memphis golfers showed a similar number of Oklahoma's "finer points" of the game last Sunday afternoon when the local team downed a team in Mangum in 12 of the 17 matches.

City Champion Frank Foxhall led the assault, defeating Byron Clancey of Carter, Okla., 3-2. Clancey won the senior tourney at Amarillo recently. Foxhall, playing the Mangum course for the first time shot par figures on 18 holes. O. B. Smith, another Memphian, went one under par on his 18 holes, and it was also his first time to play the course.

Winning matches were Foxhall, Smith, Carl Eudey, R. S. Greene, Bryan Reynolds, Jack Norman, Carl Harrison, Tom Bob Harrison, O. E. Jones, O. L. Helm, Gerald Stafford.

Losers for Memphis were Marlow Dill, Bill D. Hart, C. O. Davenport, Jack Walker, Chesty Walker.

Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Crow returned last week from a visit with her mother in Wichita Falls.

Will Burnett and son E. J. and Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Shelton left Saturday for a business trip to Canutillo. Mr. and Mrs. Shelton will visit their children, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Whittington and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Shelton.

Mr. Lou LeCompte returned to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Cora Rice, after a few weeks visit with her children on the Plains.

Mrs. Frank Ellis was taken to a Memphis hospital Sunday. She suffered an attack of appendicitis but is reported improved.

Miss Nancy Lawrence returned to her home in Amarillo after a vacation of a month with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Downing of Anadarko, Okla., visited friends here Saturday en route to Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. John Messer and children, Edna and Ralph, of Swearingen spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. J. O. Hemphill, where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Glasco and family and Mr. and Mrs. Howell Steen of Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Steen visited here the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Martin spent the past ten days with relatives in and near Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Corey and daughter Annabell of Carlsbad N. M., visited in the home of Mrs. G. E. Nelson last week en route to their home after an extended visit in various points in Texas and Oklahoma.

Howdy, new readers at El Paso. It is nice to have three more readers to add to those other two, and if at any time you want to know anything more about Newlin let me know.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Partain and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Walker were Amarillo visitors Sunday.

Joe Crump was a Quitaque visitor Sunday.

**BRICE**  
By MRS. W. A. BATEN

The two-weeks revival which was held at the Baptist Church was most successful, with a good attendance each night. There were several additions to the church.

The rain which fell over the week-end was greatly appreciated. We want to welcome our new school teachers, Mr. Weeks and wife, to our community.

Dorothy Rhoades of Clarendon spent from Thursday until Saturday with Laural Holland.

Little Mary Hughes Colley, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chappell, has been ill.

Mrs. W. C. Rexrode's mother of Lefors is visiting her week.

Mr. and Mrs. Zack Salmon and girls have returned from Denton, where they visited last week.

Mrs. C. J. Holland and girls visited in the John Rhoades home at Clarendon Saturday.

Our school will start Monday with two teachers. Mr. Weeks will be principal, and Miss Lottie Durham is the other teacher.

Mrs. W. H. Tate is spending a few days with Mrs. Clyde Wilson at Clarendon.

Herman Cross of Logan, N. M., spent the week-end with home folks. He says the crops there are excellent.

Brady Pittman and family of Amarillo spent the week-end with his folks, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Pittman.

Mona Churchman and her mother were dinner guests in the Z. L. Salmon home Sunday.

Slim Gibson and family of Goldston, and Fat Gibson and family of Lakeview were dinner guests in the F. E. Gibson home Sunday.

Grandville McAnear and wife and baby were callers in the D. T. Smallwood home Sunday.

Ruby Waldrop was a visitor in the C. C. Rich home Sunday.

Mary Gibson spent Saturday night in Clarendon with her brother Walter and his wife.

Rae McNeal of Spearman spent Thursday night with his sister, Mrs. W. A. Baten.

Virginia Smallwood of Amarillo spent Saturday night and Sunday in the M. L. Pittman home.

Joyce McCrary has returned home after a week's visit in Amarillo.

Jim Fincham spent Saturday night and Sunday in the J. M. Johnston home.

Rosene Meed and Minnie Higgins were callers in Clarendon Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Baten spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Tommie

Pete Salmon spent Saturday night with Joyce Green and Mr. and Mrs. Harry and Mrs. Ray Fincham spent dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnston Sunday.

We will have four people for Baptism Sunday

**Scout Reunion**

his appreciation for the shown him during Reunion and Ro-Lewis, Shamrock wrote the following for J. C. Wells this

the fine time you (Mack Wilson) me as attending on July 24, 25, and I represent my troop in Shamrock next

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and Scout, service Lewis, troop 73, Shamrock.

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For 160 miles the Pennsylvania Turnpike stretches on like this, with few curves and no grade intersections.

PENNSYLVANIA has just completed the \$70,000,000 Harrisburg to Pittsburgh Pennsylvania Turnpike, first highway in this country to compare with the military roads of Germany.

Designed for speeds up to 120 miles an hour, the turnpike naturally will have tremendous importance in national defense plans. This importance is heightened by the decision of the Pennsylvania legislature to extend the turnpike on to Philadelphia, a move made with the encouragement of the U. S. War Department.

Completion of this second link would connect the "little Ruhr" of the Pittsburgh district with the sea by a ribbon of concrete requiring less time to transverse than that now taken by the fastest trains.

WALTER A. JONES, turnpike commission chairman, spent several weeks in Germany, studying that country's military highways before work was launched on the turnpike. Later he was called in by President Roosevelt to discuss possibility of a similar express highway from Washington to Boston.

Mr. Jones envisions such an express system linking Boston with Richmond and Philadelphia with St. Louis, with spurs to Chicago and other midwestern cities.

Gov. Arthur H. James of Pennsylvania, answering critics

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Roden, Tug Sanders, and Mrs. L. D. Sanders were Amarillo visitors Sunday.

### Civil Service Has Lots of Jobs Open; Postmaster Read Looking for Aliens

Just what's causing it Postmaster J. H. Read is not sure, but he does know for certain that the U. S. Civil Service Commission is announcing open competitive exams for a large number of positions.

The jobs range from fair ones to good ones, with salaries hitting a low of \$1,200 and a high of \$5,600 per year. The low salary is for a junior typist, and the high goes to two different offices, one a principal marine engineer and one to a principal naval architect—if you know what they are and have to do.

At any rate, there are a large number of jobs opening up, Mr. Read said. Details of the qualifications for the jobs, and application blanks may be obtained from the post office. Announcements of the jobs are also posted in the post office lobby, in case you are merely curious.

There's another thing that is bothering Mr. Read, and that is that he is unable to find any aliens in the county. It's a part of his job to see that all aliens register between the period of August 27 through December 26 under the Alien Registration Act of 1940. Failure to register will result in fine, or imprisonment, or both, Mr. Read pointed out, at the same time urging any aliens in the county to contact him at once.

The civil service jobs open include stenographers, typists, civil engineers, draftsmen, freight-rate and passenger-rate clerks, curators, motion picture photographers and technicians, marine engineers, naval architects, signal corps equipment inspectors, aeronautical engineering aides, inspectors of hulls and boilers, powder and explosive inspectors, and ship construction inspectors.

Most of the jobs require technical knowledge and experience, although some of them are not so hard to qualify for. Full information, including closing dates for receipt of applications, may be obtained from the Memphis post office, or from the secretary of the civil service board of examiners in any first or second-class post office.

Misses Eva Mae Holcomb, Demarius Gidden, Vada Webster, and Dorothy Dewlen are attending a Methodist encampment at Mount Sequoyah near Fayetteville, Ark. They are taking a course in leadership training while there.



E. E. (Red) WALKER

### Friends Working For E. E. Walker

E. E. (Red) Walker, Hall County candidate for representative of the 121st district of Texas, was putting the finishing touches on his campaign this week as the date of the run-off primary drew nearer.

During the past few weeks, a large number of Memphians and other Hall Countians have been actively working in Mr. Walker's behalf. Walker, his supporters report, is gaining strength in each of the four counties of Hall, Cottle, Childress, and Motley, and will "win the race by a sizable majority."

Well known in Hall County and surrounding counties, Mr. Walker has been a resident of this county for the past 28 years. He lived on a farm until 1925, when he moved to Memphis and became engaged in the insurance business.

In announcing for the office, Mr. Walker said, "I believe that I will be able to serve the citizenship with honor and distinction."

### Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Temple Deaver returned Friday from a trip to El Paso and Carlsbad.

Miss Edna Marjorie Townley of Eagle Lake is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Lee Elliott, for a few days.

Buster Helm is visiting his parents in Denton.

Mrs. Seth Pallmeyer, Miss Ann Pallmeyer, and Miss Tommy Noel were in Amarillo Monday. Mrs. Pallmeyer remained there for a visit.

H. B. Bennett is visiting friends in Van Alstyne for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Mayfield of Shamrock and Mrs. Roe Green of Wheeler visited Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Mayfield Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Mayfield are S. E. Mayfield's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Dunbar attended a family reunion of her family in Childress Sunday.

Mrs. J. P. Meeks of Childress spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Mayfield. Mrs. Meeka is Mrs. Mayfield's mother.

Miss Beth Weathersbee spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Barney Burnett.

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For Representative, 121st District

Walker is a man of Character, Ability, and Experience.

Walker will co-operate with Governor W. Lee O'Daniel in the interest of Old Age Benefits and Social Security.

He has the Determination and HORSE SENSE to GET THE JOB DONE.

With Walker as Representative, this District will be PROPERLY represented. He will go to Austin with 100 per cent RESPECT toward the citizens of this District.

Remember Walker is a PERMANENT RESIDENT of this District and has been for 28 years.

**Hall County "Walker for Representative" Club**

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JAMES P. ALEXANDER

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is phenomenal. Of 608 opinions by Judge on the Court of Civil Appeals at Waco only reversed by the Supreme Court... His record is perfect. Born in a Texas log cabin, Judge practiced law 14 years and has served 18 Texas judge, the last ten years as Associate Court of Civil Appeals at Waco. He is the Chief Justice of the Texas Supreme Court.

### MAN FOR CHIEF JUSTICE

by citizens whose only interest is a Supreme Court of ability and integrity)

### Eubank in City on Campaign Rounds

Paul Eubank of Motley County, candidate for state representative of the 121st district, was in Memphis this week making last-minute visits in behalf of his campaign.

"It is my purpose, if elected as your representative," the candidate said in announcing for the office, "to offer and support a program of constructive legislation designed to further the interest and welfare of Hall, Childress, Cottle, and Motley counties in particular, and of the state in general."

"I believe that our district is entitled to dependable and effective representation. I further believe that the man who is elected to this office should be one who is desirous of serving the needs of the people of this legislative district rather than using the office as a political stepping-stone or for mere personal advancement."

### Test Your I. Q.

HERE are five multiple choice questions to test your knowledge of the world about you.

- If you wanted to go to the capital of Chile, you'd ask the agent for a ticket to (a) Santiago; (b) Lima; (c) Valparaiso; (d) Concepcion.
- If a friend told you he had eczema, you'd notice he had (a) his arm in a sling; (b) inflamed skin; (c) a swollen neck; (d) falling hair.
- If you were a Volga boatman and went the full length of that river, you'd wind up in (a) the Black Sea; (b) the Red Sea; (c) the Caspian Sea; (d) the Arctic Ocean.
- If you took your little daughter to the zoo, and she wanted to see a chameleon, you'd look among the (a) monkeys; (b) birds; (c) lizards; (d) fish.
- If you wanted to see Jimmy Foxx play baseball, you might start by looking up the schedule of the (a) Brooklyn Dodgers; (b) Boston Red Sox; (c) Pittsburgh Pirates; (d) Philadelphia Athletics.

### ANSWERS TO Test Your I. Q.

- (a) Santiago is the capital of Chile.
- (b) Eczema is a disease of the skin.
- (c) The Volga empties into the Caspian Sea.
- (e) A chameleon is a lizard-like reptile.
- (b) Jimmy Foxx plays for the Boston Red Sox.

**Check this BARGAIN BALLOT!**

<b>SUGAR</b> 25 lb. bag <b>\$1.25</b>	<b>BIG 4 FLAKES</b> large box <b>29c</b>	<b>CRISCO</b> 3 lb. Bucket <b>49c</b>	<b>JELLO</b> All Flavors <b>5c</b>
<b>Baby Food, Gerbers, 3 cans</b> ..... 25c	<b>Cake Flour, Swansdown, pkg.</b> ..... 23c	<b>Tomato Juice, Goldbar, 46 oz. can</b> ..... 20c	<b>Milk, all brands, 6 cans</b> ..... 23c
<b>Pickles, sour or dill, qts.</b> ..... 14c	<b>Corn Flakes, Jersey's, 3 for</b> ..... 25c	<b>Fruit Cocktail, H. D., 2 cans</b> ..... 25c	<b>Tuna Flakes, Wapco, 2 cans</b> ..... 25c
<b>Peas, Mission, No. 2 cans, 2 for</b> ..... 25c	<b>Prunes, gallon cans, each</b> ..... 25c	<b>Apple Butter, fresh, qt. jar</b> ..... 15c	<b>Kraut, No. 2 1/2 cans, 3 for</b> ..... 25c
<b>Magic Washer, large box</b> ..... 21c	<b>Bran, 100 lb. bags</b> ..... \$1.10	<b>Shorts, 100 lb. bags</b> ..... \$1.35	<b>PINTO'S</b> 10 pounds <b>39c</b>
<b>FRESH VEGETABLES</b>	<b>FRESH MEATS</b>	<b>Fig Preserves</b> Heavy syrup, Reg. 15c Seller each <b>9c</b>	<b>TETLEY'S TEA</b> 1/4 lb. 18c 1/2 lb. 35c
<b>Spuds, No. 1 white, peck</b> ..... 21c	<b>Lettuce, large firm heads, 2 for</b> ..... 9c	<b>Oranges, med. size, dozen</b> ..... 16c	<b>Lemons, large size, dozen</b> ..... 21c
<b>Green Beans, 2 lbs. for</b> ..... 13c	<b>Apples, bulk, delicious, pk.</b> ..... 34c	<b>Grapes, Thompson seedless, 3 lbs</b> ..... 25c	<b>Bacon, smoked, sliced, lb.</b> ..... 18c
<b>Roast, beef rib or brisket, lb.</b> ..... 15c	<b>Sausage, pure pork, lb.</b> ..... 18c	<b>Steak, tender, lb.</b> ..... 20c	<b>Cheese, Longhorn, lb.</b> ..... 21c
<b>Dry Salt, best grade, lb.</b> ..... 13c			

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**TEXAS CHIEF JUSTICE**

**MAN FOR CHIEF JUSTICE**

**STATION**

Comments—

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rains like that don't come often. A forty to fifty thousand bale cotton crop, and more feed than in years, is freely predicted now for Hall County. I had rather see the smiles of my friends, enjoy the sight of good crops, and these cloudy and cool days and nights than a vacation in the mountains with the attendant scenes of grandeur.

A certain Methodist preacher will have to do some tall explaining when he gets back to Memphis from Illinois. Just as soon as he left here it began to rain and the weather turned cooler. His substitute expected to find hot weather, sandstorms, and a drought here. Instead he found directly the opposite.

This would be a fine time to have a general cleaning up in Memphis. Grass needs mowing and trimming, weeds need cutting, and excess rubbish needs to be removed. With plenty of moisture to make things grow, let's help it by using the hoe and rake frequently.

With conditions a lot more promising, I wonder if there aren't some more people who would like to have a part in the Fairview waterworks. Naf sed.

Visitors to City Park find something new every time they pay a visit there. C. C. Hodges, one of the Park Board members, is putting in a lot of thought, time and effort in getting things done that

"Build-Up" for Women Helps Avoid Distress

Do you suffer periodically from headaches, nervousness, irritability, cramp-like pain? If so, here's good news! These may be symptoms of functional dysmenorrhea due to malnutrition, often helped by CARDUI.

CARDUI usually increases appetite and the flow of gastric juice; so aids digestion and helps build up strength, energy, physical resistance. Result for many is less periodic distress. Or you may find this also helps ease your periodic discomfort. Take CARDUI a few days before and during "the time." 50 years of use and popularity invite your confidence in CARDUI.

will prove permanent and worth while at the park. Other members of the park committee are also giving much time and thought to beautification, but Mr. Hodges is continually seeking new ideas that will blend with the general scheme of beautification plan.

Mr. Hodges and his associates are to be commended for a job being done well. I was in Clayton, Hodges' former place of abode, recently, and found that the people of Clayton think a lot of him and that he was one of that town's leading citizens before moving here, and that he was always in the forefront in doing things for the community's improvement.

Last week The Democrat staff poet wished that he could find something that would rhyme with silver, and the linotype operator suggested the word orange. To which the poet replies this week as follows:

"Dear Linotype Operator: Next week as I loil beneath the shade of some jack bush patiently waiting for some elusive mudcat to nibble my stink bait, I will try to work out this Silver-Orange combination. I think you have something there, Old Top, like this: If I had a little silver and it was all I had, I might spend it for an orange and the orange might be bad. You might hand this little verse to my old college chum for this week:

FLIES

Oftimes when I go home from work, feeling kind of punk and tired, I want to cock my feet up high and sit in the back yard.

No matter where I place my chair to get the right effect, the sun breaks through the leaves to hit me on the neck.

And all the flies for miles around come near to peck and see; and if I happen to doze a bit they make a meal off me.

Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Porter Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson and son Coy Gayle visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Will Gorren and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Gorren in Eldorado, Okla., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Black of Clarendon are the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Durham this week. Mrs. Buck and Mrs. Durham are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Jones of Mount Dora, N. M., visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ranson the first part of last week.

Mrs. Robert Williams and daughter are visiting her parents in Hedley.

Fair Art in Action!



Here is one of a score of artists working in the Art in Action exhibit on Treasure Island. Note the rapt expressions on the group watching the artist as she begins building a clay and tile picture in the Palace of Fine Arts.



Judge James P. Alexander of McLennan County, run-off candidate for Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Texas, spends a few pleasant hours at his home in Waco with Mrs. Alexander and his two daughters, Nancy Lu and Betty Jane, before starting on an intensive last week campaign for votes at the August 24th primary.

1,500 Meet at Tate Grove for Tenth Annual Picnic of Donley Old Settlers

Hall Countians Get Army Assignments

Assignments of four Hall County men who have recently enlisted in the U. S. Army were announced this week by George T. Coleman, recruiting officer of the Lubbock station.

Elbert A. Adams and Warren G. Adams were assigned to infantry at Fort Sam Houston; James R. Carrouthers went into field artillery at Fort D. A. Russell; and Sidney Mayfield was assigned to the air corps at Lowry Field, Colo., and later transferred to the 36th bombardment squadron.

A total of 183 enlisted at the Lubbock station during the first ten days in August, Coleman said. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Prather of Lazbuddy are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Prather. Mr. and Mrs. Prather are Claude Prather's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McKinney of Dallas spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. T. F. McKinney. W. M. and T. F. McKinney are brothers.

Vegetable Laxative Makes Happy Friends

Here's a laxative that usually acts thoroughly as harsher ones but is a gentle persuader for intestines when used this way. A quarter to a half-teaspoonful of spicy, aromatic BLACK-DRAUGHT on your tongue tonight; a drink of water. There's usually time for a good night's rest, with a gentle, thorough action next morning relieving constipation's headaches, biliousness, sour stomach, bad breath.

BLACK-DRAUGHT is a splendid combination of vegetable ingredients, chief of which is an "intestinal tonic-laxative" that helps impart tone to lazy bowel muscles. It's economical. 25 to 40 doses: 25c.

ESTELLINE

By MRS. FRED BERRY

Estelline was blessed with a 1 1/2 inch rain last Friday night. It was the first good rain that has fallen here since last June. Crops in this section of the country are looking good now.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Holcomb and Miss Dorothy Woods of Los Angeles arrived here Saturday night for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eddins and family spent Saturday night in the home of her sister, Mrs. Bill Monzingo of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cooper spent Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Swain Young of Childress. Mr. and Mrs. Young returned home with them and spent Sunday in Estelline.

Miss Mildred Gidden of Memphis attended the shower given for Miss Peggy Jane Leary in Estelline Saturday.

Miss Jacqueline Fowler of Lawton, Okla., is visiting in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Darby.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Richburg and family of Turkey visited in the home of Cecil Adams over the week-end.

Mrs. Fred Berry and children returned to their home in Estelline Friday after a visit in Oklahoma City and Bowie.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Steed spent Sunday in the home of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Greer left for a trip to Denver Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Berry has been transferred from Mississippi to Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Wise and Bussy Wise have returned to their home in Houston after a visit here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wise.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Simpson of Vernon visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Eddins, Sunday and Miss Delice Eddins accompanied them home for a visit.

Mrs. Pete Henderson of Jackboro attended the wedding of Miss Peggy Jane Leary and Guy Leatherwood.

Mrs. Harry Delaney and daughter of Memphis attended the shower for Miss Peggy Leary Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks spent Sunday in Quitaque.

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FOR SALE—1936 4-door Ford. Driven less than 25,000 miles. Good care, good condition. J. M. Dalton. dh

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STRAYED or STOLEN—From my farm at Eli, a roan 2-year-old heifer. Ed Lane. 1p

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FOR RENT—4-room apartment, recently redecorated. Mrs. Silas Wood, phone 138-M

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. Modern conveniences. Phone 307W. 9-3p

FOR RENT—Unfurnished apartment. Close in. 722 Bradford. 1p

FOR RENT—Bedroom or apartment. 710 West Cleveland. Mrs. Tipton. tf

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. Mrs. R. E. Martin, 1021 Main. Phone 87M. 8-3c

FOR RENT—Three room furnished apartment. Private bath. Close in. Bills paid. Adults only. 202 N. 7th.

FOR SALE—Fat fryers, commercial fed, fat and ready to eat. City Feed Stores. 1c

FOR RENT—Furnished Apartment, 209 N. 10th St.—Mrs. J. W. Slover. 1p

Wanted

RELIABLE lady can make excellent connections handling Watkins products in Memphis. Watkins lady dealers average \$15 to \$20 a week. Steady work. Write J. R. Watkins Company, 70 W. Iowa Ave., Memphis, Tenn. 8-3c

SALESMEN WANTED to operate in different towns in West Texas. For further information call in person or write The Western Life Insurance Company, 31 Johnson Building, Amarillo, Texas. 9-4c

WANTED—Two men boarders, or rent nice bedroom. Mrs. W. B. Funk, 814 Dover. 1p

Miscellaneous

Get Your MATTRESS renovated and cleaned—special prices on inner spring mattresses. Hawthorn Mattress Factory, 400 South 6th Street. 9-4c

Jack and Jill Carried Water—But Nearly as Much as Most Farm W...

How many miles is it from the house to the well on the average farm?

An engineer for the United States Department of Agriculture recently found that a farm woman who was born and who died on the same farm after an active 50 years of operating the place had been obliged to make on an average of four trips a day from the house to the well to provide water for the household. The well was 20 feet from the house and was 10 feet lower, so that a walk down hill and up was necessary.

The engineer calculated that during 50 years this woman had carried 7,000 barrels of water from

the well to the house, but a distance equivalent to New York to San Francisco, and had climbed down Pike's Peak.

Home demonstrations of other workers of the College Extension Service are financially able to home conveniences, they do not already have.

According to Mrs. Benton, extension specialist in improvement, there is a hold labor-saving device more valuable than a system and sewage disposal

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SYRUP, Sorghum 65c NEW CROP, PER GALLON Crackers, 2 lb. box Tomatoes, 4 No. 2 cans Corn, 4 No. 2 cans Corn Flakes, Jerseys, big box, 3 Big Ben Soap, 7 bars Cherries, Pie, 2 No. 2 cans Pineapple, 3 flats, crushed SHORTS \$1.25 WHITE BAGS Cauliflower, per head Sweet Pepper, per lb. Squash, per lb. Cucumber, per lb. Peas, fresh blackeyes, per lb. Matches, per carton Apple Sauce, No. 2 can FLOUR, Dobry's Best, 48 lbs. \$ MEAL 20 lbs. MARKET SPECIALS Meadolake, with spoon Dry Salt Bacon, No. 1 Sausage, pork Steak

Week End Specials COFFEE Folgers, 1 lb. 26c; 2 lbs. 51c SUGAR, pure cane, 10 lbs. 53c; 25 lbs. \$1.32 SNOWDRIFT or CRISCO, 3 lbs. 51c; 6 lbs. 99c MILK, Pet or Carnation, 7 cans 25c SOAP, Palmolive or Camay, 3 bars 19c SOAP, Woodbury's Facial, 4 bars 24c SOAP, P. & G. or C. W., 6 bars 23c BIG 4 SOAP FLAKES, package 33c OXYDOL, large Package 21c AMAZING OFFER THIS HANDY KITCHEN KNIFE SET WITH 1 LABEL OR TOP FROM ANY BOX OF LIPTON TEA 25c ONLY LIPTON TEA 1/4 lb. 22c, 1/2 lb. 41c, 1 lb. 81c SPAGHETTI or MACORONI, 2 pkgs. 7c JELLO, all flavors, 2 pkgs 11c CAKE FLOUR, Swansdown or Snosheen 23c WHEATIES or CORN KIX, 2 pkgs 21c POTATO CHIPS, 2 large packages 15c VINEGAR, pure apple, quart flask 12c TOILET PAPER, Scott Tissue, 3 rolls 23c PAPER TOWELS, Genuine Scot, roll 10c PIMENTO, small can 6c; large can 8c VIENNA SANSAGE, 2for 15c; POTTED MEAT 4c TOMATO JUICE, all kinds, 2 for 15c PINEAPPLE JUICE, 2 cans 17c PORK & BEANS, Reg. size can 5c SPINACH, No. 2 cans H. D., 2 for 23c TOMATOES, No. 1 cans 5c; No. 2 cans, 2 for 15c FRUIT COCKTAIL, H. D., 2 cans 23c PEACHES large cans, H. D. or Gold Bar 15c PINEAPPLE, sliced or crushed, 3 cans 25c LEMONS, large size Sunlight, dozen 24c ORANGES, nice size, dozen 17c SPUDS, Colorado, red or white, 5 lbs. 11c; peck 28c GREEN BEANS, nice and tender, lb. 6c BLACKKEYED PEAS, home-grown, 2 lbs 9c CARROTS, nice bunches 2 for 7c LETTUCE, nice heads, 5c BACON, Rex, 1 lb. Cellophane wrapped 21c GROUND MEAT for meat loaf, lb. 18c —PLENTY DRESSED FRYERS— FRESH COLORADO ELBERTA PEACHES —AIR CONDITIONED— Prompt, Courteous Service at All Times City Grocery J. E. ROPER WE DELIVER Phones 463-160 615 BROADWAY—SPEED LIMIT 75 MILES

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**Rites—**

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pipe line welder at  
his death.  
Tommy Boyd, age  
7, and Denny  
Boyd, age 10, and  
Denny's parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. Denny  
Boyd, and Jackie Dale  
Boyd, age 12, were  
present. Mrs. K.  
Boyd, sister of the  
deceased, and Mrs.  
Arnold Hall, and  
Mrs. J. H. Boyd, were  
financially able to  
pay for the funeral  
and the burial. The  
deceased was buried  
in the family vault  
at the age of 12  
years, 1 month and  
12 days, by the  
Rev. W. L. Dennis.  
The funeral was  
held at the home of  
D. Weatherly, John  
Daniel, Jerald Mc-  
Daniel, Sam Cole-  
brook.  
Burial was in the  
Collingsworth County  
Cemetery. Mrs. M.  
T. D. Weatherly,  
Mrs. J. H. Boyd,  
Mrs. J. H. Boyd,  
Mrs. Elmer  
Kermit Evans,  
Mrs. Lucille  
Stos Ina Ruth Spry,  
Mrs. Fultz and Bobby  
Boyd, Mrs. Snyder

**Deskins Wells—**

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amazed at the lead which he piled  
up, particularly at the 81 per cent  
majority which he gained in his  
home county of Collingsworth.  
Since the first primary, large  
numbers of his supporters in his  
home county have been spending  
practically all their time working  
in the interest of his campaign,  
and a number of his former op-  
ponents are quietly working in  
his behalf.  
"I did what Governor O'Daniel  
said should be done in every town,  
city, and county in the state as a  
whole," Wells told Memphians  
Saturday night. "While serving  
as mayor of Wellington from 1933  
to 1937, I reduced the bonded in-  
debtedness of the city from \$220,-  
000 to \$163,000, without sacrific-  
ing any of the essential govern-  
mental services. This is what  
Governor O'Daniel says should be  
done in every city and every  
county in the state."  
"As secretary-treasurer of the  
Collingsworth County Agricultural  
Association, as an honorary  
member of the Future Farmers  
of America, as a co-operator in  
the farm program, and as editor  
of a county weekly in an agri-  
cultural county, I have been on  
the working end of farm prob-  
lems, and the over 81 per cent  
total vote I received in my home  
county is ample testimony to the  
fairness and the efficiency with  
which I have done this work."  
"As mayor of Wellington, I  
have been on the working end of  
the relief problem. I know the  
WPA and FWA program in detail  
just as I know the farm problem.  
During my term as mayor, we took  
care of our part of the employ-  
ment situation by building \$50,-  
000 worth of paved streets in  
Wellington, during the same time  
the bonded indebtedness was be-  
ing reduced. I donated my sal-  
ary as mayor to the destitute, the  
sick and the unemployed, and to-  
day, you will find these people  
hoping and wishing that the peo-  
ple of the Panhandle will send  
Deskins Wells to Washington as  
their representative and as your  
representative."  
"Nearly 20 years ago, I learned  
the working of committees and  
of the legislature of Texas as a  
reporter in Austin, and I still have  
that knowledge. As president of  
the Texas Press Association, the

**--Sample Ballot--**

Democratic Primary Saturday, August 24, 1940  
Hall County, Texas  
PLEDGE: I am a Democrat and pledge myself to  
support the nominees of this Primary.  
**For Congress 18th Congressional District:**  
DESKINS WELLS of Collingsworth County  
EUGENE WORLEY of Wheeler County  
**For Railroad Commissioner:**  
PIERCE BROOKS of Dallas County  
OLIN CULBERSON of Jackson County  
**For Justice of the Supreme Court:**  
H. S. LATTIMORE of Tarrant County  
JAMES P. ALEXANDER of McLennan Co.  
**For State Senator 31st Senatorial District:**  
G. ADY HAZLEWOOD of Potter County  
MAX BOYER of Ochiltree County  
**For Representative 121st District:**  
PAUL EUBANK of Motley County  
E. E. (Red) WALKER of Hall County  
**For Sheriff:**  
JOE N. COLVIN  
W. C. ANDERSON  
**For County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1:**  
J. F. (Frank) SOLOMON  
W. B. MORRISON  
**For Precinct Chairman:**

**Rain—**

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fall did flood portions of their  
crops. As yet, few farmers have  
reported any indications of worms  
or weevils as being caused by the  
damp weather.  
A number of county farmers  
have said that their crops will  
make between half a bale and a  
bale to the acre. One farmer  
said that even if no other rains  
fell, he would still be able to  
gather a "nice" yield from his  
fields, although a rain about two  
weeks from now would be greatly  
beneficial.

**Say, Buddy—**

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of Tarrant County is running for  
justice of the supreme court  
against James P. Alexander of  
McLennan County.

**Beautifying of Rural Homes Causes Families to Enjoy Country Life More**

highest responsibility that can be  
conferred on an editor by mem-  
bers of his own profession, I dem-  
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every editor in Texas that Des-  
kins Wells knows parliamentary  
procedure. Governor W. Lee  
O'Daniel thought enough of my  
ability that he appointed me as  
a member of the Texas Coronado  
Commission, and I am still serv-  
ing as a member of that com-  
mission.  
"From 15 years of first-hand  
experience, I know the difficul-  
ties of the small merchant in  
keeping his doors open during  
years of drought, depression, and  
low prices. I know what it is to  
work for the other man on a sal-  
ary, and I know what it is to have  
people working for me. And to-  
day, I invite any and all of those  
who are opposing me to try to  
find a single person who ever  
worked for me in the years gone  
by who is not actively working  
now to try to help send Deskins  
Wells to Congress."

Voting is expected to be some-  
what lighter in the second primary  
than in the first, when approxi-  
mately 3,170 ballots were cast  
in Hall County. The belief is  
based on the fact that there is no  
run-off in the governor's race,  
as well as in a large number of  
other offices.  
Hall County will have, however,  
a larger percentage of votes  
than a number of other counties,  
due to the interest of the sheriff's  
race. In the first primary, Ander-  
son polled 840 votes to 83 for  
Colvin.  
Speakers continued to visit  
Memphis during the last week.  
Deskins Wells spoke from the  
courthouse square Saturday night  
to a large crowd, and was accom-  
panied by a large delegation from  
Collingsworth County. Max Boyer,  
accompanied by a caravan of  
about 20 cars, spoke shortly after  
noon Monday.  
Miss Inez Morrison returned  
last week from Spur, where she  
has been visiting Mr. and Mrs.  
Wilson Morrison. Miss Morrison  
is Wilson Morrison's sister.  
Mrs. Gladys Power and daugh-  
ter June of Clarendon spent the  
week-end with friends and rela-  
tives in Memphis.  
Earl Cole visited in the home  
of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dees last  
week. Mr. Cole and Mr. Dees were  
roommates in college.

**Locals and Personals**

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Williams  
of Albuquerque came to Mem-  
phis to make their home last week.  
Beryl Francis, who has been  
visiting in the home of her uncle,  
D. W. May, left Tuesday morn-  
ing for Prescott, Ariz., where she  
will visit ten days before return-  
ing to her home in San Antonio.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson and  
Mrs. Coy Gayle, Mr. and Mrs. Al-  
son Edwards and children, and

Mrs. Mary Smith and daughter  
spent several days last week vis-  
iting friends and relatives in  
Boyd and Fort Worth. They at-  
tended the homecoming in Boyd  
while there.  
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fultz and  
children, Betty and James, left  
Saturday for El Vado and Eagles  
Nest, N. M., where they will fish  
for a week.  
Lonnie Tune, Herbert Curry,  
and Orville Goodpasture were  
Vernon visitors Sunday.

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**AMARYLLIS FLOUR**  
6 lbs. 25c; 12 lbs. 43c  
24 lbs. 76c

LETTUCE, 2 large heads 9c  
GREEN BEANS, pound 6c  
GREEN CABBAGE, pound 3c  
CUCUMBERS fresh, 3 lbs. 10c  
GRAPES Thompson seedless, 3 lbs. 25c  
FIRESIDE or RANCH STYLE BEANS, 2 for 17c  
SALAD DRESSING, Suzan, quart 24c  
MEAL, Aunt Jemima, 5 lbs 19c  
POWDERED OR BROWN SUGAR 2 pkgs. 15c  
LUX or LIFEBOUY SOAP, 3 bars 19c  
PORK & BEANS, 16 oz. can 5c  
WHITE SWAN COFFEE, 3 lbs 75c; 1 lb. 26c  
TOMATOES, No. 1 can 5c, 2 No. 2 cans 15c  
CHERRIES, 2 No. 2 cans 23c  
CORN, W. S., or O. D., 2 No. 2 cans 25c  
SPINACH, Heart's Delight 2 No. 2 cans 23c  
KRAUT or HOMINY 3 No. 2 cans 25c  
PINEAPPLE, Sliced or crushed, 3 small cans 25c  
FRUIT COCKTAIL, 2 tall cans 25c  
SUGAR, 10 lbs., cane 55c  
OXYDOL, large package 21c  
SNOWDRIFT, 3 lbs. 52c; 6 lbs. 1.00

**MARKET SPECIALS**

PORK CHOPS pound 19c  
CURED HAM, end slices pound 23c  
DRY SALT BACON, pound 12c  
BEEF ROAST pound 35c  
SWEET CREAM BUTTER, lb. 28c  
STEAK, loin of T-bone lb. 28c

**DRESSED FRYERS—**

**ELECTION YEAR SALE**

- COFFEE**  
ADMIRATION 69c  
24c
- FLOUR**  
WILSON'S BEST  
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- SPUDS**  
NO. 1  
pk. 25c
- SUGAR**  
25 lb. bag  
\$1.25
- PEACHES**  
Colorado Elbertas  
doz. 25c
- GRAPES**  
California  
5 lbs 15c
- LIMES**  
doz. 10c
- Juicy ORANGES**  
doz. 25c
- Honey, East Texas, ext. gal 89c**
- Crackers, 2-2 lb. boxes 25c**
- Tomatoes, No. 2, 4 for 25c**
- Spinach, No. 2 1/2, 3 cans 25c**
- Beans, Pintos, 10 lbs. 49c**
- WATERMELONS 10¢ EACH**
- Peas, Home-grown, lb. 5c**
- Beans, fresh snaps, 2 lbs 15c**
- Yams, East Texas, lb. 4c**
- Lettuce, 3 heads 10c**
- BACON 18¢ SLICED, POUND**
- Bologna, 2 pounds 25c**
- Oleo, 2 pounds 25c**
- Lunch Meats, pound 25c**
- Cheese, Longhorn, pound 20c**
- Pork Chops, pound 20c**
- Fish Fillets, lb. 23c**
- COMPOUND 75¢ 8 POUND CARTON**

**Final Plans—**

(Continued from page 1)  
class will be D. T. Simons of  
Tarrant County, who will act as  
judge. Mr. Simons is field rep-  
resentative of the American Jersey  
Cattle Club and is known as one  
of the outstanding cattle breeders  
in Texas.  
Howard A. Ferguson, who has  
acted as superintendent of the  
dairy divisions of the Tri-State  
Fair since the beginning of the  
shows in Amarillo, will act as  
general superintendent of the  
Hall County show. He will be as-  
sisted by County Agent W. B.  
Hooser.  
A number of outstanding cat-  
tle will be shown, including the  
two cows winning the grand and  
reserve championships of last  
year. The reserve champion of  
the Hall County show last year,  
owned by C. L. Sloan, took grand  
champion honors at the Plainview  
show last spring.  
Also to be shown will be cat-  
tle from Donley County, and it  
is hoped by officials that other  
counties will be represented.  
Visits have been made to various  
places, and cattle breeders from  
all over the Panhandle have in-  
dicated they will attend the show.  
Officers to serve during the  
coming year were also elected at  
the meeting Tuesday night.  
Chosen were C. L. Sloan, presi-  
dent; Chas. Williams, vice presi-  
dent; and A. Womack, secretary-  
treasurer (re-elected).

**Funeral Services—**

(Continued from page 1)  
of whom were present for the  
funeral, Sam Hale of Magdolena,  
Ala., and Bill Hale of Oklahoma;  
two sisters, Mrs. Mollie Calhoun  
of Oklahoma, and Mrs. Vena  
Baker of Magdolena.  
Mr. Hale was born in Belle-  
fonte, Boone County, Ark., Jan-  
uary 15, 1873, and had lived in  
Hall County for the past 25 years.  
His wife is the former Miss Anne  
Duncan.  
Pallbearers were Charles Mc-  
Abee, Charlie Ware, O. N. Hamil-  
ton, Floyd Limer, M. E. Ruler, and  
R. L. Duncan.  
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**Folger's Coffee**  
1 lb. 26c  
2 lbs. 51c

**SUGAR**  
10 lbs 54c

**WASHO**  
Dish Cloth FREE  
Large Package 22c

Jello, all flavors, 2 pkgs. 11c  
Corn Beef Hash, Armour's, can 17c  
Corn Beef, Armour's, can 20c  
Milk, Pet or Carnation, 7 cans 25c  
Calumet Baking Powder, 1 lb. can 19c  
Pimientos, 7 oz. can 9c  
Dog Food, Pard, 3 for 25c  
Green Limas, W.S., No. 2 cans, 2 for 25c  
Roast Beef, Armour's, can 22c

**Tomatoes, No. 2 cans, 2 for 15c**

**Macaroni or Spaghetti, 3 boxes 10c**

**Post Toasties, pkg. 23c**

**Post Bran, 2 packages 19c**

**Vel or Dreft 23c**

**White Fur, 4 rolls 23c**

**Soap, P. & G. or C. W., 7 bars 25c**

**Saniflush, can 20c**

**Old Dutch Cleanser, 2 cans 15c**

**Mrs. Tuckers' SHORTENING 3 lb. Bucket 39c**

**MIRACLE WHIP Quarts 32c Pints 23c**

**Swansdown CAKE FLOUR 25c**

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Tasty meals go along way toward mak-  
ing your meals a success. We invite you to  
come to our market and see our fine stock,  
to select the best meats that money can buy  
and try them on your family. We know  
that you will be pleased with the results  
and we know that your family will be de-  
lighted. Quality does make a difference,  
and with Field's market it makes a 'double-  
difference' since we price our meats so low  
you cannot afford to miss the bargains we  
offer.

**FRESH VEGETABLES**  
Lemons, Sunkist, doz. 25c  
Limes, dozen 10c  
Carrots, 5 & 6 in bunch, 2 bunches for 7c  
Cucumbers, long green ones pound 4c  
Squash, white or yellow, lb. 5c  
Okra, pound 8c  
Fresh Green Beans, lb. 7c

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### WHAT NEXT AFTER SUMMER?

**L**ET'S TAKE A LOOK into the future. What do the months hold for us here in Hall County? Will this be another of those dull falls? Or will Memphis, Turkey, and Estelline, as well as the other communities, experience better business than in the past few years?

Right now the prospects for a "good" fall look pretty good. Why? There are several reasons.

The most important source of money at present is from the parity payments which have already started coming in. AAA workers in the office here in Memphis speeded up things this year, and Hall County was the first Panhandle county to receive the parity checks. That sounds good, and more than \$200,000 in the next two months from parity payments will not hurt business at all. If the farmers, on whom the communities are dependent, have money to spend, then the business men will naturally sell more.

Before these checks even started coming in, the county got no small amount of money from oil leases and royalty sales, which helped pull things through what might have been a dull season. Of course the "boom" is now over, but extra money did its share in helping out during the dull summer months.

Schools will open within the next few weeks. Already the Lakeview schools, and several small schools, have opened. School children will need supplies, and the parity money will help pay for these. School opening nearly always speeds up business.

Hall County, fortunately, has had its share of the rains which have fallen over the Panhandle during the past two weeks. The rains, as everybody knows, were badly needed, and came just in the "nick of time." Now the crops look good.

Farmers throughout the county report excellent stands, that is excellent in comparison to the prospects at the same time in the past few years. Some farmers say their cotton crops will make from one-half to a bale per acre. That's pretty good, and will help both farmers and business men no little amount.

The fall season just naturally brings on more activity. Cool weather helps, of course, and then there is ordinarily more money in the fall. Any sort of activity tends to take worry out of the minds of citizens. And if people don't worry so much, the horizon naturally takes on a brighter hue.

Election time will be over next Saturday. Texans usually take a little interest in any races in the general elections other than the national races. And then they vote the Democratic ticket. With the passing of the election, still more worries will be cast aside, and strong supporters of one candidate or another will forget their grudges against their favorite's opponent.

The fall season means more money, more activity, and less worry then. Let's cheer up, and take things in the optimistic spirit. After all, our rain was one of water, not of bombs.

### THE SECOND PRIMARY

**S**ATURDAY MARKS the date of the second primary election of the Democratic Party.

There will not be the long ballot as was used in the first primary. Voters will not have to guess at one of the names, or leave it unmarked because it sounds familiar, or say "eenie, meenie," in choosing the person finally selected. The short ballot will allow each person plenty of time to study the way to ballot.

During this week, a number of stories on various candidates are circulating around. Voters should not let last-minute gossip sway them from their original decisions which were probably made through study and better judgment.

Neither should voters stay away from the polls simply because they have no particular candidate in the second primary. Our voting privilege is, in a sense, sacred, and we should be proud that we have it. A large majority of citizens of other countries do not.

### In Last Week's Democrat

### YOU SAW

NAMES, Hall County Citizens	1,410
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### Press Paragraphs

CULLED FROM THE DEMOCRAT'S EXCHANGES

#### Keeping Cool

J. S. in the Tullia Herald: Thanks to Buster Sadler we have this recipe—four excellent ways for keeping cool—for your experimentation: (1) Dress comfortably, (2) eat lightly, (3) bathe often, and (4) take it easy.

#### What a Joke

Bill Seromb in the Clarendon News: The weather is still warm enough that we can tell this old joke. Johnny, it seems, was strolling nonchalantly down the street when a local business man, just returning from his vacation, stopped him and asked, "How's your grandpa standing the heat?" Johnny replied, "Don't know yet. He's only been dead a week."

#### Horsey

Gertie Haskett in the Childress County News: Then there's the guy that claims he lives in a one-horse town, and that his wife is the nag.

#### Free (?) Press

The Apostle in the Donley County Leader: The United States is the only major nation in the world today that can boast of free speech and free press. That means that as long as an editor in this country writes nothing to offend the advertisers, the churches, the lodges, the unions and civic clubs, the subscribers, or his wife, he can fearlessly print just anything he had burn pleases. Hoo-Ray!!!

#### Wearing Apparel

The Foard County News: If Eve had only had access to one of the modern bathing suits she wouldn't have been forced to wear that stuffy old fig leaf.

#### Tired of It All

Douglas Meador in the Matador Tribune: Life may be a bowl of cherries, but any fruit is apt to become putrid unless dried, preserved, placed in refrigeration, or consumed.

#### A Dam Shame

Ed Bishop in the Dalhart Texan: It's true that we have a dam by the lake site but not a lake by a dam site, nevertheless lots of folks are using the picnic grounds out there. Last night we had supper out there and Mr. Alvin Cross told us that the crowds are increasing daily. Last night there must have been at least fifty folks parked around the different picnic shelters.

#### Money

The McLean News: It is said that money talks but it never gives itself away—men cannot do that.

#### Conscription

"Daily Brewster" in the Claude News: We might say a word about the proposed conscription bill that the papers are so full of lately. Almost every man I've talked to highly favors it. Yes sir, that's the only way, we've got to do it, so they say. And checking up on their age, I found most of them well in the forties (the age limit is 21 to 31). Nice going. On the other hand if you don't support it you find yourself in the embarrassing position of being with an un-American group who are against anything that might preserve America for posterity. Make mine vanilla.

#### Not Un-American

The Iowa Park Herald: Whether one approves or disapproves of the present movement for conscription for military training, it cannot be called un-American.

#### Logical Enough

The Ochiltree County Herald: When we hear aspirants for public office brag about how low they

be too open-minded. He might turn out to be a little lopsided in favor of things. Once in a while a guy's gotta be "agin" are in money and then in the same breath, tell the people about how well they are qualified to fill

### Test Your I. Q.

HOW good is your knowledge of the arts—music, painting, drama and literature? Here are five multiple choice questions to test you.

1. The portrait popularly called Mona Lisa was painted by (a) Giotto; (b) Titian; (c) Leonardo; (d) Rembrandt.
2. The opera, "Girl of the Golden West," was composed by (a) Puccini; (b) Verdi; (c) Beethoven; (d) Romberg.
3. The author of the Pulitzer prize-winning play, "The Green Pastures," was (a) Eugene O'Neill; (b) William Shakespeare; (c) Robert Sherwood; (d) Marc Connelly.
4. Shakespeare's play, "Macbeth," is commonly classed as a (a) tragedy; (b) comedy; (c) history; (d) farce.
5. The novel, "Vanity Fair," was authored by (a) Dickens; (b) Thackeray; (c) Browning; (d) Steinbeck.

### ANSWERS TO Test Your I. Q.

1. (c) Mona Lisa was painted by Leonardo.
2. (a) "Girl of the Golden West" was composed by Puccini.
3. (d) Author of "The Green Pastures" was Marc Connelly.
4. (a) "Macbeth" is a tragedy.
5. (b) "Vanity Fair" was written by Thackeray.

### Confession and Forgiveness

The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for Aug. 25  
 Text: II Samuel 12:13-14; Psalms 51:1-3, 9-13; 23:3.

**M**EN of generous spirit, noble thoughts and virtuous deeds may succumb to gross temptations and, once caught in the toils of sin, may be guilty of shabby and criminal deeds.

The story of David, the shepherd boy who became king of Israel, illustrates all this. Nowhere is it more vividly brought out than in the tragic story back of this lesson.

David, contrary to his usual character, was staying at home while Joab was leading the army in the field against a menacing enemy. If he had been out where he ought to have been, leading his troops, the tragedy might never have occurred. The allurements of a beautiful woman, whom he had seen from the roof where he had gone for the siesta, proved sufficient to entice David into adultery. Then, to cover up his sin, he suggested to Joab that the innocent husband, Uriah, should be put in the thick of the battle and then deserted so as to make sure of his death.

With the husband out of the way, David married Bathsheba for whom and for whose child he evidently had a very sincere love, but the foul deed he had committed was by no means wiped out. The child died, and a year afterward Nathan, the prophet, dared to rebuke David in a plain and exceedingly courageous way.

Nathan's rebuke was as well. He told the rich man who had done the ewe lamb of a poor man. What, he asked David, had done with the man who do such a contemptible deed? David denounced him as a man who was not worthy of being king of Israel. He might have destroyed his sin. He might have destroyed his sin. He might have destroyed his sin. He might have destroyed his sin.

**W**HETHER or not he was a sinner, the writer calls for God's mercy. We do not know, but in this Psalm would be applied to David's case, where he says, "I have transgressions and my sin before me." The clean and noble prayer for forgiveness from sin and the wrong. "Create in me a clean heart, O God; and a right spirit within me."

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high public offices, we think of a cartoon depicting a typical bum, dressed in rags with toes sticking out of his shoes, waving and gesticulating while he tells just how to cure the ills of the community, state, and nation. Underneath the picture are the words, "If you're so damn smart, why ain't you rich?" Being poor is no disgrace but we fail to see where admitted failure has been enough of a success in life to accumulate a few dollars is a qualification to hold responsible public office.

"Agin" It  
 Carl Rowe in the Turkey Enterprise: There's a danger that a column of something. Well, sir, then it's other that we can't see. The man can't see in his damn radio!

The Plainman in the Morning Avalanche: In a few years in this world then die and leave no living address!

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Dunt, and Jennie Page, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Childress Sunday.

### THE GREAT AMERICAN HOME

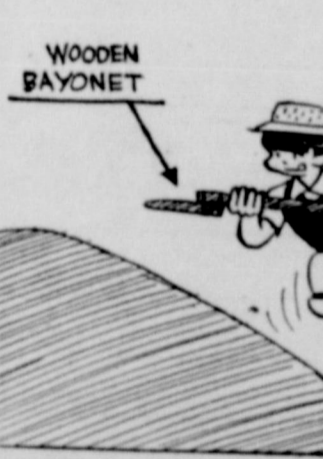


### Industrial Areas Key to Nazi Attack



German offensive against British Isles strikes at key industrial centers indicated on map above. Occupation of France placed Nazis in easy bombing distance of England.

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**Political Pouncements**  
 18th District: WELLS, Collingsworth  
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**Wichita Falls to Stage Celebration**  
 Papas and mamas, brothers and sisters, aunts and uncles, and folks who do the square dance; in fact every citizen in the Hall County area who is under 100 years of age, is invited to be the guest of Wichita Falls October 3, 4, 5, as the citizens of that North Texas city stage a celebration which they plan to make an annual event, according to the information received here this week.  
 For the first time in the history of celebrations, the citizens of Wichita Falls are staging a three-day celebration with many out-of-town visitors, sticking the home folks for the price of admission to pay for the visitors, according to Merrill W. Blair, general chairman.  
 "Wichita Falls has visited every celebration within a radius of 100 miles for the past eight years without once inviting her friends to pay her a return visit and now we are asking every citizen in this area to come in and enjoy our hospitality as our guest," Blair said.

**Max Boyer Cites Record in House**  
 Max Boyer, candidate for state senator, who received 42 per cent of the total votes cast in the first primary, enters the final days of the run-off campaign with the assurance of his friends from the rural section that he will have the opportunity to serve the average citizens for four years, when the final count is made August 24.  
 In accounting to the public for the service he has rendered the average citizen during the past four years, Max Boyer stated, "I believe the statement made by Governor O'Daniel in the daily newspapers following his election July 27, is the best recommendation I can give the people at this time."  
 Governor O'Daniel said, "The record of the 46th Legislature reflects the fact that you had 94 House members who did everything they could to aid in solving the Social Security problem. I urge that you take the record and from the record decide which candidate will most likely make the most efficient public servant."  
 "I have conducted a clean campaign and have never cast one reflection on the name of my Amarillo opponent. I believe that the high type of citizenship of this Panhandle country appreciates this type of political campaign and will not be fooled by the mud-slinging that lowers those who sling the mud," Boyer said.

**Farmers, Here's How SOIL CONSERVATION LAW WORKS**  
 Editor's Note: This is the first of a series of articles designed to explain the organization, purpose, possible accomplishments, and limitations of a soil conservation district. The articles, prepared by County Agent W. B. Hooser, outline briefly the points in the state soil conservation law. Other articles will follow before the next district election, to be held in Hall County October 19.  
 WHAT THE DISTRICT CAN ACCOMPLISH  
 The law was passed because the farmers wanted the law, and is a governmental subdivision.  
 The supervisors can do only those things set out in the act, and cannot levy taxes or vote bonds not provided for in the act. The supervisors will decide on the kind of program, arriving at this by advising, if they care to, with the land-use planning committees and with federal and state agencies.  
 If a farmer desires assistance from the district, he makes his request to the supervisors, who have the assistance of cooperating agencies. The agencies will assist the farmer in planning the farm.  
 If and when a plan is mutually agreed upon, the farmer and the district enter into a cooperative, and then technical help may be available to the farmer. The agreement will set forth the farmer's obligations, and the district's obligations in carrying out the conservation plan on the entire farm or ranch. Each interested party will understand the contributions to be made by the other, whether it be technical assistance, labor, materials, etc., before an agreement is entered into.  
 If a mutually agreed upon plan for the farm cannot be worked out, no obligations are assumed by anyone and the matter is dropped.  
 If there is any equipment or material that can be obtained by the district from the Department of Agriculture or any other agency, it will be controlled by supervisors. The supervisors are a governing body of the district. They have no money to spend and are

whole job for the farmer.  
 If the farmer does not care to enter into a cooperative agreement with his district, the services of the vocation teacher and the county AAA, the Farm Security Administration, or Forestry Service are still available to the farmer.  
 The farmer cannot be forced into a cooperative agreement after a district is organized.  
 Land-use regulations will only be considered after most of the district has already been protected

by conservation practices, and then only if a farmer's method of farming was considered a nuisance or menace to other farmers in the district. Ninety per cent of the landowners in the district would have to vote in favor of the land-use regulations before they could be enforced.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bickley and daughter Jane of Commerce visited Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dees en route home from Clayton, N. M., Saturday.

**Proposed Amendments to The Constitution**  
 H. J. R. No. 45 with which to pay such expense of said election. 7-4c  
 S. J. R. No. 4  
 A JOINT RESOLUTION  
 proposing an Amendment to Article 8, Section 9, of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding a new Section thereto to be known as Section 9-A; providing that the Commissioners Court of Red River County, after a majority vote of the resident qualified electors owning taxable property therein, shall have the authority to levy a tax not to exceed Twenty-five (25) Cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for a period not exceeding fifteen (15) years for the purpose of refunding the outstanding warrant indebtedness of the General Fund of the County by the issuance of bonds under the provisions of the General Laws regulating the refunding of outstanding debts of the County; providing for the necessary proclamation and expenses of the proclamation, publication, and election.  
 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:  
 Section 1. That Article V of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 3-b, which shall read as follows:  
 "Section 3-b. The Legislature shall have the power to provide by law, for an appeal direct to the Supreme Court of this State from an order of any trial court granting or denying an interlocutory or permanent injunction on the grounds of the constitutionality or unconstitutionality of any statute of this State, or of the validity or invalidity of any administrative order issued by any state agency under any statute of this State."  
 Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at the general election to be held on the 5th day of November, 1940, at which election all voters favoring such proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:  
 "For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to provide for appeals direct to the Supreme Court in instances involving the constitutionality of certain laws and orders."  
 "Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to provide for appeals direct to the Supreme Court in instances involving the constitutionality of certain laws and orders."  
 Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.  
 Sec. 4. The sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of said publication and election. 7-4c

**Gun Shot Fatal to Former Memphian**  
 J. Floyd Bates of Farwell, formerly of Memphis, died Wednesday afternoon of last week as the result of a wound received when his .22 caliber rifle was accidentally discharged.  
 Bates, who was visiting on the farm of his father, Ben Bates of near Bovina, died in an ambulance in which he was being rushed to a hospital in Clovis.  
 An employee of the Farm Security Administration in Memphis, Bates was transferred to Farwell about three weeks ago. He and Miss Von Biggs of Hedley were married in Hedley July 20, shortly before he was moved to Farwell.  
 Marcus Rosenwasser returned to Memphis Saturday after a visit with relatives and friends in Lockhart.

**Locals and Personals**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Howard Elliot and children of Wichita Falls visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Weatherly Friday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Allen and son returned from a two-weeks vacation in Colorado Friday.  
 Miss Joan Thompson of Clarendon returned to her home in Clarendon Sunday after a visit here with her cousin, Miss Martha Thompson.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Jackson visited relatives and friends in Altus, Okla., last week-end.

**Legal Notices**  
 if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in a newspaper in an adjoining county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Hall County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse thereof in the City of Memphis, on the 1st Monday in September, A. D. 1940, then and there to answer a petition in a Delinquent Tax Suit, filed by the State of Texas, suing in its own behalf and also in behalf of Hall County, Texas, and Consolidated Road District No. 1, of Hall County, Texas, which suit was filed in said Court, on the 10th day of May, A. D. 1940, and is numbered 2429, upon the Docket of said Court, wherein the State of Texas, in its own behalf and also in behalf of Hall County, Texas, and Consolidated Road District No. 1, of Hall County, Texas, is plaintiff, and F. B. Erwin, and Harriette Erwin, Dorothy May Hoover, and the heirs of Harriette Erwin, deceased, whose names are unknown, and the heirs of F. B. Erwin, deceased, whose names are unknown, are defendants.  
 And the said plaintiff, has implored the City of Memphis, Texas, and the Memphis Independent School District, taxing units in said state, to appear in said cause and for each to file its claim for delinquent taxes against the property, or any part thereof described in the petition of plaintiff.  
 Said suit is a suit to collect taxes on the following described real estate, to-wit: The north one-half (N 1/2) of Lots 13 to 24, both inclusive in Block No. 6, of Noel's Addition to the town of Memphis, Hall County, Texas, for the years and in the amounts as follows:

Years Delin-	To Whom	Amount	County	Consolidated	Total
Assessed	Assessed			No. 1 of Hall	County, Texas
1928	Harriette Erwin	\$3.84	13.78		\$2.84
1929	Harriette Erwin	4.80	5.40		2.78
1930	Harriette Erwin	4.80	5.40		1.16
1931	Harriette Erwin	4.44	5.40		8.40
1932	Harriette Erwin	4.20	4.80		7.20
1933	Harriette Erwin	4.80	4.80		7.20
1934	Harriette Erwin	4.80	4.80		7.20
1935	Harriette Erwin	3.72	4.80		7.32
1936	Harriette Erwin	3.72	5.40		8.16
1937	Harriette Erwin	1.47	2.55		4.90
1938	Harriette Erwin	1.47	2.43		4.50
1939	Harriette Erwin	2.11	2.43		7.9

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS,**  
 To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hall County—Greeting:  
 You are hereby commanded, that you summon by making Publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Hall, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in a newspaper published in the nearest County to said Hall County, for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, Nellie Johnson, a resident, is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be held in the County of Hall, at the Courthouse thereof, in Memphis on the 2nd day of September, 1940, then and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court, on the 1st day of August, A. D. 1940, in a suit numbered on the Docket of said Court No. 2445, wherein W. F. Johnson is plaintiff, and Nellie Johnson is defendant.  
 The nature of the plaintiff's demand being as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff is a bona fide inhabitant of the State and a resident of Hall County, Texas, for over a year preceding the filing of this suit, and they were married to each other on or about June 15th, 1937, and lived together as such until about one month thereafter, when she caused a voluntarily separation with intention of permanent separation and have lived separate for over 3 years.  
 Wherefore, he prays for citation to issue as required by law, that he have judgment for divorce, and for general and special relief, etc.  
 Herein fail not, and have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.  
 Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Memphis, Texas, this 1st day of August, A. D. 1940.  
 ISABELL CYPERT, Clerk of the District Court, Hall County, Texas. 7-4c

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS,**  
 To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hall County, Greeting:  
 You are hereby commanded to summon F. B. Erwin and Harriette Erwin, Dorothy May Hoover, and the heirs of Harriette Erwin, deceased, whose names are unknown, and the heirs of F. B. Erwin, deceased, whose names are unknown; and the heirs of Dorothy May Hoover, deceased, whose names are unknown; by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof. In some newspaper published in your county,

described tract of land; that on the 2nd day of January, 1940, the defendants unlawfully entered upon and dispossessed the said plaintiff, Ada Folley of such premises and withholds from her the possession thereof to her damage in the sum of \$500.00; that the annual rental value of said land is \$100.00.  
 Plaintiff specially pleads the three, five and ten years statute of limitation, alleging that the plaintiff Ada Folley has had and held peaceable, continuous and adverse possession under title and color of title from and under the State of Texas of the lands and tenements hereinabove described for more than three years after the defendants' rights, title and interest in and to said lands accrued and before the commencement of this suit; that she, the said Ada Folley, and those whose title she holds, have, claiming the same under deeds or deed duly registered, had peaceable, continuous and adverse possession of the lands and tenements above described, cultivating, using and enjoying the same, and paying all taxes for a period of more than five years after the defendants' rights and title therein accrued, and before the commencement of this suit; and that the plaintiff, Ada Folley, and those whose title she holds, have had peaceable and adverse possession of the lands and tenements above described, cultivating, using and enjoying the same for more than ten years after and since the defendants' right, title and interest thereof, if any they have, accrued, and before the commencement of this suit; during which period the plaintiff, Ada Folley, has such land and tenements actually enclosed.  
 Herein fail not, and have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.  
 Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Memphis, Texas, this 31st day of July, A. D. 1940.  
 ISABELL CYPERT, Clerk of the District Court, Hall County, Texas. 7-4c

together with penalties, interest, costs and expense which have accrued, or which may legally accrue, thereon.  
 Each party to said suit shall take notice of, and plead and answer to, all claims and pleadings now on file and hereafter filed in said cause by all other parties therein.  
 Plaintiff seeks the establishment and foreclosure of the lien securing payment of such taxes as provided by law.  
 Herein fail not, but have you

**AMERICAN HOME**  
 BY PUBLICATION OF TEXAS  
 of any Constable of Hall County—Greeting:  
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 ISABELL CYPERT, Clerk of the District Court, Hall County, Texas. 7-4c

**By BOUGHE**  
 OOPS! SORRY... I DON'T KNOW YOU'RE SITTING THERE!  
 WAR, HELL, & A OUT

FRIENDSHIP

By THELMA JENKINS

Mrs. M. E. Basham and grandchildren of California are visiting her son, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Basham and children.

Eunice Vick spent Sunday with Zettie Jo Jenkins. D. A. Neely and Mrs. Guy Smith and daughter Loraine left Friday for Denver.

Helen Wilson was a dinner guest of Ruby Gardenhire Sunday. The Baptist Revival will begin here Sunday.

Glenn Bruce had charge of the program at Training Union Sunday night on the subject, "The Negro's Deepest Need."

Anderson Gardenhire spent Sunday with Ottis Sherrill Holland.

Mary Helen Padgett is spending this week with Vonda Fay Blum of Salisbury. Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Padgett and sons, Merle and Eldon, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Theo Johnson of Giles.

PARNELL

By MRS. W. W. RICHARDS

The revival, which began here last Saturday week, is progressing nicely. There have been several additions to the church.

School began here Monday with only three pupils absent out of the seven grades.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Todd Sunday were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Todd of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Webster were Memphis shoppers Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Dunn and family and Mr. and Mrs. Day visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Morrison Sunday night.

Norma Dean Webster returned home last Saturday night from Elaview, where she visited last week with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Anderson had as their dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Allen.

Garland Solomon of Salisbury spent Monday night with Hubert Richards. They left Monday morning for Lubbock for a few days.

Texas Zephyr Train to Pass Through City Tonight in "Full Dress" Uniform

Memphians will have their first opportunity tonight to see the first fully-streamlined train pass through the city when the Texas Zephyr runs through on its initial trip in full dress uniform.

The train has been powered by a streamlined unit since last June, with only one or two of the new coaches, but beginning today the entire train will be streamlined.

The equipment, including the 6,000-horsepower Diesel unit, will be of stainless steel, and the mail, baggage and day coaches, Pullmans, and dining club car will be of the latest type, it was announced.

The same schedule, five hours cut off from Dallas to Denver, as was established in the test runs during the past two months, will be maintained.

The northbound train will leave Dallas at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, Fort Worth at 3, hit Memphis at 8:10, Amarillo at 9:45, and then on to Denver. On the return trip, the train will arrive in Memphis at 1:25 o'clock in the morning, and be in Fort Worth at 6:35 o'clock.

Frank Prescott, vice president of the Electro-Motive Corp., a General Motors Corporation division for developing Diesel-powered engines, and a group of Burlington officials will probably be aboard the train on its first trip.

AAA Cooperators To Be Eligible for 1940 Crop Loans

Rate Based on 15-16 Inch Middling; to Range From 9.16 Cent to 9.8 in Texas

All Texas farmers cooperating with the AAA will be eligible to obtain Commodity Credit Corporation loans at the full loan rates of their 1940 cotton crops.

No definite time has yet been set when all the necessary forms and instructions will be available so that loan applications can be accepted, George Slaughter, chairman of the state AAA committee, said, but the material is now being printed and will be shipped to the loan agencies as soon as possible.

The loan rate will be based on 15-16 inch middling cotton, net weight basis, with differentials for grade, staple, and location instead of on 7-8 inch middling as was the case last year, the chairman pointed out. The rate in Texas for 15-16 inch middling, net weight basis, will range from 9.16 cents in West Texas to 9.80 cents at all Gulf ports. As in 1939, the net weight loan rate is placed 40 points above that for the gross weight bale to compensate for the smaller number of pounds on which the loan is extended.

The full loan rate will be available only to cooperating cotton producers who have not on any farm knowingly planted or permitted the planting of cotton in 1940-41 marketing year. As required by law, non-cooperators will be eligible to receive a loan at 60 per cent of the rate applicable to cooperating producers, and only on that part of their production in excess of their farm marketing quotas. Non-cooperators must have their loan documents approved by the AAA county committee.

Loans will be made directly by the Commodity Credit Corporation and by banks and other local lending agencies under arrangements similar to those pertaining to previous cotton loans. The loans will bear three per cent interest and will be callable on demand with the maturity date fixed for July 31, 1941. Loans will be available until May 1, 1941. All cotton to be eligible for the loan must be classed by Board of Cotton Examiners of the Department of Agriculture.

Few loans were made in Texas in 1939, Slaughter pointed out, because the loan was not announced until most Texas cotton had been sold.

Miss Mae Love spent the weekend with her parents in Wellington.

Mrs. Jap Shaw and daughters, Mrs. Pauline Crow and sons, and Mrs. J. L. Lamberson of Hedley visited in Memphis Monday.

Coat of Oatmeal Tweed for Fall



This smart fall coat of oatmeal tweed, fleeced with brown, has a sailor collar of natural beaver and brown suede belt threaded through strips of the coat fabric. It's worn by Brenda Marshall of the films.

Wheat Insurance Deadline August 31

With only one week remaining before the Aug. 31 wheat crop insurance deadline, three producers in Hall County have insured their 1941 crops against all unavoidable hazards.

The 1941 sign-up probably will exceed the 1940 coverage, D. A. Neely, chairman of the county AAA committee, said this week. The three policies already applied for insure the production of 933 bushels of wheat on 130.3 acres in the county for next year.

Since no policies were issued last year, the increased interest in crop insurance this year indicates that the county farmers are realizing more and more that insurance on their crops is a routine farming practice, the chairman said.

The chairman reminded producers that application for crop insurance must be made before the farmer seeds his wheat or by August 31, which ever is earlier, and that no application would be accepted after that date.

GAMMAGE

By MRS. W. J. GOFFINETT

Billy Ray Young of the Webster community spent Sunday with W. J. Goffinett Jr.

J. B. Grisham made a business trip to Quitaque last week and returned Thursday. He visited his parents while there.

Miss Ruth Knight spent Sunday night and Monday in the home of Lucille Goffinett.

Nita Blevins spent last week with her cousin, Mrs. Russell Crone of Memphis. Junior Burnett of Newlin visited J. B. Whitten last week.

Locals and Personals

Betty Jane Thompson of Hedley is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Thompson.

Bobby Vaughn of Phillips is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Walker.

Mrs. Ernest Lindsey and children of Lubbock are visiting Mrs. Lindsey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Beckum.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Veacey of Clarendon visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Srygley Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cowart and son Dickie arrived from Chicago Sunday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Madden of Memphis, and with his relatives in Silverton.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sexauer left Monday for Mineral Wells to spend several days.

Joe Crump, Bill Johnson, and Talradge Pounds attended the rodeo in Quitaque Friday night.

Mrs. T. A. Roberts returned to Austin Sunday after a visit here in the home of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Williams.

Mrs. Leo Fields and daughter Linda Lee and Mrs. J. J. Simons visited relatives in Amarillo Sunday. J. J. Simons Jr. returned home with them for a visit.

Jimmy Reed and Brice Webster were Childress visitors Sunday. H. H. Lindsey was in Eldorado, Okla. Sunday. His mother, Mrs. G. R. Lindsey, returned home with him for a visit.

Rev. S. F. Martin is conducting

ing a revival at Plaska this week. Mr. and Mrs. John Deaver returned home Thursday of last week after fishing for several days at Gunnison, Colo. Mrs. Jack Richards spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Lee Martin, in Clarendon. A. Anisman is attending market in New York City. Myrtle Wood and Herschel Montgomery were Amarillo visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Earl Allen and children left Monday for Dallas where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson. Mrs. Allen is Mr. Wilson's sister. Carl Harrison was in Amarillo on business Monday. Mrs. Seth Fallmeyer attended a shower for Mrs. Guy Leatherwood in Estelina Saturday.

Miss Sylvan Wrenn spent the week-end with Miss Lois Waggoner in Clarendon. N. M. Lindsey was in Childress on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Duncan of Sanderson visited in the home of M. J. Draper Wednesday and Thursday of last week. Misses Jeanne and Martha Draper, who have been visiting there for the past week, returned to their home in Memphis with them.

Miss Jerry and Dwight Kinard returned to their home in Memphis Tuesday after a visit of two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Cearley R. Kinard in New York City. Cearley R. Kinard is a brother of

Jerry and Dwight. Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Stilwell and daughter Geraldine and Miss Doris Stilwell visited relatives in Bowie last week.

Mrs. Sallie White and daughter Melba left Memphis Monday for Worth, where they will make their home.

Mrs. J. W. McCulloch Sr., Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCulloch Jr., Mrs. Ed McCulloch, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Smith spent Sunday in Lawton, Okla.

Harold Foxhall is visiting friends in Austin for a few days.

CARD OF THANKS: May God's richest dwell on each and whose kind words of sympathy to bear the death of one. The beautiful deeply appreciated. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. sons. Mrs. Floyd Davis Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Family. Mr. and Mrs. A. Family. Mr. and Mrs. Book Family.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

There is a rumor current in Hall County working in the interest of one of the candidates. This rumor is unfounded and I wish that I have no interest in the Sheriff's race, am not making their own choice.

I Thank You.

C. W. CRAWFORD



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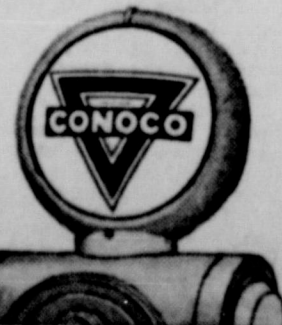
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MERE "GUESS-SO" AND "THINK-SO" are just old stuff these days, in discussing gasoline mileage. Now you can know—so... accurately! For awaiting you now at Your Mileage Merchant's Conoco station is your Conoco Mile-Dial—FREE.

THIS INVENTION makes Conoco Bronz-z-z gasoline put itself on record in bunk-proof figures. Your impartial, certified Mile-Dial gives you mileage proof that you can double-check and triple-check. If you think you made it too easy for your Conoco Bronz-z-z the first time, you can dial your whole Labor Day trip, with a week-end overload in your car—heading for hills or inching through traffic.

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# Society

## and Thimble Meets With L. Simmons

The Thimble Club met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. L. Simmons. The club members brought up toweling and other articles for the afternoon. The sewing work was done on a "grab box" from which each member received a cup towel.

Mrs. E. S. Fisher of the Baptist Church was the guest of honor at the meeting. Mrs. L. D. Sanders, Mrs. Hoffman and Mrs. E. S. Fisher were the hosts.

Members present were Misses Suia Fay Galloway, Florence Gardenhire, Dorothy Hodges, Jimmy Frank Grant, Elma Fay Gardenhire, Jo Kathryn Burdock, Billie Frances Murdock, Zula Lee Foster, La Verne Orr, Mrs. J. B. McWhorter, the sponsor, Mrs. P. E. Gardenhire, and the hostess.

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## Mrs. Cecil Grimes Is Given Shower At Country Club

Mrs. Donald W. May entertained at the Memphis Country Club Saturday with a morning coffee and miscellaneous shower, honoring her sister, Mrs. Cecil Grimes, who before her recent marriage was Miss Ellen Edwards.

Miss Beryl Francis of San Antonio and Miss Genevieve McCool poured coffee from the silver coffee services at each end of the damask-covered table centered with a large bowl of astors and zinnias.

The club room was decorated with bright summer flowers. Miss Betty Johnson greeted the guests at the door and Miss Anita Meacham presided at the bride's book.

Seventy-five guests registered during the morning.

## Plaska FHM Club Meets in Home of Miss C. Murdock

The Plaska Future Homemakers Club met in the home of Miss Claudine Murdock Wednesday of last week.

During the business session presided over by the president, Miss Florence Gardenhire, a social was planned. The time and place for the entertainment were not designated.

Members present were Misses Suia Fay Galloway, Florence Gardenhire, Dorothy Hodges, Jimmy Frank Grant, Elma Fay Gardenhire, Jo Kathryn Burdock, Billie Frances Murdock, Zula Lee Foster, La Verne Orr, Mrs. J. B. McWhorter, the sponsor, Mrs. P. E. Gardenhire, and the hostess.

## Adult Department Of Baptist Church Picnicks at Park

Members of Sunday School adult department of the First Baptist Church were entertained with a picnic at the City Park Monday night.

Everyone brought well-filled basket lunches. After supper, the different classes of the department entertained with stunts and games. George Cullin acted as master of ceremonies.

Worries were forgotten and the group entered into the fun and had a good time, it was reported.

## Mrs. Pauline Crow Entertains With Slumber Party

Mrs. Pauline Crow entertained a group of friends from Hedley, Memphis, and Childress with a slumber party in her home Thursday night of last week.

Ice cream and cake were served at 12 o'clock. At sunrise Friday morning, the girls cooked their breakfast at the Highway Park.

The group attended the Old Settler's picnic at Tate's Grove near Hedley Friday.

## Watermelon Feast Held at Park by Methodist Class

The Young Adult's Class of the First Methodist Church were entertained with a watermelon feast at the City Park Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon West, Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Greene, Mr. and Mrs. Al Burks, Bill Yeats, and Ralph Bennett played a number of games after the watermelons were eaten.

Dr. and Mrs. Ward Hicks and daughters of McLean spent Sunday and Sunday night with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Hudgins and Mrs. J. T. Hicks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dennis are visiting their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Dennis, in Trinity this week.

L. F. Jones was in Brownwood on business the first part of the week.

## Recent Bride Is Given Shower at Church in Parnell

Mrs. Wilfred Martin, who before her recent marriage was Miss Marietta Ferrel, was complimented with a miscellaneous shower Thursday of last week at the church in Parnell.

Hostesses for the affair were Mesdames C. J. Wynn, Zack Hood, R. N. Motherhead, Carl Hill, Pargue Winn, and Miss Lola Winn.

The guests were served dainty refreshments as they arrived. After they were seated, the following program was given: vocal solos, "Believe Me if All Those Endearing Young Charms" and "I Love You Truly," by Miss Lola Winn accompanied at the piano by Mrs. C. L. Sloan; reading, "An Essay on Men," by Miss Christine Trapp; "Always" by Irving Berlin was sung by Wanda Jo Marcum, Billie Travis, Christine Trapp, Minta Staggs, and Patricia Sloan.

Miss Winn, a childhood friend of the honoree, presented the assortment of gifts to the bride.

Present were Mesdames J. M. Ferrel, Earl Bruce, Wilbur Potts, Claude Navine, Josie Moore, W. W. Richards, Curtis Billingsley, C. L. Sloan, J. R. Morehead, J. H. Wright, Nelda Ferrel, Frank Cooper, Cliff Denson, Sam Cooper, Arthur Eddleman.

Mesdames Eric Trapp, Homer Qualls, Nora McCuston, George Weatherly, Leslie Bruce, J. M. Ferrel Jr., O. N. Hamilton, Ouida Larson, Tracy Jones, Willie Anderson, John Berryman, Jim Bgryman, Lucille Cope, Lee Wheeler, Joe Marcum, E. B. Wallace, C. J. Wynn, Zack Hood, Eileen Wynn, Arwin Hood.

Mesdames Carl Hill, Susy Davenport, Paul Roberts, Rube Canada, Elbert Johnston, D. T. Edkins, Pete Rigby, Bess Coppedge, W. E. McGlocklin, Bill Orcutt, Misses Louise Potts, Lavora Mae Wynn, Billy Travis, Minta Staggs, Genevieve Travis.

Misses Wanda Joe Marcum, Joe Mae Smith, Christine Trapp, Rebecca McCanne, Emily Smith, Charlotte Prewitt, Lottie Mills, Marietta Martin, Mary Helen Richards, Patricia Sloan, Lola Winn and Wanda Joe Tyree.

## Birthday Party Is Given in Amarillo For Mrs. Stanford

Mrs. L. W. Stanford was honored with a birthday party on her birthday anniversary at the home of Mrs. Rabb Harrison in Amarillo Monday.

Games of bridge furnished entertainment throughout the day. At the noon hour dinner was served to the guests. Those attending from Memphis were Mesdames Leslie Foxhall, Carl Harrison, H. D. Stringer, Miss Maurine Thompson, and the honoree.

## Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walker and daughter Penny of Phillips visited Mr. Walker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Walker, the first part of the week.

Mrs. John Henderson of Lubbock is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Al Burks. Mrs. Henderson is Mrs. Burks' mother.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Cole and family of Dallas visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Cole and family Friday. S. J. and R. A. Cole are brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pritchett are visiting relatives in Brownwood and Cleburne this week.

Mrs. W. C. Veacey of Clarendon is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Strygley. Mrs. Veacey is Mrs. Strygley's grandmother.

J. P. (Happy) Johnson left Tuesday of last week for an extended visit in Houston and Corpus Christi. He will visit his sister, Mrs. Herbert Roundtree and family, in Corpus Christi.

## Hall County 4-H Boys Buys Beeves; To Raise Calves for Show in Spring

Hall County's 4-H boys have selected their baby beeves, to be raised during the coming months, and are working daily toward the exhibition and sale of the beeves at the fat stock show, which will be held in Memphis next spring.

Beeves selected this year are even better than those of last year, County Agent W. B. Hooser said, and the show in the spring should bring out the results of better care of the beeves.

4-H boys who have calves, the club to which they belong, the number of calves they have, and the breeders from whom the beeves were bought, are as follows:

Holmes Posey, Memphis, three calves, two bred by Martin Crews, one by W. J. Lewis; Roger Eller, Memphis, three, two from George Sexauer, one from Lewis.

Horace Erwin, Plaska, one, from Sexauer; Bob Moreman, Brice, two, from Sexauer; Buck Johnson, Brice, one, from Lewis and Rorie.

A. W. Johnson, Brice, one, from Lewis; Eugene Gibson, Brice, one; John Hancock, Lesley, one, from Lewis and Rorie.

Carroll Fowler, Lesley, one, from Sexauer; Lewis Sanderson, Brice, one; Warren Stevens, Weatherly, one, from Wade Davis; Gayle Stevens, Weatherly, one, from Lewis.

## Stamp Office Will Close August 30, 31

The food stamp distribution office in Memphis will be closed Friday and Saturday, August 30 and 31, R. L. Madden, issuing officer, announced this week.

The office is being closed to allow employees time to make out the monthly report, Mr. Madden said. It will also be closed Monday, September 2, since that date is Labor Day.

All persons who had planned to purchase the stamps on one of the two days are urged to make arrangements to call earlier, Mr. Madden said.

Gene Lindsey and A. G. Kesteron were in Brownwood on business the first part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer White of Nocona are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cassels.

Mr. and Mrs. Rainey Elliott and son Jimmie of Dallas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Elliott, the first part of the week.

Mrs. J. D. Cain and son and Mrs. S. E. Mayfield visited Mrs. J. A. Harper in Childress Friday.

## Storm Gets Best Of 96 Sparrows—They Are No More

The thunder, lightning, and rain storm last Friday night and early Saturday morning proved to be too much for about one hundred sparrows—and so they aren't any more.

On the morning following the storm, S. S. Montgomery found a large number of dead sparrows in the yard back of his home. He counted 96 dead birds, and said there may have been a few more.

What killed the birds is not exactly known. Part of them may have been killed by concussion, caused by the heavy thunder, it was believed. Part of them may have been drowned.

At any rate, the birds were killed, and Mr. Montgomery says his cats are eating as they would if they were kings in their own rights.

Mrs. B. H. Hayes and Mrs. Homer Burleson are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Spieler in Abilene. Mrs. Hayes and Mrs. Burleson are Mrs. Spieler's mother and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Gibson and daughter Lottie of near Paducah visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Merrick last week. Mrs. Gibson is Mr. Merrick's sister.

Mrs. J. W. McCulloch Jr., and Mrs. John Ewen and daughters, Betty and Patsy, of Estelline were Childress visitors Monday.

Bill Smith left Sunday for Fort Worth to be at the bedside of his sister, who is seriously ill.

## Memphians Submit 'Betterment' Ideas

A number of Memphians have already responded to the call for suggestions to better the city of Memphis, Carroll Smyers, secretary of the chamber of commerce, which is sponsoring the program, said Wednesday.

"We have received some excellent ideas from various citizens, Smyers said, "but we want still more. The plan of the chamber of commerce is to follow out what the larger percentage of citizens feel will help the city."

The plan, approved by the chamber of commerce directors recently, calls for a gathering of suggestions and ideas for the betterment of Memphis, and the carrying out of the ideas under the sponsorship of the civic organization.

## Vote For GENE WORLEY For CONGRESS

GENE WORLEY of Shamrock

## THE MAN FOR THE JOB

HERE IS FURTHER PROOF OF GENE WORLEY'S QUALITIES, LOYALTY, AND DETERMINATION TO SERVE:

A Letter he Received from GOVERNOR W. LEE O'DANIEL

Austin, Texas  
June 8, 1939

Mr. Eugene Worley, Member House of Representatives Austin, Texas

Dear Mr. Worley:

I am sending you this little note to express my personal appreciation for the help you rendered the old folks and others included in the Social Security Program when you today voted for Senate Joint Resolution No. 12 to raise the money to finance these services.

If we continue to do all we can to pass this Resolution I believe a sufficient number of your colleagues will see the reasonableness of joining with us in submitting this Resolution to the people for their final decision.

If our united efforts fail, then responsibility for failure will most certainly "not" rest on us.

Sincerely yours,  
W. LEE O'DANIEL

GENE WORLEY'S RECORD, DURING THE SIX YEARS HE SPENT IN THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE, IS OUTSTANDING AND POSITIVELY ABOVE REPROACH.

The Experience he had there, and the man that he is, are sound evidence of his being qualified to serve us in the U. S. Congress.

GENE WORLEY IS A LOYAL TEXAN Gene Worley will be loyal and faithful to the people of Texas, and put forth the effort for our every cause.

IN THE FIRST PRIMARY, NOT ONE OF HIS OPPONENTS WAS ABLE OR WILLING TO MAKE A SINGLE STATEMENT AGAINST HIM.

Gene Worley has run a clean race. As clean as any candidate ever ran. He has run on his own. He is not under the thumb of any political machine or professional politician.

HE IS JUST THAT KIND OF A MAN!

WE WILL BE PROUD OF GENE WORLEY IN CONGRESS

He will protect the interest of the farmer He is opposed to the importing of beef from the Argentine, or any other products of which we have a surplus at home.

WE OF MOTLEY COUNTY SOLICIT YOUR VOTE FOR PAUL EUBANK FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE 121ST DISTRICT A Young Man... Qualified--Sincere ...Trustworthy "BANK ON EUBANK"

political advertisement paid for by Motley County friends of Paul Eubank

## Gene Worley Is Your Friend and Our Friend

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### SOCIETY.

#### Plaska Needle Club Meets in Home of Mrs. J. T. Dennis

The Plaska Needle Club met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. T. Dennis with Mrs. Blufford Burnett as hostess. The afternoon was spent quilting and doing various kinds of needle work.

Mrs. T. J. Spry presided at the business session in the absence of the president.

Visitors and members present were Mesdames John L. Burnett of Lakeview, J. T. Dennis, L. A. Bray, W. T. Davis, E. E. Foster, R. D. Hall, C. W. Jones, T. I. McWhorter, J. E. Murdock, John Smith, Ed Murdock, C. W. Riddle, T. J. Spry, C. C. Cunningham, G. P. Owens, Edith Dunn, Mary Lou Erwin, R. D. Nabers, and the hostess.

The next meeting of the club will be in the home of Mrs. G. P. Owens on August 27.

#### War Relief Fund Gets Another \$5

Another donation of \$5 to the war relief fund of the American Red Cross brought the total amount contributed to \$713.02.

County Chairman E. E. Roberts announced this week. The donation was made by Dr. J. W. Fitzjarrald of Memphis. The county's quota is \$1,240, set by the national organization headquarters several months ago when the drive was first started.

A quota of twenty million dollars has been set for the entire United States to care for the wounded in the European war.

#### Co-op Sells One Of Memphis Gins

Announcement was made this week that one of the two gins owned by the Farmers Co-Operative Society in Memphis has been sold and will be moved to a site ten miles southwest of Brownfield.

The gin was sold to another co-operative. The sale leaves the society with one gin in Memphis, and one in Lakeview.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hampton visited relatives in Floydada and Lockney Tuesday and Wednesday. Miss Nell Hampton of Lockney returned home with them for a few days' visit.

#### Palace

Thursday last day—Ann Sheridan and George Raft in "They Drive by Night"

Friday and Saturday—John Payne and Gloria Dickson in "King of the Lumberjacks"

Saturday Nite Prevue, Sunday, Monday—James Cagney, Ann Sheridan and Pat O'Brien in "Torrid Zone"

Tues. Wednesday, Thursday—Olivia DeHavilland and Jeffrey Lynn in "My Love Came Back"

#### Ritz

Thursday, last day—Robert Preston and Dorothy Lamour in "Typhoon"

10c FRIDAY 10c—Jean Parker in "Beyond Tomorrow"

Saturday Only—Bob Steele in "Billy The Kid Outlaw"

Saturday Nite Prevue, Sunday, Monday—Greer Garson and Laurence Olivier in "Pride and Prejudice"

Tues. Wednesday, Thursday—Maureen O'Hara and Adolphe Menjou in "Bill of Divorcement"

#### Future Readers



Mr. and Mrs. John Lemons of the Brice community are the parents of a girl born August 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brown of El Paso announce the arrival of a 7-1-2 pound son named Tommy Lane. He was born on August 11. Mrs. Brown was formerly Miss Thava Hemphill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Hemphill of the Newlin community.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Neighbors of Webster announce the birth of a girl.

#### PLASKA

By MRS. JOHN SMITH

Rain. It can rain some places and one of those places is the Plaska community. Estimates of the rainfall vary, but the majority agree on three inches. At any rate, one failed to find long sour faces around here Saturday morning.

Cars coming into Plaska stalled and kept a tractor busy pulling them out. Water came down through Plaska and made lots of people start wondering. Men, women, and children waded in the streets and in places the water was so swift, they were nearly washed down. The muddy water didn't get into houses as it did two years ago when so much water came through Plaska. The rain we got the other day and the rain which fell Friday night will help the crops in this community.

Visitors. Mr. and Mrs. Claud Hickey and children of Pampa visited Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hickey Sunday.

Mrs. Gerald Hickey of Memphis visited in the A. B. Hickey home a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Provence returned Saturday night from a week's visit with their children at Olton.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lackey of Littlefield visited Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nabers Sunday. Mrs. Lackey is a niece of Mrs. Nabers.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Harbinson and children, Ruth, Billie Louise, and Bobby Joe, of Conway visited Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Grant from Wednesday until Saturday of last week.

Mrs. Harbinson is Mr. Grant's sister. Clarence McBride visited his brother, Charlie, who has been seriously ill in an Amarillo hospital. Mr. McBride is much improved at the time of this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith spent last week-end visiting his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Morrison, near Melrose, N. M. Carol Morrison returned home with them for a visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Crawford visited in Littlefield Monday. From there they will go to Lockney to visit their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Muncy.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Morris and Loretta have returned from a few days' visit with relatives in East Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Wilkes and family of Hale Center visited in the J. T. Dennis home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith and granddaughter of Odessa visited Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Davis the past week.

Jim Childress of Alvarado is visiting in the home of T. J. Spry.

Mrs. Bill Morrow and Mrs. Hollis Boren are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weisenburg in Tulsa.

#### Farmer Needs to Record Expenses

All the average farmer needs to keep a farm record is a nickel tablet, a lead pencil, and a little time.

In big businesses an accountant designs the forms and systems, a bookkeeper records transactions, and the manager interprets the records. A farmer, as Tyrus R. Timm, economist in farm management with the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service, points out, must do all three.

Timm recommends this system for the farmer: On or around January 1, make a farm inventory to include all the farm property, equipment, supplies, and so on. Each item should be appraised at market value.

During the year, keep records under four different heads—cash farm expenses, cash farm incomes, total crop and livestock production, and products from the farm used in the home.

At the end of the year, take another inventory. The system will give a complete picture of the farm business for the year.

Success in farming, the economist holds, is achieved not by doing unusual things but by doing the usual things unusually well. The catch comes when a farmer tries to find out whether or not he has done the usual things well. Some sort of a record is necessary to check on the efficiency of the various farming enterprises.

Local county agricultural and home demonstration agents have available aids in starting simple farm records.

#### Locals and Personals

Mrs. M. E. Hicks, Miss Mary Ennis Hicks, and Mrs. J. H. Smith are visiting Mrs. Hicks' daughter, Mrs. E. E. Rountree, in Abilene this week. Miss Hicks, accompanied by Miss Betty Sue Kellison, will leave from Abilene for New York City next week.

Mrs. E. F. Lyon of Dallas spent the week-end with Mrs. D. A. Grundy.

#### Womack Association To Have Office Here

Announcement was made this week that the Womack Burial Association would maintain an office in the future in the R. H. Wherry Jewelry Store for greater service and more convenience to their policy holders in this locality.

There will be someone at the office at all times to serve the policy holders. In a recent report to the Department of Insurance, the Womack Burial Association had over \$1,000,000 insurance in force, this by far greater than any other association of its kind in the Panhandle—in fact, one of the strongest in the state.

Announcement was also made public this past week by the Womack Funeral Home that they would have a formal opening of their new modern funeral home in McLean about August 31. The Womack Funeral Home of Hedley put into operation a new ambulance this week, the new car being white with two-tone color of maroon.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture has developed a cotton hose, known as style No. 106, that is as sheer and silky as other hose. The National Cotton Council thinks it may eventually use up as much as 100,000 bales of cotton a year.

When a housewife serves a 9-cent loaf of bread she only gets a little over one cent's worth of wheat and more than 7 cents worth of transportation, labor, baking, taxes, and other materials and services.

#### Bottled, The Sun Tower



Pretty Marie of the New Follies Bergere bottles up the Tower of the Sun on Treasure Island, preserving it for the future, for it, like the 1940 Golden Gate International Exposition is destined to become a memory on September 29.

#### Detroit Calls McCosky Top Outfielder Since Cobb

BY ART BRONSON

DOWN the sports trails: Veteran Detroit fans say Barney McCosky is the best Tiger outfielder since Ty Cobb.

The home-grown sandlot product is a slick fielder and packs plenty of punch at the plate. . . . Is a big reason why the Bengals are fighting it out with the Indians for the pennant.

Tommy Henrich, Yankee outfielder, never gets on a train unless he has a cross-word puzzle to work out. . . . Has one of the best vocabularies on the team, as a result. . . . Although he has been bothered four years by attacks of appendicitis, Ted Lyons, White Sox pitcher, refuses to submit to an operation.

FRESNO STATE COLLEGE gridgers get a break this year by receiving an invite to play two games in Honolulu, Christmas Day and New Year's. . . . The Logan, W. Va., club of the Mountain State League hasn't had to postpone a game because of rain in more than two years. . . . Sydney Wooderson, British track star, has joined the army, after serving as an air raid warden.

Bob Joyce, pitcher for the Memphis Chicks of the Southern Association, won three games in as many days recently. . . . and needed only three innings to do it. . . . He worked relief in all of them. . . . Orville Fox, Wisconsin letterman guard, will be out of football season with a broken leg suffered playing baseball. . . . Texas enthusiasts are making an effort to bring legalized racing back to the Lone Star State.

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#### PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Rasco have had as their guests the past week Mr. Rasco's brothers and their families, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Rasco, Mr. and Mrs. Heitmueller, and Elwin Rasco, all of Cullman, Okla., Mrs. E. L. Moore and three children, Betty Jo, Dan, and Salie Ann of Oneota, Ala. While here, they all made a trip to the plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Hayhurst of McCamey visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Rasco Thursday of last week.

Bill D. Hart was a business visitor in Quanah Monday.

Mrs. G. O. Wright, Mrs. F. A. Howard, Jimmie and Betty of John Tidwell of Brownfield visited in the home of Mrs. J. T. Dennis.

Dr. and Mrs. M. W. Freeman in Oklahoma, day and Monday. . . . Neely, who has been here for the past two weeks, home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom of Clinton, Okla., and parents, Mr. and Mrs. . . . Mr. and Mrs. G. P. and son Bill George, and Mrs. L. T. Ottom, relatives in Missouri.



It will be too bad if you don't vote for our Dad. For we'll be affected if he isn't elected—REPRESENTATIVE Mary Catherine and Peggy Geo Walker

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60c Italian Bread and 25c Fitch Shampoo Both for 59c

Pure Baby Castile Soap, 2 bars \$1.25 Creomulsion, money back guarantee \$1.00 Brown's Nosopen, for Hay fever,

#### CLOSING OUT

Airmaid and Maramaid Hosiery 1/2 PRICE

Pint Rubbing Alcohol, 70 per cent 200 McKesson Aspirin, 5 grain

#### SODA SPECIALS

Sandwich and Malted Milk Minced ham, deviled egg, combination

Ice Cream Sodas, jumbo Heinz Macaroni plate, sli. Tomato Chilli con carne, Heinz quality

—We Serve Club Breakfasts

"Banana Sky-scraper Sundae 15c

HOT SPICE BREAKFAST EGG, Bacon, and coffee 20c

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These cooler days remind us that fall and winter are not far away, so we suggest that you make arrangements now for your winter coal. We have received a new shipment of the best coal and in buying in large quantities we are able to pass a good saving on to you. Call us today for your coal needs.

MILLET SEED, pound	2 1/2c
RYE SEED, Bushel	90c
SHORTS, white bags	1.25
WHITE ONIONS, pound	5c
MILLET HAY, average weight bales, 67 lbs.	45c
MATCHES, per carton	15c
THRESHED MILO, new crop, 100 lb. sack	1.40
STOCK SALT, Morton's Farm & Ranch, 100 lbs.	70c
KEROSENE, barrel lots gallon	6c

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### Huffman Hosiery

You'll like the Walkabout point of view.

Pop go his eyes . . . and pop goes the question when you step out looking lovelier than ever in Huffman FLATTERNITS! He knows that FLATTERNITS is fashion-minded . . . you know it's budget-minded. The finer, flatter fabric puts snags and runs on the dole, because there's hardly any ribbing to invite disaster. Thanks to the new process, all-in-one-piece construction, you'll bid farewell to ankle streaks, breaks and wrinkles. The exclusive Wearsx Toe is a wonder for wear, too! Whether you're short, medium or tall, you'll find your correct length . . . in tantalizing, new fall shades that LUX beautifully. . . . at a tiny price for so much loveliness!

79c and \$1.00

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#### Home Paper

The Voice of Red River Valley

#### RILEY

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