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## SHIPMENT OF PARITY CHECKS ARRIVE, TOTAL \$64,005

### 545 FARMERS TO GET CHECKS IN FIRST GROUP

651 Applications Sent in to State Office from Here

A total of 545 checks, representing parity payments amounting to \$64,005.05, arrived in Memphis Tuesday and Wednesday, F. R. Curtis, secretary of the Hall County A. C. A., announced. The checks are the first shipment of approximately 2,700 to be received.

The Tuesday morning shipment contained 256 checks totaling \$28,733.44. Wednesday morning an additional 289 checks arrived, totaling \$35,271.61.

Applications for 651 parity payments have been sent in to date, Mr. Curtis said. A majority of these have already been returned with the amount of each check to be sent figured. Additional checks are expected each day. Other applications will be sent in as quickly as they can be prepared.

The total to be received from payments this year will be higher than that of last year. Parity payments will be approximately \$218,741, and cotton conservation payments will reach \$245,621, making the total cotton payments \$464,362.

Added to this figure will be the feed reduction payments of about \$84,745, and the soil building payments of \$26,000. Total of the entire checks to be received will then be about \$574,007, more than last year's payments of \$450,000.

Bill Dryden, field man, met with the office force of the county agent last week, and instructed (Continued on page 4)

### Local Girl Hurt On Special Train

Mary Jones, senior in Memphis High School, was reported this week as recovering from the eye injury which she suffered when a bottle was thrown through a window of the special train as the train left Shamrock following the Cyclone-Irishmen football game Friday night.

The bottle was hurled through the window when the train was a block or two south of the station. The person throwing the bottle was in a car which pulled up alongside the train, stopped, and then hurriedly drove away.

Shamrock authorities are seeking the identity of the person who threw the bottle, according to a story in Monday's Shamrock Texan.

"School officials and citizens of Shamrock expressed regret at the unfortunate incident and have assured Memphis officials everything possible will be done to punish the guilty party if his identity can be determined," the Texan stated.

A piece of glass from the window struck Miss Jones when some unknown person threw a bottle through the window. A doctor at Wellington was notified and met the train there, treating Miss Jones for the injury.

Local doctors reported this week that Miss Jones' eye was still sore, but that the injury is healing. Miss Jones is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Jones of Memphis.

### Scouts to Have Instruction School

A school of instruction for local Boy Scouts and their Scout masters will be held at the Memphis high school building on the nights of October 23, 24, and 25. The meetings, beginning at 8 o'clock each night, will be conducted by a field executive of the Adobe Walls Council.

Scoutmasters Jack Boone, Heruan Hill, and Gene Barnett, and Cub Scoutmaster Nelson Combest are working with W. C. Davis, school superintendent, to make the school beneficial to both Scoutmasters and Scouts.

### 4-County P.T.A. Here Saturday

Approximately 300 parents and teachers are expected to convene in Memphis when the four-county Parent-Teacher Institute meets here Saturday. The four counties to be represented are Childress, Donley, Briscoe, and Hall.

The institute will meet at the First Christian Church at 10:30 o'clock Saturday morning. Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard, vice president of the 8th district of the Congress of Parents and Teachers, will preside.

Opening the program, singing will be given by the general assembly, after which prayer service will be held.

Welcomes will be given by Mrs. H. B. Gilmore, president of the P.T.A. city council, Mrs. W. D. McCool, president of county council; Noah Cunningham, Memphis high school principal; and Miss Topsy Gilreath, Hall County school superintendent.

The response will be made by Chas. Dameron, superintendent of the Childress schools.

From 11 o'clock until 12, a round table discussion on "The Local Unit Package" will be held with Mrs. D. J. Morgensen presiding and with the presidents of all (Continued on page 4)

### \$400 Set Aside By Red Cross for Tonsillectomies

Underprivileged Children to Be Aided in Operations; Roll Call Starts November 11

A total of \$400 has been set aside from funds of the local Red Cross chapter to assist underprivileged children of Hall County in paying for tonsillectomies, Carroll Smyers, chairman of the civilian home service department of the Red Cross, said Wednesday.

All of the \$400 will be spent, Smyers emphasized, and all will be spent to help those children most in need. The Red Cross chapter is cooperating with doctors throughout the county in seeking the children most in need of the operations, but not financially able to pay for them.

The humanitarian project was started this week when H. H. Brown spent the majority of this week making plans with local Red Cross leaders in organizing for the roll call which will be launched November 11.

"Ordinarily," Smyers pointed out, "the Memphis chapter has not included the entire county, but this year workers will launch a campaign for members over the county. We need the cooperation of everyone in the county for the movement since the drain on the funds here this year will be much greater in view of the \$400 set aside for tonsillectomies."

### Goodwill Trip to Be Made to Plaska Tuesday Night by Local Merrymakers

The first Good Neighbor trip since the Old Settlers Reunion and Rodeo in July will be made next Tuesday night, when a delegation of Memphians will pay its respects to the people of the Plaska community, Carroll Smyers, secretary of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce, announced Wednesday.

The trippers will leave the City Hall in Memphis at 7 o'clock Tuesday night, and will convene in the Plaska schoolhouse on arrival.

A variety program to last about one and a half hours has been arranged, Smyers said, and will include entertainment by both Memphians and Plaskans. Business and professional men and women and representatives from the schools and various organizations have already signified their intentions of making the trip.

Plans now are to have one of the goodwill trips to neighboring communities every two weeks. The people of the Plaska commu-



COMPLETED CONQUEST—The caption on this picture by German censors says these are Polish prisoners of war, getting their first Nazi feed of beef and noodles. "They are astounded at their large daily rations and good treatment," the censors claim.

### CYCLONE PREPARE FOR QUANAH GRIDIRON BATTLE FRIDAY NIGHT

#### Weekend Showers Break Drouth of Panhandle Areas

Memphis Gets .88 of Inch Saturday, Sunday; Childress Gets 2.25 Inches in 2 Days

Breaking a drouth which has been disastrous to the majority of crops in the county, a light rain fell last Saturday night and Sunday. The rain in Memphis totaled .88 of an inch, J. J. McMickin, local observer, reported.

The rain was general over the county, as well as over the entire Panhandle. From one-half to one inch was reported to The Democrat by correspondents in most of the surrounding communities.

The heaviest rain reported in the Panhandle was 2.25 inches at Childress. Adrian had .89, Claude 1.64, Dumas .87, Follett .06, Hereford 1.10, Pampa .72, Panhandle 1.41, Shamrock .65, Spearman 1.30, Stratford .45, Clovis 1.23, Des Moines .36, Lovington 1.40, Springer .35, Tucumcari .77, Clayton .02, and Amarillo 1.10.

Only the extreme northern portion of the Panhandle was left dry. Only light showers fell at Texline, Dalhart, and points in that region. The rain swept across the Panhandle from the west to Oklahoma. Hollis had 2.07 inches, and Elk City 2.02.

The rain moved up the Pecos (Continued on page 4)

With two straight losses starting at them from the record books, the Memphis Cyclone brushed up this week on offense and pass defense in preparation for their encounter with the Quanah Indians Friday night on the local gridiron. The game will start at 8 o'clock.

Aside from two minor injuries received during the Shamrock game last Friday, the Cyclone team will be in the game with full strength. Captain Joe Crump, halfback, received an arm injury in the Shamrock tilt, and Lois Kerr, left tackle, is suffering with a side ailment.

J. C. (Pitching Pie) McClure has been practicing up on his passes this week, and has been showing up better. L. F. (Chuck) Jones, who saw little service in the Shamrock encounter, will probably see more service Friday night.

Last week's game with Shamrock showed an improvement in the Memphis forward wall, but the team lacked the winning spark. The Cyclone was unable to cope with the passing attack of the Shamrock Irishmen.

Probable starting line-up for Memphis is as follows: le, Clark; lt, Kerr; rg, Fultz; c, Hardin; rg, Bruce; rt, Jenkins; re, Edwards; qb, O. Jones; lb, George; rh, L. F. Jones; fb, Lester.

Quanah's team will probably start as follows: le, L. Henderson; lt, Tate; lg, Stone; c, Wells; rg, B. Henderson; rt, Osborn; re, Jolley; qb, Edmondson; lb, Williams; rh, Britton; fb, Epps.

### Masons to Confer Degrees Monday

The Knights Templar chapter of the local Masonic lodge will meet Monday night in the Masonic Temple for the conferring of the Red Cross and Malta degrees. The meeting will begin at 7 o'clock.

Members of the Childress Commandery are to meet with the Memphis Commandery, and Childress candidates for these degrees are to be present to receive their degrees.

Several officers from the Grand Commandery of the state are expected to be present and aid in the work. Visitors will be present from Dallas, Childress, Wellington, Clarendon, and Amarillo.

Work was done last week on the Royal Arch degrees by local Masons.

### Hall County Gins Get 2,498 Bales

A total of 2,498 bales of cotton had been ginned in Hall County up to October 1, C. Lee Rushing, special agent for the bureau of the census of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, reported Thursday morning.

At the same date last year, Hall County had ginned 5,430 bales, more than twice the amount of this year.

### E.A. Gets 116 Extension

Approval has been given by the Rural Electric Administration at Washington for the extension of the Hall County power line, Alvis Yarber, district superintendent, announced last Friday. The extension will add a maximum of 116 miles in addition to the 113-mile line now in operation.

The extension will cost approximately \$89,000, it was estimated. An amount of \$20,000 was allocated for the extension. The extension will be completed by the end of the year.

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### ROBERT TURNER FUNERAL HELD

Lakeview Man, 23, Drops Dead in Local Laundry Wednesday of Last Week

Funeral services for Robert L. Turner, 23, were held Friday afternoon from the First Baptist Church at Lakeview with Rev. R. G. Brister conducting the rites. Mr. Turner dropped dead Wednesday afternoon in a local laundry from a heart attack.

Mr. Turner was born August 22, 1916, at Childress, and was the son of Mrs. R. S. Turner of Monte Vista, Colo. He was married July 21, 1938, to Miss Estelle Gilbreath of Lakeview, and to the couple was born one daughter, Patsy Sue. Mr. Turner joined the First Baptist Church at Crowell in 1926, and has been an active member since that time.

Survivors are his wife, his mother, three brothers, Riley of Childress, James of Alamosa, Colo., and Thomas of Monte Vista, Colo.; four sisters, Virginia Turner of Crowell, Mrs. Mable Cross of Monte Vista, Colo., Mrs. Velma Wilson of Wichita Falls, and Mrs. Marie Young of Waco, two uncles, F. W. and J. L. Moran of Childress, and other relatives.

In charge of the floral arrangements were Patricia Montgomery, Jean Blanks, Lavira Koeninger, Joyce Koeninger, Juanita Hill, and Marie Koeninger.

### Collections Made On Reunion Debt

Collections are now being made by the Memphis Chamber of Commerce to take care of the deficit of the Old Settlers Reunion and Rodeo held here in July. Carroll Smyers, secretary, said Monday.

The collections are coming in fairly well, Smyers said, although there are some who have not yet paid. The two-day celebration was underwritten for \$1,250 by Memphis businessmen early in the summer.

The deficit was approximately \$475. The underwriters are being assessed 50 per cent of their pledges. Much of the material for which the money is owed can be used next year, material such as gates, lumber, and fencing, Smyers said.

The 50 per cent assessment, Smyers explained, is necessary since some who underwrote the reunion and rodeo are not paying their pledges.

### Officials for City-Wide Revival Chosen At Meeting of Church Pastors Sunday

Further plans for the city-wide revival to be held in Memphis starting October 22 were made last Sunday as officers for a revival association were chosen at a meeting of the pastors of the participating churches.

The revival will be conducted by Rev. James Rayburn of Newton, Kans., Presbyterian evangelist, and will last a month.

S. S. Montgomery was chosen president of the association, and Murray Dial was named secretary-treasurer. Members of the finance committee named are Sam J. Hamilton, Frank Phelan, J. G. Gardner, Byron Baldwin, Dr. M. McNeely, Wayne McMurry, George Cullin, M. E. McNally, O. V. Alexander, E. E. Roberts, Murray Dial.

Other committees designated and their chairmen are as follows: Publicity, J. Claude Wells; housing, John T. Bishop; night usher, Lee Rushing; day usher, Mrs. J. A. Odum.

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### Mrs. W. L. Farr Celebrates 82nd Birthday at Dinner in Her Honor

Mrs. W. L. Farr celebrated her 82nd birthday anniversary last Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. L. Crawford of Plaska, with six of her ten children present. Eleven grandchildren, 13 great grandchildren, and many friends and neighbors also attended the dinner. Each family brought a basket lunch.

At noon, lunch was spread, and during the evening, singing was enjoyed by those present. Several of the guests made talks.

Present were Mrs. W. L. Farr; Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Farr and granddaughter Bonnie Farr of Gainesville; Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Farr of Mansfield; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Farr and children of Gainesville; Mrs. Lillie Clodfelter of Gainesville; Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Crawford of Plaska; Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Farr and daughter Pauline of Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Muncy and children of Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Farr and son of Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hall and daughter Carolyn Ann of Lakeview; Mr. and Mrs. R. Gambel and daughter Phillip Jean of Clarendon; Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hall and daughters Bobbie Mae and Norma Sue of Lakeview; Mr. and Mrs. Milo B. Farr and daughters Bettie Marie and Barbara Ann of Borger; Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hafley and daughters, Marjorie, Mildred, and Billie Faye of Plaska; Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Teel of Lakeview; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Teel and son Royce Elmer of Lakeview; Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Crawford and family of Lakeview; Mr. and Mrs. Homer Grant and children of Lakeview.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gardenhire and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Brock and daughter Orce, E. F. Clark, W. E. Murdock, Mrs. E. T. Montgomery and grandson J. E., Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Murdock and daughter, J. G. Whitefield, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hodges and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Crawford and family, Mrs. Charlotte Mann and son of Borger, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Molloy and son, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nabers, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Harwell, Mrs. G. P. Owens, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Molloy, Mrs. T. I. McWhorter, Mrs. L. A. Solomon of Pilot Point, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Crabb and family, and Joe Howard of Overton.

### Gammage Needle Club Meets With Mrs. Kilpatrick

The Gammage Needle Club held its regular session on Thursday afternoon of last week. The afternoon was spent in quilting and conversing.

Refreshments of cherry punch and chocolate nut cookies were served to Mesdames Brice Webster, Edd McMurry, Grover Roden, Dot Webster, Orville Hill, A. G. Grisham, M. N. Smith, Otis Stilwell, John Dunn, Dow Johnson, Mack Dunn, Mrs. M. Day of Grand Junction, Colo., Grandmother Webster, Mrs. Audie Wilson, and the hostess, Mrs. Kilpatrick.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Edd McMurry Thursday, October 19.

### Atalantean Club Meets in Home of Mrs. C. W. Broome

The Atalantean Club met in the home of Mrs. C. W. Broome Wednesday afternoon, October 4. Mrs. Carl Periman, president gave an interesting report of the district meeting of Federated Clubs held recently in Amarillo. Attending this district meeting were Mrs. Periman, Mrs. C. R. Webster, Mrs. Frank Facian, Mrs. C. W. Kinslow, and Mrs. John Lofland.

Mrs. Periman paid tribute to Clara Driscoll, donor of the gift of \$92,000 on the debt of the Federated Clubs for their building in Austin.

Topic for the program was "Behold the Man," with Mrs. J. H. Morris as leader. Mrs. L. M. Zicks reviewed the book, "Joseph in Egypt," by Thomas Mann. Mrs. Morris presented slides of scenes in Palestine, while Mrs. Noel Woodley gave the description of each. Climaxing the presentation was a solo, "The Holy City," by Thomas E. Noel, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. R. H. Williams.

New members present were Mrs. Kay Kunitz, Mrs. O. K. Howe, and Miss Ruby Lee Stringer. Members present were Mesdames Ralph Bennett, C. W. Broome, Troy Broome, Robert Devin, H. B. Ester, L. M. Hicks, N. A. Hightower, W. B. Hooser, Jack Jarrrell, W. B. Kimberlin, C. W. Kinslow, John Lofland, J. Wm. Mason, J. H. Morris, D. A. Neeley, Carl Periman, Frank Phelan, S. L. Seago, Carroll Smyers, H. D. Stringer, C. R. Webster, Winfred Wilson, and Noel Woodley.

The club will meet with Mrs. N. A. Hightower Wednesday afternoon, October 18.

### Baptist W. M. S. Holds Business Meeting Monday

The regular monthly business session of the W. M. S. of the First Baptist Church was held Monday afternoon at the church.

The group sang several songs, after which Mrs. Lloyd Phillips, president, introduced the speaker of the afternoon, Mrs. A. Adamcik.

Mrs. Adamcik gave the devotional, using as her theme, "Prayer." The painting of the "Angelus" was brought out in her talk.

After the reading of the minutes and reports, Mrs. T. R. Garrott led the closing prayer.

Present were Mesdames J. Wm. Mason, F. R. Curtis, Lloyd Phillips, J. P. Godfrey, Emma Baskerville, C. H. Bownds, Henderson Smith, Bill Hood, Cleron McMurry, Clifton Burnett, Sam Foxhall, C. Z. Stidham, J. M. Ballew, W. J. Bragg, J. S. McMurry, T. K. Garrott, A. Adamcik, G. H. Fattenbach, H. C. Crow, Henry Smith, A. Baldwin, and George Cullen.

# Society

## Texan Wins Movie Lead



Six years ago a 17-year-old girl walked into the offices of the dramatics department of Texas State College for Women and announced her intention of becoming a movie actress. Her name was Ardis Ankerson; her home town San Antonio. In a few weeks now Warner Brothers will release "Espionage Agent." The feminine lead will be played by Brenda Marshall, the Ardis Ankerson who has insisted that she would be a movie actress since she was eight years old. Joel McCrea will play opposite her. In college Miss Ankerson was permitted to take advanced dramatics courses while she was yet an underclassman, and she was the only underclassman ever admitted to the College Little Theater.

## Bohemian Art Club Has First Meeting In 'Little Theater With Green Door'

### Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. May and son Bob attended the State Fair in Dallas, and visited relatives in Leonard last week-end.

Mrs. J. M. Lane was a guest of Mrs. John Richards of the Richards Ranch at Paducah the first of last week.

Mrs. S. B. Pallmeyer, Mrs. H. Lindsey, and Mrs. Louie Goffinett were Canyon visitors Sunday.

Fifty members and guests attended the opening meeting of the Bohemian Art Club at the "Little Theatre with the Green Door" last Monday night. The theatre is a reconditioned barn on North 5th street.

Opening the program was a one-act play directed by Mrs. A. L. Burks. Actors were Miss Mary Foreman, Guthrie Bennett, Mrs. L. W. Stanford, Mrs. D. W. May, A. L. Burks, and D. W. May.

Three character readings were given by Mrs. Noel Woodley. Characters depicted were Negro, Dutch, and Italian.

The third part of the program was a pantomime with Carl Periman and Mrs. Forrest Power. Assisting in the act were June Power, Hattie Dem Ward, Martha Thompson, and Mrs. Carl Periman.

Mrs. Murray Dodson gave an opening speech. Following the program, Mrs. Jim Roark passed among the group present as a cigarette girl, serving refreshments.

## 5 Attend Meeting At Wellington of Teacher Sorority

Five Memphians attended the meeting of the Gamma Kappa chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma, teacher's sorority, at Wellington last week.

Attending from here were Mrs. Clarence Morris, Miss Mary Foreman, Mrs. Norma Hunt, Miss Estu McElrath, and Miss Vera Tops Gilreath.

The program opened with an invocation by Mrs. W. W. Henderson, following which Mrs. L. E. Gribble welcomed the out-of-town guests. An accordion solo was given by Nellie Bly Slay, and Carolyn Ellis gave a reading. A business session followed.

Misses Mable Hare, Elva Davenport, and Laura Roberts were present from Childress. Mrs. Lee Reeves and Mrs. McHenry Lane were present from Clarendon. From Wellington were Miss Delia Cowan, and Mrs. W. W. Henderson.

The organization will hold a business session in the county superintendent's office at Memphis Saturday, October 21.

### GARDEN CLUB TO MEET

The Memphis Garden Club will meet with Mrs. D. J. Morgensen Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All interested are invited to attend.

Mrs. E. C. Herd was here from Clarendon Tuesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Howard Randal.

## Dorcas Has All-Day Meeting in Home of M. O. Goodpasture

The Dorcas Society held an all-day meeting last Thursday in the home of Mrs. M. O. Goodpasture.

When members arrived, a quilt was already set and ready to be worked on. The meeting began at 8 o'clock, and as soon as there was a full quota of quilters, others turned their attention to cutting and piecing.

During the day, 72 quilt blocks were cut and pieced—enough for an entire quilt. In addition, a quilt made at a previous meeting was hemmed by those present.

For the devotional, Mrs. W. E. Johnsey read and commented on the fourth chapter of Matthew, following which a series of prayers were given. Rules and regulations of the society were read, and business matters voted on.

The hostess, assisted by Mrs. Margaret Snowden, Miss Inez Barnes, and Mrs. F. C. Dodson, served a cafeteria luncheon to Mrs. Ella Johnson, Mrs. J. B. Wrenn, Mrs. M. H. Braddock, Mrs. J. W. Burks, Mrs. Maude Shafer, Mrs. J. M. Baker, Mrs. W. E. Johnsey, Mrs. Frank J. Smith, Miss Mary Smith, Mrs. H. Brock, Mrs. M. P. Plummer, Mrs. Lucy Pullen, Mrs. E. M. Dennis, Mrs. L. B. McAbee, Mrs. T. R. Blades, Mrs. F. C. Dodson, Mrs. L. O. Dennis, Mrs. J. E. Williford, Miss Inez Barnes, Mrs. Ola Mae Hampton, Mrs. A. B. Jones, Mrs. M. O. Goodpasture, Mrs. Cordell Goodpasture, Mrs. Crville Goodpasture, Joyce Lee Goodpasture, Minnie Lou Rhudy, Florvce Lee Rhudy, Mrs. J. W. Vallance, Mrs. Frank F. Houston, Lillian Houston, Rosalie Houston, Mrs. Margaret Snowden, Judge M. O. Goodpasture, Orville Goodpasture, and Cordell Goodpasture.

## Baptist Jr. G. A. Meets Tuesday for Prayer Program

The Jr. G. A. of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday afternoon for their week of prayer program.

The meeting was opened with a series of choruses sung by the entire group. Mrs. Bill Hawthorn brought a message on "The Great Healer," and on the Christian hospitals and workers. A large circle was formed by the girls to represent a chain of prayer for Christian healing.

Refreshments were served to Martha Lynn Godfrey, Henrietta Hawthorn, Billy Claire Mason, Charlene Crow, Mira Baskerville, Minerva Baskerville, June Joyce, Marcia Hawthorn, Virginia Smith, Nita Gilcrest, Roberta Martin, Pauline Hartman, Odessa Tullar, Dorothy Tullar, Nellie Adams, Louella Shafer, Billy Ruth Randolph, Gladys Ione Bownds, Verma Lee Hill, Johnnie Mae Clark, Dorothy Evans, Ester Strickland, Wanona Crow, Mary Smith, and Mrs. Bill Hawthorn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jones of Rule visited his uncle, R. E. Martin, here Sunday. They were en route home from a visit in Amarillo with their daughter.

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Louise Williams, who is attending college in Denton, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Williams, last week-end. She was accompanied to Memphis by Mr. and Mrs. Rector Wimberley of Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Stewart visited in Wichita Falls Sunday.

## Young People First Meeting New Swing

Initial meeting of Club, an organization of Memphis young people held last Wednesday evening provided the entertainment of the evening.

Members of the club were Mrs. Elmo Whaley, Mrs. Cordell Goodpasture, Mrs. Herbert Curry, Mrs. David Hudgins, Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie G. Hattie Dem Ward, Mrs. Thompson, Inez Barnes, Mrs. Power, Clara Barnett, Mrs. Hoover, Billy Thompson, Mrs. Campbell, Don Leary, Mrs. Olin Cooper, G. H. Nett, J. C. Reeves, Mrs. Claude DeBerry, and Hickey.

The next meeting will be held Thursday, October 19.

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**OXBOW NEWS**

By MRS. J. W. OLIVER

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Teal and son Royce Elmer, and Mrs. G. A. Teal attended a birthday dinner at the home of Mrs. Bill Crawford Sunday.

The Thomas children, who are working at Olton, spent the week-end at home.

James Mosher and wife of Olton spent the week-end in the Walter Thomas home.

Mrs. J. W. Oliver and daughter Agnes visited their niece and cousin, Mrs. S. J. Roach, in Memphis Friday.

About forty guests attended a birthday dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Hill Sunday.

The dinner was given in honor of Olin Hill of Deep Lake and Will Davis of Lakeview. Prayer service was held in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Teal, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Teal, and Mrs. Frank Whitefield were Memphis visitors Saturday.

Collins Whitten and children, returned to Olton to work Monday, after spending the week-end at home.

**FORMER RESIDENT DIES**  
Mrs. J. S. Taylor of San Bernardino, Calif., died of heart attack September 27 at her home. She was buried in San Bernardino. Mrs. Taylor was formerly of Memphis and will be remembered as Miss Bettie McClure.

Tomie M. Potts attended the regional sales meeting of Chevrolet dealers in Oklahoma City Tuesday. The 1940 Chevrolet was on display at the meeting.

**Newlin 'A' Student Enters T. S. C. W.**

Miss Bernice Elliott of Newlin is one of sixty high school valedictorians who entered Texas State College for Women this fall as freshmen.

Outstanding throughout high school in academic work, Miss Elliott is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Elliott.

As a valedictorian from a Texas high school, Miss Elliott was presented with a state scholarship on graduation last June.

**Nazarenes to Hold Zone Rally Here**

A zone rally for the young people of the Church of the Nazarene will be held in Memphis Saturday.

The meeting will start at 10:30 o'clock in the morning, and close at 4:00. Rev. Leo Lawrence, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene at Wellington, will deliver a sermon at 11 o'clock. Rev. Lawrence recently held a two-week revival here.

Five churches are in this zone, and will have representatives present at the meeting. Special song numbers will be given during the day.

A basket lunch will be served at noon.

Mrs. Bertha Carter returned Friday from Dallas, where she spent the past week visiting her daughter, Ann Gilpin.

**Estelline One-Variety Group Tries Wrapping Bales in Cotton Bagging**

For a long time cotton farmers over the entire South have been looking for new uses for their product. A new use was found quite a while to get around to it.

The one-variety community at Estelline has decided to put cotton to this new use—that of wrapping the bales in cotton bagging instead of the old-fashioned jute. Another idea was to tie the bales with cotton ropes, but on second thought this idea was abandoned—since, in case of fire, the ropes would be immediately burned in two and the bales would be badly scattered.

There are three other one-variety communities in the county, one at Turkey, one at Wolf flat, and one at Lakeview. But none of them has taken the step that the Estelline group has taken.

A resolution was recently passed by the Estelline one-variety group to the effect that the ginners of each member's cotton would be required to tie the bales in cotton bagging. Both the Hulver Gin and the Hulver Gin are cooperating in the movement to use more cotton.

The first bale wrapped in the cotton bagging in this county was raised by John Ewen, County Agent W. B. Hooser said last week. Mr. Hooser has taken a series of pictures of this first cotton-wrapped bale, and they may be seen at his office in the court house.

About 95 per cent of the Estelline community farmers are in the one-variety group there. The members raise only one variety of cotton. It is necessary for the ginner to cooperate in this since the gin must be cleaned out before each ginning to prevent mixing of the cotton.

**GAMMAGE**

By MRS. A. G. GRISHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Hill and son visited in the Olan Hill home near Deep Lake Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. John George received word Thursday afternoon of the death of her father at Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Grisham visited Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Chaudoin of Estelline Sunday.

Little Juanella Goffinett is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Goffinett, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Smith and family visited in the A. G. Crisham home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Whitten and family visited in Memphis Sunday.

Sula Hill visited in the John George home Thursday.

Mrs. Orville Hill spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. A. G. Grisham.

**RELATIVE DIES**

Mrs. W. N. Moss of Winnesboro, 79, mother of Grover Moss of Eli and grandmother of Mrs. Orville Goodpasture of Memphis, died Sunday at her home. Funeral services were held Monday.

Attending the funeral from Memphis were Mr. Moss, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Forkner.

Funeral services were held at Clarendon Sunday.

A nice rain fell here Saturday and Sunday.

A mule kicked Bill Billington last week. Mr. Billington suffered two broken ribs.

Lloyd Vandeventer spent Saturday night with Elwin Pate.

mother's funeral. On the day he arrived, he became seriously ill, and now has pneumonia. He is at the home of his sister, Mrs. Wade.

Noll McClendon underwent a tonsillectomy at a local hospital last week.

Mrs. Sam Powers received a message last week of the death of her niece's husband, R. Turner of Lakeview. Mr. and Mrs. Powers and family attended the funeral there Friday.

The program at the school house Friday night by the Home Ec girls was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Rev. Ivey of Newlin is holding a revival meeting at the Methodist Church in Estelline now. Everyone is invited.

V. C. Beverly, telegraph operator at the Denver depot for the past few months, has been transferred to Tascosa, where he will be agent. F. S. Clark, operator at Sterley, will replace Mr. Beverly, and will move his family here soon.

**INDIAN CREEK**

By MRS. NORA VANDEVENTER

Announcement has been made of the birth of a 6 pound, 2 ounce daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Jackson of Santa Maria, Calif. The young lady has been named Kathryn Lenore, and is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Vandeventer.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Vandeventer had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Pate and son Elwin, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Watson and sons, Elmer Jr. and Bernie, all of Pleasant Valley.

Several from here attended the football game at Shamrock Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gardenhire and daughters Elmer Faye and Florence attended the singing con-

**ELLINE**

By FRED BERRY

received a fine rain last night and Sunday. An epidemic had fallen by the wayside.

Miss Davis went to Denison to visit her daughter in school there. She was accompanied by Mrs. S. A. Eddleman, Miss A. Elliott of Newlin, and Oretta Richberg, Miss A. J. Hill of Fort Worth.

Miss A. Elliott of Newlin will visit her sister, Mrs. S. Young of Lakeview, and Bobby Frank, who accompanied them as they will visit Mrs. Leslie Goffinett, A. W. Chan-

ton, Inez Moore, Clara Burnett, Tommie Ruth Foster, Billy Thomas, Don Leary, C. C. Reeves, and C. DeBerry.

Cluck of Cisco is visiting Mrs. Ann Whaley.

Andy of Plainview was here last week-end.

Miss Phyllis was brought home from hospital last Friday.

Mrs. Lefty Bowman returned to make their home.

Master and son of Saturday with his A. G. Huffmaste.

Mrs. Red Spradlin returned to Bowie and Tuesday.

Mrs. Bob Mothershed returned word that their son has been transferred to two years.

Wiley, who has been here for several weeks, is expected to return to Phoenix.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gardenhire and daughters Elmer Faye and Florence attended the singing con-



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ROAST, Pork, lb. 19c

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3 bunches 10c

**RADISHES**

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**GRAPES**

Tokays 3 lbs. for 19c

**LEMONS**

Large Size per doz. 28c

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Turner—

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Pallbearers were Cullon Taylor, John L. Burnett, Flavil Hodge, Henry Moore, Johnnie Blanks, and Ted Montgomery.

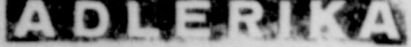
Interment was in the Lakeview cemetery with King's Mortuary of Memphis in charge.

Out-of-county relatives attending the funeral services were Turner's mother, Mrs. R. S. Turner of Monte Vista, Colo., Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Moran, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Moran, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Dornert, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Turner, M. H. Turner, Mrs. J. W. Moran, and Earl Moran, all of Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Cross of Paducah, Mrs. A. M. Gilbreath and Mrs. E. H. Grisham of Dodd City, Mrs. Alta Smith of Bonham, and Mrs. R. E. Logan and Mildred of Clovis, N. M.

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MEACHAM'S PHARMACY TARVER'S PHARMACY

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the units, city and county councils of the four counties taking part.

Highlighting the program for the day will be the luncheon, for which tickets are now on sale. Mrs. Roy L. Guthrie will serve as toastmaster. The Junior High Choral Club will sing "A Little Child Shall Lead Them," following which Mrs. Chas. Damron will give a reading. An accordion trio selection will be played by Mrs. J. Wm. Mason, Miss Mary Foreman, and Rayburn Jones.

At 1 o'clock, Mrs. C. T. Hunkapillar of Pampa, president of the 8th district of the Congress of Parents and Teachers, will give a report on the national convention.

From 1:45 o'clock until 3, a panel discussion under the leadership of W. C. Davis, Memphis school superintendent, will be held on the subject, "Is the Parent-Teacher Association an Asset or a Liability?" Taking part will be K. C. Swinburn of Lakeview, J. L. Baird of Wellington, C. A. Cryer of McLean, and Chas. Damron of Childress.

Tickets may be obtained from Mrs. J. H. Smith at 60 cents each.

Mrs. Doyle Catching is visiting in Amarillo this week.

EYE OPENERS--by Bob Crosby

HORACE GREELEY WAS NOT FIRST TO SAY "GO WEST YOUNG MAN!" THE PHRASE WAS FIRST WRITTEN BY JOHN SOULE, IN THE TERRE HAUTE, IND. "EXPRESS"



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On a bet with a friend, John Soule of the Terre Haute, Indiana, "Express" wrote an editorial in his paper in which he credited Greeley with advising young men to "Go West." When Greeley saw the editorial he told his friends that such advice expressed his views, even though he had not written the article.

The same versatile fuel—gas—used for cooking by some 16,000,000 American housewives, is found at more than 400 locations throughout the New York World's Fair grounds. And 2 1/2 times as much is used as at any previous exposition! Besides the "mass" uses, such as cooking, etc., it works glassware, incubates Dr. Couney's babies, plays the role of fire in the Lagoon of Nations' fountain display, makes the mist for Victoria Falls—even incinerates every used Fair ticket!

I GIVE YOU TEXAS BOYCE MOUSE

When once I knock and fail to find you in; For every day I stand outside your door And bid you wake to rise and fight and win."

One day, Malone was sitting at a table in a dining room in his home city of Memphis, Tenn., when a bright-faced young man came over to him and said:

"When my father was in his early twenties, he decided life wasn't worth living and he rented a room in a hotel with the intention of killing himself. A previous occupant had clipped out your poem and had slipped it under the glass top of the dresser. My father read it, realized that yesterday was past and tomorrow was an unopened scroll. He faced his troubles and conquered them. Later, he married and my two brothers and I were born. Mother and dad are at the next table. I want to bring them over to thank you for your wonderful poem."

Just marks on paper—but where would civilization be if it were not for books, magazines, letters and newspapers?

Multiplied millions of words and combinations of words but no way to turn down a friend's request for the loan of a ten-spot without making him sore!

Dr. and Mrs. D. C. Hyder attended the Panhandle District Medical Society meeting in Lubbock first of this week.

Comments—

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say it out loud as it might be doubted. However, another man reported frost at his place in the lowlands. It was the longest summer I ever experienced, and I hope the coming winter will not be as long in proportion. Summer started in March and continued until October, with no spring weather to follow winter.

Married life is to be taught in WTSC at Canyon next week. Perhaps all of us could profit by taking lessons, but theory, instead of actual experience, may or may not work out. Anyway, I'd like to hear what the teacher will have to say on the subject.

Mrs. T. R. Blades telephoned me this morning that she wants to subscribe \$5 to the Fairview waterworks fund. She is the only person to respond to the call this week. I was about to think the proposition would draw a blank this week since it has a Friday the 13th in it. Thank you, Mrs. Blades, for keeping the movement going.

I have been asked to tell something of the Diversified Occupations Course offered by the Memphis high school, and what the citizens and business men think of it. Reports from various business men who are cooperating in the movement, it seems that they all approve the course, because its purpose is to train students for the occupation they choose.

The business men take trainees with the understanding that the students do not take the place of regular employees, but are learning a chosen occupation, receiving only a small compensation.

The students seem to enjoy their work and try to give the best possible service to their employers and the public. None of the students receive full pay but only what they are worth as trainees to the employers for, in most cases, the business men do not need the student's help. In cooperating with the city schools the business men are working toward making good Memphis citizens.

REA—

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house was to be rechecked. Porter Johnson was the first to receive power over the line, as his home was used in testing the voltage on the line. When the voltage was found to be high

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COCOA, Hershey's, 1/2 lb. can 9c; 1 lb. 14c
MIRACLE WHIP, Pints 22c; Quarts 32c
SPRY, 3 lb. bucket 55c; 6 lbs. \$1.09
SOAP, LUX or LIFEBOUY, 3 bars 19c
SANIFLUSH, large can 20c
OLD DUTCH CLEANSER, 2 cans 15c
MILK, Pet or Carnation, 6 cans 22c
CAKE FLOUR, Snosheen or Swansdown, pkg. 25c
POWDERED or BROWN SUGAR, 2 pkgs. 15c
JELLO, all flavors, 2 pkgs. 11c
POST TOASTIES or POST BRAN, 2 pkgs. 19c
POTATO CHIPS, 2 large pkgs. 15c
DATES, fresh stock, 7 1/2 oz. pkg., pitted 9c
TOMATO or GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, 2 cans 15c
PIMIENTO, small can 7c; large can 9c
TUNA FISH, Del Monte, can 18c
CORNED BEEF, 12-oz. can 18c
SALMON, best pink, 2 cans 27c
SOUP, Heinz, all varieties, 3 for 25c; Dozen 95c
ENGLISH PEAS, No. 2 cans Mission, 2 for 25c
CORN, No. 2 cans P. R. or O. D., 2 for 23c
TOMATOS, No. 1 cans 5c; No. 2 cans, 2 for 15c
PINEAPPLE, sliced or crushed, 3 cans 25c
PEACHES, No. 2 1/2 cans H. D. or Gold Bar, can 16c
APRICOTS, No. 2 1/2 cans, H. D., 2 for 41c
CHERRIES, No. 2 cans, red pitted, 2 for 23c
SPUDS, Colorado Reds, 5 lbs., 11c, peck 27c
SWEET POTATOES, East Texas, 5 lbs. 16c
CABBAGE, large heads, pound 3c
CARROTS, nice bunches 4c
FRESH TOMATOES, home grown, lb. 7c
CELERY, large stalks, 10c
CRANBERRIES, new crop, quart 17c
LEMONS, Sunkist, dozen 23c
GRAPES, seedless or Tokay's, pound 6c
COOKING APPLES, extra nice, peck 32c

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enough, the Plaska section was the first section to be energized. Work on securing the project was started about 14 months ago, but the project was not opened until last spring, when the Rural Electric Administration headquarters at Washington approved an appropriation of \$95,000 for building 113 miles of line in Hall County. Actual construction on the line was started June 17, when the first poles for the line were set. Construction was in charge of Reinhart and Donovan, Oklahoma City contractors. The line was completed the last week in September, and energization was scheduled for September 30. cooler weather, with a temperature in Memphis hovering around 50-degree mark. The temperature in Amarillo last night was 40 degrees. 545 Farmers (Continued from page 1) Mr. Curtis pointed out that the farmers' payments will be checked as being received one conservation check include the cotton soil building, and the payments. J. C. Reeves and sister were business Pampa Saturday. Dr. and Mrs. W. Medical Society meet back first of this week. Mr. and Mrs. Ingot and daughter Gail visited relatives in Memphis. Mrs. Viola Wimberly visited Mrs. Chas last week-end.

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Miracle Whip pint qt. POST TOASTIES, 2 for CORNED BEEF, Armour's PINEAPPLE JUICE, Del Monte 3 for OYSTERS, 5 oz. cans, 2 cans PEACHES, Dried, choice, 2 lbs. TISSUE, White Fur, 4 rolls SOAP, Palmolive or Camay, 3 for SANIFLUSH, per can OLD DUTCH CLEANSER, 2 for

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Classes organized and scheduling extension classes has been the present semester to an announced L. R. Ezell, director Extension Center will be held open for 431, education in the year is given Monday the junior high school Memphis. This course is graduate work. It is required teachers by mo PHIS G 246 O. S. G EE, Folger's TS, GREEN ONI LOUPES, Rocky I GRAPES, lb. CHIPS, 2 pkgs. large stalks E, firm heads lb. 3 1/2c P lb. 2c P 3 lbs. 5 SHIONED CHOY OG FOOD, 3 car N, best pink, 2 c STYLE or FIRE! IX with premium AGE, lb. small cans O. D. or W. S., 2 ES, W. S., No. 2! BEANS, Green guaranteed quali M A SAUSAGE, lb. ORK SAUSAGE STEAK, lb. MEAT, lb. BACON, lb. CABBAGE 0 lbs. 19c 0 lbs. 1.50 PEPPERS Fresh Green lb. 5c TOMATOES Fresh 6 lbs. 25c SPUDS Peck 25c 00 lbs. 1.7 ty 'M

Classes Organized

Other courses are being given in Wellington and Childress. Dr. Ezell said that a limited number of students desiring courses in education or English not available in classes may be accommodated on a correspondence basis.

Montgomery Fined \$50 and Costs

W. Q. Montgomery was fined \$50 and costs in County Court Wednesday following the trial in which he was charged with selling an automobile without a bill of sale.

Defense attorney for Mr. Montgomery, who lives near Turkey, was J. Farish Fish. Jurors in the case were A. D. Newby, H. G. Hill, Kirby Hagen, Troy Payne, H. P. Adams, and J. T. Harris.

CHURCHES

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

The subject of the pastor's message Sunday morning, "You Can't Win Without God" with John 15:5 as the text. Too many people today are trying to get along without God and we believe that the stress of the present day is making people turn to God more and more.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Just a few more days and the series of revival meetings will be going for one month. Suppose now we catch the meaning of that sweet little "Chorus." "Everybody ought to love Jesus, Jesus, Jesus, Jesus. Yes everybody ought to love Jesus."

Let us all sing: "All hail the power of Jesus name." Also "Jesus Lover of My Soul." "The Ninety and Nine;" "Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone?;" "The Haven of Rest;" "Where Is My Wandering Boy Tonight?;" "Revive Us Again;" "The Old Account Was Settled Long Ago;" "Nearer My God to Thee;" "Brighten the Corner Where You Are." These are all fine and many, many others.

But now listen, come to church next Sunday morning and evening. Let nothing but sickness keep you away.

Committees are at work for the meetings. Cottage prayer meetings are going good.

Everybody pray and repent and confess and do your part.

E. C. Cargill, Pastor.

Today's Western Front Close to That of 1914-18



The current western front lies along the Maginot and Siegfried lines. Just 21 years ago it was only slightly east of this position. Above map shows comparison of the two lines and prominent battle centers during first World War.

NO such imposing fortifications as the Maginot and Siegfried lines confronted each other across the French-German border at the outbreak of the first World War in 1914. If this had been the case, the boundary might have remained the western front from the early days to the Armistice.

Yet, today the front is hardly more than 150 miles at the farthest spot from the battle line which existed at the close of hostilities in November, 1918. Such towns as Nancy, Bar-le-Duc, Verdun—familiar to veterans of the past conflict—are very close to the current battle zone.

If the Nazis break down Maginot resistance and rush into France, if they thunder through Belgium, the old war area, World War scars of which scarcely have been healed, may be torn again.

TAKE Ypres, Belgium, for instance. Here were fought three of the World War's bloodiest battles. In the fall of 1914, Germans failed to penetrate the surrounding territory in a tussle which marked the start of trench warfare. In the second battle (April, 1915), Germans used poison gas for the first time. The third battle of Ypres lasted from July to November, 1917, with little gain by either side.

A straight westward drive by the Kaiser's forces threatened Paris during September, 1914. But the first battle of the Marne, midway between the capital and Chateau Thierry, checked the advance. By July, 1916, Brit-

ish were attacking Germans along the Somme near Amiens. Verdun, almost at the fringe of the present Maginot fortifications, was the scene of the war's most famous siege. From February to October of 1916, the Huns hurled intensive bombardments at the city. But Verdun never fell.

Cambrai, near the Belgian border, was the location for a British surprise offensive in November, 1917, during which masses of tanks were used to stampede the enemy. Germany struck back at St. Quentin in March of the following year, pushing 40 miles closer to Paris before her troops were stopped. She again reached the Marne in May at the battle of Chemin-des-Dames between Reims and Soissons.

THEN—the turning point, July, 1918: the Allies won the second battle of the Marne. American troops checked an advance at Chateau Thierry in their first big engagement. September and October: the U. S. doughboys pushed through the Argonne forest, the British broke the Hindenburg line between St. Quentin and Cambrai. The St. Mihiel salient north of Bar-le-Duc provided the clincher.

Wars of the more distant past than the first World War have also moved across this stage. The region has seen the downfall of two Napoleons. Emperor One met his Waterloo in north central Belgium; Emperor Three, battling Prussia, rang up the white flag at Sedan in 1870.

Road Bill Means Savings to Citizens

When the State of Texas recently agreed to assume more than 90 per cent of Hall County's bonded road indebtedness, it left a good many dollars in the pockets of Hall County taxpayers.

The semi-annual payment on the road bonds, together with the payment on a portion of the bond issue which was defaulted and refinanced, totals \$19,580. That is the amount which Hall County would have been required to pay on the 15th of this month.

The actual payment which will be made from the county treasury will be only \$1,561.02. The remaining \$18,018.98 will be paid from a state highway fund—

Of the total amount of \$17,847.50 due on the county and district road bonds this month

the county will be required to pay only \$1,356.41; and of the \$1,527.89 in interest due on the refunded bonds, the county's share will be only \$204.61.

The above figures, released this week by County Judge M. O. Goodpasture, are good news to the taxpayers of Hall County. Doubled to include both semi-annual payments, they represent an annual saving of more than \$56,000.

To the taxpayer in the precincts north of the river, where the full burden of the road indebtedness has fallen, state assumption represents a concrete saving of \$1.25 on the \$100 valuation for district road taxes. The district road tax has been reduced from \$1.50 to 25 cents on the \$100.

The general tax levy for the entire county has been reduced by three cents on the \$100, dropping from 83 cents to a flat 80 cents for 1940.

Since the debt is being paid from a one-cent portion of the state gasoline tax, and calls for no increase in taxation, Hall County taxpayers will be richer by more than \$56,000.

PHIS GROCERY CO.

246 O. S. Goodpasture S. Side Square

- EE, Folger's, lb. 27c; 2 lbs. 53c
TS, GREEN ONIONS, RADISHES, bunch 4c
LOUPES, Rocky Fords, 2 for 15c
GRAPES, lb. 6c
CHIPS, 2 pkgs. 15c
large stalks 10c
E, firm heads 5c
lb. 3 1/2c Peck 35c
lb. 2c Peck 29c
3 lbs. 55c; 6 lbs. \$1.08
SHIONED CHOW CHOW, qt. 25c
OG FOOD, 3 cans 25c
N, best pink, 2 cans 27c
STYLE or FIRESIDE BEANS, 2 cans 17c
IX with premium, 2 pkgs. 23c
AGE, lb. 2 1/2c
small cans 23c
O. D. or W. S., 2 cans 23c
ES, W. S., No. 2 1/2 cans 18c
BEANS, Green or Wax, No. 2 can 15c
guaranteed quality, 24 lbs. 79c

MARKET

- SAUSAGE, lb. 15c
PORK SAUSAGE, lb. 23c
STEAK, lb. 28c
MEAT, lb. 10c SALT BACON 13c
BACON, lb. 23c
lb. 15c

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BANANAS DOZEN 19c

- CRANBERRIES, qt. 19c
GRAPEFRUIT, Texas, 6 for 25c
GRAPES, California, lb. 5c
ORANGES, dozen 15c
VINEGAR, bulk, gallon 25c
TURNIPS, bulk, lb. 3c

APPLES BULK, PECK 25c

- SQUASH, lb. 5c
CUCUMBERS, lb. 5c
ONIONS, 10 lbs. 19c
CARROTS, 3 bunches 10c
TURNIP GREENS, bunch 5c

YAMS PECK 25c

- BRICK CHILI, home made, lb. 25c
CURED HAM, sliced, lb. 29c
BACON, sliced, lb. 20c
LUNCH MEAT, assorted, lb. 25c
HOT BARBECUE, lb. 25c

TOMATOES, Green FOR MAKING CHOW, BUSHEL 1.00

ty 'M' SYSTEM First



Troop News

from the Donley-Hall Scout District

For the past several months, scouting has been on the decline in Memphis, but during the past two weeks, more interest has been shown in this work.

Tuesday of last week at the Rotary meeting, Alien Grundy Memphis who is greatly interested in the work of scouts, told members there that the present power of the European dictators might not have been possible if the youth of 15 years ago had been taught differently.

At the same meeting, Scout Jim Deaver pointed out to the Rotarians the ways in which the scout himself feels about the work. Young Deaver said it was fun now, and he believed the work he is doing now would help him a great deal later on.

Troop 35 of the Memphis scouts, however, did not have to hear the results of this meeting in order to start to work in a new fashion. They met Monday Oct. 2, at the home of Scoutmaster Jack Boone, and started the ball rolling back up the hill to better scouting work by reorganizing their troop.

Originally, the troop had three patrols, but this number was reduced to two. The Lone Star Patrol has as its leader Robert Williams, with Jack Hightower assistant. John Perkins Jr. is secretary-treasurer. Other members are Bill Clark, Gayle Pyeatt, George Sargent, John F. Ivy, Roy Brock, H. B. Gilmore, and Jack Pyeatt.

Leader of the Bull Dog Patrol is John Sargent, who has as his assistant Bill Joyce. Jimmy Bidwell is secretary-treasurer. Other members are Bill Powers, Albert Ray Bernard, James Baldwin, W. H. Butler, Frank Smith, and Arnold Lampman.

Jack Hightower was elected troop scribe. After the reorganization, the two patrols went into separate meetings. Following the meetings, ice cream sandwiches, cookies, and lemonade were served to the boys.

F. S. A. Employees Attending Meeting

Approximately 70 county and district employees of the Farm Security Administration in 25 Panhandle counties are in Childress this week for a four-day meeting which began Tuesday and which will end Friday.

The personnel of the local FSA office, including R. C. Land, Bula T. Doherty, Annaree Spivey, and J. Floyd Bates, are attending the meeting. The local office is closed during the meeting. The meeting was called by Rex B. Baxter, state director of the FSA program. A number of speakers prominent in the work will appear on the program.

Ranked fourteenth in the United States, first in the South, The University of Texas library houses 565,000 volumes, including outstanding special collections in the Latin-American, Texas, and "Rare Book" field. All volumes are at student disposal.

George Washington could trace his descent directly from King John of England, according to a genealogical tree on display at the British Pavilion at the New York World's Fair.

The Declaration of Independence of the Republic of Texas injected a new element into history when it listed a "neglect of public education" as one of the legitimate causes for revolution. Out of that grew The University of Texas, conceived in legislation and opened in 1883.

Piggly Wiggly



- PINEAPPLE, Crushed, 3 flats 25c
APRICOT, PEACH, PINEAPPLE JUICE, 3 for 25c
PEACHES, No. 2 1/2 17c
PEARS, No. 1, 2 for 25c
CHERRIES, No. 2, 2 for 25c
BLACKBERRIES, No. 2 10c

- Flour, 48 lbs. Dobry's Best 1.39
Sugar, 25 lbs. 1.55
Lard, 8 lb. carton 80c
Prunes, dried, 3 lbs. 25c
Peaches, dried, 2 lbs. 25c
Apple Butter, qt. 15c
Peanut Butter, qt. 25c
Mustard, qt. 10c

We Pay for CREAM - - 25c

- Kix, 2 boxes and cream pitcher 25c
Gerber's Cereal Food, per box 20c
Heinz Baby Food, 3 cans for 25c
Duff's Cake Mix, per box 19c
Swansdown or Snosheen Cake Flour, box 25c
Sandwich Spread or Dressing, qt. 25c
Spuds, per pk. 25c
Yams, per pk. 29c
Coffee, White Swan, 3 lb. can 85c
1 lb. jar 29c
Bran 1.25
Shorts 1.40

MARKET SPECIALS

- Armour's Star Sliced BACON 28c
Armour's Banquet Sliced Bacon 25c
Sugar Cured BACON 20c
Dry Salt JOWLS 11c
LINK SAUSAGE 27c
PORK SAUSAGE 20c
BRICK CHILI 20c
BOLOGNA 15c
CREAMERY BUTTER 30c

### PLEASANT VALLEY

By MRS. E. W. PATE

Mr. and Mrs. Rinzy Yarbrough of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Molloy Wednesday night.

Neida Mae Ragon underwent an appendectomy in a Memphis hospital last Wednesday.

Lloyd Vandeventer spent Saturday night with Elwyn Pate.

Several from this community attended Grandmother Farr's birthday dinner at Plaska Sunday.

Leroy Pate returned home Sunday from Amarillo, where he has been working for the past two months.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Watson and sons Elmer Jr. and Bernie Paul, and Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Pate and Elwyn visited in the C. C. Vandeventer home Sunday.

Mrs. O. L. Benton and daughter Ola Faye visited their sister and aunt, Mrs. J. W. Molloy, Monday night.

Misses Lois and Inez Bonner of Memphis visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Pate Sunday afternoon.

Bob Land was a business visitor in Amarillo Thursday of last week.

Mrs. J. M. Lane visited her cousin, Mrs. George Bagsby of Clarendon, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Hyder and two daughters and granddaughter of Alice visited in the home of Dr. and Mrs. D. C. Hyder last week.

Mrs. E. T. Prater and Mrs. T. A. Prater went to Gainesville Friday, and returned Monday. E. T. Prater is working there at present.

**PETTY'S FOOT LOTION** FOR TIRED, ACHING, SMELLING, SWEATY, ITCHING-ATHLETES FOOT. Satisfaction Guaranteed 50c or money refunded, price Durham-Jones Pharmacy

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An Astringent with Antiseptic properties that must please the user or Druggists return money if first bottle of "LEOTO'S" fails to satisfy.

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**Breath Bad, Logy? You May Need This**

Just as the lighthouse flashes a friendly warning to sailors, Nature sends out headaches, bad breath, biliousness, which often warn of constipation.

Too many misunderstand or neglect those symptoms and thereby may invite a host of constipation's other discomforts: sour stomach, belching, loss of appetite or energy.

Be wise. Take spicy, all vegetable BLACK-DRAUGHT tonight by simple directions and clear your bowels gently, promptly, thoroughly. This intestinal tonic-laxative helps give tone to lazy bowels.

Its long life and popularity testify to BLACK-DRAUGHT'S merit.

Announcing a Change in Business

This is to announce to all friends and customers that I have sold and severed all connections with the City Service Station located on the corner of 7th and Noel Streets.

I will appreciate your continued patronage at the Texas Service Station on 10th and Main.

E. E. RICE

**TEXACO SERVICE STATION** 10th and Main E. E. RICE, Owner

### A Reporter Goes to Church

Rain failed to keep very many of the members of the First Baptist Church at home last Sunday morning—the auditorium was almost full. However, Rev. J. W. Mason, the pastor, and Hayden Goodnight, Sunday school superintendent, both said the Sunday school attendance was lower than usual.

The First Baptist Church has a large auditorium, the seats in which are arranged in a semicircle. The floor slants downward toward the pulpit in order that each person in the audience may be better able to see the speaker.

Mrs. A. Adamcik of the State Training Union Department was present at the services Sunday morning, and made an announcement concerning the training union enlargement campaign. During this week, a training school is being conducted each night at the Baptist Church. The school is primarily for the teachers in the church, but Rev. Mason urged, as did Mrs. Adamcik, every member of the church to attend.

Mrs. Adamcik is an excellent speaker herself. Her short announcement Sunday morning appeared to touch everyone in the church, and, judging from the reaction that morning, the entire church will show plenty of enthusiasm during the sessions of the training school.

Rev. Mason preached Sunday morning on "The Unfailing Presence of God." His manner of delivery is sincere, oratorically good, and he manages very effectively to keep the attention of the audience. His manner of speech is rather difficult to analyze, however. He speaks neither rapidly, nor slowly, but with an excellent combination of both. The important points in his sermon were accentuated by either a raising of the tone of his voice, or a lowering of the tone. He preaches well, sincerely, and effectively.

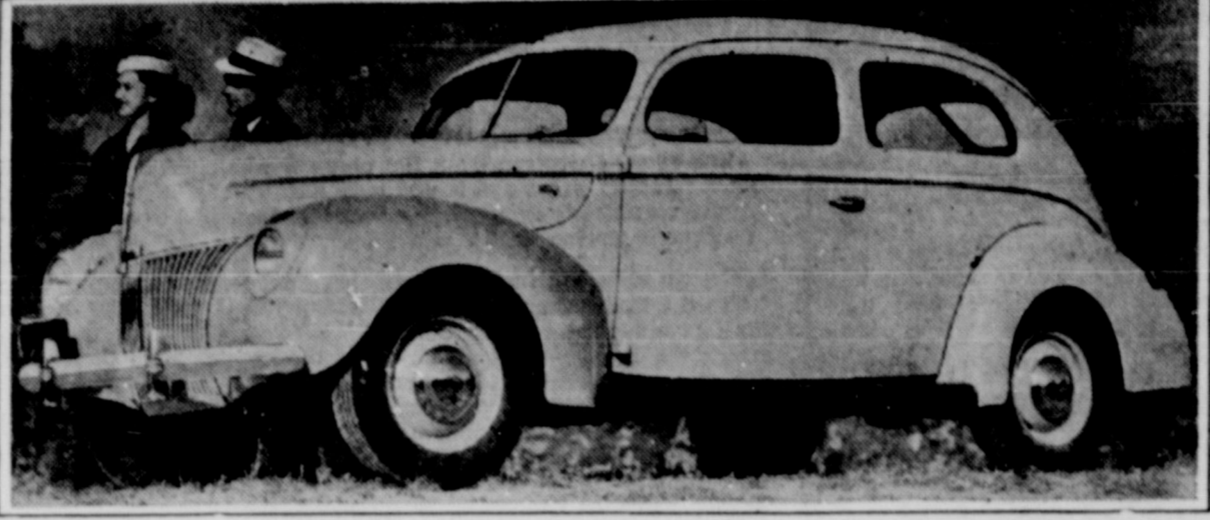
Rev. Mason took his sermon last Sunday from several quotations in the Bible. He told of various ways in which God is always present, and the ways in which a person can be benefitted by the ever-presence of God. He ended his sermon with a poem, beautiful in thought. The poem ended with a phrase which ran something like this, "You must seek God in the morning, if you want Him with you all day."

Beautifully-played organ music accompanied the songs by the choir and the audience. Each seat in the choir was filled and the choir's singing was greatly aided by the help of the audience. It appeared that almost everyone in the audience joined in the singing.

Visitors are welcome at the Baptist Church. Before beginning his sermon, Rev. Mason asked the out-of-town visitors to stand, and each one was introduced to the audience. When you walk into the church, one of the ushers will meet you, give you a program for the day's services, and welcome you. Then when you leave the church, Rev. Mason will hurry to one of the exits, and urge your return. He also calls out to the audience to greet and welcome those visitors for the day.

Attention at the services last Sunday was good, although there were a few minor disturbances. For example, there was a young blonde-haired girl who tiptoed into the church about the middle of the sermon, looked around, saw someone she knew and smiled, then went on to the seat for which she was looking. A still, smaller blonde-haired child cried out occasionally before the sermon started, but the child was quiet during the sermon. One of the male members of the choir was unusually quiet during the sermon as he dozed throughout the time the pastor was speaking. For awhile the reporter was not sure

### Two Ford V-8 Cars for 1940 Presented



HERE are the two Ford V-8 cars presented for 1940. One is a Ford V-8 and the other a deluxe Ford V-8. Top, the deluxe Ford V-8 Fordor sedan; below, the Ford V-8 Tudor sedan. Both are big cars with graceful lines. Emphasis in interior styling is on fine appointments. Among numerous important features are a finger-tip gearshift on the steering column, a new controlled ventilation system and Sealed-Beam headlamps for safer night driving. Two V-8 engines are available, at 85 horsepower in the deluxe, the 85 horsepower or a 60 horsepower engine in the Ford V-8 models. Cars with 85 horsepower engine have improved spring suspension and a torsion bar ride-stabilizer. Four Ford V-8 and five deluxe body types comprise the two lines. A new business coupe as well as a coupe, Tudor sedan and Fordor sedan are available in both. There is also a deluxe convertible club coupe with automatic top standard equipment.

### Resident's Father Dies in Ft. Worth

Henry Eli Smith of Fort Worth, 81, father of W. C. (Bill) Smith of Memphis, died at his residence in Fort Worth last Thursday. Funeral services were held in Fort Worth Friday, with Rev. J. A. Walkup officiating. W. C. Smith attended the funeral services.

Mr. Smith had lived in Fort Worth for the past 15 years, moving there from Amarillo. Interment was in the Rose Hill Cemetery of Fort Worth.

Survivors are five daughters, Mrs. Alice Sanders of Los Angeles, Mrs. A. L. Meredith of Crumb, Mrs. Lola Simmons of Lawton, Okla., and Mrs. J. B. Haynes and Mrs. Nettie Skidmore of Fort Worth; and three sons, R. L. of Fort Worth, C. C. of Dallas, and W. C. of Memphis.

Mrs. Smith preceded her husband in death in 1934.

whether the man was sleeping, but when the man suddenly jumped and changed positions, the reporter felt that his suspicions had been confirmed.

**LAKEVIEW** By BOBBIE N. BARNETT

Miss Johnnie Sue Byars was a week-end guest of Miss Carmon Duren.

Holland Wiley of Canyon visited his parents here over the week-end.

Mrs. Cecil Mitchell of Memphis visited her mother, Mrs. Reeves, Saturday.

Mrs. B. F. Davis visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Reed Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Shirley and sons Jack and Edward visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Craighead Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dickie and sons James and Billy Reed were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willie McWolfe Sunday.

Several from here attended the singing at Clarendon Sunday.

Geraldine Tyler and Mrs. Cecil Mitchell visited Carmon Duren Sunday.

Rachel Sweatt spent the night with Carmon Duren Monday.

### W. F. White Dies In Pecos Hospital

W. F. White, 70, former resident of Memphis, died in a Pecos hospital Friday of a heart attack. Funeral services for Mr. White, whose home was in Fort Worth, were held Saturday from his residence.

Mr. White formerly lived in Memphis and was in the gin business here with the late R. C. Walker. Mrs. Walker, who still lives in Memphis, and Mr. White had some partnership property at the time of Mr. White's death.

At the time of his death, Mr. White was engaged in the real estate and insurance business. He had been living in Fort Worth for the past 20 years, moving there from Amarillo. He owned ranching properties at several West Texas points, including Amarillo.

Charlene Wright of Fort Worth visited Mrs. O. N. Hamilton last week.

### SHAMROCK DOWNS MEMPHIANS BEFORE CROWD OF 2,000 FANS

Cheers of 500 Memphis football fans in a crowd of about 2,000 were unable to pull the Cyclone through a hard-fought game as the Shamrock bowled to a 13 to 0 defeat before the Shamrock Irishmen last Friday night.

Practically all the game was played on Memphis territory, and although the Cyclone punters averaged nearly 30 yards per punt, the team seldom found itself out of danger.

A special train carried more than 200 Memphis fans to the game, and others went in private cars.

Shamrock marked up their first score after about five minutes of play in the opening quarter. Halfback Burl Puett went around right end for 12 yard to place the ball on the Memphis 21-yard line.

Gene Lanford ran around left end to pick up about 5 yards. A pass from quarterback Charlie Allen to D. H. Wilson, end, was complete across the goal and good for the first touchdown. Puett missed the kick for the extra point.

Neither team scored during the second quarter, but in the third a long pass paved the way for Shamrock's second touchdown. After a series of short gains through the line, Allen went over the goal line for the touchdown. A pass from Allen to Melvin Thompson, end, was good for the extra point, making the score 13 to 0.

The Cyclone forward wall showed up much stronger than in the Paducah game, when the Dragons ran through the line almost at will. The Cyclone also pulled several new plays out of the hat to make their offensive thrusts show up better.

The Memphis passing attack almost paved the way for another Shamrock tally in the fourth quarter, when Puett intercepted a pass from J. C. McClure. With the ball in their possession, the Irishmen got down to the Cyclone 15-yard line, tried two line plays which failed, and then tried a pass over the goal line, which fell incomplete.

Outstanding player of the game was Shamrock's Charlie Allen. He repeatedly crashed through the Memphis forward wall for gains, and his passes to the Irishmen ends were well-placed, although the Irishmen completed only 6 out of 15.

**Women: "Build-Up" To Relieve Pain**

A weak, run-down, undernourished condition calls for attention!

Such a condition often enables functional dysmenorrhea to get its foothold. That's one thing which leads to much of women's suffering from headaches, nervousness, those cramp-like pains. A good way to relieve such pains, women by thousands have found, is by the proper use of CARDUL. It stimulates a lagging appetite, assists digestion and assimilation; thus helps build physical resistance to periodic pain. Taken just before and during "the time," many women also report that CARDUL helps to ease the pain and discomfort of the period.

### Lakeview Man Likes Shelterbelt

That the shelterbelt program of the Prairie States Forestry Service division in Memphis is proving beneficial is shown by statements of V. Patton, farmer near Lakeview.

"I think," Mr. Patton recently said, "that my shelterbelt is very beneficial to me. For example, a strip of cotton near the belt has a good crop of well-matured bolls on it, which probably would not have been there if I had not had the shelterbelt."

Mr. Patton pointed out that the land near the belt was subject to blowing each year, and as a result it was usually too late after the

crop had been planted. This year the land has not been blown to great extent.

Another example gives is the condition of alfalfa at the farm. The belt has been taking hold, as is seen and the feed is in condition.

Two other reasons belt are given by Mr. Patton. One is that the trees add to the soil, and the other such as quail, and the trees.

M. J. Draper and Martha and Jean Saturday from San Antonio returned to Lakeview, where the Texas Tech.

Charter No. 12835 Reserve Dept. REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

of Lakeview in the State of Texas, at the close of October 2, 1939. Published in response to call made by the Controller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Statutes.

**ASSETS** Loans and discounts (including \$236.51 overdrafts) Obligations of States and political subdivisions Corporate stocks, including stock of Federal Reserve bank Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection Bank premises owned \$2,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$1,500.00 Real estate owned other than bank premises Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding

**LIABILITIES** Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations Deposits of States and political subdivisions Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.) TOTAL DEPOSITS \$61,306.96

**CAPITAL ACCOUNTS** Capital Stock: (c) Common stock, total par \$25,000.00 Surplus Undivided profits

Total Capital Accounts TOTAL LIABILITIES and Capital Accounts

State of Texas, County of Hall, ss: I, W. W. Williamson, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to my knowledge and belief.

W. W. WILLIAMSON DON WRIGHT, Notary Public, Hall County, Texas

Correct—Attest: D. H. DAVENPORT, H. L. DAVENPORT, TOMIE M. POTTS, Directors.

### THE RECORD... Facts That Concern You

**ONE INCOME THAT INCREASED MIGHTILY SINCE 1932**

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**IN 1932 (last year before repeal) BEER'S TAXES WERE PRACTICALLY NOTHING!**

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To this, add a million new jobs made by beer. And a 100 million dollar farm market.

How can we keep these benefits... for you and for us? Brewers of America realize that on keeping beer retailing as wholesome itself. They want to help public officials find a possible way. They cannot enforce laws they can—and will—cooperate!

May we send you a booklet telling of our unusual self-regulation program? United Brewers Industrial Foundation, 40th Street, New York, N. Y.

**BEER... a beverage of moderation**

Various small advertisements and notices on the right edge of the page, including mentions of 'LINES', 'Make', 'paig', 'Cott', 'to Be', 'ress' Car', 'ver Stat', 'are goin', 'conscio', 'ears.', 'sured wh', 'organiz', 'as agric', 'ation pl', 'like a Mat', 'camp', 'and on th', 'M. Co', 'nce was', 'son, direc', 'urred that', 'or more', 'ed in Te', 'ce of the', 'e a limit', 'the mov', 'out by', 'to be select', 'son toge', 'in the ai', 'Briggs of', 'Butler o', 'and Victo', 'The Dalla', 'any group', 'Texas, v', 'here is no', 'all' org', 'cies repre', 'e agreed', 'the mov', 'ampaign, i', 'conferre', 'consumpti', 'otton.', 'Thomas', 'Mrs. H.', 'City vis', 'Mr. How', 'ut, last w', 'a', 'r Sale', 'One-sixth', 'e-eighth', 'Easy ele', '1 typewr', '110-acre', 'miles so', '30 per a', 'on. Box', 'Mrs. Matr', 'mattress', 'mattress', 'addresses', 'with staple', 'See our', 'es before', 'rn, 300', '12,000 gr', 'and 4', 'how read', 'nd 1-1-2', 'D. E. L.', 'Cattle F', 'cows a', 'ny herd', 'an, Silver', 'Seed the', '1922 Ma', 'Personal', 'ARY, Re', 'seers a', 'po. Pri', 'ation. I', 'R QUAL', 'NTING.

Friday, October 13, 1939

PLASKA

By MRS. FLOYD DAVIS

Cotton Picking

The Plaska school was dismissed Friday until Monday, October 30, for cotton picking, but the general routine for the first week proved to be rain. Several were heard to say, "We are proud of the rain but it hasn't failed in several years to rain when school was dismissed for cotton picking."

P. T. A. Has Meeting

The Plaska P. T. A. met Thursday afternoon for the second business session this term. The president, Mrs. Buck Owen, was in charge with Mrs. Harold Hodges assisting. A motion was made and carried to the effect that the P. T. A. would sponsor a Halloween carnival to raise funds for the treasury.

Thursday afternoon in November.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ellis announce the birth of twin girls, born Saturday, October 7, in a Memphis hospital. The babies weighed five and five and one-half pounds. The girls have been named Earlene and Ilene, and their resemblance is so great that a ribbon has been tied on Ilene's arm in order that their parents can tell them apart.

Electricity Turned On

Well! Gossip in the REA district should end now, as the lighting system is so great. Everyone should see things as they really are. My view of Plaska Sunday morning before daylight almost caused me to let my bread burn. I kept seeing a light that I had never seen before and finally decided it was in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Murdock—and you should have seen the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Foster. It looked just like a churchhouse. And if people were late to Sunday school that morning it certainly wasn't because they did not get up in time.

Buck Grant and Mr. Callahan of Conway came Sunday afternoon to bring Grandpa Boggs home, after a two-week visit in

the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grant.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Owen and children and Mrs. G. Powers made a business trip to Amarillo Saturday.

Mrs. W. L. Patton and daughter Wanda Noam returned to their home in Odessa Thursday after a three-week visit with her father, Bud Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hall and children and Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Hall visited relatives at Wellington Sunday.

Miss Opal Davis and Miss Hunter, teachers in the Plaska school, returned to their homes at Turkey and Paducah last week.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to Hollis Boren for the use of the Kitz Theatre, to the merchants who donated prizes, to The Democrat for the publicity, and to the public in general for making the cooking school the success it was.

Memphis High School Parent-Teacher Association Patsy Hall and Colleen Abernathy were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Abernathy of Shamrock.

FAIRVIEW

By MRS. ROSCOE ELLERD

Seyon Shearer of Perryton spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Shearer.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Dyess of Lubbock spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Ellerd.

Junior Fuller of Eli spent the week-end in the H. W. Phillips home.

Everyone in this community is rejoicing over the electricity which was turned on recently.

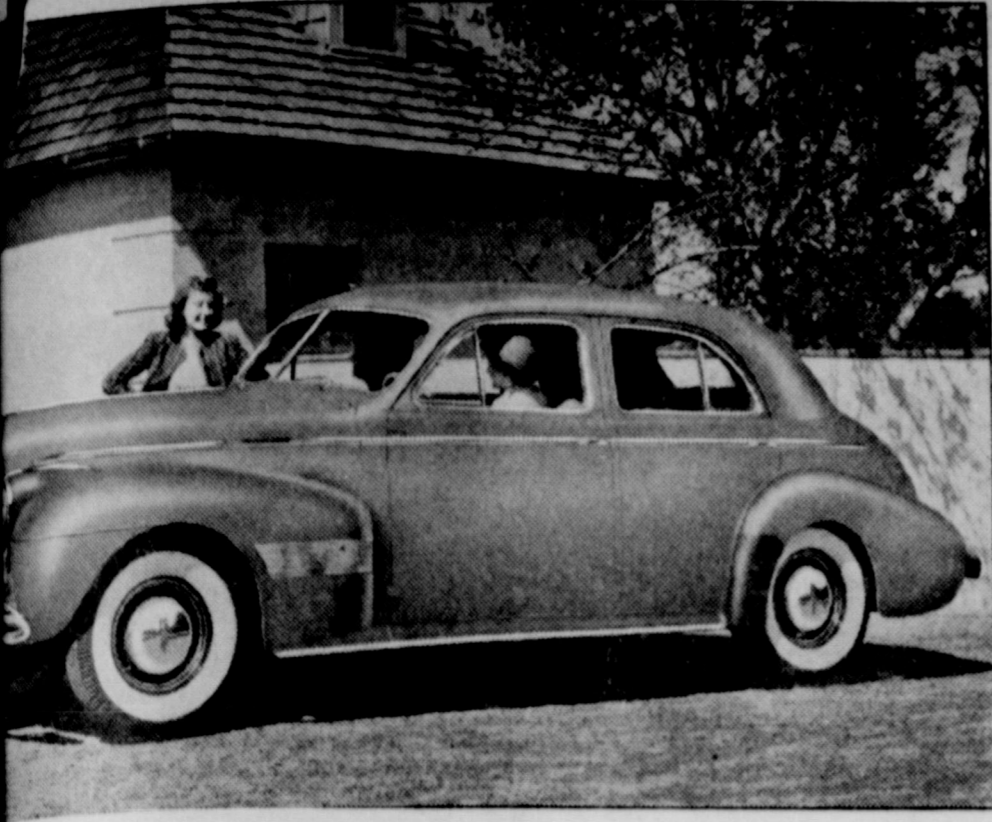
L. W. Messer of Amarillo spent the week-end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Ellerd, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gable.

Kathleen Phillips of Memphis spent the week-end here with home folks.

Luther Vaughn and Mildred Howell of this community were married Saturday night.

Mrs. J. E. Gable and daughter Sylvia and granddaughter Norma Jean Townsend spent Sunday in this community.

A nice rain fell here Saturday night and Sunday.



Lines characterize the New 1940 Oldsmobile that will be on display at the Company shortly. This new car embodies many new features but outstanding is the Hydro-Matic Drive which enables the driver to shift gears safely, quietly, by merely pressing the accelerator. This new feature has eliminated the gear clutch, making operation of the Oldsmobile a simple matter.

Judge Explains How State Assumption Of Road Bonds Helps Hall Countians

Makers Campaign Cotton

Just how much difference in taxes the road bond assumption bill, passed by the recent session of the State Legislature, will make has been bothering quite a few people in the county, according to a statement from County Judge M. O. Goodpasture.

Half-Mast Flag On Postoffice in Honor of Pulaski

The flag was flown at half-mast Wednesday on the post office following a proclamation by President Roosevelt in honor of the sons of foreign nations who assisted in the establishment of the United States.

Fitzjarrald Talks On REA at Rotary

J. O. Fitzjarrald was guest speaker at Rotary luncheon Tuesday. He spoke on rural electrification, and the work that has been done in this county by the REA officials.

Just how much difference in taxes the road bond assumption bill, passed by the recent session of the State Legislature, will make has been bothering quite a few people in the county, according to a statement from County Judge M. O. Goodpasture.

The passing of the bill, and its going into effect, will make a big difference to taxpayers in Consolidated Road District No. 1. Judge Goodpasture, in explaining how the new bill works, used as an example an actual evaluation of a 160-acre tract of land in the county. The land has been valued at \$2,200 for the past several years, and since it is a homesteaded tract, no state tax is levied on it.

In 1938, the road bond tax on the 160-acre tract was \$33, and the county tax \$18.26, making a total tax, excluding the school tax, of \$51.26. In 1939, however, the road bond tax is only \$5.50, and the county tax reduced to \$17.60, making a total tax of \$23.10, or representing a saving of \$28.16 to the owner. In both 1938 and 1939, the school tax was \$24.40, since the rate has not changed. Thus, with the road bond assumption bill in effect, the tax in 1939 on the 160-acre tract is \$47.50, compared to the tax of \$78.66 in 1938. The saving of \$28.16, however, includes a reduction of 66 cents in the county tax. Thus, the road bond bill has reduced the total taxes to be paid by \$27.50, which is a "big" difference.

Notification was received by Judge Goodpasture in the first part of September that the Hall County Consolidated Road District No. 1 indebtedness had been approved at \$705,563.51 by the State Board of County and District Indebtedness. State participation on this issue is now 90.49 per cent of the indebtedness, the county paying the other 9.6 per cent.

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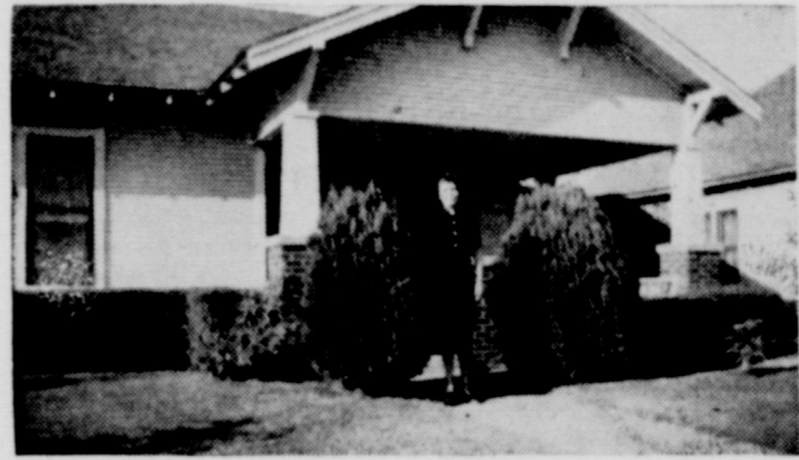
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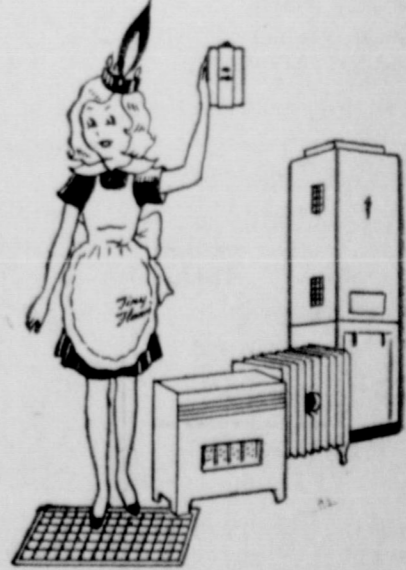


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Lakeview Senior S. S. Class Meets At Mitchell Home

The senior Sunday School class of the Lakeview Baptist Church met at the home of Miss Maxine Mitchell Tuesday night to complete organization of the class.

The following officers were elected: president, Willie Mae Blanks; vice president, Maxine Mitchell; secretary-treasurer, Eual Johnson. Committees and their chairmen named are, membership, Bessie Lee Scott; stewardship, Ione Stem; social, Carmon Duren; reporter, LaRue Long.

The class adopted "Willing Workers" as its name, and "Give of Your Best to the Master" as its song. Favorite scripture chosen was II Tim. 2:15. Blue and American beauty were the colors chosen.

After the business session, refreshments were served to Mrs. W. R. Scott, Mrs. Clyde Reed, and Misses Bessie Lee Scott, Melva Jean Crowder of Memphis, LaRue Long, Willie Mae Blanks, and the hostess, Maxine Mitchell.

Bridge Club Meets Thursday in Home Of Frank Garrett

The Thursday Night Bridge Club met last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garrett.

High score prize for men went to Hugh Crawford. Mrs. Crawford won high score for women.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Morgenson, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cudd, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. George Greenhaw, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Garrett.

Wesley S. S. Class Meets in Home of Mrs. F. V. Clark

Mrs. F. V. Clark was hostess to the Daughters of Wesley Sunday School class of the First Methodist Church last Wednesday, October 4, with Mrs. Marvin Duren as co-hostess.

Mrs. Floyd McElreath presided at the business session. Subject for the program was "Religion in Brazil." Mrs. Frank Wright gave the devotional, following which Mrs. Roy Guthrie spoke on the religion in Brazil. Mrs. Norma Hunt then gave a history of Grandberry College.

During the social hour, refreshments were served to Mesdames Frank Wright, W. B. DeBerry, Albert Gerlach, Mrs. Floyd McElreath, C. H. Compton, A. S. Moss, Florena McElreath, Marvin Duren, Henry Newman, Mae Lofland, T. M. Potts, E. N. Hudgins, J. W. Slover, S. E. Mayfield, F. V. Clark, T. J. Hampton, Bess Crump, G. H. Garner, George Hammond, Norma Hunt, W. B. Kimberlin, Roy Guthrie, and G. L. McNeal of Cooper.

Mrs. Joan Morgan and son William Estes of Lubbock visited Mrs. Morgan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Estes Sunday. Accompanying them were Mrs. Carroll McDavid and daughter Jo Carroll, who visited Mrs. McDavid's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Goodnight.

M. E. Circle No. 3 Discusses Revival At Last Meeting

Misses Ruby Hoffman, and Bernice and Vada Webster were hostesses to members of Circle No. 3 of the Methodist Women's Missionary Society Monday night. The house was decorated with cut flowers.

Dorothy Nell Evans opened the program with the devotional, "The Living Bonds of Fellowship." Prayer was then offered by Mrs. A. C. Hoffman. "Home Missions" was given Mrs. N. A. Hightower. The city-wide revival was discussed and needs for this revival were expressed by the members.

Present were N. A. Hightower, A. C. Hoffman, H. B. Bennett, and Misses Margaret McElreath, Dorothy Gowan, Dorothy Nell Evans, Grace Gowdy, and the hostesses, Bernice and Vada Webster, and Ruby Hoffman.

Needle Craft Club Meets in Home of Mrs. Wattenbarger

The Needle Craft Club met in the home of Mrs. Barney Wattenbarger Tuesday, October 3. The afternoon was spent in doing needlework for the hostess.

Present were Mrs. F. R. Curtis, Mrs. L. G. Carlos, Mrs. H. H. Newman, Mrs. C. L. Simmons, Mrs. W. F. McElreath, Mrs. Bess Crump, Mrs. J. M. Ferrel Jr., and the hostess, Mrs. Wattenbarger. Next meeting will be with Mrs. H. H. Newman Tuesday, October 17.

Society

Mrs. C. W. Broome Hostess to U. D. C. Tuesday Afternoon

The United Daughters of the Confederacy chapter met in the home of Mrs. C. W. Broome Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Joe DeBerry as co-hostess.

During the business session led by the president, Mrs. W. L. Wheat, Carroll Smyers spoke of the City Park and asked the cooperation of the U. D. C. chapter in beautifying the park.

The program was on Georgia, with the motto, "Wisdom, Justice, and Moderation." Mrs. Sam West spoke on "The Cherokee Rose and Georgia's Seven Wonders in Historical Site." Mrs. R. E. Clark talked on "Sidney Lanier, Poet and Musician," following which Mrs. Joe DeBerry sang "Where My Caravan Has Rested." She was accompanied by Mrs. Robert Devin.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames G. C. Baskerville, R. E. Clark, T. J. Duncan, T. R. Garrott, O. R. Goodall, T. J. Hampton, J. M. Lane, D. J. Morgenson, J. H. Norman, J. A. Odum, G. W. Sexauer, M. G. Springer, J. W. Slover, C. Z. Stidham, Glynn Thompson, Sam West, T. E. Whaley, J. A. Whaley, W. L. Wheat, and Frank Wright. Visitors were Mrs. Robert Devin, Mrs. G. L. McNeal of Paris, and Carroll Smyers.

Culture Club Gives Tribute to Work Of Clara Driscoll

The Woman's Culture Club met Wednesday, October 4, in the home of Mrs. T. B. Rogers. Mrs. D. J. Morgenson, president, presided at the business session.

In introducing the program, "Our Panhandle," the secretary announced that the program was to be dedicated to Mrs. Clara Driscoll, "savior" of the Texas Federation headquarters.

In paying tribute to Mrs. Driscoll, Mrs. W. L. Wheat, standing by the United States and Texas flags, gave an informative and stimulating review of the many worthy deeds of Mrs. Driscoll, bringing out the fact that she knew, loved and understood Texas and its people more than any other woman ever to live in this state.

In view of Mrs. Driscoll's leadership in the Democratic party and of her faith in the democratic form of government, the preamble of the constitution was given by Mrs. C. Z. Stidham. A poem about Mrs. Driscoll was then read by Miss Vera Gilreath.

The Panhandle program was begun by Miss Anita Meacham, attired in cowboy regalia, singing "Old Faithful" and "Silver on the Sage," accompanied by Mrs. L. B. Madden at the piano.

Mrs. J. A. Whaley depicted the early Panhandle in her talk on "Cattle Kings and Cattle Trails." "Panhandle Archaeology" was discussed by Mrs. Elie Baker, archaeologist of Amarillo, who with her husband has been excavating along the Canadian River for the past five years. Mrs. Baker's exhibit found in the different burials brought out in a clear manner how some of the Panhandle people lived ten thousand years ago.

Mrs. Roy Fultz, safety chairman, brought the thought for the day on safety.

The hostess, assisted by Mrs. D. E. Rogers, served salad courses to Miss Imogene King, Mrs. C. C. Meacham, Mrs. Chas. Oren, Mrs. Clarence Stroehle, Miss Anita Meacham, Miss Mary Noel, Mrs. Park Chamberlain, Mrs. R. Ernest Clark, Mrs. Roy Fultz, Miss Vera Gilreath, Mrs. H. T. Gregory, Mrs. Carr Hamrick.

Mrs. R. L. Madden, Mrs. L. B. Madden, Mrs. D. W. May, Mrs. D. J. Morgenson, Mrs. J. H. Norman, Mrs. G. W. Sexauer, Mrs. C. Z. Stidham, Mrs. J. W. Wells, Mrs. J. A. Whaley, Mrs. W. L. Wheat, Mrs. Conley Ward.

Neysanell Coursey Given Birthday Dance Wednesday

Miss Polly Sanders entertained with an ice cream supper Wednesday night, honoring Neysanell Coursey on her birthday anniversary.

Dancing was enjoyed throughout the evening. Refreshments were served to Charlene Gerlach, Gene Lindsey, Patsy Hall, James Fultz, Frances Clark, Keith Wells, Pilly Joyce, Peggy Walker, Nina Ruth Nelson, Travis Malone, Polly Sanders, J. D. Rhoden, L. F. Jones, and the honoree, Miss Coursey.

Mrs. George Carter of Lubbock visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Clark, last week.

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'42' Party Given Thursday Night in Whittenberg Home

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Carlos and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Whittenberg were hosts for a "42" party Thursday night at the Whittenberg home.

At the conclusion of the games, refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Wattenbarger, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Srygley, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Byars, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Jameson, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pritchett, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. McElreath.

Mrs. J. H. Bowns, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Crooks, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Goodpasture, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Newman, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ferrel, and Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Curtis.

Baptist Estherian Class Meets in McMurry Home

The Estherian Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church met Monday night at the home of Miss Jacqueline McMurry.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Miss Beth Weathersbee. For the devotional each member gave her favorite passage from the Bible. Mrs. Lloyd Phillips entertained the group with a talk, after which a quartet sang, accompanied by Mrs. J. W. McCulloch.

New officers for the coming year were nominated and agreed upon.

Present were Mrs. Byron Baldwin, Mrs. Lloyd Phillips, Miss Avis Kilpatrick, Una Lourd, Wilma Lee Watson, Mary Smith, Gladys Shantz, Daphne Hillhouse, Mrs. J. W. McCulloch, Bertha Anne Kellison, Beth Weathersbee, Inez Morrison, Clara Burnett, and the hostess, Miss McMurry.

Plaska Needle Club Meets in Home of Mrs. Hubert Hall

The Plaska Needle Club met in the home of Mrs. Hubert Hall Tuesday with 14 members present.

Present were Mrs. L. A. Bray, Mrs. W. T. Davis, Mrs. E. E. Foster, Mrs. Nadine Hall, Mrs. Viola Hodges, Mrs. C. W. Jones, Mrs. T. L. McWhorter, Mrs. Olan Murdock, Mrs. E. T. Montgomery, Mrs. W. L. Nabers, Mrs. Hubert Hall, Ruby Murdock, Mrs. C. H. Riddle, Mrs. Floyd Davis, Mrs. W. L. Crawford, Mrs. G. D. Hall, and Mrs. W. L. Farr.

The club will meet with Mrs. C. H. Riddle next Tuesday.

Lakeview Meets at Church Monday Afternoon

Members of the Lakeview Women's Missionary Society met at the First Baptist Church Monday afternoon.

After the songs, and "Have You Prayed," a prayer by Mrs. R. M. Holt, S. J. Mitchell, L. E. Phillips, Reeves, F. J. Schilling, W. Spear.

Present were Mesdames Brister, R. A. Bowers, Barnett, B. F. Davis, R. M. Holt, S. J. Mitchell, L. E. Phillips, Reeves, F. J. Schilling, W. Spear.

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Cash, Carry Plan Favored by Jones

Taking the side of the President in the present Congressional clash over the embargo versus cash-and-carry plan, Marvin Jones, Congressman from this district, has recently issued a statement concerning his views.

"The 'cash-and-carry' plan now under consideration by the Congress is much less likely to involve America in war than if we continue under the present act," Congressman Jones writes.

"Under the present law, only actual implements of war are subject to the embargo. We can ship steel, oil, brass, cotton, nitrates, and many other materials that go into the making of implements of war, and our own ships can carry these materials. . . . Our ships can transport these materials and thus be targets for torpedoes. . . .

"The 'cash-and-carry' plan now under consideration provides that none of the materials listed by any warring country as contraband can be carried in American ships to the belligerents on either side. The title of ownership must be transferred in this country and the articles must be carried in the ships owned by the belligerents themselves. This will remove the dangers of the present law. . . .

"There is no such thing as winning a modern war. All people who take part in it lose. . . .

"Capital should also be subject to call. Excessive profits should never be allowed again. The best assurance of peace is to take the profits out of war. "Let us keep America at peace," Congressman Jones concluded.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvil Johnson were called to the bedside of a relative in Pampa Sunday. Accompanying them to Pampa was Mrs. Herbert Stockton, who visited relatives there. Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Burrows spent last week-end in Tulla.

It is not just another fish story that E. N. Hudgins had to tell—it is a real one, and a true one.

Imagine helping catch 50,000 fish all in two days of trying, and being able to come back to town and tell about it—truthfully.

But that is just what happened to Mr. Hudgins, who is a member of the fish committee of Brookhollow Lake. Of course the fish were not "whoppers," or anything like that. They were anywhere from three to ten inches long, and of three varieties, bass, goggle-eyes, and cat.

The fish were moved last week from the spawning pools of the Brookhollow Lake to the lake itself. There are about 15,000 bass, 25,000 goggle-eyes, and between 10,000 and 12,000 catfish.

"It's the best results we have ever had with our spawning pools," Mr. Hudgins said. For the past several years, between 20,000 and 40,000 fish have been raised, each year, but this year's crop far outnumbered any previous year.

For awhile this year the bass in three of the pools were not growing very much, so 40,000 minnows were dumped each week into the pools for the bass to eat. When the fish were moved last week, there was only about 1,000 of the minnows left out of a total of approximately a quarter million which had been dumped into the pools.

The fish were moved by means of seining after the water had been drained down to a low level. Practically none of the fish died during the moving process, Mr. Hudgins said.

Fishermen may practice their skill at the lake until March 1, Mr. Hudgins said. Fishing may then be resumed May 1, after the spawning period of March and April.

Mrs. J. G. Kunkler is visiting relatives near Dallas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Duncan of Clarendon visited Lena Mclear Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Miller of Shamrock spent Sunday with Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Merrick.

Mystic Weavers Meet in Home of Mrs. J. W. True

The Mystic Weavers met with Mrs. J. W. True Wednesday afternoon.

After a short business meeting presided over by the president, Mrs. George Hattenbach, refreshments were served to Mesdames F. N. Foxhall, W. B. DeBerry, Frank Phelan, T. R. Garrott, R. C. Walker, J. S. McMurry, Chas. Webster, George Hattenbach, R. H. Wherry, Chas. Oren, Roy Fultz, Sam Harrison, Dave Grundy, J. W. True, C. A. Reynolds. Visitors were Mrs. Dick Huggins and Miss Maud Milam.

Farewell Shower For Mrs. Brewer Is Given Friday

A handkerchief shower, honoring Mrs. Roy Brewer, was given by Mrs. Alvin Massey and Mrs. O. N. Hamilton at the Massey home last Thursday night. Mrs. Brewer left Friday for Goosecreek, where she will make her home.

The entire program was along the line of Mother Goose. Mrs. R. E. Clark read a poem on "Friendship" by Edgar A. Guest, and she also read an original poem dedicated to Mrs. Brewer.

Cards, with a hand-painted goose on each, were passed out to the guests. Each guest was asked to write on her card a friendly greeting, in verse, to the honoree.

Mrs. Hamilton read an original Mother Goose poem to Mrs. Brewer.

Little Roy Alvin Massey and Margaret Ann Massey, dressed as Little Boy Blue and Little Bo Peep, came in with a basket filled with handkerchiefs, and presented them to Mrs. Brewer.

Punch was served to Misses Mary Beckum, Ruby Thornton, Sylvan Wrenn, and Ida Mae Lonz, and Mesdames Mary Pyeatt, Jan Martindale, R. E. Clark, J. P. Godfrey, Bonner Scott, Earl Pritchett, Jack Joyce, Ada Sargent, Ara Foust, Mac Graham, Lynn Jones, Flora Webb, Harry DeLaney, and Roy Brewer, and the hostesses, Mrs. Hamilton and Mrs. Massey.

W. M. S. Circle 2 Meets Monday In Norman Home

Circle No. 2 of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. James Norman, with Mrs. L. C. Byars and Mrs. Jerry Wright as co-hostesses.

The program, led by Mrs. Frank Foxhall, was as follows: Topic, "Lifting Horizons in Fields Afar." Musical number by Mrs. R. H. Williams. Prayer by Mrs. Frank Foxhall. Roll call of questions and answers. Scripture, Philippians 3:7-15. Mrs. Clinton Srygley. Song, "The Morning Light is Breaking." Missionary topic, Mrs. Noel Woodley. Prayer for the world mission of the church, Mrs. Frank White. Business session. Benediction.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Noel Woodley, Mrs. C. H. Compton, Mrs. Frank Foxhall, Mrs. Ed Hutchinson, Mrs. C. R. Webster, Mrs. Mae Tarver, Mrs. Clinton Srygley, Mrs. Norma Hunt, Mrs. R. H. Williams, Mrs. Robert Devin, Mrs. W. L. Porterfield, Mrs. Berrel Hannon, and hostesses, Mrs. Norman, Mrs. Byars, and Mrs. Wright.

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Ritz THURSDAY LAST DAY Peggy Singleton and Arthur Lake in "Blondie Takes a Vacation" 10c FRIDAY 10c James Ellison in "Almost a Gentleman" SATURDAY ONLY Ken Maynard in "Honor On the Range" SATURDAY NIGHT PREVUE, SUNDAY and MONDAY Misha Auer in "Unexpected Father" TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY John Garfield in "Dust Be My Destiny" THURSDAY ONLY Matinee and Night Danielle Darrieux in "French Girl's Club"



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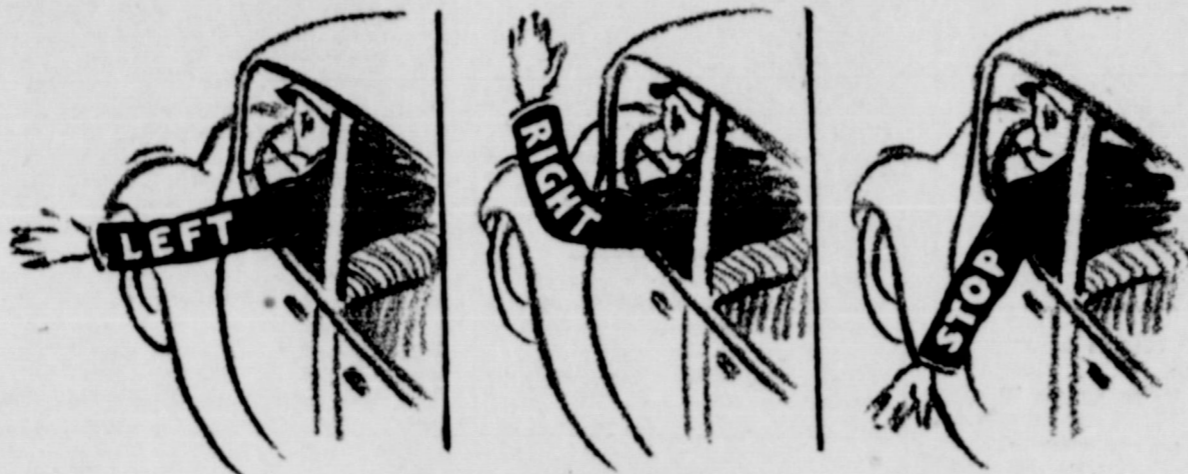
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## Use and Observe These TRAFFIC SIGNALS for Your Safety!

Traffic signals were not invented for the playing of polite parlor games. True, it is good driving manners to use and observe these signals. But courtesy is merely incidental to the real purpose: YOUR OWN PERSONAL SAFETY.

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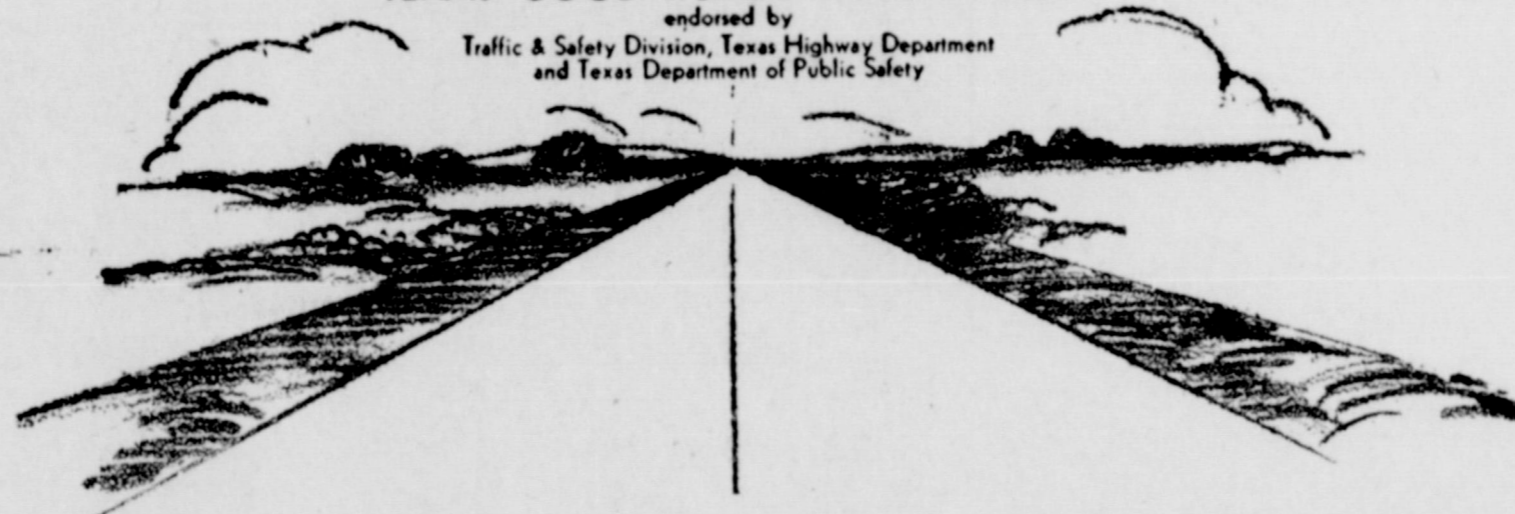
Simple signals, these three; and so easy that their use can become as automatic as opening the mouth when you want to

speak. So simple and so easy that it is hard to understand that for many they have meant the difference between life and death. Psychologically, perhaps, it is explained by the fact that many people who drive 1939 cars still follow 1910 driving methods . . . and are as hopelessly old-fashioned as if they wore bustles or yellow buttoned high shoes! Their intentions are good; they plan to do the right thing. But they don't practice it. And the tragic part is that they only have to forget just once! "Once is enough" is Death's own motto and should be graven on thousands of those hard gray slabs.

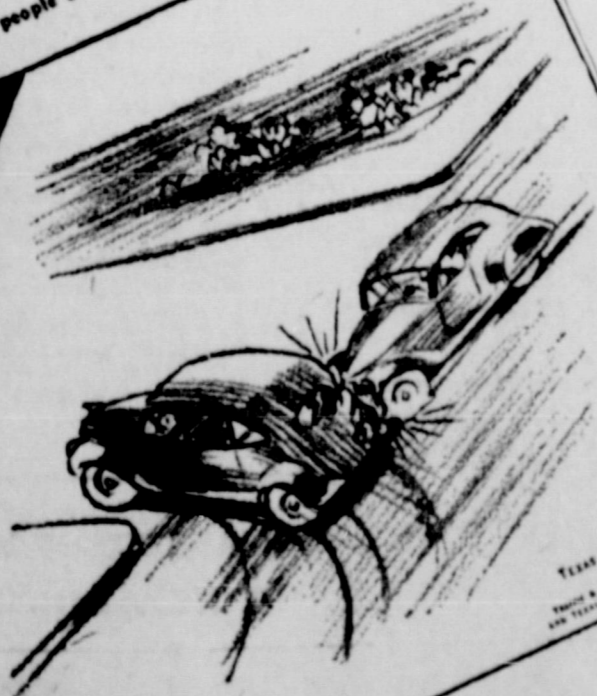
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### NEWLIN

By MRS. FRED HEMPHILL

**Meeting Closes Sunday Night**  
The revival services which have been conducted for the past two weeks at the local Methodist Church by the pastor came to a close Sunday night. Each service was well attended, and the night services had representatives from all the surrounding towns and communities. The revival was a successful spiritual revival for the church and community. There were a number of conversions. Rev. Ivey will begin a revival in Estelline Monday night, which will continue for two weeks, after which he will conduct the young people's services and song services for the month revival in Memphis beginning October 22.

**Rain**  
After two months of drouth which seriously damaged crops in this area, a rain began to fall Saturday afternoon and continued throughout the night and most of the day Sunday. The precipitation amounted to approximately an inch and a half. The moisture will be beneficial to late feed-crops and to farmers who plant fall wheat.

**Nelson Reunion**  
All the children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Nelson for a family reunion on Sunday, October 8. Those present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nelson and children of Eli, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Nelson and children of Newlin, Mrs. Guy Nelson and son of Newlin, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Nelson and daughter of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Tad Nelson and daughter of Albuquerque, N. M., Mrs. Myrtle Sheid and son of Denver, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nelson and son, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Hoover, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Nelson, Miss Willie Margaret Lokoy, Miss Annie Margaret Helm, Mrs. Cecil Hardie and son. A total of forty were present.

**Birth Certificate Mix-Up**  
At the opening of the school this year, each beginner was required by the State Health Department to have his birth certificate, which caused several parents considerable trouble. Little Trilton Don Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Trilton Davis, found that his birth certificate had been sent in to the state department with his name spelled "Doss" instead of Don, due to an error of the attending physician. The parents in correcting the mistake found that to be quite a task. After several letters to the department, it was necessary to have a photostatic copy made of the certificate, and an affidavit made by the parents concerning the error.

**Personal**  
Mrs. Ogle Martin and little daughter Gwenneth Lea returned to the home of her parents here from Galveston last week. Her husband, Corporal Ogle Martin, was sent with several hundred army officers to Porto Rico, where he will be stationed for the next two years.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Crawford and little daughter Beverly Jane moved to Hedley last week to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Griffin moved from their home here to Paris, where they will make their home. Mr. Griffin is very ill.

Marvin Wasson left last week for California, where he expects to spend the winter.

Miss Florence Lokoy returned to her home here after spending the past six months in a Fort Worth hospital. Miss Lokoy is still confined to her bed.

Mrs. Merle Williams and sons Darrold and Herbert of Wichita Falls spent Saturday and Sunday with her father, J. O. Hemphill, here.

### LESLEY

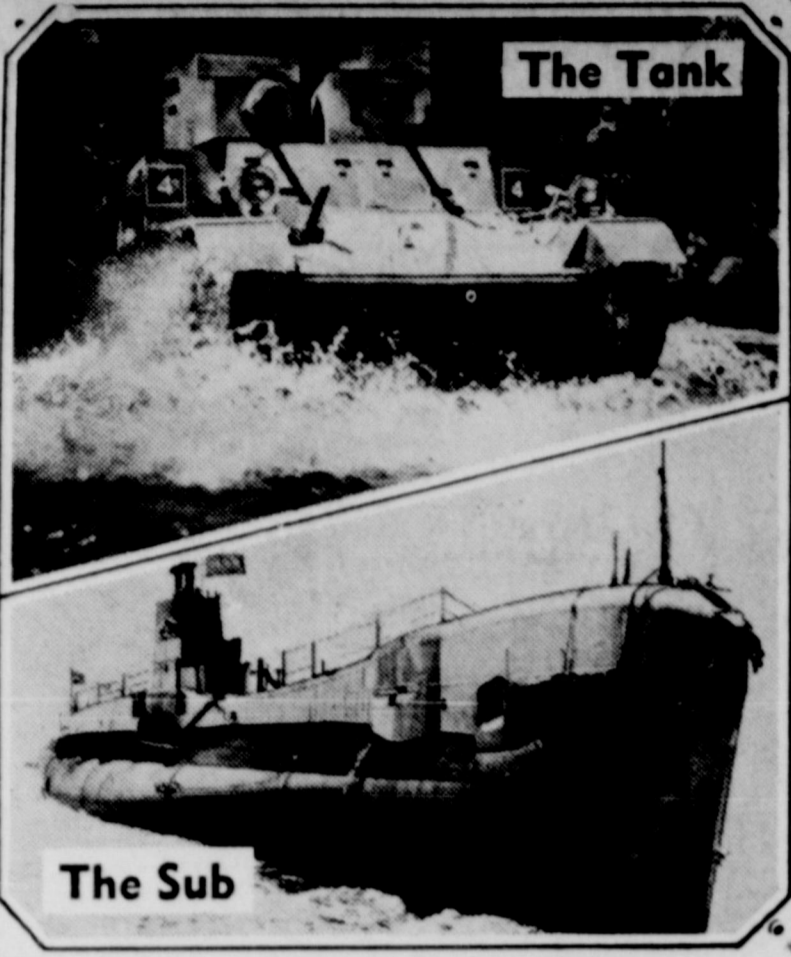
By MRS. JAMES SMITH

The women of the community spent the day with Mrs. Hester Shields last Wednesday, honoring Mrs. Coleman Shields with a covered dish luncheon. The day was spent in quilting.

The Senior B. Y. P. U. class, sponsored by Dudley Adams, met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Davis Wednesday night and various games were enjoyed. Refreshments of wieners, marshmallows, pickles, and buns were served to those present.

Mrs. Hawthorne of Newlin spent

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If disaster strikes, there is no escape. Igniting gasoline bombs, hurled at the tank, turn the tiny inner control room into a chamber of horror. Ground mines can blast the steamroller to bits. Shells from anti-tank guns will pierce the one-inch plating.

Light tanks weigh about 10 tons, can travel at 40 miles per hour over ordinary roads. They carry a 37-millimeter weapon and four 30-caliber machine guns. There are 223 tanks and 1887 men in a light tank regiment; about 1000 men are mechanics, medical workers, and reserves who travel behind the moving front.

The light tank can carry a fuel supply of 60 gallons, gets about two miles to the gallon. It

a few days in the home of Mrs. J. W. Hatley.

Mrs. Lad Hagins and Mrs. Cyril Aduddell were visitors in this community last week.

The B. A. U. class of the Wesley Baptist Church met last Tuesday night at the home of W. A. Knight. Old-time games were played and a huge fire was built in the back yard where wieners and marshmallows were roasted. Twenty-three were present.

Mrs. W. M. Montgomery gave a birthday dinner last Saturday, honoring W. M. and J. P. Montgomery, both of whom were 67 years old. Present were members of both families and their children.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Perry and family of Groom were week-end guests in the M. M. Kennard home.

Mrs. Gordie Cross has returned home from the hospital after undergoing a major operation recently. She is reported to be recovering.

### FRIENDSHIP

By MRS. D. B. MYERS

W. B. Hooser paid his first visit of this school year to Friendship the past week. H. C. Shafer was elected to report the news of the newly organized 4-H Club for the coming year. Officers elect-

ed, Shafer reports, were Melvon Gilchrest, president; Melvin Vick, vice president; Robert Billington, secretary; and Lamar West and D. B. Myers, sponsors.

This community really looks like a different place since the past week-end. Everyone seemed surprised at the fall of about one inch of rain during a period of two days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ward and family visited in the J. E. Crisman home near Eli Sunday.

Those who were among the many fans and players attending the Memphis-Shamrock game Friday night were Boyce and Noel Bruce, Don Tyler, Linley Billington, J. D. and Norene Morrison, William Lavender, Marguerite Baker, L. E. Jenkins, Merle Padgett, and Curtis Harrell.

Visitors in the G. W. Leffew home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Dave Leffew, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Leffew, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Rich and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Basham and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. McQueen and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Veteto Sunday. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ferrel and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Billington, Robert, Billy, and Linley. Mrs. Veteto is recovering from her recent illness.

The training union meeting was called off Sunday because of rain. Mrs. D. A. Neeley favored the following with a "42" party last Monday night: Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hooser, Mr. and Mrs. John Neeley, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. Kimberlin, Mr. and Mrs. Guy W. Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Myers.

The volleyball girls met Monday to elect a captain. Juanita Ward was chosen captain, and Leatrice Hutchins was elected co-captain.

Mrs. C. L. Padgett is able to be out of bed. Her son Eldon is ill and has had medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blum and Mrs. W. R. Landis and sons W. R. and Winfred of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Padgett Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Myers made a trip to Canyon this week-end, where Mr. Myers did some work concerning his master's thesis. They also visited relatives there.

Don't forget that next Sunday is the time for Rev. Milton Evans to be at Friendship.

### Greenhaw's Leads In Bowling League

Greenhaw's bowlers moved out in front place in the local bowling league last week by downing the J. C. Woodridge team in three straight games.

The First National Bank team, leading in last week's standings, dropped to second place when the team lost two of three games to the G-Men. Tied for third place position are the Memphis Grocery team, which lost two of three games to Cudd-Combest, and Durham-Jones, which dropped two of three to The Democrat team.

Next week's pairings are as follows: Monday, October 16, Memphis Grocery vs. Durham-Jones; Tuesday, October 17, Democrat vs. Cudd-Combest; Wednesday, October 18, Greenhaw's vs. First National Bank; and Thursday, October 19, Woodridge vs. G-Men.

The standings:

Team	W	L	Pct.
Greenhaw's	9	3	.750
Bank	8	4	.667
Memphis Gro.	7	5	.583
Durham-Jones	7	5	.583
Democrat	6	6	.500
G-Men	5	7	.417
Cudd-Combest	4	8	.333
Woodridge	2	10	.167

Jess Rosenwasser is visiting relatives in Lockhart this week. Marcus Rosenwasser accompanied Jess as far as San Antonio Saturday, returning to Memphis Monday.

### Baptists Conduct Training Union

A training union enlargement campaign is being conducted this week at the First Baptist Church under the leadership of Mrs. A. Adamek of the State Training Union Department.

The meetings begin each night at 7 o'clock, and are held in the church.

Mrs. Leon Randolph has charge of the Story Hour of the beginners and primaries. The juniors are studying a new book, "Living for Jesus," under the teaching of Miss Lois Hill. Mrs. J. Wm. Mason is teaching the intermediates, and this group is also studying a new book, "Messengers of Light."

Rev. J. Wm. Mason, pastor, is teaching the young people, also with a new book, "What We Believe." Mrs. Adamek has charge of the adult group, studying the book, "The Growing Christian."

### CARD OF THANKS

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Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gilbreath.

### WEBSTER

By DOROTHY N. ROBERTSON

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sweatt and daughter Rachel were visitors at Hartley during the week-end.

C. L. Durham, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Durham, has gone to Lubbock for an indefinite stay.

Mrs. Vera Floyd and sons Dalton and Woodrow, T. J. Davis, and Mrs. Aubrey Henry and sons Elmo and Albert Glen were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Henry Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pheaton Alexan-

der of Eli were visitors at J. Robertson home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson were visitors of Mr. Pheaton Alexander Sunday. Among those attending singing convention at Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Robertson, Jimmie Lee, Kate McMurry, Aza L. R. D. and Lettie W. Rene, Doris, Billie, Bonnie Jean, and Robertson, and Betty and Junior Barbee. Flossie Rodgers of visiting friends here this

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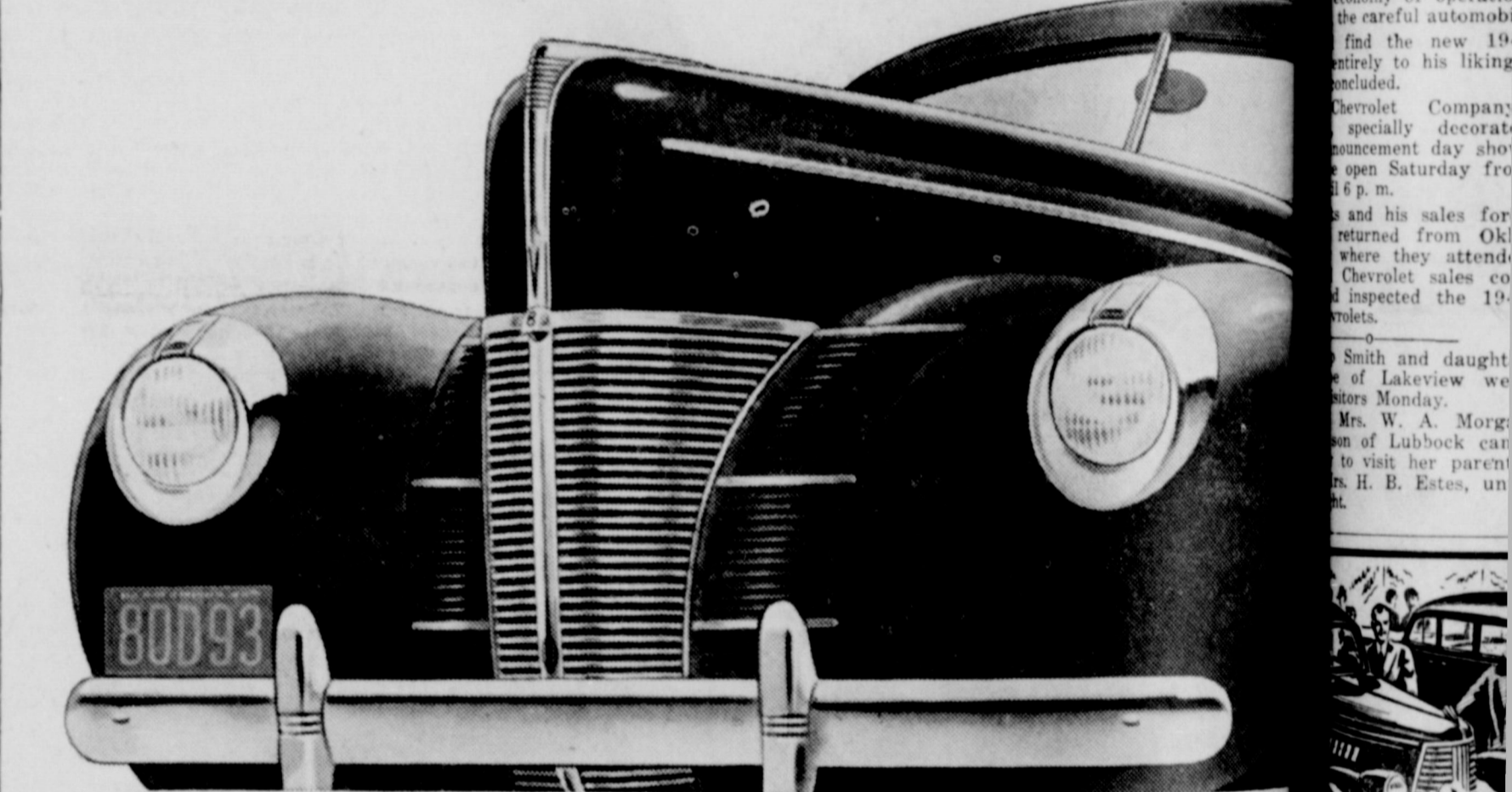
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signed. An invitation is given by Potts to everyone in Memphis to come in Saturday to see this remarkable new

very desirable motor car, including beauty, economy of operation, and the careful automobile designer's touch. He said he found the new 1940 Chevrolet entirely to his liking."

The Chevrolet Company's specially decorated 1940 Chevrolet day show will be open Saturday from 10 a. m. to 6 p. m.

Smith and his sales force returned from Oklahoma where they attended the Chevrolet sales conference and inspected the 1940 Chevrolet.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Messer of Memphis were visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Grooms of Clarendon were in Memphis Tuesday.

Mrs. J. P. Loughridge, Mrs. W. W. Fincher, Mrs. Guinn and Miss Ruth Ann Loughridge came Wednesday to visit their sister-in-law and aunt, Mrs. L. M. Thornton.

Mrs. J. S. Fowler and daughter, Frances Joy, of Lakeview were visitors in Memphis Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Smith of Lesley were shoppers in Memphis Tuesday.

Mrs. Howard Randal has bought and moved into the Roy L. Brewer home on Harrison street.



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### Civil Service Lists Vacant Positions

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an open competitive examination for the position of Junior Veterinarian, \$2,000 a year, Bureau of Animal Industry, Department of Agriculture. Completion of a full course of study in a recognized veterinary college is required.

Applicants must not have passed their 45th birthday. Applications for this examination must be on file in the Commission's office at Washington, D. C., not later than November 6 if received from states east of Colorado, and not later than November 9 if received from Colorado and states westward.

The Commission has also announced an examination for the position of Junior Graduate Nurse, \$1,620 a year, in the U. S. Public Health Service, and the Veterans' Administration. Because of the demand for qualified eligibles applications will be accepted at the Commission's Washington office until further notice. High-school study and completion of a specified training course in a recognized nursing school are required, except that applications may be accepted under certain conditions from persons now in attendance in their final year of training. Applicants must not have passed their 35th birthday.

Full information may be obtained from H. J. Rice, secretary of the U. S. Civil Service Board of Examiners, at the post office in this city.

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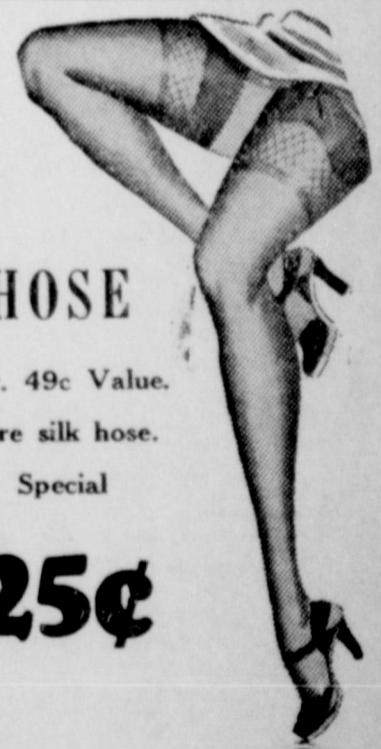
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Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation, which may appear in the columns of this paper, will be gladly corrected upon due notice of same being given to the editor personally at the office at 817 Main Street, Memphis, Texas.

### A FIELD FOR BEAUTIFICATION

THE DEMOCRAT has received a letter from G. A. Bracher of Childress, district highway engineer, accompanied by an editorial. Mr. Bracher stated, "I just ran across the attached editorial which contains a thought that is worth emphasizing in the interest of getting the citizenship of our various towns beautification minded to the extent that premises shall be kept cleaned up, wayside improvements developed, especially along the highways that pass thru our towns." The article follows:

Presumably, most if not all of us have been reading in Holland's the messages from the presidents of the various southern state garden-club federations, relating the programs of those splendid organizations and the efforts they are making to bring about the beautification of their states. In every instance, the program is worth while, broad-gauged; and of particular interest is the fact that so many are looking to the enhancing of roadside scenery, with emphasis on the removal or strict control of billboards.

Town-minded as we are, and driving as we do frequently through the country, we want to urge on the attention of garden federations and of all citizens everywhere a job of beautification that is in most serious need of doing: the beautifying of the approaches to and the highways through the town. It is a peculiar commentary on our general ways of thinking that we spend considerable thought and energy and talk and even money to attract visitors to our towns—and then allow the highways leading into them to be cluttered with cheap roadside stands and gaudy tin signs, if not worse. This was especially borne in on us recently when we drove through a small town. As we approached it, nestled in a valley in green trees, we remarked how attractive it looked. But as we drove into town, the soft-drink signs and cheap stands and filling stations immediately appeared, completely destroying our first delighted impression.

That was one of the better-looking towns we have seen. Most towns, unfortunately, evidently give no thought at all to the highways leading into them.

So we recommend, we urge, this as a field of operation for garden clubs everywhere. If necessary, let the garden clubs and other interested citizens work for and secure the passage of zoning ordinances that will give the town control over these approaches. Let them work toward the cleaning up and beautifying of existing eyesores along these routes. An application of the two p's—paint and planting—and the removal of cheap advertising signs will work wonders.

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### THANKSGIVING DAZE

THE LINE-UP FOR THE DATE to observe Thanksgiving has finally been settled. Twenty-two of the states will be in accordance with the wishes of President Roosevelt, and observe Thanksgiving on November 23, one week earlier than the last Thursday in November, the customary date.

Twenty-three of the states, however, chose to retain the traditional date, and observe Thanksgiving on November 30. Two states, Texas and Colorado, will observe both days.

Only six of the 22 states lined up with Roosevelt have Republican governors, and 12 Democratic governors broke away from the president's wishes and designated November 30 as their official Thanksgiving. Maine and Vermont chose November 30.

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### TRADING AT HOME

ABOUT THIS TIME OF YEAR, residents of Hall County, and other agricultural counties as well, begin to realize money from their crops. And with this money will come the many peddlers from every part of the country.

House-to-house peddlers have a hard life . . . going over the country and selling merchandise ranging from pins to fancy rugs. Many people buy from them, and this money spent leaves the home town.

Then there is the lure of shopping in other towns . . . usually the larger towns. Not because the city merchants have any better, or any larger selection, of merchandise, but because it is a habit that many people have.

All of this adds up to one thing . . . trade at home. Memphis merchants have spent a great deal of money stocking up for fall business, the time when their customers have money. These merchants have care-

### There'd Be No Trouble Getting Passengers Today



fully selected their stocks, they have been more careful this year because of the outlook of the present conditions, they want to serve you and serve you best.

When a peddler comes to your home, then, think of the local merchant who can supply you the same merchandise at the same, and maybe even lower, price. And when you think of shopping in some other town, think of the home town store where you can purchase the same quality merchandise without having to undergo the extra expense bound to be involved in the necessary trip.

Perhaps it would be wise to remember that you are a part of the town. Keep your money at home in order that that same money can keep your home.

### Press Paragraphs

CULLED FROM THE DEMOCRAT'S EXCHANGES

#### The Future of America

The Prairie (student paper of WTSC): The future of America rests in the hands of the teachers and the majority are convinced that democracy is the best form of government. In the hands of the teacher lies the privilege and responsibility of keeping vital the principles of American democracy guaranteed to us by constitutional decree, however, there is occasionally the teacher who forgets her obligations to man and state and teaches subversive doctrines.

Those teachers (and teachers) who will not accept this responsibility have no place in American school system. We want only teachers who believe President Roosevelt spoke truth when he said, "If the fires of freedom and civil liberties burn low in other lands, then they must be made brighter in our own."

#### Burst?—No, Bust

"Brainstorms" in the Odessa News-Times: Now for the gag of the day: Josh Clardy says a man came into the store the other day and wanted to buy a corset for his wife. Josh called on one of the lady clerks to wait on him and the lady asked, "What bust, please?" "Oh, nuthin'," replied the man, "It just wore out."

#### Heads You Win . . .

"Temple of Truth" in the Donley County Leader: Years of observation since we were a bare-foot boy has further taught us that when God created man in His own image, He very thoughtfully gave him two ends, one on which to sit and one with which to think. Also, by observation, we have noticed that every man's success depends on which end he uses most. There are men who wear the seat of their pants out just "sittin' still" using only the one end while others use both, sitting on the one while he thinks with the other. Generally speaking, it is a case of heads you win and tails you lose.

#### Be Thankful

Deskins Wells in the Wellington Leader: Are you getting fed up on the obvious censorship of the war news? If so, then rejoice once again that you are an American. The people of Germany, Russia, Italy, and Japan have been under such censorship for years. Are you hungry? Still rejoice that you live in the United States.

A WPA worker in this country gets about twice as much meat, bread, coffee, sugar, and fats as the richest German can buy on his ration card.

#### Mmm-m!

"Cracks at the Bunch" in the Chillicothe Valley News: Editor writes: "Dear Madam, you say you have been trying to keep your daughter at home by hiding her clothes. I am afraid you have not been around much. Try hiding her lipstick and nail polish."

#### The Bright Side

The Falls City (Nebr.) Journal: The one saving angle to the European picture, as seen from this angle, is that, contrary to general expectations, the actual loss of life may be kept at small ratio to the total number of people involved.

#### "Tis Only Human to Err"

"Temple of Truth" in The Donley County Leader: Speaking of typographical errors in your newspaper, the last legislature of Oklahoma was made to "set aside \$10,000 to control babies." In reality the subject was "rabies," meaning mad dog stuff. Then, again, the Bernice, La., weekly apologized last week for the manner in which they mentioned the garden club meeting. "After the business session the ladies exchanged pants." The "L" failed to fall in the last word, but the printer caught "L" a plenty from the manner in which apologies were extended.

#### Work for the Night . . .

The Paducah Post: Bob Burdette: My son, remember you have to work. Whether you handle pick, wheelbarrow, or a set of books, digging ditches or editing a newspaper, ringing an auction bell or writing funny things, you must work. Don't be afraid of killing yourself by overworking on the sunny side of thirty.

Men die sometimes, but it is because they quit at 9 p. m. and don't go home until 2 a. m. It's the intervals that kill, my son. The work gives appetite for your meals; it lends solidity to your slumber; it gives you a perfect appreciation of a holiday. There are young men who do not even know their names; it only speaks of old So and So and So's boy. Nobody likes them; the great busy, world doesn't know they are here. So find out what you want to be, and do. Take off your coat and make dust in the world. The busier you are, the less harm you are apt to get into, the sweeter will be your sleep, the brighter your holidays, and the better satisfied the whole world will be with you.

### Jesus Against Temptation

The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for October 15.

Text: Matthew 4:1-11

WE have in our lesson the specific story of the temptation of Jesus. We think of this as a three-fold incident in His life: the temptation, when He was hungry to make stones into bread; the temptation to cast Himself down from the pinnacle of the temple, trusting to the sacredness of His body and person to protect Him; and the temptation to find all the kingdoms of the world under His sway if He would fall down and worship the tempter.

It would be a mistake to think of this three-fold incident as constituting all the temptation in the life of the Master. On the contrary, we have evidence that He was assailed with weakness and temptation again and again, even as we are. There were times when He went into the mountains and continued all night in prayer to God, times when unquestionably He felt His weakness and some temptation incident to His real humanity. There was that last final hour of agony and temptation in the garden of Gethsemane, when it required all the resources of prayer and discipline to enable Him to say as He prayed that the cup of final suffering might pass from Him, "Nevertheless not as I will, but as Thou wilt."

THIS story of the temptation, following His baptism and at the outset of His ministry, would seem to have some special place and significance. What was its real meaning and significance?

Was it not the sort of that every man, man feels at some stage or frequently at its height? Every such man with a sense of his weakness. Moses felt it when God called him to lead the people of Israel, even in the very beginning of his life. Thomas Carlyle, who religious man in the national sense of the word, turned in his early life to the Christian faith, the Christian faith of conversion, facing of the question his life was to be for the sake of a complete fulfillment of worldly or whether it was to be deeper and nobler than that of the world. Carlyle was of the faith and way, and much the same thing.

If this experience of decision had an impact in the lives of such much more must it lives of those who have of a Christian call and a Christian work!

The world today has evidence of those who have evidenced the mission of and service and life and dreams of power to through violence and the great significant human history that and best of all men, of trial and temptation the way that enabled to men. "I am come might have life and may have it more abundant."

Due to the extreme heat of early practice sessions, large quantities of sugar and salt are consumed daily by the Southern Methodist University football squad—the sugar to restore energy—the salt to replace that salt lost through perspiration.

A well-rounded football game is on during the time of the of Texas, October 7 standing event will nual clash between ties of Texas and October 14.

### THE GREAT AMERICAN HO



### Jots in Jest

CROCODILES and geese, it is revealed, lay similar sized eggs. And so do the tooth-paste comedian and the gasoline jester on the radio.

A man in rural Connecticut says he heard a cow whistle. Movie cartoonists have been portraying such animals for years, but they never thought they really existed.

Giraffes sell at \$1500 a yard from horns to hoof. The man who buys the bottom half gets the better bargain.

London merchants say the war has not affected the manner in which their customers pay their bills. We find the same thing true of the way Europe is paying her war debts.

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# Memphis School News

ST. WARD — JUNIOR HIGH  
HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES



REPORTS ON ACADEMIC, ATHLETIC  
AND EXTRA-CURRICULA ENDEAVORS

## Gwendolyn Ballew Chosen Band at Pie Supper Tuesday Night

Ballew, senior representative, was elected band leader at the pie supper held Tuesday night in the auditorium. The supper was given by the Gwendolyn Ballew Band, and the proceeds were for the benefit of the band. Ballew was elected by a vote of 100 to 0.

## FFA Green Hands Initiated Tuesday At High School

The first year agriculture boys were initiated to the FFA last Tuesday night at 7:45 o'clock in the agriculture room in the high school building. The ceremony was presided over by J. C. Widener, FFA advisor.

## 16 First-Year Students Join Organization; Melon Feast After Ceremonies

The wearing of the green hand was only a part of the initiation ceremony. The meeting ended with a watermelon feast. The melons were brought by J. C. Widener and J. E. Hodges.

## LIBRARY GETS ATLAS

A set of the World Atlas, consisting of eight volumes, has recently been added to the high school library for the use of the students during study periods and at noon. These books were published by the Geographical Publishing Company and edited by H. W. Glasgow of the University of Chicago and his assistants.

## Flomot Team Gets Win Over Memphis B Squad, 32-0

Game Played at Quitaque; Longhorns Score in Each Quarter, Twice in Third

The strong Flomot Longhorns outplayed the Memphis Cyclone "B" team to the tune of 32 to 0 at Quitaque Thursday night. The first Longhorn score came about midway in the opening quarter on a wide end sweep. The kick was blocked by the entire Junior line. Late in the second quarter another wide sweep resulted in a score for the Longhorns. The try for point was good and the half ended with the Cyclone driving down into Flomot's territory.

After playing 2-1-2 minutes in the third quarter Flomot, on another line play, drove over for another tally. The kick for extra point was blocked. With only a few minutes left to play in the third quarter a pass resulted in another score for Flomot. The try for conversion was good. The last Longhorn score came after a series of line plunges early in the final quarter.

## FHT, FFA Groups Have Joint Social

The Home-Making girls and Vocational Agriculture boys had their first joint social meeting of the year Monday evening, October 9.

## 2 Pep Rallies Held For Shamrock Tilt

Two pep rallies were held in the high school auditorium on Wednesday and Friday to create pep and enthusiasm. Pep leaders George Carter, "Toots" Clark, and Ellen Edwards led the yells and songs. "Carry On, Memphis High School" was sung by the Madrigal Club under the direction of Miss Hardin.

## P.T. A. TO MEET

The High School P.T. A. has voted to hold the regular meetings in the Home Economics laboratory. The girls and Miss Deahl are pleased with the arrangement.

## SIDE GLANCES

### FOOTBALL

Football, the game of life, did much to the people of this nation the past week-end. Bitter defeat went to many teams and fans while equally as many teams and fans were made to rejoice. In life each of us must realize that we suffer the setbacks. We human beings do not as a rule give up when we meet with some bad luck, but instead we fight the task harder.

It is with that type of undefeatable determination that our Memphis Cyclone are preparing to meet the Quannah Indians tomorrow night. Even though Memphis had a taste of the bitters Friday night at Shamrock that doesn't mean that we are out of the running. Let us view the things that have happened in this football district. Every team that has played a conference game away from home has been defeated. Only three teams now in this conference are undefeated and one of them has not played any conference ball up to date. We can expect that this district will have a champion team that has been defeated at least once. That is the way it looks now. Wellington went to Wheeler and was defeated; Memphis went to Shamrock and was defeated; and Lakeview has been defeated in two games away from home. Memphis meets the next conference team, McLean, at home. That is our time to win.

The Quannah Indians will invade the Cyclone camp tomorrow night defending the same they won over us last fall. Let's all be there helping the Cyclone seal the Indians. We are not going to give up now.

Noah Cunningham.

## Players, Coaches Views Vary on Quannah Game

QUESTION: What do you think about the game coming up with Quannah?

ANSWERS:  
Capt. Joe Crump—"I'm ready and I believe that if we block and tackle the way we should and can we will come out with the big-end of the score."

Co-Captain J. C. (Pitchin' Pic) McClure—"We are ready for those Indians and we are going to do the scalping."

John (Sluggo) Clark—"I'm not saying anything about beating anybody, but I will be there."

L. F. (Chuck) Jones—"I'm not predicting any scores but it will not be a cinch for either team."

Coach A. B. (Red) Murphy—"Quannah has a good tough club. I doubt that we will be ready for them."

Coach W. B. (Swede) Dees—"If we play the ball we are capable of we will win. If we play as lousy as we did against Shamrock we will lose by 50 points."

## Choral Club Picks Dresses for Year

The Choral Club has decided to have two costumes for public performances. A simple black dress trimmed with gold will be used for all programs during the year. Pastel evening dresses, either of organdy or taffeta will be used for the formal programs.

Next week the Choral Club will start work on the Christmas Cantata, to be sung Tuesday night, December 18, at the high school auditorium. This program will last about one hour and will be the first scheduled for the Glee Club this year.

## West Ward Pupils Visit City Park

The pupils in the West Ward school were taken in the school buses to the City Park last Thursday afternoon to have moving pictures made of the group in activity.

While the children were playing games, the motion picture camera was used to capture the story of the tour. The pictures will probably be shown at a later date.

## Award Certificate Displayed in Hall

A certificate of award showing that Bobby Wheeler won second place in senior boys declamation in the regional meet at Canyon last year has been placed on the bulletin board in the hall.

Bobby Wheeler graduated from high school last May having received honors as a speaker and a writer. Young Wheeler's original one-act play was judged to be one of the three of the best written by the senior class of last year.

## FRESHMEN EAT CAKE

The Freshman Class held a called meeting Wednesday afternoon in the commercial room to eat the cake won by Larry Grundy at the pie supper. Robert Devin presented the cake to Jean Denny, freshman hand queen candidate, who cut the cake giving a slice to each attending freshman. Miss Melrose Henderson and Robert Devin are class sponsors.

## ATTEND BALL GAME AT SHAMROCK FRIDAY NIGHT

Among those who attended the Memphis-Shamrock football game at Shamrock Friday night were L. V. Bruce, Gerald Hickey, E. L. Roberts, Russell McClure, Mary Jane Selby, Zeb Moore, C. T. Johnson, Homer Tucker, Tommie Ruth Potts, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Crooks, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Phillips, Mrs. W. Paul Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Potts, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fultz, Herschel Montgomery, Jim Deaver, Curtis Harrell, Hiram Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Cordell Goodpasture, Martha Thompson, J. C. Reeves, Jake Webster, Helen Boswell, June Power, Olin Cooper, Guthrie Bennett, Edwin Thompson, Noel Pearce, Glynn Thompson, Ruth Whaley, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Whaley, Mrs. Orrville Goodpasture, Zadielle Carrick, Don Leary, Jay Bruce, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cudd, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Partain, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Combest, Jack Morgan.

## OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE FIRST STATE BANK

at Memphis, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 2nd day of October, 1939, published in the Memphis Democrat, a newspaper printed and published at Memphis, State of Texas, on the 13th day of October, 1939.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security	\$180,414.68
Loans secured by real estate	8,680.01
Overdrafts	1,741.45
Securities of U. S., any State or political subdivision thereof	12,682.02
Other bonds and stocks owned	1,503.57
Banking House	20,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	5,000.00
Real Estate owned, other than banking house	28,390.61
Cash and due from approved reserve agents	72,534.65
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$330,946.99</b>

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$50,000.00
Income Debentures sold	50,000.00
<b>Total Capital Structure</b>	<b>\$100,000.00</b>
Undivided Profits, net	3,974.15
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check	3,980.51
Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days	222,992.33
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$330,946.99</b>

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Hall:  
We, F. E. Leary, as President and G. M. Duren, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

F. E. LEARY, President.  
G. M. DUREN, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of October, A. D. 1939.

MADGE POOLE, Notary Public,  
Hall County, Texas.  
Correct—Attest:  
H. W. STRINGER,  
T. J. DUNBAR,  
SAM J. HAMILTON, Directors.

## REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

in the state of Texas, at the close of business on 1939. Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised

ASSETS	
discounts (including \$2,961.02)	\$379,187.68
Government obligations, direct and indirect	22,700.00
of States and political subdivisions	112,346.90
U. S. notes, and debentures	3,000.00
stocks, including stock of Federal Reserve Bank	3,100.00
loans with other banks, including reserve and cash items in process of collection	137,475.27
loans owned \$30,000.00, furniture and fixtures	35,000.00
loans owned other than bank premises	22,905.00
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$745,714.85</b>

LIABILITIES	
deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$524,387.38
deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations of States and political subdivisions	35,636.25
deposits of banks	33,719.90
deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	4,810.96
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	<b>\$599,895.45</b>

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
paid up capital, total par \$75,000.00	\$75,000.00
surplus	28,000.00
profits	11,319.40
and retirement account for preferred stock	1,500.00
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$115,819.40</b>

LIABILITIES and Capital Accounts	
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES and Capital Accounts</b>	<b>\$715,714.85</b>

## MEMORANDA

Assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills discounted and securities sold under purchase agreement) \$18,000.00

Liabilities: Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law \$7,555.94

County of Hall, ss: H. Deaver, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

T. H. DEEVER, Cashier.  
H. Deaver, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
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