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Texas Tech Band Appears in Memphis



Texas Technological college bandmen will present a program of universal appeal at 8 o'clock this Thursday night, at the Memphis High School auditorium.

Music lovers will be privileged to hear "Entrance and March of the Piers" from the comic opera "Iolanthe" by Sullivan on the same program with "Mignon Overture" by Thomas Rossini's classic, "Inflammatus" from "Stabat Mater" which will be rendered in the form of a cornet solo by Richard Godeke, senior mechanical engineering student. Godeke gives skillful

performances of this great classic.

Among other numbers will be "Die Fledermaus," a masterpiece by Johann Strauss, the Viennese Waltz king, suggestive of pre-war Vienna during the time of the Austrian emperors. "Street Scene" by Alfred Newman is a modern tone poem in rhythm patterns and in harmonic combinations, richly interpretative of modern America.

Representative of the romantic period of musical history, "Slavic Rhapsody" by Friedman will be played with consummate skill by Tech musicians. Rhapsodies as musical forms were

invented by Franz Liszt, famed Hungarian pianist, composer, and conductor. This number, popular among concert goers of two continents, has melody, rhythm, and cadenzas which demand considerable artistry for successful rendition.

Diversions will be furnished by various compositions written in a lighter vein, and by Archie Montgomery, sophomore music major, and his "talking" banjo. Montgomery, whose second nature is to play the banjo, will give numbers created by himself, and other popular compositions.

In addition to other features, Tech band includes on these programs, numbers which will be played by high school bands at the contest festival of the Northern Division of the Texas School Band and Orchestra Association which will be held at Vernon in April. The local band conductor will specify compositions which will benefit his players.

The program is being sponsored by the High School P.T.A. for the purpose of raising a fund to purchase uniforms for the Memphis High School Band. Admission will be 35c, 25c and 10c.

Hall Farmers in Favor of Quota

Interscholastic League Meet To Be March 25-26

Students Will Compete at Turkey for Championship in Literary and Athletic Events

Almost every school in the county, both common and independent, is preparing to send students to compete in the literary and athletic events of the Hall County Interscholastic League Meet in Turkey Friday and Saturday, March 25-26.

The meet will open Friday morning at 8 o'clock with the boys' and girls' tennis tournament and will close with the senior boys' field and track meet Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

Lee Vardy, superintendent of Turkey schools, is director general of the meet this year and Alfred Duncan, Turkey coach, is athletic director. Literary events are in charge of the following teachers:

Clinton Voyles, Memphis, debate; H. L. Gipson, Lesley, declamation; Helen Bossell, Webster, extemporaneous speech; Burt Lowe, Weatherly, spelling; Mrs. R. L. A. Clark, Lakeview, essay writing; Mrs. Hollis Johnson, Plaska, music memory; Mrs. Roy L. Guthrie, Friendship, picture memory; Mrs. A. J. Brown, Estelina, choral singing.

Miss Eula Saye, Newlin, rhythm band; Mrs. Byron F. Todd, Parnell, primary chorus; Alvis Yarbrough, Pleasant Valley, harmony band; Sam Cowan, Memphis, number sense; Mrs. Olson Sweatt, Salsbury, story telling; C. H. Cheves, Eli, Three R's; Mrs. Mary Gilmore, Turkey, one-act play; Bowen Cox, Memphis, typewriting; and Mrs. Hugh Colley, Lakeview, art.

William M. Smith Of Petersburg Is Buried Here

Former Hall County Citizen Dies at Plainview Saturday After Short Illness

Funeral services for William M. Smith, 47, of Petersburg, were held in Memphis Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of his sister, Mrs. W. C. Anderson at 514 South Sixth street, conducted by Rev. J. Wm. Mason, pastor of the local First Baptist Church, and Rev. Ollie Apple, pastor of the Petersburg First Methodist Church. Interment was in Fairview cemetery.

Mr. Smith died in a Plainview hospital Saturday afternoon, March 12, at 4:30 o'clock, following a short illness. The body was brought to Memphis by the Woods Undertaking Co. of Plainview.

Deceased was born in Eldorado Johnson County, March 13, 1891; came to Hall County in 1917 and lived here until 1925 when he moved to Petersburg.

Survivors are the wife and two daughters, Billie Mae and Johnnie Ruth, of Petersburg; mother, Mrs. Jim S. Smith of Memphis, and five sisters, Mrs. W. B. Gilreath of Eli, Mrs. Richard Thomas of San Antonio, Mrs. W. C. Anderson and Mrs. Roy Patton of Memphis, and Miss Johnnie Smith of Petersburg.

A host of out-of-town relatives and friends were here to attend the funeral.

Lieutenant Hardey Begins Duties At CCC Camp Here

Charles B. H. Hardey, First Lieutenant Infantry Reserve, arrived Saturday, March 12, from Texas and is to be identified with the Memphis CCC Camp as second in command.

This is Lieut. Hardey's second tour of duty with the Civilian Conservation Corps, having been stationed with the Tucson, Ariz., CCC Camp in 1935.

He will assist Captain Fred Maxwell at the local camp.

Hall County farmers voted overwhelmingly in favor of cotton marketing quotas in the election held last Saturday. Final returns from all voting boxes in the county showed 1,049 for and 27 against the quotas.

They joined with producers over the nation's entire cotton producing area, including Florida, Georgia, Kansas, Mississippi, Missouri, North Carolina, Oklahoma, Tennessee, South Carolina, Virginia, Texas, and New Mexico, in far exceeding the two-thirds majority necessary to give the authority to impose the quotas. Total returns over the area indicated a 13 to 1 endorsement.

Agriculture Department officials have already prepared to put marketing control provisions of the new farm law into operation to limit sales of the 1938 crops.

Federal control of sales will start when the 1938 crops start to market in August. Farmers will be subject to a penalty tax of 2c a pound on cotton sold in excess of their federally-allotted shares of the national quotas.

As soon as an official tabulation is completed, Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace will proclaim the results and start Agriculture Department machinery moving to limit marketings of cotton to about 11,000,000 bales.

Daughter of Mr., Mrs. John Russell Dies at Estelina

Funeral Services Held for Nancy Russell at Childress Wednesday Afternoon

Nancy Russell, eight-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Russell of Estelina died Tuesday morning at 3 o'clock at the family home in Estelina, following an illness of a few days with pneumonia.

Funeral services were held in Childress Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the First Presbyterian Church, with Rev. Frank Travis, pastor, conducting the services. Burial was in the Childress cemetery with the King Funeral Home in charge.

pallbearers included three brothers of Mr. Russell, Rankin, Hume and Holt Russell, and Burt Bell. Those in charge of the flowers were Mrs. L. A. Tucker, Mrs. Everett Jones, Mrs. Frankie Echols, Mrs. Hume Russell, Mrs. Rankin Russell, and Mrs. Ann Gilpin of Memphis.

Surviving are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Russell, and an aunt, Miss Alva Lee Berry of Childress, and other relatives.

County Volleyball And Cage Tourney Held Last Week

Lakeview, Estelina, and Deep Lake Are Champions of Meet Staged in Estelina

In the Hall County Interscholastic League girls' volleyball and junior boys' basketball tournament at Estelina last Friday and Saturday, Lakeview, Estelina, and Deep Lake were tournament champions.

Memphis and Lakeview had the only grammar school basketball teams entered in the meet, and Lakeview won the only game played in that division. Junior basketball teams were present from the Estelina, Turkey, and Lakeview high schools. In the first game Turkey defeated Estelina, and was in turn defeated by Lakeview, who thereby became tournament champion. Deep Lake eliminated Eli, Weatherly, and Brier for the rural school basketball championship.

Estelina's ace volleyball girls again were volleyball champions; Lakeview was second and Memphis third. The Deep Lake volleyball team came out first in the rural division over Newlin, Parnell, and Plaska.

The Memphis Junior High boys' basketball team is coached by Robert F. Devin. Miss Joyce Sheats is coach of the girls' volleyball team, but due to her absence, Miss Anna Belle Perkins took the team to the Estelina meet.

J. M. HACKNEY DIES SUDDENLY HERE SATURDAY

Funeral Service Is Held Here Sunday; Buried At Lakeview

Last rites for Jessie Mack Hackney were conducted from the Church of Christ Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, with W. M. Davis, minister, in charge of the services.

Pallbearers were F. C. Dodson, V. L. Yarbrough, George C. Dickson, E. F. Hargraves, T. F. Hair, and John Vallance. Those in charge of the flowers included Mary Smith, Essie Cope, Louise Melton, Margaret McElreath, Mrs. Eunice Burris, and Madeline Fagan.

Mr. Hackney died suddenly Saturday morning, March 12, at 2 o'clock at his home at 211 North Sixth street. Cause of death was given as acute indigestion.

Born May 24, 1876 in White County, Ark., Mr. Hackney was 61 years, 9 months, and 18 days of age at the time of his death. He came to Texas with his family 26 years ago and lived in Sinton, San Patricio County, 9 years before moving to Hall County 17 years ago. He was married to Mrs. Mary Frances Hess Berry in 1900 at McCrory, Ark.

Survivors include his wife and one daughter, Mrs. J. E. loop of Lakeview, and three step-children, Mrs. Ada Smith, Memphis; Mrs. Susie Smith of Brownsville; B. E. Berry of Sinton; and ten grandchildren, including Edward Smith of this city.

Interment was made in the Lakeview cemetery with the King Mortuary in charge.

Out-of-town relatives here for the services were: Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Harris, Dick Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Mason Brown, Mrs. Thurman, Mrs. Daisy Mae Brown, of Childress; Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Hair of Earth; Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Crandall of Amarillo; Mrs. Eunice Burris of Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Berry of Quitaque.

Camp Commander Is Rotary Speaker

Captain Fred Maxwell, commander of the Memphis CCC Camp, was guest speaker at Rotary luncheon Tuesday. He spoke of the work being done by the camp in keeping alive the hopes of men 40 years old and over, and invited the sympathetic co-operation of the business men and citizens of this area.

Captain Maxwell introduced E. V. Tanner, a member of the camp, who played several violin numbers in classical style. This feature of the program met with much applause.

MEMPHIS CCC CAMP TO CELEBRATE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY ON APRIL 2

The Memphis CCC Camp will celebrate the fifth anniversary of the founding of the Civilian Conservation Corps April 2 by holding open house on that day from 9 a. m. until 5 p. m., according to Captain Fred Maxwell, commander. Some 1,000 people are expected to attend.

A public address system, loaned by the chamber of commerce, will be installed on the grounds so that the crowd may hear the principal speaker and the introduction of prominent guests. The speaker has not been secured as yet, but officials hope to obtain a well-known out-of-town man with a wide knowledge of the whole government program.

The day's program provides for registration of guests and an inspection of camp facilities, including the mess hall and kitchen, recreation hall, infirmary, supply room, educational building, and a model barack.

A barbecue will be given at 12 noon. Music will be furnished at this time by the Memphis High School Band, under the direction of Milton Pullia.

In the afternoon, the technical staff of the camp, under the supervision of J. T. Reese, will conduct a tour to surrounding farms on which the camp personnel has built terraces, dams, pasture furrows, crop stripping, etc. A loud speaker will be installed on a truck to accompany the tour, enabling those in charge to point out the various features of the soil erosion work.

Transportation on the tour will either be furnished by local people or company trucks will be used, it was stated.

Memphians Attend Shamrock Affair

Memphis sent a delegation of citizens, the Memphis High School Band, and an Irish colleen Thursday to Shamrock's first annual St. Patrick's Day celebration.

Miss Billy Blackwell was the Irish colleen, and she was to have competed with colleens from several other neighboring towns for the title of "Wild Irish Rose" of the celebration.

The band participated in the big parade, replete with floats and other bands, which was the highlight of the day.

New Palace Expected To Reopen Next Week

The New Palace theatre is expected to reopen here next Thursday, it has been announced. Remodeling of the building, which was destroyed by fire late in January, was completed last week; new seats are being installed and an interior decorator is putting in new fixtures and decorations this week.

Stamps Quartet to Sing in Memphis

The Virgil O. Stamps Quartet, nationally famous singers, will appear in a paid concert at the high school auditorium on the night of April 9, according to A. B. Willis, president of the Hall County Singing Association.

The county convention will be held in Memphis on Sunday, April 10, and Saturday night before, and the Stamps Quartet has been secured as an added attraction.

Other prominent singers will be in attendance at the convention, including the Dodsonville Quartet and Rev. E. F. Cook's Quartet of Amarillo.

Baptist Revival Services Drawing Large Attendance

Will Continue Till Sunday Mar. 27; Dr. Thomas Taylor Speaks at Opening Services

A splendid attendance has been present and great interest manifested in the revival meeting now in progress at the First Baptist Church, since it opened with the celebration of the church's 48th anniversary last Sunday.

Dr. Thomas H. Taylor, president of Howard Payne College in Brownwood, was guest speaker at the anniversary celebration. He gave two splendid talks at the Sunday morning services and Sunday night.

The revival services are being conducted by Rev. C. Y. Dossey, evangelist of Dallas, and Mark Short of Fairfield, gospel singer, and are held each morning at 10 o'clock and every night at 7:45. Prayer meetings are held each evening at 7:30. The children are meeting each afternoon at 5 o'clock with Singer Short for their services.

Sunday, March 27, will mark the closing of the revival campaign. Sermon subjects to be used by Rev. Dossey from Thursday night of this week through next Wednesday night are:

"The End of the World and the Opening of God's Books," Thursday night; "Where Are the Dead?" Friday night; "Three Things to Remember About a Woman," Saturday night; "Prepare to Meet Thy God," Sunday morning; "The Horse Race," Sunday night; "The Home," Monday night; "Why Spend Another Night with the Frogs," Tuesday night; "Bell Fenced In," Wednesday night. The campaign will close Sunday, March 27.

Everyone is urged by Rev. J. William Mason, pastor, to attend these revival services.

TOM R. FRANKS DIES FOLLOWING LONG ILLNESS

Last Rites For Well Known Pioneer Held Monday, March 14

T. R. Franks, a resident of Hall County for thirty-eight years, died Sunday morning, March 13, at 8 o'clock at his home on South Sixth street, following an illness of four months duration.

Funeral services for the pioneer resident were conducted at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon from the First Methodist Church by Rev. Orion W. Carter, the pastor, who was assisted by Rev. J. Wm. Mason, pastor of the First Baptist Church, and Rev. E. C. Cargill, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church. A profusion of flowers were banded around the casket and the casket showing the esteem in which he was held.

Active pallbearers were H. E. Tarver, Z. A. Moore, Jim Webster, C. A. Powell, Joe Merrick, and Seth Pallmeyer. Honorary pallbearers were A. S. Moss, F. V. Clark, Lee Thornton, N. A. Hightower, S. L. Seago, S. E. Thomas, G. M. Springer, C. Lee Rushing, T. J. Thompson, and H. W. Kuhn.

The last rites were simple but impressive, bringing consolation to the surviving relatives. The hymns included "Rock of Ages," "When They Ring Those Golden Bells," and "Where We'll Never Grow Old." Scripture reading by Rev. Mason, a prayer by Rev. Cargill, and a well chosen message by Rev. Carter completed the services.

Interest Shown in First Open Forum

The Open Forum meeting of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night in the district court room was attended by a number of farmers of the Memphis area and a few members of the chamber of commerce.

Plans for the year's work were presented by the chairman of the various committees, and both farmers and business men discussed the plans. Those taking part in the discussions included Riley W. Carlton, L. L. Foreman, Chas. Williams, A. W. Howard, Dot Webster, Candler Hawkins, H. L. Gipson, T. K. Wilton, N. W. Durham, Olson Sweatt, O. V. Alexander, Dr. W. C. Dickey, Jack Boone, S. T. Harrison, and Dr. L. M. Hicks.

It was decided to hold monthly meetings, and to try to induce more Memphis business men to take part and show as much interest as farmers of the area showed Tuesday night, it was stated.

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Tennis Courts Are Dedicated With Impressive Ceremony

Delphian Club Has Meeting With Mrs. Tom Draper

The Delphian Club met in the home of Mrs. Tom Draper Tuesday afternoon, April 15, for its regular meeting.

Mrs. Hal Goodnight, club president, presided over the business session.

The program on "Questions of Today" was discussed by the following, with Mrs. J. L. Barnes leader: "Education," Mrs. W. C. Davis; "Crime," Mrs. Earnest Hayley; "Labor," Mrs. Clarence Partain; "Aviation," Mrs. Jack Boone; "Safety," Mrs. Zeb Moore.

The following members were present: Mrs. A. Anisman, Miss Frankie Barnes, Mrs. J. L. Barnes, Mrs. Jack Boone, Mrs. Alfred Burks, Mrs. W. C. Davis, Mrs. W. C. Dickey, Mrs. Otho Fitzjarrald, Mrs. Earnest E. Hayley, Mrs. O. R. Goodall, Mrs. Hal Goodnight, Mrs. R. C. Householder.

Mrs. R. C. Lemons, Mrs. Cleron McMurry, Mrs. J. S. McMurry, Miss Maud Milam, Mrs. Z. A. Moore, Mrs. C. Partain, Mrs. C. A. Powell, Mrs. Henderson Smith, Mrs. J. W. Stokes, Mrs. R. H. Wherry, and two new members, Mrs. Herman B. Hill Jr. and Mrs. F. W. Maxwell.

Mrs. George Sager Hostess for 1913 Study Club

Mrs. George Sager was hostess for the 1913 Study Club Wednesday afternoon at her home, 403 North Twelfth street.

During the business session Mrs. Jessie Jones was elected to represent the club at the district federation to be held in Childress, April 27-28.

Mrs. R. S. Greene was leader of the program on Literature and Art of Latin America. Responsive roll calls were given. Mrs. Greene discussed music and also told of her trip to Mexico, which was made very interesting by describing the customs of the Mexican and Indian people and by showing different souvenirs. Agriculture was discussed by Mrs. M. J. Draper.

Members in attendance were: Mrs. Byron Baldwin, Mrs. M. J. Draper, Mrs. T. J. Dunbar, Mrs. H. J. Gore, Mrs. R. S. Greene, Mrs. T. M. Harrison, Mrs. Jessie Jones, Mrs. Marion McNeely, Mrs. Lon Montgomery, Mrs. H. E. Tarver, Mrs. Mac Tarver, Mrs. R. C. Walker, Mrs. G. D. Beard, and Miss Helen Hardin.

Woman's Culture Club Meets With Mrs. W. L. Wheat

The Woman's Culture Club held its regular meeting in the home of Mrs. W. L. Wheat Wednesday afternoon, March 16.

During the business session, Mrs. Roy Fultz was elected delegate and Mrs. R. Ernest Clark alternate to the district convention to be held in Childress, April 27-28.

"International Good-Will" being the study topic, the secretary opened the program by reading a fitting quotation from "Virgil."

The roll call for this occasion was "Peace" but owing to lack of time this was omitted.

"Japan's Scroll" was well given by Mrs. Claud Johnson. "Pan American Good-Will" was discussed by Mrs. A. W. Howard, and "International Good-Will" by Mrs. C. L. Hamrick. Mrs. R. L. Madden concluded the program by reading the poem, "Others."

A most pleasant social hour was spent in the home during which time the hostess, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Emma Baskerville, served a salad course to the following: Mrs. R. E. Clark, Miss Vera Gilreath, Mrs. C. L. Hamrick, Mrs. A. W. Howard, Mrs. Claud Johnson, Mrs. R. L. Madden, Mrs. D. J. Morgensen, Mrs. J. H. Norman, Mrs. T. B. Rogers, Mrs. G. W. Sexauer, Mrs. C. Z. Stidham, and Mrs. J. A. Whaley.

EL CIRCULO CACTO MEETS WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

"El Circulo Cacto," Memphis High School Spanish club, met in regular session Wednesday afternoon of this week. After a business meeting reports were given in the club's study of the Spanish artist, Velosquez.

A Spanish game was played during the meeting and was won by Dorothy Hagemeier.

A dedication ceremony was held on the new tennis courts at the high school grounds Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock with J. L. Beard of Childress, deputy state superintendent, as guest speaker. The entire student body of high and grade schools, the faculty and members of the Parent-Teacher Associations assembled around the courts while the High School Band played a march for the procession. Jacqueline McMurry, as the "Spirit of Memphis High," dressed in a white silk gabardine sport costume, and attendant, Anna Kathryn Davenport and her escort J. P. Drake, and the honorary tennis teams, June Seago, Alton Dewlen, Naomi Smith, Leroy Robertson, Janie Sue McMurry, and Glen Allred, all dressed in white tennis costumes, marched to the center of the courts where Miss McMurry ascended a throne which was decorated in P.-T. A. colors, blue and gold.

Superintendent W. C. Davis, as master of ceremonies, introduced Tommie M. Potts, who, in behalf of the school board, extended congratulations to the Parent-Teacher Associations and to the students for the completion of the courts. Mr. Davis then introduced Mrs. W. J. Bragg, president of the City Council of Parents and Teachers, who presented the courts to the Memphis school students and introduced Jacqueline McMurry, queen of the Tennis Court who dedicated the court with the usual ceremony of breaking a bottle of water on the center post.

Then Mr. Davis introduced the guest speaker, J. L. Beard, who brought greetings from the state department of education.

W. D. Orr, local photographer, made pictures of the ceremony for the high school annual. The High School Band played a lively tune as the crowd marched from the grounds.

The three units of the Memphis Parent-Teacher Association wish to thank every person in the community who helped in making this project a success.

Pathfinders Club Has Book Review At Meeting Tuesday

The Pathfinders Council met in the home of Miss Bernice Webster Tuesday afternoon, March 15.

During the business session presided over by the president, Mrs. Lloyd Phillips, it was decided to hold an all-day meeting and luncheon at the home of Mrs. A. Gidden at Plaska on Tuesday, March 29, with Mrs. George Dickson and Mrs. Henry Youngblood joint hostesses.

After an interesting roll call a book review, "When Bugles Blow No More," was given by Mrs. Leon Bullard, who presented the review in a thorough and comprehensive manner.

Members present were Mrs. A. Gidden, Mrs. Henry Youngblood, Mrs. B. B. Smith, Mrs. Glen Carlos, Mrs. Leon Bullard, Mrs. George Dickson, Mrs. Lloyd Phillips, Mrs. W. C. Milam, Mrs. J. W. Webster, Mrs. C. F. Srygley, and Miss Margaret McElreath.

Ireland Is Topic For Atalantean Club Program

Ireland was the topic for the program of the Atalantean Club Wednesday afternoon, when members met in the home of Mrs. R. F. Devin in regular meeting.

During the business session which was presided over by the president, Mrs. S. L. Seago, delegates were elected to represent the club at the Federation which meets in Childress in April. Mrs. Seago was elected delegate and Mrs. Carl Periman alternate. Roll call was on Irish Wit. The life of St. Patrick was discussed by Mrs. Devin; Folklore was given by Mrs. J. A. Anthony, and the "White Hare" by Mrs. C. W. Broome. Reading, Irish, Mrs. Frank Hubble. Chorus, "My Wild Irish Rose" sung by Mrs. Sam Hardy, Mrs. J. A. Anthony, Mrs. S. L. Seago, Mrs. Guy W. Smith, Mrs. Ralph Bennett, with Mrs. R. W. Carlton, accompanist, concluded the program.

Members present were Mrs. J. A. Anthony, Mrs. Ralph Bennett, Mrs. W. S. Bennett, Mrs. C. W. Broome, Mrs. R. W. Carlton, Mrs. W. C. Dickey, Mrs. H. B. Estes, Mrs. Sam Hardy, Mrs. L. M. Hicks, Mrs. N. A. Hightower, Mrs. F. A. Hubble, Mrs. J. Wm. Mason, Mrs. D. A. Neeley, Mrs. Carl Periman, Mrs. Frank Phelan, Mrs. Guy W. Smith, Mrs. C. R. Webster, Mrs. Carroit Smyers, and Mrs. S. L. Seago.

West Ward PTA Elects Officers For Ensuing Year

The West Ward P.-T. A. met in regular session Thursday afternoon, March 10, at 3:15 o'clock in the West Ward auditorium.

To open the meeting "Onward Christian Soldiers" was sung by the assembly. Mrs. Jerry Wright, president, presided over the business session when the officers for the year 1938-39 were elected as follows: Mrs. W. C. Davis, president; Mrs. W. D. McCool, first vice president; Mrs. C. L. Hamrick, second vice president; Mrs. Jerry Wright, third vice president; Mrs. George Cullin, recording secretary; Mrs. Leon Randolph, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Bud Godfrey, treasurer; Mrs. Frank Bayouth, publicity chairman; Mrs. J. Wm. Mason, pianist, and Mrs. A. J. Joyce, press reporter.

It was decided to send four delegates to the district meeting in Childress March 31 and April 1.

For the program Joe Findley, minister of the First Christian Church, gave the devotional on the subject, "Cooperation of Home and School," and Mrs. W. D. McCool discussed, "What May Parents Expect of the School." A musical number by Nell Hagran and Sue Ann Roberts closed the program.

TEL Class Has All Day Meeting at Wherry Home

Members of the T. E. L. Class of the First Baptist Church met Friday, March 11, in an all-day meeting at the home of Mrs. R. H. Wherry, 914 West Cleveland street.

The purpose of the meeting was to make baptismal robes for the Baptist Church.

During the noon hour a lovely covered dish luncheon was served.

Members present for the day included Mrs. R. W. Carlton, Mrs. J. W. Johnson, Mrs. T. T. Loard, Mrs. Chas Oren, Mrs. Joy Weatherstone, Mrs. R. C. Walker, Mrs. A. M. Wyatt, Mrs. C. Z. Etidham, Mrs. J. C. Wells, Mrs. S. T. Harrison, Mrs. Lee Thornton, Mrs. J. M. Ballew, Mrs. T. R. Garrott, Rev. J. Wm. Mason and daughter Billie Claire were luncheon guests.

Mrs. T. M. Harrison Presents Speech Art Pupils in Recital Sunday

Mrs. T. M. Harrison presented her speech art pupils in an informal recital Sunday afternoon at the First Baptist Church.

Songs, costume and musical readings added variety to the numbers which were interesting and entertaining.

The program follows: Song, Jimmie Biggs and Gladys Bownds; Both Alike, That Bold Bee, Mary Jo Watson; Boy, A Scared Boy, Fletcher Bownds; Isn't It Queer, Don Simmons; Bows, Daddie Kissed the Cook, Betty Sue Gibbs; Liquid Glue, What to Do, Jimmie Bownds; Why Not Say Do, Bye and Bye, Raymond Cullin; Betty's View on Housekeeping, Such Queer Words, Gladys Bownds; Ice Cream Cones, Po' White Trash, Jimmie Biggs.

The Magic Sunbonnet, Charlene Crow; Religious, Bobbie Clark; The Story Book Ball, Billie Claire Mason; Toast to Texas, Keith Parks; Clouds in the Sky, Janet Hood; Flag Song of Texas, Larry Grundy; Lost, Winona Caudle; I Believe in Me, Don Q. Tarver; Things That Make a Soldier Great, Louise Brewer; Out to Old Aunt Mary's, Jack Hightower; A Real Hero, Jerry Doss; Each in His Own Tongue, Peggy George Walker; The Dignity of Labor, J. H. Maxwell; Texas Undivided and Indivisible, Jean Parks; Song, Comin' Through the Rye, Jack Hightower and Billie Claire Mason.

Mrs. J. A. Grundy left Saturday for Marlin where she will spend two weeks for her health.

Mr. and Mrs. John Capp and daughter Frances Joy, Mrs. J. H. Robertson and J. P. Mann of Lakeview left Memphis Friday morning to spend the week-end in Fort Worth and Dallas. They attended the Fat Stock Show while in Fort Worth.

Miss Mary Noel Is Hostess to Mizpah Guild Monday

Miss Mary Noel was hostess to the Mizpah Guild of the Presbyterian Church Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Conly Ward on West Noel street.

Mrs. Ward gave the devotional on Stewardship, followed with prayer by Mrs. Ira Foster. Mrs. Irene Beckett conducted the lesson from Deuteronomy 31-34.

During the social hour refreshments were served by the hostess to Mrs. John Deaver, Mrs. Allen Grundy, Mrs. Mack Wilson, Mrs. C. W. Kinslow, Mrs. Bob Corley, Mrs. Elizabeth Johnston, Mrs. Irene Beckett, Mrs. Russell McClure, Mrs. Ira Foster, Mrs. C. D. Denny, Mrs. Forrest Power, and Mrs. A. W. Guill.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Carl Periman, with Mrs. Kinslow as leader.

Legion Auxiliary Meets at Home of Mrs. W. Wilson

The Auxiliary of the American Legion met Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. Wilson, with Mrs. Mac Tarver, Mrs. Roy Guthrie and Mrs. Mamie VanPelt co-hostesses.

The meeting was opened with a salute to the flag, followed by singing, "America." Mrs. VanPelt offered prayer, closing with 30 seconds of silent prayer.

During the business session the minutes were read and reports of the different committees were given. The financial report was very encouraging as the Auxiliary is planning on furnishing a kitchen at the Legion Hall.

The program topic was "Out where the Smile Dwells a Little Longer." Roll call was on newspapers over the state. The song, "Beautiful Texas" was sung by the group. The American Legion's contribution to the University of Texas was given by Mrs. E. T. Prater. "Flashes from Texas History" was discussed by Mrs. R. S. Gooch, and "Texas Little Towns," Mrs. J. E. Roper.

After the program a salad course was served by the hostesses carrying out St. Patrick Day theme to Mrs. C. C. Dodson, Mrs. Allie D. Weaver, Mrs. W. S. Gooch, Mrs. E. T. Prater, Mrs. John Deaver, Mrs. H. H. Lindsey, Mrs. J. E. Roper, Mrs. B. S. Smith, and Mrs. W. L. Wheat. The hostesses were assisted in serving by Gary Tarver.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. W. S. Gooch on Friday, April 8. Each member is to bring a member who has not attended in a long time. The program will be on Child Welfare.

Baptist Women Meet in Business Session Monday

Members of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist Church met Monday afternoon at the church in a business session.

"My Faith Looks Up to Thee" was used for the opening song, followed with prayer by Mrs. T. R. Garrott. Mrs. J. S. McMurry brought the devotional, reading the first chapter of Ecclesiastes for the scripture lesson. Prayer was offered by Mrs. J. H. Smith. Mrs. A. J. Joyce discussed Current Events of Baptist Work. Mrs. Sam Hamilton read the minutes of the previous meeting, and reports were given from the circle leaders. Mrs. Lloyd Phillips gave a report of the board meeting which she attended in Belton last week.

Members present were Mrs. A. J. Joyce, Mrs. H. B. Gilmore, Mrs. T. R. Garrott, Mrs. Emma Baskerville, Mrs. G. H. Hattenbach, Mrs. J. H. Smith, Miss Maud Milam, Mrs. Joe Weathersbee, Mrs. J. S. McMurry, Mrs. H. C. Crow, Mrs. E. T. Prater, Mrs. Glen Carlos, Mrs. Lloyd Phillips, Mrs. Sam Hamilton, Mrs. J. S. Forkner, Mrs. Frank Smith, and Mrs. John Barber.

Mrs. G. W. Sexaur returned Saturday from a four-week visit with her daughter, Mrs. Ira Phelps in Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kesterson and son Bill George and Don Q. Tarver left Sunday for Fort Worth to visit at the Fat Stock Show and with relatives.

Gowned in Metal



In this metal cloth formal evening gown, Rosemary Lane, film and radio artist, would win the applause of even the most demanding style critic. In character a broad girdle, with the full skirt shurred on at the waistline.

Bill Greene of Clarendon was in Memphis Monday on business.

Arizona Dude Ranch Supper is Gaily Blue Bonnet Needle Club Friday

A complete transformation of the Jack Boone home to the J-B ranch made a unique setting for the Arizona Dude Ranch Supper given by the Blue Bonnet Needle Club for their husbands Friday evening, March 11. The social committee acted as ranch managers with Mrs. Ara Foust heading the group.

After supper the city pastime, and the guests were entertained by a table appointments, hats while the Arizona cattle branders were being shown.

A novel hand-wrought nameplate with the letters "J-B" was hanging beside the dimly-lighted doorway. The corral gate, a saddle, bridle and other ranch paraphernalia were mute evidence of a bustling ranch atmosphere within. The city dudes entered into the spirit by donning ranch-style clothes quite becoming to typical ranch wranglers.

Just before supper was announced, a grab-box was conducted by Mrs. Foust. As she passed among the guests each grabbed a string and found at the end of the string not only a colorful bandanna, but a supper partner as well. The bandannas were donned and the chow line was formed, the dudes serving themselves from a chow table laid with a red and white damask cloth and lighted only by lamp light.

The smaller tables that were grouped about the entertaining rooms were also laid with red and white plaid cloths and centered with pots of cacti, specimens of the Arizona desert.

The miniature western cowboys with real ten gallon white felt hats, leather vests, chaps and six shooters were plate favors, while their bucking bronchos, with the menus printed by hand on their saddle blankets, transformed the tables into a scene of real activity.

Cowboy ballads were played on the graphophone while the dudes were eating their supper and trying to figure out cowhand's dialect on the menu, which consisted of "Stricky and Bracken,"

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At the end of the "Dude Ranch Con- printed on sheets of passed out among each given a pencil length of time in the "Quiz." A pro- ed to the one with the nal answers.

As a final presen- were turned low and sang, "Home on the Range" the guests relax- and the "J.B. Ranch "Memoir."

The members Fern Boone, Clara Doss, Gladys Goodall, Margaret Jones, Hucie Lind- cham, Kathryn Margaret Phillips, Win- Essie Cullin, Susie Foust and Ethel Re- Guests present Boone, George Cull- en, Roy Coleman, Jack Foust, Bailey Goodall, Bill Hood, Horace Lindsey, Lloy- cham, Dean Mary Phillips.

Rev. and Mrs. ter and Mrs. N. A. spent Thursday in Tulsa, Okla., and Woman's Mission- the Southern Metho- session there during

PARNELL

By MRS. W. W. RICHARDS

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Morrison and children of Estelline spent last Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wheeler.

Those who visited Paul and Joe Buchanan Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Freeman of Pampa, Miss Carrie Buchanan of Tur- key, Miss Leth Buchanan of Kirkland, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pace.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wright were called to Berger last Saturday to be at the bedside of their daughter Mrs. Goldsmith, who is very ill.

Hubert Richards, Clifford Qualls, Harlin Hood, and Wine- fred Rapp attended the stock show at Fort Worth from Friday till Sunday of last week.

Miss Evelyn Wynn entertained the Senior Sunday School class with a dinner Sunday.

John D. Freeman of McGregor arrived in Memphis Sunday for a visit with his daughter, Mrs. R. E. Clark.

Attend Highway Meeting in Tulia

James E. King, Carroll Smyers, and Dr. L. M. Hicks of this city attended a meeting of the High- way 86 Association in Tulia Tues- day of this week.

At the meeting plans were laid for making the paving of two strips of highway east of Tulia and west of Silvertown NRWB projects, Smyers stated. It was also agreed to ask the Highway Commission to approve a contract to hard surface the remaining seven miles of road from the Swisher-Castro County line into the city of Dimmitt.

While in Tulia, the local group inspected the butter factory there. Dr. Hicks is chairman of the chamber of commerce industrial committee here.

DEEP LAKE

Win Tournament The volleyball girls and basket- ball boys returned from Estelline Friday, both winners of the tour- nament. The girls defeated Newlin, Parnell, and Flaska. The boys beat Eli, Weatherly, and Brice.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bevers spent Sunday visiting their son J. L. Bevers of Lakeview.

Several from here attended the funeral of T. R. Franks in Mem- phis Monday.

The Lakeview High School vol- leyball girls won second place at the tournament. The team is composed of Deep Lake and Les- ley girls.

John Frank Byrd spent Sun- day with his mother, Mrs. Ola Frank Byrd.

TEACHER AND PUPILS ATTEND MUSIC FESTIVAL Mrs. Conly Ward left yester- day morning in company with a number of her music pupils for Amarillo where they will be among the number to play at the Spring Music Festival in session there from Thursday through Saturday.

Pupils of Mrs. Ward to play in- clude Genevieve McCool, June Joyce, Sue Lynn Guthrie, Ila Sue Davis, Larry McQueen, Doris Compton, Zora Mae Sweat, and Mary Ruth Anderson.

James E. Duke returned to his home in Fort Worth Tuesday after a visit of several days here with his mother, Mrs. T. R. Franks.

LESLEY

By MRS. JAMES SMITH

Morris Brown left Tuesday for Wichita Falls, where he will spend a few days.

Jess Whittington took the sixth and seventh grades to Amarillo last Wednesday to the Mother-in- law celebration. Those furnish- ing cars for the pupils were Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Hagin, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Kennard, Mrs. Ru- dolph and Raymond Rudolph, Curtis Henry, and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Fowler.

M. D. Kennard, Garner Lee, V. G. Byars, and M. M. Kennard at- tended an auction sale at Quail last Friday.

Mrs. Lois Gatlin and children visited Saturday with her sister Ozella Mitchell.

Mrs. H. L. Gipson, Mrs. Lee Skinner, Mrs. J. P. Fowler, Miss Ozella Mitchell, Miss Susie Sal- mon, Miss Tommie Baker of Memphis, and Miss Mary Etta Clark went to Amarillo Wednes- day.

A large number from this com- munity attended the funeral ser- vices for S. D. Churchman at Clar- endon last Thursday.

Mrs. Pearl Self of Hedley is spending this week with her sister Mrs. Kay Smith.

Drew Smith and son Joe Car- roll were Lesley visitors Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Milton Evans and son Jimmie Doyle visited Friday in the James Smith home.

Shower Given Mrs. John Porter Fowler, who was formerly Miss Ida Sue Davis, was honored with a lovely mis- cellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. V. G. Byars Tuesday after- noon, March 8. Refreshments of coconut cake and gelatin were served to.

Mrs. H. L. Gipson, Mrs. Tracy Davis, Mrs. Roy Adams, Miss Ozella Mitchell, Miss Susie Ken- nard, Mrs. M. M. Kennard, Miss Susie Salmon, Mrs. A. J. Fowler, Mrs. Porter Denson, Mrs. H. C. Fowler, Mrs. Scott Hancock, Miss Ann Hancock, Mrs. A. W. Mos- ley, Mrs. John J. Spencer, Mrs. J. O. Adams, Mrs. M. D. Kennard, Miss Mary Etta Clark, Mrs. Dud- ley Adams, Mrs. J. B. Adams, Mrs. W. C. Skinner, and Mrs. Lee Skinner.

Miss Doris Culver of Childress spent Sunday here as the guest of Gloria Zoe Vinson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Howard and daughters, Mrs. Lesley Cal- houn and Phyllis Howard, left Thursday for Dallas to attend the State Cotton Convention in session there. They will also visit in Fort Worth en route home.

Seven Teams Enter Cap Rock Relays

Seven out-of-town teams have already accepted invitations to compete in the track meet at the second annual Cap Rock Relays here April 15-16. Coach Frank Hubbell stated this week. These are Childress, Hedley, Electra, White Deer, Hale Center, Tell, and Estelline.

Many more teams are expected to enter the tournament before the end of the month. Invita- tions have been sent to the principal high schools in the large area within the following bound- aries: Dallam County on the northwest, Garfield County, Okla., on the northeast, Eastland County on the southeast, and Andrews County on the southwest.

Rev. M. M. McKee to Preach at Parnell

We wish to announce that the Rev. M. M. McKee, who is de- livering some very inspiring ser- mons and doing a wonderful work for Christ at the Freewill Baptist Church in Memphis, will go with the pastor, Rev. S. M. Ziegler to Parnell Sunday, March 20, for his regular appointment and will preach at the 11 o'clock service.

There will also be a number of singers from Memphis to ac- company them to Parnell for the services. It is hoped that there will be a good attendance.

Everybody is invited to attend the revival services here in Mem- phis.

Rev. S. M. Ziegler, Pastor.

SIDELINERS EXPECTED TO SPONSOR RELAYS

Ray Martin, president of the Sideliners Club, desires The Democrat to call to the attention of the Sideliners that they will be expected to take part in sponsoring the Caprock Relays to be held here next month.

"About 500 visitors were here at the first relays last year, and there will likely be at least 1,500 at the coming meet. It will be up to the Sideliners to see that the visitors are properly treated," Martin said.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hamilton and Mrs. E. M. Ewen visited in Estelline Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Ewen. Miss Vivian Ewen, who was spending the week-end with her parents, return- ed to Memphis with them.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Thompson of this city and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Franks of Dalhart visited relatives at Anton Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. C. H. Bownds returned Monday from a visit with her son, Clark Bownds, and family in Dal- las.

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To Discuss Wild Life at Meeting

MATADOR, March 16.—A large representation of the citizenry of this section of West Texas is expected to be in Matador Friday evening, March 25, to hear Bill J. Tucker of Austin, executive secretary of the State Game, Fish and Oyster Commission, speak on the problems of wild life in Texas.

Also to appear on the program are Bob Alexander of Childress, state representative, Clifford B. Jones, chairman of the board of Texas Technological College, Virgil Parr, manager of the Pitchfork Ranch, and Gus Bird, county chairman of Wild Life Week. An interesting feature of the program will be a moving picture reel depicting wild life in America. Frank A. Buckley, county agent of Motley County, will be chairman of the program.

Mrs. Mary Ellen Guthrie, nurse at the Odom Hospital, visited with her daughter, Mrs. Otis Cooke in Wichita Falls the latter part of last week.

PLEASANT VALLEY

By MRS. NORA VANDEVENTER

Mrs. J. W. Molloy returned home Monday from Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Weaver and C. C. Vandeventer and family attended singing at Plaska Sunday afternoon.

Friends of Mrs. Dave Lions were made sad to learn of her sudden death Sunday.

Archie Kutch was a business visitor in this community Monday.

Ellen Genette Lenoir was hostess to a birthday party Sunday at her home.

Mrs. Nora Ragen spent Sunday in the home of her daughter Mrs. Clara Ellis of Plaska, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright Hollifield and baby and Grady Hollifield of Amarillo visited here Saturday with their grandmother, Mrs. I. P. Hollifield. They were en route to Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Dan Eudy of Turkey is here visiting her mother, Mrs. Isabella Cypert.

Hedley Woman Dies In Hospital Here Wednesday

Mrs. Mary Ruth Hunt, wife of J. K. Hunt of Hedley, died in a local hospital Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock March 16, following a brief illness.

A native Texan, Mary Ruth Taylor was born June 15, 1896, in Jack County, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Taylor.

Funeral services for Mrs. Hunt were held Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the family home in Hedley.

Friday the body will be taken to Ranger, her old home, by the King Mortuary and services will be conducted there at the First Baptist Church at 2:30 o'clock, with burial in the Ranger cemetery.

Survivors are the husband and one son of Hedley, two sisters, Mrs. Nipper of Hedley and Mrs. Purl Hunt of Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Brooke of Estelline were guests here Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lane. They all went to Wellington in the afternoon to visit with their father, D. C. Brooke, who is ill.

PLASKA

By MRS. WILMA DAVIS

Early Galloway left Tuesday for his home in Exeter, Calif., after a month's visit with friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Foster and children of Eli spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spry.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Lamb were Memphis visitors Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Jones and Mrs. S. E. Smith left last Thursday night to be with Sammie Perkins, who is ill in a hospital at Sudan. Mr. Jones and Mrs. Smith returned home Saturday night and Mrs. Jones remained for an indefinite stay.

Mrs. Edd Murdock spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Spry of Eli.

Foye Whitten and Luther Nabors made a business trip to Amarillo last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Gamble and daughter of Clarendon were visitors here Tuesday.

Brother Dies

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Dennis and Mr. and Mrs. Blufford Burnett left Wednesday morning for McDonald, N. Mex., to attend the funeral of Mrs. Dennis' brother Emmitt Lyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Grant and son spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Buck Grant of Lakeview.

Little Billie Oliver is reported ill this week.

W. E. Murdock, John Whitfield, Early Galloway, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Murdock and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Edd Galloway of Lytle last week.

Mrs. Andrew Newby of near Lakeview spent Tuesday with Mrs. J. T. Dennis and Mrs. Floyd Davis.

Joanna Davis spent Monday with Flora Mae and Betty Jo Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Dunn are visiting relatives in Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith made a trip to Wichita Falls last week.

Mrs. J. S. Solomon and daughter Lillie, Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Henderson of Floydada, and H. M. Solomon of Matador visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hutcherson in the Salisbury community.

E. E. Cudd and daughter Mrs. Nelson Combest, Mrs. J. C. Morris, and Mrs. Bill Bowerman went to Dallas Monday to visit with Mrs. Cudd who is ill in the Baylor Hospital. She is rapidly improving and will be able to come home Tuesday.

CHURCHES

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Our Sunday School hour is 10 a. m. Church services are at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

The morning sermon will be on the "Paradox of Christian Action." Two texts from the Sermon on the Mount will be used; Matt. 5:14-16 and Matt. 6:3-4. At first glance these texts seem to conflict. They present an interesting paradox in Jesus' teaching which it would repay Christian and non-Christian alike to consider.

We will have our regular prayer meeting service 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.

JOE FINDLEY, Minister

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The church has in its possession a most definite message for all people. To the Christian man or woman, boy or girl, it is a message of value in the building of life. To the discouraged it is a message of cheer and hope.

To the sinner it points out the way to a Saviour able and willing to save. The ministry of the church in song and prayer offers consolation and comfort to the depressed and heavy laden.

In the making of our pledges for the new Presbyterian year let us keep in mind the glorious ministry of the church and its marvelous influence in our lives. Help us in Sunday School and church services next Sunday to make it truly a delightful blessed day.

Come and bring your family and friends with you. Can we be of service to you in any way? This we want to do.

E. C. CARGILL, Pastor.

FORMER MEMPHIS MAN CRITICALLY ILL IN DALLAS

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Dennis, Mrs. John Dennis, and Mrs. Pearl Massey left for Dallas Wednesday upon receipt of a message that their brother, Walter Dennis, was very ill. Mr. Dennis was taken to the Baylor Hospital in Dallas two weeks ago and has not been doing so well for the last several days. A blood transfusion was given Tuesday.

CARD OF THANKS

Words fail to express our sincere appreciation for the kind words spoken, and the beautiful floral offerings, and the loving service rendered during the illness and death of our loved one. When the hour of sorrow comes to you may you have the same faithful friends to comfort you.

Mrs. T. R. Franks and Children.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Franks.

NOTICE

Community Correspondents

The Democrat wishes to urge all community correspondents to mail their copy in early each week. In order to assure publication copy should be in by Tuesday.

Political Announcements

- The Memphis Democrat is authorized to announce the following as candidates for public office, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July.
- For Representative, 121st Dist.: R. A. (Allen) HARP of Motley County
 - BOB ALEXANDER of Childress County (Re-election)
 - For District Attorney: C. C. BROUGHTON, Childress JOHN DEEVER, Memphis (Re-election)
 - For District Clerk: MRS. ISABELL CYPERT
 - For County Judge: M. O. GOODPASTURE (Re-election)
 - For County Superintendent: VERA TOPS GILBERTH (Re-election)
 - BYRON F. TODD OLSON SWEAT H. L. GIPSON
 - For Sheriff: LINDSEY E. HILL (Re-election)
 - For County Clerk: JACK BOONE MURRAY DIAL BAILEY GILMORRE
 - For Tax Assessor-Collector: J. M. FERREL (Re-election)
 - For County Treasurer: CHAS. DRAKE (Re-election)
 - For County Attorney: CARL PERIMAN (Re-election)
 - For Justice of Peace, Precinct 1: L. G. PERKINS JOE A. MERRICK W. L. WHEAT (Re-election)
 - For Commissioner, Precinct 1: W. E. (Butler) MORRISON (Re-election)
 - For Commissioner, Precinct 2: H. C. (Clyde) FOWLER PAUL McCANNE TRACY L. DAVIS A. R. McMASTER (Re-election)
 - GEORGE HANCOCK J. T. NELSON T. W. LUTTRELL MARYVINE I. ALEXANDER
 - For Commissioner, Precinct 3: BURL BELL (Re-election) R. A. EDDLEMAN

Harry Womack Edits College Publication

Harry Womack of Memphis has been selected as Associate Editor of the Mortuary Messenger, monthly school paper of the Landig College of Mortuary Science in Houston, in which he is a student. He was also elected vice president of the class, a letter received by The Democrat this week from R. Victor Landig, official of the college, revealed.

Mr. Landig said in his letter: "Mr. Womack is making a wonderful showing and we are mighty glad to have a representative of his caliber from your community."

The mortuary course will be completed May 6 and the state examination will be held in San Antonio May 13-14.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gay were visitors in Childress Sunday.

PIE SUPPER AT PLEASANT VALLEY

A pie supper at Pleasant Valley was given at the school day evening, April 10 o'clock. Everyone to attend, with a donation extended to...

Alton B. Chastain, district judge of the district court and brother, W. C. family.

Walter Tester was a visitor in the family. He was a resident before moving to Memphis several years ago.

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Peas, Concho or Mission, 2 for. 25c

Ratliff's or Wolf's

Tamales, 2 cans for 25c

Beans, Ranch style, 2 for 17c

GRAPENUT FLAKES or

Post Toasties, 2 for 19c

Spinach, Del Monte, No. 2, 2 for 25c

Date & Nut Bread, 2 cans 25c

Palmolive or Camay

Soap, 3 for 19c

P & G or Crystal White

Soap, 6 for 23c

Soap Flakes, Big 4 33c

Hominy, small can 5c

Salmon, Pink, 2 for 25c

Kraut, Kuner's, med. size, 2 for . 15c

Tomatoes, fancy Florida, lb. ... 10c

New Potatoes, No. 1, lb. 4c

Green Beans, fancy, lb. 10c

Bananas, nice fruit, doz. 10c

Lettuce, head, 5c

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WEEK END SPECIALS

FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

COFFEE, Folgers, 1 lb.	28c	2 lbs.	55c
CRISCO, small bucket.	56c	large bucket.	\$1.09
SOAP, Lux or Lifebuoy, 3 bars	20c		
SOAP FLAKES, Big 4, pkg.	34c		
OLD DUTCH CLEANSER, 2 cans	15c		
SANIFLUSH or DRANO, large can	20c		
MAGIC WASHING POWDER, large pkg.	18c		
BAKING POWDER, KC	18c		
CRACKERS, 2 lb. box, Salted	17c		
MILK, Pet or Carnation, 6 cans	23c		
WHEATIES, large pkgs, 2 for	23c		
MARSHMALLOWS, 8 oz pkg.	8c	1 lb. pkg.	15c
JELLO, all flavors, genuine, 2 pkgs.	11c		
SWANKY CHEESE, all kinds in fancy glasses	17c		
SUGAR, powdered or brown, 2 pkgs.	15c		
RAISINS, 1 lb. pkg.	10c	2 lb. pkg.	17c
TOMATOES, No. 2 cans, 2 for	15c		
ENGLISH PEAS, No. 2 cans, Mission, 2 for	25c		
CORN, WS or PR, No. 2 cans, 2 for	25c		
BLACKKEYED PEAS, Shells and Snaps, 2 cans	17c		
PORK & BEANS, 2 cans	11c		
SALMON, best pink, 2 cans	25c		
SOUP, Campbell's Tomato	8c	Vegetable	9c
CHERRIES, Red Pitted, No. 2 cans, 2 for	29c		
PINEAPPLE, Sliced or Crushed, No. 1 cans 3 for	25c		
PIE MIENTO, large can	9c		
TOMATO JUICE, all kinds, 2 cans	15c		
ORANGES, nice ones, dozen	15c		
PRUNES, 2 lb. cellophane sack	15c		
LEMONS, large Sunkist, dozen	24c		
SPUDS, No. 1 grade, pk.	25c		
GREEN BEANS, new crop, Texas, lb.	8c		
NEW POTATOES, No. 1 Florida, 4 lbs.	19c		
BUNCH VEGETABLES, 3 bunches	10c		
STRAWBERRIES, fresh, box	?		
EGGS, fresh country, dozen	15c		

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Mustard, per qt.

Candy, all 5c bars, 3 for

Cigarettes, per pkg.

Dates, per pkg.

Nuts, pecans or walnuts, 2 lb.

Oranges, per dozen

Apples, per dozen

Bananas, per dozen

MARKET SPECIALS

Sliced Bacon, per lb.

Smoked Bacon, per lb.

Sugar Cured Bacon, per lb.

Dry Salt Bacon, per lb.

Jowl Meat, per lb.

Cream Cheese, per lb.

Sausage, per lb.

Beef Steak, per lb.

Plate Rib Roast, per lb.

Country Butter, per lb.

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LET EUROPE "GO CRAZY" ALONE

REPRESENTATIVE Maury Maverick, a Democrat from San Antonio, in a radio address Sunday night warned America that just because the world has gone mad is no reason for Uncle Sam to go crazy too.

The Texas Congressman, who is an ardent supporter of most administration policies, is opposed to the president's big navy program on the grounds that it will involve this country in Europe's turmoil instead of protecting us from it. "To go off on a war-preparing spree and go navy crazy, is to get into war." That was Maverick's opinion.

It doesn't take a student of world events to realize the plight in which America's legislative powers now find themselves. If America fails to carry out an armament program, this country may find itself unprepared for an undesired war. Yet, on the other hand the Texas Representative's opposition may be well grounded.

It is an established fact that America does not want war. If to build a navy would result in war, then America doesn't want a navy. If not to prepare would lend encouragement to war minded nations to strike at the United States, then America wants a navy. The question in the hands of individuals in Washington is no easy one to solve.

This is one time when voters must trust in the better judgement of those they elected to govern this country, and pray that whatever is done will result in the continuation of the policy, "Let Europe go crazy alone."

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BACK TO THE CATTLE INDUSTRY?

THE DEMOCRAT has long believed that Hall County farms must produce something other than cotton if prosperity and good living is to again take up quarters in this area. Last week a well known Memphis merchant, prompted by enthusiasm over the Fat Stock Show, expressed the same belief.

The livestock sales season comes at a time after the county's staple crop has been gathered and marketed. It is the off-season period for producers in a one-crop country. Cattle, on either large or small scales, will bring in checks at just the period when such supplement is most needed.

This Memphis merchant, like a number of other good-citizen-businessmen, was interested enough to pay above-top prices for animals auctioned at the show and has already pledged his support for next year's affair. If Hall County were to return to cattle and ranching exclusively, as of early years, the area would likely be no better than it is with its one-crop.

Hall County needs cotton . . . it can't do without it! But, the cattle business is a welcomed sideline. In other words, to cotton Hall County might add the borrowed slogan, "A Cow, Sow and a Hen" . . . then good times might return as a permanent resident.

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CAREFUL DRIVING CAMPAIGN RESULTFUL

THE NATIONAL SAFETY COUNCIL, through the cooperation of newspapers and magazines, has for many months conducted a campaign for more careful drivers, and driving. The result is shown in this recent report, which speaks for itself.

"Nation's traffic fatalities for the first part of 1938 are down seventeen per cent."

Newspapers, such as the one you are now reading, have had much to do with executing the campaign and it is only right that they should claim part of the glory for whatever results may be achieved. But, it must be remembered that the operators of motor cars and trucks are the ones who have complied with the Council's requests and shortened the shadow of traffic accidents.

This and other newspapers may continue cooperating, with the National Safety Council, for drivers fail to continue driving more carefully. Newspapers only publish the reports . . . you and other drivers make them.

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Our definition of a Man's Haberdashery: Place where bachelors buy the clothes that married men envy!

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Another place the ex-service men have the advantage is pronouncing the German words in the headlines today.

A RISING SUN ALWAYS SHORTENS THE SHADOW



NATION'S TRAFFIC FATALITIES FOR FIRST PART OF 1938 DOWN 17%
 NATIONAL SAFETY COUNCIL

Paragraphs From Panhandle Press

Culled From The Democrat Exchanges

Texas' Opportunity
 The Big Bend Park is getting in the limelight, and well it should. One of the most picturesque sections of the biggest state in the Union and comparable to the Swiss Alps in scenic beauty, Texas will be passing up an opportunity if we fail in providing our part of the bargain with our Federal government, which incidentally, is only furnishing the land at a dollar per acre.—The Odessa News-Times.

Logical
 Annually over 400,000,000 tons of top soil is carried into the Gulf of Mexico by the Mississippi River to be lost forever. No more eloquent or logical argument could be presented for soil conservation.—The Foard County News.

Misinterpreted
 Back in the alleged prohibition days, a lady collector of antiques entered an Amarillo store and inquired of a clerk "if he knew where she could find a what-not." The young man smiled and instructed her to step into the alley, go three blocks north and whistle two long and one short into the crack of a double door.—The Apostle in The Donley County Leader.

Little Braggart
 Isaac Marcarson, perhaps the best informed reporter in the world, lectured on Japan the other night in Dallas. He stated that the Japs would never be able to overcome the Chinese. That Japan is a little braggart nation badly in need of a few Margaret Sangsters.—Quannah Tribune-Chief.

Devotion
 While a number of tributes will doubtless be paid O. O. McIntyre as a genius in his field, and a writer who strangled his soul with a typewriter ribbon, intimate friends remember McIntyre and his devoted wife for the success they made of marriage . . . In this

day of easy divorce, alimony rackets, and remarriage to other "squaws," the McIntyres were listed as one of the few really devoted New York couples. McIntyre, the man who made Gallipoli famous, has been carried back to his beloved boyhood haunts, there to rest from the sound and fury of modern life, that makes so many old before the sunset years really hove in view.—Leon Guinn in The Scurry County Times.

Who?
 In 1926, two years before the Houston convention, it was already apparent that Al Smith would be a conspicuous contender for the 1928 nomination. Likewise, in 1930, the star of Franklin D. Roosevelt was definitely in the ascendant. Today, two years before the 1940 convention, none but the most daring of political prophets would hazard a guess as to the identity of the 1940 Democratic nominee. There is no one who stands out as a likely entry. There are upwards of a dozen who might be grouped in the "possibility" category, but none has any sizeable following.

A telling factor in the situation, of course, is the belief of many that Mr. Roosevelt will be a candidate for a third term. Until that question is answered in a definite way, none of the other potential candidates can acquire much support.—Wichita Daily Times.

Indian Giver
 Here is a legal notice appearing in an Illinois exchange the

past week that will give our readers some insight as to conditions in that state.
 "I will receive bids of Saturday, February 5, 1938, for the growing timber on my farm known as the old Saegar farm, 3 miles northwest of Jefferson. Said timber consists of 195 oak, 66 poplar, 14 walnut, 2 white walnut, 5 elm, 6 cottonwood, 4 sycamore, 17 red oak, 8 ash trees all marked with a cross on south side. Reserve the right to stop the sale when I get enough to pay my taxes. Mrs. Theo. Sullivan.—Donley County Leader.

Trail Dust
 He tied his fate wagon to a star, a blazing meteor which lashed the firmament into silvery froth before plunging over the precipice of oblivion. He sacked-up all that was left, much gold and plunder, and a gimlet-eyed old woman looking across his breakfast table.—Douglas Meador in Matador Tribune.

Writing Itch
 Writing is like itch or measles . . . you never know when it's going to pop out . . . Happens oftener to those who have seen the rough side of life than those who float along on clouds of ease.—Gertie E. Haskett in Childress County News.

Mrs. R. B. McMurry, who has been ill at her home one mile west of the city for the past two weeks, is reported to be improving.

"Leto's" for the Gums
 Are your gums irritated? Do they itch? Do they burn? Do your gums cause you annoyance? Druggists return money if first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to satisfy.
TARVER'S PHARMACY

LAKEVIEW

By MRS. J. H. BOREN

Mrs. Opal Anderson and son of Amarillo are visiting her father, H. S. Gardenhire.
 Little Katherine Wright, who has been ill, is improved at this writing.
 Several of the FFA boys went to the stock show last week. Bill Williamson and son and Miss Marie Williamson of Memphis attended the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show over the week-end.
 Mr. and Mrs. Dell E. Wells have returned home after visiting his brother Khleber of Littlefield.
 Dr. Harp and family have moved to Abilene.
 Quite a few attended the celebration on Mother-in-Law Day in Amarillo last week.
 Mrs. J. A. Sessions returned home last week from Amarillo where she has been visiting her son Ray.
 Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Martin of Deep Lake visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Boren Sunday.
 J. B. Stroud, who has been ill, is improving nicely.
 Mr. and Mrs. Carl Young of Duncan, Okla., have returned home after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Mitchell.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dickey and children visited her mother, Mrs. C. P. Reed, Sunday.
 Mrs. H. B. O'Neill has returned home from Lockney, where she has been at the bedside of her mother, who is ill.
 Mr. and Mrs. Willie McWolf had as their dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Montgomery and children.
 Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Winters visited in Hedley Sunday.
Birthday Dinner
 Mr. and Mrs. Bob Scott gave their daughter Beatie Lee a birthday dinner and a trip to Cap Rock Sunday. Those attending were: Oleta Favors, La Rue Long, Maxine Mitchell, Bobbie Nell Boren, Melva Gene Crowder, Carylan Bristler, Marsene Holt, Leo Bristler, Tommie Moreland, Glynn Hoggett, Alton Mitchell, Bill Bufkin, Raymond Randolph, and Carl Jack Smith.
 Mr. and Mrs. David Davenport Jr. and Mrs. R. C. Ellis went to

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Sidelights of Sino-Japanese Situation Given By Memphian Stationed in China

Reports of Heroic Deeds of Jap Soldiers 'Hooey'..... Nichols Writes

(Note: The following letter was recently received by J. L. Barnes, local man from Floyd Nichols, Memphis boy now stationed with the United States Marines in Peiping, China.)

Co. A Marine Detachment
American Embassy
Peiping, China
January 9, 1938

My Dear Mr. Barnes:

I heard that you mentioned to another person that you would like some information and pictures of the war in China. This seems a rather broad order which should be easily gratified, since it seems to me as though every issue of all the popular American magazines carries some information and pictures of the current hostilities so that no one should experience such trouble in finding information on any phase of the war their imagination might suggest.

But if you are interested in the personal views of a home town boy who happens to be within earshot of the shooting, then hold your hat and grab some leather, and I will give you my views for what they are worth, which is exactly nothing. Being a Marine in the ranks of a neutral country, I can't take sides. As there are no sides to every story, I will tell a little of both.

This present trouble is merely a continuation of that which Marco Polo started when he visited the Orient back in the Renaissance, and that which the Occidentals stirred up with their trade-wars and treaties of the last century.

The Chinese reaction to Western contact was reluctant to give up Western diplomacy, backed by military power, forced them to grant, but the Japanese very soon earned that military power was essential to diplomacy, and accordingly they organized a fighting machine embracing all the best principles of their Occidental brethren, plus such unique additions as the deification and worship

of their emperor, resulting in a nationalization which any dictator might envy.

Japan has a population of seventy million people living on a series of islands with a land area of half the size of Texas. The country is poor in natural resources and the soil does not produce enough food to maintain life and health on anything but a low standard, in spite of the fact that the people are intelligent and have the same capacity to enjoy life as have those of other nations. Industrial development has advanced tremendously but they require the raw materials to facilitate industry.

Just across the Yellow Sea lies China, rich in natural resources of every description and poor in the capital required to utilize these resources in the face of world competition, and so large and passive that only since the turn of the century has any citizen been interested in what was happening outside his own village or city, so that the idea of China as one nation is more of an aspiration than a reality. Any individual warlord, or potent politician, for his personal gain, can and does barter the raw materials under his control to the highest bidder in the International market, with one notable exception. The Japanese, looking across the Yellow Sea, visualize one of the richest nations in the world a clear road to solve their problems. They see the coal and rich ores, oil that can develop it into a thriving nation, which means busy trade with other nations and power to their command.

The Japanese have heaped endless humiliations upon the Chinese in the last thirty years, so that today in China there is a prevalent hatred against the Japanese. All the troubles of the past ten years have been a direct result of this hatred and the Japanese insistence on "justice" from the Chinese. The Chinese hopes of winning this war, which has never been declared a war, is based on prolonging it to a time when the Japanese will be without funds and material to carry on the conflict. Many other people's opinion is that the Chinese are hoping for a stronger nation to become involved and take sides with her, which seems very improbable. Both of these look like a hopeless cause to me, because no other nation wants to become involved. The Japanese have captured the major cities and set up a government, and are reaping the taxes that the Chinese people pay. Take the city of Peiping, or Peking, the name it bore as the capital of China, connected with the coast and interior by railroad. Before the Japanese took it, most of the shipping was coming here. Now the tables have turned; trains leading here are loaded with products for the Japanese army.

The war has about played out now. Maybe they are resting on the Chinese are reorganizing their forces for one more charge upon the enemy. There are a few Chinese snipers left in the large cities

who fire and run for cover, as they haven't a chance in the open. The Japanese soldiers you read about in magazines and papers as being superior to all other trained soldiers are overestimated and talked. You read of their heroic deeds in battle, such as tying bombs and jumping off buildings and running into enemy strongholds. Sacrificing their lives for their emperor and country is done less than you read about. I think it is a lot of "hooey." When the tide turns and they find themselves without a leader, they aren't. They can't think for themselves; so they commit suicide, taking the easy way out.

Japanese soldiers, if the truth was known, are like all others. They desert, go over the hill, we say, just as often or more so than others. The fighting spirit doesn't follow them when their forces are losing. As for snappy looks and discipline, there isn't any. When they are subject to severe changes in the weather, the hard winters especially force them to fall to the rear, as the weather in Japan is more moderate. They also believe a cloth of a thousand stitches will give added protection if every stitch is sewed by a different hand. Being a soldier myself, I don't think they will turn a bullet. What do you say on this problem?

Yours sincerely,
Floyd Nichols

FRIENDSHIP

By MRS. C. L. PADGETT

Mrs. Artie Nabors visited her daughter Mrs. Maudie Nabors at Plaska over the week-end.

Miss Alvretta Boswell of Plaska spent Friday night with Rebecca Edwards.

Mary Lois Scott spent Saturday night with Billie Faye Cypert of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Butler Stewart were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hill Wells Jr. Sunday.

Miss Thelma Jenkins is spending this week with her sister Mrs. Tom Scarberry of Memphis.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Veteto Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Veteto and Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Veteto of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. McQueen and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. McQueen of Salisbury, and Mr. and Mrs. Mellie Hansard of McLean.

Mrs. R. C. Edwards and daughters Rebecca and Waneama spent Tuesday with Mrs. C. L. Padgett.

Those on the honor roll the last six weeks were:
First Grade—Chester Cunningham, Olin Ray Jenkins, Vallie Jean Veteto, Helen Cunningham, Billie Mack Rice.
Second Grade—Juanita Ann Shafer, Gale West.
Third Grade—Frances Jean Pyeatt.
Fourth Grade—Juanita Ward, Euclair Gilbert.
Fifth Grade—Ray Bruce.
Seventh Grade—Adella Pyeatt, Jacque Basham.

Wanda Beckham spent the week-end with her sister Mrs. O. C. Stilwell of Gammage.

Mary Lois Scott spent Sunday night with Rebecca Edwards.

Miss Alma Bruce made a very interesting talk at the Young People's meeting Sunday night, after which singing was enjoyed by those present.

Zetta Jo Jenkins spent Saturday night with Dorothy Scott.

T. L. Curry of Vernon is spending a few days in the Padgett home.

Glen Bruce and Russell Harrell attended singing at Plaska Sunday afternoon.

R. C. and Waneama Edwards spent Saturday with their brother Lewis Edwards and Mrs. Edwards near Plaska.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Gilchrist visited relatives in Memphis Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Spruill, Stafford, Dude, and Louise Spruill spent Sunday with their brother and son Luther Spruill and family of Memphis.

L. E. Jenkins went to Amarillo Sunday to take his brother Bud Long.

Rev. J. William Mason of Memphis will fill his regular appointment at Friendship Sunday, March 20, at 3 o'clock. Sunday School will be at 2 o'clock on that day. Everyone is invited to attend both services.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

A son, Guineh Artie, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Artie Cox on Monday morning, March 7, at 2:30 o'clock. The youngster weighed 8 1/2 pounds at birth.

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- Chains, pair ---- \$1.35
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- Lap Links, 2 for 5c
- Scrap Leather, lb -- 45c

County Teachers Attend Northwest Texas Conference

Noted Educators on Program At District Meet of Texas State Teachers Association

The Northwest Texas Conference of the Texas State Teachers Association will have a two-day session in Canyon Friday and Saturday of this week, with many nationally known educators scheduled to appear on the program.

Memphis' three public schools will turn out Friday, as all local teachers are attending the conference, according to W. C. Davis, superintendent. Rural schools in the county whose teachers are going to the meeting will also be closed Friday, Miss Vera Tops Gilreath, county superintendent, stated.

J. W. D. Chappell of Brice, Lee Vardy of Turkey, W. C. Davis of Memphis, and Mrs. Roy L. Guthrie of the Friendship school, who were chosen representatives for the Hall County chapter of the T. S. T. A. when it was organized several months ago, will take part in a business meeting at the conference. The Memphis High School Girls' Choral Club will appear on the program Saturday.

General theme of the conference is "Adjusting the Teaching Personnel to the Changing Curriculum." Prominent guests who will appear on the program include Dr. B. F. Pittenger, Dean of the School of Education, the University of Texas; Dr. A. J. Stoddard, Superintendent of schools, Denver, Colo.; and Dr. Maycie Southall, professor of elementary education, George Peabody College for Teachers.

R. M. Harp of Childress, with the Commercial Credit Association, was a business visitor in Memphis Monday. He was en route home from Amarillo.

FAIRVIEW

By MRS. R. ELLERD

Mr. and Mrs. Exie Sweatt visited his parents at McKnight Monday.

Maxine Vaughn and Erma Rogers spent Sunday with Kathleen Phillips.

Pearl Shearer spent Friday night in the Paschall home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Rogers entertained the young folks with a party Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Phillips and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. Ellerd.

Margaret Crowder, Marie Nelson and Edna Stewart spent Sunday with Dixie Beth Moore.

Patsy Jean Adeock spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Ellerd.

Reva Jean Shearer is on the sick list this week.

500 At Childress C of C Banquet

The annual Childress Chamber of Commerce banquet was given Thursday night, March 10, and is reported to have been the most impressive banquet held during this season in this section of the Panhandle.

Approximately 500 people were present at the banquet, which was held in Fair Park Auditorium. The main speaker was Douglas Malloch, lyric poet of Chicago. Memphians attending the banquet were: Mr. and Mrs. Carl Periman, Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Dickey, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Snyers, Byron Baldwin, Sam Hardy, Judge M. O. Goodpasture, James E. King, F. N. Foxhall, and Harry Delaney.

MEMPHIS MINISTERIAL

The Memphis Ministerial Association will begin a new series of weekly open-air services on the square next Saturday at 2:30 p. m. The speaker at the first service will be the evangelist of the Baptist Church Revival.

These Saturday services represent a united effort on the part of the local churches to stress the great truths of the Christian religion. Many people want to know to what extent our churches see the Christian religion alike.

These services will be our attempt to answer that fair question. JOE FINLEY, Secretary

Martha Draper and Harold Foxhall on Texas U Honor Roll

The names of Martha Draper and Harold Foxhall were among students at the University of Texas with sufficiently high scholastic average to be placed on the fall semester honor roll, announced last week by Dr. H. T. Parlin, dean of the College of Arts and Sciences.

Announcement of the names is a form of official commendation of those students whose grades rank them scholastically in the top tenth of the student body, dean Parlin said.

MAKES FALL HONOR ROLL

Tommie Davenport, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Davenport of Lakeview, made the fall semester honor roll at Texas Technological College with an average B grade. Miss Davenport is in her senior year.

Medical Society To Meet at Childress

The monthly meeting of the Childress-Collingsworth Hall County Medical Society will be held Friday evening, March 18, in the Main Dining Hall of Hotel Childress in Childress at 7 p. m. The program has been arranged by Dr. J. D. Michie of that city.

Principal visitors will be Dr. P. K. Smith of the Wichita Falls Clinic-Hospital, who will speak on "Chronic Arthritis," and Dr. R. L. Nelson, physician at the same hospital, who will give a talk on "Present Status of Specific Therapy in Common Contagious Diseases of Children."

A number of local doctors who are members of the society and their wives are expected to attend the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kandal and son Joe Pat went to Fort Worth Friday to attend the Fat Stock Show.

Green Vegetables Check Spring

Using green vegetables is one of the best ways of preventing "Spring" colds. Now is the time to get about this fact, as it has begun to change according to Mrs. J. Home Management of the Farm Security Administration. Too many sweets, it was mostly "Spring" colds, stated Mrs. Butler.

Remember one of 3 servings of vegetables or green in color, 1 other; 2 servings of fruit juice, at least 1 pint of milk and 1 quart of water. This may be gotten in ways besides drinking tablespoonsfull of vitamins of meat or nuts or dried fruits and fats, sweets, and cereals to the above. At least 1/2 cup of butter and milk, least amount needed an individual to furnish and minerals to nourish and build.

CANDIDATES TO AT PLASKA APRIL

There will be speaking at the Plaska auditorium Thursday it has been announced. All candidates attend.

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How Childress Women Enjoyed Winter Comfort with Automatic Gas Heat


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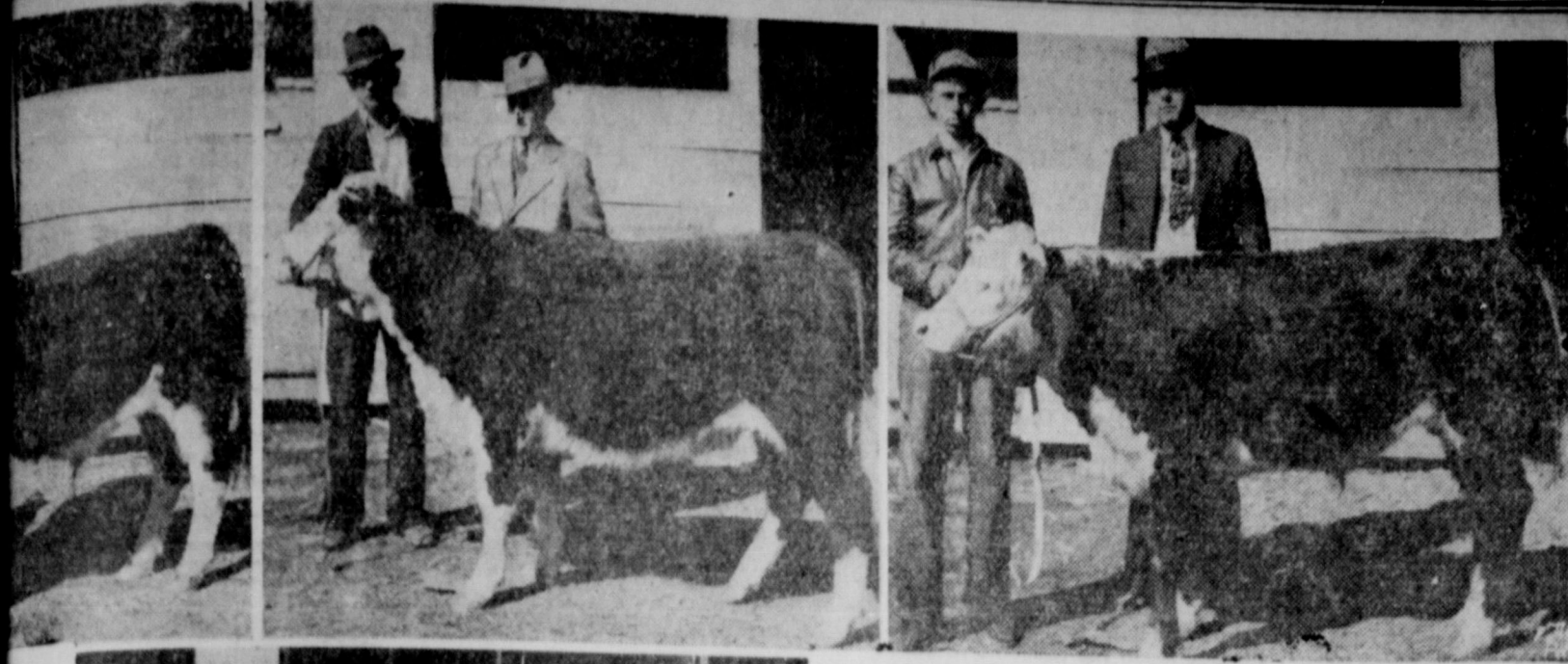
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Green Vegetables Check Spring

Using green vegetables is one of the best ways of preventing "Spring" ailments. Now is the time to begin to change your diet. According to Mrs. J. M. Home Management, the Farm Security Administration, too many sweets and one a low resistance. Remember one should eat 3 servings of vegetables or green in color, 1 other; 2 servings of fruit juice, at least 1 pint of milk and 1 quart for this may be gotten in ways besides drinking table-spoonsfull of vitamins of meat or nuts or dried peas, at least one serving of and fats, sweets, and as flower and cereals at the above. At least 1/2 cup of cream butter and milk, at least amount need an individual to be nourished and healthy.

CANDIDATES TO SPEAK AT PLASKA APRIL

There will be speaking at the Plaskatorium Thursday it has been announced. All candidates attend.



Champions at Recent Fat Stock Show

Many good looking calves were exhibited by Memphis Esteline and Lakeview FFA boys at the first annual Hall County Fat Stock Show held here March 5. Roger Ellerd (upper left) of Memphis showed the grand champion steer of the show. The animal weighed 730 pounds and was bought in the auction by Hal Goodnight, Piggly Wiggly manager, shown in the picture, for \$150. Ted George (left in center picture) showed the grand champion heifer. The heifer weighed 815 pounds and brought \$100 from A. Powell of the Childress Cotton Oil Company, shown with the boy feeder, Winefred Rapp (holding calf in right hand picture) exhibited the reserve champion of the show. The animal weighed 815 pounds and sold at \$145 to Roy Coleman of Farmers Union Supply Company, shown at right in the picture. Lower picture shows, left to right: A. T. Parker and his second prize heifer; Winefred Rapp and his reserve champion; D. Stillwell and his second prize heavyweight steer; and Clifton Burnett.



AGED RELATIVE OF DR. BALLEW DIES IN GEORGIA

Dr. J. M. Ballew received word Monday of the death of his brother-in-law, Rev. N. E. McBrayer of Symrna, Ga., at the age of 80 years. He had been a Methodist preacher for 60 years. Funeral services for the aged Georgian were held Tuesday.

Goree Pastor In Lakeview Revival

Rev. Berry Baker, pastor of the Goree Methodist Church, is in the midst of a revival meeting in the Lakeview Methodist Church, of which Rev. C. W. Young is pastor. Much interest is manifest in the services with visitors from Plaska, Eli, and Memphis in attendance. The Hillhouse Sisters Quartet of Plaska sang at the Wednesday night service.

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New York Mayor On WTCC Program

WICHITA FALLS, March 16.—Mayor Fiorello H. LaGuardia, of New York City, scheduled to be a principal speaker before the twentieth annual West Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention, in Wichita Falls, on April 25, 26, and 27, will address the general assembly on Tuesday afternoon, April 26, J. S. Bridwell, convention program chairman, announced today.

Mayor LaGuardia, chief executive of America's No. 1 city, is one of the most colorful figures in "public life in our country today, and his address before the WTCC Convention here in Wichita Falls will be one of the most popular drawing cards on the three-days programs, and should attract national attention," Mr. Bridwell said.

LaGuardia, who scored a smashing victory in New York's mayoralty election contest last fall, in a successful campaign for reelection, was invited to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention by Dr. O. B. Kiel, Wichita Falls physician who saw two years of World War service with Mayor LaGuardia, in Italy.

"Mayor LaGuardia is easy to meet, and easy to know. He can talk to the President, or the man cleaning the streets," Dr. Kiel said.

Born in New York, of Italian parents, LaGuardia has served in the American Consular Service, in the National House of Representatives, and was president of the New York Board of Aldermen. The Wichita Falls speaking date will mark his first visit to Texas.

PIE SUPPER TO BE GIVEN AT LAKEVIEW

A pie supper will be held in the school auditorium at Lakeview Tuesday evening, March 22, at 7:30 o'clock, sponsored by the senior class, who will present a program.

Everybody is invited to attend. Candidates are especially invited.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of expressing our very great appreciation to our neighbors and friends for the kindness and help given us in the loss of our home on last Sunday morning. Your gifts are all greatly appreciated, but most of all, your true friendship means so much.

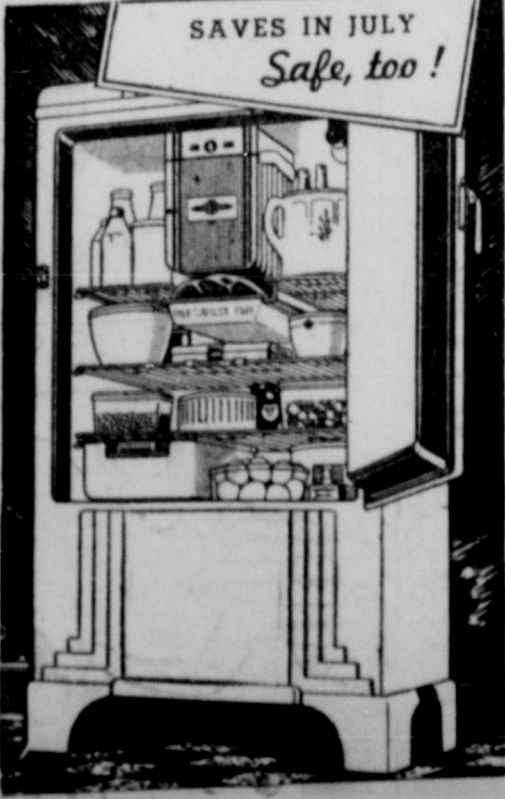
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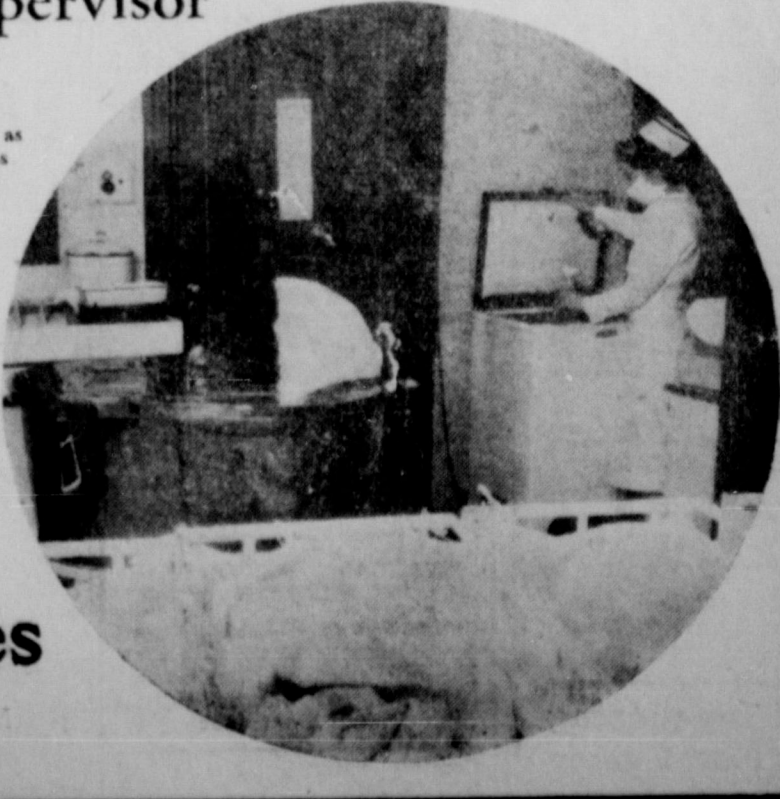


Economy in operation and safety from food spoilage are as important in your home as in any hospital! Therefore, it seems amazingly significant that most all hospitals, including Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene (see photos), depend largely on Electric Refrigeration for these two necessary performances. Miss Vera Smith, obstetrics supervisor, says: "We now have eight Frigidaires in use, one of which is in the maternity ward. I know of no better method than electric refrigeration as a means of providing one of many safeguards for the health of these babies." So when buying a refrigerator, please bear in mind that responsible persons, qualified to exert expert choice, everywhere are choosing Electric Refrigeration. Especially is this true in West Texas, where torrid summer heat makes it impossible for other types to maintain 40- to 45-degree temperatures—necessary for complete food protection. Electric service for refrigeration costs as little as 2 1/2 cents a day!

West Texas Utilities Company

IN THE PICTURES

Smiling peacefully are these youngsters, undisturbed by the electric refrigerator which protects their liquids. One yawns, another blinks big, blue eyes as Nurse Vera Smith makes a routine inspection. Below: Miss Smith stands at the Frigidaire, whose silent operation is essential; in foreground beyond the baby cribs is the hospital's new "incubator."



Reserve District No. 11

CONDITION OF THE NATIONAL BANK

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All made by comptroller of the currency, (11, U. S. Revised Statutes)

ASSETS	
Capital paid up	\$486,433.79
Surplus	207.04
Liabilities, direct and	35,300.00
Securities	83,085.47
Furniture and fixtures,	38,000.00
Banking house	22,006.00
Real estate	106,420.03
Loans, and cash items in	101,551.32
Collection	895.98
LIABILITIES	\$873,899.63
Deposits, partnerships,	573,327.67
Partnerships, and	53,706.26
Other deposits	116,755.87
Outstanding certified and	10,266.88
Notes	\$ 18,695.91
Other	735,360.77
Other	754,056.68
1920 shares, convertible at	\$74,000.00
Other	25,000.00
Other	8,342.95
Other	11,500.00
Other	1,000.00
ACCOUNT	119,842.95
RESERVE	\$873,899.63
Deposits and Investments Pledged to	3,000.00
Other Liabilities	15,695.91
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of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above is true to the best of my knowledge

T. H. DEEVER, Cashier.

before me this 15th day of March,

E. M. JOHNSTON, Notary Public.

W. O. V. Alexander, Directors.

Society

Mrs. C. Gerlach Hostess For Truth Seekers Class

Mrs. C. Gerlach, 1415 West Bradford, was hostess to the Truth Seekers Sunday School Class of the Methodist Church Wednesday afternoon when the entire time was devoted to quilting. When completed the quilt will be given to a needy family.

During the social hour the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Wm. Gerlach, served refreshments to Mrs. S. E. Thomason, Mrs. A. C. Hoffmann, Mrs. Wilber Jones, Mrs. Sam Brown, Mrs. Claud Prather, Mrs. W. E. Johnson, Mrs. F. M. Gwinn, Mrs. E. S. West, Mrs. H. L. Selby, Mrs. Ella Johnson, Mrs. W. A. Thompson, and Mrs. Ike Thomason.

Plant Exchange Information

It is time now to separate and reset all ornamental grasses and bulbous plants, i. e. lilies, cannas, dahlias, etc. This should be done by carefully removing the top dirt and spading at safe distance around bulbs so they can be lifted in bunches as they have grown and then with a sharp knife separate the bulbs, being careful to reset in their natural growing position.

Dahlias should be 3 or 4 feet apart, at least partially protected from sun and wind and set about 5 or 6 inches deep. Ground should be spaded deep with liberal mixture of sand and fertilizer and a handful of wood ashes should be worked into soil where bulb is to be placed. They do not need watering so often but when they are watered they should be thoroughly soaked, then ground around them kept loosened so it will not bake.

A number of canna and tiger lily bulbs can be had by calling the committee.

Mrs. D. A. Grundy and Mrs. Lloyd Phillips returned home from Belton last Thursday where they attended a state board meeting of the Baptist W. M. U.

Mrs. W. J. Franks, who has been very ill with the flu for more than a week, is reported improving.

Methodist Circle 2 Has Meeting At Byars Home

Circle No. 2 of the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Byars, 519 North Twelfth street, with Mrs. C. F. Srygley and Mrs. Lee Wattenbarger co-hostesses.

Mrs. Edwin Hutcherson, the president, presided over the business session, after which the leader, Mrs. R. F. Devin, presented the following Spiritual Life Cultivation program. Frankie Barnes gave the devotional on the subject, "Was Jesus' Formula for Christian Social Relation. Her scripture reading was from the second chapter of Mark. A playlet, "What Our Missionary Society is Doing" was enacted by Mrs. Hutcherson and Mrs. Cowan; "What Other Communities are Doing" was presented by Mrs. Rabb Harrison, Mrs. J. C. Gay, and Mrs. Agnes Huckaby. The program closed with prayer.

The hostesses served a lovely refreshment plate carrying out the St. Patrick Day motif, with Shamrocks as favors, to Mrs. W. C. Dickey, Mrs. Hal Goodnight, Mrs. Rabb Harrison, Mrs. R. C. Lemons, Mrs. Leon Bullard, Mrs. Sam Cowan, Mrs. J. C. Gay, Mrs. Gordon West, Mrs. Mac Tarver, Mrs. Edwin Hutcherson, Mrs. R. F. Devin, Mrs. Hill, Miss Frankie Barnes, and Mrs. Angus Huckaby.

Thursday Night Bridge Club Meets At Johnsey Home

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Johnsey entertained members of the Thursday Night Bridge Club at their home on West Noel street Thursday evening.

The St. Patrick colors of green and white were carried out in the game appointments and refreshments that were served.

At the close of the games Mrs. Hugh Crawford and E. E. Cudd received high score awards.

An attractive refreshment plate was served to Mr. and Mrs. George Greenhaw, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Z. A. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Goodnight, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Morgensen, E. E. Cudd, Mrs. L. L. Doss, and Miss Thelma Shankle.

Home Economics Classes Give Dinner

The Memphis High School Home Economics food classes gave a dinner Wednesday evening for members of the school board, the superintendent, the high school principal, and their wives.

A three course dinner was served at 7 o'clock in the home economics dining room at the high school. The table appointments and room decorations were in green and white in keeping with St. Patrick's Day.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Roy R. Fultz, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Potts, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Gore, E. E. Cudd, H. D. Delaney, and Miss Rachel Deahl, the class sponsor.

Mrs. J. A. Odom and Mrs. A. W. Howard were two Memphis women who rode on the Mother-in-law float in the parade in Amarillo last Wednesday. Mrs. Odom was guest of her daughter Mrs. Nay Hale during her stay in Amarillo from Tuesday until Friday.

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"LADY BEHAVE"
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Thrills! Action! Suspense!
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Coming "Mama Runs Wild"



Richard Godeke, brilliant cornet soloist, who appears here with the Texas Technological college band. Godeke combines fine musical feeling with sound technique in rendition of "Inflamatus" from Rossini's "Stabat Mater" which he plays.

Plaska Needle Club Elects Officers And Has Social

Mrs. Jerry Foster was hostess for the Plaska Needle Club Thursday afternoon, March 10, for their quarterly social and business session.

During the business session five new members, Miss Nina Province, Mrs. Hazel Oliver, Mrs. Edith Dunn, Mrs. J. T. Martin, and Mrs. Ruby Murdock were added to the club roster.

Officers elected to serve for the next three months are as follows: Mrs. Hazel Oliver, president; Mrs. Hubert Hall, vice president; Mrs. Ruby Murdock, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. Dutch Davis, assistant secretary.

After the business session games furnished entertainment after which each member received and admired a beautiful Polly Anna.

A lovely plate lunch was served to Mrs. L. A. Bray, Mrs. W. L. Crawford, Mrs. W. T. Davis, Mrs. Earnest Foster, Mrs. Doyle Hall, Mrs. Harold Hodges, Mrs. C. W. Jones, Mrs. T. L. McWhorter, Mrs. E. T. Montgomery, Mrs. W. L. Nabors, Mrs. John Smith, Mrs. Floyd Davis, Mrs. Hubert Hall, Mrs. J. L. White, Mrs. A. S. Harwell, Mrs. Ruby Murdock, Mrs. Hazel Oliver, Mrs. Sallie Smith, and Mrs. Bolls.

Senior High PTA To Have Health and Safety Program

The Senior High P. T. A. will meet Thursday, March 24, at 3:30 o'clock at the High School auditorium.

A program has been planned that all will enjoy who are interested in health and safety of our youth. Rev. E. C. Cargill will give the devotional using as his theme, "The Right of Way." Dr. J. A. Odom will give a talk on Health. A safety skit entitled, "Every Day the Papers Say," which will be directed by Miss Annabelle Perkins.

During the business session election of officers will be held.

Mrs. D. M. Wiggins of El Paso arrived in Memphis Saturday for a week's visit with her brothers, D. L. C. and A. A. Kinard. In company with Mrs. A. A. Kinard and son Donald Ray she went to Goodnight Wednesday and spent the day with her mother, Mrs. A. J. Kinard.

Jim Franks took his father, W. J. Franks, to Amarillo Tuesday for medical treatment.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this method of thanking our many friends and expressing our deepest appreciation for their kindness and beautiful floral offerings in our hours of need and sadness. May God's blessings be upon each of you.

Mrs. S. D. Churchman, Mona and Glenn Churchman, O. A. Churchman and Family, Mr. and Mrs. Z. L. Salmon and Family, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Rampy and Family.

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WAGG 10-YEAR Battery and Breeze Electric 1250-watt Super-Charger make the cheapest source of light and power plants known for the farm home. For any kind of 32-volt appliances, write J. J. (Jeff) Steele, Silverton, Texas. Farm Light and Power Plants and equipment. 36-4c

FOR SALE—Cottonseed, second year Lankart, \$1 per bushel at barn. Benson Bros., Brice, Texas. 36-4p

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FOR SALE—1936 Frigidaire, size 5. See Grace Gowdy, Sixth and Harrison. 37-3p

FOR SALE—If in need of some good, cheap work stock, either horses, mares, or mules, I have them. Located adjoining the city limits of Childress. Also, good assortment used implements. Address T. J. Jarrell, Childress, Texas. 37-4c

FOR SALE—Two used living room suites; 3-piece suite \$15, 2-piece suite \$25; both in good condition. G. G. Perkins & Son. 1c

FOR SALE—18 Buff Minorca laying hens. C. H. Hagemeier, 120 West Bradley street. 38-2p

BABY CHICKS—Brown Leghorns, Buff Leghorns, Anconas, Langshans, Giants, Game, Orpingtons, Red Rocks, Wyandottes; bloodstock; immediate delivery. Clarendon Hatchery, Clarendon, Texas. 38-12p

Wanted

WANTED—Can use one good man; must be hard worker, neat appearing and free to travel. See F. Preston at Camp Alhambra. Call between 7 and 9 p. m. Thursday and Friday. 1p

WANTED—To trade furniture for a good milk cow. G. G. Perkins & Son. 1c

Memphis Mattress Factory We will renovate your mattress and furnish new tick for \$2.00, best of tick \$3.00. 45 pound staple mattress for \$5. W. H. Hawthorn, 300 North Fifth. 33-1fc

T. J. COCHRAN is buying hogs in Memphis on the California market each Thursday, paying highest prices possible. 39-4p

WANTED—Local industrious married man with car, permanent employment. Opportunity. References required. Box X, Democrat Office. 38-3c

Lost and Found

LOST—Black folding chair between 15th and King's. Return to King Furniture. 1c

LOST—Boston screw tail pup. Reward for return to Mrs. Homer Eurlison. 1c

Miscellaneous

CUSTOM FEED GRINDING—At your own barn. Write or see C. Foreman, Rt. 2, Memphis. 38-6p

Legal Notice

ELECTION ORDER
It is hereby ordered that an election be held in the City of Memphis, Texas, on the first Tuesday in April, A. D. 1932, same being the 5th day of said month, for the purpose of the election of the following officers:
One Alderman for Ward No. 1, to serve for a term of two years;
One Alderman for Ward No. 2, to serve for a term of two years;
One Alderman for Ward No. 3, to serve for a term of two years;
One Alderman for Ward No. 4, to serve for a term of two years.
Said election shall be held in the following places, to-wit:
For Ward No. 1, In the Tax Collector's Office in the S. E. Corner of the City Hall.
For Ward No. 2, In the Municipal Court Room in the South part of the City Hall, on the second floor of said City Hall.
For Ward No. 3, In the office of the Chief of Police in the City Hall.
For Ward No. 4, In the City Secretary's Office in the City Hall.
The following persons are hereby named as Election Judges to hold said elections:
For Ward No. 1, J. D. Shankle;
For Ward No. 2, M. C. Ward;
For Ward No. 3, H. A. McCasne;
For Ward No. 4, Jess Rosenwasser.
Said election shall be governed by the provisions of and the manner of holding the same shall be governed by the laws of the State of Texas regulating general elections.
The Mayor shall cause due and legal notice to be given in a local newspaper as required by law.
Passed and approved by the City Council of the City of Memphis, Texas, this 1st day of March, A. D. 1932.
J. C. WELLS, Mayor, City of Memphis, Texas.
ATTEST:
D. C. KINARD, Secretary, City of Memphis, Texas. 37-4c

Banjo Artist



A feature of the concert by the Texas Technological college band is banjo music by Archie Montgomery, versatile Tech musician, who is pictured above. Montgomery plays selections of his own creation, and other numbers.



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JUDGE GOODPASTURE ATTENDS NATURAL RESOURCES MEETING

Judge M. O. Goodpasture went to Dallas Tuesday night to attend the Institute of Natural Resources. The institute is being held for one week for the purpose of finding resources in each community that may be utilized in creating more jobs to take up much of the unemployment slack.

One thing Judge Goodpasture will present to the institute is a glass sand near Memphis that is 96 per cent pure silt, and the analysis shows it fine for glass making.

Mrs. J. A. Whaley was a visitor in Amarillo Monday.

Dr. and daughter visited Mrs. E. R. Hudgens

Dr. and daughter visited Mrs. E. R. Hudgens, mother, Mrs. E. R. Hudgens.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Terrell visited Mrs. E. R. Hudgens

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Walter N. M. arrived in Memphis

Walter N. M. arrived in Memphis, ready for his daughter and family.

Next Monday, March 21, marks the Spring!

Will you feel your best complexion take on a healthy glow?

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