

# The Memphis Democrat

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THIS WEEK

MEMPHIS, HALL COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JULY 15, 1938 FIVE CENTS NUMBER 4

## Home Paper VOICE OF THE RD RIVER VALLEY

### CCC Camp Held Wed

### Church Held Wed

### System of Company to Reunion

### Wages for WPA Workers to Be Increased Soon

### Democrat's Election Party Will Be Held On West Main Street

### Hall County Old Settlers Reunion Plans Are Made

### School Transfers Must Be Made by First of August

### PLANS MADE FOR FIREMEN'S MEET HERE IN AUGUST

### Panhandle Group To Hold Annual Session in August

### Joe Findley Speaks To Rotary Club at Meeting Tuesday

### Firemen Name New Officers at Meet Held Here Tuesday

### Morgensen Heads Department And Ben Fred McCreary Is Named As Company Mascot

### FFA To Send Boys To State Meet at El Paso Next Week

### Coy Yarbrough and George Eller Will Represent The Memphis High School FFA

### Child Thought to Be Abandoned Here

### Moss Speaks Before CCC Men at Forum

### Hall County Delegates Go To Tulia For Meeting of Highway Association

### Memphis Voters To Hear Last Minute Pleas of Candidates Before Election

### High School Band To Play at Jubilee

### Memphis Plans Are Discussed by Board

### Three-City Golfers Will Play at Pampa

### Reunion Boosters To Make Good-will Trips

### FALONS OF LAW GET Buried Alive in Jail

### FAKE ADVERTISING MEN Buried Alive in Jail

### Large Crowd at Station Fail to Get Glimpse of Beloved President

### President Passes Through Memphis On Special Train

### Memphis Democrat and Found

### Notice

Measuring Hall County cotton lands for compliance with the 1938 governmental cotton program began last week, according to F. R. Curtis, assistant county farm agent, who stated that twenty-three supervisors are in the field this week making investigations and measuring cotton fields. Air photos of Hall County will be used in making this survey as well as regular land measures, according to Mr. Curtis, who hopes that the work of surveying the county will be finished by August 15.

Mr. Curtis explained that the field supervisors would take measurements of the cotton fields on various farms, bringing back their information to the county agent's office and transferring the boundary lines and acreages found to the air photos. A planimeter would be applied to the fields and the reports of the field workers checked for accuracy. The photos of Hall County's farming districts were made last summer by the Edgar Tobin Air Surveys of San Antonio from a height of approximately 15,000 feet thus placing the finished photo on a scale of 1 inch to 660 feet.

The purpose of this survey is to determine accurately the amount of Hall County land that is planned in cotton over that which was allowed for by the 1938 cotton program. According to Mr. Curtis a penalty of 5c per pound, or approximately \$25 per bale would be assessed against those who were not in compliance with the program, or had planted cotton over the allowable for their land.

Hon. A. S. Moss, district judge of the 100th judicial district, was the principal speaker at the open forum held Tuesday afternoon at the Veterans CCC Camp here Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Judge Moss delivered an interesting address on constitutional government and explained to the veterans assembled on the lawn in front of the recreational building the workings of the constitution in relation to the government.

This series of open forum meetings was planned by R. H. Williams, educational director of the CCC Camp here and speakers for such occasions are arranged by J. Claude Wells, mayor of Memphis. At last week's meeting Judge M. O. Goodpasture spoke to the members of the camp.

These open forums held each Tuesday at the CCC camp are a regular part of the educational work

extending to the state line at Farwell. Highway 86 passes through Hall, Briscoe, Swisher, Castro and Parmer counties and when finished will be an all-weather highway across the Panhandle, east and west.

The Highway 86 Association has been meeting once a month for the past three years, according to Judge Goodpasture, and at these meetings reports are being made on the progress of the highway in the different sections of the country it serves. In commenting on the spirit of co-operation that has helped build this road Judge Goodpasture stated that it was truly a road for the people, and that has come into being by rural counties working together to secure an all-weather east and west outlet across the Panhandle. The efforts of the association have kept the project alive and have made the progress as rapid as it has been, stated the Judge.

When the highway is finished it will be an all-weather, surfaced, according to Judge Goodpasture, but a part of it will be concrete and a part asphalt, depending on the base in each particular locality. The Hall County portion of the highway has been finished for some time and is made up of asphalt and concrete surfacings.

At the Tulia meeting Tuesday a barbecue was served to the representatives from the five counties at the meeting. The next meeting has been set for August 9, according to Judge Goodpasture, and will be held in Diamond

The Democrat is making plans for its usual election party to be held in front of The Democrat building Saturday night, July 23. Results of the voting in the Democratic primary will be placed on the election board as soon as the news is received by The Democrat from all parts of Hall County and this district. The Democrat will give complete and accurate information concerning the votes in Memphis and Hall County and this district and will give as near complete details as possible in the state campaigns.

The Democrat's tabulated election board will be placed in front of The Democrat building and the office force will keep the tabulations up to the minute. For accurate election returns, come to The Democrat's election party.

At the Monday night meeting of the Memphis Volunteer Fire Department, D. L. Morgensen, chairman of the city council committee for the fire department, was named as the new president, succeeding G. L. Watson, who has served during the past year as both committee chairman and president of the department. Other officers named for the fire company include John Dennis, vice president; J. H. Read, treasurer; R. A. Massey, chief; Ellis Veto, first assistant chief; J. E. Har- Coursey, secretary. Ben Fred McCreary was named as the company's mascot. Dr. O. R. Goodall was selected as the company's surgeon.

During the meeting, Chief Massey, who presided, brought out plans for the coming Panhandle Volunteer Firemen's Convention, to be held here in August, and various contests and entertainments were discussed for this coming event by the 12 members of the department present at the meeting.

As a result of the voting of the body, J. D. Sims, W. B. McCreary, Harry Boswell, and Jim Hensley, who have been serving a thirty-day probation with the department, were brought into the company as regular members. John Holcomb was named as a prospective member and was placed on probation for a thirty-day test period.

Lloyd Ward, member of the Memphis department, was selected by the body to attend the State Firemen's Short Course held at A. & M. College at College Station next week. Mr. Ward will leave Memphis Sunday to attend the school which opens July 18 and continues through July 22. The school will have 600 enrollees representing 400 Texas towns, according to W. V. Coursey, department secretary. Memphis will receive credit because of this representative from the Memphis department attending the school and taking one of the courses offered there, stated Mr. Coursey.

The Memphis fire department is made up of 17 members, five of whom are residents of the fire hall in the City Hall building. The city council committee in charge of the fire department includes D. L. Morgensen, chairman; Barney Wattenbarger, and G. L. Watson.

The man who appeared in Memphis some two weeks ago and promoted a scheme in which he was buried alive as an advertising project, has been buried alive again—this time in the Wilbarger County jail at Vernon, after having been arrested in Electra and charged with theft under false pretext, it was learned here this week.

The man and his so-called advertising manager were fined \$50 and costs in connection with collecting money for alleged advertising from business people of Vernon.

While in Memphis two weeks or more ago the two "advertising men" without the chamber of commerce's okay collected money from Memphis merchants and went so far as to dig the grave and bury the "living corpse." However, during the night the "body" was disinterred and the two left town quietly.

The arrest of these men also disclosed that they had been operating in other portions of the Panhandle and in west Texas, having agreed to stage one of their burying exhibitions at Childress recently.

Plans are going forward rapidly for the Old Settler's Reunion to be held here July 27, according to the committee in charge of the arrangements for the day. Many interesting events have been planned for the occasion and a large crowd from all over Hall County and this part of the Panhandle are expected to be in attendance on the occasion.

Plans have been announced for the construction of a large tabernacle on the east side of the Memphis square. Under this tabernacle a program will be held throughout the day and a barbecue will be served at noon to the old settlers. Bees donated by citizens of the county, will be barbecued by the chefs of the Veterans CCC Camp here, and the facilities of the CCC Camp kitchen will be used in preparing not only the barbecue but the other food which will be served at Library Park as heretofore.

It was voted by the Hall County Old Settler's Association at the 1936 reunion to make 1911 the limit for membership. Any one coming to Hall County or to the Panhandle after 1911 is not eligible for membership or to register for the coming reunion. One must have a ticket, given by the registering officials, to partake of the barbecue.

Senator Tom Connally, United States Senator; Hon. Marvin Jones, representative from the 18th congressional district; and Col. R. P. Smith, of Plainview, long time resident of the West, (Continued on page 7)

Mr. Findley, in his talk before the organization, pointed out three ways in which a man could lose something of himself in entering a business or profession, including the inability to see the other person's viewpoint, a foggy or indefinite manner of receiving compensation and making himself a set pattern by which other men might know him.

The meeting was presided over by Carl Periman, president, and the speaker was introduced by Dr. J. A. Odum.

In making the announcements for the next meeting of the Rotary, Mr. Periman stated that Dr. Roy E. Barr of Childress would speak to the club on the proposed water conservation and flood control project for the Upper Red River valley.

A three-city golf match has been scheduled to be played next Sunday afternoon at the Pampa Country Club, it was announced.

Memphis golfers will join those from Clarendon's Hillcroft Country Club to play against the Pampa team.

About 20 from here will participate in the match, it was stated.

Memphis voters will hear the candidates for county and district offices Friday night, July 22, when they speak here on the Hall County Courthouse lawn. At this time the various aspirants for office will present their claims to the voters of Memphis, subject to the Democratic primary July 23. The speaking here will end a series of candidates' rallies held over the county, those seeking office having spoken at Esteline, Lesley, Turkey and other points in the county during the past month.

The second Democratic primary will be held August 27, at which time nominations for the Democratic party will be made.

According to J. E. King, chairman of the Hall County Democratic Executive Committee, the committee will convene in the county court room, Saturday, July 30, following the July 23 primary, to canvass returns, and transact such business that might arise out of the first primary. A primary committee consisting of O. B. Jones, and Allen Dunbar of Memphis; Tom Dennis, Plasko, W. B. Stargel, Eli; and Bill Holland, Esteline; were in charge of having the ballots printed and distributed and the various balloting boxes in their proper places on election day. Mr. King served with this committee as an ex-officio member by virtue of the position he holds as the chairman of the Hall County executive committee.

County Superintendent Vera Tops Gilreath stated this week that all parents who wished to transfer their children to another school district for the coming term must have their applications of transfer in her office by August 1.

This includes both high school and grammar school students, it was pointed out.

Plans are being made by the Memphis Volunteer Fire Department to be host to the Panhandle Firemen's Association August 15-16, according to W. V. Coursey, secretary of the department. The Panhandle association takes in approximately 70 counties in West Texas and the Panhandle country and Mr. Coursey states that 65 or 70 towns have been invited to participate in the two day convention. Delegations from the principal towns and cities in West Texas, that have membership in the Panhandle association, are expected to be in Memphis for the annual convention.

Tommy Wood, J. E. Harper and Cecil Grimes, with Mr. Coursey as an ex-officio member, make up the committee in charge of the program for the convention. This committee will make definite announcements in regard to its plans for this convention at a later date.

Mr. Coursey states that he has extended an invitation to Frank Williams, traveling representative of the Fireman's Short Course held annually at A. & M. College, to be present at the meeting and to appear on the program.

Delegations as far away as Sanger, Lamesa and Dalhart are expected to attend this convention in August.

Franklin D. Roosevelt, President of the United States, passed through Memphis Monday afternoon at 4:30 over the lines of the FW&C railway en route to Amarillo where he spoke Monday night. The President's Special, which was pulled by two new Burlington engines, was made up of nine coaches, and passed through Memphis at a moderate rate of speed, running around forty miles an hour.

The President did not make an appearance on the rear platform of the train as it passed the crowds that assembled at the depot to catch a glimpse of the Chief Executive. However, Marvin Jones, of Amarillo, Congressman from this district, waved a friendly greeting to Memphians as the train passed the station.

Boosters for the Old Settler's Reunion to be held here July 27, will make a tour of the surrounding towns, Thursday and Friday, July 21-22, according to Carroll Smyers, secretary-manager of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Smyers announces that a large number of Memphis citizens are expected to make the trip.

The two booster trips will include stops at towns throughout Hall County, including Esteline, Parnell, Turkey, Brice, Lesley, Lakeview, Eli and Plasko. The Boosters will also visit Giles, Hedley, Lelia Lake, Clarendon, Quail, Wellington, Dodson, Childress, Carey, and Newlin.

The High School band will accompany the group on the two trips.

Mr. Smyers urges that everyone that possibly can, join the cavalcade and help advertise the Old Settler's Reunion. Those who wish to go with the Memphis boosters are asked to call Mr. Smyers' office and make arrangements to be a part of the booster cavalcade.

ON VACATION TRIP  
Mr. and Mrs. Oren Jones left Thursday morning on a two-week vacation trip to be spent at Steamboat Springs, Colo.

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FFA To Send Boys  
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Isador Martin returned Saturday to his home here from Huntington where he has been employed for the past six weeks.

Byron Powell left Monday for his home in Redding, Calif., after spending ten days here with his father, A. G. Powell. He came on account of the illness and death of his mother, Mrs. A. G. Powell. He went by Midland and Goldsmith to visit his brothers Herbert and Will Powell en route.

Mrs. J. C. Flint and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Cynthia Flint of Childress, visited the former's daughter, Mrs. John Mosley and family here Sunday. They were en route from a visit with relatives in Canadian and Amarillo.

Homer Malkey of Clarendon was in Memphis Thursday of last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Denny of Childress visited here Sunday with his mother, Mrs. E. F. Denny.

# PERSONALS

Roy Guthrie spent the weekend in Lubbock with his family. He was accompanied by G. M. Bass who visited his son John Bass and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Whaley and daughter Mary Frances, Mrs. T. E. Whaley and daughter Ruth went to Bowie Saturday and spent Sunday visiting with Mrs. T. E. Whaley's sister, Mrs. E. P. Barry.

Mrs. A. P. Bralley of Greenville came Sunday for a visit of several weeks with her mother, Mrs. Alla Borewell.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Webster went to Littlefield Thursday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Scott Webster, returning Friday. Their grandchildren, Billy Scott and Jo Ann, came home with them for a three-week visit. Mrs. C. W. Broome went with them and spent the time visiting with her son George Broome and family at Anton.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Kittinger left Memphis Saturday for their home in Austin after a ten-day visit here with relatives and friends. They stopped in Childress and spent until Monday with her sister, Mrs. Henry Baker and family.

Jack Callahan has gone to Chicago where he is attending a radio school.

Mrs. Chas. Whately returned to her home in Amarillo Saturday after a visit in Memphis with friends. She was a house guest of Mrs. J. C. Lamb during her visit.

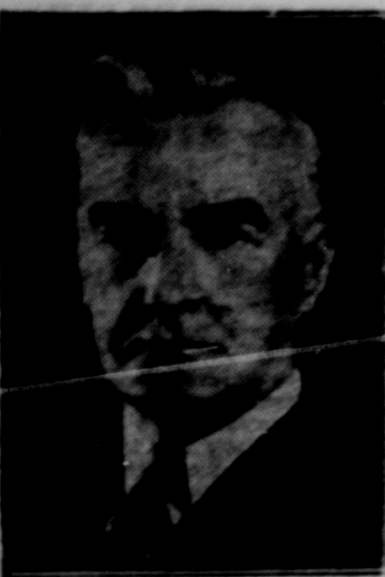
Mr. and Mrs. Reginal Greenhaw of Lefors spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Greenhaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Massey and children, Roy Alvin and Margaret Ann, and his mother, Mrs. Pearl Massey, visited with relatives in Denton last week.

Miss Berniece Webster is in Dalhart for an extended visit with her aunt, Mrs. J. L. Brackeen.

Mrs. W. L. Wheat returned Sunday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Glenn Q. Street, in Graham.

Mrs. N. W. Durham spent Sunday in Clarendon with her mother Mrs. Jennie Cauthen.



**M. J. R. JACKSON**  
Candidate for Nomination  
to the Office of  
**CHIEF JUSTICE**  
Of the  
**Court of Civil Appeals**  
Amarillo, Texas  
In the Democratic Primary  
July 23, 1938

## Young People To Attend Meeting At Ceta Glen

Rev. Cargill Will Go With Group To Annual Ceta Glen Conference

Rev. E. C. Cargill announces that a group of the intermediate boys and girls of the Memphis Presbyterian Church will go to the Panhandle Presbyterian Pioneer Conference that is to be held at Ceta Glen, between Canyon and Tulsa, July 18 through July 22. The Rev. Mr. Cargill will accompany the group from the intermediate department of his church to the conference.

According to the Rev. Mr. Cargill, trained Christian adult leaders, a conference guide, boys' guide, girls' guide, a trained nurse, experienced teachers and many of the Presbyterian ministers from all portions of the Panhandle will attend the conference and be in charge of the young people in the study, play and recreation. The Rev. and Mrs. Al Dorsett of Canyon will have charge of the preparation of the food for the conference.

Those eligible to attend the conference are intermediate between the ages of 12 and 14. A limited number of accommodations for adults are available, according to Rev. Mr. Cargill, and application must be made for them to the Rev. C. N. Wylie of Canyon.

## HALL COUNTY LEAGUE BASEBALL

In Sunday's games, Parnell, who had risen to a tie for first place and had given promise of becoming league champion, was set back by a 4 to 3 loss to Salisbury. Memphis made a come-back after a temporary lull by blasting Cross Roads 8 to 2 and throwing that team to the bottom of the league. Cross Roads had beaten Memphis July 4 in an exhibition game at Clarendon.

Childress, who had been slightly favored to defeat Hedley, took a 3-0 loss, instead. The two teams are now tied for third place.

Standings:

Team	W	L	Pct.
Memphis	9	3	.750
Parnell	8	4	.667
Hedley	6	6	.500
Childress	6	6	.500
Salisbury	4	8	.333
Cross Roads	4	8	.333

Games which will be played next Sunday are: Memphis at Salisbury, Childress at Cross Roads, and Parnell at Hedley.

### SPEAKS FOR HUNTER

Judge W. B. Chauncey of Wichita Falls, prominent Texas lawyer, spoke in Memphis Tuesday afternoon in behalf of the candidacy of Tom F. Hunter for Governor of Texas. Judge Chauncey spoke Tuesday afternoon in Clarendon and Tuesday evening in Pampa.

## Rate Discussed Before Council

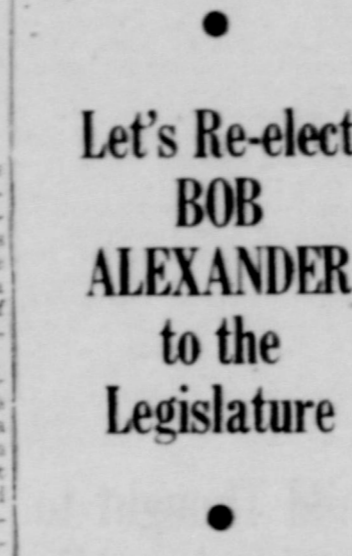
The reading of the findings from the gas rate hearing held recently in Wellington and the repeal of a previously passed gas rate ordinance came up before the City Council of Wellington in a meeting held Tuesday night of last week, according to the Wellington Leader.

The repeal of the original ordinance fixing the gas rate was made preparatory to passing a new ordinance. The gas rate in the proposed ordinance will be not more than 40 cents per thousand cubic feet for domestic consumption with a lower rate for commercial use, it was published.

The findings, based on the hearing of the City and the Utility Gas Corporation before the City Council, brought out that the council considered the present rate too high, and that natural gas was being sold at a price in excess of a reasonable return on the investment of the Corporation, above its cost of production, transportation and distribution to consumers in Wellington.

Under the present financial condition and unemployment among the citizens of Wellington, the price charge is working great hardships on the people, the council believes.

Although the ordinance lowering the rate will likely be passed at the next meeting of the council, it must be passed through three successive readings, and this, it was pointed out, will require the remainder of the month.



Let's Re-elect  
**BOB ALEXANDER**  
to the  
Legislature

Six years ago, the people of the 121st legislative district, composed of Childress, Hall and Cottle counties, elected Bob Alexander to the House of Representatives. He was and is the dirt farmer ever to be elected from this district, and is one of a very few actual farmers in the legislature. He now lives and works a farm four miles west of Childress on Route 2. We feel that active and vigorous interest in behalf of farm legislation, as well as all other matters affecting his district merits your continued support.

## COMMITTEE WORK

Everyone familiar with legislative procedure knows that the important and worthwhile work is done in the committee rooms. During his terms of office Mr. Alexander has held appointments from various Speakers of the House on the following committees: Agriculture, Livestock and Stock Raising, Revenue and Taxation, Constitutional Amendments, Conservation and Reclamation, Penitentiaries, and Municipal and Private Corporations. He has also been appointed to many important special committees at various times. He has been especially interested and active in soil conservation and flood control legislation. He introduced and passed the bill creating the Upper Red River Flood Control and Irrigation District, whose Board of Directors are now actively at work on the problem of securing Federal aid toward the building of an immense reservoir on Red River in the Capitan section immediately west of this district. He is the author and sponsor of the present gasoline law, which, in its first year of operation, increased the amount collected by the state from this source by over four million dollars through better collection methods set out by the bill which Mr. Alexander passed. He has been very active in the passage of much other worthwhile legislation. His untiring efforts in behalf of numerous road projects before the State Highway Commission have resulted in improvement of many state highways in Northwest Texas.


## SOCIAL WELFARE LEGISLATION

Bob Alexander has been friendly from the start to the enactment of a sane and sensible humanitarian social welfare program by the State in conformity with the federal laws on this subject. He expressed will of the people of Texas at the voting box. He has supported bills which would provide needed revenues for Old Age Assistance, Aid to the Needy Blind, Destitute Children, and for Retirement.

He is opposed to that portion of the present law regarding Old Age Assistance which requires the ability of children to support their aged parents shall be considered in passing upon their application. He voted to remove this section of the law at the last session of the Legislature. He believes that aid should be given to needy aged persons of the state, regardless of the financial circumstances of their children.

## IS LEADING CANDIDATE FOR SPEAKER

Many members of the House of Representatives of the 45th Legislature, recognizing the ability and fairness of Bob Alexander, have entered his name as a candidate for Speaker of the House of the Legislature. This movement has reached such proportions that leading newspapers, writers of the press familiar with matters of this kind, have freely admitted that Mr. Alexander is at this time the leading candidate for this important post. This is the first time in a generation that this section of West Texas has received such recognition, and we feel that his election as Speaker would reflect honor and credit on this section of Texas. The importance of the position of Speaker can hardly be over-emphasized, since it is he who appoints all committees and employees, and presides over the sessions of the House. Mr. Alexander has received written pledges of support from the following members of the present Legislature:



**OLSON SWEAT**  
Candidate for  
Hall County  
Superintendent

Young, ambitious, enthusiastic, experienced I am trained for the job since having graduated from Dague Business College of Wichita, Kansas, with a B. S. degree from West Texas State University, with a major in School Administration and Business Administration. A member of National scholarship society. If elected I will run schools in a very economical way and do the best in the state.

ELECT A SCHOOL MAN FOR A SCHOOL




Democrat Want Ads bring Quicker Results

Let's Re-elect  
**BOB ALEXANDER**  
to the  
Legislature

A West Farm Familiar West Texas Need

**W. E. JAMES**  
of Travis County  
Solicits Your Vote and Democratic Primaries  
STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION  
Vote for W. E. James is more than a political publicity  
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**ERNEST THOMPSON**  
A Leader—Not a Politician

**THE OUTSTANDING CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR**

Backed by a Sound Record of Public Service

WHAT THOMPSON STANDS FOR:

- Assistance to ALL needy aged.
- Lower utility rates.
- No new taxes.
- Economy in governmental spending.
- Higher prices for farm products.
- Long-range program of soil conservation.
- Encouragement of new industries to provide jobs.
- Payment of Social Security pledges.

His Record as Mayor of Amarillo and as Railroad Commissioner Proves That—  
**HE KEEPS HIS PROMISES!**

Elect **ERNEST THOMPSON**  
Your next GOVERNOR

(Political advertisement paid for by friends of Ernest Thompson)

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION of the FIRST STATE BANK at Memphis, State of Texas, at the close of business of the 30th day of June, 1938, published in the Memphis Democrat, a newspaper printed and published at Memphis, State of Texas, on the 15th day of July, 1938.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security	\$155,088.51
Loans secured by real estate	18,990.28
Overdrafts	1,122.76
Securities of U. S., any State or political subdivision thereof	3,759.49
Other bonds and stocks owned	1,503.57
Banking House	20,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	5,000.00
Real Estate owned, other than banking house	36,056.53
Cash and due from approved reserve agents	43,838.91
Commodity Credit Corporation Notes	54,132.48
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$339,608.11</b>
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$50,000.00
Income Debentures sold	\$50,000.00
Total Capital Structure	\$100,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	9,588.88
Reserve for Retirement of Preferred Stock	750.00
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check	1,333.28
Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days	225,904.54
Time Certificates of Deposit	1,000.00
Reserve for Contingencies	1,031.41
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$339,608.11</b>

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

F. E. LEARY, President.  
G. M. DUREN, Cashier.

CORRECT—ATTEST: H. W. Stringer, Sam Hamilton, T. J. Dunbar, Directors.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of July, A. D. 1938.  
MADGE POOLE,  
Notary Public, Hall County, Texas.

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REVIEW

S. J. H. BOREN

Mrs. H. H. Colly and Mrs. Mary Hugh return here after having spent six weeks in Paris.

Mrs. C. Goodin were Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Day.

Patton of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Vern at last week visiting in

Mrs. Parker Floyd of San, N. Mex., are visitors.

Montgomery, who has reported improved at

McMaster is ill at it is reported.

Reed, Mrs. A. G. Smith, Mrs. Garrett Stem, Mrs. Clara Hodge, Mrs. M. A. Wiley, Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Ted Montgomery, Mrs. John L. Burnett, Mrs. L. B. Robertson, Mrs. John Blanks, Mrs. Henry Moore, Patricia Montgomery, Oleta Favors, and the hostess, Mrs. Favors.

Miss Bobbie Nell Boren returned home Tuesday from Lubbock, where she has been visiting the past few days.

Ruth Canady is reported ill at this writing.

Col. E. O. Thompson of Amarillo made a short political address in Estelline Saturday afternoon at 2:45.

Miss Opal Holcomb of Amarillo spent Sunday here with her mother, Mrs. J. W. Wood.

Mrs. J. A. Edwards returned Saturday night from a weeks visit in Amarillo.

Mrs. J. D. Gilbert of Unice, N. M., arrived Thursday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Edwards.

Miss Mildred Young of Childress visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Young here Sunday.

Dennis Coker and Redell Irby of Turkey were Estelline visitors Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Carter and children were Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Prewitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Williams are the proud parents of a daughter, born July 7. The young lady has been named Anita Kay.

Nazarene Church Is To Have Revival

A series of revival services will begin Friday night, July 15, at the Church of the Nazarene, according to Rev. B. W. Taylor, pastor, who announces that Rev. C. E. Toney of Dallas will have charge of the preaching.

The meeting, according to the Rev. Mr. Taylor, will be made up of old-time religious sermons, good singing and good preaching.

Arrangements have been made for a large tent to be raised near the church under which the daily services will be held.

The Rev. Mr. Taylor and the visiting evangelist extends a cordial invitation to the public to attend these meetings.

LEAVE ON FISHING TRIP

T. E. Noel, D. L. C. Kinard, W. V. Coursey and Irvin Johnsey left Wednesday morning for a vacation and fishing trip to the Frying Pan River near Meredith, Colo. These Memphis businessmen will be gone for about two weeks, enjoying their annual summer vacations.

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Baptist Conference To Be Held at Eli

The Panhandle Association Workers Conference will be held with the Eli Baptist Church Tuesday, July 19, and the following program has been arranged for the meeting:

10:30 a. m., Song and devotional, Rev. Chas. Brister, Estelline.

10:50 a. m., "Every Member Evangelism," Rev. T. E. Caldwell, Hedley.

11:05 a. m., Special music, Lakeview ladies.

11:10 a. m., "The Brotherhood and Evangelism," Rev. Ray Brister, Lakeview.

11:25 a. m., Special music, Brother Horace Ensom, singer in Clarendon meeting.

11:30 a. m., Sermon, Dr. J. Howard Williams, Amarillo.

12:15 p. m., Dinner served by Eli ladies.

1:15 p. m., W. M. S. and Executive Board meetings.

2:00 p. m., Devotional, Mrs. D. A. Grundy, Memphis.

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THOMPSON IS SPEAKER HERE LAST SATURDAY

Panhandle Man Brings Race Into Home Territory

Ernest O. Thompson of Amarillo, member of the Texas railroad commission and candidate for Governor of Texas, brought his campaign into home territory last Saturday, speaking first at Childress at noon, then successively at Estelline, Memphis, Hedley, Clarendon, and Claude before his reception in Amarillo Saturday night.

When he spoke here on the east lawn of the court house at 3 o'clock, he was greeted by the largest crowd that has turned out to hear any gubernatorial candidate this year, with the exception of W. Lee O'Daniel.

Before presenting Col. Thompson, James E. King, chairman of the Plains state senatorial district Democratic executive committee, introduced Ross Rogers, mayor of Amarillo, and Gene Howe, "Old Tack" of the Amarillo Globe-News. These two made short talks in behalf of Col. Thompson, stressing the confidence citizens of his home city had in him.

Judge J. K. Brim of Sulphur Springs, who is accompanying the campaign party on its swing through the Panhandle, told of the wide-spread Thompson support in East Texas.

In outlining his platform, Col. Thompson emphasized a program of industrial expansion to bring more factories to Texas to utilize Texas products. He illustrated the fact that right now most of Texas' raw materials are being sent to other sections of the country to be processed on manufacturing, whereas, if the state only had more factories, the money spent in shipping the products and repurchasing the finished article from the out-of-state manufacturer could be kept at home.

The great amount of red tape used in paying the old age pension, he claimed, should be dispensed with. He favored paying pensions to the aged regardless of the financial status of their sons or daughters.

He stressed the need for further conservation of the natural resources of the state. A conservation program that will aid the farming industry just like the million people of Texas engaged in some phase of the oil industry have been aided.

And instead of adding extra tax burdens, he would reduce them, wherever possible, and would let out state employees who are unnecessary and burdensome in running the state government efficiently.

BETHEL

By MRS. DUDLEY ADAMS

Family Reunion

A family reunion was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Booth Monday of last week. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Jackson and daughter, Mrs. Lucy Steward and daughters Lavenia and Barbara Ann, and Mrs. Ada Jackson and grandson Winfred Clegg, all of Childress; Mr. and Mrs. Blufford Booth, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Booth, and Mrs. Stella Booth and granddaughters Bobbie Lee, Helen, and Agnes Thomas.

Coleman Shields left Tuesday for Washburn, where he will be employed for a time.

Howard Boone of New York visited his sister Mrs. J. B. Adams Saturday night.

Miss Lavern Hatley is visiting Vita May this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Fisher of Memphis spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Fisher's sister, Mrs. Melvin Hill.

Bob Hughes and Rev. Taylor of Lakeview visited Henry Booth Saturday.

Miss Ozella Mitchell, Miss Susie Salmon, and Mrs. Troy Davis of Pampa visited Mr. and Mrs. John Porter Fowler Saturday night.

ATTEND CONFERENCE IN HEDLEY TUESDAY

A number from the local Methodist Church attended a quarterly conference of the south half of the Clarendon district in Hedley Tuesday. An old fashioned dinner was served at noon.

NEWLIN

By MRS. FRED HEMPHILL

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Mayo and children Clarice, Jack and Bobbie spent several days last week visiting relatives in West Texas.

Mrs. Miller and sons of Dallas spent the past two weeks with her sister-in-law Mrs. M. C. Martin. They returned to their home Sunday.

Rev. J. N. Tinkle left last Monday for Truscott where he will hold a revival meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Rushing of Childress spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Rowell.

Floyd Hood and sons Floyd Marvin and Odie Raymond of Wellington spent last week with his mother Mrs. R. D. Long here. The small boys will remain with her this week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Lawrence and son Jimmie Lee spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. Doc Lawrence.

Densal Roan of Dallas and son W. T. Roan are visiting here with their daughter and sister Mrs. Manuel Barnett. Mr. Roan has recently returned from a trip to Liverpool, England. He was sent by a cotton company of Dallas who shipped some 1,600 bales of cotton on the big freighter boat which took 26 days to make the journey there and 21 days to return. Mr. Roan says the trip was a very enjoyable occasion for him.

Nolan Burkhalter of near Tulia came Sunday for Jerry Lawrence and Walter Ray Townsend to assist Mrs. D. T. Tucker in her lunch stand there.

To Have Revival Meeting

Rev. Luther Crawford announced the revival meeting for the local church will begin the fourth Sunday in August with Rev. Griggs in charge of the services. A baptizing service was held Sunday afternoon when two were baptized.

President Not Seen

Several who were curious to get a glimpse of the President as his train sped through here Monday afternoon gathered at the depot, but other than the loud-speakers on the platform of the train and the fleeting glimpse of those inside, the President was not seen. Special orders to the section crew here was to have a watchman at all crossings, and the switches clear. Mr. Mode, the division superintendent, went ahead of the train in his special automobile which is equipped to run on the rails. Otherwise the President's passing through the city was very quiet.

Something should be done about boys with "nigger-shooters" who willfully shoot song birds such as mockingbirds. A mother bird in a nearby tree that had set and hatched her nest full of birds, and had fought the cats of the neighborhood away from her nest so faithfully, which with her mate, that sings so sweetly these moon-

Hall County Sheriff Assists With Crowds

Sheriff Lindsey Hill of Hall County went to Childress Monday where he assisted state highway police and Childress county peace officers in holding in check the crowd of 15,000 who assembled there to hear President Roosevelt speak. City officials sent for Mr. Hill to come to Childress and help with the crowd.

According to Mr. Hill, although the crowd was extremely large, it was orderly and gave no trouble while the President was making his appearance.

Mrs. Hill accompanied her husband to Childress and heard the President speak.

FIREMEN TO DRILL

The Memphis Volunteer Fire Department will hold their regular bi-monthly drill and practice at the firemen's hall in the City Hall building next Monday evening, according to W. V. Coursey, secretary of the department. Mr. Coursey urges all members of the department to be present for this drill.

Ouida Read, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Read, underwent an operation for appendicitis in a Wichita Falls hospital Monday. Miss Read has been in the Wichita hospital for two weeks for medical treatment. She is reported to be doing as well as could be expected.

Mrs. Read went to Wichita Falls Saturday to be with her daughter.

Endorsement of JUDGE RICHARD CRITZ

Member of the Supreme Court

Judge Richard Critz, of Williamson County, now a member of the Supreme court, succeeding by appointment the late Judge William Pierson, is now a candidate for election to that office.

Judge Critz is identified by all who know him as a man of high sterling character, honest and courageous. His qualifications for the office he seeks are beyond question. His opinions stand out as bold and steadfast pronouncement of the law as it is written. The State needs just such a man on the Supreme Court. The State cannot afford to lose his service.

Recognizing the character and ability of Judge Critz, we the members of the Hall County Bar unqualifiedly endorse him for the office he seeks and hope all voters that have not made up their minds to cast their vote for him, will first faithfully investigate him from every angle, believing that if this is done, there can be no question but what such vote will be cast for Judge Critz.

Respectfully submitted,

J. O. FITZJARRALD SAM J. HAMILTON A. S. MOSS J. M. ELLIOTT JOHN DEAVER C. LAND CARL PERMAN

(Political Advertisement)

W. E. JAMES of Travis County Solicits Your Vote and Support In The Democratic Primary, July 23 STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

Fora Tops in Breath R-Election to the Office of Superintendent of Hall County of a sane and sensible... I earnestly solicit your support for re-election for the second term to the County Superintendent's office. Thank you for your past support, and I assure you that if re-elected I will continue to use every effort to make ours the best school system in Texas. Your Vote and Influence Will Be Appreciated.

JOE A. MERRICK CANDIDATE FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE Precinct 1, Hall County Being without an automobile has made it impossible for me to personally solicit the vote of each individual in this precinct so I am using this means of asking your support and influence at the polls Saturday, July 23rd. If elected I will serve you to the best of my qualified ability! YOUR VOTE WILL BE APPRECIATED!

C. C. Broughton Candidate for District Attorney 100th Judicial District Pledges a vigorous, fair and impartial enforcement of law without fear or favor. Has the respect and confidence of the judges and courts before whom he has practiced. A successful lawyer, and a leader in Religious, Educational, Civic and Business affairs. If elected, will have had more experience as a lawyer at the time of taking office, than any one who has ever served as District Attorney of this District. Let us promote an ambitious young man for more efficient service in the office of District Attorney. PAID FOR BY FRIENDS OF C. C. BROUGHTON

SOCIETY PAGE

Social Happenings  
Wedding News  
Study Clubs

Rebekah Lodge  
Installs Newly  
Elected Officers

The officers to serve during the remainder of the year in the Memphis Rebekah Lodge were installed in their respective stations on Monday evening, July 11, with Mrs. Rowena Springer serving as installing officer.

Mrs. Alla Boswell was placed in the chair as noble grand; Mrs. Emma Turner, vice grand; Mrs. Leta Gerlach, warden; Mrs. Jewel Dennis, conductress; Mrs. Lula Owen, right support to noble grand; Mrs. Addie Hampton, left support to noble grand; Mrs. Lillian Thomason and Mrs. Nell Reed, supporters to vice grand; Mrs. Emma Armstrong, chaplain; Mrs. Clara Rice, inside guardian. Committees were appointed for the term of six months.

Arrangements for the installation ceremonies were under the direction of Mrs. Emma Armstrong, retiring noble grand.

The members of the lodge will meet in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Cole at 908 South Eighth street, Monday evening, July 18, at 7:30 o'clock.

Methodist Women  
Meet at Cole Home  
For Peace Program

The home of Mrs. R. A. Cole was opened for a meeting of the Methodist Women's Missionary Society held Tuesday afternoon for a Christian Social relation program and business meeting.

The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mrs. Orion W. Carter, followed by a violin solo, "Sweet Peace" by Lowena Moore, accompanied by Gertrude Rasco.

"The Way of Peace" was the program theme and a pageant in keeping with the theme was presented with Mrs. T. D. Weatherby as leader and the following taking parts: The characters were Mrs. John Lofland, who represented the church; Mary Ruth Duren, Japan; Charlene Gerlach, China; Vada Webster, Spain; Elizabeth Maxwell, Ethiopia; Betty Sue Crump, Children of the World; English, Dorothy Nell Evans; Voice of Prophecy, Mrs. Sid Baker. Featuring the program was a solo, "Sacred Word to Rosary" by Kermit Hollingsworth, with Rayburn Jones playing the accompaniment.

Proceeding the program, business sessions were conducted by Mrs. C. W. Broome and Mrs. Lloyd Byars for Circles 1 and 2.

The hostesses, Mrs. Cole, Mrs. Sam Brown, Mrs. Homer Stout, Mrs. J. C. Gay, Mrs. Wilbur Jones, and Mrs. C. C. Meacham served cooling refreshments to: Mrs. Roy R. Fultz, Mrs. Bess Crump, Mrs. Frank Phelan, Mrs. S. L. Seago, Mrs. W. A. Thompson, Mrs. C. R. Webster, Mrs. W. B. DeBerry, Mrs. A. C. Hoffman, Mrs. T. R. Harrison, Mrs. D. L. Johnson, Mrs. C. H. Compton, Mrs. B. B. McMillan, Mrs. J. W. Slover, Mrs. Mac Taever, Mrs. C. F. Strzygle, Mrs. Lloyd Byars, Mrs. Lonnie Edmondson, Mrs. Frank Foxhall, Mrs. Orion W. Carter, Mrs. Lloyd Hicks, Lowena Moore, Gertrude Rasco, Mrs. Sid Baker, Mrs. T. D. Weatherby, Mrs. John Lofland, Vada Webster, Elizabeth Maxwell, Mary Ruth Duren, Dorothy Nell Evans, Margaret Perkins of Hedley, Betty Sue Crump, and Mrs. R. T. Cole.

Capt. Fred Maxwell  
Entertains Guests  
Tuesday Evening

Capt. Fred W. Maxwell, commander of the CCC Camp, entertained a number of guests Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock with a sound motion picture on the front lawn of his home on North Seventeenth street in the Whaley Addition.

The film had been used to introduce a program of audio-visual education at the CCC Camp this week.

At the conclusion of the entertainment, Ann and Edith Maxwell served refreshments to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Draper, Jeanne Draper, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Morgensen, Dean Morgensen, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Robinson and daughter Kay, Mrs. T. P. Robinson, Mrs. Jessie Jones, Mr. and Mrs. George Sager, Dr. W. W. Woody, Ralph H. Williams, Bill Anthony, Sandra Sigler, James D. Camp, R. W. Porterfield, and Sally and Mary Maxwell.

TO ATTEND CHIROPRACTIC CONVENTION IN CANADA

Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Stringer will leave Memphis Sunday for Toronto, Canada, to attend the International Chiropractic Convention in session there from July 24 to 29 inclusive. They will be gone about three weeks on the trip.



BRIDE—Mrs. Edwin Niell is the former Miss Cora Fox Yonge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Yonge Jr. of Lubbock. The couple was married at the St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Lubbock on Sunday morning, July 3. They will make their home there. Mrs. Niell is a former Memphian and an honor graduate of the local high school.

Baptist W. M. S.  
Officers Elected  
At Meeting Monday

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church met Monday afternoon at the church at 4 o'clock for the regular monthly business session, with the president, Mrs. H. B. Gilmore, presiding over the session.

Mrs. G. H. Hattenbach offered the opening prayer. Mrs. S. B. Foxhall gave the devotional from the 20th chapter of Matthew, using for her subject, "Take Time," closing with prayer. Mrs. Sam Hamilton read the minutes and Miss Maude Milam gave the treasurer's report, followed with reports from the group captains.

The nominating committee composed of Mrs. J. Wm. Mason, Mrs. Byron Baldwin and Mrs. J. H. Smith brought the nominations and the following officers were elected for the coming year: Mrs. H. B. Gilmore, president; Mrs. W. J. Bragg, Mrs. C. Z. Stridman, Mrs. Lee Thornton, Mrs. Emma Baskerville, Mrs. Tom Draper, Mrs. Lloyd Phillips and Mrs. E. T. Prater, vice presidents and group captains; Mrs. Katherine Hawthorn, recording secretary and treasurer; Mrs. D. A. Grundy, young people's leader; Mrs. L. G. Rasco, pianist; Mrs. Sam Hardy, music director; and Mrs. R. E. L. Pattillo, Bible teacher.

Mrs. L. G. Rasco dismissed the group with prayer.

Those present were: Mrs. H. B. Gilmore, Mrs. Sam Hamilton, Mrs. J. S. Forkner, Mrs. John Barber, Mrs. Jim McMurry, Mrs. Mary Combest, Mrs. G. H. Hattenbach, Mrs. D. A. Grundy, Mrs. W. Lee Williams, Mrs. Scott Sigler, Mrs. J. H. Smith, Mrs. J. Joyce, Mrs. H. Dick Watson, Mrs. Chas. Drake, Mrs. Bill Hood, Mrs. S. B. Foxhall, Mrs. Lee Thornton, Mrs. H. C. Crow, Mrs. L. G. Rasco, and Miss Maude Milam.

Newlin Mothers Club  
Meets with Mrs. D.  
W. Lawrence July 7

The Newlin Mothers' Club met in the home of Mrs. D. W. Lawrence on Thursday afternoon, July 7, with Mrs. W. R. Glover joint hostess.

Roll call was answered by eight club members. The minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved, and the financial report was given. There was no new business and the club adjourned and spent the remainder of the afternoon in quilting.

During the social hour refreshments of cake and ice cream were served to the club members that were present and two visitors, Mrs. Annie Admire and Mrs. Miller of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wells and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Madden spent Sunday in Amarillo visiting with relatives. They were accompanied as far as Clarendon by Donald W. May who spent the day there with relatives.

Legion Auxiliary  
Has Annual Picnic  
At Brookhollow

The annual picnic of the American Legion Auxiliary was held at the Brookhollow Lake Friday evening, July 8.

After a swim was enjoyed by some of the members and guests, a lovely picnic supper including ice cream and cake were served on the tables in front of the W. C. Dickey lakeside cabin.

Those present included: Dr. and Mrs. W. Wilson, Winifred Quisenberry, Miss Lillian Admire, Mrs. G. L. Tipton, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lindsey and children, Mary Helen, Bobby and Betty Sue, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Reynolds and daughter Katherine, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Morgensen and son George Dean, Mrs. W. S. Gooch, Mr. and Mrs. T. Kittinger, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Doss and son Jerry, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Doss, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dodson and children Curtis and LaVerne, Maurine Reheis, Mrs. Bailey Gilmore and sons H. B. Jr. and Jerry, and Mrs. Mamie VanPelt.

Carmon Duren Given  
Party on Friday

Mrs. J. B. Duren of Lakeview entertained with an informal party at her home in honor of her daughter, Carmon, Friday evening, July 8.

Games furnished entertainment and at the close, refreshments of angel food cake and ice cream was served to the following guests: Marion Ruth Duren, Charlene Gerlach, Joyce Duren, Betty Callahan, Boots Maxwell, Curtis Godfrey and James Harper of Memphis; Bessie Lee Scott, Leo Brister, Billie Don Govermon, Tomie Moreland, La Rue Long, Marvin Holt, Viola Canada, Fay Young, Jean Crowder, Carolyn Brister, Barney Joe Bevers, Mark Williams, T. K. Williamson, and Keith Wells.

Mrs. Roy Widener  
Hostess to Harrell  
Chapel Needle Club

The Harrell Chapel Needle Club met Tuesday with Mrs. Roy Widener. The afternoon was spent quilting.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. C. R. Woodson, Mrs. A. H. Jones, Mrs. O. D. Phillips, Mrs. Jim Phillips, Mrs. Loyd Widener, Mrs. Walter Spruill, Mrs. T. L. Waddill, Mrs. Louis Richards, Fay Jones, Honoria Phillips, and Mildred Richards.

The meeting adjourned to meet Tuesday, July 26, with Mrs. T. L. Waddill.

Mrs. Fred Maxwell returned from Denver Sunday where she has been receiving medical treatment in a Denver hospital for the past four weeks.

Mrs. W. A. Buchanan, Recent Bride,  
Is Honored with Bridal Shower July 7

One of the most beautiful bridal showers of the season was given complimentary to Mrs. W. A. Buchanan, who before her recent marriage was Evelyn Lamb. The affair was given in the form of a garden party on the back lawn at the home of Mrs. M. M. Alexander on South Seventh street Thursday evening, July 7, at 8 o'clock. Co-hostesses were Miss Frances Craver, Mrs. E. T. Prater, Mrs. E. S. Foust, Mrs. Chas. Whatley, and Mrs. C. L. Hamrick.

As the guests entered the beautifully decorated garden setting of grass and baskets of flowers they registered in the bride's book presided over by Mildred Lamb, sister of the bride. An orchid and white color scheme was noted in the floral decorations and other appointments.

Entertainment was introduced with a reading, "The Jealous Bride" by Mrs. Billy Howard after which Mrs. M. C. Allen played, "I Love, You Truly," as an accompaniment. She also furnished reception music throughout the evening.

To introduce the shower, Miles Alexander entered dressed as a farmer carrying a basket and announced that he had grown a large crop of potatoes on his land that Mr. Buchanan had terraced and when presented to the bride it contained many lovely and useful gifts. The bride who was attractively dressed in a white and orchid crepe dress with white accessories was assisted in opening the gifts by her mother, Mrs. J. C. Lamb, and Mrs. Coy Davis.

After the gifts were displayed and viewed by the guests a lovely refreshment plate further emphasizing the chosen colors were served by the hostesses.

The guest list included: Mrs. Chas. Drake, Mrs. Bailey Gilmore, Mrs. George A. Sager, Mrs. J. T. Reese, Mrs. Ralph Bennett, Mrs. W. L. Knapp, Mrs. Hollis Boren, Mrs. Russell McClure, Mrs. Bill D. Hart, Mrs. Joe Webster, Mrs. D. D. Weatherby, Mrs. Bess Crump, Mrs. B. H. Eudy, Mrs. J. M. Fozell, Mrs. W. J. Franks, Mrs. Myrtle Mayes, Mrs. Leo Fields, Mrs. W. C. Smith, Mrs. J. C. Wells, Mrs. Cecil McCollum, Mrs. Coy Davis, Mrs. Alvin Massey, Mrs. C. A. Robinson, Mrs. R. H. Wherry, Mrs. Forrest Power, Mrs. H. M. Guest, Mrs. Billy Howard, Mrs. Elmo Whaley, Mrs. Coy Dennis, Mrs. T. R. Easterling.

Mrs. W. D. McCool, Mrs. Jessie Jones, Mrs. J. P. Godfrey, Mrs. S. B. Foxhall, Mrs. Allie D. Weaver, Mrs. Emma Baskerville, Mrs. Homer Burleson, Mrs. Herschel Stewart, Mrs. S. W. Stewart, Mrs. W. Wilson, Mrs. Angus Huckaby, Mrs. William Hood, Mrs. M. C. Allen, Mrs. Jack Boone, Mrs. J. W. Fitzjarrald, Mrs. Otho Fitzjarrald, Mrs. Edna Bullard Grant, Mrs. R. E. L. Pattillo, Mrs. J. B. Lamb, Mrs. E. P. Thompson, Mrs. Clifton Burnett, Mrs. Ernest McMurry, Mrs. Temple Deaver, Mrs. Chauncey Thompson, Mrs. J. S. McMurry, Mrs. Billy Higdon, Mrs. D. E. Tippet, Mrs. Harry DeLaney, Mrs. John Vallance, Mrs. Herman Vallance.

Mrs. Hugh Crawford, Mrs. D. A. Neeley, Mrs. Guy W. Smith, Mrs. R. P. Martin, Mrs. Roy R. Fultz, Mrs. Sam Hamilton, Mrs. A. Anisman, Mrs. J. D. Shankle, Mrs. Henry Foster, Mrs. Ello Rogers, Mrs. Jim Vallance, Mrs. Lloyd Phillips, Mrs. T. B. Rogers, Mrs. W. V. Whitley, Mrs. Carl Periman, Mrs. Floyd McElreath, Mrs. Henry Scott, Mrs. C. H. Compton, Mrs. D. A. Grundy, Mrs. S. T. Harrison, Mrs. W. D. Orr, Mrs. M. G. Tarver, Mrs. J. Wm. Mason, Mrs. Leon Randolph, Mrs. R. W. Carlton, Mrs. J. A. Grundy, Mrs. Alla Boswell, Mrs. E. F. Hargrave, Mrs. Ben Wilson, Mrs. B. F. Denny, Mrs. Ray Martin, Mrs. C. D. Denny, Mrs. H. A. McCann, Mrs. P. F. Craver.

Misses Margaret Gowan, Ara Gidden, Maurine Reheis, Rebecca Ray Weaver, Lois McCulloch, Ida Mae Long, Florene Scott, Jessie Wood, Mary Lee Mabry, Ione Drake, Imogene King, Mildred Lamb, Ann Craver, Frances Reynolds, Helen Boswell, Agnes Hayes, Katherine Robinson, Janet Hood, Mary Sue Huckaby, Eugene Lamb, Marjorie Rogers, Rosalyn Williams, Mary Jo Lamb, Martha Thompson, Bell Alexander, and Homer Bean, Miles McKay Alexander and Creed Lamb Jr.

Phyllis Howard and  
Neal W. Wyatt Are  
Married June 28

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Howard have announced the marriage of their daughter, Phyllis, to Neal W. Wyatt on Tuesday, June 28. The marriage took place in Childress in the evening with County Judge Tom Robinson officiating.

The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Winters of Lakeview.

Mr. Wyatt is the son of Noble Wyatt and has lived all his life in Lakeview. Mrs. Wyatt was reared in Memphis. They are at home in Lakeview for the present.



MRS. W. A. BUCHANAN

Bunk Party Given  
For Mrs. Dennis'  
S. S. Class

The Light Beavers Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church with Mrs. L. O. Dennis as teacher, was entertained in the home of Mrs. Hayden Goodnight at 1120 West Brumley street Thursday night with a bunk party.

Games were played first part of the night under the direction of Mrs. Dennis and at midnight refreshments were served. Friday

Miss Lora Skinner  
and Horace Dunlap  
Marry in Amarillo

Miss Lora Skinner of Amarillo and Horace Dunlap, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Dunlap of this city, were married in a simple but impressive ceremony solemnized in the parsonage of the Buchanan Street Methodist Church in Amarillo Saturday evening, July 2, with Rev. C. M. Addison officiating.

The bride wore a navy sheer dress with white accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

Misses Virgie Skinner and Ethel Skinner, sisters of the bride, Mrs. G. B. Hamilton and Carol Hamilton attended the ceremony.

Mrs. Dunlap was a resident of Clarendon before going to Amarillo several years ago. Mr. Dunlap formerly of this city is associated with the Oliver Farm Equipment Sales Co. He has only been a resident of Amarillo for a short time.

After a wedding trip to Carlsbad Cavern and other points in New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Dunlap will be at home at 3716 West Sixth Avenue, Amarillo.

Previous to her wedding Mrs. Dunlap was honored with a shower at the home of Mrs. G. B. Hamilton in Amarillo.

morning Mrs. Goodnight served the group a waffle breakfast.

Those attending were Laura Mai Hightower, Bobby Claire Davenport, June Joyce, Maria and Menervia Baskerville, Sylvia Nell Goodnight, Edith Joy McCrary, Joyce Lee Goodpasture, Johnnie Lou Goodnight, and Kate McCulloch.

Mrs. Bill  
Is Bridge  
Hostess

Mrs. Bill D. ...  
For the ...  
table was ...  
reflector on ...  
blue bowl ...  
blue corn ...  
breath.

At the ...  
of games at ...  
award was ...  
Norman, ...  
Gerlach and ...  
lunch.

Bridge ...  
Bass, Mrs. ...  
Norman, ...  
Babe Gerlach, ...  
Gerlach and ...  
lunch.

Mrs. Har  
Plaska Ne  
Hostess

The Plaska ...  
with Mrs. ...  
afternoon, ...  
noon was ...  
quitting and ...  
Members ...  
were: Mrs. ...  
Davis, Mrs. ...  
C. W. Jones, ...  
Gomery, Mrs. ...  
L. White, Mrs. ...  
Edd Murchick, ...  
hire, Mrs. T. ...  
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### Miss Moore Has Hand Made Belts For Sale at Stand

Miss Lowena Moore, who is operating the candy and cigar stand at the south door of the Hall County court house under the sponsorship of the Memphis Rotary Club, announces that she is offering for sale hand-made leather belts of her own making. Miss Moore has these belts in both ladies' and men's sizes.

Miss Moore, who has been blind from birth, was set up in the stand by the local Rotary Club about three months ago. The twenty-year-old Memphis girl is a graduate of the state school for the blind at Austin and is an accomplished musician. She has played several recitals here during the past and has appeared on the Cal Farley program over station KGNC, Amarillo. Miss Moore states that her ambition is to be a professional radio entertainer.

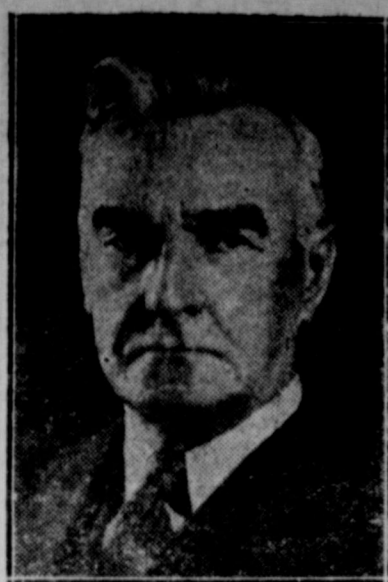
L. E. Clark of Quanah spent Saturday in Memphis on business and visiting with his mother, Mrs. H. W. Clark.

Mrs. M. F. Keathley has returned to her home in Corsicana after an extended visit here with her sisters, Mrs. Dick Watson and Mrs. C. W. McCoil.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of thanking our friends and neighbors for their many kind deeds and expressions of sympathy extended us during the illness and death of our darling baby. Also we wish to thank those for the beautiful flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Rouseau and Children.



M. J. R. JACKSON

### Chief Justice Asks For Elective Term

M. J. R. Jackson became associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals at Amarillo in 1924. He served in that capacity until 1937, when he was appointed to succeed Chief Justice R. W. Hall, who died while serving in that position. Justice Jackson is asking now for his first elective term as chief Justice.

Justice Jackson is one of the state's outstanding jurists. As an attorney and as a jurist he has won wide recognition.

With Judge Jackson as chief Justice, the court has won wide recognition for its handling of the cases that have come before it. The court covers a territory larger than some states. It serves 46 counties, including all of the Panhandle.

### PLEASANT VALLEY

By MRS. NORA VANDEVENTER

Mr. and Mrs. Homma Grant and children spent Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Crawford.

Miss Ollie Brown of Lesley visited the past week in the J. W. Molloy home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jordan Brock and Oree went to Fort Worth Saturday. Mrs. Brock enjoyed a reunion with her brothers and sisters at Sulphur, Okla., for the first time in 18 years. Their laughter Mrs. Bernice Dollar of Fort Worth came home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Weaver had for their guests Saturday night and Sunday his sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Melburn Green.

Mrs. Billie Fay Molloy visited her mother of Plaska Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Crabb were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hafley, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Vallance and children spent Sunday at Plaska with his mother, Mrs. Henry Vallance.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Parker have returned to their home in Shreveport after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Cooley. They left Thursday and were accompanied by her sister Mildred Cooley for a visit. Miss Cooley will also visit in New Orleans.

### Vacation Bible School Closed Last Sunday

A daily vacation Bible school was held last week at the Morningside Baptist Church by teachers from the First Baptist Church, culminating in the commencement exercises Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

There were 50 students enrolled in the school, it was reported. They did Bible and memory work, learned songs, and turned out handicraft. The older boys made puzzles, the girls aprons, and the little children booklets.

Those who conducted the school were Janet Hood, Mary Sue Huckaby, Mary Smith, Cordell Bales, Leroy Robertson, and Rev. and Mrs. J. William Mason.

### Marvin Jones To Make Radio Talks

Congressman Marvin Jones will deliver a series of four radio addresses over Station KGNC at Amarillo, beginning Monday, July 18, and continuing through Thursday, July 21. The time of the addresses will be from 7 p. m. to 7:15 p. m. each evening.

The addresses will cover topics of special interest to the Panhandle, including discussions of soil and water conservation, the farm program, and the credit structure.

### ELI

By MRS. J. T. NELSON

Mrs. Lawrence and aunt and sons L. D. and Charlie, Mrs. Roy McCrory and son of Anahost, and Mr. and Mrs. John Perkins and son John Jr. of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stewart Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Baker and Miss Burk of Chattanooga, Tenn., visited Mrs. W. B. Stargel and Mrs. Y. Z. Smith Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Nelson were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith and C. E. Nall Sunday.

Lester Smith had dinner with Raeburn Nelson Sunday.

The Eli Mothers Club met with Mrs. Joe Miller. They decided to disband until September.

Mrs. W. D. Smith is ill at this writing.

### Hall County Court Holds Short Meeting

Commissioners Court met for the shortest session in its history here Monday morning.

Only routine business was attended to, and court was adjourned before noon.

This is believed to be an indication that the county's business is in good shape.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Braddock went to Fort Worth Friday or last week for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. L. D. Sanders and children, Fred, Polly Ann, Mary Jean, Geraldine, Mary Lou and Hulda, returned Saturday from a visit with relatives in Meridian, Dallas and Fort Worth.



W. E. JAMES

### James Is Here on Campaign Tour

Campaigning on a platform that the Texas Department of Education would profit if the administration was placed on a professional plane rather than a political one, W. E. James of Travis County visited Memphis Saturday in interest of his campaign for State Superintendent of Public Instruction. Mr. James, a native Texan, reared in Van Zandt county, was educated in the North Texas State Teachers College at Denton, Baylor University at Waco and the State University at Austin and has taught in these three institutions as well as having served in the Department of Education for twelve years.

Mr. James is an advocate of a reorganization of the department to effect economy by combining certain divisions where the duties overlap and for the purpose of a fixation of responsibility. Mr. James states that this procedure will not only be a saving to the tax-payers money but will promote efficiency and provide for a more accurate discharge of the duties of the department.

Mr. James is also an advocate of offering a course in the public schools of the state teaching accident prevention which he considers a far-sighted movement to reduce accidents for the coming generation, a condition that has taken the lives of many of Texas citizens uselessly.

Miss Mazie Perkins visited with friends in Pampa Monday.

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of Lakeview, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on June 30, 1938, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
Loans and discounts	\$35,666.19
Overdrafts	251.80
Other bonds, stocks, and securities	7,476.36
Banking house, \$2,200.00 Furniture and fixtures, \$1,800.00	4,000.00
Real estate owned other than banking house	2,037.14
Reserve with Federal Reserve bank	16,667.10
Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	29,700.53
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$95,799.12</b>
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$53,342.85
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	6,000.00
State, county, and municipal deposits	3,730.00
Deposits of other banks, including certified and cashier's checks outstanding	17.00
Deposits not secured by pledge of loans and or investments	\$63,089.85
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	<b>\$63,089.85</b>
Capital account:	
Common stock, 250 shares, par \$100 per share	\$25,000.00
Surplus	4,300.00
Undivided profits—net	3,409.27
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNT</b>	<b>32,709.27</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>95,799.12</b>

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

W. W. WILLIAMSON, Cashier.  
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### Estelline Voters Hear Hall Speakers

By MRS. A. A. GREER  
Estelline Correspondent

The candidate speaking Friday night, which was sponsored by the Estelline Baptist Ladies, was well attended by the district and county officers. The ladies of the church sold cakes, pies and ice cream, which netted them \$20.

J. L. McCollum introduced the speakers of the evening who presented their claims to the voters, subject to the Democratic primary.

Judge A. S. Moss of Memphis, judge of the 100th judicial district, who is not a candidate for office, also made an interesting talk to the crowd assembled to hear the speeches.

**REVIVAL MEETING BEING HELD AT PLASKA**

The First Baptist and the First Methodist churches of Plaska are in a cooperative revival meeting at this time. Rev. Storey of Kellerville is the visiting Methodist preacher assisting the Methodist pastor, Rev. Sargent, and Rev. J. Wm. Mason of Memphis is also assisting in the services.

The public is cordially invited.

### Area Relief Officer Visits Local Agency

Mrs. Winnie Joe Keen of Amarillo, area social worker, called on the county welfare office Wednesday morning, and conferred with Miss Martha Temple, who is in charge of the governmental welfare work in Hall County.

Mrs. Keen, who is director over 13 Panhandle counties, stated that her visit to Memphis was on routine business and that her duties carried her to the various county seats of her area about once every two months.

Relief in the Panhandle has been slightly decreased, according to observers, due to the seasonal employment caused by the crops.

**MRS. HOWARD RANDAL IS SERIOUSLY ILL IN WICHITA**

Mrs. Howard Randal, who has been in a Wichita Falls hospital for several days, is reported to be critically ill. She has been given a number of blood transfusions since Saturday, with the hope of benefitting her condition.

Mr. Randal and son Joe Pat and her sister Mrs. Gene Herd of Clarendon are at her bedside.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. A. Moore spent Monday in Pampa and Amarillo on business.

## CHURCHES

### CHURCH OF CHRIST

W. M. Davis, Minister

At the morning service next Sunday the subject of the sermon will be, "The Church in Jerusalem." The congregation in Jerusalem has been properly called the model church. It was the divine pattern for all churches everywhere to follow. The subject at the evening service will be "Sowing and Reaping."

The Sunday morning Bible school will begin at 9:45. The women's Bible class meets every Tuesday at 3:30 p. m. The mid-week Bible class studying in the book of Revelation meets Wednesday at 8:30 p. m.

We want to call attention to our revival meeting which will begin August 11. The services will be held on the church lawn, and John H. Bannister of Oklahoma City will do the preaching.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

The pastor will bring a message Sunday morning on the subject, "A Renewed Strength" with Isaiah 40:27-31 as the scripture reading. We should like for you to read this passage and see how you can get this renewed strength. Do you have need of it? The Sunday evening message will be on the subject, "The Wonderful Christ" with Isaiah 9:6 as the text. Everyone needs this wonderful Christ. We hope that you will come and hear about Him, and that in hearing about Him you will strive to take Him into your life.

The Sunday school attendance is holding up in a wonderful way. Are you doing your part in this? Sunday will be a "weighty" day in our Sunday school. If you do not know what we mean, come and see. There is always an interesting crowd in the B. T. U. and also in the mid-week prayer service. You are needed, however, and we are expecting you to be in your place.

### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Miss Gertrude Raseon, has kindly consented to give us several numbers on her cylophone next Sunday which was so much appreciated last Sunday evening.

We do hope a fine number of our girls and boys will attend the "Enrollment" at Coca Glen next week. Parents of these girls and boys can rest assured their children will be well cared for. Don't fail to give them this great opportunity that will help them through life in many ways.

Glad always to greet you in every service in our church.

Brother Carter and his singer, Mr. Hollingsworth, are certainly giving us fine sermons and a fine line up of songs. The revival is a great inspiration and help to all who attend.

E. C. Cargill, Pastor.

### ATTENDS CONFERENCE

Rev. J. Wm. Mason, the local Baptist pastor, attended the Workers' Conference of the North Fork Baptist Association at McLean on Thursday of this week where he preached the sermon at the 11 o'clock hour.

## 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
- For District Attorney: C. C. BROUGHTON, Childress JOHN DEEVER, Memphis
- For District Clerk: MRS. ISABELL CYPERT
- For County Judge: M. O. GOODPASTURE
- For County Superintendent: VERA TOPS GILREATH
- BYRON E. TODD OLSON SWEAT H. L. GIPSON
- For Sheriff: LINDSEY E. HILL
- For County Clerk: JACK BOONE MURRAY DIAL BAILEY GILMORE R. L. MADDEN
- For Tax Assessor-Collector: J. M. FERREL
- For County Treasurer: CHAS. DRAKE
- For County Attorney: CARL PERIMAN
- WM. J. BRAGG
- For Justice of Peace, Precinct 1: L. G. PERKINS JOE A. MERRICK W. L. WHEAT
- For Commissioner, Precinct 1: W. B. (Butler) MORRISON
- For Commissioner, Precinct 2: H. C. (Glyde) FOWLER PAUL McCANNE TRACY L. DAVIS A. R. McMASTER
- GEORGE HANCOCK J. T. NELSON T. W. LUTTRELL
- MARVIN L. ALEXANDER
- For Commissioner, Precinct 3: BURL BELL
- R. A. EDDLEMAN

## HARRELL CHAPEL

By MRS. LOUIS RICHARDS

Rev. Emmitt Evans filled his regular appointment here Sunday and Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. James Smith of Lesley attended church here Sunday morning.

Mrs. George Hillis of near Lakeview is visiting her mother, Mrs. L. L. Foreman, who has been ill.

A. B. Wills returned home Thursday from a visit in Louisiana and Oklahoma.

Ollie McQueen, formerly of this community, is visiting friends.

Rev. and Mrs. Emmitt Evans and Mr. and Mrs. James Smith of Lesley were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry Lewis of Gilpin.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Widener visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Widener of Ell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Phillips and Evarene Wills visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bain of Childress.

Honora Phillips, Jerry Francis, and Evarene Wills visited Sunday with Dora Belle and Geneva Belle Harper of Gilpin.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Widener and daughter of Ell visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Spruill, who have recently moved to this community.

Louis Richards made a business trip to Childress Saturday.

A kitchen-ware company representative demonstrated its utensils last Thursday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Garvis Davis. The supper was served to Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Davis and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Davis and daughter, Ila Sue of Salisbury, Mr. and Mrs. Wymon Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Richards, and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Garvis Davis.

## SALISBURY

By MRS. H. L. YARBROUGH

Miss Janie Adcock spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. Thurman Ellard, of Fairview.

Misses Maxine and Pauline Longshore returned last week from Colorado, where they had been visiting.

Mrs. Kermit Upshaw and daughters Bobbie Sandra and Marilyn of Hendilton, Okla., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George C. Dickson.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Alcock and children June and Gary of

Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Yarbrough, and Miss Janie Adcock were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Ellard of Fairview Sunday.

Miss Maudine Moore of Floydada spent Saturday with Miss Athelene Hutcherson.

Mrs. J. R. Mitchell and daughters Peggy and Dora spent Saturday night and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Tucker, of Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Trilton Davis and family of Newlin, Mr. and Mrs. Garvis Davis of Harrell Chapel, and Mr. and Mrs. Lyrel Davis of Friendship were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Davis Sunday.

H. A. Whitefield and Garner Moore of Memphis and Miss Cressie Faye Davis spent Sunday in the V. L. Yarbrough home.

Mrs. Nell Sweatt's mother and sister of Kentucky are visiting her this week.

Ila Sue Davis and R. Q. McQueen spent Saturday night in the J. R. Mitchell home.

## PARNELL

By MRS. W. W. RICHARDS

Floyd Berryman of Amarillo spent last week-end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Allen returned last week from California, where they had been visiting for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Todd and son Dan visited last Sunday at Deep Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Richards and family spent last Saturday and Sunday at Lockney and Floydada visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Cope and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mothershead motored to Amarillo Monday to see the President.

A large crowd attended singing here Sunday night.

## Relative of Memphis Man Named Official

Information was received in Memphis Wednesday by G. G. Perkins that his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Grace Perkins of Sayre, Oklahoma, had received the Democratic nomination for the office of county clerk of Beckham County, Oklahoma, in Tuesday's Democratic Primary held in that state.

Mrs. Perkins won by a majority of 400 votes over two opponents in the election in which 5,000 votes were polled.

O. M. Perkins of Memphis went to Sayre Tuesday and returned with his sister-in-law until Wednesday.

## WEEK SPECIALS END FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

- COFFEE, Maxwell House, 1 pound 28c; 2 pounds 55c
- FLOUR, Light Crust..... 29c, 51c, 84c, \$1.60
- SUGAR, pure cane, 10 pounds 57c; 25 pounds \$1.41
- SOAP, P & G or Crystal White, 6 bars..... 23c
- SOAP, Palmolive or Camay, 3 bars..... 19c
- MEAL, Aunt Jemima, 5 pounds 18c, 10 pounds 29c
- MILK, Pet or Carnation, 6 cans for..... 22c
- OXYDOL, large package..... 23c
- SPAGHETTI or MACARONI, per package..... 4c
- TOILET PAPER, ScottTissue, 3 rolls..... 23c
- TOMATO JUICE, all kinds, 2 cans..... 15c
- PORK & BEANS, regular size cans..... 5c
- SALMON, Best Pink, 2 cans..... 25c
- TUNA FISH, Del Monte, per can..... 18c
- TOMATOES, No. 1 cans 5c; No. 2 cans, 3 for..... 20c
- FRUIT COCKTAIL, Heart's Delight, can..... 14c
- KRAUT, small cans, 2 for..... 15c
- PEARS, No. 1 cans, 2 for 25c; No. 2 1/2 cans..... 21c
- SPINACH, Heart's Delight, No. 2 cans, 2 for..... 25c
- EXTRACT, all flavors, pure..... 18c
- TEA, Lipton's, with glasses, 1/4-pound..... 22c; 1/2-pound..... 41c; 1-pound..... 81c
- CRISCO, 3-lb. bucket 57c; 6-pound bucket..... \$1.09
- KRAFT'S CHEESE SPREADS, all kinds..... 18c
- POTATO CHIPS, extra large packages, 2 for..... 15c
- POST BRAN FLAKES, 2 packages..... 23c
- MATCHES 6 boxes..... 19c
- BLACKKEYED PEAS, home grown, pound..... 4c
- FRESH TOMATOES, vine ripened, pound..... 4c
- SQUASH, white or yellow, pound..... 4c
- OKRA, young and tender, pound..... 10c
- POTATOES, white Shafers, 8 pounds..... 18c
- LEMONS, large Sunkist, dozen..... 24c
- LIMES, nice size, dozen..... 10c
- LETTUCE, firm heads..... 5c
- PEACHES, GRAPES, PLUMS, APRICOTS and FRESH CHERRIES. "KORN ON THE KOB."

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**COFFEE** 1-pound can  
2-pound jar.

Potato Salad, No. 2 can.....  
Post Toasties, 2 for.....  
Jell-O, 2 for.....  
Tomatoes, No. 2 can, 3 for.....  
Potato Chips, 2 for.....  
Kraut, Kurer's, med. size, 2.....  
Date & Nut Bread, 2 cans.....  
Pickles, sour or dill, quart.....

**Miracle Whip**

Tomatoes, vine ripened, per pound.....  
Cucumbers, per pound.....  
Blackeyed Peas, pound.....  
Okra, per pound.....  
Lettuce, per head.....  
Peaches, Elberta's, dozen.....  
Cantaloupes, large, each.....  
Lemons, Sunkist, dozen.....

1 Package Kellogg's SHREDDED WHOLE WHEAT BISCUIT.  
1 Package KELLOGG'S WHOLE WHEAT KRUMBLER  
1 Glass Tumbler—FREE!

Prunes, per gallon.....  
Sugar, pure cane, 10 pounds.....  
Rice, White House, 2-lb. p.....  
Soap, Big 4, 7 bars.....  
Soap, Lux or Lifebuoy, 3 b.....  
Saniflush, per can.....  
Old Dutch, 2 for.....  
Oxydol, large package.....

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PURE CANE 10 pounds..... 55c  
SUGAR 25 pounds..... \$1.35

Pineapple, crushed, 3 cans..... 25c  
Pork & Beans, 15-oz. can..... 5c

Dobry's Best 48 Pounds..... \$1.50

Lard, 8-pound carton..... 83c  
Spuds, No. 1 peck..... 28c

Lipton's 1/4-pound, 1 glass free..... 20c  
TEA 1/2-pound, 2 glasses free..... 39c  
1-pound, 4 glasses free..... 77c

Milk, 7 cans for..... 25c  
Potato Chips, large pkg., 2 for... 15c

**Blackberries** No. 2 can 10c  
Gallon..... 39c

Vinegar, pure apple, gallon..... 25c  
Salmon, 2 cans for..... 25c

**MARKET SPECIALS**

Steak, fancy, pound..... 20c  
Roast, rib or brisket, pound..... 15c  
Barbecue, per pound..... 25c  
Sliced Bacon, per pound..... 28c  
Cream Cheese, per pound..... 20c  
Assorted Lunch Meats, pound 23c  
Oleo, per pound..... 16c  
Bologna, per pound..... 15c  
Jowl Meat, per pound..... 15c  
Loaf Meat, per pound..... 15c

Democrat To Issue Pioneer Special Next Week For Celebration Here

Next week The Democrat issues its annual Pioneer Edition in connection with the Old Settler's Reunion and Celebration to be held in Memphis, Wednesday, July 27.

of this special edition for memories of the occasion are requested to call The Democrat and make arrangements to have the number of copies needed reserved.

The Pioneer Edition of The Democrat contains much interesting information concerning early days, not only in Hall County, but adjoining counties and the entire Panhandle Country as a whole.

Light Hail and Rain Reported in County

A sudden sprinkling of rain here Thursday afternoon of last week yielded .05 inches of moisture, according to J. J. McMickin.

Hail was reported to have fallen in spotted sections immediately north and west of town, followed by a heavy downpour of rain.

The county continued to sizzle under high temperatures, the thermometer rising above 100 degrees every day during the past week.

Jim Smith and daughter Arlene of Rotan visited here Friday and Saturday with his sister, Mrs. S. T. Harrison.

Mrs. Myrtle Wood has accepted a position with the Charm Beauty Salon. She recently graduated from a beauty school where she studied the latest methods in beauty culture.

AMATEURSTOBE IN CONTEST ON FRIDAY NIGHT

West Texas Co. Sends Display Car To City Wednesday

An all-electric trailer, displaying appliances sold by the West Texas Utilities Company, was brought to Memphis Wednesday and, according to Mac Wilson, local manager for the company, the trailer would be open for inspection by the public during its three-day stay here.

A feature of the visit will be an amateur contest Friday night when all local musicians and singers will be invited to play over the trailer's public address system.

The trailer, which is being demonstrated by J. A. Muir working under District Sales Manager K. G. Castle of Childress, now has been inspected by over 100,000 persons.

Hall County—

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are listed among the distinguished speakers who will appear on the program.

John M. Deaver, district attorney, will deliver the address of welcome, and E. H. Watt, pioneer settler of Giles, has been invited to make the response.

Band music, quartets, fiddling, and other musical numbers will be rendered during the day. Old timers will be given an opportunity to tell their pioneer experiences, and a full day of real enjoyment will be had by all.

According to Carroll Smyers, secretary-manager of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce, invitations have been accepted by bands from the towns in the Panhandle area to be present at the reunion and to participate in the events of the day.

Mr. Smyers has received a communication from Clay Thornton, chairman of the Amarillo Good Will Committee, assuring him that a band will be brought from Amarillo to Memphis for the occasion, and from Bedford Harrison, secretary of the Shamrock Chamber of Commerce, stating that Shamrock's Irish Band will be present for the reunion.

In making plans for this Fifth Annual Old Settler's Reunion July 27 the entertainment committee has spared no effort to bring to Memphis and Hall County the best in entertainment. During the afternoon of the celebration, the committee is making plans to present a ball game played between two of the leading teams of the Panhandle.

In all probability a fireworks display will be used to terminate the day's festivities. The committee in charge of the entertainment is at the present time trying to make a deal for a fireworks show as a final feature.

The committee on arrangements for the gala day is expecting large crowds to be in attendance at the celebration and plans are being made to care for the thousands that will throng Memphis streets and to entertain them.

A. S. MOSS TO OCCUPY THE BENCH AT PAMPA District Judge A. S. Moss will go to Pampa next week to sit as special trial judge in a district court case.

Judge Ewing the presiding judge is a witness in the case so he disqualified himself and invited Judge Moss to occupy the bench during the trial.

W. H. Irby of Dallas, service superintendent for B. F. L. Stores, was in Memphis Thursday on business.

Democrat Readers

Who Pay-up to Keep-up with Hall County News!

J. W. D. Chappell returned Saturday from a month's visit in Paris and came to the Democrat office Monday and renewed his subscription.

Homer Hall of Sudan, a former resident of Hall County, had his name put on The Democrat subscription list this week so he can "keep up with Hall County news."

W. A. Odom of Roff, Okla., writes: "As having lived in Hall County 10 years, we just simply must know about the election."

Enclosed find 50 cents to pay for The Democrat three months."

J. B. Scott of Lakeview, Route 2, renewed his subscription this week.

R. A. Hutcherson, Memphis Route 2, is another subscriber who doesn't want to miss a copy of The Democrat. He renewed for another year Saturday.

Paul McCanne of Lakeview renewed his subscription to The Democrat Saturday.

Mrs. J. L. Brockeen of Dalhart is another former Memphian who enjoys reading The Democrat. Her name was added to the list last week.

Mrs. Maude Williamson had her subscription date marked up for another year last Friday.

N. P. Shockley had The Democrat sent to his son, Columbus Shockley, at Sugar Land this week.

Mrs. Wayne McMurry and daughters, Billie Joyce and Nora Mae, went to Dalhart Saturday for a visit with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. E. S. Powell.

A. W. Guill, student at Texas A. & M. College, arrived in Memphis Sunday to spend this week with his mother Mrs. A. W. Guill. He will return Sunday to attend the second semester of the summer session of the college.

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MAGIC WASHER, large package 18c
SALAD DRESSING or SPREAD, quart 25c
TUNA FISH, White Swan, per can 18c
CHERRIES, No. 2 can, 2 for 27c
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NEXT SUNDAY—WHAT THEN?

THE DAY after tomorrow is Sunday. You may go driving or you may drive across the county to see a friend or a relative, or you may start your long-dreamed-of vacation trip. Which ever it is, please be careful.

Each week-end the 1938 death toll paid to Recklessness on the highways of our state is increasing. It isn't necessary for you to pay tribute to this merciless god when the exercise of precaution would prevent it.

How would you like to be pictured in scenes like these? A twisted mass of steel studded with broken glass and a grotesque, bleeding body lying on the road side; he tried to pass a car on a hill! An overturned coupe lying at the foot of an embankment, a feminine hand sticking through the broken windshield with blood trickling over a diamond engagement ring, emblematic of a lifetime of happiness; she tried to kiss her lover on a curve! A scared, wild-eyed little lad of four, too frightened to cry, standing in the slush of a wet pavement beside the lifeless form of his mother while passersby attempt to extricate the mangled remains of the father from a car leaning crazily against a telephone pole; he forgot to turn on the windshield wiper! The black, greasy chareol that was once a university student whose future was bright with the promise of a successful career at the bar, lying in the fire-twisted hull of what was his Dad's car; he drove just a little too fast for the type of road!

Horrible, you say. Yes, these are horrible pictures. But remember—the day after tomorrow is Sunday. You may just go driving or you may drive across the county to see a friend or relative, or you may start your long-dreamed-of vacation trip. Which ever it is, please, PLEASE, be careful.

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THE PIONEER EDITION

NEXT ISSUE of The Democrat, July 22, will be the annual Pioneer Edition. Into this edition has gone the best efforts of the entire staff and the purpose of this issue is to present to the readers a picture of pioneer days of Hall County and of the fine towns and communities that are located within the confines of its borders. To those who are new to Hall County and to the Panhandle country, the stories, news items and brief histories of pioneer families and places, the edition will be a well of interesting information, thrilling to read and wonderful to realize the hardships and privations suffered by the stalwart men and women who came to this locality in early days and wrested from its barren stretch a place of peace and plenty. To those who are named among the number who fought and struggled against the stubborn forces of nature that Hall County might blossom fair and prosper and take its place among the first ranks of its 253 sister counties in this great state, the pioneer edition of The Democrat will bring back ten thousand memories of other and happy days when Youth walked hand in hand with them and life's shadows fell long to the west. To the pioneers, the pioneer edition is a salute from The Democrat. May Hall County always be as you made it, may it always justify the effort you have expended and the privations you have suffered to bring to it the beauty and prosperity it now enjoys. May its fertile fields always abound in plenty as a tribute to you.

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VOTING IN THE ELECTION

SATURDAY, JULY 23, the people of Texas will go to the polls and make their choice of who will be eligible to be in the second Democratic primary. Having a voice in the manner in which our government is run by voting is one of the birthrights of American citizens, so it is not only a privilege that is granted to the citizens of our great nation, but a duty that they should perform. Our forebears fought on bloody battle fields for the right for themselves and for their posterity to express their choice of who would guide the destiny of their government. At such a price of blood, every citizen, worthy of the name of an American, should exercise this right to vote.

The Democrat has never, and does not now, offer any suggestion to its readers to vote for any certain candidate in the coming election. However, it does urge all citizens to go to the polls July 23 and cast their vote so that the result of the election will truly be "the voice of the people."

ANTELOPE FLAT

By GUSSIE MARIE BULLOCK

Mrs. Cloe Ford of Amarillo spent several days this week with Mr. and Mrs. S. A. James.

Mrs. C. C. Brown returned from Wellington Thursday where she has been at the bedside of her father, Ellis Akins.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bullock and children left Friday for Fort Worth, Wintershire and other points in the east to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sanders of Alby are visiting their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sanders.

S. A. James, Mrs. W. H. Merrill and Miss Emma Bullock were business visitors in Memphis Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kaykendall of Forestburg have been visiting their grandson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wilsey Barclay.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Barton and Linda Jerome of Austin left for their home Saturday afternoon after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Eiden and other relatives here.

Mrs. Ruth Eay and son, Richard Dean of Brice spent Sunday with friends here.

Mrs. John Eise and son, Beverly and daughters, Joan and Easona of Paloduro spent Sunday at the W. N. Bullock home.

Miss Gussie Bullock who has spent several weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Eise of Paloduro returned home Sunday for a few days' stay.

Among those visiting the JA check wagon here Sunday were Clint Small, Jake Hones, L. E. Graham, W. Coffey, Jr., R. M. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Don Alexander, Mrs. Billy McDaniell and baby of Silverton.

W. N. Bullock and daughter, Gussie, and son Earl, were in Memphis Sunday.

J. W. Kent and son Foyne of Paloduro attended to business here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. James and children, Mrs. W. H. Merrill and Mrs. Cloe Ford went to Amarillo Monday.

Dan Nelson Dean is visiting friends in Amarillo this week and heard the President speak there.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Dean and children, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Evans and children, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brown and children were among those that heard President Roosevelt speak at Clarendon.

WEBSTER

By NELL COCHRANE

Rev. L. T. Hoeggett preached here Sunday night.

Vernon Orrell has returned from Fort Worth, where he has been attending school.

Bob Oliver spent most of last week here visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams and daughters and Miss Evelyn Wallace made a trip to Clarendon Monday to hear President Roosevelt speak.

A truck load of young people went on a picnic to Roadside Park Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Henry spent last week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Henry near Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Robertson spent Saturday night as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Alexander.

Mrs. Lee Risinger and daughter Billy Bob left Saturday to join Mr. Risinger in California, where they will make their home.

Bob Oliver and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Robertson and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stowers near Wellington Wednesday at last week.

Miss Anabel Durbam of Amarillo is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Durbam.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Robertson and son Donald were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Alexander and daughter were visitors here Sunday.

Speaks Saturday For Governorship

James A. Ferguson of Bell County, candidate for the Governorship of Texas, presented his own joint platform to the voters of Hall County Saturday morning, speaking on the west side of the county over loudspeakers through the facilities of his public address system at 10:30 o'clock. Mr. Ferguson outlined in his campaign program the necessity of a tax-reduction and stated that he was in favor of reducing all taxes imposed on the citizenry of Texas at least 25 per cent. Mr. Ferguson spoke in favor of local self government, of doubling the limit on trucks, and recommending that the automobile license fee in Texas be reduced to one cent a day.

A feature of the gathering was a trumpet solo played by Louis Cox, director of the famous White Horse Band of Bell County, who is on tour with Mr. Ferguson on his campaign trip.

Rev. and Mrs. Sam Young and family of Sweetwater visited with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Chas. Young, in Lakeview Monday and Tuesday. Rev. Young is presiding elder of the Sweetwater District.

The People's Choice

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Paragraphs Culled from The Democrat's Exchanges

What every woman knows: The only thing that travels faster than light, to the feminine mind, is a run in the stocking.—Floyd County Hospitant.

Modernization: Folks, I'm accused of being old-fashioned. The truth is I'm not. There is no human living that's any more modern than I am. Last week I went down and bought me a pair of these new fangled socks. They are the ankle length kind. The color is baby blue with red dots on a

white background. And I've got me a new polka dot shirt, white level cloth trousers, with other accessories to match. The whole outfit cost me almost ten bucks. There is just about one pound of cotton in the whole outfit. The farmer got about six cents for this cotton and I got it back for ten dollars. If that ain't modernism good and plenty, I don't know anything about being modern.—D. A. Davis in McLean News.

The back side of love may be used as a grater to scrape the hide from off the soul.—Douglas Meador in Matador-Tribune.

Cotton Laboratory: California and Arizona, two fast-growing cotton states in the Western Belt, are supporting Texas as the logical location for the Federal research cotton laboratory.

The 1938 farm bill provided \$4,000,000 for four regional laboratories, to be located in the four distinct geographical sections of the country, to find uses for agricultural products. Funds have been made available by Congress.

The California-Arizona Cotton Association recently adopted a resolution to support Texas for one of the laboratories. Rightly, too, for Texas is the largest state in the union, is one of the largest cotton producing states, and has worked hardest on establishment of a laboratory to find new uses for its cotton; like California and Arizona, it needs additional domestic outlets to offset losses in foreign markets.—Paducah Post.

The Governor's Race: E. O. Thompson, Lee O'Daniel, Otis McCraw: That three-line description of

the Texas gubernatorial campaign after the Hill Billy's invasion of Austin to speak to a crowd of 22,000 was attributed to Senator Will Page in Austin the other night. From all we could gather from this distance, it pretty well epitomizes talk in political circles. The amazing comeback of the new demagogue after it was believed his non-payment of his poll tax had eliminated him appeared to leave the political wiseacres at fault on their backs as Louis left Schmeitzler... at any rate, whether political observers are right or not, the hill billy's antics have put a zest into the gubernatorial campaign that is apt to keep it stirring from now on out.—Greenham Banner-Press.

Tax Division: Recently I stated that 30 per cent of all tax money went for just three things. Here are the figures as compiled by George Shepard, state comptroller. The highways take 36 and 3-4 per cent. The schools take 21 per cent—39.96 to be exact. The pensions and relief slightly over 14 per cent. The total for these three things is a slightly over 82 per cent, leaving a little less than eighteen per cent for all other functions, such as asylums, penitentiaries, legislative, judiciary, executive, regulations, etc. Remember these things when any candidate tells you that he is going to cut down taxes, but that he doesn't intend to reduce road building, school work or pensions.—Deskman Wells in Wellington Leader.

COUNTY COURT: County court will open here Monday morning, it has been announced. A short term is indicated by a very light civil and criminal docket.

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Sergeant, Dallas spoke in Memphis at 10 o'clock candidate of didate for the Texas. ent, in address- ty voters, who court house m, stated that an advocate of would result in ructer and the governmental for direct an- question of pay- ment and teach- by which tax- farms will be Sergeant point- er the proposal wley if elected, y corporations y \$120,000,000 as' natural re-

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### Memphis Woman Honored For School Record

#### Miss Margaret Milam Is Placed on Special Roll For Exceptional Work

Notification has been forwarded here to Miss Margaret Milam from Texas State College for Women (CIA), Denton, that she has been placed on the Special Honor Roll of the school for exceptional work done during the last semester. The information was issued from the office of Dr. E. V. White, dean of the college.

Miss Milam, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Milam of Memphis, made 2.1 times as many grade points as she did credit hours during the semester and that her work amounted to more than nine credit hours toward her degree.

Miss Milam has taught in the Goldston, Donley County, school, and is noted through the county for her beautiful singing voice. She is at home with her parents here this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Kesterson and W. C. Chapman went to Plainview Sunday after Dorothy Ray and Doris Kesterson, who were in Plainview visiting with their sister Mildred Kesterson.

### Golf Ball Shaped Egg Laid by Hen In Eli Community

The Red Leghorn hens at the home of Mrs. J. T. Nelson, The Democrat's Eli correspondent, have definite ideas as to the shape an egg should be. The Nelson hens prefer the golf-ball or round type of egg, proof being submitted Saturday by Mrs. Nelson who visited The Democrat office and brought with her a round egg, about the size of a golf ball. The unusual egg is on display at The Democrat office and may be examined by those who would like to see this curiosity.

### Methodist Revival Grows in Interest In Second Week

#### Piano Playing of Ten-Year- Old Memphis Boy Is Meeting Feature; Bible Class Is Large

Large crowds have been attending the series of revival services now in progress at the First Methodist Church here, according to the Rev. O. W. Carter, pastor, who states that exceptional crowds characterized both the Sunday morning and Sunday evening services. The Rev. Mr. Carter states that a large number of responses to the invitations extended in the series of meetings have been received and that he is well pleased with the progress that is being made in this evangelical effort.

The Rev. Kermit Hollingsworth of the Southern Methodist University Theological Seminary at Dallas is in charge of the music and is making great progress with the choir, states the Rev. Mr. Carter. A feature of the revival meeting this week is the piano playing of Rayburn Jones, 10 year old Memphis boy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Jones, who is leading the instrumental music at all of the services.

The Rev. Mr. Carter states that he was well pleased with the vacation bible school for children that is being conducted in connection with the revival meeting. The classes are being held each morning in the church building, and according to the Rev. Mr. Carter, the attendance is well over the hundred mark and interest in this phase of the revival work is growing in interest daily.

The meeting will continue through Sunday, the Rev. Mr. Carter states, and on into next week and possibly the week following if interest continues to grow.

Miss Thursa Mae Turner of Pampa spent Sunday and Monday here visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Turner.

### Taxes in City Are Lower Than In Nearby Towns

#### Economy Observed Here To Keep Memphis Out of Financial Straits

By observing the strictest of economy, the City of Memphis is financially sound, according to W. V. Coursey, city assessor and collector of taxes, who states that the 1937 taxes were 78.45 per cent collected July 1. The city government has been forced to make all the retrenchment possible to keep within its income and through such efforts has been able to keep the city business affairs out of the red, he stated.

The assessed valuation of Memphis property, according to records in Mr. Coursey's office, is \$2,611,535. On this valuation Memphians are taxed at the rate of \$1 per hundred.

Further records from Mr. Coursey's office reveal that nearby towns have higher rates than those charged in Memphis. Clarendon has an assessed valuation of \$1,704,450 with a tax rate of \$1.24 and Childress, with an assessed valuation of \$4,371,891 has a tax rate of \$1.86.

Other West Texas towns having similar assessments to Memphis, according to Mr. Coursey's records, are Quanah with an assessment of \$2,426,176 and a tax rate of \$1.25 and Dalhart with an assessment of \$2,732,437 and a tax rate of \$1.50.

#### AT COLLEGE STATION

R. E. L. Pattillo, Hall County farm agent, returned Wednesday from Texas A. & M. College, College Station, where he has been attending the annual summer Farmer's Short Course. Mr. Pattillo also attended a special meeting of county agents from all over Texas while at the short course. Mr. Pattillo went to College Station Thursday, July 7.

Mr. Bill Kesterson and son Bill George went to Fort Worth Friday for a visit of several days.

### License Law Is Being Violated

Owners of tailor shops, grocery stores, laundries and other small businesses should warn their delivery boys that a commercial or chauffeur's license should be obtained before driving a delivery truck or car, stated State Highway Patrolman Ralph W. Robertson of Childress who made his regular visit to Memphis Tuesday. Patrolman Robertson keeps an office in the Commissioner's Court room in the county courthouse Tuesday of each week from 9 a. m. until 12 noon, to issue driver's license to Hall County citizens.

Mr. Robertson stated that many small businesses were violating the drivers' license law by not having the operators of their delivery vehicles secure a commercial driver's license. Making deliveries in a private car without a commercial license is also a common violation of the motor vehicle registration law, observed Mr. Robertson. However, Mr. Robertson pointed out, the registration regulations and the issuance of driver's license were in no manner connected.

Farmers driving their own vehicles and hauling products grown on their farms do not need a commercial driver's license, but their vehicles must be registered under the special farm registration provisions, according to Mr. Robertson.

Violation of the registration law and of the drivers' license law, according to Mr. Robertson carries a heavy penalty ranging up to \$200 and court costs. The commercial driver's license costs only \$3 and is good for one year from date of issue, and Mr. Robertson recommends that small businesses who are probably unknowingly violating this law, secure the proper license for their delivery men.

### Locals and Personals

Miss Hazel Davis of Fort Worth arrived in Memphis Sunday for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Harry Delaney, at 721 West Harrison street.

J. C. (Jake) Webster went to Fort Worth Saturday and spent until Tuesday on business. He has accepted a position with the Cogdell Auto Supply Co. of Fort Worth and will make trips to towns in Hall and adjoining counties.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Partain spent Sunday in Childress visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Partain and her sister Miss Julia Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hood and son Billy went to Turkey Sunday and Billy went from there with his uncle to Carlsbad to visit his grandfather, Walter Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Spoon and children went to Gainesville Sunday to visit until Friday. Mrs. W. C. Smith and daughter Naomi went with them as far as Deatur to visit their mother and grandmother, Mrs. B. S. Moser.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed McCreary and family have returned from their vacation spent near Gunnison, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Ellison of Pampa spent Sunday here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Doss.

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It ain't worth it"**

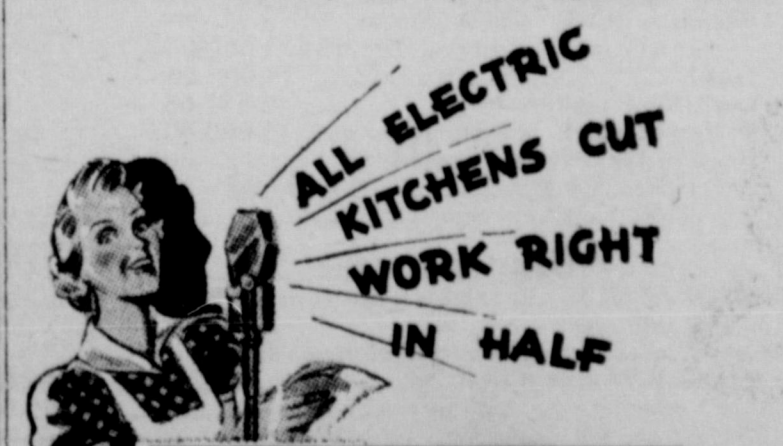
It, perhaps, seems like a simple transaction: but, in order to perform the work of providing the electric service you demand, this company is forced to employ approximately 1,000 men and women to whom it paid over \$1,200,000 in wages during 1937. As a citizen and property-owner in every community it serves, it paid the equivalent of \$9.25 in taxes per customer in 1937.

By maintaining three centrally-located power generating stations, it eliminates the necessity for less-efficient, isolated and expensive small

plants in each community. Its 2,000 miles of high tension transmission lines are interconnected with still other sources of electric power so that failure of any one, or all three, of its own plants means only temporary interruption of the service you have learned to demand.

Efficiency in operation of this system of power plants and transmission and distribution lines permits rendition of electric service at its present low cost. The "manner of performing work" allows this company to render the good service you are receiving at an average net residential RATE BELOW THE AVERAGE!

We want you to know we are glad to render this service, "supplying and furnishing that which meets a demand," and we invite you to use this service freely.



## West Texas Utilities Company

**FOLLOW THE PLEASURE TRAIL TO  
CHILDRESS  
Golden Jubilee  
CHAMPIONSHIP  
Rodeo**

MONDAY AFTERNOON and NITE  
2:30 P. M. 8:30 P. M.  
TUESDAY AFTERNOON  
2:30 P. M.

**\$600.00 in Cash Prizes!**

**10TH PIONEER PARADE — Monday at Noon**

**ENTERTAINMENT FOR EVERYONE ALL DAY AND FAR INTO THE NIGHT**

from Our Mammoth Down-Town Sound Stage!

**LIGHTCRUST DOUGHBOYS — Tuesday at Noon**  
BROADCASTING THEIR REGULAR PROGRAM OVER TQN STATIONS

**OLD FIDDLERS' CONTEST — \$50.00 in Cash Prizes**

**BAND CONTEST — 9 BANDS COMPETING**  
\$250.00 IN CASH PRIZES.

**OLD TIMERS' DANCE CONTEST**  
TUESDAY, 9:00 P. M.—\$120.00 in Cash Prizes!!

**RELIGIOUS OBSERVANCE — OLD TIME SINGING**  
ALL CHURCHES SUNDAY, JULY 17TH

**West Texas' Greatest Celebration in 1938"**

Isador Martin returned Saturday to his home.

**SOCIETY.**

**Betty Johnson And June Jarrell Party Honorees Wednesday**

Rebecca Ray Weaver and Ann Maxwell entertained a group of friends Wednesday evening with a swimming party and picnic supper at Brookhollow Country Club honoring Betty Johnson on the occasion of her sixteenth birthday and June Jarrell, who is visiting in Memphis from Wellington.

In the group were Doris Jo Vallance, Owen Gilmore, Louise Gowan, Evelyn Selby, Charlotte Coursey, Bobby Dee Wood, Doris Ann Odum, James Fultz, Eugene Lindsey, Eddie Johnson, Jack Hamilton, Sidney Mayfield, J. J. Simon, Burl Springer, Kermit Monzingo, Fred Champion, J. C. McClure, Rebecca Ray Weaver, Ann Maxwell, Betty Johnson and June Jarrell.

**Miss Audrey Bumpass And Leroy Russell Marry in Dallas**

Announcements have been received in Memphis of the marriage of Miss Audrey Bumpass to Leroy Russell on Saturday morning, July 9, which took place in Dallas.

Mrs. Russell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bumpass of Farmersville and has visited here with her aunt, Mrs. D. A. Neeley a number of times. Mrs. Bumpass formerly lived in Memphis and will be remembered as Omega Womble.



**EXPERT TRUSS FITTING**

**WE GUARANTEE TO FIT AND GIVE YOU COMFORT**

**PRIVATE FITTING ROOM**

**DURHAM-JONES PHARMACY**

**Palace**

THURSDAY LAST DAY  
Loretta Young and Richard Greene in  
"4 Men and a Prayer"

FRIDAY and SATURDAY  
Richard Dix in  
"Blind Alibi"

10c Admission 15c

PREVUE SAT. NITE., SUNDAY and MONDAY  
Sonja Henie and Don Ameche in  
"Happy Landing"

TUES., WED., and THURS.  
Luise Rainer, Robt. Young and Melvyn Douglas in  
"The Toy Wife"

**Ritz**

THURSDAY LAST DAY  
Boris Karloff and Marie Wilson in  
"INVISIBLE MENACE"

10c Admission 15c

10c FRIDAY 10c  
Otto Kruger in  
"Counsel for Crime"

10c SATURDAY 15c  
Bob Baker in  
"Western Trails"

Comedy and Serial

PREVUE SAT. NITE., SUNDAY and MONDAY  
WILL ROGERS in  
"Life Begins at 40"

TUES., WED., and THURS.  
Wyn Cahoon and Scott Colton in  
"Women in Prison"

**SIGHTS & SOUNDS About Town**

Carl Periman discussing "sixty-cent" Rotarians.

"King" Cole looking for his keys.

N. W. "Bull" Durham, telling one about the livestock exhibit at the state fair.

Jim King passing the time of day with friends along West Main street.

Carroll Snyers inviting "the boys" in for a conference at the chamber of commerce office.

Rev. Cargill pointing with pride to his lawn. And a nice lawn, too, that shows signs of lots of work having been expended on it.

Judge M. O. Goodpasture discussing the "situation" with a friend.

E. M. Ewen, president of the Old Settler's Association, making plans for the July 27 celebration.

T. E. Noel applying for a copy of his driver's license and telling about his Colorado fishing trip at the same time.

H. J. Gore boarding the school bus full of band youngsters on their way to play for the President at Amarillo.

J. E. "Monk" Harper explaining to Dr. O. R. Goodall his new duties as the Volunteer Fire Department's newly elected physician.

W. V. Coursey digging through the old city records looking for information for The Democrat's Pioneer Edition.

R. A. Massey leaving the firemen's meeting while his fire boys re-elected him chief.

Rev. Joe Findley explaining that being the speaker at the Rotary program did not excuse him from washing dishes after the Rotary luncheon held at his church.

The Memphis school board enjoying a "coke" at the Barnes grocery after a meeting in the secretary's office.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to express to our friends and neighbors our thanks and appreciation for the many kindnesses shown us during the illness and at the passing of our dear wife and mother. Especially do we thank those who sent flowers emblematic of the sweetness of her life. Words are inadequate to express our feeling toward you for your many thoughtful deeds and it is our wish that the same kindness be shown you and that God's richest blessings be with you when sorrow crosses your threshold.

A. G. Powell and Children.

**TEXAS THEATRE MEMPHIS**

FRIDAY and SATURDAY  
JACK RANDALL in  
"MAN'S COUNTRY"

Also "The Lone Ranger" and "Gracie at the Bat."

ADMISSION 10c and 15c

COMING — Gene Autry's Latest Picture, "GOLD MINE IN THE SKY"

**CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING**

**For Rent**

FOR RENT—Rooms furnished or unfurnished at old City Dairy. Phone 193J. 51-6p

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Phone 141. tf

FOR RENT—Unfurnished five-room dwelling in good location. Phone 250. tf

**Miscellaneous**

FOR TRADE—Battery set radio or electric refrigerator for piano or cow. Raymond Bailew. 1-tfc

ROOM AND BOARD at 1316 West Main street. Ask for Mrs. Moseley. 1c

T. J. COCHRAN is buying hogs in Memphis on the California Market each Wednesday paying highest prices possible. Phone 193J. 51-6p

**Special Notices**

NOTICE—From now until August 1 we will sell you a new mattress for \$4, cash. G. G. Perkins & Son. 3-3tc

**PERSONALS**

Tug Sanders returned to his home in Dallas Wednesday after a week's visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Sanders.

Mrs. J. M. Elliott went to Vernon Wednesday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Ed Teer.

Mrs. R. T. Cole who has been visiting her son R. A. Cole and family here for several weeks left today for Quanah to visit her son B. D. Cole before returning to her home in Hico.

J. F. Forkner was taken suddenly ill Tuesday and has been in a serious condition since at his home at 623 West Robertson street.

Mrs. W. C. Chapman and son Cullin went to Post Tuesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Robert A. Davis. They will visit relatives in Spur and friends in Lubbock before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Crow and daughter Charlotte of Abernathy came Tuesday and spent until Thursday here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Crow. Mr. Crow, former operator of the Memphis shows, is operator for the Rita Theatre in Abernathy.

Mrs. M. L. Rogers returned to her home in Plainview Sunday after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Crow.

J. E. King and Carroll Snyers went to Amarillo Monday to hear President Roosevelt speak.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wadsworth of Graham visited here Saturday for a time with Mrs. W. L. Wheat, en route to Colorado on a vacation trip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Roberts returned to their home in Abilene Sunday after a visit here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Denny.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Mahan of Childress were Memphis visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Isham and her mother, Mrs. J. D. Guinn spent Thursday of last week in Amarillo.

Ira Neeley, with the Memphis Production Credit Association, is on his vacation and left Sunday for Fort Worth for a few days' visit.

Rev. G. S. Hardy and Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Allensworth of Clarendon spent Wednesday in Memphis as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hardy.

Mrs. T. M. McMurry went to Dumas Saturday for a visit with her daughter Mrs. Albert Powell and other relatives.

Joe Payne and son Bob of Byers visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. Carroll Snyers, here Tuesday. They were en route to Claude.

Mrs. Ward Hicks and daughter Lucy Ann of McLean came Saturday and spent until Wednesday here with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Hudgins.

Mrs. Allan Potter of Amarillo was the week-end guest of Mrs. Tom Isham.

Mrs. Clyde Reed and daughter Darlein returned Saturday from a trip to the Carlsbad Cavern. They went with Mr. and Mrs. Kern from Sunray.

R. P. Martin has been ill at his home on South Seventh street for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Buchanan went to Clovis Saturday and visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Buchanan until Monday.

Miss Mildred Lamb accompanied them as far as Amarillo and spent the time as the guest of Mrs. Chas. Whitley.

Helen Braye of Wichita Falls came Sunday and is the house guest of her cousin, Betty Frances Fultz.

Mr. and Mrs. Cordell Goodpasture left Friday of last week for their home in Kansas City after a few days' visit here with his parents, Judge and Mrs. M. O. Goodpasture.

Mrs. A. W. Howard and daughter Gloria Virginia returned Saturday from Amarillo where Mrs. Howard has been at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. P. M. Rector who has been very ill for the past six weeks. Mr. Howard went for them and they returned by the Howard ranch and spent several days.

Mrs. M. F. Rosenbaum and daughter Mrs. Laura Worley and her son Bobby Frank, returned to their home in Pauls Valley, Okla., Sunday after a visit here with Mrs. Rosenbaum's daughter, Mrs. W. H. Sims and granddaughter, Mrs. A. E. Osborn. Mrs. Sims and Mrs. Osborn and daughter Billie Mignon accompanied them home for a visit.

Mrs. R. L. Robertson and children, Bobby Annett and Billy, returned home Saturday from a visit with relatives in Fort Worth, Denton, Garland and other points.

Miss Imogene King and Miss Helen Boswell went to Amarillo Monday to hear President Roosevelt speak.

Mrs. Joe DeBerry, who is attending the summer session at West Texas State College in Canyon, spent last week-end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard C. Weatherby of Shamrock spent last week-end in Memphis as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Weatherby. Mr. Weatherby is agriculture teacher in the Shamrock school.

Dr. and Mrs. C. Z. Stidham and Mrs. Claud Johnson were among those who went to Amarillo Monday to hear President Roosevelt speak.

Mrs. D. M. Wiggins of Gainesville and Mrs. H. E. Eldridge and daughters, Winnie Maude and Henrietta, of New Orleans arrived in Memphis Tuesday for a visit with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. C. E. Anthony.

Mrs. Carroll Snyers visited in Amarillo and Crosbyton Monday.

Mrs. D. C. Worsham, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Worsham and baby of Enid, Okla., Mack Worsham, Nick Redkoles and Walter Olson of Penns., N. J., arrived Monday for a visit with Mrs. D. C. Worsham's daughter, Mrs. Del E. Wells of Lakeview and her brothers, Ira and D. A. Neeley of this city.

Mrs. D. C. Worsham and family lived in Memphis for a number of years before moving to Enid.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Webster, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pool and daughter, Mrs. Frances Anthony, Mrs. E. T. Prater and daughters, Mrs. Coy Davis, Genevieve and Billy Jo Prater, C. W. Crawford, Bill Anthony, and John Deaver were among those who went to Clarendon Monday afternoon to see and hear President Roosevelt speak.

Mrs. Mack Wilson, who underwent a major operation in a San Antonio hospital three weeks ago, is reported to be improving satisfactorily. She has been dismissed from the hospital and moved to the home of her sister in San Antonio where she is convalescing. It will be several weeks before she will be able to return home, Mr. Wilson stated.

Henry Bird of Oklahoma City and Nick Taylor of Childress were Memphis business visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Leffew and Mrs. Coy Rich left Wednesday for their home in Santa Maria, Calif., after a visit of four weeks here with relatives. Mrs. Susie Davenport accompanied them and will spend several weeks there visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Coldiron.

Ozma Fowler of Lakeview was a week-end guest in the home of Mrs. S. W. Black.

Mrs. L. D. Pierce and daughter Kathleen of Altus, Okla., came Tuesday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. D. H. Arnold. Mr. Pierce, E. S. Shelley and son John brought them to Memphis and visited for a short time with Mrs. Arnold.

Mrs. Janice Martindale, who underwent a tonsil operation at a local hospital Sunday, is recovering nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Lewallen spent from Saturday until Tuesday here with her sister, Mrs. Jack Boone. They were en route from a vacation trip in Colorado to their home in Houston. Their niece Leah Ellen Younts of Robstown, who had been visiting Mrs. Boone for two weeks returned home with them.

Mrs. E. T. Prater and daughter Billy Jo spent Friday of last week in Amarillo.

A. Anisman spent Wednesday and Thursday of this week in Pampa and Berger on business.

Gerald Mabry left Tuesday for Shafter after a two-week visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Mabry. Mr. Mabry is employed with the American Metal Co. at Shafter.

Mrs. Thomas Hampton, Mrs. C. R. Burks, Kathryn Reynolds and Katherine Patton were visitors in Amarillo Monday and Tuesday. They went to hear President Roosevelt speak.

J. P. Godfrey made a business trip to Pampa Wednesday.

Mrs. Elmo Whaley, Mrs. Jess Posey, Miss Ruth Whaley, P. F. Craver Jr. and Patty Nell Craver were visitors in Amarillo Wednesday.

Miss Cornelia McCanne will arrive Saturday from Houston to spend a two-week vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McCanne. Miss McCanne is secretary at Wallworth Co. in Houston.

Mrs. Roy Leverett passed through Memphis Wednesday en route to her home in Amarillo from Shreveport. Mrs. Leverett had been at the bedside of her father, Henry Baldwin, for several weeks and reports his condition much improved.

Mrs. C. F. Wilson is reported very ill at her home, 121 North Fourteenth street.

Tommie Perkins of Clarendon was a visitor in Memphis Thursday.

Owen Gilmore returned Tuesday from a visit with relatives in Turkey.

Nina Ruth Nelson and Marie Rasco were visitors in Quitaque Tuesday.

Charter No. 6107 Reserve District No. 11

**REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK**

of Memphis in the State of Texas, at the close of business on June 30th, 1938, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
Loans and discounts	\$430,205.50
Overdrafts	120.08
United States Government obligations, direct and fully guaranteed	35,300.00
Other bonds, stocks, and securities	87,937.14
Banking house, \$33,000.00 Furniture and fixtures, \$5,000	38,000.00
Real estate owned other than banking house	22,006.00
Reserve with Federal Reserve bank	105,607.54
Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	86,037.93
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$805,214.19</b>
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$542,067.93
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	50,861.86
State, county, and municipal deposits	80,401.96
Deposits of other banks, including certified and cashier's checks outstanding	6,984.76
Deposits secured by pledge of loans and investments	\$ 17,354.42
Deposits not secured by pledge of loans and investments	662,962.09
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	<b>\$680,316.51</b>
Dividends declared but not yet payable and amounts set aside for dividends not declared	360.00
Capital account:	
Class A preferred stock, 1920 shares, par \$12.50 per share, redeemable at \$12.50 per share	
Common stock, 4,000 shares, par \$12.50 per share	\$74,000.00
Surplus	25,000.00
Undivided profits—net	9,537.68
Preferred stock retirement fund	15,000.00
Reserve for dividend payable in common stock	1,000.00
<b>Total Capital Account</b>	<b>124,537.68</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$805,214.19</b>
<b>MEMORANDUM: Loans and Investments Pledged to Secure Liabilities:</b>	
United States Government obligations, direct and fully guaranteed	\$ 3,000.00
Other bonds, stocks, and securities	15,695.91
<b>Total Pledged (excluding Rediscounts)</b>	<b>\$18,695.91</b>
<b>Pledged:</b>	
Against State, county, and municipal deposits	\$18,695.91
<b>TOTAL PLEDGED</b>	<b>\$18,695.91</b>

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

T. H. DEAVER, Cashier.  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of July, 1938.  
(SEAL) E. M. Johnston, Notary Public.  
CORRECT—ATTEST—  
Thos. E. Noel, D. L. C. Kinard, S. S. Montgomery, Directors.

**John Deaver**

—for—

**District Attorney**

Do not be misguided . . . vote for the man who will serve you best!

A record of convictions that has not been excelled in this district.

Honest! Fair! Impartial!

Stand by a man who offers you better equipment, more experience and harder work!

Weigh the solid accomplishments of your present District Attorney against the promises of his opponent!

Your present District Attorney has the full cooperation of the Court and the Officers Law Enforcement!

A man for the job is the man who has proved he can do the job!

Why Experiment!

**VOTE FOR JOHN DEAVER**

Candidate for District Attorney

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