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On the LEVEL

Due to the fact that one reader of this page, B. R. Atkinson of Timmons, South Carolina, likes the "On the Level" column enough to write a letter asking to be published, I am going to surprise the readers and continue the column during the year 1930. I am making no predictions of what will contain, but I will say that I am going to call a spade by its real name and not one that sounds as sweet, whatever that may mean, if anything.

Several of my friends have been making resolutions for the new year. Skinny told me on his arrival in the city from his honeymoon that he had lived in his heart never to marry again. It seems to be a pretty good resolution, judged from several angles and I believe he intends to keep it.

Of course, I have made several resolutions, but I do not suppose they will be of general interest. For that reason I am enumerating them in the column. I have learned that the best place in the cemetery to bury something so that it will never see the light of day is to find a column, such as this one, and stick it in. That is exactly what I am doing, for better or for worse.

I begin with my first resolution to stop smoking more than sixteen different brands of cigars. When I go in a drug store or pharmacy, I am never able to find the brand I prefer. The clerk merely hands me a box and I take a cigar and that is the end of the matter unless I forget to give him a dime. In such a case, I remember what I came in for.

My second resolution is to stop playing society so much. I had my annual date on Christmas Eve and it must be me until next Christmas. I will go to a very nicely arranged musicale recently which was arranged by Lyman Robbins trying to sing "My Mother's Eyes." If his mother could have heard him, she's most certainly would have cried. I almost felt like doing so, but restrained myself in the nick of time. He has a sad voice. In fact, it is quite sad.

Playing society never has appealed particularly to my sense of humor. I do not dance and I know few parlor tricks. Being a social outcast has more than one compensation. Nothing is ever expected of me in a social way and I never expect anything and everybody is happy. I would not give up my life of contentment and dull monotony for all the dancing partners and bridge experts in the universe. I'm funny that way, I suppose, but I doubt if I'll ever outlive my inclinations and aversions.

My third resolution of the New Year (Continued on page 5)

Former Operator Of Transfer Co. Here Leaves For Crowell

Coy Harris, former operator of the Coy Harris Transfer in this city, left last week for Crowell, where he will be located in business from this time on. Harris has been in the transfer business in Memphis for several years. He will work in the Pierce Wholesale Oil and Gas Company at Crowell. Harris Huckaby, formerly employed by the Leverett-Williams Agency, has taken over the transfer business which has been operated by Harris. Huckaby is known locally, having been in various lines of business in the city for a number of years. He plans to have headquarters at Green-Shop, where he will have customers of company call upon him in need of his services.

Presbyterian Scout Troop Explorations

Boy Scout Troop First Presbyterian Church, Memphis, has just returned from an exploratory trip to the west. The trip was under the direction of Scoutmaster Dr. J. Hardin. The Scouts spent the week on the west side of the city, exploring a spring branch stock corral. A mile was taken to the canyon section of the trip and the goal and obstacle in the canyon walls were never tackled. It was stated that no such feat by blooded Scouts.

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CO. SHOWING NEW FORDS

Many Changes Made Are In Bodies For 1930

Presentation of new and smarter body types and a group of new colors for the Model A. Ford was begun Tuesday by Earl Parker, local Ford dealer, who emphasized the fact that no mechanical change is contemplated in the car because of the thoroughly satisfactory performance it has been giving.

He described the car as follows: "Redesigned along ultra modern lines, the new bodies will have a distinctly refreshing appearance, with all the beauty and charm of contour, line and proportion usually associated only with custom coachwork and large cars.

Entire Front Raised
"The entire front of the Model A is raised and in beautiful proportion to the new body types. Moulding treatment is new, and fenders are of more generous dimensions, flowing with the lines of the car. A new treatment in the contour and sweep of the bodies, with a graceful forward pitch, gives the impression of fleetness.

"Every line from the flat radiator cap to the tip of the low, graceful curve of the rear fenders is new, clear cut and extremely smart.

"Rustless steel will be used for radiator shell, headlamps, hub caps,—all are bright and shining, and will stay so, for in this rustless steel the chromium is not on the outside, like a thin veneer, but is alloyed with the iron. Moisture, whether from water, steam, ice or snow will not rust it.

Change in Radiator
"Perhaps the most striking change to catch the eye is the new radiator. Still retaining the Ford individuality, the contour of the shell is extremely attractive, blending beautifully with the new fender lines and other changes. The top follows somewhat the lines of the old shell, with narrower lines down each side, which curve into a juncture at the start of opening in the center of the lower section.

"The general effect is one of greater height and less width, which, combined with the sweeping curves, contributes much to the trimness and smartness of the whole car.

"This effect is heightened by a sturdy tie rod, finished in black enamel, which rises in a graceful arch from each fender. It supports the license bracket, and the headlights, which are higher than before.

Sturdier, Smaller Wheels
"Additional strength has been built into the body by the construction of the cowl, the sides of which extend in one piece up along the windshield pillar to the room line. Not only does this give sturdiness, but it reduces the possibility of squeaks. While cowl lights are standard equipment only on the Town Sedan and Cabriolet, all body types have been wired for them, and they may be installed at small cost.

"A sturdy, compact design of the wheels has been produced. They are smaller in diameter and consequently nearer the road. As before, they are made complete, in one piece, all of the steel spokes being electrically welded to the hub shell and rim. The angle at which the spokes are placed helps to distribute the force of road shocks and gives greater strength.

Easy Riding Qualities
"With the use of the smaller wheel the tire size has been increased from 4.50x21 balloon to 4.75x19 balloon. This adds to the comfort of the passengers in a car already remarkable for its easy riding qualities.

"A variety of colors has been added and may be obtained by the purchaser without additional cost. Much study has been given to this matter and an especial effort

Well Balanced Meals Served Family Style

Mrs. Templeton 914 West Main

due to please women

The most notable changes in the body types have been made in the Tudor Sedan, the Coupes and the open cars.

Tudor Sedan, Roomier
"The Tudor Sedan, most popular of the five passenger closed cars is longer. More room has been given for occupants of the rear compartment. Access is easier around the folding seats in front. In its exterior appearance, the car is much improved. It still retains the crown roof effect with rounded corners on the rear quarter, the beauty of which is accentuated by new body belt and moulding treatment.

"The Coupe is entirely new, with lower roof line. French roof quarters emphasize the low effect and the long lines of the new moulding on the rear deck adds much to the smart appearance of the car. No headroom has been sacrificed inside by lowering the roof line, and driving is made more comfortable by an adjustable seat.

Open Cars Are New
"The Sport Coupe, which has a rumble seat as standard equipment, has all the lower body lines of the coupe. The two open cars, Phaeton and Roadster, are entirely new in design, with long, lower lines and more beautiful appearance.

"On these cars, the new moulding, flowing back from the radiator, joins the body belt in a panel at the cowl, giving a streamline effect.

"No change will be made in the price of the various types." "Every change in the New Ford for 1930 is visible. No major mechanical change has been made because the New Ford's two-year record of proven durability and stamina make this unnecessary."

Mrs. Q. Street of Graham, is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wheat this week.

Mac Wheat of Lubbock spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wheat.

Holmes McNeely, who has been in Memphis spending the holidays with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. M. McNeely, returned to Abilene Wednesday to attend Simmons University.

Gate City Pasturized Sweetmilk delivered anywhere in city 15

Mrs. Roscoe Ellerd Claimed By Death

Mrs. Roscoe Ellerd, 26 years of age, died in a local hospital Saturday morning of last week at 5:35 o'clock, after a lingering illness. She was born on August 26, 1903 in Limestone County and was married to Roscoe Ellerd on June 16, 1921.

Funeral services were held at the First Christian church in Memphis Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, being conducted by Lester W. Fisher, minister of the Seventh and Brice Streets Church of Christ, her pastor.

Mrs. Ellerd is survived by her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Will Rogers, two children, 7 and

age respectively, one brother and two town relatives who attended the funeral were Mrs. Ellerd of Kansas City; Mr. S. A. K. Ellerd of Shamrock; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Ellerd of Shamrock; Bill Ellerd of Shamrock; Harry Rogers and son, Roy, of Waxahachie; Ben and Joe Rogers of Burkburnett; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lacock of Shamrock; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Armstrong of Quail; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Armstrong of Quail; Mrs. Z. V. Allen and son, John, of Wellington; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wesley of Happy; Mrs. Lucy Clevenger of Quail; Joseph Bice of Nigo Park, Texas.

Pallbearers at the funeral were B. Webster, Exie Sweatt, Joe Webster, Buddy Guest, Alvis Gerlach and Ernest McMurry. Flower

Gate City Bulgarian milk delivered anywhere 10 cents per quart—phone

W. H. Melton and son, Morris Lee, spent the holidays with Mr. Melton, Mr. and Mrs. W. of Memphis.

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Get it at Tarver's.

PILES

(OR HEMORRHOIDS)

Cured by Absorption

(No Sloughing and Non-Surgical)

Have now successfully treated 1000 cases of blind, bleeding and protruding piles by the absorption method.

NO DETENTION FROM BUSINESS—NO CHARGE FOR CONSULTATION OR EXAMINATION

AGAIN COMING TO MEMPHIS
Beginning Tuesday, Jan. 7

I WILL BE AT THE POUNDS HOTEL, MEMPHIS, FOR SEVERAL DAYS

Note:—A case of Piles or Hemorrhoids is not just a local trouble, as it affects the whole body and especially the nervous system. Inquire of patients I have treated and then come and see me.

M. A. Cooper, M. D.
Rectal Specialist Childress, Texas

Closing Out

A Lot of Winter Merchandise

Folks, we have been invoicing this week and find that we still have some items to offer at less than cost. If you need them now or will need them later, it will pay you to visit us and see what we have.

Ladies' \$1.50 Outing Gowns	98c
to close out for	13c
36-in. 25c grade Heavy Outing	49c
75c, 3-lb. Cotton Batts, to close out for	38c
75c Suiting. Just the thing for school dresses and shirts— to close out for	\$1.89
A few \$2.25 Misses' or Boys' Sweaters	39c
to close out for	49c
Misses' 50c silk stripe Bloomers	
to close out for	
Ladies' 75c Silk to top Hose, plain and fancy heel, to close out	

All Blankets, Winter Coats, Dresses and Millinery will go at reduced prices as marked.

A small quantity of Silk and Wool Material to close out at Half Price

Gold Bond Stamps Given With Each Purchase and on 30 Day Collections

Cross Dry Goods Store

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Light hens 14c
Heavy hens 17c
Colored springs 29c
Leghorn springs 26c
Stags
Old roosters
Turkey gobblers 17c
Butterfat 29c
Hens 26c

Book Soda for Stomach for 20 Years

"For 20 years I took soda for indigestion and stomach gas. Then I tried Adlerika. One bottle brought complete relief."—Jno. B. Hardy.

Adlerika relieves GAS and sour stomach in TEN minutes! Acts on BOTH upper and lower bowel, removing poisons you never knew were there. Don't fool with medicine which cleans only PART of the bowels, but let Adlerika give stomach and bowels a REAL cleaning and see how good you feel! Leverett-Williams Drug Co. Sold in Estelline by Copeland Drug Co.—Adv.

G. L. Wren, stepfather of Mrs. J. T. Dearen, died at 3:15 p.m. Wednesday morning at Memphis, Tenn. Mrs. C. J. Meek and family in attendance. Burial at the funeral home of Mr. Wren in Memphis, Tenn., Thursday.

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THE GREATEST CHEVROLET IN CHEVROLET HISTORY

Today, Chevrolet presents the Greatest Chevrolet in Chevrolet History—a smoother, faster, better Six—with beautiful new bodies by Fisher.

Basically, it is the same sturdy, substantial Six which won such tremendous popularity in 1929. But it is a greater car in every way—for there are scores of

vital improvements which contribute to every phase of comfort, performance, endurance and safety!

An improved six-cylinder valve-in-head motor, with its capacity increased to 50 horsepower; four Delco-Lovejoy hydraulic shock absorbers; fully-enclosed internal-expanding weather-proof

brakes; a new dash gasoline gauge; heavier and stronger rear axle; Fisher non-glare windshield; larger tires—

—these are typical of the many improvements found throughout the entire design of this greatest of Chevrolets.

But most impressive of all—this smoother, faster, better Six is available—

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A Recipe For A Happy New Year

BY DEAN C. DUTTON

Take twelve fine, fullgrown months, see that these are thoroughly free from all old memories of bitterness, rancor, hate and jealousy; cleanse them completely from every clinging spite; pick off all specks of pettiness and littleness; in short, see that these months are freed from all the past—have them as fresh and clean as when they first came from the great storehouse of Time.

Cut these months into thirty or thirty-one equal parts. This batch will keep for just one year. Do not attempt to make up the whole batch at one time (so many persons spoil the entire lot in that way), but prepare one day at a time as follows:

Into each day put twelve parts of faith, eleven of patience, ten of courage, nine of work (some people omit this ingredient and so spoil the flavor of the rest), eight of hope seven of fidelity, six of liberality, five of kindness, four of rest (leaving this out is like leaving the oil out of the salad—don't do it) three of prayer, two of meditation, and one well selected resolution. If you have no conscientious scruples, put in about a teaspoonful of good spirits, a dash of fun, a pinch of folly, a sprinkling of play, and a cupful of good humor.

Pour into the whole love and libitum and mix with a vim. Cook thoroughly in a fervent heat; garnish with a few smiles and a sprig of joy; then serve with quietness, unselfishness, and cheerfulness, and a Happy New Year is a certainty.

Harmony Musicales At Greene Home Is Well Rendered

The Harmony Club was entertained with a Christmas program, December 27, at the home of Mrs. R. S. Greene, with Mrs. James Bass and Miss Vernadine Jones assisting Mrs. Greene as hostesses.

The house was beautifully decorated in the Christmas motif. The program was given by the local young men and girls returned from college for the holidays.

The program was as follows: Sonata O. P. 10 No. 1, Beethoven, Miss Shirley Greene; "The Mother," Kathren Holland Brown, Miss C. J. Goodnight; "Sax Sweetness," Chenette, Allen Dunbar; (a) "The Temple Bells," Amy Woodford Finden, (b) "My Little Banjo," William Dichmont, Miss Caroline McNeely; "The Romance of the Swan's Nest," Elizabeth Barrett Browning, Miss Dorrae Powell; Violin solo, selected, D. C. Hyder, Jr.; "Mignonette," Dally, T. J. Dunbar, Holmes McNeely.

The college boys and girls surpassed the most rosy expectations of the club members, and presented an unusually entertaining program. At the close of the program the president, Mrs. M. McNeely, made a very interesting announcement relative to the John Ross Reed Company, which the Harmony Club is bringing to Memphis Tuesday, January 14. Some attractive posters were displayed, which promise something in the form of musical entertainment even better than the splendid Romany Glee which this club sponsored last year.

The hostesses served a delicious refreshment plate, to the club members, the young people on the program, and the following guests: Mesdames Sam Holder, J. R. Jones, R. L. Ragsdale, W. C. Dickey, W. J. Franks, W. A. Johnson, C. A. Powell, T. J. Dunbar, C. R. Webster, W. W. Clower, J. E. Roper, Frank Fore, G. D. Beard, R. C. Walker, T. E. Noel, Frank Foxhall, John Deaver, V. R. Jones, Mrs. Bill Greene of Clarendon, Mrs. Masterson of Oklahoma, and Mrs. Q. Street of Graham, and Misses Ione Webster, Cornelia McCanne, Lucille McCanne, Ruby McCanne, Florence Wherry, Virginia Browder and Martha DeBerry.

Miss Margaret Patton, daughter of Mrs. Mason of Lakeview has returned to Baylor College where she is enrolled as a sophomore.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dickson and daughter, Inez, motored to Lereford last week end. Miss Inez is now in Amarillo visiting friends.

Baptist Ladies Are Hostesses To Federated Society

The ladies of the Baptist church were hostesses to the Federated Missionary Society in the last quarterly meeting of the year, Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Baptist church, at which time the program committee presented an interesting program in keeping with the holiday season. Mrs. T. E. Noel, president, presided and after a song by the congregation Dr. J. Hardin Mallard brought the devotional, laying emphasis on the fact that the Church of God is dependent upon the organized efforts of her followers in individual and in organized groups, through the channel of Social Service touching every phase of life.

An attractively decorated Christmas tree was the setting for a pageant entitled The Tree of Joy, directed by Mrs. John Deaver, assisted by Mrs. J. Hardin Mallard as accompanist. The theme of the pageant "Why the Christmas Tree is the emblem of the Christ Child" was brought out in the presentation of representatives from many lands. The characters taking part were Memory, Mrs. John Lofland; Madelena Luther, Cora Fox Yonge; Daughter of Ur, Mary Winston Walters, Japanese Child, Dot Dunbar, Alaska, Tommie Noel; India, Floy Gerlach, Saxon Girls, Carolyn McNeely, Ernestine Walker, Mary Winston Walters, Chloe Johnson, Marjorie Gull, Jewell Grundy.

German girls, Nell Walker, Faye Baskerville, Audrey Lofland, Cora Fox Yonge, Phanelph Gibson, and Geraldine Kinard. The Missionary children, Ruth Wood, Anabeth Leverett and Nell McNeely.

As Carolyn McNeely sang a tender melody, paying a tribute to the Christmas Tree the tree became a thing of beauty in its attractive lighting and all characters surrounded the tree and with the congregation sang the Carol, "Joy to the World."

The names of the officers of the Executive Board elect were read and they presented themselves at the altar for the installation service conducted by Dr. Mallard.

President, Mrs. C. W. Broome; 1st vice president and chairman of civic committee, Mrs. Ed Dishman; 2nd vice president and chairman of interracial committee, Mrs. J. W. Slover; 3rd vice president and chairman of legislative committee, Mrs. W. S. Moore; corresponding secretary, Mrs. G. D. Beard, recording secretary, Mrs. T. E. Noel; treasurer, Mrs. M. J. Draper; press reporter, Mrs. W. L. Wheat; parliamentarian, Mrs. C. R. Webster; chairman of programs, Mrs. A. J. Clower.

The civic committee includes Mrs. J. E. Bass, Mrs. J. S. McMurry, and Mrs. L. S. Clark.

The interracial committee, Mesdames T. Kittinger, Jet Fore and Floyd McCreath.

The legislative committee, Mrs. S. T. Harrison, Mrs. C. Powell and Mrs. Allen Grundy.

The program committee, Mesdames D. L. C. Kinard and J. W. Slover.

Mrs. Margaret Morgan-Andrews introduced D. C. Hyder, Jr., who favored the audience with a violin solo, Caratina, by Raff, and in response to sincere applause played Adoration. After the benediction the guests were served cherry pie a-la-mode, and coffee.

The first board meeting of the new year will be at the home of Mrs. G. A. Powell, on January 6, and first quarterly meeting at the Presbyterian church on March 1.

Crescendo Dunning Club Entertains At Lodge School

The Crescendo Dunning Club, composed of the piano pupils of Gertrude Rasco, entertained their parents with a Christmas program at the Lodge High School, on December 18, at four o'clock. The auditorium was decorated in Christmas colors and in one corner was a lovely Christmas tree loaded with gifts for everyone.

Ortey Stone and Lorena Whitefield presided over the punch bowl. The following program was a demonstration showing what the pupils are capable of doing after only a few months study in the Dunning System of Improved Music Study:

A Snowy Christmas, Bixley, Toy Orchestra; Sight Reading Game, Juanita Whitefield, Violet Marie Taquard, Laura Bell Sanders, J. M. Orr, John Lamp; Little Shepherdess, Coery, Ruby Dell and Dorothy Fay Scoggins; Dividing Rhythms, J. M. Orr; Rhythm Pictures, Christmas Bells, Gaylor, Demarius Gidden, Laura Bell Sanders; Melody of Love, Englemann, Mrs. Clarence Morris, Birds in Branches, Spaulding, Ruby Yarbrough, Lois Malloy, The Lamb's Frolic, Long, Demarius Gidden; Cadences, Lois Malloy, Ortey Stone; Christmas Dollies, Filmore, Violet Marie Taquard, Velela Fae Taquard, Billie Fae Nabers, Demarius Gidden; Transportation Claudia Long; Valse Elaine, Butler, Gladys E. McCrory; Silent Night, Gueber; piano, Lorena Whitefield; jingle bells, Billie Fae Nabers; triangles, Juanita Whitefield, Ruby Dell Scoggins; Xylophone, Demarius Gidden.

After the program, the gifts were distributed and refreshments served.

Kincaid-Goolsby Nuptials Held On Last Sunday

Miss Mary Lois Kincaid, teacher in the Memphis High School, and Ralph Goolsby of Abilene, were united in marriage last Sunday morning at nine o'clock at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Ruby Kincaid, in Abilene. The wedding came as a surprise to the bride's many friends in this city.

Immediately following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Goolsby left Abilene for Dallas, Houston and Greenville, and will be at home in Memphis after next Sunday.

Culture Club Has Meet In Brumley Home Wednesday

The Woman's Culture Club met in the home of Mrs. D. E. Brumley with Mrs. Brumley as hostess on Wednesday, January 1, at 2:50 o'clock. "Education" was the topic of discussion. It being the first of the year the election of officers was held with the following results: Mrs. W. B. Quigley, president; Mrs. D. A. Grundy, first vice-president; Mrs. R. E. Clark, second vice-president; Mrs. Ed Dishman, corresponding secretary; Mrs. D. E. Brumley, recording secretary; Mrs. R. L. Madden, treasurer; Miss Imogene King, parliamentarian; Mrs. W. L. Wheat, historian, and Mrs. L. S. Clark, press reporter.

The roll call was "Universities." Mrs. D. A. Grundy discussed "Compulsory Education;" "Illiteracy in Texas" was discussed by Mrs. J. Claude Wells; a poem by Judd Mortimer Lewis was given by Mrs. George Sexauer.

The noress served a lovely two course luncheon to fourteen members and a guest of the club, Mrs. Robert Bruebacker of Atlanta, Georgia.

Miss Wrenn Gives Dinner And Theatre Party

Miss Neville Wrenn entertained with a dinner Dec. 31, followed by a theatre party.

Those enjoying the evening's entertainment were as follows: Misses Mary Beckum, Ira Hammond, Ruby Hoffman, Bird Pressler, and Ophelia Webb.

Bridle Couple Are Entertained With Christmas Dinner

Honoring their son, Erwin, who was married on Dec. 24, to Miss Lois Rhea of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moreman entertained a number of guests last Sunday with an informal two-course Christmas dinner.

Those attending the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Moreman, of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Vernis Moreman and daughter, Joan, of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Hurley Moreman, and children, Donald, Bobby, Gene and Jack, of Hedley; Clyde Drake of Lubbock; and Mr. and Mrs. Scott Sigler and daughters, Margille and Billie. Mr. and Mrs. Othie Jones and children, L. F. Mary, Hubert and Ruth; Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Moreman and son, Richard; and Radie and Iweta Moreman, all of Memphis.

The newlyweds will live on Lincoln street in Amarillo. The bride is a senior in the Amarillo High School and will resume her school work. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rhea of Amarillo. Erwin is employed by the Waples-Platter Wholesale Grocery Co., of Amarillo.

1913 Study Club Has Annual Love Feast January 1

The 1913 Study Club held its annual love feast at the home of the president, Mrs. Frank Fore, Wednesday, January 1, at 12 o'clock. A lovely three course luncheon was served to seventeen members and three associate members. All were seated at small tables which were most attractive with lovely glass, china, silver and centerpieces of red roses in bud vases.

The guests were then invited into another room where each one was blindfolded and told to draw a gift from a bag. These proved to be most acceptable souvenirs.

The following officers were elected for the year 1930: Mrs. M. McNeely, president; Mrs. J. P. Watson, vice-president; Mrs. Frank Foxhall, recording secretary; Mrs. V. R. Jones, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Pete Clower, treasurer; Mrs. Margaret Morgan-Andrews, parliamentarian.

The unique program consisting of stunts by three groups of club members was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone. The first given by Mesdames Jones, Walker and Foxhall was entitled "Love Scenes from Many Angles." Mesdames Harrison, Dunbar and Andrew, a very talented troupe of artists, presented, "The Master of a Thousand Instruments." The great magicians, Carter and Greene, performed some very difficult feats. Their greatest hit was the song, "We Don't Want to Get

Thin." The costumes were unusual and very appropriate for each character portrayed.

At the close of the afternoon, the hostess, assisted by her mother, Mrs. W. W. Clower, served delicious boiled custard and coconut cake. The club adjourned to meet January 15 with Mrs. Sebron Buck.

CHRISTINE ALLEN SOCIETY INSTALS OFFICERS

The officers of the Christine Allen Missionary Society were installed in the last meeting of the year, Monday night, December 30, in the ladies' parlor of the Methodist Church.

After singing "Living for Jesus," Ruby Hoffman brought the devotional lesson on courage, concluding with a poem by Lily Snow, a former member of the society.

The officers elect then took their places in regular order, and were given as a foundation for their future work the law of love, as taught in the Ideals of Jesus. Each officer then expressed her appreciation of the office she represented and a resolution concerning it as pertaining to all life in the new year of 1930. This very impressive service was concluded by singing "Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross," and the society benediction.

Those present were Misses Verma Crump, Gladys Hammond, Ruby Hoffman, Mary and Mildred Beckum, Bird Pressler, Ira Hammond, Alice Marie McKelvy and Neville Wrenn, Mesdames G. A. Evans, Zeb Moore, T. C. Delaney, Mac G. Tarver, and I. E. Jolly.

Hour-A-Day Club Meets At Studio Of Mrs. Andrews

The Hour-A-Day Club met at the Studio of Mrs. Margaret Morgan Andrews Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. Officers elected were Martha Draper, president; Nell Walker, vice-president; Geraldine Kinard, secretary, and Allie Caviness, press reporter.

Mrs. Andrews presented the monthly prize of a book to Geraldine Kinard for memorizing 268 measures. The practice prize of a bottle of perfume was presented to Reba May, whose average practice was one and one-half hours each day. A Christmas tree and the exchange of gifts and the playing of musical games made the occasion a happy one.

Other members of the club not previously mentioned are Crystal Howard, Anabeth Leverett, Delie D. Brewer, Lula Faye Oren and Juanita Cudd.

The regular meeting of the Club is the second Saturday morning in each month.

Miss Marie Barber who is a student in Baylor College at Belton has returned to resume her studies after spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Barber.

Mrs. Dial Hostess At Yuletide For Priscilla Club

The home of Mrs. W. P. Dial was a beautiful attraction in its decorations for the Yuletide party of the Priscilla Club on Friday night, December 20.

Mrs. W. C. Dickey assisted Mrs. Dial as hostess, and an elaborate three course dinner was served around a large dining table. The centerpiece was a lovely decoration of Santa and his reindeer. From each plate was attached a red ribbon at the end of which was a gift hidden in Santa's sleigh. The favors were red sleighs drawn by dashing reindeer. Following the bountiful dinner the guests enjoyed playing Christmas games and contests. Partners for the games were chosen by matching Christmas seals. Fourteen members were present including the hostesses and the guests were Mrs. O. L. Jamison of Knox City and Mrs. Louie Goffinet.

Local Manager Gives Dinner To Stone Employees

One of the earlier social events of the holiday season took place in the form of a dinner given to the C. E. Stone employees on Wednesday evening December 18. The dinner was given in honor of the employees by Mr. and Mrs. Dan McCollum. Mr. McCollum is manager of the C. E. Stone store here.

A most enjoyable evening was had by all the guests. After the dinner the guests were entertained at Bridge and various other games. Those present were Harrison Ratliff, Mrs. Mary Cunningham, Mrs. E. G. Dyer, Mrs. Gatewood, J. B. Robinson, R. N. Akard, the host and hostess.

L. A. Elliott of Dallas spent the Christmas holidays with his parents, Judge and Mrs. J. M. Elliott, and returned home Wednesday in company with his sister, Miss Dorothy, and Miss Maxine Russell, who are returning to school in T. C. U.

Plaska Couple Are Wed In City Last Tuesday

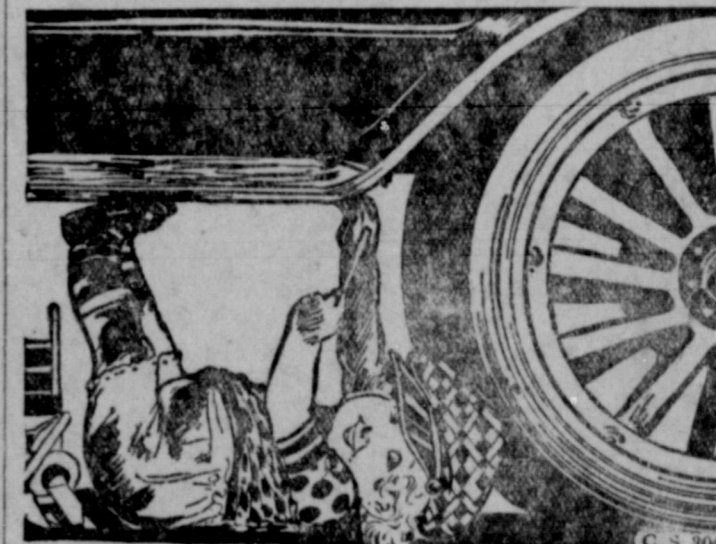
Tuesday afternoon, Edwin Monzingo and Miss Mildred Rodgers, two popular young people of Plaska were united in marriage at the Presbyterian Manse by Dr. J. Hardin Mallard. The contracting parties were accompanied by Miss Rodgers, sister of the bride, who with Mrs. Mallard were witnesses to the happy event.

Mr. Monzingo who, until recently, resided in Memphis, is a leading young farmer of the Plaska community and the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Monzingo of this city. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rodgers. The newly wedded left for Hollis, Oklahoma, on their marriage for a short honeymoon, after which they will return home to their friends at Plaska.

Christmas Party Is Given Monday At L. Holt Home

Mrs. L. Holt, Mrs. Hamp Prater and Mrs. Curtis Huckaby entertained a number of their friends Monday evening with a Christmas party and Christmas tree at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Holt.

After the guests had assembled, the gifts were passed out from the beautifully decorated tree and exclamations of joy were heard throughout the house. After the packages had been opened and the contents exhibited, a social hour was enjoyed, during which the hostesses served dainty refreshments to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Webster, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Burks, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ballew, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Martindale, Mrs. Coy Harris, Mrs. Chloe Pearson, Miss Naomi Phillips, Miss Thelma Shankle, Miss Clem Wyatt, Miss Lillian Gull, Miss Winnie Castle and Miss West of Fort Worth, Owen Fields, Robert Henderson, Curtis Huckaby, Hamp Prater and L. Holt.



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Musicians Here—

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ers, "Pagliacci," and "Carmen," the company also weaves the cleverest of entertainment features. Humor and laughter find a rightful place. A Russian "Chauve Souris" scene is an excellent example of humor delightfully presented, while a Norwegian folk scene is a rare combination of music and entertainment. A dramatic cathedral-song presentation is particularly effective.

Is Notable Singer

John Ross Reed, late of the Nice, Monte Carlo, Boston and Festival Grand Opera companies, is a notable singer, actor and composer. He has appeared in opera, concert and oratorio throughout America and Europe with tremendous success. He is widely known for his Columbia records and as the composer of many published songs. He is a pupil of Jean De Reszke.

Dagny Jensen Reed, lyric soprano, composer, is a student of Torrens and Percy Rector Stephens of New York and Jean De Reszke of Paris. She has toured America and Europe in concert, extremely popular not only for her ringing soprano voice, but for her novel recitals in costume and Danish and Scandinavian folk songs.

Splendid Artists

"Moonlight and You," "In Memory's Garden" and "Shadow Time" are among the songs whose words and music are by Dagny Jensen Reed and John Ross Reed. The remainder of the cast—Kathleen Powell, mezzo-soprano, Rachel Stone, violinist and pianist, and Wilbur Maxwell, presenter and character artist—are all splendid artists, personally selected by Mr. Reed.

Seemingly Little—

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dance in Childress would be continued until dawn. However, such was not the case, as the dance in the neighboring city only lasted until about 3:30 o'clock.

Restaurants Patronized

The restaurants that keep open all night did a good business here after midnight as many of the revellers decided that the end to a perfect evening could not be better celebrated than with food. By one o'clock, the streets of the city were entirely deserted and the year 1930 had become a lusty infant.

Confederates Aid—

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the bastille and I want out. How about getting out? I think I've been in here long enough.

Chief of Police: Is this your first visit to our jail?

Answer: Yes sir, honestly, and hope it'll be the last.

When those who had incarcerated Skinny returned to the jail, they found that he had flown and broken down jail door gave the blow to the way.

Pioneer Resident—

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community of neighbors and friends to mourn his going. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Terry at the First Methodist church in Estelline after which interment took place in the Estelline cemetery. The Masonic Lodge of Estelline had charge of the services at the grave. A large concourse of friends were present to pay the last respects to the deceased.

To Remove B.Y.C.—

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It will be made to the store in form of a cleaning and pressing plant which will be conducted in the rear of the building. The tailor shop will be under the management of Barnie Wattenbarger, who has been in charge of the shop in the Alexander store for several years past. It is announced that a free delivery service will be maintained.

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On The Level—

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Year is never to take off my hat except when I attend church services, eat at a Rotary luncheon or make a speech on some subject with which I am utterly unfamiliar. It is true that I am getting bald, but what of it? If I get bald enough, I won't have any hair on my head and I will save a considerable barber bill. There is enough Scotch in me to realize that wearing a hat in the house is not a bad practice.

My fourth resolution of the new year is one that is very near and dear to me. I promise the readers of this paper that I will never, never, never, start a "Cuss-the-Editor-Week" or a "Praise-the-Editor-Week" and that I'll never, never, never, write laudatory articles about myself or any one else in particular. I expect to recognize merit, but not to eulogize it.

My fifth resolution is never to admit to a soul that I know anything at all about raising children, chickens, cows or corn. I am going to confine my activities, such as they are, to subjects with which I am more or less familiar and to allow the other writers on the staff full leeway in writing about anything under the well known sun that impresses them.

If I ever imitate the Tactless

Texan in any particular, I want to know about it. He has a reputation that must be respected. I would not knowingly infringe upon his rights for any consideration. My desire is to be original, but not freakish. I invite comment on the material appearing in this column from time to time. I want to be genuinely helpful and constructive, and if I have a foolish moment ever and anon, blame it on the fact that I am growing old and childish and let it go at that.

Local Lions To—

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the foremost business and professional men of this and other nations who will be on the program of the four day meeting.

Large Representation

A large representation from Lions Clubs throughout the Panhandle of Texas is expected to take advantage of the special rates offered by the railroad and attend the Denver meeting. This city is conveniently located in reference to the Panhandle of Texas, and the local club desires to have as large a representation as any club in this section of the state.

It may be taken for granted that Memphis Lions will be seen and heard at the Denver convention. With snappy new uniforms, with the possibility of the best band in the state accompanying the delegation, Memphis has every reason to feel that she will oc-

Mullis Home Razed By Fire This Week

The home of Roy Mullis, in the 900 block on West Cleveland street, was completely destroyed by fire early Monday morning of this week, despite the efforts of the Memphis Volunteer Fire Department. The fire had made such headway before the firemen arrived on the scene that it was impossible to save the structure. The fire started in a back bedroom. The origin of the fire is unknown. The house belonged to R. H. Wherry, local jeweler.

BROOME FAMILY HOLDS REUNION IN AMARILLO

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Broome, Mr. and Mrs. George Broome, Troy Broome, Mr. and Mrs. B. Webster, and Scott Webster, motored to Amarillo last Sunday and took part in the Broome family reunion held in that city at the home of O. E. Broome.

Eighteen members of the Broome family were present at the reunion, which accounted for all of the family connections with but two exceptions.

Get it at Tarver's.

Walker To Run For Co. Commissioner

In the announcement column contained in this issue may be found the name of W. M. Walker, who will be in the race for County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1. Mr. Walker feels that he is qualified to fulfill the duties incident to the office to which he aspires. The only other public office he has held in the county was as public cotton weigher at Estelline, which position he held for five years.

Mr. Walker says that if he is elected to the office of County Commissioner, he will devote his best energies to the work the position entails and will try to serve the people to the best of his ability. He solicits the vote and influence of the citizens in Precinct No. 1.

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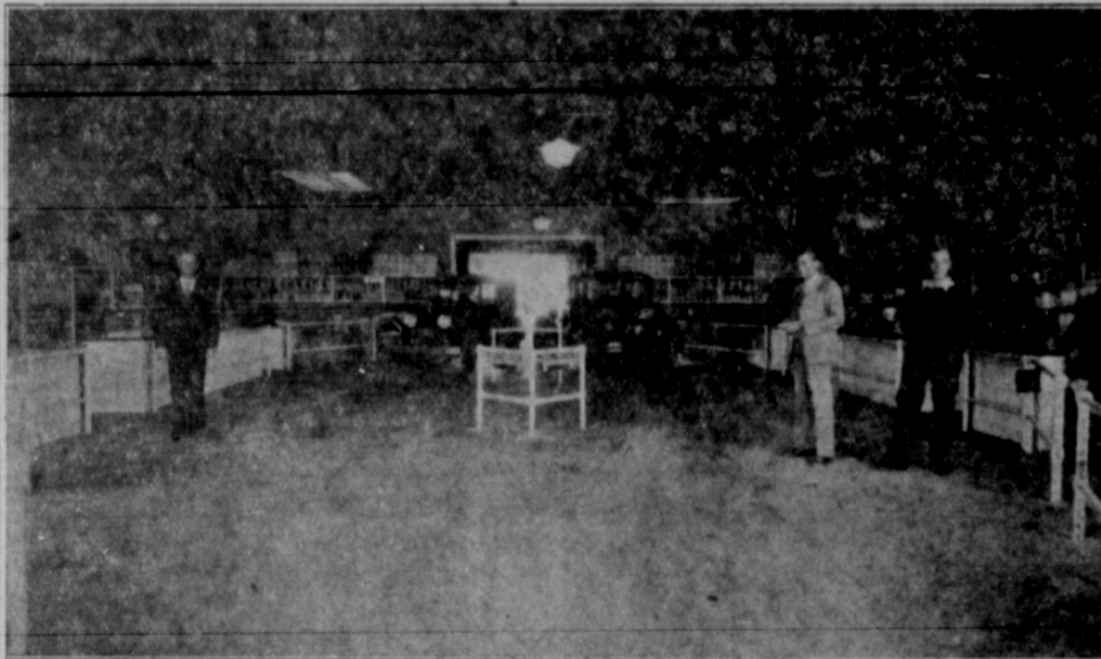
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PORK & BEANS	3 for-----	25c
PEAS	Good grade, No. 2 cans—2 for-----	25c
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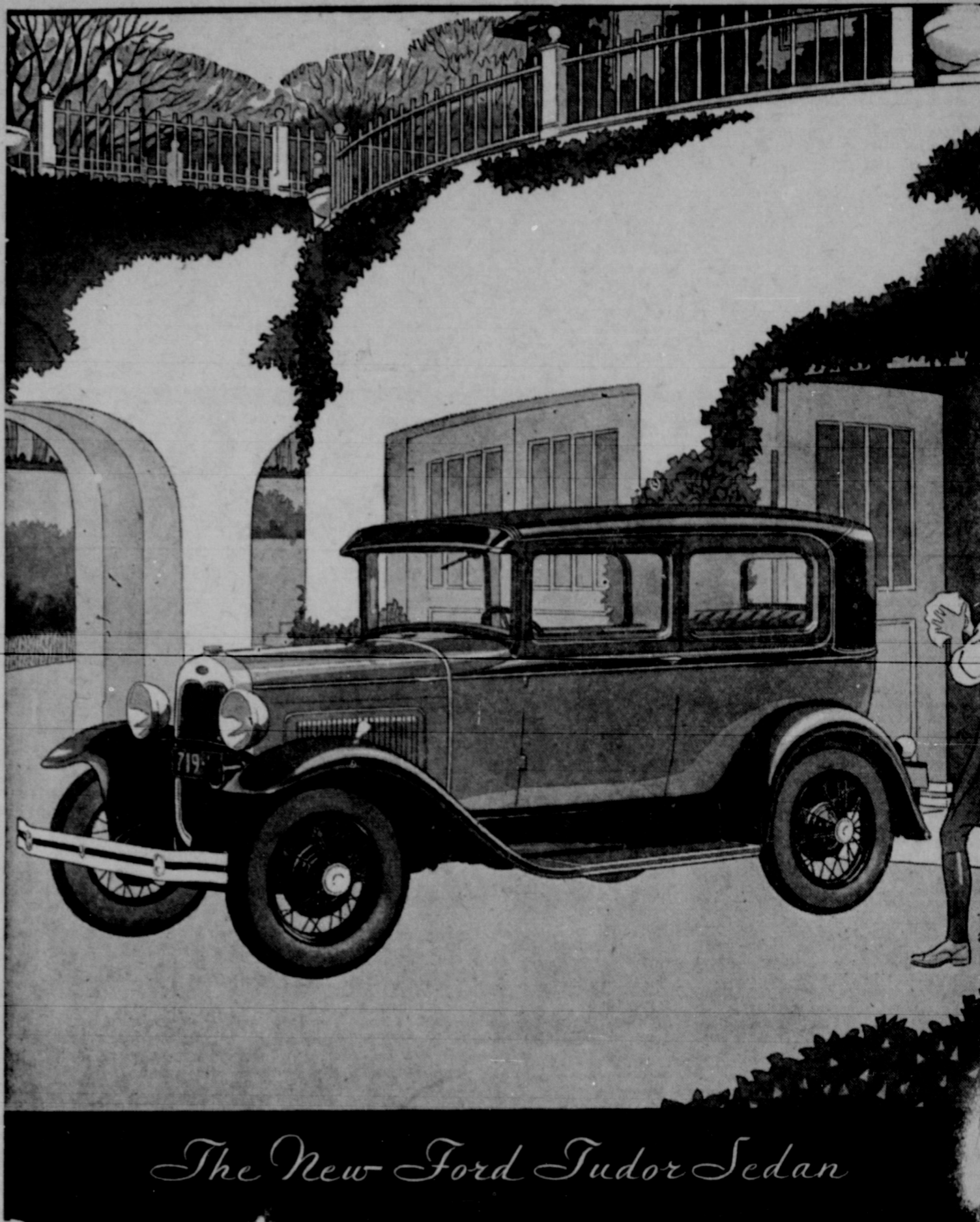
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Judge Hoffman To Seek Re-election As County Judge

Judge A. C. Hoffman announces his candidacy for re-election to the office of County Judge of Hall County, in this issue of The Democrat, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries next July. Judge Hoffman has resided in the county for a period of 17 years and knows probably as many, if not more, people than any one in the county.

Judge Hoffman will make his campaign on the record he has achieved in office. Few county judges in the state have done as much as Judge Hoffman in the matter of building good roads. In all departments of his work, he has proved adequate to the job, and it seems only right that he should be returned to an office in which he has served so efficiently.

Hall County is in excellent condition in every way. Judge Hoffman has had the full cooperation of the Commissioners' Court in the matter of handling the county's finances, as attested to by the substantial balance now in the treasury.

Judge Hoffman has been solicited by many of his friends to run for the office of County Judge this year, and he is doing so at their insistence and because he feels that there is still work to do in the program he has outlined and he desires to see this work through to completion.

The votes and influence of the citizens of Hall County will be appreciated by Judge Hoffman in the coming elections.

Miss Edna Bryan Seeks Re-election As County Clerk

Announcement is made by Miss Edna Bryan of her candidacy for re-election as county clerk of Hall County, in this issue of The Democrat, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries next July.

Efficient administration of the present incumbent will doubtless go a long way toward returning Miss Bryan to office. Her records are open for inspection at all times. She keeps consistently on the job and up to date with her work at all times.

Miss Bryan expressed appreciation to her many friends and acquaintances who have done her the honor to elect her to the office previously, and states that she will render the same type of service in the future as has been the case in the past. The comment is often made of the courteous treatment a person receives in the county clerk's office and this, of itself, is a fine recommendation for Miss Bryan and her efficient work.

Miss Bryan will appreciate the continued support of those who have elected her to the office she holds at the present time and to which she seeks re-election.

Remember the John Ross Reed Co., at High School Jan. 14, sponsored by Harmony Club. 1c

Bragg Announces For Re-election County Attorney

Wm. J. Bragg announces in this issue of The Democrat his candidacy for re-election to the office of County Attorney of Hall County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries next July. Mr. Bragg is serving his first term and has made a good record for prosecuting violators of the law.

He feels that the record he has made entitles him to re-election and states that he will continue to do his utmost to bring about law enforcement as he has done in the past.

The votes and influence of the citizenship of the county are solicited by Mr. Bragg in the coming elections.

McMaster To Run For Second Term Co. Commissioner

A. R. McMaster, of Lodge, announces in this issue of The Democrat his candidacy for re-election as commissioner of Precinct No. 2 of Hall County. Mr. McMaster is, at the present time, serving his first term as a county commissioner, and the record he has made in office, he feels, entitles him to another term.

He states that he will wage his campaign solely on the record he has made. He expects to give everyone in his precinct a square deal and to continue his work for good roads and in the general betterment of the precinct he serves.

Mr. McMaster has held no other public office in the county and has resided in Hall County for a period of twelve years. He asks that his candidacy have the consideration of the voters in the July primaries.

Turkey Man Enters Race For Sheriff

Lindsey E. Hill of Turkey makes announcement in this issue of The Democrat of his candidacy for the office of Sheriff of Hall County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July, 1930. Mr. Hill is widely known over the county. He has been in Hall County since 1909, having been engaged in farming until last year when he was made a deputy sheriff.

Mr. Hill has been accorded much praise for the splendid manner in which he has conducted the affairs of his office. He feels that he is experienced for the position he seeks, and asks the consideration of the voters of Hall County in connection with his candidacy in the forthcoming elections.

D. H. Arnold Will Seek Re-election

D. H. Arnold, pioneer citizen of Hall County, who holds the po-

sition of district clerk, announces in the paper of this issue his candidacy for re-election. Mr. Arnold has legions of friends throughout the entire Panhandle of Texas, who will be glad to know that he will be in the race for another term as district clerk.

The prestige he has added to the office during his incumbency, the accurate and painstaking way in which he has conducted the affairs of the office and his desire to render unexcelled service at all times will unquestionably be taken into consideration in the coming elections.

Mr. Arnold is deeply appreciative of the splendid vote he has received in the past and trusts that his candidacy will merit the unstinted support of the voters of Hall County in his campaign for re-election to the office of district clerk.

Mrs. Roy Guthrie To Make Race For Co. Superintendent

Mrs. Roy L. Guthrie makes formal announcement in this issue of The Democrat of her candidacy for the office of County Superintendent of Public Instruction in Hall County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries next July.

Mrs. Guthrie is eminently qualified to hold this responsible position, having been elected to such office for two terms, holding the position from 1923 to 1926 inclusive. The record she made while in office should be taken into consideration by the voters in making their choice for the next incumbent, she believes.

Mrs. Guthrie has kept constantly in touch with educational matters since leaving the office and with the State Department of Education. She has had considerable school experience, having taught for eight years. She received her education at the West Texas State Teachers' College at Canyon.

Gilmore Announces For Tax Assessor

Formal announcement is made in this issue of The Democrat of the candidacy of Bailey Gilmore for re-election to the office of Tax Assessor of Hall County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries next July. Mr. Gilmore will make his race on the record he has achieved while in office. He has proved to be an efficient public servant and has kept the affairs of the Tax Assessor's office in good condition at all times.

He solicits the vote and influence of the people of Hall County in the coming elections and assures them that he will render the same consistent service in the future, as has been the case in the past.

J. B. Landis Seeks To Be Re-Elected County Treasurer

In this issue of The Democrat, formal announcement is made by J. B. Landis, county treasurer, of his candidacy for re-election to that office, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries next July.

The record Mr. Landis has made in office has been an enviable one. He has rendered Hall County excellent service in his capacity as treasurer. His books are open for inspection at all times and they detail the splendid way in which the accounts have been kept. Mr. Landis has never held any other public office in the county.

He promises the people that he will continue his present policies by rendering the very best service at all times if he is returned to office next July. He solicits the votes and influence of the citizens of Hall County in seeking re-election to the position of County Treasurer.

Gibson Will Wage Race For Sheriff

In the announcement column this week is the name of J. K. Gibson as a candidate for sheriff of Hall County. He is a native Texan, having been born and reared in Tarrant County. He came to this county from Bridgeport eighteen years ago and has resided in Hall County continuously since that time. He was constable at Bridgeport when he left that town, and has served as deputy here.

Mr. Gibson is well known throughout the county and needs no introduction to the voters. In the last state primary election, Mr. Gibson ran for the office of sheriff and was the second man in the race. He promises, if elected, to do his utmost in the discharge of his duties, so that the office will be a credit to the county and himself.

Judge Gillis To Seek Re-election As Justice Peace

Judge R. N. Gillis makes formal announcement of his candidacy for re-election to the office of Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1 of Hall County, in this issue of The Democrat, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries next July. Judge Gillis has proved to be quite efficient in the position he holds and has many friends who will unquestionably be glad to know that he is to be in the race for re-election to the office he now holds.

Judge Gillis is seeking for an-

other term on the record he has made in the past, and will appreciate the vote and influence of the voters in Precinct No. 1 in furthering the interests of his candidacy.

Holt Bounds Will Campaign For Co. Tax Collector

J. H. (Holt) Bounds makes formal announcement in this issue of The Democrat of his candidacy for the office of tax collector of Hall County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries next July.

Mr. Bounds has resided in this county for 31 years and is widely known throughout this section. For the past five years, he has been deputy tax collector under the present incumbent, J. Hender-

son Smith. This is the first time he has ever sought public office. Mr. Bounds is well equipped to handle the affairs of the tax collector's office. He is an experienced man, has a good education and a pleasant personality. He asks the consideration of his candidacy by the voters of the county in the coming elections.

John Alexander In Race For Sheriff

J. H. (John) Alexander of Memphis announces his candidacy in this issue of the paper for the office of Sheriff of Hall County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries next July. Mr. Alexander has been a resident of Memphis and Hall County for the past 39 years.

Having a wide acquaintance-ship over the county, he plans to prosecute a vigorous campaign.

He stated that he stood first and last for law enforcement and if the voters of Hall County elect him to the office of sheriff, he will enforce the laws without fear or favor.

Mr. Alexander will appreciate the vote and influence of his friends and acquaintances in the coming election.

John Ross Reed Co. Jan. 14, at High School. 1c

Gate City ice cream or Eskimo Pies at all fountains. 1c

W. H. Melton, living on East Noel, has lived in Hall County, twenty five years. He moved here from Wise County a quarter of a century ago. Mr. Melton is seventy-five years of age, and has seen seventy-eight Christmas holidays pass.

Mary Winston Walters is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Leon Hale, in Lubbock, this week.

WANTED ADS

RATES—2 cents a word. Minimum, 25c. Three insertions for the price of two.

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FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, three rooms, separate bath, hot water, close in. Adults only. Phone 546. 1c

FOR RENT—Two rooms and garage on pavement. Call 329J. 28-1c

FOR RENT—Furnished duplex, two apartments, separate baths, hot water, close in. Special terms for six months lease to responsible tenants. 202 N. Seventh street. 1c

FOR RENT—Three rooms with water, lights and gas connections, at 15th and Brice streets. 1c

FOR RENT—Unfurnished rooms, 711 North Bradford. W. R. Taylor. 31-3p

FURNISHED rooms for rent. Private entrance. 505 N. Tenth. Phone 36 or 3. 31-3p

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms, lights, water and gas, 1013 or 415 Montgomery. 31-3p

FOR RENT—Nice three room apartment, bath and garage. Phone 268, or 910 Robinson street. 1p

FOR RENT—Nice front bedroom all modern conveniences. Men only. Phone 268. 1p

ROOMS, furnished or unfurnished. See W. P. Balthrope. 121 S. 15th. 1p

ROOM AND BOARD for two or four young men. Mrs. Templeton, 914 West Main. 1p

FOR RENT—Furnished garage apartment. No children or dogs allowed. Phone 172. 1c

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, modern, close in. Phone 238. 1p

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms, 815 South 8th street. Phone 479. 31-3c

Lost and Found LOST—Metallic and gold lace Hat between Memphis and Wellington. Lost last Thursday night. Reward. Notify Democrat office. 1c

LOST—Small brown leather coin purse, Sunday or Monday. Purse contained five dollar gold piece, and additional bills and change making little over seventeen dollars. Return to Willie Mae Wilkinson, or to Democrat office. 1p

LOST—1 blue horse mule about 14 1-2 hands high; small knot on side of ankle of right hind foot; one black mare mule about same height. Liberal reward. Notify J. H. Bruce, Brice, Texas. 27-3p

For Sale REGISTERED Jersey Service Bull for hire. F. J. Smith, at Hollifield Place. 31-3p

FOR SALE—50 choice Rhode Island Red roosters. R. R. Gill, 2 miles south of Lakeview, phone 905 H. 31-3p

FOR SALE—Rent Car and Service Car business. Tom Ballew. 31-3c

FOR SALE—Four mules, one horse, milk cow, farm implements. All priced right. W. B. Hamilton, Newlin. 1p

FILLING STATION, fixtures and stock for sale; will take good car or truck and remainder in cash. North Side Service Station, Hedley, Texas. 31-5p

Political Announcements

For District Clerk: D. H. ARNOLD (Re-election)

For County Judge: A. C. HOFFMAN (Re-election)

For Sheriff: LINDSEY E. HILL J. H. (John) ALEXANDER J. K. GIBSON

For County Attorney: Wm. J. BRAGG (Re-election)

For County Clerk: MISS EDNA BRYAN (Re-election)

For County Superintendent: MRS. ROY L. GUTHRIE

For Tax Collector: J. H. (Holt) BOUNDS

For County Treasurer: J. B. LANDIS (Re-election)

For Tax Assessor: BAILEY GILMORE (Re-election)

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1: R. N. GILLIS (Re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct 1: W. M. WALKER

For Commissioner Precinct 2: A. R. McMASTER (Re-election)

KAFFIR CORN heads for sale. See C. H. Messer or Phone 900C. 31-3p

FARM for lease. See W. B. Wilson at Phillips Petroleum Co. (wholesale). 1p

FOR SALE—1927 Chrysler sport roadster. Inquire at Clark Drug, Memphis. Bargain at \$275. 30-3p

Wanted WILL PAY 10c a copy for all complete copies of the Nov. 15th Democrat brought into our office. Memphis Democrat. 29-3dh

LAUNDRY WANTED—14 lbs. \$1. Quilts 25c; blankets 20c. 508 N. 9th. 1p

WAVE SETTING, phone #40J for appointment. 29-3p

WANTED—Young lady wants position as bookkeeper and stenographer, or clerk. Experienced. Phone 517J. 30-3p

WANTED—That sewing machine that has kept everybody mad so long. Repair work guaranteed. J. M. Baker. 25-tfc

WANTED—Some one to build a house on Main street. I will rent it by the year or will try to buy it. Box 698, Memphis. 25-tfc

WANTED—To do cooking or housekeeping for rooming house or private home. Inquire at Democrat. 29-3p

WANTED—Two or three room furnished apartment, have one child. R. V. Whately, at J. H. Norman & Son. 1p

WANTED—Work as housekeeper or work of any nature whatever. Inquire at Democrat office. 29-3c

WANTED—Odd jobs for either board or salary. Am attending Business College and want part time work. Inquire at Democrat office. 1p

Special Notices PHONE Curtis Huckaby, No. 806, for hauling of any kind. Formerly Coy Harris transfer. 1c

Do You Know—

That MILK contains all the VITAMINES?

Vitamines are substances that are found in certain foods, and are absolutely necessary for the maintenance of health, growth and development. When there are not enough vitamines in the children's food they stop growing and their health is in danger. Vitamines are found in other foods, but milk is the only single food that contains all the vitamines. One vitamine is found in the fat of milk; the other two, soluble in water, are found even in skimmed milk. The human body needs all of these.

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The Cup of Southern Hospitality

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We Will Also Have Special Prices

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Advertisement for H. L. Nelson Grocery, including details about their location and products.

H. L. Nelson Moves Grocery To Allow For Future Growth

The H. L. Nelson Grocery, which has been located in the Thompson building near the post office since its opening two years ago, moved to the building formerly occupied by the City Feed Store on the east side of the square last Saturday night.

As the new building offered a better location and a chance for expansion, Mr. Nelson believes the move a wise one. He was open for business in his new quarters Monday morning. The grocery carries a complete stock of staple and fancy groceries and is well equipped to serve the needs of the public in the line of groceries. The formal opening of the new store will take place on Saturday, January 4, when special prices on groceries will be offered.

Local and Personal

Miss Minnie Garrott returned Tuesday to Belton to attend school there, after spending the holidays with Mrs. H. B. Stringer and friends in Memphis.

Harmony Club presents John Ross Reed Co., Jan. 14.

D'Courtney Brooks, of Wellington, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. J. M. Lane, this week.

Gate City Pasturized Sweetmilk delivered anywhere in city 15 cents per quart—phone 225.

Arthur W. Jones left Wednesday morning for an extended business trip through Central Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Howard went to Lubbock last Saturday to be gone over the New Year.

Mrs. John Stephenson and daughter, Willagene, are in Amarillo this week. Miss Willagene has been suffering an injured eye caused by a torpedo while celebrating Christmas night.

Miss Nellie Dameron is returning to Abilene to resume her school work in the Abilene Christian College.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester W. Fisher and children motored to Amarillo Wednesday with Mrs. Fisher's brother, E. E. Biggs and family. Mr. Biggs and family have been visiting here during the holidays.

Miss Ruby Adams returned Tuesday from Denton where she spent the holidays with her parents.

Gate City ice cream or Eskimo Pies at all fountains.

W. J. Roberts spent the week in Wellington visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Foster of McLean visited in Memphis during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mayes of Erick spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mayes.

Miss Willie Mae Wilkinson is planning to visit with Miss Verna Hughes in Childress next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stout Harrell and son, of Amarillo, visited friends in Memphis Saturday and Sunday.

Bonnie Cohen of Wichita Falls, spent the holidays with his parents in Memphis. He returned home Tuesday, accompanied by Misses Rose and Mildred Cohen.

Mrs. W. P. Pendergrass spent Tuesday visiting her sister in Wichita Falls.

Gate City ice cream or Eskimo Pies at all fountains.

Ed Johnson is ill at his home in West Memphis, but is reported as improving.

Too Late to Classify

FOR RENT—Two light house-keeping rooms, 921 South Seventh street. 1p

FOR RENT—House for rent, modern conveniences. A. R. Evans, 16th street. 1c

FOR RENT—Two rooms furnished or unfurnished, 417 North 7th street. H. Stolze. 1p

FOR RENT—Two furnished bed rooms close in. Both hot and cold water. B. F. Shepherd. 31-3p

FOR RENT—New 4-room house, modern. North 14th street. See Andrew Womack. 1p

STRAYED—Female setter bird dog. White with brown ear and brown spots. Notify Postoffice Barber Shop. 1p

School Principal Endorses Sargon

"For 6 best years I have been spending money and going through some of the best clinics in Texas trying to get my health back. I started Sargon about 6 weeks ago, gained 14 pounds and it did more for me than



DAN J. THOMPSON

everything else I tried put together.

"My stomach was out of order and my digestion was so bad that often I had to get rid of undigested food through a rubber tube down my throat. For a long time had to practically live on milk. My color was bad and I was weak, rundown and nervous. I have taken six bottles of Sargon, eat anything I want, my digestion is perfect and all my stomach trouble is over. I am well and strong and full of new strength and energy. Sargon Pills stimulated my liver and cleansed my system of all poisons."—Dan J. Thompson, 903 Waverly Ave., principal of the Reinhardt Public School, Dallas.

Arver's Pharmacy, Agents. Adv.

NOTICE

Parents of the Methodist Church please take notice. A new and better program has been planned by the Woman's Missionary Society, for the children.

The Juniors, whose ages are seven to twelve, inclusive, are requested to assemble in the Annex next Sunday, Jan. 5, at 11 o'clock, for organization of a Junior church. Through this organization the children will be trained in all the activities of the church, except the sermon, for which will be substituted a Bible story, by Miss Lillian Thames, in charge of this group.

The Primary group will remain in the basement for a continued Sunday school program, consisting of story telling, dramatization, handwork, songs and prayers. Mrs. W. V. Coursey will be director of this group.

Mrs. McCollum and Miss Sylvan Wrenn will have charge of the Cradle Roll department.

MRS. ED. LOFLAND, Supt., of Children's Department.

MISS EMMA SUE DICKSON MAKES HER APPEARANCE

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Dickson and their friends are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine 7-pound girl, Emma Sue, December 24.

Mrs. Howard Hughes left Thursday for Bowie where she will visit with her parents.

P. S. Bailey, division engineer of the State Highway Department, spent several days this last week with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kesterson.

Gate City Butter is a quality product, handled by all dealers. 1c

Watch This Space

SUNDAY DINNER

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Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McKelvy and family are invited to be our guests on Sunday, January 5th.

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To our Customers, Friends and the general public:

In the dawn of the New Year we wish to return to you our sincere thanks for the generous business given us during the past year.

We have endeavored to meet your demands with the kind of real service that would please, and you have placed the stamp of approval on our efforts by giving us the best volume of business of any year in recent years.

Our service beginning with the New Year will be the endeavor, through the aid of capital, experience and efficient organization, to render you the kind of service in Drugs that will please you.

Assuring you of our appreciation of your business, and trusting to be favored with a growing measure of the same throughout this year, we are, with best wishes for a New Year of happiness and content,

Yours to Serve

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Save During 1930

The surest way to save on your grocery bills during 1930 is to trade at "M" System. Examine the following specials for Saturday and resolve to start the New Year right by doing your grocery shopping here.

SATURDAY SPECIALS

FLOUR	U. S. 48 lb. Sack	\$1.59
BEANS	Pintos, 15 lbs.	\$1.00
SUGAR	Pure Cane, 15 lb. Sack	\$1.00
SPUDS	Per Peck	45c
SOAP	Laundry, Big Four, 7 Bars	25c
LETTUCE	Nice and Crisp—Head	10c
CELERY	Large Bunches	15c

"M" SYSTEM

The PALACE

Friday and Saturday
FOX MOVIE TONE FOLLIES OF 1929
Paramount Sound News
Talking Comedy:
"Ask Dad"

Monday and Tuesday
Lenore Ulric in
"FROZEN JUSTICE"
Fox Movietone News
Metro Color-Tone:
"The General"

Wednesday and Thursday
The Duncan Sisters in
"IT'S A GREAT LIFE"
Paramount Sound News
Talking Comedy:
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Matinees, 1 until 6 15c and 35c
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1930 CHEVROLET WILL BE ON DISPLAY HERE SATURDAY

CHEVROLET CO. HAS FORCE OF 16 WORKERS

All Departments Well Equipped To Take Care Of Trade

The D. & P. Chevrolet Company, which is under the management of B. E. Davenport and T. M. Potts, is one of the largest and most completely equipped garages and automobile agencies in the city. Their two buildings give them a floor space of 14,000 square feet. The D. & P. Chevrolet Company has a force of sixteen employees and a payroll that is said to be the second largest in Memphis.

Old Established Company
The Chevrolet company is an old established business institution. B. E. Davenport has been with the firm for the past three years and ten months, while T. M. Potts has been with the firm for the past two years. Before Mr. Potts bought out the interests of Charlie Meacham, the company was known as the D. & M. Chevrolet Company. Two buildings, each 50x140 feet, house the company, which is a modern garage, sales and show room for new and used cars. The company was originally housed in the one building which houses the offices of the firm at Noel and Seventh streets, but a little over a year ago it was found that more room was needed and the second building on Robertson and Seventh was constructed.

New and Modern Machinery
Davenport and Potts have established their garage proper in the Noel street building. In this building is the parts department, the shops and the large display room. The shop, under the management of P. A. Williams, is equipped with new and modern machinery and devices for servicing automobiles and accurately machine-testing the finished jobs. Mr. Williams has the assistance of eight skilled mechanics in this department. Probably the most complete department of the shop is the paint and greasing shop, which is under the direction of John Sheffield. Mr. Sheffield has been in this particular work with the company for some three years.

Used Car Department
The building on Robertson and Seventh streets, which was constructed last year houses the Used Car Department. The new and used cars are stored in this building, where there is ample space for a large stock of new and used cars to be stored. Along with the new and used car stock, the D. & P. Chevrolet Company carries a large stock of car and truck bodies. Mr. Potts states that the company has a carload of bodies in this warehouse at all times.

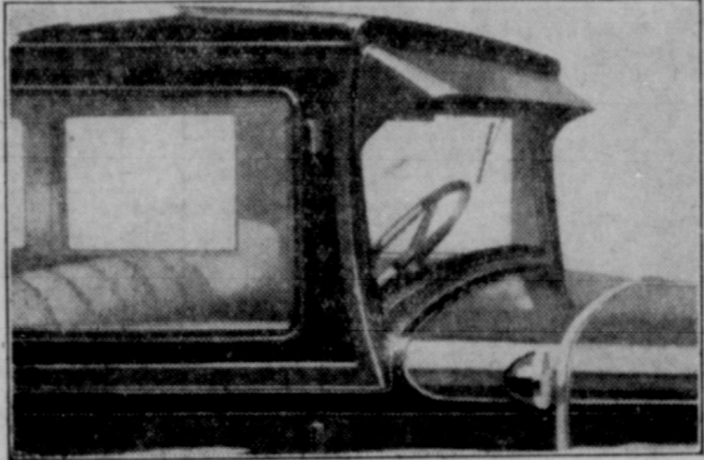
Duco Paint Shop
At the rear of the new building at Seventh and Robertson streets, is located the Duco paint shop, which is absolutely fire proof and cut off from the rest of the building by a brick wall. Modern paint spray equipment is used by a master painter, skilled in this line of work, and this painter puts out some of the best jobs to be found anywhere.

Force Totals Sixteen
The complete force of the D. & P. Chevrolet Company totals 16, nine being employed in the shops, seven in the office, and a number of salesmen. The payroll is estimated to be one of the largest in the city, being second only to the Memphis Cotton Oil Company. In the shop a corps of skilled mechanics, headed by P. A. Williams, give expert service work. Each year the company sends one man to the Chevrolet school at Flint, Mich. (Continued on page 8)

New Models and Dealers Who Will Exhibit Them Locally



B. E. DAVENPORT
President of D. & P. Chevrolet Co.



The new slanting non-glare windshield on the 1930 Chevrolet Six gives the new car an added safety feature. It is designed to throw the reflected light of an approaching or following headlamp downward, away from the driver's eyes, providing for a safer night driving by giving the driver a clear view of the road at all times. The windshield glass may be raised or lowered by means of a conveniently located regulator, giving the occupants of the car whatever degree of ventilation is desired.



T. M. POTTS
Vice-Pres. D. & P. Chevrolet Co.

GREATEST CHEVROLET IN HISTORY IS SAID OF NEW 1930 MODELS

Phenomenal Record Of Car Sales For 1929 Expected To Be Surpassed In Sale Of New Offerings

The Chevrolet Motor Company today announces a new car for 1930 known as "The Greatest Chevrolet in Chevrolet's History."

Announcement of the new car today comes right at the close of Chevrolet's greatest year, for the sensational success of the six-cylinder Chevrolet, introduced just a year ago, resulted in an output of 1,350,000 cars this year, breaking by a wide margin all former Chevrolet annual production records.

In making public Chevrolet's plans for 1930, W. S. Knudson, president and general manager, declared that with the improvements incorporated in the new car, Chevrolet was anticipating a volume of business that will equal, if not surpass, the phenomenal record of 1929. And, in order to accommodate an early demand, production is being speeded with all the haste consistent with the precision methods for which Chevrolet manufacturing operations are famous.

New car shipments have been going out to dealers for the past days, with deliveries to owners scheduled to start today. The cars went on display this morning in thousands of Chevrolet showrooms from coast to coast, while at the same time the announcement of the new car was being broadcast through the advertising columns of more than 6,500 newspapers.

Distinct Improvements
Scores of distinct improvements have been made in the 1930 Chevrolet line, the factory announces. Greater beauty, added safety factors, improved riding comfort and better all-round performance with added power, and faster acceleration are announced as features of the new line.

Larger tires, small wheels, Delco-Loejoy hydraulic shock absorbers at all four wheels, Fisher slanting non-glare VV windshield and vastly improved four wheel braking system are some of the highlights.

Brakes are of the internal expanding "articulated shoe type" both front and rear, those on the front wheels having two shoes while those on the rear have four. These brakes, also, are fully enclosed giving perfect protection against water and dirt.

Represent Innovation
The brakes represent an innovation not only in the Chevrolet line but in the entire passenger car field. The length of service that these linings give in the new design Chevrolet brakes is second to none. The brakes may be adjusted without the removal of any plates from the brake drum and operate with equal efficiency on all four wheels. The brake drums are 11 1/2 inches in diameter. The emergency brake is an independent unit operating on the rear drums. A new method of construction known as the "articulated shoe type" assures uniform braking under all conditions of temperature. Tests at the General Motors Proving Ground show that the new brake will stop a car traveling thirty miles per hour in two and two-tenths seconds within 48 feet.

Attractive Closed Bodies
The attractive new closed bodies, in a variety of colors, carry the famous Fisher stamp of craftsmanship. Eight models, three of which are new to Chevrolet, comprise the line. Of the eight, five are closed cars and three are open. The closed cars are the sedan, coach, coupe, sport coupe and club sedan. The open models are the roadster, sport roadster and phaeton. The models new to the line this year are the sport coupe, sport roadster and club sedan.

Engine Further Improved
The six cylinder valve-in-head engine introduced a year ago, after four years of research and development, has been further improved and refined. Since the introduction of the six a year ago, test cars have run up more than a million miles of driving at the General Motors Proving Ground in the working out and the justifying of the improvements found in the 1930 car. All the resources of the General Motors Research Laboratories and the Chevrolet experimental laboratory were placed at the disposal of the Chevrolet engineering staff in this work.

Working with Chevrolet's chief engineer, were General Motors engineers and Proving Ground engineers, with 18 Chevrolet engineers assisting their chief in supervising the development and refinement of the improved six cylinder motor found in "the greatest Chevrolet."

The result of the efforts of this engineering talent is a smoother, quieter, more powerful motor. The new engine, fully enclosed, with a high compression non-detonating head, develops 50 horsepower.

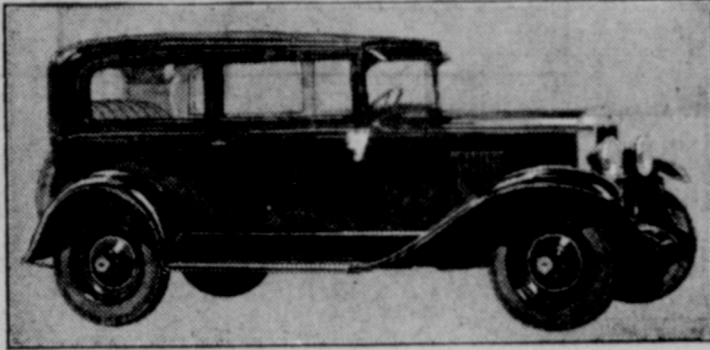
Brake Horsepower
The brake horsepower has been increased over the entire speed range. At 1000 revolutions per minute 24.5 horsepower is developed and the maximum of 50 horsepower is attained at 2,600 revolutions per minute. This increase in power insures a marked improvement in acceleration and hill climbing ability. At normal driving speed the new engine develops many times the power required to drive the car. Specifically the rear axle has been redesigned while the differential unit has been strengthened and its oiling system redesigned to insure long life and quiet operation.

Increased Capacity
The oil pump has been increased in capacity and improved in efficiency, while the carburetor has been improved in respect to both its accelerating pump and jet size. The accelerating pump has been increased in length and reduced in diameter. This improvement also helps the acceleration performance by increasing the duration of the spray.

The same sturdy 48 pound crankshaft which proved so satisfactory during 1929 has been retained in the new car and a further contribution to smoother engine operation, improved distribution of oil, and increased life.

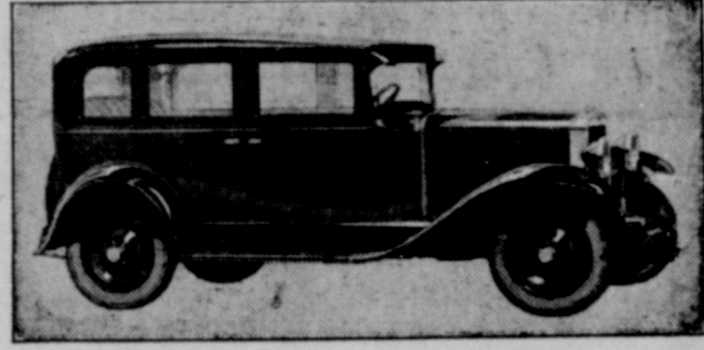
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New Chevrolet Coach



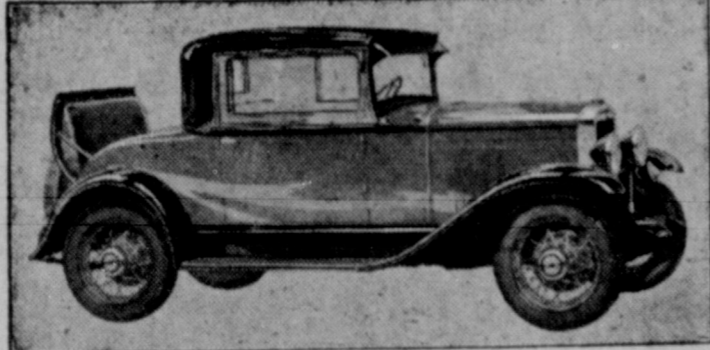
The new Chevrolet Six Coach, always one of the most popular models in the line, is attractively finished in Classic blue, with Tusk Ivory striping. The wheels are done in the same fashion. The sloping windshield, adopted this year, increases the comfort and safety of the driver and passengers. Seats are more comfortable, due to an increase in the depth of the cushions.

New Chevrolet Sedan



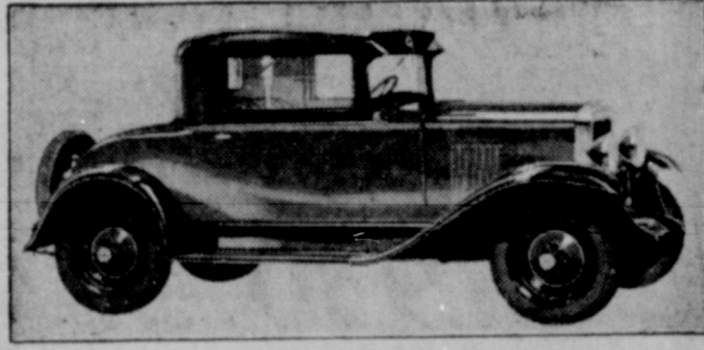
Many de luxe features have been incorporated in the new Chevrolet Six Sedan. Chrome-plated cowl lights with an attractive chrome-plated cowl moulding have been added. The inclined windshield reduces light reflections to a minimum and the new shape of the window reveals improves the appearance. The body is smartly finished in Boulevard maroon, with black mouldings, rear quarter and wheels. The striping on both body and wheels is in Aurora red. The trim is in harmonizing color of selected mohair.

New Chevrolet Sport Coupe



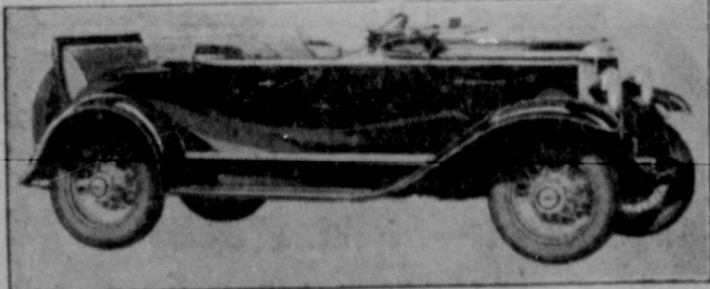
The trend toward sport models has been recognized by Chevrolet with the introduction of the Sport Coupe, a smart new model with wire wheels. It is attractively finished in Stanford brown with Beaver brown roof and rear quarter. The mouldings, too, are in Beaver brown. Body striping and wire wheels are in Shalimar orange. The interior is beautifully trimmed in selected mohair of harmonizing shade.

New Chevrolet Coupe



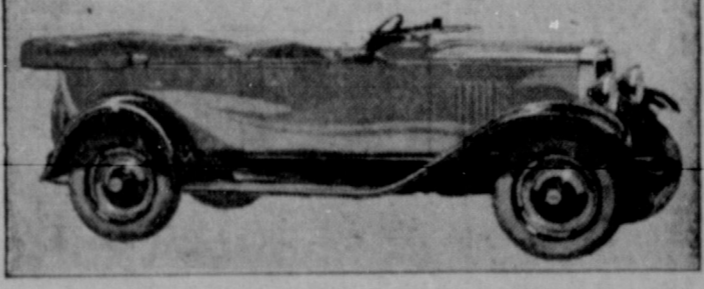
The new Chevrolet Coupe is finished in Scaraba green Duco with Arizona gray mouldings and Tusk Ivory striping. Wheels are done in the same fashion. The trim is of rich velour in a harmonizing color. Comfort has been catered to in the Coupe through the adoption of the slanting windshield, which reduces light reflections and by the increase in the depth of the seat cushions. Window reveals also have been improved.

New Chevrolet Sport Roadster



The Sport Roadster is a newcomer to the Chevrolet line this year. It is finished in black Duco with Ayres gray moulding and body striping in Shalimar orange. A flush-type folding rumble seat built into the rear deck provides for the accommodation of extra passengers. Wire wheels are standard equipment, with a spare wheel and carrier mounted on the rear. The trimming is of gray Spanish grain Chevrolet leather. The top material is brown and white whipcord on the inside and gray teal on the outside.

New Chevrolet Phaeton



Most important of the many improvements made in the new Chevrolet Six Phaeton are the lower seats with tilted backs and deeper and more resilient spring cushions which contribute to the comfort of the driver and passengers. The Phaeton is finished in Saxon gray Duco with Bloss Vale green moulding and Taline brown striping. The wheels are done in the same fashion.

In The World of Sport

BY PHILIP MARTIN

When all the holiday tinsel has been carted back to the attic for another year and the pine needles have been swept under the davenport from the living room carpet, you can settle back and listen to a lot of boisterous ballyhoo of a heavyweight boxing contest to be staged in Miami, Fla., early in the new year.

If you have the courage to listen to this ballyhoo, you will learn that the boxing contest will determine, among other things, the heavyweight champion of the world and Ada, O.

It doesn't take a great amount of intelligence to figure that Jack

one can't overlook. He popped Risko so hard and so often that Johnny was stopped for the first time in his life, and he also gained a decision over Paoli. True, he's in bad with the New York commission but no one believes that the Madison Square Garden Corporation can't square him in time for the Miami battle.

Now that we have named them, who do you like best for the honor of meeting Sharkey? My answer is that Schmeling will get the shot at Jack. But if you want to know who stand, the best chance of winning from the Boston big fellow, there could be but one answer:

Johnny Risko.

Biography Of Mrs. Fetterly Would Be Colorful History

TEMPLE, Jan. 2. (UP)—A complete biography of Mrs. Ainanda Bryant Fetterly, who lives with a granddaughter, Mrs. E. T. Colbert, on North Sixth street, would entail a history of the more colorful phase of Texas history.

Born in Texas five months before the declaration of independence was signed, she has lived under five flags.

Added to the distinction is the fact that her immediate progenitors figured prominently in the state's civil history.

Her father, Benjamin Franklin Bryant, brought his wife to Milan, Sabine county, in 1837, and Amanda Bryant was born there on Sept. 12, 1835. He recruited and organized a company at the call for volunteers to seek freedom from Mexico, and was elected captain.

Captain Bryant participated in numerous movements during the war, his men fighting with special distinction at San Jacinto.

On March 16, 1839, he commanded the party of 52 men who engaged the band of Indians under Jose Maria near the home of George Morgan, at the falls of the Brazos near where the Texans had suffered losses of thirteen killed and five wounded. Bryant, then a major, being one of the latter, they were forced to retreat. These same Indians had attacked the Morgan home on Jan. 1 and had killed and scalped George Morgan and his wife.

Stock Sale Shows March Of Progress In West Unimpeded

ABILENE, Jan. 2. (Special)—Despite the recent stock market crash, West Texas is continuing its progressive march of prosperity, according to the recent two months' sale of more than 2,000 shares of West Texas Utilities' \$6 Preferred Stock.

The stock offering which began October 1 had a quota of 2,000 shares placed over the various districts of the company and this quota was broken when five shares more than that figure were sold at the last minute. During the month of October a total of 819 shares were sold—then came the disastrous stock market crash. Industry was to be altered and general business conditions affected, it was pointed out, but the crash, showing its worst nationwide effect during November, seemed to only stimulate sales in West Texas for in that month 1,195 shares were sold to bring the grand stock offering total to 2,005 and the total number of shares held by West Texans to approximately 10,000. It was thought at the beginning of the stock offering that the quota set was rather high.

Five of the eight districts representing 33 of the 45 counties served by the West Texas Utilities Company responded by breaking 100 per cent of their quotas by a goodly margin. This two months stock sales is considered one of the most successful ever conducted by the company and in face of the stock market failure and its supposed curtailment of prosperity, the results are considered exceptionally good. It is evident that West Texans have placed little faith in the pessimistic outlook pictured for the near future. Knowing the value of and believing in West Texas makes it a "Land of Opportunity."

Looks now that Olney is to have another fine oil field developed right at her door. The coming in last week of the Doc Riggs well on the Allison farm, a short distance southwest of Olney at the shallow depth of 865 feet, with a daily production of 300 barrels, forecasts that situation will come about. Several off-sets to this well have been made, rigs up and drilling begun.—The Olney Enterprise.



Jack Sharkey, above, will meet someone at Miami next spring for the heavyweight title. Johnny Risko, left below, and Max Schmeling, right, are candidates for a chance at Sharkey.

Sharkey, Boston's ex-sailor, will be one of the principals in their second annual tussle neath the palms of Miami. The papers have been telling us that for months. But since it takes at least two heavyweights to make a championship battle, we might furnish a bit of conjecture with regard to the second individual.

How do you like Johnny Risko for the honor? The bouncing baker boy is in the midst of a remarkable comeback. After losing several fights because his "sweetie went away," Johnny finally decided he might as well go on being a cauliflower even if his girl did clutch him. Now he has another and has been fighting like blazes ever since (in the ring, of course).

Risko recently defeated Jimmy Maloney, Boston heavy, in two rounds. Maloney still heard birds singing when the gong sounded the opening of the third round. It was counted a technical knockout. The Risko pounded out a 12-heat decision over Ernie Schaaf, one more of Boston's ex-sailors. It looks like Johnny has it in for the crude Beantowners and he might include Sharkey among his victims. He defeated the big Lithuanian two years ago.

If you don't like Risko, how about Tuffy Griffiths, the battling youngster from Sioux City, Ia.? Tuffy and the Risk are watched for a bout in Madison Square Garden Dec. 27. The Iowa won't go through with that battle, he says, unless the winner is guaranteed the Miami prize. Tuffy fought Risko and won on a foul during that period when Johnny's heart was torn by the little girl.

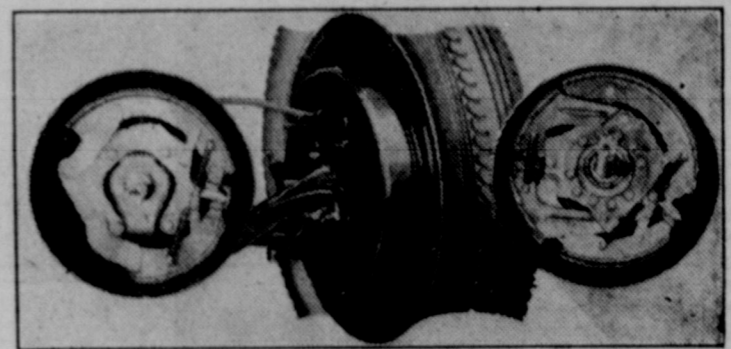
Let's consider Otto Von Porat, Chicago's hard-hitting Norwegian. He punched poor old Meyer K. O. Christner, the Akron rubber-puddler, into submission. That doesn't count much when you consider that "Meyer from Otter" never did much except knock out Knute Hansen. Von Porat lost every one of 10 rounds to Risko in their meeting of a few months ago. He probably could have licked Phil Scott in the new York Christmas Fund show but he fouled him and lost. Just the mere mention of Scott is enough, don't you think?

The cauliflowers named above leave only one more for further consideration. He is Max Schmeling, the German Jack Dempsey. Max is due to arrive in this country around the first of the year. Those closely associated with the big hamburger say he will fight somebody in Atlantic City on Washington's birthday. Still others claim he will be Sharkey's opponent at Miami.

Max has done two things that

Improved Brakes.....

Chevrolet Adopts Improved Brakes



Internal-expanding four-wheel brakes comprise one of the important safety features incorporated in the 1930 Chevrolet Six. The new brakes are designed to serve thousands of miles on one set of linings; they may be easily adjusted without the removal of any plates from the brake drum and they operate with efficiency on all four wheels. A new method of construction, known as the "articulated shoe type," assures uniform braking under all conditions of temperature. Tests at the General Motors Proving Ground show that the new brakes will stop the car traveling thirty miles per hour in two and two-tenths seconds within 48 feet. The operating mechanism of the front brake is shown at the left, and the rear brake at the right. The design of the brake permits the full surface of each brake shoe to be applied to the drum.

.... Only one of the many new features in your Chevrolet for 1930....

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Announcing

THE NEW 1930

CHEVROLET

THERE are 76 specific improvements in the New Chevrolet Six—affecting every phase of its performance, comfort, endurance and dependability. Many of these advancements cannot be seen when you inspect the car—but you sense their presence the minute you take the wheel. For this reason we suggest that you see and drive the New Chevrolet Six at your earliest convenience.

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**Now---see!!
It Here!!** **THE GREATEST CHEVROLET**
IN CHEVROLET HISTORY
On Display In Memphis Saturday, January 4th, 1930

A Smoother, Faster And Better Six

Chevrolet presents the Greatest Chevrolet in Chevrolet History—
—a smoother, faster, better Six... at prices within the reach of all!

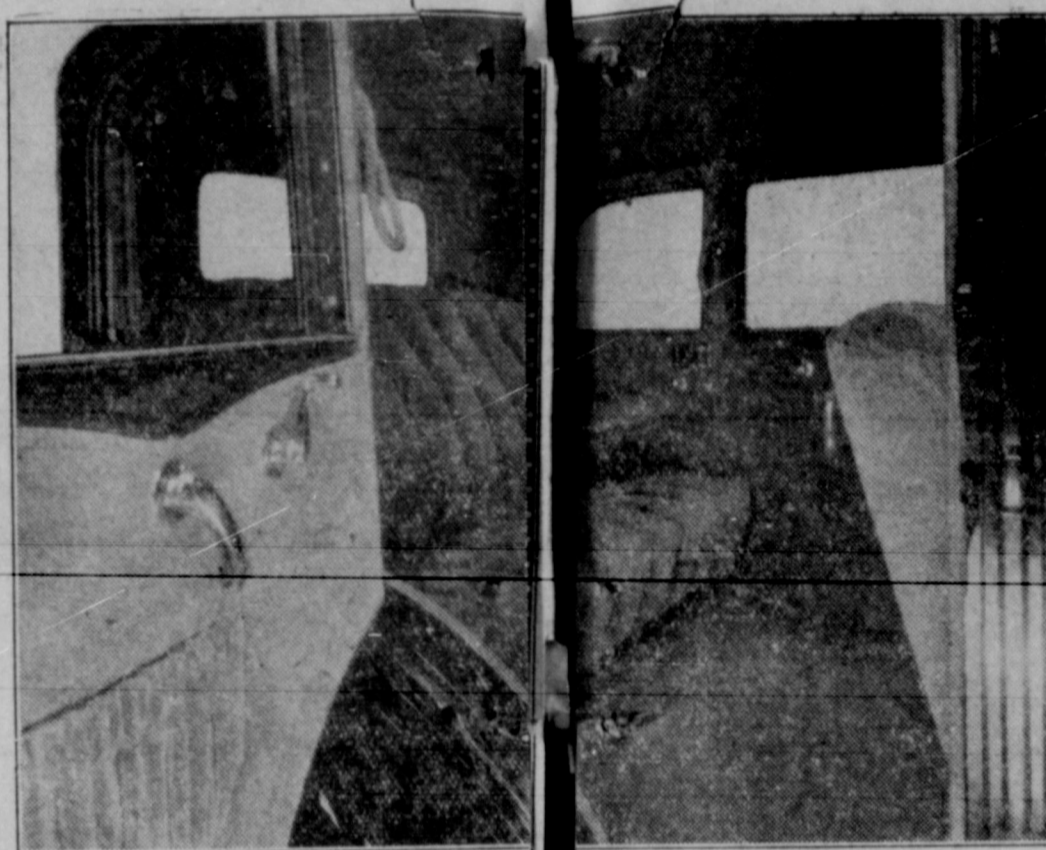
Chevrolet sincerely believes that this new car will meet with your approval, in every respect.

There are scores of vital improvements—affecting every phase of comfort, performance, endurance and safety.

Lighter cast-iron pistons, with bronze bushings; new motor head design; fully enclosed, internal-expanding brakes; four Lovejoy hydraulic shock absorbers; sturdier transmission; heavier clutch—these are typical of the improvements found throughout the entire design of the car.

Other advancements include a heavier rear axle; larger tires; new self-adjusting spring shackles; new electric gasoline gauge; new non-glare windshield; new instrument panel; new and richer upholsteries.

Roominess, Luxury Offered in New Chevrolet Six



Roominess, comfort and luxury, hitherto unobtainable in a car at its price, are offered in the new Chevrolet closed models. An instance of this is noted in this view of the rear seat of the new Sedan, which shows the wide door, swung backward this year to increase its restfulness. The deep-tufted comfortable seat, tilted for foot room, too, has been provided.

See This New Car In Our Display Rooms

This increased value has been made possible by the great success of the Chevrolet Six.

During 1929, Chevrolet built and sold over a million three hundred thousand six-cylinder Chevrolets. This enormous volume production has made possible many savings in the Chevrolet factories—in the cost of raw materials and in the various production processes.

These savings Chevrolet now passes on to buyers of the Greatest Chevrolet in Chevrolet History.

No written description can do justice to the extra value and quality provided in this new car. So we ask you to visit your Chevrolet dealer—to see this car—to ride in it—and to judge for yourself what value it represents.

And The Prices Are Extremely Low!

Makes Driving Safer

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<i>The Roadster</i>	\$525
<i>The Sport Roadster</i>	\$585
<i>The Phaeton</i>	\$525
<i>The Coach</i>	\$595

Here Are Your Prices for the Greatest Chevrolet of Detroit.

<i>The Coupe</i>	\$595
<i>The Sport Coupe</i>	\$685
<i>The Club Sedan</i>	\$675
<i>The Sedan</i>	\$695

Added Power In 1930 Chevrolet

Five years of testing have resulted in the introduction in its 1930 car of the smoothest, quietest and most powerful motor ever offered by Chevrolet. It is fully enclosed with a non-detonating head. At 2,600 revolutions per minute it develops 50 horsepower. This picture of the right side of the motor shows the gasoline pump and filter, the positive water pump, the starter and distributor.

A SIX IN THE PRICE RANGE OF THE FOUR

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MEMPHIS, TENN.

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Hot Weather Bothers Fur Trappers; Louisiana's Pelts Exceed Canada's

The popular conception that furs grace milady's shoulders at the cost of long treks through barren icelands has been shattered.

For the semi-tropical state of Louisiana, far away from the snow and ice and Arctic winds, produces more fur pelts than all the provinces and territories of Canada, with Alaska's catch thrown in for good measure.

Astounding as it may seem, the Pelican state has a yearly output of more than \$8,000,000 in such pelts as the mink, muskrat and the otter. New Orleans itself was founded more than 200 years ago as a fur-trading post.

Today, an army of 12,000 Cajun trappers, descendants of the original French adventurers, are busy in the swamps, marshes, woods and fields attempting to surpass last year's output of 5,922,070 furs.

The 1929-30 fur trapping season opened Nov. 6, and will continue for 75 days. After Feb. 5, agents of the department of conservation will follow the trails and trap the trappers who persist in taking the fur animals.

Louisiana's record as a great fur-trapping region was revealed Dec. 6 when the trappers, fur-land owners and others in the industry, in appreciation of what President Hoover has done to make the Mississippi river safe, presented Mrs. Hoover with a silver muskrat coat made exclusively from Louisiana pelts. Various trappers contributed one pelt each.

One of the principal reasons for the importance of Louisiana in the fur marts is that it still has millions of acres of virgin marsh land and swamps, favorite habitat of such fur animals as otter, mink, raccoon, opossum, weasel, muskrat, skunk, fox and wolf. Although the state is in the subtropics, the quality of the fur taken is excellent.

It is as a muskrat-producing state that Louisiana is supreme. In her 2,500,000 acres of coastal marsh adjoining the Gulf of Mexico are millions of these favorite rodents—animals that have taken the place of the beaver as the mainstay of the fur industry.

Stanley C. Arthur, director of



A typical Louisiana Cajun trapper and his catch of raccoon fur being stretched and cured is shown above.

the wild life division of the department of conservation, who made the presentation of the muskrat coat to Mrs. Hoover, has control of the fur animals, as well as the game birds and mammals in the state.

He is given a large part of the credit for building up the Louisiana fur industry to the important place it occupies today.

The \$8,526,740 fur crop in Louisiana last year consisted of: Muskrats, 5,105,374; opossums, 518,295; raccoons, 153,914; minks, 99,844; skunks, 31,661; spotted skunks (civet cats), 7,279; otters, 3,048; wild cats, 865; foxes, 1,476; miscellaneous, 314, or a total of 5,922,070.

The total Canadian catch, as furnished by the Dominion bureau of statistics, fur branch, was 3,592,700, which goes to prove that your fur coat may have come from Louisiana's marshes instead of from the Arctic.

For adding machines, Standard and Portable typewriters, see Zel Moore.

Truth Is Stranger Than Fiction

BY DOROTHY B. ROBBINS

Our daily paper carried a local item last Monday that was interesting. A snake story about a little four year old boy; son of Marcus Dollar. The little fellow had found one in his play and was stroking it like a kitten when discovered by his mother. The Kitty Snake was very much attached to the child, having coiled around his arm. And the reptile was a copperhead! The child's mother called to him to drop it and hurried with the hoe. Isn't this another proof that the Lord watches over children for the copperhead is known as one of the most vicious and poisonous snakes. Was the snake taking advantage of the December summer weather and had he selected the foot of a telephone pole as the least likely

place for interruption? Miraculous things do happen in this age and often a little child is made the instrument for their enforcement. Quite a little sermon in this for now that there are no fences, yards are elastic and little folks slip easily from sight.

I do not know the Dollar family but a four year old child's judgment is not absolute about danger and telephone poles are too near the streets anyway. The little Dollar boy, will no doubt, be kept in the yard hereafter and if the yard is kept free from snaky weeds and a family cat allowed there will be no more such scares. Beg your pardon, Mrs. Dollar, this is no criticism of you; particularly your little boy's fortunate escape should prove a warning to other mothers. Don't let the little ones play out of the yard. Worse things than snakes abound. There's the hit and run driver who cannot be cast aside as easily as the copperhead. You'll trust in the Lord again? That's good, but I've heard he expects something of us.

The Georgia Supreme Court is quoting this proverb anent the man who has lived in the back of his own home doing his cooking and looking after his wants generally because he had a nagging wife: "It is better to dwell in the corner of the housetop than with a brawling woman and in a wide house."

Then another quotation worth while from a decision of several years ago follows: "From the days of Socrates and Zanthippe, men and women have known what is meant by nagging, although philology cannot define it or legal chemistry resolve it into its elements. Humor cannot soften or wit divert it. Prayers avail nothing and threats are idle. Soft words but increase its velocity and hard ones its violence. Darkness has for it no terrors and long hours of night draw on drapery of the couch around it. The chamber where love and peace should dwell becomes an inferno driving the poor man to the saloon, the rich man to his club. It takes the sparkle out of the wine of life and turns at night into ashes the fruits of the labor of the day."

Some very prominent women have been cigarette users; seemingly finding no disastrous results therefrom. I read of a woman who tried to write a story un-

President-Elect of Mexico and Family



Pascual Ortiz Rubio, president-elect of Mexico, is shown here with his wife and children as they photographed in their hotel suite in New York. Rubio made the trip to New York to meet Generalissimo Carlos Elias Cailles, former Mexican president, who has been in Europe. The children are left to right: Eugenio, 5; Ofelia, 8, and Pascual, 6.

successfully; smoked a few cigarettes and wrote a best seller—'twas a story, remember. It has been told of the famous Gertrude Atherton that when asked to refrain from smoking cigarettes because of the bad example—this was in California—she agreed sweetly saying she had not thought what she did meant so much to others. The humility and lack of cockiness in the great ones should knock the conceit out of many. Eyebrows were lifted recently when some young ones at a party passed cigarettes and got not so many refusals. Where? Several places, no doubt. Always interested in contests and writing slogans, I answered a big cigarette advertisement not long ago to receive an immediate answer saying that they were so glad I liked their cigarettes, would continue to use them and recommend them to my friends. Horrors! I answered assuring them of my dislike for the noxious smoke and asked that my entry be cancelled. Immediate reply, "Your request shall be respected." I breathed freely and felt so kindly toward them that I

felt like writing something real nice about them. No, it wasn't Camels nor yet the kind of them vises you to reach for one of them when the craving for candy assaults.

It seems to me a love for cigarettes must be deeply rooted when it will cause one to waver over taking an oath to cease smoking in order to get \$10,000. An aunt in Philadelphia died November 29 and specified in her will that her niece would receive that amount provided she did not smoke any more. The niece is an artist; probably the profession has something to do with the habit. I have noticed that sedentary employment seems conducive to such habits.

Who was it said, "I'd rather have a baby grand than a grand baby?" Must have been a man for a recent article says: According to an occupational census, there are practically no women piano tuners in this country. Much has been said about women forsaking motherhood for careers but it seems that most of them would

rather take care of grand babies than baby grands."

Still, after due consideration, that article smacks of the masculine touch, note the careful, "but it seems" there is no avowed decision. Perhaps to most women of grand motherly age there is little choice—each represents a big noise and both take considerable nursing and take up considerable space. Perhaps the old ladies after reaching such an age have lost the art of tuning anything. (Remember, I have only eleven of the former and have never possessed the latter, but naturally, have formed an opinion).

Two new railroads and a post office building seems ample for one week. To make Quannah people have a real Christmas this would have been more than sufficient but a big snow on top of it makes country and city dweller feel jubilant.—The Quannah Tribune-Chief.

Miss Helen Morrison of Hedley spent the week with Miss Thornton, last week.

Greater Speed

Even greater speed, and a motor increased to 50 horse power, are important improvements to the 1930 Chevrolet. After a trial ride you'll wonder how such a really fine car can be so tremendously low in price.

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HIGHLIGHTS

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buton and increased economy has been made by the new intake and exhaust manifolds of the heated T design.

Improved Air Cleaner

The air cleaner has been improved by reversing the position of the intake slots and providing for a less restricted flow of air. With the intake slots located at a greater distance from the exhaust manifold, the air entering the carburetor is much cooler and a greater amount of air can be handled in the same space because of its greater density. These combined refinements result in better engine performance by insuring delivery of clean, cool air to the carburetor in larger quantities.

The clutch on the new car has been improved by the adoption of an integral disc, made in one piece of high carbon steel. This will give the 1930 cars smoother and easier clutch action, with quieter operation and longer service.

Easier Riding

Easier riding and greater quietness are accomplished through a new type of self-adjusting spring shackle in which bushings in the spring eyes and brackets are eliminated, thus doing away with wear. Hardened and ground tubular pins, with tapered ends, are pressed into the springs and brackets while oil forced into making frequent lubrication unnecessary.

Another improvement bringing about easier riding, is found in the Delco-Lovejoy hydraulic shock absorbers in the form of a rigid link rod instead of a strap connecting the operating arms with the chassis and insuring positive transmission of all rebound movements.

New Type of Gauge

A new type of gasoline gauge of unusual accuracy is found on the new Chevrolet. A double float in the tank insures correct reading of this gauge regardless of the position of the car.

The position of the steering wheel in relation to the seat has been changed, making the driver's position much more comfortable. The horn button in the center of the wheel has been made more accessible and easier to operate by increasing the height of the crown and improving the design of the rubber bellows.

Appearance and riding qualities of the car have been improved through a change in the tire size from a 4.50-20 to 4.75-19. The rim diameter has been reduced one inch.

Disc Wheels Provided

Disc wheels are provided as standard equipment on all models except the sport roadster and sport coupe. The wire wheels on these models are equipped with drop center rims and are demountable at the hub. The large wire wheel hubcaps are chromium plated and of beautiful and distinctive design. The neat Chevrolet emblem at the center with raised polished border and black center is surrounded by a hammered background. This is surrounded by a polished ring within a black ring.

Any possibility of the hood rattling has been eliminated through the addition of a rubber bumper mounted on the upturned flange of the fender skirt, against which the hood bears.

Instrument Panel Design

The instrument panel design and arrangement this year is entirely new. The instruments are all mounted on a single carrier plate which is assembled from the rear. This permits the removal of individual instruments for service. Spark and throttle controls as well as choke are located on the instrument panel, which is indirectly lighted.

Wire Wheel Equipment

The sport roadster and sport coupe are equipped with wire wheels. Both have rumble seats, that in the sport roadster being of the flush type. Spare wheel and carrier are mounted on the back. The sport roadster is finished in smart black Duco with Ayres gray moulding. Body striping and wire wheels are Shalimar orange, while the seats are gray with plain back and tufted seat cushion. Top material is brown and white whipcord on the inside and gray teal on the outside. The back curtain is separable to permit better ventilation. The sport coupe is finished in Stanford brown with Beaver brown roof and rear quarter. Mouldings are of Beaver brown while the body striping and wire wheels are Shalimar orange. The interior is trimmed in a beautifully harmonizing mohair.

The club sedan is finished in Llana gray Duco with black rear quarter. Mouldings are black with Eos red striping. Wheels are Llana gray striped with Eos red. The mohair harmonizes with the general ensemble.

Seats Are Lowered

In the phaeton and roadster the

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PAUL WILLIAMS



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seats have been lowered an inch and a half and in the phaeton the rear seat has been tilted. Seat

and back cushions have been made deeper, giving greater riding comfort. Trim material of the phaeton is gray while the seat cushions are tufted with plain seat backs. Top material is brown and white whipcord on the inside and gray teal on the outside. It is finished in Saxon gray Duco with Bloss Vale green moulding and Talina brown striping. The wheels are Saxon gray with Bloss Vale green stripes. In the roadster gray Spanish material with plain back and tufted cushion is used for upholstery while the top material is brown and white whipcord on the inside with gray teal on the outside. The back curtain is separable to permit better ventilation. Buttons in the top hold the curtain open. The roadster is finished in Stanton blue Duco with black mouldings and Tusk ivory stripings. Wheels are black with Tusk ivory stripings, also.

Hinged Only at Floor

In the coach the left front seat is hinged only at the floor. The back and seat being in fixed relation. The right front seat is of the folding type, hinged at both floor and back. Appearance of the body has been improved by a new contour of the window reveals. The body is finished in Classic blue Duco with Ivory stripings and wheels to match. The interior of the body is finished with a high grade velour of harmonizing color. The coupe follows the same design as to window reveals while the body is finished in Scaraba green Duco with Arizona gray mouldings and Tusk ivory stripings. Wheels are finished to match with the velour trim of a harmonizing color.

De Luxe Model

The sedan stands out as a de luxe model with chrome-plated cowl lights and attractive chrome-plated cowl mouldings. The body is finished in Boulevard maroon with black mouldings, rear quarter and wheels. Striping on both body and wheels is or Aurora red while the trim is in harmonizing color of a high grade mohair.

Chevrolet Co.—

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Company since the introduction of the new Chevrolet six last January. The D. & P. Chevrolet Company has done its share in the placing of these cars. F. R. Springer, sales manager, is the leading salesman of the company, having made more than a hundred sales during the past year. He is a member of the 100 car club, an organization made up of salesmen of the Chevrolet Motor Company who have sold at least a hundred cars in the course of a year.

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D. & P. Chevrolet Company Maintain Efficient Staff

P. A. Williams, who is foreman of the service and shop department of the D. & P. Chevrolet Company has been in the employ of this concern for the past three years, and has made the reputation of being one of the most competent mechanics in the city. He has eight mechanics working under him.

Ross Springer is the manager of the parts department of the D. & P. Chevrolet Company. He has been with the company for the past two years. He is in charge of what is said to be the largest stock of parts and automobile tires in the city.

The sales department is under the direction of F. R. Springer, who has been with the D. & P. Chevrolet Company for the past 18 months. He has complete control of the sale of new and used cars. He is a member of the Chevrolet Motor Company 100 car club, having made more than 100 deliveries of new cars during the past year.

Ben Weiss, accountant, and Mrs. Marie Ward, bookkeeper and stenographer, have charge of the bookkeeping and accounting for the firm. Mr. Weiss has been with the company for the past ten months, while Mrs. Ward has been a member of the organization for the past two years.

Road Re-routing Is Cause Of Protest By Area Citizens

SAN MARCOS, Jan. 2. (UP)—Re-routing of Central Texas' proposed Post Road as announced by the State Highway department has aroused much protest from citizens in towns of the area. Their complaints are that the new route would avoid centers of population in Hays and Comal counties, including Buda, Kyle, San Marcos and New Braunfels.

Austin newspapers have indicated that Travis county stands ready to line up with Hays and Comal counties in the protest.

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LUNCHEON GIVEN FOR STUDENTS ON FRIDAY

Large Number Are On Hand For Treat Of Rotary Club

Playing host to all the students of Memphis at home for the Christmas holidays, the Memphis Club entertained a large number of college boys and girls at luncheon held last Friday in the dining room of the Temple. The introductions, in which the students were welcomed to the city, were made by W. B. Jones. He stated that the proudest day in a parent's life is when students start trooping home for the holidays. He complimented the Memphis students for the record that they have made in college and said that it was the wish of the town that they finish their education and come home as finished products.

Introduced by Greene The program was introduced by R. S. Greene, chairman of the program committee. He stated that it was a pleasure for the Rotary (Continued on page 4)

Young Musician Is Presented At Meet Local Rotary Club

Two former Memphis students finished the program at the weekly meeting of the Rotary Club Tuesday at noon. Several humorous readings were given by C. J. Goodnight, which brought hearty laughs from the Rotarians and unstinted applause. D. C. Hyder, Jr., was the other artist for the occasion, giving a group of violin and piano numbers. The program was introduced by Horace Tarver, the new chairman of the program committee.

In Artist Class Too much praise cannot be accorded D. C. Hyder for the splendid way in which he rendered the difficult compositions he played. His technique, both on the violin and piano, easily puts him in the artist class. He played with perfect ease and composure on both instruments attesting to his versatility and thorough musicianship.

Selections Outstanding His tone shadings on the violin, his fingering, his poise and his complete understanding of the accompaniment and what it exacts of the soloist made his violin selections outstanding. The Rotary Club would not be satisfied until he had played three violin numbers and two selections on the piano. Contributing materially to the young artist's interpretation of the violin selections was the accompaniment so well rendered by Mrs. Margaret Morgan Andrews. Several Rotarians were heard to remark that Mrs. Andrews' accompaniment was the most perfect and understanding they had ever listened to.

D. C. Hyder, Jr., is a graduate of the Dunning System of Musical Education and has been studying violin in Amarillo for some time past. He is considered one of the most promising young artists in this section of the state.

Memphis Al-Morrah Shrine Club Looks After Hospital Needs Of Many Children

The work of the Al-Morrah Shrine Club of Memphis in sending crippled children to the Scottish Rite Hospital in Dallas for treatment has done much to alleviate suffering and to give to unfortunate children the right to enjoy life as do children who are without deformities and who are not crippled. The local organization works quietly, shuns publicity, but does a great deal of good for the afflicted children in Memphis and surrounding country.

Three From Memphis On Tuesday night of this week, Miss Berry, 12 years of age, was sent to the Scottish Rite Hospital in Dallas. When he arrives at the institution, there will be three children from Memphis who are receiving medical attention at the present time, through the thought-

Co. Commissioners Have Regular Meet Throughout Monday

The Commissioners' Court of Hall County met in regular session at the courthouse Monday of this week. At this meeting the work of the year was reviewed and odds and ends of business was straightened out in preparation for the new year ahead. It was brought out at the meeting that the county finances were in good condition and the year 1929 was observed to have been replete with worthwhile accomplishments. Plans for the new year were also gone into.

Plans for beginning work on the new highway in the early part of 1930 came in for discussion at the meeting. More definite plans will be formulated at the next regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court which will be held on January 13. It is expected that work will be started soon on surveying the route of the new highway, after which actual construction work will be begun.

George Greenhaw Will Move Soon To New Location

George Greenhaw, owner and manager of the Greenhaw Barber Shop, has announced that he will remove his shop to the building which has just been vacated recently by the Hay Dry Goods Company. According to Mr. Greenhaw, the move will take place in the earlier part of next week, or just as soon as the building can be repaired and remodeled.

The Greenhaw Barber Shop has been located in its present quarters for several years past, but due to the increasing patronage enjoyed by this shop, the present building is not large enough to meet the demands of the trade and by taking over the new building, Mr. Greenhaw feels that he will be better equipped to give his patrons the service they are entitled to receive when he gets into his new location.

It is understood that the Junior and Art Shop will occupy one side of the new building when repairs have been completed.

Work On Church Of Christ Expected To Be Through Jan. 15

Work on the new Seventh and Brice Streets Church of Christ is progressing satisfactorily, according to the chairman of the building committee who estimated that the church would be completed by the fifteenth of January, provided the workers are not given a setback in their present plans.

The seats for the church will not arrive in the city before the tenth of February or perhaps at a later date. It is undecided, as yet, whether the congregation will await the arrival of the new seats before starting worship in the new structure or use the old seats until the new ones arrive.

The church is modern throughout and embodies many new principles of architectural design which (Continued on page 4)

NEGRO WOUNDED BY QUITAQUE MAN FRIDAY

Quarrel Believed To Have Been Cause Of Shooting

Ernest Adams, negro cotton picker, is said to be suffering from serious bullet wounds, alleged to have been inflicted by Homer Hulsey, who is said to reside at Quitaque, according to Sheriff Sid Christian. The shooting is said to have taken place last Friday afternoon at the Williams Filling Station, four miles west of Pliska on the Memphis-Turkey highway.

No Statement Made Immediately after the shooting, the cause of which is said to be undetermined, Hulsey is said to have surrendered to operatives of the sheriff's department, who were called to the filling station. No statement has been made, so (Continued on page 4)

Basketball Teams At Memphis Hi Are Showing Good Form

Both the boys' and girls' basketball teams of Memphis High School are fast rounding into shape to meet the stiff competition ahead throughout January and a part of February. Miss Ora Lee Bray, girls' coach, arrived in Memphis in the early part of the week and has been conducting practices daily in order to round her team into form. Coach Nolan Walter will return to Memphis this week and it is expected that the boys will see plenty of hard practice assignments within the next several weeks.

Keeping in Shape Practically all of those who have been coming out for the boys' basketball team have been keeping in shape during the holidays and will resume training in good condition. Roy Stargel is acting captain at the present time, but the regular captain will be elected within the near future. Most of the material consists of first year men but a fair season is expected due to the fact that three lettermen are back, they being Roy Stargel, Cecil Stargel and Walter Massey. These men are the backbone of the team and much is depending upon them. Thus far, the team has played five practice games, winning one and losing four. However, several of the games were played against Estelline.

Will Meet Panhandle The girls' basketball team will journey to Panhandle on January 10 to play the team there and the next day they go to Pampa for a game. They play a return engagement with Panhandle in Memphis on January 14, and on January 17, they return to Panhandle to take part in the tournament scheduled for that time. They won the tournament last season and from all appearances, they are slated to repeat the win again this season.

Three Young Men Of Memphis Arranging Newspaper Service

Three young men of Memphis are arranging a weekly newspaper service which they expect to sell to many of the papers throughout Texas and other states. The service will detail in picture and in print the news of yesterday and today, prepared in a way that is easily understood. It will be new and original in every sense of the word and will, no doubt, attract much favorable attention.

The name for the service will be announced at a later date. The three who are preparing the data for the service are Yance Johnson, Wilfred Martin and R. C. Pearson. Vance Johnson will do the cartoon work incident to preparing the service for weekly newspapers. It is hoped to have the service syndicated eventually. At the present time, the three associated together in the work, are getting sufficient material on hand to last for a considerable period of time.

Permits Issued For Building On Decline In City

Building activities in Memphis have slowed down considerably, according to Wesley J. Mangum, city building inspector. Mr. Mangum points out that this is the case at the beginning of each new year. Most of the changes that are going on at the present time are those incident to remodeling of buildings, made necessary by many firms obtaining new sites at the first of the year.

Since the first of November, there have been few building permits issued by the inspector. Only four permits for new buildings were issued by Mr. Mangum during the months of November and December, he stated. The permits issued were as follows: T. I. Batson, \$800 frame and stucco filling station; J. C. Watkins, \$3,000 five room model residence; Bill Kesterson, repairs, \$100, and G. A. Evans, \$4,800 five room stucco residence.

Building activity is expected to pick up again in the early months of 1930, as has been the case in previous years, Mr. Mangum pointed out.

Mrs. Shelley Gives Musicales At Home Monday Evening

Mrs. Elmer S. Shelley entertained a number of the younger set of the city with a musicale at her home Monday evening of this week. The house was appropriately decorated in holiday colors, which was carried out in the refreshments later in the evening. The ever popular game of hearts was played for several hours before the musicale got under way. Featuring the large number of (Continued on page 4)

REGIONAL SCOUT EXECUTIVE TO SPEAK HERE

Plans Are Perfected For Meeting To Be Held January 7

J. P. Fitch, regional Scout Executive for the Ninth Region, which embraces Oklahoma, Texas and New Mexico, will be the featured speaker at the meeting of the Southeast Panhandle Area Council, Boy Scouts of America, which will be held here on Tuesday, January 7. Scout Executive Jolly states that Fitch has been responsible for putting Scouting over in this section. At the present time, there is not a single county, he says, in Oklahoma, Texas, and New Mexico that does not have Scouting in some form. Mr. Fitch will bring a real message on "The Functions of an Area Council" and every man connected with the Scout movement in whatever capacity is invited to hear him. (Continued on page 8)

Bear Cubs Defeat National Holders Basketball Title

The Estelline High School Bear Cubs added new prowess to their long string of victories in basketball when they defeated the basketweavers of Athens (Texas) High School, national high school champions in basketball. A series of two games accounted for the victories for Estelline. On last Friday night the Hall County basket tossers nosed out the Athens team by a score of 22 to 20, and the following night won by the score of 28 to 25.

Exciting Moments Whitey Bacus, of the Estelline team, an All-State forward last year, did not get into the game the first night, but the Cubs did well without his assistance. The second night's battle was crowded with exciting moments as the Athens Hornets led until the final three minutes of the game when the Cubs scored four field goals, which accounted for their victory.

It is still too early in the season to forecast the winners who will compete in the state meet, but from the early games, the Bear Cubs are showing the best form of any team in the entire state. By virtue of their wins over Athens, they have raised their status among high schools materially.

Estelline has been wanting to meet the Athens team ever since the state meet when the Cubs were semi-finalists, being eliminated by the Denton team who, in turn, were defeated by Athens.

Will Have Strong Team Estelline always has a strong basketball team and from all appearances, this year they will have the strongest team in the history of the school. Most critics of the gentle art of basketball are of the opinion that the state championship rests between three schools, Estelline, Athens and Denton.

Local People Go To Funeral Of Jurist At Crowell Monday

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Hightower and W. T. Hightower attended the funeral of Judge Robert E. Cole, at Crowell, last Monday. Judge Cole was the uncle of N. A. and W. T. Hightower and was accidentally killed in a car wreck about noon last Saturday. Judge Cole was the presiding judge of the Vernon district and was widely known throughout this section of the state.

His popularity was attested to by the fact that some 150 lawyers and other court officials were present at the funeral services to do honor to the deceased. Judge Cole had been on the bench for a number of years and before that time, he had practiced law in this section of the state. He was respected by all with whom he came in contact in the practice of his profession. The jurist's funeral was one of the largest to be witnessed in West Texas in some time.

Whaley Is Named To Managership Of Local Store

C. E. Stone Company has announced a change in the management of the store here, effective last Thursday. Dan McCollum, who has been manager of the local store for some time past resigned his position effective Thursday of last week and was replaced by Heral Whaley, former Memphis resident.

Mr. Whaley is well known in this city, where he resided for a number of years, during the time his father was pastor of the First Baptist church here. He has been connected with the C. E. Stone Company in Shamrock for several years and comes to Memphis highly recommended for the position he has assumed in this city. The many friends of Mr. Whaley will be glad to know of his promotion, which comes as the result of merit on his part.

The local C. E. Stone store has made many new friends and acquired a number of new customers under the management of Dan McCollum. In resigning, Mr. McCollum stated that he has made no definite plans for the future.

Two Women Suffer From Gas Fumes As They Work In Home

It will be recalled by readers of The Democrat that a story was carried in the paper last week to the effect that A. G. Kesterson was almost overcome by gas. A somewhat similar experience was occasioned at the Thos. B. Huff home on South Eighth Street this week. Mrs. Huff had turned on several gas burners in the kitchen of her home and was heating water. She and her daughter Louise were at work in the kitchen and dining room.

The rooms were not well ventilated and soon both Mrs. Huff and (Continued on page 4)

JONES ASSURES BUILDING TO BE BUILT

Letter Details Full Particulars Of The Appropriation

The recent information received from Congressman Marvin Jones to the effect that the appropriation had been allowed by Congress for a Federal building in this city, created considerable local discussion, due to the fact that in the list of cities published in the daily newspapers, no mention was made of the proposed Federal building for this city. Gorge A. Sager, secretary-manager of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce, addressed a communication to Mr. Jones, asking for particulars concerning the building here.

Appropriation Passed In a reply from the Congressman received last week, Mr. Jones hastens to assure Mr. Sager that an appropriation for \$65,000 has passed Congress for a Federal building in this city and that the (Continued on page 4)

Collegians Return To Studies After Holidays At Home

The holiday season is just about over for the many college boys and girls who returned home for this outstanding occasion of the year. Some of them started returning to the various schools they are attending earlier in the week and by Sunday, the old home town will assume once again its tranquil appearance, Christmas being tucked safely away in the past.

Had Plenty to Do The collegians have had plenty to do while they have been at home. They have attended dances and dinner parties, gone on hunting trips, have given the family cars plenty of "airing" and if they have failed to have a thoroughly enjoyable time, it has been their own fault and not the fault of the homefolks, who have bent every energy to make their stay pleasant.

Attend 17 Institutions Although an accurate check-up could not be made of all the students who returned for the holiday season, it is believed that the number this year was greater than has been the case heretofore. Memphis students are attending seventeen institutions of higher education, scattered in all sections of the country. This fact was brought out at the luncheon tendered the college students by the Memphis Rotary Club last Friday.

One person remarked recently that the reason he liked to live in Memphis was due to the fact that culture abounds here so generously, as attested to by the accomplishments of those who represent Memphis in the various colleges and universities as well as the talent remaining at home. A large number of the collegians visited The Democrat office while at home and expressed their pleasure in receiving the home town paper while in school.

Many Candidates Announce In This Issue Of Paper For County Offices

Elsewhere in this issue of The Democrat will be found a number of announcements of candidates for various of the county offices. The practice of announcing for office at the beginning of an election year is a well defined practice and those who make use of it usually "get the jump" on their opponents who refuse to announce until late in the election year.

Array of Candidates From the array of county candidates who have already announced, it may confidently be taken for granted that politics in old Hall County will "pick up" materially during the course of the year 1930. Both men and women will be in the race for county offices. There are probably more than 4,000 qualified voters in the county and the announcement

carried by the county papers will go into the homes of many of these voters.

Well Defined Practice

It has always been a rather well defined practice on the part of this newspaper to write a short story in connection with the candidacy of each person who announces for office. It should not be construed that the paper is favorable to any candidate more than to any other candidate unless such information is stated specifically in the editorial columns of the paper.

Exercise Best Judgment Practically all of those candidates who have announced for the various offices to date would fill them creditably, and in the final analysis, it will be up to the voters to exercise their best judgment

in the election of the county officials. The year ahead promises to furnish much that will be interesting politically. There seems to be no scarcity of candidates in the field for county offices and the same situation will likely exist in the battle for state and national offices.

"Hot" Race for Sheriff

If reports are to be counted on, the race for sheriff will be a "hot" one with more candidates out for the position than perhaps for any other of the county offices. A number of prospective candidates are still undecided as to their intentions relative to running for office, but will, undoubtedly, make up their minds early in the new year in order that their campaigns may get under way before their opponents have covered the field.

Advance Seat Sale For 1930 Edition Of Football Follies Begins On Last Monday

Tickets for the "Football Follies of 1930" were placed on sale at The Democrat office on Monday morning of this week. The advance seat sale will be conducted for several weeks, or until all of the tickets are disposed of. The entire first floor will sell for \$1 the seat and the balcony seats will be 75 cents each. This applies for both nights the entertainment will be presented, Thursday evening, February 6, and Friday evening, February 7.

Satisfactory Start

Despite the fact that no previous announcement had been made, a very satisfactory start was recorded by the ticket sellers Monday. A goodly number of the best seats have already been disposed of. Those who put off getting their tickets until the last moment will have to take what is

left, if any seats are to be had at all. The management of the production believe that the house will be sold out both nights, and those who expect to see the show are urged to get their tickets in time so they may be seated where they desire.

No Ticket Exchanges

No tickets will be held back. No reservations will be made unless the money accompanies the reservation. The expenses incident to the production are such that there will be no exchanges of tickets after they are once purchased. Charts have been prepared of the seating arrangement of the high school auditorium. Each seat, for both nights, has been numbered. All the seats are reserved and the price, as enumerated above, will hold good for each purchaser.



You Can't Drown in a Puddle of Water

THE hysteria of unfortunate stock market investors, and the mental panic of those who fail to study the country's economic situation cannot measure the prosperity of the Nation.

You can't drown in a puddle of water, and the American Family cannot be wrecked by the misfortune of a few investors.

The American family eats well, dresses well, attends theatres, indulges in luxuries—even as before the stock market disaster. . . .

Employment is steadily on the increase; people are earning bigger wages, and the morale of the intelligent citizens is splendid.

The best thing that can be attributed to the stock market disasters is that it strips away the superficial affluence of the gamblers, and shows the reinforcements of American stability—industrially, sociably, and in a domestic sense.

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Race For Governor Outline Road Bond Views

HOUSTON, Jan. 2. (UP)—The Houston Press sent letters to all gubernatorial candidates thus far announced, asking their views on a state road bond issue for improved highways.

The questions asked were: Do you think, in view of the fact that the last legislature enacted the four-cent gasoline tax, there is any necessity of discussing the highway question in the coming campaign?

Do you think the aforesaid gasoline tax, from which the highway fund gets three-quarters, added to the registration and Federal aid, will give ample funds to complete the state highway program, making such a bond issue unnecessary?

Answers received by The Press of one candidate for the bond issue and seven op-

B. Love: Highway must be made an issue. Continuance of four-cent tax, but does not think it is worth building rapidly highways needed.

Miller: Can not see the wisdom or justice of imposing long-term, interest-bearing bonds upon the taxpayers. No necessity for even discussing the question: the enactment of the four-cent gasoline tax solved the problem.

Earle Mayfield: Highway question is and will be an issue in the campaign. Would be an act of stupidity to vote bonds for securing \$30,000,000 a year to spend over a 10-year period when we will have available over \$60,000,000 yearly without bonds.

James Young: Road money now acquired from gasoline taxes aggregate staggering sums. Unalterably opposed to a state road bond issue.

E. C. Senter: Against any and every proposed state bond issue. A four-cent gasoline tax itself will promote extravagance. Give us no more burdens.

Fred B. Robinson: A state bond issue for highways would be overwhelmingly defeated by the people. Against it and thinks gasoline tax should be reduced.

James E. Ferguson: Special interests behind the state bond issue will keep it alive. A three-cent gasoline tax will take care of any reasonable and orderly road construction problem. A state bond issue would be ridiculous.

Holiday Trade In Dallas Augmented

DALLAS, Jan. 2. (UP)—Holiday trade augmented business activity in Texas to an even greater extent this week than for the corresponding period in 1928, one of the best seasons in the history of the Southwest.

In Dallas an increase of \$2,000,000 over a similar 1928 period was experienced, and many other cities also reported material business growth.

Unusually high total debits to individual accounts were reported in the eleventh federal reserve bank district, amounting to \$219,000,000. Bankers take an excess of \$200,000,000 as an indication of excellent financial standing of the territory.

Industrial demands of the southwest will be served with additional facility by the operation of a new Dallas institution, the Texas Bank and Trust company, which opens for business on Dec. 30. The capital will be \$125,000 with a surplus of \$25,000 and new capital will be added as required.

Statistics released by the F. W. Dodge corporation indicates that Dallas will have a \$30,000,000 construction year. Contracts let

in metropolitan Dallas through November total \$24,760,300, and prospects point to an unusually large figure for December.

Growth in Texas foreign trade was commented on by Sherwood H. Avery, district manager of the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, during the week. Exports from the state in 1928 to Latin America amounted to \$72,500,000, as compared to \$12,000,000 in 1914, he pointed out. Texas' annual foreign trade totals \$800,000,000, Avery declared.

The Houston Chamber of Commerce estimated that more than \$56,000,000 will be spent by that city in 1930 for civic improvements. Municipal expenditures and a ship channel budget of possibly \$20,000,000 are included in the bulk sum.

Grade separation work in connection with a \$10,000,000 freight and passenger terminal at Fort Worth of the Texas & Pacific and the Frisco railroads will cost \$2,031,450, according to estimates this week. The terminal project had already been announced.

Ingram Walker, who has been attending the University of Colorado at Boulder, Colorado, has returned home to visit his mother, Mrs. R. C. Walker.

Get it at Tarver's.

Hoovercrats Will Not Be Barred In Coming Elections

DALLAS, Jan. 2. (UP)—Texas election laws prohibit the state Democratic executive committee from barring Hoovercrats as candidates in the primaries in 1930, as has recently been done in Alabama.

This was the assertion of Thomas B. Love, state senator, Hoover Democratic leader, and a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Governor next year, in commenting on the action in Alabama, which he characterized as "foolish."

Love quoted this sentence from chapter 67, general laws, first called session of the 40th legislature: "No person shall ever be denied the right to participate in a primary in this state because of former political views or affiliations."

He pointed out that the Wirtz

bill passed by the last regular session of the legislature, sought to repeal the provision and that Governor Moody vetoed it.

Murrell Buckner, Dallas county Democratic chairman, had the following comment on the Alabama political move: "As far as I'm concerned, if I were state chairman, I'd issue an invitation for the boys who voted for Hoover to come on home to the old roost where they belong. This talk about Raskob and Tammany is all rot."

Edward Foxhall has returned home for the holidays after having attended the Georgia School of Technology at Atlanta, Georgia, for the past few months.

Dorothy Elliott has returned home for the holidays. She is visiting her parents, Judge and Mrs. J. M. Elliott. She has been attending school at T. C. U.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jamison and Mr. and Mrs. Byron Gist are house guests of Mrs. S. A. Bryant for the holidays.

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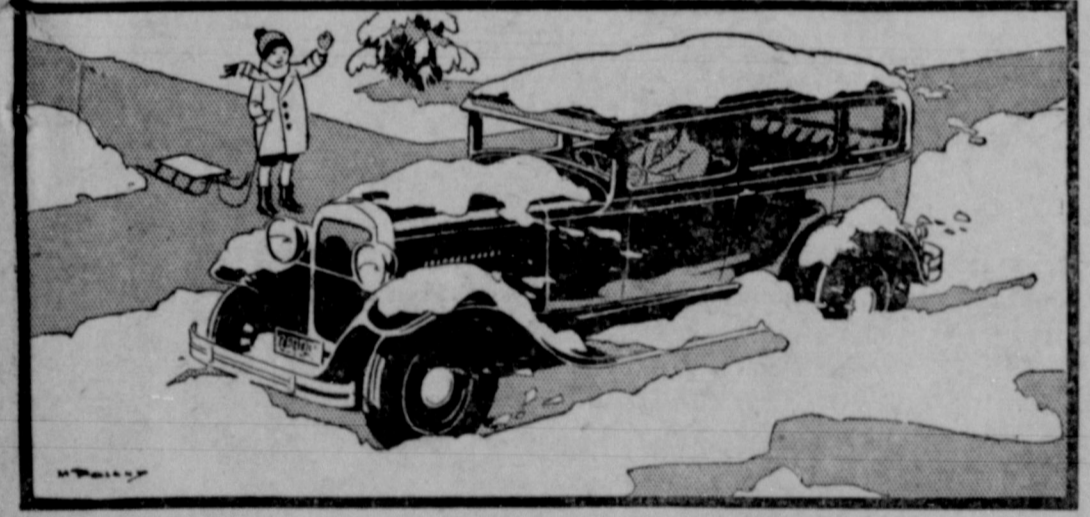
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Luncheon Given—

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Club to entertain future Rotarians and Rotary-Anns of the city—the men and women who will soon assume places of leadership in the community. He complimented Memphis as a town having, perhaps, the greatest number of students attending colleges and universities than any town of similar size in the state of Texas.

Featured Entertainment
The featured entertainment of the day was rendered by the college students in a program arranged by Mrs. Margaret Morgan-Andrews. The first number on the program was a piano solo by Shirley Greene; Dorrace Powell followed with a humorous reading on the subject of Golf. Carolyn McNeely gave two vocal solos and Allen Dunbar rendered a saxophone solo. The "Lucky Thirteen" group of Memphis students attending Texas Woman's College at Fort Worth were then heard in a medley of college songs.

President Hill of the West Texas State Teachers' College at Canyon made a short address in which he complimented the record made by local students and insisted that they would do well to consider his school when making their choice of colleges in which to acquire an education.

College Studies Present
The college students who attended the luncheon were, as nearly as could be determined, as follows: John Hammond, T. C. U.; Colby Delaney, Simmons; George Thompson, University of Oklahoma; Cora Ethel Thornton, Baylor; Ingram Walker, University of Colorado; Ronnie J. Shepherd, Texas Tech; Wendell Harrison, Georgia Tech; Nelma Bishop, T. W. C.; Mayo Odom, Texas Tech; Jeannette Dennis, T. W. C.; Clayton Reed, Texas Tech; Mildred Phelan, T. W. C.; Howard Foote, W. M. A.; Susan Boaz, T. W. C.; Katherine McMurry, University of Wyoming; Dorothy Madden, T. W. C.; Lucy Hudgins, T. W. C.

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Maurine Thompson, Gulf Park; Cornelia McCanne, Texas Tech; James Arthur Anthony, Georgia Tech; Carl Harrison, Georgia Tech; Charles Stidham, W. M. A.; Annie L. Carter, Gulf Park; Clara F. Lane, T. W. C.; Dorrace Powell, T. W. C.; Edward Foxhall, Georgia Tech.

Work On Church—

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will add numerous conveniences to the edifice. Practically all of the outside work has been completed and carpenters are fast finishing the interior of the church building.

Negro Wounded—

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far as known, relative to the trouble which brought about the shooting, but it is said that the trouble is believed to have arisen when the two men got in an argument.

According to Sheriff Christian, Adams was shot just above the ear, the bullet coming out through his right cheek. Although the negro is in a serious condition, it is not believed that his wounds will prove of a fatal nature.

Hulseley was brought to Memphis Friday where he made bond in the sum of \$2,000 and was granted his liberty pending the findings of the next session of the grand jury.

Jones Assures—

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recent action of Congress has placed Memphis on the preferred list of towns. He states that, due to this fact, construction here will be made early in the program evolved.

Amount of \$65,000
Mr. Jones' letter reads as follows: "Replying to your letter of recent date, I beg to advise that in the procedure here it is necessary first to have legislation authorizing an appropriation and following that, the actual appropriation. The bill signed by President Coolidge authorized an appropriation of \$65,000 for Memphis in the five year program, the appropriations to be made from time to time for the Treasury might call for such appropriations."

General Fund Increased
"The legislation which passed just the other day, and about which I wired you, authorized an increasing of the general fund and a speeding up of the program and placed Memphis on the preferred list so that construction will be made early in the program."

Awaits Reaching Item
"The Treasury has not as yet called for the actual appropriation. I hope it may do so this winter; but at any rate, after the legislative authority there will be no trouble about the appropriation. It simply awaits the reaching of any item the construction of which has been authorized."

A Musical Melange, presented by John Ross Reed Company, at High School, Jan. 14.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Brooks were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lane Christmas Day. Royce Brooks returned home with them to spend the holidays.

Mrs. Shelley Gives—

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musicians was Miss Margaret Hawkins of Lakeview. Miss Hawkins is a well known pianist and at the present time is studying under the noted Gottfried Galston of St. Louis. She played a number of her original piano compositions, displaying a finished technique and splendid tonal qualities. Her fingering was also adequately adapted to the needs of the respective selections and the classical numbers were appreciated.

Soloists for Evening
The soloists for the evening were Mrs. Maynard H. Drake, Vernadine Jones, Martha DeBerry, Margaret Milam, Harry Delaney, Lyman Robbins, in voice; T. J. Dunbar on the cornet and Jack Thomas on the violin. Mrs. Drake has one of the best coloratura soprano voices to be found in the entire South and the wonder is that she is not in grand opera. The other soloists gave good accounts of themselves, presenting withal, a very enjoyable program.

Guests at Musicales
Those present at the musicale were Mrs. Maynard H. Drake, Misses Margaret Hawkins of Lakeview, Ernestine Davis of Eastelline; Virginia Browder, Margaret Milam, Vernadine Jones, Martha DeBerry, Jewel Keena, Onetta Hollis and Messrs. Jess Rosenwasser, Ollie Lee, Bill Cooke, Lyman Robbins, Harry Delaney, T. J. Dunbar, Jack Thomas, Russell Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer S. Shelley.

Mrs. L. A. Elliott of Dallas, who spent several weeks visiting in the J. M. Elliott home, left Saturday for Tulsa, Oklahoma, where she will visit with her sister before returning to Dallas.

Two Women Suffer

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her daughter became faint. It was necessary for them to go to bed before they had recovered from the effects of the gas fumes combining with the steam rising from the hot water which was boiling on the stove. Both had completely recovered from the experience Tuesday, but they state they will be careful in the future to see that plenty of fresh air is in circulation when boiling water.

Aged Hall County Pioneer Succumbs

John Henry Blevins, aged Hall County pioneer, died at the home of his son, L. P. Blevins, seven miles east of town on Tuesday, December 24, after a lingering illness of several months. Mr. Blevins was 74 years, 3 months and 3 days old, having been born on September 21, 1855.

Mr. Blevins was well known throughout the county as an outstanding farmer. He had resided in this county for the past ten years.

The deceased is survived by six sons, two of whom live in and near Memphis. Paul Blevins, barber in the Post Office Barber Shop and L. P. Blevins reside here. The others are Roy and Clayton Blevins of Paris, Texas; Rufo Blevins of Spring City, Tennessee and Lester Blevins of Santa Anna, Texas.

Funeral services were conducted at the First Baptist church at three o'clock last Friday afternoon by Rev. E. T. Miller, assisted by Rev. R. C. Baker. The pallbearers were H. G. Patrick, E. W. Patrick, E. O. Patrick, Frank

Painter, Virgil Hart and J. L. Brackeen. Interment took place in Fairview cemetery.

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THE DEMOCRAT'S PROGRAM FOR 1930

1. Less selfishness and more selflessness in the business, professional and social life of Memphis and Hall County.
2. The placing of agriculture on a higher plane, with emphasis being put on diversification, live at home movement, and the cow, sow and hen route to contentment and general well being.
3. A better understanding between Memphis and the towns and communities in Hall County.
4. More respect for city ordinances in connection with parking of cars in the downtown district, observance of fire rules and regulations, and keeping the streets of the city in a clean condition.
5. More general cooperation in all movements seeking the betterment of Memphis and Hall County.
6. A municipal auditorium.
7. More paved streets.

THE YEAR AHEAD AND THE YEAR BEHIND

The Democrat's program for the year 1930 is announced at the head of the editorial column this week. The program is an ambitious one, but we are going to devote our best energies to its accomplishment. The success with which we met in realizing our program for last year lends encouragement to the task ahead and we believe the program for 1930 is not impossible of accomplishment.

As our first objective, we intend to insist that less selfishness and more selflessness be manifested in the business, professional and social life of Memphis and Hall County. At the present time, petty jealousies exist on every hand. One business man is jealous of another in his particular vocation. The feeling that exists here of "you trade with me and I'll trade with you" is going to get its death-blow from us this year, if we can possibly bring it about. Selfishness and jealousy existing between professional men and women in and out of the city must be stamped out. The feeling that one person is receiving more recognition in a certain line than another person is doomed. All of us think too much of ourselves and too little of the other person. We intend to try and stamp out for all time to come such a feeling and attitude that is quite apparent at present in nearly every walk of life in the city.

Our second objective is the placing of agriculture on a higher plane, with emphasis being put on diversification, the live at home movement, and the cow, sow and hen route to contentment and general well being. Too long, has cotton been worshipped as King of Hall County. The crop is only a third rate Crown Prince. The farmers who have practiced diversification during 1929 are in comparatively good condition at the present time, whereas those who gave up everything for King Cotton have not fared nearly so well. We expect to stress the live at home idea. Hall County spends hundreds of thousands of dollars each year in bringing into the county products that might easily be raised here. If all of us become sold on the idea of living at home, millions of dollars taken out of the county over a period of a few years would be kept at home. The cow, sow and hen route has proved to be the substantial background of well being on the farm and this will come in for its share of attention during the year.

Much has already been done to make for a better understanding between Memphis and the towns and communities of the county, which is our third objective, but not nearly enough. The Democrat expects to foster many get-together meetings in 1930, working in conjunction with the local chamber of commerce and increasing the understanding of the problems with which all of us are confronted. Without the county working as a unit, little can be done for the good of the whole. Mutual understanding and good will is the key that unlocks the door of the future greatness of this section, and this key must never be allowed to rust.

Our fourth objective details that more respect must be shown for city ordinances in connection with the parking of cars in the downtown district, observance of fire rules and regulations and keeping the streets of the city in a clean condition. At present, very little respect is seemingly paid to the way in which cars are parked. They are run into the curb at almost every conceivable angle. Double parking has become the worst nuisance of all. Often it is necessary for the driver of a car, who has parked properly at the curb, to wait for thirty or forty minutes to be relieved of the double parking specialists—car drivers who park their cars in the center of the street and go about their business as though they had conformed to the letter, with the city ordinance. We have had something to say already about the way local people conduct themselves at a fire. We expect to insist that cars keep out of the way of the fire trucks when they are making a run and that every consideration be shown the firemen while they are engaged in fighting fires. The streets of the city are often in a deplorable condition and we expect to continue to call attention to this fact whenever it seems justified and necessary.

The fifth objective is a more general cooperation in all movements seeking the betterment of Memphis and Hall County. This objective may be construed as being rather broad, and it

is, but during the course of this year, a number of movements will be inaugurated that will demand a full and wholehearted support in order to realize them. The Democrat will back "to the last ditch" every movement of this kind and will try to do its utmost in furthering the best interests of the county as a whole.

Two of our objectives were not realized during 1929 and we have added them to our program for 1930. We still hope that plans will be formulated whereby Memphis may obtain a municipal auditorium. The need for such a building is self-evident. There is only one place in the city where entertainments may be given with any degree of completeness or propriety and that is the auditorium at the high school. We need an auditorium such as many of the progressive cities in West Texas have built, to meet the cultural demands of the future as well as to take care of those of the present.

Our seventh and last objective for the year 1930 is the construction of more paved streets. This objective was not realized in our program of last year. Memphis may proudly boast of having more paved streets than any town its size in the Panhandle, but at the same time, more of our main thoroughfares should be paved. Every foot of paving put down adds just that much prestige to the city. We owe it to ourselves to start a paving program in the city as early in the new year as is possible and see the program through to completion, thereby enhancing property values and creating new civic pride.

Five out of seven objectives in The Democrat's program for 1929 have been brought to fruition. Our second objective, more dairy cows for Hall County, has been realized in a big way. A number of sales have been held in Memphis and elsewhere in the county and farmers have added to their herds and many of them are doing a thriving business on account of their foresightedness. More attention is being paid to the dairying business in Hall County than ever before and this industry may be expected to grow materially during 1930.

A modern creamery plant has been brought to Memphis. This plant furnishes a market for milk, cream, and butter, together with kindred products. The firm operating the creamery has come here to stay. They have made a considerable investment in the city, and the reputation and prestige they have brought with them will prove a big boon to the dairying interests of the section. The creamery plant has only been in operation for a short period of time, but already, the results of this enterprise have been felt materially.

A paved highway across Hall County, another of our objectives for 1929, while not a reality, is on the way to becoming such, as the necessary bonds have been voted in what has been termed by many as the best example of good road mindedness to be seen in this section of Texas. The benefits of such a highway have already been discussed in detail during the period of time before the bonds were voted. Hall County should feel proud of the fact that it is second to none in this section, and we sincerely believe that the bulk of the citizenship is becoming increasingly good road minded as time goes on.

The fifth objective of this paper last year was an adequate public library. It seemed that little thought and attention had been given the matter. The library was permitted to "rock along" the best way it could. The books were nearly all worn out; it had few aspects of the modern day. Repairs were needed to the building. The librarian was insufficiently paid. Due to various agencies in the city, working together, the library has been put on its feet and today Memphis has a right to feel glad over the change that has been brought about.

The seventh objective of The Democrat for 1929 was better police and fire protection in the business and residential districts. With alert officers on the job, hours of the police force have been changed so that each officer can render a maximum amount of service in the performance of his respective duties. After considerable agitation, a fire truck was purchased by the city council, which gives to Memphis adequate fire fighting equipment, and which has been instrumental in lowering the key rate of the city.

We ask the cooperation of our readers and friends in helping us to complete our program for 1930 in like measure with the help rendered in 1929. Suggestions are welcomed at all times and constructive criticism is most helpful.

Panhandle Press Paragraphs

The high winds of the past two days have blown the alleys and streets full of waste paper and made the fire hazards much more than they were. During the Christmas holidays there is eminent danger from fire. Business men and the boys and men who are shooting firecrackers should be careful that the joy of the holidays is not marred by a disastrous fire.—The Estelline News.

A newspaper man up at Daltart, John McCarty by name, trying to scare up something of more than passing interest, something that would get himself and his town some publicity, has inaugurated a "cuss the editor" week, when all the strings are cut loose and the bridle removed for a round table of pouring it on the editor. No holds barred, Mr. McCarty announced, no signatures required to letters, no responsibility—just "cuss the editor" and you qualify.

Mr. McCarty knows, or will know before he gets through, that nobody really likes the editor. As long as you print things that suit the reader who is passing the judgment, just so long is he popular. Let the editor go to printing something that doesn't appeal to the reader and he'll get cussed plentifully. Just why any sane

man would continue year after year to sit at an editor's desk is one of the big questionmarks. However, it might be remarked, parenthetically that anybody who does anything is going to get cussed and the hide gets so tough that it probably would take a regular "week" of it to penetrate to the quick on the average public man, editor or whatnot.—The Floyd County Hesperian.

A specialist who knew his stuff landed in our bailwick Thursday. He assumed the air of one who would lead the heathen out of the wilderness. His missionary effort consisted of a scheme to get us to go around to our local merchants and get them to agree to pay two dollars a week to see their signature at the bottom of a page of bull.

We learned upon further inquiry that we would be permitted to pay his company twenty-five per cent of the proceeds and guarantee that sum for a year regardless of whether they all got disgusted and quit or stayed on the job though stung. We turned it down flat out of respect for the personal interests and intelligence of our home people.—Donley County Leader.

The utter foolishness of trying to break prison is proof that abnormal conditions exist in institutions where riots have recently occurred.

Even if the Auburn convicts have been permitted to rush forth to freedom as they demanded, they could have been recaptured

Going, Going,—!



easily, or shot down. Yet so utterly disgusted with living in prison were they that they were willing to take desperate chances. Warden Edgar S. Jennings attributed the outbreak to influence of "desperate criminals," who should have been isolated.—The Pampa Daily News.

So many of our ambitious Panhandle towns have now been included in the public building budget of the government, it leaves Clarendon in a favorable position to begin some real work looking to the securing of a postoffice building in the next budget authorized by congress. Like everything worth while it will require some hard work and preparation to bring our claims before our congressman and senators in an intelligent and insistent manner—and that is what Clarendon must do if we are to get what we go after.—The Clarendon News.

The Globe hastens to commend the City Commission for extending the tax payment date from January 31 to May 31. It is a change that will meet the general approval, and is one that has been advocated for two years by the Real Estate Board and other organizations.

In moving the date back four months the city is lightening the tax burden by spreading it out. The past policy has been to collect all taxes—city, county and school—at one time, and at the first of the year.—The Amarillo Globe.

The future of Quanah depends upon us getting over one million gallons of water within the next

few months. The city council admit they are unable to secure such supply.—The Quanah Tribune-Chief.

There is not much of a possibility a new court house will be erected in Childress County during the next two or three years, as the bonds outstanding are a little high at this time. But that a new structure is needed is admitted by everyone who has taken the trouble to investigate in the least. Every record in the present structure would be destroyed in case of fire, but it is hoped a fire will not occur during the next few years.—The Childress News.

There's something hard to understand about this season of the year. Nobody has taken the time to go into it, this thing of men's hearts warming toward each other as they do at no other time, and yet no one questions its connection with that event of more than 1900 years ago when a new promise was given to the world.—The Tulsa Herald.

In last week's issue of the Matador News, an article stated that the surveyors were at work on the 15 mile extension north from Matador. We are glad to see this work start. It means much to that particular section and will be of much benefit even to our own section.—The Turkey Enterprise.

The Texas State Legislature turned a "trick" on motorists that beats anything we ever heard of, and surely gets the money. They lowered the Auto License on cars about half, which means a few thousand dollars saving to us,

and then placed a 4 cents a gallon tax on gasoline which means that we will pay several million dollars extra cost for motoring.—The Claude News.

A financial report of the operation of the City of Pampa for the fiscal year 1929 shows that the tax burdens of the property owners of the city were cut in half during this year through the City's owning and operating water and sewer systems.—The Pampa Times.

Governor Moody may be a candidate for the third term, according to political writers at Austin. This prediction is based upon the assurance that prison reform will fail in the coming session of the legislature. For many months newspaper correspondents at Austin have felt that the Governor would be willing to seek a third term if the outlook was promising. It is predicted that the penitentiary problem will be so muddled that the Governor will veto any bill which may be passed, and that he will carry the fight to the people.—The Canyon News.

It seems altogether possible and probable that the Frisco-Rock Island effort to put through their new lines that will give a new through line connection for both the north plains and the south plains to Fort Worth and Dallas, is going to see fruition. At least the examiner last week reported favorably for their project and unfavorably for the Fort Worth & Denver line north from Childress.—The Floyd County Hesperian.

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Regional Scout—

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Discussion Groups

One feature of the annual meeting will be the discussion groups, when men on the district committees, troop committees, Scoutmasters and assistants will get together and talk over their problems. They are also expected to formulate a policy to be followed in the Scout program for the new year. It is hoped by Mr. Jolly that the Scoutmasters will form an association for round table discussion and plan to meet several times during the year.

Plan of Organization

In speaking of the coming meeting, Jolly said: "To be effective and extend the scope of the work done by the Scout Executive, these committees should function in the several districts. The district plan of organization includes all of the trade territory and district committees are to assist the Scout Executive in the formation of new troops in communities where there is a possibility of a troop, and the district commissioner, who is chairman of the local district committee, is the official representative layman of the Scout Executive."

Plan Court of Honor

"A court of honor will be held just preceding the banquet, at which time the Memphis committee will put on a demonstration. All Scouts from Second Class up should plan to be present. Scouts may accompany their parents or leader to the banquet, but it is understood that this is strictly an adult affair."

Sessions at Church

The annual meeting will be held at the First Presbyterian church and will get under way at four o'clock on the afternoon of January 7. The following program will be carried out: annual council meeting, A. M. Duvall, president, presiding; minutes of last meeting; reports of committees; annual report of Executive; president appoints committee chairman; round table discussion groups, assignment to rooms; deputy district commissioners; camps, hikes and civic service; troop promotion, training, education, reading; rural and Lone Scouts; court of honor and vocational guidance; troop committees; finance; Scoutmasters and assistants.

5:15 p. m., court of honor demonstration by Memphis committee; 6:00 p. m., banquet, music, chamber of commerce orchestra; invocation, welcome address; response; music, Scout octette; three minute talks by representatives from Estelline, Wellington, Clarendon, Shamrock, McLean and Hedley; address, "A functioning Area Council," by J. P. Fitch, Regional Scout Executive.

Pioneer Citizen Of Crowell Dies

Miles Bond, 84 years of age, pioneer citizen of the Panhandle and one of the builders of this section of the state died at his home in Crowell Wednesday of last week. Mr. Bond was the grandfather of D. L. C. Kinard and A. A. Kinard of this city. Both attended the funeral services at Crowell last Thursday.

Mr. Bond was well known in Memphis. He was an old Texas Ranger and was an intimate friend of the late Colonel Goodnight.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Carson of Tulsa, visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Carson, this past week end.

Sir Harry Lauder Will Be Presented In Amarillo Soon

Sir Harry Lauder, most widely known of all singing comedians, who is now making his most extensive tour of America, will appear at the city auditorium in Amarillo on Monday night, January 6, under the auspices of the Tri-State Fair, according to Wilbur C. Hawk, president of the Fair.

It will be the first and perhaps the last time many people of the Panhandle will ever have the opportunity of hearing the famous Scot entertainer. Although the tour is not being advertised as a farewell visit, his traveling representative, Willard D. Coxey, here yesterday, expressed the belief that Sir Harry would retire after completing his tour in New York City in April.

Biggest Amusement Event

Mr. Hawk said last night that he considered it the biggest amusement event in view for the city in 1930. The songs Sir Harry will sing include, of course, some of the most popular of the old favorites—songs that will never die and which are always in fervent demand during a Lauder engagement. Several new impersonations with their characteristic songs, written during his Australian tour, will be known in America for the first time. These new offerings are described as typical Lauder-esque, with all the merry swing and biting melody that make the songs of this merry Scot so distinctive.

Lauder's art has developed and rounded out since he first came to this country. Age has increased, rather than diminished, his cleverness in characterizing a song and "putting it over." Those who go to hear the famous Sir Harry are always sure of a good laugh, with an occasional touch of homely pathos to season the comedy.

All of Lauder's songs are built around distinctive characters, and each one has its appropriate costume and scenic background. Sir Harry's associate entertainers are also presented in most attractive stage settings.

20 Vaudeville Players

He will be accompanied by a 10-piece orchestra, and a company of 20 vaudeville players, in four groups. His company is said to be among the best.

Due to the large seating capacity of the auditorium, Mr. Hawk was elated last night over the announcement that he would be able to offer seats at from \$1 to \$2.50, which is considered a record for a Lauder show. Out of town seat sales will open within a few days, Mr. Hawk said.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Chancey and son of Dallas are visiting Mr. Chancey's parents and other relatives in Memphis this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lane spent Sunday and Monday visiting friends and relatives in Wellington.

Fair Directors To Elect Officers On Thursday Evening

The Hall County District Fair Association will meet in regular session Thursday night for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year. The meeting will be held in the office of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce in the Whaley building.

Some time ago the directors were elected by the entire stockholder membership of the association and this date was set for the election of the officers of the board of directors.

At this meeting, not only the election of officers will be held, but plans will be formulated for the 1929 Hall County District Fair, which, according to George A. Sager, secretary of the fair association, will be the greatest event in the history of the association.

Leon Fisher Named Captain of Basket Squad At College

Leon Fisher, former Memphis high school student and star basketball player, has won considerable recognition in athletics at Texas Technological College at Lubbock. Each of the three years he has been attending Tech, he has made a letter in both basketball and track.

He was elected to lead the Tech track team through last season. It was probably due to his record as track captain, along with his superb basketball playing that caused his teammates to elect him as captain of the basketball squad for the current season. Practice sessions started Monday at the Tech gym. Leon was present to assist Coach Victor Payne in getting the new candidates in form for the coming games.

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Mrs. J. W. Boren Is Claimed By Death

Mrs. J. W. Boren, sister-in-law of Hollis Boren, died Friday, December 20, while she was on a visit to her sister in McCombs, Mississippi. She was buried there on the Saturday night following her death.

Mrs. Boren, together with her husband, J. W. Boren, brother of Hollis Boren, had moved to Lakeview recently, having come from Wichita Falls. Mrs. Boren left Lakeview for an extended visit with her sister in McCombs, Mississippi, and arrived there on Tuesday, December 17. After only two days in the Mississippi town, she took suddenly ill, which resulted in her death on December 20.

FRANK FORE COMPANY SECURES NEW LOCATION

The Frank K. Fore Electrical Company, which has been located on North Fifth street, near the B. Y. C. Store for some time, has moved to the building adjoining the Garrott Candy Company on West Noel Street. The change to the new quarters was effective Monday.

Mr. Fore stated that the new location offered a chance for the enlargement of his business as the building he has moved into is some five times as large as the one he has used heretofore.

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