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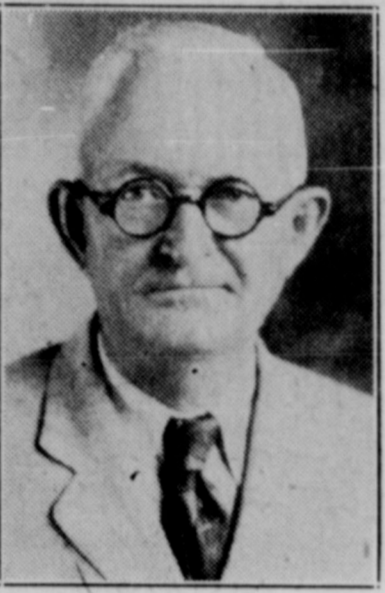
COUNTY COUNCIL VOTES FUNDS FOR PURCHASE OF PARK SITE

Rural Electric Contracts Will Be Let This Month

Yarbrough Department Gets Approval

Plans for Work to Begin February 17th

Plans for building 110 electric line for the Hall County Electric Co-operative are let by the REA today, February 17, Carl Amarillo, engineer for the co-operative at a meeting in Amarillo Sunday. The REA board is preparing a bid on the local project. Appointment of Alvis as superintendent for the county project was confirmed by Washington authorities. Yarbrough began the local office Wednesday. Hundred subscribers have been approved, and a few will be added before contracts are started on the rural lines which will cover the half of Hall County, at two points into Donahildress counties. Lines of the co-operating with Superintending, are busy this checking right-of-way and applications in for beginning actual work on the project. Resolutions are still outstanding. Yarbrough said Wednesday (Continued on page 4)



ATTENDS—County Judge M. O. Goodpasture attended a meeting of judges and commissioners held at Austin last week

Fire Department Starts Inspection Tour This Week

Business Section and All Public Buildings Will Be Checked

Members of the Memphis Fire Department this week started a fire inspection tour of all buildings in the business section of town, according to Tom Wood, assistant Fire Chief. The inspection will probably require about ten days for completion. Firemen began their inspection early in the week, making a tour of all filling stations and garages as their first objective. Public buildings in the city will receive special attention, particularly in regard to exits and fire escapes. The Memphis schools will be included in the inspection tour. All buildings in the business section proper will be checked for fire hazards. The volunteer firemen, working in groups of two, will attempt to cover the entire business district within a few days' time. The inspection should be completed early next week, Wood said. No attempt will be made to extend the inspection to the residential section of the city, since a majority of the local firemen have other businesses which require their time. All property owners and all residents of the town, however, are being urged by members of the department to voluntarily inspect their own property and correct any fire hazards which may exist. Fire losses during the past year were low, but the local fire department, through its inspection tour, hopes to reduce the property loss by fire still further.

Jack Knight Dies At Midland Home Monday Morning

Funeral Services Are Conducted Here From Presbyterian Church

Clarence C. (Jack) Knight, 38, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Goodnight of this city, died at his home in Midland Monday morning. Funeral services were conducted here Wednesday morning at the First Presbyterian Church, with Rev. E. C. Cargill, local pastor, in charge. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery following the services at the church. The Masonic Lodge was in charge of interment. Mr. Knight was born at Guntown, Miss., in 1901. He was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Knight of Mason, Tenn. Knight came to Texas about 1924, and lived for a short time with an uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Nabers, at Lakeview. He was married to Miss Pauline Goodnight, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Goodnight, here on Christmas Day, 1926. To this union was born one son, little Jack. Mr. Knight had formerly lived at Wellington, and was well known both here and in that city. A number of visitors from Wellington were present for the services here Wednesday morning. Survivors include his wife and son, two sisters, Mrs. Edgar McDonald of Baldwin, Miss., and Mrs. Fleetwood Niece of Memphis, Tenn.; two nephews and two nieces; and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Nabers of Lakeview. He was a member of the Baptist Church, having been converted at the age of thirteen. Pallbearers were Joe Handley, Jack Watson, A. N. Wallace, L. E. Gribble, Russell Yates, and H. A. Winn, all of Wellington. Honorary pallbearers included B. E. Starr, R. D. Wylie, Pink Sullivan, C. B. Adams, J. M. Wells, Don Beavers, H. B. Wells, Webb Moore, and F. E. Anderson.



SCHOOL'S OUT—Memphis' old East Ward school building, built more than thirty years ago, will be the next landmark to disappear as workmen begin the task of razing the ancient structure this week.

East Ward School To Be Demolished

Driver Permits Are Good Until Further Notice

Texas drivers may continue to use their operator's licenses after April 1, the statutory expiration date for all such permits, until further notice is given, the public safety commission announced this week. The commission announced that an indefinite period of extension will be granted pending legislative action on two proposals for re-issuing driving permits. Driver's licenses which were issued after 1936, when the present law was enacted, have all been dated to expire on April 1, 1939, but no action has yet been taken by the 46th Legislature to provide for renewal or re-issuance of the licenses. It is expected that some provision requiring examination for drivers will be required before licenses are re-issued, but no definite announcement to that effect has been made, either by the safety commission or members of the legislature. A new expiration date will be announced for present driver's licenses later, public safety commission authorities announced.

Memphis C-C Gives Away 1,000 Trees

Approximately 1,000 trees have been distributed to farmers, rural schools, and residents of the city during the past week by the Memphis Chamber of Commerce, Carroll Smyers, secretary, announced Tuesday. These are nursery-grown trees, Smyers said, bought by the chamber of commerce and distributed throughout this territory in an effort to encourage beautification of private property throughout the city and in nearby rural districts. The trees, which were purchased from the Texas Floral Company of Lubbock, measure from 18 to 24 inches, and are nearly all of the Chinese Elm variety. Persons who desire larger trees which will produce shade in a shorter time are urged to purchase them from local nurseries for immediate planting, Smyers said. The chamber of commerce sponsored the free distribution of the seedling trees in the hope that property owners in this section will be encouraged to beautify their lands by planting shade trees and shrubs. A number of rural schools in this county took advantage of the offer by the chamber of commerce to supply trees for early planting.

Rural Students Are Vaccinated For Small Pox

Two Cases of Plague Reported in Deep Lake Community Last Week

A large number of Hall County rural school students are receiving vaccination for small-pox this week following the appearance of two cases of the disease in the Deep Lake community recently, according to Miss Vern Tops Gilreath, Hall County superintendent. Students from the Deep Lake and Pleasant Valley schools are being brought to Memphis in a group for vaccination. Only those who have already been vaccinated, or who are immune to the disease, are exempted. A majority of the fifty students enrolled at Deep Lake received vaccine here during the first part of the week, and Pleasant Valley students were scheduled to receive the vaccine before the end of the week. In addition, a number of students in the Lakewood schools are being vaccinated, Miss Gilreath said, though Superintendent W. V. Swinburn has not made plans for group vaccination. Only two cases of smallpox have been reported thus far, Miss Gilreath said, both of these being in the Deep Lake community; but due to the fact that a number of the students in this area may have been exposed to the disease, it was thought wise to take the precaution of having the vaccinations given.

Marlin Physician Speaks to Clubs

Dr. Herbert E. Hipps from the Marlin Crippled Children's Hospital addressed Memphis club women Tuesday afternoon at the auditorium of the First Baptist Church Annex on "Infantile Paralysis." Dr. Hipps' lecture was sponsored by the Pathfinder's Council, but members of all women's clubs of the city were invited to attend. Dr. Hipps was assisted in his lecture by Mrs. Billy Cooke, who is in charge of therapeutic treatment at the hospital in Marlin. Motion pictures showing scenes at the hospital and glimpses of the work that is being done there were exhibited by Dr. Hipps and Mrs. Cooke.

New Cyclone Grid Mentor Starts Work This Week on High School Faculty

A. B. (Red) Murphy, who last week accepted a position as head football coach in the Memphis High School, arrived here Monday to begin his duties on the high school faculty. Classes in English and mathematics have been assigned to Murphy for the remainder of the year, Supt. W. C. Davis announced Tuesday, and the new football mentor is already making plans for opening of spring training for the Cyclone eleven. Murphy comes to Memphis immediately after receiving his bachelor's degree from Texas Technological College at Lubbock at mid-winter commencement exercises there. He has just completed a highly successful season as captain of Tech's powerful Red Raider football machine. A veteran football player, he played on the Beaumont High School eleven for three years, taking part in the finals of the state interscholastic league championship one year. He attended Texas A. and M. College for one year after graduating from high school, then transferred to Texas Tech where he has been a stellar performer for the Raiders. Murphy won the Standeford Canon award in 1936 for making the highest scholastic average on the football squad. He played in the Sun Bowl game at El Paso last year, and captained the Raiders this year in their game with St. Mary's Gaels at Dallas' Cotton Bowl January 2. Murphy received honorable mention on several All-America teams last year and was named in "Who's Who Among American Universities and Colleges During 1938." He was married on January 7 this year to Miss Cecile Cardwell of Shamrock. Murphy succeeds Frank Hubbell as head football coach for the Memphis Cyclone. Hubbell recently tendered his resignation to accept the newly created position of athletic director in Memphis High School, and is now engaged in promoting an extensive program of intramural athletics in the local schools. Wilson Dees, assistant coach has been retained on the Cyclone coaching staff, and will assist Murphy in building the 1939 squad.

RECREATIONAL CENTER WILL BE CREATED

Broome Park Tract South of City Is Location Selected

An appropriation of \$1,000 was made Monday evening by the City Council for the purchase and partial improvement of a site for a city park, climaxing a movement started recently by a group of local civic organizations to provide a public recreation center for Memphis. The Broome Park site, which has been considered at intervals for the past ten years as a possible location for a city park and recreation center, has been selected, and an option has been secured on a 30-acre tract at what is considered an excellent price. At a mass meeting in the city hall last Friday evening, approximately 60 citizens, representing practically all business and professional classes in the city as well as representatives from a number of local clubs and civic organizations, heard details of the proposed park explained and voiced enthusiastic support for the measure. The council, meeting Monday evening, acted on the response by local citizens and made necessary financial arrangements which will permit the work to go forward. Plans call for a bridge to be constructed across the creek at the end of South 7th street leading into the proposed park site. The Works Progress Administration is expected to be able to provide approximately \$8,000 for materials and improvement. The cooperation of the chamber of commerce, Hall County commissioners, the city council, the American Legion, and other local organizations has made the park construction possible. Otis Jones, commander of the Charles R. Simmons Post of the American Legion, an organization (Continued on page 4)

March of Dimes, President's Ball Bring \$100 Here

Contributions From Rural Schools Will Raise County Total

Memphis people gave an enthusiastic response to President Roosevelt's call to fight against the spread of infantile paralysis this week and the March of Dimes program and the annual President's Birthday Ball at the Memphis Country Club together netted slightly more than \$100, Carroll Smyers, chairman of the local chapter, announced Tuesday. No reports had been received from Estelina and Lakeview and from a number of rural schools in Hall County who were cooperating in the March of Dimes movement. Their contributions are expected to swell the county's total appreciably. Memphis public schools gave whole-hearted support to the March of Dimes, while the children of the West Ward led the parade with a total of \$10 in dimes collected in response to the call. Eight girls from the Junior High School deserve special credit, Smyers said, for conducting the sale of buttons in Memphis. Junior High School girls who aided in the sale of buttons were Betty Sue Lindsey, Billie Francis Montgomery, Vencil Rice, Gwendolyn Coursey, Jean Denny, Billy Marilyn Lofland, Mary Ruth Johnson, and Louise Sadler. The President's Ball at the Country Club Monday evening netted \$30.50 as sixty couples danced to the music of the "Swing Seven," a local orchestra. The local chapter will be given credit for fifty per cent of the total amount raised here with the Texas division of the National Foundation for Prevention of Infantile Paralysis.

Memphis Hi-Y Boys to Attend South Conference in Amarillo

The conference theme is "Finding Christ in the Boy Next to Me." Roy Dickerson of Kansas City, author of "So Youth May Know," will be one of the principal speakers. Featuring the conference this year will be a contest between speakers from each club represented on the theme subject, an essay contest, and a banquet on Saturday evening followed by a boy-girl social in which the Amarillo High School girls will entertain. Lois Kerr, J. H. Powell, Cullen Chapman, Evan Roberts, Lewis Rice, Joe Miles Kinard, Lloyd Benton, Izador Hardin, Lloyd Hicks, and Leroy Robertson, all members of the local chapter, have submitted essays in the conference contest. Delegates will be housed in private homes throughout the city, conference leaders have announced. "The youth of the Panhandle is taking a marked interest in the meeting," Mr. Good has announced. "They are not waiting for older persons to lead and direct them, but are demanding that they be given an opportunity to attend such conferences on social and spiritual problems as the Northwest Texas Older Boys Conference will be." Members of the Memphis Hi-Y organization who will attend the meeting in Amarillo are: Cordell Bales, M. C. Ball, Evan Roberts, Floyd Melton, Lloyd Hicks, Lloyd Benton, Cullen Chapman, Leroy Robertson, Garner Moore, Lewis Rice, Lois Kerr, Joe Miles Kinard, Coy Yarbrough, J. H. Powell, Izador Hardin, Jimmie Pullen, L. F. Jones, and Boyce Bruce.

Local Schools Progress with Memphis

Ec Girls Go Quail Friday

The Memphis Home Economics Club and officers went to the quail hunt on Friday, January 27, to attend the dedication of the newly dedicated Home Economics Club. The girls enjoyed a profitable day with several different projects in the Quail High auditorium.

The demonstration especially pleasing to the girls was the one given by the Quail Home Economics students. Cotton school dresses and dresses for special occasions were modeled which included the program from the Chamberlain, Gladys S. Sager, and Ira Foster, Memphis. Mrs. W. May reviewed the program.

Joyce Sheats Aids Program Committee

Miss Joyce Sheats met with the program committee for the English department of the Northwest Educational Conference in Pampa to make a program for the conference to be held March 10-11. Questionnaires were sent out to the English teachers of the area in order to make the conference meet the specific problems of the teachers. The theme for a meeting is to be "Today's problems in English."

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Ten Teams Enter Intramural Volley Ball Tournament

Play Begins This Week On Round Robin Nine-Game Schedule

Ten teams have entered an intramural volleyball tournament opening at the high school last Tuesday. The teams are playing a round-robin schedule of nine games each. Two games will be played each Monday night beginning at 7 o'clock, and one game will be played each school day beginning at 12 o'clock.

Buses 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, the Hi-Y, Junior High School, High school juniors, "M" Club, and Independents have organized teams and entered the tournament.

No player is eligible to play on more than one team, and a team playing an ineligible player forfeits the game. A team failing to report for a scheduled game gives a forfeit. Tie games count one-half game won, half-game lost. No ties will be played off.

Health Classes Use Bioscope in Study

The health classes of the sixth and seventh grades of Junior High are demonstrating interest in the study of the "fly" as a detriment to mankind through the use of the bioscope which will take the leg or any other small part of the insect and magnify it on a screen.

This enables the students to see the fly as it actually is without the use of second-hand drawings. This contact with the real fly for inspection has proved to be both helpful and interesting.

Hi-Y Meeting Is Held Tuesday Night

Memphis Hi-Y met Tuesday evening, January 24. "Finding Christ in the Boy Next to Me," the theme of the Older Boys Conference in Amarillo, February 3 to 5, was discussed. Each member gave his opinion of the effects upon his school, his athletic team, his home, his community and himself if he "finds Christ in the boy next to him."

Jimmie Pullen, Coy Yarbrough, and J. W. Hale were received as new members, increasing the membership to twenty, thus giving the local chapter the privilege of having two Congressmen at the Older Boys Conference. Leroy Robertson and Cullen Chapman will act as Congressmen.

Lloyd Benton will represent Memphis as speaker on the Conference theme. Each member decided to submit an essay on the theme subject. These essays will be forwarded to Amarillo for grading.

Volleyball Teams Draw Big Crowds

The girls volleyball team of Junior High has established itself as a crowd drawing team. Two weeks ago the local team played the Friendship six here and had a large crowd to cheer them on to victory.

Last week the girls returned the game, and a nice group attended despite the existence of a sand-storm. The team hit its first real test with the high school team coached by Robert Devins, losing two straight games. The girls still think it is lots of fun and that next time the high school six will taste defeat.

Correction

We wish all to know that there was an error in the Junior High honor roll that the office turned in to the paper. The name of Frances Jean Pyeatt was not included.

Supt. Visits Classes

Supt. W. C. Davis has been visiting in the lower grades this week observing methods and exhibits of class room activities. His visit has meant quite an inspiration to the pupils and teachers.

Davis Appointed To Lead Study of Educational Work

School Administrators Conference at A & M Scheduled for June

W. C. Davis, superintendent, has accepted an appointment from the School Administration Conference to serve as leader of a group of well-known educators in Texas to study the problem of "Interpreting the Schools to the Public."

This School Administrator's Conference is to be held on the A. and M. campus the latter part of June for the purpose of analyzing Texas problems by Texas school men active in the most progressive schools of this state.

Mr. Davis has made a study of interpreting the schools to the public which is fast becoming one of the foremost studied subjects of education. Many favorable comments have been made by the instructors of the University of Colorado and leading educators of Texas about the study and ideas advanced by Davis.

A letter advising Davis of his appointment on the legislative committee for the Northwest Texas Conference for Education has been received. This conference meets annually at Canyon in March.

Memphis Juniors Lose Cage Series

Memphis High School Juniors basketball team lost two games this week to the Lakeview Juniors, giving the local boys a record of only 5 losses in 19 games.

The local squad has played six matched games with the Lakeview junior team this year, and the two rivals are deadlocked with each winning three games.

The locals lost a close decision Friday night, 12-11, taking the Saturday morning game from Lakeview 11-7. The Lakeview youngsters clinched the series Saturday night, however, winning the final game 14-8.

Pullen, Lavelers, Harrison Lowery, and Grimes started the game for Memphis. Substitutes were Solomon, Bidwell, Williams, Crump, and Foster. Jimmy Pullen was high point man for the series, while Henry Solomon was high scorer for any single game.

Volleyball Team Defeats Lesley

The Memphis High School volleyball girls won over the Lesley team Tuesday evening, January 24. During the very close and interesting games the Memphis girls won two out of three games.

The starting line-up for the Memphis team was: Athalee Hutchinson, Vonda Blum, Margaret Webster, Pauline McQueen, Odena Yarbrough, and Eunice Goffinett.

Substitutes during the games were: Cressie Faye Davis, Velma McQueen and Geraldine Francis.

The Memphis girls expect to meet the Lesley team again soon. The High School team in a practice game Thursday at noon.

Agriculture Class Gives Blood Tests To Farm Flocks

Detect Diseased Birds And Aid Farmers in Culling Poultry

The boys in the Memphis High School agriculture classes have aided the farmers around Memphis by giving their flocks blood tests.

The object of the tests is to find diseased birds with Bacillary White Diarrhea. This disease is transmitted from hen, to egg, to chick, and the blood test is the only method in which the disease can be detected.

The tests require a few minutes, and as the hatcheries of Memphis require eggs from tested flocks, these tests will prove very valuable to farmers.

Any farmer living near Memphis wishing to have his flock tested may contact one of the boys taking vocational agriculture and the tests can be arranged.

'Flying Dutchmen' Here Friday Night

Memphis High School presents Cal Farley and his Flying Dutchman Circus Friday night, February 3, in the auditorium at 8 o'clock.

The company is made up of about thirty people, consisting of stars such as Stuttering Sam, Dutch Mantell, Lady Esther, Maverick Boys, and Gib and Floy.

The entire proceeds will go to buy a projecting machine for the high school. The admission is ten and twenty-five cents.

Addition to Library

The first, second, and third grades have had thirty-seven copies of books added to their library recently. The West Ward P. T. A. is to be congratulated in making this provision. More books are expected as soon as back orders can be filled.

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Numbers by Junior Chorus at Tea

Thursday afternoon of this week eight members of the Junior High Chorus sang two numbers at the Martha Washington tea given at the home of Mrs. Seago.

The numbers were "Lovely Maiden" by Hugo Jungst, and a special arrangement of "Love's Old Sweet Song" by James L. Molloy. Solo parts were taken by Mary Ruth Johnson and Melva Lou Jameson.

The girls assisting these two were Billie Lofland, Sue Lynn Guthrie, Bettie Sue Crump, Billie Frances Montgomery, Gwendolyn Coursey, and Jane Hicks.

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SUGAR 53¢
10-POUND, CLOTH BAG

Beans, cut, No. 2 cans, 3 for	25c
Corn, No. 2 cans, 3 for	25c
Spinach, No. 2 cans, 3 for	25c
Kraut, No. 2 cans, 3 for	25c
Hominy, No. 2 cans, 3 for	25c

LARD 72¢
8-POUND CARTON

Spuds, 10-pound mesh bag	27c
Oranges, medium size, dozen	20c
Yams, No. 1, pound	4c
Apples, medium size, Delicious, doz.	31c
Celery, large stalks, each	12c

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BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lesley Foxhall January 27 a daughter. The young lady has been named Betty Jean.

Mrs. Eva Hill of Canyon and Miss Cleo Bradley of Amarillo spent Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Ewen.

CHURCHES

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 For the subject for the Sunday morning message the pastor will use, "Religion Today" with John 15:5 as the text. Does our religion measure up? Sometimes possibly we have religion, but the principal this is, do we have much Christianity? This seems to be a worthwhile subject for our consideration. Study on it yourselves and see what your thinking will lead you into concerning "Religion Today."

Sunday evening we are to have a special treat in a program given by our Young People. There will be some five or six of them taking part in the discussion of the topic, "Love in Obedience." They are hoping to have a girls' quartet to sing. You cannot afford to miss this inspiring program.

The Sunday school and B. T. U. were well attended last Sunday in spite of the weather. There were 362 reported in Sunday school, 142 in B. T. U., and near \$150 in the offering. There was a splendid Sunday evening crowd. Three new members were received for the church.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
 The continuity of the "Divine Presence" is a most interesting subject. It is so comforting in all of life's trials and joys. His presence to bless and to keep. After eight years on the mission field, E. Stanley Jones had brought himself into a serious condition of nervous collapse. He heard a voice saying "If you will turn that over to Me and not worry about it I will take care of it." He quickly answered,

"Lord, I close the bargain right here."
 Come to church next Sunday thinking of His Divine presence. Our sympathy to all who are in sorrow. Greetings to visitors and friends. Your Sunday school and church call you.
 E. C. Cargill, Pastor.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
 Dr. Frank L. Turner, president of McMurry College will preach at the morning service at 10:50 a. m. Special music will be given by the High School Glee Club, directed by Miss Mary Helen Hardin.

The evening service will be at 7:30 and the West Ward school will furnish special music on which program the rhythm band will play. These children are under the direction of Mrs. Estes and Miss Scott.

Following the special numbers an opportunity will be given for those who belong to other denominations to excuse themselves if they desire to go to their own services.

Sunday begins the special emphasis of the Youth's Crusade throughout the Methodist Church. It is hoped that real Christian development will be brought about by this four-year program, and it is to this emphasis that all the services of Sunday will be directed.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
 The Destructive Power of Judgment will be our sermon subject Sunday morning. Jesus frequently plead with his disciples to refrain from being self-appointed judges of others. Like a fearful virus, negative criticism may infect all the values of life. This principle in the teachings of Jesus:

applies to both large scale and personal social problems. Read Matthew 7:1-5.

Sunday evening we will have Christian Endeavor at 6:15, and church services at 7:15. At the evening hour we will continue our study of Romans, covering chapters 7 and 8. Prayer meeting will be at 7:30 Wednesday evening.

Two Hi-Y Speakers On Rotary Program

Lloyd Benton and Cullen Chapman, Memphis high school students, were guest speakers at Rotary luncheon Tuesday.

Benton had for his subject the theme that will be used in the Older Boys Conference in Amarillo Sunday, "Finding Christ in the Boy Next to You," substituting "Rotarian" for "boy" in his address.

Chapman told of the aims and objectives of the Hi-Y movement, and the influence upon the young people where Hi-Y clubs are active.

J. F. and Sam Forkner of Memphis and Mrs. E. T. Montgomery of Plaska attended the funeral of their sister-in-law, Mrs. Lucy Forkner, at Leon, Okla., Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Rothfus and Miss Bernice Elliott of Newlin were visitors in Berger Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Madden, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Thornton and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wells spent Friday in Amarillo.

REA Contracts—

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 day afternoon, and the local officials are working at top speed to clear up these matters before the contracts are let.

Notices have been mailed to bidders this week, Cox told Hall Sunday. All persons who are interested in placing bids for the project should contact Cox in Amarillo for detailed description of the work to be done.

The new project superintendent, who has held a position as principal of the Pleasant Valley school, resigned this week to take up his new duties. Mrs. Yarbrough, who has been teaching in the same school, was elected to fill her husband's position as principal, and a new teacher has been elected.

Yarbrough's appointment as project superintendent was made by the local REA board two weeks ago, but awaited confirmation by the Federal Rural Electric Administration.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Whittenburg of Amarillo were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Weatherby Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. L. Pattillo and son visited in Quanah Sunday.

Recreational—

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 which has been one of the leaders in starting the park movement, and representatives of several of the city's women's clubs were present at the city council meeting Monday night, and pledged their active support and that of their respective organizations in maintaining the park.

The park will be made a recreation center, not only for Memphis but for this entire territory, its sponsors state. The public will be asked to cooperate in keeping the park clean and sanitary.

While several months will be required for completion of the project, the park will be open to the public this summer if plans are carried out without hindrance.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Weatherby and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hall and daughter, Bobbie Mae, were visitors in Childress Friday night.

Zeb Moore Jr., student at Texas Tech, spent the mid-semester season here Friday to Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. A. Moore.

CARD OF THANKS
 We wish to thank every one for any kind of help during the illness and our dear mother and grandmother. Also for the lovely flowers. May you each find comfort in your trying hour.
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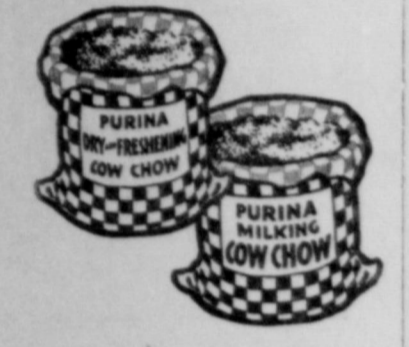
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- FOLGER'S COFFEE SERVED HERE ALL DAY SATURDAY!
- COFFEE, Folger's, 1-lb. 28c; 2 lbs. 55c
 - SUGAR, pure cane, 5 lbs. 28c; 10 lbs. 55c; 25 lbs. \$1.35
 - FLOUR, Light Crust 26c, 43c, 79c \$1.50
 - SPRY, 3-lb. bucket 56c; 6-lb. bucket \$1.09
 - SOAP, Lux or Lifebuoy, 3 bars 19c
 - WHITE KING, large package 31c
 - OLD DUTCH CLEANSER, 2 cans 15c
 - SANIFLUSH, large can 20c
 - RICE, 2-pound package, White House 15c
 - MINCE MEAT, 2 packages 17c
 - EXTRACT, all flavors, pure 18c
 - MILK, Pet or Carnation, 6 cans 22c
 - CAKE FLOUR, Pillsbury or Swans Down, package 25c
 - POWDERED or BROWN SUGAR, 2 packages 15c
 - JELL-O, all flavors, 2 packages 11c
 - CRACKERS, 2-pound box Salted 14c
 - POST BRAN or GRAPE NUTS FLAKES, pkg. 10c
 - TOMATO JUICE, all kinds, 2 cans 15c
 - PIMENTO, large can 9c
 - TUNA FISH, Del Monte, per can 17c
 - SALMON, Red Sockeye, small can 16c; large can 23c
 - PORK and BEANS, regular size can 5c
 - ASPARAGUS, Heart's Delight, White, 2 for 25c
 - WHOLE GREEN BEANS, 2 No. 2 cans, White Swan 25c
 - ENGLISH PEAS, No. 2 cans, Mission, 2 for 25c
 - CORN, No. 2 cans, Primrose or O. D., 2 for 23c
 - PEACHES, No. 1 tall cans, Heart's Delight 10c
 - CHERRIES, No. 2 cans, red pitted, 2 for 25c
 - PINEAPPLE, large cans 20c; No. 1 cans, 3 for 25c
 - SPUDS, 10-pound bags, No. 1 Idaho Russets 24c
 - LETTUCE, extra nice heads 5c
 - CARROTS, nice bunches 4c
 - NEW POTATOES, new crop, red, pound 4c
 - TURNIPS, purple top, bulk, pound 3c
 - EGGS, fresh country, per dozen 15c

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- CUT BEANS No. 2 Wapco, 3 for 28c
- 15-OUNCE CAN
- RANCH STYLE BEANS 3 for 25c
- PEAS County Kist, No. 2 cans, 3 for 29c
- SALMON Nautical, 1-lb. can, 3 for 37c
- COOKED DRY PEAS No. 1 can 5c
- HOMINY White Swan, No. 2 cans, 3 for 22c
- CORN Springfield, No. 2 cans, 3 for 24c
- BLACKBERRIES No. 2 Concho, 3 for 28c
- WHITE SWAN, 13 1/2-OUNCE
- GRAPEFRUIT JUICE 3 for 22c
- 9 CANS POTTED MEAT FREE with
- VIENNA SAUSAGE 10 cans for 99c
- GOLD BAR, NO. 2 1/2
- WHOLE APRICOTS 3 for 49c
- GOLD BAR, NO. 2 1/2
- SLICED PEACHES yellow cling, 3 for 47c
- GOLD BAR, 1-POUND CAN
- FRUIT COCKTAIL 3 for 39c

BRAN AND SHORTS

Fine Fresh Foods

See our market and our fresh fruit and vegetable display before buying. We have a complete line and one that afford you the widest selection in town!

Saturday is Demonstration Day at our store. Come in and enjoy the sample products that will be demonstrated by a flour company, a coffee company and by Gebhardt's.

The Modern Food Store
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PAY NO MORE!
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- 24 Pounds 78c
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 - CREAM MEAL
 - 12 Pounds 22c
 - 20 Pounds 39c
- Every sack guaranteed good as money can buy!

GEBHARDT'S SPECIALS

- Spiced Beans 3 for 25c
 - Tamales 2 for 25c
 - Chili Tall cans, 2 for 35c
- FREE DEMONSTRATION ALL DAY SATURDAY!
 YOU ARE INVITED!

FIELDS

GROCERY and MARKET
 PHONE 468

We will have a WHITE SWAN COFFEE DEMONSTRATION Saturday. You are invited to attend.

- WHITE SWAN COFFEE 1-Pound Can 25c
- 2-Pound Jar 45c
- 3-Pound Can 85c
- Salmon, 2 tall cans, pink 25c
- Eggs, fresh country, dozen 16c
- Macaroni or Spaghetti, 3 for 10c
- Tomatoes, No. 2 cans, 3 for 25c
- Corn, W. S. or O. D., 2 cans 12c
- Pineapple Juice, 3 for 25c
- Crackers, 2-pound Sun Ray 15c

FREE OFFER!
 Set of 4 Modern Crystal TUMBLERS
 8 With Purchase 48 Lbs.
 4 With Purchase 24 Lbs.
 24 Lbs. 95c

- Grape Juice, per quart 35c
- Tomato Juice, 2 for 15c
- W. S. Gelatin Dessert, all flavors 25c
- Grape Nuts Flakes, 2 for 25c
- Post Bran, 2 for 25c
- Matches, Crescent, 6 boxes 15c
- Soap, Crystal White, 6 bars 25c
- Soap, Lux or Lifebuoy, 3 for 15c
- White Fur, 4 rolls for 25c

- Pure Cane 10 Pounds 55c
- SUGAR 25 Pounds 1.35

- Pork and Beans, 16-oz. can, 3 for 15c
- Peanut Butter, quart 25c
- Red Pitted Cherries, No. 2 can 14c
- Peaches, No. 2 1/2 can, Mission 15c
- Tuna, Del Monte, per can 15c
- Oysters, 5-oz. can, 2 for 25c
- Milk, Pet or Carnation, 6 for 25c
- Kraut, No. 2 1/2, 2 for 25c

- White Swan Pints 19c
- SALAD DRESSING Quarts 35c

- Turnips & Tops, 3 bunches 15c
- Carrots and Beets, 3 bunches 15c
- Radishes, Fresh Onions, 3 for 15c
- Sweet Potatoes, No. 1, 5 pounds 15c
- Lettuce, large, crisp heads, 2 for 15c
- Grapefruit, Marsh Seedless, 7 for 15c

KRAFT CHEESE:
 In Glasses
 2-Pound Box
 HORMEL SPAM, in cans
 SPAGHETTI with Meat Balls,
 Dinty Moore's
 FRESH OYSTERS, pint

WEBSTER

By DOROTHY N. ROBERTSON

Mrs. Allen Henry and Mrs. Delmer Griffin spent Tuesday visiting Mrs. Henry's mother, Mrs. Vira Floyd.

Miss Joy Wiginton of Lakeview spent the week-end here visiting her cousin, Bonnie Jean Robertson.

Aza Lee Durham returned home with her sister, Mrs. C. L. Ellis, and sons of Muleshoe Saturday. Mrs. Ellis has been visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Durham.

Several people in this community have been ill.

The small son of Mr. and Mrs.

Howard Martin was taken to a hospital Friday suffering from pneumonia. He is reported to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Burnie Wheeler and Miss Lottie Mills of near Newlin visited Mr. and Mrs. Herman Moore Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Robertson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Barbee.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Srygley and family and Bonnie Wayne Bradley of Fairview visited Mr. and Mrs. Herman Moore Sunday.

Mrs. Charlie Robertson, who has been ill in Memphis, returned to her home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Henry and Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Griffin spent the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Myrett Henry in Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cochran spent Friday visiting with "Aunt Beddie" McMurry.

Singers from this community invite everyone to singing Sunday afternoon. All visitors are welcome.

Loman Henry was a Newlin visitor Sunday.

666 relieves COLD'S first day. Headaches and Fever due to Colds, in 30 minutes.

Liquid, Tablets, Salve, Nose Drops.

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Droopy? Not now!

... thanks to Syrup of Black-Draught.

When your child is less keen and lively than usual, it may be a warning of constipation. If so, try Syrup of Black-Draught. It's pleasant to taste, and there's nothing in it that can harm a child's delicate intestinal system when given according to the directions.

Ask for Syrup of Black-Draught.

BETHEL

By MRS. NAOMI HILL

Mrs. J. B. Adams and Mrs. Laura Knight spent the day Thursday in the home of Mrs. J. W. Hatley.

Richard Adeock and family of Hedley spent Sunday with Earl Hodnett and family.

Mrs. J. W. Shields and Mrs. Melvin Hill visited Mrs. Perkins last Tuesday.

Ralph Messer of Swearingen spent the week-end with Mrs. Mac Hughes and family.

Alton Ashcraft and wife returned Monday from Circle Back, where they have been for the past two months.

Mrs. H. C. Fisher of Memphis spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. Naomi Hill.

Drew Smith and family of Clarendon spent the day Sunday with Mrs. Herbert Adams.

Melvin Hill and family and Mrs. H. C. Fisher and children spent an enjoyable evening Monday in the Earl Hodnett home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Teer and daughter, Dorothy Doll, of Vernon were visitors Saturday and Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jarrell.

D. O. Class Gives Banquet Thursday

Honoring their employers, sponsors, faculty members and guests, the members of the Diversified Occupations class of the local high school entertained with a banquet Thursday evening in the Home Economics rooms of the high school building. The banquet was held at 8:00 o'clock and was prepared and served by the members of the school's Home Economics class.

Following the banquet, J. R. Sanders, member of the class, presided over a panel discussion as toastmaster. Roy L. Coleman spoke to the assembly from the position of an employer, Miss Mildred Baker, a member of the class, presented the viewpoint of the employee, Meyor J. C. Wells discussed the activities of the class from the standpoint of a citizen, and L. C. Smyers, secretary of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce, speaking in behalf of W. B. Morrison, presented the viewpoint of the parent. W. C. Davis, superintendent of the local school system, and Sam Cowan, class instructor, presented the viewpoint of the faculty of the school.

Thirty-five members of the class and their guests were present at the affair.

PLEASANT VALLEY

By MRS. NORA VANDEVENTER

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Pate and son, Elwin, went to Lubbock to take their son and brother Olton who is entering college at Texas Tech for the second semester. Mr. and Mrs. Pate went on to Amherst to spend Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Daniels.

Walter Thomas has been quarantined for smallpox.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Francis and baby from Hammon, Okla., came Friday to visit his parents, until Sunday. Mrs. Francis' mother, Mrs. Gobble, accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Watson and sons spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Shirley.

Word has been received of the illness of little Dale Jackson, who is suffering from pneumonia at Santa Monica, Calif. He is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. C. Vandeventer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira McDaniel spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Rozell.

B. E. Boswell bought out M. O. Sanders and Mr. and Mrs. Sanders are moving this week to Portales, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Jordan Brock and Oree Brock were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Vandeventer Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Emma Rae Benton was honored at a shower Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Alvin Mollof. A large crowd was present, and many useful gifts were received by the honoree.

Charlie Ragan and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Foster and family went to Friona Saturday for a short visit with relatives, and to

attend the singing convention there Sunday.

Mrs. Lora Ragen had as her guests Wednesday Mary Watson, Clara Ellis, Nora Vandeventer, and Pauline Rozell.

W. T. Hightower, local florist, is recovering from a relapse of flu.

Constipated?

"For 30 years I had constipation, awful gas bloating, headaches and back pains. Adlerika helped right away. Now, I eat sausage, bananas, etc. anything I want. Never felt better." Mrs. Mabel Schott.

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BRAN \$1.10

Flour 48 Pounds, \$1.25
Dobry's Best

CRACKERS, 2-pound box..... 13c

MILK, Carnation, Pet, 7 sm. cans 25c

LARD 8 Pounds..... 73c

COFFEE, Folger's, 1-pound..... 28c

2 Pounds..... 55c

SARDINES, 3 tall cans..... 25c

Sugar 25 Pounds, \$1.25
Cane.....

LETTUCE, 3 heads..... 10c

SPUDS, No. 1's, 10-lb. mesh bag 25c

MARKET SPECIALS

- Steak, per pound..... 20c
- Sausage, per pound..... 18c
- Jowl Meat, per pound..... 10c
- Assorted Lunch Meats, pound 20c
- Sliced Bacon, per pound..... 23c
- Cream Cheese, per pound..... 17c
- Bologna Sausage, 2 pounds..... 25c
- Oleo, per pound..... 16c
- Steffin's Sweet Cream Butter, per pound..... 32c
- Brick Chili, per pound..... 18c

T. D. Weatherby to Open Feed Store

Opening of the Weatherby Feed and Storage Company is announced this week by Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Weatherby. Formal opening of the new business will be held Saturday, February 11, in the Stringer building on West Main across the street from the Memphis Democrat.

Mr. Weatherby has had the building remodeled in preparation for opening the new store. Purina Feed products will be featured, and the business will include cream buying, poultry and eggs. A brokerage for baby chicks will be conducted and special arrangements have been made for caring for the chicks.

Owen Pyatt will be in charge of the sales department, and Mrs. Weatherby will be in charge of office and clerical work.

Mr. Weatherby has moved headquarters for his trucking business to the new store, and has ample storage space in the rear of the building.

A lounge is being arranged for the convenience of patrons, and all farmers and their wives are invited to visit the store.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Johnson spent Sunday in Amarillo.

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Gums that itch or burn can become mighty trying. Druggists will return your money if the first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to satisfy.

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- LEMONS, per dozen..... 15c
- GRAPEFRUIT, medium size, 6 for..... 13c
- LETTUCE, firm heads..... 4c
- EXTRACT, Pure Vanilla..... 19c

SCOTTISSUE 23¢
3 ROLLS FOR

- PICKLES, sour, per quart..... 13c
- CRACKERS, Saltines, 2 pounds..... 25c
- TOMATOES, 2 No. 2 cans 15c; No. 1, each..... 5c
- SALMON, 2 cans..... 25c
- BISQUICK, Cannon towl FREE, package..... 32c
- SOAP FLAKES, Big Four or Blue Barrel..... 34c
- BLACKBERRIES, No. 2 can..... 10c
- CHERRIES, 2 No. 2 cans..... 27c

PEACHES 16¢
WHITE SWAN, NO 2 1/2 CAN

- FOLGER'S COFFEE, 1-lb. 28c; 2 lbs..... 55c
- SUGAR, 10 pounds, cane..... 55c
- PRUNES, gallon can..... 28c
- SNOWDRIFT, 3-lb. 57c; 6-lb..... \$1.09
- PEAS, Concho or Mission, 2 cans..... 25c
- PINEAPPLE, 3 No. 1 cans..... 25c
- GOOSEBERRIES, No. 2 can..... 19c
- COMPOUND, 4 pounds..... 45c

Special Prices and FREE Glasses with GOLD MEDAL FLOUR

MARKET

- BEEF ROAST, per pound..... 19c
- PORK CHOPS, per pound..... 25c
- CHILI, per pound..... 19c
- STEAK, shoulder, round, pound..... 23c

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people save money each week by buying groceries at the Mem Store. You too can save by consistent buying where prices are just naturally lower and the quality is higher. Drop in and SAVE!!

- 3 BANANAS 5¢**
- YELLOW FRUIT, PER POUND.....
- ORANGES, Sunkist, per dozen..... 15c
- ORANGES, 2 dozen..... 25c
- ORANGES, per gallon..... 29c
- BLACKBERRIES, per gallon..... 39c
- FRUIT JUICES, all kinds, 3 cans..... 25c
- LEMON, No. 1, pink, 2 cans..... 25c
- Pet or Carnation, 7 cans..... 25c
- PRUNES, Colorado Sweet, pound..... 3c
- PRUNES, East Texas, pound..... 3c

ORANGES 25¢
OF JUICE, 3 DOZEN

- Yukon's Best Meal..... 45c
- White House Rice, 2 lbs..... 18c
- 3 Packages Corn Flakes..... 25c
- Salt, 5 lbs..... 10c
- 25-Ounce, K. C. Baking Powder..... 20c
- Soda, 2 pkgs..... 15c

COFFEE 30¢
Time to Plant, PER GALLON

- STEAK, good and tender, pound..... 18c
- PORK CHOPS, lean, per pound..... 23c
- BACON, good and lean, 2 pounds..... 25c
- BACON, sliced, pound..... 33c
- CONDENSED, Dry Salt, No. 1, pound..... 16c
- CONDENSED, Cream, pound..... 18c
- CONDENSED, Large, 2 pounds..... 29c

CABBAGE 3¢
New Crop, Pound

SPUDS 4¢
New, Texas, Pound

CARROTS 10¢
3 Bunches

TURNIPS 3¢
Bulk, Pound

CELERY 15¢
Nice, Large Stalks

LETTUCE 5¢
Per Head

COCOA 20¢
Mother's, 2 Pounds

COFFEE 49¢
Folger's, 2 Pounds

SUGAR \$1.25
25 Pounds

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PERSONAL FREEDOM VS. PUBLIC SAFETY

PERSONAL FREEDOM, the constitutional priv-
 ilege of every American citizen, must necessarily
 be curtailed when its abuse interferes with the rights
 and privileges of others. Freedom of the highways
 has become one of the most abused privileges offered
 to the people of this nation, and for that reason, gov-
 ernments of the various states are finding it increas-
 ingly necessary to place stringent restrictions upon
 the drivers of the nation's most effective death-deal-
 ing machine . . . the automobile.

Two bills are now before the state legislature in
 Texas which are designed to put "teeth" in the state's
 driver's license law. Passage of these bills will bring
 about the loss of driving privileges for a few, and
 place limitations on these privileges for many, but
 the traffic situation in this state has reached the
 point where the people must choose the continuation
 of a sound safety program or permit needless trag-
 edies to become a constant highway threat.

The proposed bills are directed particularly toward
 controlling the drunken and reckless driver . . . whose
 innocent victims have dotted the state highways for
 many years. These restrictions will fall heavily on a
 relatively small group of motorists, and the liberties
 of the majority will not be marred.

The drunken driver, however, cannot be blamed
 for all of Texas' 1,609 deaths last year, nor for more
 than 2,000 the year before. Carelessness, thoughtless-
 ness, or physical defects on the part of many drivers
 must be blamed for hundreds of these "preventable"
 highway fatalities. Of this latter group, specially-
 trained examiners report that only three per cent of
 the persons examined for driver's licenses are found
 to be physically unfit to safely maneuver an auto-
 mobile.

State police have proved, by reducing traffic fatal-
 ities in Texas by 23 per cent during 1938 over the
 previous year, that through strict law enforcement
 traffic deaths can be reduced. If more stringent en-
 forcement becomes necessary to halt the wholesale
 slaughter of innocent people that enforcement can be
 provided, but it will be done at the expense of the
 personal freedom of every motorist.

Courteous consideration for his fellow drivers,
 strict observance of traffic regulations, and common-
 sense attention to mechanical defects in his machine
 should provide the answer to the Texas motorist who
 wants to preserve his personal freedom . . . and the
 freedom of the highways.

A PUBLIC PLAYGROUND

WHEN THE City Council Monday night agreed to
 appropriate necessary funds for the purchase of
 a site for a public recreation park, the realization of
 a fifteen-year-old dream of Memphis civic leaders
 was made possible. For more than a decade, public-
 spirited leaders in this community worked toward
 the building of a public playground.

At this particular time, a fortunate combination of
 circumstances has made the opening of the project
 possible, and the people of this territory are now as-
 sured of having a park ready for their use by summer.

This combination of circumstances, however for-
 tunate, did not occur by chance, but has been brought
 about through the earnest cooperation and unceasing
 effort of a group of local citizens and organizations
 who vision Memphis as a modern, progressive city and
 are willing to devote their time toward making it so.

The Memphis Chamber of Commerce placed the
 proposed recreation park on its list of objectives for
 1938; the American Legion gave its active support
 toward keeping the issue alive; the Hall County Com-
 missioners Court has offered its co-operation in creat-
 ing a park which will be of benefit, not only to the
 citizens of Memphis, but to the people of this entire
 territory; and the City Council has acted wisely and
 intelligently in providing the money necessary for
 the purchase of a park site.

The Women's Clubs of Memphis, together with
 other civic organizations, have pledged their support
 in maintaining the park as a clean, sanitary, and
 pleasant recreational center.

The public park is planned as a benefit to the entire
 community and as such, it deserves and must receive
 the interest and support of the community as a whole.
 It has not been conceived nor started by any single
 person or group, and it cannot be built and maintained
 as a public service and civic improvement without
 community-wide co-operation.

Handwriting on the Wall



Press Paragraphs

CULLED FROM THE
 DEMOCRAT'S EXCHANGES

The most significant thing
 about the present policy of the
 Federal government in regard to
 the liquor traffic is the utter fail-
 ure to deal with the alcohol prob-
 lem as a great social question.

Very little is being done with
 the purpose of serving the social
 welfare. The Federal Alcohol
 Administration has made propo-
 sals to Congress evidently in-
 tended to serve the public inter-
 est rather than the interest of
 the trade, but these proposals
 have not eventuated in legislation.

The Federal policy, and the
 policies of the various states,
 seem to be motivated first by the
 desire to serve the convenience
 of drinkers and second by the de-
 sire to serve the economic inter-
 est of the trade. This is the
 wrong point of departure. The
 policy is headed in the wrong di-
 rection; and certain disaster is the
 inevitable result.—The Clarendon
 News.

America is not hostile to the
 people of any nation in the world.
 It is definitely hostile, however,
 to the ideas and principles upon
 which many nations are being
 governed today, and to the false

prophecy who have led their peo-
 ple into subservience.—The Chil-
 dress County News.

It is difficult for a man or a
 group of men to admit the ex-
 istence of shortcomings. No mat-
 ter how well we may know our
 own faults, we like to think that
 they are unobserved by others.
 The more keenly our weaknesses
 are analyzed, the more sensitive
 are our reactions.—Quannah Trib-
 une-Chief.

They may wear skirts long
 enough to cover up the knock-
 knees and bow-legs, but the more
 we look around we figure they
 never will get them long enough
 to do much good for the pigeon-
 toed girl.—The Paducah Post.

Racing a train to a crossing is
 hardly fair to one's life insurance
 company.—The Wellington Leader.

THE SPICE OF LIFE: Govern-
 or O'Daniel's plan is worthy of
 the most careful consideration,
 and The News is convinced that
 it or some comparable plan must
 be adopted if Texas is to get out
 of the present doldrums and make
 progress to which she is entitled.
 Let us keep our shirts on and dis-
 countenance those who seek to
 torpedo the governor's leadership
 —a leadership which is undisputa-
 bly his by right of the record-

breaking majority accorded him
 by the citizens of Texas.—The
 Clarendon News. and on
 the other side of the fence: "The
 more we examine Governor
 O'Daniel's tax proposal, the more
 it looks like a jittery attempt to
 face the realities which he so con-
 sistently dodged during his cam-
 paign and between his election
 and inauguration."—The Miami
 Chief.

Jots 'n' Jest

ADVICE to men: don't smooth
 out that pre-holiday quar-
 rel with your girl friend until
 after Feb. 14.

Well, it's almost spring train-
 ing time for the baseballers.
 Managers are hoping the boys
 don't feel required to touch the
 "hot corners" on the way to
 camp.

They're starting an Irish cul-
 tural garden in New York City.
 Pity the guy who suggests
 growing oranges.

Pushing through the ice has
 one advantage. You don't feel as
 discouraged because you couldn't
 have got the catch through the
 hole if it were larger anyway.

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How Does Your Garden Grow?

By T. C. RICHARDSON, Secretary
 Breeder-Feeder Association

The best time to start a spring
 vegetable garden is last fall, but
 it is never too late. Some soils re-
 quire several plowings or spad-
 ings, with time for nature to do
 its share in aerating, pulverizing,
 and settling. If this was not be-
 gun with fall plowing and fertili-
 zation it can still be done, but
 with more labor. A poor seed bed
 is had enough with the ordinary
 field crops, but it is inexcusable in
 the garden. In either case good
 preparation before planting is the
 best cultivation the crop will ever
 have, and the most economical.

It would be presumptuous to
 offer detailed instructions for
 making the garden ready, for
 every good farmer knows what his
 particular soil requires in the way
 of tillage and fertilization. For
 those who do not know there are
 garden bulletins to be had from
 county and home demonstration
 agents, or a neighbor who has
 learned and practiced good gar-
 dening under his own conditions
 of soil and climate. Smart men
 learn from others, and it is no dis-
 grace to ask. Those afraid to
 ask pay dearly for experience.

The "frame garden" has solved
 the problem of having vegetables
 under the difficult conditions of
 high winds, hot sun, and lack of
 timely rainfall with which much
 of the Southwest has to contend.
 It is nothing more than a huge
 box, four or five feet wide, as long
 as desired, with plank walls rising
 12 to 18 inches above the surface
 of the ground, of course the soil
 in the box is well spaded and fer-
 tilized before planting. Rows run
 crosswise for ease of planting and
 cultivation. It is sub-irrigated
 by the usual methods or watered
 on the surface, and with rows
 eight to twelve inches apart an
 almost unbelievable amount of the
 smaller vegetables can be grown.

Burlap or canvas covers which
 can be unhooked at one side, wire
 netting to keep out chickens, also
 hinged at one side, complete the
 equipment. Besides furnishing
 early vegetables it will serve as
 a cold frame to grow early plants
 for the open garden when all
 danger of frost is over. Where
 wind and sun are most severe, as
 in western Texas, New Mexico and
 Oklahoma, a half-shade cover
 made of plaster laths spaced one
 or two inches apart is advisable.

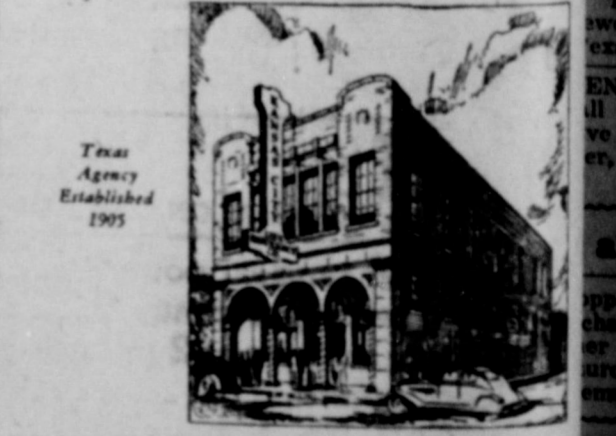
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ASSETS	
Cash in Banks \$ 1,000,000
Bonds—	
Federal Government 2,000,000
State, County, Municipal and School 1,500,000
Railroad, Public Utility and Others	..... 1,000,000
First Mortgage Real Estate Loans—	
On Farm Property	..... 500,000
On City Property	..... 500,000
F.H.A. Loans on City Property 500,000
(Insured and guaranteed by U. S. Government)	
Loans on Policies 1,000,000
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Collateral Loans 500,000
Accrued Interest on Investments 500,000
Contracts of Sale of Real Estate 500,000
Farm Properties Owned	..... 500,000
City Properties Owned	..... 500,000
Home Office Building	..... 500,000
Net Premiums Deferred and in Course of Collection	..... 500,000
(Secured by Legal Reserve on Policies)	
Total Net Admitted Assets	..... \$10,000,000
LIABILITIES	
Legal Reserve	..... \$5,000,000
(Present Value of Every Policy Obligation)	
Claims Due and Unpaid	..... 1,000,000
Incompleted Policy Claims	..... 500,000
(Claims incurred on which proofs have not been filed or completed)	
Dividends Payable on Policies	..... 500,000
Interest and Premiums Paid in Advance	..... 500,000
Set Aside for Taxes Payable in 1939	..... 500,000
Other Accrued Expenses	..... 500,000
Surplus Unassigned	..... 500,000
Paid-Up Capital	..... 500,000
Total \$10,000,000

*If all bonds were valued at market price, over \$1,500,000 would be
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FAIRVIEW
By MRS. R. ELLERD

W. G. Shearer returned home this week after an extended visit with his mother, Mrs. D. C. Shearer, at Winsboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Ellerd spent the week-end visiting at Lubbock, Brownfield, Hale Center, and Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Snowden and family visited in Quail Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stewart visited in the G. W. Sexauer home Saturday night.

Lizzie Mae Vaughn of Memphis spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Vaughn.

Billy Hale of Memphis spent Sunday night with Estelle Sweett.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Ellerd spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gable.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Vaughn and son are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Phillips.

Jeff Thompson of Childress was a visitor in Memphis Sunday.

Former Memphian Dies at Floydada

W. A. Huckabee, former Memphis resident, was buried at Fairview Cemetery here Saturday afternoon following funeral services at Floydada Saturday morning.

Mr. Huckabee died Friday at his home in the Center community near Floydada. Funeral services were conducted at the F. C. Harmon Funeral Home in Floydada, and the body was brought to Memphis for burial.

Born in Mississippi in 1866, he moved to Johnson County, Texas, in early life, and came to Memphis in 1912. After living in this city for five years, he moved to Floyd County in 1917 and had lived in the Center community for the past 22 years.

Survivors include seven children, C. C., A. J., O. H., Burl, Earl, and Miss Eula Huckabee, and Mrs. Ola Warren, all of Floyd County; one brother, D. R. Huckabee of Munday; and two sisters, Mrs. M. E. Sanders of Elida, N. M., and Mrs. Matilda Hampton; and 16 grandchildren.

It's Not Golf—But Cager Gets Goal in One

These junior cagers play an air-tight defensive game, if the match between Eli and Pleasant Valley schools at the Lakeview Junior Basketball Tournament last Saturday is any indication.

The Eli youngsters defeated Pleasant Valley by the narrowest of one-point margins, "but it was sure a close game all the way through," one Pleasant Valley lad boasted after the final whistle had cost his team the decision. "They just beat us by one free pitch."

A lot of ball games have been won and lost by a one-point margin, but the single free toss which one young Eli cager looped through the basket in the closing minutes of play deserves to go down in history along with the famous straw that broke the camel's back and Custer's "last stand."

The single point was not only the winning margin, but the total score. Eli won, 1 to 0!

LESLEY
By MRS. JAMES SMITH

Rev. Debord conducted services at the Baptist Church Sunday, and visited his daughter, Mrs. Jester, here during the day.

Rev. T. D. Summerall of MeLean will conduct a revival meeting at the Baptist Church in Lesley beginning February 13.

Little Patsy Byars is still suffering from ear trouble.

Cleatus Earl Eason of Clarendon spent a few days last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Evans. He is visiting this week with his aunt, Mrs. A. J. Fowler.

Miss Lucy Pate of the Rio Grande Valley is here visiting her brother. She is also visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Booth.

Jimmie Lou Adams spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Adams, and returned Monday to Lubbock, where she is attending Texas Technological College.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Henry visited Monday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Smith.

Honor roll for Lesley schools was announced this week at the close of the first term of school. First Grade: Floy Lee Driver, Mildred Booth, Jeanene Howell, Robby Jay Mitchell, Gladys Emmons, and Charles Morrison; 2nd grade, Billy Martene; Hodnett, Billy Ray Adams, Grazella Ruth Hagin, Frances Jane Hancock, and Bobby Janell Emmons; 3rd, 4th, and 5th grades, Bobbie Neil Adams and Marie Driver, Clark and Don Hancock, and Catherine McElrath and Jack Wesley; 6th grade, Alfred Shields and Eules Jester; 7th grade, Juanita Knight and W. O. Clark; and 8th grade, Kenneth Brewer, Ozelma Fowler, and Joe Davis. Preston Mills was given credit for perfect attendance during the semester.

The Lesley Junior Boys Basketball team defeated Eli Saturday night in the Lakeview Junior

Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. K. S. Greene made a trip to Fort Worth and Dallas this week to attend market and style shows. They also planned to stop at Mineral Wells for a short vacation, and will return in about ten days.

Ann Palmeyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Seth B. Palmeyer, who is attending West Texas State College at Canyon, spent the week-end here visiting her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Palmeyer

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Smith and children and Mrs. B. H. Neal visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Adams.

The Lesley Parent-Teacher Association sponsored a pie walk Wednesday evening at the schoolhouse. Games of "42" and Chinese checkers were enjoyed at 10 cents a couple. Coffee was sold.

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LAKEVIEW
By CAROLYN BRISTER

Mrs. Bernice Davis entertained the Senior E. Y. P. U. of the Lakeview Baptist Church at her home Monday evening. The evening was spent in playing Chinese checkers and popping corn. Refreshments of candy and hot pop corn were served to the following guests: Ruth Woods, Oleta Favors, Maxine Mitchell, Carolyn Brister, Durwood Dial, Alton Mitchell, Glenn Hoggatt, Marsene Galt, and Leo Brister.

Juanita Davis was an overnight guest of Bobbie Nell Barnett Saturday night.

Maxine Mitchell was a dinner guest of Oleta Favors Sunday.

Bessie Lee Scott was a dinner guest of Carolyn Brister Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Curry and son, Bobby, were visitors in the G. R. Long home Sunday.

Mrs. Bernice Davis, Helene Joyce, and Teddy Kane Barnett spent the week-end with Mrs. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barnett.

HER OF SUCH A NATURE AS TO RENDER FURTHER LIVING TOGETHER INSUPPORTABLE.

Herein fail not, And have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Memphis, this, the 10th day of January, A. D. 1939.

ISABEL CYPERT, Clerk,
District Court Hall Co. Tex.
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IN THE GUARDIANSHIP
of Harley P. Evans, a person of unsound mind.

No. 270 in the County Court of Hall County, Texas.

To all persons interested in the above named Harley P. Evans or his estate:

You are notified that I have on the 1st day of February, 1939, filed with the County Clerk of Hall County, Texas, an application under oath for authority to make to the Humble Oil & Refining Company, as lessee, an oil, gas and mineral lease on that certain real estate belonging to such Harley P. Evans, a person of unsound mind, described as the West 200 acres of Section 88, Block 18 H&G Ry Co Surveys in Hall County, Texas; that M. O. Goodpasture, Judge of the County Court of Hall County, Texas, on the 1st day of February, A. D. 1939, duly entered his order designating the 10th day of February, A. D. 1939, at 10 o'clock a. m. in the County Court room in the courthouse of such county as the time and place when and where such application would be heard and that such application will be heard at such time and place.

Sam J. Hamilton, Guardian of the Estate of Harley P. Evans, a person of unsound mind. 1c

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Bids will be received by Hall County at the courthouse at Memphis, Texas, until 10 o'clock a. m. on February 13, 1939, for the purchase of one heavy duty motorgrader and a caterpillar No. 66 grader, and an Adams No. 102 motorgrader to be taken as part payment, and balance to be paid in cash not to exceed \$3,500 within sixty days from date contract is closed, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, interest payable semi-annually, if not paid within the sixty days.

The right is reserved to reject all bids.

M. O. GOODPASTURE,
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Special Notices

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Hall.

To those indebted to or holding claims against W. L. Stephens, deceased:

The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of W. L. Stephens, deceased, late of Hall County, Texas, by M. O. Goodpasture, Judge of the county court of such county on the 28th day of Dec. 7, A. D. 1938, hereby notifies persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him within the time prescribed by law at his office in Memphis, Hall County, Texas, where he receives his mail.

Dated this 9th day of January, A. D. 1939.

W. J. BRAGG, Administrator,
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By GUSSIE MARIE BULLOCK
A number of Antelope and Brice people attended the funeral services for R. Sanderson at Vernon Monday of last week.

non and Miss Mary Gibson of Brice accompanied them home for a week's visit. Little Zack Luther Dean is in a hospital in Memphis suffering from pneumonia.

GILES

By MRS. J. A. LEMMON
Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Watt and children of Hedley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Watt.

FRIENDSHIP

By MRS. C. L. PADGETT
Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Betts of Amarillo came Friday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Harris.

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By MRS. FRED HEMPHILL
Continuing his program that is of especial interest to all students, Supt. Cheves, last week began collecting material for a school museum.

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Auction Sale!
The livestock auction grows bigger and better each week. Bring your livestock to us for sale and get better prices than anywhere else.
Last week the market was strong and higher prices were brought on nearly every item placed on the block.
Out of town buyers are attending these sales and are paying good prices. Be sure to be on hand at our next sale which will be
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 7, STARTING AT 10 A. M.
Bring us your cattle. The cattle market at present looks good and your stock will bring higher prices on the auction block at our sale.
REMEMBER: We buy mules and horses every day in the week.
M. & M. Livestock Commission Co.
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GOING TO TOWN!
ALL US CHICKENS around here can really "go to town" now with more eggs and better eggs since this new Purina Dealer opened up with Purina Laying Mash. That means healthier hens, heavier layers, lower mortality and highest sustained production!
Oakes Blue Flame CHICK BROODER, 500 capacity \$12
DRINKING FOUNTS, for fruit jars, 3 for \$25c
One 24-inch Revolving Reel CHICK FEEDER \$23c
One 48-Inch Revolving Reel CHICK FEEDER \$80c
One 48-Inch Revolving Reel FEEDER with legs \$95c
One 36-Inch Brooder Size FEEDER \$1.25
One Gallon Galvanized DRINKING FOUNT \$50c
Texo All-Mash CHICK STARTER, 100 pounds \$2.85
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What Does the Future Hold for The Smaller Towns in Texas?
What must inevitably be the fate of the small towns and communities in Texas?
This question is being asked in literally hundreds of interior places over the state where today "For Rent" signs clutter the windows of numbers of empty business buildings! It is a question of increasingly serious importance, not only to these small towns and communities, but to the state as a whole.
These once busy places of community life, around which has largely grown the progressive development of Texas, are being dried up by the operation of heavy trucks over our highways. Their local business firms and enterprises, the dry goods, hardware, drug and fruit and vegetable stores, retail lumber yards, wholesale grocery houses, bottling plants, feed mills, oil mills, grain elevators and cotton compresses are unable to meet the competition of the larger business centers because of the almost unrestricted and promiscuous trucks from the larger cities holding the quantity-purchase advantage.
The absorption and manipulation, in varying degree, of the cost of transportation by highway for competitive purposes, if not restricted, will inevitably drive dealers and wholesalers in the smaller towns and communities out of business, with which they are burdened and thus contribute further to our growing economic chaos. The plea now being made by certain interests to increase the load limit on trucks operating over Texas highways will hasten the end of local enterprise in smaller Texas communities. If under the present statutes harm already has been done to small town merchants and property owners, what then must be the effect of any increase in the allowable truck load limit? Certainly the larger the load limit the greater will be the distance and which goods can be hauled from the larger distributing centers, and the greater will be the harmful effects on dealers and enterprises in the smaller towns!
The burden of taxation borne by the business interests of the smaller towns and communities throughout Texas will, as a natural result, be shifted more and more to the shoulders of the remaining property owners. Those who have invested in homes and business buildings must sacrifice their investments to what some might mistakenly call "the march of progress."
The thousands of families, for so many years dependent upon employment by these business enterprises as a means of livelihood, must be forced to the cities in quest of work, and falling in the add further to our burden of relief and unemployment!
Inroads by long distance truck operations on the traffic of the railroads must necessarily result in the abandonment of more and more railroad mileage, with consequent loss of payrolls and taxes to these communities and an increase of tax burdens to their citizens.
Texas Railroads, who seek no favors and advantages, but who willingly pay their own way in rendering efficient, dependable and economical transportation service to Texas communities, have felt the ill effects of unfair and subsidized competition in the same way and measure as the small town business men and, in the interest of our mutual preservation, join with them in urging that existing legal truck load limits be not increased!
THE TEXAS RAILROADS
Angelina & Nueces River
Burlington-Buck Island
Chicago, New Island & Gulf
Cotton Belt
Ft. Worth & Denver City
Galveston, Houston & Brazos
Gulf Coast Line
Gulf Colorado & Santa Fe
Kansas City Southern
International & Great Northern
Louisiana, Arkansas & Texas
Lubbock, Memphis & Gulf
Missouri-Kansas & Gulf
Missouri Pacific Lines
New Mexico & Santa Fe
North Texas & Southern
Paris & Mt. Pleasant
Omaha, Anson & Pacific
St. L. & N. W. of Texas
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Wichita Falls & Southern
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