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Plans Completed For Stock Show

Final arrangements for the 9th annual 4-H and FFA livestock show of Hall County, to be held at Memphis Saturday, March 2, being made this week as members of the chamber of commerce stock show committee met to decide on prizes to be awarded.

The amount of the prizes were announced by the committee since there may be slight changes in the money to be given, was explained. Committee members Tommie Potts, Wendell Johnson, and M. C. Allen met with County Agent W. B. Hooser in deciding on the tentative rule of prize money.

In addition, a form letter was set up to be sent to various stock companies, particularly the house companies, inviting them to send representatives to show and join in the auction following the judging.

Judging of the calves will be Saturday morning, and the sale will start at about 10 o'clock, the county agent said.

There will be approximately 75 calves entered, Hooser said. All the entries are in good shape, pointed out, and will be ready and other, larger shows which many of the calves will be entered. Most of the calves to be taken to the Amarillo show after the auction sale here, from there about 25 will be taken to the Southwestern Livestock Exposition and Stock Show at Fort Worth.

W. Snyder, Texas A. and M. University service meat specialist, will judge the county show again this year. He will be accompanied by Knox Parr, extension district agent.

Feeder calves will be divided into a junior class (under 850 lbs) and senior class (over 850). The same division will be made in the dry lot fed group.

Additional prizes will be awarded for the best group of five calves fed out by one boy, and the group of three fed out by one boy.

Funeral Services Are Held in Carey For H. L. Askew

75-Year-Old Resident Lived Near Estelline; Interment Is At Carey

Funeral services were held at the Baptist Church in Carey Sunday afternoon for Henry Lewis Askew, 75, who died at his home four miles southeast of Estelline Saturday morning at 2 o'clock.

Services were conducted by Rev. J. C. Wade, pastor. Interment was in the Carey cemetery under the direction of the Estes Funeral home of Memphis.

Askew was born April 6, 1870, in Ozan, Ark., and was 75 years, 10 months, and 10 days old at the time of his death. He was united with the Presbyterian Church when 21 years of age, and later joined the Pleasant Grove, Ark., Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Annibel Price and Mrs. Pearl Gilbreath, both of Estelline; and eight grandchildren.

Flower bearers were Pearl Moore, Nadine Price, Dollie Owens, Bettie Arnold, Juanita Owen, Dora Owen, and Fern Hill.

Social Security Representative In City Tuesday

Will Take Claims Filed For Old-Age or Survivors Insurance Payments

A representative of the social security board, bureau of old-age and survivors insurance, will be in Memphis Tuesday, February 26, according to a statement from J. R. Sanderson, manager of the Amarillo field office.

Those desiring to contact this representative may meet him at the chamber of commerce office between the hours of 2 and 3 o'clock on that date.

Persons wishing to file claims for old-age or survivors insurance payments, or those wishing original or duplicate social security account number cards are urged to meet this representative. He will also accept applications from new employers for employer identification numbers, and should be contacted by any employer of one or more employees who has not yet made application for an employer's number.

Sanderson points out that his office does not handle applications for old-age pensions or for unemployment compensation.

Two Memphians Regular Army

Two Memphis men were among eight who have enlisted in the regular army at the Childress recruiting office recently, it was learned here this week.

Those enlisting from Memphis are Herbert O. Stinnett and Hank R. Evans. Both men made advantage of the educational benefits of the G. I. bill, and requested duty with the air force in the European theater.

LAUDE'S COMMENTS

The boss, J. C. Wells, is away this week, and a substitute in this column is serving instead. The names of readers who the boss has forgotten, but who he believed that if the number is higher than he claims, too many people won't be too badly served by the substitution.

First of all congratulations are in order to several of the correspondents from out-lying communities who so promptly responded to the request that they resume their columns again. We always glad to have these items, and the readers from out-lying communities miss their own when a week is passed without them. (Continued on page six)

Correspondents Respond, Start Columns Again

In last week's issue of The Democrat, Editor J. C. Wells urged all former correspondents in out-lying communities to once more resume their weekly columns for the paper.

The response has been good this week, and several of the correspondents turned in copy for the first time in quite a few weeks or months.

The Democrat is grateful to those who have already resumed their column writing and urge other correspondents to start again. If the former correspondent has moved from your community, choose someone else so that your area will not be neglected.

Copy paper and envelopes are furnished to these community correspondents, and may be obtained by calling at The Democrat office. At your convenience, if you are already a correspondent or if you wish to act as such in your community and your former correspondent has moved away or decided to quit, drop by the office and pick up your supplies.

Church at Lesley To Start Youth Revival on Friday

Clarendon Baptist Pastor To Open Meeting; To End On Afternoon of March 3

A youth revival, to start Friday night and continue through Sunday, March 3, will be held at the First Baptist Church in Lesley, Rev. W. T. Goodman, pastor, announced this week.

The revival will open Friday night when Rev. Hal Uchurch, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Clarendon, will deliver the sermon. Rev. Goodman will be in charge of the singing.

Rev. George M. King, district rural evangelist, will on Sunday night show the picture "Romance of a Century." A portion of the last one hundred years of Baptist history is depicted in the picture. Rev. Goodman said, as he urged all people to see it and be inspired.

On the last Sunday, March 3, a special service for returned servicemen will be given, and dinner on the ground will be featured. The revival will close that afternoon.

"The public is cordially invited to attend all these services," Rev. Goodman pointed out.

FFA at Estelline Establishes Shop

The Future Farmers of America club at Estelline has recently aided in setting up a farm shop at the school from material given to the school by the government, it was reported this week.

The shop will be open to all farmers who wish to use the equipment, it was explained. The equipment is a complete unit, and affords machinery both for woodwork and metal work.

Charter for Estelline Hospital Being Drawn Up for Approval

The cooperative hospital planned by citizens of the Estelline community and surrounding area is now in the process of being chartered, Clyde Wilkinson, secretary of the board of directors, said this week.

The charter is being drawn up by J. O. Fitzjarrald, Memphis attorney, and will be presented to the secretary of state of the state of Texas, who is authorized to issue the charters.

Memberships are coming in daily, the secretary said. Life memberships are \$55, \$50 of which goes to the building and equipment fund, and \$5 for promotional expenses.

At a directors meeting Tuesday night, plans were discussed concerning the organization of membership committees in the out-lying communities of the Estelline area. It was also decided to choose two additional directors for the board, to bring the total

number to nine. The two directors will be chosen by the present temporary board.

The board is now composed of J. L. Darby, chairman, C. L. Sloan, Hulon Clifton, Eric Trapp, R. A. Eddleman, J. E. Masterson, and Clyde Wilkinson, secretary-treasurer.

The proposed hospital will be similar to that at Amberst and Elk City, Okla., and the service plans of these hospitals will be effective at the health center in Estelline.

Subscriptions are being taken by any of the board of directors. In addition, all donations to the cause will be accepted, Wilkinson has announced.

In the event a person dies, moves away, or withdraws his membership, the \$50 will be returned to him or his beneficiary, and the \$5 will be retained.

A cooperative health center, as the one proposed for Estelline, is a center where people can provide themselves with medical, dental, health, surgical, nursing, hospitalization, and related services on a non-profit, pre-paid cooperative basis.

Any patient in the hospital may have the medical doctor of his choice for a visit, medical attention, or operation. Non-member patients will pay regular hospital fees and the charge made by their doctor. Members of the hospital may have any doctor of their choice; and as members they are entitled to membership rates in the hospital, but will pay their doctor's fee.

People living within a radius of 100 to 200 miles may take memberships, and any person who so desires may make a contribution towards the erection of the hospital.

Most urgent need is that of a good medical doctor for the hospital. He must be of good standing with the state medical association, it was emphasized.

J. M. FRANKLIN ACCIDENTALLY KILLED BY SHOT

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD IN MEMPHIS; BURIAL AT ESTELLINE

James Madison Franklin, 74, was killed instantly Saturday night when a pistol given him by his son Don, recently released from the service, accidentally discharged. He was shot through the chest.

Funeral services were held at the Estes Funeral Chapel Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, conducted by Rev. B. L. Peacock, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Memphis. Interment was in the Estelline cemetery under the direction of the Estes Funeral Home of Memphis.

Franklin had been in Memphis Saturday to buy cartridges for the pistol, and found some .45 caliber shells which would fit the gun. He had returned to his home, and was examining the gun when it accidentally discharged, killing him instantly. His son had carried the gun two years while in the service. A coroner's verdict of accidental self-infliction was returned.

Franklin was born October 28, 1871, at Bonham, and died at the age of 74 years, 3 months, and 18 days. He was united in marriage to Miss Alice Dyer Pafford March 7, 1901, at Bonham. His wife preceded him in death. He had been a resident of the Estelline community for the past 21 years.

Survivors include two sons, (Continued on Page 12)

Hedley to Be Host To Girl Quintets In Cage Tourney

District Championship Meet to Start Friday; Ten Teams Are Entered

Hedley will be host to girls' basketball teams from ten counties when the district championship tournament is held there Friday and Saturday, W. W. Flatt, Hedley coach, announced this week.

Decision to hold the meet at Hedley was made Monday when coaches from the district met in Claude. "Hedley was chosen as the logical place," Flatt said, "due to the promises of plenty of gym space, its central location, the excellent food promised for team members, and our genuine southern hospitality."

The hours from 1 to 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon will be open for an exhibition game, Flatt said, and invited any Hall County team to contact him concerning such a game. One exhibition game will be played Saturday night between the boys teams from Quail and Hedley, the game to be played between 7 and 8 o'clock.

Opening the meet will be a game between the girls' teams of Lakeview and Panhandle. This game will start at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon. Hedley will play (Continued on Page 12)

More Rain Brings Total For Week to 2.14 Inches

The old saying, "When it rains, it pours," was literally true in Hall County Sunday afternoon as the second spell of moisture in less than a week hit with all the fury an almost solid sheet of water can muster. And Sunday did not finish the wet spell, for Monday found another "good" shower falling.

Interest Growing In 2-Weeks Revival At Baptist Church

Two Services Being Held Daily; Rev. A. A. Brian Of Brownfield Conducting

Both attendance and interest are growing at the two-weeks revival of preaching, singing, and Christian work now in progress at the First Baptist Church in Memphis, Rev. Jeff Moore, pastor, said this week. The revival will close Sunday, March 3.

The services are being conducted by Rev. A. A. Brian of Brownfield, with the singing in charge of Weldon Lewis, educational director of the Memphis church.

"Our goal for next Sunday is to have 425 present at Sunday School," Reverend Moore and Brian stated. "We are also shooting at a total of 150 in attendance at the training union."

Two services are being held daily. The morning service, sponsored by the Women's Missionary Society, begins at 10 o'clock, and the evening service, sponsored by the Brotherhood organization, at 7:30 o'clock.

Beginning at 7 o'clock and preceding each evening service, prayer meeting is held. Following each evening service, chain prayer services are held in homes over the city, with residents of the various vicinities attending.

Rev. Brian, who is pastor of the First Baptist Church in Brownfield, has an enviable record in evangelistic work. During his 20 years of ministry, he has averaged conducting nine evangelistic services per year. He conducts his own revival services in Brownfield, and has averaged 50 additions to his church at the meetings.

The Brownfield pastor has been with that church for two years, and prior to that was pastor of the Levelland church for ten years. He was also formerly pastor of the Baptist church at Littlefield and missionary of District 9.

His record at Brownfield has been excellent, it was explained. In the month of February, a total of 49 new members were united with his church there.



JOHN B. CROCKETT
John B. Crockett Assumes Duties As City Engineer

New Memphis Official From Wichita, Kansas, Employed by City Council

John B. Crockett of Wichita, Kans., who was employed recently at a meeting of the city council, arrived last week-end to assume his duties as city engineer.

Crockett was in Memphis about two weeks ago and conferred with members of the city council as well as members of the chamber of commerce. Shortly after his visit here, Mayor C. C. Hodges announced that he had accepted the position.

The new city official is 45 years of age. He attended Ouachita College in Arkadelphia, Ark.; the University of Arkansas Law School; and the University of Alabama, where he took graduate work for one year.

He has had 14 years experience in direct promotional work, including connections with the Little Rock chamber of commerce; publicity director and assistant secretary for Baylor Professional schools in Dallas, and Baylor University in Waco; bond department of the Cities Service Company at Little Rock; connections with Fenner and Beane, John F. Clark and Company, brokers, of Little Rock and Fort Worth; and state manager of the Arkansas Bankers' Mortgage Bond Company.

For general office work experience, Crockett was for two years chief auditor and accountant for the Brown-Bellows construction company of Houston.

In production promotion, he served for two and one-half years with the Boeing Airplane Company of Wichita, Kans., as analyst and statistician operating for plant management.

Crockett will have his office for the present in the chamber of commerce office in the city hall. One of the most pressing projects to require his attention is that of the Memphis sewage plant. Various other civic projects will come before him from time to time, and in his new capacity he will cooperate with the chamber of commerce in efforts to obtain industries and other projects needed for the welfare of the city and county.

Total amount of moisture in the Sunday deluge was .82 of an inch, with another .12 of an inch falling Monday, J. J. McMickin, local weather observer, reported.

This downfall, coupled with the 1.2 inches which fell Tuesday night and Wednesday morning of last week in the form of rain, hail, and snow, brought the total for less than a week to 2.14 inches.

The moisture was just what was needed for county wheat crops, with the acreage this and last year in wheat much greater than in previous years. Hall County wheat is in its splendor now, and if something disastrous doesn't happen before it grows into the ripened stage, the county will make one of the best crops in history.

Farmers who devote most of their land to cotton were also elated with prospects of a good cotton crop next fall, since the late winter and spring rains do much to season the ground properly. With rains spaced at the right intervals next summer, one of the greatest per-acre yields in history may be expected in the fall cotton crop.

This gives Hall County an unusually bright outlook for the year, as prices for raw products are also high, but until that bright outlook comes true, few farmers are worrying about the income taxes they might have to pay.

Businessmen also were feeling better over the situation, and were hoping that much of the merchandise delayed in delivery from post-war strikes might be delivered by the fall season. Most stores have as yet received only display samples of the hard-to-get items.

Voters Will Elect 4 New Aldermen For City April 2

Term for Allen, Alexander, Duncan, Merrell, Expire; Mayor Not to Be Chosen

Four new aldermen for the Memphis city council will be elected in the annual election to be held here Tuesday, April 2, City Secretary D. L. C. Kinard announced this week.

Aldermen whose terms expire are O. V. Alexander, L. B. Merrell, M. C. Allen, and R. L. Duncan, Kinard said.

Other members of the council are Mayor C. C. Hodges, and aldermen H. E. Tarver, O. R. Goodall, R. C. Cummings, and W. T. Hightower. The mayor's term of office will not expire until next year, since the term of his office and that of aldermen are for two years.

Ward No. 1 voters will cast their ballots in the tax collector's office in the southeast corner of the city hall; ward 2, in the municipal court room in the south part of the city hall on the second floor; ward 3 in the office of the chief of police in the city hall; and ward 4 in the city secretary's office in the city hall.

Election judges will be as follows: Ward 1, A. S. Moss; ward 2, W. C. Milam; ward 3, S. B. Foxhall; and ward 4, John Dennis.

The election order was approved (Continued on Page 12)

M. King in Critical Condition in Dallas

Max King, well-known Memphian who recently with his brother, James E. King, sold the King Furniture establishment to R. C. Lemons, is in a serious condition in a Dallas hospital.

Max King and his brother were in Dallas, where he was receiving medical treatment, when Max suffered a fractured leg after falling in a hotel room. This injury, coupled with the ailments for which he is being treated, has left him in a critical condition, it was learned.

Back Home --For Keeps

Each week The Democrat will publish names of men returning home. Readers are requested to turn in these names as the men return. Additional information for individual stories will be appreciated.

Winfred House (Parnell)
 Billy Orcutt (Parnell)
 Joe Blaine Morrow (Parnell)
 G. W. May (Parnell)
 R. W. Gilmer (Memphis)
 Roy B. Brock (Memphis)
 Jack Walker (Memphis)
 Richard S. Cochran (Memphis)
 E. R. (Buck) Ewen, (Plainview) Formerly of Estelline

Mustering-Out Pay Delayed Because of Improper Address

The following has been received through the headquarters of the West Texas army recruiting district at Lubbock.

If mustering-out pay checks for separated enlisted personnel fail to arrive when expected, it may be that the separation center or station from which the soldier received his discharge papers does not have his latest change of address, the War Department announced recently.

"Since regulations forbid the forwarding of treasury checks beyond the address appearing thereon, they are returned to the place of separation if the address given by the soldier has been changed since the information originally given," Major General W. H. Kasten, chief of finance, U. S. Army, explained.

"Until mustering-out pay has been received in full," he emphasized, "it is imperative that the soldier keep the separation center or station informed of any change of address."

The general stated that at one installation more than six per cent of the mustering-out checks was being returned because of soldiers' failure to notify the place of separation of change of address.

Halsey Assails Merger



Merger of our armed forces under one head would be ruinous to our national security, in the opinion of Admiral William F. Halsey jr., shown above as pictured in the February issue of Cosmopolitan magazine. Admiral Halsey expresses the fear that such a single command savors too much of dictatorship, and casts a serious doubt on the motives of the proponents of the merger.

Naval Recruiter To Be in Memphis

The Navy has just announced new benefits for men enlisting or re-enlisting in the Regular Navy.

Men volunteering for a first enlistment or re-enlistment in the Regular Navy are now given an option on the length of time they wish to serve. Seventeen-year-olds may enlist for either two or three years or until their 21st birthday. However, 17-year-olds must bring birth certificates or school records showing their correct age and consent papers must be witnessed by and signed in the presence of the local navy recruiter.

Applicants aged 18 to 30, inclusive, may enlist for 2, 3, 4, or 6 year periods.

Benefits have been modified to the effect that regular Navy personnel receive all privileges of the G. I. Bill of Rights. Family allowances have been extended for the full period of enlistments or reenlistments in the regular Navy made prior to July 1, 1946. If assigned to sea duty or overseas service, a man will receive a 20 per cent extra allowance for such duty. Those men discharged from the regular Navy or naval reserve for the purpose of enlistment or re-enlistment in the regular Navy collect mustering-out pay at once.

Free mailing privilege for men in the armed forces has been extended until December 31, 1947.

The local Navy Recruiter, Chief M. E. Pierce, Room 302, post office building, Amarillo, will give all details in regard to any part of the Navy's new program for enlistment or re-enlistments in the Regular Navy. A Navy recruiter will be in Memphis post office from 10:30 to 12:30 on the second Thursday of each month.

Robert W. Gilmer Released By Army

Corporal Robert W. Gilmer, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Vincent of Memphis was honorably discharged from the U. S. Army air corps February 10, and visited last week here. He had been in the service for 42 months.

Gilmer and his wife were met in Amarillo by Mr. and Mrs. Vincent last week and visited there in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Meason and son. Mrs. Meason is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent. Also present at the Amarillo reunion were Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Vincent Jr. of Dalhart.

Mrs. R. W. Gilmer Sr. and her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Cleston Landers of Quanah, came to Memphis last Friday, and Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Gilmer Jr. returned to Quanah with them for a visit.

The meeting in Amarillo was the first time in three years that Gilmer, R. C. Vincent Jr., and Meason had been together. Both Vincent and Meason received their discharges from the service last October.

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Mrs. H. F. Adeock of Memphis was a Plaska visitor the past week.

Mrs. E. E. Foster, Mrs. John Smith and daughter, Bobbie Murdock, and Beverly Needham visited Mrs. Eddon Spannagel Friday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Murdock and Elton Murdock went to Pleasant Hill Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Foster and son went to Abilene Friday for a few days' visit with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Ball.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Grant and family of Conway, and Mr. Coy Grant of Littlefield were Plaska visitors over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Talifario and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Victor Holland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and Walter were Amarillo visitors over the week-end.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Crawford Sunday were Mr.

and Mrs. Carrol Hignight and son of Lakeview, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hall and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hall and daughter, and Martha Jean Howard.

Melvin Owens of Weatherford visited his mother Mrs. G. P. Owens over the week-end.

Pat Medford of Lakeview visited J. H. Murdock Thursday night.

Mrs. Wesley Waites of Eli visited Mrs. W. T. Haynie Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Troy Dunn and son and Joan Davis were Amarillo visitors the first part of the week.

J. H. Murdock and Pat Medford were Childress visitors Friday.

Mrs. W. L. Nabers and Mrs. John Smith were Lakeview visitors Friday afternoon.

Martha Jean Howard visited Beth Murdock Wednesday night.

Mrs. E. E. Foster visited in the John Murdock home Saturday night.

J. H. Murdock visited in Lakeview Sunday with Pat Medford.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jones and family came home Sunday after a visit with relatives in East Texas.

Mrs. Leona Nix of Phoenix,

Ariz., came Sunday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. G. P. Owens.

Everett L. Orrell Given Discharge

Everett L. Orrell, former resident of Lakeview who now lives in Fort Worth, has received his discharge from the U. S. Coast Guard and visited here last week.

Orrell was a transportation specialist third-class, driver and dispatcher, at the time of his discharge. He enlisted November

19, 1942, and received his discharge February 11 at the separation center in New Orleans.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Orrell, now live in Fort Worth.

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NOTICE We're Starting to Handle Men's Clothing JUST RECEIVED — LARGE SHIPMENT OF MEN'S AND BOY'S KHAKI PANTS With SHIRTS to Match

Army Recruiter Changes Schedule

A new schedule for the visit of the U. S. army recruiter in Memphis has been announced by Sgt. Allen Halford...

HODGES' VISIT RELATIVE IN HOSPITAL AT DENTON

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hodges of Plaska returned to their home at Plaska last week-end after being at the bedside of Mrs. Hodges' sister...

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Locals and Personals Wortham Power and son Bill of Dallas visited Tuesday with his sister-in-law, Mrs. Gladys Power and daughter June.

John Ethridge left Friday for Fort Worth and Cameron after visiting his sister, Mrs. Tilma Lamkin and family, since Christmas.

Miss Frances Capps, student of Oklahoma University, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Capps of Lakeview.

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Advance in Cotton and Livestock Account for Strong Farm Markets

Advance in cotton prices, the strength on livestock, and steady trend on eggs, poultry, and vegetables accounted for strong markets for most Southwest farm products this week, according to USDA's production and marketing administration.

Cotton prices reached the highest peak in 20 years this week with gains of \$2 to \$3 a bale Friday. Middling 15-16 inch was quoted at 26.20 cents per pound, Dallas, Houston, and Little Rock; 26.16 cents at New Orleans and 26.10 at Galveston. The level of cotton prices has been rising steadily for the past year, although the value of certain low grades has not increased proportionately. Spot markets were somewhat more active this week than usual for this time of the year.

Short supplies and excessive demand kept grain prices at ceiling where they have been for weeks. No. 1 hard ordinary wheat was quoted at \$1.80 to \$1.82 per bushel, bulk, in carlots at Fort Worth and 89 to 92 cents in Galveston; and sorghums at \$2.61 per hundred including all permissible markups.

South Texas vegetables were in fair demand at steady prices most of the week. Cabbage picked up strength daily with 50-pound sacks in mixed cars quoted at \$1.40 to \$1.65 Friday. Prices of beets and carrots saw little change from last week-end. Latest reports showed too few spinach sales to quote, probably because of rain-damaged offerings.

Lighter poultry offerings almost balanced with the fair demand this week at most Southwest markets. Prices remained about unchanged from last week-end with heavy hens quoted at 27 to 28 cents a pound, New Orleans; 21 to 23 cents, Dallas; 21 to 22 cents, Fort Worth; and 22 to 24 cents, Denver. Fryers were

Experimenters Favor Soil Substitute for Seed Box

Amateur gardeners who plan to start seeds early this year will be interested in a substitute for soil which can be used in seed starters. This is vermiculite, a form of mica which is mined in Montana, then subjected to 2,000 degrees of heat. This expands the material twelve times, and makes it light and highly absorbent.

A cubic foot of vermiculite weighs five pounds and has a water holding capacity of five gallons. It also holds air and retains the granular condition, which is ideal for aeration. The heat treatment makes it sterile, so that seeds sown in the material germinate more promptly and with a smaller loss than when planted in soil.

Vermiculite is used for concrete aggregate, and also for insulating buildings. It is generally obtainable at lumber yards. Some forms of the concrete aggregate are mixed with substances harmful to plants, so this should be avoided, unless there is assurance that it is harmless. The insulating material, however, is harmless to plants and the particles are coarser and more

LIBERTY

By MRS. W. F. HODNETT

Rev. Campbell of Plaska filled his regular appointment at Liberty Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Long of Liberty were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Martin Sunday. Afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Harris Weatherly, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hodnett and Carolyn, and A. C. Hodnett and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. McQueen spent last week with their daughter and granddaughter. Vernice Jean and Billie Earlene returned home with

them for a few days visit.

A. C. Hodnett has been discharged from the Army and is home with his parents and his wife.

Billie McQueen and wife visited in Memphis Saturday night.

A. C. Hodnett and wife spent Saturday night and Sunday in Clarendon visiting his brother, Earl Hodnett and family.

Mrs. Lula Mitchell spent Thursday afternoon in the W. F. Hodnett home.

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quoted at most markets around 30 cents per pound.

Southwest cattle markets near the close of the week with prices 25 to 50 cents higher on some classes than last Friday. Receipts were the lightest in seven years at Houston and smaller than last week's at other Southwest terminals, except Denver. Canner and cutter cows were still in good demand at \$6 to \$8 per hundred pounds, Houston; \$6 to \$8.50, San Antonio; \$6.50 to \$8.75, Fort Worth; \$6 to \$8.50, Oklahoma City; and \$6.50 to \$8.50, Wichita, and \$7.50 to 9.50, Denver.

Hogs continued active and steady despite increasing receipts at most Southwest markets this week, and lambs were strong to 25 cents higher with other classes firm compared to last week's close.

Domestic wool sales were very slow in Boston this week. Twelve-months Texas wools were purchased at grease prices of 38 to 40 cents and fall wools at 34 to 36 cents. The demand for sorted fine mohair continued at ceiling prices.

Roy D. Brock Gets Army Discharge

Roy B. Brock, technician 4th class, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Brock of Memphis, returned to the states on February 7 from Manila, and has received his discharge.

Brock left the states in May of 1944 and was in the Solomon Islands, Halmahara, and Manila until his return. He served with the 401st Malaria Survey Detachment.

Brock received his discharge at Fort Bliss February 18, and is now visiting with his parents.

R. C. Vincent was a visitor in Fort Worth Saturday.

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By MRS. LOUIS RICHARDS

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Phillips Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Widener and children of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Phillips and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Duke Helm, Dug Morrison of Colorado, and Patsy Richards.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hillis and family of Lakeview, and Mary Foreman of Memphis were visiting Sunday with their parents Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Foreman.

O. D. Phillips made a business trip to Houston this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Vaughn spent the week-end with relative near Quail.

There will be church services at Harrell Chapel church Sunday afternoon, February 24, at 3 o'clock. You are invited to attend.

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Income Tax Head ges Individuals Fill Out Returns

making that each individual
an attempt in filling out his
income tax return to enable
trans who have not filed re-
ly to take advantage of the
given by representatives of
internal revenue department,
E. Arnold, acting collector of
nal revenue for this district,
issued the following state-
ment:
Present income tax law re-
quires that an individual income
return be filed by everyone
had \$500 or more income

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during the year 1945. However,
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tion is how to go about filling in
your return. I urge you, with the
deepest sincerity and good will, to
try to fill out your return by
yourself. If you do this, you
should have a certain feeling of
satisfaction and it can be done if
you will read carefully the forms
and instructions.

"In urging you to fill out your
return as far as possible, I wish
to remind you that income tax
blanks have been vastly simpli-
fied since 1944.

My earnest advice is that you
tackle your own return as soon as
possible and by yourself. In most
instances you will need no assist-
ance if you follow the directions
on the forms. By doing this, you
will enable this office to aid thou-
sands of returned veterans who
are in great need of aid due to
the fact that many of them have
not filed returns for the past sev-
eral years. However, if, after
you have tried to prepare your re-
turn, you have questions or need
advice, the local office of the
collector of internal revenue will
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51st annual statement the assets
are more than \$170,000,000, of
which over \$92,000,000 is invest-
ed in government bonds. Insur-
ance in force amounts to more
than \$609,000,000, an increase
of \$54,317,235 during the past
year.

The Texas state agency for the
Kansas City Life Insurance com-
pany is this year celebrating its
41st anniversary. Largest in the
company, and one of the largest
life insurance agencies in the
south, it has more than \$95,000,-
000 business in force.

Climaxing the most outstanding
year in the history of the com-
pany, President W. E. Bixby and
State General Agent O. Sam
Cummings, Dallas, jointly ac-
knowledge with grateful recogni-
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"Backed by the experience of
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strength and confidence. We are
grateful to the policyholders who
have built this company to today's
position, and are deeply conscious
of our sacred stewardship and re-
sponsibility to them and their
beneficiaries," said Bixby.

Mr. and Mrs. Minus Green and
daughter of Berger visited Mr.
and Mrs. C. E. Gowan last week-
end.

Hereford Cattle Group Sponsors Show at Pampa

The Top O' Texas Hereford
Breeders Association will hold
its second annual show and sale
at Pampa February 25 and 26.

Sixty head of choice cattle
have been consigned to this sale
including 40 bulls and 20 females.
These cattle represent 33 of the
leading Hereford herds in the
Panhandle and Western Okla-
homa area.

The Top O' Texas Jr. Fat
Stock Show featuring the 4-H
Club and FFA exhibits will be
held in connection with the regis-
tered Hereford show and sale.
Prizes will be furnished by the
Pampa Chamber of Commerce,
sponsor of the show.

Colonel Earl Gartin, nationally
known Auctioneer, of Greensburg,
Ind., will be auctioneer for the
sale.

The Top O' Texas livestock
judging contest between teams
from the various vocational agri-
cultural departments of this area
will also be held in connection
with the two-day event. J. P.
Smith, Gray County agricultural
agent, is general superintendent
of this contest. The judging
teams will be entertained with a
banquet in the Palm Room in the
city hall on the evening of the
25th as guests of the agricultural
committee of the Pampa cham-
ber of commerce.

A. B. Carruth of Pampa is
president of the Top O' Texas
hereford breeders association and
Frank Carter is superintendent of
breeding cattle.

Clyde Carruth is chairman of
the chamber of commerce agri-
cultural committee, sponsor of the
show and sale.

Texas Hit Hard By Crime Wave

Texas is definitely in the grip
of a crime wave, Director Homer
Garrison of the state department
of public safety declared recently.
The crime rate in Texas cities
and towns, Garrison said, jumped
18 per cent in 1945—and this in-
crease was superimposed upon a
substantial increase in the pre-
vious year.

Forty-six police departments,
representing 4,873,000 inhabi-
tants, last year reported a total of
46,898 major offenses to the de-
partment of public safety.

That total included 284 mur-
ders, a gain of 9.65 per cent; 115
homicides, up 6.48 per cent; 234
rape cases, a gain of 23.16 per
cent; 972 robberies, up 20.30 per
cent; 10,862 burglaries, a gain of
22.54 per cent; 28,154 thefts, a
15.93 per cent increase; and 6,-
313 automobile thefts, up 20.11
per cent.

The increase in rural crime will
be even greater than that in
cities, Garrison said.

Industrial Meeting To Be in Childress

Dean R. C. Goodwin, director
of scientific research at Texas
Tech College, will be one of the
principal speakers for the indus-
trial conference scheduled for
Childress on February 27.

The subject for Dean Good-
win's discussion will be "Utilizing
Our By-Products" and a few ex-
planations of the various indus-
trial uses of cotton stalks, cotton
burs, cotton seed, small grains,
and other unused by-products.

Sharing the program with Dean
Goodwin will be Dr. F. K. Pence,
dean of ceramic engineering, Uni-
versity of Texas, who will tell of
the clay and mineral deposits in
this area and their industrial uses;
also D. A. Bandoen, manager of
the West Texas chamber of com-
merce from Abilene.

The conference will begin at
12 o'clock noon at the Childress
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ceived from the county office. The Texas Highway De-
partment has notified all county tax collectors to re-
quire each car and truck owner to bring the photo-
graphed copy before the 1946 plate can be issued.
If you do not have this you should make application
for your Title immediately.
If you are to continue to drive your car, the 1946
plate must be on your car by
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abide by these orders. Your cooperation and your im-
mediate attention to the matter of securing a Texas
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Society

Mrs. Bill Greene, Jr., Recent Bride, Honored at Miscellaneous Shower

Mrs. Bill Greene Jr. was honored with a miscellaneous shower in the home of Mrs. J. P. Montgomery last Thursday night. Mrs. Greene is the former Miss Glendora Adams.

Co-hostesses for the occasion were Mesdames Ted Montgomery, Ruby Hagins, W. C. Skinner, O. B. Rampy, A. J. Fowler, Byron Adams, Tommy Ashcraft, J. W.

Hatley, Bill Merrell, and James Smith.

Punch and cookies were served the guests as they arrived by Mrs. James Smith and Mrs. Bill Merrell.

Those attending and sending gifts were Mesdames Anna Kathryn Gatlin, J. E. Roper, Goodman, Lyman Davenport, Bill Greene Sr., Harry Blair, Billy Salmon, O. M. Hancock, Z. L. Salmon, L. F. Bennett, Leon Fowler.

Mesdames M. M. Kennard, Lillie Mae Adams, B. H. Neal, J. W. Chappell, B. E. Davenport, Horace Duvall, Don Knox, Johnnie Fowler, R. S. Greene, Gayle Greene, Ozelma Miller, V. G. Byars, David Davenport, Eva Lena Kennard, W. C. Reagan, Layton Gillespie, Parsons, Gladys Montgomery, Lewis Benz, S. O. Greene.

Mesdames Inez Skinner, W. M. Hughes, V. A. Wallace, Herlie Moreman, June Hughes, Peggy Moss, Loran Denton, E. J. McKnight, Tom Seay, R. M. Holt, Leon Robertson, Ruth Cavin, J. O. Adams, Tracy Davis, D. C. Hall Jr., Philip Gibson, W. Z. Griffin, Cal Holland.

Mesdames G. D. Hillis, W. F. Adams, E. S. Byars, Dewey Hendrix, Jimmie Montgomery, David Hudgins, Ned Pilcher, E. E. Walker, W. M. Montgomery, Lloyd Benson, Ozella Clark, Jesse Monte Reed, Tom Scoggins, and W. W. Montgomery.

Misses Carol Byars, Elsie Griffin, Berneice Patterson, Ouida Orr, Margarite McCoy, Emily Smith, Dorothy Montgomery, Irene Hughes, Jean Williams, Mary Etta Clark, Nell Mitchell, Joy Hoggatt, Pat Montgomery, Addie Fisher, Nelda Reagan, and Lura, Bonnie, Willie, and Beulah Black.

The junior and senior class of Lakeview, James Albert Montgomery, and Henry Cunningham Jr.

S. K. 'Daddy' Jones Is Given Luncheon On 84th Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bailey of Estelline entertained a group of relatives and friends at a luncheon Sunday, honoring Mrs. Bailey's father, S. K. Jones.

"Daddy" Jones, as he is affectionately called by his host of friends, was 84 years of age Friday, February 15. He moved to Hall County 37 years ago, and with the exception of 8 years when he resided in Childress county, has lived in or near Estelline since. He has been a deacon of the Baptist Church for more than 50 years.

Those attending the luncheon were Mr. and Mrs. Clay D. Bailey of Amarillo; Mary Nell Bailey of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones of McLean; Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Pyatt of Benjamin; Mr. and Mrs. S. K. McCollough, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Adams of Kirkland; Mrs. Tillie Mae Raley of Childress; Mr. and Mrs. Noel Clifton and Cathay Dawn of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Hulien Clifton, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Hutchins, Gene Bailey, the honoree and wife, and the host and hostess, of Estelline.

Mrs. F. L. Hall and son John Marcus of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Cobb, and Janet Gilbert of Estelline, called during the afternoon.

Walker Discharged From Coast Guard

Jack Walker, son of Mrs. R. C. Walker of 703 South 8th street, arrived in Memphis Tuesday night from New Orleans, La. Walker was discharged from the U. S. Coast Guard February 18 after serving 3 years and 5 months in the Mediterranean and North Atlantic theater.

Walker will be in Memphis until the fall semester begins at Texas Tech, where he plans on finishing his senior year.

CABIN CATCHES FIRE

A stove too close to a wall in one of the oil mill tourist camp cabins caused a slight fire in the cabin Wednesday afternoon. The blaze had been extinguished by the time members of the local fire department arrived.

Comments—

(Continued from page 1)

out anything appearing concerning their locality.

The other day I met a man (I won't call his name), 66 years of age, who says that now is the time to sell anything—providing of course you have anything to sell. This man has a farm and a good house on the farm which he could sell, but he doesn't want to sell. He has been working the farm himself until recently when he rented it on the condition that he may continue to live in his home on the place. "I could sell the entire place at a very good price right now," the long-time resident of Hall County points out, "but I have a different outlook on selling out than you younger fellows have. For years I have been living out there and have considered the place as my home. My children are all away from me now, but they still think very much of me—it seems more than most children think of their parents—and that place is a home to them to come to. If I sold out, they would have no home which would seem like home, even though I bought a place in town in which to live. For that reason I don't intend to sell out, although I could make a great deal of money by so doing." Which only proves that there is more in living happily than making money.

But by george, money sure helps.

Eating is something which all of us do too much of. There have been cases when some people have not eaten enough, but only because they could not get it. Benny Estes, who spent some time during the war with the Marines on Guadalcanal and other places, can testify to that. He went without quite a number of meals, and ate enough spam while with the Marines to stuff a good-sized (and long) sewer pipe. You

won't find any spam resting in his refrigerator either, for his wife has been warned against it. But outside of those times when food is not available, most everyone generally eats too much. Too much food makes a person frugal, sleepy, and generally not energetic. And it also makes a person pretty fat.

But by george, food sure helps too, doesn't it?

Foster Watkins, one of the local men who hasn't been out of the service too long, also believes in eating. His wife Ann agrees with him in that, also, and made a slight error in hitting her mouth once. Quote Foster: "It is getting to where Ann looks good in everything she eats."

You've probably read the column by Earl Wilson in some of the dailies in which he always closes with "that's earl, brother." If the well out near Swearingen comes in (and it's down to about 4,000 feet now), then perhaps The Democrat can publish a weekly column and sign off with "... that's oil, brother."

Confession magazines: A place where people write their wrongs.

Richard S. Cochran, son of Mrs. Mae Cochran, arrived here Monday night from Camp Wallace where he received his discharge. Cochran spent almost three years in the service on the AKA 54 in the South Pacific and in China.

Richard S. Cochran Given Discharge

E. R. (Buck) Ewen of Estelline, formerly of Estelline, received his honorable discharge from the U. S. Navy in Jacksonville, Fla., in June, 1941. Ewen enlisted in June, 1940, and is now farming in Plainview.

FORMER ESTELLINE RESIDENT DISCHARGED

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By GRAHAM HUNTER

Society

American Legion Auxiliary Honors New Members at Buffet Dinner

Meeting Thursday evening of last week at 7 o'clock, the American Legion Auxiliary entertained new members with a buffet dinner at the home of Mrs. J. C. Turner.

Arrangements of white snapdragons in red and blue vases were placed on the piano and tables in the living-room. Centering the dining table were three arrangements of the snapdragons in red vases placed on a reflector. These were flanked on either side by white candles in crystal candleholders.

Mrs. R. L. Baldwin reviewed the new members and read the preamble as a Preacher, by Miss Ruth Porter.

The business session was opened by the president, Mrs. Oren Jones, leading the preamble and

pledge to the flag. Roll call was answered with important facts concerning the lives of George Washington and Abraham Lincoln. Mrs. M. G. Tarver and Mrs. John Deaver gave reports concerning the district American Legion auxiliary meeting February 9 in Amarillo.

The dinner was served buffet style to Mesdames Oren Jones, D. J. Morgensen, Emma Baskerville, Gene Lindsey, Chas. Drake, Pearl Massey, L. B. Merrell, Ray Childress, O. T. Prater.

Mesdames R. E. Baldwin, M. G. Tarver, O. V. Alexander, T. R. Franks, John Deaver, Jim Valance, H. H. Lindsey, J. C. Turner, and Dink Dennis.

Men Are Honored With Dinner by Mystic Weavers

The Mystic Weavers Club entertained Friday evening of last week with "Gentlemen's Evening" in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Seth Palmeyer, with 40 members and guests present.

After dinner was served, the evening was spent in playing 42. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kesterson, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Webster, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McMurry, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Neeley, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Thornton, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Finch, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wherry, Mrs. J. W. True, Olivia Harrison, Ethel Read, Myrtis Phelan, and Myrtle Walker.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Finch, Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Estes, Mrs. Jack Boone, Mrs. Chas. Kinslow, Mr. and Mrs. Art Miller, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Whaley, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Roberts, F. N. Foxhall, G. H. Hattenbach, Foster Watkins, and Dr. J. A. Odom.

Philathea Class Meets in Home of Beatrice Huggins

The Philathea Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday night of last week in the home of Mrs. Beatrice Huggins, with Mrs. Gladys Smith and Marie Stargel as co-hostess.

The program was opened with prayer by Clara Pritchett. Irene Bradley gave the devotional, using love as her subject. Mrs. Melissa Anderson told an interesting story, "The Questions," which was enjoyed by all.

The president, Irma Hale, presided during the business hour.

Those present were Mattie Orah Jones, Dessie Nail, Mildred Brewer, Irma Hale, Irene Bradley, Gladys Smith, Christine Long, Elbeel Kilpatrick.

Melissa Anderson, Marie Stargel, Beatrice Huggins, Mollie Carlos, Laura Peabody, Clara Pritchett, Vida Graham, Velma Clark, Elene Gilbert.

D. Phelps Given Party In Honor Of 7th Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. Daris Phelps honored their son Darrel with a party February 11 at 4 o'clock at their home on North 9th street, in observance of his 7th birthday anniversary.

Several indoor games were played, and gifts were presented to Darrel. The birthday cake was white, with pink and green decorations, and was served with punch to the guests.

Those present were Linda Gene Richards, John Larry Richards, Wanda Fay Phelps, Jarita Fay Grimes, Billie Goyer, Betty Kennon, Jo Ann Kennon, Dorothy B. Goyer, Robert Goyer.

Winston Jones, Clinton Jones, Patsy Kennon, Shirley Kennon, Dorothy Gene Phelps, Markie Hartman, Jackie Hartman, Billie Jo Bradley, Doyle Phelps, Wynna Phelps, Frankie Phelps, Jimmie Townsend, David Phelps.

Mesdames Aaron Bradley, Forest Phelps, Lawrence Kennon, John Richards, Maggie Phelps, Doris Phelps, Rachel Scroggins.

Locals and Personals

Sue Ray, daughter of Mrs. Bonnie Ray of Memphis, underwent an appendectomy last week, and is reported to be improving nicely this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Malone of Lubbock visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Malone, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. R. W. Bruner arrived Wednesday from Oakland, Calif., to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Grant of Alaska.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Prather left Wednesday for a visit with friends and relatives in Albuquerque.

Mrs. Alene Hodnett and sons and Othel Watts of Amarillo visited their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Yeary. Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson and children and Mrs. E. S. Browning were Childress visitors Wednesday.

Jackie Lee Blum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blum, has been promoted to the rating of private first class, his parents learned this week. Blum, in the 127th infantry, is now stationed in Japan. He has been in the service a year, and overseas three months.

Sgt. Julius F. Neel arrived in San Francisco from Guam February 10. Mrs. Neel, who has been living here, went to El Paso Thursday to meet her husband.

Cpl. Eldon Wayne Padgett has just been released from an Army hospital in California, and is now with his parents, who live in Portland, Oreg. Padgett lived in the Friendship community at the time he enlisted in the Army and plans to come to Memphis soon to visit his aunt, Mrs. Hugh Murphy.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

Delbert McBea, who was discharged from the service last December, underwent an operation in the veterans hospital in Amarillo Monday. He is recuperating as well as could be expected, it was reported, although he will be in the hospital about three weeks. He was there about one week before undergoing the operation. His mother, Mrs. Charlie McBea, was in Amarillo with him at the time of the operation, and returned to her home here Monday night.

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WHEATIES, 2 Boxes 23c
GRAPE NUTS, Box 15c
BABO CLEANSER, Large Can 12c
SANIFLUSH, Large Can 21c
CHLOROX, Quart Bottle 18c
SOAP, Sweetheart, Bar 7c
CHILI, Gebhardt's, Can 20c
BEANS, Van Camps, in Tomato Sauce, Can 16c
HOMINY, No. 2 Can 12c
KRAUT, Large No. 2 Cans 19c
ENGLISH PEAS, Mission, No. 2 Can 15c
CORN, Our Darling, Can 17c
TOMATO JUICE, No. 2 Can 12c
SPUDS, No. 1 Red, 10-Pounds 41c
SWEET POTATOES, Kiln Dried, Pound 10c
LEMONS, Large Size, Sunkist, Dozen 29c
GRAPEFRUIT, Ruby Red, each 7c
CABBAGE, New Texas, Pound, 5c
CRANBERRIES, Quart 29c
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CARROTS, Nice Fresh, Bunch 6c
NEW POTATOES, 2-Pounds 17c
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SQUASH, White or Yellow, Pound 23c

Mizpah Guild Has Meeting in Home Of Tommye Noel

The Mizpah Guild of the Presbyterian Church met Monday night in the home of Miss Tommye Noel, with Lucile Alexander as co-hostess.

During the business meeting Mrs. Peacock reported that the Guild's contribution to the children's home was 75 dozen cookies this month as a Valentine offering.

June Power brought the devotional, using as her scripture the 22nd Psalm.

Mrs. Angus Huckaby led the 10th lesson in the study of the major prophets. The lesson was from the book of Daniel and concluded the study of the major prophets. Paul's epistle to the Galatians is to be studied next. Laura Finch gave a paper on stewardship. Pearl Ward led in prayer, and the meeting was dismissed with the Mizpah benediction.

Refreshments were served to Lucy Alexander, Lucile Alexander, Emma Deaver, Laura Finch, Anna Finch, Frances Ray, Frances Peacock, Dorcas Ruth Foster, Virginia Dodson, Gladys Power, Katherine O'Rear, Pearl Ward, Pauline Wilson, Mrs. Angus Huckaby, Margaret Jones, Boodie Grundy, and Misses Mary Noel, June Power, and Tommye Noel.

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Needle Craft Club Meets in Home of Mrs. Bess Crump

The Needle Craft Club met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Bess Crump and worked on clothing for the American Red Cross.

The president, Mrs. T. D. Weatherby, was in charge of the business program.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames J. M. Ferrel, George Hammond, H. H. Newman, Albert Gerlach, Pearl Massey, Earl Pritchett, T. J. Hampton, Morgan Baker, Nat Bradley, T. D. Weatherby, Claud Hickey, S. E. Mayfield, Bess Crump, and three guests, Carolyn Ferrel, and Sharon and Lucilla Greene.

The next meeting of the club will be held March 5 in the home of Mrs. Robert Cummings.

Herschel Montgomery visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Montgomery, near Shamrock last Sunday.

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AN EXPLANATION OF THE CO-OP HOSPITAL

UNDOUBTEDLY MANY of the citizens of the Estelline community are wondering more about just what the proposed cooperative hospital for that area is. This is an attempt at an explanation of the workings of such a project.

A cooperative health center is defined as a center where people can provide themselves with medical, dental, health, surgical nursing, hospitalization, and related services on a non-profit, pre-paid basis.

Such a center is authorized by Texas law to be set up in cities or towns of not more than 2,500 population, and the organization work and financing is entirely up to the citizens of the community or area. Costs of such a hospital vary with the completeness of the service desired and the size of the group over which the costs will be spread. The costs are usually divided, providing for a life membership for the family and also for annual dues. (Life membership in the proposed Estelline center will cost \$55-\$50 of which will go for building and equipment and \$5 for promotional expense.)

Annual dues are to be paid, and the fund thus created is used to pay doctors, nurses, and other technical workers which are required. These dues will vary, depending on the number of members belonging to the hospital and the number of people in the families. One Texas association follows a schedule of \$18 for a couple, \$22 for a family of three, and \$25 for a family of four.

As for the services to be given at the hospital, this is left up to the members. They will determine just what services are to be rendered through the cooperative health center. These may include hospital, medical, surgical, and dental care or may offer less than complete care. The size of the group, the schedule of fees and dues, and the availability of technical personnel will determine the service to be rendered.

The life membership fee pays for building and equipping the hospital. Members must still pay, when hospitalized, for food, laundry, drugs, and the dozens of other expenses required to make a hospital function smoothly. These may be provided to members at cost, since the cooperative health center is a non-profit institution.

The policy towards non-members must be determined by the membership of the hospital. In the proposed Estelline center, non-member patients will pay regular hospital fees and the charge made by their doctor. Members of the hospital may have any doctor of their choice, and as members they are entitled to membership rates in the hospital, but will pay their doctor's fee. Any patient in the hospital may have the medical doctor of his choice for a visit, medical attention, or operation.

This is a rather brief and general explanation of the set-up of cooperative hospital. The membership of the Estelline group will probably have other more detailed regulations by which the subject should be referred to one of the temporary directors who were elected at the mass meeting held there recently.

Press Paragraphs

SELECTED FROM THE DEMOCRAT'S EXCHANGES

Life of Man
The Donley County Leader: A man's life is divided into three phases. For the first 20 years, his mother wants to know where he is going. The next 40 years his wife insists on knowing where he is going. Then after his death, EVERYBODY wonders where he has gone!

Liquor Bill
The McLean News: It is estimated that the British liquor bill for two years will exceed the amount of the loan they are asking Uncle Sam for.

The Loan Again
The Canyon News: We don't know anything about it, but just cannot help wondering. Why did both Churchill and Lady Astor show up in this nation while the loan to Britain was being discussed? You understand both are public advocates of this loan. Is there a reason?

Welcome the Germans
Ed Bishop in the Dalhart Texan: An International News Service correspondent, recently returned from Germany to report there is an evidence of starvation among Germans in the American occupied zone. He does say that there is more interest in food than politics in Germany, and further reports that America should get ready to receive several hundred German girl brides and their babies in the next several years. All of which causes us to wonder if we won or lost.

Some Consolation
The Quanah Tribune-Chief: A number of land owners are profiting by letting the various geophysical companies drill on their lands. The owners buy five inch casing and the company men set the casing in the six inch holes that they drill as they prospect for oil. Many of the holes drilled have developed into excellent water wells although they are not always located exactly as the owner would desire.

Yes, Where?
Indexing in the Childress Index: News Item: Senator Robert A. Taft, R., Ohio, went on record today with the warning that the nation must expect inflation. Question: Where's Senator Taft been lately?

Howe's Politics
Gene Howe in the Amarillo Globe: It is a rather peculiar situation, in Washington, the Democrats are saying anyone can defeat the Republicans. The Republicans are saying the identical thing about the Democrats. But the little man may be bigger than they think. He may start being Truman instead of trying to do as Roosevelt did. And Bricker wouldn't get off home plate if nominated by the old guard over any candidate who is the choice of the rank and file. If the Republicans go down this time, say the smart boys in Washington, there will be a new party.

The Veteran
The Prairie (WTSC paper): Probably not more than half the veterans will attend college at any one time in the next six years. But they will be present in such numbers, and with such pressing vocational problems, that their instructors will be made more conscious than before of the basic needs of the average American. For that is what the veteran really is: An average American in the wholesome, democratic sense. He comes to us straight from the people's army.

Housing
The Panhandle Herald: Several complaints have been made to the Herald editor about moving government housing to colleges. These veterans say there are far more married men wanting to return to their home towns and need housing. They believe that these family men are entitled to first call on government housing.

Unions and Machinery
The Amarillo Times: Industry is seeking to modernize equipment in order to offset the dilemma caused by increased costs as presented by wage rises on the one hand, and on the other, limits placed on price of goods produced. It has been estimated that over \$9,000,000,000 will be spent this year in plant improvements, more than twice the figure for war years, but less than what was expended in the boom year of 1929. Unions as a whole are opposed to mechanical improvements, fearing a resultant decrease in needed working hours. Management claims that, following this same line of reasoning, unions are inclined to discourage individual worker efficiency. This kind of thinking on the part of unions is a remnant of the old fear of machinery born in the first days of the industrial revolution, when handcraft suddenly became obsolete. Unions—and the progressive thinkers among them know this have no choice but to accept the challenge of progress which forces continual mechanical improvement, and in the end means a better life for the worker.

Joke of the Week
The Paducah Post: A young engineer boarded the train at Chicago and, deciding to grab a couple of winks, liberally tipped the six-foot porter to put him off at Lafayette. "I'm a very sound sleeper," he said, "and you must take no notice of my protests. Seize me and put me off on the platform." The next morning he awoke to find the train pulling into Cincinnati. Raging with fury, he found the porter and began to bawl him out in strong language. "Sur," said the porter calmly, "you've got a whale of a temper, but it ain't nothing compared with the young feller I put off at Lafayette."



By BOYCE HOUSE

"Pioneers" by Rose Jasper Nickell of Lubbock:

Say you can't see nothin', stranger, in these vast an' rollin' plains?
Just a mess o' flattened country that you're pleased to call "remains"?

Well, now that's just your opinion based on what you think is true:
But it ain't the way I see it; every day there's something new.

It's a big, big country, stranger, with capricious kind o' ways—
Wind an' sand an' snow an' "northers" mixed with balmy sunny days.

It's the home of he-men, mark you, sturdy, forward-lookin', tried,
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O' they's down sometimes, I grant you; but you see they didn't stay;
If one plan went all "kerfluey" then they tried some other way.

Always workin' uncomplainin' at the heavy load they packed;
In their lonely little dugouts love supplied the things they lacked.

Set the pattern for the future that proved bigger than they knew,
Blazed the trail for high achievement (open roads for me an' you)

So just take your hat off, mister; join me in three rousin' cheers
For the folks that made this country, patient fearless PIONEERS.

DEAVER INITIATED

Word was received this week that Jim Deaver, son of Mr. Mrs. Temple Deaver, has been initiated into the Alpha Phi Omega of Texas University.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Salem Wellington and Mr. and Mrs. E. Jones of Amarillo visited and Mrs. Lester Campbell Sunday.

Curtis Harrell visited in home of his uncle, Marvin Harman, in Lawton, Okla., last weekend.

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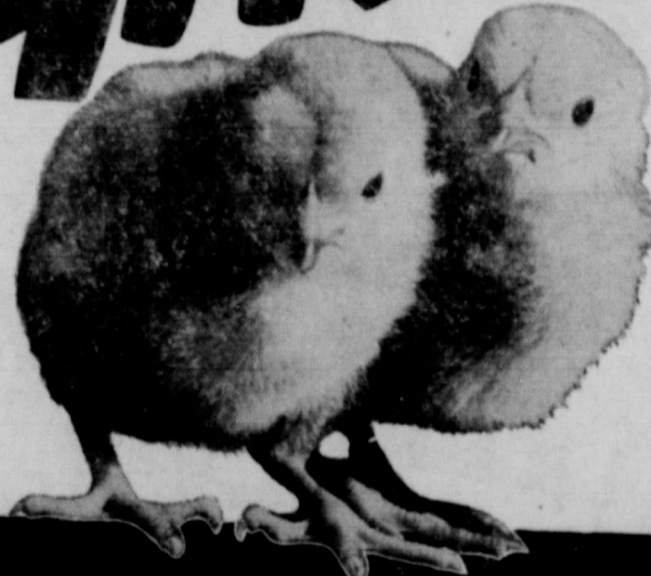
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Will E. Hall, private first class. Inducted May 7, 1943, at Lubbock. Discharged February 1, 1946, at El Paso. Ribbons: A-P with 2 bronze stars, Philippine liberation with 1 bronze star; medals: good conduct, victory.

Richard H. Pierce, private first class. Inducted February 11, 1943, at Fort Sill, Okla. Discharged December 10, 1945, at Sam Houston. Ribbons: American theater, EAME with 5 bronze stars and 1 bronze arrowhead; medals: good conduct, victory.

Jack C. Drake, staff sergeant. Inducted January 19, 1943, at Lubbock. Discharged February 8, 1946, at Camp Fannin. Ribbons: American theater, EAME with 1

bronze star; medals: good conduct, victory.

Lonzo Z. Scoggins, corporal. Inducted January 19, 1943, at Lubbock. Discharged February 8, 1946, at Camp Fannin. Ribbons: American theater, EAME with 1 bronze star; medals: good conduct, victory.

William H. Brownlee, technician fifth grade. Inducted January 19, 1943, at Lubbock. Discharged February 8, 1946, at Fort Monmouth, N. J. Ribbons: American theater, EAME; medals: victory.

Winfred F. House, technical sergeant. Inducted August 30, 1943, at Lubbock. Discharged February 4, 1946, at Fort Bliss. Ribbons: A-P, Philippine liberation; medals: good conduct, victory.

James J. Caviness, technician third grade. Inducted March 2, 1943, at Lubbock. Discharged February 5, 1946, at Camp Chaffee, Ark. Ribbons: American theater, A-P with 3 bronze stars, Philippine liberation; medals: victory, good conduct.

Thomas J. Spry, sergeant. Inducted March 12, 1942, at Fort Sill, Okla. Discharged January 30, 1946, at Fort Sam Houston. Ribbons: American theater, A-P; medals: good conduct, victory.

Carl E. Hamilton, corporal. Inducted May 7, 1943, at Lubbock. Discharged February 4, 1946, at Santa Ana, Calif. Ribbon: American theater; medals: good conduct, victory.

Eddie L. Hawkins, sergeant. Inducted August 22, 1942, at

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ter, EAME; medals: good conduct, victory.

Lenis R. Simpson, sergeant. Inducted April 22, 1943, at Abilene. Discharged December 29, 1945, at Fort Bliss. Ribbons: A-P, Philippine liberation; medals: good conduct, victory.

Jesse Calvin Callahan, radarman second-class. Inducted December 14, 1943, at Memphis. Discharged December 31, 1945, at San Pedro, Calif. Ribbons: Philippine liberation with 1 bronze star, American theater, A-P with 2 stars; medal: victory.

Frank R. Gentry, major. Enlisted January 16, 1942. Released December 17, 1945, at San Luis Obispo, Calif. Ribbons: American theater, EAME; medal: victory.

Claude Five Wins District Tourney

The Claude basketball boys won the district title last week-end when they downed Quail 26-25 in the last ten seconds in the tournament held in Goodnight.

Hedley, another team in this area, lost out in the semi-finals to the Claude team. In the consolation finals, Kelton won over Briscoe 25-23, it was reported.

Mrs. G. C. Wilburn and son George Carter of Fort Worth are visiting relatives and friends in Memphis. They are former residents of Memphis.

Regular Army Men With Commissions May Retain Rank

Regular army enlisted men, whose technical knowledge earned them temporary commissions during the war, have been given an opportunity to retain their status as officers in the peace-time army, eighth service command headquarters, Dallas, has announced.

This policy is a phase of the army's program of offering qualified reserve and army of the United States officers an opportunity to continue their military careers in the ranks of lieutenants, captains, and majors.

Even though a regular army enlisted man has reverted from temporary commissioned rank to his pre-Pearl Harbor grade, he

may apply for a permanent commission until March 1, 1946. All applicants for regular army commissions must pass a general survey test, a physical examination and furnish certain biographical information. They will appear before officers' interview boards, two of which will be located in the eighth service command at Camp Fannin and Fort Sam Houston.

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Lubbock. Discharged February 2, 1946, at Fort Bliss. Ribbons: American theater; medals: good conduct, victory.

Robert L. Cochran, technician fifth grade. Inducted April 16, 1943, at Lubbock. Discharged February 1, 1946, at Fort Bliss. Ribbons: American theater, EAME; medals: good conduct, victory.

Joel M. Hammond, staff sergeant. Inducted November 23, 1943, at Fort MacArthur, Calif. Discharged January 8, 1946, at Fort MacArthur, Calif. Ribbons: A-P, Philippine liberation with 1 bronze star; medals: good conduct, victory.

Leonard A. Gilchrist, private first class. Inducted August 22, 1942, at Lubbock. Discharged February 7, 1946, at Fort Bliss. Ribbons: American theater, A-P, Philippine liberation; medals: good conduct, victory.

Junior R. Carwile, private first class. Inducted May 25, 1943, at Lubbock. Discharged February 8, 1946, at San Antonio. Ribbons: American theater, A-P with 1 bronze star; medals: good conduct, victory.

William Stanley Wilson, seaman first-class. Entered service May 22, 1944. Discharged February 7, 1946, at San Pedro, Calif. Ribbons: American theater, A-P; medal: victory.

Magnus Deramonus Gunstream, yeoman first-class. Entered service September 6, 1943. Discharged February 5, 1946, at Camp Wallace.

Jack L. Bowman, private first class, USMCR. Enlisted October 8, 1942. Discharged January 26, 1946, at Norman, Okla. Ribbon: A-P.

Loy E. Plaster, private first class, USMCR. Enlisted September 22, 1943, at San Francisco, Calif. Discharged February 7, 1946, at Charleston, S. C. Ribbon: A-P; medal: good conduct.

Virgil B. Holland, private first class. Inducted November 24, 1942, at Oklahoma City, Okla. Discharged February 7, 1946, at Camp Beale, Calif. Ribbons: A-P, American theater; medals: good conduct, victory.

Billy A. Orcutt, technician fifth grade. Inducted January 19, 1943, at Lubbock. Discharged February 5, 1946, at Fort Bliss. Ribbons: American theater, A-P; medals: good conduct, victory.

Cecil Claude Nivens, ship's service man third-class. Inducted November 9, 1943, at Memphis. Discharged January 14, 1946, at Boston, Mass. Ribbons: American theater, EAME; medal: victory.

Wilbur James Parker, carpenter's mate third-class. Inducted December 14, 1943, at Memphis. Discharged December 10, 1945, at Norman, Okla.

Billy J. Reynolds, private first class. Inducted November 9, 1943, at Lubbock. Discharged January 18, 1946, at Fort Dix, N. J. Ribbons: American theater, EAME; medals: good conduct, victory.

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Mrs. Connie Ray Robertson Honoree At Bridal Shower in Sweatt Home

A bridal shower was given in the home of Mrs. Roy Sweatt in honor of Mrs. Connie Ray Robertson of Amarillo Thursday of last week.

Hostesses were Mrs. Sweatt, Mrs. M. L. Alexander, Mrs. J. B. Byars, Mrs. Aubrey Robertson, Mrs. W. H. Durham, and Mrs. Luther Pittman.

Mrs. Robertson, the honoree, was unable to be present for the shower, due to injuries suffered by her husband. Mr. Robertson was severely burned Wednesday of last week when a stove exploded, and Mrs. Robertson returned to Amarillo before the shower was given for her. The bride's mother-in-law, Mrs. L. J. Robertson, received the gifts for the honoree.

Mrs. Pittman registered guests as they arrived.

Refreshments of pie and whipped cream, and coffee were served to Miss Rosa Stanford, Mrs. W. W. Barclay, Mrs. L. J. Robertson, Mrs. Roy Sweatt, Mrs. Luther Pittman.

Mrs. Howard Martin, Mrs. Aubrey Robertson, Mrs. W. H. Durham, Mrs. O. R. Nabors, in the role of the burglar, added to the humor of the skit by entering the bedroom and allowing Caroline to talk him out of robbing the family, finally giving her all of his money and jewelry out of sympathy for her. Mrs. Ida Anisman, in the role of Selma, the maid servant, played a part as a nervous servant trying to understand the actions of the family for which she worked.

Tom Stewart, Mrs. Charlie Robertson, Mrs. J. A. Stanford, Mrs. Leon Robertson, Miss Mozell Wolf, Miss Jessie Wolf, and Miss Frances Joy Capps.

Memphis Theater Group Presents One-Act Play Here

A large crowd attended the presentation of a one-act play entitled "Goodnight, Caroline," given by members of the Memphis Little Theater group in the Country Club Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock.

The play, directed by Peaches Harrison, was written by Conrad Seiler, and the action took place in a bedroom late at night.

George Thompson played the role of Alfred, a husband who was disgusted with his wife Caroline, played by Mary Helen Sexauer, because she would not allow him to sleep and awakened him at 2 o'clock in the morning.

Irvin Johnson, in the role of the burglar, added to the humor of the skit by entering the bedroom and allowing Caroline to talk him out of robbing the family, finally giving her all of his money and jewelry out of sympathy for her. Mrs. Ida Anisman, in the role of Selma, the maid servant, played a part as a nervous servant trying to understand the actions of the family for which she worked.

Mrs. Clifton Meyer, Mrs. J. B. Byars, Mrs. Morris Robertson, Mrs. O. O. Hill, and Mrs. C. A. Orrell of Fort Worth.

Sending gifts were Mrs. M. L. Pittman, Mrs. Mildred Hendrix, Mrs. Mattie Capps, Mrs. Dulah Wiginton, Mrs. J. H. Barbee, Mrs.

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Wanda Monzingo Is Wed To Herbert Wm. Saager

Miss Wanda Monzingo, daughter of Mrs. H. C. Young, 1110 Filmore street, Amarillo, became the bride of Herbert Wm. Saager, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Saager of Freewater, Oreg., at 7:30 o'clock Saturday evening, February 2, in Amarillo.

M. C. Culbertson, minister of the Central Church of Christ, read the double-ring ceremony before an altar decorated with peach gladioli tapers of palms.

The bride, given in marriage by her uncle, Wm. Curtis, was attired in a two-tone grey gabardine suit with black accessories. Her corsage was of red rose buds. Her only attendant was Miss Naomi Ables of Memphis, who was dressed in a powder blue dress with black accessories. She wore a corsage of pink carnations.

Mrs. Clarence Kemp lighted the candles. She wore a black dress with matching accessories, and her corsage was white carnations.

The groom was attended by Clarence Kemp.

Mrs. Saager is a graduate of Dimmitt High School. She was employed with the Southwestern Drug Company of Amarillo at the time of her marriage.

Mrs. Saager is a graduate of McLaughlin Union High School in Freewater, Oreg., and has recently been discharged from the U. S. Army.

Following the ceremony a reception was held for the couple. Relatives and a few close friends attended. Mrs. Hazel Douglas served the cake. Mrs. Morgan Dennis, aunt of the bride, presided at the punch bowl.

After a short stay in Amarillo the couple will go to Freewater, Oreg., to make their home.

Billy Guest of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Little visited Billy's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Guest, and his aunts, Myrtle Howard and Mrs. Ernest McMurry, last week-end.

W. P. Dial Observes 82nd Birthday at Open House Here

An informal open house was held last Sunday in the W. P. Dial home at 203 North 13th street in observance of Dial's 82nd birthday anniversary.

Relatives attending the dinner and open house were Mrs. Edgar Kerr and Mrs. Fred L. Richardson of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dial and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Lefors of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Dial and children, Katherine and Bill, of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Merriman and son James of Silver City, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Scott of Childress; Mrs. Clifton D. Grundy of Anton.

Out-of-town guests attending the dinner and open house were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hill of White-water, Kans.; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Walker of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hill of Eldorado; Mrs. E. D. Landreth of Clarendon; Miss Anna Moores and Miss Anna Moores Swift of Clarendon; Dr. and Mrs. T. L. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Sager, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ragsdale, and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brewer of Childress; Mr. and Mrs. Guy Smith of Tulia; Mr. and Mrs. Jeff P. Watson and Miss Wanita Lindley of Lubbock.

There were a large number of friends from Memphis and Hall County who attended the open house.

Mr. and Mrs. Hub Bass of Dumas visited relatives and friends here last week-end.

Jack White of Fort Worth is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cassels.

Pathfinders Club Luncheon Is Held In McDaniel Home

The Pathfinder Club met in the home of Mrs. J. J. McDaniel Tuesday afternoon of last week, for a program devoted to the life of Abraham Lincoln.

Leader of the program was Mrs. A. Gidden.

At 1 o'clock luncheon was served, with the dining room decorated with ferns and cut flowers. The table was centered with miniature flags.

Roll call was answered by facts concerning presidents of the United States. "Hail Lincoln's Birthday" was given by Mrs. McDaniel, following which "He Loved Me Truly" was told by Mrs. C. Srygley.

Present were Mesdames Lloyd Phillips, C. Milam, Barney Burnett, Leonard Wilson, Anna Dickson, Hester Bownds, A. O. Gidden, Clinton Srygley, Henry Foster, Earl Pritchett, Will Monzingo, Burl Smith, Chas. Williams, A. Gidden, Floyd McElreath, the hostess, and one guest, Miss Gidden.

The next meeting of the club will be held February 26 at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Chas. Williams.

Baptist Group Meets for Study Of 'Royal Men'

The Royal Ambassadors, an organization of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday, and studied the first two chapters of "Royal Men."

Attending were Ernest Shaw, Vance Adams, Donald Max, Dempsey Archer, Duane Miller, Julius Stevens, Gus Orent, Roddy Stargel, Chuby Cullin, John Clark, D'Armon Peabody, Clinton Jones, Monte Clark Wilson, and David Jean Moore.

Mrs. Clifton Burnett is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Betts of Jal, N. M.

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Miss Ruby Louise Helm Becomes Bride of Clyde Allen Smallwood

Miss Ruby Louise Helm, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Helm of Newlin, became the bride of Clyde Allen Smallwood of Matador, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the parsonage of the First Baptist Church of Memphis, with Rev. Jeff Moore performing the double-ring ceremony.

The bride wore a sky blue wool suit with black accessories and a shoulder corsage of white rose buds.

Mrs. J. N. Helm Jr., sister-in-law of the bride, served as matron of honor. She wore a dressmaker suit of rust-colored wool with black accessories and a shoulder corsage of white carnations.

J. N. Helm Jr., brother of the bride, attended the groom as best man.

Mrs. Smallwood is a graduate of Estelline High School with the class of '41, and prior to her marriage was employed at the

Liberal army field at Liberal, Kans.

Mr. Smallwood attended Matador High School before entering the armed forces. He served months in the South Pacific and was discharged December 11, 1940, on his return to the states.

The couple will be at home at Matador.

Those attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Helm, Liberal, Kans., Mrs. George Helm, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Helm of Memphis.

Mrs. E. P. Anastasio and daughter Kathryn Lane of Dallas, Mrs. Ruth Greer of Shreveport have been visiting this week with their grandmother, Mrs. M. L. Cormick.

Mrs. U. V. Curlee of Fort Worth visited last week in home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Land. Mrs. Piland's father, J. Curlee, returned to Fort Worth with Mrs. Curlee for a visit.



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Plans to Renew Former Custom with Arbor Day

57-year-old custom will be renewed this year when Texas observes Arbor Day February 22. Governor Coke R. Stevenson issued a proclamation designating George Washington's birth anniversary as the day when state will mark the importance of trees, forest, and forest industries.

His proclamation, Governor Stevenson said: "I do earnestly commend and urge that all citizens individually or in association and particularly the schools of this state, by appropriate exercises, render due observance of occasion in the interest of the commonwealth and the nation."

The Governor said that Arbor Day has been set aside to bring the attention of the people of the state to the benefits which trees offer as a raw material industry, as a protection for soil, as a cover for the wild-

life, and as a beautifier of the state.

Arbor Day was originally observed in Texas on February 22, 1882. A bill was introduced in the Senate by State Senator George W. Tyler of Belton, and was signed by Governor L. S. Ross.

This year, the day has been sponsored by the State Department of Education, the Texas Forest Service of A. and M. College, and the Texas Forestry Association.

Dr. L. A. Woods, state superintendent of public instruction, has urged the school teachers of the state to hold appropriate exercises in the schools. He suggested that they further the program of tree planting and other landscaping.

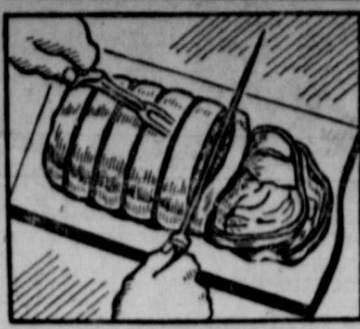
An Arbor Day radio program will be broadcast over many Texas radio stations on February 22. It will include a brief address by Governor Stevenson, a dramatized exposition of the value of forest products to the state, some quotations by poets and philosophers, and a dramatic episode of George Washington and Thomas Jefferson concerning the planting of pecan trees at Mount Vernon.

VISIT IN CLARENDON

Those visiting Mrs. Della Smith and children, Frankie, S. J., and Lucille, of Clarendon, Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith of Alanreed, Mr. and Mrs. Waldon Smith and daughter of Quanah, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Collins and sons of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Collins and family of Lella Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Marsh of Wichita Falls, and Mrs. Tollie and family of Clarendon.

Mrs. Jessie Jones left last Thursday for Houston to visit her daughter.

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PARNELL

By MAE PAUL

John Wise of Cashen, Ariz. visited in our community several days the past week.

L. T. Wynn left Saturday morning for an extended visit in East Texas.

Quite a number from our community were Memphis visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Zack Hood made a short visit at the home of Mae Paul Saturday night.

Farmers are really terracing and listing, and after the nice rain Sunday afternoon everyone will be busy.

Winfred House, Billy Orcutt, and Joe Blaine Morrow are home with discharges from the service.

Kirk McGlocklin of Phoenix, Ariz., is here visiting in the Carl Hill home.

Mrs. L. T. Wynn visited Saturday and Sunday in the W. H. Neely home.

Mrs. Zack Hood and Arvin were luncheon guests in the Ollie Wynn home Sunday.

Mrs. Mae Weatherly spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Maggie McGlocklin.

Mr. and Mrs. Parge Winn, Lotus, Frances, and Clea Fern Ferrel attended the show in Childress Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Potts of Amarillo were visitors Saturday night and Sunday in the Wilbur Potts and D. E. Travis homes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Warner Cope, Mrs. Carl Hill, and Mae Paul attended the singing at Estelline Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Boney were business visitors in Estelline Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wooten and son were also Estelline visitors Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carol January of Weatherford visited her mother, Mrs. Leroy Hutcherson, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hutcherson attended the funeral of Boy Lyles of Turkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hutcherson and Mr. and Mrs. Carol January were luncheon visitors in the Bruce Dameron home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Trapp and Mrs. Grace Wise visited Mrs. Trapp in Marshall from Wednesday until Sunday.

G. W. May is also home with a discharge from the service.

Winfred Weatherly is home on furlough.

T. B. Easily Caught By Young Children

Speaking of children and their susceptibility to tuberculosis, Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer, said, "Few people realize that babies and young children are very likely to catch tuberculosis if they are kept in the rooms with persons who have the disease in an infectious stage, or use the same dishes, sleep in the same beds, or are handled and kissed by people who have tuberculosis.

"Babies and young children pick up the germs of tuberculosis just as readily as they pick up the germs of measles, whooping cough, or any of the so-called children's diseases. But tuberculosis is different in certain particulars. Unlike most diseases, it has more than one form. Babies who get tuberculosis may not show the symptoms we associate with the disease in older people. But the disease in most cases develops rapidly and is likely to end fatally. Tuberculosis in babies and young children is a very serious matter, but recent studies have shown that if young children are removed promptly from contact with the disease and given the necessary care, many lives can be saved.

"A great deal can be accomplished whenever tuberculosis develops, whether young or old, if the presence of the disease is recognized when it is in its early stages and if medical attention is secured promptly.

"Tuberculosis does not just simply happen. Nobody is born with the disease. Everybody who develops tuberculosis gets it from some other source. Children and young people who have been in contact with persons ill with tuberculosis are especially likely to contract the disease."

Alton and Don Huggins, (Punk) Gibson, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Butler visited in Amarillo Sunday.

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You get patented, exclusive construction features which assure extra safety and extra mileage at no extra cost. For most miles per dollar, choose Firestone De Luxe Champion Tires.

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Safe and sure... fastens securely between windows behind front seat where you can keep an eye on baby's welfare.

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Quickly and completely extinguishes oil, grease, gasoline or ordinary fires. Meets government specifications.

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Fine quality brass extinguisher that can't corrode or leak. Completely filled. Mounting bracket included. Quart size.

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Automatic action! Instant operation! Contains carbon tetrachloride solution. Sprays about 17 feet.

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These are replacement lamps for your present Sealed Beam headlighting system. Fit all cars using the system.

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You can drive with ease... baby is safe in this comfortable seat. Strong fabric, metal frame.

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Gives a warning that's sure to be heard... deep, powerful tone. It's a beauty, too, with a Roman gold metalure finish. Completely wired, easy to install.

Worn Mufflers Are Dangerous!

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Quick and easy to fit. Heavy-gauge steel, strong and dependable.

Complete Patching Needs

Tube Repair Kit 13c

Here are all the supplies needed to make permanent tube repairs. Easy to use!

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Clean oil keeps a motor running longer, more efficiently. These cartridges do the trick.

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FIRESTONE Tires & Auto Supplies
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If you suffer from rheumatic, arthritic, neuritic pain, try this simple home recipe that thousands have found to be a quick relief. Get a package of Ru-Ex and 2 weeks' supply today. Mix with a quart of water, add the juice of 4 lemons. It's easy, pleasant to trouble at all. You need only 3 spoonfuls two times a day. Often 48 hours — sometimes over — splendid results are obtained. Pains do not quickly leave if you do not feel better. Ru-Ex does nothing to try as it is a money-back guarantee. Ru-Ex is for sale and recommended by Tarver's Pharmacy

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We need several cars to wreck. If you have an old one, see us.

Bring your car and truck repair jobs here. We have two first-class mechanics, D. L. Miles and R. E. Tyler, on the job every day.

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To All of Our Policyowners and Friends:

We are deeply grateful for the success we have enjoyed during 1945, our Golden Anniversary year. This year—the most outstanding in the Company's history—was a fitting climax to our 50 years of service to the insuring public of this nation.

The record of our first half century of achievement is a story of prouder and security given to our policyowners and their beneficiaries. This record of service is summarized in the 51st Annual Statement of our financial condition, which we take pride in presenting.

W. E. BIXBY, President

51st Annual Financial Statement AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1945

RESOURCES		
Assets in Banks		\$ 1,096,467.32
Federal Government—Direct or Fully Guaranteed Obligations		92,560,915.73
State, County, Municipal and School Public Utility		11,648,076.04
On Farm Properties		920,575.00
First (On City Properties)		15,882,698.74
Real Estate Loans		4,841,699.87
State Loans		22,764,200.90
Insured Interest on Investments		1,224,088.74
Assets on Policies		12,701,697.41
Premiums Receivable		2,900,518.60
Real Estate Owned, Including \$207,230.54 Under Contracts of Sale		2,454,467.98
Home Office Building		1,165,000.00
Total Admitted Assets		\$170,160,406.33
LIABILITIES		
Reserve		\$154,216,546.00
Claims in Process of Settlement		1,394,954.26
Claims Due and Unpaid		NONE
Dividends Payable on Policies		1,659,095.87
Interest and Premiums Paid in Advance		2,886,734.40
Losses Payable in 1946		400,000.00
Other Accrued Expenses		302,620.60
Total		\$160,859,951.13
plus Unassigned		5,300,455.20
and-Up Capital		4,000,000.00
Total Liabilities and Surplus to Policyowners		\$170,160,406.33
Increase of Insurance in Force in 1945		\$54,317,235
Total Insurance in Force		\$409,581,090
Paid to Policyowners and Beneficiaries in Last Half Century		\$171,000,000

1 YEARS CONTINUOUS SERVICE TO TEXAS CITIZENS

The Texas Agency of Kansas City Life is celebrating its forty-first year of continuous service to Texas citizens. Their faith in the Texas Agency is demonstrated by the over \$14,000,000 business in force. This is the largest life insurance state agency in the South, and one of the largest in the Nation.

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MANAGER FOR TEXAS 320 NORTH ERVAY STREET, DALLAS
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"TOP O' TEXAS" HEREFORD BREEDERS SHOW AND SALE

Show Feb. 25 Sale Feb. 26

1:30 p. m. 1:30 p. m.

60 Head Sell

40 Type Bulls 20 Choice Females

Gas Heated Sales Ring

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For Sale

FOR SALE—Cedar posts, Farmer's Produce, 6th & Brice, phone 101. 51-tf

FOR SALE—Top meat hogs, ready to be killed for eating. See C. C. Meacham. 34-tf

FOR SALE: Alfalfa hay at my farm two miles north of Plaska. Holland McMurry. 4-tf

FOR SALE—One 7-foot electro-lux. Raymond Ballaw. 30-tf

FOR SALE—One Williams & Sons upright grand piano, and one air conditioner. P. E. Yarborough. 36-tf

Palace

Saturday
"TEXAS"
 William Holden
 Claire Trevor

Sat. Nite Prevue-Sun.-Mon.

"Scarlet Street"
 Edward G. Robinson
 Joan Bennett

TUES., WED., THURS.

"Up Goes Maisie"
 Ann Southern
 George Murphy

PALACE & RITZ
 BARGAIN DAY
 Friday, February 22

Strange Confession
 Lon Chaney—Brenda Joyce

Ritz

Saturday
"Gangster's Den"
 Buster Crabbe—Al St. John
 —also—
 "Beer Barrel Polcats"
 (3 Stooges)

Sunday-Monday
Too Young to Know
 Joan Leslie
 Robert Hutton

TUES., WED., THURS.
"Pardon My Past"
 Fred MacMurray
 Marguerite Chapman
 —also—
 "If A Body Meets A Body"
 (3 Stooges)

FOR SALE—Registered Hereford bulls and heifers, 10 to 18 months old. R. J. Holland, three and one-half miles northwest of Dodson. 35-3c

FOR SALE—My wrecking yard and garage south of Nail gin, on Robertson street; nice lot of equipment. Also have 1941 Chevrolet truck, and a '31 Tudor Ford sedan for sale. F. B. Ruthardt. 36-2p

FOR SALE—Registered Hereford bulls and heifers, 10 to 18 months old. R. J. Holland, three and one-half miles northwest of Dodson. 36-3c

FOR SALE—New 1946 model Baldwin Gleaner 6-foot combine. Ceiling price. Frank White Jr., Clarendon, Texas. 36-3p

BABY CHICKS—All popular breeds; bloodtested stock. Immediate delivery. Clarendon Hatchery, Clarendon, Texas. 36-8p

FOR SALE—28x28 House pattern of used lumber. W. E. Beckham, 13th and Menden. 36-3c

FOR SALE—My half interest in blacksmith shop and garage. Dick Spoon. 35-3p

FOR SALE—Boy's bicycle, in good condition. See Joe Pat Randall or call 430W. 1p

FOR SALE—Good gin-run Delta 14 cottonseed, \$1.80 per bushel. Seed have been planted one year in Hall County since certified. C. L. Sloan Farm, Estelline. 37-8p

FOR SALE—Anthony hydraulic dump bed for truck, 4-yard. T. J. Cochran, 1010 South 7th street. 37-3p

FOR SALE—Springer milk cows and milk cows with calves. T. J. Cochran, 1010 South 7th. 37-3p

FOR SALE—1932 V-8 Ford, good tires and A-1 motor. See H. J. Orand at 715 Bradford St. 37-3p

FOR SALE—15 Jersey milk cows, 10 with young calves. Also Chevrolet truck with '41 motor. L. F. Widener, north Hillcrest station. 37-4p

FOR SALE—Zenith table-model battery radio. Good condition. 1417 Walden, or phone 438J. 37-tf

FOR SALE—3 lots on 10th street. C. Land. 1p

FOR SALE—R. C. A. battery radio, like new. See Lloyd at Ritz theater, or at first house west of post office. 1p

FOR SALE—Two 2-row stalk cutters, one new 2-row sled go-devil, and one 2-row pick-up go-devil for Ford tractor. F. E. Monzingo, Allis-Chalmers dealer. 1c

FOR SALE—Cottonseed, first year Delta seed No. 14, gin run. Grown in 1944 crop. \$2 per bushel. See J. B. Waddill, Memphis Route 2, three miles north of Newlin. 37-3p

FOR SALE—1941 Plymouth 2-door sedan, good condition and good rubber; can be seen at 1221 West Bradford. 1p

FOR SALE—F-12 Farmall tractor with complete equipment, good condition, good rubber. 1.4 mile west of Hedley. See R. F. Crawford. 1p

FOR SALE—Good '35 Ford. Motor in good condition. See T. O. Hethcox at Gulf wholesale warehouse. 1p

FOR SALE—3-room house. Mrs. W. T. Ford, 815 North 12th. Phone 197R. 1c

FOR SALE—1936 model Ford. See Tiny Ford, 815 North 12th. Phone 197R. 1c

STILL WORTH THE MONEY
 350 acres, 200 acres in cultivation, good improvements. You can buy it for \$25 per acre. 97 acres, 6 miles of Plainview, good improvements, good land and good irrigation well. I have a good price, some under the market on irrigated farms. You make it rain when you need it. 160 acres near Newlin, good improvements and good land. See us for price and terms. 8-room My home place, 10 acres, 8-room house, a wonderful opportunity for some one who wants to make money easy on the side with chickens, hogs, and cows, and still work or manage his business in down town. We have some good located lots for sale on paved street. Also a number of dwellings. You won't go wrong in buying real estate now, the peak has not been reached yet. DELANEY AGENCY—PH. 151 Real Estate & Income Tax Service REAL ESTATE

We have prospective buyers for homes and other city property. If you are thinking about selling, list with us—houses, lots, business property, farm and ranch property.

FOR SALE
 Eight-room duplex—two complete units—close in. Liberal OPA rent ceiling. A good investment at Large two-story stucco—close in \$5,000.

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We have several
GOOD USED TRACTORS
 With Equipment
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 IN WITHIN THE NEXT FEW DAYS

These seeds are coming from the Cooper Seed Farm at Turkey, and every farmer can plant them with confidence

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on paved street—can be ideal home; \$7,000. Five-room stucco—on paved street; clean, hardwood floors—a modern home now for \$4,750.

LOANS
 We negotiate loans to build or buy city property. See us about application.
 D. L. C. KINARD
 Hall County Bank Building
 Phone 350

LOST and FOUND

LOST—Jersey yearling steer, weighs about 600, slightly bob-tailed, no brands, \$5 reward. Finder notify V. G. Byars. 36-3p

Special Notices
SPECIAL CONCRETE TILING
 Due to shortage of lumber this tiling is the very thing. Orders filled promptly. Get prices for out of mold or in wall. Any color furnished.
WILMA ANN KING
 Shady Rest Camp 1p

NOTICE—Pianos tuned, repaired, and rebuilt. J. E. McBrayer, Box 981, Wellington. 34-4p

FREE! If Excess acid causes you pains of Stomach Ulcers, Indigestion, Heartburn, Belching, Bloating, Nausea, Gas Pains, get free sample, Udga, at Tarver's Pharmacy. 16-25p

HAVE YOUR feed ground. Estes mill in operation Monday through Friday. Your business appreciated. 35-9p

FIGHT that cold. Try Watkins liniment, cold tablets, and menthol-camphor ointment. See T. J. Bennett, 1801 Dover. 36-3p

W. H. HAWTHORNE mattress factory, renovating and new mattresses. Have a few inter-spring mattresses. Will buy your small bales of cotton. W. H. Hawthorn, 222 North 6th, Memphis, Texas. 1p

Just received a shipment of fruit trees—Cherry, Apricot, Plum. Also have a good stock of other fruit trees to pick from. N. M. Lindsey. 1c

TO TRADE—Pair of mares or horses for milk cow. See or write B. B. Brewer, Route 1, Lakeview. 37-3p

For Rent
FOR RENT—4 rooms, modern with bath, one block of school. Mrs. A. A. Greer, Estelline. 1p
FOR RENT—Bedroom. Mrs. S. O. Greene. 1p

Wanted
WANTED—To buy out some tenant farmer, or want crop on shares. T. A. Miller, Route 2, Lakeview. 36-3p
WANTED—Clean, cotton rags, free of buttons. The Democrat.
WANTED—Several hundred tires to repair and recap. OK Tire Shop, West Noel. 7-tf
WANTED 50,000 Rats to kill with Ray's Rat Killer. Harmless to anything but rats and mice. Guaranteed at Tarver's Drug. 33-10p

Voters—
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 by the city council on February 5. It is not expected that much interest will be manifested in the election this year. Past city elections, with a few exceptions, have caused little excitement, although on a few occasions an almost clean sweep of the offices had been made. Four aldermen are elected each year, thereby keeping four of the office holders over each year to avoid an entirely new council being elected at one time.

Political Announcements

The Memphis Democrat is authorized to announce the following as candidates for public office, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July.

For State Representative, 121st District:
SHEFFY MAHAN

For District Attorney:
SAM J. HAMILTON
 (Re-election)
LEONARD KING

For District Clerk:
MRS. ISABELL CYPERT
 (Re-election)

For County Judge:
JOHN RUSSELL
M. O. GOODPASTURE
 (Re-election)

For Sheriff:
FORREST L. HALL
EDD MCCREARY
A. B. (Slim) STUART

For Tax Assessor-Collector:
J. W. COPPEDGE

For County Clerk:
SYBIL GURLEY
 (Re-election)

For County Treasurer:
CHAS. DRAKE
 (Re-election)

For County Superintendent:
MARY FOREMAN
 (Re-election)

For County Attorney:
C. LAND
 (Re-election)

For Justice of Peace, Precinct 1:
MORGAN BAKER

For Commissioner, Precinct 1:
ROY PATTON
 (Re-election)
W. B. MORRISON

For Commissioner, Precinct 2:
H. W. SPEAR
 (Re-election)

For Commissioner, Precinct 3:
FRED B. BERRY
 (Re-election)
WAYNE CHAMBLIS

Hedley to Be—
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 Kress at 2 o'clock, and Quail will meet Dimmitt at 5 o'clock. The consolation finals will be played Saturday night at 8 o'clock, with the championship finals immediately following at about 9 o'clock, Platt explained.

"All the teams to compete for the district girls championship are colorful teams" Platt said. "Each of the teams is the winner in its respective county, and the winner of the tourney will be crowned district champion."

J. M. Franklin—
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 Coy Franklin of Southmayd and Don Franklin of Estelline; two daughters, Mrs. Hazel Knight of Shallowater and Mrs. Evelyn McWhorter of Las Cruces, N. M.; two brothers, Louis Franklin of Vernon and Shelby Franklin of Hobbs, N. M.; and 11 grandchildren.

Pallbearers were N. C. McWhorter, W. P. Butler, L. E. Cobb, H. T. Williams, J. L. Darby, and Hulien Clifton.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lee and children, Marianne and Carl Jr., and Miss Marjorie Belle Lupe visited in Amarillo Sunday.

ESTELLINE

By MRS. FRED BERRY

Joe Blaine Morrow is home for keeps after serving for two years overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence House of Gainesville have been visiting her sister and family, Mrs. John Chadoin.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Biffle spent Saturday night here in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Jarvis.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baccus and Miss Dee Groom of Amherst visited friends here last week en route to Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dunlap of Sherman spent last week here in the home of his brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moore of California are here visiting his mother, Mrs. Sam Powers. Jack will report back to Dallas March 20.

There was a good crowd at the singing convention Sunday afternoon. Out-of-town visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Finis Curtis of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Terrell McBride of Quanah, Mr. and Mrs. Will Monzingo and daughter of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hale, Mr. and Mrs. Red Spradlin of Memphis, and Mrs. Green of Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Steed spent Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Young.

Mrs. J. W. Hawkins of Truscott spent this week in the home of Mrs. Ben Pruitt visiting her daughter, Neta Bess Daniels.

The Estelline Drug Store changed hands this week. Burl

Bell sold to Mike Purwine of handle. Mr. Purwine will his wife and son here soon. Nell Bailey of Texas spent the week-end here with parents.
 Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Pratt Benjamin spent Saturday night at the home of Mrs. A. Bailey.

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Mayfield's Big M Laying Mash \$3.00
 Mayfield's Big M Laying Mash Pellets..... \$3.00
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 The repairing of radios is the reason we are in business. Bring us your troubles on any make or model of radio.

RADIO PARTS AND SUPPLIES
 We carry a nice stock of radio supplies and repair parts at all times. Just received
 Chromium plated Ward Auto Aerial in four sections. 100 in. when open, 36 in. when closed \$5.95

O. J. GILREATH RADIO SERVICE
 Across street north First National Bank in Price
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FOR RENT
 New Electric Waxer and Floor Polisher
 —and—
 Two Electric Vacuum Cleaners

Any person wanting to rent either of the above equipment may do so by coming by and getting them. They will be rented by the day.

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 REFRIGERATION SERVICE
 Phone 264-J Nights 11

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Rasco Grocery & Market

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 L. G. AND GUS RASCO
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Early Alaska Peas, Pound	25c
Laxton Peas, Pound	30c
Seed Oats, Bushel	1.25
Barley Seed, Bushel	1.55
Trail Driver 9% Dairy Ration, 100 Pounds	2.50
Bunk-O 16% Dairy Ration, 100 Pounds	2.85
Full Pail, 18% Dairy Ration, 100 Pounds	3.00
Ground Corn (Cob shuck and all) 100 Pounds	2.35
Ground Barley, 100 Pounds	3.35
Whole Corn, Yellow Dent 100 Pounds	3.25
Ground Corn or Chops, 100 Pounds	3.40

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