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## Home Gridsters Begin Practice

Home practice will get underway with the opening of the new season. The Memphis Gridsters are better than fair this year. A strong team of lettermen are expected to develop last season's play, and a number of younger players will make first-string. It was indicated that the main team, a "B" team, will be coached by J. D. Ackard, and Ted Ray Grant and Jack Pierce.

## Local Rainmakers Believe Saturday Threat Was Enough

The rains came, thirsting plants revived, the long dry stretch is over. Three local men feel they have played a part in this. Late Saturday afternoon dark clouds loomed ominously. Ed Foxhall and Jack Miller went aloft to try their hand at rain-making. Memphians waited. A few drops fell. After about 45 minutes a shower fell at the airport. The meteorology-minded airmen returned after an hour and a half and reported climbing above 14,000 feet and that they still were not above the clouds. W. W. Beaty furnished the dry ice that was not used. Well, anyway, it rained, didn't it?

## Final Week To Name Choice For Miss Memphis

This is the final week to vote for Miss Memphis, the hostess queen for the West Texas Cotton, Chemurgic, and Ceramics Carnival to be held here October 3-4. Voting has been brisk this month and no one has the slightest idea who is leading and will not know until the ballots are counted September 1. All candidates for the Miss Memphis title who do not win will be honored as regal princesses to the queen and assist in hostess duties for the visiting queens. Carnival officials have ruled. Ballots should be brought or mailed to The Democrat office (Continued on Page 8)

## Community Asset Developed In Legion Building

Members of the American Legion building fund committee announced this week they would try to see firms and individuals not previously contacted between now and September 15, to give all an opportunity to make a donation before the drive terminates. The committee in charge of fund collections are Al Costanzo, Wendell Harrison, Glynn Thompson, and Herschel Pounds, and donations may be left with any one of these committeemen, it was announced. After renovations and enlargement of the Legion building are completed, committee members stated, it is believed the building will be a real asset to the community, open to any city organization for any legitimate purpose.

## New Industry Is Developed Here

Industry-minded Memphis has now become the connecting link between the coconut groves of Pacific isles and midland's bubble bath. The West Texas Cottonoil Company here has just completed crushing shipments of coconut meats for extraction of coconut oil—chief ingredient in fine soaps. While copra crushing is not an entirely new activity for cottonoil mills, plants in Dallas and on the West Coast having been converted to this use at times during recent years, it is believed that the Memphis plant is the first in the Pac-handle and possibly West Texas to have engaged in the industry. The coconut arrives in Mem-

## F. M. Griffin, Primitive Baptist Minister, Dies

Funeral services for Elder F. M. Griffin, pastor of the Primitive Baptist Church of Memphis, who died Sunday were conducted Tuesday at 10:30 a. m., in the First Christian Church with Elder W. R. Dale officiating. Interment was in the Dreamland Cemetery at Canyon with arrangements under the direction of the Murphy-Spicer-Estes Funeral Home. Elder Griffin was born in Nashville, Tenn., July 22, 1875. At the age of 17 years he moved to McKinney, Texas, where he married Miss Sallie Bryant on March 17, 1895. In 1904 the family moved to Amarillo, where Elder Griffin was car inspector for the Santa Fe railroad. The family then moved to Olustee, Okla., in 1906 where Elder Griffin farmed until 1925 when they moved to Hall County where they have resided since. Elder Griffin had been a Primitive Baptist minister since 1913. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Sallie Ann Griffin; three sons, Lee of Memphis, Hugh and Floyd of Amarillo; three daughters, Mrs. Ruth Walker and Mrs. Ruby Sims of Amarillo and Mrs. Myrtle Cox of Muleshoe; a brother, Rome Griffin of Albuquerque; a sister, Mrs. Lockett Smith of Cement, Okla.; step-mother, Mrs. W. M. Griffin of Olustee, Okla.; four half-brothers, Jim of Lubbock, Lawrence of Springlake, Texas, John and Norman of Olustee; two half-sisters, Mrs. Bertha French of Lubbock and Mrs. Hattie Acres of Olustee; 21 grandchildren; 5 great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.



W. P. DIAL

## W. P. Dial Dies of Heart Attack Tues.

W. P. Dial died at 7 o'clock Tuesday morning, following a heart attack early Monday. He was carried to a local hospital after the attack, but he returned to his home Monday afternoon, although a heart specialist was called from Amarillo for consultation. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Arrangements were under the direction of Murphy-Spicer-Estes Funeral Home. William Pitt Dial, 83, was one of the county's oldest settlers, and one of the most well-known. Mr. Dial was born February 17, 1864, in Georgia. He came to Texas when he was five years old as his parents settled in Grayson County. They later moved to Fannin County, where he was reared. Mr. Dial came to Hall County in 1889. He first farmed, then (Continued on page 5)

## Alfalfa Seed Harvest Approval Being Issued

All Hall County farmers who are harvesting alfalfa seed are requested to call at the AAA office and obtain an approval for this practice, Lynn McKown, ACA secretary, announces. The AAA is paying an incentive payment of 2 cents per pound, clean basis, on alfalfa seed this year. Under this program a farmer can earn \$3.50 per acre on his alfalfa or \$70 per farm, whichever is greater. Seed must be harvested in a workmanlike manner and properly cured and stored if retained on the farm, McKown said. A seed purity test must be made and a certified report of the test submitted with the report of performance. For the last few years the Com- (Continued on Page 8)

## Presbyterian Church Resumes Services

Regular services will be held at the First Presbyterian Church Sunday, August 31, Rev. B. L. Peacock, pastor, announced this week. Regular services have not been held at the Presbyterian church for the past four Sundays, according to the announcement.

## Memphis Schools Will Open Monday, Complete Faculty

### Lions To Sponsor Stamp Sales Here To Benefit Blind

Memphis schools are set to begin operation Monday with a complete faculty, Supt. W. C. Davis announced this week. Six new teachers have been added recently. The faculty now includes two instructors with master's degrees, 27 with bachelor's degrees, and the remaining six are near completion of degree work with over three years of credits. School will begin with an auditorium assembly at 9 o'clock, where enrollment procedures will be explained, then enrollment will start. On the second day books will be issued and assignments will be made, regular classes to begin Wednesday, Davis said. The newly-arranged cafeteria will be in operation from the beginning of school. The high school faculty was announced as follows: Mrs. Audrey B. Tribble, secretary of the school board and teacher of commercial subjects; Miss Ira Hammond, English teacher, and in charge of the library and visual education; Weldon McCreary, vocational agriculture, and acting principal until the new principal is selected; Mrs. Pansy A. Srygley, physical education for girls; Miss Pauline Travis, Spanish; Mrs. Jeanette D. Irons, English; Perry I. Keyser, band and choral work; Miss Frances Phelps, math and science; L. E. McCulloch, history and athletics; Miss Clara Pyatt, English; Mrs. Emma J. Messer, home economics; Ray Newton, physical education, history, and assistant coach; Don Eschell, coach and science teacher; Charles York, math. Newton, Ezell, and York, new teachers, have B. S. degrees from T. C. U. Junior high: Mrs. C. S. Compton, principal; Mrs. Verna DeBerry, Mrs. Forrest Hall, Mrs. Gordon Gilliam, Miss Frances Kinard, Miss Zady Bell Walker, Miss Margaret McCoy, and Miss Alma Bruce, Miss Bruce, who comes here from a teaching post at Canadian, formerly taught at the Friendship school. She has a B. (Continued on Page 8)

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## First Opened Cotton Is Displayed Here

Tom Sweeney, who farms on the W. P. Dial place near Newlin, brought in some samples of cotton blooms the week of July 15. He scored again Monday by bringing in the first opened cotton. Sweeney said the waist-high cotton should make 100 bales on his 185 acres. The cotton was planted May 15, and he said prospects point toward one of the best crops in the history of that farm. He produced 73 bales on 160 acres last year.

## Amendment Passes, Hall Votes Against

While the college building amendment passed by a small margin in most sections, Hall County voted Saturday, in most communities, against the amendment, the total county vote being 80 for, 363 against. The voting by boxes:

	Votes Cast	For	Against
Memphis 1	76	11	65
Memphis 13	68	15	53
Lakeview	35	7	28
Estelline	50	11	39
Turkey	43	7	36
Brice	25	1	24
Newlin	17	2	15
Deep Lake	12	2	10
Parnell	8	2	6
Ell	16	4	12
Baylor	5	4	1
Hulver	12	3	9
Bridle Bit	9	2	7
Oxbow	4	1	3
Lesley	48	7	41
Plaska	15	1	14

## Magazines To Carry Carnival Material In September Issues

At least two September issues of popular magazines will feature Memphis as host city to the West Texas Cotton, Chemurgic, and Ceramics Carnival, October 3-4, it was reported this week. West Texas Today, official publication of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, is dedicating its front cover to the Mardi Gras of West Texas and also including a feature story on the program. Southwestern Crop & Stock (Continued on page 5)

## Boosters Slate Childress Fair, Tri-State Fair

Memphis will make two booster trips during September not only to help out neighboring attractions but to boost the West Texas Cotton, Chemurgic, and Ceramics Carnival here October 3 and 4, the chamber of commerce has announced. The first trip will be to the Childress State Fair, Friday, September 19. On this trip "Miss Memphis" and all queen runners-up will be presented in the Miss Granddaughter of 1947 contest which will be judged by old timers at the fair. On Friday, September 26 Memphis will move to Amarillo for Memphis Day at the Tri-State Fair. Again the queen candidates will make the trip, not for (Continued on page 5)

## Amarillo Agencies To Exhibit Here

John McCarty, public relations counselor of Amarillo and Monte Rosenwald, manager of the Southwest Advertising Agency, have both notified the chamber of commerce they had clients who would display exhibits at the West Texas Cotton, Chemurgic, and Ceramics Carnival in Memphis October 3 and 4.

## Rodeo Attracts Top In Talent

Calgary Red, world's champion slack-rope artist will be here for the West Texas Cotton, Chemurgic, and Ceramics Carnival, October 2-4, it was announced today when the famous trick roper and stunt man wired he had signed an agreement with Jones Brothers, Amarillo rodeo producers, to stage four performances in Memphis at the Mardi Gras of West Texas. Red is but one of the featured attractions Jones has booked for the rodeo which will stage a preview here October 2, one night prior to the Carnival opening and then continue throughout the two-day attractions. Jones is in Fort Worth this week discussing trick riders, ropers, clowns, and other feature acts with officials of RCA which has also sponsored this show as an "RCA Open Show." This means most of the nation's top riders, bulldozgers and ropers will be here trying for cash prizes and points before journeying to the Madison Square Garden championship finals later in October. The rodeo offers \$1,500 in prizes plus entry fees. Applications and invitations are being mailed to all RCA-recognized contestants this week. A Cow Girl Sponsor contest will also be presented in conjunction with the rodeo, Jones announced. To the winner will go a hand-made, tailored-to-fit-the-winner saddle. Second, third, and fourth winners will split the entry fee. (Continued on page 5)

## Rent Control Here Will End September 1

Rent control in Quanah and Memphis will come to an end on September 1 after being in force since April 1, 1945, it was announced this week by regional headquarters in Dallas. The Quanah and Memphis area is one of three Texas rent areas to be decontrolled beginning September 1. The other two are the Marfa-Alpine area and the Childress area. Approximately 45 other areas in Texas remain under rent control. The Quanah-Memphis area was administered from Childress. Don Whittenburg has been the acting rent director of the two areas. Three major factors are considered for the possible decontrol (Continued on Page 8)

## VA Representative To Resume Visits Here September 4

Luther T. Nance, veterans' contact representative, said this week that he would be in Memphis at the court house on September 4 and 18 from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., where he would be available to assist any veteran or dependents of veterans with any benefit they may be entitled to. Nance said although his regular schedule for Memphis visits was the first and third Thursdays of each month, it was necessary for him to remain in Childress the week of August 23, and therefore he was unable to be in Memphis August 21 as scheduled.

## Polasek Infant Rites Held Monday

Graveside funeral services for the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Polasek of Route 1, Memphis, were held at 3 p. m. Monday at the Lakeview cemetery, conducted by Rev. L. M. Clements. Arrangements were under the direction of the Womack Funeral Home. Surviving are the parents; five brothers, Ocie, Paul, Charles, Houston, and Milton; three sisters, Mary, Barbara, and Alice Faye, all of Memphis.

## WEATHER

Rain which began here Monday followed a similar seasonal pattern. Last year rain began on the same date, August 25, after weeks of drought. Rain was lighter this year, however. Local weather recorder J. J. McMickin reported but .06-inch here Monday and Monday night, while last year .60-inch was recorded on that date, followed by other rain for a week. Heavier rain was reported Monday night from Hedley and Clarendon, with Turkey and Lakeview reporting .75-inch.

### George Cullin and D. S. Johnson Buy Piggly Wiggly

George R. Cullin and D. S. Johnson this week announced they had purchased the Piggly Wiggly grocery store from Mrs. Addie Goodnight, and will re-open the store Saturday. The store, which has been operated

and managed by Hal Goodnight for several years, is being remodeled throughout, and new equipment will be installed in the modernization program of the new owners.

Completely new arrangement of store fixtures will be carried out, according to the owners. The building is being redecorated and painted, new fluorescent lights installed, and the partition which divides the store proper from the storeroom is being moved toward the back in order to make possible an enlarged meat depart-

ment and more display space for stocks of merchandise.

Both the owners are well known to the people of Memphis and this area. Cullin served for several years as commission representative for the Continental Oil Company with offices in Memphis. Prior to moving here he had spent 12 years with the oil company as territory representative. In June, 1945, he bought the Grundy Abstract & Title Company and the C. R. Webster Insurance Agency, and has devoted his full time to operating these businesses since that date. Cullin stated that he contemplates making no change in his abstract and insurance firm, and will divide his time between the two businesses.

D. S. Johnson is a native of Hall County, having been reared in the Brice community. He is a veteran of World War II, serving with the Marine Corps. During the period he was in uniform he spent nearly two years on the battleship Tennessee. For the past six months he has been employed with Harrison Hardware Company.

The new owners announced that J. G. (Chief) Gardner will continue with the grocery store, and have charge of the market department. Gardner has been a resident of Memphis for the past 32 years, being associated with different firms during this time. He has been with Piggly Wiggly for the past 14 years.

### Mrs. Pavillard and Daughter Sail For Japan

Mrs. Ralph Pavillard and daughter Phyllis Kay, age 5, sailed from Seattle, Wash., Friday of last week for Japan to join their husband and father, 1st-Sgt. Pavillard, who is stationed there with the U. S. Army.

Sgt. Pavillard, who has been in Japan since January, is stationed about 65 miles from Tokyo. The Pavillards expect to be in Japan until July of next year. Mrs. Pavillard's mother stated when she was in The Democrat office this week to send them the paper.

Mrs. Pavillard is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Lawrence of Newlin.

### Locals and Personals

Mrs. Wiley Crump resumed work at the local telephone office this week after being on vacation since May.

Hubert Richards and family of Lubbock, formerly of Sunray, visited with his mother, Mrs. W. Richards of Hedley, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Vallance returned home Friday and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Vallance returned home Sunday from a two-week vacation in Eagle Nest, N. M.

### Boosters Slate Childress Fair, Tri-State Fair

The Childress State Fair will open Wednesday, September 17, for a four day run and it has been indicated that several exhibits from Hall County will be on display.

Listed as free attractions for this year's exposition are the band marching demonstration, the Palomino and Quarterhorses, the gaited and walking horse show,

the old fiddler's contest, the square dance contest, and the stupendous fireworks display. All of these free attractions will be presented to the public during the four day event, according to sponsors of the fair.

The walking and gaited horse show will be held at 8 p. m. Thursday, September 18, will be a new innovation for the state fair. All attractions of the fair inside the gate will be free attractions. The admission to the fair is 75 cents for adults with 15 cents for children.

The opening day of the Fair, September 17, is school day and all school children from this area

will be admitted free both afternoon and evening. The parade starts at 1:30, and the band marching demonstration will be held at 8 o'clock in the evening, it was announced.

Mrs. H. F. Adcock is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Sammy Crawford of Amarillo.

### Do "Plate-Sores" Bother You?

If your "GUMS" itch, burn, or cause you discomfort, druggists will return money if the first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to satisfy. **TARVER'S PHARMACY**

Miss Ann Norman of Denton, was home the week visiting with her parents, Mrs. James Norman.

### ARE YOU SUFFERING FROM PAINFUL ARTERIOSCLEROSIS AND RHEUMATISM?

NUE-OVO literature is a revelation to sufferers of painful Arteriosclerosis and Rheumatism. A liquid compound of herbs, Nue-Ovo will bring relief by loosening the arteries, just as they do in the case of Rheumatism. Write today for literature about Nue-Ovo Laboratories, Inc., 400 Ave., Portland 9, Oregon.



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# THANKS

## For Your Patronage During the Past 35 Years

I have just sold the Piggly Wiggly Grocery in Memphis to Geo. R. Cullin and D. S. Johnson, and want to take this means of thanking all the people who have been our customers since 1912, when my husband, the late W. H. Goodnight, Sr., first entered the grocery business. Through all the years your patronage has been appreciated, and during this time it has been a pleasure to serve you.

Mr. Cullin and Mr. Johnson, the new owners of Piggly Wiggly, are well known to the people of this area. They have extensive plans which, I believe, will meet with the approval of the people. I hope that all the former customers of the Piggly Wiggly, as it was operated under our ownership, will continue to patronize the store.

Thanks, again, to everyone, for your patronage through all the years.

## Mrs. W. H. Goodnight, Sr.

# PIGGLY WIGGLY

## SEE ... HOW ... YOU ... SAVE!

DURING OUR

# New Ownership FOOD SALE

## Saturday, August 30th

We have purchased this store from Mrs. Addie Goodnight, and plan to offer the food buyers of Memphis and this area unusual BARGAINS in High Quality Groceries in the future. Starting with our Opening Saturday, Aug. 30, shoppers in Piggly Wiggly will find a completely remodeled, rearranged, and fully equipped food store. New equipment is being installed, including a new Hussman open-type refrigerator vegetable case, and a new ice cream case. We also plan to carry a full line of fresh vegetables and fruits and the enlarged meat department will provide fresh and cured meats of highest quality.

You are invited to visit our store Saturday. A new stock and arrangement await you here, along with some of the lowest prices you have heard of in a long time. Other Opening Day events will take place which you can afford to miss. Anyway, come in and see us whether you buy or not.

—GEO. R. CULLIN AND D. S. JOHNSON

### Free Groceries!

Three large boxes of groceries will be GIVEN AWAY during the day at:  
10 A. M. — 2 P. M.  
4.30 P. M.

Ask us about this when you buy!

16 PIECE SET OF Romany Pottery  
A \$7.00 Value! will be given away at 5:30 P. M.

17oz. AMERICAN BEAUTY PORK AND BEANS	50c
Catsup VAN CAMPS 14 Oz. Bottle	19c
MAGIC and NOLA WASHING POWDERS LARGE BOXES	28c
Grape Fruit Juice 46 oz. can	15c

### Choice Meat VALUES

SAUSAGE—1 lb. pure pork	35c
CHEESE—1 lb. American cream	45c
LUNCH MEAT—Assorted, lb.	40c
BARBECUE—Pound	45c
OLEOMARGARINE—Pound	37c

### Fresh Fruits and Vegetables

BANANAS—Pound	10c
ORANGES—Calif., 7 lb. sack	33c
CARROTS—Large bunch	13c
LETTUCE—Firm heads	
NEW POTATOES—Pound	

Purasnow FLOUR 25 lbs. 1.76 10 lbs. .82c	PUREX Quart Bottle 10c	Purity OATS 3 Lb. Box 31c
COFFEE Folgers, White Swan, Maxwell House—lb.	SALAD DRESSING White Swan—Pint Jar 33c	CUT BEANS BARON—No. 2 can 13c
3 lbs. SHORTENING 85c	LUNCHEON MEAT BLACKHAWK—12 Ounce size 35c	COFFEE Folgers, White Swan, Maxwell House—lb. 45c
LUNCHEON PEAS WHITE SWAN—No. 2 can 19c	SUGAR—10 pounds	3 lbs. SPRY
	AUNT JEMIMA MEAL, 10 lbs.	No. 2 TOMATOES

East Side of Square Memphis Texas

# PIGGLY WIGGLY

HOME OWNED BY GEO. R. CULLIN AND D. S. JOHNSON

### Class Thursday; Elected

The T. E. L. Class Baptist Church met in parlor Thursday of the regular monthly business session. Mrs. L. M. Thornton, group captain No. 5.

Group No. 2 brought the program for the day. Mrs. Frank Ellis led in prayer which was followed by the class song, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee." The devotional, taken from I John third chapter, was given by Mrs. Joe Weathersbee and was followed by prayer by Mrs. J. W. Fitzjarrald; teacher; Mrs. E. W. Evans, group captain No. 4; and Mrs. L. M. Thornton, group captain No. 5.

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second vice president; Mrs. Charles Oren, third vice president; Mrs. W. B. Scott, fourth vice president; Mrs. John Barber, secretary ad reporter; Mrs. A. M. Wyatt, treasurer; Mrs. Charles Drake, group captain No. 1; Mrs. C. W. Crawford, group captain No. 2; Mrs. Isabell Cypert, group captain No. 3; Mrs. E. W. Evans, group captain No. 4; and Mrs. L. M. Thornton, group captain No. 5.

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REIGNS OVER PIONEER FETE. . . Posing on the lawn of the Utah state capitol, Miss Callen Robinson shows off her costume as queen of the Utah centennial celebration, year-long observance of the 100th anniversary of the Mormon migration from Illinois to Salt Lake City.

### W. B. Proffitt Family Enjoys Reunion Sunday

Four generations of the W. B. Proffitt family met in the family home at Giles Sunday, August 17, for a family reunion.

Present for the day's celebration were the eight children of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Proffitt; nine of their grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

Enjoying the family gathering were Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Proffitt and sons, Leon and Bill of Giles, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Sims and son Carroll of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Proffitt and son Eugene and daughter Wesley B. of Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Proffitt and children, Tommie, Lucille, Peggy and Dorothy of Lesley, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Proffitt and daughter Helen of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Myron Gerber of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Proffitt of Shamrock, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Reynolds and children Sharon and Ronnie of Childress, Betty and Freddie Conner of Amarillo, and one guest, Mrs. Gerber of Amarillo.

### Memphis NFLA To Hold Annual Meet Saturday

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Memphis National Farm Loan Association will be held at 2:30 p. m. on Saturday, August 30, according to an announcement made this week by M. E. McNally Jr., secretary-treasurer. The meeting will be held in the county court room in Memphis.

"The meeting will consist of annual reports of association ac-

tivity," McNally said. Two directors will be elected, and such other business as may properly come before the meeting will be discussed.

McNally urged all member stockholders to attend this meeting.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture forecasts that the final count on the nation's wheat crop will be 1.4 billion bushels, the largest crop on record. That record would be 61 per cent above average production, and 24 per cent above last year's production.

## NOTICE

Annual meeting of the stockholders of the MEMPHIS NATIONAL FARM LOAN ASSOCIATION will be held at 2:30 P. M. in Court Room, Memphis, Tex. Member stockholders are urged to be present.

Memphis National Farm Loan Assn.  
M. E. McNally, Jr., Secy-Treas.

program with "All for Jesus." During the social hour iced watermelon was served to Messdams Charles Drake, John Barber, A. Baldwin, W. R. Durham, Lee Thornton, Bessie Spruill, Joe Weathersbee, Isabell Cypert, J. W. Fitzjarrald, Claud Harris, Frank Ellis, W. B. Scott, R. H. Wherry, C. W. Crawford, and W. E. Hill.

Mrs. R. H. Wherry will entertain the class on September 18.

### Charlyn Davis To Be Wed August 20 In Argonia, Kansas

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Davis of near Memphis announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Charlyn, to E. W. Floyd of Argonia, Kans. The wedding will be an event of Saturday, August 20, at Argonia.

### Albert Bevers Is Honored On Sixth Birthday

Albert Don Bevers was honored last Saturday afternoon with a birthday party given to celebrate his sixth birthday. His mother, Mrs. Robert Bevers, 821 Dover street, was hostess.

The afternoon hours were devoted to playing many kinds of party games, and at refreshment time, birthday cake and ice cream were served to the guests.

Those present for the party were Ann Tiner, Wayne Lesley, Jean Vallance, Horace, Barbara, and Brenda Henson, Barbara Bevers, Mattye Low and Dorothy Copeland, Jackie Gilreath, Billy and Henry Lee Vallance, and the honoree, Albert Don Bevers.

Mesdames L. H. Gilreath, Herman Vallance, Pearl Vallance, A. S. Bevers, Keith Bevers, the hostess, Mrs. Robert Bevers, and Mr. A. S. Bevers.

### Old Settlers Enjoy Annual Picnic at Hedley Friday

R. E. Mann was elected president, M. C. DeBoard vice president, and Mrs. T. J. Cherry secretary-treasurer of the Donley County Old Settlers Association at the annual meeting and picnic at Tate Grove northeast of Hedley Friday.

Serving as officers the past year were M. W. Mosely, president; R. E. Mann, vice president; and Mrs. Cherry.

Some three hundred people enjoyed the picnic in the shady grove, the annual meeting place, with the weather comfortable, according to those present.

The morning program was short. It was opened with a prayer by the Hedley Methodist pastor, Rev. Coston, songs by the audience, welcome address by W. L. Rains, and response by J. C. Wells of Memphis.

### Bucilla Club Enjoys Covered Dish Luncheon

The Bucilla Club met Thursday, August 21, in the home of Mrs. Floyd McElreath for a covered dish luncheon.

Members present were Mesdames Henry Scott, C. R. Sargent, Pearl Massey, Earl Pritchett, Brice Webster, T. H. Hampton, Bess Crump; one guest, Mrs. M. M. McMillan; and the hostess.

The next meeting is slated for September 18 in the home of Mrs. Earl Pritchett.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Trulove visited in Amarillo with her sister, Mrs. A. H. Brown, over the weekend. Their children, who had been visiting for the past week in Amarillo, returned home with them Sunday.

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A boxing match between Merle and Berle Owens, 7-year-old twins, concluded the morning program and a basket lunch was spread and all present invited to eat.

A business session was held that afternoon and officers were elected for the ensuing year. Old timers were introduced. The oldest man present was Hugh Brown, 90, who had been a resident of the county 55 years. The next oldest was Mrs. O. C. Hill, 89, who had been a resident for 46 years.

Oldest in point of residence and age was M. E. Bell, 83. He came to the Panhandle in 1884 and worked for Col. Charles Goodnight, later acquiring a ranch of his own in Donley County. He said, "If I were allowed to start life over, I would do the same thing I did before, for I like Western people and Western ways. I have been happy here all these years."

Old fiddling music then entertained the crowd for some time that afternoon. Included in the fiddling bunch were Walter Johnston and Adrian Davis of Hedley, Vernon Davis of Clarendon, Bill Warren of Lelia Lake, and Pete Chandler of Wellington.

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### Contracts Being Let For Carnival Concessions Here

Haskell Howell, concessions chairman for the West Texas Cotton, Chemurgie, and Ceramics Carnival, today urged all local clubs, organizations, and individuals who wish concession rights for the two-day Carnival to contact him at once at the J. C. Penney store.

"We are planning on stopping all concession privileges within the next two weeks to enable us

to submit contracts to the city," he explained. "We also wish to have our programs and maps completed by not later than mid-September," he added. Contracts for concessions have been made with the following: Business and Professional Women; Lions Club; The Dudley Shows; Dory Detton; Jones Brothers; J. C. Wallis; FFA of Memphis; Boy Scouts; National Flag and Decoration Co.; Fire Department; High School seniors; A. E. Campbell; Nayfa Brothers; and Pathfinders' Council. Several similar contracts are pending, Howell said.

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### BRICE

By MRS. STARR JOHNSON

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. D. Chappell and son Maurice of Paris visited here the past week with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cross have returned home from a vacation trip to Colorado and New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Baten and Mr. and Mrs. Edd Courtright returned home Saturday following a fishing trip to East Texas.

Several from here attended the funeral services of Elba (Snooks) Murff in Amarillo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Zack Salmon visited the past week in Amarillo with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cheek and family have returned home from a fishing trip to Possum Kingdom Dam.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Hargrave of Sulphur Springs visited over the week-end in the C. R. Cross home.

Max Johnson returned home Saturday from McLean where he visited his aunt, Mrs. Thomas Perkins.

Mrs. Bill Salmon visited Friday in Newlin with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith.

Mrs. Vivian Major of Hereford

### Cemetery Working At Lakeview To Be Thursday, Sept. 4

The semi-annual meeting of the Odd Fellows and Union Hill Cemetery Association will be held at the Lakeview cemetery Thursday, September 4.

This will be an all-day meeting and cemetery working. It is urged that a good turnout be on hand for the whole day, and that lunches be brought for the occasion.

This is the last meeting of the year for the association—the first meeting was held at the beginning of the summer months.

left Friday after visiting the past week here with her cousin, Mrs. Hilburn Gattis.

Heard Gillispie has returned home from a business trip to Ellis County.

Jack Moreman returned home Monday after thirteen months service in Japan.

Mrs. Kate Rigby of Canyon is visiting her niece, Mrs. D. P. O'Brien.

### PARNELL

By MAE PAUL

Mrs. Jake Morrison of Esteline accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Jones to Uvalde Wednesday to visit their relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Baucus and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blaine Morrow and Terry Joe. They plan to return home next week.

Mrs. R. N. Motherhead and Mrs. T. M. Wyrick were Memphis visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Carl Hill and Rita Jean shopped in Childress Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Canada and family of Lakeview were visitors Thursday in the J. R. Morehead home.

Mrs. Tom Weatherly and Winn of Fort Worth arrived here Friday night for a visit in the L. T. Winn, Parge Winn, and Leroy Hutcheson homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Potts of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Potts and Herschel left Friday to visit relatives and friends in New Mexico. They plan to be gone a week.

Crump Ferrel is having a number of new buildings put on his farm in Childress County.

Mrs. Parge Winn and Frances and Lotus and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Neely attended the picnic at Hedley Friday.

Grandma Pierce visited Thursday and Friday in the Delton May home.

Mr. and Mrs. "Slick" Johnson left Sunday for Kansas to visit relatives and friends.

### Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hemphill returned home Saturday night after spending ten days at Galveston and Corpus Christi. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. George Hemphill of Canutillo.

Mrs. E. A. Ramsey of Newlin and daughters, Mrs. Thelma Sparks and family of Amarillo and Mrs. Lucille Teal and family of Lakeview and Mr. and Mrs. Ben McCoy of Dallas visited recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Yearly in Amarillo.

### CHURCHES

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
C. R. Tennison, Pastor

"In the Heart of Memphis for the Hearts of Hall County" We believe in a church which serves the community. You have a cordial invitation to attend all the services of the First Baptist Church.

**SUNDAY**—9:45 a. m.—Sunday School; a class for every age. 11 a. m.—Morning worship service. 7 p. m.—Training Union. 8 p. m.—Evening worship. 9 p. m.—Young people's fellowship hour.

**WEDNESDAY**—7:30 p. m.—Teachers' and officers' meeting. Young people's song service. 8:15 p. m.—Wednesday evening prayer service.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Carlos D. Speck, Minister

**LORD'S DAY**—9:45 a. m.—Bible study. 11 a. m.—Morning worship. 8 p. m.—Evening worship. **TUESDAY**—3:30 p. m.—Ladies' Bible class **WEDNESDAY**—8 p. m.—Midweek service. You are cordially invited to attend these services. Tune in KCTX, Childress, for Gospel sermon each morning at 10 o'clock.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
E. L. Peacock, Pastor

Sunday School—10 a. m. Worship Services—11 a. m. Evening vespers—6 p. m. Westminster fellowship—6 p. m. Choir Rehearsal Wednesday, 7 p. m. Session meeting first Tuesday in each month. We extend to you a sincere welcome to make this church your place of worship.

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**  
Floyd Schaeffer, Pastor

**SUNDAY**—11 a. m.—Morning message. 8 p. m.—Evangelistic service. **WEDNESDAY**—8 p. m.—Bible study. 2:30 p. m.—Women's Missionary Council. **SATURDAY**—8 p. m.—Christ's Ambassadors service. Everyone is always welcome at all services of this church.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Charles E. Boatman, Minister

**SUNDAY MORNING**—10:00—Bible School. 11:00—Morning worship. 11:15—Communion. 11:30—Prayer. **SUNDAY EVENING**—7:45—Evening worship. A church dedicated to the restoration of New Testament Chris-

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C. C. Armstrong, Pastor  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School, W. D. Young, superintendent. Bring the family to Sunday School and stay for the morning worship service.

10:55 a. m.—Morning worship service. Sermon by the pastor. 7:30 p. m.—Fellowship groups. 8 p. m.—Evening worship service. Sermon by the pastor.

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### W. P. Dial Dies --

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raised stock. After a few years he developed a feed and grain business in Memphis and soon had warehouses in Memphis and nearby towns. He became one of the large landowners in this and neighboring counties, and he was known for his advocacy of conservation and farm improvement.

He had served as president of the chamber of commerce, and for a score of years, until his death, was chairman of the board of stewards of the local Methodist church.

It was Mr. Dial's custom to hold open house on his birthday each year in order to visit with his friends.

He was known for contributions, time, energy, and funds to community life, and for his gifts to many charitable causes.

#### ANNOUNCEMENT

Rev. John W. Reynolds of Tyler, Texas, will begin a meeting at the Lelia Lake Baptist Church at 8 o'clock Monday night, September 1. Services will be held both morning and evening throughout the week. Everyone is invited to attend this meeting, it was announced.



J. D. ROTHWELL

### Church of Christ Revival Having Good Attendance

Interest in the Memphis Church of Christ revival is strong and good attendance is reported. J. D. Rothwell, evangelist of Chickasha, Okla., is in charge of the services, and Charles E. Dameron of Childress is directing the song services at the revival which started Sunday, to continue thru September 3.

Evening services are held on the church lawn at 8 o'clock, and morning services are being held at 10 o'clock.

### Rodeo Attracts --

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try fees of \$10 in the ratio of \$50, \$30, and \$20 awards. The girls will be required to ride a cloverleaf and side lines and will be judged on elapsed time.

The Jones Brothers are scouring Texas for the wildest broncs ever shown in an arena. "We realize we will have the top peelers of rodeo in Memphis," Bill Jones explained, "and we are going to have some salty broncs ready for all comers." He said new bulls and wild calves had been bought this week for the Memphis show and "a roper is going to be mighty good to set a low time with those mavericks, I am willing to wager there won't be one rider out of five to qualify on these bulls we bought in Mexico and that goes knowing some of the best riders in the southwest will be in Memphis seeking additional RCA points."

With only a few days more than one month until Carnival time, committees of the sponsoring chamber of commerce are about ready to announce "She's ready" in so far as entertainment is concerned.

Carnival attractions in the Dudley Shows, championship wrestling matches, football game, rodeo, street dances, midnight matinees of stage and screen variety, trampoline champs, tumbling crews, parades, speeches, elaborate display of industrial and resources exhibits, and a host of impromptu shows are already booked for amusement crowds.

Pat Flynn, chamber manager, discussed stage show plans with Dixie Dice, outstanding stage producer of musical shows in the Panhandle, in Amarillo over the week-end. Miss Dice said she was worried over illness of her mother at this time but if she improved the Dixie Dice Debs plus many outstanding stage units of the area would be combined for a two hour and thirty minute musical comedy production for the Memphis crowds. Miss Dice asked local committeemen to contact certain outstanding stage and vaudeville units asking them to sign under the Dice direction in case she elects to stage the local show. One such unit is "Job's Daughters," a group of singing and dancing girls of Albuquerque. Dixie declares them to be the best this side of Roxy's in New York City.

The stage presentation from Clarendon remains a mystery but word from that city, from those who have seen rehearsals, proclaims it to be as professional as anything listed in Billboard and as new, novel, and entertaining as any act to hit the boards in a decade.

The decoration committee, band committee, and exhibit committee are slated to meet this week and pave the way for a concentrated form of action for the next 30 days preparing for the largest crowd in the history of the Green Belt region. The housing committee will launch an intensive campaign for rooms within two weeks, chairman Herbert Estes announced today.

In the meantime an appeal is made to all Memphis firms, clubs, and organizations to notify the chamber of commerce office of exhibit requests and parade entries in order the map of these two important divisions may be completed.

### Comments--

ment. He must be a plant wizard.

The Donley County Old Settlers enjoyed a full day last Friday at Tate's Grove northeast of Hedley. The program was short and the old timers had plenty of time to mingle and talk over former years. As usual, a real picnic dinner was served to all present. The women have not yet forgotten how to prepare a real picnic feast. It was my pleasure to eat at the table of Mrs. E. M. Glass and others, and did I enjoy it! Mrs. Glass is the daughter of the late well-beloved Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Watts of Giles. The old settlers' reunions are not quite as enjoyable because of the absence of those fine people along with a number of others who have passed on the past few years.

While The Democrat is being published Tuesday, it will not be mailed until the regular time Thursday. This is being done in order that the workers, who have toiled long and faithfully without a vacation of any kind, may have a few days off to recuperate and

store up some pep for the fall season.

The August rains have started. In fact started on the same day—August 25—as last year. While the amount of rainfall has not been very much, the damp, cool, cloudy weather is doing much toward getting crops in shape for producing a bumper harvest this year. At the beginning of the dry and hot season, crops showed the effects, but later began to put on new life. Most of the crops have withstood the hot and dry weather, farmers say. Cotton men and ginners predict this year's crop will exceed last year's—that is, if this rainy season brings sufficient moisture.

Bill Phleuger of West Main street is still trying to get up a class in weed-cutting. He thinks Matilda Upstart of West Noel street should join a few others and take lessons in the fine art of wielding a hoe on tough weeds, for her yard, like some others, need the touch of a weed-cutting artist.

How's about a lot of us using hoes and rakes, and then matches

### Boosters Slate --

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contests, but to show the Panhandle metropolis and its guests just what is offered in Hall County. Many of the Memphians will be televised that day by Radio Station KGNC. The Memphis High School Band will be presented to all fair visitors throughout the day and other events are planned to make the trip successful.

Rev. Charles E. Boatman has been named chairman of the committee to secure cars and members of the caravan to both fairs. He will appoint his committee this week to assist in arrangements, he said.

All persons who will take cars on the trips or either one, are urged to telephone the chamber of commerce and state how many passengers they may accommodate.

on the piles of grass and straw raked up? Civic pride is a fine thing to have, if you've never developed the trait.

### Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Howell of Oklahoma City and Miss Mary V. Scott of Brooklyn visited Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Stout last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Rice and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Holcomb of Amarillo left Sunday for the Palomino horse show and state fair in Pueblo, Colo.

Miss Ruby Hoffman is visiting in Lubbock this week with her brother, Lindsey Hoffman.

The Democrat office received a picture post card this week mailed in Washington, D. C., from J. E. Adams, a Hall Counlian, who is enjoying a vacation in the northeastern part of the United States. He writes that he is having a wonderful time, but it was made more perfect by having received The Democrat to read. He requests the paper sent to Oneonta, N. Y., for the next two weeks as he was leaving Washington the next day for New York and Canada.

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- Swan, 1-4 lb. .... 25c; 1-2 lb. .... 49c
- Folgers or Admiration, lb. .... 47c
- MACARONI—Skinners, box .... 10c
- WHIP—Half pints .... 21c; pints .... 39c
- APER—Scot Tissue, roll .... 10c
- OWELS—Scot, roll .... 15c
- COOKIES—Sunshine, 46 cookie box .... 23c
- WAFERS—Sunshine, large box .... 15c
- ACKERS, 1 lb. box .... 26c
- STIES—18 oz. box .... 21c
- H or DRENO—Large can .... 21c
- ANSER—2 cans .... 21c
- ge bars Ivory .... 18c
- or Camay, 2 bars .... 19c
- DREFT—Large box .... 32c
- TREET—Can .... 38c
- AUSAGE—Armours Star, 2 for .... 35c
- UICE—No. 2 cans, 2 for .... 27c
- No. 2 cans .... 12c
- NEW POTATOES—No. 2 cans .... 14c
- S—No. 2 cans, 2 for .... 27c
- H—Solid pack, can .... 45c
- UICE—No. 2 cans .... 13c; 46 oz. .... 31c
- UIT JUICE—No. 2 cans .... 13c; 46 oz. .... 25c
- PEAS—Mission, can .... 16c
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SOAP FLAKES 29c CHIFFON—Large Box

# 'M' SYSTEM

### Cpl. Jack Moreman Arrives Home from Japan Monday

Cpl. Jack Moreman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herie Moreman of Brice, arrived home Monday after having completed a year's service with the U. S. Army in Japan.

Cpl. Moreman entered the service in May, 1946, and after serving four months in the states was sent overseas. He was attached to the 118 Station Hospital and was located at Fukuoka, Japan, the entire time he was away.

Prior to entering the service, Jack received much recognition as an outstanding 4-H club worker and was awarded numerous prizes. He plans to make his home here where he will be engaged in farming with his father.

At the present time, he is on terminal leave but will receive his discharge at the end of 30 days.

### PERSONALS

Miss Nan Crowder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crowder, is visiting in Bowie with her sister, Miss Jean Crowder.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gurley, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Gurley, and Miss Sybil Gurley returned home last week from a week's vacation. They visited points in Colorado, Utah, Arizona, and Wyoming, including Grand Canyon, Yellowstone Park, and Salt Lake City.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cross of Brice were in Childress Sunday to attend a family reunion of the Hudson family.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Tarver and son Don returned home Sunday from a vacation. On their trip they visited points in Wyoming, Utah, Colorado, and Montana including Yellowstone Park and Salt Lake City.

Mr. and Mrs. Berwin Baker of Los Angeles visited with Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Stilwell the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hoover of Newlin, Mrs. Walter Carr of Sulphur Springs, and Mr. and Mrs. Felix Jarrell and children of Newlin visited in Memphis Monday with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Dunn.

Mrs. Henry Hays and son Jerry, Mrs. Roy Patton and children Roddy and Roy, and Gene Stewart were visitors in Lubbock last week to make arrangements for Jerry, Roy, and Gene to enter Texas Tech this fall.

Miss Carla Jean Bell of Borger and George Mitten of Wichita Falls visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hays and children, Jerry and Patsy, last week.

Mrs. Elsie Adcock, Bruce Jr. and Benny Jean are visiting in Mineral Wells this week with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Johnston Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Wise and Mrs. Wanda Tull visited Sunday in Plainview with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ellard and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Daugherty.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Compton and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Cates of Childress visited with relatives in Lorraine and Colorado, Texas, over the week-end.

Misses Marjorie Don Stone and Ann Norman returned home Sunday after visiting a few days with Marjorie's mother, Mrs. Cecil Guthrie of Monahans.

L. D. Paris, SKV 3rd Class, who has been stationed at Norfolk, Va., is home on a 30-day leave visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Paris.

Bill Kilpatrick, Roy Patton and family, Frank Ellis, Alvin Pyeatt, and Dewey Martin spent the week-end at Buffalo Lake. They caught quite a few fish, it was reported.

Ronnie Wells of Borger visited here last week with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bowman.

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however. After walks had given bases to C. Carver and D. Johnston, Epley hit one out of the park to bring in three runs. The Epley hit was perhaps the heaviest of the season here as it cleared the cars on the other side of the ball park fence.

During the next four innings O'Brien was scoreless while Memphis made eight tallies. Watkins, Berryman and Davis came in on wild throws in the fourth, Watkins and Coppedge

collecting on wild pitches in the sixth.

Berryman was hit on the back of the head by a pitched ball while at bat in the fourth. He finished the game, however.

Keller was the heavy hitter with two doubles and a single, followed by Coppedge with a double and a single.

The box score:

Table with columns AB R H E for Memphis players: Moyer, Watkins, Coppedge, Berryman, Keller, McKnight, Dennis, Barnes, Stewart, Howerton, Davis.

Totals 35 12 9 3

Table with columns AB R H E for O'Brien players: D. Carver, C. Carver, D. Johnston, Epley, S. King, Hughes, Coody, B. Johnston, Leach, Pitman.

Totals 35 6 6 4

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After winning Saturday night from O'Brien, the Memphis team took the second half of the two-game series, Sunday, 4 to 3.

The Memphis nine established a 2 to 0 lead in the second inning that held good until the sixth. Howerton had walked, Price singled. Dennis hit a long left field fly to bring in Howerton, and Price tallied on Head's double.

During the sixth O'Brien broke through with a three-run rally, tied up as Coppedge singled and came in on Howerton's hit in the second half of the sixth.

The score remained tied until the second half of the ninth, when Edmondson, who had singled and then made third, came in on a wild pitch.

The box score:

Table with columns AB R H E for Memphis players: Moyer, Watkins, Coppedge, Keller, Howerton, Edmondson, Price, McKnight, Dennis, Head.

Totals 30 4 7 2

Table with columns AB R H E for O'Brien players: D. Carver, Pitman, C. Carver, Hughes, S. Johnston, Epley, S. King, Coody, B. Johnston, Leach, Lambeth.

Totals 33 3 4 1



Game Schedule

Saturday night, Lone Wolf, Okla., here; first play-off game with Mobeetie, Sunday, at Mobeetie; Saturday night, September 6, Elk City, Okla., here.

After a full season of play the paramount question is still the one posed at the beginning of the season: Which is the better team, Memphis or Mobeetie?

Memphis will meet Mobeetie Sunday for the play-off finals, Mobeetie having won decisively at Childress Sunday by 13 to 5.

At the opening of the league schedule Mobeetie looked, by a healthy margin, Memphis' toughest contender. After wavering for a few games, after the loss of LaFollette, their star hurler the powerful Mobeetie nine found their pace again.

Also, three or four weeks back, two or three Mobeetie stars left the team, and it is understood

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these players, including Dorman, are back in the line-up.

Although a Memphis-Childress contest for the finals probably would have drawn a heavier attendance as all games would be close to home, few doubt that the contest as it will offer a better brand of baseball.

The week-end double-header with O'Brien, won by Memphis 12 to 6 Saturday night and 4 to 3 Sunday, was reassuring, although the O'Brien star hurler, Pitman, failed to show the fire and versatility demonstrated here July 12. Although the O'Brien club played a good game, this time Memphis collected on errors of

the other team, behind intent hurling and hitting. The games proved what the return match was supposed to: the Memphis nine was definitely off form when they met with the 19 to 2 defeat here two weeks ago.

Memphis has yet to win over Elk City, although the Oklahoma nine was hard pressed to eke out a win at the first encounter here.

Elk City won by a wider margin as the Memphians visited.

If Elk City wins here Saturday night, September 6, and if that is the final contest, this will be the first team to win a clear series over Memphis this year.

Mrs. T. V. Alexander and daughter Tommie returned Saturday from a visit with relatives in Grapevine.

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STRAYED—White-faced bull, 2-year-old, SL on left side. \$10 reward for return. J. W. Lindly, Route 2, Lakeview. 12-3p

LOST—Hampshire sow pig about 3 months old, on highway between Hedley and Estelline, Monday. Finder notify I. B. Dodson, Naylor Route, Clarendon, Texas. 12-3p

**Business Firms --**

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**Pampa To Hold Top O' Texas Golf Tourney**

The Top o' Texas Amateur Invitation Golf Tournament will be held by the Pampa Country Club on Saturday and Sunday preceding Labor Day, and also Labor Day. This year's tournament will have more entries and better prizes. Now that the war is over, the country club is trying to make this the most outstanding tournament in this section, according to a news release from Pampa.

The grass greens are the best in the Panhandle, being bent grass and unusually large. The course itself has no artificial hazards but the natural hazards make it a real test for the average golfer, the report said.

The prizes will be many and varied, offering an opportunity for the average as well as the champion golfer.

**Memphis Schools --**

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S. degree from Southwestern State Teachers College.  
West Ward; Miss Esta McElrath, principal and first grade instructor (Miss McElrath and Superintendent Davis have master's degrees); Mrs. Garner Lee, first grade; Miss Grace Ezzell, first grade; Mrs. Ollie G. Foxhall, second grade; Mrs. Sophie C. Stilwell, second grade; Mrs. Reba F. Stroehle, third grade; Mrs. W. C. Davis, third grade; Mrs. H. B. Estes, third grade (Mrs. Estes was formerly principal of West Ward. She has returned to the school system after being out of teaching for several years. She has a B. S. degree from West Texas State College); Mrs. Dorothy N. Gurley, fourth grade; Miss Leona McCraw, fourth grade; Miss Ethel Hillhouse, fourth grade. Miss Hillhouse, an instructor with a B. S. degree and 10 year's experience, was connected with defense work during the war. She was formerly a teacher in the Pleasant Valley school.

**New Industry --**

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pressure, as contrasted to the higher pressure of 230 degrees required for cottonseed cake. The cake is then removed and pressed to extract the oil. The cake is about 64 per cent oil, it was explained.  
The oil is then ready for storage and shipment to soap manufacturers, and the copra cake is crushed and ground into meal, in much the same manner as cottonseed cake.  
The copra cake is light, weighing only 7 to 9 pounds as contrasted to around 17 pounds for the cottonseed cake. It also has a lesser percentage of protein, but it has value as fertilizer and some value as feed.  
Lynn Reams, the new mill superintendent, comes here from a plant in Las Cruces, N. M. His home was originally in this community.  
Regular mill operations will probably get underway around October 1, it was reported.

**Rent Control --**

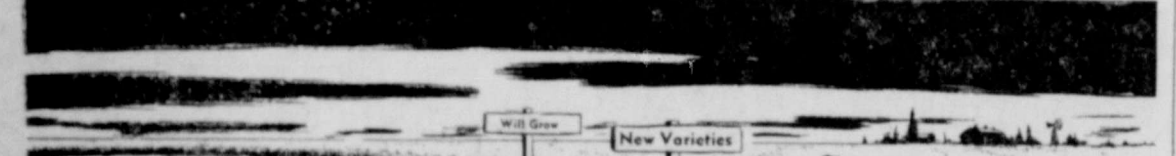
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of any Federal Rent Control area: (a) status of economic and defense activities, (b) housing, and (c) hotels and rooming houses.  
Decontrol of this area was recommended by the Dallas office some time ago on the basis of its surveys into those three fields. The action was confirmed in Washington this week effective September 1.

**Alfalfa Seed --**

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modity Credit Corporation has offered a support price loan on alfalfa seed, but according to the latest reports from the state AAA office there will be no price support loans or purchases of alfalfa seed by the government in 1947, McKown indicated.  
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**Final Week For --**

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Select your choice today and vote!  
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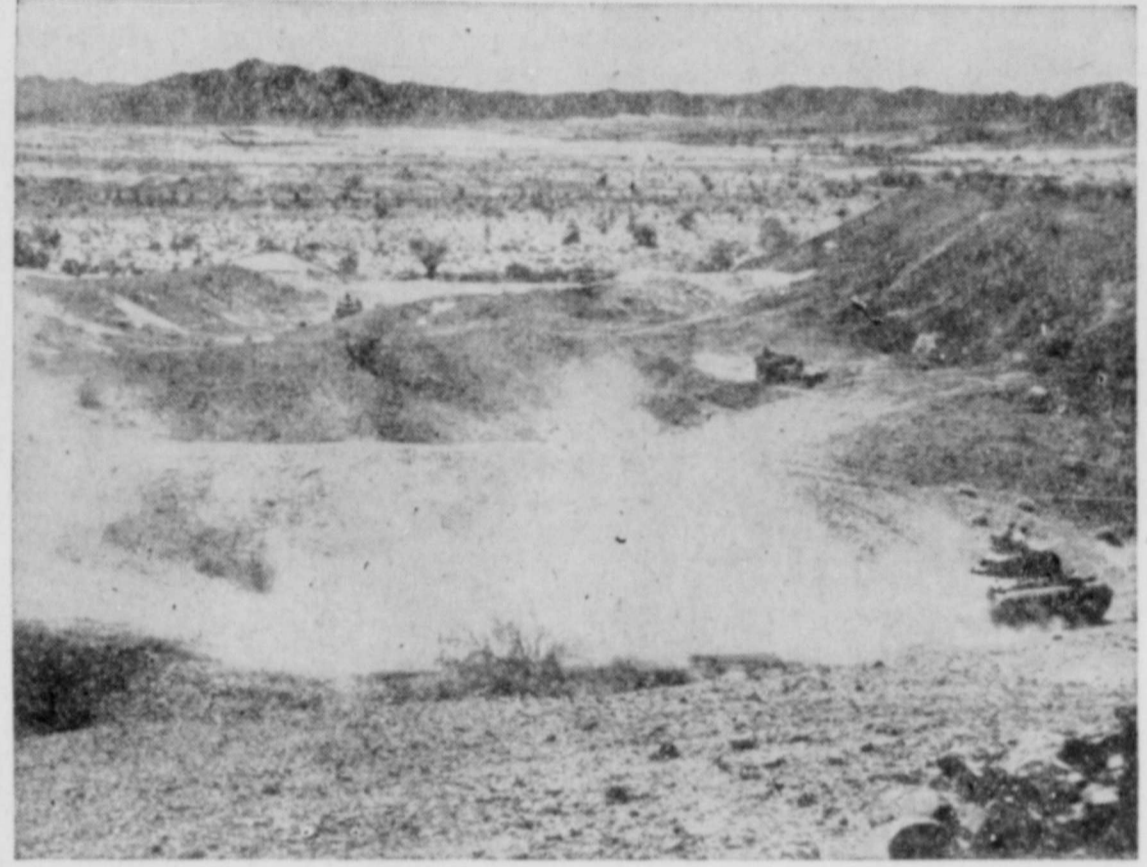
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## News Events of the Day --- in Pictures



**WORLD TRADE** . . . Natives in the Japanese coastal village follow the procession of the "Black Ship," replica of one of Perry's ships which visited Japan in 1853, during the recent Black Ship festival to celebrate announcement that transoceanic world trade this fall.



**TASK FORCE 'FURNACE'** . . . As a counterpart to last winter's operations, army ground forces have launched Task Force "Furnace" on the Arizona desert to test efficiency of standard and new development material under desert conditions. Picture shows tanks in test action on the barren desert. Task Forces "Frigid," "Williwaw" and "Frost" were designed to test equipment under extreme winter conditions.



**PRE-GRADE GRADS** . . . Harvard, Yale or old Siwash may come later, but they will have no thrills compared to that experienced by youngsters who are graduated from the Children's Aid society kindergarten in New York. This grad, who is proud of his "sheepskin" as bachelor of finger painting, shows becoming modesty as he parades before his classmates.



**GIRLS MARCH** . . . National Membership Camp Fire Girls, September 15 and runs through October 30. The purpose is to secure and acquaint the girls with the work being done. The three age groups are: Camp Fire Girls, Camp Fire Girls, Camp Fire Girls.



**TWINS SHARE TITLE** . . . Jane and Jean Cunningham, identical twins of Chattanooga, who were jointly chosen "Miss Tennessee of 1947," to represent that state at the "Miss America" contest to be held at Atlantic City.



**ISOLATES CANCER VIRUS** . . . Dr. Ryojun Kinoshita, Osaka Imperial university, Tokyo, Japan, who claims that he has isolated a "cancer virus" for the first time in mammals.



**WINS NATIONAL RIFLE MATCH** . . . Audrey Bockman, 16, Ridge-wood, N. J., first girl to hold the National Junior Rifle championship, is congratulated by G. Wayne Moore, Washington, Pa., who successfully defended his title as national men's champion, during matches held at Camp Perry, Ohio.



**HIS MAJESTY—A BOY** . . . Most popular man in the Fontaine home at New Orleans is six-months-old Robert Jr., only son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fontaine, parents of 11 daughters. His Majesty is calmly accepting the homage of his sisters here, obviously aware of his importance.



**AT KIDDIE SHOW** . . . Six-year-old Bumpy Going Gardens, N. Y., showed up on the job for the world's fashion show in New York with this beautiful black that he "fell down some place." He is reprimanded by another child (center) looks on in apparent disgust.



**OFF TO ARCTIC** . . . Gen. Dwight Eisenhower, army chief of staff, is on a month's air inspection tour of military establishments in Alaska. He is shown here waving farewell to the crowd who saw him off at Washington airport.



**IT'S A LONG, LONG TIME** . . . Mr. and Mrs. John Henkel, who were married 80 years ago in Brooklyn, N. Y., celebrate the start of the ninth decade of wedded bliss in their St. Marguerite, Quebec, home. With them are Mrs. Ida Baird (left), granddaughter, and Ronald Henkel (right), great grandson.



**ON THE FENCE!** . . . This photo of Gov. Thomas E. Dewey, New York, may not be without symbolism. On a "non-political" tour, he is shown with Earl Putman on the Putman farm at Owosso, Mich., the Dewey home town. He maintained a firm seat on the fence, refusing to say aye or nay as to whether or not he would run for president.



**GETS NEW POST** . . . Charles E. Bohlen, 42-year-old foreign service officer, has been nominated as new state department counselor with rank of assistant secretary. He succeeds Benjamin V. Cohen, veteran White House adviser of early New Deal days.



**SCOUTS** . . . Girls on their way home from the International Girl Scout encampment at the Franklin Institute in Philadelphia and stand on a huge locomotive at the museum. The girls are (left to right): Jackie Giesen, Luxembourg; Monique Schueker, France; Birgit Lejterstam, Sweden; GINETTE van Hooerebeke, Holland; Germanstown, Pa., and Margarite Quessada, Guatemala.



**WAR SECRETARY** . . . Following the resignation of Robert F. Patterson as secretary of war, President Truman nominated Kenneth Royall, undersecretary of war, as his successor.



**HUGHES HEARING IN WASHINGTON** . . . General view of the Brewster war investigating committee hearing in Washington, probing into war-time dealings of Howard Hughes. The photo was taken during the first days of the hearings when charges and counter-charges were being made on both sides. John Meyer, Hughes' public relation expert is shown on the stand.

### Texas May Give Judges The Bird

The chicken-of-tomorrow, a meatier bird with juicier drumsticks and more white meat to delight the national palate, definitely can be developed—and it may be Texas-bred, a Texas A. and M. poultry specialist predicted this week.

His prediction was based on results of the 1947 Texas and Southwestern Chicken-of-Tomorrow contests held this summer at Fort Worth with Texas-bred birds winning four of the five first places in the regional competition.

"The chickens entered in the state and regional contests had more white meat and were superior in every way to the aver-

age cockerals their age," declared F. Z. Beanblossom, A. and M. extension poultryman who is chairman of both the state and regional chicken-of-tomorrow committees.

"The next step in the three-year, nation-wide contest will be selection by the national committee of the poultrymen whose chickens will compete in 1948 for \$7,000 in national prizes offered by A & P Food Stores, sponsors of the contest." Beanblossom explained. "The committee is expected to make its selections in the next few months."

Since Texas entries took most of the top places in the regional contest, they will receive first priority for selection for the finals, the extension poultryman explained. In order to compete in the finals, an entry must meet the rigid standards set by the committee, which is composed of poultry industry leaders, U. S. Department of Agriculture experts, and representatives of state Agricultural colleges and extension services.

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S. A. Ellis has been appointed presiding officer for said election and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall within five days after said election have been held make due return thereof to the commissioners court of this county as is required by law for holding a general election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and County and who are resident qualified voters in said district shall be entitled to vote at said election and all voters who favor the consolidation of the aforementioned school districts shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"FOR CONSOLIDATION."  
And those opposed to such consolidation shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"AGAINST THE CONSOLIDATION."

Dated the 18th day of August, A. D. 1947.

JOHN RUSSELL,  
County Judge of  
Hall County, Texas.

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Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 13th day of September, 1947, at City Hall, Memphis, Texas, in Memphis Independent School District No. 1, of this County to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified voters of that district desire to consolidate the said district with the Eli Common School District No. 2 and Plaska Common School District No. 25, thereby forming the Memphis Independent School District No. 1, of this County.

George Forgy has been appointed presiding officer for said election and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall within five days after said election have been held make due return thereof to the commissioners court of this county as is required by law for holding a general election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and County and who are resident

### Good Drivers Are Given Break In New Traffic Code

Good drivers have nothing to worry about in the new Uniform Traffic Code that becomes effective in Texas September 5, Director Homer Garrison of the Department of Public Safety said today.

The code, Garrison said, is a

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modernization and clarification of old laws, rather than a multiplicity of new laws.

"The whole thing is based on good sense and safe driving practices," Garrison emphasized. "Good drivers have been doing most of the things stipulated in the code for years."

As an example of legal modernization, Garrison cited the 1917 clause that required a motorist to slow at sight of a wagon and team and to stop if the wagon driver threw up his hand.

"Texas horses are about convinced that the automobile is here to stay," Garrison said. "We don't need this old law any more. But we do need one permitting passing on the right on multi-lane thoroughfares, and that's one provision of the code."

The code, passed by the recent legislature, is patterned after uniform laws in effect in 32 other states. One of its chief features is that persons traveling from city to city or from state to state will find traffic laws, signs, and signals of the same type.

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### Locals and Personals

Guests in the Ernest Lee home the past week were Miss Carrie Belle Lee of Amarillo and I. D. Bryan Jr. of Big Spring.

Minister and Mrs. Kermit Upshaw and children of Dallas are visiting here this week in the home of Mrs. Upshaw's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Dickson. Mr. Upshaw is a minister of the Church of Christ.

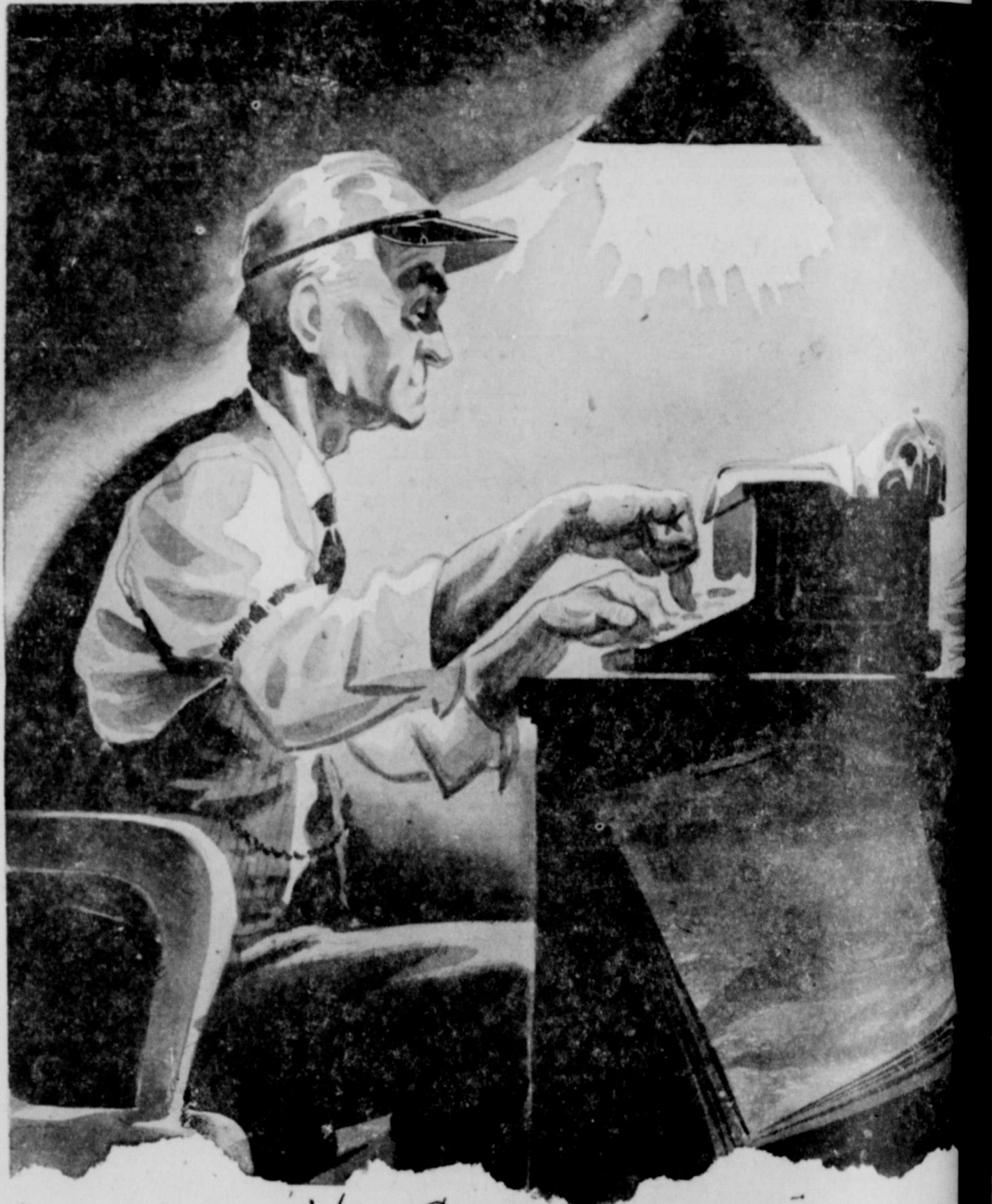
Mr. and Mrs. George Bass and granddaughter, Miss Sue Lynn Guthrie, returned home Sunday following a month's vacation in California. Other than visiting with relatives in Los Angeles, Long Beach, and Atascadero, they enjoyed visiting historic and scenic attractions, both in California and en route home. Included on the sight-seeing tour were Grand Canyon, Boulder Dam, the Painted Desert, Salt Lake City, and Tahoe Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown McMurry and son Stanley of Borger visited here the past week-end with her mother, Mrs. L. W. Stanford, and other relatives. Mrs. Stanford accompanied them home for a visit in Borger.

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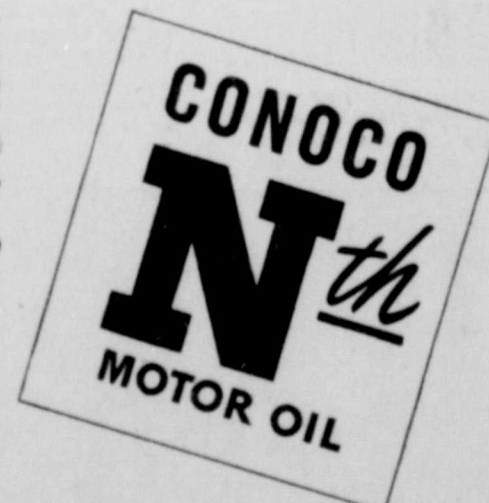
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### "Granddaughter" Selected Childress Fair

The feature attractions of the Childress State Fair are the selection of Miss Childress of 1947. Miss Childress will be selected at the review on Friday, September 19. Dates of the fair are September 17, 18, 19, and 20, the announcement.

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to the Miss Granddaughter Review. Old timers will be the judges to select the prettiest granddaughter of the year, it was announced.

Old timers are expected to make Friday, September 19, a home coming event at the Childress fair. Many prizes will be given, it was said. The oldest Old Timer, the Old Timer coming the longest distance, the Old Timer with the largest family will be given special prizes. All Old timers above 60 years of age will be admitted free.

The Miss Granddaughter Review will take place in front of the grandstand as a free attraction at 8 o'clock on Friday evening. Girls entering the contest will be expected to wear evening clothes, must be sponsored by an organization or a business firm, and must be between the ages of 16 and 25 and unmarried. Entries in the contest can be sent to Mrs. Bertha Nave, Childress.

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### PERSONALS

W. Z. Adams made a trip to Amarillo and Lubbock last week and visited with his grandchildren. Mr. Adams came to Hall County 40 years ago and still thinks it is one of the best.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Cosby returned home last Friday after spending a vacation at Spring Creek Lodge and Resort, Almont, Colo.

Mrs. C. W. Fleming of Topeka, Kans., and Mrs. H. K. Whaley and daughter Shirley of Weatherford are visiting here for two weeks with their father and grandfather, G. H. Hattenbach.

Mrs. Jimmy Hill of Kaufman and Mrs. Asa Hunt of Dallas visited in the home of their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Webb and daughters, Betty Bob and Donna Lee, over the week-end.

Mrs. Ray Pruitt and daughter Patsy Ray of Wichita Falls visited last week with her mother, Mrs. Ben Smith. They returned home Friday.

Mrs. Ben Smith and Mrs. Roy Pruitt and daughter Patsy Ray of Wichita Falls visited Thursday and Friday with their son and brother, Drew Smith and family of Goodnight.

Mrs. J. C. Mills has returned to her home at La Junta, Colo., after a week's visit here with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Spicer.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Baskerville of Lubbock visited here last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams, and his mother, Mrs. Emma Baskerville. Accompanying Mr. and Mrs. Baskerville to Memphis were Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Williams Jr. and daughter Linda Louise of Lubbock, who also visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Burks and family of Shamrock visited here Sunday in the home of his mother, Mrs. J. W. Burks. Mrs. Burks went home with them for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Montgomery of Lesley and granddaughter, Janice Ann Anthony, left August 19 for a two-week's visit in San

Bernardino, Calif., with their daughter and aunt, Miss Dorothy Montgomery.

Sheriff and Mrs. Earl Hill are enjoying a short vacation at points West this week and visiting friends in Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Galloway of Borger visited here Sunday with friends and relatives.

### Legal Notice

#### NOTICE OF ELECTION THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF HALL

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W. B. Gilreath has been appointed presiding officer for said election and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the commissioners court of this county as is required by law for holding a general election.

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Dated the 18th day of August, A. D. 1947.  
JOHN RUSSELL,  
County Judge of  
Hall County, Texas.

### Legal Notice

#### CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

To: W. J. Turnipseed, Defendant, Greeting:  
You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Hall County at the Court House thereof, in Memphis, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday Mrs. J. L. Spruill of Parnell and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Billingsley of Hulver.

Mr. and Mrs. James May and daughter of Newlin were visitors in the Corbie and Delton homes Sunday.

Carl and Rita Jean Hill and R. N. Mothershead attended the reunion of the Poteet family at Cone Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meadows of Estelline were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Weatherly.

Mrs. Maggie McGlocklin is visiting with relatives in Dallas.

next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1947, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 7th day of August, A. D. 1947, in this cause, numbered 3087 on the docket of said court and styled First National Bank, a Corporation, vs. W. J. Turnipseed, Mrs. Veta Boaz and husband E. H. Boaz, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit:

Statutory suit in trespass to try title for the title to and possession of the South 65 feet of Lots Nos. 7 and 8 in Block No. 5 of Analey's Addition to the Town of Memphis, Hall County, Texas. Plaintiff also claims ti-

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to said land and premises under and by virtue of the ten-year Statute of Limitations, State of Texas. Said petition alleges that plaintiff is a banking corporation duly incorporated under the laws of the United States of America and that defendant Mrs. Veta Boaz is the former wife of W. J. Turnipseed, defendant, but that she has been legally divorced from said defendant and is now lawfully married to defendant E. H. Boaz; as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Memphis, Texas, this 7th day of August, A. D. 1947.

Attest:  
ISABELL CYPERT,  
Clerk, District Court,  
16-4c Hall County, Texas.

### Henry Hays Buys Goodyear Shoe Shop

Henry Hays announced this week that he had bought the Goodyear Boot & Shoe Shop from Jack Patrick and Ted Truelove. The shop, located on the east side of the square, was opened several months ago. It will be in charge of Herman Mulkey.

The former owners will continue to reside in Memphis, and will be employed at the Selby Boot Shop, Hays said.

Mrs. Dorothy Moness of Sedalia, Mo., spent last week here with her aunt, Mrs. Bess Crump.

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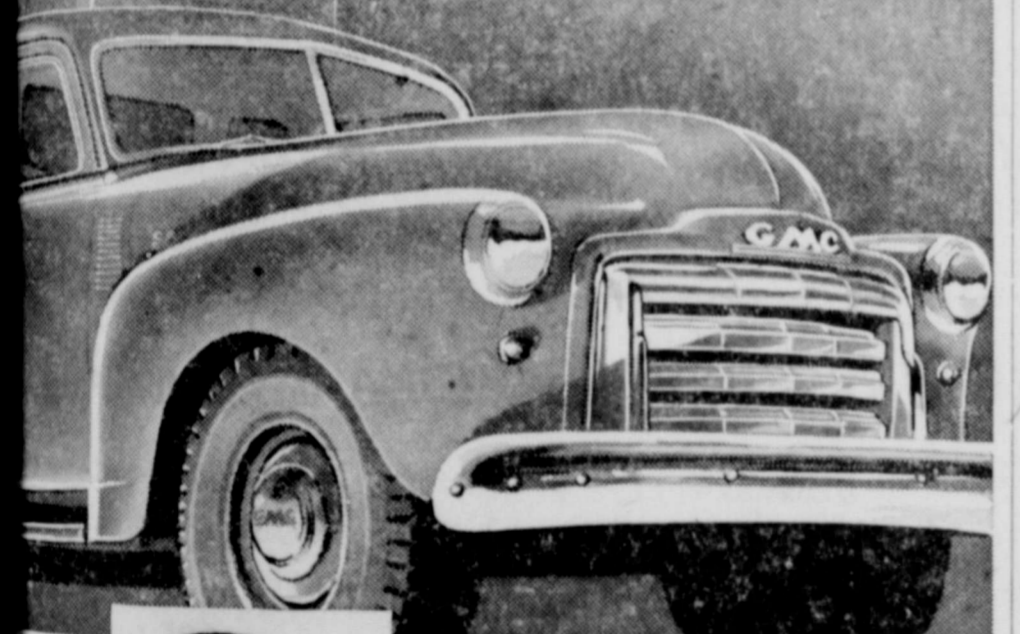
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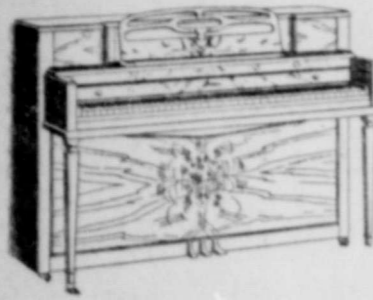
# PERSONALS

Mrs. Pat Flynn and her son, Seth Curlin, were Memphis visitors Sunday. They drove Mr. Flynn to Memphis from Amarillo where he had been conferring with rodeo officials and stage show producers on programs to be staged at the West Texas Cotton, Chemurgic, and Ceramics Carnival here October 3-4. Mrs. Flynn will reside in Amarillo until a house can be secured in Memphis at which time she and her family plan to move here.

Miss Martha Allen, who attended the summer session of school at Baylor University, Waco, is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Allen of Quail. She plans to return to Baylor at the beginning of the fall term.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Darrow and son Allen of Borger visited here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Lindsey, Thursday through Monday.

Miss Ruth Frisbie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Frisbie, is visit-



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daughter Louise returned home Friday night from a three-week vacation in Cowles, N. M.

Miss Barbara Wilson, who attended the summer session at Southwestern University, Georgetown, is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilson of Quail. She plans to resume her studies at Southwestern this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hooser of Dalhart visited here from Thursday until Sunday with their son, W. B. Hooser and family.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. Lindsey last week were their daughter, Mrs. Norman Heath and Mr. Heath of Lubbock, and her mother, Mrs. J. E. Morrow of Hollis, Okla. Mr. and Mrs. Heath returned to their home Thursday.

Zeno Reed of Houston visited a few days last week with his sister, Mrs. E. F. Lemons and family in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeno Lemons spent last week visiting in Espanola, M., with his brother, Scott Lemons and Mrs. Lemons. They returned home via Eagle est and Raton.

## NEWLIN

(By Correspondent)

Mrs. Jack Crawford and Jackie B. and Beverly Jane of Shamrock visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watson.

W. R. Glover is visiting his grandson, Ray Lee Harper, in Louisville, Ky., this week.

Mrs. Lucy Carr of Commerce is visiting her brother, John Hoover.

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Nelson of Sweetwater are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Sims and Mrs. G. E. Nelson.

The Nelson family enjoyed a picnic at the Memphis park Thursday night of last week. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Babe Nelson of Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Mann Nelson of Parnell, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nelson and boys of Sudan, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nelson and boys of Gilpin, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tuckee and Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Hoover and Carolyn Gayle, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Nelson of Sweetwater, Mrs. G. E. Nelson, Mrs. R. O. Nelson and Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Butch

Schrick and girls of Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Schrick left following the picnic for their home in Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Dunn of Memphis visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hoover.

Mrs. R. S. Spencer and son visited in Memphis with their parents-in-law and grandparents.

Nellie Clark of Memphis visited in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Scott Crawford Sunday.

Everett Hughes is on the sick list this week.

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## Winning 4-H Essay

Note: This is the series of prize-winning essays, from the contest in the county of Lemons of Brice following paper on stages of Diversi-

I think the best and easiest way is to get a good cow and feed her good. She will keep the family supplied with milk and butter and have some milk for a brood sow or some pigs, besides raising a calf. You will need a few chickens to go with the cow and sow.

Don't forget to plant a garden to supply the vegetables needed for the family and plant plenty to can some for use in winter.

To raise a good garden you must work it when it needs it. If your land needs terracing put them on it to conserve the moisture and save the soil. I think the cow lots and chicken houses should be cleaned regularly and put on the land to make it rich.

In my opinion if a man will stay with the cow, sow and hen he can't go wrong, and can come near living at home and always have something to eat.

H. H. Lindsey and D. J. Morgenson returned home last week after spending a week at Almont, Colo.

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You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Hall County at the Court House thereof, in Memphis, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1947, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court on the 4th day of August, A. D. 1947, in this cause, number 3085 on the docket of said court and styled Selma Goeking Meyer joined by her husband Willie Meyer, Plaintiffs vs. Farmers Loan & Trust Company, a corporation, the unknown stockholders of said Farmers Loan & Trust Company, their heirs and legal representatives; George E. Downs if living and if deceased the unknown

heirs and legal representatives of hand and Seal of said Court, at office in Memphis, Texas, this the 4th day of August, A. D. 1947.

Attest:  
ISABELL CYPERT,  
Clerk, District Court,  
Hall County, Texas.

Those spending vacations in Almont, Colo., from Memphis are Mrs. S. B. Foxhall, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Foxhall and daughter, Lewis Foxhall, Mr. and Mrs. John Deaver, Mr. and Mrs. Temple Deaver Sr. and children, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Wilson and son Mack, Science.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cudd, and F. N. Foxhall.  
Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Cummings received a call last week from their son, Robert Frank, informing them that he plans to enter the Dallas Institute of Mortuary Science.

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We will serve coffee all day during our opening. And for the kiddies there will be plenty of Free Bubble Gum. Come in—grown ups and children—and get a cup or some gum.

We will open each morning at 6 o'clock, and will close in the evening at 8. Since our quarters are in the back of the store, our customers can make purchases here at the back door if the front door is locked, by knocking at the back door. We will be open Sunday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

**OUR PRICE POLICY:**  
Our policy is to sell foods as cheap as any store in Hall County. Come in and see for yourself. You will find that you CAN SAVE MONEY by buying ALL your groceries here.

# Webster Grocery

M. R. WEBSTER, Owner  
Lakeview, Texas

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: Suit in statutory trespass to try title for the title to and possession of 97.3 acres of land out of the East part of Section No. 791, Certificate No. 2/396, Block "H" W&N Ry Co. Survey in Hall and Childress Counties, Texas, and described as follows: BEGINNING at the point in the intersection of the East boundary line of said Survey No. 791, with the North boundary line of the Childress and Memphis public road and 10.8 varas North of the said Southeast corner of said Survey No. 791, said corner being marked by an iron gas pipe; Thence North 1500 varas with the East boundary line of said Survey No. 791 to the point of intersection of the South boundary line of the right-of-way of the FW&DC Ry. Co.; Thence North 65 degrees 49' West 406 varas with the South boundary line of said right-of-way the Northwest corner of said Survey, from which an iron gas pipe bears North 2 degrees West 215.4 varas; Thence South 2 degrees East 1655.3 varas with the East boundary line of Fractional Survey of said 791 made May 4, 1892, for the H&T Ry. Co. to its point of intersection with the North boundary line of the afore-said public road, this point is marked by an iron gas pipe and from which an iron gas pipe set at a point of intersection of this said East boundary line with the North boundary line of said Survey No. 792, of the said Block "H" bears South 2 degrees East 8 varas; Thence East 316.9 varas with the North boundary line of said public road to the place of beginning. Plaintiffs also plead and claim title to said land and premises under the ten and twenty-five year statutes of limitation of the State of Texas, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.  
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Do you have dents in your fenders? Do they shake and rattle? If they do, then drop by our body shop. We can make the old fenders look like new by straightening them out and repainting.

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## Editorial

### ARE YOU A KILLER?

No less an authority than the president of the International Association of Chiefs of Police tells us that the modern officer views every traffic violator as a potential killer.

To some this may seem a rather macabre point of view for the genial cop on the corner. We think, however, that it is fortunate for us all that police forces are being trained to take a realistic and stern attitude toward traffic violations—especially with this country's tragic record of increasing deaths on our streets and highways. When the lives of 33,500 men, women and children are snuffed out in one year because of reckless driving and violation of traffic regulations, then it is time for someone to get tough.

Progressive police training throughout the nation is demonstrating its value. Modern traffic squads are no longer given pep talks and then sent out "just to keep an eye on things in general." They are briefed as to what intersections are accident prone, what violations are causing the accidents and during what hours. They know what to look for and they should be applauded rather than hampered when the deal sternly with the violators.

That such selective enforcement is effective has been proved. The communities which have adopted it are to be commended. To those which have not yet done so, we recommend such an enforcement program and suggest that the people in the communities do the same, for their own good.

Do not erroneously believe that the traffic policeman enjoys writing you a ticket for a violation. He would rather do it, however, than pick you up in a basket after an accident of your own or some other violator's making.

If you violate a traffic regulation, consider that a violation identical to yours has killed several persons—perhaps at the same place, perhaps even on the same day. That you did not cause an accident is not important. That you might have caused one is. Apprehending you is the traffic officer's job. He is not only protecting you from your own folly, but lessening your exposure to dangerous driving habits of others. He deserves your highest respect and fullest cooperation.

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## Uneasy Relaxation



### Press Paragraphs—

#### QUOTING OUR NEIGHBORS

##### First Cotton

The first bale of cotton for the 1947 season was ginned in Chillicothe Wednesday afternoon at the Farmer's Cooperative Gin.

The cotton was grown north of Chillicothe by W. G. Clark and the bale weighed 410 pounds.

The bale, classed middling and 7-8 inch staple, was purchased by a Quannah cotton firm, Marrow & Conn for the good price of 37 cents per pound.—Quannah Tribune-Chief.

##### Boastful

Once upon a time when a Plainsman was visiting down in old Jack County, he was being shown some fine elms growing in the yard. The Plainsman remarked that "we can grow a tree to that size in West Texas in about a year. How long has that tree been growing?" The old Jack County boy looked across the rocky landscape with a broad smile and replied "can't say, partner, just how long it took but that tree wasn't there yesterday."—The Donley County Leader.

##### Niseties

Etiquette is the noise you don't make when you eat soup.—The Donley County Leader.

##### Wheat Insurance

Knox County has been included in the area in which the government will offer growers crop insurance on the 1948 wheat, according to the announcement made Monday by the agriculture department.

Wheat insurance on this year's crop was offered growers in more than 1,200 counties of the U. S., and Monday's announcement included a list of 200 counties.

Texas counties granted insurance are Collins, Castro, Deaf Smith, Denton, Floyd, Grayson, Hale, Jones, Knox, Runnels, Swisher, Taylor and Young.—The Munday Times.

Visitors to national forests totaled 55 million in 1946, compared with only 24 million in 1945, according to U. S. Forest Service records.

**BOYCE HOUSE**  
 "Gives You Texas"

Ah, for the good old days! The good old days when you got up at 5 a. m. in January with the tail of your night-shirt flapping around your chilled ankles and built a fire. But first you had to shake down the stove.

For the benefit of the younger members of our audience, it should be explained that, when ashes accumulated, the stove wouldn't draw, so the stove had to be shaken down and it took so much energy that the house was almost shaken down, too.

Then came the task of setting fire to paper and shavings and kindling and coaxing a chunk of wood to burn. Of course there was a quicker way: a teacupful of kerosene could be used but this had a way of blowing the user through the roof.

Ah, the good old days! Did you

#### When Your Back Hurts

And Your Strength and Energy Is Below Par

It may be caused by disorder of kidney function that permits poisonous waste to accumulate. For truly waxy people feel tired, weak and miserable when the kidneys fail to remove excess acids and other waste matter from the blood.

You may suffer nagging backaches, rheumatic pains, varicose veins, getting up nights, leg pains, swelling. Sometimes frequent and scanty urination with smarting and burning is another sign that something is wrong with the kidneys or bladder.

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#### DOAN'S PILLS

ever take a bath in a wash-tub?

And the fireplace with the log fire—you roasted on one side and froze on the other.

But there is nothing finer than a fireplace with a log fire, provided the fireplace is also equipped with gas.

Guess you noticed where Fred Allen, Red Skelton, and Bob Hope were faded of the air when they said something that a network vice president didn't like. Well, I'm on the air—in fact, have two programs a week, the newest one being at 12:15 noon each Tuesday over KFJZ, Fort Worth. I wish some vice president would fade me off the air;

## This Week in WASHINGTON

Super-network of interstate highways have received its final touches by the Public Roads Administration in Washington. The plans call for safe, speedy movement of traffic between, into and through all major cities in every state.

The plan calls for dependable arteries for industrial centers and strategic routes across the continent and to the Mexican and Canadian borders for defense and industrial purposes.

The plans call for 37,681-mile system of linked express roads which will serve 182 of the 199 cities having a population of 50,000 or more.

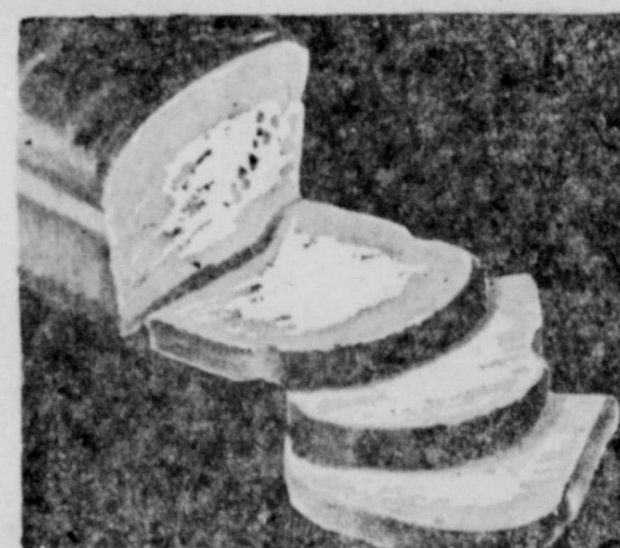
Congressional committee which investigated the foot and mouth condition in Mexico expressed complete satisfaction of the result. The Mexicans are paid in cash for all animals destroyed. Some animals are sent to market—without any danger to this or any other nation. The program has resulted in demand for American horses and tractors to replace the mules and oxen being killed. Congr. George W. Gillie, chairman of the group, does not agree with certain Texas cattle interests opposed to the present program.

THE national lumber trade barometer indicates that lumber supplies are catching up with current demand, with shipments somewhat below current stock and production. Little change has been noted in prices, upward still upward, if anything, taking the nation as a whole.

By the middle of this year farmers of America were receiving 185 per cent more for their crops than received by them in 1939. This is by

I need the publicity. Fred, Red, and Bob don't.

I noticed a sign the other day. "Dirt for sale." I suppose it is "dirt cheap." Or has inflation raised the price there, too?



## MANN'S

## Malted Milk Bread

There's more than satisfying goodness in every slice of MANN'S MALTED MILK BREAD... There is also health-giving energy you need. It's the result of quality ingredients and years of baking experience. It's also vitamin-rich for better health, being produced in our modern, up-to-date bakery by skilled bakers. Also of importance to you is the fact that it is RUSSETT TO YOUR FOOD STORE WITHOUT DELAY. Buy a loaf of MANN'S Malted Milk Bread today—it's always FRESH.

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## TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT ACCIDENT PREVENTION

LIVAN, National Association of Police, and State Department of Public Safety officer who stops putting his hand on your shoulder and the job of the police officer is to stop the major or minor violations which are causing the accidents and during what hours. The modern officer will view a traffic violator not as a promising junior executive, a stable citizen, or a competent and attractive woman, but as a potential killer. He has been trained that way. Violations identical with yours have killed persons, perhaps in the same spot, in recent days. That you did not cause an accident is not important. You might have caused one. Apprehending you and impressing you with the serious consequences resulting from this type of carelessness and disregard for the rules by which we must drive, is the officer's business. He grows more competent in it each year. He saves lives and should be supported and encouraged.

That selective enforcement is effective is proved by entries in the recent National Traffic Safety Contest. Studies revealed that 39 per cent of the 500 reporting cities used selective enforcement, as compared with 22.5 per cent of the cities reporting in the 1945 contest.

Proof that the work of the officer you see curbing the motorist ahead of you is necessary is found in records of cities which have undergone reorganization of their traffic control programs with assistance of the IACP Traffic Division. Cincinnati's traffic



Speeding through an intersection stop sign, one of these drivers collided with another car. The force of the crash entangled the two cars and they skidded together across the intersection and slammed into a stone wall. Both drivers and a passenger were killed, two were seriously injured. National Conservation Bureau reports that disregard of traffic control devices ranks third as a cause of death in motor vehicle accidents.

deaths were brought down in year after their traffic functions three years from an annual toll of were reorganized. In 1936 and 129 to 73; in Memphis deaths 1937 Cleveland had 463 fatalities, dropped from 48 to 31 in the first The reorganization completed,

Cleveland's toll was cut to a total of 245 in 1938 and 1939. More important, the rates stayed down. For example, Detroit experienced 2,971 deaths in the nine-year period ending January 1, 1937. The major phase of the reorganization work was completed in 1937. In the nine years since, Detroit has totalled 2,011 deaths. Its rate per 10,000 registered motor vehicles has gone down steadily, despite a marked increase in registration and motor vehicle use.

Motor vehicle travel in the United States has multiplied six times in the last two decades. It is estimated that by 1956 vehicle registrations will increase to approximately 45 million, with a probable 55 millions by 1962.

From experience we know that traffic police personnel will not be increased in sufficient number to handle this growing problem. You can help. Obey the law. Be intelligent in your approach to the problem by providing your city with as many carefully selected, competent and adequately paid officers as possible. Most important, be certain that your city or state department is employing modern methods of accident prevention and traffic control.

## To Hold Amarillo Civil Service Exam For Police, Firemen

A police and firemen's Civil Service entrance examination will be held in Amarillo, at 1 p. m. at the Amarillo Center of West Texas State College on September 29 and 30, it was announced this week.

Applications may be obtained from the office of the Civil Service examiner, and will be received at that office in Amarillo until noon September 27. Applicants must be between the

age of 22 and 36 and, pass a physical examination and a competitive examination.

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## IN THE STILL OF THE NIGHT A MAN DIED -

He had worked late—he was tired—thoughtlessly he walked to the right along the darkened highway. Beyond the turn of the road were the lights of home.

Speeding through the early darkness, a driver urged his car along, hugging the edge of the road. A dim shape, a sudden sickening jolt—and the terrorized driver, his car careening, sped on—around the curve, past the lighted cottage beside the road. And in the still of the night, a man died.

These are the ingredients of accidents and death at night. Often the victim contributes to his own death by not walking to the left, facing traffic. But far too many pay with their lives for the reckless driving of the hit-and-run car coward. To him self-preservation is more urgent than the saving of a life.

To his kind let this be a warning. Of all highway and traffic violators, the hit-and-run driver fares worst. Sooner or later, his crime leads to prison and disgrace.

The highways shall be cleared of these auto highwaymen.

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# Getz, Light-heavy Title Holder, To Meet Watkins, Friday

## Stratton-Weidner Contest Featured For Mat Opener

Only after wrestling promoter Pat Flynn agreed to bar nothing but the strangle hold and hitting below the belt did Sailor "Tex" Watkins and Al Getz agree to a finish match, best two out of three falls, one hour time limit event in the Memphis High School Gymnasium Friday night at 8:30 o'clock.

Watkins hasn't stopped moaning since losing the Southwestern Junior lighthheavyweight title to Getz in Amarillo Thursday night by disqualification charged to unnecessary roughness. "Those damned Yankees framed up on me," wailed the Sailor. He was charging Getz of Pittsburgh, his opponent, and Walter Stratton, Youngstown, Ohio, referee. "It shouldn't have happened to a dog," Tex continued. "I had Getz whipped thoroughly until the referee thought I was getting too rough. Wrestling isn't any tea party and if they don't want to get roughed up they had better not wrestle with a Texan," he declared.

"Phoey," replied Getz, or words with similar sound effects. "He's just yelling sour grapes. I'll really give him wrestling lessons in Memphis Friday and those terms suit me fine. I don't care whether we have any referee or not," he added. However, both have agreed on Olan Boynton, 220-pound wrestler-referee, being the third man in the ring and Flynn is scouting around for a second referee—just in case Boynton is slapped into drowsiness.

Getz meets Leroy McGurk in Amarillo Thursday night for the world championship lighthheavyweight title. He believes it will put him in first class condition to put Tex in his place here the following night. Tex threatens to



**NICE FRIENDLY GESTURES—THIS WRESTLING!** In this playful pose are two principals to be seen at the High School Gymnasium Friday night at 8:30 o'clock. Al Getz, new Southwestern Junior Lighthheavyweight champ, reclines on his back outside of the ring as Sailor "Tex" Watkins belts him with both hands. Tex lost the title to Getz through a disqualification in Amarillo last week. Getz meets Leroy McGurk for the world's championship title Thursday night in Amarillo and has signed to a return match with Watkins here Friday night. Both mat villains asked nothing be barred in Memphis but the strangle hold and hitting below the belt. Promoter Pat Flynn agreed and these two will be one of the two Main Event attractions. Billy Weidner and Walter Stratton meet in the other main event.

coach the champ in his corner Thursday night just for spite.

But this battle will be only one of the two featured main events on Friday night's program in the gymnasium.

Walter Stratton will meet Billy Weidner in a two out of three falls, one hour time limit affair which should bring all the speed, cleverness and wrestling knowledge of this era into play. Weidner has suffered only one defeat in the Panhandle and that was to Watkins in Amarillo when the Sailor was accused of using "some unknown but sharp instrument" with which he lacerated Billy's face to win. Stratton knows with a win over the Boston strongman he can write his ticket all over the nation where main events pay off for winners.

Carpenters and blacksmiths have worked overtime this week to reinforce the ring in readiness for better battles. The new ring affords excellent views for the ringsiders and better vision for reserved and general admission patrons. The ring is 34 inches off the floor which allows everyone to see the mat technique as well as standing action.

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Both shops will continue to manufacture shop made cowboy boots and do all types of shoe repairing.

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## M. R. Webster Will Open Store at Lakeview Aug. 30

M. R. Webster will open his new grocery store at Lakeview Saturday, August 30, according to an announcement this week. The store is located two doors north of the Lakeview post office.

In addition to a complete line of groceries, Webster said he will have a meat market where fresh and cured meats will be available. The store will open at 6 a. m. and close at 8 p. m., the owner said.

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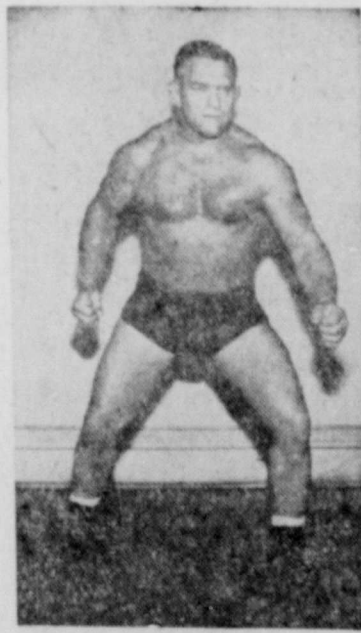
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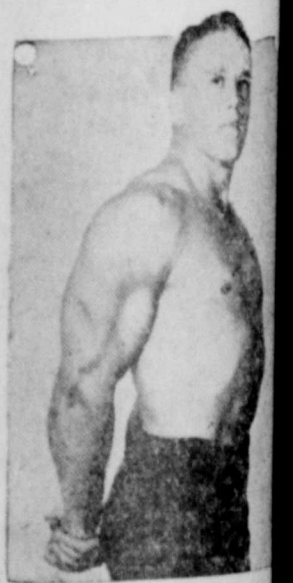
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