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Welcome to . . . Memphis "COTTON'S HOME TOWN"

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Above . . .
GOV. BEAUFORD JESTER
Right . . .
SENATOR W. LEE O'DANIEL



PROMINENT VISITORS—Governor Jester will attend the West Texas Carnival Friday and will speak at the platform on the court house square before noon. Senator O'Daniel will arrive Friday afternoon and take part in the stage shows Friday night and lead the parade at 10:30 Saturday morning.

FIRST ANNUAL WEST TEXAS COTTON, CHEMURGIC AND CERAMIC CARNIVAL • MEMPHIS, TEXAS • OCT. 3rd & 4th •



W.D. OTT PHOTO

Prominent Visitors And Full Program Secured for Carnival

The First Annual West Texas Cotton, Chemurgic and Ceramics Carnival opens in Memphis tonight. Festivities begin at 8 o'clock tonight with the Memphis Stampede, an R.C.A. Open Rodeo at the high school stadium. The Dudley Shows Midway is going full blast all this week. Dancing at Legion Home, Country Club and the old Post Office Building location will be under way. Gov. Beauford H. Jester, accompanied by Major Harwell and Lt. Col. Daniel, both of Bergstrom Field, land in Clarendon Friday morning at 10 o'clock. The Memphis High School Band, radio broadcasters and motion picture photographers will meet the plane. State Highway Patrol officers will escort the Governor here for the day's program. Sen. W. Lee O'Daniel arrives Friday afternoon and will remain through Saturday for the Carnival's program events. Friday is dedicated to exhibits, demonstration of mechanical machines, etc., motion pictures and a score of other highlights. A broadcast from the court house square will be made at noon and there impromptu acts on the main streets, dancing in the early evening, a sneak preview and stage show at both the Ritz and Palace theatres at midnight and street dancing until dawn highlights the day's activities. McLean storms Memphis in football Friday in the stadium in the season's first conference game for The Cyclone. A midnight show, Cotton Capers will be on the Ritz theater stage with a sneak pre-vue, the first in Hall County, to follow on both the Ritz and Palace screens. Street dancing will follow until dawn with music by the Sons of The West and the Panhandle Cowboys, and the Red River Ramblers. Street dances will start at 2 o'clock each morning of Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Rodeo performances will be seen at 8 o'clock Thursday night; 1:30 Friday afternoon; 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon and 8 o'clock Saturday night. See Program on the back page for full details.

Cyclone-Tiger Football Game Promises Thrills

One of the main features of the Cotton Carnival will be the football game between the McLean Tigers and the Memphis Cyclone. Both teams are contenders for the District 2-A crown, and local forecasters have predicted the loser will virtually be eliminated from the district race since Shamrock and Wellington are rated one-two favorites. A crowd of between four and five thousand is anticipated for the game between these two strong teams. McLean came thru their last game with a 51 to 13 victory over a conference opponent, the Wheeler Mustangs, while the Cyclone was trouncing Lakeview 64 to 0 in a non-conference bout. McLean will feature a strong line led by Bull Andrews and Tiny Myatt, tackles, both weighing over 200 pounds, and Captain Roy Shelton. The Cyclone, hampered in early games by injuries, are at full strength with the exception of J. D. Akard, tackle, who received a broken arm in an early season game. The forward wall of the Cyclone will average 163 pounds, with a backfield composed of Gale West, Bill Davis, Don Morrison, and T. J. Kilgore or Andy Gardenhire, averaging 160 pounds. Stellar players for the Cyclone

Memphis has been a beehive of activity all week. Hereford's leading business men arrived Sunday to set up their exhibit. By noon Monday exhibits of the National Cotton Council, State Chemurgic Council, U. S. Cyanamide Corporation, Bemis Bag Company, Briggs-Weaver, and others were installed. Scores of others have been arriving all week. Concession operators began arriving Monday and new vocabularies of the circus language and midways are being heard throughout the city. Pat Flynn, manager of the chamber of commerce, praised local citizens today for the "all-out" efforts being spent to handle the expected crowds. "I know I have seemed unreasonable the past few days in storming out requests, but each request, I believe, is for the future betterment of Hall County. I wish to express my appreciation to those who have cooperated. I hope and sincerely believe the nation now knows of Memphis, Texas, and, after all, that was and is the major objective of the Carnival plans," he explained. The entire family has been considered in entertainment plans for the balance of the week in Memphis. Football game, rodeo, wrestling matches, carnival midways, stage shows, queen contests, band concerts, street and ballroom dancing, parades, Governor of Texas, U. S. Senator, scores of dignitaries and celebrities presented daily, and many more highlights have been blended into a calendar of Carnival programs. Sponsored by the Memphis

STAMPEDE RODEO OPENS AT CYCLONE STADIUM

and more Western" is one of the stellar presentations. Bill Jones, promoter of the Memphis Stampede, explains easily why they have a Hollywood contract for pictures. Calgary Red, the nation's sensational slack wire roper and trickster, is guaranteed to have you saying "It can't be done" after watching his antics. Leonard Stroud, only human being to ever hold eight world championships, will demonstrate his roping excellence at each show. Tom McBrayer, world renowned clown, will keep plenty of action before the stands. Cowgirl Sponsors from all over the Southwest are entered in the

Senator Connally Unable to Attend West Tex. Carnival

A telegram was received Tuesday by chamber of commerce officials from Senator Tom Connally expressing his regrets that he could not attend the Carnival. The message was as follows: "Deeply regret that pressure of official duties here will make it impracticable for me to be with you at Memphis celebration. Greatly appreciate invitation and hope for a successful observance. Regards." For a few days Senator Connally thought he would be able to fly to Memphis for the Carnival and return in time for a conference with President Truman Monday.

FIRST SHOWING OF COTTON CAPERS TO BE AT RITZ THEATER TONIGHT

At the stroke of midnight to-may see the same show at the night the city's first radio broadcast begins from the Ritz Theater stage as an opener to Cotton Capers of 1947. Seats are at a premium and tickets are going fast for this colorful Follies of Fun, it is reported. Friday midnight the combined facilities of the Palace and Ritz theaters will be utilized to stage the city's first sneak previews as well as a stage show attraction. Hollis Boren, theater owner and celebrity chairman of the Carnival program, has secured two new and outstanding pictures for the Friday night performances. The picture will follow the stage show acts, he said, and those unable to get in at the Ritz

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Car-Truck Crash. Near Hedley Fatal To Amarillo Man

Robert J. Peek, 55 years old, manager of the Metropolitan Building and Loan Association of Amarillo, died Monday morning in a Memphis hospital of injuries suffered Sunday afternoon in a car-truck accident near Hedley.

The body was taken to Dallas Monday for funeral services and burial.

Mr. Peek has been a resident of Amarillo several years. He suffered a mangled arm and other injuries when the automobile he was driving from Dallas to Amarillo was involved in a side-swiping accident with a truck.

Death resulted from internal injuries, multiple compound fractures of the left arm and elbow, shock and loss of blood, according to attendants at the hospital.

Attendants of the Womack ambulance who arrived at the scene Sunday said Mr. Peek had driven

two or three miles after the accident.

The truck was not damaged and the driver continued on his way after stopping for a short time, witnesses reported.

Guided by testimony of witnesses, officers of the highway patrol at Dallas yesterday had located a man believed to be the driver of the truck involved in the accident.

They quoted the man as saying he had been involved in a crash Sunday afternoon near Hedley and that the driver of the automobile had not stopped.

Officers said the man when questioned yesterday produced a strip of metal torn from the fender of an automobile. According to patrolmen, the driver said he had found the piece of metal on the road when he had stopped to investigate the crash.

Mr. Peek had been driving a 1941 Buick sedan. Officers said one of the fenders of this car had been damaged. They said no charges had been filed but that investigation of the accident was continuing.

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Many an easy hour will lovely Evelyn Ankers of Universal Pictures spend in her new fashion-right cotton seersucker frock. The seersucker, printed in navy and white stripes, has a full button front.

Veterans Official To Attend Carnival

Robert W. Sisson, manager of the West Texas Veterans Administration regional office, Lubbock, will be among the guests at the West Texas Cotton, Chemurgic, and Ceramics Carnival to be held here October 2-4, the local committee has announced.

Sisson will appear on the speakers program Friday afternoon on the court house square, a program consisting of many dignitaries attending the Carnival.

Sisson, a native of West Texas, and a veteran of World War I, has been active in veterans' affairs for more than 25 years, having served as executive director of the national committee which prepared and submitted the GI bill to congress.

According to a member of the local committee, Sisson not only had a big share in helping to prepare the Servicemen's Readjustment Act, but, as regional manager of the Veterans Administration, he has taken on himself the tremendous task of administering the many benefits provided by the act to West Texas veterans. Furthermore, he takes a personal interest in seeing that each veteran receives all benefits to which he is justly entitled. In Bob Sisson, the veteran truly has a friend, the committee-member said.



ROBERT W. SISSON

He is former national chairman of the American Legion committee on rehabilitation, and a past

department commander of the American Legion.

Prior to being appointed VA manager in West Texas, Sisson served as special representative to General Omar N. Bradley, administrator of veterans affairs.

Four Veterans List Discharges At Clerk's Office

Only three veterans listed discharges with the county clerk's office during the past four weeks, Miss Sybil Gurley, clerk, announced this week. Recording

discharges were the

Wendell Lee King, private class, Enlisted June 19, 1942, at Oklahoma City, Okla. June 15, 1947, at San Francisco, Calif. Metal: good conduct.

Dayton C. Shelton, sergeant, Enlisted November 1942, at Lubbock, Tex. February 22, 1946, at Camp Nin. Metal: good conduct; ribbon, American theater.

Jose Perez, private, Enlisted September 1, 1944, at Camp Fort Sam Houston, Tex. Metal: good conduct, victory, American theater.

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Locals and Personals

Mrs. Lloyd Power of Childress was here Sunday visiting with Mrs. Gladys Power and daughter June.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Churchman of Clarendon visited in the home of the Black sisters Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Carlos and Mrs. A. B. Carlos of Quannah visited with relatives in Mangum, Okla., over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Miller and Bill Hickey of Borger visited over the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McDaniel, and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hickey.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Roberts and son Dan of Abilene visited here over the week-end with their parents, Mrs. C. D. Denny and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Roberts.

Mrs. Jesse Guthrie of Kuafman visited over the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Oscar Webb and family.



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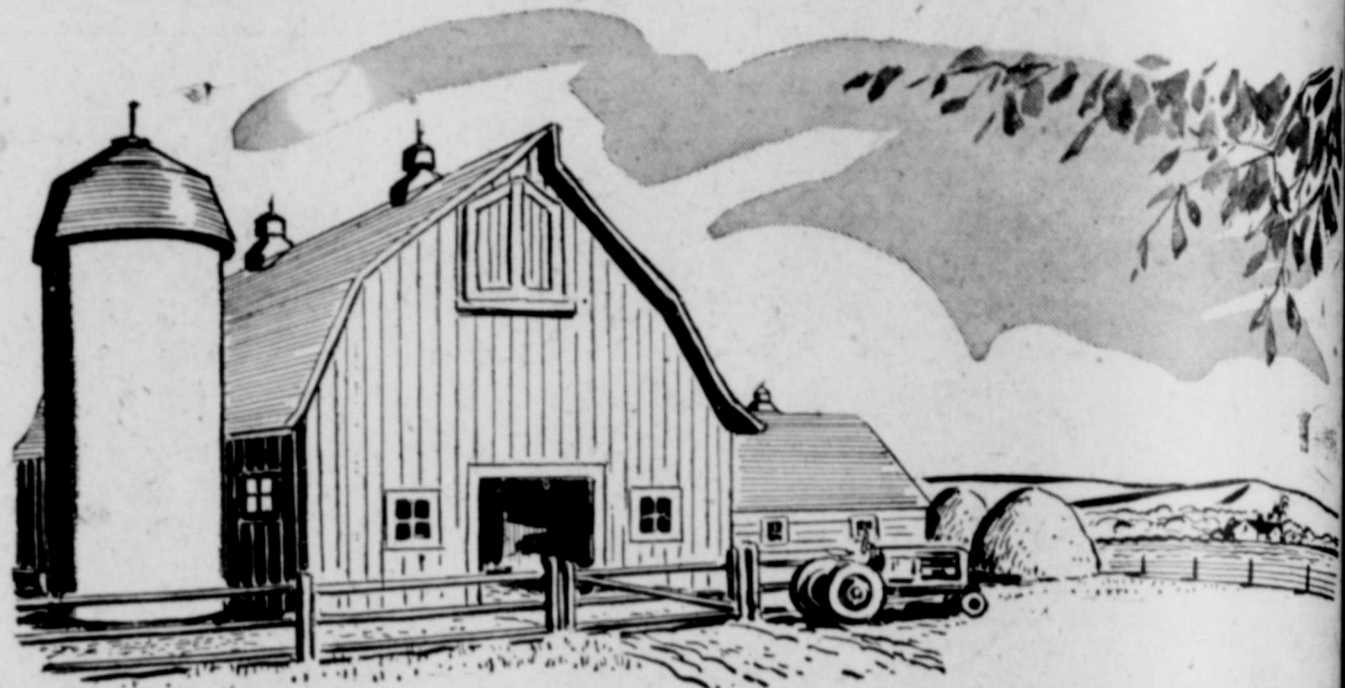
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ure of Rodeo be Mounted re Dance

Memphis Mounted Square Team, composed entirely of riders, will appear in the following the grand each performance of the Stamped. The team, sponsored by the Mem- ber of Commerce and nty Board of Develop- nounced all plans were for their part of the week-end with their sister and sister-in-law, Mrs. Fred Berry. They were en route to Bowie. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bolton and son of San Diego, Calif., visited with friends in Estelline Saturday. Mrs. F. Holland of Memphis spent Tuesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Holland. Miss Pat Sloan, who is attend-

ESTELLINE

By MRS. FRED BERRY

Andy Dunlap was carried to a Memphis hospital Monday. Mrs. Elizabeth Phillips and Mrs. Mary Richerson both underwent major operations in a Quanah hospital. Mrs. Winnie Hutchins was carried to a Quanah hospital Monday. Mrs. Gladys Caid of Tucson, Ariz., and Mrs. Maude Chandler of San Diego, Calif., spent the week-end with their sister and sister-in-law, Mrs. Fred Berry. They were en route to Bowie. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bolton and son of San Diego, Calif., visited with friends in Estelline Saturday. Mrs. F. Holland of Memphis spent Tuesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Holland. Miss Pat Sloan, who is attend-

CAMPUS FORMAL



Yards and yards of cotton net are used by designer Mary Muffet to create this very formal dance frock for big evenings on the campus. In pastels and white, the strapless bodice is garlanded in rosebuds and snugged for figure flattery.

ing school in Denton, spent the week-end visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sloan.

Billy Bob Holland and H. R. Gowan of Jaeksboro were business visitors in Estelline this week.

Captain O. J. Martin arrived from Japan last Wednesday on a thirty-day leave after receiving word that his daughter, Gwen, had been stricken with polio. Gwen is now in a Plainview hospital where she is receiving treatment. Captain Martin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Martin of near Memphis.

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By MAE PAUL

Mrs. Maggie McGlocklin spent the past week in Memphis visiting in the home of her son, V. L. McGlocklin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Franklin of Lockney were Monday night guests in the home of her father, Rube Canada.

Mrs. Susie Ray spent part of last week in Childress visiting her brother, Charlie Damon and family.

A large crowd from here attended the football game in Hollis, Okla., Friday night between Hollis and Estelline.

Mrs. Eunice Nivens and son Joe Barton, Monty Bob Morris, and James Huffmaster visited in the Jim Morris home near Brownfield over the week-end. L. T. Winn accompanied them as far as Lamesa where he plans to visit with relatives.

Mrs. L. T. Winn was a Saturday night guest of Mrs. W. H. Neely.

Mrs. R. N. Mothershed and Mrs. Carl Hill were business visitors in Childress Thursday.

Mrs. J. R. Morehead was a business visitor in Memphis Saturday morning.

Mrs. T. M. Wyrick spent Friday night in Memphis where she was a guest of Miss Nelvie Parker.

Miss Bobbie Davis of Tell visited Miss Nita Jean Trapp Friday and Saturday.

CALIFORNIAN ARRIVES TO ATTEND COTTON CARNIVAL

Ernest Ray McMurry of Oakland, Calif., arrived here Sunday night to spend a two-week vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed McMurry. Ernest is employed at the Navy Central Disbursing Office in Oakland.

"I planned my vacation at this time in order to be here for the Cotton Carnival," Ernest said when he visited The Democrat office Tuesday. "I surely do enjoy the paper and really got a kick out of a recent story about Memphis receiving a telegram with the name of the state omitted. I've had so much trouble with my letters being misssent to Memphis, Tenn., since I have lived in California that I'm glad people are waking up to the fact there is another Memphis," he added.

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Miss Jessica Davon, manufacturer of cosmetics bearing her name, and an international authority on styles, art, and culture, expressed hope visitors to the Carnival would submit "as many varied samples of clay as possible" during her stay in Memphis. She explained that many clays were being sought in the use of

cosmetics. Miss Davon is in charge of the Davon Products Corporation, and Individual, Inc., exhibits at the Cotton, Chemurgic and Ceramics Carnival. Coming to Memphis with Miss Davon will be designers from the Art and Fashion Guild of America who will design an individual dress for each queen candidate. As each girl appears on the stage Saturday night, the designers will drape and design a dress of cotton material best suited to the individual's personality. The dresses will be presented to the girls by the company.

Turkey People to Attend Carnival

W. B. Hooser, Pat Flynn, Chas. Boatman, and Mack Graham and his Red River Ramblers went to Turkey Saturday where a mass meeting was held in connection with the Memphis Carnival. They report a fine turnout, and the Turkey people ready to take a big part in the carnival. Mrs. Chas. Oren left this week for a visit with her sister at Decker, Tenn.

Cyclone's West Rates Top Spot On Star Parade

Sports editor of the Amarillo News, Frank A. Goodsoe Jr., in Wednesday's issue of that paper praised one of the Memphis Cyclone players, Gayle West, and nominated him as the News-Globe's "Player of the Week." Bill Davis, another member of the Cyclone squad, also received favorable mention. Goodsoe's article, in part, follows: If any Class A high school in Region One has a passer who is doing any better job than Gayle West, quarterback of the Memphis Cyclone, The News-Globe would like to know about him.

West hasn't played a full football game this season but the six-foot 160-pounder has connected 15 passes of approximately 19 attempted, according to reports from Memphis.

The owner of that amazing pitching weapon hit 10 of 13 in the first half of the Memphis game against Quanah. He was injured in the second half and retired, the Indians going on to take the battle, 20-6.

West has mended from that injury and Don Ezel used him only seven minutes last week as the Cyclone plastered Lakeview, 68-0.

The slingshot youngster passed for two touchdowns, scored another, and made good on five throws in six tries. Though Lakeview is of Class B rating this year, Gayle West is nominated as the News-Globe's "Player of the Week."

Bill Davis, son of the superintendent of Memphis High School, may be one of the hardest running backs in the region. He scored three touchdowns on salients that averaged 40 yards.



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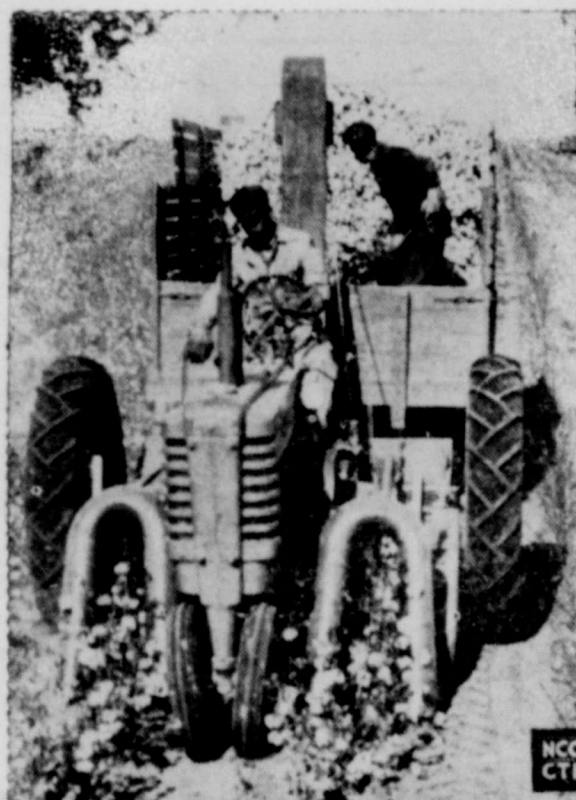
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PERSONALS

Thomas of Abilene is sister, Mrs. C. F. Thomas and her husband, deceased, published Post for a number

Mrs. C. F. Stout spent week in Amarillo, Tex., Lewallen, who is

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a reporter on the News-Globe. They also attended the Tri-State Fair while in Amarillo.

Rev. and Mrs. Jeff Moore and son David Gene visited here Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Lewis and other friends. Rev. Moore, who is a former pastor of the First Baptist Church in Memphis, is now pastor of the Mangum Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Thompson have as guests this week their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Thompson and Suzanne of Austin; their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Mackie and sons, Gary and Dwight of Pampa; and Mr. Thompson's sister, Mrs. C. C. Smith of Fort Worth.

Printer's Devil



Former newsboy Kay Kyser, now famed as the Ol' Professor, helps pressmen check an edition of the New York Herald Tribune during a visit in honor of National Newspaper Week, October 1 to 8. That week also marks the switch of Kay's "College of Musical Knowledge" program to Saturdays at 10:00 p.m. EST over NBC, starting October 4.

Kay Kyser Salutes National Paper Week October 1-8

Hey hileclun, pay attention! Class is now in session and this is your Ol' Professor telling you it's about time you paid tribute to one of America's greatest institutions — your hometown newspaper! This is National Newspaper Week and that's no "Comedy of Errors." In fact, it's time we all agreed nothing's more fun than a newspaper. Feeling very scholarly at the moment, I'd say that as the immediate reflection of a community's taste and opinion, your local newspaper is the crystallization of public thought and feeling. Not only that, but you can swat flies with a newspaper and what's better for lining bureau drawers? Being a high class student myself, ever since I rocked Rocky Mount by winning the zinc-plated yo-yo for being orator in the drum and bugle, howdecr and peanut racing corps, I remember

IT'S SACK-RILEGE



It's sack-rilege that so many cotton sacks are going to waste when they can be transformed into such beautiful articles of wear and household utility. The dress worn by Miss Lena Lela Ann Howard of near Memphis, Tenn., and the covering for the telephone stool on which she sits, were both created from ordinary cotton bags.

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| Specialty Acts | Exhibits | Wrestling Matches |
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Editorial

MEMPHIS CARNIVAL

(Editorial from front page of Plainview Daily Herald, Sept. 24.)

The carnival at Memphis next week is devoted to cotton, chemurgics and ceramics. That's an alliterative phrase that is fraught with meaning.

It is noteworthy that in setting up this carnival Memphis has embraced King Cotton, well known to Texas and the area from which the carnival draws its attendance, and has also entered two fields only remotely explored in the area.

Texas' greatest postwar industrial expansion has been in the field of heavy chemicals and ceramics, which utilize resources of the state heretofore lacking intensive development.

Chemurgy is a relatively new term, having been coined only a few years ago. It is derived from chemistry and the Greek combining term which means "worker." Metallurgy, for example, is a word similarly formed and familiar to most of us. Thus chemurgy is that branch of applied chemistry devoted to industrial utilization of organic raw materials, especially farm products, as in the use of soybean oil for paints and varnishes and of the Southern pine for paper pulp. Utilization of waxy sorghum grains for a tapioca substitute is a good example. Lanolin, the waxy substance from wool, has recently become a favorite base for cosmetics and is used as a coating to protect metals from exposure, etc.

Ceramics relates to making products from the earth by the agency of fire—pottery, brick, tile, etc.

Alertly Memphis challenges thinking and action in the fields of ceramics and chemurgy. It is not to be taken just as a catch phrase, with a pretty alliteration. "The only legitimate prayer is action," someone has forcefully said.

What has ceramics to do with the Northwest Texas region one might well ask.

It has little to do—up to now. Do you recall that through a heat process of refinement an alert West Texan is extracting and shipping Fuller's earth from Silvertown?

Who knows the varieties and the value of the clays and soils of the most unusual breaks and canyons which are occasional waterways from the Plains?

Maybe we need a little more prospecting in "them thar hills" and ravines. Maybe we need a little more prospecting by the core drill throughout Northwest Texas.

What are the chemical and ceramic resources of West Texas? Who knows? Who will find out? Will it be our generation or one more alert?

What are the chemurgic resources of the area? Memphis challenges the thinking and the activity of Northwest Texas.

Shall We Install The Cop Again?



Press Paragraphs—

QUOTING OUR NEIGHBORS

Economic Disaster

The economic disaster which threatens Great Britain and Western Europe will not wait for the implementation of the Marshall Plan, according to Acting Secretary of State Robert A. Lovett, who expresses the opinion that some action by the United States will be required by the end of this year.

Mr. Lovett warned that it was much later in Europe than we thought and that the United States will have to face the critical situation abroad much sooner than hitherto believed possible. He declared that the effect of the British financial crisis has been contagious and that whatever happens to upset British economy will be felt with equal or greater force on the Continent.

In addition, Mr. Lovett reports that the resources of many European countries have been used to get enough food to prevent mass starvation and, consequently, have not been available for the purchase or manufacture of machinery to produce more goods for export, which would, in time, ease conditions in Europe.—The Shamrock Texan.

Small Communities

The greatest compliment that can be paid to a community or a neighborhood is that a home owner can leave the house day or night without locking the door

and come back to find nothing has been disturbed and no prowlers have entered. This can be done in many small towns of this country, but city dwellers know better than to try it.—Foard County News.

One Guy to Another

Hello Chillicotheans! According to a statement by the lady who has assumed the role of being "my boss," guardian angel or what ever you want to call your helpmate or companion, who runs the home and the business too—I am supposed to (in a mild way) take over most of the responsibilities of guiding the destinies of this rag of freedom beginning in this issue. And, she has already put me to work, and I mean work!

I want to say that I am glad to be back in Texas. I have met some mighty fine people in Chillicothe already and am just beginning to get acquainted here. As stated last week I came to Texas in 1920 and have been in the state ever since that time with the exception of the past ten years—which was spent in Eldorado, Okla. Even then, I felt as though I was in Texas—in fact, where I lived in Oklahoma was at one time Texas, but early in this century, Texas decided that that little strip of land east of Red River wasn't much good—so it was given back to the Indians. (I certainly would not have made that statement while living there.) By V. H. Guy in Chillicothe Valley News.

wrote a letter to a newspaper, complaining at the food in the training camp. The letter was published and the military authorities were going to discipline him. But somebody said, "Maybe he's crazy" so they held a hearing, found him sane and then sentenced him to k. p. duty for three weeks.

Well, several years later, he and I were having an argument and, though we were friends, the discussion got a little heated and he implied I was not very intelligent. I said, At any rate, I never have been tried for lunacy." He said, "Well, I have the advantage of you—I have been tried and was found to be sane."

And I couldn't think of a comeback to that.

This Week in WASHINGTON

HIGH LIVING COSTS, a special session of congress in November and politics occupied the spotlight in Washington as President Truman arrived home from his vacation in Brazil. The President immediately went into session with his White House advisors and members of his cabinet, while the seriousness of the foreign situation was highlighted by the swearing in of James Forrestal as secretary of national defense.

In the meantime a survey about Washington would indicate it questionable if a quorum of congress could be mustered even if a special session were called with members junketing all over the world. A count showed that 57 members of the house and 30 senators were either already overseas or planning to go overseas on some aspect of our foreign policy. In addition approximately fifty members are junketing about this country holding hearings on some phase of the domestic front.

Not satisfied with the probe of the subcommittee on small business which is holding hearings in the west on farm cooperatives, Rep. Harold Knutson of Minnesota, chairman of the house ways and means committee has announced that one of the first questions to be considered by his committee when it convenes November 4 will be tax exemption of the co-ops.

And considerable interest is centered in the announced continuation of the Howard Hughes airplane contract inquiry by the senate war investigating committee headed by Sen. Owen Brewster of Maine. It would appear that the committee, in view of the boomerang of unfavorable publicity which made a hero of Hughes and a goat of the committee, would proceed with the hearing at least gingerly.

According to the thinking of experts both inside and outside of government here in Washington no price controls will be voted to curb the runaway inflation which has boosted food prices 97 percent; clothing prices 83 percent and all prices 56 percent since 1940. There will be demands for a reinstatement of price controls and even for rationing of key commodities, but the

experts believe the will have the vote action.

Apparently no one of government has the price question. In the industry and agriculture already at or near and according to the free enterprise willment interference with a ready market prices down instead of the opposite has been bluntly warned by Joseph C. O'Malley if it did not reduce and expand capacity "face to face with demand for government made no prediction action might be in danger of business prices and increase urged by President economic report in eight months ago."

It is apparent that will taper off in an effort to stimulate exports as an inflation here. While exports to the Europe may be raising some prices, department of agriculture that exports of wheat to May 1947 average price of production percent have increased.

At the same time of about 1.1 million wheat last year the first six months of 1947 was less than 200 million bushels or about 15 percent of period although price increased only about 10 percent on January 15 this year and on August 15 this year.

And speculation is a greater percentage in the price of wheat. For this reason the Chicago Board of wheat trading, which this writing has not

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 On the general subject of relief for the war-stricken countries:
 The war has been over for more than two years. They have soil and sunshine and manpower—the United States has no monopoly on these assets. It seems to me that we should taper off on relief and send them such things as seed and plows, so they can go to work and shift for themselves.
 The Book of Books says that man shall eat bread in the sweat of his brow—and those people should begin to eat their bread in the sweat of their own brows instead of in the sweat of the brows of the American taxpayers.
 That, in essence, is what we understand the Marshall plan to be.
 Your columnist felt highly flattered when an invitation arrived to speak to a convention of several hundred physicians from 11 states in Galveston. And then I found out that they are psychiatrists—and I don't know now whether they want to hear me or study me.
 But that does remind me of the time that I said something rude to a friend and was sorry the next moment and his retort made me sorer. He had served in the army in World War I and he

Producers About Quality

Producers believe the quality of government has the price question. In the industry and agriculture already at or near the free enterprise system. Interference with a ready market prices down instead of the opposite has been the result. Joseph C. O'Mahoney recently warned producers if it did not expand and expand capacity. "Face to face with demand for government made to produce action might be the danger of government be avoided if business prices and increase urged by President in economic report in eight months ago."

flour would not stand up against Montana flour, and I am compelled to say that the bread I ate in California was far superior to anything you can buy in Texas.

Why is this? Simply because Texas produces too much undesirable wheat, such as Chiefkan and other varieties having very poor baking qualities, and this to my mind, MUST be changed, for some of these days your export demand is going to die, and you will need a market for Texas wheat, and it is ridiculous to learn that very little Texas wheat, and it is ridiculous to learn that very little Texas wheat or flour goes to California.

Understand, I am not posing as an economist, agronomist, or any other kind of an "ist," but if Kanred, Tenmarq, Marquis, and other desirable varieties of wheat will produce as much as Chiefkan, Black Hull, and those other undesirable varieties, then every grain shipper, elevator man, and flour miller should join forces and endeavor to persuade the farmers to plant wheat they can sell.

For the first time in the 37 years I have been in Fort Worth, several mills in Texas, Oklahoma, and Kansas, as well as California,

THE PLATE, PLEASE!



Pretty Lauta Averett of Ashburn, Ga., holds a mahogany serving plate which has been beautified with the addition of a bright bit of cotton fabric. The manufacturer inlays the plate with fabric and then seals it with a permanent finish.

have refused to buy wheat from me coming from certain Texas counties.

This condition is further emphasized by the fact that for the first time, to my knowledge, a Kansas City cash wheat, Southwestern origin, 13 per cent protein, is selling at 6 cents per bushel under Northwestern origin 13 per cent protein wheat.

So, I am sounding a warning to the other members of this association, without prejudice or bias, as something should and must be done, as Texas wheat and Texas flour are certainly entitled to every available market outlet. THINK IT OVER.

Mrs. Clifton Burnett and Mrs. Frank Monzingo were visitors in Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. Paul Brewer and daughter Glenda Lou and Mrs. L. A. Dickey and granddaughter Lynda Jon Sorman, all of Wellington, visited Friday in the home of their sister and daughter, Mrs. Herschel Combs and family.

Deaf Smith County Exhibit Outstanding

A pioneer exhibitor could not call on the gentlemen and informed them they were going to have a part. Argen Draper, live-wire home demonstration agent of Deaf Smith County with 300 of her club women got busy and will participate with canned fruits, vegetables, and a variety of fresh vegetables and flowers.

J. R. Elliston and his partner, Ellis Posey, real estate counselors of Hereford, who have been showing at the fairs since 1909, arrived Sunday to set up an exhibit booth at the high school gym.

Elliston will be here along with ten or fifteen farmers and business men during the Carnival with an exhibit "that will knock your eyes out," Elliston said. This exhibit will represent quality mineralized foods; Chemurgy-Ceramics. Mr. Elliston is a member of both the national and state chemurgy councils.

The women of Deaf Smith County, proud of their county and want to tell the world about it, finding out that few progressive farmers and business men of that county were planning to assist Memphis in one of the greatest fairs ever put on in West Texas,

acre. He has stored in his cellar 592,760 pounds of these potatoes.

Speaking of potatoes, Elliston while here Spnday, distributed several sacks of potatoes and onions to the people of Memphis he said he "hated most." The publishers of The Democrat came in that class and are richer by several meals with big juicy onions and foot-long potatoes. He will distribute more here this weekend to the queens from the various counties and to members of the press who visit the Carnival.

A movie in technicolor of Deaf Smith County and the colorful Palo Duro Canyon will be shown

for the first time at the Memphis carnival. Elliston and Posey will start next week touring 44 states and showing the picture to interest farmers and industries in their county and the town of Hereford, which is known as "the town without a toothache."

NOTICE

The Memphis Rebekah Lodge No. 346 will serve pie, sandwiches, and coffee in the Rebekah Hall, located over Brown's Furniture Store, Friday, October 3.

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Memphis, Texas
"Cotton's Home Town"

OCT. 2-3-4, 1947

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 1947

THE DUDLEY SHOWS—Stupendous midway of rides, shows and concessions, to continue through Saturday, October 4, 1947
Starting construction of more than 100 exhibits.

THURSDAY

2:30 p. m.—Rodeo parade featuring nation's outstanding champions.
6:00 p. m.—Deadline for registration of cowboys, cowgirls, queen candidates, allocation of rooms, etc.
8:00 p. m.—First go around of Memphis Stampede, R.C.A. open Rodeo presented by Jones brothers, and featuring Ted and Betty Lamb; Leonard Stroud; Calgary Red, and a host of other arena celebrities.
ALL DAY—Dudley shows on the midway.
8:00 TO MIDNIGHT—Dances in Legion Home, Country Club, etc.
MIDNIGHT—Cotton Capers of 1947 at Ritz Theater. Radio broadcast of stars, musicians, entertainers and Queens, featuring Johnny Sissom, or Lester The Great Magical Wizard and Master Of Ceremonies, assisted by The Great Lippincott, magician and comedian. Music by "Sons Of The West" and "Panhandle Cowboys" and "Red River Ramblers" and Memphis High School Band.
2:00 a. m.—Street dancing until dawn.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1947

ALL DAY—Exhibits in High School Gymnasium, around the court house square and main streets. Demonstrations, etc.
10:00 a. m.—Delegation meets Governor Beauford H. Jester at Clarendon Airport to escort his party to Memphis.
11:00 a. m.—Introduction of Governor and party, court house square, band concert, radio broadcast, etc.
1:30 to 3:00—Second round of Memphis Stampede (R. C. A. open Rodeo presented by Jones Brothers.
4:00 p. m.—Impromptu street shows.
8:00 p. m.—Football game, Memphis vs McLean (conference).
10:00 p. m.—Queen's presentation ball (Country Club).
Dancing: Legion Home, Howard's Hall.
MIDNIGHT—Cotton Capers of 1947 and Sneak Prevue, Ritz and Palace theaters. Featuring Senator W. Lee O'Daniel.
2:00 a. m.—Until dawn—Street dances and shows.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1947

DAYLIGHT UNTIL 10 O'CLOCK—Welcome visiting delegations.
ALL DAY—Dudley Shows, Exhibits, Impromptu Acts, Radio Broadcasting; band concerts, Maverick Club shows, etc.
10:00 a. m.—Amarillo special train arrives along with more than 25 other West Texas Delegations.
11:00 a. m.—Parade of West Texas headed by Sen. W. Lee O'Daniel.
12:00-NOON—Bands eat at school house; horses and riders report to Stadium.
2:00 p. m.—Memphis Stampede (Jones brothers R.C.A. Rodeo) at Stadium.
2:30 p. m.—Cowgirl sponsor contest at Rodeo stadium.
3:00 p. m.—Courthouse square, broadcast, newsreel shots and speaking by dignitaries and celebrities.
4:00 p. m.—Maverick Club tumblers and trampoline artists.
5:00 p. m.—Impromptu acts on courthouse square; band concert.
6:00 p. m.—Rodeo parade.
7:30 p. m.—Championship wrestling matches at stadium.
9:00 p. m.—Finals of Memphis Stampede rodeo at stadium.
ALL EVENING—Scores of dances and impromptu acts on the square.
12:00 MIDNIGHT—Cotton Capers stage show and selection of Queen of West Texas, on the square.
2:00 a. m.—UNTIL DAWN—Street dancing and stage shows on square.

EXTRA ATTRACTIONS . . .

Technicolor motion pictures shown every hour in High School auditorium Friday and Saturday morning, afternoon and nights.
COTTON, CHEMURGIC AND INDUSTRIAL PICTURES—all free.

Locals and Personals

Mrs. W. R. Taylor arrived last week from an extended visit in Oregon. She reports an enjoyable visit, but was ready to return to good old Memphis.

Homer Shankle, who has been living in California for some time, arrived last week to spend the fall here and assist his father, J. D. Shankle, in the cotton brokerage business.

E. N. Scott, who has been living in Amarillo for some months, has returned to Memphis to make his home again.

A. S. Bevers of near Lakeview reports he will make one-half bale of cotton per acre on 40 acres this year, and it is all ready for gathering.

Memphis Stampede

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contest offering a hand-tailored saddle to the winner and cash awards to runners-up.

A mammoth parade will be held Saturday morning. Everyone owning a horse is invited to ride in all parades, Frank Monzingo, marshal, has announced.

Some of the most salty stock in Texas will be seen in action, Jones promises. In addition to the stock, some of America's best riders and ropers will be competing for the \$1,500 added contest.

Performances will be held to-night at 8:30 o'clock; at 1:30 o'clock Friday afternoon; 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, and the finals at 8:30 o'clock Saturday night.

Admission prices are \$1.50 per person, tax included. Tickets are now on sale throughout the city.

Cyclone-Tigers—

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include Dell Rich, tackle; Duane Vickers and Olin Jenkins, ends; and Jack Pierce, center. West, who has thrown twenty passes this season has completed seventeen of them and after an absence of two weeks will be back in the lineup "throwing that ball." The steadily improved running of Morrison and Davis will feature the ground attack of the home team.

Probable starting lineups:

McLean	Pos.	Memphis
Shelton	E	Jenkins
Andrews	T	Rich
Allen	G	Newbrough
Smith	C	Pierce
Newton	G	Orand
Myatt	T	Lamb
Eudey	E	Vickers
Bruner	Q	West
Haynes	H	D Morrison
Langham	H	Gardenhire
Griffith	F	Davis

Cotton Capers—

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their talent to assist in the stage show production.

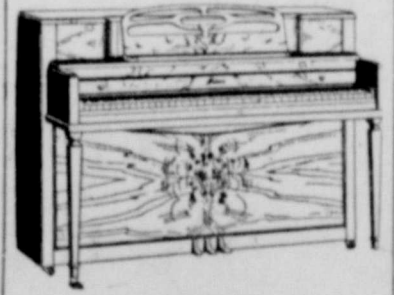
Ben Wilson Jr., chairman of the stage show committee, predicts a sell-out for both performances.

Tickets for any or all performances are now on sale on Memphis streets or at either theater.

Prominent Visitors

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Chamber of Commerce and the Hall County Board of Development, the West Texas Cotton, Chemurgic, and Ceramics Carnival's sole objective is to exploit the natural and industrial resources of West Texas and to entertain the guests of Memphis with an elaborate and colorful series of events.



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VIII *** NWN SERVICE *** MEMPHIS, HALL COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY AFTERNOON, OCTOBER 2, 1947 *** SEVEN CENTS *** NUMBER 17



CHAMPION—The grand champion Duroc boar of the swine show at the State Fair last week is pictured above with his owner, John Luther Byars of Amarillo Times Photo.



DON HANCOCK

Don Hancock To Receive Plaque At State Fair

Don Hancock of Lakeview, who was recently named district 3 winner of the State Fair Award, and will be presented a plaque at Dallas Saturday by the Dallas State Fair before an estimated 22,000 4-H Club boys of Texas.

Don won the award on records of his 4-H work during the year, and the district in which he won the award this year is composed of 19 counties.

The Memphis chamber of commerce will pay Don's expenses on the Dallas trip.

Decorated Business District Gives Air Of Celebration

Final touches were given business and public buildings this morning as the last decorations were hung from ledges, awnings, and store fronts. Visitors were exclaiming about the carnival atmosphere of the city upon arrival here, and it is being acknowledged that Memphis is proving to be an excellent host to carnival guests.

A check revealed that about 99 per cent of the city's business district is decorated for the Cotton Carnival. Colorful floats and displays in show windows add to (Continued on Page 8)

Plans Made To Feed Visitors During Cotton Carnival

Large stocks of foods have been bought and stored by cafes, restaurants, drug stores and concessionaries in preparation for feeding the thousands of Cotton Carnival visitors in Memphis Friday and Saturday.

A shortage of help in many eating establishments may cause a slight handicap in some places, although owners stated every effort would be made to take care of the eating needs of out-of-town and local people.

Several cafe owners said they were planning to remain open all night Friday and Saturday, if extra help could be obtained.

Public Asked to Buy Stage Show Tickets Early

Tickets for "Cotton Capers of 1947" and "Sneak Prevue" showing at the Palace and Ritz theaters Thursday and Friday nights may be obtained from members of the Business and Professional Women's Club, W. B. Wilson Jr., special show chairman, announced this week.

Miss Ella Mae Kercheville is in charge of advance sales for the B. & P. W. Club. Anyone wanting tickets should call Wilson or Miss Kercheville, and tickets will be delivered to them. Only a few tickets remain for the Thursday night show, Wilson said.

Tickets not sold in advance will be on sale at the box office of the Palace and Ritz theaters prior to the beginning of the stage shows.

'The Parade of West Texas' To Be Longest and Best, Parade Chairman States

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"CHEMURGY—the application of Chemistry and Related Sciences to the raw materials of the farm and forest—is a mighty, new force in our modern economy. It is apotent, vital force.

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—VICTOR H. SCHOFFELMAYER
President, Texas Chemurgic Council



REV. E. O. MILLS

Retired Missionary To Japan To Speak At Baptist Church

Rev. E. O. Mills, retired Missionary to Japan, will be a guest speaker at the Training Union hour, 6:30 p. m., at the First Baptist Church of Memphis Sunday, according to an announcement made this week by Otis Jones, Training Union director.

Rev. Mills went to Japan in 1908 and served there as missionary of the Southern Baptist Convention for thirty years. During this time he was stationed at Nagasaki, the scene of the second atomic bomb.

With the use of lantern slides which were taken from actual photographs he will be able to portray existing conditions of that country from a missionary's point of view, in a very interesting manner, Jones said.

The public is invited.

Free Parking Lots To Be Provided For Visitors

Officials of the City of Memphis today invited Cotton Carnival visitors to use the three parking lots, which are now ready. The lots are near the business district, and will aid in alleviating the parking space shortage Friday and Saturday.

Persons who are in the habit of going to their places of business in their automobiles, and parking them all day on the streets, were requested to try and make other parking arrangements. This will also help relieve the parking problem, the officials stated.

Several other vacant lots with (Continued on Page 8)

Through Traffic To Detour As Safety Measure

All automobile traffic through the City of Memphis will be detoured around the square Friday and Saturday, W. P. Baten, chief of police, said today, following conferences with officials of the State Highway Department. The re-routing of traffic is being done as a safety precaution, as indications point to crowds of pedestrians filling the streets on all sides of the court house several times during the Cotton Carnival.

Special highway police will be in Memphis both Friday and Saturday to handle the traffic, and to aid the local police department, officials stated.

The route for through traffic, as announced late Wednesday, will be as follows: Traffic may approach the business district on Noel street coming from the east and will be turned south at the southeast corner of the square; go south one block; then turn west one block; then north one block to the southwest corner of the square, and on out West Noel street. East bound traffic will follow the same route in the opposite direction.

No parking will be allowed on the square during Friday and Saturday. The square will be roped off, and traffic will (Continued on Page 8)

WEATHER

A lot of people have been worrying for fear it will rain and he had weather here during the Cotton Carnival, and of course a lot of farmers want to see a good rain so they can sow wheat and get some range grass growing for their stock this winter.

Not wanting to get out on a limb in the matter, the editor of The Democrat put in a phone call this morning for Gene Howe, better known as Old Tack the Panhandle weather prognosticator supreme. Tack was out of town, so the News-Globe got busy and contacted him by wireless, and this is his prediction:

Weather: Fair and more of the same.

Some light Panhandle breezes, carrying plenty of Vitamin K, may blow from the southwest.

There is no bad or rainy weather in sight for at least five days.

Don't worry, but enjoy every minute of your great cotton carnival.

Regards,
ERASMUS TACK.

With the longest floats, greatest number of cowboys and cowgirls, beautiful queens, and many other unusual and unique attractions, "The Parade of West Texas" was pronounced "ready to roll" by Frank Monzingo, parade marshal, as he and his assistants completed final plans for the spectacular event which will highlight the Saturday morning Carnival program.

Wholehearted cooperation is being given by business firms and individuals of the city, and many are entering as many as seven units. History will be depicted by numerous floats when they pass in review. Cotton will be the predominating theme which the decorators are carrying out.

Monzingo stated that the parade will form on South 6th street and will move north. Overflow units will be placed on east-west streets, and will be routed into the parade in their order. When the parade reaches the square coming up South 6th, it will turn east for one block, then go north one block, west one block, and south one block, which completely circles the square. After arriving at the southwest corner of the square, it will turn west up Noel street, and will begin dispersing when it reaches 10th street.

Members of visiting bands will gather at the high school cafeteria immediately following the parade, where they will be served a lunch by the vocational agriculture and home economics students of Memphis High School.

The number of out-of-town floats which will be in the parade was not available, Monzingo said, although many neighboring cities have stated they were working on details for their entry.

Monzingo would not guess as to the length of the parade, but said that it would be "the longest and best we have ever seen here in Memphis."

McLEAN TIGERS SET FOR TILT WITH CYCLONE

(Special to The Democrat)
By LESTER H. CAMPBELL
Editor-Manager of McLean News
McLEAN—The McLean Tigers, once a loser and once a winner this season, are primed and ready to overcome the Memphis Cyclone on the Cyclone field tomorrow night, and a large delegation of fans will follow the Tigers to Memphis and enjoy the festivities of the West Texas Cotton, Chemurgic, and Ceramic Carnival.

The Tigers have played two games this season, losing to Panther in the opener 26 to 0, and then bouncing back to take a conference victory from Wheeler 14 to 13.

Last week-end was an open date for the McLean eleven, giving them a rest before journeying to Memphis.

Stand-outs on the squad thus far include Bill Boston, ace passer and quarterback in the Tiger "T" formation. Boston, a slow runner, does not do well carrying the ball, but his passing has been exceptionally accurate in the two games this season. Hardest backfield runner is Johnny Griffith, a 160-pounder, who has displayed some excellent running ability so far. Griffith, although not too speedy, hits hard and twists away from any would-be tacklers. Other backfield men who have seen a great deal of action include W. A. Bruner, 160 pounds, Johnny Haynes, 132 pounds, Wes Langham, 150 pounds, Johnny Vineyard, and L. M. Watson (Watson is a freshman this year, and promises to be an outstanding player in another season.)

Heading the list of linesmen are two giant tackles, Dick Andrews, left tackle, at 205 pounds, and Barney Myatt, right tackle, (Continued on Page 8)



CHAMPION—Leon Martin is showing the yearling sow which also won grand champion honors at the Amarillo Tri-State Fair last year. The sow is owned by Leon and Archie Martin of Amarillo Times Photo.

Children Named Director

Memphis drug store director of the 10th annual group in Tuesday. He is one of several in the state who are directors of the group.

Linck, executive director (Continued on Page 8)

Greenbelt Highway Association Plans For State Highway

The Greenbelt Highway Association was formed Thursday night of last week in Quail, where a large group of better road enthusiasts gathered to discuss hopes for a state highway to connect U. S. Highway 66 at Lela with highway 287 in Memphis. A large number of boosters were present in the Quail school, the world's largest rural consolidated plant.

Ben Farmer, Quail, was elected president of the association. Palo Cummings was selected vice president, and T. C. Crabtree, secretary-treasurer. All are residents of Collingsworth County.

The membership committee, headed by Guy Hill, manager of the Shamrock chamber of commerce, includes the following newspaper publishers: Claude Wells, Memphis Democrat; Albert Cooper, Shamrock Texan; Deskins Wells, Wellington Leader; Herbert Hillburn, Plainview News; Clyde Warwick, Canyon News; and Jimmy Gillentine, Hereford Brand.

A committee was named to go to Austin to confer with state officials relative to the road possibility and ascertain the necessary requirements for such a project. Committee members include Bill Walker, Shamrock; Roy Patton, Memphis; Ben Farmer and Palo Cummings, both of Quail. Pat Flynn, Memphis, was named delegate-at-large by the committee.

The proposed road would, when completed, open a virgin empire of several hundred square miles of farm and ranch communities, afford improved school facilities, and offer a new avenue of traffic from north to south connecting with transcontinental routes once the road west of Memphis has been completed. Funds have been allocated to erect a bridge across Mulberry Creek, west of Memphis, and work will start as quickly as materials arrive.

Ceramics Display May Be Seen At Democrat Office

One of the most interesting ceramic displays to be shown here during the Cotton Carnival is that of the Silvertown Clay Products Corporation, owned and operated by J. L. Webb Sr. and J. L. Webb Jr. of Silvertown.

The display is being placed in the front windows of The Democrat office where they may be viewed by all who care to see them. The display will consist of (Continued on Page 8)

Attractive Miscellaneous Shower Honors Miss Randolph, Bride-elect

One of the loveliest socials of the past week was the reception and shower given to honor Miss Billie Randolph, popular young bride-elect of W. R. Parker. Mrs. Bud Godfrey was hostess for this lovely pre-nuptial courtesy at her home Monday evening of last week.

Sharing hostess duties with Mrs. Godfrey were Mesdames R. H. Wherry, C. C. Compton, Sam Hamilton, Frank Ellis, Robert Breedlove, George Cullin, Oattie Jones, Lynn Jones, Lloyd Phillips, Omer Hill, J. S. Smith, D. A. Grundy, Roy Patton, Bob Scott, Linnis Simpson, Jean Lamb, Emma Baskerville, Harry Womack, and Misses Ruth Jones, Nancy Jones, and Doris Compton.

Guests calling between the hours of 7 and 9 o'clock were greeted by the hostess, the honoree, the bride-elect's mother, Mrs. Leon Randolph, and the mother of the groom-elect, Mrs. J. P. Parker.

Mrs. Linnis Simpson secured

signatures of the guests for the bride's book.

Beautiful floral arrangements, featuring the bride-elect's chosen colors of blue and white, were used most effectively in the reception suite and in the dining room. The chosen color scheme was also noted in the corsages worn by the honoree and Mrs. Randolph and Mrs. Parker.

The handsomely appointed refreshment table was laid with a lace cloth and centered with a distinctive arrangement of white gladioli and blue asters. Miss Ruth Jones and Miss Nancy Jones presided at the punch service and they were assisted in serving by Miss Doris Compton.

A beautiful array of gifts, including china, crystal, and miscellaneous articles, were on display during the party hours. The hostess group presented the honoree with china.

Approximately 50 guests called during the receiving hours.

Officers Installed At Monthly Meeting of Sodolitan Class

The Sodolitan Class of the First Baptist Church met Friday of last week in the home of Mrs. L. G. Rasco for the monthly business and social meeting.

Mrs. Oattie Jones, president, opened the meeting with prayer after which the group sang the class song, "Blest Be the Tie." During the business discussion Mrs. Henry Scott, outgoing secretary, gave a report on the year's work. The devotional, "A Christian Home" was given by Mrs. O. T. Toney and Mrs. Baskerville and Mrs. Rasco sang a duet, "Jesus Savior Pilot Me."

Acting as installing officer, Mrs. Henry Hays installed the incoming officers for the new year using as the theme "The Home of Mrs. Sodolitan." Mrs. Toney sang "Home Sweet Home" as Mrs. Weldon Lewis drew a chalk picture of "Home" accompanied by Mrs. T. L. Rouse at the piano.

The hostess group, including Mrs. Frank Smith, Mrs. L. O. McCoy, Mrs. J. M. Saunders, and Mrs. Rasco, served refreshments of angel food cake, punch, sandwiches, and mints during the social hour.

In attendance were Mesdames D. L. C. Kinard, Oattie Jones, Leonard Wilson, Emma Baskerville, J. R. Saunders, Henry Scott, H. Byrd, Larry Simpson, Frank Ellis, Theo Swift, Bud Godfrey, Pay Patton, a visitor, Henry Hays, O. T. Toney, Weldon Lewis, T. L. Rouse, J. H. Smith, and Mary E. Combest.

Home Ec Club of Lakeview Elects New Officers

Officers were elected at a recent meeting of the Lakeview Home Economics Club when that organization met to organize for the year's work.

Officers named were as follows: Betty Hulsey, president; Martha Davenport, vice president; Grace Sanders, secretary-treasurer; and Patsy Byars, reporter.

Following the election of officers, the president appointed a year book and program committee. The members decided to keep the same colors and flower that the club used last year.

The club is looking forward to an enjoyable and successful year and are planning a trip in the near future, the reporter stated. Meetings will be held monthly.

WHOOPS!



No, this isn't a strip-tease, but just Hulda Cannon, 1947 International Cotton Queen, demonstrating a neat combination of cottons at the Cotton States Jubilee of the Lions international convention in San Francisco, where she won the title.

Miss Cochran and William Wheeler Wed in Childress

Miss Dorothy Mae Cochran, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Cochran of this city, and William Wheeler, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wheeler of Lakeview, were married at 4:45 o'clock Sunday afternoon, September 28, at the First Methodist parsonage in Childress. Rev. Crow, pastor of the church, performed the single ring ceremony.

Attending the couple were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Patrick and Miss Betty Cochran, sister of the bride, all of Memphis. Mrs. Patrick, who served as matron-of-honor, wore a black wool suit accented by black and white accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

For her wedding, the bride chose a gray wool tailored suit with black accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

Following a honeymoon trip to Dallas the couple will be at home in Lakeview where the groom is engaged in farming.

Mystic Weavers Meet in Home of Mrs. R. H. Wherry

The Mystic Weaver Club met in the home of Mrs. R. H. Wherry Wednesday afternoon of last week.

Mrs. Jim McMurry, president, presided during the business session.

During the social hour, a dainty refreshment plate was served to 16 members and two guests.

The next meeting is slated for October 8 in the home of Mrs. Lee Thornton.

Baptist S.S. Class Elects Officers

The Sunday School Class for 14-year-olds of the First Baptist Church elected officers September 21.

Officers named included Patsy Jean Adcock, president; Eudine Gable, vice president; Norma Lou Barnes, secretary; Ann Spoon, treasurer; and Norma Lou Barnes, reporter. Mrs. Jones is the teacher.

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Amarilloans Wed In Memphis Rites

In a single ring ceremony performed last Thursday afternoon in the parsonage of the First Methodist Church of Memphis Mabel Mae Dailing and Arthur Bruce Campbell, both of Amarillo, were united in marriage. Rev. C. C. Armstrong read the marriage vows.

Dalhart Couple Weds in Memphis

Miss Betty Jo DeBusk and Jack W. Wilkinson, both of Dalhart, were united in marriage last Thursday afternoon at the parsonage of the First Methodist Church here. Rev. C. C. Armstrong, pastor, performed the marriage ceremony.

Parnell Club Is Making Quilt Tops For Boy's Ranch

The Parnell Club met Wednesday, September 24, with Mesdames Dorothy Damron, Roxie Orcutt, and Miss Lucille Latham as hostesses.

During the business hour, the club voted to have a musical program at the school house in the near future. The club members have pieced enough quilt blocks for one quilt top for the Boy's Ranch. Mrs. C. Rapp of the Hul-

ver community presented with enough blocks for top. Mrs. Motherhead of the club with a story. The next meeting of the school house Oct. 1 Mesdames Mae and Omer and Crump Farm. There were 17 present at the meeting. The first agricultural station in the University, Middletown, 1878.

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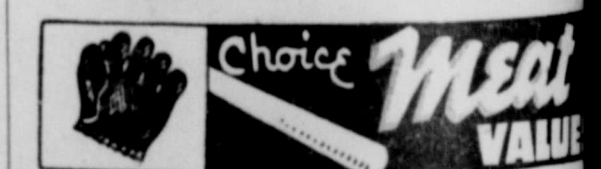
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Officers M.U. Are Monday

ressive ceremony of the W. M. U. of the Church were in the afternoon. The church. Tension acted as officer and was assisted by Lewis, educational of the church. The for the service was the "Future," and office were assigned pertaining to operations, such as engineer, conductor, etc. of the service asked if they were trip. "If so, take the W. M. U. Exchange faithful service line you represent," officer said.

Officers were in Henry Hays, president; H. Lindsey, Mrs. J. C. Duckett, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Robert Daphne Hillhouse, Mrs. Frank Ellis, secretary; Mrs. Earl corresponding secretary; Mrs. J. H. secretary; Mrs. L. G. director; Mrs. Em-



L. T. Offield Celebrates 87th Birthday Anniversary Sunday in Pallmeyer Home

Four generations were present when L. T. Offield, a Hall County resident for the past 46 years and a Memphis resident for 30 years, celebrated his 87th birthday anniversary in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Seth Pallmeyer, 415 South 8th street, Sunday.

The four generations present were Mr. Offield, Mrs. Pallmeyer, Mrs. Foster Watkins and her two sons, Foster Jr. and Seth Paul. Mr. and Mrs. Offield were married in Missouri and moved to Hall County in 1901, locating near Newlin where they lived for several years before moving to Memphis. They are the parents of two daughters, Mrs. Pallmeyer and Mrs. Bill Kesterson, both of Memphis.

Mr. Offield is still active and takes a part in community life. His hobbies are fishing and baseball and he attended every game the local club participated in this past season with the exception of one.

Those present for the birthday dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kesterson and son Bill George, Mr. and Mrs. Foster Watkins and sons, Foster Jr. and Seth Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Offield, Misses Pearl Hague, Roselyn Williams, Marjorie Rogers, and Laurel Ellis, and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Pallmeyer.

1913 Study Club Meets in Home of Mrs. T. J. Dunbar

The 1913 Study Club met Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. T. J. Dunbar.

The program topic for the afternoon was the "Power of Word." Eleven members answered roll call by naming "Troublesome Twins." Mrs. Mac Tarver spoke on "Thoughts Expressed" and Mrs. Joe DeBerry gave "American Speech." Mrs. Gayle Greene conducted a spelling match as the concluding number on the afternoon's program.

Members present were Mesdames Byron Baldwin, Joe DeBerry, Allen Dunbar, A. L. Gailey, Gayle Greene, R. S. Greene, D. L. C. Kinard, M. McNeely, M. G. Tarver, O. T. Toney, and R. C. Walker.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. T. W. Harrison at which time Mrs. A. L. Gailey will review a book, "East River" by Sholem Asch.

Legion Auxiliary To Meet October 9

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet Thursday night, October 9, at 7:30 o'clock at the Legion Hall, according to an announcement made this week.

This is to be a joint meeting with members of the American Legion and all old and new members are especially urged to be present, members stated.

Pounds Sisters Are Students At ACC

Enrolled in Abilene Christian College this year as a senior student is Jacqueline Pounds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lafayette Pounds of Vinson, Okla., and formerly of this city. She is majoring in the field of art. Also attending is her sister, Jerita Faye Pounds. She is a sophomore student and is majoring in the field of English.

Jacqueline and Jerita are the granddaughters of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Pounds of Memphis.

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Lewis Nordyke Likes Plain Carnival, Not Chemurgic-Ceramics

The Amarillo Daily News columnist, Lewis Nordyke, is old fashioned, in spite of the years he has lived in the Panhandle of Texas, as this excerpt from The News will attest:

Commenting sometime back on the big celebration down at Memphis, I expressed a desire to see Editor Claude Wells of The Memphis Democrat write the name of the event—West Texas Cotton, Chemurgic and Ceramics Carnival—in one headline. He did it last week, but it took five columns. They are having a big to-do at Memphis tomorrow, Friday, and Saturday. It will be a wonderful celebration and show, but it still is burdened with a terrific name that sounds like something about socialized medicine. I simply can't imagine a Chemurgic Carnival. I like the kind at which you lose your money tossing balls at baby dolls.

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Girl Scouts Give Program At Culture Club Meeting

Girl Scout Troop No. 2, under the direction of Miss Leona McCraw, presented the program at the Woman's Culture Club meeting Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Jeanette Irons and Mrs. Homer Tribble were joint hostesses on the occasion.

Members of the club brought "white elephants" and donated them to the Girl Scout troop. The troop will hold a "white elephant" sale during the cotton carnival, at the school house.

Punch and cookies were served during the social hour to Mrs. D. A. Grundy, Mrs. H. L. Halsey, Mrs. R. L. Madden, Mrs. Clarence Morris, Mrs. Lloyd Phillips, Mrs. Ward Gurley, Mrs. Homer Tribble, Mrs. Jeanette Irons, and Miss Esta McElrath.

Gay splomb is the keynote of this play outfit of candy-stripe cotton—hintz that is especially becoming to petite girls. As pretty Gloria Henry of Columbia demonstrates, the elastic binding on both midriff and skirt makes the waist and shoulder line form-fitting.

ma Baskerville, pianist; Mrs. Larry Simpson, refreshments; Mrs. A. M. Wyatt, flowers; Mrs. C. R. Tension, missions; Mrs. D. A. Grundy, mission study; Mrs. Sam Hamilton, stewardship; Mrs. John Barber, periodicals; Mrs. Bud Godfrey, community missions; Mrs. T. T. Loard, benevolence; Mrs. O. T. Toney, Bible study; and Mrs. George Cullin, education.

LAKEVIEW

(By Correspondent)

Mrs. J. W. Morrison of Clarendon, Florence Brass of San Angelo and Raymond Morrison and family of Pampa spent last Sunday with D. H. Davenport and wife. They are all old-time friends of the Davenports and were residents of Lakeview over 60 years ago. They also attended the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Davenport 56 years ago.

Mrs. S. S. Robbins and daughter of Seattle, Wash., also old-time friends of the Davenports, visited with them for a short time while en route to Tennessee. They were curious to know "if the sand was still blowing as bad as it was 53 years ago."

H. L. Davenport and wife are at home from a week fishing at Lake Kemp.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Davenport Jr. have visiting this week her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Clawson of DeKalb.

S. I. Davenport and children of Vernon visited with his brother, D. H. Davenport, Tuesday. While here Mr. Davenport bought a club calf.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Davenport are at home after spending a week at their Lake Kemp cabin with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williamson as their guests. Mr. and Mrs. John Capps joined them Monday for a few days fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace DuVal and Bennie Earl made a business trip to Oklahoma City Monday.

RECEPTION TO HONOR ARTIST GRAZIANA AT SPRINGFIELD, MASS.

On Sunday afternoon, October 5, a reception will be given at the Springfield, Mass., Museum of Fine Arts in honor of the artist, Sante Graziana, who has just completed a mural at the museum.

Graziana is the husband of a Memphis girl, the former Miss Jacqueline McMurry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim McMurry.

An invitation was extended to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wells of Memphis to attend the reception.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Harrell left Sunday for Dallas where they will visit for a week with their son, J. T. Harrell and family.

J. P. Oren of Denver is here visiting his brother, Chas. Oren.

STAMPS QUARTET WILL PRESENT CONCERT AT HEDLEY OCTOBER 11

Gene Moss and his quartet of the Stamps-Baxter Music Company will give a concert at Hedley Saturday night, October 11, at 8 o'clock in the high school auditorium, according to an announcement made here this week.

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Determined to improve milk output of their herds, 100,000 youthful dairymen will receive special training in the 1947 National 4-H Dairy Production awards program. This is the 11th consecutive year of the activity, which is conducted under the direction of the federal and state extension services.

Through the program, participants learn scientific principles of cleanliness and sanitation as applied to production and care of milk and other dairy products, which they practice at home as well as demonstrate in their community.

That this training produces results is reflected in a survey of state winners—both boys and girls—in 27 states. Over periods of 4 to 11 years, the 27 club members handled in their 4-H dairy projects a total of 535 select animals, the combined gross income from which was \$113,812.57.

Outstanding records of achievement receive recognition in the form of merit awards provided by Kraft Foods company. These comprise medals of honor to first and second place county winners; \$25 U. S. Savings Bonds to eight state winners in two classes, and trips to the National 4-H Club Congress, Chicago, to ten sectional winners. Six sectional winners will be selected to receive the national award of a \$200 college scholarship.

Last year's state winner in Texas was Warren Orr Jr. of Tullia. County winners were named in Lamar, Llano, Lubbock, Montgomery, Moore, Newton, Nolan, Polk, Red River, Scurry, Smith, Somervell, Swisher, Taylor, Titus, Uphur, Van Zandt, Walker, Potter, Wood, Erath, Johnson, Walter, Bastrop, Bowie, Brazos, Callahan, Camp, Comal, Cooke, Eastland, Fannin, Fort Bend, Franklin, Frio, Grayson, Grimes, Hale, Hall, Hardeman, Harris, Hood, Hopkins, Howard, Jasper, Jones, and Kerr counties.

County extension agents will supply full information concerning this program.

The original Constitution of the United States was adopted in 1787 and became effective in March, 1789.



Magician Sissom Entertains And Is Entertained

Most everyone has paid cash to be entertained but few probably ever gave any thought as to how much entertainment they give the magician.

"It's true," says J. Sissom, successful young Panhandle magic artist who will appear on the stage at the 3-day celebration here this week. "It may be fun to be fooled, but it's fun to fool 'em, too."

Sissom saw a group of people standing around a parking meter in Amarillo the other day. He walked up, calmly gave the little nickel catcher a slap and stepped back while twelve coins clattered to the sidewalk. While the startled group exposed their tonsils to a northwesterly wind, the magician pocketed his loot and calmly walked away, chuckling to himself. Of course it was a joke, but he doesn't pull it when the cops are around for fear they may not understand the coins only "appeared" to fall from the meter.

It took a quick departure to the rear of a city bus on one occasion to keep Sissom from being ejected. He dropped his dime in the box, ran his apparently empty hand underneath the container and came out holding a dime. He moved to the rear of the vehicle while the bus driver bent over to

PASTEL STRIPES



Pastel striped novelty cotton by Hope Skillman is used for this sprightly young junior dress, brightened by the wide dust ruffle at the hem. The dress has a cut out applied fabric bow at the neck, small pearl buttons to the waist, and a full all-around gathered skirt that falls from a set-in belt.

see if the box had sprung a leak. Restaurant managers often descend upon Sissom's table at dangerous speed when they see their silverware being bent into miniature horseshoes, only to watch the magician pass a napkin over the distorted eating implement and return it to its original condition. Exhibitionism? Heck no. Sissom is a psychologist, a prerequisite to being a magician, and he gets his best laughs at the expense of, and from the expressions of, his audiences, impromptu or paid.

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, Children's for Gospel sermon each morning at 10 o'clock.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH R. 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



St. Louis Cardinals Conduct Baseball Tryout at Seymour

Fair Park Field, Seymour, Texas, will be the scene of a baseball tryout camp Friday and Saturday, October 10-11, which will be conducted by the St. Louis Cardinals. At the conclusion of this camp, the personnel will move on to City Park, Stephenville, for another two-day camp, Monday and Tuesday, October 13-14. These camps, typical of more than 60 such camps already held by the Cardinals all over the country this summer, will be open free to all players who aspire to careers in professional baseball.

Try-outs at Seymour will begin at 1 p. m. Friday and 10 a. m. Saturday. Both workouts 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—Praching.
SUNDAY EVENING—
7:45—Evening worship.
A church dedicated to the restoration of New Testament Christianity. You are welcome.

LAKEVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH L. M. Clements, Pastor

Sunday School each Lord's day at 10 a. m. Clyde Davidson, superintendent of Sunday School. A class for every age.
Preaching at 11 a. m.
B. T. U., 7 p. m.
MONDAY—
W. M. U., 2:30 p. m.
WEDNESDAY—
Prayer service, 7 p. m.
A friendly church in a friendly community. Everyone has an invitation to come and worship at this church. The church needs you, and you need the church.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH 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.
WEDNESDAY—
6 p. m.—Young people's choir rehearsal.
7:30 p. m.—Senior choir rehearsal.

You need the church and the church needs you. A cordial welcome awaits you at the services of this church. Come, worship God with us.

LESLEY BAPTIST CHURCH F. F. Higginbottom, Pastor

10 a. m.—Sunday School.
11 a. m.—Morning worship.
8 p. m.—Training Union.
9 p. m.—Evening service.



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The Altus Rendering Co. will pick up your crippled, sick, or dead animals. Just call 594-J, Memphis. Remember the telephone number—if not needed now you or your neighbor might need it later.

Altus Rendering Co. Phone 594-J Memphis, Texas

Stephenville will get underway at 10 a. m. The camps will be under the supervision of C. A. "Runt" Marr and Fred Hawn, veteran Red Bird scouts and former minor league players and managers. They will put the aspirants through drills in running, fielding, hitting, and throwing. There will also be regular games played between teams made up of players in attendance.

Every boy in this vicinity who feels that he has what it takes to become a professional baseball player is invited to enroll for a tryout. Players should bring their own gloves and baseball shoe, and uniforms if they have them, as the Cardinals do not supply this type of equipment for their trial camps. All expenses incident to attending the camp will be refunded to any players signing contracts.

An amendment to the U. S. Constitution that went into effect October 15, 1933, changed the date for the meeting of Congress from the first Monday in December to January 3, each year.

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3 lb. can	\$1.12	PRY	SUPER
Lb.	49c	5 lbs.	50c
WHITE SWAN			
COFFEE			
SALAD DRESSING—Pint			
FLOUR—10 lb. bag			
Carrots	7c	head	10c
Lettuce	10c	lb.	13c
Cauliflower	13c	stalk	18c
Celery	18c	doz.	32c
Lemons	32c		

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FRONEN FOODS	
STRAWBERRIES—1 lb. pkg.	
PERCH FILLETS—lb.	
ICE CREAM—pint	
TENDER CHUCK	60c
Steak	
Cheese 1/2 lb. box	30c
MEADOLAKE	
Oleo Margarine	34

Have a Good Time During Cotton Carnival

IN MEMPHIS OCT. 2-3-4

Fine foods at low prices will be featured here at the SOUTH SIDE, where you will really find a "CARNIVAL OF VALUES". If you are rushed during this "Mardi Gras" of West Texas, use your telephone to order your groceries. We're always glad to deliver them to your home.

SUGAR	PURE CANE	10 Pounds	93c
Coffee	FOLGER'S	1 Pound Can	48c
Crisco		3 Pound Can	1.15
WON-UP	Grapefruit Juice	46 oz. can	19c
D R E F T		Pkg.	29c
DEER	KRAUT	No. 2 can	9c
DEER	Turnip Greens	No. 2 can	9c

MEAT Bargains!

TENDER	Loin Steak	pound	69c
FRESH	Pork Sausage	pound	55c
WILSON'S	Picnic Hams	pound	59c
FRESH	Calf Liver	pound	39c
ARMOUR'S	Block Chili	pound	49c

FRESH VEGETABLES			
CRISP	CELERY	stalk	18c
FIRM	LETTUCE	heads	10c
TENDER	K.Y. BEANS	pound	18c
EXTRA NICE	CARROTS	bunch	7c
FANCY	BELL PEPPER	pound	15c
MISSISSIPPI PURE	RIBBON CANE SYRUP	gallon	\$1.90
ALL BRANDS	MILK	SMALL	7c
		LARGE	13c
WOODBURY'S	SOAP	3 bars	25c

South Side Grocery

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Crosby County Wheat Has Low Dockage

Crosby County wheat this year had a very low percentage of dockage due to poor milling qualities as compared with most West Texas counties.

The reason, says County Agent W. R. Kimbrough, is that wheat farmers in the county planted most of their acreage to registered and certified wheat varieties. Only four per cent of the wheat harvested in Crosby County this year was classed as poor-milling grain.

Plans are being carried out, says Kimbrough, to eliminate all the poor-milling wheat in Crosby County. Over 5,000 bushels of registered and certified Westar wheat were purchased for planting this year, plus 10,000 bushels of certified Tenmarq seed and 1,000 bushels of certified Comanche. These varieties are recommended as good millers. The grain was purchased from elevators and feed companies that are cooperating by stocking good planting seed.

Kimbrough says plans are already made to organize an association to produce certified wheat and to build a seed cleaning and treating station.

Pat Flynn Finds Grasp of Sheriff Very Persuasive

Pat Flynn, manager of the Memphis chamber of commerce and Hall County board of development, and moving force in the production of the West Texas Cotton, Chemurgic, and Ceramics Carnival, was surprised one day last week when he was taken in charge by Sheriff Earl Hill.

Pat quietly agreed to accompany the sheriff to the court room where County Judge John Russell was presiding. Not knowing just which violation he was being jerked up for, Pat, for the first time in many moons had nothing to say—just waited for the judge to name the particular one.

Judge Russell very soberly and judge-like looked at Pat for a few moments before saying a word, then said, "The Commissioners Court of the County of Hall, in the great State of Texas, seriously charge you to tell us if there is anything more that we can do to help make the Cotton Carnival a success."

Then Pat stutted—the first time he had stuttered in many moons.

The judge, the commissioners, and Pat all agreed it was a good stunt.

Heavy Farm Home Building Foreseen In Hall County

Farm families in Hall County will spend more than \$540,000 for new housing in the next three to five years, according to a forecast released by the Tile Council of America.

"As a result of high incomes during the last few years, farmers in every part of the nation are prepared to invest record amounts in new home construction and in general farm improvements," said F. B. Ortman, chairman of the council's residential construction committee.

Pointing out that the comforts and conveniences of urban living are now available to farm families, Ortman said that new rural homes will incorporate such features as water pressure systems, bathrooms, and modern kitchen facilities.

Rapid electrification of rural areas of Texas is making possible

Color Movies and Maps Show Texas Need for Roads

Color movies and a collection of charts and maps will tell the story of Texas roads at the State Fair of Texas at Dallas.

Col. Ike Ashburn, executive vice president of the Texas Good Roads Association, announced this week that the organization would sponsor an exhibit in the fair's agriculture building.

"Most engineers say that 3,000 the incorporation in new homes of many labor-saving and comfort-providing devices undreamed of a generation ago, according to Ortman. Rural Electrification Administration estimates disclose that more than 55 per cent of all farms in the state now receive central station electric service.

Refrigerators, electric washing machines, and deep freezing plants, as well as plumbing systems, will go into many new homes as a consequence.

vehicles per day is the maximum efficient volume for a two-lane highway," Ashburn declared. He added:

"Texas now has 400 miles of two-lane highways carrying more than 4,000 vehicles per day. If current trends continue, 1,050 miles of Texas roads will be overcrowded by 1955."

Increased road use will demand continuous expansion in all classes of roads, Ashburn stated. "Texas people must prepare to meet this problem courageously," he said. "The continuation of a balanced road program to develop all classes of highways must be assured for the future of Texas. The Texas Good Roads Association is unequivocally committed to such a program."

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NEW Traffic Code Makes for Safety
Any driver who turns, slows down or stops a vehicle without giving a proper signal since September 5 is violating the new Uniform Traffic Code, Director Homer Garrison of the Department of Public Safety emphasized today.

Growing Highway Travel Increases Needs for Roads
Four out of five highway motor trips are still in the "necessary" class, despite the end of gasoline rationing and the tremendous upward surge in motor vehicle usage, J. T. Callaway, president of the American Road Builders' Association, pointed out in Washington, D. C., this week in discussing the importance of highway travel in modern life.

WEEK-END SPECIALS

- Pure Cane 5 lb. 50s—10 lb. 98c
- DRY OR BROWN SUGAR—1 lb. boxes 12c
- MRS. TUCKER—3 lb. carton 95c
- SPRY—3 lb. carton \$1.21
- POWDER—25 oz. KC 23c
- OUR, Swan Down—box 41c
- or Carnation 7 & 13c
- Folgers—1 lb. can 51c
- 85, Krispy 1 lb. boxes 24c—2 lb. 46c
- Pure Apple—quart 22c
- Lg. bottle 23c
- BUTTER, Peter Pan—glass 37c
- ARO—5 lb. buckets 58c
- SYRUP—bottle 28c
- PEPPER, Pure—box 10c
- MARGARINE, All kinds—lb. 36c
- COND MILK—can 29c
- PAPER—roll 10c
- qt. bottle 18c
- FUCH CLEANSER, Pre-war—can 10c
- box 32c
- 85 or VEL—box 32c
- 85'S SOAP—3 bars 25c
- JUICE—No. 2 cans 2 for 27c
- 85 JUICE No. 2 can 19c—46 oz. 47c
- AMERICAN SPAGHETTI—can 17c
- 4 oz. can 15c
- Beans—can Pink 53c—Red Sockeye 66c
- Wolf—can 24c
- TREET or SPAM—can 43c
- 85—No. 2 cans 2 for 27c
- 85 PEAS—No. 2 can 15c
- PEAS, Delmonte—No. 2 can 23c
- Darling—can 20c
- BEANS—can 14c
- Red Pitted—No. 2 can 31c
- Large can 30c—Small can 19c
- 1 Red—5 lbs. 23c
- POTATOES, East Texas—3 lbs. 25c
- Green Colo.—lb. 6c
- Nice bunches 6c
- Tokays—lb. 12c
- Bunkist—doz. 32c
- The Fields Variety—lb. 15c
- Nice heads 10c
- ANS, Kentucky Wonders—lb. 19c
- LINE FROZEN FOODS and FISH—

Estelline-Happy Teams Meet Here Friday, Oct. 10th

Happy and Estelline football teams will play in Cyclone stadium here Friday night, Oct. 10, J. B. Riddle, Estelline School Superintendent, announced late today. Both teams are 1946 district winners, and the game promises plenty of action.

Salad Dressing

SAVORY
Pint 23c

Vienna Sausage

SNACK TIME
Can 15c

Cheese

LONG HORN
Pound 60c

PEACH BUTTER

Gallon 49c

EGG NOODLE DINNER

MAGIC CHIEF—Large jar 10c

RICE DINNER

MAGIC CHIEF—Large jar 10c

MEXICAN STYLE BEANS

THRIFT—Can 11c

GRAPES TOKAY

3 lbs. 27c

It's Carnival Time

Of course you plan to attend the First Annual West Texas Cotton, Chemurgic, and Ceramics Carnival in Memphis where something is going on all the time. BUT—remember the M SYSTEM when you think about buying your food supplies. Just look at the items listed below. They're only a few of the "FOOD BARGAINS" you will find in our big store.

CRACKERS Hi-Flyers 2 lb. box 39c

Vanila Wafers Cream Flake 1 lb. celo bag 25c

Gelatin Dessert Best Yet 6 oz. jar 20c

Salad Dressing
SAVORY
Pint 23c

Vienna Sausage
SNACK TIME
Can 15c

Cheese
LONG HORN
Pound 60c

PEACH BUTTER
Gallon 49c

EGG NOODLE DINNER
MAGIC CHIEF—Large jar 10c

RICE DINNER
MAGIC CHIEF—Large jar 10c

MEXICAN STYLE BEANS
THRIFT—Can 11c

Save QUALITY MEATS and Save

CAT FISH
FRESH—Pound 55c

OYSTERS
FRESH—Pint 95c

BARBECUE
HOT—Pound 60c

Shortening
ARMOUR or WILSON
3 lb. carton 89c

Macaroni Dinner
Serving for 4
Pkg. 12c

Pure Lard
Bring Your Pails
Pound 35c

FLOUR
YUKON BEST—25 lb. \$1.89

KARO SYRUP
BLUE—½ gallon 55c

HONEY
BURLSON—½ gallon \$1.98

FRUITMIX
FOR SALADS—No. 2½ can 37c



CELERY
LARGE CRISP 17c

LETTUCE
EXTRA LARGE HEADS 10c

APPLES
Washington Red Delicious—Lb. 17½c

GRAPES TOKAY
3 lbs. 27c

BANANAS
NICE YELLOW
Lb. . . 14c

Frozen Foods

ICE CREAM

POPULAR CANDY BARS

Baby Ruth — Butterfinger —
Dipsnickaloaf — Oh-Henry — 5c
Bob Cats — Old Nick and others

Hard of Hearing

Do you have trouble understanding ordinary conversation? Sonotone Hearing Center Pounds Hotel—Memphis, Texas Tues., Oct. 7, 1947, from 9:00 a. m. to 3:00 p. m.

I will gladly make an Audiogram of your hearing. In 20 minutes you can see how much your hearing has slipped and whether or not you need hearing aid. There is no charge or obligation for consultation or tests.
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AGAINST FOOD RATIONING . . . In strong protest against additional restrictions issued by the French government on food rationing, brought about by the critical shortage in Europe, workers and employes left their factories and offices and gathered in a huge meeting on Paris' Champ de Mars park. Their theme—"we want to live."



4-H CLUB CHAMPS . . . Two young 4-H Club members have been named national Holstein champions by the Holstein-Friesian association. Shown above, they are Margaret Freudenthal, Hillsboro, Ore., and H. Keith Warner, Rochester, Ind.



U. S. SCOUTS RETURN FROM WORLD JAMBOREE . . . American Boy Scouts line the army transport, Gen. Harry Taylor, as the ship arrived at New York from Europe where they attended the International Boy Scout Jamboree in France. More than 1,000 scouts from every part of the United States and other countries were represented at the jamboree.

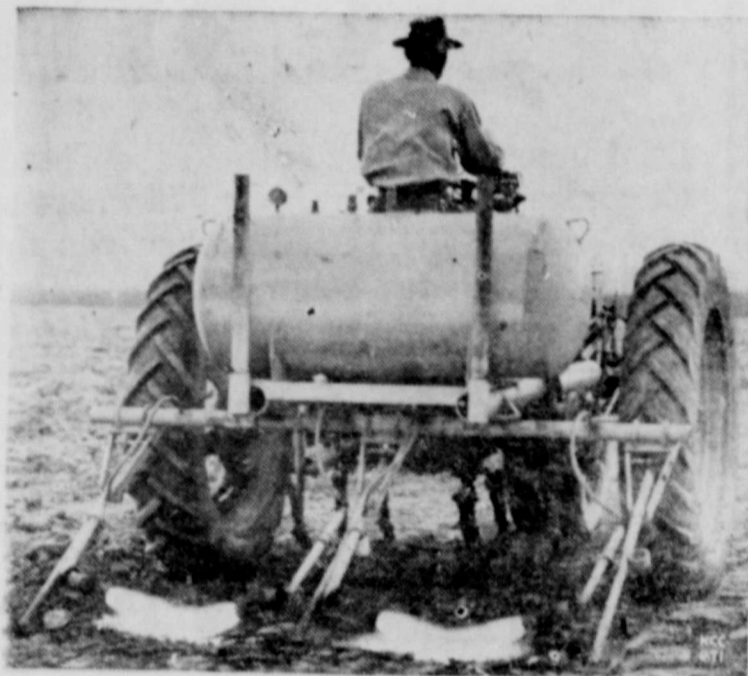


OPERATION COLUMBIA . . . Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's wife has some points of interest from the front of the famed Alma Mater statue at Columbia university, where he will soon serve as president. Friends are urging him to seek the Republican presidential nomination.



FAIREST OF ALL . . . Barbara Joe Walker, 21, senior at Memphis State college, who was chosen as "Miss America of 1947," at the recent Atlantic City bathing beauty pageant. The new queen says her ambition is to teach school.

FLAME CULTIVATOR HELPS FARM WORKER



Mechanized cotton farming has brought the flame cultivator, which sears cotton's weed enemies and frees farm workers from the laborious task of cleaning out cotton rows in summer heat. With the harvester, it gives the cotton farmer invaluable assistance during the two peak labor periods of the cotton production cycle—the cultivation and harvesting phases.



LEADER IN TROUBLE . . . John Santo, national organizer of the Transport Worker's union is shown at hearing in immigration service headquarters, New York, when government brought action to deport him for illegal entry from Romania in 1927.



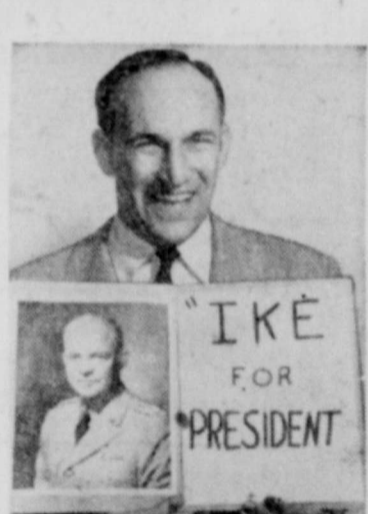
CROWN CHANGES HEADS . . . Retiring American Legion commander, Paul Griffith, Uniontown, Pa., right, removes his crown and places it on the head of James F. O'Neill, Manchester, N.H., overwhelmingly elected national commander at the convention of the American Legion.



CELEBRATE PENNANT WINNING . . . Yankees found time to celebrate as their team clinched the 1947 American League pennant. The members of the Yankee team are shown in the clubhouse at the Yankee stadium after hearing of Boston's defeat, which mathematically gave them the pennant.



NEW RECRUITS . . . Gladys Swarthout, noted Metropolitan opera star, presents membership pins to first three girls to be recruited to the Camp Fire Girls in the annual membership drive. The girls are Patricia Sifkovic, Nancy Halliday and Emily Hutzeluk, New York City.



IKE FOR PRESIDENT . . . Robert M. Haar, Washington, D. C., who is president of the "Draft Eisenhower for President League." He says that a group of Republicans and Democrats will organize the league throughout the nation.

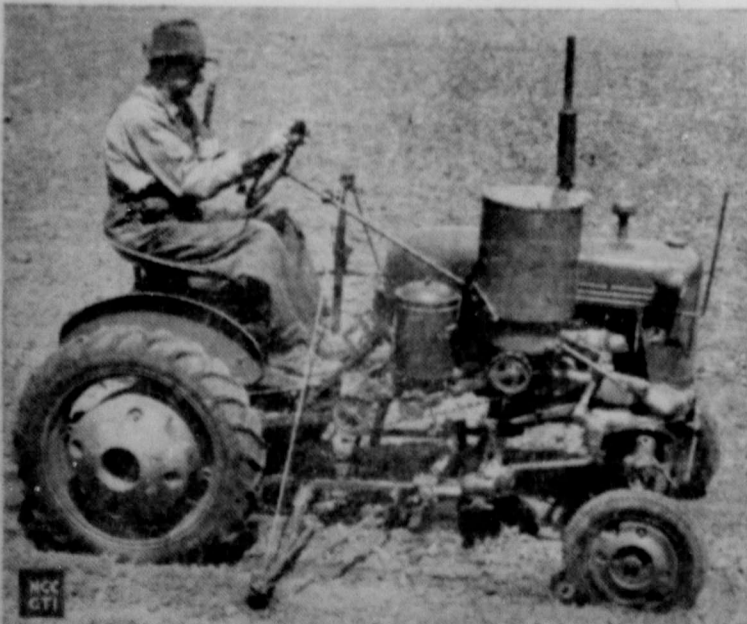


AFTER PRESIDENCY . . . Sen. Robert Taft, (R. O.) smiles during this western trip as he begins a series of campaign speeches. He would be happy to learn that the west will back him for the presidency in 1948.



COVERED WAGON DAYS . . . The Colorado delegation to the national encampment of the Veterans of Foreign Wars in Cleveland with a prairie schooner of the type used by pioneers in the drive to the West.

BRING MECHANIZATION TO SMALL FARM



Power units similar to this one, especially designed for service on the small farm, are paving the way to mechanization of family-size farms throughout the Cotton Belt, bringing the promise of greater productivity and increased income.



Shirley Temple loves the charming informality of this gay cotton blouse, created for her by one of her favorite designers. Red and white and blue and white gingham hearts are applied on the front and back of the blouse.

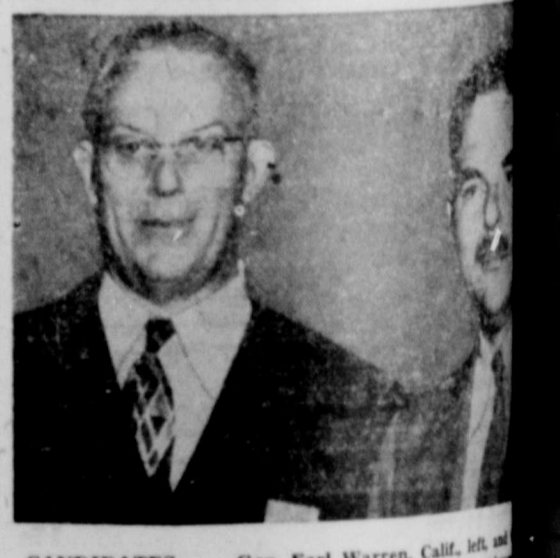
STRETCHABLE COTTON



Snug-fitting cotton slipcover made of a new stretchable cotton fabric is examined by Tuley Wright of New York. The National Cotton Council reports that the fabric—made without use of rubber—can be stretched out of shape, but always snaps back into place when released. It's also being used for sportswear and other garments.



WINS CROWN . . . Skee Reigel, Monterey Park, Calif., who recently won the national amateur golf title by defeating Johnny Dawson.



CANDIDATES . . . Gov. Earl Warren, Calif., left, and E. Dewey, New York at the National Governors' conference in Cleveland. They were the most talked of possibilities among the Republican presidential nominees, with the possibility of running as vice-president with Dewey as president. Late developments keep them in the running.



AT BAT AGAIN . . . Babe Ruth, recuperating in Florida from a recent serious operation, takes a bat in hand for photographers for the first time in many months.



TO INCREASE PHEASANTS . . . Lawrence A. Wilson, James Linton and Norman Fox, Tompkins County, release eight-week old pheasants in farm fields. They were raised as a part of a state-wide 4-H wildlife conservation project.

Claims 11 Fire Week

Governor Beaulieu's proclamation of Fire Insurance Week in Texas from October 11 to October 17, 1947, is being observed with the same importance that the state head governor to accept this program with the high and a new high in the country, Fire Insurance Week will carry a special significance this year," the governor said.

"We are enjoying a record year in fire insurance costs in the state, Hall gave the reason for the increase that is to be expected to reason that the number of fires in Texas is increasing in



COTTON—Visitors to Hall County this week will see and hear much about cotton. The above scene is duplicated on many farms this year, although the yield is sub-normal.

Hall County has 120,000 acres in cotton and the yield is expected to reach an average of around one-fourth bale per acre.

In the last ten years, Hall pointed out, and has hit an all-time high. The same is true of the figures for the entire United States.

"It behooves every man, woman and child in this state to promote and engage in the activities of this week," Hall said, "and to continue those practices during the entire year, thereby accepting individual responsibility in helping to control Public Enemy No. 1."

Classified Ads Get Results.

Feed Land With Winter Legumes

"Feed the land and fatten the crops."

That's a slogan that E. A. Miller, extension agronomist of Texas A. and M. College, would like to see in operation on every farm in Texas.

Miller brings the slogan to attention now because it's time to "feed the land" with winter legumes, which help furnish soil fertility that fattens the crops.

Winter legumes can be planted, says Miller, as soon as there is enough moisture in the soil to work it.

Legume seed that has been inoculated has produced the best crop of green manure. Miller says proper seed inoculation is a necessary phase of legume-growing, if the producer wants to get the most benefit from his winter cover crop.

Grover Cleveland was a bachelor and 45 years of age when he became President of the United States the first time.

Don't Let "Gums" Become 'Repulsive'

Are your "GUMS" unsightly? Do they itch? Do they burn?—Druggists return money if first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to satisfy.

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MISS MEMPHIS—Miss Peggy Lawrence, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lawrence of Memphis, will be hostess queen to more than a score of lovely ladies who will be guests of the West Texas Cotton, Chemurgic and Ceramics Carnival in Memphis this week-end. —Photo by Wise Studio.



ONE OF THE REASONS judges expect a hard time in determining who will be "Maid of West Texas" at the first annual West Texas Cotton, Chemurgic & Ceramics Carnival here Oct. 3-4, is Miss Seminole nee Miss Beverly Besancon, 18-year old beauty winner of many contests. She was Miss Tech for 1946-47; Miss Seminole of 1947; Starlet of 1947 American Legion and won second place in the Miss Texas contest at Galveston this year. (Photo by Reeves)

ano; must be in good shape and reasonably priced. A. D. Britt, Estelline, Texas. 17-3p

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LOST—White Roman Sandal, size 9, on east side of square Sunday. Finder please return to Democrat office. 1p

Ceramics—

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both the raw and finished products, from the ordinary building brick to the fine powders used in beauty shops. The Webbs announce they will be glad to have samples of any clays in this section, and will give them thorough tests in order to determine if they might be of commercial value.

Free Parking Lots—

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in the city limits have been cleared off by city maintainers, and it is understood that these lots are also available for parking use, although most of them are located at some distance from the business district. Three lots which have been definitely designated for use of out-of-town motorists are in the following locations: Across the street south from the First Baptist Church; across the street east of the First Presbyterian Church; and the lots across the street east of the First Methodist Church parsonage.

McLean Tigers—

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at 205 pounds. Both of these men, especially Andrews, have made the McLean line tough to handle. Panhandle made all four touchdowns against the Tigers on end runs and passes—never gaining through the line. The weak Wheeler eleven made its two touchdowns against the McLean second string.

Guards Brian Allen and Jimmy Newton have also played excellent ball, and center, Co-captain Arvin Smith, has also been steady in his playing. The two ends, Alvis Shelton, co-captain, and Bill Edey, played poorly against the Panhandle Panthers, but showed much improvement in the Wheeler game.

Probable starters for McLean are: ends, Shelton and Edey; tackles, Andrews and Myatt; guards, Allen and Newton; center, Smith; backs, Bruner, Boston, Langham, and Griffith.

Durham Named—

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Director of the National Society for Crippled Children, in a talk before the state organization, explained that the basic purposes of the society was two fold: To modify society so that it can meet the needs of the handicapped, and to modify the individual either through prevention of the situation which cripples him, improvement of his condition, or compensation for it.

Durham and other individuals have been working toward the organization of a Hall County chapter to aid crippled children for several months. After the chapter is organized, a drive will be made by the sale of Easter seals each year to obtain money for the local chapter's treasury. Seventy per cent of the money derived from the sale of these seals will be kept in this county, and will be used in aiding crippled children who reside in this immediate territory.

Decorated Business

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the holiday atmosphere, along with the gay colors on the ring of concession booths surrounding the court house.

Through Traffic—

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lowed angle driving at the corners. This will permit anyone entering the blocks contingent to the square to drive out at the corners of the square. This plan was worked out so there would be no need for blocking off streets leading into the square, city officials said. The only time other streets will be blocked will be for the mammoth parade, scheduled for Saturday morning. Officers will be on hand to handle traffic for this event.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Grimes and daughter Tanya Kay left Thursday morning for Lockhart to make their home. Mr. Grimes has accepted a position there with Rosenwasser's as assistant buyer for the men's department.

News Concerning Lakeview School

Last Friday night the Memphis team scored practically all after the first quarter to defeat the Lakeview Eagles by a top-heavy score of 64 to 0 for the worst defeat in the two schools' history. The game was 7-0 at the end of the first quarter, but the Memphis team piled up a commanding 32-0 lead by half-time, and then went on to score freely in the last two periods.

In the "midget" game, the two teams of boys fought to a 0-0 deadlock as Lakeview piled up 3 first downs to 1 for Memphis.

Friday night the Lakeview team will entertain the Kress team at Eagle Stadium in their second conference game of the season. This will be the first meeting of the two teams for several years, but Lakeview is expected to do better against them than they did in their opening tilt with the Estelline Cubs. Kress lost last week-end to Flomot 0-12.

The lineup for Kress is as follows: Hudson, LE, weight 150; Kupper, LT, 155; Stark, LG, 170; Boggs, C, 165; Bridgman, RG, 160; Marson, RT, 185; Lanterman, RE, 170; Glenn, QB, 160; King, LH, 185; Street, RH, 130; Hartman, FB, 160;

The average weight of the Kress team is 163 pounds, about 10 pounds more than that of the Lakeview team.

The Lakeview senior class went on its first class party Wednesday night of last week. There were about 40 in all including guests. First they enjoyed refreshments of wieners, mustard, and pickles; then went to the skating rink for a session of skating.

The tennis team has been getting in some good practice with ideal tennis weather all this week. Showing up well in practice are the two captains, Bill Adams, and Alene Cunningham, who were recent winners in both doubles and singles competition for the high school.

Mr. and Mrs. William Funk and children of Dalhart visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Funk of Memphis, Sunday.

Investments In Co-Ops Double In Five Years

Texas farmers doubled their capital investment in cooperative enterprises during the five-year period ending with 1946, reports M. C. Jaynes, specialist in organization and cooperative marketing of the Texas A. and M. College extension service.

Figures released by the Houston bank for cooperatives show that farmers co-ops have taken good advantage of favorable business conditions to reduce their debt and build capital, Jaynes says.

Since the Houston bank for cooperatives was organized in 1933, 386 Texas farmers' cooperatives have borrowed more than \$171,000,000 and a credit loss of less than five cents on each \$1,000 loaned has been sustained by the bank. During 1946, more than \$24,000,000 was loaned by the bank to business organizations of Texas farmers.

The 215 cooperatives now doing business with the bank have about 91,300 individual farm families within their membership, and carry on a wide variety of activities to supplement the actual production of crops and livestock. Large per cent of the co-ops are associations set up to gin, store, and market cotton and to crush the members' cottonseed. Other cooperatives pack and market fruits and vegetables; store and market wheat, rice, and other grains; purchase feed, seed, fertilizer, gasoline, and other supplies necessary for modern farming; and process and market dairy and livestock products.

Every important agricultural product of Texas farms and ranches is handled to some extent by farmers' cooperatives, Jaynes says.

The function of the coinage of money in the United States is vested in the United States mint, which was authorized by Congress in 1727 and opened in Philadelphia in 1728.

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4-H Club members again have an opportunity to win special recognition in developing methods to improve their farms and homes. Recognition in the form of awards will be given to the state and national winners of the 4-H Better Methods Contest. The National 4-H Boys and Girls Contest is now open for entries.

Members need not be active in this activity, but they should be active in all types of work.

State and national winners of the 4-H Better Methods Contest for 1946 were Harold Lee Lakeview, who won the National 4-H Boys and Girls Contest, and a scholarship, provided by the National House Educational Fund. Among his work accomplishments in the past year were: leading a brooder and electric motor, providing electricity and installing a powered feed brooder and other farm and home machines.

Six state winners for national honor, including a \$200.00 scholarship, were announced. The activity is supervised by the Service of the State College and USDA.

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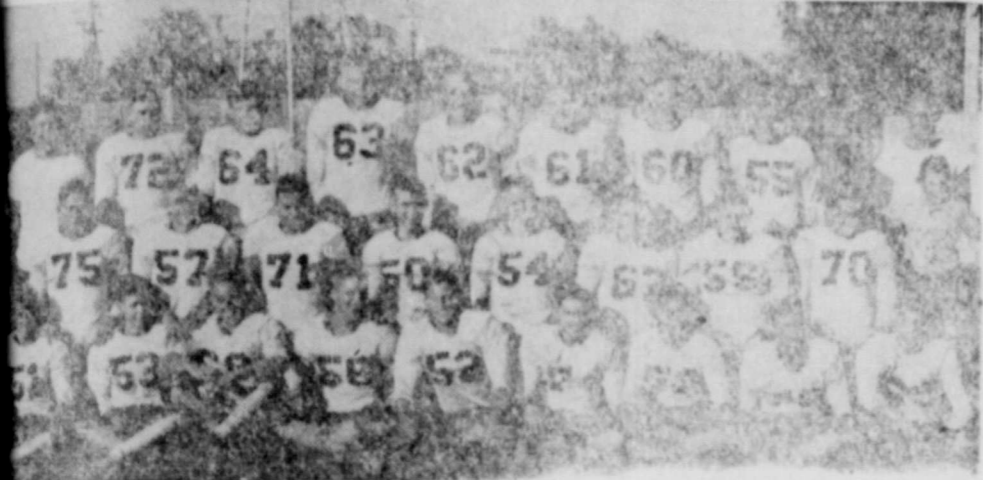
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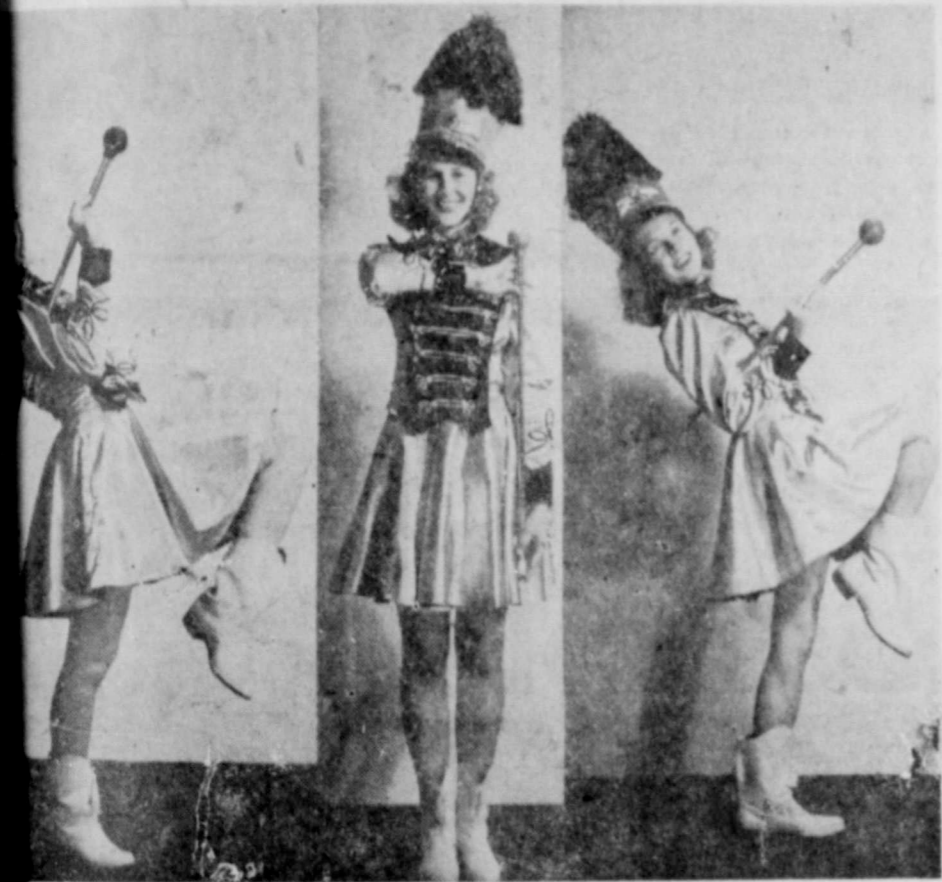
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Tigers to Tangle With Cyclone Here Friday Night



Wirlers Will Lead Sandie Band Here Saturday



—Photo by Gray
flash in front of the Sandie Band this year is supplied by a trio of smiling young women are from left: Martha Jo Johnson, daughter of Mrs. Lewis Johnson, 413 Arch Terrace; Janie Shepherd, daughter of Alice Cunningham, 1110 Van Buren; and Nelma Doris Gilbreath, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Gilbreath, 3512 Line Avenue.



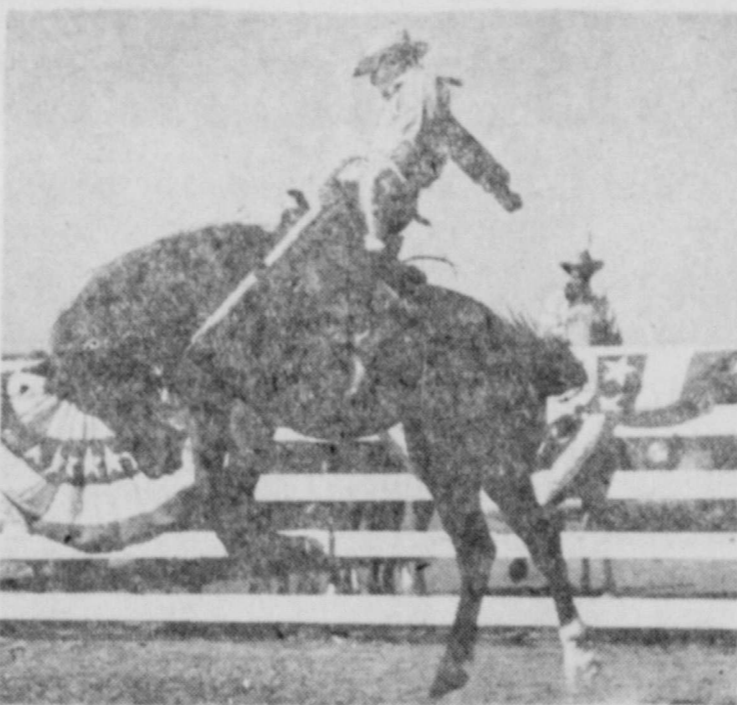
The noted author and lecturer and world-wide traveler, Louis Bromfield, will deliver afternoon and evening lectures on soil conservation and agricultural development under sponsorship of Burlington Lines and the Second National Bank of Houston throughout the territory served by Fort Worth and Denver City and Wichita Valley Railways, commencing in Corsicana, November 10; then in Fort Worth, November 11; Amarillo, November 12; Lubbock, November 13; Wichita Falls, November 14; and Abilene, November 15. Plans are being made for a large gathering of business men, bankers, and industrialists at these meetings as well as farmers and agriculturists.



If you see spooks flying about the next two days and nights and if animals and birds appear out of nowhere, don't get excited. The Cotton Carnival presents two of the greatest magicians in the South throughout the Mardi Gras of West Texas in Johnny Sissom, better known as "Lester the Great", and Lippincott, The Magician.

These men are noted as entertainers, magical wizards and masters of ceremonies. They will be seen many times tomorrow and Saturday on the reviewing stand and at midnight stage show prevues.

Both have been employed as assistant directors of the Carnival entertainment to help Pat Flynn and committeemen present the more than 48 hours of program events.



Wild Cowboy coming out on the meanest, hardest and highest pitching outlaw at The Memphis Stampede here Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

BEAUTY FROM THE BAG



It's easy to brighten up your home for summer by using cotton bags for drapes and covers, as this attractive corner in the home of Mrs. Ray Bollinger of near Memphis, Tenn., proves. Using 175 bags to provide fabric which otherwise would have cost almost \$225, Mrs. Bollinger decorated her home from front to back.



A salty steer being ridden without saddle by rodeo contestant always brings the audience to attention. If thrown, there is danger of the animal turning on the rider and goring or trampling him. One of the events to be at every performance of the Memphis Stampede.



RED LAMB, sensational girl rider, and ropers of the rodeo world, will be attractions at the Memphis Stampede October 2, 3 and 4.

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Check-Up is Made Of Wheat Harvest

Nearly 5,000 combines from other states and Canada moved into Texas to help harvest Texas' record crop this summer, records of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service's farm labor program disclose.

Not including uncounted thousands of combines which operated only within single counties, a total of 9,138 machines were used for custom combining. Of that number, 4,608 were from other states and Canada and 4,530 were Texas combines which went on the road, J. B. Kidd, in charge of the farm labor program's Plainview office, reported to the state headquarters. The number of combines following the harvest this year was nearly double last year's 5,097 machines.

The number of placements of combines, trucks and workers by county agents in connection with this year's harvest went up proportionately. Reports showed 18,158 workers placed in 1947 compared with last year's 9,755 and 5,537 trucks placed compared with 1,312.

The big increase in combines and workers made it possible to get through the harvest without undue delay except in a few areas where damage resulted when combines were not available at the exact times they were needed, the report declared.

This is the last year in which the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service will operate the farm labor program, which includes the direction of combine movements during the wheat and small grain harvest. The program was taken over as a war emergency job in 1943 and will revert to the Texas Employment Commission January 1.

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Rajah To Have Part in Parades

Mason King, public relations manager for the Amarillo News-Globe, and former resident of Memphis, arrived early for the Cotton, Chemurgic and Ceramics Carnival and brought Rajah, the famous white stallion familiar to all parades of consequence. King has agreed to assist Memphis Carnival officials in the presentation of events during the two-day "Mardi Gras" of West Texas.

Rajah is the horse Gov. Beauford H. Jester rode in his inaugural parade in Austin. The chief executive also rode the white stallion again in Amarillo July 4 and was quoted as saying, "I would cross Texas to ride that horse again." He will have the opportunity again here in Memphis Friday, King said.

Crop Dehydration To Be Studied by Chemurgic Council

Texas' potential in the dehydration of crops for food and feed purposes will be explored by the Texas Chemurgic Council, it was announced in Austin this week.

This project was referred to the council for action by the state-wide dehydration meeting held in Houston recently.

Although the Houston conference devoted itself primarily to the evaluation of dehydrated sweet potatoes as a carbohydrate feed, the project being undertaken by the Chemurgic Council will include a study of a number of dehydrated commodities.

Seed Committee Aids Small Grain Yields

Work done by a county seed improvement committee in Taylor county is raising small grain yields by two bushels an acre.

Committee members credit the work of the seed improvement organization for adding an extra \$140,000 to the income of Taylor County wheat growers this last year.

County Agent Elmo V. Cook, working with the committee for the past six years, has helped small grain breeders in obtaining the best foundation wheat and oat seed from Texas A. and M. College Agricultural Experiment Substations. This year, reports Cook, Westar and Wichita wheat varieties and Fultex oats are popular among small grain growers and the varieties have been brought into the county for foundation seed.

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Rural Stop Signs Now Mean "Stop"

Stop signs on highways and county roads took on new meaning September 5 when the new Texas traffic law went into effect, Director Homer Garrison of the Department of Public Safety said Saturday.

The new meaning will be: "STOP."

Rural stop signs have been in existence for years, Garrison said, and motorists have been ignoring them for years. Officers could not enforce their observance, since this was not required under the old traffic laws.

"There's not going to be any more monkey business about these stop signs," Garrison said. "From Sept. 5 on, they really mean stop."

The safety director emphasized that stopping at a stop sign may be only half of what a motorist is required to do. "He is also required not to start up again when other vehicles are coming, so that his starting would create a hazard," Garrison said.

The Texas Highway Department and local authorities are empowered to erect stop signs at railroad crossings, and these will also be fully enforced, Garrison said.

"Whenever there is any kind of stop signal at a railroad crossing whether it is a permanent stop sign, an electrical or mechanical signal, or a signal made by a watchman, the motorist must stop," Garrison declared. "But he may then go ahead if, after stopping, he determines that the train is a considerable distance away, or is stopped, or is traveling at a very slow speed, so that crossing ahead of the train would not create a hazard."

Regardless of any signal that might or might not be present, it is unlawful for any motorist to race a train to a crossing.

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Voice Of The People

This space is open to all the Memphis (Texas) Democrat for the purpose of expressing opinions on any and all signed letters will be printed, so long as they are pertinent, material and should be considered the property of the writer, in no matter editorial policies of the paper.

Following letter was received from Arthur B. Skidmore of Chicago, Ill., who has much food for thought in connection with the campaign, which is headed by The Demo-

cracy, Sept. 22, 1947. On Friday, September 4, I published an article in the Memphis Democrat, "The National Automobile Assn. is leading with the high speed on our highways."

Reading what Mr. Skidmore has to say, particularly his appeal to your common sense and straight analogy and statistics, in fact when I believe the article I thought I would avoid the great majority of accidents. Figures do not lie; thus the subject agrees in relating figures. It is time to place the blame on the great majority seem easy to blame the all the evils that and the automobile

is because most of the subject are prone to do anything that happens through the automobile eyes. In trying to do for whatever happens himself at the ground level of on the ground, it may be the necessity that we all place automobile as a tool of civilization. Certain would suggest back to the horse and doing away with it. Obviously this leads us to unwittingly the automobile by pedestrian for get-

ting into its path. A favorite argument for vehicles running on tracks has always been their inability to swing out of the way of whatever gets into their way in order to avoid an unexpected accident; and in view of the fact that the great majority of the public demand speed in order to get to their employment and other destinations the result was a demand and an expectation that pedestrians stop, look, listen, and keep out of the path of such vehicles.

Automobiles do not fall into that category. The drivers of common carriers are for the most part trained men, who in time become professionals in that field. Unfortunately for those who can drive private automobiles as carefully and as expertly as the professionals, there are those at the wheels of automobiles who should no more be entrusted with a motor vehicle than a two-year-old baby should be given a straight edge razor to play with. And therein lies the problem that has vexed far greater minds than mine.

Despite the awful toll in human lives, broken bones, and pocket books, we do not and we should not want to go back to the horse, buggy and mud. The only solution is that the pedestrian and driver get together and try to figure out a way for both to live and enjoy one of the greatest implements of man's progress. Obviously ridding the world of all pedestrians would not solve the problem; for automobiles do collide with one another. The speed-trap method has been tried out. Those of us who remember when they were very common reflect with a shudder the thought of having to suddenly slow down to fifteen miles per hour when passing through a tiny hamlet along the way. But, there are those of us who did slow down and took it on the chin; merely to be law-abiding citizens. The authorities of the tiny hamlet said the speed limit was to protect their people. The complaining motorist claimed it was a money-grabbing scheme. Be it whatever it was, it fell far short of solving the national problem.

Other noteworthy methods and means have been employed from time to time endeavoring to solve the problem. In Chicago a well-

COTTON INDUSTRY'S AMBASSADORS



Two effective ambassadors for the cotton industry were the Maids of Cotton for 1946 and 1947. The 1946 Maid (left) was Gwin Barnwell of Gastonia, N. C., while the 1947 Maid was Hilma Seay of Memphis, Tenn. The National Cotton Council inaugurated the Maid of Cotton program in 1939 to stimulate interest in cotton.

meaning and able traffic court judge tried to solve the problem by personally lecturing each offender. The court proceedings were broadcast over the air so that all who cared to could listen and perchance be impressed. Many first-offenders of traffic laws were taken through local hospitals where they could view the results of broken bones caused by the automobile. For a time the judge's efforts in that direction were thought to be getting results. In time the whole thing became common-place and later went the way of all flesh. Perhaps it was the sensational that kept it alive as long as it existed. The keynote of this judge's scheme was to appeal to the sense of duty on the part of the motorist, as opposed to a mere fine and preceeding to call the next case.

More recently in the same city someone suggested that the problem might be solved by adding to the present high school curriculum a class in automobile driving. The suggestion was taken up by the school board that appointed

a special committee to investigate costs of instruction et cetera.

If the proposal contemplates teaching the high school student how to start, steer, and stop an automobile, the question it poses is whether such training is necessary. Any normal minded person can learn to start, steer, and stop an automobile in less than one half hour. Most high school students would have learned how long before reaching the training class. If it is to teach the student how to operate the car under all conceivable conditions in traffic, that is another thing; and the question is, could that be done within the four years that the student is in high school? The person to ask is the experienced and capable automobile driver.

Whenever a crime has been committed or a serious accident has occurred a demand is made to know the immediate cause; the demand decreasing in intensity and interest according to the distance away from the place of occurrence. The general public wants and enjoys an immediate

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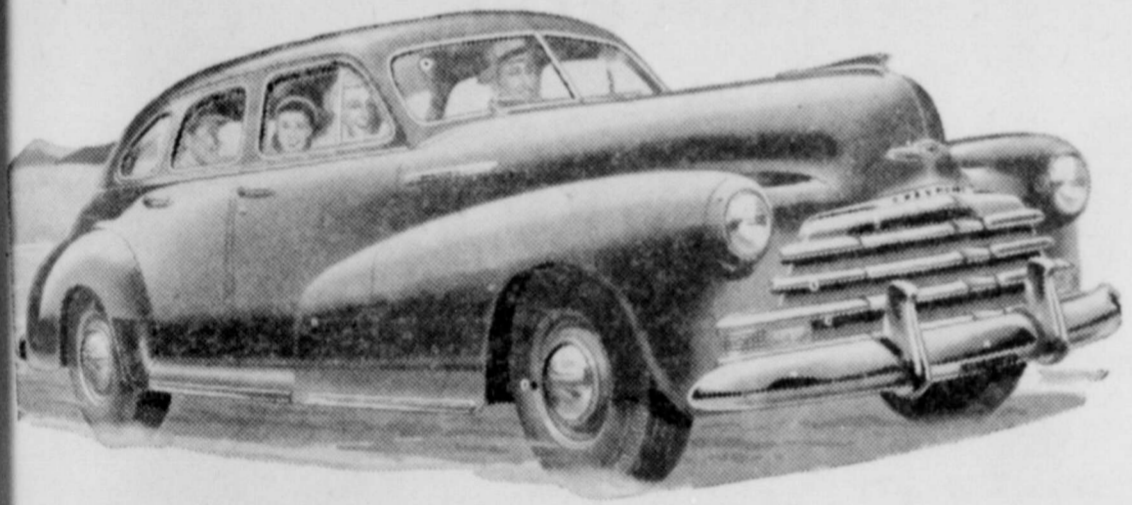
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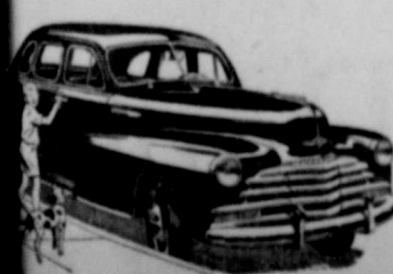
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Randolph-Parker Nuptial Vows Are Exchanged in Church Service Here

Nuptial vows were solemnized Saturday afternoon, September 27, for Miss Billy Ruth Randolph, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Randolph of this city, and W. R. Parker, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Parker. Rev. C. R. Tennyson, pastor of the First Baptist Church, read the impressive double-ring ceremony in the parlor of the First Baptist Church.

Introducing the ceremony, Miss Betty Randolph, sister of the bride, sang "Because" by D'Hardelet with accompaniment by Miss Lois Wines who also played the traditional wedding marches for the processional and recessional and gave an interpretation of "I Love You Truly" during the ceremony.

The bridal couple exchanged wedding vows before an altar with an arranged background of palms. Baskets of white gladioli and white chrysanthemums formed the central decorative theme for the nuptial setting.

For her wedding, the bride chose a dressmaker suit of light blue gabardine with brown accessories. Her corsage was fashioned of gamella and tube-roses. Attending the bride as maid of honor was Miss Jimmie Parker, sister of the bridegroom, who was attired in a pink dress with a corsage of white carnations.

M. L. Evans served as best man. Mrs. Randolph, mother of the bride, wore a black crepe dress



MRS. W. R. PARKER

with a corsage of white carnations and the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Parker, wore a blue dress with a pink carnation corsage.

Following the ceremony the bride and groom left for a short wedding trip.

The bride graduated with the spring class from Memphis High School and has recently been employed with the Wherry Jewelry Company. The groom is employed with the local REA office.

Mrs. R. S. Greene Reviews Play At Little Theater

Mrs. R. S. Greene gave a most interesting play review at the opening meeting of the Memphis Little Theatre last Wednesday afternoon. The meeting was held in the home of Mrs. Gayle Greene with Mrs. Robert Sexauer and Mrs. Ray Childress serving as co-hostesses.

"Harvey," the play selected by Mrs. Greene, was written by Mary Coyle Chase and won the 1944 Pulitzer award as the best American play for that year. The play, a three-act comedy, is built around the lives of an American family of the West, the very noted Dowd family, and told in Mrs. Greene's charming manner furnished an entraining afternoon for those present.

Mrs. Joe DeBerry, president, presided during the business discussion at which time reports were given by various committee chairmen. The club also voted to become a member of the City Federation during the business hour.

A tasty dessert course was served to Helen Boswell, Joyce Childress, Verna DeBerry, Mary Lee Fields, Mary Foreman, Charline Greene, Tomacell Greene, Peaches Harrison, Doris Lindsey, Katherine Milam, Tommye Noel, June Power, Mary Helen Sexauer, Rebecca Ray Turney, Lorraine Tarver, members; and two guests, Mrs. J. W. Coppedge and Mrs. Herschel Comb.

Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard Visits Clubs of Seventh District

Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard, president of the Seventh District of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, appeared as guest speaker at three federated club functions in the district this past week.

On Monday Mrs. Kinard was present at a tea given in the home of Mrs. J. A. Hill of Canyon. Guests included all the federated club members of that city.

The 1932 Club of Dumas was host Tuesday to the five federated clubs of Dumas. The meeting was held in the First Methodist Church.

Mrs. Kinard was in Perryton on Wednesday where she attended a tea at the hotel given by the Perryton Department clubs.

Miscellaneous Shower in Hampton Home Honors Mrs. J. V. Shepherd

Mrs. J. V. Shepherd, who before her marriage on September 13 was Miss Betty Crump, was complimented Monday evening with a beautifully planned miscellaneous shower. The lovely courtesy was at the home of Mrs. T. J. Hampton, 403 North 10th street.

Co-hostesses with Mrs. Hampton were Misses Minerva and Maria Baskerville, Mesdames H. J. Howell, J. T. Clayton, Robert Cummings, Henry Newman, Boyce Bruce, Ed McCreary, T. O. Pounds, Burl Smith, Jack Boone, Homer Burleson, Bud Godfrey, Birdie Sanderson, Roy L. Brewer, E. W. Solomon, Clyde Reed, Ira Lawrence, Dan McCollum, Mary Lou Erwin, J. M. Duren, W. T. Hightower, C. R. Webster, Brice Webster, D. A. Neeley, Misses Fleta McCreary, Lavern Dodson, Mary Beth Thornton, and Billie Jean Beckham.

Guests calling were greeted by Mrs. Hampton, the honoree, Mrs. Bess Crump, mother of the bride; Mrs. J. P. Godfrey, the bride's sister; and Miss Clyde Shepherd, sister of the groom.

Miss Lavern Dodson and Miss Billie Jean Beckham attended the bride's book to secure signatures of the guests.

A pink and white color scheme was noted throughout the party rooms which were beautifully decorated with cut flowers. The refreshment table repeated the chosen colors with a lovely floral arrangement of pink dahlias placed on a reflector as a centerpiece. Mrs. Boyce Bruce served punch from a crystal service the first hour and Miss Fleta McCreary poured the second hour.

The honoree wore a corsage of pink gladioli; Mrs. Crump wore orchid gladioli; Mrs. Godfrey wore white gladioli; and Mrs. Hampton and Miss Shepherd wore

corsages of pink and white carnations.

Included in the gifts, which were on display during the party hours, was a set of china, the hostess group gift to the honoree. Approximately 125 guests called between the hours of 6:30 and 8:30 o'clock.

"Federation" Is Program Theme At Pathfinder's Meet

The Pathfinders' Council met in the home of Mrs. W. F. McElreath Tuesday afternoon of last week.

"Federation" was the program theme for the afternoon and 13 members answered roll call with a thought on "What Constitutes a Good Club Member." "Duty of Club Members" was discussed by Mrs. Anna Dickson and Mrs. Robert Spicer gave "An Ideal Club Member." Mrs. Ernest Lee concluded the program with a talk on "Items of Interest from Federation News."

Delicious refreshments were served following the program hour, to Mesdames Barney Burnett, Irvin Johnsey, Ernest Lee,

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Engagement of Genevieve Prater Is Revealed at Breakfast Tuesday

Mrs. Coy Davis entertained with a breakfast last Tuesday morning announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Genevieve Prater, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Prater of this city, to Edward R. Pate Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Pate of Brownwood.

The marriage is to be an event of October 4 at 5 o'clock in the First Baptist Church of Memphis. Fall flowers, featuring the

bride-elect's chosen colors of gold and white, were used to decorate the entertaining suite. Foursome tables, covered with Madeira cloths, were centered with lovely arrangements of gold and white cut flowers. Place cards to which were attached gold wedding bands tied with white and gold ribbons bore the date, October 4, in gold lettering.

The breakfast menu consisted of bacon, eggs, biscuits, orange juice, jelly, and coffee.

The invitation list included Mesdames Walter Lockhoff, Bill Hamm, Talmadge Pounds, Dick Shelton, Gene Lindsey, J. C. Turner; Misses Roselyn Williams, June Power, Tommye Noel, Ruth Barnes, and Billie Blackwell.

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The natural and industrial resources of West Texas are being displayed in Memphis for the next three days, and thousands of persons from all over the state will be here to take part in the celebration. A full program of entertainment has been planned, with the entire citizenship doing its utmost to make the carnival a success.

HERE ARE SOME OF THE HIGHLIGHTS...

Exhibits at the high school and in the business district — Champion Football Game — Football Game — Championship Wrestling Matches — Street Dance — Parades — Queen Coronation — Shows — Street Shows — Visiting Celebrities and Dignitaries — Radio Broadcasts — Newsreel Cameras, and many more.

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Outlined at TFWC Meet

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Meeting of the board of the Seventh District Federation of Women's Clubs was held Sept. 28 at the First Baptist Church with 55 members in

the business session, Kinard, president, resume of her obituary term. She has her theme for the year's Opportunities in Tomorrow's Clubs were asked to conservation pro- international rela- 49 counties gave

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\$5 prize to the club which sponsors the greatest number of new federated clubs in the district. Mrs. McGinty, speaking on club extension, urged open membership.

Mrs. Mae Murfee, state chairman of conservation of national resources, is offering a loving cup to the district which does the best work in that line.

Mrs. Putnam reported on insurance, and Mrs. Wayne Barnes on youth cooperation. Mrs. Harrah, chairman of mental hygiene, urged each club to have one program on the subject and to have at least one member join the Texas Society of mental hygiene.

Mrs. Seay reported on scholarship and Mrs. Caddell reported on drama. Mrs. U. Z. Willie, state chairman of citizenship, stated that the prizes to be offered in that division would be printed in the October issue of the Federation News.

In the department reports, Mrs. Wayne Boren stated that the national citizenship chairman is offering a state prize of \$25 and the state chairman a first prize of \$10 and a second prize of \$5 for the most outstanding work in citizenship including programs.

Mrs. T. V. Reeves reported on education. Mrs. Glenn Truax, fine arts chairman, also plans to offer prizes. A picture by one of the best Texas artists will be presented to the district who does the most outstanding work in art.

Mrs. Guy Smith reporting on folk lore, stated that a bulletin will be sent to any person who makes a contribution to pioneer folk lore.

Mrs. Gordon, chairman of international relations, is offering a \$10 prize for the best program pertaining to the subject. Mrs. De Grassi reported on world cooperation and Mrs. LaGrange reported on Pan America.

Mrs. Jack Rector, chairman of cancer control, asked that each club appoint a chairman on cancer control, distribute literature, have one informative talk on the subject during the year, and cooperate with the American Cancer Society.

Mrs. O. C. Thomas reporting on child welfare, suggested building libraries for negro children. Mrs. Wolfman reported on community

service and Mrs. Terry reported on mental hygiene.

Mrs. Lloyd Phillips gave a report on nutrition, Mrs. Harrah on public health, Mrs. John Merchant on recreation, Mrs. Harry Womack on conservation of natural resources, Mrs. Grundy on club extension and program planning, Mrs. Wes Izzard on forums and institutes, Mrs. Carroll Smyers on Golden Jubilee, Mrs. L. A. Wells on hospitality, and Mrs. Mark Henry on investments.

Mrs. Kincaid reported on junior clubs and offered a \$5 prize to the junior club that does the most outstanding work. Mrs. Allen Hodges reported on radio, Mrs. Jennigan on resolutions, Mrs. Lily on cooperation, Mrs. Caddell on youth cooperation, Mrs. Westbay on headquarters.

Mrs. Lee offers a \$5 prize for the best year book. Mrs. Jones reported on legislation and Mrs. Davis, life member of Childress, offers a \$5 prize for the best report on tuberculosis control.

Following the business session, the group was honored with a luncheon at the Hilton Hotel with Mrs. Stinnet of Plainview acting as chairman.

Mrs. McGinty of Spur, second vice president, presided. A sing song was conducted by Mrs. Glenn Truax with Mrs. Foster of Canyon at the piano. Mrs. Truax was also asked to read an original poem, "Panhandle Plains" for which she received the prize offered in drama last year. Mrs. Wylie of Matador was guest speaker. She gave a most interesting and informative report of the annual convention of the General Federation of Women's Clubs held in New York City in June. One of their most thrilling experiences was being permitted to sit in the conference room of the United Nations. Mrs. Wylie stated that from that meeting, she was led to the conclusion that real peace must begin in the heart of each individual. The program was concluded with an original song by Mrs. McGinty honoring the district president, Mrs. Kinard.

Those attending from Memphis were Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard, Mrs. T. M. Harrison, Mrs. Lloyd Phillips, and Mrs. Harry Womack.

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Mrs. T. J. Brock and Twin Sister Celebrate 66th Birthday in Kaufman



For the first time in ten years Mrs. T. J. Brock of Route 1, Memphis, and her twin sister, Mrs. S. E. Cox of Kaufman, were together for their birthday anniversary.

The celebration was held during the latter part of August when Mr. and Mrs. Brock spent a week visiting in Kaufman in the Cox home.

A delicious birthday dinner was served at noon on August 25, at which time the twins observed their 66th birthday anniversary. Centering the table was a 15 pound heart-shaped birthday cake inscribed with the honoree's names, "Minnie and Tennie." The cake was a gift from Mrs. Cox's daughter.

Other than the honorees and their husbands, the eight children of Mr. and Mrs. Cox were also present. Mr. and Mrs. Brock do not have any children.

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Delegates Attend Area Homemakers Meeting in Lefors

Delegates from the Homemaking Clubs of Memphis and Lakeview High Schools attended an area meeting of the Future Homemakers of America in Lefors last Saturday.

Representing the Memphis Club were Mary Nell Evans, Johnnie Sue Brewer, and Mrs. Messer, and attending from the Lakeview chapter were Flora Hall, Betty Hulsey, and Mrs. Euba Blevins.

Plans were discussed for the coming year and a representative from each chapter reported on the work of her club. The Memphis chapter was the only one to report having paid state dues and completed year books for the year to date.

Area officers were installed in a very impressive candlelight ceremony. Barbara McColloch of Lefors was installed as president.

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We are glad to welcome the visitors to Memphis during this celebration. The Memphis Chamber of Commerce gives our city the chance to receive nation-wide publicity, and calls attention to the opportunities offered here. This company always welcomes the opportunity to work with the citizens of our community in promoting worthwhile projects.

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Oct. 2, 3, 4

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"Old Tack" Scores In Prediction Of Plainview Boom

Amarillo's "Old Tack" knew whereof he spoke when predicting a boom for Plainview a few years ago. The prediction has come true and today that city is experiencing the greatest expansion in its history and may justly claim its new and official slogan title "Shallow Water Irrigation Capital of the World." Even though an oil play adjoins the trade area, the shallow water and irrigation facilities of Hale County has brought new wealth to Plainview along with growing pains.

While the chamber of commerce quickly advises the city will accommodate all new industrial requirements, it also admits it has about 10 requests for homes to each one found for new arrivals. This despite a building program of projects comparing favorably with Amarillo, Pampa and Borger.

The Sumrall Project has 16 new homes complete and 16 homes started. The Shuts Housing Project is completing 76 new homes and Malicoa and Cloer have approximately 80 homes either completed or now under construction. The Plainview Optimist Club boasts seven homes nearing completion in its club project assisting the city in solving its housing problem.

To the outsider the local rental rates at first seem high. Apartments and houses rent from \$50 upward, with most vacancies, as they occur being strictly "upward." Many are paying \$100 per month and more for houses and glad to have them.

Added to oil developments are such pay roll attractions as the Plains Food, Inc., busily engaged in canning vegetables; the Harvest Queen Mills, sugar beet raising, potatoes and garden truck; and the National Alfalfa Dehydrating & Milling Co., employing more than 125 workers in the local and Lockney mills and which will process approximately 100,000 tons of alfalfa this year from some 40,000 acres.

Plainview residents remember vividly the depression years in the 30's and admit they have to "rub eyes" to believe the present local conditions which have caused Plainview to exceed the 16,000

Memphis High Band Has Prominent Part In Activities Here

A large delegation of Hall Countians attended the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo Friday. The Memphis High School Band led the parade down Polk street, and received many compliments. Those who attended report the band made the best showing of any in Amarillo on that day.

The Memphis band will play for the visiting dignitaries attending the Carnival, the stage shows, the parades, football game, rodeo performances, and will be on duty at all times, the director, Perry Keyser, announces.

One of the first official appearances of the band will be at Clarendon when Governor Beauford Jester and party lands at the airport there. They will accompany them to Memphis and a concert will be given upon their arrival on the square in Memphis. A number of visiting bands will be here for the Saturday "Mardi Gras," and the Memphis band will serve as host band for that occasion also.

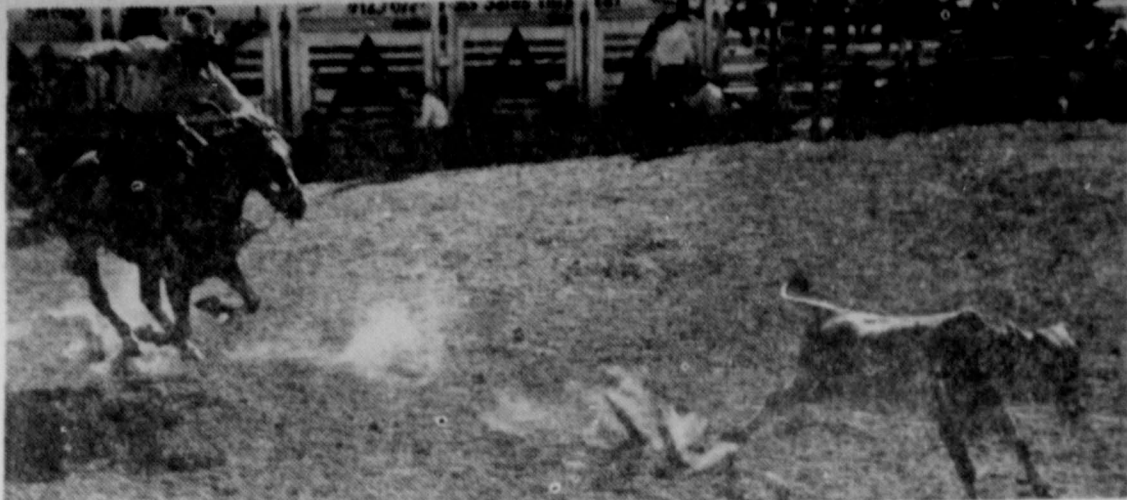
For More Blooms Leave Mum Buds

Leave chrysanthemum buds alone if your plants are the new hardy garden varieties, says Miss Sadie Hatfield, Texas A. and M. College extension specialist in landscape gardening.

The beauty of the new varieties lies in the profusion of blossoms rather than in the size of each individual flower, the specialist says. The custom of trimming back the tops of chrysanthemums to produce sturdy low-growing plants should be stopped at least 1 or 12 weeks before flowers are expected, though the time varies with the variety.

The plants should be watered during dry weather, and if they look weak and have light green leaves, they are likely in need of help. Miss Hatfield recommends liquid manure or a feeding solution made of a heaping tablespoonful of a complete fertilizer such as 5-10-5 to a gallon of water. It is more important to have a weak fertilizer applied at frequent intervals than a heavy one infrequently.

mark in population "and still growing."



Champion ropers will vie with each other in roping calves in the shortest time at the Memphis Stampede. The scores made will count in the R. C. A. championship race.

Bang's Disease Control Studied

The organization of a state advisory committee to map plans for controlling Bang's disease in Texas livestock herds is nearing completion.

Appointments on the committee have been made out of all livestock breed organizations in the state, including Jersey, Guernsey, Aberdeen Angus, Brahma, Hereford and milk goat associations. Cattle raisers associations, the Livestock Sanitary Commission of USDA's Bureau of Animal Industry, the state department of health and the Extension Service, Agricultural Experiment Station and the teaching division of Texas A. and M. College . . . all are represented on the committee that

will attempt to curb the high toll that Bang's disease, or Brucellosis, is taking among the state's livestock.

Dr. E. A. Grist, Extension veterinarian at Texas A. and M. College, says that several new ideas have already been set forth for consideration of the committee, one proposal being a vaccination program for heifers without tests of adult animals. Another is the possibility of complete herd vaccination with special permission. Also up for discussion by the committee is a plan to include local practicing veterinarians in a Bang's disease control plan.

The committee will next meet in Fort Worth February 12.

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HENRY NEWMAN BECOMES CRETNEY DRUG MANAGER

Henry B. Newman has been made manager of Cretney's Drug Store at Tucumcari, according to an item in the Tucumcari News.

Henry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Newman of Memphis. He has been in the drug business for several years, most of the time in Amarillo.

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7. All winners will be notified. A list of the winners will be sent to all contestants requesting one and sending a self-addressed stamped envelope.

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These Couples GET LICENSES
 Nineteen marriage licenses were issued from the county clerk's office during the month of September, Miss Sybil Gurley, clerk, announced this week.
 Licenses were issued to Lester S. Grimes and Mrs. Lois Enid Fletcher, September 3; James R. Gee and Miss Oceana B. Wilson, September 6; Scotty Ray Pullen and Miss Clara Jo Hayes, September 6; Cleveland Fair and Miss Earline Huit, September 6; Fred Clark Crisman and Helen Ruth Jones, September 11; James V. Shepherd and Miss Betty Sue Crump, September 10.
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MORE STRIPPERS
 One implement dealer makes the forecast that within three years every farmer in Western Oklahoma who has 50 acres or more of cotton will have a stripper. He may be too optimistic, but the use of strippers appears likely to expand rapidly in the next few years.—Oklahoma Experiment Station.
 line Burch, September 17; W. R. Parker and Miss Billie Ruth Randolph, September 22; Glenn Churchman and Miss Helen Wiedman, September 25; Jack Monzingo and Miss Betty Bob Webb, September 27.
 Arthur Bruce and Miss Mabel Dailing, September 25; Jack D. Wilkinson and Miss Betty Jo DeBusk, September 24; Ervie Mathews and Miss Gladys Taylor, September 27; Ben Warren and Miss Annie B. Albert, September 27; and Gene A. Row and Miss Beatrice Allen, September 9.

Voice of People—
 (Continued from Page 3)
 and tangible solution with the forefinger placed exactly on the cause; without too much interest in whether it is the real cause. When the more scholarly of the investigators delve deeply into the matter and begin to deal with remote causes, the general public loses interest. Thus arises the great difficulty in dealing with remote causes. Suggested remedies even if put into operation are too slow. The public likes the sensational; the glamorous.
 Now, Mr. Brunner is one of the few writers on the subject who has chosen to look beyond the immediate probable cause of accidents and in his article published by you has suggested in brief a need of raising the youngsters in the elementary schools; with an enlargement of that training in the case of older students. He looks with little hope upon the older people who as he says are beyond reach of proper training. He has noted that 61 per cent of all pedestrians killed are 45 years of age or older. The reason is obvious: we oldsters cannot hop, skip and jump out of the way as quickly as the youngsters. And that is the point in Mr. Brunner's article that prompted this comment.
 Training must begin in the elementary grades. In fact it must begin at the cradle. For it is at the cradle that the building of character begins.
 All the evils the human is heir to try to assert themselves at the wheel of an automobile; the urge to hurry and get there regardless of cost; selfishness and the desire to get and hold the right of way over the pedestrian and vehicle traffic; the love of power and the sense of feeling the power of the motor transferred to the driver with that childish spirit of domination over others; the thrill of speeding through space and thought, if at all, of an accident to everyone except himself; trusting to luck with regards to faulty brakes and steering apparatus; and finally the sense of security from arrest, embarrassment, physical punishment and money damages because of unenforced laws regulating traffic and a misunderstanding of the true purpose of casualty insurance.
 The only possible thing that can or ever will act as a check upon these human traits that make us all potential offenders is character; character moulded at the cradle and in the home; and later in the school and the church or other good environment. Thousands upon thousands of men and women, young and old, have driven automobiles for many thousands of miles through traffic and under all conditions and have never had any accident or

more than a dented fender. Why? For the simple reason that they are men and women of good character. They have long since learned the great pleasure the human can derive from respecting the rights of others along the way. They learned when small children the need for giving and taking all through life. By the proper moulding of their nature they have learned to respect the rules and regulations made and enforced by the majority of their fellow beings. By no means is this to say that all accidents are caused by men of bad character. It does mean that the great majority of accidents can be traced to some sort of abuse of an undesirable human trait that through neglect of character has been permitted to finally assert itself.
 Finally, if the home, the school, and the church has failed, then laws with teeth in them that bite and bite hard is the only solution to the traffic accident problem.
 Respectfully submitted,
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 Cotton yields have been more than tripled by use of hairy vetch and crop rotation on the farm of J. C. Brown, St. Francis County. Last fall, 48 bales of cotton were picked from a 40-acre field which had a heavy growth of vetch turned under April 1.—Arkansas Extension Service.
PLAN FOR PICKERS
 To obtain best results from harvesting machinery, their use must be accompanied by adjustments in other steps of cotton production. Varieties of cotton and methods and equipment used in planting, chopping, cultivation, and ginning cotton must keep pace with progress in development and use of harvesters.—North Carolina Experiment Station.
REPLACEMENT
 On many farms, machines will not displace labor, but replace labor that has already left cotton areas.—Oscar Johnston, National Cotton Council.
NO WORRY
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Set Seasons On Perambulating Homo Sapiens

Open and closed hunting seasons on perambulating homo sapiens, otherwise known as pedestrians, are set up in the new Texas traffic law effective since September 5, Public Safety Director Homer Garrison said this week.

Closed season shall prevail, Garrison said, whenever a pedestrian crosses a street or road properly at an intersection or other place designated as a crosswalk.

The law also protects the pedestrian, by implication at least, from marauding motorists who

might attack him while he is walking along a sidewalk.

Open season prevails whenever the pedestrian jaywalks or otherwise imprudently attempts to occupy the same space intended to be occupied by a motor vehicle.

If there is no sidewalk available, the pedestrian must walk on the left side of the street or road, facing oncoming traffic. This gives him a chance to jump before being hit.

The law forbids a pedestrian to dash out into the path of an oncoming car. This clause, Garrison commented, is virtually self-enforcing, since most people will not live to violate it more than once.

There has been some confusion, Garrison said, about the new law's application to hitch-hikers. He said the language of the law had confused some people into believing that it forbids hitch-hiking, but that it actually only forbids a hitch-hiker to stand on the paved or improved portion of a street or road while trying to hitch a ride.

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Dory Detton, matchmaker of Amarillo, has gone all out to make this card one to be remembered and an additional 1,000 seats have been installed to accommodate the expected crowds.

The sensational Ray "Big Train" Clements of Lubbock, Texas, at 192 pounds meets George Curtis, 190-pound Southern States champion of Vicksburg, Miss., in the featured attraction.

Billy Hickson, 187-pound Knoxville speedster, tests the ability of Henry "Jet" Harrel, New Orleans 190-pounder, in the opening match.

Tickets are now on sale in a host of downtown locations.

Clements has everyone down on his tactics, including the State Commission. However, he continues "whipping the sox" off opponents. Curtis, a champion in every phase of the business, hopes to stop the "Big Train's" winning streak and all agree he is probably the only one able to do so.

The wrestling matches will precede the final rodeo performance of the evening and should be a thrilling climax for all Carnival guests.

NOTICE
W. G. Johnson, M.D.
I will be out of my office during October.
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D. H. Davenport Celebrates 81st Birthday Monday

D. H. Davenport Sr., who has lived in Hall County for the past 58 years, was honored with a dinner on his 81st birthday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. H. J. DuVall, in Lakeview Monday.

Mr. Davenport, called the "father of Lakeview," came to Hall County in 1889 as a young man of 22. He filed on a section of land two miles southwest of Lakeview and in 1890 began his business career in Lakeview when he became postmaster. Several years later the First State Bank of Lakeview, now the First National Bank, was organized, and Mr. Davenport was the leader in the movement. He was elected the first president, and has held that position continually since that time. He was married in March of 1892 to Miss Pearl Lovelace. The Davenports are the parents of three boys and two girls. Four children are still living and are residents of Lakeview.

Mr. Davenport was the recipient of many lovely gifts. Games of progressive 42 were enjoyed following the birthday dinner.

In attendance were Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Davenport Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Davenport and girls, Mr. and Mrs. David Davenport Jr., Martha Pearl and Mary Jo Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. DuVall and David Horace and Bennie Earl.

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Former Resident Is Critically Ill

Emmett Evans, who resided in Hall County for approximately 35 years, is critically ill at his home in Los Angeles, it was learned here this week. Mr. Evans left here in 1941, moving to California.

His son, Kermit Evans of Ash-tola; two sisters, Ethel Fowler of

Memphis and Lena Lake; and a brother, Evans of Scottsbluff, Neb., are on his side.

The state of California has four great parks, the Luis park, Middle park, and South park.

Detachable collars and shirts were first made in Troy, N. Y., about 1840.