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Memphis 4 - H Boy Wins 5 - Day Tour

Lloyd West, son of Mr. Mrs. Lamar West of Memphis, this week was named one of the winners from 56 grain-producers in Texas in the Extension Service-Producers Grain Production Talent Club for 1951.

Tour Grain Areas

The 16 winners, a 4-H boy and 15 girls, will receive an all-expense paid five-day educational tour in recognition for outstanding 4-H Club work. Beginning in Amarillo, the winners will visit successful cooperatives in Hutchinson and Wichita, Kansas City and Springdale, Mo. a resort at Eureka, Ark. and the largest water park in the United States at Okla. The group will make the tour in chartered buses.

Four Winners in 5 Years

The award was submitted as a candidate for the award from Hall County by County Agent W. B. The selections were based on the fourth Hall County



LLOYD WEST

in the past five years to receive the honor. Previous winners were Billy Hancock of Lakeview, 1948; Bruce Gibson of Turkey, 1950; and John Luther Byars of Lakeview, who won the honor last year.

The winners this year will be the guests of the Producers Grain Corporation on the tour, and will be accompanied by adults from the company and the Extension Service.

Loan Rate For Wheat Announced

Support Price Is \$2.16 Per Bushel For 1952 Wheat

The 1952 support loan rate for Hall County wheat will be \$2.16 per bushel, according to an announcement made this week by County PMA Officer Lynn L. McKown.

This new rate compares with last year's support price of \$2.17. McKown said that the market price Wednesday was \$2.20 per bushel.

The PMA officer said that about 15,000 acres are planted to wheat in Hall County this year.

All producers are eligible for support loans which are made on wheat stored in eligible on-farm storage or commercial warehouses, he said. Purchase agreements will be available.

This year all loan documents, warehouse receipts, etc., on 1952 wheat will remain in the county PMA office or in local banks until maturity. This will enable producers to regain possession of their wheat on short notice at anytime before maturity of the loan.

Two Memphians Are Elected VFW Aux. Officers

Mrs. Lynn Jones and Mrs. Carl Kulp, of Memphis were elected president and conductress, respectively, of District 13 Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary at the annual VFW convention Sunday in Plainview.

Lynn Jones accompanied her husband and Mrs. Kulp to the convention.

Other officers in the Auxiliary are: Mrs. Lou Ella Scarborough, Plainview, senior vice-president; Mrs. Faye Williams, Floydada, junior vice-president; Mrs. Carrie Cline, Childress, treasurer; Mrs. LaVerne McMinn, Hereford, chaplain; Mrs. Dorothy Campbell, Hereford, and Mary Mason, Matador, secretary.

The VFW re-elected Bud Clark, Plainview, district commander. Others named were E. T. Williams, Floydada, senior vice-commander; P. Perry McMinn, Hereford, junior vice-commander; L. M. Cox, Matador, quartermaster; Allen Harp, Childress, post advocate; Jim Leach, Wellington, surgeon; and Wayne Lawrence, Hereford, re-elected chaplain.

Saied, Dunn Win Scotch Tournament At Country Club

Louis Saied and Bill Dunn teamed up Sunday to win the first golf tournament of the year at the Memphis Country Club. E. M. Wilson and Rufus Grisham were runners-up.

In the first flight, Al Burks and O. V. Alexander were winners over Ed Cudd and J. O. Cobb in the finals.

Grisham, president of the club, said that the next tournament, either a "hat" or "flag" event, would be held sometime during the first part of next month.

The club president said that the decision on building the proposed swimming pool would be left up to stockholders at a meeting within the next ten days. He said that between 40 and 50 shares have been sold in the membership drive which was intended to help finance the project.

30 MHS SENIORS GRADUATE IN EXERCISES FRIDAY NIGHT IN HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM



Photo by Memphis Studio

GRADUATE TOMORROW NIGHT— Pictured above are members of the 1952 Memphis High School graduating class who will end their school careers in exercises tomorrow night. Front Row: (left to right) Margaret Massey, Jacky Gilbert, Patsy Jarrell, Jo Ann Webster, Dee Ellen Durrett, Nan Crowder, Clinton Jones, Frank Norman and Carl Lee. Second Row: (left to right) Carnis Durham, Gloria Harris, Floye Hammons, Dempsey Archer, D'Arman Peabody, Max Kennedy, Don Beasley and Bettie Kennon. Top Row: (left to right) Margie Davis, Muriel Bruton, Vondia Blackmon, Wayne Wiggins, Wayne Jenkins, Horace Jones, Freddy Vinson, Charles Messer and Coy Smith. Graduating seniors not in the picture are: Ramon Arnold, Bobby Hutcherson, Don Stewart and Raymond Whitten.

Eighth Graders Graduate Friday

Graduation exercises for Memphis eighth graders will be at 10 tomorrow morning in the high school auditorium. Sixty-two will be presented diplomas by Ace Gailey, vice-president of the school board. Assisting will be Weldon McCreary, high school principal, who will also recognize honor students.

The invocation and main address will be given by the Rev. Rollo Davidson of the First Methodist Church. The Junior Choral Club will sing "Now Is The Hour," and Janice Smith will play the processional and recessional music.

Billie Jean Stroehle is valedictorian of the class. Betty Lemons is salutatorian, and Kerry Moore is high ranking boy.

Members of the graduating class are: Algie Archer, Marie Barnes, Helen Bishop, Yvonne Browning, Vada Brisco, Ethel Cady, Johnny Chamberlain, Billy Cheek, Lois Ann Cofer, Robert Davidson, John Deaver, Glenda Ellis, Cleve Evans, Duane Ford, Shirley Freelen, Mary Frank Garrett, Earl Gilchrist, Jr., Betsy Godfrey, Hays Hammonds, Sharon Harrison, Jerita Hartman, Kenny Hartman,

Also Betty Henson, Betty Hickey, David Hightower, Jerry Hill, Jimmy Hill, Don Paul Howell, Jimmy Jenkins, Jacky Justice, Virginia Kelly, Helen Kulp, Betty Lemons, Rodney Lewis, Edna

Three Lions Attend El Paso Convention

Three members of the Memphis Lions Club returned Tuesday night from El Paso where they attended the district Lions convention. They are: Ben Wilson, Sr., president; Arlis McBee, secretary; and Bob Ayers, director.

The El Paso convention opened Sunday and closed Tuesday.

MEMPHIS MAN HIT BY AUTO; DRIVER FINED

Lester W. Graham, North 7th Street, seriously injured when he was struck by an automobile at 1:15 p. m. Monday, was reported "much improved" at midweek by officials at the local hospital where he was taken after the accident.

Graham suffered a brain concussion and lacerations about the face and head when he was hit by a 1950 Buick while he was working on Highway 287 about 3 1/2 miles south of Memphis. The car, driven by Augustus Doyle Silvey, 71, of Pampa, crashed through a barricade erec.

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SCHOOL CENSUS SHOWS SLIGHT GAIN THIS YEAR

The 1951-52 school census for Hall County showed an overall increase of only three scholastics, according to Miss Mary Foreman, county school superintendent. The compilation of statistics was completed this week.

Colored Students Increased

The slight increase this year compares to a drop of about 200 scholastics in last year's census. However the gain resulted from an increase of 78 colored scholastics, while the number of white scholastics decreased by 75.

The overall total for last year was 2,126 whites and 204 colored; for this year the figures are 2,050 whites and 282 colored. The census was taken during March.

Comparison Given

The figures for both years according to schools are:

Lakeview: 1950-51, 407 whites and 26 colored; 1951-52, 368 whites and 34 colored.

Estelline: 1950-51, 347 whites, and 20 colored; 1951-52, 349 whites and 26 colored.

Turkey: 1950-51, 463 whites.

Local City Park Visited Recently By Nearby Schools

School children from three nearby towns descended upon Memphis Friday and Monday to enjoy the local hospitality and the attractions at the city park, according to Clifford Farmer, Chamber of Commerce manager.

Grade pupils from Clarendon arrived on the train Friday for an outing in the park. For some of the kids it was the first experience in train travel. Pupils from Ashtola and Lakeview visited Monday. The Ashtolans also came by train, while the Lakeview students arrived here in school buses.

The Chamber of Commerce received a "thank you" note from the Clarendon school yesterday for the hospitable welcome they got here.

Business And Professional Women Elect Mrs. Beeson Club President

Mrs. Nell Beeson was elected president of the Memphis Business and Professional Women's Club last Thursday, May 15, at the regular luncheon meeting in Masonic Hall.

Other officers elected were: Vice-president, Mrs. Mollie Carlson; recording secretary, Miss Margaret Davenport; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Lucille Burnett; treasurer, Miss Myrtle Gibson; Parliamentarian, Mrs. Wilma Leslie.

Miss Ater Installing Officer

Miss Alyce Ater of Childress, state president of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, was installing officer.

Out-going officers were paid tributes for services rendered during their tenure of office. Mrs. Hattie Don Thompson, as out-going president, was presented

G. S. Vineyard, Civic Leader, To Be Speaker

Thirty Memphis High School Seniors will receive their diplomas during graduation exercises starting at 8 tomorrow night in the high school auditorium.

Vineyard To Speak

George S. "Pinky" Vineyard of Pampa, Panhandle civic leader, will deliver the commencement address. A well-known speaker in this area, he is the brother of Mr. James Baldwin and nephew of Mrs. J. Claude Well of Memphis. Vineyard formerly lived in Amarillo where he was a president of the city's Chamber of Commerce. He now operates a large dairying business in Pampa.

James A. Anthony, president of the school board, will present the diplomas. He will be assisted by Supt. W. C. Davis, Weldon McCreary, principal of the high school, will be in charge of the recognition of honor students.

The invocation will be given by Min. B. M. Litton of the Church of Christ, and the benediction will be by Min. Bedford Smith of the First Christian Church.

The music for the processional and recessional marches will be played by Betty Jean Stewart, Carl Lee, Senior president, will make the presentation of the class gift. The high school Mixed Chorus will sing "Now Is The Hour."

Honor Students Named

Margaret Ann Massey is valedictorian of this year's graduating class, and Jacky Gilbert is salutatorian. Frank Norman is third ranking scholastically.

Class officers are: President, Carl Lee; vice-president, Max Kennedy; secretary, Patsy Jarrell; treasurer, Don Beasley; reporter, Dempsey Archer; and yell leader, Freddy Vinson.

Walker Funeral Rites Conducted Here Tuesday

Funeral services for Emmett Ernest "Red" Walker, 72, were held at 3 p. m. Tuesday in the First Baptist Church in Memphis. Walker, a retired farmer and insurance man and resident of Hall County for 41 years, died of a heart attack shortly after noon Sunday at his home at 520 South Ninth St.

Rev. Moore Officiates

The Rev. Jeff Moore, former pastor of the First Baptist Church here and now pastor at Cleburne, officiated. He was assisted by the Revs. Rollo Davidson and Burr Morris and Miss B. M. Litton and Bedford Smith. Murphy-Spicer had charge of arrangements, and burial was in Fairview Cemetery.

Pall bearers were Sam Hamilton, Otis Janc, George Cullen, Byron Baldwin, H. J. Howell and W. M. Coffey.

Honorary pall bearers were deacons of the First Baptist church, the Masonic Lodge and the I.O.O.F. Lodge of Memphis. The

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OFFICERS' RAIDS OVER WEEKEND CLOSE LARGE LIQUOR CACHES

Three raids over the weekend by Hall County law enforcement officers, disclosed the fact that Hall County officers had closed in on several illegal caches, two in Memphis and one in Memphis.

The Memphis raid was carried out about dusk Saturday night by Sheriff E. S. "Peck" Morrison, Constable Jack Peabody, Deputy Sheriff Bill Baten, Chief of Police T. D. Weatherly and Officer W. B. Robertson.

Officers making the Turkey raids Sunday afternoon were Morrison, Peabody, Baten and Roy Edwards, Turkey constable.

Paying fines Monday in County Court on charges of "possession for sale" were Mrs. Bert Brewster, Memphis, and Bert Byrd, Turkey. Dilly Pierce of Turkey paid his fine Tuesday afternoon.



It's a "cold today, hot tomorrow; again cold today and hot tomorrow" business with the weather we've been having for several weeks. Cotton does not know whether to peek out or keep in. If it peeks, a cold spell hits it and stunts it. If it stays in, warm weather misses a chance to start it off right.



CAROLYN REEVES, a Junior in Hedley School, won second in the Lions' District Contest Monday in Pasa. Judging was on poise, personality and talent. She was chosen over six other girls in the contest May 5 at Hedley.

'Buddy Poppy' Day Is Saturday

Have you ever visited a Veterans Administration hospital? Have you ever walked slowly through the long corridors of one of these institutions secretly depressed by the spectre of suffering and loneliness behind each closed door? Have you ever walked past a line of pale, thin men sitting in wheel chairs in a VA paralytic ward, and wondered what you could possibly do to tell these men that they are not forgotten—that you are not ungrateful?

Buddy Poppies, made by these victims of war, will be on sale all day Saturday at four different places in Memphis. The members of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and VFW Auxiliary posts of Memphis will be selling the flowers of remembrance. Proceeds will go to the men in VA hospitals for their rehabilitation.

Sales booths will be placed on the north, south and west sides of the square and in the postoffice, according to Mrs. Lloyd Vandeventer, president of the Auxiliary.

"Every Buddy Poppy you wear is a flower of remembrance that pays a debt of gratitude to those who have proven their loyalty to this nation," Mrs. Vandeventer said. "When you buy a Poppy, you will know you are giving a contribution to the fund that helps support disabled veterans."

"Buddy Poppy" Day is sponsored in Memphis by the VFW Durrett-Brown Post and the Ladies Auxiliary.

Quarter-Inch Rain, High and Low Temp. Recorded Here

A rainfall of .25 inches and temperatures ranging all the way from 48 to 99 degrees completed the weather picture for the past week, according to J. J. McMick in, official weather recorder.

The rain fell Saturday. A trace fell Friday night. Total rainfall for May now stands at 1.13 inches.

The maximum temperature for the week was recorded for May 15, and the minimum for Tuesday morning. The mercury got down as low as 42 on May 13.



NELL BEESON

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Cox Predicts 30,000 Texans To Die This Year of Heart, Blood diseases

AUSTIN—State Health Officer Geo. W. Cox has forecast the death this year of some 30,000 Texans due to heart and blood vessel diseases. Twenty thousand will be men, and at least half the total figure—both men and women—will be less than 70 years old.

The program of worn-out hearts, thickened blood vessels, and kidney disorders is an old one, he asserted, but said the longer length of average life isn't the whole reason for the great numbers of heart disease deaths.

To prove that point he quoted these figures: Of the 30,000 Texans that cardiovascular (heart and blood vessel) diseases will kill in 1952, about 15,000 will be less than 70 years old, 700 will be in their 30's, 2,000 will be in their 40's, 4,500 in their 50's, and at least 7,800 in the 60's.

Since 1941, the male death rate has exceeded the female rate by something like 70 per cent, the health officer said. For those 75 and over the risk of death from

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heart disease is a fourth again as great for men as it is for women.

These ever increasing death due to heart, kidney, and blood vessel disorders have been observed for the last 30 or 40 years.

"If a statewide heart program is to develop," he declared, "it will be necessary that there be provided a professional coordinating committee that will council on program procedures and give necessary directions on essential medical services."

He credited the American Heart Association with "successfully influencing" fund appropriations and for formulating a heart control program for the nation.

ESTELLINE MAN BUYS BUSINESS IN COLORADO

C. E. Wilkinson of Estelline has purchased the Ford Motor Company in Salida, Colorado. At present he is managing that business and Mrs. Wilkinson is managing the business in Estelline.

Progress Noted In Production Of Texas Swine

COLLEGE STATION — Better hogs are being raised in Texas. This improvement has resulted from the long time improvement program sponsored by the swine breeders association, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and other educational agencies.

Over Two Million Last Year

Figures from the annual report of Extension Swine Husbandman E. M. Regenbrecht, show that last year Texas farmers produced 2,308,000 hogs. He points out that Texas production could be increased and cities as an example what has happened in one corn belt state. In this state, 45 per cent of the grain feed produced is utilized for hog production: If this were done in Texas, Regenbrecht says, the state could profi-

tably produce 4,000,000 head of swine.

Even though Texas may not be producing the maximum amount of hogs, progress has been made in increasing quality and the number of pigs per litter. A look at swine statistics for Texas in the past reveals that litters of pigs have been very small. Hogs on the open range in East Texas and other range hog areas are included in the statistics, and the small litters from these areas pulls down the average for the state.

The average number of pigs per litter for Texas from 1938 to 1947, spring farrowed, was 5.9 pigs while the fall average for the same period was 6.1 pigs. The corresponding national average for the same period was 6.21 for fall, and 6.37 for spring. While the cornbelt averages were 6.32 and 6.5 respectively.

Texas Average Is Best

The Texas figures for pigs saved has risen, and in 1951 Texas surpassed the national average for both spring and fall litters and also surpassed the corn belt for fall litters. The Texas fall average in 1951 was 6.17 pigs per litter, Regenbrecht says.

Twenty-seven hundred thirty-two white 4-H club boys in 165 Texas counties and Negro 4-H boys in 30 counties last year participated in a program of herd improvement. The Sears-Roebuck Foundation has for many years cooperated in this program by supplying pure bred breeding stock. Sows owned by these 4-H members last year farrowed an average of 8 plus pigs per litter.

Reasons given by Regenbrecht for this improvement start with the use of better breeding stock. As a result of demonstrations conducted by 4-H members and adults and supervised by county agricultural agents, Texas farmers are using improved practices such as better hog lot equipment, improved rations, grazing crops, sanitation and control of diseases and parasites. The use of these practices has helped to make hog raising in Texas more profitable.

SUMMER SCHOOL STARTS JUNE 2

The Summer School session at Memphis High School will commence Monday, June 2, according to W. C. Davis, superintendent of local schools.

Davis said that all persons planning attendance should report to his office at 9 a. m. on that date. He said that it will not be known until later just what courses will be offered.

The session will last for six weeks.

Freshmen Home Ec Girls Entertained With Party Friday

school 1-24 Freshmen Home Ec girls of MHS were entertained with a slumber party, Friday, May 16, at the home of Miss Mary Sue Foreman, the Home Ec teacher, with Miss Carla Hornbeck as co-hostess. Games were going out west, jacks, and ghost stories.

Cokes, fudge, mixed candy, sandwiches, fruit, cake and cookies were enjoyed through the

night by the following: Rita Norton, Jusetta Messer, Kathleen Wright, Carolyn Kay Smith, Ann Monzingo, Barbara Edson, Juanelle Goffinet, Nell Long, Betty Sue Snyed, Dorothy Moore, Della J. Shackleford, Wynema Foreman and sponsors Carla Hornbeck and Mary Sue Foreman.

The party ended at six o'clock with Carolyn Kay Smith, Padgett and Miss Foreman preparing breakfast for the

Dr. and Mrs. James Balogh Quannah left Sunday for City to attend Rotary

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way to the fighting men in Korea.

RED CROSS AID TO VICTIMS OF MARCH 21 TORNADOES NEARS MILLION DOLLAR MARK



Then—The refrigerator and washing machine are all that remain in the splintered ruins of G. R. Nelson's newly remodeled home near Lonoke, Arkansas, after tornadoes struck in this and six other southern states March 21. The twisters destroyed 1,044 homes, caused other losses to 4,510 families, killed 214 persons, injured 2,000 others of whom 636 needed hospitalization. The Nelsons' young daughter was one of hundreds for whom Red Cross paid medical bills.

Now—Made possible by a \$4,023 Red Cross building award, the Nelson's new four-room home now is almost ready for the \$693 of essential furniture also bought for the family by the Red Cross. Meeting actual needs, not losses, Red Cross is aiding 775 families in rebuilding homes and additional hundreds are receiving awards—outright grants, not loans—to pay for household goods, medical bills, and other needs. Expenditures now are nearing the million dollar mark.

Lakeview 8th Graders To Graduate Tonight

Graduation exercises for the Lakeview eighth grade class will be tonight at 8 in the Lakeview First Baptist Church. Diplomas will be presented to 36 graduating students by Loran Denton, Supt. The valedictory will be given by Evelyn Revell, and the salutatory address will be delivered by Shirley Brown. Sherry Denton will read the class prophecy, and Romona Hopper will read the class will.

Future Readers of The Democrat

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Collins of Estelline are the parents of a son, James Robert, born April 11 and weighed 8 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Spicer announce the birth of a daughter, Lynette Ann, born May 9. She weighed 6 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Pierce of Lakeview are the parents of a son, Don Wayne, born May 16, weighed 8 pounds, 10 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Del Rich announce the birth of a daughter born May 9. She has been named Judy Ann and weighed 10 pounds, 14 ounces.

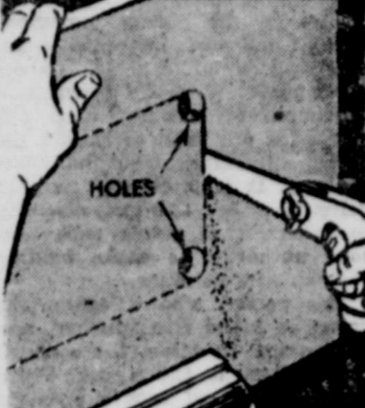
Mr. and Mrs. John M. Hall of Los Alamos, N. M. are the parents of a daughter, Marsha Dawn was born Tuesday, May 20, and weighed 7 pounds, 13 ounces. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and

teel, Sherry Denton, James Diekey, Cerinne Dilbeck, S. D. Garrison, Fern Harris, Ramona Hopper, Jimmy Hunter, Gurrvis Kennerd, Jerry Lemons, Tom Long, Jo Ann Melton.

Also Roy Alvin Molloy, Edith Murdock, Shirley Nabers, Billy Paschell, June Payne, Glenda Pickens, Dorothy Proffitt, Evelyn Revell, Reginal Robertson, Mary Sahagun, Nolan Salmon, Jean Sams, Kenneth Shira, Shirley Smith, Mary Nell Weddel, Ray Whitehead, Bonnie Weeden and Roy Whitten.

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To cut a square or rectangular opening with round corners in a piece of wood or similar board, holes of the proper radius should be drilled at the corners. Then you can saw straight down from one hole to the



next. This will assure that the opening will be of the dimensions wanted and that the corners will have the correct radius. To cut a similar opening with square shoulders, use a similar technique, drilling small-diameter holes at the corners with their outer edges tangent to the sides of the rectangle. Proceed as above. Then square off the small arc in each corner with a file. — Illustration, courtesy of Popular Mechanics.

Forrest Hall of Memphis and of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Nicoll of Albuquerque, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stephens of Amarillo announce the birth of a daughter, Martha Alice, on May

Gov. Dan Thornton To Speak at 1952 Tech Graduation

LUBBOCK—Texas Tech will hold graduation exercises May 26 for 727 candidates for bachelor and master's degrees. Gov. Dan Thornton, governor of Colorado and an ex-student of Tech, will be the commencement speaker at exercises at 8 p. m. Monday, May 26. The Rev. Robert Goodrich, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Dallas, will be the baccalaureate speaker at 8 p. m. May 25. Both events will take place in John Stadium.

Tech's candidates in the Class of 1952—both May and January graduates—are a decrease in number compared with classes since 1949. In 1949, there were 1,212 degrees conferred; in 1950, a total of 1,090; and in 1951, a total of 917. The decline is in step with the falling enrollment.

Of the 563 spring graduates, 84 students are candidates for degrees in the Division of Agriculture; 157 in the Division of Arts and Sciences; 101 in the Division of Business Administration; 143 in the Division of Engineering; 37 in the Home Economics Division; and 41 in the Division of Graduate Studies.

Dr. Turner L. Lewis of Childress attended Rotary luncheon here Tuesday. He was the Memphis Club's first president.

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Former Memphis Resident Receives Theology Degree

Dr. Byron F. Todd, former Memphian, son of Mrs. A. P. Todd of Clarendon, Texas, and Pastor of the First Southern Baptist Church, 3101 N. Peck Road, El Monte, California, received the Doctor of Theology degree from the Golden Gate Baptist Theological Seminary, Berkeley, Calif., at the graduation exercises May 3. Dr. Todd earned this degree in the field of the Greek New Testament. Two years of resident work followed by intensive research in the particular field of his subject was made by Dr. Todd. His dissertation of some 35,000 words written on a Greek preposition meaning "over."



DR BYRON F. TODD

Dr. Todd graduated from Memphis High in 1926, and after a few years in college, taught in the public schools of Hall County, which schools included Gammage Deep Lake, and Parnell. He also pastored rural churches during the same period. He holds a B. S. Degree from West Texas State College, Canyon, Texas and a Th. M. Degree from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Ft. Worth, Texas.

Mrs. Adrian Odom Named President Of Band Club

The Todds have been in California for a period of nearly five years, and the First Southern Baptist Church of which he is now pastor, is one of the largest Southern Baptist Churches in the state, with a Sunday School enrollment of 836.

The Todds live at 704 N. Tyler, El Monte, Calif. They have two sons, Don and Denton. Don is a Junior in Fresno State College, Fresno, Calif., and Denton is enrolled in Frank Wright elementary school, El Monte. Mrs. Todd, formerly Alpha Denton of Lakeview, Texas, is very active in the local church and in state denominational work.

Mrs. Adrian Odom was elected president of the Band Mother's Club at an organization meeting held Tuesday evening in the band house. Other officers named to serve with Mrs. Odom include Mrs. Bill Miller vice president; Mrs. Gene Chamberlain, secretary; Mrs. Clint Srygley, treasurer; and Mrs. Herschel Combs, reporter.

Meetings were scheduled to be held every other month during the school term beginning the third Thursday evening in September.

Every mother who has a child in the band is eligible to become a member of this organization, the new president said.

The purpose of the organization is to render assistance to the band and director. In order to operate more efficiently, the group felt it best to organize into a club, Mrs. Odom stated.

Lanny Beauchamp Is Party Honoree On 3rd Birthday

Lanny Beauchamp was honored with a birthday party Monday, May 19, in the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Chester Weatherly, to celebrate his third birthday anniversary.

A decorated birthday cake topped with three candles and inscribed "Happy Birthday Lanny" was served with ice cream and punch. The honoree received many gifts from his little friends.

Guests present were Jerry Shirley and Jack Phillips, Ronald Mullin, Pamela Lathram, Sissy Imel, Loren Hill, Charlie, Mickey and Candy Weatherly, Sharon and Dennis Jones of Lakeview and Jerry Weatherly.

Kenneth McQueen Makes Corporal In College ROTC

Kenneth McQueen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira McQueen of Memphis, has been promoted to corporal in the Army ROTC at Texas Christian University.

A graduate of Memphis High School, he received a football scholarship at the University. He is a sophomore physical education major.

Power of Attorney Explained by Bar

There are only two ways to get a thing done. You do it yourself or get someone to do it for you. When you get someone to act for you he is your agent. This right to represent you may be given orally or in writing.

Written Document Best

It is best to have the agency relationship carefully defined and written down. When written, the document often takes the form of a "Power of Attorney."

Any person legally competent to act for himself may give to another power of attorney to act in his place. With the growth and expansion of business it is difficult for one man to handle the variety of complex tasks that come his way. It is more expedient to delegate power and responsibility to others, thus giving such persons authority to make binding contracts in his name.

The person who delegates the power is called the principal, and the person to whom the authority is given is the agent. Third persons can deal with a properly authorized agent with the knowledge that the law will enforce the obligation against the principal.

Two Classes of Agents

The law sets up two broad classes of agents—special and general. Most agents are special agents—that is, they have specific authority to do only certain things. When a person is named in a power of attorney as a general agent, he is authorized to act in all cases as if the principal were acting in person.

For example: A citizen-soldier leaves home to go to war. He needs someone to represent him while he is away. He names a person—usually a parent, wife, or trusted friend—in a power of attorney, giving this person specific powers or a general power to act in his behalf. If the soldier wants to sell his home while overseas, he can give such agent the

power to sell the home, and may limit the agent's authority to this one matter. When this agent begins negotiations for the sale, the prospective buyer can, by examination of the power of attorney, know exactly what authority the agent has.

Can Transact Business

If the person is given a general power of attorney, he can



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DISCARDED STORAGE BATTERIES ON FARMS DANGEROUS TO ANIMALS

Discarded storage batteries may be a deadly source of poisoning to farm animals, the American Foundation for Animal Health warned farmers today.

"Batteries left lying around barnyards, feedlots, or pastures can be a deadly source of poisoning to farm animals," the Foundation said. "Lead poisoning, which occurs when an animal eats or licks paint, or salves which contain lead, is a common cause of poisoning. Foundation authorities also commended that farmers be advised against five additional poisoning hazards:

- (1) Mercury poisoning, which occurs when an animal eats treated with mercury.
- (2) Rat poisons, including those which contain strychnine, if sufficient amounts are consumed over a long period of time.
- (3) Chemical weed killers, which may contain substances poisonous to stock.
- (4) Grasshopper poisons, which are arsenic-treated brands.
- (5) Highway surfacing materials, which rains may wash into pastures.

Farmers who suspect a case of livestock poisoning were urged to get a veterinarian on the case promptly as possible, as this is an important factor in saving an animal's life.

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Pound	
<p>Memphis Grocery 5' GOOD PASTURE FRESHEST VEGETABLES IN TOWN</p>	

Estelline Seniors Hear Inspired Baccalaureate Sermon Sunday Night

An impressive Baccalaureate service was held for the graduating class of Estelline High School Sunday night, May 18, in the Baptist Church in Estelline.

The school choir, under the direction of Mrs. A. C. Hudson, sang "Praise Ye the Lord" by Sherwin, and "Gloria" by Wagner. A special quartet, consisting of Cherry Groff, Barbara Adams, Wanda Bell, and Doris Chaudion sang "Jubilate Deo". The Rev. A. W. Cooper gave the invocation and read the scripture.

The Rev. R. L. Self brought an inspirational message on the subject "Christ My Only Necessity." He pronounced the Benediction. A. D. Britt played the professional and recessional marches, using "Triumphal March from Aida" by Verdi and "Pomp and Circumstance" by Elgar. Ushers were Gus Orcutt, Charles Gardenhire and Sibbie Jouett. Members of the senior class are: Ted Hood, Athelene Jones, Alene Daves, Gayle Fowler and Johnny Patterson.

Graduating exercises will be on Friday night, May 23. Dr. J. B. Roberts of Canyon will be speaker. The class, accompanied by Mr. R. B. Tucker, high school principal and sponsor, Mrs. E. F. Kennedy will leave on Saturday for a trip to San Antonio, Galveston, Houston and Austin.

MEMPHIS TIBBS TO PLAY BORGER HERE SUNDAY

The Memphis Tibbs, colored team, will face the Borger Bulldogs Sunday afternoon in Estes Park. Henry Henderson will pitch for the local nine.

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Advertisement for Hail Policy by Frisbie Insurance Agency. Includes text: "you can't Stop... HAIL But you can protect yourself against LOSS with a... Cimarron Hail Policy". Features an illustration of a man in a hat and a house in the rain.

The Tibbs tied Amarillo last Sunday, 16-16. The teams will play the tie-off June 1 in Amarillo. The local team lost to Childress, 7-9, in their first game of the season, and defeated Shamrock, 29-8, in their second outing.

YOUTH LEADER WILL ADDRESS WAYLAND CLASS

Plainview—Dr. Chester Swor, internationally known Baptist youth leader, will deliver the commencement address to Wayland College's largest graduating class at 8 p. m., May 26, at First Baptist Church, Plainview.

Dr. Swor's address will climax a week-end of activities for the 72 seniors and alumni which includes the baccalaureate address by Rev. L. D. Ball, pastor of First Baptist Church, Lamesa, Sunday morning, International Night on Sunday evening, and a Round-up of Alumni with Rev. Neil Record, Tulia, presiding on Saturday evening.

Four foreign countries and six states have representatives in the graduating class. Plainview leads the list with 18 candidates for degrees.

W. Texas Utilities Winner of National Advertising Awards

Recognition of outstanding achievement in the field of utility advertising came to West Texas Utilities Company recently when it was named winner of two first place national awards in the 1952 Better Copy Contest of the Public Utilities Advertising Association. The awards were announced at the annual convention of the Association in Minneapolis, Minnesota.

A First Place Award was received for "newspaper advertising promoting the use of electric service." Also, a First Place Award was presented to the company for advertising promoting "Electrical Appliances." These winning advertisements were produced by the company's advertising department and appear in this and other newspapers in the company's service.

Mothers Club Of Newlin Meets In Moore Home

Mrs. Clarence Moore, assisted by Mrs. Boyd Waddill, entertained members of the Newlin Mother's Club on Thursday afternoon, May 15.

The afternoon was devoted to quilting for the hostess. The president was in charge of a short business session. Members voted to buy flowers for a member who is ill. Refreshments were served to Mmes. M. E. Ellis, T. E. Davis, Bill Kesterson, Tom Sweatt, Ruth Gardenhire, Wynman Davis, Lillie LeCompte, D. C. Messick, D. W. Lawrence and the hostess.

Comic strip titled 'WIZARD OF WONSAN' and 'FIGHTING SHIPS'. Panel 1: 'THE INCREDIBLE TALE STARTS IN 1944 WHEN SHE SWEEPED MINES IN EUROPEAN AND AFRICAN WATERS.' Panel 2: 'THE INCREDIBLE WAS THE LONE SURVIVOR OF A THREE SHIP MINE-SWEEPING FORMATION AT WONSAN, IN WHICH THE PIRATE AND PLEDGE WERE MINED AND SUNK.'

Comic strip panel 3: 'WHEN COMMUNISTS INVADED KOREA, THE INCREDIBLE STEAMED INTO KOREAN WATERS TO CLEAR THE SEA LANES.'

Comic strip panel 4: 'SIX OF HER CREW WERE AWARDED DECORATIONS AND HER SKIPPER GOT A SILVER STAR FOR HEROIC ACTION DURING THE CLEARING OF THE 3,000 MINES AT WONSAN HARBOR.'

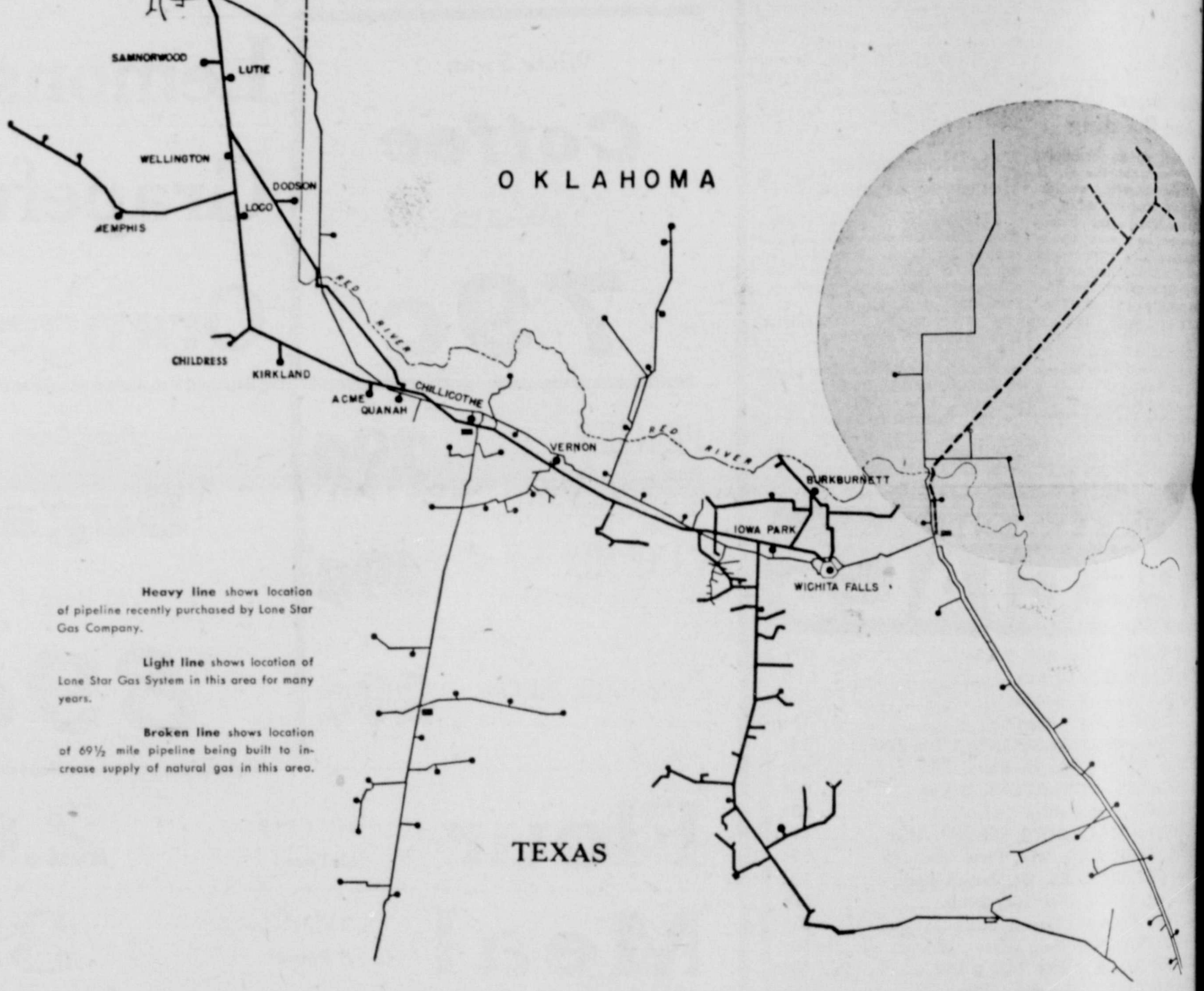
Harrell Chapel Club Meets Tues. The Harrell Chapel Club met last Tuesday afternoon in the community house with Jimmy McElreath and Mrs. Widener as hostesses. The afternoon was spent singing and also a Stanley party featured with Mrs. Lottie Anan of Estelline as demonstrator. After a short business refreshments were served. Following members: Mmes. Ruth Cobb, E. R. Lips, J. C. Callahan, Sam Gore, E. R. Dougherty, Com Lips, Clifford Jester, Com Lips, Lon Moore, Lottie B... and Miss Ava Dell Phillips. The next meeting is scheduled for June 9 with Mrs. Lon and Mrs. Roy Widener as hostesses.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Tracy LeCompte. Miss Izabelle Walker will serve as co-hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Gilreath of Gila Bend, Ariz., are visiting in Memphis this week. They expect to return to their Arizona home next month. Gilreath was formerly in business here.

Grinding the edges of coins is called "milling." March was named for Mars, the Roman god of war.

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Hall 4-H Winners of Essay Contest On Soil Conservation Receive Prizes

Awards in the essay contest sponsored by the Hall County Conservation District were presented last week to eight Hall County 4-H Club members.

The subject of the essay was "How Soil Conservation Is Everybody's Business," and the contest was open to all 4-H members in Hall and Childress and parts of Cottle and Motley counties.

Rebecca Moore, Newlin, a member of the Estelline 4-H Club, won first place and received a prize of \$10.00. Gaye Salmon and Charles Holt of Lakeview won fourth and fifth places and received \$4.00 and \$3.00, respectively.

Tied for sixth place, and recipients of \$2.50 each, were Gervis D. Kennard, Reginal Robertson, Roy Molloy, Donald Robertson, all of Lakeview, and Vicky Mahon of Turkey.

The awards were presented May 15 by C. L. Brooks, Childress, chairman of the Hall County district; and W. B. Hooser, Hall County agent. The awards were made before assemblies in each school, and Brooks and Hooser spoke briefly on the value of soil conservation at each place.

Deadline Is Set On Applications To Nurses' School

Application for training in the Odum Clinic Hospital's school of vocational nursing must be made this week, J. A. Odum, Jr., hospital manager, said today.

The new class starts Monday, June 2. Odum said, but applicants must be selected before that date in order to complete physical examinations and order uniforms.

Five students will be accepted for the June class for one year of training which leads to a license as a vocational nurse under the laws of the state, Odum said.

The purpose of this law, he pointed out, is to provide training in smaller hospitals which have not been able to offer full three-year courses for registered nurses and help fill the need for more nurses.

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MAY 24



VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES

Rotary Entertained Tuesday By Group From Boys Ranch

Rotary Club members were entertained by boys from Boys Ranch at the regular Tuesday luncheon meeting in the Masonic Building. Some of the entertainers have received national recognition through radio and movie appearances.

Performing here were: Bud Hiller, singer from Curuthersville, Mo.; Bill Price, M. C. from Kansas City; Fain Kennedy, rope twirler from Pampa; Eddie Stephens, pianist from McCamey, Tex.; Larry Greer, comedian from Mountain Park, Okla.; Fred Hiller, whip cracker from Columbus, Ohio; and David Ash, singer from Leavenworth, Kan.

They were accompanied by Henry C. Schuler, vice-president and general manager of Boys Ranch.

Mesquite Spray Project Resumes Operation Today

Chemical spraying of mesquites, held up two days this week because of high winds, was resumed this morning, according to Lynn McKown, county PMA officer.

The dusting planes of the American Dusting Company of Childress and Chickasha, Okla., sprayed three sections Monday. High winds kept the planes on the ground Tuesday and Wednesday. McKown said that the spraying was not effective under such conditions as the chemicals were scattered too much by the wind. Now that cotton is being planted there is danger, under windy conditions, of killing the tender young plants.

The PMA officer said that Hall County farmers were averaging planting some 25,000 acres a day this week. One man was planting as much as 800 acres daily, he added.

Cemetery Working May 30 At Hulver

There will be an all day work session at the Hulver Cemetery Friday, May 30, it was announced this week.

Everyone planning to go should bring dinners and tools.

Pfc. L. D. Messer and three of his friends from Reese Air Force Base, Lubbock visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Messer over the weekend. The airman guests were, Sgt. M. Mullins, Pfc. Harold Stoffenburger, and Pfc. Shorty Irkeson.

Pilings Driven On River Bridge

All the pilings have been driven on the Red River bridge in Western Hall County and the surfacing of the road from Brice to a point two miles south of the bridge will be completed today, County Judge M. O. Goodpasture announced this morning.

Judge Goodpasture quoted W. O. Hamm, division highway engineer, as saying that the quarter million-dollar bridge will be completed by September or October.

The judge said that all pilings have been driven on the bridge on Harrell Chappel road southeast of Memphis. That bridge will be ready for traffic in a month or two, he added.

Comments

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James and his Gold Medal Band, entertained the public many days and nights, and where speakers stood to orate to congregations time and again, has been dismantled and discarded. About the only group getting any benefit from the park is Scoutmaster Ted Myers and his troop of Boy Scouts. They play ball or football for an hour or two before their regular meeting on Monday nights. The grassy lawn and the shade trees have long been gone. These served many tourists who wanted a place to rest and eat lunches, and the children would use the playground equipment assiduously. This park site would be ideal for an auditorium for the whole area.

Texans are frothing at the mouth since Pres. Harry Truman practically accused the state of attempting to steal the tidelands. Isn't that the other way around? Hasn't Texas owned the tidelands for over a hundred years by right of an agreement with the federal government when Texas joined the Union? Now, that the tidelands have proved rich in oil, who is trying to take it away from us? I have heard somewhere these words: "Consistency, thou art a jewel."

I suspect "Tidelands" will be mentioned in many speeches at the Democratic Convention in San Antonio next Tuesday, and a lot of other Trumanian policies will come in for a lot of oratory.

Delegates and alternates from Hall County will have a whole day of surprises and setbacks as well as a lot of wins in that convention. It is a great game if one can take part and not lose his temper when crossed by the opposition. Otherwise, one shouldn't attend if he cannot keep cool. As Ott Bevers says, "If you can't whip them, join 'em."

In the past two weeks I have killed some four billion young Chinese elms. Still have about a half billion left in my yard, but give me time, folks, and I'll get most of them. I have never seen so many elms come up in one year, even when three or four

years ago we had two crops of seed from the trees. I used to think the Black Locust trees were bad enough, but the Chinese Elms, while they make a good shade, have two drawbacks: Too many seed and the roots reach out long distances from the trees, sapping the group so grass and flowers have a hard time keeping alive. One thing we could say for the black locusts: they have blossoms with a sweet smell.

I wonder how many of my few readers have experienced trouble in getting flower seed up and growing?

If we don't get back from Santone by next issue, will try to send a communication concerning the Democratic political powwow.

Memphis Man

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ted about 60 feet from where Graham and other highway construction workers were repairing the road. The victim was hit by the car after it had struck a truck and skidded into him. Before the automobile finally came to a stop after skidding a total of 196 feet, it sidwiped another truck. The two trucks were stopped in the middle of the highway where the repair work was being done. One each side of the working area were barricades and caution signs.

Silvey was charged with excessive speeding and driving without an operators license and fined \$100.00 and costs on each of the two counts in Justice of Peace J. S. Grims' court. He was not injured in the crash.

Highway Patrolmen N. D. Callaway and Clinton Culp and Sheriff E. S. Morrison investigated the accident.

School Census

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and 37 colored; 1951-52, 62 whites and 68 colored.

Memphis: 1950-51, 909 whites and 121 colored; 1951-52, 908 whites and 154 colored.

Steady Decline Recorded

Miss Foreman said that the census figures for the past 18 years have shown a steady decline. The figures include all children in the county of school age, six to 17, the county school superintendent said.

The Hall County schools received from the state this past year \$60.00 for each student, plus additional funds in some cases where money was not available to meet budget requirements.

The state furnished about 75 percent of operating expenses last year while the direct school taxes accounted for the other 25 percent.

Agoraphobia is a morbid fear of crossing or being in the midst of open places.

Oases is the plural of oasis.

Too Late To Classify

FOR SALE—My home at 1314 Brumley Street in Memphis, Jack Cain, Phone 454-J or 213. 50-3c

Walker Funeral

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Masonic Lodge of Memphis was in charge of graveside rites.

Survivors Named

Surviving Mr. Walker are: his wife, Mrs. Daisy Lee Walker; two sons, H. C. "Chesty" Walker of Phillips, and Emmett Lee Walker of Morger; five daughters, Mrs. R. E. Vaughn of Spearman, Miss Zady Belle Walker of Memphis, Mrs. Ned Pilcher of Snyder, Mrs. R. C. Higginbotham of Lockhart, and Mrs. K. C. May of Stanton; two half-brothers, A. A. Walker of Amarillo and Floyd Walker of El Paso; 13 grandchildren and one grand-daughter-in-law. One son, Siegel Walker, preceded him in death.

Distinguished Masonic Career

Mr. Walker was a member of the Masonic and I.O.O.F. lodges of Memphis. He had a long and distinguished Masonic career. He was a member of Memphis Lodge No. 729, ancient, free and Accepted Masons, Memphis Council No. 156, Royal and Select Masons, Memphis Chapter No. 50, Knights Templars, 32 Scottish Rite Mason and the Khiva Templar in Amarillo.

Mr. Walker was born Nov. 22, 1879 at Fairburn, Ga., the son of Floyd Jefferson Walker and Martha Carolyn Thompson Walker.

Moved To Texas in 1890

With his parents, he moved to Texas in 1890. He was married to Miss Daisy Lee Adams Dec. 23, 1901, in Smith County, Tex. They moved to Hall County in 1911.

Mr. Walker was engaged in farming, and entered the insurance business in 1927.

A member of the First Baptist Church here, Mr. Walker was chairman of the Board of Deacons at the time of his death. He and his wife were baptised at the same time in 1895 at the Carme Baptist Church in Smith County.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker celebrated their golden wedding anniversary last Dec. 23 with an op-house at their home.

Out-of-town relatives included Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hall, Lindale, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hall, Lindale, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Walker, Brownfield, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Walker, Amarillo, Mrs. Battle Brown, Hobbs, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Y. T. Walker, Amarillo, Mrs. Lon Fanning and Nedra Canyon, Mrs. Tom Scroggins, Clarendon, Mrs. F. D. Adkins, Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Adams, Lubbock.

Also Clint Adams, Lubbock; Perry Lee Adams, Lubbock; Dudley Adams, Borger, Cone Adams

Borger, Mrs. Myrtle Hughes, Clovis, N. M., Mrs. Russell Adams, Lubbock, Mrs. Tennie Adams, Lubbock, Mrs. Bill Green, Clarendon, Mrs. John Green, Tulia, Mrs. Johnnie Davis, Amarillo, Mrs. Martha Martin, Amarillo.

Also Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Adams, and son, Mrs. C. A. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Adams, Mrs. Joe Montgomery, Mrs. Dan Stanford, Rosa Stanford, Roy Adams, all of Lakeview.

Out-of-town friends included Mrs. Richard Gidden, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gidden, Mrs. T. H. Knighton, Mrs. C. A. Castleman, all of Canyon, Mr. and Mrs. Monty Montgomery, Childress; Mrs. Grace May, Amarillo; D. C. Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Ashcraft, Lakeview.

B&PW Club

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with a past president's pin.

Other ex-officers honored were: Vice-president, Mrs. Marjorie Kesterson; recording secretary, Mrs. Betty McBee; corresponding secretary, Miss Margaret Davenport; treasurer, Mrs. Lucille Burnett; and parliamentarian, Mrs. Mildred Spicer.

Club Receives Award

Mrs. Thompson presented an achievement award to Mrs. Mollie Carlos, membership chairman. The award was presented to the ex-president for the club at the state convention of the B&PW Club two weeks ago in Ft. Worth. The award recognizes the local club for its membership drive which netted an increase of over 50 per cent in membership during the past year.

In Miss Ater's address to the local club members, she stressed the federation's national theme, "Ramparts We Build."

Plans are good only if someone puts them into practice, she said.

A two-cent piece was the first coin minted with the phrase, "In God We Trust."

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Society News

Sodolitan Class Meets For Monthly Social Thursday

Spring flowers consisting of lovely red roses were used for decorations in the home of Mrs. Bud Godfrey Thursday evening when she was hostess to the Sodolitan Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church. Sharing hostess duties with Mrs. Godfrey were Meses. J. R. Saunders, J. R. Hannah and L. O. Dennis.

After Mrs. George Cullin had offered prayer, Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard brought a most inspiring devotional, reading from various Chapters in the Bible and using as her subject prayer.

Mrs. Henry Scott, president, presided over the business session at which time reports were given by group captians.

After the business session the following program was presented: piano solo, "Sunset" by Bevin, Mrs. Emma Baskerville; solo, "He Smiles on Me" by O'Hara, Mrs. H. J. Howell; piano solo, "Song of the Plowman" by Buchmann and an original number, "The Cat and the Dog," Mrs. T. L. Rouse. Mrs. George Cullin conducted a very clever musical game as the concluding number.

Delicious refreshments of ice cream and strawberries and angel food cake was served during the social hour.

Those enjoying the evening were Meses. L. O. McCoy, J. W. Smith, Stella Jones, B. Nichols, Henry Hays, D. L. C. Kinard, A. W. Howard, Henry Scott, Ottilie Jones, Mary Bowdens, Bill Merrill, Theodore Swift, H. Byrd, Frank Smith, Earl Pritchard, Leonard Wilson, W. T. Hightower, T. L. Rouse, Emma Baskerville, Geo. Cullin, Bud Godfrey, L. O. Dennis, J. R. Saunders, and two guests, Mrs. T. J. Broges and Mrs. H. J. Howell.

Christian Council Meets For Study

The Women's Council of the First Christian Church met Monday afternoon in the church lounge with Mrs. Mabel Roberts and Mrs. Lucille Randel as co-hostesses.

"Preaching the Word in the Pacific Islands" was the subject of the afternoon's study under the leadership of Mrs. W. C. Milam.

The program was introduced by two songs and prayer by Mrs. Milam. Mrs. Inez Aspreen then discussed "Northern Luzon, Philippines" and Mrs. Thursa Mae Smith gave a paper on "Manila Bible Seminary." Work in the Philippines was given by Mrs. Della Palmeyer and Mrs. Belle Odum concluded the study with a devotional on "They Sent Them Away."

A delicious refreshment plate was served to the following members: Meses. Elizabeth Aduddell, Inez Aspreen, Lena Milam, Katherine Mailla, Fayo Maddox, Belle Odum, Della Palmeyer, Mabel Roberts, Lucille Randel, Elsie Smith and Thursa Mae Smith.

Mrs. C. Morrison Entertains Members Of Estelline Club

Members of the Stitch and Clatter Club were entertained on Tuesday afternoon, May 13, in the home of Mrs. Clorine Morrison.

Mrs. Morrison, president, presided during the business session. Mrs. Gussie Mothershed and Mrs. Clorine Morrison were elected attendance team captians to serve for a term of three months. Mrs. Jewel Marcum secretary, reported that the club members had made 27 dresses and sun suits for the "tiny tots" at Grlstowen, USA.

The hostess served a delicious salad plate to the following members: Meses. Lura Eddleman, Byrdie Holland, Winnie Hutchins, Ada Jones, Eula Adams, Edna Winkler, Gussie Mothershed, Lilly Jones, Willie Richburg, Hattie Berryman, Myrtle Butcher, Gertrude Raley, Nellie Leary, Zella Masterson, Jessie Orcutt, Jewel Marcum, Mary Ellen Eddins and Charlie Rapp.

The next meeting is slated for May 27 in the home of Mrs. Mildred Mothershed.



GOES TO LOS ANGELES
Miss Gloria Harris, graduating senior, is moving to Los Angeles with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Harris, when this school term is out. Miss Harris is among the top six students in her class. For the past two years, she has entered the National Fraternity of School Musicians and is now district winner. Upon arriving in Los Angeles, she will enroll in Southern California Bible college to continue her studies and music. Mr. Harris will be associated with Good Will corporation in Los Angeles.

Methodist WSCS Officers Are Installed Monday

The Woman's Society of Christian Service held its installation of officers at the Methodist Church Monday, May 19, at 3 p. m.

The following officers were installed by Rev. Rollo Davidson: Mrs. O. M. Gunstream, president; Mrs. W. H. Monzingo, vice president; Mrs. Fred Erwin, Christian social relations; Mrs. Bess Crump local church activities; Mrs. Rufus Grisham, student work; Mrs. Frank Ritchie, youth work; Mrs. Rayford Owens, children's work; Mrs. R. C. Lemons, spiritual life; Mrs. Lee Brown, supply work; Mrs. D. B. Kennedy, literature and publications and Mrs. Frank Foxhall, status of women.

Mrs. D. A. Nealey gave an inspiring devotional after the song "Faith of Our Fathers" by members. Mrs. Anna Dickson, who was leader of the afternoon's study, led in prayer.

Mrs. Frank Foxhall conducted a short business session to conclude the year's work.

Those present besides the above mentioned were Meses. N. A. Hightower, C. W. Broome, C. E. Hankins, J. S. Ballard, Joe Nelson, C. R. Webster, Myrtle Pheasant, W. F. McElreath, Martha Perkins and J. S. Baker.

Speech Arts And Piano Pupils To Give Recital Sun.

Mrs. T. M. Harrison and Gertrude Rasco will present speech arts and piano students in recital Sunday afternoon, May 25, at 4 o'clock at the First Presbyterian church.

A varied program including a playlet has been planned, and is open to the public.

The following pupils will perform: piano students: Barbara Allen, Pauline Buchanan, Cynthia Combest, Carolyn Ferrell, Carolyn Hoover, Lera Kate Hutcherson, Tony Monzingo, Terry Monzingo, Kay Leslie, Rose Mary Richards, Lou Carol Saied, Georgia Saied, and Betty Jean Stewart.

Speech Art Students include Drubette Cook, B. H. Cook, Billy Cosby, Cheryl Ann Craighead, Barry Ferrell, Cheryl Ann Foster, Edna Earl Gardenhire, Shari Gentry, Paula Gentry, Velma Jo Hutcheson, Connie Mack Moore, Barbara Smith, Suzanne Sexauer and Larry Wynn.

William Caxton was the first to print a book in England.

Alma Ruth Potter Weds A. L. McKay In Clovis Rites

Miss Alma Ruth Potter of Memphis and Argie Lee McKay Jr., of Turkey were united in marriage on Wednesday, May 14, in Clovis, N. M. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Neva May Potter of Memphis while her groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Argie Lee McKay of Turkey.

For her wedding the bride chose a pink dress complimented with white accessories and a corsage of white flowers. The bride attended the Memphis schools and was a student at the time of her marriage.

After a wedding trip to Carlsbad, Mr. and Mrs. McKay will be at home near Turkey where the groom is engaged in farming with his father.

Perry Keyser's Pupils To Give Recital Tuesday

The public is cordially invited to attend the commencement recital of private music students of Perry Keyser to be given Tuesday evening, May 27, at 8 o'clock in the First Methodist Church.

Featured on the program will be flute, organ, saxophone, piano and possibly other instrument selections.

Four piano students who have won national honors this year will be among those appearing on the program.

Mrs. L. B. Madden Presents Pupils In Spring Recital

Piano solos and duets, organ numbers, a vocal selection and trombone solo made up the program on Sunday afternoon when Mrs. L. B. Madden presented her class of music pupils in annual spring recital. The program was held at 3 o'clock in the Methodist Church, and was dedicated to Shellia Killian, the only senior student in the class.

The stage was attractively arranged with spring flowers and pupils appearing on the program wore formal attire.

Appearing on the program were B. H. Cook, Drubette Cook, Morris Davidson, Marie Davidson, Tanya Fletcher, Inez Martin, Shellia Killian, Gene Davidson and Billy Allen Combs.

Stephen F. Austin PTA Officers Are Installed Thursday

Officers of the Stephen F. Austin Parent-Teacher Association were installed at a meeting held Thursday evening, May 15, in the school auditorium. This was the final session for the year.

Officers installed and who will guide the organization next year included: Mrs. John W. Smith, president; Mrs. N. D. Calloway, first vice president; Mrs. Worth Howard, second vice president; Mrs. Jess Roden, third vice president; Mrs. Rayford Owens, secretary; Mrs. O. L. Helm, treasurer; Mrs. Leo Fields, reporter; Mrs. Henry Foster, historian and Mrs. N. W. Durham, goals chairman. Mrs. Lloyd Phillips was in charge of the installation service.

Mrs. Henry Foster, retiring president, conducted the business session. Minutes of the last meeting and a report of the executive committee was read by the secretary, Mrs. Ace Gailley. Mrs. William Lavender, historian, gave the year's history.

Mrs. Joan W. Smith, delegate to the district conference, gave an interesting report on this meeting.

The afternoon program was introduced by Mrs. Lloyd Phillips and included two plays by students. "A Little New Citizen" was presented by Miss Bruce's 4th grade students. This play was about a young displaced person who had just moved to America.

The other play was given by Mrs. Gailley's room and was entitled "Little Red Riding Hood."

Mrs. Stitt's room won the attendance award.



Tired looking kitchens can be given an inexpensive face lifting by such economical tricks as fresh paint or wallpaper, and clever new curtains. Add to these a sparkling new dining table, with comfy chairs, and family breakfasts and guest snacks become parkier affairs, to say nothing of your own happier hours in such a cheerful room.

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Miss Bobbye Nell Adams, Bride-Elect, Is Honoree At Lovely Shower Wed.

Miss Bobbye Nell Adams, bride-elect of Adolph L. Schmitz, Jr., of Borger, was complimented with a lovely miscellaneous shower Wednesday evening when a group of friends entertained in her honor. The affair was held in the lovely country home of Mrs. Ted Montgomery of Lesley, which was beautifully decorated for the occasion with red roses and honey-suckle.

The refreshment table was artistically arranged to carry out the chosen color scheme of pink and blue.

The hostess group included Meses. Lura Marcum, Joe Eddins, Jessie Hudlow, Ted Hudlow and W. M. Rigby.

Those present or sending gifts were Meses. C. R. Orcutt, Paul Buchanan, E. Masterson, S. T. Hutchins, Ben Raley, C. D. Rascoe, W. E. Hargeseimer, S. A. Arnold, J. O. Wyatt, Virgil Weatherly, S. H. Myers, W. F. Holland, Nell Curtiss, Ted Shields and J. H. Wright.

Also J. L. Mothershed, R. A. Eddleman, Cecil Adams, W. M. Rigby, Cap Orcutt, R. N. Mothershed, Bess Coppedge, John Chaudoin, R. N. Rankin, Myrtle Butcher, Jake Morrison, Charlie Rapp, Clinton Richburg, W. Winkler, S. H. Price, Lonnie Richburg, F. E. Leary, A. A. Walker, Arle Jones, Tracie Jones and John Berlyman.

Mrs. W. C. Dickey, first vice president, presided and Mrs. W. C. Davis led the opening prayer. A brief business session was conducted in which the revisions to the constitution were adopted.

The program for the day was on federation extension and was entitled "The Wood for the Job" in continuing the "Sturdy Tree" theme for the year.

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Mrs. E. Arrington Complimented With Pink & Blue Shower

Mrs. Emmitt Arrington was complimented with a pink and blue shower in the homemaking cottage at Estelline on Friday afternoon, May 16.

The program was introduced by Mrs. Joe Eddins. Mrs. Ted Hudlow read a poem, "Token of Appreciation" and then presented the honoree with many lovely gifts.

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Orange is such a nutritious idea that it's a good suggestion for every member of the family, any hour of the day, containing as it does eight ounces of Florida orange juice, full of Vitamin C and low in calories, and one egg, an excellent source of protein food values. Beat one egg well; add eight ounces of chilled orange juice (use the juicy fresh Florida oranges, now coming into season, or frozen or canned orange juice) and beat well again. It's a delicious way to insure getting an egg a day, and with eggs plentiful, an inexpensive meal-in-a-glass.

Harmony Club Concludes Year's Activities With Luncheon Meet

During the year's activities, the Harmony Club held a luncheon meeting Wednesday, May 14, at the home of Mrs. Henry

A program of original compositions was presented by several club members following the luncheon. To introduce the artists, Mrs. Gordon Golliam, program leader, used the following quotation, "The great musicians once picked out their notes laboriously." — Buxton.

The program included a song, "Festival of Spring," words and music by Mrs. Flossie Allen, sung by Mrs. Garner Lee and Mrs. Dick Fowler; Mrs. L. B. Madden played two of her compositions, "Waltz of the Flowers," and "Buttercups"; and Mrs. T. L. Rouse played two piano solos, her compositions, "Paper Ladies" and "Etude of F Major."

Enjoying this affair were Meses. L. G. DeBerry, Andy DeWees, Dick Fowler, R. S. Greene, D. L. C. Kinard, David McVey, Clyde Milam, Bee Nichols, T. A. Hunt, T. L. Rouse, Dick Shelton, Conley Ward, Gordon Gilliam, Garner Lee, Carl Smith; Miss Estelle McElrath and hostess, Mrs. Foster.

Skipper Wilkinson Of Estelline Honored On Seventh Birthday

Mrs. C. E. Wilkinson of Estelline entertained a group of the younger "fry" with a birthday party honoring her son, Skipper, on the occasion of his seventh birthday. The group assembled at the Wilkinson home in Estelline on Saturday afternoon, May 17.

Grouped around the dining table they watched the honoree open an array of gifts. Then the group was taken to Childress for a theatre party. Following the party a birthday dinner was served at Gays Cafe.

The table was most attractive. At each place was a place mat, paper hat, candy cup filled with Hershey Kisses, and the favors, all bearing the cowboy motif. Favors were tops for the boys and jacks for the girls. The beautifully decorated birthday cake bore lighted candles, and on top was inscribed "Happy Birthday, Skipper" and a large cowboy hat was outlined. Webb Studio made a picture of the happy group. Hamburgers, pops, ice cream and cake were served.

Attending were: Gerry Kennedy, Peggy Phillips, Donna Sue Eddins, Janie Buchanan, Jon Cooper, Jill Cooper, Sandra Kay Rogers, Sondra Wood, Sondra Richburg, Ada Tyree, Burl Bumpass, Bruce Richerson, Dan Davidson, Mike Davidson, Rusty Wood, and the honoree, Skipper; also Mesdames; E. F. Kennedy, Lester Phillips, Everett Richerson, Bob Davidson and C. E. Wilkinson.

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Laws Protecting Wives' Property Are Product Of Chivalrous Days

Generally speaking, each spouse has the right to control and dispose of his or her own separate property. You will recall that the separate property of a husband or wife includes property owned by either before marriage, and that which is acquired by either after marriage by gift or inheritance. Any other property acquired after marriage is presumed by law to be community property until the contrary is clearly proved. Aside from the ordinary community estate, there is a class of property known as the wife's "special community," which includes all the income from her separate real property, and probably the interest on bonds or notes, and dividends on stocks owned in her separate right. While the husband may have similar assets, the law accords the more particular distinction from ordinary community property.

Wife Has Added Protection
Although the history of the matter is somewhat confusing, it appears that under present day

law the husband has control of ordinary community property, but control of the wife's special community property is reserved to her.

Certain restrictions are imposed upon both husband and wife in exercising such control. For instance, the husband cannot legally dispose of community without her signature and acknowledgment. And the wife's sale or mortgage of her separate real estate stocks or bonds is not valid unless her husband joins with her in the transaction—he must sign and execute the necessary legal papers along with her.

Such limitations appear to be a product of those earlier and more chivalrous days in which the sheltered married woman had little or no contact with the business world. They indicate a desire to protect the little woman from chiseling outsiders, and even against an unscrupulous husband.

Wife Not Liable for Certain Debts
A similar intent appears in the



NATURE'S RARITIES . . . Big game hunter Hoel Rosefelt, who owns these baby elephants in Los Angeles, says they're the first twin pachyderms born since 1898. They will join the Shriners' circus in Omaha.

Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Dennis visited in Floydada over the weekend with relatives.

Berdie Sanderson visited in Vernon over the weekend with her son, Lewis Conn and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Brodie of Van Buren, Ark., and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Aikens and son Leslie of Fort Smith, Ark., visited here last week with Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Massey and son, Mrs. Massey and Gene accompanied them home on Friday. They plan to visit in Van Buren for the next two weeks with Mrs. Massey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brodie.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bourland and girls of Quail visited here Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Exie Sweatt.

Mrs. J. D. Browder of Mineral Wells visited here Tuesday and Wednesday with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Dow Amarillo visited here Sunday with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. M. of Dallas visited her parents and Mrs. Jesse Webster City Park, over the weekend.

Miss Mary Sue Foreman with her parents, Mr. and S. Foreman in Marlow, over the weekend.

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laws exempting the wife's separate and special community property from liability for debts incurred by the husband. Such liability is restricted to his separate property and the ordinary community property.

On the other hand, debts incurred by the wife in obtaining necessities for herself or the children bind all property belonging to either party, including the husband's separate property. For other debts which she has power to incur, only her separate and special community property are liable.

All of these distinctions emphasize the advisability of keeping proper records. By doing so the various classes of community and separate property owned by a married couple will always be easily distinguishable. Each category will then receive the special protection afforded to it by our laws.

(This column, based on Texas law, is written to inform—not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who knows the facts, because the facts may change the application of the law.)

State Fair Agricultural Prizes For 1952 To Total \$84,367.00

Premiums and prizes totaling \$84,367 are listed in the 1952 Premium List of the State Fair of Texas, just off the press.

The 212-page book lists premiums of \$77,774 for the livestock shows, \$2,600 for poultry shows and \$3,993 for the Women's Department.

Ray W. Wilson, the fair's livestock and agriculture manager, said the book will be mailed to 7,500 livestock breeders and exhibitors across the nation and to every county agent and vocational agriculture teacher in Texas.

The livestock exposition will include 27 different breeds of beef and dairy cattle, horses, sheep, swine and Angora goats. Premiums include: Beef cattle, \$17,200; dairy cattle, \$22,000; swine, \$9,152; horses, \$10,340; sheep, \$2,977; Angora goats, \$850.

Junior livestock shows, \$14,905. Totals break down as follows: Holsteins, \$10,750; Jerseys, \$5,000; Guernseys, \$3,000; Milking Shorthorns, \$3,250; Herefords \$7,500; Brahman, \$4,200; Aberdeen-Angus, \$3,000; Shorthorns, \$2,500; breeding swine, \$6,987; fat fawns, \$2,165; quarter horses, \$3,840; Shetland ponies, \$2,500; Palominos, \$2,000; Open Cutting Horse Contest, \$2,000.

Junior dairy show, \$3,275; junior steer show, \$3,085; junior commercial steer show, \$3,000; junior pig show, \$3,327; junior Negro pig show, \$935; junior sheep show \$993; junior herdsman awards \$290. A special herdsman award \$290 is listed.

VET PROBLEMS AND ANSWERS

Q. I am a disabled World War II veteran. If I get VA's approval may I still start vocational training under Public Law 16, or did the cut-off date of last July end my chances for taking the training?

A. If you meet all requirements you still may begin training under Public Law 16. Under the law, you may start at any time, so long as you can finish by the program's wind-up on July 25, 1956. The July 25, 1951 cut-off date applied only to training un-

der the GI Bill, and not under Public Law 16.

Q. A close friend, a World I veteran, died recently, and I paid the burial expenses, since he had no family. May I be reimbursed by VA for the expenses?

A. Yes, VA may pay up to \$150 for burial expenses of an eligible veteran. You can get necessary application forms at any VA office. You must file your claim for reimbursement within two years after the veteran's burial.

Q. My wife and I are both World War II veterans. We want to open a dress shop with the help of a GI business loan. May we both use our loan guarantee privileges together?

A. Yes. However, your total combined guarantee may not exceed 50 percent of the loan.

Q. I understand that VA will stop mailing premium receipts on GI insurance this summer. Does that mean we won't be getting those premium notice envelopes, as well?

A. No. The premium notice envelopes will continue to be sent to veteran policyholders. Only the mailing of receipts will be discontinued.

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Congressman, 18th District
By Walter Rogers



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many witnesses have availed themselves of their constitutional rights not to testify against themselves, hoping that the pressure would be lessened by the passage of time, and other dilatory tactics have been employed. However, the Congress and these committees have pressed relentlessly forward on these investigations, and the skeptics are now convinced that there will be no let-up until every festering infection of corruption in government has been opened, aired and treated. There will no doubt be many more obstacles placed in the path of this Congress and these committees, but these will be overcome as they have in the past.

Many indictments that are resulting from the findings of the Teague Committee for violations of the Veterans' programs is a good indication of what is going to be expected in the other investigations. If Congress does not get some effective prosecutions, you can look for some heads to roll. This Congress intends to see that this mess is cleaned up and kept clean. Those who have been parties to these sinister and insidious transactions, both government employees and those outside of government, now sincerely wish that they had followed the maxim "Honesty is the best policy", because no one is more keenly aware than are they that "Truth crush-

THE BAFFLES

By Mahoney



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THE KOREAN VETERANS' BILL: I have just returned from a long and tedious session of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, in which we completed hearings on the extension of GI benefits to Korean veterans, and ordered a bill reported to the Congress. This bill provides for the benefits to be paid directly to the veterans rather than to the various schools that they attend. This will enable the veteran to choose his own school, buy his own text books, and conduct his own business of getting an education.

The bill contains many provisions plugging loopholes through which questionable organizations milked the public treasury under the World War II G I Bill. Some of the tricks resorted to by supposedly reputable institutions under the old GI bill, in order to get public money, were nothing less than astounding. The committee worked long and hard in full cooperation with the Select Committee appointed to investigate these wrongdoings, and we feel that the bill that has been sent to the Congress will not only plug the loopholes, but will give the benefits to the veterans who are entitled to them and at the same time prevent the public treasury from being robbed by various tricky devices. The new Korean bill provides for veterans to obtain loans to build houses, and the committee tried to write into the bill sufficient safeguards to protect veterans from some of the practices to which they have been subjected in various locations all over the country. This provision of course provides for the guaranty by the government of loans to veterans so that they may be able to build homes. Many of them have experienced difficulties in obtaining loans from private institutions; the reason being that the interest rate provided in the GI loan is low. This program under the old GI bill reflects that almost 100 percent of the veterans are excellent credit risks and the losses under that

program were almost non-existent. This credit record established by these veterans is actually so good that it is almost unbelievable. We have also included a provision to protect a veteran of World War II who is called back into the Korean war and has to sell his home. We hope to get this bill through at the earliest possible moment so that the long delay suffered by these Korean veterans will not be prolonged.

ADJOURNMENT: The House had hoped to adjourn during the early part of June. However, this appears to be impossible. Many of the appropriations bills that have gone to the Senate are still in the Senate committees, and it is doubtful whether or not the house will get them back in time to adjourn by the first of July. The general talk here is that the House will recess around July 1st and reconvene around the 15th of (Continued on page 6)

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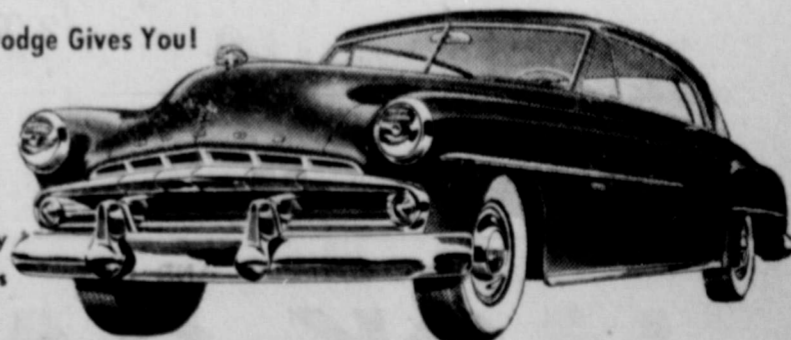
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Cyclones Defeat Exes 6 to 0 In Exhibition

By FREDDY VINSON

The 1952 Cyclone Squad members ended their spring practice Friday, May 16, when they defeated the Exes, 6-0. The game was played in cold and rainy weather, but neither team seemed to mind the cold, and it surely didn't harm either team's ground game. The high winds kept the play mostly on the ground but some passes were thrown.

The lone score of the game came late in the second quarter when Cyclone Jimmy Morrison went over from the one yard stripe. The Exes quickly broke up Rayford Hutcherson's try for the conversion. Davey Corley scored again late in the fourth but a clipping penalty canceled the score.

The exes team was composed mostly of football players who graduated last year or will grad-

uate this spring, with the exception of Horace Jones and Coy Smith. For these two boys, it was their first time to ever wear a football uniform. Both turned in excellent performances, and played on offense as well as defense.

Max Kennedy called signals for the gold-clad exes. This was also the first time for Kennedy ever to play quarterback in a split backfield, and he did an excellent job of calling signals and handling the ball.

Tom Messer and Carl Lee were the veteran split "T" backs for the gold-clads and they alternated hugging the ball. Several times Messer and Lee would almost break into the clear but a weakness in the gold team's downfield blocking let the safety man and halfbacks have easy pickings at the two speedy ball carriers.

The Cyclone's line was led by

Miss Mary Sue Foreman And Two Home Ec Students Attend Meet

Nancy Brewer, sophomore Home Economics student and Glenna Widener, freshman Home Economics student, together with Miss Mary Sue Foreman, teacher, represented the Memphis Future Homemakers of America at their State Leadership Conference in Dallas recently.

Attendance at the State Meeting is limited to three from each high school in Texas.

Nancy, Memphis chapter president, was elected by the club to accompany Glenna, who won the trip by earning the highest number of points under the point system which was set up early in the school year. All expenses for the girls were paid by the club.

The three-day meeting combined pleasure with work. The meeting places were the State Fair Park, the Baker and Adolphus Hotels. Staying in a hotel,

Science Students Examine Weather Recording Device

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leating at the many different places, meeting girls and teachers from all over the state, and exchanging ideas and experiences from the clubs back home came under the heading of pleasure.

Still pleasure but a little more on the serious side were the work sessions, centering on the Meeting's Theme of "Today's Youth, Tomorrow's Hope." In carrying out this theme, those attending the meeting learned the value of working in groups whether at home, in school, in the church or at work.

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Celia Leslie and Leslie Helm.

For the third grade winners were: Boys, Kenneth Lee Jones, 7.2. Second and third were Kenneth Oliver and Wayne Isaac. Girls, Sue Edwards, 8.0 and second and third were Ruth Britton and Betty Cook.

SENIOR FOLLIES PRESENTED BY SENIOR CLASS

By MARGARET MASSEY

The Senior Class presented its annual Senior Follies, May 12, in the High School Auditorium. This was the last public performance of any kind for the class as a whole.

The Follies portrayed the stages of Lullaby, Youth, Courtship, Marriage, Adulthood, and Old-Age in a person's life illustrated by songs and dramatizations.

The stage, which was hung with blue crepe-paper streamers and had three concentric arches doubly lined with blue lights, presented a dreamy effect. The only other lighting was a spot light with a blue collar slide.

Before the program began, Ramon Arnold, Master of Ceremonies, presented the Class Officers, Honor Students, and Seniors who have received Class or All School Honors during the Senior Year. Class officers are President, Carl Lee; Vice-president, Max Kennedy; Secretary, Patsy Jarrell; Treasurer, Don Beasley; Reporter, Dempsey Archer; and Yell Leader, Freddy Vinson.

Honor Students are Valedictorian, Margaret Ann Massey; Salutatorian, Jacky Gilbert; and High Ranking Boy, Frank Norman. Other Senior honors are High School Queen, Margaret Massey; Football Queen, Margie Durham; Hallow'en Queen, Vonda Blackmon; Most Popular Boy, Raymond Whitten; Student Council President, Max Kennedy; Cheerleaders, Jo Anne Webster, Dee Ellen Durrett, and Betty Kennon; and Class Favorites, Patsy Jarrell and Coy Smith.

Songs presented during the program were Missouri Waltz, Blowing Bubbles, "A" You're Adorable, Myself, Strolling Thru' the Park, Sweet Sixteen, The Alma Mater, Because, The Waltz You Saved For Me, Sentimental Me, Moonlight and Roses, Anytime, On the Avenue, Sonnet 43 Choral Reading, To Think You've Chosen Me, Some Sunday Morning, I'll See You In My Dreams, Wedding Bells Are Breaking Up That Old Gang of Mine, Kathleen, Thanks Be To God, It's No Secret, When I Grow Too Old To Dream, Perfect Day, Silver Threads Rock O' My Soul, Memories, and Auld Lang Syne.

Assembly Called For Presentation Of Student Awards

By MAX KENNEDY

A special assembly was called Tuesday, May 13, at 11:30 a. m. by Weldon McCreary, principal of MHS, to present the awards to those students who participated in the regional meet held at Lubbock, April 18 and 19. The basketball boys also received awards.

Students who received awards from the regional meet were James Moss and Marvin Smith in Number Sense, Roddy Bice in Slide Rule, sponsored by Mrs. Jeanette Irons; Inez Martin and Gene Davidson, Typing, sponsored by Mrs. L. L. Thomas; Betty Kennon, Margaret Massey, Carl Lee, Rayford Hutcherson and Lloyd West, Tennis, sponsored by Mr. McCreary; Ronnie Smith, Bob Sheen, Bert Sheen, and Carol Gardenhire, Golf also sponsored by McCreary, Wayne Jenkins Harvey Kennedy, Clyde Tamplin,

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Rayford Hutcherson, Jimmy Morrison, Davey Corley, Mackie Allen, Julius Stevens, Duane Miller, Duke Frisbie, Ronnie Smith, Jack Montgomery, Kenneth Cheek, Jimmy Davis, Ronald Caulfield, Carrol Gardenhire, and Lloyd West in basketball.

Staff Says Goodbye

Since this is the last issue of the Cyclone News for the current year, the Staff would like to take this opportunity to express its appreciation to the Memphis Democrat and its many readers for their interest and support.

The Cyclone News Staff
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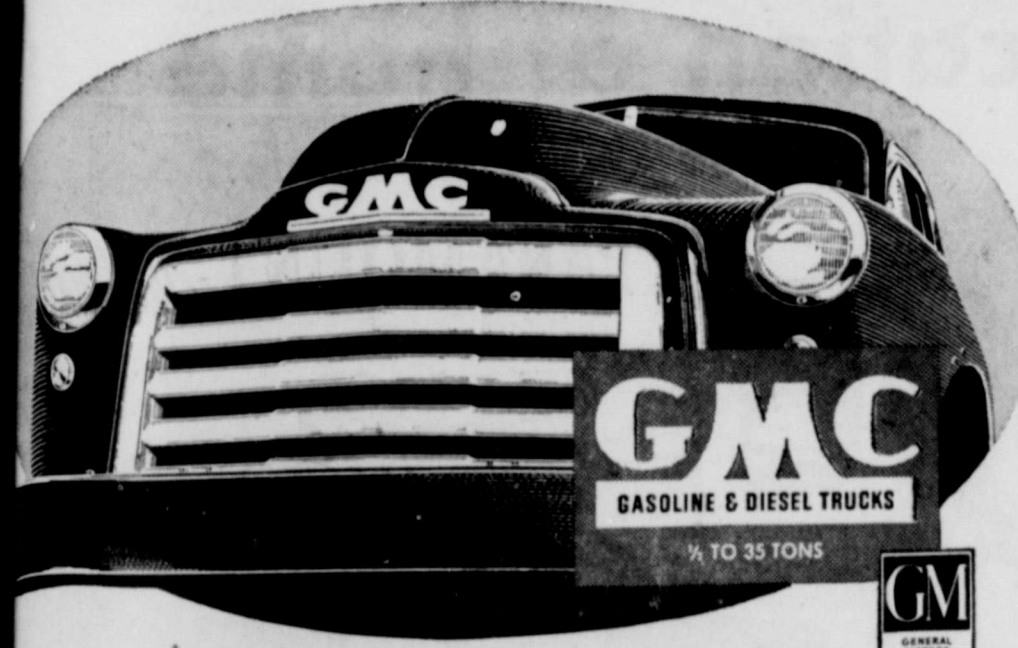
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Editorial

Words To Live By

At graduation time it seems especially appropriate to pause for a moment's reflection on what the future holds, not only for the young men and women commencing their careers but for the rest of us, too.

It seems that there is always some great conflict, some seemingly insurmountable obstacle confronting each new crop of graduates. These conflicts and obstacles come and go. So far, it has been the good fortune of this nation to see these problems solved in our favor.

Ten years ago, the danger facing the free world was fascism, and a whole generation of Americans fought and lived through the greatest war in history—but our side won. Twenty years ago—way back in 1912—the nation was faced by a crippling depression. It, too, passed in time. And the people who lived through it, emerged wiser and stronger.

And so it is today we find ourselves faced with a new terror—the seemingly inexorable spread of Communism. Communism is not new, but the threat that it poses for us is new. In retrospect, it seems incredible that the same people we were helping to defend Stalingrad nine short years ago are now threatening our way of life.

This year's grads will go out into an insecure and turbulent world. It is much the same that it was a decade ago when the totalitarian Japanese, German, and Italian governments had enslaved almost half of the civilized world.

However, there seems to be a difference now. The aggression of the Axis powers was from without, with the use of armed forces to subjugate other peoples.

Communism represents a more formidable foe—a more dangerous adversary. Like a cancerous growth, it spreads and corrupts from within. Of course, it succeeds best when backed by force or the threat of force. But we should not underestimate the appeal its fraudulent promises carry to the oppressed peoples of the world.

Since the end of World War II, several hundred million people have come under Communist rule. It is safe to assume that most of them have been indoctrinated to hate and fear our form of government—our way of life. Under totalitarian rule it is easy to direct public opinion. But we in America are faced with the fact that many people, not behind the Iron Curtain, have come to despise us. It is because the Communists have harped on the Big Lie. They have persuaded many of our old friends that Capitalism is decadent, and that many imperfections exist in our society.

We cannot belittle this threat. It is real and imminent. We can fight back with force if we choose, but we cannot afford another global war and the consequences that would follow, even if we win. We can combat the threat with an all-out propaganda effort, but that will not decide the issue. We are involved in a final ideological struggle.

We must prove to the peoples of the world that we are sincere in our practice of democracy, that we have no "imperialistic" designs on the rest of the world, and that we do not live only for material things of life.

There is a man from the Middle East who understands particularly well the danger of Communism and also the shortcomings of the West. He is Dr. Charles Habib Malik, UN delegate from Lebanon, and a former professor of philosophy at American University in Beirut. He has pointed out some of the shallowness and selfishness in our society. For the graduates and the rest of us, too, his words might be well to remember in the days ahead:

"... The ideal of taking a college degree, getting married and settled, having a dependable job, making lots of money and having a solid and ever expanding bank account... this ideal conceived purely in these terms is not good enough. It is... a very timid deal. It is not dangerous enough; it does not answer to man's deepest hunger for truth and community, where going out of one's self is a joy, and where it is more blessed to give than to receive."



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Press Paragraphs—
QUOTING OUR NEIGHBORS

Make Up Your Minds
Littlefield is a dry town, at least according to theory. That is the will of the people.

Law enforcement officials are, with some success, attempting to enforce this ruling.

But, as has often been said, Littlefield is as 'wet' a dry town as can be found on the plains. This is not the fault of the sheriff's department, the city police, or any other legal agency. It is the fault of the public, who sanctimoniously vote dry every time an election is called, then rush home and 'call the number.'

Where there is a desire, there is always someone to fulfill the demand, legally or illegally, be it silk, stockings or marijuana. If people went to the polls, voted dry, and abided by their own vote, police would not be plagued with the illegal liquor traffic. If the people desire Littlefield to be wet, and vote that way, the bootlegging business will immediately be stricken down.

It amounts to this. If you, the public want a dry town, that's fine. But let's have it dry. Let's quit paying exorbitant prices to public leeches for alcoholic beverages. If you the public, want it wet, do it legally. Either way, it is going to wipe out bootlegging.

Report From—
(Continued from Page 3)

August or the first of September. There is still much important legislation to be disposed of and many of these bills will be controversial in the House after Senate amendments are attached. This means long conference sessions, which may result in no adjournment and only a short recess. I hope to be back in the District sometime during the latter part of June or the first of July.

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I am reminded of the old expression, "politics makes strange bed-fellows," Wess Izzard in the Amarillo News is tooth and tongue against the administration, and yet at the same time he is tearing his shirt for Ike.

Looks to me like trying to carry water on both shoulders. Who, for example, elevated Ike to his present prominence at the expense of a great American, Gen. MacArthur? Who has given his endorsement to Ike? The answer is Harry, of course.

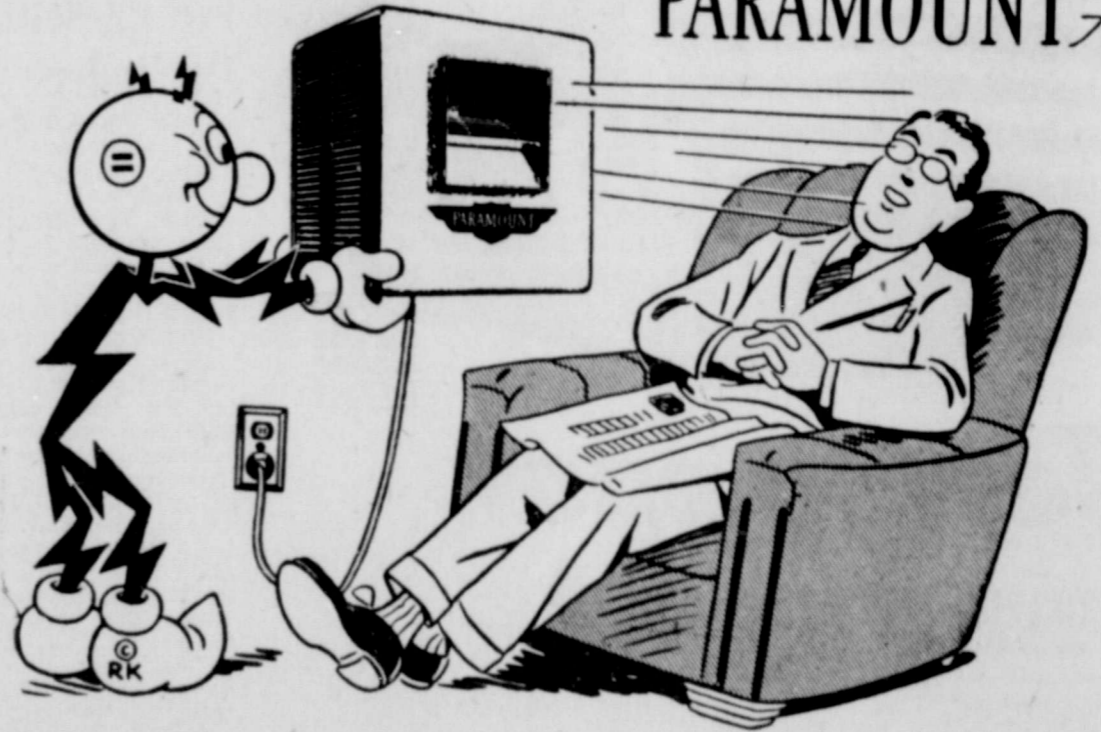
Can't understand how a fellow can be so utterly opposed to Harry and at the same time boost Ike's causes.

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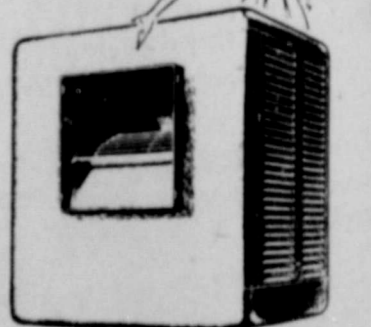


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Rotary Hoe Cuts Cost Cotton Production

chopping and hoeing operations in the production of cotton in some sections of Texas, one-fourth of all the man-hours are spent on chopping and hoeing. Fred C. Elliott, cotton specialist for the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, says the rotary hoe will reduce the man-hours and increase the income of the farmer.

As for the picker wheel adjustments, he says the wheels should be set so they will break the surface crust to a depth of one-half to three-fourths of an inch. This not only breaks up the surface crust but also tears up the soil so that seedling weeds and grass are exposed to the action of the sun and wind before they have a chance to come through the ground or before their root systems become established.

He reports that many farmers reduce the ground speed of the tractor because they are afraid of covering up the small cotton plants or damaging them as a result of the thoroughly torn up soil surface. Tests made by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and the results of demonstrations conducted by farmers, he

such equipment was used in 111 counties.

Elliott is a strong believer in using the rotary hoe for early weed control. He is quick to point out however that the ground speed of the tractor must be right and the hoe must be properly adjusted. A common mistake often made by the tractor operator is driving the tractor too slow. For best results, he says the tractor should be operated in third gear at speeds up to five or six miles per hour and even faster under favorable conditions and with an experienced operator.

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says, have proved that such damage will not occur if the rotary hoe is properly adjusted. The cotton seed was planted well below the regulated depth at which the picker wheels should be run and thus very little or no damage will occur.

Special Oils Latest Control
Cross-cultivating or using a mechanical cotton chopper are two other mechanical practices which have been successfully used in some sections of the state for cutting the hoeing and chopping bill. About the latest thing for early grass and weed control in cotton is the use of special oils. These oils are more commonly known as post-emergence non-fortified oil and di-nitro. Elliott reports that research is continuing on this project but sufficient information is available to indicate that the use of post-emergence oil and pre-emergence di-nitro sprays are practical weed and grass control measures in some sections of the state.

Elliott suggests that cotton producers contact the local county agent for the latest information on labor saving practices that may be used in producing cotton.

Loving Tributes Paid To Memory Of Dr. Clark

Reprinted below are two of the many tributes which have been received by Mrs. R. Ernest Clark since the death of her late beloved husband.

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Mrs. Warren Ritter and Warren Don, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sneed in Lakeview, have left for West Hampstead, N. Y. where they will join their husband and father.

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Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Strong and children of Hollis, Okla., visited here Sunday with Mrs. Strong's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brewer and daughter Glenda Lou of Wellington visited here Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Combs.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Madden left Wednesday for Littlefield where they will visit for the next 10 days with Mr. Madden's sister, Mrs. G. W. Thomas and niece, Mrs. Ira Wood and Dr. Wood. Dr. and Mrs. Wood plan to attend the Rotary International Convention in Mexico City during the time the Maddens are visiting in Littlefield.

Mrs. Lloyd Power of Childress visited here Sunday with Gladys Power.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Butler visited in Amarillo Sunday in the

home of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam C. Newell and son of Houston visited here from Wednesday until Friday in the home of Mrs. Newell's sister, Mrs. R. C. Lemons and family.

Mrs. T. J. Hampton left Saturday for Paris and Sulphur Spring where she will visit with relatives.

Visiting here in the Bill Crowder home over the weekend was their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Angrove of Mt. Vernon.

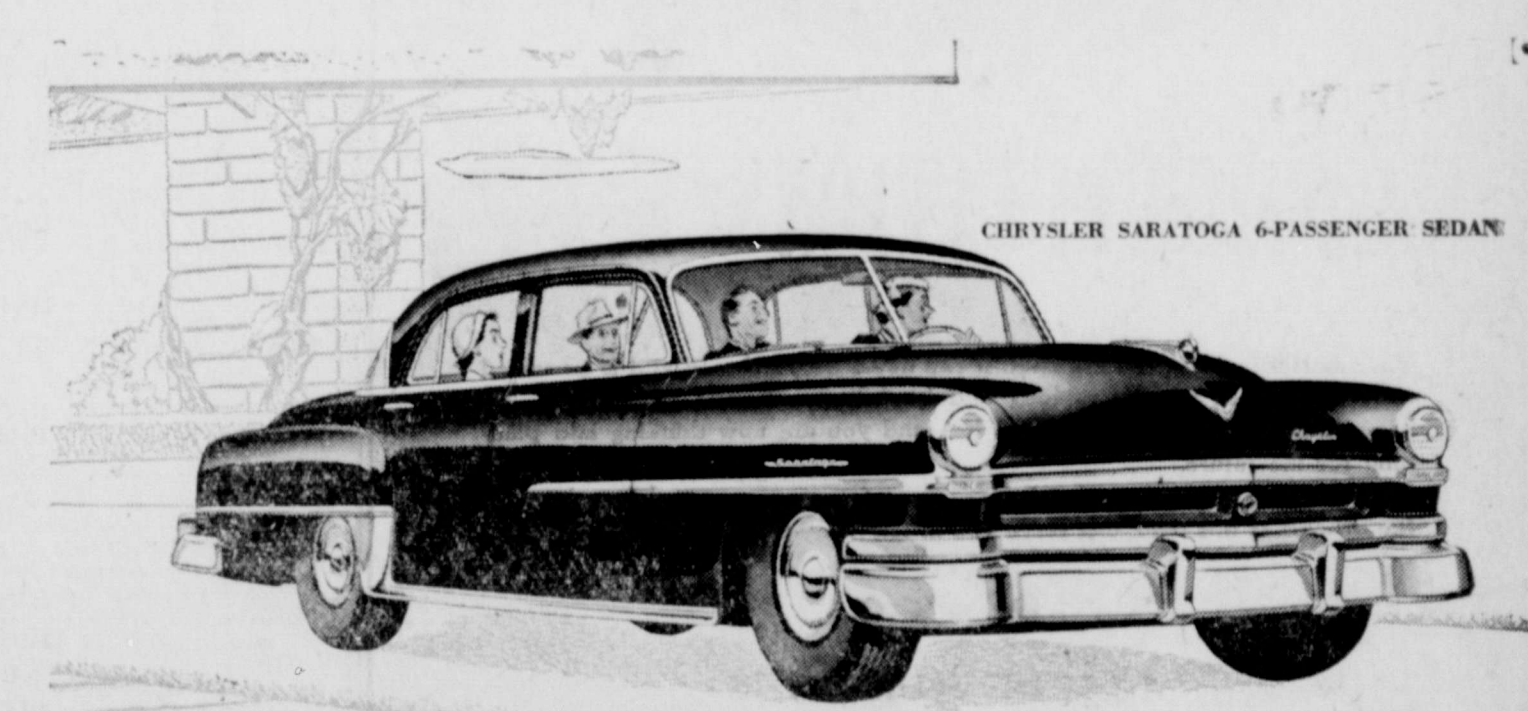
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Seniors To Leave Saturday On Trip To Gulf Coast

By JO ANNE WEBSTER
The graduating class of MHS will leave Saturday morning, May 24, to go on their senior trip. They decided to go straight to Galveston and stay Sunday and Monday.

On Tuesday, May 27 they will spend all day in and around Houston and also spend the night there. They will leave Wednesday morning and go to Austin and stay until about 2 or 3 p. m. The trip should be over about Wednesday midnight when they plan to come home.

Those going on the trip are Wayne Jenkins, Charles Messer, Jo Anne Webster, Jatsy Jarrell, Margaret Massey, Dempsey Archer, Frank Norman, Carnis Durham, Carl Lee, Jacky Gilbert, Horace Jones, Nan Crowder, Raymond Whitten, Max Kennedy, Betty Kennon, Bobby Dick Hutcherson, Clinton Jones, Floye Hammons, D'Armon Peabody and Wayne Wiggins.

Mrs. Vandeventer Presents Students With Essay Awards

Mrs. Lloyd Vandeventer, V. F. W. Auxiliary Commander, presented the awards for the annual essay contest in assembly, May 14. Color bearer for the occasion were Mrs. Lynn Jones, Mrs. E. W. Godfrey, and Mrs. Thelma Gilbert.

Betty Burnett received first prize which was a check for

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\$15.00, and Bob Sheen received second prize which was an office size dictionary.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Roberts visit in Lubbock Sunday with their son, Evan Roberts and family. Their grandson, Charles, accompanied them home to visit here this week.

PROJECTIONIST CLUB HAS MEET

By OMER JOHNSON

The projectionists club of MHS met Friday, May 16, to elect new officers for the 1952-53 school year and also chose a new name for the club.

The name chosen was the "Audio Visual Club" and Rayford Hutcherson was elected president; Troy Moore, Vice President; Secretary, Donald Moore; Treasurer, Duke Frisbie and Omer Johnson, reporter.

Other members are Jimmie Gibson and Robert Breedlove. The sponsor is Miss Ira Hammonds.

Ten Morning Watch Students Announced

Students on morning watch for the past two weeks were: Johnnie McDaniel, Max McCoy, Ronnie Mac Smith, Janice Anthony, Roy May, Betty Wells, Glenda Shawhart, Janice Smith, Beverly Middleton and Carlton Clayton.

SCIENCE CLUB HOLDS PICNIC IN CITY PARK

The Up and Atom Science Club closed the school year, May 19, with a picnic in the City Park. The members played softball and football. Some of the members went to the Welson's Skating Rink after the picnic was over.

Those present were Roddy Bice, W. A. Bishop, Jackie Ben Boone, Debs Cofer, Jimmy Davis, James Freeman, Duke Frisbie, Carrol Gardenhire, Ray Johnson, Roy May, Wayland McElreath, Jack Montgomery, Marvin Smith, Ronnie Mac Smith, and the sponsor, Miss Neville Wrenn. Mrs. Jeannette Irons was honorary chaperon for the group.

Rev. Davidson Is Assembly Speaker

Rev. Rollo Davidson of the First Methodist Church spoke to the students of MHS last Wednesday, May 14. It was the last address from the Ministerial Alliance of Memphis for this Spring.

Rev. Davidson's talk brought out some things "that will mean a lot to all students if they take this thought to heart."

The main topic of his talk was "Does size mean so much?" He used the quotation, "The least of us can do the greatest."

He closed his address with the text, "God has chosen the weak things of the earth to confound the great."

Hooser Shows Film on Safety To 4-H Clubs

County Agent W. B. Hooser has been meeting with county 4-H Clubs this week for the last time before school is out.

At each of the six club meetings, he has shown the educational film, "Paradise Valley." The film stresses safety in farm work, especially around farm machinery, Hooser said. The county

agent said that the film's message was especially important when one considers the numerous accidents that happen on the farm.

The 4-H clubs at which the movie was shown were one each at Estelline and Turkey, two at Lakeview and two in Memphis.

Hooser said, in connection with 4-H work, that many of the members of the Bull Circle are selecting heifers for the herd-building program. The ten members of the circle are allowed to have five females each. The bull, purchased last week, was brought back from the Hardy Grissom Hereford Ranch near Abilene Friday by Hooser and D. C. Hall, father of Raymond Hall who will care for the animal.

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- Big Vee Laying Mash—100 lb. print bag
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