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Miss Hartsell Wins Queen Contest

Miss Ruth Hartsell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hartsell, chosen Hall County Queen in competition at the amphitheater at the Memphis City Park. Miss Hartsell, 20, of the Farm Bureau Pres. Hodges, Miss Hartsell, \$20.00 and a bouquet of roses, of Leslie's. Cofer was awarded second place in the contest, and presented with a check for \$10.00. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cofer.

Miss Hartsell will go to Amarillo on Sept. 14 where she will represent Hall County at the District I Queen Contest. The program will be featured on an Amarillo television station from 5:30 to 6:30 Wednesday afternoon. Competing for District I Queen will be 16 county queens from this area. The winner at Amarillo will represent this district at the state contest to be held during the State Convention in Fort Worth later this year.

Selection of the queen was made by a committee of three out-of-county judges. Judges were Ernest Rae, Robert Kiker and Mrs. Homer Hawthorne, all of Childress.

Proceeding the queen contest, President Hodges welcomed the Farm Bureau members and guests and recognized officers of the organization. Introduced were Robert Moss, vice president; V. C. Durrett, secretary and treasurer; J. R. Mitchell, Brown Smith and Cecil (Continued on Page Ten)

Sheriff Issues Warning About Cashing Checks

Sheriff Bill Baten this week again warned local business men to be careful in cashing checks or other legal-looking money orders.

When the "hot checks" are returned to local stores, the sheriff's department is generally called upon to help find the writer of the instrument.

"Unless there is a record of a person's handwriting on file in Austin or Washington," Baten said, "we have very little to go on." (Continued on Page Ten)

Graduates Of Local High School Are Making Plans To Enter College

Approximately fifty per cent of the 1955 graduates of Memphis High School plan to enroll in colleges this fall, according to Weldon McCreary, principal.

Graduates of the past year who will leave for school soon include Jack Montgomery and Carol Ann Monzingo, Trinity University at San Antonio; James Freeman, McMurry at Abilene; C. R. Orr, Howard Payne at Brownwood; Katherine Wright and Carrol Gardenhire, West Texas State at Canyon; Jackie Ben Boone, University of Texas at Austin; Roddy Bice and Harold Aspreen, Baylor at Waco; Robert Breedlove, Jr., University of Kansas at Lawrence; Jimmy Davis, Arizona State at Tucson; David Duncan, Clarendon Junior College; Debs Cofer, Southwest Texas State at San Marcos; Juanella Goffinet and Jo Ann Kennon, Draughton's Business College at Amarillo.

Organize Hall County In 1890

Belitha Scott Will Celebrate 93rd Birthday Next Wednesday

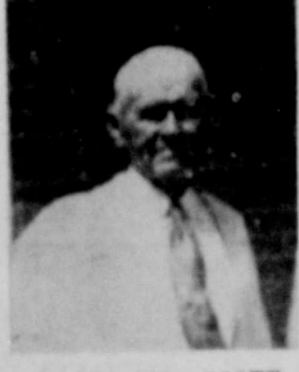
William Belitha Scott, 93, who built the first building in Memphis will celebrate his 93rd birthday next Wednesday, Sept. 14.

Mr. Scott recalls that Memphis' first school building was constructed just east of the F.W.&D Ry tracks and south of the present Noel Street. A brother, Charlie Scott, helped in constructing the building.

The two brothers built most of the early-day houses in Memphis, many of which are still standing.

W. B. Scott was born Sept. 14, 1862 at Ocala, St. Clair County, Mo. He and his family moved to Texas in 1872. In 1890 he moved to this area, settling in Memphis.

Harness and saddle making was one of the trades which Mr. Scott engaged in early in life. Around the turn of the century he became a farmer.



W. BELITHA SCOTT



REPORT ON BUDGET — Treasury Sec. Geo. Humphry (left) said we "should and can" balance U. S. Budget this year, as budget director Rowland Hughes shows charts.

4-H Club Swine Show To Be Held Saturday

Final plans were completed Wednesday for the Annual 4-H Club members Swine Show. W. B. Hooser, county agent has announced. The show will be held Saturday, Sept. 10, at the Farmers Union Co-Op Gin in Memphis.

Frank Wendt, county agricultural agent of Wilbarger County, Vernon, will judge the show. Wendt is recognized as an authority on swine and other livestock, and has judged shows at other places over this area.

Hooser urged all 4-H club exhibitors to be ready by 7 p. m. Friday, Sept. 9. The judging will start promptly at 10 o'clock Saturday morning.

To be shown will be all animals won by club members in the Sears swine contest, as well as the Memphis businessmen's contest. (Continued on Page 10)

Funeral Services Held Tuesday For A. E. Ramsey

Funeral services for A. E. (Edd) Ramsey, 74, of Amarillo, and former Hall County resident, were held Tuesday, Sept. 7 at 3:30 p. m. in the Church of Christ at Lakeview.

The services were conducted by Paul Lusby of Amarillo and Harry Graham of Memphis. Burial was in the Memphis Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Spicer Funeral Home.

Ramsey died Sept. 5 at his home, 3704 E. 12th St., in Amarillo. He had been a resident of Amarillo for the past five years and had lived in Hall County 36 years. Ramsey was a member of the Church of Christ.

Born April 23, 1881, in Lincoln County, Tenn., Ramsey was united in marriage to Miss Stella Isham on April 30, 1905 at Trenton. The Ramseys moved to Hall County in 1914, where Mr. Ramsey was engaged in farming.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Stella Ramsey of Amarillo, three daughters, Mrs. L. J. Sparks and Mrs. A. A. Mitchell, both of Amarillo and Mrs. E. J. Teel of Lakeview, three grandchildren, Miss Wanda Crawford of Berkeley, Calif., Royace and Lezeta Teel of Lakeview, three brothers, John Ramsey of Amarillo, Will Ramsey of Greenville and Earl Ramsey of Raton, one sister, Mrs. Ada Carter of Bryant, Okla.

Paul bearers were E. C. Barnett, Jr., Hubert Hall, Clifton Burnett, Windell Mitchell, Garvis Davis, Joe Neal Berry, Hank Helm and C. B. Craighead.

Hat Tournament Sunday Will End Golfing Season

Golfers of the Memphis Country Club will compete Sunday in the annual President's Hat Tournament, according to an announcement early this week.

This will be the last scheduled contest among local golfers, Herschel Combs, president of the Country Club, said Monday. All (Continued on Page 10)

Opinions Differ As Readers List Guesses On Cotton Crop

Readers of The Democrat are showing the usual difference of opinion as they enter the annual Cotton Guessing Contest, which is currently being sponsored by this newspaper.

A check of the figures Wednesday afternoon show that the highest estimate of Hall County Ginnings to be 189,000 bales. The lowest guess is 26,034. The question arises as to the unusually high estimate of 189,000 — did the reader list figures which he did not intend? If the person making this particular guess desires, he

Memphis Cyclone Opens Season With Tulia Game

Memphis Lions Club To Hold Annual Merchandise Sale Next Wednesday

Members of the Memphis Lions Club will hold their annual Broom Sale as a money-raising project Wednesday, Sept. 14. Gene Lindsey, president, announced early this week.

The annual sale was originally scheduled for Wednesday, July 27, when the Texas Blind caravan was in the city. The local club's efforts were impaired on that date by the downpour of rain, according to Lindsey, and the later date was set.

In addition to brooms, club members will sell ironing board covers and pad combinations, door mats and mops. All articles are made by Texas blind workers in Blind Shops, or "light-houses," which are non-profit organizations.

General chairman of the sales campaign is H. E. (Tony) Craig. The chairman said that an effort will be made to canvass the entire town.

President Lindsey stated that 25 per cent of all money collected from the sale will remain with the club, and will be used to finance the organization's community projects.

Claude Moore Gets Appointment As FHA Supervisor

Claude Moore, who has been acting county supervisor since Aug. 1 for the Hall County Farm Home Administration, received his permanent appointment to that position last week.

The new county supervisor replaces J. J. Roan, who was recently appointed as area FHA supervisor, with offices in Childress.

Moore came to Memphis Jan. 21, 1954, and had served this county as emergency loan supervisor until he received the temporary appointment in August. Prior to that time he had received five years' experience working with Farmers Security Administration, being located at Carthage and Athens, Tex. He had served for three years as county supervisor of Donley County.

In addition to Mr. Moore, Mrs. Pauline Knight is serving in the Memphis FHA office as clerk-typist. Additional help is expected soon for the local office, according to the county supervisor.

The county FHA committee, serving at the present time includes Del Wells of Lakeview, Lucion I. Davis of Memphis, and Pete Davis of Estelline.

Free Will Baptist To Open Revival Here On Sept. 12

A two-week open air revival will begin at the Free Will Baptist Church, located at 503 north 8th street, on Monday evening, September 12.

Services will be held each evening at 7:30 o'clock with Evangelist Ed Abbott of Sayre, Okla., doing the preaching.

Rev. Billy Breeding is pastor of the local church. A cordial invitation is extended the public to attend the services.

718 Students Enroll In Memphis School

A total of 718 students had been enrolled in Memphis High and Junior High School, William B. Travis and Stephen F. Austin Elementary Schools at noon Wednesday, according to figures released by Supt. W. C. Davis.

This was 21 students below the total enrolled in the school last year, when scholastics numbered 739.

The Morning Side School had a total enrollment of 132 students, one above last year. This brings enrollment in the Memphis Independent School District for the current year to 850.

Registration this year were comprised of 310 junior and senior high school students. At the Travis Elementary School, a total of 246 were enrolled, and 162 pupils were registered at Austin Elementary School.

Principal of the senior high school is Weldon McCreary and Kenneth Miller is serving as junior high school principal. Ethel Hillhouse is acting as temporary principal at William B. Travis until the vacancy is filled and B. J. Thomson is Stephen F. Austin's

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Baptist Church Will Conduct Mission School

The First Baptist Church of Memphis will conduct a School of Mission and Stewardship beginning Sept. 11 and continuing through Sept. 16. The week will be observed with meetings each night at 8 o'clock featuring out-of-town guest speakers.

Monday night's speaker will be Rev. E. M. Causey of Klamath Falls, Oregon. John L. Brice, missionary from Brazil, will give an address Tuesday evening and Wednesday night's message will be brought by Rev. J. I. Gregory of Van Auleton, Texas. Rev. W. R. Clark will speak Thursday night and the concluding message (Continued on Page 4)

Plans Being Made For Hall County Homecoming Picnic

Plans were taking shape this week for the Hall County Homecoming Picnic, which will be held Sunday, Sept. 18, in the City Park in Memphis. Letters are being written by local citizens to friends who formerly lived here, and indications point to a large crowd at the basket picnic.

Committees, who will take care of different phases of the homecoming celebration, were working out details this week. It was pointed out that each family who will attend, will bring a basket lunch.

No elaborate program or ceremony is being planned. The time of all those who attend will be spent visiting with old friends and former neighbors.

Full details of the Hall County Homecoming Picnic will be announced next week.

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PLASKA

M. N. Orr and Walter McMaster were in Happy Monday transacting business and attending the cattle sale.

Mrs. Viola Hodges visited her sister, Mrs. V. Stewart, in Plainview Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Houghton and son, Shelby, and Sonia Veiden visited Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hall Saturday.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Orr Sunday night were Arthur Vallance of Anton, Edith Vallance of Memphis, Thomas Adeock and family of Newlin, Mrs. Polk Adeock, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Clark and Janice Sue Clark.

Mrs. Beulah Nase is visiting her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Billie Bob Nase, in El Cajon, Calif. Her grandson, Mike, returned home after spending the summer here with his grandparents.

Mrs. Polk Adeock, Mrs. Pearl Vallance and Arthur Vallance of Anton visited in Memphis Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Vallance.

Mrs. Rae Welch is in Wellington this week visiting friends and relatives and attending revival meetings at the Primitive Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Oliver have returned home from San Francisco, Calif. where they have been visiting the past two months with their son, Guy Oliver, and family.

W. S. C. S. met Monday at the home of Mrs. Polk Adeock. Attending were Mrs. Coy Clark, Mrs. J. W. Oliver, Mrs. Vera Orr, Mrs. M. N. Orr, Janice Sue Clark, Carolyn Orr and a visitor, Mrs. Edith Vallance, of Memphis.

Sue Hall of Wichita Falls is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hall, this week. She was accompanied by a girl friend from Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Weatherby of Memphis visited the Doyle Halls Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kulp and children returned to their home Tuesday in Lawrence, Kansas after spending several weeks here with the Molloyes.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bray accompanied Mrs. Bray's mother, Mrs. Amanda Martin, to Quanah Sunday. Mrs. Martin plans to visit friends and relatives in Arkansas and Oklahoma for an indefinite period.

Having dinner at the Park Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Galloway, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Galloway and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Galloway and children, Jerry Galloway and Wally Dunn

LAFF OF THE WEEK



"The next time you see a fly on daddy's head, you use a fly swatter!"

Crawford of San Antonio. Eula Bell Hall visited in Amarillo Wednesday. Mrs. Elmer Teel spent last week in Amarillo with her father, A. E. (Edd) Ramsey, who was ill. Mr. Ramsey died Monday morning and funeral services were held in Memphis Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Ramsey was a former resident of Plaska. Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Nabers spent Saturday night in Amarillo with relatives. Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Galloway Tuesday night were Robert Galloway and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Galloway and Jerry of Memphis, Sue Spanagel and children of San Antonio. Mickie Sullivan has returned to Houston to enter school after spending the summer months here with his sister, Mrs. James Bray, and other relatives. Sue Spanagel and children left Monday for San Antonio after spending two weeks here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Galloway.

way. She will join her husband in Anchorage, Alaska soon. Mr. and Mrs. John Provence are on the sick list this week. Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Orr visited Sunday in Memphis with Mrs. W. D. Orr. They also visited in Lakeview Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Walter McMaster. Mrs. Doyle Hall's mother, Mrs. W. L. Crawford, is in a Memphis hospital. 2nd Lt. Dave Click of Waco visited over the Labor Day weekend in the R. A. Massey home.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Boles of Ponce, Calif. are visiting here this week with Mrs. Boles' father, G. T. Lester, and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Boles have been on a vacation trip in the northwestern United States and are en route home. Al Burks of Tulsa Monday with relatives. Charles Messer, who returned with the US Army, visited relatives in Memphis weekend.

Some people thought our store would closed last Monday, due to Labor Day and missed our monthly Dollar Day. we're running Dollar Day over.

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MONDAY SEPT. 12

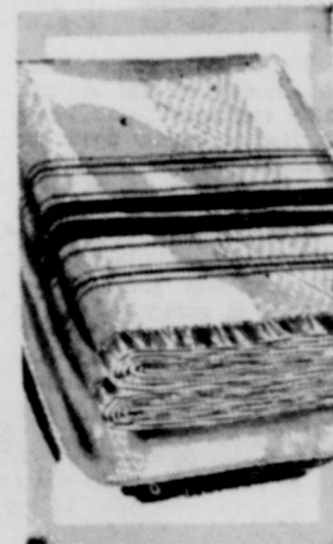
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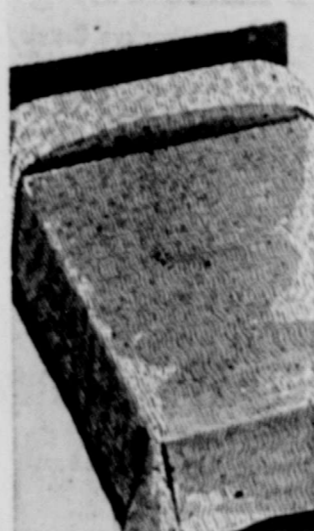
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Woman's Culture Begins Year Breakfast

of the Woman's Club began their 1955-56 year with a breakfast Wednesday, Sept. 7, at 8:45 o'clock at the home of their president, Mrs. J. W. Irons.

Flowers were used to make the entertaining rooms for the four were centered around a flower arrangement.

The breakfast consisted of bacon, toast and coffee.

At the breakfast, Mrs. Irons, annual president's message and the course of study for the year was discussed by Mrs. Hoover.

Attending the affair were Clifford Farmer, R. Frank Ellis, Glenn E. Leslie, Grover Moss, Edward, Theodore Swift, Elden, Ward Gurley, Peter, Nat Bradley, Miss and the hostess, Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell spent the Labor Day weekend at the home of Mrs. Houston's brother, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Bobby and Brenda of Amarillo, N. M. and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth of White Sands, N. M., Mrs. Gail Houston, Patty of Kansas City, Mo., Mrs. Woodrow Houston, and Kathy of Dallas, a nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Carson and Marilyn of other guests included Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth of Dallas and Mrs. Doyle Langlina and the Houston's and granddaughter, Mrs. Swerox and Monica of Dallas, N. M.

Margaret Holcomb visited in Amarillo with her husband, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Phillips, and also visited in Asher, a nephew, Kermit and family.

In the home of Mrs. Mary over the weekend and Mrs. Raymond Adams and Mrs. Charles and daughter, all of Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis and sons of Bor-



MR. AND MRS. DOYLE REX WALKER

Miss Barbara June Smith Becomes Bride Of Doyle Rex Walker In Estelline Rites

Miss Barbara June Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Smith of Estelline, became the bride of Doyle Rex Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Walker of Estelline at 7 p. m. Saturday, August 20.

E. H. Graham, minister of the Memphis Church of Christ, read the double-ring ceremony in the home of the bride's parents in Estelline.

An arch of palm leaves and white satin ribbon centered the kneeling bench of white satin which was flanked by baskets of white gladioli and palm leaves tied with white satin bows. Fans of palm leaves tied with white satin ribbon made an attractive

background for the white candles. Nuptial selections were rendered by Mrs. Raleigh Adams, organist, Miss Geraldine Rhea, vocalist, sang "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer," accompanied by Evelyn Hudlow.

The bride wore a gown of white Chantilly lace in fluer de bois pattern over white satin, fashioned with a sculptured bodice and a lavalier neckline made by folds of tulle edged with scalloped lace embroidered with bridal pearls. Small satin covered buttons were used down the back of the dress and into the bouffant skirt of lace which flowed over a double flounce of tulle sweeping into a chapel train.

She wore a fingertip veil of French illusion attached to a clutche of tulle and lace embroidered with bridal pearls. Her bouquet of fluer de amour was centered with a white orchid and white roses.

She carried out the traditional bridal custom of wearing something old, something new, something borrowed and something blue. The something old was a lace handkerchief belonging to her grandmother.

Mrs. Joyce Mohling, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore a floor-length gown of aqua chromspun taffeta fashioned with a fitted bodice and low neckline. A bandeau of pearls and velvet and short gauntlets in aqua color completed her costume. She carried a bouquet of pink roses.

Masters David and Gary Walker, brothers of the groom, were ring bearers.

Candlelighters were Misses Linda Walker, sister of the groom, and Sonja Anthony. Miss Walker wore a blue silk gown with a fitted bodice and full skirt of ballerina length. Miss Anthony wore an identically styled gown in pink silk. Both wore wristlets of rosebuds and carried pink candles tied with pink satin ribbon bows.

Garland Walker of Amarillo served as his brother's best man.

Mrs. Smith, mother of the bride, wore a ballerina-length dress of blue silk fashioned with fitted bodice and full skirt. Blue pumps, a small hat of blue feathers centered with rhinestones, and neck-

lace and earrings of rhinestones completed her ensemble.

The groom's mother, Mrs. Walker, chose a gold silk dress of ballerina-length. Her pumps and small hat were white.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. The table was laid with a white linen tablecloth. A heart-shaped arrangement of carnations was centered with Love Birds flanked by crystal candelabra holding white tapers. The three-tiered wedding cake was topped with a miniature bride and groom.

Mrs. Samuel Winkler and Mrs. Gus Orcutt served the wedding cake and Mrs. Joe K. Eddins presided at the crystal punch service.

Both the bride and groom are graduates of the Estelline High

School with the class of 1955.

Mrs. Walker has been employed during the summer months by Dunbar & Dunbar Abstract and Insurance Co. in Memphis.

After a honeymoon trip to Colorado, Mr. and Mrs. Walker will be at home in Fort Worth where they will enroll for the fall semester at Texas Christian University.

Out-of-town guests include Mrs. Melvin A. Mohling of Leedy, Okla., Garland Walker of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Lambert of Dell City, Mrs. Bertha Crawford of Childress.

Miss Martha Malone of Dallas spent the Labor Day weekend with Miss Letha Moss. They visited in Memphis, Hedley and Amarillo.

Foxhall Brothers Enjoy Leave Here; Return To AFB

Harold and Carrol Foxhall, sons of J. G. Foxhall, returned Saturday to Cape Charles AFB in Cape Charles, Virginia. They were in Memphis visiting their father and other relatives on a 20 day leave from the Air Force.

Both boys, 1951 graduates of Memphis High School, work with the radar division. They will have completed four years' active service with the Air Force in February, 1957.

Tommy Messer is in Memphis this week on leave from the US Army. He is stationed at White Sands, N. M.

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BUILDING MATERIALS AND SERVICES

Farmer To Attend Highway Group Session In Colo.

Clifford Farmer, manager of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce and president of the National U. S. 287 Highway Association, will preside at a meeting of officers and directors of the road group at Fort Collins, Colo., Sunday, Sept. 11.

Purpose of the meeting is to plan ways for additional promotion of travel on U. S. 287 from the Gulf to the Yellowstone National Park, Farmer said.

"We are greatly encouraged by the increase in the traffic over the 1800-mile length of the highway," Farmer said. "It has become one of the major north-south tourist highways."

"Memphis, like the other cities along this route, benefit from the money spent by the travelers. Tourist courts, cafes, service stations, garages and retail stores receive much benefit from this extra business."

A number of improvements are being planned for U. S. Highway 287 through Texas, Oklahoma, Colorado and Wyoming. Farmers' groups are planning a four-lane expansion from Fort Worth to Wichita Falls. Other improvements are planned for Colorado. The association has been working for extension of 287 through Montana into Canada.

Other officers, in addition to Farmer, are: Ray Hoskins, vice president, Limon, Colo.; H. L. Hooten, treasurer, Dumas; Allen H. Pett, secretary, Lamar, Colo.

The directors are M. O. Blackshear, Boise City, Okla.; Clyde Cox, Lamar, Colo.; H. D. Del Monte, Lander, Wyo.; E. A. Levellian, Dumas; and Jason L. Beatty, Springfield, Colo.

Baptist Church

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will be given by Mrs. A. K. Bonham.

Mrs. Bonham, whose home is in Sacramento, Calif., was appointed by the Home Mission Board as missionary to the Japanese people in the area of Richmond, Calif. in September of 1951 after studying at the Golden Gate Baptist Theological Seminary. Mrs. Bonham and her husband are volunteers for mission work in Japan, but are presently engaged in this work on the west coast.

Baptist Churches throughout Texas will conduct such a program some week during September. All of the Baptist Churches in Hall County are observing the week Sept. 11-16. Schools similar to the one in Memphis will be conducted by the Hall County Baptists during that week.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of thanking each one for every expression of sympathy at the going of our loved one. Also for the beautiful flowers.

Mrs. E. B. Watson
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Molloy
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BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. D'Armon Peabody of Borger announce the birth of a daughter, Laura D'Aun, on August 18. She weighed 3 pounds and 13 ounces. Laura D'Aun is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Peabody of Memphis.

A daughter, Lavanda Gale, was born Sept. 5 to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bowling of Leila Lake. She weighed 4 pounds and 15 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hays have returned from a visit in Indianapolis, Ind., with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Chamberlain and Mike and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Eanes of Clarendon returned Saturday after a two weeks vacation spent in Colorado and Wyoming. Enroute home all were guests in the home of Maj. and Mrs. Brent Walker in Colorado Springs.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Stewart over the weekend were all their children, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stewart and family of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Stewart and sons, all of Monahans and Mr. and Mrs. Coy Revell and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Knight and son, Gerry, visited last weekend in Monte Vista, Colo. with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jackson and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Smith and family and Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Jackson and family. Mrs. Frank Jackson and Mr. Smith are a sister and brother of Mrs. Knight's and B. F. Jackson is her nephew.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spry of Austin spent the weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Spry.

Among Memphians who were in Raton, N. M. over the Labor Day weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Coy Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Odum, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Clenton Sygley and Frankye, Ann Spoon, Yvonne Sturdevant, Peggy Williams, Elizabeth Wilson, Roselyn Williams, Pat Goodnight, Leota Wines, Freddie Star Johnson, Louis Saied and M. C. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McKnight and children, Joey and Deanna, of Stinnett spent the weekend in Lakeview with Mrs. McKnight's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ott Bevers.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pritchett returned Wednesday night from visiting friends and relatives in Abilene, Brownwood, Cleburne, Fort Worth and Wichita Falls.

Miss Helen Madden left Sunday for Geneseo, Ill., after spending the summer months here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Madden. Miss Madden is a teacher in the Geneseo high school.

Mrs. L. Holbert Is Honoree At Bridal Shower

Mrs. Leroy Holbert, the former Miss Helen Kisselburg, was honored with a bridal shower Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 31, in the Parnell Clubhouse.

The bride's chosen colors, yellow and white, were used in the decorations. Yellow flowers were placed throughout the entertaining area.

The program consisted of a reading, "Audience at a Wedding" by Mrs. Frank Hedrick, which was followed by a song "Because of You" by Mrs. Jimmie Weatherly, accompanied by Mrs. Carl Hill. Mrs. T. W. Potts conducted a game "Household A-B-C" and then read "A Gossiping Ole Woman Tells Her Neighbor About the Wedding."

The shower of gifts was presented to Mrs. Holbert in a unique way. She was given three miniature bales of cotton, each one containing a yellow butterfly. Mates to the butterflies were pinned on three of the guests and when Mrs. Holbert had matched them, she received a basket of gifts.

White cake squares and lemonade were served to the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Kisselburg, and Mmes. L. D. Mullin, Jim Burk, A. T. Freeze, Carl Hill, R. N. Mothershead, L. T. Winn, Etta Canada, Weldon Couch, Pat Wells of Memphis, and Miss Edwina Farris and J. Warner Cope.

Hostesses were Mmes. Jimmie Weatherly, Harold Wheeler, T. W. Potts, Frank Hedrick, Harold Burk, Leroy Hutcherson, Bruce Damron and Slick Johnson.

Mrs. Earl Miller and daughter Shirley and Mrs. Pearl Massey visited in Oklahoma City, Okla., over the weekend with relatives. Mrs. Miller and Shirley visited with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Jimmy Determan and family while Mrs. Massey visited her sister, Mrs. Grandy Barber and family.

Sunday visitors in the Fred T. Collins home were J. W. Partridge and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Partridge of Bonham, and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Williams of Dallas.

Helen Madden has returned to her home in Geneseo, Ill. after spending the summer here.

LOCALS

Gene Davidson of Seymour spent the Labor Day weekend with Harold Aspren.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe T. Rasco, Gertrude Rasco and Foster Rasco have returned home following a 15-day trip to the southern states. While gone they visited with relatives in Texas, Mississippi, Alabama and Georgia and also enjoyed

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith over the weekend were Mrs. Ray Pruitt of Lubbock and Mrs. Less Barker and Cindy of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lott and children, Judiann and Mark, arrived in Memphis Wednesday from Bryan. They will visit here with Mrs. Lott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jude Gable, until school starts at Texas A. & M. where Mr. Lott is a student.

Naval Aviation Cadet Guy Wright, who is stationed at Chase Field, near Beeville, was in Memphis to spend the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wright. He is now flying F9F2 Jets and expects to receive his commission in about three weeks. Other guests in the Wright home during the weekend were Janice Christol of Leila Lake and Mr. and Mrs. Millard R. Word and son David of Amarillo.

Juanella Goffinett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Goffinett, and Jo Ann Kennon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kennon, spent the weekend here with their parents. The girls are attending Draughon's Business College in Amarillo.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Coy Revell over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stewart and children of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Stewart and son, all of Monahans. Howard, Jimmy and Melvin are Mrs. Revell's brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Huckaby returned home last week following a vacation trip to South Dakota and Kansas. While in South Dakota they visited with Mr. Huckaby's daughter, Mrs. John Albrecht and family in Dolan and at Spencer with Mrs. Huckaby's uncle, R. J. Tarrant. En route home they visited Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Longan at Wichita, Kan., Mrs. Longan and Mrs. Huckaby are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian McDaniel and family of Dallas visited here Friday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. McDaniel. They were en route home following a vacation trip to Colorado.

WEEK-END SPECIALS

- SUGAR, Pure Cane, 5 lb. 49c; 10 lb. 97c
- COFFEE, Folgers, 1 lb. 91c; 2 lb. \$1.80
- TEA, Lipton's, 1/4 lb. 36c; 1/2 lb. 71c; 1 lb. \$1.39
- MILK, all kinds, sm. 7c; lb. 14c
- FLOUR, Gold Medal, 5 lb. 53c; 10 lb. 99c
- MEAL, Aunt Jemima, 5 lb. 44c
- CRISCO, 3 lb. can 87c
- Schillings BLACK PEPPER, 1 1/2 oz. 16c; 4 oz. 33c
- Powdered or Brown SUGAR, 1 lb. box 14c
- Hersheys Chocolate DAINTIES, pkg. 27c
- MIRACLE WHIP, 8 oz. 21c; pints 35c; qts. 61c
- Ideal DOG FOOD, can 15c
- PEANUT BUTTER, Peter Pan, glass 39c
- Krispy CRACKERS, 1 lb. 25c; 2 lb. 49c
- Sunshine VANILA WAFERS, box 16c
- TOILET PAPER, Scot Tissue, 2 rolls 23c
- PAPER TOWELS, Scot, 2 rolls 35c
- KLEENEX, 200 size 15c; 300 size 23c
- CLOROX, qts. 18c; 1/2 gallon 33c
- SOAP POWDER, all kinds, lg. 31c; giant 74c
- ORANGE JUICE, Adams or DD, 46 oz. 34c
- Armours TREET, can 41c
- VIENNA SAUSAGE, Armours Star, can 18c
- TUNA FISH, solid pack, can 39c
- Our Darling CORN, can 18c
- Mission English PEAS, can 15c
- CHERRIES, sour red pitted, can 22c
- Crushed PINEAPPLE, flat cans 16c; No. 2 cans 29c
- Sliced PINEAPPLE, flat cans 17c; No. 2 cans 32c
- SPUDS, No. 1 red, lb. 3 1/2c; No. 1 Long Whites, lb. 5c
- CARROTS, fresh Colorado, lb. 4c
- LEMONS, lg. Sunkist, doz. 36c
- GRAPES, Thompson Seedless, 2 lb. 25c
- PEACHES, No. 1 Colo. Elbertas, lb. 12c
- LETTUCE, lg. head 18c
- Fresh CORN, Colo, 3 for 19c
- Fresh OKRA, lb. 19c
- GREEN BEANS, Calif Ky's, lb. 21c
- New POTATOES, 2 lb. celo bag, each 14c
- Sliced BACON, all kinds, 2 lb. pkg. \$1.19
- Sliced BACON, Corn King or Gold Coin, lb. 51c
- Puffin or Gladiola BISCUITS, 2 for 23c
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Rosedale, C. G.,
303 size cans — 8 FOR

1.00 Potatoes

Sun Spun, whole,
303 size cans — 8 FOR

1.00

Tomato Juice

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46 Oz. cans — 2 FOR

47c Green Beans

Our Value,
303 size cans — 8 FOR

1.00

Tomatoes

Our Value
303 size cans — 8 FOR —

\$1.00

Vienna Sausage

Libby's
1/2 size can—6 FOR —

1.00

CATSUP

Libby's
14 oz. bottles — 5 FOR —

\$1.00

HOMINY

Sun Spun,
300 size cans—12 FOR —

1.00

Potted Meat

Libby's
1/2 size — 12 FOR —

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5 lb. sack

39c

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2 FOR

79c

TUNA

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\$1.00

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29c

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Editorial

They Didn't Believe What They Saw

The much-publicized visit of Russian farm experts to rural Iowa has created a question in the minds of many about the olden saying, "seeing is believing." The Russians saw the American farm as it exists today, and were explained all the angles of its operation.

One question they kept discussing among themselves: "Where are all the farm workers?" It takes the reports of Russian-speaking journalists to bring this to our attention. They stood aside and did not take part in the discussions—just good listeners. Now they are writing about this most important question.

One writer, Leon Volkov, whose article appeared recently in Newsweek magazine, said: "To Russian eyes, Iowa, U. S. A., is a fabulous land of plenty in which nobody has to work. They tried to hide their amazement but they never quite succeeded. At first, the Russians kept asking each other where the farm workers were. They had a hard time believing that one man could work 150-acre farm all by himself with the aid of machinery."

The complete picture is coming to us as our American farm experts, who spent several weeks in Russia, return and give their reports. They found that Russia still needs great masses of farm workers, both men and women, to raise and harvest her crops. They saw huge combines harvesting wheat alongside women who were yielding primitive hand reapers. In spite of these millions working on Russian farms, that nation does not supply enough food and fiber to meet its demand.

Here in Hall County, if the Russians had come, they could have seen many an individual farmer working twice 150 acres. They would have recognized that farm equipment has greatly reduced the amount of arduous labor required, even as it has vastly increased general farm efficiency and productivity.

We all know the story of the mechanization of the farm. This form of revolution has been taking place slowly, and it has brought more of the better things of life to the farm family.

Along with this progressive technique of farm operation has come the problem of the industrialist. The need for huge outlays of capital to buy the machinery which in turn cut down the number of farm workers needed to cultivate and harvest the crops, is one. There are many others.

The visiting Russians learned (we hope) that the machine and old-fashioned progressiveness has made it possible for both farm and factory people of this nation to get a greater return for their work than their forefathers would have believed possible.

Another fact they learned was that the farmer, acting independently, has the same problems as the businessman and the industrialist. His is a constant battle against high costs, and the price he gets when he goes to market.

We do not know what the Russians reported when they returned. We do know that they were amazed at their findings, and were envious because our farms were not teeming with workers.

Texas Cotton Yield Goes Up

Latest reports give Texas an estimated cotton crop to be harvested this season at 3,900,000 bales. This is only about one per cent below the 1924 yield. The estimate was based upon growing conditions about Aug. 1. A fact which is being recognized by farm leaders is that this estimated yield is being produced on approximately 1,000,000 less acres than were harvested last year.

The unusually high average production of 278 pounds per acre reflects the use of more irrigation water and fertilizer. Also recognized is more rainfall and use of better farming methods.

This higher yield per acre is causing a "new look" at the farm program, and we'll be hearing much about it in Washington when the next session of congress convenes.



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Unemployment in Italy
In Italy, a state-imposed guaranteed annual wage has caused mass unemployment. Employers hesitate to take on the responsibilities of hiring new workers. The largest power company stretches out a five-year building program; to ten or fifteen years to avoid the liability of hiring new crews. The manufacturer of Italy's fast selling new motor scooters prefers to pay overtime wages at double rates—to hiring new workers who would come under the "guaranteed annual wage." The same thing could happen here. — Northport (N. Y.) Observer.

How To Get Things Done
There are two ways to get things done. One is through the use of force, coercion and threats. The other is to offer incentives and high hopes. A good example of these diametrical opposites is found in oil production in this country as contrasted with Russia.

Searching for oil is a long-shot proposition. The great majority of wells drilled in new territory turn out dry and worthless. One Texas oil man has actually sunk 196 dry holes in a row. But he's still working and still hoping. For, it the dream of a big strike is realized, he'll be able to reap a good profit in return for the time and money and labor he expended, and the risks he freely took.

In Russia, according to a Soviet geologist who escaped to this country, it's a criminal offense to fail to strike oil. Under Soviet law, a geologist who brings in a dry hole can be, and sometimes is, packed off to forced labor in Siberia.

How do these two systems of getting results work out, comparatively speaking? Here's the answer: American oil men produce close to 6,500,000 barrels of crude oil daily to Russia's 1,000,000 barrels. Putting it another way, we produce 46.3 per cent of the world's oil, while Russia together with all her satellites produce only 11.5 per cent.

You can make a man work by putting a gun in his back—but you'll always get minimum results. Prison labor is less productive than free labor. And that's why an economic system based on free enterprise — on getting results by voluntary action spurred by inducements — is always far more productive than a system based on the power of government to order men and women about. — McLean (Texas) News.

"Government Shall Not Support The People"
In 1887, Congress passed a bill appropriating 10,000 to buy seed and distribute it to drought-hit farmers. President Grover Cleveland acknowledged that the motives behind this were benevolent. Yet he vetoed the measure, in a message which contained this statement: "Though the people support the government the government should not support the people." The country sorely needs adherence to that principle today. — Lamb County Leader.

Don't Be A Litterbug
The garden clubs of Perryton started a campaign earlier in the year with the slogan, "Don't Be A Litterbug," and it appears that this will be a long, hard struggle to rid our streets and highways of litter. Everyone who goes to a park

to enjoy a picnic. State highway department maintenance men continue to have a busy time picking up paper, boxes, cans and bottles from along the road, where motorists heave their trash out the window. The "Litterbug" campaign is seeking to educate people to put their trash in a sack instead of throwing it out the car window to put trash in a sack or box and carry it home from a picnic site rather than strew it around. Whether or not this campaign will ever succeed remains to be seen. Like the education program toward safer driving—the battle is a long, and often frustrated one. — Ochiltree Heard

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FIRST BALE OF NEW COTTON IS GINNED FRIDAY. Hall County's first bale of cotton of the 1931 crop was brought to town Friday and ginned Friday night at the Walter White Gin. The cotton was grown by G. L. Murphy who resides 11 miles southeast of Memphis. There were 2,000 pounds of seed cotton in the bale and the ginned bale weighed 555 pounds. The ginning was done free of charge by the White gin. Walter White bought the cotton for 6 cents per pound, the bale bringing \$33.30. Premiums were given by local business men amounting to \$15.50, making the total received for the bale \$48.80.

MEMPHIS NETTERS WIN OVER HOLLIS. Memphis net stars won over Hollis, Oklahoma, players in a six game match Tuesday afternoon on the Country Club courts here. In the singles, Malone Hagen beat McDaniel 6-1 and 6-1. Irvin Johnsey downed Harefoot 8-10, 6-4 and 6-4. Harry Delaney defeated Guest 6-4 and 6-4. Allen Dunbar won over his opponent 6-4, 2-6 and 6-3.

FOOTBALL TEAM STARTS WORK THIS WEEK. Suits were issued to 33 aspirants for the Memphis High School Cyclone football squad Monday afternoon when Coach Nolan Walter held the first practice session for the 1931 season. It is expected that several other men will report for practice after school starts on September 7. Among those reporting for practice were Clifford Stewart, Charles Flanery, Jack Norman, Buster Leslie, Cecil Starigel, Gordon Walker, V. L. Mc-

Glocklin, George May, Jack Sinton, Alfred Borland, B. F. Shepp, J. P. Boles, B. F. Shepp, Smith, Jake Leggett, J. Gayle Greene, Boyd Crawford, Fred Sanders, Bennett, Bill Parker, William Shields, Russell, Ian, Bill Sanders and Co. ITEMS ADVERTISED: Chevrolet open car, Black Pepper, 5 cents a peck.

15 YEARS AGO
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ESTIMATES RANGE
20,000 TO 50,000 BALE. Annual guessing game is on and those "in the know" Hall County farms will where from 20,000 to 50,000 of cotton this year. One went so far as to bet two clothes on it. He based his belief that the county produce more than in the year when a total of 49,827 bales about 20,000 was made who had driven out in the during the past few days the weather was the best of the county. In-between came in for their share, 30 and 25 thousand bales the list. A few have gone high as 40,000.

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Ward Home Monday Evening

the theme song for this year's study, "Christ Is The Way." Ora Denny gave the devotional meditation taking her text from 34th Psalm 1-9, and using for her subject "God's Plan For Us."

Mrs. Clifford Farmers main speaker of the evening, made an interesting survey, emphasizing the far-reaching influence of Buddhism, Hinduism, and Judaism. The history, precepts, and development of these various Asiatic beliefs and their comparison with Christianity cleverly handled by Mrs. Farmer made an enlightening lecture. A vocal solo, "A Closer Walk With Thee," by Mrs. Forrest Power and the Mizpah benediction concluded the program.

One out-of-town guest, Mrs. Larry Grundy, of Borger, and twenty-two members enjoyed the evening's festivities and inspirational program.

Mrs. L. M. Thornton, who fell and broke her wrist Friday, has gone to visit indefinitely in the Fort Worth home of her son, Ivan Thornton, who came for her Saturday. Mr. Thornton was accompanied by his wife and son.

Ward and Miss were hostesses to the Mizpah Guild of Presbyterian Church in fall meeting Monday September 5.

arrived at 7 p. m. served a delicious buffet before beginning the program of the evening. The supper party, was called to order by Mrs. C. W. Kin. The various items of the evening were discussed with.

children's home in Amarillo for maple syrup. The regular monthly plans were made to for the men of the to be to gather for a yard session Wednesday. The members of the choir included in the supper as they meet the same September 17, was ten. The "bake-sale" day was to collect small foreign and national made available by the program was opened singing in unison of



FUTILE VOTE . . . Despite air trip of these 71 "freedom voters" from U. S., Reds won election in tiny San Marino 3,000 to 2,354.

Vota Vita Class Meets In Lemons Home Tuesday

The Vota Vita Class met Tuesday night, September 6, at the home of Mrs. Syvilla Lemons.

The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mrs. Lemons. Mrs. Joyce Bloxom conducted the business session.

The title of the evening's devotional was "Faith," given by Mrs. Rebecca Clark.

Since this was the last meeting of the present class, appropriate

gifts were presented to the teacher, Mrs. Oree Smith; and the president, Mrs. Joyce Bloxom. Mrs. Smith closed the meeting with a prayer.

Refreshments were served to the following members: June Glosson, Henrietta Wiley, Joyce Bloxom, Pauline Kilpatrick, Rebecca Clark, Peggy Fowler, Sue Hutcherson, Billy Parker, Oree Smith and hostess Syvilla Lemons.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Goodpasture spent the weekend in Lubbock with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Vandiver, Rex and Randy.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our friends and neighbors for your kindness and in our sad hour. We are indeed grateful for the beautiful floral offerings and for the food that was served. May God's blessings be upon you is our prayer.

Mrs. B. N. Scott and Kenneth Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Maddox and Karen Mr. and Mrs. Earl Scott Mr. and Mrs. John Ward Mr. and Mrs. Ben Scott and family.

NEWLIN

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Barnett and baby of Ft. Hood spent the weekend recently with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barnett.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Nelson, Jr. and children of Dimmitt spent a few days with his mother, Mrs. R. O. Nelson, week before last.

H. L. Angell of Shamrock visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sexton last Sunday.

Louis Cobb of Houston spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Cobb.

Carolyn Gail and Lynette Hoover spent last week in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Nelson.

Annie Margaret Turner and Parks and Gladys Read of Lubbock visited relatives here recently.

Mrs. Edgar Hoover and daughter of Commerce spent last weekend in the home of Mrs. J. U. Hoover.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence and son of Denver, Colo. visited part of last week in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Messick spent part of last week in Hereford with Mr. and Mrs. Bill John Messick.

Visiting in the H. G. Nelson home Saturday night and Sunday were their son, Joe Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Nelson and daughter of Brownwood. Also

visiting the Nelsons were Mrs. Blanche Davis and son of Imperial Valley, Calif. and Mrs. Faye French of Brownwood.

J. W. Barnett and Ruby visited recently in Wichita Falls with relatives.

Mrs. Blanche Murphy of Perryton and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Gene Clark and baby of Jefferson City, Mo. spent last Tuesday with her grandfather, J. O. Hemphill.

Mrs. R. O. Nelson spent last week visiting her children on the Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cobb and Louis and L. E. Cobb spent one day last week in McLean with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Hoover and girls visited Carlsbad Caverns over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nelson of Spade visited with his mother, Mrs. R. O. Nelson, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Lawrence and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lawrence spent part of last week in Lawton with Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Scott of Long Beach, Calif. visited friends here last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Williams of Dallas visited his brother, Edmund Williams, last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Meet of Amarillo spent Friday night in the home of his uncle, J. O. Hemphill.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Whiteside and daughters of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Lawrence last Saturday.

Bill and Vestal Barnett moved Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Barnett from Ft. Hood to Memphis last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Messick, Jr. and baby of Vernon spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Messick, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Hughes spent the weekend in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. John Erwin and baby of Wichita Falls spent the weekend in the home of his uncle, J. W. Barnett.

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Delphian Club Opens Club Year With Breakfast In Lynn McKown Home Tues.

Members of the Delphian Club were guests of Mrs. Lynn McKown at a breakfast in her home Tuesday, August 30, at 8 a. m.

Presiding was Mrs. Sidney Baker, club president. Mrs. J. L. Barnes gave the meditation and Mary Stewart's club collect was read by Mrs. Jack Boone.

Program chairman, Mrs. Henry Hays looked "Through The Looking Glass" into the future and foretold a most interesting calendar of program. "Mirror, Mirror in the Wall" is the theme for the year's study, with programs presented in the form of an analogy between types of mirrors and phases of American living—things entirely different, yet having a likeness in some respects. She mentioned various types of mirrors including convex, concave, baroque, traditional, modern, magnifying etc., and how the many programs are to be likened in some respects to these types of mirrors. At the conclusion of the year's study, "Mirror, Mirror on the Wall," the president will look into her crystal ball and answer the question, "Who Is Foremost Of Them All?"

"A Perspective of Life" was the president's message. Life was compared by Mrs. Baker to a journey down a forest road where one may see symbols of life in all its phases. She quoted "The aims of life may be summed-up in a three-fold desire—the desire to do something, the desire to get something and the desire to get somewhere." She said the place for woman to realize these desires is in her own home and community.

Mrs. Baker gave much credit to women's clubs for the advancements in home living, science and governmental affairs pertaining to women during the past 100 years. She said, "Through women's clubs woman has been able to get a proper perspective of life. She has seen that the central thought of her life is not a house but a home and that she is not a housekeeper but the keeper of the home . . . and as such, whatever may enrich that home, whatever may endanger that home, is her business."

"We have not yet come to the end of the road," said Mrs. Baker. "There are many things to menace the home; unconquered diseases, insecurity, unrest and war. We must concern ourselves with these things as we travel this road we shall meet victory and defeat, happiness and heartbreak; but if we keep a proper perspective we shall find it to be a satisfactory road. As we work together—thinking, planning, demanding—let us be happy because we have a part in the future."

In closing, Mrs. Baker quoted from Tom Blanding, "If the rest of the road is half as good as the half that has gone before, I'll swing along with a singing heart and pray the Lord for more."

Members of the social committee assisted Mrs. McKown in serving a delicious two course breakfast. The tables were decorated with attractive centerpieces of sugared grapes and dainty doughnuts.

Two new members, Mrs. Bill Hajek and Mrs. Kenneth Dale, were welcomed into the club. Other members present for this first social of the year were as follows:

Mmes. A Anisman, Sidney Baker, J. L. Barnes, Jack Boone, Robert Clark, Kenneth Dale, Bill Hajek, Henry Hays, Weldon McCreary, J. S. McMurry, J. K. Porter, Herschel Potts, Clyde Smith,

J. W. Stokes, B. J. Thomason, R. H. Wherry, W. C. Davis and W. C. Dickey.

Ira McDaniel Has Heart Attack

Ira McDaniel, former Memphis resident, suffered a heart attack Sunday afternoon at his home in Dumas. He was taken to a Dumas Hospital.

Mr. McDaniel's brother, J. J. McDaniel, reported Wednesday that his condition was improved.

The Ira McDaniels moved to Shamrock from Memphis and recently made their home in Dumas.

Cemetery Work Scheduled For Newlin Sept. 13

Citizens of the Newlin community early this week announced that there will be a "cemetery working" at that place next Tuesday, September 13.

"We urge everyone in our community to help us clean up our cemetery," they stated.

"Work will be done during the morning only. Therefore, it is not necessary to bring a lunch."

Every worker is requested to bring his tools.

Henry Cunningham Teaches At Hedley

Announcement was made last week that Henry F. Cunningham has accepted a position in the Hedley Schools, and head of the commercial department there.

Cunningham has taught in the Lakeview Schools for six years. While there he served as principal for one year and taught commercial work for five. He taught at Austin High School in El Paso in 1951 and 1952.

Memphians Attend Khiva Ceremonials

Several Memphians were in Amarillo Saturday to attend the Khiva Shrine ceremonials.

Going from here were Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Odom, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Williams and J. R. Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Barnhart of Pueblo, Colo. were weekend guests here in the home of Mrs. Barnhart's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Aspgren. The Barnharts were en route to Joplin and Jefferson City, Mo.

Locals and Personals

John Ira Foster of Amarillo spent the Labor Day weekend in Memphis visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hansard, Mrs. John Wilson and Grace Wilson.

Sheldon Anisman left Wednesday for a few days' visit in Austin.

Visiting Thursday and Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lawrence were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gribble of Eldorado, Okla. Mrs. Gribble is Mrs. Lawrence's sister. Weekend guests in the Lawrence home were Mrs. Lawrence's mother, Mrs. Fred Williams of Eldorado, Okla. and Mrs. Stella Smith of Altus, Okla., also a sister of Mrs. Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Kilpatrick and children Merle and Teresa have returned home from a two-week vacation trip. While away they visited with Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Prater in Big Spring and in Ballinger with Mr. and Mrs. Barney Norris. At Talpa they visited Mrs. Kilpatrick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Norris. On Sunday they attended a reunion of the Norris family at Coleman.

Beverly Bowerman left the first of the week for Dallas where she will enroll at Hockaday's for the coming year. She was accompanied by her grandmother, Mrs. T. J. Dunbar.

W. K. Hollifield and wife of Dumas visited with Mr. Hollifield's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Wyatt, from Thursday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Aspermont, Katherine of Abilene, Lt. and Barber and daughter Ann, of Wichita Falls, Mrs. John T. Barber of City, Okla. spent with Mrs. Estelle Ward and Mrs. Barber daughters of Mrs. Barber and John Barber sons.



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Report From Washington

By Walter Rogers



Congressman, 18th District

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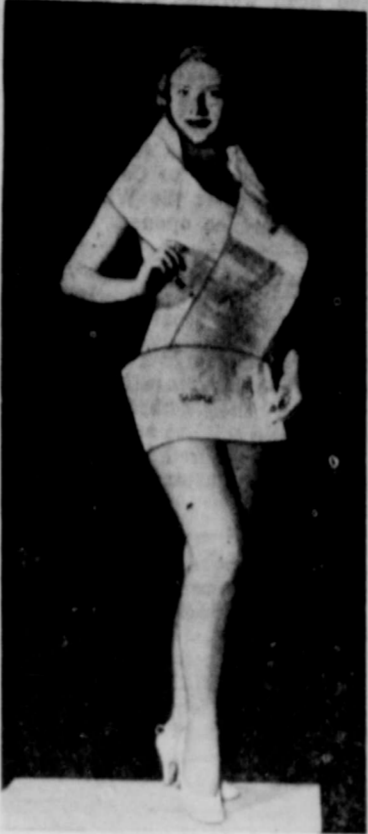
There is the testimonial of the children. I have known them for a long time, but I wanted to be confirmed through the child. Our children had been home in two years. Last year, at the time of the adjournment of Congress, I was about the time of the epidemic, and we had a long time in a child's home. I wondered if Rogers would be much of a help. There wasn't. The minute we got on Panhandle soil, I began to pick up. Friends gathered and before we knew it the kids had scattered every way of quail. The good news was so well expressed in the statement of the eight when he said to me, "There just isn't any other place like Texas, is there?" My answer was that there isn't any other place like Texas and there are other places in Texas like Panhandle. It is so different to walk along the street and anybody speaks whether you know you before or not. One of the things that I used to back East. Ap- anyone are not supposed to anyone there unless you properly introduced. I would be surprised at the of people who return the and then watch you for down the street trying to where in the world they get you.

less to say, the kids are dragging their feet on the way to Washington and talking about the things

they have planned for next summer.

Fiscal Policy

There has been much talk recently about the possibility of a tax cut next year and about starting a government economy drive. This comes as somewhat of a surprise. I thought that we were supposed to be engaged in an economy drive all the time. That is the way I have tried to vote, and I might add that if the group that I voted with on all money measures had prevailed, we would have had a balanced budget several years ago. Very little has been said in recent months about the public debt. The record shows that on August 22nd, the gross public debt was \$276,849,729,623.45. This is approximately two billion, 200 thousand more than it was at this time last year. According to a report of the Joint Committee on the Economic Report by the Council of Economic Advisors, the debt is again approaching the all time high it reached in November of 1954, when it was \$278,900,000,000, the largest it had ever been in the history of the United States. Since that time, it has dropped to \$274,100,000,000.00, in March of 1955, when tax collections were at their height, but immediately started up after that, and is now almost 277 billion dollars. The authorization to borrow money was increased from 275 billion to 281 billion. I voted against this proposal because it does not present a true picture of the fiscal situation in this country. Actually, borrowing money to balance the budget is not balancing the budget. It is merely creating more obligations



POLICY COVERS CHARMS . . . Jeanne Boulay, "Miss Wisconsin" in recent "Miss Universe" beauty contest, displays policy at Chicago convention hosted by Combined Insurance Co. of America, attended by 800 delegates from 48 states.

with more interest to pay.

Panhandle Helium

Many people have read about the proposed expansion of the helium facilities in the Panhandle, and have asked me what helium is being used for other than a lifting gas for airships and balloons. Of course, it is still being used for that purpose in connection with submarine warfare, but there are a number of other uses. Helium-shielder arc welding made it possible to join magnesium airplane parts safely and effectively. The process is being used now on aluminum, stainless steel and titanium. These processes are the heaviest consumers of helium. Use of a helium furnace atmosphere plays an important part in the production of the new metals titanium and zirconium. Both of these metals, if melted in air, would pick up enough nitrogen to destroy their ductility, and no method is known for removing this impurity. Helium is being used as a mixture with oxygen to relieve the discomfort of asthma and other respiratory diseases. It

LOCALS

Mrs. Robert Cummings visited her first of last week with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Cummings, in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Powell of Wichita Falls spent the weekend here with Mr. Powell's mother, Mrs. Joe Powell, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvor McQueen and son, Buster, returned last week from a fishing trip in Mountain Home, Ark.

Mrs. D. C. Rosson of Amarillo spent the Labor Day weekend here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Spoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davis of Panhandle visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Welch of Borger spent the weekend here with Mrs. Welch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Combs.

C. S. Compton was in Pecos over the weekend transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Barnes, Jo Beth and Teddy Jay returned home recently from a week's visit in Hope and Hot Springs, Ark. and Ardmore, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira McQueen left Thursday for Cody, Wyo., where they will spend a month hunting and fishing.

Mrs. Clyde Roden, Janice and Bob of Dallas visited Mrs. Roden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Mabry, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Paris of Borger have returned home after spending the past two weeks here visiting relatives.

is being mixed with certain flammable anesthetics to minimize the risk of operating-room explosions. There are many other uses for the gas and many more are being discovered each year.

Paul Hancock To Edit Christian College Annual

Paul Hancock, son of Mrs. I. P. Hancock, has been chosen Editor-in-chief of the Dallas Christian College annual, "Sword and Shield" for the 1955-56 school year.

Paul, a sophomore student at Dallas Christian College, is a member of the D. C. C. Choral Club. In June, he was one of a group of students making the annual D. C. C. tour of Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas.

A 1954 Memphis High School graduate, Paul is song leader at the Memphis First Christian Church and has assisted in holding revivals here and in Hedley this summer.

Paul left Memphis Sept. 5 for the opening of the fall semester this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Chrisler and Courtney of Amarillo visited Sunday with Mrs. C. D. Denny.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Howard and son, Dennis, and Eselle Guthrie of Lubbock spent the Labor Day weekend here visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. L. W. Stanford visited last week in Dallas with her nephew, G. B. Pierce, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cooper and son, Dale, of Hobbs, N. M. visited in the Mac Graham home over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Smith of Tullia, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Redwine of Olton and Jack Fowler of Lesley visited Thursday with the Misses Black.

Winnie Cassels spent from Saturday until Wednesday night in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Gunstream of Muleshoe spent the Labor Day weekend in Memphis.

Marie Davidson of Seymour visited over the weekend with Kay Leslie and Elaine Clayton and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Graham and Charles Mack visited Sunday in Dalhart with Vida Graham. Gerota Graham, who spent the past week there, returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Richards of Muleshoe spent three days last week in Memphis.

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Disaster Relief Fund Drive Ends

The Hall County Red Cross disaster fund drive ended Monday with receipt of a telegram by H. J. Howell, county chapter chairman from ARC headquarters.

The communication stated that chapters over the nation had contributed or pledged gifts to the Red Cross in excess of \$10,000,000.

"This assures us of sufficient funds to meet adequately our requirements in the Eastern States relief operations," the telegram stated. "You are authorized to inform the people within your chapter that no further contributions are necessary."

4-H Swine -

businessmen's contest is sponsored annually by the Memphis Chamber of Commerce and Hall County Board of Development, O. R. (Doc) Saye, and Durham's Pharmacy. Five gilts will be included in this division.

In the Sears division of the show, eight gilts and one boar will be judged. The grand champion gilt and boar will be entered in the Area Sears Show, which is scheduled to be held in Amarillo Sept. 19, Hooser said.

Club members who will enter Sears animals in the show here include Tony Molloy, Maurice Hood, Daryl Long, Phil Howard, Shari Gentry, Paul A. Thompson, Donald Wayne Widener, and Mike Widener.

Entries in the businessmen's division will be by Ronnie Edwards, Clifford Edwards, Don House, Roy Alvin Molloy and Ronny George.

The Sears boar will be shown by Jimmy Don Molloy.

Miss Hartsell -

Phillips, directors; Billy Jatterson, area supervisor; W. B. Hooser, county agent, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hoover, local service agent and office manager.

Brown Smith, chairman of the resolutions committee, requested members to think about ideas they want incorporated into resolutions from Hall County, which will be presented at the state convention.

President Hodges then presented Bob Ayers, who served as master of ceremonies for the evening. A variety of musical selections were played by Edwin and Gordon Gilliam.

Mr. Ayers then introduced Pauline Hammonds, who gave a pantomime, and a quintet, the "Four Fifties and a Miss," who sang two numbers accompanied by Harold Aspreen at the piano. The quintet was composed of Miss Ann Kay, Betty Ben Boons, James Mrs. Debs Cofer and Robert Allen Hodges.

Opinions Differ -

which will be ginned in Hall County from the current crop will receive a three-year subscription to the paper. Second best guesser will get two-year subscription, and a year's subscription goes to the third place winner.

Publishers will use the official figures supplied by the Bureau of Census, U. S. Department of Interior, to determine winners. The figures are released the latter part of March each year.

It's natural to argue with your friends and neighbors about anything—especially the cotton crop in Hall County. Whether you win your argument or not, come into The Democrat and list your guess.

Sheriff Issues -

on to apprehend the man." The latest incident was the cashing of an "exchange money order" by an attendant at a local service station. The so-called money order, was signed and countersigned with the name of Vernon E. Oiler, and was for \$20.00. The legal-looking paper was engraved in black ink and overprinted in red. It was drawn on the American Exchange National Bank of New York.

As soon as it was given to Baten, he mailed it to the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Washington, D. C. Baten received the FBI's laboratory report Saturday. The report said that Oiler was sent to the Federal Correction Institution of Seagoville, Tex., upon being convicted for violation of the National Motor Vehicle Theft Act. He was admitted to the institution on April 2, 1954, and was to have served an 18-month sentence.

The FBI report further stated that two additional \$20.00 money orders, duplicates of the one cashed here, had been reported to Washington. One was given by Oliver on Aug. 4 at Douglas, Wyo., and the other was passed by the same man at Cheyenne, Wyo., on Aug. 9.

Baten said that his department was expecting an increase in the number of bogus checks with the coming of the cotton harvest season, and urged everyone to exercise caution when dealing with strangers.

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Memphis Cyclones -

some fans as the fastest back on the squad, will start at right half. Dean Sustaire, a shifty, fast-starting runner, will be in the left half slot.

Coach Andrews did not know which of his fullbacks will be in the starting lineup against the Hornets. Both Terry Monzingo, who weighs 185 pounds, and Keith (Butch) Adcock, 155-pounder, are showing a lot of aggressive spirit. At the ends, fans will see 185-pound Jimmy Jenkins and Morris Campbell, who pushes the scales to 150. Jenkins has been moved from fullback to end, and Morris from quarterback.

Jerry McQueen, who was all-district tackle last year, will again start in his old position. He can use his weight of 220 pounds to advantage on both offense and defense. Holding down the other tackle position will be Paul Wilson, who has been showing plenty of ruggedness, and is an excellent down-field blocker. Wilson now weighs 185 pounds.

The coaches have three boys for guard, who are about equal in ability. They are Dickey Craig, Jerry Hill and Bobby Townsend. At center will be John Deaver. The tall senior has been showing up good in workouts. Pushing Deaver for the center spot is Billy Cheek, who will see action as center on offense, and may play at guard on defense.

Other backs who are showing promise are David Davis, a 154-pounder, Billy Johnson and Daryl Long. All three are sophomores.

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then grabs his hair and groans. The copyreader drops his head upon his hands and moans— The remainder of the issue may be as clean as can be, But that typographical error is the only thing you see. —Anonymous

Hat Tournament -

golfers may enter the tournament without paying an entry fee. Handicaps will be listed for each individual, and he will play against the field.

The handicapping will be handled by members of the tournament committee, whose chairman is J. W. Coppedge. Other members are J. O. Cobb, Homer Tucker, Paul Smith, Jim Beeson, Mack Wilson, Louis Saied, J. C. Ross and Frank Smith, Jr.

Each golfer will shoot 18 holes, and score cards will be turned in. The handicap of each linkster will be subtracted from his medal score to determine the winner, who will receive a \$15.00 hat.

Comments -

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graduates of... (Continued From Page 1) and Duke Frisbie at Texas Randy Messer, Windell and Orand, Jacky Gilbert and the Anisman at the University of Texas; Robert Duncan, Wells, Jr., Roy May and Don Coleman at Claremont College; Margaret Ann and James Walker at Baylor University; Clinton Jones and my Hale at Hardin-Simmons University; Malcolm Martin and Paul Howell at Allen Academy; Paul Hancock at Christian College; Wayne McMurtry; Scott Grady at Baylor Medical; Benny Parks at Texas State, and Sim Goss at Baylor Law School.

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