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Memphis High School Girl Killed In Dallas Fair Accident



HAVOC—Photo shows ruins of Chetumal, Mexico, as hurricane "Janet" left 473 and inflicted heavy property loss in Caribbean and Mexico.

Mystery Shrouds Death Of Negro Child Tuesday

Sheriff's officers this morning still were trying to find out who was responsible for the death Tuesday of a small Negro boy, Leo Junior Rainey, 2 years old. The child was found dead Tuesday afternoon by his grandmother, Mrs. Maude Wafford, and his sister, Inall Rainey, 6. The family is staying on the farm of Leon Fowler, a mile west and two miles south of Lesley, Sheriff W. P. Baten said.

According to Baten, sometime between 11:30 a. m. and 3 p. m. Tuesday, someone moved the family car out of a gateway, close to where the family is living. The car apparently was moved in order to gain entrance to a field beyond.

The child evidently was playing around the car, because his body, when found, was in front of the right wheel of the vehicle. The grandmother, who is deaf and dumb, carried the body inside.

Officers were not notified until the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Rainey, came home about 6 p. m. On learning of the tragedy, the father got word to J. W. Hatley, Jr., of Lesley, and he notified county authorities.

Justice of the Peace J. S. Grimes conducted a coroner's inquest Tuesday evening but had not returned a verdict today, pending further investigation.

Officers have investigated a number of leads but none of them have panned out.

Baten asks anyone who may know anything or have seen anything that may help in solving the case, to get in touch with him.

The body was taken to Jacksonville, Tex., for burial. Spicer Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

TWO COMPANIONS ARE INJURED WHEN FERRIS WHEEL SEAT FALLS



TINY BATTERY — Comparison with penny shows size of Elgin National Watch Co.'s new "micro-cell" battery for use in variety of small portable personal devices.

Residents of Memphis and surrounding area were stunned and saddened Tuesday by the tragic news that one Memphis girl had been killed and two others had been injured in a ferris wheel accident at the State Fair of Texas in Dallas. The accident occurred shortly before noon Tuesday.

Killed was Cynthia Ann Combest, 15-year-old daughter of Nelson Combest of Memphis.

Critically injured was Kay Leslie, 15 years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Leslie of Memphis.

Apparently not seriously injured was Barbara Allen, 14-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Allen of Memphis.

Cynthia Ann was killed when the ferris wheel seat in which she and the other girls were riding broke loose and plummeted to earth.

The over-sized ride, commonly known by the name "sky wheels," consisted of two rotating sections attached to each end of a long connecting axle that also rotates.

According to the official police report, Cynthia was sitting between the other girls. As they came over the top of the 92-foot-high ride, the seat in which they were sitting tore loose. The side on which Kay was sitting gave way first and she fell all the way through both wheels, landing at the front of the platform. Cynthia held on to the seat and was hurled over the top of the wheel, falling clear of the ride. Barbara stayed with the seat until it finally broke free from the wheel about 15 feet above the ground.

Kay was reported to be much better this (Thursday) morning and to have regained sufficient consciousness to recognize her mother and an aunt. Her father learned this in a telephone conversation this morning with Mrs. Leslie in Dallas. It is believed that (Continued on Page 8, Sec. 1)

Funeral services were held at 3 p. m. Sunday in the First Baptist Church in Memphis. Officiating was Rev. Milton Redding of Fort Worth, a former pastor at Plaska. He was assisted by Rev. Fern A. Miller, pastor of the First Baptist Church here.

Burial was in Fairview Cemetery, under direction of Spicer Funeral Home.

A native of Blossom, Lamar County, Tex., Mr. Lenoir was born (Continued on Page 8, Sec. 1)

Country Club President Announces New Committees

Foxhall, president of the Country Club, this week announced which will be in charge of activities of the club during the coming year. The following appointments were made by the board of directors at their regular meeting Tuesday.

Committee members, including Foxhall, are as follows:

Greene, L. C. Martin, Maurice Nixon and Ben Parks.

The following special committees were listed:

Equipment — Bob Magness, chairman; Clifton Burnett, T. M. Potts, B. J. Walker and Ralph Williams.

Beautification and landscaping — Dwight Kinard, chairman; M. C. Allen, Cliff Farmer, R. S. Greene, Mrs. Ruth Harrison, J. C. Wells and Mrs. Ralph Williams.

Special events — Bob Magness, chairman; Leo Fields, Buster Helm, Bill G. Kesterson, Allen Monzingo and K. D. Nabers, Jr.

Well and irrigation — W. A. Simmons, chairman; Jim Beeson, Herschel Combs, A. L. Gailey, F. E. Monzingo, Sam West and E. M. Wilson.

Audit — O. M. Cosby, Jr., Joe Durham and Bill Leslie.

Social — Dwight Kinard, Her (Continued on Page 5 Sec. 1)

Farms In County Drop Since 1950

Hall County last year had 747 farms with a total expanse of 489,735 acres, according to data from the Census Bureau of the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

The figures, obtained from the 1954 Census of Agriculture, are preliminary and subject to revision. Average size of the farms was 655.6 acres and average value of each, including buildings, was \$34,329.

The 1950 Census of Agriculture listed 951 farms, totaling 631,175 acres. The farms averaged 663.7 acres, having a value of \$28,301. Average price per acre in 1954 was \$55.12, compared with \$40.42 in 1950.

There was one irrigated farm of

90 acres in 1950 but this had increased to 10 farms with 774 acres by last year. There has been a considerable rise in the number of wells since the census and the amount of land under irrigation has expanded several fold.

When the 1950 census was taken, 787 farm operators lived on the land they cultivated but this had dropped to 592 in 1954. A total of 162 operators did not reside on the farms they operated in 1950. This had decreased to 150 by last year.

In 1950, 335 operators owned their farms, 187 were part owners, three were managers and 426 were tenants. Last year, 249 (Continued on Page 8, Sec. 1)

Marketing Cards Now Ready Here

Cotton marketing cards are now ready for eligible producers in Hall County, according to Lynn L. McKown, manager of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation office in Memphis.

To be eligible, producers must be in compliance on their cotton allotments. If they rent land, neither they nor their landlords can obtain cards, as long as interested parties are overplanted on any farm or farms which they operate or have operated.

Approximately 575 cotton farms in the county were overplanted this year, the A. S. C. office manager said. This represented a greater number than in any past year.

McKown said work of measuring cotton land was expected to be completed by Thursday night.

Local B Team To Play Clarendon

B squad players of Memphis High School will play the Clarendon B team tonight (Thursday), at the latter city. The game will start at 7:30 o'clock. The Clarendon gridgers will come here Thursday night, Nov. 3, for a return game.

Nolan Poteet, coach of the squad, said he was expecting some tough competition from Clarendon. All of the local boys, except one, were in good shape Tuesday (Continued on Page 8, Sec. 1)

Patricia Davis Hurt In Wreck Near Indian Creek

Patricia Davis, sixteen-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Davis of the Eli community, suffered a neck injury late Sunday afternoon in a traffic mishap. Site of the accident was at the top of the hill, just west of Indian Creek, on State Highway 256, deputy sheriff Elmer Neel said. The girl was riding in a pickup truck, that was being driven by Van Gayle Howard, 16, son of Mr. and Mrs. Worth Howard, of the Plaska community. (Continued on Page 8, Sec. 1)

Scouters Retreat Set At Canadian Sunday Afternoon

A Scouters' Retreat program will be held at Camp Ko-O-Wah Sunday afternoon, starting at 3 o'clock, according to Ted Myers, (Continued on page 8, section 1)

Cyclone and Tigers Tangle at McLean

The Memphis Cyclone will go to McLean Friday night for a conference battle with the always tough McLean Tigers. Memphis was idle last week but the Tigers came out on the short end in a district contest with the Stinnett Rattlers, played on the latter's home field.

The Cyclone has a season record of two victories and two losses, including one conference win and one loss. McLean's record so far is one victory, against three defeats, an unusual situation for the Tigers. The Tigers have one conference defeat, against no wins. However, this doesn't necessarily mean a thing, as McLean (Continued on Page 5 Sec. 1)

Boy Scout Dancers Festival Highlight

The Tejas Indian Dancers of Borger will be one of the highlights among the free entertainment at the Hedley Cotton Festival to be held Friday and Saturday, Oct. 21 and 22. They will perform at 11 a. m. Saturday and again Saturday afternoon. They also will appear in the grand parade at 1:30 p. m. Saturday. Besides entertaining crowds all over West Texas, they have contributed much to the advancement of Boy Scouting in this area.

Festival activities will get underway at 10 a. m. Friday and continue until midnight Saturday.

There will be rodeo, under the sponsorship of the Hedley Riding Club.

Leerights Carnival will furnish midway attractions and will open two days before the cotton celebration.

The Memphis, Clarendon and Wellington high school bands will play at the Festival, as will the Negro school drum and bugle corps from Clarendon. Other bands also are expected to come to the gathering. The Memphis band has won first place at the (Continued on page 8, section 1)

Devastating Forest Fire McQueens Find Hunting Good

A disastrous forest fire was an ordeal for Mr. and Mrs. McQueen during a hunting trip in the Cody, Wyo. area. The couple, who live in the Salisbury community, arrived in Cody on Sept. 2 and returned on Sept. 22.

Nine days later on Sept. 20, while the McQueens were hunting in a different sector, 80 miles southwest of Cody, a lone buck antelope was spotted. McQueen told his wife the game was hers. Describing the incident Friday, Mrs. McQueen said it was the first time she had ever had a chance to have an antelope in her sights and she suddenly developed "huck fever." When she tried to get her husband to shoot the quarry, she said he laughed at her and told her the antelope was hers. Seconds later, the animal disappeared.

After they returned to the ranch, it started snowing but that did not halt the McQueens' activities. While he fished on Sunlight Creek, Mrs. McQueen and the couple with whom they were staying, climbed up into the mountains on horseback. They continued their ascent as the snow drifted down until finally reaching a point where they had to get

off their horses and slide down a steep incline, leading their animals after them.

On their way up, the trio jumped a cow elk and a bull elk and on the descent, jumped two more elk. They lost all of them in the snowstorm.

Later they encountered another elk, another bull. Mrs. McQueen shot him twice. The first shot just burned him but the second one struck him in the hip, knocking him down. To their surprise, he got to his feet and lumbered away. However, they ran in to him later and this time Mrs. McQueen finished him.

During their Wyoming stay, the McQueens also did a lot of fishing.

When they left there, seven inches of snow covered the terrain at the ranch and there were 12 inches of snow on Dead Indian Pass, between there and Cody.

This was the fifth year McQueen has hunted in the Cody region and the third year for Mrs. McQueen.

Annual Camporee Slated Oct. 21-22

The annual Boy Scout Camporee of the Red River District of the Adobe Walls Council will be held at Hedley, Friday and Saturday, Oct. 21-22, during their annual Cotton Festival. Scoutmaster Ted Myers announced this week. The Boy Scout Indian Dancers from Borger also will camp out with the Red River District scouts.

Most of the time at the camporee will be devoted to advancement activities and an evening Court of Honor at the campsite.

During the second day of the Festival, all of the Scouts will march in a group in the celebration's grand parade.

Scouts of Troop 35 won first place and a blue ribbon in the parade last year.

Myers said he would like for 35 or 40 scouts to go to the camporee, in order that they might work on their advancements.

The local scouts will leave Memphis early Saturday morning, Oct. 22. Due to the football game between White Deer and Memphis the night before, Myers said it would be impossible for the scouts to go to the camporee Friday night.

Scout troops who will be at the campsite are Lakeview, Memphis, Hedley, Lelia Lake and Clarendon.

Good Crop Weather During Past Week

Weather the past week has been favorable for crop gathering, with sunshine general almost the entire daylight period. The period started out cool and blustery last Thursday but gradually warmed up and continued that way until another front swept through this area early Wednesday morning, holding temperatures down Wednesday and pushing them still lower Wednesday night.

The sun still continued its welcome presence this (Thursday) morning, and the atmosphere was gradually warming, after dipping into the middle 40's Wednesday night.

According to John McMickin, weather observer here, mercury extremes the past week were as follows: last Thursday 44-76; Friday 42-73; Saturday 42-78; Sunday 44-78; Monday 43-80; Tuesday 44-85; Wednesday 52-72.



ON FESTIVAL PROGRAM — Appearing at this year's Cotton Festival at Hedley, will be the Tejas Indian Dancers of Borger. The group of 20 Boy Scouts of first class rank or higher, were recruited from 14 different Scout units. They have studied dances of the Plains Indians and recently attended the Indian Exposition at Anadarko, Okla.

Caution Urged In Handling Of Flammable Liquids

COLLEGE STATION — Gasoline, kerosene, and cleaning fluids improperly used often turn a peaceful farm into a holocaust of flame, according to Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Committee. Flammable liquids, carelessly handled, are among the top causes of farm fires. Store and handle them the safe way, advises the committee. Remember the slogan for Fire Prevention Week, (Oct. 9-15): "Don't give fire a place to start."

An underground tank is the safest place to store gasoline and kerosene. If this is impossible, use kerosene. If this is impossible, locate containers at least 40 feet from buildings. Containers must be metal and free from leaks. Small quantities are more safely stored than large, and a well-labeled safety can should always be used to draw off and handle the amounts necessary for immediate use.

Always keep these fluids away from flame and heat. Flame does not need to touch the liquid. A spark may ignite invisible vapors. Gasoline vapors flow downhill like water. They also drift with the slightest breeze. Post signs near all flammable liquid storage areas. Flammable cleaning fluids should be avoided, but when necessary should be kept in metal-covered containers, and used out-of-doors or in a well ventilated room. Non-flammable solvents are fire safe but should be used where the vapors cannot be inhaled.

PFC. DONALD PAYNE IN FRANKFURT, GERMANY

Pfc. and Mrs. Donald Payne, who are in Frankfurt, Germany, recently wrote to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Payne, that they are seeing many interesting sights. Payne is stationed there with the U. S. Army and will be in Germany until February or March.

Mrs. Payne said he wrote that one of the important things a soldier looks forward to in the army is mail call. She said that Donald's birthday is October 31, and requested friends who wanted to send birthday cards to take note of this address: U. S. 54150469, Ord. Co. (HAM), APO 165, New York, N. Y.

The baby whale weighs nearly 1,000 pounds at birth.



ROKS RIOT . . . U. S. troops guard Incheon gate where South Korean banner demands ouster of Czech and Polish truce team members as being Russian agents.

More Traffic Fatalities Occur During Early Evening Hours

As the sun "signs off" with a brilliant flourish at the end of the day, we feel a sudden drop in our spirits . . . we are tired, irritable, anxious. The way home seems long, traffic seems to creep, our senses are hazy. Not only does the motorist experience this impatience and tension, but the pedestrian does too as he scrambles in and out of traffic in a mad rush to get home.

Strangely enough, says the Texas Safety Association, facts bear this out, too. More traffic casualties occur between the hours of four and eight o'clock in the evening than any other period during the day or night. According to the National Safety Council, more than one-fourth of all fatal traffic accidents occur between the hours of 4:00 and 7:59 p. m.

Now what is there peculiar to the span of time between four and eight o'clock in the evening which makes this period particu-

larly lethal to motorist and pedestrian alike?

For one thing, there is heavier traffic, both cars and pedestrians—rushing home from work, rushing out for the evening. This is the cause of the deadly combination: congestion, speed and heedlessness.

To this pattern of danger must be added the hazards of night

self. The fading light seems to twist and turn, changing the perspective of things and dimming the vision. It is then that senses of alertness, caution, discretion, should be increased. So often do these dangers of the night loom up suddenly, unexpectedly, and strike—an old person hobbling across the path in the murky darkness!

MHS Students Receive Honors

Several Memphis High School students have been selected for various honors by members of the faculty. Characteristics, considered by faculty members, in making their decisions, were scholastic ability, versatility and interest.

Chosen to appear in Who's Who are the following: Jerry McQueen, Betty Lemons, Dicky Craig, Joy Parks and Helen Bishop, of the senior class; Jean Foxhall, Dan Durham, Tanya Fletcher and Mary Jane Jones, junior class; and Bobbie Lemons, David Davis and Sandy Smith, sophomore class.

Sharon Harrison was elected most versatile girl. Sharon is a twirler in the high school band, is a member of the girls basketball squad, and is on the annual staff.

Elected most versatile boy was Jerry McQueen, who is a captain of the high school football team this year, and also participated in other athletics.

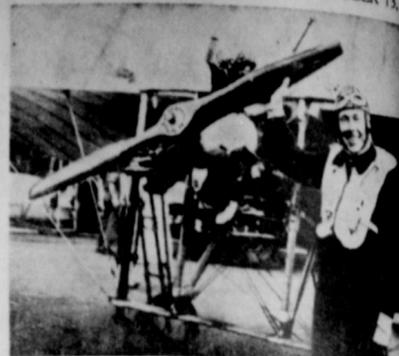
Jean Foxhall was named assistant editor of the 1956 annual. She will be editor of the yearbook the next school year.

where, another car bearing down in a great white glare.

Planners, engineers and scientists are working on this problem and have come up with some excellent safety barriers—reflected traffic signs, glareless street lighting, expressways, safety gimmicks on automobiles, and other devices designed to help pedestrians and motorists protect themselves from this "Date with Death."

There's a limit to what they can do. They can't redesign the night nor restructure the human organism. That is a task that can be done only by people who should fortify their own defenses, take on a new awareness of dusk and darkness traffic hazards.

(Read the Classified Ads)



RE-ENACTS FLIGHT . . . Jean Salls, 59, flew this plane he built across English Channel, duplicating first flight trip by Louis Bleriot in 1909.



BOY MEETS GIRL . . . While armed keepers in Los Angeles searched for "Mademoiselle Toto," escaped circus gorilla, she met Ernest Karoll, 11, and they became fast friends.



ATTEND UN . . . Minister V. M. Molotov and Georgi Zarubin, ambassador to U. S., attend UN general assembly in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby R. Helm visited over the weekend with relatives in Liberal, Kan.

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CRISCO, 3 lb. can	84c
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JELL-O, all flavors, 2 boxes	17c
MINCE MEAT, new crop, WS, box	23c
DRIED APRICOTS, new crop, pkg.	48c
CHEWING GUM, all kinds, 2 pkgs.	7c
Heinz CATSUP, lg. bottle	25c
Babo or Ajax CLEANSER, 2 cans	25c
SOAP POWDER, all kinds, lg. 31c; giant	74c
TOILET PAPER, Scot tissue, 2 rolls	23c
ALUMINUM FOIL, box	28c
PAPER NAPKINS, 80 count, 2 pkgs.	27c
PINEAPPLE JUICE, 46 oz. cans	32c
TUNA FISH, solid pack, can	39c
VIENNA SAUSAGE, Armours Star, can	18c
Armours TREET, can	41c
Ranch Style CHILI BEANS, 2 cans	27c
SPINACH, lg. can, HD or DM, can	14c
TOMATOES, Our Value, 2 lg. cans	25c
Irvington Club Whole GREEN BEANS, can	28c
Campbell's SOUP, Tomato 12c; Vegetable	15c
Campbell's SOUP, all 20c cans	18c
PEARS, HD, med. can 27c; lg. cans	41c
FRUIT COCKTAIL, med. can 25c; lg. cans	39c
SPUDS, No. 1 Red or Russets, lb.	5c
SWEET POTATOES, E. Texas, 2 lb.	15c
CABBAGE, hard head, lb.	5c
CRANBERRIES, new crop, 1 lb. boxes	25c
LEMONS, lg. Sunkist, doz.	35c
Rome APPLES, Xtra nice, lb.	12c
GRAPEFRUIT, new Ruby Red, 3 for	22c
GRAPES, Fancy Tokays, lb.	12c
LETTUCE, lg. solid heads, Calif., each	16c
Bulk Purple Top TURNIPS, lb.	10c
Fresh TOMATOES, Xtra fancy, lb.	16c
Sliced BACON, all kinds, 2 lb.	\$1.17
Sliced BACON, Corn King or Gold Coin, lb.	53c
Fresh PORK CHOPS, sm. loins, lb.	49c
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Yacht Club Review By Newport

Yacht Club met Wednesday, Oct. 5, at 3 o'clock... Mrs. N. A. Hightower...



ARCTIC DEFENSE... Engaged in building radar stations along northern coast of Alaska and Canada, 125 U. S. ships battle ice floes to accomplish job.

Mizpah Guild Meets For Study; Elects Officers

Seventeen members of the Mizpah Guild met in the home of Mrs. S. S. Montgomery Monday evening, Oct. 3, in regular session.

During the business portion of the meeting, the following list of officers was presented and approved for the year...

Mrs. Carl Harrison gave the devotional, emphasizing the need to practice the Golden Rule toward our fellow men.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. S. S. Montgomery, to the members and a special guest, Mr. Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Herby Shahan of New Orleans, La., are visiting here this week with Mrs. Shahan's parents, Dr. and Mrs. O. R. Goodall.

Texas Receives Six History Awards From National Group

AUSTIN — Texas received six awards — more than any other state — from the American Association of State and Local Historians.

Dr. H. Bailey Carroll, University of Texas history professor and Texas State Historical director, took six nominations to the national organization's annual meeting and brought back six awards.

Honors went to the following: Conservation Society of Seguin, The Fredericksburg Standard, Junior Historical chapter at San Antonio, Breckenridge High School.

Frances Gilreath Weds C. Neely in Hedley Rites

Frances Gilreath and Clifton Neely were united in marriage Wednesday, Oct. 5, in the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. Church Davis, in Hedley.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blum of Memphis while the groom is the son of J. C. Neely, also of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Neely are at home at 104 Main Street, Memphis. Mr. Neely is employed with the Memphis Fire Department.

Legal Notices

Statement required by the act of August 24, 1912, as amended by the acts of March 3, 1933, and July 2, 1946 (Title 39, United States Code, Section 233) showing the ownership, management, and circulation of The Memphis Democrat, published weekly at Memphis, Texas, for Oct. 6, 1955.

1. The names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business managers are: Publishers: J. Claude Wells and Herschel A. Combs, Memphis, Tex.; editor, Chas. L. Stout, Memphis, Tex.; managing editor, J. Claude Wells; business manager, Herschel A. Combs.

2. The owners are: J. Claude Wells and Herschel A. Combs, Memphis, Tex.

3. The known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 percent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: None.

5. The average number of copies of each issue of this publication sold or distributed through the mails or otherwise, to paid subscribers during the 12 months preceding the date shown above was: 1916. Herschel A. Combs

Former Resident's Rites Held Monday

Graveside rites for Arthur M. Mixon, 64, of Snyder, former Lakeview resident, were held on Monday afternoon at the Lakeview cemetery. Funeral services were conducted that morning from the First Methodist Church in Hamlin.

Mr. Mixon died Friday at the home of a brother in Snyder. He lived at Lakeview for a number of years ago, but of recent years had lived in Lubbock and later at Snyder.

He is survived by one son, Edsel Paul Mixon of Hollywood, Calif., and two sisters, Mrs. B. E. Durrett of Lakeview and Mrs. Jarvis of Estelline.

Mr. and Mrs. Holmes Posey and Jack Holland Wolf were childhood visitors Sunday.

Charlie McBees' Attend Funeral

Funeral services for Mrs. C. A. Mason, mother-in-law of L. J. McBee, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McBee of Memphis, were conducted Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the Baptist Church at Olton. Interment was in the Olton Cemetery.

Mrs. Mason died Sunday morning at 7 o'clock, and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McBee left later that day for Olton, after being notified of the death. The Memphis couple planned to return home Tuesday night.

Mrs. Mason had been sick for four or five years. She was a member of the Baptist Church.

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New Cattle Breed Added To Tech's Registered Herd

LUBBOCK.—A new breed of cattle, the Beefmaster, is being added to Texas Tech's registered herd, the animal husbandry department announced recently.

The Beefmasters are located at Pantech Farm, east of Amarillo. Other units of the Tech herd, located here, total 119 head, including registered Herefords, Aberdeen Angus and Brahms.

An agreement between the college and Dan Gibson, Snyder rancher, makes the Beefmaster additions possible.

Gibson allowed Dean W. R. Stangel and Dr. R. H. Black, Tech animal husbandry department head, to select a Beefmaster herd of 20 bred females and a bull, to be kept at Pantech Farm until November, 1956.

At that date, Tech will return the herd to Gibson and keep the offspring for continued selective breeding and development.

Beefmasters are an American breed still in the process of establishment. E. C. Lancaster of Falfurrias is credited with beginning the breed by crossing Brahm, Hereford and Shorthorn breeds.

So far the Pantech Beefmaster herd has produced 17 offspring, Dr. Black said. The college plans to keep 15 to 20 females for a foundation herd.

The Gibson gift is the latest in a long line of donations by cattlemen interested in Tech. Those gifts have enabled Tech to develop a top-flight herd of registered cattle during the past 29 years.

DEWLEN STORY ON TV

A story by Al Dewlen which appeared a few months ago in the Saturday Evening Post, was presented on a television program which was received here Monday night. Dewlen, a former Memphis resident, now lives with his family at Norman, Okla. He has also sold a novel and appears on his way to becoming a big-name writer. He worked for The Democrat for a while several years ago and later was with the Amarillo newspapers and the United Press.

City Health Programs Keep Pace With America's Growing Families



The number of American families having three or more children has gone up 47 per cent since 1948.

1948 CHILDREN WILL LIVE LONGER AND HAPPIER AS HEALTH PROGRAMS KEEP PACE WITH AMERICA'S GROWING FAMILIES.

United States government figures for the past seven years show the number of American families having three or more children has gone up more than 47 per cent since 1948.

It is estimated that the population of this country by 1960 will be 176,000,000. People today live longer; a child born since 1950 enjoys an average life expectancy of 68 years, as compared with only 47 years in 1900.

This remarkable population growth would have caused serious health problems had it not been for the foresightedness and ability of our nation's public health and sanitation officials, The Sanitary Engineering Committee reports.

Many factors have contributed to our improved public health,

but not has been more significant than our municipal sanitation successes. Thousands of miles of underground clay pipe mains carry wastes from homes and community centers. Vitriified clay pipe is recognized as the one material that provides all the qualities necessary to satisfy the exacting demands of sanitary structures. Clay pipe resists all the effects of acids and other caustic substances that are found in sewer systems.

Modern sanitary systems constructed of clay pipe play an everyday role as guardian of the health of the people. They are one of the city's lifelines, carrying away deadly wastes, and advancing Public Health,—so vital to every American.

Public Health is America's first line of Defense.

MEET IN GERMANY

Three Memphis boys, A/2C Freddie Daugherty, Pfc. Doyle Collins, and Pfc. Charles Hartman recently met in Weisbaden, Germany. This was the second time the trio has met and they reported having an enjoyable time together.

Daugherty is stationed at Trier, Germany, Collins, at the Weisbaden Air Base, and Hartman, at Pliree, Germany.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Webb over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Allison of Avoca, and Mrs. Hartie Moore of Abilene. Mrs. Allison and Mrs. Moore are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Webb.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Collins the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Allison and Mrs. Hartie Moore, and Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Webb. Mr. Webb has been on the sick list but is improving nicely.

UDC Chapter Meets In Home Of Mrs. C. W. Broome

The Winnie Davis Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, met in regular meeting Tuesday afternoon, October 11, at the home of Mrs. C. W. Broome, with Mrs. Glynn Thompson as co-hostesses.

Mrs. J. A. Odom, president, directed the business meeting during which Mrs. T. J. Hampton was elected delegate to the National Convention of the United Daughters of the Confederacy to be held in San Antonio in November, and Mrs. Glynn Thompson was elected alternate.

The program for the afternoon was devoted to the new Memorial Building being constructed by the U. D. C. in Richmond, Virginia, and was conducted by Mrs. Herlie Moreman who outlined the original plans and the architecture thereof. A question and answer period covering the building, its plans and purposes was most edifying, and was concluded with a report of the finances thereof brought by Mrs. Bray Cook. A beautiful poem, "The Woman of the Confederacy," was read by Mrs. Frank Wright.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following members: Mmes. Emma Baskerville, Bray Cook, T. J. Hampton, Herlie Moreman, J. H. Norman, J. A. Odom, and Frank Wright by the hostesses, Mrs. Broome and Mrs. Thompson.



IT'S THE LAW
in Texas
A public service feature of the State Bar of Texas

Thousands of children are trooping back to school. Many of them are transported by school busses. Fortunately most people are careful when approaching a school bus which may be standing beside the road to pick up school children or allow them to alight. But, nevertheless, we have some very bad accidents because a child, motorist, or both, are careless at this very time.

Most Texans are aware of the law which requires a driver to come to a complete stop when overtaking from the rear a school bus which has stopped to receive or discharge school children. After stopping immediately behind the bus, he is then allowed by law to proceed past same at a speed "which is prudent, not exceeding ten (10) miles per hour, and with due caution for the safety of such children.

What many persons don't realize is that the very same rule applies when meeting a stopped school bus. While everyone is interested in protecting our children, unthinking violators of this simple safety rule greatly outnumber the ones who comply. Failure to follow the law in this case can lead to fines up to \$200.00 even when no accident occurs. Following an accident in which some child is injured or killed, the penalties are naturally much more serious.

Although the above rule does not apply when passing a stopped school bus in a residential or business district of a town, the necessity for extreme caution even in those locations is obvious.

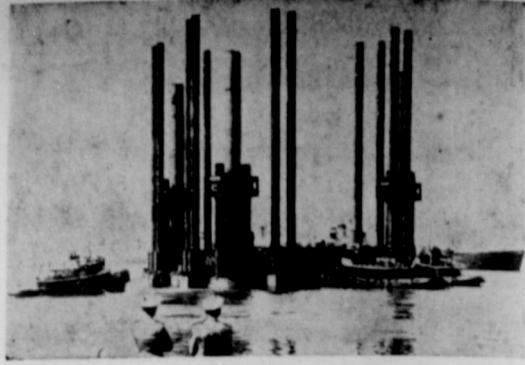
When it comes to overtaking and passing moving vehicles, exercise of ordinary common sense will generally keep the driver within the law. For instance, when passing a car it is only common sense to proceed past it a safe distance before cutting back to the right side of the highway. Also, any driver would realize the danger of increasing his speed when another is attempting to pass him.

In the same category is the prohibition against passing on the right under most ordinary conditions. Of course, you may legally pass on the right side in a few specified instances, such as when the vehicle overtaken is making or about to make a left turn, or upon one-way street with two or more lanes, or upon a four-lane highway.

However, our traffic laws state that even when passing on the right is allowed, it shall be done only under conditions permitting such movement in safety. And, in no event should such passing be accomplished by driving off the pavement or main-traveled portion of the roadway.

Familiar to all are the no-passing zones designated by a dash line placed to one side of the center stripe on our highways. Not so well known are the restrictions against crossing the center stripe when approaching within 100 feet of or when traversing any intersection or railroad grade crossing.

A driver should never cross the center line of a highway when the left side of the road is not clearly visible and free of oncoming traffic. Generally speaking, when not engaged in passing another vehicle, one should not drive to the left of the center of the roadway.



GUARDS U. S. . . 6,000 ton Texas tower radar station is towed from Boston to island of Georges Banks, 110 miles east of Cape Cod.



"DOWN UNDER" VISITORS . . . Group of Australian farmers and their wives stop in Chicago on tour of U. S. by bus.

PARNELL

Friends from Levelland were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lathram the first of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Orutt and children of Tell visited relatives and friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dynn of Dumas spent the past weekend visiting with her mother, Mrs. Myrtle Weatherly, and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hood and children of Levelland were guest in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zach Hood, over the weekend.

Dale Weatherly of Fort Worth was a guest Tuesday morning of Mrs. Leroy Hutcheson and Parge Winn.

Mrs. Elizabeth Neely is visiting in Hedley with Mr. and Mrs. Grover Johnson.

Mrs. Ella Weatherly of Turkey was a guest Sunday of Mrs. May Weatherly.

Carl Hill and Squint House of Turkey are deer hunting near Hamer, Idaho.

Mrs. Joe Barton Nivens and sons of Borger have been visiting with Mrs. Shortie Nivens.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Meachum and son of Turkey were guests Sunday in the Leroy Hutcheson home.

Mrs. J. H. Cagle spent the past weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Crump Ferrel.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Potts were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Potts of Memphis.

Mrs. Weldon Couch visited in Memphis with her uncle, Freeman Stout who was a patient in a Memphis hospital.

Mrs. Horace Graham of Vernon was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mothershed last Friday. Mrs. Graham and Mrs. Mothershed visited Saturday in the home of the Jim Grahams of Ashtola and Sunday in Lubbock with the Elmer Graham family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Morehead visited Sunday near Lakeview with the W. C. Canada family.

Morningside Fire Causes Minor Loss

Fire at noon Wednesday caused minor damage to a house in Morningside Addition, occupied by Lorenzo Graves, and owned by V. Anderson.

The blaze burned a hole in the floor, damaged a partition wall, and smoked up the room, according to the fire department report.

One fire truck made the run.

Stockmen and farmers who produce slaughter calves will find available at the local county agent's office a new bulletin, B-799 Slaughter Calf Production. It was released by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The USDA's special livestock loan program has been given a two year extension. Applications for these loans may be filled out at county offices of the Farmers Home Administration.

Watering, salting and fencing facilities on the ranch are described as excellent management tools by Extension Range Specialist A. H. Walker. How well they are used determines their values.

The first commercial ice plant in the United States was operated in Jefferson, Texas, about 1874.

Hedley Woman Complimented 90th Birthday

In observance of Mrs. Clark's 90th birthday, relatives gathered at her home Sunday, Oct. 9, for a special luncheon.

The day was spent making pictures. A luncheon was served at the home.

Mrs. Clark received a tray of birthday gifts and cards.

Friends and relatives who were present were Mr. and Mrs. Clark of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Clark and Mrs. Yonnie Clark of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie of Potosi, Mrs. Homer Clark of Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Hedley, Mr. and Mrs. and Nell Marie of Potosi and Mrs. Bill Carson and Borger, Mr. and Mrs. Lester and Billy and Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. deventer and Michael don, Mrs. Evelyn The Amarillo, Mrs. Anna Quail, Mr. and Mrs. worth of Quail, Mr. and A. Callahan of Clarendon, John Tate of Hedley, Tate and Judy and Pauley, Mrs. Cooper of Sanders and Mrs. Sappley and Mrs. Roland of Hedley.

A number of other friends called throughout the day.

During the past year the consumer price index has become extremely keenly felt. The result that credit has increased faster than and is near peak level.

A baby whale is in calf.

Mr. and Mrs. Estal Collins and son of Plainview, visited Mr. and Mrs. Andy Collins last week.

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Reserve District
REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK
of Memphis, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on Oct. 5, 1955. Published in response to call made by controller of the currency, under section 5211, U. S. statutes.

ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$ 75,000.00
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,310,000.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	24,000.00
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	25,000.00
Corporate stocks (including \$7,500.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	1,000,000.00
Loans and discounts (including \$4,454.94 overdrafts)	1,180,000.00
Bank premises owned \$16,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$20,000.00	36,000.00
Total Assets	\$3,880,000.00

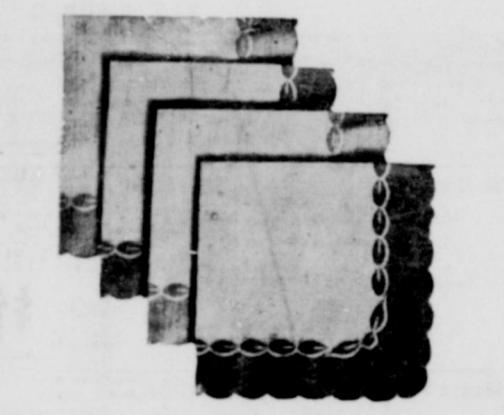
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$2,600,000.00
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	200,000.00
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	210,000.00
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	25,000.00
Deposits of banks	10,000.00
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	10,000.00
Total Deposits	\$3,404,300.95
Total Liabilities	\$3,404,300.95

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital Stock:	
Common stock, total par \$100,000.00	100,000.00
Surplus	150,000.00
Undivided profits	150,000.00
Total Capital Accounts	\$400,000.00
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	\$3,880,000.00

MEMORANDA	
Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	\$ 65,000.00
Loans as shown above or after deductions of reserves of	1,000,000.00
Loans to farmers directly guaranteed and redeemable on demand by the Commodity Credit Corporation, and certificates of interest representing ownership thereof	1,000,000.00
Loans insured or guaranteed by Veterans' Administration—insured or guaranteed portions only	1,000,000.00
Guaranteed portions of Regulation V loans and other loans guaranteed by the Federal Reserve banks or agencies of the United States Government	1,000,000.00
Total Amount of Loans, Certificates of Interest and Obligations, or Portions Thereof (listed above), which are fully backed or insured by agencies of the United States Government (other than "United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed")	\$5,000,000.00

I, Ben Parks, cashier of the above-named bank, do hereby certify that the above statement is true to my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest:
O. V. Alexander, Dwight L. Kinard, O. L. Helm, (SEAL)
State of Texas, County of Hall, ss:
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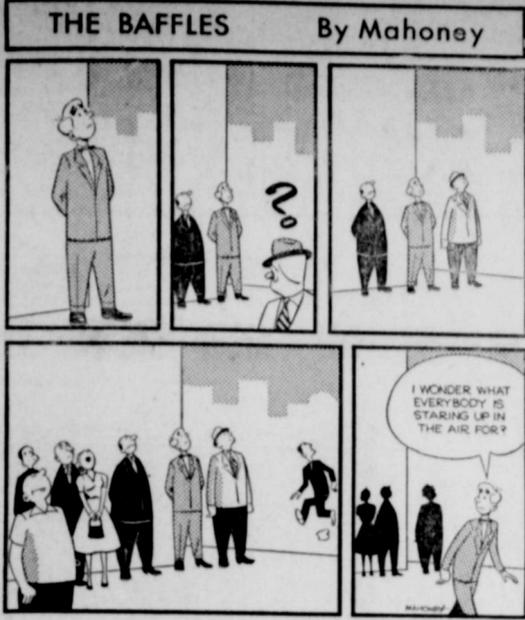
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C. E. Johnson Held Monday Hedley Church

Funeral rites for Mrs. C. E. Johnson, who had lived at Hedley for 25 years, were conducted at Monday in the First Methodist Church at Hedley.

L. G. 'Joe' DeBerry Dies Suddenly at Home Here

L. G. "Joe" DeBerry, resident of Memphis since 1919, died suddenly late Saturday afternoon at his home, 713 South Eighth Street.



Grain Sorghums Should Be Mature Before Harvested

Grain sorghums in Hall County should be of relatively good quality in spite of recent rains, provided farmers do not harvest them until matured properly.

Mineral Mixtures Can Be Increased In Palatability

COLLEGE STATION.—The palatability of mineral mixtures containing phenothiazine can be increased by the addition of cottonseed meal, ground sorghum grain and molasses.



BEAUTY AND BURRO... Film actress Kathy Marlowe offers sun-baked burro Penelope water from canteen on California desert.



MEET ON DEFENSE... Pres. Eisenhower and Admiral Arthur W. Radford, chairman of Joint Chiefs of Staff, decide on military budget to save money but not to impair defense.

Tech To Observe Annual Reunion On November 5-6

LUBBOCK — Texas Tech will celebrate its 28th annual Homecoming Friday and Saturday, November 5-6.

The University of Arizona Wildcats will be served up as gridiron fare for the more than 5,000 Tech alumni expected to participate in 1955 Homecoming activities.

Highlighting this year's program will be the first campus-wide selection of a Tech Homecoming Queen.

Other student activities will include decoration of the campus, pep rally and a bonfire, downtown parade and Homecoming dance.

Virginia Carr, senior coed from Lubbock, has been named student Homecoming chairman.

Guy Wright, Jr. Gets Commission

Guy A. Wright, Jr., son of Chief of Police and Mrs. Guy Wright, of Memphis, received his commission as an ensign, U. S. N. R., and the wings of a naval aviator, Sept. 29.

Wright arrived in Memphis last Thursday to spend his leave with his parents.

While at Chase Field, Wright received training in the new type 100-hour jet, the Syllabus.

He will report to San Francisco, Calif., Nov. 1, from where he will leave for further duty at N. A. S. Barbers Point, Hawaii.

Total Deaths At Tampico Unknown

Eye witness report of Salvation Army personnel from Tampico, Mexico, indicate that deaths caused by the flood will never be accurately known.

Rivers in the Tampico area have been rising since mid-September when hurricane Hilda hit.

Dan Eddy, state disaster director for the Salvation Army, who was flown in by the Navy to survey needs, says that the city looks like it is just beginning to emerge from the sea.

Country Club

Serving under the social committee will be these sub-committees: bridge — Mrs. Vera Dickey, chairman; Mrs. O. M. Cosby, Jr., Mrs. Gayle Greene, Mrs. Ruth Harrison, Mrs. J. H. Morris and Mrs. Harold R. Stevenson.

Resignations Of Officers Accepted

Hall County commissioners this week accepted the resignations of Jack Peabody of Memphis, constable of Precinct 1, and W. G. Wedge of Turkey, constable of Precinct 4.

Lakeview P-TA To Meet Monday

Members of the Lakeview Parent-Teachers Association will meet Monday night at 7:30 o'clock, in the school auditorium at Lakeview, according to Andy Gardenhire, publicity chairman.

Cyclone And

Several starting Cyclone players who were injured earlier in the season will still be out of action Friday night, according to Andrews.

Scouts To Have Bake Sale Saturday

Scouts of Troop 35 and their parents will have a bake sale Saturday at Tarver-Stanford Pharmacy on the west side of the square, according to Scoutmaster Ted Myers.

Tech Students To Make Trip To Houston, Oct. 21-23

LUBBOCK — "Baghdad on the Bayou," known more formally as Houston, will be the terminal of Texas Tech's annual student trip, the weekend of October 21-23.

Scouts To Have Bake Sale Saturday

Anyone who wishes to help the Scout troop, is asked to leave word with any of the Scouts and he will come by the person's home and pick up the donation of cakes, cookies or pies.

Queen Victoria's Was Longest Reign In British History

The USS Forrestal is the first U. S. Navy aircraft carrier to be completely designed for airborne atomic naval power.

Bank's Official Statement of Financial Condition of the First State Bank. Includes sections for Resources, Liabilities and Capital Accounts, and Memoranda.

Charter No. 1664. BANK'S OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE FIRST STATE BANK. Memphis, Texas, at the close of business on the 5th day of October, 1955.

RESOURCES: Cash and discounts, including overdrafts \$1,110,333.00. Total Resources \$1,911,958.83. LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS: Common Stock \$75,000.00. Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts \$1,911,958.83.

MEMORANDA: Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes 80,000.00. I, Will S. Carter, Vice President and Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Milk Program Expansion Seen In Washington

COLLEGE STATION — Expansion of the special School Milk program is in prospect for this school year, reports Assistant Secretary of Agriculture Earl L. Butz.

The Special School Milk program was authorized by Congress to increase consumption of milk by children in nonprofit schools of high school grade and under. It was first operated during the 1954-55 school year. The program was administered nationally by the department's Agricultural Marketing Services, and within the states by the state educational agencies.

Texas reported 1,329 schools with 305,328 pupils participating in the program last year. During the period there was an increase of 18,235,000 half pints of milk consumed by Texas school children. Federal expenditures for the program in Texas amounted to \$718,000.

On June 16, the Department of Agriculture announced modification of the program to permit more schools to participate. "We expect a better record this year because of the improvements which have been made in the program," said Butz. "Reports show that many more schools will be taking advantage of the program than the previous year."

The records of the complete program show a total of 41,460 schools with 8,674,328 children taking part. As a result of the program, more than 451 million additional half pints of milk were consumed during the school year.

Aviation Pictures Displayed This Fall At Texas University

AUSTIN — Pictures representing various phases in aviation history are displayed this fall in the University of Texas Engineering Building.

The series presents reproductions of original paintings by Charles H. Hubbell, executed under the sponsorship of Thompson Products, Inc., of Cleveland, Ohio, manufacturer of aircraft components and accessories.

The first two sets dealt with historical developments from 1842 to the initial years of World War I. On display for the week of Oct. 10-15 is the third series, representing aircraft which became famous through World War I performance.



HIGH JUMPERS . . . Lt. Henry Nielsen (left) and Capt. Edward Sperry, USAF officers holding 45,200 ft. parachute record, plan 50,000 ft. leap from balloon at Baltimore base.



CHECK RED CROPS . . . Twelve U. S. farmers touring Russia study Kharkov collective farm, as W. V. Lambert (U. of Nebraska) and John M. Jacobs (Whiting, Ia.) inspect hothouse plants.

The aviation period immediately following World War I represented a decline in military aviation and preceded the serious development of commercial operations. The fourth series, to be displayed Oct. 17-22, will cover the years from 1909 to 1927, when flying was carried forward by the "Barnstormers," the arabolic pilots whose names made history. Future exhibitions will recall the birth of commercial aviation.

Lindbergh's historic flight from New York to Paris, the growth of air transport operations, aerial battles of World War II, increased personal use of small aircraft in the postwar period, the dawn of the jet era, and finally the wide variety of tasks which American military aircraft can accomplish.

Sales of milk during 1954 through vending machines reached \$22.4 million; ice cream sales for the same year through vending machines totaled \$20 million.

Questions & Answers For Veterans

Q—I am taking Korean GI farm training, and my monthly GI allowances have been reduced twice. Under the new law calling for top allowance rates for the first year, will VA make a retroactive adjustment, paying me the difference between what I received so far and what I have received under the new system?

A—Under the law, retroactive adjustments will not be made. But, beginning in October, your monthly allowance will be refigured under the new system. You will receive the maximum allowance rate for the rest of your first year in training, after which your checks will be reduced at four-month intervals.

Q—I am getting a VA pension, and I recently inherited enough money to push my yearly income above the limit set for pensions. Am I supposed to report this fact to the VA?

A—Yes. You should report your additional income, so that VA can discontinue your pension payments. If you do not report it, you may find yourself hard put, later on, to repay a sizeable sum of money to the VA.

Q—I have a World War II GI term insurance policy. Is it possible to convert just part of it to a permanent plan, or must I convert all of it at once?

A—If you wish, you may convert only part of your GI term insurance to permanent insurance. However, the insurance must be converted in multiples of \$500 and the minimum amount that may be converted is \$1,000.

Q—What is the deadline for getting the special Korean GI allowance available to veterans service connected disabilities?

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The First State Bank Presents INTERESTING FACTS ABOUT TEXAS



PALO DURO CANYON—Unsurpassed scenic attraction, was inhabited by man before beginning of history on this continent. It was first white man's home in the Panhandle. Col. Chas. Goodnight set up his headquarters here in 1876 after a trade with a Spanish sheepherder, Casinero Romero.

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Under correct conditions you should be able to use your eyes as much as you want without strain. Healthy eyes give the best and most comfortable service when you sit erect with your work arranged at 45 to 70 degrees from the horizontal and from 14 to 16 inches from your eyes. Tilt-top desks or book easels are best for children. Reading in bed is perfectly all right, providing you stick to the rules of good lighting and good posture. But it's never too wise to read in sunlight, even if your book or magazine is shaded. What about television? It does not harm the eyes if the picture is clear and steady, and if there is enough light in the room to prevent too great a contrast with the screen. Avoid sitting off-center or too close to the set. It's smart, the Department says, to protect the eyes from long exposure to bright sunlight. But don't make the mistake of wearing sun glasses just to look Hollywoodish. Indiscriminate wearing of colored glasses reduces your tolerance to light. "Man," the health agency concludes, "is normally a far sighted creature. So from time to time as you read or do close work, give your eyes a break by closing them for a moment or by looking into the distance."

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LOOK FOR THE GREEN AND YELLOW STRIPED EQUIPMENT

Soil Fertility Discussion

An idea for a farm which originated here in 1930 is receiving nationwide attention this fall.

The American Federation of Farm Bureaus recently has recommended to the National Farm Bureau that it should be a national program to set up a soil fertility bank.

The plan is to have a certain percentage of the total agricultural production of the country be set aside for the production of soil fertility bank products.

The plan was originally referred to as the "Hammond Plan" because it was conceived and proposed many years ago by J. W. Hammond, president of the Texas Farm Bureau.

The plan was adopted for a farm in 1949 and has carried on since then. Last year the first time that the parent organization gave its approval to the plan.

The plan is being studied by farmers and ranchers in all parts of the country so that consideration be given to the plan at the AFBF convention in Chicago.

The soil fertility bank is likely to become one of the main issues at the Texas Farm Bureau convention which will be held Nov. 7-9 in Ft. Worth.

J. W. Hammond, president of the TFB for the past 16 years, began working on his plan back in the depression days of the 1930's when farm surpluses almost ruined the agriculture industry.

When World War II came along the idea was dropped because of the all-out efforts to produce food and fiber for war needs. Surpluses were beginning to pile up in 1949 when the TFB adopted the plan.

However, the Korean conflict alleviated any need for controlling production. By 1953 the problem of unmanageable surpluses was again plaguing the industry.

The original idea behind the soil fertility bank was to retire the percentage of acres that were causing surpluses and govern production through a system of variable price supports.

Under the plan, the Secretary of Agriculture would determine the percentage of overproduction of all farm commodities.

Then, each farmer would be required to take out of production that percentage of his tilled acres. According to Hammond, this would average about 10 per cent over a period of years.

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SURVIVAL TESTS . . . U. S. air force course training personnel in invasion, survival and escape methods near Reno, Nev., is shown with "prisoners" guarded by tank crew.



FIRST ROMANCE . . . Photo sequence shows actress Margaret O'Brien, now 18, in first film kiss. Love scene with John Lupton appears in "Glory."

61 Million Motor Vehicles Traveling Nation's Highways

DETROIT — Sixty-one million registered motor vehicles and 72 million licensed drivers in the United States today are piling up mileage at the unprecedented rate of more than 560 billion miles a year, the Automobile Manufacturers Association reports.

This is an average of approximately 9,200 miles per vehicle, and 7,800 miles per driver.

The AMA released these and hundreds of other facts about highway transportation and the automotive industry as it introduced the 35th edition of its annual statistical handbook, Automobile Facts and Figures.

The new edition contains some 80 pages of tables, charts and indexes, covering a wide range of subjects relative to motor vehicle production and use.

A special feature is the 15-page section devoted to highway subjects. Among the many highway facts presented are these:

1. Motor vehicle registrations and travel mileage on the highways are due to increase more

than 33 per cent by 1965. 2. Inadequate roads today are costing motorists more than \$5 billion per year. 3. To correct road inadequacies, \$101 billion will be needed for highway construction during the next 10 years. 4. Half of the anticipated growth in the coming decade will be on the 40,000-mile Interstate Highway system. 5. Highway construction and maintenance costs per mile have doubled since 1941.

The following are other highlights from the new Automobile Facts and Figures. Taxes take 24 cents out of every dollar spent for the purchase of an automobile. Special automotive taxes paid by U. S. motorists in 1954 totaled \$6.2 billion. There are 3.3 persons per passenger car registered in the U. S.



FASTEST FLIGHT . . . Susan Bryan, 21, piloted by Capt. Jas. Abraham, flew from San Francisco around the world in 107 hrs., 20 min., lowering old record for commercial air liners by 8 hrs., 18 min.

or an average of one car per family. Seventy-one per cent of the nation's families own at least one automobile and approximately 12 per cent of car-owning families own two or more cars.

Two out of every three passenger cars produced and three out of every four trucks produced in 1954 were sold as replacements for vehicles scrapped. Of world passenger car registrations, 73 per cent are in this country.

Auto loans repaid in 1954 equalled the amount of loans extended during the year — 12.5 billion. Loans outstanding at the end of the year totaled \$10.3 billion.

California leads all states in automobile registrations, with a 1954 total of 4,879,210. New York State is second with 3,893,980.

Next year's small grain crop, either for grazing or grain production, can be given a real boost by advanced preparations. Right now the area to be planted should be selected; soil samples from the area should be submitted to a soils laboratory for testing; fertilizers recommended by the soils lab should be purchased; an adapted variety selected along with a source of certified planting seed and finally prepare the seedbed early.



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Cotton Harvest Gaining Speed

Cotton harvesting in Hall County was beginning to pick up some speed this week as sunshiny weather continued to prevail.

However, pullers were able to work only a couple of days or so last week. This, coupled with the fact that much of the cotton in the county still has yet to open slowed ginning. The result was that only an estimated 832 bales had been ginned in the county by Monday, according to William M. Cross of Clarendon, farm placement interviewer for the Texas Employment Commission.

Cross said that at present there are plenty of hands but there possibly will be a demand for more pullers in another week or so. He has headquarters at Bruce Bros. Service Station, at the intersection of Highways 287 and 256, and will be glad to help farmers who are in need of pullers.

W. B. Hooser, county agricultural agent, said Wednesday that he anticipates a cotton crop this year that will match that of last year, when more than 40,000 bales were ginned. He based his belief on the fact that there is more irrigated cotton this year, and also that 1955 cotton production is spread throughout the county, instead of being confined to the Memphis and Hulver-Parnell areas, as it was last year.

Scouters Retreat

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Scoutmaster of the Memphis troop. The camp is located 18 miles east of Canadian. A group of citizens from this area is expected to attend the get-together. Harold W. Lewman of Dallas, regional executive of Region 9, will be the principal speaker. The region covers the states of Oklahoma, Texas and New Mexico.

A number of impressive ceremonies will be conducted during the program.

A free barbecue will follow the program.

Plans are being made to accommodate 700 Scouters, from the 16 area counties that constitute the Adobe Walls Council.

Myers said that at a recent meeting in Pampa he pledged himself to contact 50 committeemen and Scouters, in regard to the Retreat at Camp Ki-O-Wah. He said that he sincerely hoped that all of those to whom he had talked and given tickets at Lakeview and Memphis would attend the gathering, as it would afford them more knowledge of the Scout program, as it is now planned to operate it for the next three years.

Prime purpose of the Retreat is to launch the program of activities in the Adobe Walls Council for 1956. The meeting should prove to be the largest assemblage of volunteer Scouters in the history of the Council.

The gathering is being sponsored by adult members of the Order of the Arrow, honor camper organization of the Boy Scouts of America.



JAP-U. S. CONFERENCE . . . Japanese foreign minister Shigemitsu (left) meets with U. S. secretary of state John Foster Dulles for "world-wide review."



CITY RE-BUILT . . . Night view of Hiroshima, Japan, shows how the people have restored much of damage caused 10 years ago by A-bomb

Memphis High

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Kay may not have to undergo brain surgery but she will have bone surgery. Her injuries included a skull fracture, a fractured pelvis, and lacerations and bruises.

Leslie arrived in Memphis Wednesday night from Dallas but expected to go back this afternoon with Dallas policemen, who were to be here for the funeral services for Cynthia Ann.

Barbara was given emergency treatment for bruises and shock at a Dallas hospital and released. She arrived in Memphis by train Wednesday morning.

Two other Memphis High School girls were sitting in a seat behind the three girls involved in the accident. They are Sharon Harrison, daughter of Mrs. Carl Harrison, and Judy Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Miller.

The five girls were members of the Memphis High School Band, which left here early Monday morning to participate in "Musical Festival Day" at the state fair Tuesday. Band members had planned to return to Memphis late Wednesday but after the accident, cut short their trip and reached here early Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cudd, grandparents of Cynthia, were on another part of the fairgrounds, showing the sights to Cynthia's younger brother. They were informed of the accident by other

Memphis students

Mrs. Allen, mother of Barbara, also was in Dallas.

After the accident, arrangements were made to fly Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie to Dallas. Temple Deaver, Jr., pilot of plane, belonging to Dr. O. R. Goodall, in which Mrs. Leslie was a passenger. Allen and Leslie rode in a plane which took off from Childress.

Funeral services for Cynthia Ann were conducted at 2:30 p. m. today (Thursday) in the First Methodist Church here, of which she was a member. Rev. Lloyd Hamilton, former pastor now pastor of a Berger Methodist Church, Rev. F. A. King, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, and T. T. Posey, minister of the First Christian Church, officiated.

Burial was in Fairview Cemetery, under direction of Spicer Funeral Home.

Cynthia was born here, Dec. 11, 1950. Survivors, other than her father and grandparents, include: the brother, Larry Edd; and a great-grandmother, Mrs. J. C. Morris of Memphis. Cynthia's mother preceded her in death, Oct. 4, 1953.

Business houses and offices in Memphis closed from 2:30 to 3:30 o'clock for the funeral.

Pall bearers were J. C. Christopher, Allen Dunbar, Homer Tucker, Regnal Greenhaw, Leo Fields, Ace Galley, Bill Cosby and Troy Davis.

Students of Memphis High School were honorary pallbearers. The student body attended the funeral as a group.

Boy Scout

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Festival for the past three years. The Queen's coronation ceremonies will be preceded by an all-cotton style show. Live models will exhibit 25 different all-cotton wardrobes, designed by the leading designers of the United States. This event will begin at 7:30 p. m. Friday.

Paul F. Spillman of Wellington, Fifth Division American Legion commander in Texas and also a state vice-commander, will speak Friday afternoon. State Senator Andy Rogers of Childress, is to make an address Saturday morning, and state representative Elbert Reeves is scheduled for a speech Saturday afternoon.

Radio and television stations KGNC of Amarillo, will cover the Festival. On Wednesday night, prior to the opening of the celebration Friday, the 17 Festival Queen contestants will be presented on KGNC-TV, which is on channel 4. The program will start at 6 o'clock.

Farms In

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owned their land, 181 were part owners, one was a manager, and 314 were tenants. There were 26 sharecroppers in 1950, as against 11 in 1954.

Animals on the farms in 1950 included 535 horses and mules, 25,801 cattle and calves, 2,377 milk cows, 3,307 hogs and pigs, 5 sheep and lambs, and 62,334 chickens 4 months and older. In 1954 there were 525 horses and mules, 14,834 cattle and calves, 1019 milk cows, 1,596 hogs and pigs, 128 sheep and lambs, and 27,506 chickens 4 months and older.

Lake Superior is the largest of the Great Lakes.

Poetry Program Scheduled Sunday Is Cancelled

Mrs. Boyd Rogers announced late Wednesday that the program scheduled for Sunday afternoon at the Presbyterian Church in observance of Texas Poetry Day had been cancelled.

The program, which was originally scheduled to begin at 5 o'clock, was to have included music and poetry.

Mrs. Rogers stated it was deemed advisable by sponsors to cancel the program due to unforeseen circumstances which developed this week.

Cover Crop Work Deadline Nearing

Hall County farmers who wish to participate in the winter crop program should get approvals immediately, Lynn L. McKown, manager of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation office here, said Tuesday.

Winter cover crops must be planted by October 28, if producers are to be eligible for government payments, he explained.

Assistance on Austrian winter peas is four cents a pound, and on vetch is 10 cents a pound.

For nurse crops, planted in conjunction with vetch, payments are two cents a pound on barley and oats, and three cents a pound on rye.

McKown said a wind erosion program still is in operation in the county. The government, through A. S. C., is offering \$2 an acre assistance for seeding rye, and \$1.50 an acre for stubble mulching and grain sorghum stalks.

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ISLAND BEAUTY . . . Barbara Mamo Vieira, 22, shows joy at being selected "Miss Hawaii" to enter Atlantic City Miss America beauty pageant.

Lakeview Defeats Chillicothe B Team

The Lakeview Eagles defeated the Chillicothe B team last Thursday night in Eagle Stadium at Lakeview. The score was 12-6, and it was the first victory of the season for the Lakeview boys. It was a non-conference game.

Scoring for Lakeview were James Rice, end, and Ronnie Bailey, quarterback.

The Eagles will meet the Quittaque Panthers Friday night, in a conference contest. The tilt will be played at Lakeview. It should be a hard-fought game, as both teams will be striving for their first district win. Starting time is 7:30 o'clock.

Thomas E. Lenoir

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Sept. 20, 1887.

He was married to Mary E. Humphrey, Jan. 10, 1910, at Paris, Tex. The family moved to Hall County in 1925.

Mr. Lenoir was manager of Hal County Electric Coop for several years.

He was a member of the Baptist Church.

Among survivors are: his wife; four daughters, Mrs. Ellen Sams, Lakeview, Mrs. Eugenia Williams, Seattle, Wash., Mrs. Marguerita Williams, Buelton, Calif., and Mrs. Carrie Lee Hendrickson, Greeney, Colo.; two sisters, Mrs. Carrie Kelton, Paris, and Mrs. Gailther Dunagan, Blossom; and a brother, Robert L. Lenoir, DeKalb, Tex.; and 13 grandchildren. A son, Marshall B. Lenoir, died in 1938.

Pallbearers were Alvin Molloy, Doyle Hall, H. A. Hodges, C. B. Craighead, John Smith and Jack Wolf.

Local B

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for the game, he continued. The casualty is George Perkins, an alternate guard and center, who had a leg broken in scrimmage Monday afternoon. He was taken to a hospital where a cast was placed on the fractured leg and was released, according to Potet. He attended school Tuesday morning.

Potet said the B team was coming along fairly well and the boys were improving as the season progressed.

Last Thursday evening, the squad met Wellington here and lost 20-7.

Shawhart Charged With Liquor Offense

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Billy Shawhart of Memphis was arrested here Saturday and charged with possession of liquor for the purpose of a dry area, sheriff W. P. Baten said Monday. After the officers took possession of 10 pints of whiskey, Baten said.

Shawhart was placed in jail here Saturday night, day afternoon, bond in the amount of \$1,500 by County Tracy Davis.

Shawhart was arraigned day afternoon and bond was set at the same figure, according to Baten. Shawhart made bail and was released, the sheriff said.

Patricia Davis

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community. The vehicle was east.

According to Neel, the accident occurred when young Neel, who was driving a Buick Wildcat, was overtaken by Mrs. N. A. Hartman of Memphis. The truck struck the highway on the west side and overturned. It stopped right side, heading west.

Neither occupant of the vehicle was thrown from the vehicle, officers said.

Patricia was brought to hospital, where she was treated for neck injury and bruising. The attending physician said the injury was minor.

The pickup, which belonged to Worth Howard, was damaged extensively, according to the sheriff.

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Society News

1913 Study Club Meets In Home Of Mrs. Gayle Greene

Mrs. Gayle Greene entertained members of the 1913 Study Club at her home, 904 North 17th Street, Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 5.

As the program, a most interesting panel discussion was directed by Mrs. Ace Gailey and Mrs. O. L. Helm. Subjects for the panel included, "A New Challenge to Education" discussed by Mrs. Gailey; "Is Youth Afraid to Speak His Mind?" given by Mrs. Helm and "Youth At Home and Abroad" which was given by several club members who brought viewpoints from youth of various countries.



BANKERS SHIRT — The classic blouse is an asset in any woman's wardrobe. This blouse called a "Banker's shirt," is designed in a colorful Avondale woven satin strip chambray trimmed with coordinated solid cotton.

Delphian Club Meets In Home Of Mrs. J. S. McMurry

The Delphian Club met Tuesday, Oct. 3, at 4 p. m. in the home of Mrs. J. S. McMurry.

Conducting the business session was the president, Mrs. Sidney Baker. The meditation was given by Mrs. Jack Boone.

Introducing the program, "Where ? ? ? in The World Today," Mrs. Henry Hays compared it with a convex mirror. A convex mirror is one that curves outward as the segments of the globe.

For this program each member of the club had journeyed to some interesting place in the world. For this place each one gave clues for the others to guess where they were. Places visited were Colombia, S. America, Zurich, Switzerland, Minnesota, Catalina Island, Bombay, India, Lisbon, Port., Milan, Italy, Madrid, Spain and many other places. This was a very informative program and was enjoyed by all.

An invitation to the Poetry hour was read to members present.

A tasty dessert plate was served to the following members: Mmes. Sidney Baker, J. L. Barnes, Jack Boone, Robert Clark, Kenneth Dale, W. C. Dickey, Bill Hajek, Henry Hays, C. C. Hodges, Weldon McCreary, Lynn McKown, J. K. Porter, Hershel Potts, Clyde Smith, J. W. Stokes, B. J. Thompson, R. H. Wherry and O. R. Goodall.



HOUSE DECORATED COMPLETELY IN COTTON — Shown above is an attractive living room area decorated completely in cotton. The Z-shaped living-dining room area has wall-to-wall carved cotton carpeting for floor covering. The chairs are covered in cotton tweed upholstery fabric and the draperies are cotton in a modern design interpreting Early American curios. Even the lampshades are cotton chambray.

FALL: CHECK WALLS—First frost signals time to take down screens, remove protecting slipcovers and windows open to last summer's breezes. When but-up for winter, you'll want to get rid of summer dirt on walls, woodwork and overhead fixtures. An ideal campaign for all such household tasks is a good all-purpose synthetic detergent. Along with lots of hot water, also need several clean sponges. First, check on the condition of walls by removing picture frame. You'll probably be amazed at the color difference where the picture has been. Most present-day wall papers are washable, but be sure to test a hidden section for color and finish hard to avoid streaking either paper or paint, always start at the bottom and work up. Next tackle dust traps like lead fixtures, window sills and woodwork. You can use the life of painted or enameled surfaces by waxing when dry. Slipcovers should be vacuumed or shaken out before laundering.

John Fowler Entertains With Tea Tuesday Honoring Mrs. Bob Fowler

of the prettiest socials of the week was the tea given Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. John Fowler to introduce Mrs. Bob Fowler to family friends here. The tea was held at the family home, 3002 Cleveland.

Arriving between the hours of 4 to 6 p. m. were greeted by R. H. Wherry and presented a receiving line composed of the hostesses, Mrs. John Fowler, Mrs. T. A. Hunt, Mrs. Robert Spicer, Mrs. Hester Boudens and Mrs. Barney Burnett.

Approximately 125 guests called during the receiving hours, including one out-of-town visitor, Mrs. E. A. Thomas of Amarillo.

Mrs. Joe DeBerry, president, presided during the business session. On display was the framed picture awarded the club last year at the District Federation convention for the best Indian program.

Announcement was made by Mrs. Boyd Rogers of the program that will be given on Sunday afternoon, October 16 in observance of Texas Poetry Day.

Announcement was also made of the Chest X-ray drive which will be in Memphis on October 22. Several members volunteered to help with this community project.

Mrs. Frank Foxhall, as education counselor, conducted a most informative quiz on Texas Driver's laws.

Tasty refreshments were served to the following members: Mmes. Bob Cooper, L. G. DeBerry, H. A. Finch, Frank Foxhall, Ace Gailey, R. S. Greene, Allen Grandy, O. L. Helm, D. L. C. Kinard, Clyde Milam, Joe Montgomery, Paul Montgomery, Boyd Rogers, M. G. Tarver, Bluford Walker, R. C. Walker, E. M. Wilson, T. M. Harrison, Herschel Combs and hostess, Mrs. Greene.

Texas Poetry Day To Be Observed With Program Sun.

In observance of Texas Poetry Day, a Twilight Time program of poetry and music will be presented at the First Presbyterian Church, Sunday afternoon, Oct. 16, at 5 o'clock, Mrs. Boyd Rogers, chairman of the Memphis observance, states.

Those appearing on the program will be Miss Gertrude Rasco, pianist; Mrs. Forrest Power, organist; Mrs. Robert Sexauer, vocal soloist; Rev. F. E. King, Mrs. T. M. Harrison, Rev. Tom Posey and Mrs. Boyd Rogers as readers of poetry.

The public is cordially invited to attend, Mrs. Rogers said.

"We can think of no comment on poetry more timely at this time than the Poet's Creed," Mrs. Rogers said.

The creed is as follows:

We believe in poetry as a way of thought and a way of life; a medium of emotional release, for we believe that the mission of poetry is to develop awareness, to preserve beauty, to interpret life, and to build and maintain spiritual morale. Therefore, we shall do all in our power to encourage poets, to promote the study and appreciation of poetry, and to give poetry its rightful place among the cultural activities of America.—Nina Willis Walter.

Fire Department And Guests Enjoy Chili Supper

Members of the Memphis Fire Dept. and their families and guests enjoyed a chili supper and get-together on Monday evening at the City Hall.

Tony Craig and Bill Hajek acted as hosts and served the meal assisted by other members of the Department. Red beans, chili, fritos, crackers, pie, coffee and orange juice were served buffet style. Large tables were arranged at which guests were seated.

After the meal, a social hour was held with a sing-song led by Thomas Clayton, with Mrs. N. D. Callaway at the piano.

Gamma Kappa Chapter Meets For Luncheon

The Gamma Kappa Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma of the counties of Childress, Collingsworth, Donley and Hall met for a luncheon at the Cyclone Drive in Saturday, Oct. 8. Twenty-one members were in attendance.

Miss Zady Belle Walker, president, presided over the business session. Mrs. Sarah Jo Covey of Wellington, program chairman, introduced the program. "Selective Recruitment; Facing a Grave Shortage of Good Teachers" was the subject for discussion. Mrs. D. C. Morris, as chairman, led the panel discussion. Other members participating were Mrs. Homer Tribble, Zady Belle Walker, Neville Wren, Vera Gilreath, and Esta McElrath.

Salisbury Club Meets Tuesday

The Salisbury Club met Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 4, with Mrs. E. Lee and Mrs. E. L. McQueen assisting with hostess duties.

The afternoon was spent quilting a quilt which will be sent to Girlstown.

Plans were made for the annual family dinner which will be held in the home of Mrs. Ed Hutchinson. The dinner is slated instead of the next regular meeting.

Coffee and doughnuts were served to the following members: Mmes. C. F. Stout, L. I. Davis, Ida Hutchinson, E. E. Rice, E. L. Kilgore, Dick Watson, Jess Mitchell, D. W. Lawrence, E. L. McQueen, E. Lee and one guest, Mrs. Gene Chamberlain.

Estelline FHA Initiates Eleven Freshman Girls

At the regular meeting of the Estelline Chapter of F. H. A. this week the freshman girls were initiated into the organization.

Each girl was given a beauty treatment, during which each fingernail was painted a different color and the hair was arranged in humorous coiffures. Other humorous stunts were conducted. On Tuesday each girl had to dress in men's clothing, wear onions around the neck and bring a doll to school.

The following girls were initiated: Linda Altman, Sonja Anthony, Nelda Arnold, Linda Hayes, Patsy McClendon, Patricia Nivins, Dorothy Phillips, Janice Rogers, Linda Walker, Murream Ward, and Wanda White.

Mrs. Lester Phillips, advisor, and Mrs. Claude Fowler, Mrs. Elam Orcutt, and Mrs. Joe Eddins were present with the regular members.

WMU Circle Meets For Study In McMurry Home

The Mildred Crabtree Circle of the First Baptist Church W. M. U. met October 10 in the home of Mrs. Jim McMurry to start the new year.

Mrs. H. L. Gillespie, circle leader, presided over the meeting. Mrs. Sam Foxhall led in the opening prayer and an inspiring devotional on "Friendship with Jesus" was given by Mrs. Edward Hill.

Mrs. S. M. Watts, mission study teacher gave the first in a series of lessons on the mission book, "World Within a World."

Plans were made to sponsor the R. A. Boys for the coming year.

Tasty refreshments were served to the following members: Mmes. S. M. Watts, Leon Randolph, Edward Hill, Sam Foxhall, J. W. Fitzjerald, T. J. Bridges, Emma Baskerville, Frank Ellis, W. T. Hightower, Robert Moss, May Cooper, Fern Miller, H. L. Gillespie, Claude Harris, Estelle Barber and hostesses, Mrs. Jim McMurry.

Estelline Pupils Give Program At PTA Meeting

The First and Second Grade pupils of the Estelline school entertained with a miscellaneous program when the Estelline Parent-Teacher Association met in regular session this week.

Mrs. L. A. Tucker was director of the program and Mrs. A. D. Britt served as accompanist.

The program was as follows: health play, "Mother Goose's Healthy Children"; song, "Have Faith, Hope and Charity"; reading, "Sonny Two Shoes," by Jack Fewkes and folk game, "Bow Bow Blinda, Round and Round the Village, Do You Know the Muffin Man and Button, Button."

Mrs. Bill Collins, president, conducted the business meeting after the program. Plans were begun for the annual Halloween carnival.

A large crowd attended the meeting.

MEMPHIS COUPLE AT CHICAGO MEETING

Mrs. and Mrs. Mills Roberts are in Chicago this week attending the 58th annual convention of the United States Independent Telephone Association.

Roberts is Northern Division Manager for General Telephone Company of the Southwest. He is one of seven officials of General Telephone Company of the Southwest attending the three-day meeting. About 2,000 persons are in attendance at the convention.

Mrs. O. L. Hammonds spent the weekend in Childress with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Huddleston.

PLASKA

Visiting Mrs. Raymond Foster Monday were Mrs. Clyde Lee, Oliver and Mrs. A. H. Orr. Mrs. Lewis Edwards, Mrs. J. W. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McMaster of Lakeview visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Oliver Sunday. They also visited in Memphis in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Spencer in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Orr and Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Jackson visited Mr. and Mrs. Coy Clark on Sunday night.

Visiting Mrs. Polka Adcock Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Adcock and children of Newlin and Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Vallance of Memphis.

Mrs. E. J. Galloway and Mrs. L. A. Bray visited Monday in Amarillo with Mrs. Shirley Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Baker and Mrs. Elmer Baker of Olton visited Mr. and Mrs. John Provence Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Provence returned home with them for an indefinite visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Strong of Hawthorne, Nev., visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Orr Friday night.

Mrs. Viola Hoffman of Santa Maria, Calif., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cortie Dunn.

Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Sherley of Friona spent Sunday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Collin Craighead and attended the funeral of T. E. Lenoir Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. B. E. Durrett was called to Snyder for the funeral of her brother, Gordon Mixon. The funeral was at Snyder and his body was brought to Lakeview for burial.

Mrs. Lloyd Byars of Amarillo visited here Monday and attended the graveside service of her uncle, Arthur Mixon.

This community was grieved by the death of T. E. Lenoir who has been a resident of the Plaska community for 30 years. All four of the Lenoir girls were here for the funeral and included Mrs. Eugene Williams of Seattle, Wash., Caria Dell Hendrickson of Greeley, Colo., Margrette Williams of Buelton, Calif., and Ellen Sams who lives here at Plaska.

Mrs. Pauline Williams and Mrs. K. D. Nabers were in Hedley Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Orr visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Spencer at Memphis Friday night.

Rev. and Mrs. Milton Redding and boys, Fort Worth, spent Sunday night in the H. A. Hodges home.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hodges Sunday night were Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bray, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hall, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hall, Mrs. W. R. Orr, all of Wellington, and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Orr and Carylon visited Sunday in the M. N. Orr home.

Mrs. Charley Whitfield is reported on the sick list this week. Jim Brooks suffered a heart attack last week. He is much improved this week.

Patsy Nabers was in the hospital Sunday night and Monday until noon receiving treatment for a virus.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bray honored their grandmother, Mrs. Amanda Martin and their mother, Mrs. L. A. Bray with a birthday dinner Sunday in their home in Memphis.

Out-of-town friends and relatives here for the funeral of T. E. Lenoir were his brother, Robert Lenoir of DeKalb, his sister, Mrs. Geith Dunagan and Jimmie Dunagan of Blossom, Mr. and Mrs. George Bradford of Dimmitt, Mr. and Mrs. John Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lowe and Elbert Lowe, all of Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Roberts and daughter of Amarillo, Kenneth Sams of Amarillo and Mrs. Estlack of Cleveland.

Baptist Class Installs Officers At Tuesday Meet

The Golden Circle Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Byron Baldwin Tuesday evening, Oct. 4, for the regular monthly meeting.

La Verne Rollins gave an inspiring devotional on Size using Matt. 20:20-28 and Mark 9:33-35 as scripture.

The President Mrs. Billy Waites conducted a short business session, and was presented a gift from the class in appreciation of her work for the past year.

Mrs. Bill Langston installed the officers for the coming year in a beautiful service using flowers to represent faith, courage, hope, patience, service, kindness, progress and thoughtfulness as she made a bouquet.

The following officers were named: Ruth Jones, president; Margaret Hancock, vice president; Oma Jean Parr, secretary and Pauline Kilpatrick, treasurer.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following members: Bess Yarbrough, Georgia Porter, Virginia Jones, Peggy Moss, Pauline Kilpatrick, Billy Waites, Betty McBea, Peggy Fowler, Margaret Hancock, Ruth Jones, Laverne Rollins, Mozelle Vandiver, one guest, Mrs. Bill Langston and the hostess, Mrs. Baldwin.

Mrs. E. F. Kennedy Gives Book Review At Estelline Club

Mrs. E. F. Kennedy reviewed "Maria: Potter of San Ildefonso" by Alice Marriott before members of the 1932 Culture Club of Estelline on Wednesday, October 5. The meeting was held in the home of Mrs. Ben Jackson.

Following the review, Mrs. Albert Bailey conducted a short business session.

The hostess served delicious tuna salad with crackers and coffee or tea to the following guests: Mmes. Arthur Eddleman, W. M. Roberts, Marvin Leech, and J. W. Green of Childress and the following members: Mmes. Raleigh Adams, A. H. Bailey, J. A. Ballard, John Chaudoin, H. E. Clifton, F. O. Cooper, D. T. Eddins, Joe Eddins, R. V. Wood, E. F. Kennedy, J. L. Mothershead, Leon Phillips, J. B. Rapp and W. M. Whaley.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks to each one who was so very kind to me during my recent illness. I appreciate the flowers, all the "get-well" cards, and the fine food which was brought to my hospital room. Especially do I want to thank Dr. Odum and the nurses for their care.

I shall never forget your kindness.

Mrs. R. V. Messer

Farm Activity Likely To Cause Raise In Accidents

COLLEGE STATION — Farms across Texas are humming with activity. Harvest season in full swing means longer hours of hard work with more highway travel for farm residents.

It is also the season, says W. L. Ulich, extension agricultural engineer, when farm accident statistics usually take a sharp turn upward. More and complicated machinery is used during the harvest season than for any other period of the year and the long hours on the job mean more fatigue — both heavy contributors to farm accidents. Hauling the farm produce to market means more highway travel and increased chances for traffic accidents, cautions the specialist.

Ulich believes that farm families can reduce accidents greatly if they'll answer a simple question. "Can I possibly get hurt doing the job or be more careful and always alert," says the engineer.

Automobile-tractor wrecks usually increase during the fall because tractors are often used to pull trailers loaded with cotton, grain and other farm products. "Be sure," warns Ulich, "that your tractor is properly lighted if it is to be on the highway after dark."

Also be sure you can see ahead as well as to the side and rear of the vehicle you are operating. Make sure others can see your tractor. Use flags during the day and proper lights at night and check brakes and steering mechanism before going on the highway.

Ulich says rear end collisions account for 36 per cent of the tractor accidents and 14 tractor-driver fatalities occur for each auto fatality from highway tractor-auto accidents.

And concludes Ulich, "Statistics won't harvest crops especially when used to record a fatality from a needless farm accident."

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Reed of Drumright, Okla., are visiting here this week with Mrs. Reed's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gurley.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Combs spent the weekend in Borger with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Roy Leverett of Amarillo were in Memphis the first of the week to attend funeral services for Joe DeBerry. While here they were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Baldwin.



BPOE CHIEF . . . John L. Walker of Roanoke, Va., was elected national head of Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks at 91st grand lodge convention in Philadelphia.

Piano Teachers Guild Offering Big Cash Prizes

Sixteen thousand dollars in cash prizes are being offered piano students of all grades by the National Guild of Piano Teachers through its International Piano Recording Festival, it was announced here this week.

This past spring, more than 43,000 piano students throughout the United States took part in the Guild's non-competitive auditions. Those whose ratings showed that they had commendable playing habits, became eligible to enter the Recording Festival. There are 26 events and in many cases, players are eligible to compete in more than one event.

It is hoped by local members of the National Guild that Memphis students will become interested in this work.

Last year, Jan Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith of Memphis, won a cash prize and a gold medal, with her recording. She has studied piano with Mrs. T. L. Rouse and Miss Lilly Larsen. Other Guild members here are Mrs. L. G. Rasco, Mrs. Conley Ward and Miss Gertrude Rasco.

The Recording Festival will run from Oct. 1 through Dec. 15. A first prize of \$750 will be awarded to a qualified young artist, with \$100 each going to the next five per cent in this class. College students may try for \$125 prizes, and \$50 each will be awarded to high school students who place first in their group. Elementary school children will compete for \$25, \$15, \$10, and \$5 cash prizes.

All cash prize winners also will receive a gold medal, and pictures of the most advanced students will appear in national music magazines.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hutchinson returned to their home in Denver, Colo., Wednesday after visiting here for the past two weeks with Mrs. Hutchinson's mother, Mrs. Cleve Evans. Mrs. Evans accompanied them home for a visit in Denver.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bownd and baby of Amarillo were weekend guests in the home of Mrs. Bownds' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Brewer.

Rita Jo Hale, accompanied by five classmates who are attending nurses school in Austin, visited here for a short while Saturday morning with her mother, Mrs. Perry Hale. They were en route to Amarillo to spend the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ferrel and children were Dallas visitors the first of the week. While there they attended the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Richards and family of Muleshoe visited here over the weekend with friends. The Richards moved to Muleshoe in the summer.

Mrs. Ira Foster and John, of Amarillo, spent the weekend in Memphis with Mrs. J. C. Wilson and Grace, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hansard and James Ira. Mrs. Foster and John and Mr. and Mrs. Hansard and James Ira went to Pampa Sunday, to a fiftieth wedding anniversary in honor of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gatlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Arval McClure of Whiteface visited here Friday night with his brother, Roy McClure and wife.

Mrs. Sam Moore of Childress spent Friday with her mother, Mrs. G. M. Bass.

Mrs. Mary Jameson attended a Telephone meeting in San Angelo last week.

Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Brown of Tyler visited here over the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Baldwin. They were en route to Amarillo.

Mrs. C. A. Williams has been ill for some time, but is greatly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Spivey in Amarillo on Tuesday week on business.



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ing Less Important Today, Poultry Authority Declares

STATION — Culling of the oldest flock members used by poultrymen to maintain high egg production is less important today than in the past, according to a report from the Food and Agricultural Organization of the United Nations.

At the end of each laying year, thereby eliminating the job of trying to select the best hens to carry over for the second year of production.

Too, the specialist explains, breeding methods have been intensified to the extent that where top quality chicks have been used the resulting flock will lay for eight or nine months at a rate that makes culling of healthy hens unnecessary. If a flock of top bred birds is not laying at a high rate, Wormell says the poultryman had best do some checking on the care and management his hens have been receiving. When corrections are made, the flock should return to a satisfactory rate of production.

The poultryman has an investment of from \$1.75 to 2.25 in a pullet by the time she begins to produce. This cost, points out Wormell, must be recovered along with the expense of keeping her in production before any profit can be realized. The replacement flock must be well bred to justify these costs.

If a hen is removed by close culling early in the laying year, she is a sure money loser because she didn't have a chance to pay off the investment. Studies now are indicating, the specialist says, that a hen may take as long as a two-week pause and lay a profitable number of eggs before the end of the laying year. If she had been culled early, this couldn't happen.

On the other hand, Wormell says if the hen goes out of production near the end of the laying year, she should be culled because there isn't sufficient time for her to make a recovery and

produce a worthwhile number of eggs.

These rules point up the need for poultrymen to be very careful about buying chicks for the laying flock which have the very best breeding in them, says Wormell. Too, he says, research findings are showing there is a correlation between death losses in chicks and mortality in the flocks produced from the chicks.

Know the records not only from the standpoint of eggs produced but also the weight of eggs and the mortality record of the flock from which replacement chicks are purchased, advises Wormell. Buy the ones which are bred to lay.

Food Lists

STATION — Features on the USDA's October food list go to pork, potatoes, and apples.

Traveling to Mae Belle, the Texas Agricultural Service, generous in beef, broilers and fryers, tuna, pinto beans, and other dairy products.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed proposals addressed O. L. Helm, Mayor, City of Memphis, Texas, will be received at the City Hall until 7:30 p.m., Nov. 1, 1955, then publicly opened and read, for furnishing all necessary materials, machinery, equipment, superintendence and labor for the construction of Sanitary Sewage Extensions, in accordance with the plans and specifications on file at the City Hall.

Bidders must furnish Cashier's or Certified Check issued by a Bank satisfactory to OWNER, or a Bidder's Bond from a reliable Surety Company, payable without recourse to the order of O. L. Helm, Mayor, City of Memphis, Texas, in an amount not less than five (5%) per cent of the largest possible bid submitted as a guaranty that Bidder will enter into a contract and execute bond and guaranty on the forms provided within ten (10) days after notice of contract to him. Bids without required Bond will not be considered.

The Successful Bidder must furnish performance bond on the approved form in the amount of 10% per cent of total contract price from a Surety Company holding a permit from the State of Texas to act as Surety, or other Surety or Sureties acceptable to the OWNER.

All lump sum and unit prices must be stated in both script and figures. The OWNER reserves the right to reject any or all bids and

ject any bid.

Bidders are expected to inspect the site of the work and to inform themselves regarding all local conditions.

Attention is called to the fact that there must be paid on this project not less than the general prevailing rates of wages which have been established by the OWNER and are on file in the Office of the City Secretary, City of Memphis, Texas.

This is a "Public Works" Project, as defined in House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature and Article 5159a, V. R. C. S. and House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas and Article 1580, V. P. C., and such is subject to the provisions of said House Bills. No provision or any part herein are intended to be in conflict with the provisions of said act and the same are incorporated herein by special reference.

Instructions to bidders, proposal forms, specifications and plans are on file at the City Hall, Memphis, Texas.

Copies may be obtained from Dunbar and Dickson, Consulting Engineers, 225 West 7th Street, Freeport, Texas, upon deposit of ten (10) dollars. The deposit will be returned as a result of a bona-fide bid or upon return of the plans and specifications in an undamaged condition within ten

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Many Texans Have Mistaken Ideas Of Rights As Drivers

Pedestrians must yield the right of way to cars at places other than intersections and marked crosswalks and they must obey traffic lights.

A blind pedestrian, however, who raises or extends a white cane or who is being led by a guide dog has the right of way anywhere.

3. When a school bus stops to pick up or discharge children, you have to stop if you are behind it and traveling in the same direction.—Only partly correct. Texas law says you have to stop whenever a school bus stops no matter in which direction you're driving.

4. You don't have to stop on yellow when a traffic signal is changing from green to red.—Wrong. Texas law requires approaching traffic to stop as soon as the light turns yellow unless the car has already entered the intersection.

There is one exception: You can proceed on yellow "cautiously" if you can't stop with safety. But if you can't stop with safety, the Kemper executive commented, the chances are you're driving too fast.

5. You can start through an intersection when the light changes from red to yellow.—Wrong again. Under state law, you're not to start until the light has turned green—and even then you're supposed to wait until all pedestrians and vehicles have cleared the intersection.

Intersections are turning into battlegrounds because drivers do not understand what a yellow light means, Hook said.

6. You can make a turn anytime as long as you signal.—Not so. To make a turn, you have to be in the proper lane and you're required to signal at least 100 feet before you turn.

Many drivers apparently believe they can turn from any lane as long as they signal first, others don't signal until just before they turn while still others just don't signal.

7. You can pass anytime as long as you see an opening.—Wrong. Texas law says you have to give the car coming from the opposite direction at least 100 feet clearance after you have passed. You shouldn't pass at all when approaching a bridge, viaduct or a railroad crossing.

8. Cars must watch for pedestrians walking on the roadway.—While that's a good idea, the law says a pedestrian must walk on the left side of the road or on the left shoulder and must step off to the left when a car approaches. It's also illegal to walk in a roadway if a sidewalk is provided.

9. Bicycles are not subject to traffic laws.—Not so. Bicyclists must obey the same laws as drivers of motor vehicles.

10. A passenger who urges the driver to violate a traffic law is in the clear if the driver is caught.—Wrong. Hook said that under the law anyone getting a driver to violate a law is considered just as guilty as the driver.

Another common misconception that many drivers have is the be-

Says Marked Game Should Be Reported

AUSTIN — Texas hunters were asked by E. A. Walker, director of wildlife for the Game and Fish Commission to report bagging all banded or tagged game.

Walker said the principal purpose of marking birds and other animals is to help technicians to trace migratory habits of the same and to accumulate other data that can be used in wildlife management.

Pork, rice and potatoes top the USDA's October plentiful foods list. But beef, broilers and fryers, cheese and other dairy products, pinto beans and canned tuna are also in heavy supply.

Thirteen Initiated Into Estelline FFA

Thirteen green hands were initiated and became regular members at a meeting of the Estelline Future Farmers of America chapter last week.

Freshman boys who became full fledged members were: Gary Adams, Joe Corona, Gary Cox, Ronald Crump, Morris Crump, Daniel Davidson, Don James, Ray Lambert, Owen Leech, Boyd

Rattlers Give Hunters Bad Time

AUSTIN — Dove hunters have reported so many narrow escapes from rattlesnakes that Howard Dodgen, executive secretary of the Game and Fish Commission cautioned city folks unfamiliar with the outdoors against "walking without watching."

"There probably are no more rattlers but just more hunters," observed Dodgen. "Anyway it won't hurt for folks to be more observant about snakes as well as everything else. Thus they will protect themselves and get more in general from their fall contact with nature."

A Texarkana hunter got some sport from a hassle with two rattlers. He lined up their heads and got both with one shot.

Refreshments consisted of iced pipes, Gary Rogers, Fred Williams and Michael Williams.

Twenty-two regular members were present for the meeting. Tom Seay, advisor, was in charge.

The green hands were required to perform various humorous

Mr. and Mrs. Layton Gillespie and Dudley and Gary spent the weekend in Dallas with Larry Gillespie and wife. While there they all attended the State Fair.

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In Texas Comeback

TEXAS hunters this year are able to notice gains in population because of milder weather and general improvement, reports E. A. Walker, director of wildlife for the Game and Fish Commission.

Walker said the primary cause of the comeback is the increased rainfall and milder weather. However, the director said public interest in hunting has been a factor in the comeback.

Walker said that under the law anyone getting a driver to violate a law is considered just as guilty as the driver.

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Editorial

Farming Of The Future

We have thought we have witnessed remarkable progress
in agriculture in the United States within the past few decades
—and actually we have, when we compare methods and ma-
chinery now in use with those in use not many years ago. But
the atomic age apparently is going to have as great an impact
on farming as it will on other phases of human activity.

An article in the October issue of The Progressive Farmer,
purportedly gives an insight into what some men of science
are predicting.

By the machine shed, says the article, as it starts out to
envision life on the farm in the atomic age, stands an atomic
tractor, smaller, stronger than any known and capable of run-
ning for years without refueling.

Suitcase-size atomic engines provide power for producing
crops, spraying orchards and for irrigating them. Continuing
the imaginary tour into the future, the article declares that an
atomic watermaker may make possible a growing season in a
year of drouth. The fields themselves will be fuller and plants
may have different appearances.

"Not only is it possible to increase substantially the yield
of crops now known," says Dr. John C. Bugher of the Atomic
Energy Commission staff, "but through the application of
radiation to plant genetics, it is feasible to compress into a span
of two or three years what would have taken a century of
laborious plant breeding and selection to accomplish."

Think all this is far fetched? Well, there's still more to
come, according to the farm magazine.
For instance, cattle, sheep and other livestock may have
a new look because if higher yields and resistance to disease
can be induced in plants, why not in animals, atomic research-
ers ask. In a quest for the answer, scientists at Oak Ridge,
Tenn., are exposing mice to atomic radiation to learn more
of its effect in animal breeding.

Other possibilities include "new" hogs which will be re-
sistant to erysipelas, cattle that will withstand brucellosis and
hot weather, and sheep that will grow better wools.

And scientists foresee the day when atomic power will
handle grain, grind feed, clean barns, and take care of hun-
dreds of other jobs which now use gasoline, electricity, or
manpower.

They believe atomic sky trucks are going to make the
whole wide world a potential market for American farm prod-
ucts, and the perishables that are gathered one day will be
on sale the next at such scattered points as South Africa, Siam
and Australia.

Nor do the wonder workers stop here, for by nature, they
are never satisfied, but keep striving for new frontiers. Among
other barriers they are trying to break are production of food
from carbon dioxide, water and sunlight thus bypassing plant
life; and ways to wipe out epidemics from infectious agents.

We hope we are around to see some of the changes in
agriculture that are being cooked up in the laboratories of this
nation, because they probably are going to be eye-popping.

It might even be possible that scientists will find a solution
to the perennial farm problem. If they do, that will really be
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Press Paragraphs —
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County Unit System

The following news story ap-
peared in last week's edition of
The Ochiltree County Herald at
Perryton, and we'd like to recom-
mend it to the attention of Hemphill
County Commissioners . . .
and Hemphill County taxpayers:
D. S. "Bus" Maxwell has been
recently appointed county roads
overseer by the commissioners
court and has been given full
authority for maintenance of county
roads.

The county is now operating on
a county unit system instead of
the precinct system and all county
equipment is shared from a com-
mon warehouse.

Maxwell has been made respon-
sible for all road work and all
employees work under his super-
vision. He has had the authority
to hire and fire county employes
and is to attend the regular meet-
ings of the commissioner's court.

He is to tour the roads in each
precinct with each commissioner
at least once a month.

The county unit system of road
maintenance has proved to be a
more efficient and economical
method than the precinct method,
according to reports from counties
which have tried both systems.

The "county unit" system is
already partially in effect in
Hemphill County, in that a central
maintenance shop is maintained at
the County Airport for the repair
and maintenance of county-owned
machines.

But road machinery is still pur-
chased at the precinct level. There
is no standardization of equip-
ment . . . in spite of the obvious
advantages, and savings in repairs
and parts, of standardizing one
type of machine. And County
Commissioners, by negotiating in-
dividually, are missing another ob-
vious advantage of centralizing
purchasing power . . . the quantity
discount which most suppliers are
eager to make on multiple sales.

Central maintenance is certainly
good . . . but it's considerably
less than "half a loaf" and half
a loaf isn't good enough. Central
purchasing and central supervision
under the county unit system of
road maintenance is the modern,
business-like and efficient way of
handling the job. Think it over,
and talk to your precinct commis-
sioner about it.

Another Farm Gain

An event which did not receive
the notice that perhaps it should
have received was the announce-
ment by the U. S. Department of
Agriculture a few weeks ago that
a new type of hybrid grain sorghum
had been successfully de-
veloped.

The development of this new
hybrid may mean a drastic change
in the farming operations of this
area. It will increase yields from
20 to 40 per cent and the experts
say that in a normal moisture
year, yields of 110 to 125 bushels
per acre will not be uncommon.

This area has long been a grain
sorghum area, and the acreage
has grown rapidly in recent years
with the development of improved
varieties of combine milo. Now
the stage is set for more acreage
devoted to grain sorghum and re-
duction in wheat acreage.

The new hybrid seed, which is
a dwarf type stock, will require
less moisture and less soil food
than any other variety now being
grown. Some enthusiastic observ-
ers think grain sorghum may even
push wheat out of the number one

spot in our agriculture picture.
The agriculture department at
Texas Tech has long worked on
developing grain sorghum vari-
eties. Their goal is to put grain
sorghums in the same position in
this area as corn occupies in the
middle west.

Experts have long contended

that the best use of agriculture
in the plains area is as a livestock
feeding center, using grain sorghums
in place of corn. With
proper development, this area
could supplant the middle west
feeder territory as the nation's
major supplier of grain-fed beef.
—Ochiltree County Herald, Perry-
ton.

Christopher Columbus is buried
in the cathedral of Seville, Spain.



Memories
Turning Back Time
From
The Democrat Files

24 Years Ago

AUTOMOBILE RACES FEAT-
URE OPENING DAY OF FAIR

—With a fairly large crowd on
hand, the Hall County District
Fair was officially opened Wed-
nesday afternoon with automobile
races. Fred Gerlach was first in
an eight-mile modified stock car
race, and Raymond Ballew was
first in a 12-mile handicap race.
In a 20-mile sweepstakes race,
Fred Gerlach was first, Raymond
Ballew was second, and C. L.
Sloan, Jr., was third.

In the eight-mile race, Bill Mon-
zinger narrowly escaped injury
when his car overturned while he
was making the turn on the north-
west curve. The car turned end
over end and Monzinger was
thrown clear but sustained only
minor injuries to his side and
back.

MOSES FREED IN TRIAL
THURSDAY—J. F. Moses charged
with the murder of J. T.
Thompson on the Esteline-Turkey
highway on Sept. 9 was freed by
a jury in district court Thursday
morning. The alleged murder oc-
curred 6 miles east of Turkey.

EFFORT IS MADE TO CUT
COSTS TAX BURDEN — A com-
mittee of local citizens has been
appointed by Col. C. T. Matkin,
president of the Memphis Cham-
ber of Commerce, to act in coop-
eration with the West Texas Cham-
ber of Commerce and the United
States Chamber of Commerce in
perfecting an organization of tax-
payers to sponsor a movement for
reduction in governmental expend-
itures.

Appointed on the committee
were Judge A. S. Moss and W.
P. Dial, S. T. Harrison, D. L. C.
Kinard, T. M. McMurphy and D.
A. Grundy.

STRICTLY PERSONAL — Mr.
and Mrs. Raymond Brunley of
Pampa spent the weekend with his

parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H.
ley, and her mother, Mrs.
J. Jones . . . Dr. and Mrs.
Vineyard of Amarillo visited
day with his sister, Mrs.
Wells . . . Mr. and Mrs.
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Sunday.

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ing with the first peace-time
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enacted.

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chief registrar of Precinct
Memphis. His helpers will
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Denny, W. B. Russell, Jack
W. C. Davis, Chauncey
H. H. Gilmore, Carl Parham
W. J. Bragg.

Serving as chief regis-
Precinct 13 in Memphis
T. J. Dunbar. He will be
ed by D. L. C. Kinard,
Smith, O. V. Alexander,
Davenport, M. G. Tarver,
Springer, Lloyd Phillips,
Smyers, Roy Fultz and H.
laney.

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Traffic Official Stresses Danger Of Darkness

"Darkness is an invitation to death!"

In these words, E. C. McFadden of Dallas, president of the Texas Safety Association, Inc., warns Texas motorists to increase their vigilance when driving after dark. McFadden's warning was issued as part of the night traffic hazards program the Texas Safety Association, the Department of Public Safety and the National Safety Council are conducting during October.

"More people are killed in traffic accidents during the hours of twilight, darkness, and dawn than in daylight, although far less driving is done in the darker hours," McFadden said.

He reminded drivers that they can't see as far in dusk or darkness as in daylight.

"On a very dark road, McFadden said, 'you can't see farther than your headlight beam. So be sure your speed is slow enough that you can stop within the distance covered by the beam.'"

McFadden gave the following Texas Safety Association rules for safe night driving:

1. Slow down. Don't regulate your speed by posted speed limits alone. Remember, speed must be governed by conditions, and darkness is a condition that calls for caution.

2. Have your car checked frequently by a competent mechanic. Have him check your lights to be sure they are aimed properly. This is especially necessary if you have the new, more powerful headlights. These headlights give additional light, added visual distance along the right side of the road and reduce glare when properly aimed. However, if not properly aimed, their increased power increases the danger of blinding an oncoming driver.

3. Be alert. Keep a constant look-out for pedestrians and for vehicles with dim lights or no lights at all.

4. Don't wear tinted glasses at night. The advantage they offer in cutting glare is more than offset by the disadvantages in reduced vision.

5. Turn on your lights at the first hint of dusk — before they are really necessary for road illumination. This is advisable because lights are needed for identification by others before they are needed by the driver for road illumination.

6. Use headlights properly. Use upper beam on rural highways and when no car is approaching within 1,000 feet. Use the lower beam when oncoming cars approach, when you are overtaking another car, and when driving in cities and residential areas.

7. Dim your lights even though an oncoming car fails to dim his. Trying to get even by blinding him is risking your own neck as well as his. Maintain control of your car by looking at the right shoulder of the highway.

8. Be sure all lights on your car are turned on before you pull onto a thoroughfare at night.

9. Never stop on the traveled portion of the highway at night. If you must stop at night, pull completely off the road, leaving parking and dome lights on. Carry flares for use in emergencies.

10. Drive by the Golden Rule. Give the other fellow the benefit of any doubt in traffic. Be your brother's keeper!

McFadden also had a word of advice for night pedestrians and cyclists.

"Remember, it's easier for you to see a car than it is for the driver to see you," he said. "Make yourself visible. This means headlight and taillight for the bike and white or reflectorized clothing for both cyclist or pedestrian."

Now is the time to thoroughly inspect and adjust heating equipment. Don't wait until heat is needed in the home to make sure the equipment is ready for winter use. Proper care now will greatly reduce chances for accidents or fires in the home. October 9-15 is National Fire Prevention Week.

One of the toughest problems faced by the livestock producer is balancing livestock numbers with available range feed and forage. The well planned livestock program, says A. H. Walker, extension range specialist, should be based on average years and not on a single good year.

It's the occasional, heavy, gully-forming deluge, not just ordinary rainfall, that puts a farm drainage system to the test. At such times, grass waterways can offer the supplemental drainage needed to protect both land and crops.

During the period from Sept. 1, 1954-August 31, 1955, 146 employees of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service attended college to get information which they believed would be valuable to their work with rural families. Another group of 126 county agents and assistants received training in irrigation, sheep and wool and soils.

WORDS & THOUGHTS



Violations Costly To Texas Hunters

AUSTIN — Justices of the Peace fixed the maximum fine of \$200 plus court costs on four separate cases charging illegal possession of fawn deer, according to the monthly Game and Fish Commission arrest report.

The crackdown marked an unusual number of complaints about persons picking up newly born deer on the mistaken premise that they had been abandoned. Wildlife

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authorities caution against this action since female deer would reclaim their offspring after the misguided do-gooders departed.

The maximum fines were lodged against persons in Houston, Pootet, Schulenberg and Pasadena (Houston suburb).

In the effort to discourage persons with interfering with members of the Animal Kingdom, the Legislature passed a law making it illegal to possess wild deer

and some other species, without a permit. Another reason for discouraging attempts to domesticate wild animals is that they often times become nuisances and in many instances actually become dangerous after growing up and becoming frustrated in captivity.

The monthly report reflected stern court action against some flagrant violators such as a Pampa citizen who was fined \$150.00 plus court costs for shooting wild

turkey out of season and a Borger man fined \$200.00 for hunting antelope before the season opened.

Some other violations, reflecting common problems of the fall wildlife harvest, concerned shooting from automobiles, exceeding the dove limit, using a shotgun without a three-shell plug device, shooting ducks out of season, and hunting without a license.

A seldom used law was used in prosecuting an Atlanta, Texas,

man for driving a motorboat at a dangerous rate of speed on Lake Caddo.

Some of the commercial dealers got into trouble and three Houston men were fined \$100.00 each plus costs for selling shrimp without a license. A Port Isabel man got a similar penalty, plus the loss of his dealer's license, for selling oysters without sanitary containers.

Heavy infestations of the commonly known as tick, chicken ticks, can take out of the market poultry keys. Reports wide state indicate that key flocks are being this insect pest. Apply measures as soon as the found. Local county supply information on methods.

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