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Home Paper

"Bringing News to People You Know"

Cotton Sign-Up to Close Friday

Participants Med Thru Wed.

Friday, March 1) that local farmers... contracts placed... 1957... Reserve program... Lynn... Stabilization and Conser... office, said this week... Friday a total of 167 far... signed contracts cover... acres of land. Payments... amount of land would be... 2.80, providing the partic... fulfill the terms of the... Farmers who have also... to place land in excess... cent of their cotton al... in the program will rece... additional \$195,630.20 if... available after the sign... is over... last Friday until Wednes... this week an additional 52... had placed land in the... bringing the total partic... to 219. Total acreage... Wednesday was approx... 7,900 acres... this year the ASC of... of an allotment of... \$100 to be used for the... Acreage Reserve program... said this amount would... be enough to cover ev... wanting to enter the pro... urged farmers to come... office immediately if... to enter the Acreage... program.

Estelline Lions Club To Sponsor Donkey Basketball Saturday

The Estelline Lions Club will sponsor a Donkey Basketball game Saturday night, L. C. Richburg, president of the organization announced this week.

The event will take place at the High School gymnasium and will begin at 7:30 p. m., he said. Estelline residents will act as players for the match. Both teams will be mounted on donkeys.

Similar events in the past have sometimes proven that players were thrown closer to the basket than the ball.

Greenbelt Water Authority Bill Passes House

The House of Representatives in Austin this week voted its approval of a bill amending the 1954 act that created the Greenbelt Municipal and Industrial Water Authority for Memphis and the other surrounding towns.

The measure provides that any community that votes against confirming its participation in the district is automatically excluded from the district.

Sponsor of the bill, Rep. Will Ehrle of Childress, explained the amendment was designed to cure some local objections to the act—among them that it fails to specify whether confirmation shall be voted by a majority of the voters or by a majority of the participating cities.

A conformation election has not been called yet and engineering studies have located the dam site on Salt Fork of Red River about 12 miles northeast of Hedley.

Present plans call for the reservoir to serve Memphis, Hedley, Clarendon, Paducah, Quanah, Wellington and Childress.

A companion bill by Senator Andy Rogers is being sponsored in the Senate.

Cyclone Drive Inn To Re-Open Friday

The Cyclone Drive Inn restaurant will re-open Friday after being closed for about three weeks undergoing an extensive remodeling program, Alvin Winters, manager of the establishment, said Tuesday.

All cafe equipment and fixtures have been rearranged, serviced and several changes have been made. A modern charcoal broiler will soon be installed extending their servicing capabilities.

Public School Week To Be Observed Here March 4 through March 8

Public School Week will be observed in Memphis March 4-8, H. E. Craig, chairman of the event, stated this week.

Among activities scheduled for the week will be a joint meeting of the Rotary, Lions and Business and Professional Womens Clubs of Memphis at the Masonic building at Tuesday noon. A special program will be presented by school talent at this meeting.

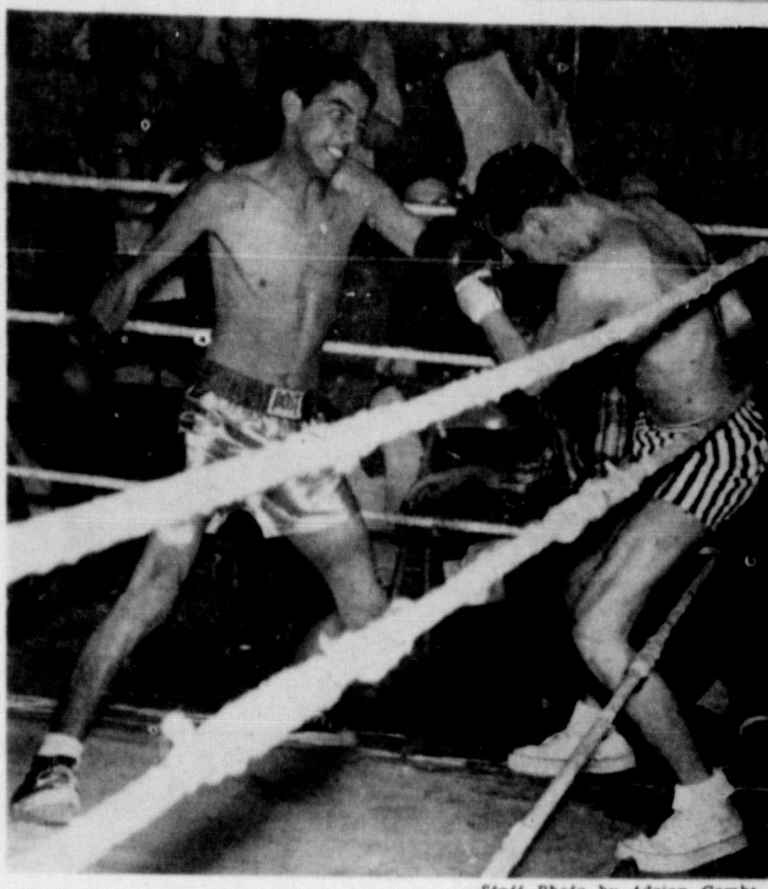
Also in conjunction with the event will be a special visitation effort, W. C. Davis, superintendent of Memphis school, announced.

Monday through Thursday has been set aside as the days for this program, and visitors are invited to come to the schools between the hours of 9 a. m. and 12 noon on those days, Supt. Davis said.

Visitors will receive a special invitation to stay for lunch in the school cafeterias where they can receive a meal of all they can eat for 25 cents.

In commenting on Texas Public School Week, Chairman Craig said, "We, the citizens of this community, must assume the responsibility of our own educational system and cooperate with our respective school boards, superintendents, principals and teachers in an effort to make Memphis public schools the finest in the nation."

Supt. Davis said that three points will be added to each pupil's six-week grade if one of



—Staff Photo by Adrian Combs

NOVICE WINNER—Steve Cruz, of Lakeview, left above, smashes his opponent, Neal Summers of Hereford, into a corner in the bout which gave Cruz the championship of the 112 pound class in the novice division last Saturday night.

Boxing Tournament Finals Here Saturday

The final night of the Memphis Boys Club boxing tournament will get underway in the Memphis High School gymnasium Saturday night at 8 p. m. with at least 20 bouts on the schedule for the night's fare, H. R. Crawford, tournament director said Tuesday.

The tournament was originally scheduled to have been completed last weekend but bad weather forced the fights to be called off Friday night.

Twenty fights were held Thursday night, the opening day of the event, and 23 fights Saturday night. Good crowds were on hand for both occasions. All boxers were especially aggressive Saturday night, and 10 trophies were awarded to division winners.

The Lavern Roach Memorial trophy was presented to Dale Brown of Floydada as being the outstanding sport of the tournament. Stanley Roach, father of Lavern, made the presentation.

The Saturday bouts will be the finals in the tournament and many excellent boxers will be vying for trophies.

The only local boy to take a championship so far in the tourney is Steve Cruz of Lakeview who defeated Neal Summers of Hereford by a unanimous decision in the 112-pound novice division.

Other winners of trophies Saturday night in the novice division were as follows:

Leon Hughes of Matador defeated Woodrow Norcutt of Hereford in the 125-pound class by a TKO in the first round.

Dayton Graham of Matador scored a knock-out over Ronnie Bailey of Lakeview in the 147-pound class.

Gene Weaver of Amarillo defeated Jeff Gomez of Hereford in the 160-pound class.

Carl Zimmerman of Hereford scored a technical knock-out over Billy Stewart of Amarillo in the 138-pound class.

Wade Crist of Hereford won the light-heavyweight trophy in the novice division from Ed Wakefield of Hereford in the 175-pound class.

High School Finals Part of the high school division finals were completed Saturday night and were as follows:

Durwood Wallace of Borger took the 112-pound championship by defeating Charles Moore of Borger.

Charles Montaya of Borger took the 135-pound trophy by winning a decision over Dale Brown of Floydada.

Grant Cooper of Floydada won over Dan Rouse of Borger in the middleweight division.

The light heavy title went to Robert Williams of Borger as he defeated Gene Waites of Hereford.

Earl Ernest of Borger won the heavyweight trophy by defeating Robert Williams of Borger. Matches Saturday night which involved local boys were as follows:

Billy Ed Thompson of Memphis defeated Pat Thomas of Tulia in the 69-pound class; Joe Bailey of Lakeview won over John Nolan of Tulia in the 98-pound class; and Freddie Pollen of Floydada defeated Ronnie George of Memphis in the 76-pound event.

Local boys who saw action last Thursday fared as follows: Billy Ed Thompson, 69 pounds, of Memphis, defeated Timmie Hagler of Tulia, TKO. Ronnie George of Memphis, 79 (Continued on Page 12)

ANNUAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BANQUET SLATED FRIDAY NIGHT

Kirby Hagins Services Held Here Sunday

Funeral services for Kirby Hagins, 56, were conducted from the Church of Christ in Memphis Sunday afternoon with Harry Graham, minister, officiating, assisted by Acel Clark, minister of the Lakeview Church of Christ.

Mr. Hagins died about 7 a. m. Saturday morning in an Amarillo hospital following an illness of some length.

He was born Dec. 16, 1900, in Plano, Tex., and moved to Hall County in 1920. He was employed by the Western Cottonoil Company here for over 30 years in the grain division.

Mr. Hagins lived in the Lesley and Brice communities for many years and finally moved to Memphis about six years ago, where he resided at 702 North 14th St. He retired about two years ago.

He was united in marriage with Miss Madeline Hatley on Aug. 18, 1928, at Clarendon.

Survivors include his wife; one daughter, Mrs. Grazella Usrey of Amarillo; one sister, Mrs. Duke Osborn; one brother, James Hagins of Hayden, Ariz.

Burial was in Citizens Cemetery in Clarendon under the direction of Spicer Funeral Home.

Pall bearers were John Haynes, George Evans, Benny Brock, Qualla Clark, Perry Campbell and Pat Salmon.

More Moisture Falls During Past Week

Weather continued to be wonderful this week with the showers coming about as often as the wind.

Friday night .14 of an inch fell and then Saturday night another .07 of moisture was recorded. Wednesday night of this week Old Man Weather squeezed out another few drops amounting to .10 of an inch.

This brought the total for the past week to .31 of an inch. Low temperature Thursday morning was 30 degrees, as recorded by J. J. McMickin, official weather observer. Other temperatures for the past week were: Wednesday 53-36, Tuesday 60-37, Monday 72-29, Sunday 65-28, Saturday 34-24, Friday 27-25.

Thomas Gene Davidson, Former Resident, Killed in Auto Accident Sun.

Thomas Gene Davidson, 21, son of Rev. and Mrs. Rollo Davidson of Seymour and formerly of Memphis, was killed instantly Sunday afternoon at 5 p. m. in a head-on collision about two miles south of Cross Plains, Texas.

Funeral Services were conducted Tuesday afternoon at Seymour and burial was in a cemetery at that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Benny Pierson, occupants of the other vehicle, were not seriously injured. Pierson suffered a fractured arm and

Mrs. Pierson received cuts and bruises.

The Piersons were traveling from Austin toward Baird where they were to spend the night and Gene was driving south to visit his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Garrett, who live three miles from Cross Plains.

Rev. Davidson is a former pastor of the First Methodist Church here, having left here about five years ago. He is now pastor of the Methodist Church in Seymour.

A talented musician and honor student, Davidson attended school here during his freshman and sophomore years. He graduated from Seymour High School in 1954.

A junior student at McMurry College, Davidson was very active in students affairs. A two-year member of the staff of the McMurry student newspaper, The War Whoop, he was serving as editor of the paper this year. He was president of the McMurry Press Club.

Davidson was a member of the McMurry College band during his freshman year, and was in the Chanters, mixed choral group, as a sophomore. He was a member of Forum, men's religious organization; Wesley Players, religious drama group; the Spanish Club and Ko Sari men's social club.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by a sister, Marie, and a brother, Morris, both of Seymour.



HERBERT C. PETRY, JR.

Services For M. P. "Jack" Lewis Conducted Monday

Final rites for M. P. "Jack" Lewis were conducted in the First Baptist Church in Memphis Monday afternoon with Rev. Fern A. Miller, pastor, officiating.

Mr. Lewis passed away at his home in Memphis Sunday about noon and was 51 years, 4 months and 20 days of age at the time of his death. He had been in failing health for some time. Mr. Lewis was a member of the First Baptist Church.

He was born on Oct. 4, 1905, in Wise County, moving to Hall County in 1908 with his parents. They made their home in Plaska community and engaged in farming.

Miss Berdie Stogner was united in marriage with M. P. Lewis on March 14, 1931, at Hollis, Okla., and they engaged in farming for many years before moving into Memphis a few years ago.

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

Mr. Lewis is survived by his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Durwood Schmalried of Long Beach, Calif. and Betty Sue Lewis of Memphis; two sons, Lt. Cletus Lewis, who is serving with the Air Force in Germany, and Rodney Lewis, a student at Texas Technological College in Lubbock; one grandchild, Vivian Schmalried of Long Beach, Calif.; his father, M. M. Lewis of Memphis; and one brother, C. R. Lewis of Lakeview.

Pall bearers were John L. Burnett, Foy Young, Joe Miller, Joyce Webster, Robert Hanvey Jr., and J. M. Ferrel Jr.

Herbert C. Petry Principal Speaker For Civic Meeting

Ticket sales indicate that there will be a capacity crowd at the annual banquet of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce and Hall County Board of Development Friday evening at the Travis School cafeteria.

This was the information received from Dwight Kinard, outgoing president of the organization Wednesday. The dinner meeting will get underway at 7:30 p. m. with Kinard acting as toastmaster.

Main speaker of the evening will be Herbert C. Petry, Jr., of Carrizo Springs, Tex. Petry is a member of the Texas Highway Commission. He is well known to many area residents having served as a president of the International Association of Lions Clubs during 1950-51.

Recognized as one of the most fluent and dynamic speakers in the Lions Club association, Petry is in constant demand as a speaker. His forensic ability and ready wit, combined with an excellent vocabulary and resonant voice, enables him to present a forceful, yet most pleasant delivery of speech.

He is also an assiduous reader and student of world affairs, having traveled extensively and accumulated an extraordinary background of material.

Making the trip with Mr. and Mrs. Petry will be Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Formby of Plainview. Formby is a Plainview attorney

A reception in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Petry and Mr. and Mrs. Formby will be held at the Memphis Country Club from 5 until 6:30 p. m. Friday afternoon. All members of the organization and other persons who have purchased tickets to the annual banquet are invited to attend and meet the guests of honor.

He has been active in working for better roads in West Texas for many years and has been identified with many progressive movements for this area.

Petry was born in Carrizo Springs and is a graduate of Westmoorland College of San Antonio, and the University of Texas, where he received his law degree. He is a successful business man and attorney, heading his own law firm of Petry and Dean.

The annual banquet will get underway Friday night with an invocation by Rev. David Binkley, pastor of the First Methodist Church.

Herschel Combs, Chamber of Commerce director, will be in charge of introduction of guests, and Director Dick Fowler will in-

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Bill Davis Accepts Head Coach Job At Canyon High

Bill Davis, former resident, will begin work as head coach at Canyon High School on March 1, according to information received here this week by his father, W. C. Davis.

Davis played football here for three years on the A squad before going to Hardin-Simmons University where he was a member of a freshman team which went undefeated. Following this he lettered for three years as a member of the HSU varsity squad as fullback.

After graduating from college, Davis worked for a year as a chemist for Phillips Petroleum Co. before deciding to return to football as a career.

His first coaching job was as an assistant to Pat Jerrald, coach at Sweetwater. Davis stayed there for a year before going to Panhandle as head coach.

During his two-year stay at Panhandle, Davis produced teams which were favored in their conference.

He was married to Sara Wilson of Sweetwater and they have a five-month-old daughter, Charis.

Amateur Contest Set For Monday Night at MHS

The Junior Class of Memphis High School will sponsor an amateur contest Monday night in the high school auditorium beginning at 7:30 p. m.

The program will consist of many and varied local presentations. Among these will be vocal solos by Sue Daugherty, Bobbie Brown, John Freeman, Teresa Beckham and Tommy Foster.

Vocal renditions will be presented by a trio consisting of Teresa Jackson, Barbara Allen and Addie Lou Wells.

Instrumental numbers will be offered by Eddie Gable, Paula McCauley, Carol Gover, Dan Durham, John Lemons, Bobby Maddox and Dwain Eilerd.

A short skit will be presented by

Helen Shackelford, Guyula Cawfield, Ruth Ann Jackson and Peggy Shockley.

Pantomimes by John Binkley, Bill Morgan, Kenneth Koen and Neal Foxhall are also scheduled.

Piano solos will be rendered by Celia Leslie and Branda Duncan.

Class representatives said the program was open to the public, and extended an invitation to everyone to attend.

Admission will be 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for students.

Resident Here Since 1919

Dr. J. A. Odom Honored Tuesday At Rotary Club Weekly Meeting

The ever popular TV program "This Is Your Life" was the inspiration for the Rotary Club program last week.



DR. J. A. ODOM

The life of Dr. Odom, from childhood until the present time, was told in a most colorful manner by Byron Baldwin.

"This is your life, Dr. J. A. Odom" announced Mr. Baldwin and this is how the story began: "Born James Anderson Odom,

"Raised on a black land farm, Jim was accustomed to hard work during his childhood, but there were many pleasant times for him to remember, too.

As you grew older, like all young men, you became interested in the girls, but your first love affair was to end in tragedy.

chased your circus ticket. You said "no," and bought a ticket from him. You were thrilled at the parade that was staged down Main Street,

"As you grew older, like all young men, you became interested in the girls, but your first love affair was to end in tragedy.

"But you didn't make it all the way on the mule. You were afraid the circus animals might frighten him,

were anxious to make no mistakes so you pulled the plate close to the edge of the table—but you were a little too careful;

"But you were a gay young blade, and spirit undaunted, you became a great dancer and singer, and as soon as it was voiced about that you were attending dances in a nearby community,

"Your interest in music and singing was to be the very thing that took you out of circulation, however.

(More next week).

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wiley and Preston Dale of Amarillo visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Wiley and Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Duke over the weekend.

LEGAL NOTICES

The City of Memphis, Texas, offers for sale on Tuesday Night, March 5, 1957, at the regular meeting place of the City Council in the City in the City Hall, in Memphis, Texas, to the highest acceptable bid, the following described real property, to-wit:

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Statement of Receipts and Disbursements of all Funds of Hall County, Texas for the year 1956.

Jan. 1, 1956. Through Dec. 31, 1956

OFFICERS SALARY FUND

Table showing Receipts and Disbursements for OFFICERS SALARY FUND, ending with a Total Available of \$51,260.25.

GENERAL FUND

Table showing Receipts and Disbursements for GENERAL FUND, ending with a Total Available of \$75,107.67.

COURT HOUSE & JAIL FUND

Table showing Receipts and Disbursements for COURT HOUSE & JAIL FUND, ending with a Total Available of \$17,317.14.

ROAD & BRIDGE, PRECINCT No. 1 FUND

Table showing Receipts and Disbursements for ROAD & BRIDGE, PRECINCT No. 1 FUND, ending with a Total Available of \$62,022.08.

ROAD & BRIDGE, PRECINCT No. 2

Table showing Receipts and Disbursements for ROAD & BRIDGE, PRECINCT No. 2, ending with a Total Available of \$29,077.43.

ROAD & BRIDGE, PRECINCT No. 3

Table showing Receipts and Disbursements for ROAD & BRIDGE, PRECINCT No. 3, ending with a Total Available of \$40,808.33.

ROAD & BRIDGE, PRECINCT No. 4

Table showing Receipts and Disbursements for ROAD & BRIDGE, PRECINCT No. 4, ending with a Total Available of \$21,213.75.

ROAD & BRIDGE, PREC. No. 3 FUND

Table showing Receipts and Disbursements for ROAD & BRIDGE, PREC. No. 3 FUND, ending with a Total Available of \$228,888.29.

Balance, Road & Bridge Prec. No. 2 Fund Dec. 31, 1956 \$ 789.14

ROAD & BRIDGE, PREC. No. 3 FUND

Table showing Receipts and Disbursements for ROAD & BRIDGE, PREC. No. 3 FUND, ending with a Total Available of \$422.19.

ROAD & BRIDGE, PREC. No. 4 FUND

Table showing Receipts and Disbursements for ROAD & BRIDGE, PREC. No. 4 FUND, ending with a Total Available of \$422.19.

CONSOLIDATED ROAD DISTRICT No. 1 FUND

Table showing Receipts and Disbursements for CONSOLIDATED ROAD DISTRICT No. 1 FUND, ending with a Total Available of \$7,979.99.

CONSOLIDATED ROAD DISTRICT No. 1 BOND

Table showing Receipts and Disbursements for CONSOLIDATED ROAD DISTRICT No. 1 BOND, ending with a Total Available of \$234.98.

ROAD DISTRICT No. 3 SINKING (\$200,000.00) FUND

Table showing Receipts and Disbursements for ROAD DISTRICT No. 3 SINKING (\$200,000.00) FUND, ending with a Total Available of \$1.68.

ROAD DISTRICT No. 4 FUND

Table showing Receipts and Disbursements for ROAD DISTRICT No. 4 FUND, ending with a Total Available of \$5,812.08.

JURY FUND

Table showing Receipts and Disbursements for JURY FUND, ending with a Total Available of \$1,000.00.

SOCIAL SECURITY FUND

Table showing Receipts and Disbursements for SOCIAL SECURITY FUND, ending with a Total Available of \$2,051.47.

ESCROW 602 A FUND

Table showing Receipts and Disbursements for ESCROW 602 A FUND, ending with a Total Available of \$810.41.

LATERAL ROAD FUND

Table showing Receipts and Disbursements for LATERAL ROAD FUND, ending with a Total Available of \$1,563.15.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

I, Ruby Goodnight, County Clerk of Hall County, Texas, hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct statement of RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS of all funds of Hall County, Texas for the year 1956, as the same is shown by the Auditor's Report for such period, which Auditor's Report is now in the office of the County Judge of Hall County, Texas.

Insurance advertisement for Kinard-Gailey Agency, featuring a cowboy logo and text about insurance benefits.

Baby Foods advertisement listing various products like MULSOY, LIQUID OLAC, and DEXTRI MALTOSE.

Tarver-Stanford Pharmacy advertisement with phone numbers and address.

Advertisement for Bruce Bros. Texaco, featuring a cartoon and text about gas service.

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Shortening 3 lb. can 87¢

IMPERIAL PURE CANE

SUGAR 10 lb. 93¢

MUSHED PINEAPPLE, No. 2 size can 4 for \$1.00

First Pick

CUT GREEN BEANS, 303 size can . . . 3 for 49¢

PRICOTS, 303 size can 2 for 49¢

I G A Solid Pack Fancy

TOMATOES, 303 size can 3 for 49¢

CORN, 303 size can 4 for \$1.00

I G A Cream Style or Whole Kernel

CORN, 303 size can 7 for \$1.00

FRUIT COCKTAIL, 303 size can 3 for 59¢

I G A Fancy

PEAS, 303 size can 3 for 59¢

PINEAPPLES, 2½ size can 3 for \$1.00

I G A Fancy

SPINACH, 303 size can 4 for 49¢

American Royal COFFEE

1 Lb. Can **69¢**

(Thereafter 79¢)

YUKON BEST MEAL

5 Lb. **37¢**

TOMATOES, 2 lbs. 29¢

APPLES, Lb. 17¢

RANGES, 5 Lbs. 35¢

CORN, 2 for 19¢

LETTUCE, Large Head 9¢

GREEN BEANS, Lb. 17¢

CHEARTS 25¢

CARROTS, 2 for 15¢

ONIONS, Lb. 5¢

BANANAS, 3 Lbs. 25¢

W. P. **Black Pepper**

Pure, 1 oz. can —

2 for 15¢

IGA Dawn

Toilet Tissue

4 Roll Pack

37¢

CHARMIN

NAPKINS

2 Cello Pkgs.

25¢

IGA Dawn

TOWELS

Large Roll

19¢

BORDEN'S

Charlotte Freeze

½ Gal.

39¢

(Thereafter 49¢)

SUPREME

CRACKERS, 2 Lbs. 49¢

ZESTEE—20 Oz. Tumbler

Pure Strawberry Preserves . . . 39¢

W. P. Sour or Dill

PICKLES, Qt. Jar 29¢

CARROL

VANILLA WAFERS, 1 lb. pkg. . 29¢

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JELL-O, 3 Pkgs. 25¢

GOOD VALUE OLEO, Lb. 21¢

BORDEN BISCUITS, 3 Cans 29¢

Graded U. S. Good

BEEF ROAST, lb. 33¢

Graded U. S. Good

LOIN STEAK, lb. 55¢

Graded U. S. Good

T. B. STEAK, lb. 59¢

PORK ROAST, lb. 39¢

CENTER CUT

CURED HAM, lb. 89¢

FAMILY

Wieners, 3 lb. Pack . . 87¢

FRESH

Ground BEEF, lb. 29¢

GOOD VALUE

BACON, lb. celo pkg. . 47¢

Wisc. Longhorn

CHEESE, lb. 45¢

SPICED

Luncheon Meat, lb. . . 49¢

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Ophelia Club Gives Program At Culture Club

The 1932 Culture Club met with Mrs. Joe Loyd Mothershed on Feb. 18.

A most interesting program was given by the Ophelia Junior Club. Mrs. Jack Kinard was the reader and Mmes. Joe Kent Eddins, Ted Bruce, and Gerald Fowler sang appropriate songs. They were accompanied by Mrs. Raleigh Adams. The topic of the program was "Holidays for Freedom."

Mrs. Joe Eddins conducted the business session.

The hostess served spiced tea and cookies. Because of a conflicting meeting and some illness only eight members were present. They were Mmes. Albert Bailey, Walter Whaley, Willie Bob Davidson, John Chaudoin, Ben Jackson, Raleigh Adams, Joe Eddins, and the hostess. Guests were the ones on the program.

Atalantean Club Meets in Home of Mrs. J. Coppedge

Mrs. J. W. Coppedge was hostess to members of the Atalantean Club on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 20, at her home, 711 Harrison.

The Texas Day program was introduced by Mrs. D. H. Aronofsky, who also presented the first part of the program. She discussed "History—Edge of Time." Mrs. J. A. Odom then gave "Personalities—Adobe Walls Bride" and "Legends—Knight of the Tiger" was discussed by Mrs. H. B. Estes.

A short business session was conducted by Mrs. N. A. Hightower, president.

A tasty salad plate was served to the following members: Mmes. Myrtis Phelan, Jack Rose, Ed Foxhall, Herbert Curry, Bill Cosby, W. C. Dickey, Miss Imogene King, Mmes. W. R. Scott, Cecil McCollum, Robert Sexauer, C. W. Kinlow, J. H. Norman, Claud Johnson, Robert Spicer, N. A. Hightower, Ed Hill, J. A. Odom, H. B. Estes, David Aronofsky and J. W. Coppedge.

Mrs. Slick Johnson Honoree At Pink And Blue Shower

Mrs. Slick Johnson was honoree at a pink and blue shower given on Wednesday afternoon at the Parnell Club House.

The entertaining room was beautifully decorated with pink and blue. As guests arrived they were registered by Mrs. Jimmie Weatherly.

A short program was rendered. Mrs. T. W. Potts conducted two pencil games, "Name Her Baby," and "Answer These Questions with Flowers." A short humorous skit, "The Johnson's First Night Alone with the Baby" was then presented with Mrs. Carl Hill as Mr. Johnson. Mrs. Crump Ferrel as Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Bill Orcutt playing the part of Ann the maid. Appropriate music was furnished throughout the afternoon by Mrs. Jack Boney, Jr.

Mrs. Ray Weatherly and Mrs. I. D. Mullin served white cake squares decorated with blue icing and pink lemonade from a table laid with a lace cloth over pink.

Among those present were Mesdames Zack Hood, Bill Orcutt, Crump Ferrel, Carl Hill, Frank Hedrick, Jack Lathram, Jene Burk, Kenneth Hawkins, May Weatherly, Leonard Braidfoot, Bob Mothershed, Jimmie Weatherly, T. W. Potts, Jack Boney, Jr., Parge Winn, Grady Long, Zach Hood and the honoree. Many friends who could not attend sent gifts. The honoree was assisted in opening her gifts by Mrs. Ray Weatherly and Mrs. Zach Hood.

Hostesses for the courtesy were Mrs. Bruce Damon, Mrs. Ray Weatherly, Mrs. Carl Hill, Mrs. Crump Ferrel, Mrs. T. W. Potts, Mrs. Jack Boney, Jr., Mrs. I. D. Mullin, Mrs. Leroy Hutcheson and Mrs. Bill Orcutt. The hostess' gift was a bassinette.

Children present were Vickie Burk, Connie Lathram, Debbie Hawkins and the honoree's new daughter, Winnie Ruth.

Estelline W. M. S. Meets For Study

Twenty-two ladies were present when the Estelline Baptist W. M. S. met on Monday afternoon, Feb. 18.

Mrs. Albert Bailey taught the Bible lesson. The topic was "The Purpose of Gethsemane."

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to all who assisted in any way during the illness and at the death of our loved one. May God richly bless each of you, is our prayer.
The Hagin Family

Mrs. Robert Breedlove visited in Wellington Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Breedlove.



MISS BEVERLY SNELL

Engagement of Miss Beverly Snell to Gilford Lee Brown Revealed by Parent

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Snell of Rankin, former Memphis residents, are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Beverly, to Gilford Lee Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brown, also of Rankin.

Formal vows will be exchanged in the fall of the forthcoming year. The ceremony will be read in the First Presbyterian Church in Amarillo.

The bride-elect, a graduate of Memphis High School with the class of 1933, attended Frank Phillips Junior College in Bogert and recently received her B. M. E. degree from West Texas State College. She is presently employed with the Golden-Light Coffee Co. in Amarillo.

Brown is currently serving with the U. S. Armed Forces in France. He is a 1949 graduate of Ft. Stockton High School and attended the University of Texas where he was a senior pre-medical major. Upon returning to the states next fall, he plans to resume his studies at the University.

Around and About

by Helen Combs

Once again may we point out—if you don't like the weather in Texas . . . just wait around a bit! Last week it was winter . . . this week it's Spring! What will tomorrow bring? Who knows!

Speaking of the weather, Lorraine Tarver called us Thursday and said since Friday was to be fair, she planned to attend a Sub-District 2 meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service near Crowell and wouldn't be able to attend the club meeting at our house. Friday dawned but not fair . . . however, Beth Lemons and Lorraine, undaunted by cloudy Skies, set forth on their journey. The sleet began to fall. Although they completed the trip without mishap, they did their share of the skidding about, we hear.

Monday, warm and bright, turned our thoughts to the growing season just ahead and the weeds which have a way of growing tall in spite of our resolution to cut them while they're small. Now we've found the perfect solution in the form of a sample which arrived in the mail this week, we pointed out to the husband. It's a "magic" roll of black plastic sheeting called Kordimulch which eliminates weeds, speeds the growth of plants and cuts down watering. The user simply lays the Kordimulch over the spaded garden, anchors it with stones or piles of dirt, slit the plastic film, with a razor blade, knife or scissors and plants through it into the dirt below. The mulch may be left on the ground after the growing season and can be reused again and again. The long-suffering gardener can look forward to no weeding and less watering. Now, a roll sufficient to cover an 18-by-18 foot garden costs \$5.95. Sounds as good as a T. V. commercial, doesn't it?

True or not, the word has somehow gotten about that the men folk down in our neighborhood are not too prone to yardwork . . . our new neighbor, John Shadid, has heard the story, and says he's very happy in his new

location. But, seriously, with all fairness to the gentlemen, the yards in our neighborhood always look neat; so at least they can take credit for being good managers!

Do you watch Sheena each Thursday night at 6:30 p. m. on Channel 10 from Amarillo? You will have a chance Sunday afternoon, March 10, to see the movie and TV star in person when she appears in Memphis. The program is free and all children and their parents are invited to come, meet and talk with Sheena. She is being brought to Memphis by Goldsmith Dairy, sponsor of her programs.

It was a lovely white orchid for Mrs. Guy Wright last week. Her son, Lt. (jg) Guy Alden Wright, who is with the Navy Air Force in Hawaii, wired the corsage to her.

Although our flower was not an orchid, Mrs. T. W. Potts or Parnell did scatter a petal in our pathway Tuesday by telling us that she likes our column. Mrs. Potts is another of our friends who helps us each week by sending in the news from her community . . . and an excellent job

she does of writing the news, too!

Make plans now to attend the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet which will be held on Friday evening. The directors have secured a most excellent speaker, Herbert C. Petry, Jr., of Carrizo Springs, for the occasion. Mr. Petry has traveled extensively and is recognized as a most fluent and dynamic speaker.

Congratulations to the Baldwin family, who this year completes 50 years of continuous business

in Memphis. On display in store window is a beautiful tea service to be given as a token of their appreciation. Some woman is going to be happy with this lovely set.

Friends here were saddened week at the tragic death of Rollo Davidson, 21, son of Rev. and Mrs. Davidson, former pastor of the Methodist Church here. He was a classmate and friend of our son Billy. He was an outstanding young man, a class; a talented musician, a friend with a cheerful and disposition.

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Duwall County, USA

This is the 8th in a series of articles by New York newspaper reporters Frederick Hodgson and Franz Rosenwald, who recently spent several weeks in Duwall Co. and South Texas, gathering facts for this series.

Narcotics, Liquor, Women, Gambling: They're All Part of the Duval Story

FREDERICK HODGSON
SAN DIEGO, TEX.—No self-styled boss-run barony is complete without its quota of syndicate. And Duval County, Texas, is no exception.

"It was just like the good old days of prohibition," said Captain Alfred Allee, regarded by his fellows and by his superiors in Austin as one of the greatest Rangers of them all.

The merchants of sin fumed and fretted, appealed to the courts for injunctions of their own, tried every trick that wily lawyers could dream up. It was no soap. The places stayed closed and the gambling apparatus, the wheels and the dice and the tables, stayed carted away.

Quite naturally Captain Allee, Attorney General John Ben Shepperd, and all the others who had declared war on the Duchy of Duval and on its up-to-then undisputed ruler, Boss Parr, were roundly cursed by the purveyors of the town.

of inequity. The machine went even further.

This writer has a long document before him right now, a document revealing plans for the "liquidation" of Ranger Captain Allee and Ranger Joe Bridge.

If these killings had been carried out, they would not have been the first political murders in that seething section of deep South Texas. Several years before Lawyer Jacob Floyd and District Judge Sam Reams had been marked for death. The pistoleros got their signals mixed and killed Floyd's son by mistake. The life of the Attorney General has been threatened three times.

The gambling, the women and the illegal liquor may have departed from Duval, for the time being at least, but the narcotics picture isn't so pretty.

Should you happen to be driving along the Benavides road, Highway 59 to Laredo, or along Highway 44 through Freer, you may hear the engine of a hedge-hopping airplane. It won't land so long as your car or any other car, except very special ones known to the pilot, is in the vicinity.

Once your car is out of sight the plane will touch down on the highway and its cargo will be quickly transferred to an automobile and the plane immediately takes off, flying low. This transfer always takes place in the early morning.

The cargo is heroin and marijuana. Sometimes the shipment includes diamonds and gold.

It is said by those who should know that 90 per cent of all the illicit narcotics coming into the United States is brought across the border from Mexico, most of it coming through Texas and through San Diego. And only a small proportion of the total amount of dope brought into Texas, and from here spread all over America, is ever seized.

I checked with the United States Air Force. South Texas is 180 degrees out of phase to the radar screen, concentrated as it is to spot planes coming in from the Atlantic or from the Pacific. Unless I've been badly misinformed, the Mexican border is wide open to any airplane, Russian or smuggler. Besides, a plane coming almost at ground level would be



PHOTOGENIC . . . June Lundt was chosen 1957 queen of New York press photographers from field of 12 finalists.

safe from radar in any case. Previous articles in this-series have pointed out that this utterly fantastic county is a product of its isolated geography, its history and its people. But history fades and people change. So in Duval, Democracy is raw, red meat, nourishing stuff on which a man, or a people, can grow strong. In Duval the people are feeding full.

George B. Parr is fighting, and fighting desperately, for his political life and for his physical liberty. There's something magnificent and awesome about a good fighter, even when he is on the opposite side.

According to Attorney General John Ben Shepperd, to District Attorney Sam Burris, to Lawyer Jacob Floyd of Alice, and to half a hundred other Parr opponents I've talked to, the Duke of Duval is fighting his last big fight. The Duke, they say, is through, finished, licked.

According to one of Parr's top attorneys, dapper Luther Jones of Corpus Christi, Shepperd, Burris et al are dripping wet. They couldn't be more wrong. So says Jones.

"Look at it this way," said Jones to me. "This is an election year and the politicians are making hay. All this will blow over. These civil suits and indictments are pure politics and once the shouting is over they'll be allowed to die very quickly. You're a stranger to this part of Texas or you'd know all of this has happened before."

As Luther Jones talked my mind went back to long ago when I was just breaking into newspaper work on the old "Chicago Evening American." In those days Al Capone was running the rackets. I once met the King of the Racketeers and a right charming fellow he was. Nobody ever pinned a murder rap on Al. He went to Alcatraz for income tax evasion.

In New York I've met Frank Costello, he of the television hands that Senator Kefauver made so famous. Talking to him at the Vesuvio Restaurant on West 48th Street, one of his favorite haunts, you'd never think he'd ever heard of a slot machine or a gaming table. Charming fellow. Lovely fellow. He's in jail.

"And all this business about political killings in Duval," Jones went on. "They've been trying to pin a killing on Parr for years. Don't you think he'd have been charged with murder long ago if they could've got something on him?"

Jones, who is nothing if not frank, admits without any quibbles that his client is no saint. He depicts George B. Parr as a man who gets what he wants when he wants it and who isn't overly squeamish about methods. And Jones had admitted as much in open court, many times.

The well-dressed little lawyer, who presumably knows what is going on inside the Parr machine,

has some interesting ideas about the future of Duval.

Should George B. Parr lose his battle, even be sent to prison, this does not mean the end of the Parr dynasty. Another Parr, the Duke's nephew, Archer Parr II, is ready to take over.

Should this switch happen, Duval history would be repeating itself. George Parr deposed his father just twenty years ago.

Archer Parr is a personable young man, 35, a Marine veteran, a family man, educated, and well schooled in the rough and tumble of Duval politics. He has served as sheriff under his uncle.

George B. Parr "did time" in Federal prison, in El Reno, Okla., back in 1936. The charge was cheating on his income tax. When he got back home to San Diego he was greeted as a hero, as a man who had suffered persecution for the sake of his people. He was met by a brass band and by dancing in the streets.

But he returned to find that wire cutters had been at work on the Parr political fences, that his father, Senator Archie Parr, the then reigning Duke of Duval, was unable to ride the range as of old.

George took over the power in Duval. His father went into exile, to live at the Nueces Hotel in Corpus Christi until his death.

Again George Parr is under indictment for income tax cheating, and again his followers say he is being persecuted for their sake. Should he again be convicted, on the tax charge or any one of a number of other Federal or State charges now pending against him, including a charge of using

the mails to defraud, anything can happen in the county of Duval.

However, Luther Jones to the contrary, there is a vast difference between the Duval of 1936 and the Duval of 1957. (As a matter of fact, there is a vast difference between the Duval of 1954 and 1957, which will be the subject of the two final articles in this series.)

Twenty years ago the Parr power was solid as the Rocky Mountains, and seemingly as permanent. Men in Austin and Washington fawned upon the Duke, courted his favors, jumped when he crooked his little finger.

Parr could, and did, deliver 100

to 1 majorities in any election. He could loftily ignore the mundane doings of ordinary politics. He was the puissant prince, after the fashion of the Middle Ages.

But Parr has been projected, head over heels, into the unsympathetic new world of the mid-Twentieth Century. The alchemy of his time has changed his county. George B. Parr was born just 500 years too late.

Actually, it was more than alchemy that changed Parr's county. The last two articles of this series will deal with what radical changes can be made in a boss-ruled county when one Attorney General gets it into his head that feudalism has got to go.

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Underwater Tactics of Black Bass Reported by Game, Fish Commission

Gangland tactics of feeding black bass and immunity of fish to noise at shallow depths are reported by Texas Game and Fish Commission divers in their studies to familiarize anglers with secrets of the deep and to improve fishing luck.

The Chief Aquatic Biologist for the Commission said the noise observations, particularly as concerns the increasingly popularity of motorboats, "may provoke some pugnacious attitudes toward surface disturbances and their effect on fishing."

He suggested for "more entertaining reading" the reports made by Aquatic Biologist John E. Tilton, assistant project chief, on observations in Lake Travis of the Highland Lakes chain about one kind of fish preying on another.

Tilton wrote that black bass seemed to use organized gangster tactics in rounding up some elusive perch. He stated: "Two small black bass were seen feeding on a school of Rio Grande fry. Five or six of the fry became separated from the main school and sought cover in a small patch of vegetation approximately one foot in diameter. The two bass took stations on opposite sides of the vegetation patch and waited. As the perch fry left the cover to rejoin the main group, they were instantly captured by one or another of the bass."

The diving technicians, who penetrate to depths of as much as one hundred feet, noted "It appears strange to see the predator and prey species sometimes existing so harmoniously together until some spark sets off a feeding spurge when many of the prey species are devoured." They added: "Other instances have shown small black bass slicing vigorously through schools of Rio Grande perch fry, taking one or two with each dash. While the bass are actively feeding, the young are frantically seeking cover in moss or crevices. Suddenly, when the bass becomes gullied or stop feeding, the perch fry leave cover, congregate again into a compact group and move on, often side

by side with the bass which had been feeding on the school."

Concerning surface noises, Tilton's crew wrote: "A ten-horse power outboard motor is used frequently in the diving areas while observations are in progress. No difference in numbers of fish seen or general activity can be seen during periods of extensive use of the motor and periods when the motor is not in use. On one occasion the boat was run at full speed back and forth over the test area. The fish in the area completely ignored the motor noise and continued normal activity. . . . Other surface sounds are believed to have little effect on fish activity. The fish observed completely ignored common surface sounds such as movement in the boat, talking by helpers on the surface, and even low flying jet aircraft."

"It was noticed that certain fish could be enticed within inches of the diving team by tapping two small rocks together. . . . Although most species appear curious only, the longear sunfish seems to be infuriated by the tapping sound and would often viciously and repeatedly attack the rocks. . . ."

"In addition to the rocks, a small metal can containing steel bolts was sealed and used as a noise producer. By shaking the can, a drum-like noise was produced which could be heard distinctly at a range of 100 feet. . . . Obvious interest was shown by bass, sunfish, and Rio Grande perch."

Class Basketball Games In Progress At Memphis High

An intramural basketball program has been in process at the Memphis High School during the past two weeks.

Each class has a boys' and a girls' team. Members of the high school's regular teams are not allowed to participate in these games.

The games take place during the noon period in the high school gymnasium, and the team that is ahead when the bell rings for classes is declared the winner.

The winners and losers at the present are: junior boys over senior boys; junior girls over senior girls; freshman girls over sophomore girls; sophomore boys over freshman boys; eighth grade girls over seventh grade girls; eighth grade boys over seventh grade boys.

In the finals: junior boys over sophomore boys; freshman girls over junior girls; eighth grade girls over freshman girls; junior boys over eighth grade boys; senior boys over seventh grade boys; sophomore girls over senior girls.

Next Thursday night the band will sponsor a game between the eighth grade girls and some of the women faculty members. Game time is 7 p. m.

Beethoven wrote some of his greatest music after becoming deaf.

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Only One-Third of Vehicles Have Been Inspected

Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, prevailed upon Texas automobile owners to do their shopping early this year in an effort to reduce the last minute rush for inspection stickers at the close of the 1957 motor vehicle inspection period. The deadline is April 15.

On information received from George W. Busby, chief of the department's Motor Vehicle Inspection Division, the state police director said only one-third of the state's four million vehicle owners have obtained their 1957 inspection stickers to date. He urged motorists to have their cars and trucks inspected now, as a means of saving time for themselves and to avoid a last minute congestion at inspection stations throughout Texas.

Last year, as was true in most preceding years, vehicles overcrowded inspection stations during the last week of the inspection period. More than a million automobiles were caught in the last minute rush, resulting in a loss of even more millions of man-hours for the owners of those vehicles.

Garrison called upon the motoring public to adopt a "shop early" policy in this year's inspection program as a means of saving time and to afford better convenience for the vehicle owners involved.

TAX TIPS

from the office of James Z. Pearce, Amarillo, Texas

No longer can an able-bodied wage earner walk up to the desk at Internal Revenue and order, "Fill 'er out."

Even greater emphasis is being placed on Revenue's "Self-Help program" this year, James Z. Pearce explains.

This marks the third filing period that taxpayers are being asked to be self-reliant whenever possible. Under this successfully tested set-up most taxpayers are filling out their own returns, unless they are incapable of doing their own with the assistance provided by the self-help IRS methods.

Revenue, nationally, through the "self-help" program, cut the total taxpayer assistance cost by almost \$3,000,000 in 1956.

"In an effort to keep as many of our collection officers and auditors on their regular jobs, emphasis again this year is placed on group instruction and self-help techniques rather than on individual assistance," Pearce explains.



EAST MEETS WEST . . . Free China's top movie actress, Li Li-Hua, 32, who has appeared in 60 pictures made in Asia, has been signed by Cecil B. De Mille.



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There are many types of policies. And individual policies may vary. Check each clause carefully. Then have the insurance man explain it. Be sure all details of the agreement are written into the policy. You and the company are, in general, bound by the written word.

As a home owner, you have many risks, like fire, against which you can insure yourself. Other insurance risks are theft, wind-storm, hail, glass breakage, cloud-bursts, explosion, and the like.

Other household hazards also cause damage. But people don't expect them and may not insure against them. For example, a tree may fall on your house; or near some crossroad, a car may crash into your home.

Sometimes you can make the person who caused the damage pay. But if he has no money, and neither of you has insurance, you often must pay yourself.

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Game and Fish Commission Continues Efforts to Make Texas Hunting Better

A third shipment of Spanish red-legged partridges has been released in the Panhandle, according to E. A. Walker, director of wildlife restoration for the Game and Fish Commission.

The consignment, comprising ninety-six birds, was turned loose near Childress in Cottle County and near Canadian in Lipscomb County, where two previous batches were planted in 1955 and 1956.

The director said favorable reports have been received from ranchers about the previous release and added that "hopes are high" that the comparatively large partridges will take hold.

Red-legged partridges are about twice the size of ordinary quail, are fleet on the wing and are considered prime game birds in their native Spain. All three consignments of the redlegs were flown to Texas.

Still another step in the global effort of the Game and Fish Commission to augment Texas wildlife species will be taken shortly when the second shipment of seesee partridge arrives by air from Pakistan. This bird is just slightly smaller than bob white quail, and, like the redlegs, is accustomed to semi-arid climate.

The seesees will be released near Palo Duro Canyon southeast of Amarillo, in the same general area where a foundation stock of aoudad sheep was established recently in an effort to introduce this prize game animal to Texas.

The first shipment of sixty-seven seesees was placed in the Canyon country last summer. Several reports have been received about ranchers observing some of the newly transplanted game birds.

Concerning the large redlegs which approximate in size species of partridge which occur in northern states, Wildlife Biologist Richard DeArment said it has

been established the native Spanish birds are fond of "green stuff."

De Arment said activities of these exotic species from two previous releases have been noted by one Cottle County rancher who has been irrigating a field and thus providing vegetation which was found to be a part of the birds' diet.

The director said it had been previously determined that the red legs were fond of greens and that they did not depend greatly on wild seeds and thus were not in competition with native game, such as quail which prefer weed seeds.

The stock of game birds from foreign lands was obtained through cooperation of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service and the Wildlife Management Institute.

"Our interest in these imported birds is part of an endless research pattern to locate wildlife that can be adapted to Texas climatic conditions as a means of augmenting native stock," said the director. "It is a slow process but there always is the hope that the fabulous success of the Chinese ringneck pheasant, introduced to North Central states about the turn of the century, can be duplicated in this area."

No Sunday Services Scheduled At First Presbyterian Church

The pulpit committee of the First Presbyterian Church this week announced that there will be no morning or evening services Sunday, March 3.

The committee stated that Sunday School will be held at 10 a. m., however, on that date.

They urged members of the congregation to go visiting to the church of their choice Sunday.

It takes from 50 to 100 years to produce a tree large enough for lumber.

"S. O. S." has no literal meaning but was chosen as a distress signal because of its ease in transmitting.

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H. N. Blackmon In Accident Near Littlefield Recently

H. N. Blackmon was released last week from a Littlefield hospital after recovering from a broken rib and bruises received in a vehicle accident near that city.

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CHECK THAT TIMETABLE — For the next six months Helen Landon (left), a 20-year-old University of Tennessee coed, is going to be up in the aid a good part of the time. As the 1957 Maid of Cotton, she will visit more than 40 major cities in the United States, Canada, Bermuda, and Europe. On her tour of American cities, she will be flying on an average of every three days. Here Helen gets help from Mrs. Ouida Wagner, flight consultant for British Overseas Airways Corporation, in checking schedules to Bermuda and Europe.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Helm of Pampa announce the arrival of a daughter, born on February 14 in a local hospital. She has been named Melinda Sue and weighed 6 pounds, 12 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Francis of Memphis are the parents of a son, William Lee, born on February 10. He weighed 9 pounds, 4 ounces at birth.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Cheek are the parents of a daughter, Donna Denise, born on February 19. Donna weighed 8 pounds, 6 ounces at birth.

A son, Lanny Ray, was born on February 14 to Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Ray Miller. Lanny weighed 7 pounds 11 1/2 ounces at birth.

Deborah Carlene was born on February 19 to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Adams of Estelline. Deborah weighed 5 pounds, 2 ounces.

Born on February 23 to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Woodard of Quail in a local hospital was a son, Charles Ray. Charles weighed 7 pounds, 10 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ballard and children and Mr. and Mrs. Brown Lamb of Lubbock visited here Sunday and Monday with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Richards and children of Muleshoe spent the weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Spry, Jr.

Lakeview FHA Meets In Regular Session Tuesday

The Lakeview F. H. A. chapter met in regular monthly session Tuesday, Feb. 19. The meeting began with the opening ceremony by officers and members of the club. The F. H. A. prayer song and club song were sung after which prayer was offered by Rev. Hall.

The secretary called the roll and then read the minutes of the previous meeting. Orvilla Hubbard was named as a voting delegate to attend the area meeting in Amarillo on March 2.

Following the business session, Rev. Hall, pastor of the Lakeview First Baptist Church, spoke to the group. Refreshments of brownies and punch were served by the freshmen girls. Guests were Rev. and Mrs. Hall.

Methodist WSCS Holds District Meet at Lakeview

A sub-district 3 meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church was held Thursday, Feb. 21, at the Methodist Church in Lakeview. The sub-district is made up of nine towns in this area. Presiding was the sub-district leader Mrs. Gorman Owens of Wellington. Election of officers was featured and Mrs. Bob Hightower of Kelly was named as leader for the ensuing year.

Attending the meeting from here were Mrs. J. W. Oliver, Mrs. David Binkley, Mrs. Frank Foxhall, Mrs. N. A. Hightower, Mrs. R. C. Lemons and Mrs. Mac Tarver.

On Friday Sub-district 2 held a meeting at Margaret. Attending the meeting from here were Mrs. Mac Tarver and Mrs. R. C. Lemons.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Williams enjoyed a visit in Edinburg last week with Mrs. Williams' brother, R. M. Hefner and family. While there they made a trip to Mexico and Brownsville.

Miss Kathryn Wright visited in Amarillo over the weekend with her brother, Don Wright and family.

Misses Ann Spoon and Beverly Snell of Amarillo spent the weekend here with Miss Spoon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Spoon.

Estelline OES Entertains With Chili Supper

Members of the Estelline chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, entertained members of the Masonic Lodge with a chili supper and forty-two party on Friday evening, Feb. 28, at the Lily Cafe. Enjoying the social were Mr. and Mrs. Barney Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hill, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Edleman, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Chandler, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Crump Ferrel, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kinard, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Whaley, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cobb, Mr. and Mrs. Stelton Crain, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Rigby, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Phillips, Mrs. Jannie Mabry, Mrs. Lilly Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eddins and Mrs. Lilly Bagwell.

David Corley, student at WTSC, visited here over the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Corley.

Sir Francis Drake was the first Englishman to travel around the World.



FIRST CHOICE — Marian McKnight, Miss America 1957, wears an elegant lacy-day cotton by Estevez. The simple princess lines of the dress enhance the right beauty of the floral print. This short formal is one of an all-cotton 70-piece wardrobe styled for Miss America by leading designers using ever-glaze fabrics.

Carol Ann Monzingo, who is a student at WTSC, Canyon, spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Monzingo.

Woman's Council Enjoys Study On 'Mexico' Monday

"Mexico" was the title of the afternoon's study when members of the Woman's Council of the First Christian Church met on Monday afternoon, Feb. 24 at 3 p. m. in the church lounge. Mrs. J. A. Odum was hostess for the afternoon.

Following a short business session, the program was introduced by Mrs. Jene Hicks who read scriptures from Psalms 96 and 103. The group then sang two songs, "Where He Leads Me I Will Follow" and "Onward Christian Soldiers." Inez Aspreen led in prayer.

Those taking part on the program were Mable Roberts whose subject was "Where Will Our Children Live?"; Vee Knight who gave "Pacheco Family in Mexico"; Mrs. Grace Cotter who discussed "The Northrup" and Lucile Randall who talked on "Evangelism in Mexico."

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mmes. Lucile Randall, Mable Roberts, Vee Knight, Inez Aspreen, Tommie Kesterson, Ella Norman, Eva Odum, Jene Hicks, Grace Cotter, and hostess, Mrs. Odum.

A new radio transmitting buoy developed for the Navy makes it possible for rescue stations to receive distress signals within minutes after a submarine hits bottom. Designed for ejection from a sunken submarine, the unit can transmit the message "SOS, Sub Sunk SOS" over a radius of 60 miles.

Junior Class To Hold Amateur Event

The Memphis High School junior class announced this week that plans were being laid for an amateur contest to be held on Monday night, March 4.

The event will be held in the Memphis High School auditorium beginning at 7:30 p. m.

Officers of the class said that quite a lot of talent had already entered the contest. Admission will be 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for students.

Mrs. Tommy Hulsey and children have arrived in Memphis for an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Guthrie. Mr. Hulsey, who was formerly manager of radio station KTUE in Tulsa, has accepted employment with the Pfizer Laboratories in Amarillo and Mrs. Hulsey and the children will remain in Memphis until a new home can be completed for them in Amarillo.

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FOR SALE—Allgold Sweet Potato Seed \$3.50 a bu. Slips \$4 per hundred. Chas. E. Curry, 4 1/2 miles west of Hollis, Okla., Route One. 40-4c

FOR SALE—1947 International 1/2 ton pickup, good condition, reasonable. Carl Cummings. 40-2p

WANTED—TV tower, Jackknife. A. C. Barrett, Quitaque, Texas. 40-1p

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FOR SALE—3 coming 2-year-old Angus bulls, ready for service; one herd bull, age 5, by Raona's Prince Eric. Caprock Angus Farm, Phone 511-W, Lowell Houston. 39-3c

FOR SALE—Two good used saddles; one good pair used chaps. Selby Shoe Shop. 39-tfc

FOR SALE—at half price: T. V. tower. Helix antenna with rotor; used one year. Phone 223-W. 39-tfc

FOR SALE—4-row Case "DC" with equipment; also Ford and equipment. See J. L. Dollar at Quail. Also would like to rent land. 39-tfc

BARGAIN: Have few gallons white paint selling at \$2.95 gallon. J. E. Miller freight depot, 112 S. 5th. 38-3p

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Television Tower—Tripod break-over style with Rotor and Star Helix antenna, 1 year old. \$100. Hardwick apt. stove, 4 burners. Excellent condition, \$40.00. Baby Bathing tub with new tub assembly, \$5.00. J. C. Higgins 16 ga. full choke, bolt action shotgun, \$20.00. Kenmore vacuum sweeper, \$7.50. Ph. 666 or 536J Dr. Ross 38-tfc

FOR SALE

Used, complete equipment and some supplies for Radiator Repair Shop. Phone 5-5555 W. D. Pate, 925 S. Banks, Pampa, Texas. 37-4p

FOR SALE—120 acres, \$138.00 per acre, 1/2 of minerals and oils reserved, one mile west of Plaska, -mail down payment, rest easy terms, E. J. Galloway, 719 N. Pierce St., Amarillo, Texas. Phone Drake 2-2038. 33-tfc

FOR SALE—Good used pianos. Lemons Furniture Co., phone 12. 3-tfc

WILL SELL or trade for Farm land: Large residence at 703 S. 8th Street, Memphis. Carpeting, floor furnaces, 2 baths and new roof. Contact A. I. Walker, Cleburne, Texas. 31-tfc

For Rent

FOR RENT—Small nicely furnished house, close in. 903 Robertson, Phone 36. 40-tfc

FOR RENT—3 bedroom house. See R. G. Patrick at used car lot, or phone 357-R after 7 p. m. 39-tfc

FOR RENT—Modern garage apartment, furnished or unfurnished. See R. G. Patrick at used car lot, or phone 357-R after 7 p. m. 39-tfc

FOR RENT—Small furnished apartment. Close in. Adults only. Phone 85-R. 38-tfc

FOR RENT—One and two room furnished apartments, by week or month, \$40 and up, bills paid. See Harley Hurt at Alahambra Motel, Phone 73. 37-tfc

FOR RENT—Furnished garage apartment. 1420 Brice St. 30-tfc

FOR RENT—2 furnished apartments, one 3-room with bath and one 2-room with bath. 621 South 7th. 22-tfc

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WANTED—Someone to sell Nacurus Liquid Fertilizer. Call or write Henry McPherson, Route 1, Lockney, Texas, phone Bean Exchange 4517. 39-3p

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SEWING MACHINES For Rent by week or month. Also sewing machines for sale. Rehels Furniture & Repair Shop. 808 Cleburne and St., phone 542-M. 19-tfc

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MAN OR WOMAN — to take over route of established customers in Memphis. Weekly profits of \$50.00 or more at start possible. No car or other investment necessary. Will help you get started. Write C. R. Ruble, Dep. F-4, The J. R. Watkins Company, Memphis 2, Tenn. 40-1p

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- Sunsweet PRUNES, 1 lb. box 29c; 2 lbs. 53c
- JELLO, All Flavors, 2 boxes 17c
- CHEWING GUM, All Kinds, 2 pkgs. 7c
- Heinz CATCHUP, Lg. Bottle 25c
- Ideal DOG FOOD, 2 cans 27c
- AJAX or BABO CLEANSER, 2 cans 23c
- SOAP POWDER, All Kinds, Lg. 32c; Giant 76c
- TOILET PAPER, Scot Tissue, 2 rolls 25c
- ALUMINUM FOIL, Roll 29c
- PAPER NAPKINS, 80 count, 2 pkgs. 27c
- KLEENEX, 200 size 16c; 400 size 29c
- PINEAPPLE JUICE, 46 oz. cans 33c
- ORANGE JUICE, Donald Duck, 46 oz. can 36c
- GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, W. S. 46 oz. cans 29c
- TOMATO JUICE, Hunt's, 46 oz. can 30c
- TUNA FISH, Solid Pack, can 39c
- Wolf's CHILL, Sm. can 32c; No. 2 cans 54c
- HOMINY, W. S. can 9c
- Blue Tag WHOLE GREEN BEANS, can 27c
- SPINACH, H. D. or Del Monte, can 15c
- Fresh BLACKKEYED PEAS, No. 2 cans 16c
- TOMATOES, 303 cans, 2 for 27c
- PEARS, H. D. Med. Cans 27c; lg. cans 39c
- FRUIT COCKTAIL, H. D. Med. can 25c; lg. cans 39c
- PEACHES, H. D. Med. can 22c; lg. cans 33c
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Editorial

Michigan Leads The Way

Michigan recently became the first state to make driver training a prerequisite to licensing a youthful motorist to operate a car. The law effective this month requires all persons under 18 years first to have passed an approved course in operating a motor vehicle before receiving a driver's license. All licensees must be at least 16 years of age.

The instruction for youths is provided in public, private and parochial schools and the course will have been given to an estimated 66,000 students during the current year. The program is financed from license fees, and districts receive up to \$25 for each student completing the driver education course.

Ultimately, all motorists in Michigan will have had the instruction for operating motor vehicles, and the process of graduation may be the most practical one.

The accident toll keeps climbing each year and has already reached the peak of a national tragedy. During World War II America had 1,070,524 casualties on the battle field while our highways chalked up 3,394,000 casualties.

In the length of time it takes to read this, at least two persons in the United States will have been killed in accidents, and about 180 injured. Traffic accidents are costing someone about \$100.00 a second or more than \$3,000,000,000.00 a year. Voluntary safety programs in the past have met with little success and law enforcement officials are beginning to believe that the only way to stop this slaughter on the highways is to enforce the law to the maximum.

We think that this driver education program is one of the best steps to making our highways safe. Today's cars are technical, high efficiency machines which can carry you along the road at a mile a minute or chop you into hamburger in two seconds. If education can help control the high death rate it is time we include this education in our present system.

What Tight Money Means

Most of us have read about the tight money policy which went into effect some time ago but few have stopped to figure out what it means here in Memphis.

The FHA interest rate hike from 4 1/2 to 5 per cent is a mere 1/2 per cent, and when it is spread over a 20 or 30 year period what does that little amount mean?

Well here's what it means. A young man buys a home for his family, and borrows \$10,000 on a 30-year plan with interest at the new 5 per cent level. Over this period of time the 1/2 per cent increase will cause him to pay an extra \$1080 to some mortgage banker. Maybe \$1080 is pretty small potatoes to a hip-heavy investor but to those of us in small towns it means a year in college for one of our kids, an extra room on the house or a new car to replace the old one before it falls apart.

A thousand dollars means little to a guy who's loaded with the stuff, but it a real bundle to one without it. This act, along with countless others, are designed to aid those with plenty at the expense of those who can't afford it. That's real benevolence, genuine discrimination between economic groups, and an admirable way to slow down inflation.

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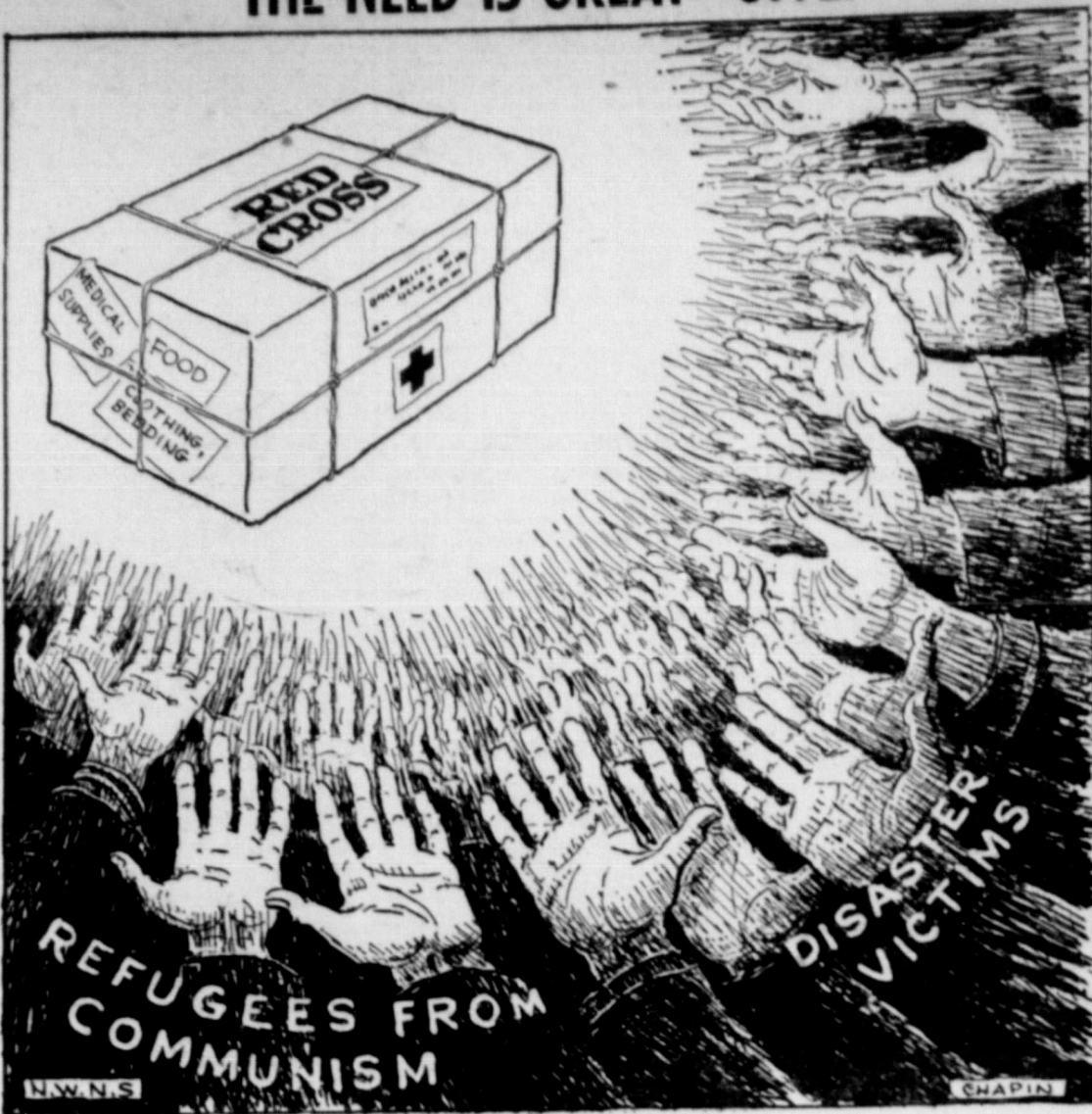
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The Independent

This newspaper has often proclaimed that the sorriest citizen in the United States is the so-called "independent voter" the bird who sits by while other people share the policies of the political parties, then indulges in the hypocritical, shiftless and dishonest practice of "choosing" the one most to his liking.

But Don Norberg, editor of the Albia (Iowa) Monroe County News, explained it a lot better in a speech recently before the Washington Newspaper Publishers Association, where he took newspapers and voters to task for their "independence" in party politics:

"I saw, with regret, both Mr. Eisenhower and Mr. Stevenson appeal to the so-called independent voters in their convention speeches, rather than ignoring or criticizing them.

"The independent voter is not an asset to our system of government. He is a hitch-hiker . . . he wants to ride for free. Because he accepts the privileges of citizenship and passes up the responsibilities.

"Our government is as good as the Republican and Democratic parties—and no better. And the Republican and Democratic parties can only be as good as the members make them.

"The independent voter chooses between two platforms, two sets of policies, two sets of candidates for office not of his own making. If he cannot choose between the two goods, it is not to his credit. If he chooses between the two evils, one of them is in a measure the result of his neglect.

"I would put the so-called independent newspaper in the same class as the independent voter.

"Unlike many of my Democratic party colleagues, I think there is a greater threat to our party and the proper conduct of government than a one-party press.

And that is a no-party press. "Our government is not a government by party. It is a government by parties. The loser influences the course of public affairs as well as the winner.

"The New Deal court packing plan was derailed because the voice of the losing party—the Republican party—was heard in the land.

"The Dixon-Yates proposition was derailed because the voice of the losing party—the Democratic party—was heard in the land.

"Our history is filled with similar examples."—The Deming (N. M.) Graphic

Your Outlook

There is the classical story of the two men who were employed by a construction company. Both men did the same type of work, each employing the shovel to dig ditches for the foundation of buildings.

However, the story goes that the two men, although they did the same work, were exact opposites in personality and outlook. One day a visitor came by the place where the two were working and asked the Pessimist, "What are you doing?" The answer was "Digging a ditch."

The visitor walked to where the Optimist was working and asked, "What are you doing?" The reply was "Building a cathedral."—The LaGrange Journal

Accident Fatal To Patrolman

State Highway Patrolman L. R. (Buck) Smith, 24, of Matador, was killed about 7 p. m. Friday when he was struck by a speeding pickup near the west city limits of Ralls. Struck down in the performance of his duty working with a radar detection unit, Smith was in the act of flagging down a 1957 Ford pickup truck that had been reported speeding. He was

tossed 120 feet through the air according to a report in the Lubbock Avalanche. He died enroute to a hospital. Matador Tribune

Extras

Jack Barris demonstrating gadget on new car to Bill the barber: "And when you push this button the date of the last payment appears on the dial below."—Groom News

There are more states east of the Mississippi than there are West of it.

Memories Turning Back Time From The Democrat Files

40 YEARS AGO
March 1, 1917
Congress Hesitates To Confer Power Asked By President: The situation in Congress fell in a tangle today and the prospects that there would be no extra session were not so promising as they were last night. The house foreign affairs committee reported the bill to empower the President to protect American rights against the German submarine menace but with charges which are unwelcome to the administration. . . . Germany Offers To Replace Dutch Ship: The German government has offered to replace the seven Dutch merchantmen which were torpedoed off the English coast last week with German freighters until the end of the war on condition that Holland purchase them afterward.

30 YEARS AGO
March 3, 1927
Street Signs Now Assured In This City: The City Council has approved the plans presented by the Business Girls Club, and has appointed S. T. Harrison and Ben DeBerry as a committee from the Council to work in conjunction with the Business Girls Club committee, consisting of Misses Edna Bryan, Willie Guinn, Frankie Allison, Lillian Guill, Gladys Hammond, and Justine Keeling, in receiving and passing on bids for the placing of street signs in Memphis. . . . Brick Plant Being Installed In Thriving Town of Turkey: W. F. Hedrick, local contractor, has just completed the building and installed machinery for the manufacture of concrete brick, concrete blocks and artificial stones of all kinds.

20 YEARS AGO
March 5, 1937
Memphis Youths Make Envious College Records: Memphis school authorities have been informed that two former local high school students, Harold Foxhall and G. W. Smith, are making enviable college records. . . . Dr. O. R. Goodall Is Named City's Health Official: Dr. O. R. Goodall, Memphis physician, was named as city health officer Tuesday night of this week when the Memphis City Council met in its monthly session. Dr. Goodall's office as of March 1, succeeding Dr. C. Z. Stidham. . . . Rises In Track Meeting Scheduled For March 27.

10 YEARS AGO
March 6, 1947
Yes, But How Do We Do It? When The Sun Goes Down: Around 40 new street lights will be turned on in Memphis during the next two weeks, according to Mack Wilson, local West Memphis Utilities manager. . . . Rotary Sponsor Scout Troop Here: Memphis Rotary Club passed a motion picture this week to sponsor an additional scout troop. . . . Interest was high among Memphis boys, and their needs could more fully served by the addition of a troop. . . . Mrs. Henry E. New returned home from Temple Tuesday where she had been going medical attention for past two weeks.

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Fight For Bond Assumption Program

M. O. Goodpasture, Former County Judge, Celebrates 80th Birthday



M. O. GOODPASTURE

Former County Judge M. O. Goodpasture, who has been credited with the primary movement for the bond assumption program adopted in Texas in the 1930's, celebrated his 80th birthday Monday, Feb. 11.

was on the fifth day when one man said, "No fair minded man in Texas will say you are wrong."

He continued the fight making talks in Temple, Waco, Austin, Fort Worth and three times in San Antonio.

Goodpasture finally attended a meeting of highway engineers in College Station and presented his side of the argument before the group.

In explaining the tactics he used to win the fight for the bond assumption program Goodpasture said, "I never go in for a fight to whip out the opposition and exterminate them."

of the payments. The highway department had taken over the maintenance of some of the county paving already and had incorporated the roads into the state system.

Judge Goodpasture spent five days in Austin the first trip talking to state officials and the only encouraging remark he heard



WARMTH FOR SICK . . . Hungarian policeman and member of Budapest workers' militia guard coal supplied by Red Cross for heating hospitals.

M. O. Goodpasture was born on Feb. 11, 1877 in a one-room log cabin built on a hillside about six miles from Hillham, Overton Co., Tenn.

His greatest problem through the years has been his health. Good friends believed that he would not live to be thirty years old and warned the girl he married to leave him alone or she would be a widow.

Goodpasture came to Texas to get away from the damp-climate where so much malaria prevailed, arriving at St. Jo in Montague County on Jan. 2, 1910.

finally came back to the Panhandle because of the malaria and the damp climate.

He served in the county clerk's office for several years before becoming secretary of the Retail Merchants Association here in 1923.

Goodpasture said he has never worried about his health. "If God has something for me to do, I'm willing to work for the next 20 years for the good of every body, if and when they need me."

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Delphian Club Members and Guests Enjoy Dinner Party Tuesday Evening

Members of the Delphian Club and guests enjoyed a dinner party on Tuesday evening, Feb. 19, in the Travis Cafetorium.

R. H. Wherry, T. M. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McMurry, Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Potts, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McCreary, Mrs. Louise Goffinet, Mrs. G. W. Kesterson, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Baker, Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. A. Anisman, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Boone, Luther Gribble of Wellington, Mrs. Mildred Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hays, Mrs. O. R. Goodall, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Clark and Mrs. J. L. Barnes.

A delicious meal including baked ham, green beans, potatoes, congealed salad, hot rolls, coffee and cherry pie was enjoyed by members and guests.

Following the meal, Mrs. Lynn McKown introduced the guest speaker, Walter Hicks, state game warden. Mr. Hicks showed films of the wildlife of Texas and also film on ducks and geese.

Mrs. John Ward of Aspermont spent the weekend here with her mother, Mrs. Estelle Barber.

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Game Sheep Released In Palo Duro Game and Fish Commission

potential challenge for the state Texas big game hunters been released in Palo Duro country in the Panhandle in the form of thirty-one aoudad sheep.

ledges and rimrock and "eat about everything." Tufts of wild grass, leaves, twigs, weeds and berries will be the main diet in their new home, he added, with springs providing ample water.

The resident biologist said New Mexico tried a similar restocking plan with "considerable success."

Jackson envisioned the time within a few years when Texas can have a short open season, probably under the special permit system.

"These sheep are masters at elusiveness when they are alerted to danger," he said, adding that they have a natural brown camouflage, just like their new surroundings.

He said the old bucks have long body hair that hangs below their knees, have long locks extending from their brisket, have a short tail, long horse face and have a yellow eye area with a brown mark through it.

Mrs. Carl Morris Income Tax—Bookkeeping Quarterly Reports Hedley, Texas

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Denton Paper Tells Story of Old Cemetery

Appearing recently in the Denton Record-Chronicle was a story concerning an old cemetery which dates back to the Civil War. The cemetery named was the Pollard Cemetery located in the west part of Denton county on land operated by Pollard's grandson, H. E. Long, who is a brother of Mrs. Ora Denny and Ida Mae Long of Memphis and Mrs. D. M. Janell of Swearingen.

Isaac Pollard, grandfather of Mrs. Denny and Miss Long came from Tennessee in 1856. He donated two acres of his land in 1864 for use as a cemetery. Two of Pollard's sisters were buried in the cemetery in the early days and it was fenced off by a rock wall.

One section of the cemetery was designated for Negro burial. One of the slaves brought from Tennessee in 1856 was buried there after serving the family for 60 years. Mr. and Mrs. Pollard, their only son and one of their daughters as well as a number of their grandchildren were buried in the cemetery.

H. E. Long operates the ranch with the assistance of his sons, Hubert Earl and Dormand, who are beginning the 4th generation of ranching on the property. The family still uses the Bar II brand on the right hip, the brand registered by Pollard in 1864.

Austin News

Besides the usual work, the second graders have been busy the past two weeks with stories, art, and other activities centered around Lincoln's and Washington's birthdays, and Valentine Day.

They especially enjoyed the Valentine party; also the assembly program, which was given February 22.

Johnny Ingle, who recently enrolled in the second grade, withdrew from school Friday.

The third grade enjoyed a Valentine party in their room the afternoon of Feb. 14. Each child had painted their own valentine box, as an art project, to hold their valentines. The mothers who had a share in serving cookies and punch to the pupils were: Mmes. Grover Booth, Henry Solomon, M. H. Hawthorne, M. G. Alewine, Homer Tribble and R. D. Mauck.

Happy birthday to Rosemary Harrison last Friday.

Those taking part in a rhythm show last Friday afternoon were: Nedra Sue Miller, Linda Lou Ford, Diane Gailey, Mark Phillips, Robby Higgenbotham, Rodney Hern, and Neil Tribble.

Diane Gailey sang "Me and My Teddy Bear," and Rosemary Harrison gave a twirling exercise.

The fourth grade gave the following program on the talent program last Friday morning: piano solo, "The Butterfly Chase," Dana Koeninger; song, "Shake That Little Foot," Lynn Foxhall; Ginger Hancock, Shirley Watson, Doris Ward, and Dana Koeninger, accompanied by C. J. Goodnight; piano solo, "The Pony Race," Billy Cosby; song, "Don't Be Cruel," Billy Ed Thompson.

We are sorry that Lana Worthington is absent from school because of illness.

This week we had our Talent Show. In it from the sixth grade were Karen Ann Gibson, our announcer; Neva Sue Koeninger who did a tap dance accompanied by Jo Ann Stanley; Abbie Louise Massey playing the piano and reciting the Gettysburg Address; Phil Howard, Jim Newbrough, Randy Robertson, John Lavender, and Dale Koeninger who did a skit called "The Conductor."

Also, our class enjoyed two films, "Care of the Skin" and "Crimes of Carelessness."

In art we have been doing modern art. Also, Mr. Hancock visited in school Wednesday afternoon.

In Health this week our class wrote a theme on Unit 5. The subjects our class could write about were: Fit For Fun, Fit For Sports, Fit For Work, Joy In Work and Play, Growth, Good Posture, A Good Complexion, Physical Defects Should Be Corrected, Freedom From Preventable Illness, and No Accidents.

This news was brought to you by Katie Phillips, Jo Ann Stanley, Neva Sue Koeninger, Abbie Louise Massey.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Craig and Larry and Don and Mrs. C. C. Craig and Jana Gail visited in Tulsa, Okla., over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Smith.

Capt. and Mrs. Douglas Barber and children Katherine Ann and Thomas visited here Thursday night and Friday with his mother, Mrs. Estelle Barber.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Watkins and sons were Memphis visitors over the weekend.



Mrs. Albert Bailey Guest Speaker At Culture Club

Members of the Woman's Culture Club and their guests met in the Travis Cafetorium on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 20.

Guests and members were welcomed at the door and directed to seats by Mrs. Nat Bradley, vice president of the club.

After all had assembled, Mrs. Theo. Swift gave the invocation and the president, Mrs. Brode Hoover made a short talk welcoming the guests for the occasion.

Mrs. Frank Ellis had charge of the afternoon's program. In introducing the program, Mrs. Ellis stated that once each year the club observed a religious program as religion was the source of all good and all comfort. She, then, introduced Mrs. Albert Bailey of Estelline who reviewed the

book, "All Women of the Bible," written by Mrs. Edith Alderman Deen.

Mrs. Bailey gave a vivid description of each feminine character mentioned in the Bible. She closed her review by saying that women spoken of in the Bible, whether good or bad, had a great influence upon Christianity of the world and that the same holds true with women of today. Those who were good were found helping in the furtherance of Christianity while those who were bad were found retarding it.

During the social hour cookies and punch were served from a tea table laid with a handmade cut work linen cloth centered with a bowl of the jonquils.

Mrs. Jeanette Irons presided at the crystal punch bowl. Refreshments were served to 30 persons.



to, Dean Sustair of Venture, Calif. and Wilma Martin of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Baldwin, A. Baldwin and Mrs. T. L. Rouse visited in Clarendon Sunday with relatives.

Mrs. H. B. Bennett, Mrs. Gladys Power, Mrs. Alice Crawford and Mrs. Ora Denny were Clarendon visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Mills Roberts returned home last Thursday from a 10-day visit in Houston in the home of her sister, Mrs. James M. Smith. Accompanying Mrs. Roberts to Houston was Mrs. T. O.

Porter of Lamesa and Mrs. Conley of Marlin, both sisters of Mrs. Roberts. Another sister, W. E. Knight, of San Antonio also met them in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Goff Olton visited here over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. ...

Mr. and Mrs. John Shadoff, Mrs. Herschel Combs visited Wellington Sunday afternoon with relatives.

Mrs. Claud Johnson and H. H. Lindsey left Sunday for Lubbock where they will visit a few days with relatives.

QUIZ WHIZ . . . Leonard Ross, 11, stock market prodigy from Tujunga, Cal., displays \$64,000 check, part of \$164,000 total he won on TV quiz shows.

PARNELL

Mrs. Winnie Maye Piper of Amarillo visited last week with Mrs. Jim Burk.

Mrs. Lucille Bailey of Detroit, Tex., is visiting in the A. T. Freeze home.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Orcutt Sunday evening of last week were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Weatherly and children and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lathram and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Weatherly, and Mrs. Maye Weatherly went to Amarillo Thursday to the funeral of Mrs. Mary Weatherly, the former Mary Sams, who at one time lived in the Hulver community.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lee Roberson and Cindy of Eunice, N. M., and Mrs. Roberson of Turkey and Mary Ann and Harold visited Saturday with Mrs. I. D. Mullin.

Jill Cooper was the guest of Linda Weatherly last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jene Burk and Vickie were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hedrick and Mandy.

Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Mullin and Ronald were Sunday guests of her mother, Mrs. Roberson of Turkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Shelton and son Stan of Ashtola visited here Sunday night with Mrs. Shelton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Stanford.

Mrs. Ray Lorange left last Friday for her home in Mountain Park after spending the past two weeks here with her sister, Mrs. Horace Leggett.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wright and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Godfrey visited with relatives and friends in Clarendon Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Bownds returned Sunday from Amarillo where she spent last week visiting with her sister, Mrs. Marjorie Batson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jarrell of Lubbock visited here over the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. May and Mr. and Mrs. Felix Jarrell.

Miss Betty Stewart, student at Hardin-Simmons, visited here over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Howard were dinner guests Sunday of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Davis at Ell.

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and closed. Lock, who said he could see no reason for anyone to oppose such legislation, stated flatly, "News reporters, as well as representatives of other news media, should have the right to attend all political conventions, and for that reason, Senate Bill 94 should be passed."

In a recent speech, Frank Bartholomew, president of United Press, said, "Freedom of the press is a luxury." Representative Green says he believes it is "a luxury Texas can and must afford."

Serving his first term in the legislature, Green shows his stand on anti-secrecy meetings when he says, "All gatherings in the public interest should be open to the press."

To emphasize his feeling on closed meetings, Green said, "Meetings are conducted in a more democratic manner if the press is present," adding bluntly, "chicanery has been present at con-

ventions in the past when the press wasn't there."

Senator Rogers and Representative Green have introduced SB-224 and HB-167, requiring suits for recovery of public money that has been misappropriated.

This bill makes it incumbent on county, district and criminal district attorneys to institute suits for recovering money unlawfully used as well as stolen funds.

"If there had been a checkmate of this type in Duval County," Green said, "that situation never would have arisen. This bill is to forestall another 'Duval County.'"

Brooking no arguments against this bill, Senator Rogers said forcefully, "This legislation is imperative to protect the public and

their interests."

"There is nothing to be gained by being evasive," Rogers said. "This bill, as well as several others, is designed primarily to prevent corrupt authorities from gaining control of a county and its public moneys, with the blackened

example of Duval County outstanding in our memories."

Rogers continued, "If, as in the case of Duval County, the elected officials are involved in a corrupt machine, or because of it, cannot act, this bill allows others to step in.

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BETTER GOVERNMENT LEGISLATION—A

from the Panhandle and a West-Texas Representative have joined hands in sponsoring one of the 15 anti-secrecy bills requested of the Texas Legislature by the Texas Association. Measures advocated by the press stem from recent scandals in Duval County, the Land Office, and other areas of the state. Pictures above are Rep. Howard Green of Fort Worth (standing) and Sen. Andy Rogers of Childress (seated), as they confer on HB 167 and SB 224. Their companion bills require that suits be filed by county and district attorneys for recovery of missappropriated or unlawful expended money belonging to a county, school district or other political division.

More Legislators Join "Better Government" Campaign in Austin

more members of the legislature have joined in sponsoring "Better Government" bills introduced by the Texas Press Association.

Senators Henry B. Lufkin and Andy Rogers, and Representative Kenard and Howard Childress, both of Fort Worth, are among those introduced.

Secrecy bills and bills for recovery of missappropriated public funds are listed among those introduced.

Known as SB-94 and HB-108, and stating, "representatives of newspapers shall have the right" to attend a precinct, county and state political conventions, the bill has 100 per cent support of its sponsors.

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For Breakfast Muffins: Blend 2 cups prepared biscuit mix and 1/4 cup sugar. Beat 1/2 cup (small can) undiluted Carnation with 1/2 cup water and 1 egg. Stir liquid and dry ingredients together until just moistened. Fill buttered muffin pans two-thirds full of batter. Bake in hot oven (400°F) 20-25 minutes.

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County, District Courts Dispose Of Four Cases

V. U. Stephens was found not guilty by a jury on a charge of negligent homicide here Tuesday in County Court with Judge Tracy Davis presiding.

The charge is a misdemeanor and resulted from an automobile accident which occurred on Highway 287 Dec. 7, 1956, about one-fourth mile south of Memphis.

Stephens was driving north on the highway when his car collided with one driven by a California couple. A passenger in Stephens' car died as a result of injuries received in the accident.

District Court

District Judge Luther Gribble heard three men plead guilty and sentenced them last week in a session of the District Court, held in the court house here.

Bob Wesley Johnson pled guilty to a charge of incest and received a five-year sentence. Melvin Levester Owen received a two-year sentence after pleading guilty to a charge of burglary which came about after the Lacy Dry Goods Store in Turkey was entered and merchandise taken.

Jerry Oakley received a four-year sentence after pleading guilty to a charge of burglarizing the Simpson Burger Hut here in Memphis.

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roduce the officers and directors of the organization.

County Superintendent Mary Foreman will present the winners of the annual county spelling bee which is being held today in the Memphis High School.

Special recognition will be given by Mayor O. L. Helm, and Lewis Foxhall will have charge of introducing the speaker for the evening.

Dinner music will be furnished by Brenda Duncan.

The fare for the banquet will consist of baked turkey and all the trimmings.

Chamber of Commerce Manager Clifford Farmer predicted that sale of tickets might have to be stopped Thursday afternoon due to the large number of persons who have purchased tickets for the event.

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MISS A. FLETCHER

Miss A. Fletcher, India Missionary To Speak Tonight

Miss Alberta Fletcher, missionary for the Church of the Nazarene in India, will speak at the local Church of the Nazarene tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 p. m. Pastor Maxine Lewis, announced this week.

Miss Fletcher is a graduate of Bethany Nazarene College in Oklahoma and studied nurses' training at the Samaritan Hospital School of Nursing, Nampa, Idaho.

She will deliver a talk on the work in India and the progress of the Christian church in that country.

The pastor also reminded area residents that the revival is still in progress with Rev. and Mrs. Brockmueller of Fort Collins, Colo., in charge of the services.

The public is invited to attend all of these services.

Boxing -

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poounds, defeated Tommie Clover of Tulsa.

Steve Cruz of Lakeview, defeated Jimmie Inman of Tulsa in the 112-pound class.

Leon Hughes of Matador defeated Charles Hougett of Lakeview by TKO in the 126-pound class.

Carl Zimmerman of Hereford defeated Carthel Medford, Lakeview, 135-pound class.

In the 147-pound class, Dayton Gresham of Matador defeated Dan Durham of Memphis, TKO.

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Texas Exes To Meet In Childress Saturday, March 2

T. Jones, assistant football coach at the University of Texas, will be the speaker at the annual Texas-Ex banquet, to be held at the Childress Hotel, Saturday, March 2.

The area Ex-Students Association, composed of exes from Hall, Cottle, Collingsworth, Hardeman and Childress counties, will assemble for the traditional March 2 banquet amid reminders of student life at the University. John Deaver is vice-president of the association from Memphis and tickets for the banquet can be secured from him. Deaver extends an invitation for all Texas Exes in Memphis to attend the banquet.

Jones is well-known in football circles in this area. He played for Childress High and has performed on the gridiron in all towns in this area. He was quarterback on the great 1952 University team which won the Southwest Conference and then defeated Tennessee 16-0 in the Cotton Bowl. Also in 1952 he won the Houston Post award as the outstanding back of the year.

Those attending the meeting will not only enjoy the fellowship of other ex-students but will be brought up-to-date on the activities of the University from athletics to the building program.

County Officers Have Busy Week

County officers had a busy time of it last week with motor vehicle thefts and a school burglary on their hands, Sheriff W. P. (Bill) Baten said Wednesday.

It all started Wednesday, Feb. 20, when a pick-up was discovered stolen from W. H. Reed Sr. The vehicle was found at Lakeview, but a car belonging to Jess Whittington was missing there.

Whittington's car was found in Vernon but another vehicle was missing from there.

Two suspects, Jerry Oakley and Theodore Franklin Hargett were picked up following the events. Hargett is being held in jail here in lieu of bond and Oakley is being held in a Vernon jail on a charge of car theft.

School Burglary Thursday night the Memphis Junior High School building was entered and vending machines were broken open, Sheriff Baten also reported.

The burglars took only money from the machines and no merchandise. School officials estimated that about \$55.00 was probably in the machines.

Baten said it is possible that this burglary was committed by the same persons who have been burglarizing other schools over the Panhandle area.

Booster Club Officers Elected Tuesday Night

The annual all sports banquet, sponsored by the Cyclone Booster Club and the Memphis Lions Club, was held in the Travis School cafeteria Tuesday evening, and Booster Club officers and directors for the coming year were elected.

The new officers of the organization are Frank Smith, president; Dr. Jack L. Rose, vice president; Adrian Combs, secretary.

Newly elected directors are Dr. David Aronofsky and T. O. Pounds. Hold-over directors are Bill Holman and Kenneth Dale.

Outgoing officers are H. E. Craig, president; Hubert Dennis, vice president; and Dr. Rose, secretary. Retiring directors were J. W. Coppedge and Clyde Morris.

When a rifle is aimed the barrel is above the line of the target.

Cotton Quiz

WHO IS THE 1957 MAID OF COTTON?



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DONKEY BASKETBALL — Confusion like that pictured above will reign in Esteline Saturday night when the Lions Club there sponsors a Donkey Basketball game, beginning at 7:30 p. m. in the gymnasium.

Grasses and Land Classifications Range Conservationist Explains

By ODF'S J. CURRY

Range Conservationist

Blue Grama is found throughout the Hall County Soil Conservation District as well as in the surrounding plains area from Canada to Mexico.

It is commonly associated with buffalo grass in the High Plains of Texas. The grama grasses do not extend very far eastward because of the competition from taller grasses.

The gramas are quite important forage plants in the Mixed Prairie grasslands of Texas. Sideouts, hairy and blue grama are the three better ones found in this area. These grasses are characterized by the flowers being arranged in two rows along one side of the seed head.

Blue grama is a native perennial, short bunch grass. It can be identified by the 2-4 rooster-comb-like seed heads on each seed stalk and may be distinguished from hairy grama which it closely resembles, by the absence of a stinger or stipe at the ends of the seed heads.

Grama grasses usually produce seed in July or early August and again in September and October. The summer seed are generally of low quality as high temperatures prevent proper pollination.

Most of the grama grasses are equal to, if not a little higher in palatability and nutritive content than buffalo grass, but, as is true of all short grasses, their weak point is their low productivity.

All ranges will benefit from good conservation practices but the condition of a specific range tells the rancher which practices are needed, and to what extent. Some suggestive practices for range improvement are indicated according to the conditions of the range classified as follows:

EXCELLENT: 75 to 100 per cent of vegetative cover made up of desirable plants native to the site. Range composed almost entirely of good and choice plants with practically no invaders. 1. continue proper stocking with correct numbers and kinds of livestock.

GOOD: 50 to 75 per cent of vegetative cover made up of desirable plants native to the site.

Range composed mainly of good and choice plants but with a few invaders. 1. Proper stock with correct numbers and kinds of livestock. 2. Seasonal use, based upon the desirable species present, to permit their increase. 3. Remove woody invaders.

FAIR: 25 to 50 per cent vegetative cover made up of desirable plants native to the site. Range composed mainly of poor or invading plants but with some good plants. 1. Proper stock with correct numbers and kinds of livestock. 2. Short deferment in the spring or fall growing season. 3. Concentrated use on undesirable plants when they are most palatable. 4. Remove woody invaders. 5. Mechanical practices, such as contour furrowing, of badly eroded areas.

POOR: 0 to 25 per cent vege-

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tative cover made up of desirable plants native to the site. Range composed almost entirely of invading plants with few good plants. 1. Proper stocking with correct numbers and kinds of livestock. 2. Long deferment during entire growing and seed producing seasons of desirable plants. 3. Remove woody invaders. 4. Mechanical treatments. 5. Overseeding areas of suitable soils with desirable pasture grasses.

Information on range sites, stocking rates, and identification of plants can be obtained by contacting technicians of the Soil Conservation Service.

Men, more than women, are afflicted with color blindness.

For a short period from 1835 to 1837 the United States government was out of debt.

Women who retain their maiden names after marriage are called Lucy Stoners.



FRACTURED PAIS... the Loman, 9, of W... D. C. and her dog "Furry" convalesce from broken Martha got hers in play and a car struck "Furry."

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