

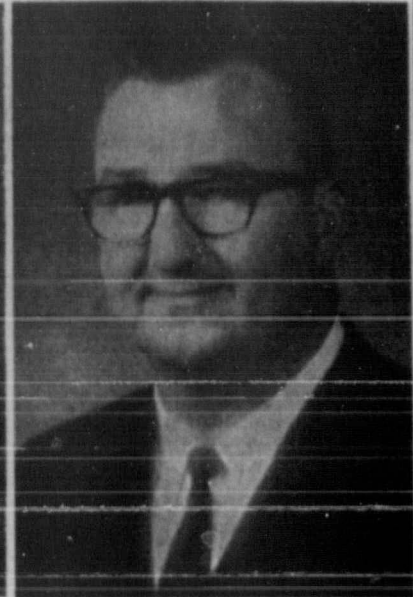
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| High Temperature | 92 |
| Low Temperature | 41 |
| Precipitation | 1.03 |
| Total Rainfall | 2.08 |



HARRY VANDERPOOL

First Methodist Church Here To Hold Revival Services Beginning April 17

The congregation of the First Methodist Church will enter into revival service beginning Monday, April 17 through Sunday, April 23. Rev. Harry Vanderpool, pastor of the First Methodist Church in Pampa, will be preaching each evening at 7:30.

Rev. Vanderpool has served parishes in Littlefield and Snyder prior to going to Pampa. The trustees of McMurry College recently voted to confer the Doctor of Divinity degree upon him at the spring commencement.

Ted James who was song leader for the revival last year, will again lead the singing. He also is associated with the First Methodist Church in Pampa.

There will be a special breakfast for all men beginning at 6:45 on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday mornings.

The congregation has extended an invitation to everyone in this community to attend any or all of the services.

Services For Mrs. J. A. Odom Are Held Monday

Funeral services for Mrs. J. A. Odom, 84, were held at 4 p. m. Monday, April 10, in the First Christian Church with Minister Tom Posey officiating, assisted by Minister Everett Stephens of Amarillo and Minister Paul Hancock of Clarendon.

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

Mrs. Odom passed away Sunday morning in Hall County Hospital.

Miss Willie Belle Nichols was born in Waller County. She was united in marriage to Dr. James Adrian Odom Aug. 22, 1901, at Rogers. They moved to Childress in 1916 and to Memphis in 1919.

Mrs. Odom was a member of the First Christian Church, Atalantean Club and the United Daughters of the Confederacy. She was a past grand matron of the Order of the Eastern Star.

She is survived by her husband, Dr. J. A. Odom of Memphis; one daughter, Mrs. Nay Hale of Lubbock; two sons, Coy Lee of Portales, N. M., and James Adrian, Jr., of Memphis; four grandchildren. (Continued on Page 12)

MHS Thinclads Win District Meet

Buffalo Follies To Be Presented Here Monday

Hank Washington, West Texas State quarterback who finished among the nation's passing leaders last season, heads the parade of grid stars in the Buffalo Follies which will appear at the Memphis High School Auditorium, Monday evening, April 17, at 8 o'clock.

Admission is free to the public. The follies is being sponsored by the Memphis Chamber of Commerce.

Washington leads the Singing Buffaloes throughout the hour-long song-and-dance spectacle, and in previous showings has captured the audience with his interpretations of the frog, the alligator, the swim and the monkey.

Presented in nine scenes, the Buffalo Follies is designed to display what head football coach Joe Kerbel calls "the complete Football player". As the performers relate during the show, a football player does not necessarily think of playing football all of the time.

Received with enthusiastic approval in towns where it has appeared, the program is replete with colorful costumes, zany comedy, and one scene features the biggest bride in the land, Larry Brazon, 260-pound Buff tackle.

Directed by veteran show-woman, Dixie Dice Watson, of Amarillo, the show also presents the West Texas State University cheerleaders and Miss Sherie Kerbel daughter of the head coach.

Members of the football team will be available for visiting with the audience following the show.

Pulling off the second major coup of the 1966-67 season, the Cyclone track and field team, utilizing unexpected depth, captured the District 3-AA meet with 115 points, outdistancing second place Olton who had 84 points.

In bringing home the district track trophy, the Cyclone athletes have captured two of three major victories in District 3-AA, and as far as is known, won the first district track crown in the history of the school, especially in Class AA competition.

"The school has a 1945 spring contest trophy in the show case, but we couldn't find any district track trophies," Coach Bert Glascock said.

"I feel that it was our depth which won us the meet, as we captured only four first places this year, and last year in District 2-A we captured seven first places and did not win," the coach added.

The day started off in fine style for the local lads as the 440-yard relay team of Spruill, Welch, Graves and Wilson stepped off a 44.3 for a victory in that event.

Roge Fowler placed third in the 880-yard run, and James Fleeks placed fifth in this event.

In the 440-yard run, Clyde Wilson placed third, Junior Graves placed fourth and Judge Smith placed sixth.

In the 220-yard run, William Welch placed second with a 23.1. Roy Long placed fourth and James Spruill placed fifth.

In the mile run, Paul Edwards won third place and Allen Booth placed fifth.

The mile relay, composed of Long, Graves, Wilson and Welch, out-distanced Hale Center's final relay team and came in with a fine time of 3:23.9 to win first place in this event.

Field Meet

One of the real pleasant surprises for the Memphis team was the fine performance turned in by the field team.

In the shot put, Johnny Scott heaved the ball 46' 11 1/2" to place second in the event, and Willie Devore placed fifth.

In the discus throw, Devore won the event with a good toss of 146' 1 1/2".

In the broad jump, Dwaine Jones won the event with a leap of 19' 3", and William Welch placed sixth.

Junior Graves placed second in the high jump with a 5' 10" effort. (Continued on Page 12)

Tornado Damages Barn Wednesday South Of Town

A portion of the roof of a 100-ft. by 60-ft. barn on the Ida Hutcherson farm, 4.5 miles southeast of Memphis, was blown off by a possible tornado last night.

Most of the north half of the east side of the barn's roof was dumped into the lot east of the building by the twister, which also leaned over two telephone poles southwest of the farm buildings and turned over a cotton trailer plus doing some damage to trees.

Living on the farm are Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Fields, who were away until after 11 p. m.

The barn is the home of a large number of pigs, and in it is stored a huge quantity of feed.

This morning, Rayford and Wayne Hutcherson had no idea as to the cost of the damages.

Memphis was put on alert by the local police department about 10 p. m. as Chief Tomie Tucker went on the Vumore Co. storm and emergency voice system on all television channels.

Memphis got a total of 1.03 inches of rainfall, official weather observer, Rayford Hutcherson, reported this morning, during the three separate rains this week.

Estelline Girls Volleyball Team In Region Meet

The Estelline girls volleyball team won the first round in the regional playoff by defeating Hedley Tuesday night in two games at the Hedley gymnasium.

The Estelline girls won the first game 15-8 and the second 15-1, in advancing to the regional tournament to be held in Canyon Saturday.

At Canyon, Estelline will play in the first round of a six-team tournament at 10 a. m. Saturday. At the tournament will be first round winners of Districts 1 through 12. Estelline represents Districts 9 and 10, and are in the lower bracket.

Estelline girls won the District 10-B tournament at Turkey recently, and then downed Hedley Tuesday night in what would normally be considered bi-district.

This year, Class B volleyball playoffs go all the way to the state level, Estelline school officials report.

Several students from Wayland Baptist College, Plainview, will be leading revival services at the First Baptist Church in Estelline this weekend, April 14-16, Rev. Royce Denton, pastor, has announced.

Services will be held on Friday and Saturday evenings at 8 p. m. Sunday worship services will be at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., Rev. Denton stated.

Following services each evening a fellowship hour will be held for the young people.

On Saturday evening the Mission Band from Wayland College will present a drama entitled "Challenge of the Cross."

Sid West will be the evangelist for the services. Other students participating will be Bob Stewart, music director; Carol Arnold, pianist; and Peggy West, soloist.

The public is cordially invited to attend the services. A nursery will be provided for all services.

Wayland Students To Lead Estelline Revival Services

Boy Scout Troop 35 will hold a Court of Honor at 7:30 p. m. Monday, April 17, in the Community Center, the scoutmaster of the troop, Les Sims, has announced.

All parents of the boys, and all citizens interested in scouting are invited to be on hand and see the presentation of the badges and awards to members of the troop.

Scout Troop 35 To Have Court Of Honor Monday

Second place winner in the contest was Mrs. J. S. McMurry of 210 N. 10th St., Memphis. Her guess was 36,971 bales. Third place winner was M. D. Kennard, Route 1, Lakeview, with a guess of 36,449 bales.

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Other persons listing close guesses in the 1966 contest were Butler Stewart of Amarillo, 36,240; Joe N. Berry of Lesley, 36,444.

According to the cotton ginning report from the Bureau of Census, the neighboring counties produced the following for 1966: Briscoe County, 2,566; Childress, 16,448; Collinsworth, 21,909; Donley, 7,622; Motley, 4,870.

Rites Held Today For Long-Time Estelline Resident

Funeral services for Mrs. Martha E. Richardson, 87, a resident of Estelline for 41 years, were held at 4 p. m. today (Thursday) in the West Side Church of Christ in Estelline with Minister Tom Anderson of the Memphis Church of Christ officiating.

Burial was in Estelline Cemetery with arrangements by Spicer Funeral Home.

Mrs. Richardson died Wednesday at Northwest Hospital in Amarillo. She had been a patient at an Amarillo rest home for the past 15 months.

Born in Arkansas, she became the bride of William Frank Richardson in 1907 at Boxton. The couple moved to Estelline in 1926. Mr. Richardson and three sons have preceded her in death.

She was a member of the West Side Church of Christ of Estelline.

Surviving are a son, Earl, of Estelline; and two daughters, Miss Vera Richardson of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Verna Wood of Amarillo.

Pall bearers were Joe Eddins, Joe Kent Eddins, Doc Rogers, Jake Morrison, Ben Raley and Joe Jouett.

John McWhorter Dies Sunday, Services Are Tues.

John H. McWhorter, 60, died Sunday morning, April 9, in the Hall County Hospital.

Mr. McWhorter, a retired service station operator, had been a resident of Memphis and Hall County for 40 years. The family home is at 110 N. 9th St.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Tuesday, April 11, in the Travis Baptist Church with Rev. Leroy Gaston, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Spicer Funeral Home.

John Harris McWhorter was born Jan. 12, 1907, at Point in Rains County. He was united in marriage to Miss Evelyn Tucker Nov. 2, 1929, at Hollis, Okla. He was a member of the Travis Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. John H. McWhorter of Memphis; two daughters, Mrs. Roddy Bice (Continued on Page 12)

Moore, Clark Tie In Cotton Contest

J. B. Moore, Route 2, Memphis, and Quilla N. Clark of the Lesley community tied for first place in the 1966 Cotton Guessing Contest, it was learned this week after official ginning figures were released by the Bureau of Census, Department of Commerce.

The contest is sponsored each year by The Memphis Democrat.

Mr. Moore and Mr. Clark each entered a guess of 36,666 bales as an estimate for the 1966 cotton harvest for Hall County. The actual number of bales ginned for Hall County, according to the U.

S. Department of Commerce, was 36,714 bales.

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Piano Auditions To Be Held April 18-22

The annual non-competitive piano auditions sponsored by the National Guild of Piano Teachers will be held in Memphis beginning Tuesday, April 18, Gertrude Mason, local chairman of the Memphis Center of the National Guild, announced this week.

The private auditions will continue through April 22 with 91 students of this area participating for honors in the tournament, which is its 14th year.

Miss Collar, who is associate professor of piano at Oklahoma State University of Liberal Arts, Chickasha, Okla., will arrive in Memphis Monday evening.

Miss Collar is a teacher and pianist of recognized merit. Many of her students are known as outstanding soloists, accompanists and teachers. She has served on the Accreditation Committee for the Oklahoma Music Teachers Association and has been a member of the State Executive Board of the Oklahoma Federation of Music Teachers since 1933-66.

She has a master of music degree from the University of Oklahoma and has studied with Alexander Raab and was a scholar-student of Edward Collins at the Chicago Musical College for five years. Advanced study with renowned teachers include E. Schmitz, Tobias Matthay, Ernest England, Ernest Hutchinson, Chautauque, New York; Rosina Rhevinne, Los Angeles Conservatory of Music and the Reisenhart, University of Southern California, Los Angeles.

Miss Collar received favorable comment from the late Felix Borner when she appeared at Century Theater in Chicago. Her performance of Grieg Concerto in G minor was exceptionally well received. She has appeared extensively as soloist, accompanist



HELEN COLLAR

and duo-pianist; has served as adjudicator for the State Young Artist and Student Musician Contests sponsored by the National Federation of Music Clubs; the Amarillo Symphony Orchestra Contests; Oklahoma Federation of Music Clubs Junior Festival, Nell Cook Scholarship and College Auditions and for the National Guild of Piano Teachers for the past seven years.

"We are indeed fortunate to have Miss Collar as our judge," Miss Rasco stated. "Her unusual training and experience here and abroad should prove most profitable to all of us."

The purpose of the Guild Auditions is to stimulate interest in artistic piano playing with goal and awards for hobbyists and professionals of all ages. Goals are for slow as well as gifted pupils. (Continued on Page 12)

Farmers Union To Have State Pres. Here Friday

State President Jay Naman of Texas Farmers Union, along with Hall County President Paul Thompson, Tony Molloy and Turpin Chapter President Eimer will meet with all interested farmers in the Memphis Community Center Friday night, April 14, to give reports on the meeting in Washington.

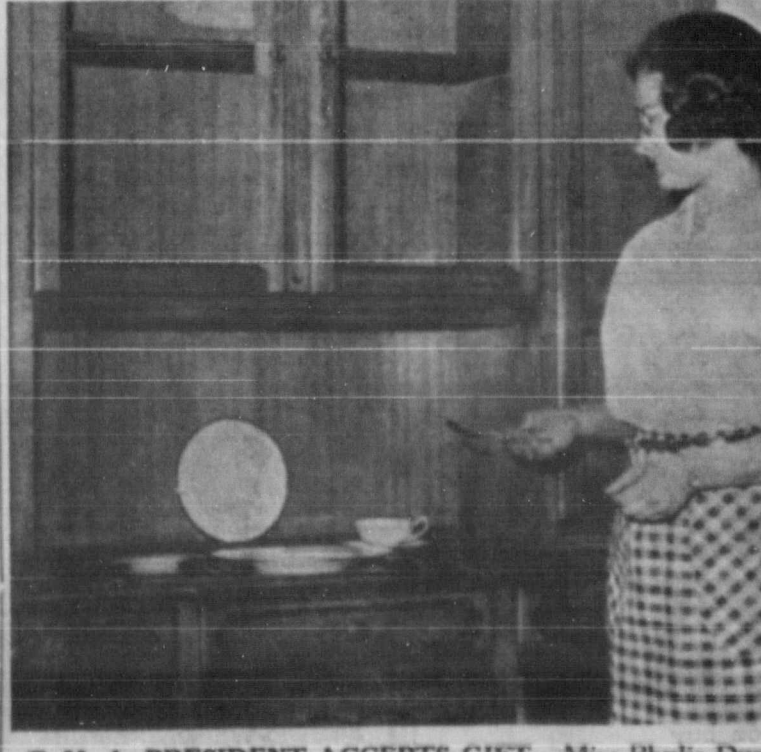
Farmers are invited to be at the Community Center at 8 p. m.

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F. H. A. PRESIDENT ACCEPTS GIFT—Miss Phyllis Dunn, president of the F. H. A. Club of Memphis High School, accepted the gift of Syracuse China and flatware presented to the Homemaking Department Wednesday by the Atalantean Club. The gift includes a 24-piece place setting of China with several extra serving pieces and a 24-piece place setting of stainless steel flatware with extra serving pieces.

Tickets For The Restless Ones' Go On Sale Here

Tickets are going on sale this week for "The Restless Ones," a movie which will be shown at the Capri Theater here, Thursday through Saturday, April 27-29.

There will be two showings, at 6:15 p. m. and 8:30 p. m. on Thursday and Friday nights, and four showings on Saturday, beginning at 1:30 p. m.

Tickets are \$1 each and will be on sale at Branigan Jewelry, Parsons-Lockhart Pharmacy, Fowlers Drug and Frankie & Johnny's Men's Store.

Members of the premiere committee making arrangements for the showing of "The Restless Ones" include: Melvin Jennings, chairman; Mrs. Roy Guthrie, student groups director; Jack B. Boone, counseling and arrangements; Bill Hall, publicity director; Shirley Hansard, director of ticket distribution, and Ben Parks who serves as treasurer.

The three-day showing of "The Restless Ones" is being brought to Memphis by World Wide Pictures and is a Billy Graham Evangelistic Film covering the problems and eruptions of this generation's young people, according to the publicity chairman. "The Restless Ones" does not fail to point up the shocking depth to which today's teens can go in search of thrills, and reveals the treachery of sin, the need for repentance, and the transformation which Christ alone can bring to life.

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EDITORIAL

A Salute To MHS Athletes!

With the capturing of the District 3-AA track and field championship last weekend, we wish to take this opportunity to editorially congratulate and salute the dedicated athletes of Memphis High for bringing our city the honor of one of the most successful seasons in recent decades, and possibly in the entire history of athletics in the local school.

Without a doubt, the 1966-67 Cyclone teams, football, basketball and track, have given Memphis the winningest year in athletic competition in many a year. And, what makes the victories so sweet, is the low regard in which competitors held our athletes when the year first began last September.

It goes without saying that the road has been hard, and for the boys in the gold and black. There was nothing easy about the competition. It was just hard work and dedication all the way, week after week, month after month.

A look at the record shows that Memphis was selected the least likely team to win the district in football, according to a vote by the district coaches, and since the team had to step up from Class A to Class AA ranks, predicts of a 5-5 season in football were considered optimistic.

The year started with a sweet upset victory over Clarendon, but Shamrock came back the next week and upset the Cyclone with ball control and more points on the scoreboard. Then Childress and Lockney fell, and the Cyclone began to roar to life. Then came Dimmitt and a do-or-die fourth quarter test on the Cyclone goal line. The 7-0 victory was sweet and the players and fans themselves left the field with a feeling of pride and greatness for the 1966 Memphis-Dimmitt game was one of the truly fine games played in Texas.

Abernathy felt the might of the Cyclone in the second half as their dream of a sure victory crumbled by one point in the final minute of play when they were unable to score. Then the Cyclone felt the horse shoes of the Olton Mustangs and another lesson was learned. Floydada and Hale Center were next to fall, and Memphis had a sure championship before the last game. Friona won the tied game on penetrations. The 7-2-1 record put Memphis in a district tie with right to represent district. Memphis High now has its first Class AA district championship trophy proudly on display.

Basketball brought a tournament victory for the local cagers at Shamrock, and a runner-up trophy in another tournament. In district play, Dimmitt was too powerful but the local team went on to win second place in the district standing. Dimmitt lost out in the state finals by a point which is an indication of the tough competition.

About six weeks ago, Memphis athletes began making arrangements for this year's track adventures. Prospects were good and the coaches and boys were hopeful. Things got off to a good start when several of the boys began working out twice a day, once before school and then after school. As a result of dedication and hard work, the Cyclone thinclads brought home many trophies and never placed less than second in any meet they entered.

When the District 3-AA meet was held last Saturday, it was apparent to district coaches that the Cyclone team would be tough to handle. As it proved, the Cyclone rolled to an impressive team victory and captured its second of the big three prizes in District 3-AA.

No. 1 in football, No. 2 in basketball, and No. 1 in track, is an impressive record for one year's work, in Class AA ranks, competing in a big eight-team district.

The MHS Coaching staff, Bert Glasscock, Bill Lorange, Travis Gilliland and George Berry, are to be commended for directing the activities of a fine bunch of dedicated lads.

We're proud of the impressive record and proud of the boys. Memphis may be a little Class AA school but it has a bunch of big hearted athletes. It took hard work. But truly, the boys who have worked until they were exhausted, and then worked some more, are the ones who triumphed this year for Memphis.

Memphians will long remember this year and the boys who made it a season to remember. Memphis athletes are a hard working lot, and in this way they have developed a mastery over competition which is becoming recognized wherever they go.

A man from Denver City told a local fan one day, "I didn't know where Memphis was until last October, when I got my map and looked it up." This then, is the way reputations are built, and the MHS athletes have done their part this year as outstanding ambassadors for Memphis.

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ACROSS THE DESK

What Other Editors Say

Idle Time

"An idle mind is the Devil's workshop" is the old saying that promotes work instead of loafing.

And when you stop and think about it, idleness can become one of the most destructive forces there is, not only because it stalls productivity and thus progress, but it tends to sap the very vitality of a man's character, his creativity and maybe even his individuality.

We must admit that we know very few people these days to whom idle time is a problem. Most of the people we know seem to spend a great deal of time rushing from one activity to another, and if there is a common complaint among the bulk of the population in our Perryton community it is "lack of time."

But that's probably good. Having things to do, and places to go and schedules to meet may be exasperating at times, but it keeps people active, and the active people are the ones that get the most done and have the most enjoyment while they are doing it.

Nobody should get so busy that they never have time to sit down and spend a while in contemplation, but neither should one just quit and sit down.

It is true that Social Security and old age benefits and pensions and retirement plans have their right place and proper function, but a person cannot just "sit it out" and call that life's reward.

People need to be doing something. If they are working, they need to work hard and not keep one eye on the clock, watching for quitting time. If they are of retirement age, they need to find something else to do to keep busy.

More people rust out than wear out, and this is the very best argument against idleness. —Ochiltree County Herald

When Is It Worth It?

Just when is freedom worth fighting for? Apparently, from the sound of some of the European government leaders, only when their own necks and interests are threatened.

Just 59 years ago this April the United States made its first trip to Europe. It was going to have to make two, to save the French and British from the conquering armies of Germany.

Despite the claim by both countries that they were fighting our war before we entered the conflict, both were on the ropes in World War I and one, France, never threw a punch in World War II.

Now, just 20 years after the end of World War II, English and French leaders are very indignant that the United States would risk plunging the world into war just to protect a little country that might not want to

be communist. True, the people know little or nothing about democracy. And, Vietnam is mostly jungles and rice paddies. But, if freedom and political self-determination is important enough to Europeans to plunge the world into war twice, then it must have somewhere near the same value for Asians.

It is unfortunate that people who cried so loudly for help to save themselves cannot hear the call when it comes from some other race or part of the world. —Hansford Plainsman

Did you hear the story about the woman who called up the editor of the local newspaper. "You know," she said, "we've

subscribed to your paper for 40 years and I thought you might want to print a story about my husband. He's a wonderful man, doesn't smoke or drink, has always been a model citizen in every way. He's never used strong language and he's never once stepped inside a theater or movie house. In fact, he has no vices, or bad habits. And tomorrow he's going to celebrate his 80th birthday!"

"How?" asked the editor. —Billy Stockton in the Crosbyton Review

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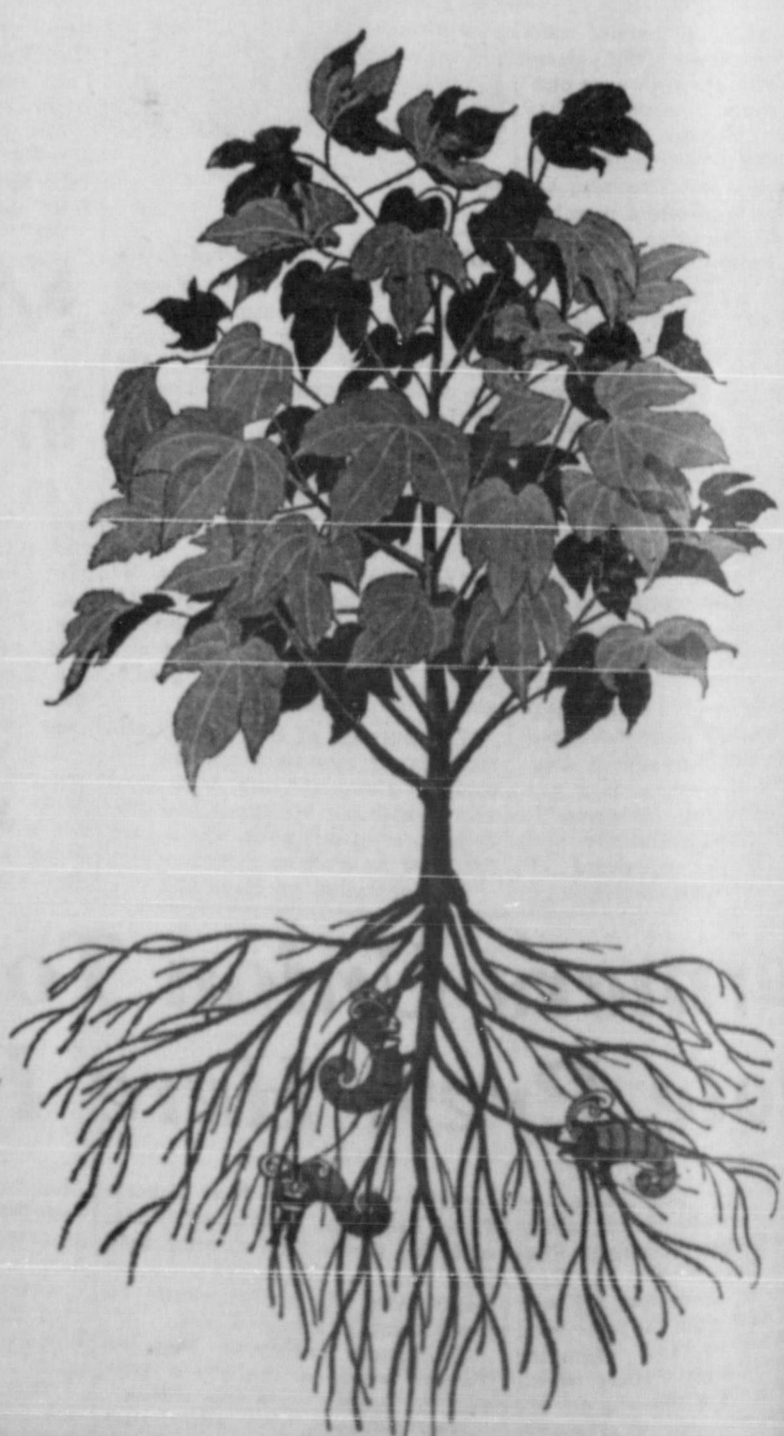
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Memories Turning Back Time From The Democrat Files

40 YEARS AGO April 21, 1927 Miss Mary Jane Cooper and Mr. Glenn Thompson were united in marriage at the home of the bride's mother last Sunday morning at 6 o'clock, the Rev. C. E. Jameson officiating. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. D. L. Cooper of this city and the groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Thompson of this city. They left immediately for Fort Worth for a few days visit.

Miss Mildred Baker entertained her Sunday school class of the First Presbyterian Church at her home Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock with an Easter Egg hunt. Many games were played. Those present were: Joe Peddie, Floyd Gammage, James Johnson, Jim Forkner, J. S. Forkner and Wayne Baker.

Dr. and Mrs. Howard of the Howard Ranch 27 miles west of Clarendon, were here Saturday and Sunday visiting their son A. W. Howard and family, and attending the Knights Templar service.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Thompson and daughter Maurine, attended the hardware convention at Amarillo this week.

J. E. Masterson of Estelline was a business visitor in this city Tuesday.

20 YEARS AGO April 17, 1947 Leroy Green, Bobby Taylor and Jack Knight received the highest award in scouting, the Eagle Badge, Wednesday at a court of honor held at the Lions Club luncheon. After the awards were made, the mothers of the boys, Mrs. Reba Green, Mrs. Cleve Taylor and Mrs. Pauline Knight, pinned the badges on the scouts.

Mrs. H. H. Lindsey, Mrs. Bobby Lindsey and Mrs. Gene Lindsey and daughter Pamela visited in Hollis, Okla., Friday. Accompanying them to her home in Hollis was Mrs. J. E. Morrow who had visited in Memphis for several

eral days with her daughter, H. H. Lindsey.

The Junior G. A. Girls met at the home of Arabella Toney Tuesday afternoon. Appearing on the program were Patsy Sue Baker, Carol Ann Stanley, Lois Carpenter and Virginia Miller. Mrs. Toney served refreshments to 15 members and 2 guests.

Harold Rampey, a national Club winner from Hall County, was guest speaker at a luncheon Tuesday, John M. Hooser was in charge of the program and introduced County Attorney Hooser, who in turn introduced the youthful speaker.

10 YEARS AGO April 11, 1957

In direct contrast to the Democrat Cotton Guessing test the men came away with the honors. Top winner for the 1956 crop was J. W. Hodges. He estimated that the County would gin 25,777 bales from the 1956 crop. This was 100 bales more than the official total of 25,677 bales by only 4.

Members of the national and librarians at Memphis School were honored last Wednesday at an assembly program presented pins. Those who received the library awards were Guyula Cawfield, Helen Crawford and Tanya Fletcher. Members of the annual staff who received awards were Jean Hall, Bobbie Lemons, Paul Wright, John Lemmon, Beth Burnett, Truman Linda Fields, Paul Wilson, Iola Robertson.

Marvin B. Smith, junior student at Texas Technological College, has received the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers Scholarship in Petroleum Engineering for spring semester.

A learned man once said running after women never anybody. It's catching them that does the damage.

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LIBRARY LORE

By Jim Roark

At the opening of Eton Library in 1833 Sir John Herschel said in his address, "Give a man a taste for reading (and the means of gratifying it) and you can hardly fail to make him a happy man. You place him in contact with the best society in every period of history, with the wisest and wittiest, the tenderest and bravest who have adorned humanity. You make him a denizen of all nations, a contemporary of all ages."

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Mystery fans do not miss "Friday the Rabbi Slept Late" by Harry Kemelman. Mystery writers of America awarded it the winner of Best First Mystery Novel of the Year — the Edgar Award when it was published.

The author has a delightful new approach with a Rabbi as a detective. There are more Rabbi mysteries by Mr. Kemelman, who will have a series of them as G. K. Chesterton did with his detective, Father Brown.

For the young girls who enjoy Mary Stolz, three new books of her have just come in. They are "The Organdy Cupcake," "The Day and the Way We Met" and "Who Wants Music on Monday."

Atalantean Club Presents China And Flatware To Homemaking Department

The Atalantean Club officially presented to the Homemaking Department of Memphis High School a 24-piece place setting of Syracuse China with several extra serving pieces and a 24-piece place setting of Oneida stainless steel flatware with extra serving pieces during a meeting held Wednesday, April 5, at the high school building.

Mrs. J. W. Coppedge made the presentation of the gift to the Memphis Homemaking Department for the club. In making the presentation, Mrs. Coppedge said

she hoped that the homemaking students would enjoy the gift as much as the club had enjoyed giving the gift.

Miss Phyllis Dunn, F. H. A. president, accepted the gift in a most gracious way for the Homemaking department.

Mrs. Milton Beasley, president, presided during the meeting and conducted the business session. Mrs. W. R. Scott, program chairman, introduced the program.

The invocation given by Mrs. H. B. Estes.

A beautiful tea table laid with a hand-drawn cloth and centered with red Amaryliss was noted in the dining room.

Delicious refreshments made by students of the Homemaking Department under the direction of their teacher, Miss Nancy Cleavenger, were served.

Hostesses for the meeting were Meses. Bob Douthit, Cecil McCollum and W. R. Scott.

Members present were Meses. Bryan Adams, K. B. Chick, Morris Davis, W. C. Dickey, Henry Foster, Eddie Foxhall, Robert Spicer, Glynn Thompson, C. W. Kinslow, Myrtis Phelan, J. W. Coppedge, W. R. Scott, Milton Beasley, H. B. Estes, Bob Douthit, Cecil McCollum and Miss Iougene King.

Mrs. Bess Crump Is Hostess To Methodist Class

The Daughters of the Wesley Sunday School Class of the First Methodist Church met April 6 in the home of Mrs. Bess Crump with Mrs. A. Gidden as co-hostess.

The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. W. F. McElreath, who led in prayer and presided over the business meeting. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and reports of committees given.

Miss Ira Hammond, program chairman, introduced the program. Meditation and prayer was given by Mrs. J. P. Montgomery. Mrs. Crump gave the scripture reading from John 9: 1-4. Mrs. G. M. Duren discussed the topic, "Why Do We Suffer?" by Charles Allen.

During the social hour, lovely refreshments were served to the following: Meses. Nettie Beach, C. H. Compton, W. V. Coursey, Clara Cummings, G. M. Duren, Mary Lou Erwin, A. Gerlach, T. J. Hampton, Sara Hill, J. P. McElreath, A. H. Miller, J. P. Montgomery, D. A. Neeley, Louie Goffinet, A. Gidden, Bess Crump Misses Neville Wren and Ira Hammond.

Mary Martha Class Meets In Home Of Mrs. Bill Boren

The Mary Martha Class of the Travis Baptist Church met Thursday evening, April 6, in the home of Mrs. Bill Boren for the regular social and business meeting.

Mrs. Byron Baldwin brought the devotional for the evening entitled "A Virtuous Woman." After the devotional a short business meeting was held and the remainder of the evening was spent enjoying games and visiting.

Refreshments were served from an attractively laid tea table to Meses. Leroy Gaston, Robert Gallaway, Jay Nunnelly, Ronald Wilson, Jack Koiner, Morris Odum, Floyd Edwards, Hobby Dean, Byron Baldwin and hostess, Mrs. Boren.

Mrs. Mary Nelson and Mrs. Lillie Mae Stevens of Pampa were weekend visitors in the home of Mrs. Mary Elkins and son James.

PLANS JUNE WEDDING—Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Neel of 321 South 6th Street announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Tanga Kay, to Lonnie F. Widener, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Widener, Sr. of 101 North 15th Street, Memphis. The wedding is planned for Saturday, June 24, at 6:30 p. m. in the First Christian Church. Miss Neel is a graduate of Memphis High School and attended one year at Clarendon Junior College. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. Clyde F. Milam and the late Mr. Clyde F. Milam and the great granddaughter of Mrs. J. W. Stokes. The groom-to-be is a graduate of Memphis High School and is engaged in farming with his father.

First Baptist Church To Honor Seniors With Banquet Tuesday Night

The First Baptist Church will honor the 1967 graduating class of Memphis High School with a banquet Tuesday night, April 18, at 7:30 p. m.

In addition to the 53 members of the student body, the church has invited the superintendent, the principal, the class sponsors, and those who work with the Young People's Department in the church.

The banquet will begin promptly at 7:30 p. m. and will be followed by a program of entertainment and inspiration.

Dr. Charles Pitt, newly elected president of Dallas Baptist College, will be the guest speaker. Dr. Pitt is a former Dallas pastor and recently assumed the duties of president of this newest Baptist educational institution, it was announced. Dallas Baptist College is the former Decatur Baptist Junior College which was moved to Dallas two years ago and chartered as a four-year liberal arts institution.

The banquet is being planned and provided by the First Baptist Woman's Missionary Union and members of the Junior Class will set tables. Mrs. Bob Douthit is

president of the Woman's Missionary Union and is in charge of food and room arrangements.

The pastor of the church, Gene Jorgenson, will serve as master of ceremonies and several other persons in the church will present the program.

The Senior Banquet is an annual affair with the First Baptist Church.

Gamma Kappa Honors Future, Retired Teachers

Gamma Kappa Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma held its annual tea to honor retired and future teachers April 8 at the Patching Club House in Clarendon.

After Mrs. Anna May Foster's opening prayer, Mrs. L. C. Sweat led the group in singing the official song.

Mrs. Inez Robinson presided at the business meeting, during which Mrs. Audrey Tribble reported scholarship awards to Suzanne Smithee of Memphis and Neta Bailey of Hedley. Mrs. Brunetta Morris reported for the committee on future policies, and Mrs. Reba Stroehle called members' attention to the state convention in Fort Worth and the southwest regional in San Antonio.

The program was a review of Richard Armour's "Through Dark Adolescence" by Miss Sara Jones.

Future teachers were represented by: Connie Groom, Pamela Crawford, Connie Bradshaw, Neta Bailey, Neva Hill, Sharon Grady and Kay Warner.

Retired teachers present were: Meses. Guy Cox, Linda Estes, H. T. Burton, Ward Gurley, John Gillham, Van Kennedy, Zella Noble, Marguerite Goodner, Lowell Wells and Misses Esta McElrath and Sara Jones.

Visitors present were Mrs. DeMa Justice and Miss Charlene Buchanan.

Members present from Hall County were: Marjorie Bain, Alma Bruce, Ethel Hillhouse, Margaret McElreath, Reba Stroehle, Audrey Tribble, Zady Belle Walker, Carrie Belle King, Esta McElrath, Brunetta Morris and Anna May Foster.

No one is putting much stock in a report that the Republicans will oppose a Johnson-Humphrey ticket with a Dow-Jones slate.

The Kremlin praised a U.S. appeals court for ruling in favor of the Communist Party. This shows that it really pays to give in to the Commies.

A Dallas professor says bird-watching can be a strenuous pastime. Some birds need to be watched more than others.

Miss McPherson, Danny Phillips Marry In Hedley

The First Baptist Church of Hedley was the setting for the double-ring ceremony Saturday, April 8, uniting in marriage Miss Jo McPherson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. T. McPherson of Hedley, and Danny Mac Phillips, son of Mrs. Stella Phillips and the late Mr. Phillips of Memphis. Rev. C. H. Murphy officiated.

Miss Kay Warner was maid of honor. Bill Tolbert was best man. Sherri Burns of Lubbock, niece of the bride, and Miss Diana Havens of Clarendon, niece of the groom, were flower girls. Phillip Phillips of Clarendon, nephew of the groom, was ring bearer.

Serving as ushers were Herby Burns of Lubbock, brother-in-law of the bride, and Jack Tolbert of Clarendon. They also served as candle lighters.

The Bride
The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a street-length dress of white all-over lace, accented at neckline and sleeves with seed pearls. Her hair of illusion fell from a tiara of white carnations atop a white tulle.

At the conclusion of the nuptial service, a reception was held in Fellowship Hall of the church. The couple will be at home at 1001 Florida, Amarillo.

TO BE MARRIED—Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Alewine announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Linda, to James Neighbors, son of Mr. and Mrs. Olen Neighbors of Memphis. The wedding will be an event of June 9 at 7:30 p. m. in the First Christian Church. Friends of the couple are cordially invited to attend the wedding.



ENGAGEMENT REVEALED—Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Stinson announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Kay to Steven Meacham Shelton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Shelton of Clarendon and grandson of Mrs. C. C. Meacham of Memphis. The bride-to-be is a student at Texas Technological College. Mr. Shelton is employed with C. I. C. in Lubbock. The wedding will be an event of July 15 in the First Baptist Church in Memphis with Rev. Gene Jorgenson, pastor, officiating.

Federated Club Women Attend District Convention In Wichita Falls April 6-7

A number of Memphis Federated Clubwomen were in Wichita Falls Thursday and Friday of last week to attend the Seventh Annual Convention of Santa Rosa District, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

The sessions were held at the Woman's Forum with clubs from Henrietta, Archer City, Iowa Park, Burkburnett and Megargel and Dundee serving as hosts.

Attending from Memphis were Mrs. Robert Sexauer, Mrs. L. C. Martin, Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard, Mrs. Edd Hutcherson, Virginia Browder, Mrs. Herschel Combs, Mrs. R. Ernest Clark, Mrs. Mildred Stephens, Mrs. Henry Hays and Mrs. Theo Swift.

The session opened with a luncheon at noon Thursday for members of the Executive Committee, in the banquet room of the Trade Winds Motel. Members of the executive committee from Memphis are Mrs. Robert Sexauer, first vice president; Mrs. L. C. Martin, treasurer and Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard, trustee.

The president's Dinner was held Thursday evening in the Garden Room at the Woman's Forum.

Mrs. B. F. Seay of Andrews, president of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, was guest

speaker. She was introduced by Mrs. Phillip Carpenter of Burkburnett, second vice president of TFWC.

Formal opening of the convention was at 9:00 a.m. Friday with the president, Mrs. Grundy, presiding. Guests were welcomed by R. C. Rancier, mayor of Wichita Falls.

Reports were given by members of the executive committee followed by reports from Department chairmen.

Awards
The Atalantean Club of Memphis headed the list for awards won by local clubs. All five federated clubs of Memphis received an award as 100 per cent subscribers to the Texas Club Woman.

Under the conservation department, the Atalantean Club won first place in Beautification and second place in Land and Water Resources.

Under the Education Department, the Atalantean Club was awarded second place for their overall education report; second place in Library services; second place in public education and second place in best over-all project report.

In the Fine Arts Department, the Atalantean Club won first place in Literature and Drama and second place in Family Living. The 1913 Study Club won first place for outstanding program.

Under the International Affairs Department, the Atalantean Club won first place for the best over-all project, sending tea bags to American boys in Vietnam.

Mrs. H. Manton Is Guest Speaker At WSCS Circle

The Oliver circle of the WSCS, met Monday evening, April 3, in the home of Mrs. Bob Hutcherson.

The business session was conducted by Dorothy Morris, Circle Leader.

Mrs. Henry Manton, of Dallas, who is visiting with her daughter and family, Mrs. Bob Fowler, gave a most inspiring program. She chose as her topic, "Stand Straight", giving illustrations with the following steps. (1) Commitment (2) Discipline and (3) Reconciliation.

Mrs. Mack Tarver and Mrs. Ed Hutcherson, were guests from the Alpha Circle.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following: Nell Messer, Beulah Martin, Frankie Howard, Betty Evans, Marilya Whitten, Bettye Smith, Wanda Messick, Peggy Becker, Shirley Binkley, Dorothy Morris, Dora McQueen, Sue Fowler, Mrs. Henry Manton, Mrs. Mack Tarver and Mrs. Ed Hutcherson.

Allen Beasley Celebrates 6th Birthday At Party

Allen Beasley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Beasley, Jr., recently celebrated his sixth birthday at a Western style party at his home east of town.

As the children arrived, they received red or blue bandanas as favors, which were worn in cowgirl and cowboy fashion around the neck.

Games included musical chairs, played to a lively country tune, a relay race and drop-the-handkerchief.

While the guests were seated on bales of hay, Allen opened the corral-full of gifts with the help of his sister, Mary Alice.

The 10-gallon hat birthday cake and homemade ice cream were served to the following sidekicks: Kelley Pride, Kendra Blackmon, Susie Fowler, Chris Morris, Judy Johnson, Timmy Wiginton, Steve Chick and Tonya Maddox.

Assisting Mrs. Beasley with the refreshments were Mrs. L. M. Wiginton, Mrs. Gordon D. Maddox, Mrs. Steve Blackmon, Mrs. K. B. Chick and Mrs. M. A. Beasley, Sr.

Gifts were received from these friends and relatives who were not present: Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Foreman, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Maddox, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lockhart and Tommy, Melissa Jane Beasley and Gregg Clark.

Apparently most bathing beauties believe in keeping their powder dry.

Shubert-Mullin Engagement Is Announced

The engagement of Miss Judi Manita Shubert to James Thomas Mullin, Jr., of Turkey was announced this week by the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Shubert of Petersburg. Mr. Mullin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Thomas Mullin of Turkey.

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After Extensive Vacation Tour, Local Couple Reports—

Big Bend Country Is Unique Part Of Texas

(Editor's Note: Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Thompson have vacationed in Big Bend country of Texas several times and recently Mrs. Thompson gave an interesting account of that part of Texas at the Atalantean Club. Mrs. Thompson stated that the Big Bend country is one of the most interesting sections of Texas and in the account below she combines historical facts with first hand knowledge to give a colorful description of the Big Bend Country. Her accounts follows.)

COLOSSAL — meaning huge, mammoth, gigantic are the words to describe the Big Bend National Park. The Big Bend country is a rugged, stunningly beautiful land. But its physical grandeur has been a deterrent to exploration and settlement. As a result, history has largely by-passed Big Bend. The earliest known inhabitants of this canyon-mountain desert complex were cave-dwelling Indians. Their culture was probably an offshoot of the prehistoric Basketmaker culture of New Mexico and Arizona. (We know of their presence here in earlier times from the pictographs, projectile points, and textile and cordage fragments found in their abandoned cave homes.)

Probably the first white men to venture near Big Bend were Cabeza de Vaca and his companions. Members of a Spanish exploring expedition, they had been ship-wrecked off the Texas coast and captured by the Indians. Years later, in the spring of 1535, they escaped and made their way to Mexico. (En route they probably crossed the angle of Big Bend north of the Chisos Mountains.) Later Spanish settlements were established in New Mexico and in central and east Texas. But Big Bend was avoided by Spanish settlers, soldiers and priests because it was too wild, rough and rugged.

From the Presidio, at the confluence of the Conchos River and the Rio Grande, travelers en route to El Paso could look southeast to see the tumbled mountain ranges that hide the deep canyons of Big Bend. It was an uninviting sight, and as far as can be ascertained none of them took up the challenge of this brooding land and made a passage through its canyons. By the mid-1700's Spanish settlements in the Rio Grande valley and northern Mexi-

co had begun to attract nomadic Indian raiders. The Comanches, who early adopted the Spanish-introduced horse, became the scourge of New Spain's northern frontier. In sweeping forays from their home territory in the area of the Texas-Oklahoma panhandles, they spread terror and devastation as far south as Durango, Mexico. One of their trails passed through the present park area from Persimmon Gap to the Rio Grande. You may drive over part of it on your way to Panther Junction, whence leads south across the desert above Mariscal Canyon and then across the river into Mexico. In 1780 the Presidio of San Vicente was established just across the river in Mexico to guard the ford there. Twenty years later, however, the post was abandoned.

Apache Indians were also familiar with the Big Bend country. They found an ideal stronghold in the Chisos Mountains and other rugged areas within the present park boundaries. The many evidences of their occupation include pits in which they roasted desert plants, such as agave and sotol. Except for Apaches and wandering bands of Comanches, Big Bend remained an untracked wilderness during the Spanish colonial period. Years passed, and Mexico became a republic. Stephen F. Austin and other empresarios, or colonists, began the influx into Texas from the United States that led to the Texas revolution and establishment of the Lone Star Republic. Finally, in 1845, Texas was annexed by the United States and admitted to the Union. Soon railroads and Texas Rangers helped to open the vast stretches of West Texas. Hardy pioneer cattlemen entered the Big Bend country and faced the terror of repeated Indian raids. They stuck, but lonely graves throughout the park, marked by rock cairns and crude crosses, bear testimony to their ordeals and fate.

After the Civil War, a concerted drive was made against Indians. Many battles later, Al-sate, the great Apache chief, died in his Chisos stronghold in 1882. With his death, the Indian troubles of the Big Bend region came to an end. Although as early as 1850 an Army Quartermaster party may have ascended the Rio Grande to the canyons of Big Bend, it was not until 1899 that a fully qualified scientific expedition penetrated the full length of the Rio Grande's Big Bend passage. In October of that year, Robert T. Hill, of the Geological Survey, U. S. Department of the Interior, with five companions, put out from Presidio in especially designed boats. For more than a month they lost themselves in narrow canyons that never know direct sunlight because of the height of the cliffs that tower above the silently flowing river. Thus was the "impassable" Big Bend stretch of

the Rio Grande finally navigated. Now in early spring, boats leave Creede, Colo., for a float trip to the gulf.

Last year we all read about Lady Bird Johnson's party that made the trip through the Big Bend country and their boat trip down the Rio Grande. One last flurry of wild West history occurred in 1916, when a force of Mexican rebels raided Glenn Springs and Boquillas. The incident was forgotten, and since then the Mexican-American border has been peaceful. Everywhere in Big Bend National Park, you will be aware of the closeness of our good neighbor, Mexico. Many people on both sides of the border have encouraged the establishment of a Mexican national park, occupying a similar area just across the River. One of the many advantages would be the free movement of visitors between two parks, thus promoting international goodwill and understanding. The Gran Comba (Spanish for "Big Bend") National Park would preserve and make accessible the Mexican section of Sierra del Carmen, the villages of Boquillas and Santa Elena, the Presidio of San Vicente, and many acres of Mexican wilderness as ruggedly beautiful as those of the north Rio Grande. This plan may be accomplished before many years have passed. Meanwhile Mexicans still cross to the north side of the river at will to collect their wandering cattle and loose livestock; their village officials come to Big Bend to pick up mail because it gets there faster from Mexico City; and citizens from both sides of the river discuss common problems with each other.

Part of the park we enjoy is the former Texas Canyon State Park, established by the Texas Legislature in 1933. Even then the idea of creating a National Park here was taking form. In 1935 Congress authorized Big Bend National Park; but nearly a decade passed before the park was finally established. By 1937 a bill was introduced in the Texas Legislature to purchase lands for the proposed park. A 1941 bill provided \$1 1/2 million for this purpose; within little more than a year all but 25 sections of land had been acquired. In 1944 the people of Texas turned their State Park over to the people of the United States, and on June 12 of that year Big Bend National Park was established. Since that time, the attractions of this wild land have lured more and more people. Now the number is ap-

proaching 100,000 a year. Mission 66 is the bill known in congress as a measure program of research conservation and development in your National Parks and Monuments. Many improvements are being made at Big Bend for your comfort and convenience. Park roads are being improved. New bridges and a road tunnel have been completed. Rio Grande Village, just west of Boquillas, is being developed for year-round overnight accommodations. The campground is already in use. A new paved river road has been completed through the Park to Precidio. A new administration building at Panther Junction has been completed. Active measures for preserving the Park's natural features are being accelerated. Before the park was established, the area was subject to severe overgrazing. This was followed by 10 year drought that killed many trees and retarded recovery of the grasses. Elimination of grazing and increased precipitation in recent seasons have produced an encouraging recovery of grasses and other plants. Every rain brings such a spontaneous green to the landscape that there is reason to believe the whole region will "come back" in venture; however, it will be a long time before complete restoration is achieved.

Now the land of the Big Bend is part desert and part mountain country, Big Bend lies along the border of the United States and Mexico. It takes its name from the course of the Rio Grande, which describes a great bend between the towns of Van Horn, Texas, on the west and Langtry, Texas, on the east. During its 107 mile journey along the boundary of the park, the river passes mainly through sandy lowlands and between banks overgrown with dense jungles of reeds. But three times in this distance it cuts 1,500 foot-deep canyons that were carved by its waters over a period of hundreds of thousands of years. Within the park itself is a wild kind of scenery that is more like that of Mexico, across the river, than the rest of the United States.

The desert is gouged by deep arroyos, or gullies, that expose colored layers of clay and rock. On this flatland, where many varieties of cactuses and other desert plants grow, birds and mammals native to both countries make their homes. Rugged mountain ranges, near and far, give assurance that the desert is not endless. In the very center of the strange scene the most spectacular mountains in this part of the country are found — the Chisos. Their eroded peaks look like distant forts and castles as they rise some 4,000 feet above the desert floor. To the east the magnificent, stratified Sierra del Carmen guards that border of the park, and to the south this mountain range disappears into the vastness of Mexico. The name "Chisos" expresses the mood of the country. This name which has

been interpreted as meaning "ghost" or "spirit", was said to have been given the mountains by the Indians. More recently, it has been suggested that the word "chisos" was derived from the Castilian word "hechizo", meaning "enchantment".

The impact of Big Bend on those who visit it was well told in 1895 by William Ferguson, a U. S. Treasury agent who came to establish a port of entry at Boquillas. He wrote in part: and I quote, "No-where else have I found such a wildly weird country — A man grows watchful — awe struck by Nature in her lofty moods. Emotions are stirred by the grandeur of the scenery and the ever-changing play of light and shadow. Never have I beheld such a display of glory as falls at sun-set on the bald head of the Chisos mountains at 25 miles. First Orange, then pink, then crimson, and last of all purple tints on the mountain's dark background . . ."

Certain qualities inherent in this park are not common to every desert region. They are characteristically its own. Some can be smelled and seen and touched — others are so mysterious they can scarcely be described. As you travel the trails and park roads, or quietly enjoy the stillness, you may become aware of these singular qualities. You may experience the sensation of utter immensity of sky and land at the south rim of the Chisos mountains. Here, when you look way into Mexico, it is said that "you can see the day after tomorrow." You may hear the wind roar through the trees in the Basin and through the arches and windows of the Chisos at night. You

may recognize the finger-painting look of the desert, with the gold and red and white tones of the hills and canyons swirled together like a giant mural. You may watch shafts of moonlight creep like fingers into the Basin; and you may see the sunlight work its way deliberately down the west face of the Casa Grande mountain.

For a half century, geologists have travelled the canyons and mountains of Big Bend, trying to unravel the fascinating mysteries of its geology. Millions of years ago, sea covered this area. Sand and other sediments were deposited at the bottom of the sea. The deposits grew thicker and heavier and were compressed into rock layers. Then gigantic forces within the earth slowly thrust the layers upward, tilting folding process that was mighty enough to create mountains. Movements within the earth's crust lowered the area and the sea returned. This invasion by the sea brought many kinds of

marine animals, whose shells tied to the ocean floor and sediments. The shells, along with the fossil remains of forms of sea life, are found in great numbers in Big Bend. can see them very distinctly on the walls at the heads of the Elena and Boquillas Canyons. Then came another period mountain - building, accompanied by volcanic activity. Some lava, pressing upward, was forced to reach the surface, and had to form the plug-like masses we see in many peaks of Chisos. Other molten lava reached the surface exploding, tossing cinders and rocks in all direction and covering the deposits. Weathering and erosion carved the castle-like formations of many of the mountain tops, the flat-topped mesa, deep Canyons. This is why many college students go to Big Bend Park during the summer, to study these formations. (Continued on Page 9)

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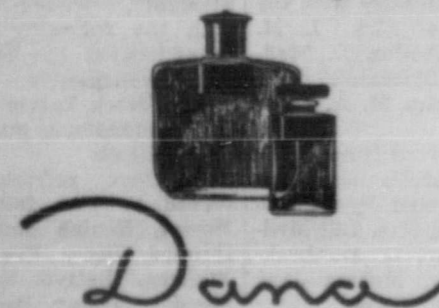
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Locals & Personals

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Dennis were visitors in Hollis, Okla., Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Rachel Crow of El Paso visited here over the weekend with Mrs. Henry Scott and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hays visited Sunday in Dozier with Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Wisenkaemper. Mrs. Wisenkaemper is a cousin of Mrs. Hays.

Miss Jane Helm, who is attending Texas Technological College, enjoyed visiting here over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Helm, Jr.

Miss Diane Gailey, accompanied two college friends, Misses

Madeline Pring of St. Louis, Mo., and Miss Sally Swartzell of Canyon, spent the past weekend visiting here with Miss Gailey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gailey.

Mrs. Robert Galloway and Mrs. R. C. Lemons and granddaughter, Kathy Lemons, visited in Lubbock Saturday with relatives. Mrs. Lemons visited with her daughter, Mrs. Ronald Davidson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Simmons of Abilene visited here over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Harrison and Rosemary, who was home for the weekend from Texas Technological College. Mrs. Simmons is a sister of Mrs. Harrison.

Enjoying an outing at Lake Aitua Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Buster McQueen and Kyle, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Fields, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Spicer and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ed Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smith and Linda and Bengy of Amarillo visited here Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Smith.

Gayle Greene took his daughter, Ginger, to Amarillo Sunday morning where she departed by plane for Columbia, Mo., where

she is attending Christian University.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmont Branigan visited in Oklahoma City over the past weekend with their daughter Eimonette Branigan and son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Branigan.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Sturdevant, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Koetting and children of Borger, Susan Sturdevant and Mrs. Tommie Tucker and children enjoyed fishing at Lake Childress over the past weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Floyd and family are visiting this week in Mineral Wells with Mr. and Mrs. Gail Weldon.

Mrs. Ralph Howard and sons and Mrs. Estelle Guthrie visited in Memphis from Wednesday until Friday of last week with relatives.

Mrs. Frank Garrett is visiting in Morton this week with her daughter, Mrs. Jim Walker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Ellerd and Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Ellerd and daughter Ann visited in Abilene Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Travis and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Myers and LinDee and Ricky.

Mrs. Herschel Combs visited in Wellington Saturday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. L. A. Dickey, and other relatives. Also visiting in Wellington were two cousins of Mrs. Combs, Mr. and Mrs. Gene McClure of Tulare, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Miller and daughter Rena of Wichita Falls, who were guests in the home of their mother, Mrs. L. W. McClure.

Mrs. M. C. Allen is visiting in Dallas with her father and other relatives this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Dennis and sons of Borger visited here over the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Dennis and Mrs. McCreary.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Crisler of Lubbock visited here over the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Crisler and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Cherry of Hedley.

Trail Riders Club Enjoys Cook-Out Sunday

Members of the Trail Riders Club met at the P. F. Smith barn Sunday afternoon at 2 p.m. and from there rode out to the Phaeton Alexander farm where they enjoyed a cook-out.

Thirty-six riders enjoyed the trip and delicious meal.

Members enjoying the trip were Mr. and Mrs. Connie Hartwell, Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Worthington, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Howell, Mr. and Mrs. John McCauley and grandsons, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Phaeton Alexander and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Miller.

Also Rhupert Wynn, R. B. Roeland, Lanny Crow, Paul J. Smith, Tommy Patterson, Amos Weddel, Thomas Patterson, Lonnie Widener, Tanga Neel, Mrs. Mertie Patterson and Earlene Mize.

Visitors attending were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Huff and son of Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Widener of Memphis, Will Terry of Amarillo, Jimmie Maynard of Memphis and Michael Moutrey.

CARD OF THANKS

Our heartfelt thanks to all who extended comforting sympathy and help in our recent sorrow. For the beautiful service, floral offerings, food, and other kindnesses, we are deeply grateful.

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Mr. and Mrs. Merl Chenault
Mr. and Mrs. Ward Grimsley
Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Grimsley
Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Grimsley

BALLOONS CARRY TIMBER

Giant, v-shaped balloons are now being tested by some pulp and paper companies to carry felled timber out of otherwise inaccessible terrain, according to the American Paper Institute. The highly stable, cigar shaped balloons, 110 feet long, joined at the nose and with a horizontal fin connecting them at the tail, were originally used to carry scientific instruments to high altitudes.

Lakeview Young Farmers To Meet Next Mon. Night

The Lakeview Young Farmers will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday, April 17 at the Grade School Auditorium, it was announced this week.

On the program will be a report on Shur-Gro liquid feed for cattle by Jack N. White of Hereford, O. R. (Doc) Saye of Memphis is the local distributor.

Refreshments will be served and all farmers in the area are invited to attend.

C. B. Radio Club Meets Sat., April 1

The Help for Anyone C. B. Radio Club held a special meeting Saturday, April 1, in the community center. The meeting was called for the sale of the new C. B. directories.

There were 35 persons at the meeting and many of the area towns were represented.

Entertainment was provided by Eddie Gable and Jimmy and Dotie Hartzell.

Refreshments of cakes and cookies were served at the end of the meeting.

It was announced that the club will hold its regular monthly meeting Thursday, April 13, at 7:30 in the community building. All members and interested persons are invited to attend.

Also, it was stated that there are still plenty of C. B. directories available at the price of 50¢ each.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to take this means of expressing my sincere thanks to all my friends who were kind and thoughtful during my recent stay in Hall County Hospital. I appreciated every card, the flowers, gifts and visits. Especially do I thank Dr. Clark, the nurses, employees and the candy stripe girls at the hospital for their care and attention.

Jerry Don Hall

Mrs. Jerry Hooser, who is attending radio school in Dallas, was home over the weekend.

Cong. Bob Price Introduces Two Agriculture Bills

Congressman Bob Price introduced two agriculture import restrictive bills in the House Monday.

One, Price said, would roll back quotas on dairy products and close the loop holes in present dairy regulations under which the flow of foreign milk and dairy products into this country last year hit 2.7 billion pounds and is running at an even higher rate this year.

The other bill would amend a section of the Agriculture Adjustment Act under which the U.S. Tariff Commission may impose quotas. "Section 22 of this act has been ineffective," Price said, "because of the time involved in tariff commission hearings and the reluctance of the Secretary of Agriculture to request presidential action in triggering a hearing."

"The bill I and others have introduced would apply to all agricultural imports including beef," Price stated, "and would give Congress the Authority to initiate the action upon resolution of either the house or senate agricultural committees."

"Both Dairy and meat imports could be brought to reasonable levels under such procedures before reaching the present alarming and damaging levels," Price concluded.

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Sunday School Report

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| First Christian | 74 |
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County Netters Dominate Dist. Tennis Tourney

Turkey, Estelline and Lakeview dominated the District 7-B tennis meet at Turkey yesterday, with Lakeview winning the district meet in total points.

Turkey's Alton Setliff and Harvey Case in doubles, and David Majors in singles, won the meet, and will advance to regional.

Estelline's Cherri and Anne Rapp won the girls doubles, and Lakeview's Brenda Durrett won the singles and will go to the regional meet.

Taking second places were Lakeview's Cecil Wright-Raymond Jones team, Terry Wansley in singles, and Chris Clements-Linda Berry, and a girl's singles player from Girard.

In the senior division, Lakeview took 45 points, Turkey 30 points, Estelline 15 points and Girard 10 points.

Representatives from Dist. 7-B have a strong chance of dominating the Regional Meet, and possibly the state meet. Last year both doubles teams won state championships and Majors was a state runner-up. Durrett is in her first year of competition, but is considered a top contender.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Gilmore and children, Danny, Susan and Chuck, of Dallas visited with his sister, Mrs. Gene Lindsey, and family during the weekend.

School Menu

Week of April 17-21

Monday
Chipo pie, green beans, cabbage, stewed apples, hot rolls and milk.

Tuesday
Red beans and ham chunks, seasoned spinach, carrot sticks, fresh cherry pie, corn bread and milk.

Wednesday
Fish sticks and Tartar sauce, blackeyed peas, banana pudding, cornbread and milk.

Thursday
Pork sausage and cream gravy, mashed potatoes, tossed salad, orange juice cocktail and hot rolls.

Friday
Barbecued wieners, buttered peas, lettuce and tomato salad, cake squares and sliced peaches, sliced bread and milk.

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TOM THUMB WEDDING—A benefit show to raise funds for the local chapter of the Crippled Children's Society was held Monday night at the Community Center. Tops Gilreath, director of the show, announced this week that \$242.83 was raised for the organization which is headed by Ed Hutcherson as president. Pictured above are members of the wedding party including the bride, Holly Roden, and the groom, Matt Monzingo. Taking part in the cast were children from throughout the county. Special guest was Miss Sue Lynn Crawford.

Sport Weddel Receives Harmony Club Music Award

Sport Weddel, Memphis High School senior and outstanding music student, was selected to receive the first \$75.00 Grant-in-aid presented this week by the Harmony Club, Mrs. Bob Fowler, president, has announced.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Weddel of Memphis, Sport was chosen from a group of qualified high school musicians. Serving as judges were Mrs. A. L. Gailey, Mrs. Cliff Pedersen and Leon Meyer.

Mr. Weddel will be among those featured on the Harmony Club program on May 7 when the members entertain with a seated tea at the Community Center. The social will honor former members of the club. Mr. Weddel will play a baritone solo.

Weddel has received numerous honors during his four years with the Memphis Cyclone Band. At the banquet Saturday night, he



SPORT WEDDEL

was awarded the coveted John Philip Sousa band award, and has also received a scholarship to attend West Texas State University, Canyon, where he plans to

major in music.

He has been a member of the Greenbelt honor band from 1963 through 1966. He was selected for the all-region band for three years and has competed in the state solo contest at Austin during his junior and senior years.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Johnsey of Childress visited a few days last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Johnsey and Mrs. Myrtle Hammons and with Mrs. Johnsey's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Wiginton and sons, Larry, Dale and Timmy.

Mrs. Flora Couch of Amarillo spent a few days last week visiting her sister, Mrs. Myrtle Hammons, and her niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Wiginton and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Padgett and daughters, Zora Lee and Frances and David of San Jose, Calif., are here visiting Mr. Pad-

gett's father and other relatives, and Mrs. Padgett's mother, Mrs. Myrtle Hammons, and sisters and families, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Wiginton and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Omer Johnsey of Childress.

Man devotes half of his life to ruining his health, seeking wealth, and the other half spending his wealth to regain his health.

J. W. Coppedge Attends Hearing In Washington

J. W. Coppedge, manager of the Hall County Electric Cooperative, Inc., returned from Washington, D. C., last night following a four-day trip during which he attended the hearings on H.R. 1400, a bill introduced by Rep. Bob Poage, which, if passed, will bring funds from the private money market into the rural electrification program.

He also visited with personnel of the Rural Electrification Administration rate division which in Washington to look into the rate structure of the Hall County Electric Cooperative, Inc.

There were 77 cooperative representatives in Washington, and they gave a banquet Tuesday evening for Texas Congressmen Senators Ralph Yarborough and John Tower, along with most of the Texas members of the House. "I also got to go to the official opening of the Major League baseball season Monday," Coppedge reported.

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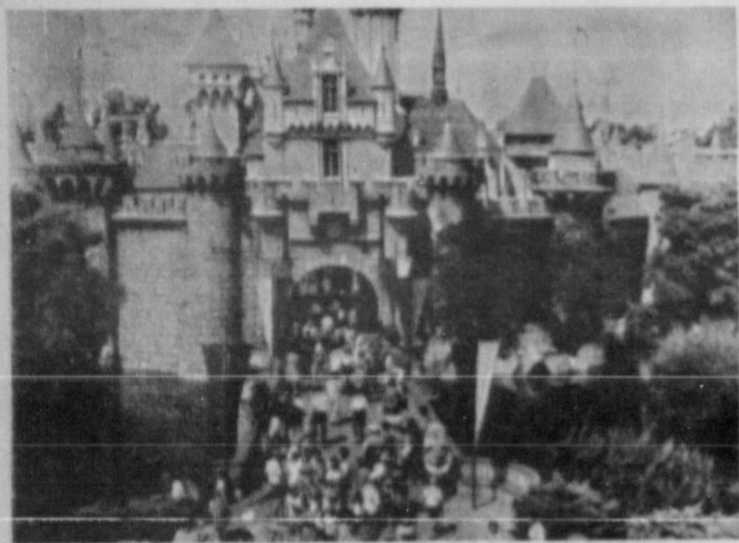
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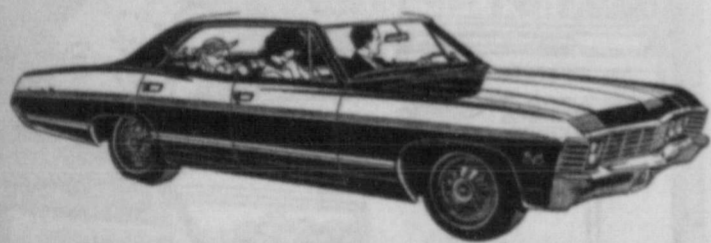
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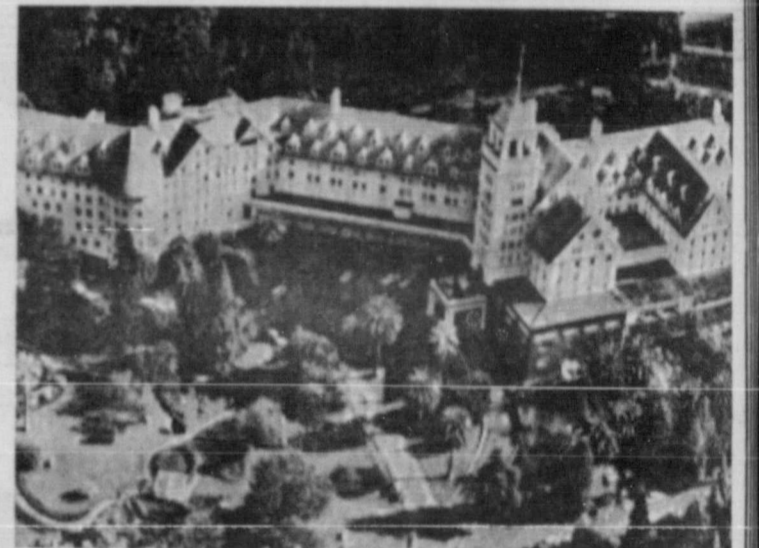
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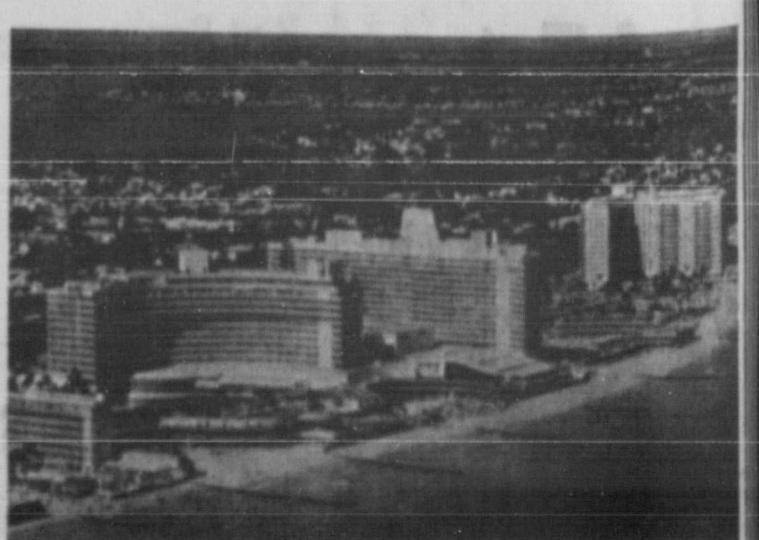


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BOOKHOLLOW OFFICERS—Pictured above are the newly elected officers of Brookhollow Country Club. Left to right are Vice President John Chamberlain, President Gene Corley and Secretary Monty Alewine. Lakewood Farms stockholders, 112 in number, own 710 acres of land, 75 acres of which is under water when the lake is at spillway height. About a dozen members have summer cabins located on the lake northeast of Memphis on the Quail Highway and several others have trailer houses.

Woman's Society Meets Monday In Church Annex

The general meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service was held Monday, April 10, with a noon luncheon in the Methodist Church Annex.

Mrs. Ed Hutcherson gave the invocation after which the meal and social time were enjoyed.

Mrs. Bob Fowler set the tone of the self-study program by singing a lovely hymn, "Prayer is the Soul's Sincere Desire."

Mrs. Elmer Ward, the wife of the Estelle minister, presented the program, "A Boomerang from the Heart of God," with a depth of spiritual understanding. She discussed the seven phrases of the Lord's Prayer to make them more meaningful for the group. She spoke of constant prayer, finding God's will and many ways of asking.

Mrs. Bob Davidson of Estelle,

who is the spiritual life secretary of Childress District, led the responsive reading and closing prayer.

During the business session, led by Mrs. M. G. Tarver, the president, a report of the annual meeting, held in Amarillo recently, was made by the delegate, Mrs. Ed Hutcherson.

Those present, other than the above mentioned, were: Mmes. J. W. Oliver, J. B. Scott, L. G. DeBerry, W. J. McMaster, J. P. Montgomery, Bess Crump, R. S. Greene, O. M. Gunstream, Carl Morris, Lee Brown, W. F. McElreath, W. V. Coursey, Mary Lou Erwin, T. J. Hampton, Myrtis Phelan, F. W. Foxhall, and Rev. and Mrs. David Hamblin.

Travis PTA Meets Tuesday, April 11

The Travis PTA met Tuesday night, April 11, in the Travis Cafeteria with the president, Mrs. W. A. Smithee, presiding. Mrs. Smithee turned the program

over to the third grades who dramatized "Cinderella" in a song story. Mrs. A. L. Gailey accompanied the group in their singing.

After the program, the minutes of the last three meetings were read by the secretary, Mrs. Yeta Proctor, and approved.

The new officers were installed for the coming year by Mrs. Bob Hutcherson, first vice president. The following officers were installed: president, Mrs. Gayle Monzingo; first vice president, Mrs. Dorothy Bachman; second

vice president, Mrs. Rayford Hutcherson; third vice president, Mrs. Travis Bolden; secretary, Mrs. Yeta Proctor; treasurer, Mrs. Bill Lockhart; historian, Mrs. Bob Brown; publicity, Mrs. Flo Henderson; and parliamentarian, Mrs. W. A. Smithee. The meeting adjourned and refreshments were served.

Mrs. Hattie Adams has returned to her home in Mt. Vernon after a two-week visit here with her daughter, Mrs. Bill Boren, and family.

Turkey Thinclads Place Third At Dist. 7-B Meet

The Turkey track team placed third in District 7-B meet at Jay last weekend, totaling 99 1/2 points. The Junior High Turkey team also placed third out of 12 teams entered in the meet.

The Turkey 440-yard relay team won first place in this event. Runners were Dennis Denton, Claude Wood, Claude Robison and King.

Denton also won first place in the 100-yard dash. James Wood placed sixth in this event.

The 220, John King placed second and Denton placed third. In the high hurdles, Claude Robison placed third as did Ruston Barnhill in the 330-yard intermediate hurdles.

Turkey's fine mile runner Joe Denton placed first in his event, leading well ahead of the pack. The mile relay team placed

second. Other point getters for Turkey were Steve Guest, sixth in the 100-yard dash and Rod Mullin fifth in the shot put.

Boys qualifying for regional Turkey were Denton, Wood, King and Milton.

Mrs. A. B. Jones Entertains Members of Sewing Club

The Friendly Sewing Club met at 7 p. m. April 11 in the home of Mrs. A. B. Jones.

Katherine Hook, president, presided during the business session. The Lord's prayer was repeated in unison by the members after which minutes of the meeting were read and approved. The treasurer's report was given.

Mrs. Hook reported a box was received from Girl's Town USA last week from the club.

Eula Moreland brought the national after which members made needle work for the hostess. Mrs. Lamb received the hostess

and hostess served delicious refreshments to the following: Katherine, Katherine Hook, Estelle, Florence Yarbrough, Luella Koening, Amanda Simpson, Ruby Randolph, Ella Moreland, Gladys Anthony, Alla Boswell, Jean Lamb, Pauline Wilson and Lina Young.

The next meeting is scheduled for 7 p. m. April 25 in the home of Mrs. Lucy Phillips.

Mrs. W. L. Morrison, secretary of Springer, N. M., and Mrs. D. Sims and Pam of Grand Prairie were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Morrison of Newlin.

Turkey News

The students of F. H. A. and their sponsor of the Turkey High School attended church services Sunday at First Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Patrick and children of Big Spring spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Rubie Cowart.

Mrs. Albert Hunter spent the weekend with her daughter and family at Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Price's at Quitaque.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Nichols of Electra spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Guest, and her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Melton and Joe.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Richmond and family of Canyon visited last Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Richmond.

Mrs. Judy Gafford visited with her mother, Mrs. L. Bridges, at Whiteface last Sunday. She was met there by her brothers and families, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bridges of Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bridges of Soudown.

Mrs. Floyd Gafford accompanied Judy to Levelland where she visited with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Copeland.

Mrs. Billy Farley and girls of Alamogordo, N. M., have been visiting the past two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Bun Farley, while her husband, Billy, was in Florida on an assignment. Also visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Bun Farley were Mr. and Mrs. Steve Farley of Brice.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to our many friends who helped us in so many ways during the recent illness and passing of our dear husband and father. We especially want to thank Dr. Stevenson and Dr. Goodall and all the nursing staff for their faithful service. Also, to all those who sat up, and Mrs. Hunsucker and Mrs. Ruby Compton, to all those who sent feed and the beautiful floral offerings and other contributions, to Rev. Gene Jorgenson and Rev. Leroy Gaston for their words of comfort and prayers, to those who sang and the beautiful music, to Rev. Virgil Sparks and Spicers. May God bless each of you in our prayer.

Mrs. Ben Johnson
Mr. and Mrs. Coy Johnson,
Kim and Kay

CARD OF THANKS

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The family of John McWhorter and Mrs. T. I. McWhorter

Relatives, Friends Are Here For Johnson Funeral

Out-of-town relatives and friends here for the funeral of Ben Johnson were: Ben Stephens of Ropesville; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Diggs of Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. Marion Garren of Eldorado, Oklahoma; Mrs. Lorean Rountree of Corpus Christi; Mr. and Mrs. Duane Vickers of Andrews; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Vickers of Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Edwards, Carol and Melody of Amarillo; Mrs. Minnie Edwards, Mrs. Audra Edwards of Boyd; Mr. and Mrs. Buster White, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Edwards of Fort Worth.

Also Mrs. Cletus Lebow of Garland; Mr. and Mrs. Vestal Avery and Fred of Norman, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. William Lavender, Jim, Joe and Jack of Tulsa; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Moore and Larry Edd of Lakeview; Mrs. J. B. Duran of Lakeview; Mrs. Ted True-love of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McBee of Plainview; Mrs. Herschel Chaney of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lambert and Carolyn of Tell; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wright of Clarendon; and Mrs. Lina Young of Childress.

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Friends Of The Library To Observe National Library Week April 16-22

During National Library Week, April 16-22, the Friends of the Library have planned several special projects, Mrs. Bob Fowler, program chairman, announced this week.

To make the public more conscious of the observance, pamphlets publicizing Library week and giving some facts about Texas libraries will be distributed in area schools and at the Carnegie Library. Also distributed will be bookmarks saying "Explore Inner Space — Read."

Also announcements about library week will be made at meetings of local study and civic clubs and a proclamation by Mayor H. J. Howell will be carried in the local newspaper, Mrs. Fowler stated.

Speaking at the First Governor's Conference on Libraries in March, 1966 Governor John Connally said "I challenge you to commit your time, your interest, your personal and financial sup-


port to the belief that 'Library Excellence Is Today's Necessity,' and to demonstrate that commitment . . ."

At the present time there are 34 countries in Texas without public library service and Texas ranks 37th in the nation in per capita expenditure for public libraries, it was pointed out.

More than half a million public school pupils in Texas do not have a centralized library in their school. Citizens of this area are fortunate in that the high school has a good library and the county has a Carnegie Library, it was stated.

Recently a local chapter of Friends of the Library has been organized in Memphis with the purpose of improving Library facilities at the Carnegie Library. H. J. Howell is serving as president of the new organization.

The purpose of National Library week is to promote the value of reading and the library to everyone. Too often we take so many things for granted in our daily lives — the gas we cook on, the water we drink, the electricity that lights our home. We take some of our community institutions for granted too. The library, for instance. Sometimes we think of our library as just a place where they've got a lot of books. And we're right, for the library has books. But it's a

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NOW, THEREFORE, I, H. J. Howell, Mayor of the City of Memphis, Texas, declare that April 16-22, 1967, be observed as Library Week in our City; and urge that all citizens join in this special observance to insure improved library service for you and your children.

Given under my hand the seal of said City this the 11th day of April, 1967.

(Signed) H. J. Howell, Mayor
City of Memphis, Texas

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(Signed) A. L. Gailey, City Secretary

lot more than that. A library is a busy information center where persons of all ages can seek knowledge. A library makes it possible for us to share the experiences of other persons by reading about their thoughts and achievements. It is a place where the knowledge of the past can meet the needs of the present. Your library card is a passport to adventure, education, peace of mind, information and know-how of all types. Your library is a part of your American Heritage. Use it often, officers of the local Friends of the Library urged.

Sp. 5 Finis Garrett Re-enlists For Six Year Army Tour

FT. HOOD, TEX. — Specialist Five Finis Garrett Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Finis Garrett, Memphis, Tex., re-enlisted for six years in the Regular Army March 27 while serving with the 1st Armored Division at Ft. Hood, Tex.

Spec. Garrett, a supply sergeant in Company 8, 1st Battalion of the 1st Armored Division's 13th Admor, entered the Army in March 1955.

He is a 1954 graduate of Morning Side High School, Memphis, and his wife lives at 121 Carrol Drive, Killeen.

The tone of a bachelor's voice sounds good when it has a ring in it.

Registered Nurses Meet At Local Restaurant Thurs.

Registered nurses of this area held a meeting in Memphis Thursday evening, April 6, at the Big O Restaurant.

The meeting was under the direction of Mrs. Marjorie Kesterson, chairman. A discussion was held on different bills which are now before this session of the Texas Legislature in Austin.

The program was given by Helen A. Neal. Her subject was "The Migrant Health Project of Hall County."

Nurses who attended the meeting included Onita Thomas, Faye Mullinax, Marjorie Kesterson, Rita Anderson, Juanelle Mowrey, Yvonne Black, Mackie Wood, Patty Blasengame, Mary Sue Campsey, Genevieve Jones and Helen Neal.

It was announced that the group will hold a meeting each month. All registered nurses in this area are invited to attend.

Tips for Outdoorsmen — hed up Mitten's Warmer

In cold weather wear a finger glove on your trigger hand and a mitten on the other. Mitten allows fingers to touch and normally warm each other.

Cotton Clinic To Be Held Here On April 25 And 26

A cotton Shortcourse and Cotton School will be held in the Community Building in Memphis Tuesday and Wednesday, April 25 and 26, W. B. Hooser, Hall County Agriculture Agent, has announced.

The course is open to the public and everyone is cordially invited to attend the two day session which opens at 7:30 p.m. on April 25.

"This cotton shortcourse should give Hall County farmers, business men and others first hand and valuable information on cotton production, cotton harvesting, cotton ginning, cotton classing, control of cotton insects, cotton mechanization, application of cotton insecticides, control of cotton diseases, soil chemistry and soil testing," Hooser stated.

A cotton team of Extension Service Specialists from the Texas Agricultural Extension Service of College Station will be the speakers for the sessions.

Speakers for Tuesday will be Fred Elliott, cotton specialist; B. G. Reeves, Cotton Ginning and Mechanization specialist; and John Thomas, Entomologist.

The session Wednesday opens at 2:00 p.m. Dr. Robert W. Berry, Area Plant Pathologist, and James H. Valentine, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, will be the speaker for this part of the shortcourse and school.

Persons who attend both days of the cotton shortcourse will receive a Certificate of Completion.

Memphis Women Are Attending Bowling Tourney

Members of Neva's Bowling team are in Corpus Christi this week where they are attending the State Bowling Tournament.

Four members of the team including Mrs. Claude Hickey, Mrs. Orville Goodpasture, Mrs. Billy Thompson and Mrs. R. E. Crooks, left Memphis Sunday for Corpus Christi.

The other member of the team, Mrs. Ira McQueen, and her husband have been visiting with relatives in that area and Mrs. McQueen will join them in that city this week.

Jehovah's Witnesses Cancel Services For Next Week

Meetings for the local congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses have been cancelled this week in order that all associated can attend the 3-day convention being held over the week-end in Borger, according to Stephen Lane, Minister.

Mr. A. A. Catanzaro, district representative from New York, will open the Christian assembly Friday evening in the Hutchinson County Coliseum with the keynote

address entitled, "Thoroughly accomplish Your Ministry." Plans have been underway several weeks for three-days of intensive Bible study which will include several from this area having active part in the convention organization. More than a hundred volunteer their help to assist some 20 departments that have been in operation for some time to prepare for the event. More than 800 are expected attend the Bible conference. Family groups being prominent delegates who will share in the 15 hours of instruction, Mr. Lane stated.



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Sylvia Alewine attends Bankers Meet in Dallas

Mrs. Sylvia Alewine, assistant manager of the First State Bank, attended the 1967 Southwestern National Conference of the National Association of Bankwomen held in Dallas April 7-9. Women bank officers from Arkansas, Oklahoma and Texas attended the conference in the Statton Hilton Hotel.

The theme of the meeting was "The art of Management," and reflected the increasing opportunities for women in management positions in the banking field. It was announced that NABW membership includes 18 board chairmen, 47 women bank presidents, and 40 women with the responsibility of executive vice president or senior vice president of their banks.

Top national officers of NABW were among the speakers on the program in Dallas.

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WASHINGTON MEETING—Pictured above are delegates from the Panhandle who recently attended the Farmers Union Legislative Fly In meet in Washington. The group were guests of Congressman Bob Price at a luncheon and later discussed farm problems with him in one of the House Agriculture hearing rooms. With Price on the Capitol steps are Lakeview delegates Tony Molloy and Paul Thompson, Turkey delegate Elmer Lacy (far left) and Wellington's W. R. Breeding.

Big Bend—

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and find fossils, bones and other interesting subjects.

Who said the desert is barren? More than 1,000 different plants have been identified within the park. Some species are native only to Big Bend. The desert plants bloom all summer, on through autumn, and well into winter. In March and April, you will see the luxuriant white, bell-like blossoms of giant daggers and other yuccas; In June, the blossoms of the majestic century-plants called agave. The spindly ocotillo, or coach whip, puts out bright-red flowers and tiny new leaves along its slender stems in the spring, and occasionally it blooms again in the autumn. The Creosote bush, an evergreen shrub with waxy leaves, has small yellow blossoms. The quayacan, with dense, small leaves, puts forth violet-colored flowers, and in autumn its heart-shaped seed pods burst to expose shiny orange and red seeds. Strawberry cactus displays pink and red blossoms.

Prickly pears bear golden-yellow flowers, followed in summer by deep-purple and maroon fruit. Just this reminder there are no doctors or nurses in the park, therefore carry your own first-aid supplies including tweezers for extracting cactus spines, best to keep away from all cactus plants while in the park. The aptly named spiny all thorn, sometimes called "Crown of thorns" is beautiful, but dangerous at close quarters. Another armored plant, the catclaw, has short curved thorns. Its blossoms resemble pale-yellow, fuzzy caterpillars. Sotol with a basal cluster of ribbon-like but stiff leaves and an unbranched flower stalk bearing small white blossoms, is another familiar silhouette on the desert landscape. The few trees in the low-lands are principally mesquite and cottonwood. Branches of mesquite are laden with white or yellowish blossoms in spring. Where these trees grow, water is usually found. In the mountains, we find conifers, such as Douglas-fir and ponderosa pine, that are native to southern Canada and northern United States. Growing among them are trees that are typical of the Southwest — Arizona cypress, pinyon pine, oaks, and alligator juniper. Drooping juniper, common resident of Mexico and Central America, is at the extreme northern limits of its range in Big Bend.

Let me say just a little about the animals found in the park. You will most likely see the wild-life of Big Bend at the beginning and end of the day. In late afternoon the white-tailed deer come out of hiding and pick their way down to the Basin. And the desert mule-deer begin to graze and browse along the park roads in the low lands. After dark the deer sometimes wander onto the roads, where blinded by automobile lights, they are helpless to avoid a collision with a careless motorist. The coyote, ring-tail and kit fox show themselves at dusk and early morning. Watch for mule deer and Javelina's in the Grapevine Hills area in the afternoon. In this area one will also find the big eagle our American bird. Everywhere — on rocks along the roadside and on the trails you will see the pert little rock squirrel and the inquisitive white-tail antelope squirrel. While hiking, be on the look-out for tarantulas — giant spiders that despite their reputation and fearsome appearance, they are not unfriendly. The park ranger said one should observe them with interest rather than avoiding or harming them. You will also encounter lizards, scuttling to get out of your way and snakes are also in the park. The common poisonous reptiles are rattlesnakes; four species are found in Big Bend, again the

park ranger said they seldom are seen during the day.

On entering the park from Marathon you are at the north foot of the Chisos mountains, called Basin Junction. From Basin Junction it is about 7 miles up Green Gulch to the Basin, that I have been referring to. You pass from a desert landscape to a mountain landscape, through a zone in which cactus of the desert gradually gives way to the pinyon, oak and juniper of the mountains. From Green Gulch, you see the craggy faces of Pulliam Peak, Casa Grande, and Lost Mine Peak come closer. Panther Pass, at an altitude of 5,800 feet, marks the point of your descent down into the Basin. From there, you drive in low gear for the last mile or so because the descending road twists and turns and there is much to see at every turn. Suddenly you are in a huge natural bowl at the foot of the Casa Grande mountain. This is the Basin, the very heart of the Chisos mountains. In the Basin, you can stay in a frame cottage, or a deluxe stone cabin, or at the campground. The Basin area makes an ideal headquarters for your stay at Big Bend. Here you find a telephone, a grocery store and a dining room. At a campfire program after sunset a park ranger or speaker presents an illustrated talk on history, plants or animals of Big Bend.

Next day — if you are equal to a 14 mile horse-back trip — you will ride to the south Rim for a thrilling adventure. The mountain horses are sturdy and very gentle and will carry you along forest trails, sometimes in and out of the rocky bed of a trickling stream, sometimes across a stretch of mountain meadow. This is a guided trip and usually takes about all day. Just as you think you are never going to get to the top, the sky appears all around you, and suddenly you are looking down into and across an incredible sweep of space. Spread out before you is a large part of Texas and an even larger slice of Mexico, with the great river marking the boundary line between the two. The trail to the South Rim may also be hiked, but not for novices. There are many pleasant trips that leave from the Basin and you may walk along with the park ranger and usually a group or individual may go alone because the trails are well marked, with signs.

Briefly I'll try to give you the picture of Santa Elena Canyon. This is a morning trip so start early — the sun strikes the canyon walls for an hour or two after it rises, soon thereafter the walls are in shadow. Santa Elena canyon has been cut by the Rio Grande through an uplifted block of hard lime-stone. Over many centuries the river, heavily burdened with sand and mud, cut and

scoured and rasped away at this rock. From Lajitas southeastward for ten miles it produced walls of impressive sheerness. But the next 7 miles, before the river is joined by Terlinqua Creek at the mouth of the canyon, that the river carved the spectacular box-like gorge. The high sheer walls seem to over-hang the winding river. About 4 miles upriver from the canyon mouth, an enormous pile of boulders blocks the channel. In flood-time, water rushes over these boulders; in time of drouth, it finds its way through the openings between them. Fortunately, it is possible to go into Santa Elena Canyon on foot, to sense its awesome immensity, and to feel its solitude. You may have to wade across Terlinqua Creek to the foot of the cliff on the United States side, where the trail (about one-third mile) leads upward to a panoramic overlook. From there the trail goes down gradually to the river where the sound of a pebble falling into the water will echo through the canyon. It is a thrill to realize that although you are standing in the United States all that separates you from Mexico is a narrow river. As you gaze at the other side, the tilted layers of the rock wall give the impression that the river is flowing steeply downhill. The picnic area at Santa Elena Canyon providing shade and water, is an ideal place to eat lunch. On the way back to the Basin you visit historic Castolon or make a side trip to Terlinqua, they are ghost towns whose period of quicksilver mining prosperity lasted from 1900 to 1946. Today only a few families live in these towns, near the ruins of a store, a church, a school and many adobe houses.

its top in less than a half hour. The view, from a little winnowed cave, is breath-taking and well worth the struggle to see this view. Be well out of the canyon before the sun sets, for you must stand away from the mountains to get the full blazing effect.

The Big Bend Park is the big state's last playground and one of Texas' last frontiers to become a popular "fun-tiers", with its 700,000 acre expanse of desert and mountain as one writer described it in the spring issue of Shamrock magazine, "Big Bend National Park holds the magnificence of the Grand Canyon, Painted Desert, and Rocky Mountains rolled into a single package. Sc here, in the sunbaked serenity of the legendary Big Bend, nature has resisted the hand of man since the beginning of time. Craggy reaches fall sharply to the bed of the Rio Grande as it winds its crooked way to a final demise in the Gulf of Mexico. A country whipped with wind, scorched by Sol's light, seldom kissed with rain; a final hold out to civilization's march. A place where the traveler can actually feel a silence broken only by nature and her creatures, in the Big Bend National Park."

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Turkey-Lakeview Netters Win 'A' Division Matches At Phillips Meet

Lakeview and Turkey tennis players almost completely dominated the Phillips and Borger Invitational Tennis Tournament last weekend. These Hall County netters did dominate the "A" Division of the meet.

Lakeview's girls, Brenda Durrett in singles and Chris Clements and Landa Berry in doubles, won first places.

Turkey's boys doubles, Alton Setliff and Harvey Case, and David Majors in singles, won first places in their brackets.

In final events, Chris and Landa defeated a Phillips team 3-6, 6-4, 6-2; Brenda defeated a Phillips girl 6-3, 6-2; David defeated a Spearman boy 6-3, 6-3; and Alton and Harvey downed a Spearman team 6-3, 6-4.

Estelline Young Farmers To Meet Monday Night

The Estelline Young Farmers will meet Monday night, April 17, at 7:30 o'clock in the Estelline School Building, Danny Davidson announced this week.

The program for the evening will be on feeding of cattle and gil selection.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend the meeting.

Hospital News

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2 P. M.-4 P. M.
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New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Richardson of Hedley are the parents of a daughter born April 7. She weighed 5 pounds, 3 ounces and has been named Teresa La Dawn.

Lakeview's Terry Wansley won third place downing a Perryton boy 6-3, 6-2, and the Lakeview's boys doubles team of Raymond Jones and Cecil Wright defeated a Clarendon team 6-2, 6-1, to win third place.

In the "B" division, Cathy Gibson and Aubrey Wright took second, losing in the finals to Spearman 4-6, 3-6. Susie Sams took third by defeating a Turkey girl, Sally Case, 6-2, 6-1.

Jessie Wright and Jerry Anderson took third downing a team from Perryton 6-2, 6-2; Jimmy Fowler also took third with a victory over Borger 6-2, 4-6, 10-8.

Rod Setliff of Turkey won first place in the B boys singles defeating a Spearman boy 6-3, 11-9.

Other Lakeview players competing were Brenda Smith and Permina Martin and Dan Clements.

Rev. Gaston And Leon Myer Go To N. Y. For Revival

Travis Baptist Church Pastor Rev. Leroy Gaston, and Music Director Leon Myer, will leave today for Buffalo, N. Y., where they will conduct a revival for the First Baptist Church, Orchard Park, in a suburb of Buffalo.

The revival will be held from April 16 through 23.

The Memphis men will drive to Tulsa, Okla., and visit with Mr. and Mrs. Glen Callahan, former Memphis residents, and then go to Rogers, Ark., where they will spend the night with Leon's wife's parents.

From there they will go to Columbus, Ohio, for a short visit with Rev. Jess Cook, a life-long friend of Rev. Gaston.

At Buffalo, they will be working with Rev. Dan Connally, pastor of the Orchard Park church, who formerly was the pastor of the First Baptist Church in Turkey.

CARD OF THANKS

We gratefully acknowledge the many expressions of kindness and sympathy extended to us during the illness and death of our loved one. We especially wish to thank the nurses, doctors and staff of the Hall County Hospital for their faithful service.

The Family of Mrs. J. A. Odom

Mrs. Don Reeves and children left today (Thursday) for their home in Brenham after spending the past 10 days visiting in Memphis with her mother, Mrs. Lucille Wright, and other relatives and friends. Mrs. Wright accompanied her daughter home for a weekend visit.

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(1) Bury surface trash below the planting level and plant on a bed to help proper drainage. Many tests show planting on a bed superior to planting in the water furrow.

(2) Plant seed which have been treated with a chemical fungicide to control seed surface burn organisms and to prevent seed rot.

(3) Use high quality seed. High quality seed will germinate normal seedlings at 65 degrees F. in seven days. Lower quality seed needs longer germination periods and higher temperatures. Plant high quality seed when morning soil temperatures at planting depth are above 60 degrees F. for three days. When lower qual-

Dry Weather, Winds Cause Land Damage

Dry weather has caused a large increase in the amount of Texas land damaged by windstorms, H. N. Smith, State Conservationist Service, reported this week.

During January and February of 1967, almost 400,000 acres were damaged, compared to some 180,000 acres damaged during the same period a year ago. "This is an increase of more than 200,000 acres of land damaged this period," Smith said.

Cropland represents 96 per cent of the land damaged this season. More than two million acres are in condition to blow, compared with 1.6 million acres a year ago, according to Smith.

"Surface moisture conditions are poor to very poor. Small grains have made very little growth because of the extremely dry weather and some are dying," Smith said. "Excellent rains in August and September of 1966 gave the land deep moisture starting at about 12 inches below the surface. If we could get a good two or three-inch rain, it would change the picture greatly. If we don't get the rain, it will get progressively worse. Emergency tillage is not as effective as usual because of the dry soil."

The Soil Conservation Service gives technical assistance to farmers and ranchers on conservation work which helps reduce wind damage. These practices include stubble mulching, grass planting, strip-cropping, cover cropping, and windbreaks. Most farmers can offset dry weather and high

temperatures. If seedling disease has been a problem in the past, an in-covering soil fungicide should be used. Sprays, dusts or granules may be used but care should be taken to see that they are mixed well in the soil used to cover seed in the furrow. Hepper box application is not suggested for use in Texas. Agent Hooser says he has available in his office a list of seed treatment and in-covering fungicides that are recommended.

winds by keeping plant cover on cropland.

For technical assistance contact Henry Gregory, Herbert Evans, Mickey Black, or Royce Frisbie of the Memphis Work Unit which operates under the Hall County Soil Conservation District.

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Prediction is that Hall County might produce some kind of bumper fruit crop. It all depends on the big "if" every person who owns fruit trees: the weather some night which will freeze is with us. The young fruit trees are loaded with small peaches as the nail on a small finger. Many of the small limbs will break up under the load — the freeze is pulling off much of the fruit. I told her no kill-freeze was forthcoming; that mesquite trees were putting and cockleburrs were sprouting according to my oldtimer. She retorted that she did accept those kind of "signs."

Ray Kerr of Amarillo, in the organ of his firm, recently said, "A sure sign of a bumper crop is when you feel your coat more than your oats." I am not bothered with the prediction. I do not get the meaning of his learned statement. Remember in the columns of this newspaper last year when a reference was made to a weevil that attacked goateads? Re-deskins Wells, publisher of the Wellington Leader, had said in his column, Deck's

Didactics: "Have you noticed fewer goateads in your alley or yard during the last three years? In the fall of 1963 scientists at the Great Plains Research Center at Bushland put out goatead weevils at Wellington and Amarillo. Those put out near here lived and spread as did others put out in 1964 in areas south of Amarillo. In other years we have had to fight goateads in our alley all summer long; but last summer very few vines appeared and I do not remember them making any seed. The weevils were imported from Italy in 1962 and work in this manner. The female lays an egg in a goatead burr and seals the opening and the grub eats the life out of the five sections of the goatead before emerging as an adult. The young can survive only in a goatead burr. For this reason there is no chance of the weevil eliminating the goatead infestation entirely; but there is reason to believe that it has cut down the numbers of the weed in this area."

Now I want some reports from local observers about the weed and how prolific they are in coming up this spring. This battle with the goateads goes back to the time I did not wear shoes during the warm months each year.

After having been in a spot similar to that of several leaders of Wheeler who underwent much nervousness late in February when they held their annual C. of C. banquet, I can sympathize with them. Publicity has been given to the affair when State Rep. Ralph Wayne failed to show up

as he was the scheduled speaker. Wheeler's neighbor, Ben Erzell, publisher of the Canadian Record, gave this report: "The Wheeler Chamber of Commerce officers ran a gamut of emotions . . . ranging from annoyance with the speaker for being late, through a long period of worried concern for his safety because he was flying from Plainview and was long overdue, to a little bit of righteous indignation when they learned that he had landed safely at Tradewind Airport in Amarillo . . . and finally to embarrassment when they discovered that Rep. Wayne and his wife had landed at the Wheeler airport, less than a mile from the banquet hall, at the appointed time and had finally departed, after waiting in the cold for 45 minutes, when no reception committee showed up. The reception committee, meanwhile, was waiting impatiently at the Shamrock airport, about 15 miles away." Remember our banquet when Cong. Jim Wright was the guest speaker — and arrived an hour late? These things do happen.

Over at Mangum last Friday, Saturday and Sunday was held the annual Rattlesnake Derby, and press reports are that it was very successful indeed. From our standpoint, we are glad that Memphis and surrounding area does not produce enough of the poisonous reptiles to draw the crowds which swarmed over that Oklahoma community.

Watch for future developments from cotton farmers as they recognize the plight of agriculture in our area. Recently the members of the Hall County Farm Bureau opposed their national president and last week county farm leaders of the Farmers Union joined the "fly-in" to Washington to give their opinions to the Legislature and the Secretary of Agriculture and members of the department. In the offing is some kind of a showdown and the businessman, banker and consumer are all interested.

Why has the small-town press survived and has enjoyed its growth? The answer is simple. Ours is a medium of communication which reflects the ideals, goals, problems, accomplishments of personal, social and economic life which is basic to this nation. It is documented in the circulation list of every "home town" newspaper.

The above is a deviation from

the title of this column which primarily reports about Memphis and Hall County. It is written to remind ourselves not to take up too much space in commenting on affairs from Austin and Washington as they are related to this area. The facts are before us, week after week, and we devote much space to all of them. But the fact remains: the most important news is based around (and between) the births, weddings, accomplishments and deaths of those who reside in our area.

NEWLIN

How would you like to have gone snake hunting over the weekend with these men from the Clinton Sherman Air Force Base, Okla., including Capt. Jack Helm. This was a rare treat as well as a first experience. Those who went were Capt. Jack Helm and wife and four children; Major Schiedermeier, Mrs. Schiedermeier and six boys; Capt. Nied and Mrs. Nied and two children; Capt. Bunch and wife and two boys; Lt. Lawrence and wife. They were guests of J. N. Helm, Sr. All these men were raised in the North except Capt. Jack Helm and this is his home.

Mrs. G. E. Nelson had a letter from Mrs. Rhoda Nelson. So many have been inquiring about her. She will be 95 on June 4. Her address is La Junta Nursing Home, La Junta, Colo. She still asks about all her friends and she will be remembered as Aunt Rhoda.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tippitt of Childress are moving a house up on the farm where Mr. and

Mrs. R. E. Ward formerly lived and in the near future will move into our community. The Tippitts have two children, a girl, Tracy, age 3, and a boy, Cliff, age 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Read and girls were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cobb. The Reads are from Canyon and he is a nephew of Mrs. Cobb.

Mrs. Lois Jones of Mineral Wells spent a few days last week with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cobb.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Misenhimer spent Sunday afternoon with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Worth Howard of Lakeview.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Barnes had company Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Davis visited on Saturday afternoon with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Roddy Waits in Memphis.

Inez McCraw and Mrs. Annie Hamilton visited in Clarendon with Mr. and Mrs. George Gresham on Saturday night.

Mrs. Thomas Tippitts and children and Mrs. Dottie Wakefield of Childress were Newlin visitors on Monday afternoon.

J. N. Helm, Sr., visited in Arkansas with his nephew last week.

Dr. Welch Will Present Paper At Computer Session

Dr. Ashley J. Welch, 3213 Clearview Street, Austin, Texas, has been named an author for the 1967 Spring Joint Computer Conference to be held in Atlantic City, N. J., April 18-20.

The conference is one of two sponsored annually by the American Federation of Information Processing Societies to encourage exchange of information on advanced developments in computer-related fields.

Dr. Welch is one of four authors selected by the Spring Joint Computer Conference committee

to present a paper on biomedical computer applications.

The title of his paper is "Computer Applications in Biomedical Electronics — Pattern Recognition Studies." It describes a new technique for processing signals such as brain waves and acoustic wave forms.

Dr. Welch is the Assistant Professor of Electrical Engineering for the University of Texas, Austin, Texas. He is a graduate of Texas Tech, class of 1955, and holds a B.S. degree in Electrical Engineering. Other degrees include MSEE, S.M.U. 1959, Ph.D., Rice U., 1964.

Dr. Welch and his wife Pat, have three children: Susan—10, Carolyn—9 and Diane—6. Mrs. Welch is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Combs, and a sister of Bill Combs of Memphis.

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Sport Weddel Receives Band's John Phillip Sousa Award Sat.

"Sport" Weddel, a baritone in the Cyclone Band, was presented the John Phillip Sousa Award, the highest individual award given to a senior in the band, at the annual banquet Saturday night.

Weddel, who plans to major in music at West Texas State University, was also notified this week that he has been awarded a music scholarship at WTSU.

The band also announced officers for 1967-68. Sam Houston was named president of the Cyclone Band and Fred Earl Snowdon was named vice president. Nancy Simpson will be the secretary and Lometa Pate is the reporter-historian.

Three of the four members of the band's council were also named. These include Teresa Carson, a senior representative; Claudia Corley, junior representative; and Susan Clark, sophomore representative. The freshman member will be selected next year.

The band seniors read wills and Sam Houston and Cynthia Evans read Madam Mystic prophecy, foretelling the future on different members in the band, which was highly entertaining.

Band parents used a "Mardi Gras" theme in decorations, using yellow, red and purple as colors and balloons as decorations.



60-LBS. WORTH—Roy Spruill and Lonnie Widener display 60 pounds of Yellow Catfish they caught Saturday at Arthur's Campsite at Possum Kingdom Lake. Both fish are near three feet long and one weighs 32.5 lbs. while the other was 27.5 lbs. They arrived home Sunday with the two live fish to show. The fish were taken on a trot line.

Piano Auditions—

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Miss Rasco stated. National piano tournaments originated 37 years ago by Dr. Irl Allison in Texas are held in over 750 centers of the country including Alaska and Hawaii. About 250 musicians of renown serve as judges from February through July in order to hear over 65,000 pianists of all ages.

Piano teachers who are members of the National Guild and who will bring students to the Memphis center are: Mrs. Frank Anderson, Mrs. Mack Bush, Mrs. John Harper, Mrs. Ursula Peters, all of Wellington; Mrs. A. E. Trayson of Quitaque; Mrs. T. L. Rouse, Miss Betty Stewart and Miss Gertrude Rasco, all of Memphis; and Mrs. Roy Coffey of Childress.

MHS Thinclads—

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fort. The local track team is looking for a meet to run in this weekend, Coach Glascock said, but no definite plans have been made.

Qualifying for the Regional Meet were the sprint and mile relay teams, Welch in the 220, Scott in the shot put, Devorce in the discus, Jones in the broad jump.

Greenbelt FFA District Meet Here Wednesday

The Greenbelt FFA District held its spring workshop and meeting in Memphis High School Wednesday afternoon and several boys were winners of competitive honors or in elections.

Samy Houston of Memphis was selected District Lone Star Farmer at the conference. Perry Lane of Turkey was named the Greenbelt District Star Chapter Farmer.

Ricky Nall of Wellington was named the Greenbelt Dist. Star Greenhand.

In the public speaking contest Johnny Hoggatt of Hedley repeated his performance of last year and captured first place in the contest.

Memphis' Carl Houston was elected FFA state office representative from the Greenbelt district and Jimmy Jones of Paducah was elected Area 1 office representative in balloting by voting delegates from Greenbelt District FFA Chapters.

He who toots his own horn soon has everyone dodging him.

Services For—

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dren; three great-grandchildren; sisters, Mrs. Jim Peeples of Belton, Mrs. Claude Madeley of Temple and Mrs. Edgar Williams of San Angelo.

Two sons have preceded her in death. Pall bearers were Dick Fowler, E. E. Roberts, Roy Coleman, Orville Goodpasture, Gordon Maddox and Gerald Knight.

Honorary pall bearers were Herb Curry, T. B. Rogers, Grover Kesterson, A. A. Odom, Oscar Maddox, Oscar Maddox, Jr., Bob Montgomery, J. G. Gardner, Milton A. Beasley, R. A. Spoon, Dr. H. R. Stevenson, Dr. O. R. Goodall, Dr. R. E. Clark, Bill George Kesterson, M. E. McNally, Jr., Campbell Morris, Pat Johnson, Cecil Stargel, Paul Smith, Bob Abram, C. S. Compton, Glenn Thompson, Gordon D. Maddox, and Floyd McIntush.

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John McWhorter—
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of Memphis and Mrs. Robert New of Baytown; four sons, Frankie of Higgins, Keith with the U. S. Navy aboard the USS Standley, Gary of Memphis and Joe David of Memphis; mother, Mrs. T. I. McWhorter of Memphis; two sisters, Mrs. D. C. Selby of Altus, Okla., and Mrs. A. L. Rogers of Memphis; three brothers, J. B. of Amarillo, Leon of Lubbock and Joe Bob of Memphis; 12 grandchildren.

Pall bearers were Si Rice, J. J. Palmer, Elton Murdock, M. O. Spencer, Coy Davis and Bob Howe.

Honorary pall bearers were Dr. O. R. Goodall, Hobart Moffitt, D. C. Messick, Jr., Charles Robertson, Ben Wilson, Morris Odom, Dutch Wheeler and Earl Bloxom.

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