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WEATHER
Week's High Temperature 92
Week's Low Temperature 58
Week's Rain Fall trace
Year's Total Rainfall 9.00
Courtesy Rayford E. Hutcherson

County Schools Set Opening Dates

The summer vacation is about over for Hall County children as two schools will begin enrolling students late next week.

Memphis Schools, Austin, Travis, Jr. High and High School, will begin the process of enrolling at 8:25 a. m. Thursday, Aug. 24. Buses will run that morning at the regular time and return rural students home at 11:15 a. m.

The schedule calls for High School seniors to enroll Thursday morning, juniors Thursday afternoon, sophomores Friday morning (Aug. 25) and freshmen Friday afternoon.

First graders, enrolling in school for the first time, will need birth certificates, record of small pox vaccination, record of other immunization, and a \$2.50 workbook fee. All first, second and third graders will enroll in Travis Elementary School.

Fourth and Fifth graders will enroll in Austin Elementary, while Sixth, Seventh and Eight Graders will enroll in Junior High.

Memphis school officials announced that meal tickets will be on sale for \$1.75 per week if wanted at the time of enrollment.

Turkey Schools
All school age students in the Turkey Schools will begin enrollment at 9 a. m. Friday, Aug. 25, it was announced today by Supt. Loran Denton. The faculty is complete, he also announced.

Turkey buses will not run Friday. The first full day of school at Turkey will be Monday, Aug. 28, with buses running and the cafeteria open, he said.

The Turkey School Board has set 8 p. m. Monday, Sept. 4, as the date of the budget hearing, to be held in the superintendent's office. (Continued on Page 10)

Melvin Jennings Elected To Board Of W. T. C. Of C.

Melvin Jennings was elected to the Board of Directors of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce last week when the official board met in Hereford for its first quarterly meeting of the 1967-68 year.

The new director will represent the WTCC members in Memphis in all deliberations of the board of directors and will serve as membership chairman for the area.

The WTCC is the only organized spokesman for business and agribusiness in the 132-county area which it serves.

Legislation, individual development, tourism and community development are the principal fields of work for the organization.

Local Athletes Compete For Positions On Cyclone Squad

Thirty-eight Memphis High School athletes are competing for positions on the 1967 Memphis Cyclone squad, and 15 of this number are returning lettermen from the 1966 squad which represented District 3-AA in state play offs.

The workouts, two each day, have been grueling and approximately 10 boys who have reported for workouts Monday morning have left the squad, Coach Bert Glascock reported. The loss of these boys will hurt the B team and freshmen programs, it was reported.

Coach Glascock said he and the other coaches have been pleased with the attitude of the boys. "Our team's performance has been erratic due primarily to inexperience in the line and in defensive line-backing positions, but improving with each session," Coach Glascock said. The coach especially had praise for the running (ball carrying) ability of the backfield.

The Cyclone lost valuable linemen, backs and linebackers to graduation, but the nucleus of boys are returning this season. Among the lettermen returning are Center Paul Smith; Guards Johnny Scott, Chuck Jennings and Jerry Hall; Tackles Jerry Jeffers, Lanny Crow, Garvin Speed and Sam Bruce; Ends Roy Long and Allen Booth; Quarterback Tony Pounds and James Spruill; Fullback Roge Fowler; and Halfbacks Gary Rea and William Welch.

Managers this year are Randy Dale and Terry Wynn.

Filling out the ranks include:

Centers Charles Carroll, Bobby Philpot and Byron Tuck; Guards Cornelius Whitmore, Rocky Moore, Randy Jennings and Billy Ballew; Tackles David Smith, Bill Smithee and E. L. Kirkland; Ends James Fleeke, Otis Cooper, Ronnie Phillips, Richard Parker, Russell Smith and Merle Kilpatrick; Quarterbacks Ronald Bradshaw and Joe Ed Godfrey; Fullbacks Judge Smith and Jeff Phillips; Halfbacks O. D. Matthews, Skipper Murdock and Ronnie McFall.

Richard Parker has stepped in to the center linebacker position vacated by Willie Devorce, one of the key defensive positions. Parker was ineligible last season.

It appears the 1967 Cyclone will have a good size in the line and good speed in the backfield, with the capability of running, passing and kicking the football.

Coach Glascock said the coaches were pleased so far with the ball handling ability of James Spruill who has all the moves and good speed in the quarter. (Continued on Page 10)

Memphis School Board Sets Date On Budget Hearing

The Memphis School Board at its regular August meeting Monday night, set Thursday night, Aug. 24, at 8 p. m. as the date for the public budget hearing. The meeting will be in the Superintendent's office.

All interested citizens in the Memphis district are invited to attend and examine the 1967-68 budget, which authorizes the expenditures for the district.

Meeting with the board was Morris Davis, who has been appointed by the Board to fill the vacancy of Bob Douthitt.

Supt. of Schools Charley Chambers announced that the faculty was complete after the board accepts, subject to assignment, several contracts.

Contracts have been signed by Denzil Lacy, a coach, Lorean Hart, Mrs. W. A. Smithee, Mrs. Ross Gentry and Mrs. Barbara Rist. Also, Ronald Dean Morris, who graduated this summer from Texas Tech, has been contracted for the Vocational Agriculture instructor for Memphis High.

The board accepted the resignations of Albert W. Thorne, Travis Gilliland and Mrs. Maryann Fowler.

Jack I. Davis Named New Chamber President

At the noon meeting, Monday, of the directors of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce, President Wayne Goodrum turned in his official resignation as he announced he was moving to Seymour at the end of this week.

The board passed a motion accepting the resignation with regrets, and also a motion naming Vice President Jack I. Davis the president of the organization.

Also a motion was passed thanking President Goodrum for his work with the chamber and for his work and interest in building Memphis.

The board of directors announced that Tuesday, Sept. 19, has been set for an Industrial Appreciation Banquet for Burlington's Hall Plant of Postex Cotton Mills.

The two-man committee of Lester Campbell and Ed Foxhall announced that committees for this special recognition day will be appointed soon so that work can begin.

This will be the second recognition program sponsored by the local chamber. Last year General Telephone Company of the Southwest was honored at a banquet. This year the chamber has selected Postex Hall Plant here to be honored.

Special Meet

Several members of the chamber and school officials met Tuesday morning in the Council Room of the Community Center with H. Russell White, director of the Amarillo State Center for Human Development, Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation.

With Mr. White was Principal Burtis Hollis of the Center. A contract to build the Center's plant is to be let next Tuesday with bids being opened in Amarillo, it was announced.

The purpose of the meeting here was to discuss the possibility of locating a satellite day care class in the Memphis area. This class would work with mentally retarded which are not eligible to participate in the public school systems of the state.

The Amarillo State Center for Human Development will serve 26 counties in the Texas Panhandle. Only two such centers are being built in Texas, one at Amarillo and one at Beaumont.

To set up a satellite day care class in Memphis, a pilot demonstration program which will fit

the needs of Memphis would be set up under the local program. A local sponsor, either a civic organization, group of religious leaders, chamber group or a local board of trustees would have to assume the responsibility of providing a place to hold the class, such as a church education classroom, etc., arrange for teacher aides on a full time basis, and handle a certain amount of financial assistance.

There will be five satellite day care class units set up with the Amarillo Center serving as the Mother Center in the Panhandle in communities having the greatest need for them.

Miss Tops Gilreath, county superintendent, arranged for the Memphis meeting where the plans were explained.

Anyone interested in working on this project can contact Miss Gilreath or the chamber office for information.

General Telephone Employees Honor Roy Brewer At Barbecue In City Park

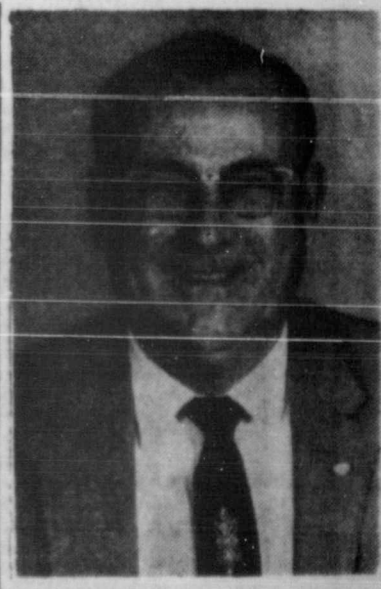
General Telephone Company of the Southwest has announced the retirement of Roy L. Brewer, long-time Memphis resident.

Brewer, as of August 1, completed 38 years in the telephone industry. At the time of his retirement he was commercial representative for the company in Memphis.

Prior to his coming to Memphis in 1934, Mr. Brewer had held various positions with the company in Lubbock and Carlsbad, New Mexico. From 1934 to 1953 he was district manager of the Memphis District. In July, 1953 he was moved to Brownfield as division plant superintendent for the company's Western Division. He served in this capacity until August, 1957, when he returned to Memphis as district commercial manager. In 1963 he was named commercial representative, the position he held until his retirement.

Mr. Brewer, Roy to many in the towns comprising the company's Memphis District, and his wife, Mildred, reside at 505 N. 10th in Memphis. They have two daughters, Nancy, Mrs. Billy D. Roden of Memphis and Barbara, Mrs. Benny Pveatt of Amarillo.

On Saturday evening, Aug. 12, employees of General's Northern



ROY L. BREWER

Division and Memphis District honored "Mr. B." at a chicken barbecue held in the Memphis City Park. An engraved cigarette lighter and money tree were presented to the honoree. Approximately 100 from Memphis, Seymour, Perryton, Panhandle and Clearendon attended.



BIG PILE-UP—Pictured above are members of the 1967 Cyclone squad as they work on defensive assignments at an evening practice session this week. The squad has been showing a lot of spirit and hustle in early workouts and the practice sessions have been tough. As of Wednesday, 38 boys were working out under Coaches Bert Glascock, Bill Lorange, George Berry and Denzil Lacy.

Historical Display Planned For Picnic

T. W. (Wendell) Harrison, Chairman of Hall County Reunion Museum Steering Committee, advised The Democrat of a meeting held in the Community Center, Council Room, Monday afternoon to finalize plans for having a display of historical souvenirs, keepsakes, treasures of Hall County, etc. in the old First National Bank Building prior and during the festivities of the Hall County Reunion.

It was agreed the name "Hall County Heritage Hall" would be used. Plans were made for immediate start of clean-up, repair, etc. of the building with J. B. Scott, local West Texas Utilities Manager as chairman and Billy Hancock, Lakeview, co-chairman, E. E. Roberts, chairman of placing tables for display and making space available for the items. It was agreed the Hall County Heritage Hall would open from nine until eleven o'clock in the mornings and from three to five in the afternoons for receiving and marking items.

Virginia Browder will be chairman of the committee and Mrs. J. W. Coppedge, co-chairman in charge of receiving and cataloging the items. It is planned for a security person to be in the building at all times when open. Clubs as well as individuals will be contacted and asked for collections. There have been several

individuals already who have called members of the committee stating they had some relics they would like to see displayed. It is the hope of the committee this Museum display will become a permanent attraction to the Hall County Reunion. It is planned to open the Hall County Heritage Hall about 10 days prior to the Reunion for the public.

On Saturday, September, 16, 1967, prior to the event, Mrs. Gayle Monzingo, who is chairman of registration, will have some one in the hall to register guests.

The members of this committee other than Mr. Harrison are Byron Baldwin, co-chairman, Billy Hancock, Lakeview; Lola Duvall, Lakeview; Mrs. J. W. Coppedge, J. B. Scott, T. B. Rogers, Hubert Dennis, Gip McMurry, E. E. Roberts, Virginia Browder, Mrs. Gayle Monzingo, Tops Gilreath all of Memphis and V. C. (Zipp) Durrett, president of Hall County Reunion Association. Full list of the various committees appointed by Mr. Harrison will be available soon.

If you have an item, relic, document, or souvenir to display in the Hall County Heritage Hall call Mrs. J. W. Coppedge or Byron Baldwin.

Finis P. Richerson Is Buried Tuesday At Estelline

Funeral services for Finis Pugh Richerson, 64, of Estelline were conducted at 2 p. m. Tuesday, Aug. 15, from the First Baptist Church in Estelline. Rev. Elmer Ward, pastor of the First Methodist Church, officiated. Burial was in the Estelline Cemetery under the direction of Spieer Funeral Home.

Mr. Richerson was born July 17, 1903, in Johnson County and moved to Hall County in 1913. He was united in marriage to Miss Mary Wade Dec. 25, 1927, at Estelline. Mr. Richerson was a member of the I.O.O.F. Lodge. He passed away Sunday, Aug. 13, at his home following a brief illness.

Survivors include: his wife, Mary, of the home; his mother, Mrs. Olive Richerson of Estelline; one sister, Mrs. J. C. Richerson, also of Estelline.

Casket bearers were Ben Raley, Roy Abram, Paul Collins, Albert Ward, O. R. Lambert and Rabb Holland.

Deadline Sept. 1

Local Trail Riders Seek Parade Entries

The Memphis Trail Riders Club is engaged in the process of seeking entries in the Hall County Picnic celebration's parade to be held at 11 a. m. Saturday, Sept. 16, is announced by Jean Baten, secretary and queen of the organization.

Elsewhere in this issue of The Democrat readers will find an Entry Blank which invites all citizens, organizations, firms, associations, etc., to participate in the parade. These entries should be turned in not later than Sept. 1, 1967 to the Memphis Trail Riders Club, Box 72, Memphis, Texas.

A Grand Champion trophy for the one best over-all entry will be given. Trophy cups for first, second and third places for junior entries will also be given. Ribbons for first, second and third places for entries classified into five divisions—floats, bands, car or cars, riding clubs and miscellaneous—will also be awarded following the judging.

Other activities include the Pony Express Tournament at the Memphis Arena starting at 2 p. m. Saturday afternoon. This tournament is under the sole sponsorship. (Continued on Page 10)

Sept. 20 Is Date For ASC Election

The 1968 ASC Community Committee elections will be held by mail as in previous years, Roy L. Gresham, Chairman, Hall County ASC Committee, announced today.

Ballots will be mailed to all known eligible voters on September 20.

Farmers who are eligible to vote in the community elections may nominate by petition. Such petition must be signed by six or more eligible voters and is limited to one nominee per petition. The

petition must be filed at the county office anytime before August 26, 1967.

On September 1, the community committeemen will meet jointly with the county committee and complete the state nominees.

The 1968 community committeemen will meet on September 27, 1967 to elect one member of the county committee to serve for a 3-year term and two alternates to the county committee who will serve for one year.

Funeral Services For O. E. Bevers, County Leader, Held In Lakeview Wed.

O. E. (Ott) Bevers, a resident of the Lakeview community for past 54 years, passed away in Hall County Hospital at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday morning after a long illness. He was 72 years of age.

Funeral services were held at the First Methodist Church in Lakeview at 2 p. m. Wednesday. Rev. C. C. Lamb, pastor of the church, officiated assisted by Rev. Gene Joplin, pastor of the Lakeview Baptist Church.

Burial was at Union Hill Cemetery, and was under the direction of Spieer Funeral Home.

Oscar Ervin Bevers was born July 12, 1895, in Cook County, Texas, and moved to Lakeview in 1913. He married Miss Grace Goodin Sept. 11, 1919, at Memphis.

Survivors, besides his wife of the home, include a son, Barney Joe Bevers of Lakeview, a daughter, Mrs. Willie Murel McKnight of Plainview; a grandson, Joe McKnight, and a granddaughter, Deanna McKnight, both of Plainview. Also surviving are three brothers, A. S. and V. L. of Lakeview, C. S. of Rogers, N. M., J. E. of Memphis; a half-brother, C. W. Bowen of Dos Palos, Calif.; sisters, Mrs. Ruby Leggett of Mem-



O. E. (OTT) BEVERS

phis and Mrs. Ruth Lorange of Mountain Park, Okla.

Ott Bevers had been actively engaged in farming all of his adult life in the Lakeview community. In addition, he was very active in civic and community affairs, and had devoted much (Continued on Page 10)

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EDITORIAL Vote Nov. 11 On Constitutional Amendments!

Readers of The Democrat, along with readers of other newspapers over the State of Texas, have the opportunity this month of reading, in their entirety, the six proposed constitutional amendments to be voted on Saturday, Nov. 11.

It is important that our citizens read the amendments being published in four issues of The Democrat; and, between now and Nov. 11, make a decision concerning their merits and demerits.

Secretary of State John Hill began to advertise the six proposed constitutional amendments last week. They will appear in the following order on the ballot:

No. 1, House Joint Resolution 3, to permit counties to put all tax money in a single general fund rather than dividing income in specified amounts among separate funds for earmarked purposes as is now required.

No. 2, HJR 37, allowing cities and other governmental units within hospital districts to levy taxes for participation in mental health and mental retardation community centers.

No. 3, HJR 17, reviving the veterans land program and authorizing a total of \$400,000,000 in bonds to finance continued purchase of farm and ranch land by veterans, including those who have served in Southeast Asia during present hostilities.

No. 4, HJR 6, authorizing counties to pay medical, doctor and hospital bills of county law enforcement officers injured in line of duty.

No. 5, HJR 12, authorizing a \$75,000,000 state revenue bond issue for the development of state parks and recreational areas. Bonds are expected to be financed by a small admission fee.

No. 6, HJR 27, permitting state officers and employees to hold non-elective positions under the state of U. S. governments where there is no conflict of interest, and where the state might benefit.

These then are what voters of our state will be deciding on, come Saturday, Nov. 11. This is Veterans Day and a Saturday; so voters should find little to conflict with the date.

Major interest will center around the park bond proposal and the veterans land amendment. In the July 27th issue of The Democrat an article covering the amendments and some discussion, pro and con, was covered. Before the election, this newspaper will continue to keep its readers informed.

It is, however, the responsibility of each and every qualified voter in our county, and throughout the state, to acquaint themselves with the amendments and to arrive at a just decision concerning their merits and demerits.

Constitutional amendment elections give citizens an opportunity to decide upon the major problems confronting our state and give the elected officials an opportunity to "feel the pulse" of our citizens on various types of issues.

It behooves our citizens to make plans now to cast their ballot come Nov. 11 so a fair and just sampling of opinion is reflected in this election.

La Varta Chiropractic Office Dr. Ralph R. La Varta Monday Through Saturday: OFFICE HOURS: 8:30 to 12:00 P. M. 1:30 P. M. to 6 P. M. Thursdays By Appointment

PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR ON THE BALLOT BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding a new Section in Article III to be known as Section 52e, reading as follows: "Section 52e. Each county in the State of Texas is hereby authorized to pay all medical expenses, all doctor bills and all hospital bills for Sheriffs, Deputy Sheriffs, Constables, Deputy Constables and other county and precinct law enforcement officials who are injured in the course of their official duties; providing that while said Sheriff, Deputy Sheriff, Constable, Deputy Constable or other county or precinct law enforcement official is hospitalized or incapacitated that the county shall continue to pay his maximum salary; providing, however, that said payment of salary shall cease on the expiration of the term of office to which such official was elected or appointed. Provided, however, that no provision contained herein shall be construed to amend, modify, repeal or nullify Article 16, Section 51, of the Constitution of the State of Texas." Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on November 11, 1967, at which election all ballots shall have printed on them the following: "FOR the Amendment to the Constitution authorizing each county in this state to pay the medical bills, doctor bills and hospital bills for all Sheriffs, Deputy Sheriffs, Constables, Deputy Constables and other county and precinct law enforcement officials who are injured in the course of their official duties; providing that the county shall continue to pay the maximum salary of these officials while they are incapacitated, but such salary payment shall not continue beyond the terms of office to which they were elected or appointed."



ACROSS the DESK What Other Editors Say

Be A Town Builder! One hundred and four towns the size of Muleshoe, now existing in West Texas, will completely disappear in the next 33 years!

This fact was recently published by the Small Town Task Force of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, and is based on an in-depth study made by experts in community development.

On the other hand, an equal number of towns in West Texas which are the size of Muleshoe, will grow and become bigger, and provide more opportunities for man to share in the community's economic prosperity.

Progressive towns say to their citizens, "Lead, follow, or get out of the way!" This is the choice we have in Muleshoe. Few could or would be willing to close up shop or move to another town.

Yet, that is the choice that faces us today. The business people of Muleshoe have a Chamber of Commerce, through which they can work together and assure Muleshoe of a prosperous future.

Our Chamber is ineffective for only one reason. We who make up the Chamber of Commerce, and that includes members and non members alike, are not working together, giving of our time, talent and money to make it the effective organization for growth that we know it can be and has been in the past.

Muleshoe must want to grow, want to have opportunities for progress, want to be considered for industrial development, want to have more tourists, and want to have access to technological improvements so that their businesses, professional and agriculture segments might keep pace with the times, and prosper.

The only way this desire can be created is to find the thing that will motivate us individually and collectively to bring about the things we desire. The best motivator for an individual or a community is selfishness. We must be selfish in getting the things for Muleshoe that other towns are trying to get for themselves. We must be selfish in doing a little work, putting up a little money, spending a little thought to do things for Muleshoe that will ultimately be to direct benefit to us as individuals.

There is not a question but what anything that is good for Muleshoe is good for us personally. We must think in terms of what is good for all of us, and this in turn will accrue to our direct benefit.

Re-organizing our Chamber of Commerce so that it becomes the vehicle through which we can funnel our efforts is the number one task of every person in Muleshoe. Without the Chamber of Commerce as a vital force in the town, the Industrial Foundation will be lessened in its efforts to attract industry. Without the Chamber of Commerce we can only drift with the tides of time until we gradually disappear.

Our futures, our fortunes are here. We must fight for them. —The Muleshoe Journal

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PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Section 9, Article VIII, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows: "Section 9. The State tax on property, exclusive of the tax necessary to pay the public debt, and of the taxes provided for the benefit of the public free schools, shall never exceed Thirty-five Cents (35¢) on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100) valuation; and no county, city or town shall levy a tax rate in excess of Eighty Cents (80¢) on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100) valuation in any one (1) year for general fund, permanent improvement fund, road and bridge fund and jury fund so long as the Court does not impair any outstanding bonds or other obligations and so long as the total of the foregoing tax levies does not exceed Eighty Cents (80¢) on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100) valuation in any one (1) year. Once the Court has levied the annual tax rate, the same shall remain in force and effect during that taxable year; and the Legislature may also authorize an additional annual ad valorem tax to be levied and collected for the further maintenance of the public roads; provided, that a majority of the qualified property taxpaying voters of the county voting at an election to be held for that purpose shall vote such tax, not to exceed Fifteen Cents (15¢) on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100) valuation of the property subject to taxation in such county. Any county may put all tax money collected by the county into one general fund, without regard to the purpose or source of each tax. And the Legislature may pass local laws for the maintenance of the public roads and highways, without the local notice required for special or local laws. This Section shall not be construed as a limitation of powers delegated to counties, cities or towns by any other Section or Sections of this Constitution." Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on November 11, 1967, at which election all ballots shall have printed on them the following: "FOR the constitutional amendment allowing counties to put all county taxes into one general fund." "AGAINST the constitutional amendment allowing counties to put all county taxes into one general fund."

Vacation Time Notice this year's two and three week vacations have been crowded into three and four days. Seems they are costing more and more. It is another one of those things the tourist-managers may eventually price out of the market.

On a recent drive from Questa to Red River, N. M. we found the area bumper to bumper with campers. They were from tent size to house size and everyone seemingly as happy as the old boy in a \$20 tourist court eating a \$5 steak.

The Claude News

CARD OF THANKS Our heartfelt thanks to all who extended comforting sympathy and help in our recent sorrow. We want to especially thank the women of Parnell and Estelling for the food served to our family and for the large task of cleaning up which they did afterwards. The beautiful floral offerings and the service were especially appreciated.

The Family of Mrs. J. T. Price

A local woman says they have eaten so many fried chickens that they've taken the mattress off their beds and started roosting on the slats.

Memories Turning Back Time From The Democrat Files

30 YEARS AGO August 27, 1937 The R. H. Wherry Jewelry and variety store is to be moved next Monday into the vacant building next to the Piggy-Wiggly Grocery on the east side of the square.

Zeb A. Moore, member of the Hudgins and Moore Ins. firm, won a week's trip to Denver for reaching his quota in a statewide selling contest.

Misses Zady Belle and Earnestine Walker have returned from Evanston, Ill., where they spent two months studying art and school speech at the Northwestern University.

Supt. W. C. Davis arrived in Memphis last Saturday night from Boulder, Colo., where he has been working toward his Master's degree at the University of Colorado. He announced that everything is in readiness for the start of school here on Monday, Sept. 6.

SHOWING AT THE PALACE: The glamorous Jean Harlow in the final triumph of her glorious screen career in "Saratoga", with Clark Gable, Lionel Barrymore, Frank Morgan and Una Merkel.

10 YEARS AGO August 22, 1957 Royce Frisbie, technician the Soil Conservation Service recently received a certificate of recognition for the completion of 10 years of outstanding service with the Dept. of Agriculture.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan visited last week with Mr. Mrs. T. D. Weatherly at Lake Kemp cabin.

Mr. and Mrs. Buren Carr visited Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Compton. They formerly taught in the Memphis schools. Mrs. Carr is now teaching in the elementary schools of Denver, Colo., and Mr. Carr is in Denver High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Monty Alev and family are on vacation in Colorado.

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Area Citizens Invited To Dedication Of SCS Plant Center At Knox City

The Soil Conservation Service Plant Materials Center at Knox City, Texas, will be dedicated on September 7, 1967, according to an announcement today by H. N. Williams, State Conservationist, and Donald A. Williams, SCS District Administrator, Washington, D. C., who will speak at the public ceremony.

The Center finds, evaluates and tests new plants to solve soil erosion and non-farm conservation problems. It serves Texas, Oklahoma and adjoining states.

Other SCS plant materials centers have been introduced such as King Ranch bluestem,

Texas buffalograss, Uvalde side-oats grama, Cheyenne indiagrass, and weeping lovegrass.

About 850 selections of grasses, forbs, and shrubs are being evaluated at the new center. Planting materials being used include seed sprigs, and rootstock.

The board of supervisors of the Hall County Soil and Water Conservation district are making plans to attend the dedication according to Ernest Rea, Chairman.

Anyone interested in attending the tour contact Soil Conservation Technicians at Memphis and Childress or your district Supervisor.

Nursing homes employ more than 300,000 persons reports the American Nursing Home Association. Over 23,000 persons are employed in nursing homes in Texas, according to the Texas Nursing Home Association.

A small town is a place where you can take a correct census at any fire.

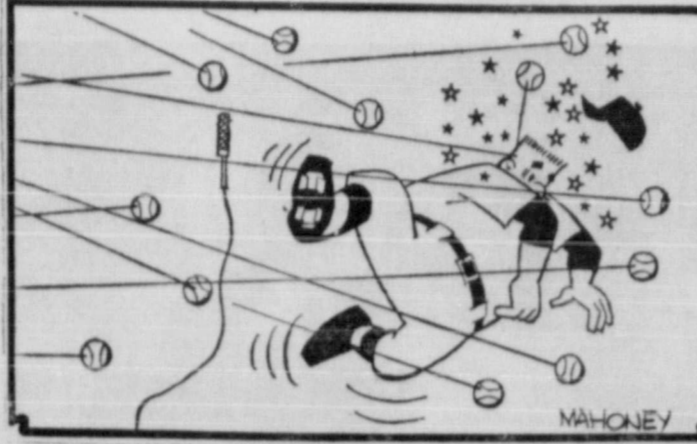
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HALF-PAST TEEN



Fish At Greenbelt Reservoir Reach Length Of 10 In.

Rapidly growing northern pike, experimentally released five months ago in Greenbelt Reservoir, located north of Clarendon, have grown to 10 inches in length, according to Game Warden Carl Carter of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

Fishery personnel of the Department, in cooperation with the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service, released 150,000 tiny northern pike in early April hoping they would prey on the high shad and carp populations in the lake. Early indications are that survival and growth are good in the cool Panhandle lake.

An additional 100,000 northern pike fry were released in Buffalo lake near Umbarger at the same time, but none of these have been recaptured so far.

Marion Toole, fisheries coordinator for the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, estimated northern pike will average about 20-25 pounds in Texas waters and reach a length of 40-50 inches.

"The record for the northern pike is 46 pounds, two ounces, caught in 1940 in Sacandaga Reservoir in New York," Toole said.

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Dennis Ward Wins Trip To Bahama Islands

Dennis Ward, local Chevrolet dealer, has won for himself and his wife a week's vacation in the Bahama Islands. The trip was given to 22 dealers from this area with the highest sales record.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward will drive to Oklahoma City on Sept. 2 where they will board a plane with the other 21 dealers and their wives for New York City. There they will board the luxury liner, S. S. Constitution, for the trip to the Bahama Islands. They will be aboard the ship for two days and two nights.

While gone they will visit Nassau and Bermuda.

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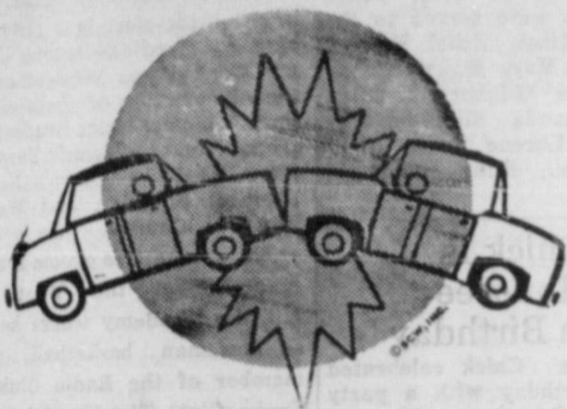
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Registration At Wayland For Fall Starts Sept. 7th

Dr. Roy C. McClung, president of Wayland Baptist College in Plainview, Texas, announced today that registration for the fall term will begin on September 4th, and the term itself will start on September 7th. There are a limited number of openings still available.

In making this announcement, Dr. McClung pointed out three vital factors which make Wayland Baptist College appealing to students.

"The private nature of Wayland Baptist College emphasizes the free enterprise segment of higher education. The place of the private school is well established and the need for good balance in the United States between public and private education has been recognized by Congress as well as business and industry. Strong private institutions are a further guarantee to the development of independent, free enterprise initiative on the part of building young leaders.

"Wayland Baptist College is small enough to provide education tailored to each individual's needs through personal counseling and individual attention. Expert teachers, including PH.D.'s deal with both freshman and sophomores as well as advanced groups. Because of its smallness, Wayland can provide a flexibility in its educational program not possible at larger institutions.

The third feature of Wayland Baptist College which Dr. Mc-

Clung feels is important is that it provides church related educational developments.

Larry Wynn Makes Dean's Honor List At Texas Tech

Larry F. Wynn, during the spring semester of his sophomore year at Texas Technological College, was named on the Dean's Honor List of the School of Arts and Sciences.

This is awarded only to those students who have attained a grade-point average of 3.0 or better during that semester.

Ivan L. Little, acting dean of arts and sciences, announced the honor and mailed a certificate to Larry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rhupert Wynn of Memphis.

Two Telephone Families Move To Other Cities

Two families who have been employed here with the Division office of General Telephone Company of the Southwest will leave this week to make their homes in other cities.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Henderson and family are moving to San Angelo. Mr. and Mrs. Henderson have lived in Memphis for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Ford and family will be moving to Perryton. The Fords have lived in Memphis only a short time, moving here early in the spring.

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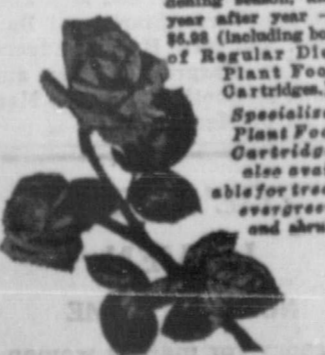
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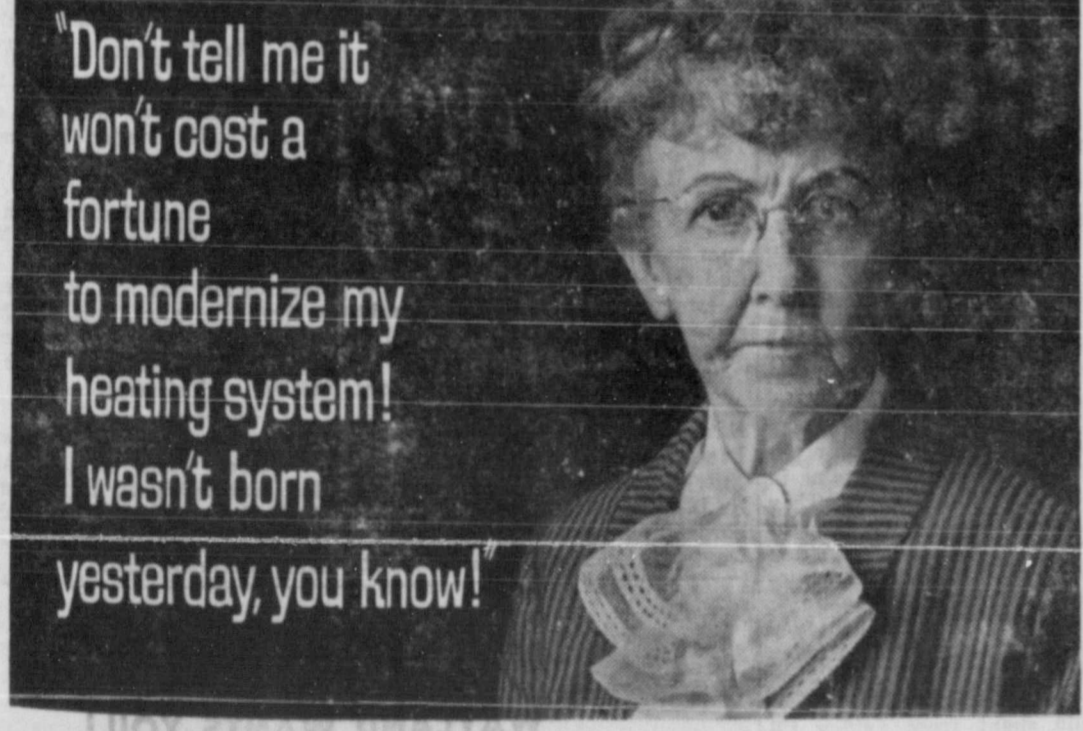
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MR. AND MRS. EARNEST W. NEEL

Pepper - Neel Vows Read In Estelline

Miss Julia Jeanette Pepper became the bride of Earnest Wayne Neel at 8:00 p. m. Saturday, Aug. 5, in the First Baptist Church of Estelline. Rev. R. F. Pepper of Turkey, grandfather of the bride, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reno F. Pepper of Estelline and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Neel of Memphis.

Musical wedding selections included: "More," "Twelfth of Never," and "The Wedding Prayer," sung by Doris Eddins and played by Pat Ward.

The church was decorated with an archway covered in fern and flanked by two white baskets filled with blue-tipped flowers.

The Bride

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white satin with a lace design on neck and hemline and pearls in each flower. Her veil was trimmed with a lace design identical to that of the dress. Her bridal bouquet was of white roses trimmed with lace ribbon. Also she carried out the tradition of wear-

Wesleyan Guild Has Covered Dish Supper Mon. Night

On Monday evening, Aug. 14, the Wesleyan Service Guild met in the annex of the First Methodist Church for a regular meeting and the annual covered dish supper.

Eighteen members and two guests were present.

President Pauline Wynn called the meeting to order. Ruth Fowler gave the meditation, "Growth in Dedication." Pauline Wynn and Mrs. Fowler then reported on the Guild Weekend at Ceta Canyon which was attended by 160 women representing Methodist Women in the Northwest Texas Conference.

Reapers Class Has Picnic Supper Aug. 7

The Reapers Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met at 4:30 p. m. Monday, Aug. 7, in the home of Hulda Wilson.

The president, Mrs. Bakerville, welcomed each member. Prayer was led by Mrs. Adams. Program chairman, Mrs. Duke, presented two poems, "If You Have a Friend Worth Loving" and "Say Something Good," author unknown. The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved. Reports of other officers were given.

A delicious picnic supper with red lemonade was served to Mes. Addie Mherry, Ora McMurry, Alla Boswell, Margaret Holcomb, Bessie Graham, Emma Calhoun, Nettie Adams, Grace Duke, Emrcia Bakerville and the hostess, Hulda Wilson.

The next meeting of the class will be held Sept. 6 at 3:00 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Sackey Watson.

Sandy Verden Becomes Bride Of J. Pitcock In Home Ceremony

Miss Cassandra (Sandy) Verden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Verden of Lakeview, and Jim Pitcock, son of Mrs. Johnnie Pitcock of Amarillo, were united in marriage at 8:00 p. m. Friday, July 28, in the home of the bride's parents.

The Rev. Gene Joplin, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Lakeview, read the double ring ceremony.

For her wedding, the bride chose an A-line street-length dress of embroidered lace over satin, styled with long petal point sleeves. Her matching veil was held by a crown of rose buds, and she carried a bouquet of white camellia and feathered carnations atop a white Bible.

Judy Payne of Amarillo served as maid of honor.

Harry Pitcock of Amarillo served as his brother's best man.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held for members of the wedding party and guests.

The serving table was laid with a white linen cloth imported from Panama, and centered with an arrangement of wedding bells. A three-tiered wedding cake was served with punch.

The bride chose for travel a pink knit dress accented with white accessories and the corsage from her bridal bouquet.

The bride is a 1964 graduate of Lakeview High School and attended Clarendon Junior College and West Texas State University, Canyon.

Mr. Pitcock is a graduate of Pampa High School and attended Clarendon Junior College. He will be a sophomore business major at Houston University this fall.

The newlyweds will make their home at Post Oak Apartments in Houston. Mr. Pitcock is employed as an accountant in a Houston bank.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gafford and children of Amarillo spent Sunday night here with his parents. They were on their way to Pocatello, Idaho, to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Beitel of San Antonio visited here last week with Mrs. Beitel's brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Tarter. Mr. and Mrs. Beitel were on route home after vacationing in Arizona and New Mexico.

Did you know that Robert Maddox is selling Southern Farm Bureau Life Insurance? He is! adv.

Davis Family Meets In Memphis For 11th Annual Reunion Over Weekend

For the eleventh consecutive year, members of the late W. W. Davis family gathered in Memphis at the Community Center over the weekend for the two-day annual reunion. Present for the occasion were 59 members of the family and 12 visitors.

The only surviving member of the immediate family is L. L. Davis of Memphis, who was present.

Thirteen families came from out of town and traveling the longest distance this year were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hodge, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hodge, Jr., of Garden Grove and Fullerton, California.

A picnic supper and games were enjoyed on Saturday night while the big meal Sunday topped the occasion. Reminiscing, games, picture taking, and going through picture albums was enjoyed by all Sunday afternoon.

The oldest attending the reunion was F. B. Davis of Era, a nephew of the late W. W. Davis, who is 85 years old; and the youngest attending was 3 month-old Jerry Dan Davis of Wellington.

Attending the reunion from the late W. M. Davis, Sr., family were: Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rothwell, Louisville Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. Lyrel Davis, Wellington; Mr. and Mrs. Danny Davis and Jerry Dan, Wellington; Mr. and Mrs. Garvis Davis, Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. James Davis, Kenney and Janet, Vega; Mr. and Mrs. Monte Rogers, Bill and Don, Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hodge, Sr., Garden Grove, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hodge, Jr., Fullerton, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Davis, Jr., Joan and Wiley, Memphis; and Mr. J. B. Smith, Childress.

Attending the reunion from the late Thurston Davis family were these members: Mrs. Thurston Davis, Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. Trilton Davis, Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. Don Davis, Rhonda and Randy, Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Davis and Shari, Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Davis, Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. Roddy Waites, Memphis; Mrs. Bonnie Tuggles, Amarillo; Mrs. Bill Diggs, Jimmie and Steve, Estelline; and Mr. and Mrs. Garland Coldiron, Plein and Dana, Memphis.

Attending from the late Mr. and Mrs. George Dickson were these members of the family: Mrs. Kermit Upshaw, Collinsville; and Mrs. Marilyn Pitts, Odessa.

Those attending of the L. I. Davis family were Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Davis, Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. Coy Davis, Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Youree, Dean and Jay, Borger.

Visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Anderson, Terry, Starla and Darla; Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Rodgers, Mrs. Fay Hargrove, Roger and Irene; Joe Booth and James Merrill, all of Memphis.



MR. AND MRS. JIM PITCOCK

Dorothy Thompson, John Mike Wedge Wed In Turkey Ceremony Saturday

Miss Dorothy Irene Thompson of Clarendon and John Mike Wedge of Turkey were united in marriage Saturday, Aug. 12, at 7:30 p. m. at the First Methodist Church in Turkey.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thompson of Clarendon and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Wedge of Turkey.

Rev. Joe A. Walker officiated at the double-ring ceremony. Wedding decorations were of white gladioli. Mrs. R. C. Greene played traditional wedding selections. Mrs. Dunn of Lelia Lake, soloist, sang "How Great Thou Art."

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was gowned in a street-length white dress with a short veil.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Danny Shields, sister of the bride.

Bridesmaid was Mary Helene Wedge, sister of the groom.

Serving as best man was Robert Jones of Turkey. Groomsman was Danny Shields, brother-in-law of the bride.

Reception

A reception followed the ceremony and was held in fellowship hall of the church.

Table decorations were of white gladioli. Presiding to serve the four-layer white and yellow wedding cake and punch were Mrs. Danny Shields and Mrs. Wedge, mother of the groom.

The couple will make their home in Sonora, Texas.

Turkey News

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Purcell and children of Albuquerque, N. M., have been visiting with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lane and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Connie Gafford and children of Arlington visited over the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd King and Mr. and Mrs. Conway Gafford, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lane of Mangum, Okla., spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Lane and family.

Mrs. Mac Christian, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lynn Christian and children of Amarillo visited in the Albert Christian home Saturday.

Miss Anna Jeanne Blakney, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Christian and C. D. Glynn, also Craig of Matador visited with the Larry Christians in Perryton over the weekend. They were joined there Saturday night by Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Christian and Carla of Matador. Then Sunday Jackie Christian drove up to spend the day. They all enjoyed an outing at Lake Fryer Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George McKay of Amarillo spent from Friday till Tuesday with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stewart and other relatives and friends. The McKays are former residents of Turkey.

Mrs. Myrtle Gafford, Mrs. Mary Carlile and Mr. and Mrs. Randy Gafford visited with Mrs. Albert Hunter Tuesday evening in the Lockney nursing home.

Mrs. Jonnie Franz and Mrs. David Tunnell were in Memphis Monday on business.

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Bethel Class Meets In Home Of Mrs. Randolph

The Bethel Class of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday, Aug. 8, in the home of Mrs. Ottie Jones. Mrs. Leon Randolph served as co-hostess.

Mrs. Henry Scott, president, called the meeting to order and welcomed visitors and members.

Mrs. Omer Hill led the opening prayer, after which Mrs. Leonard Wilson read the minutes of the previous meeting.

Reports were given by group leaders.

The program chairman, Mrs. A. J. Fowler, introduced Mrs. Swift and Mrs. Jorgenson, who told about the Baptist Encampment in Glorieta, N. M. They, along with several ladies, spent a week recently at the camp. Their talks were most interesting and informative.

Mrs. Johnson told of the program they attended and the meditations in pantomime by Mary Hardin Baylor University. She also told of "Sacred Hooten Army," the staff of Glorieta.

Mrs. Swift gave the location and description of the camp. She also told of the mission work being done in Africa and the way of dress there.

The group then sang the class song, "Bless be the Tie that Binds." The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. Hutcherson.

Refreshments of cake, punch and nic nacs were served to the following: Mes. Ethel Fowler, Eunice Hill, Mary Bownds, Ocie Scott, Gladys Gilmore, Pauline Wilson, Amanda Simpson, Ida Hutcherson, Lorene Swift, Blanche Jorgenson, Ruby Randolph, Gussie Jones.

Susan Chick Is Party Honoree On 11th Birthday

Miss Susan Chick celebrated her 11th birthday with a party at Odom's Restaurant Monday, August 7.

Guests arrived at 7 p. m. and were served hamburgers and cold drinks topped off with a pink and white birthday cake and ice cream.

Following the meal, the group enjoyed games of bingo and Twisters. Prizes were given.

Those enjoying the party were Vivian McQueen, Susan Chick, Tanya Wood, Caren Chambliss, Charlotte Carroll, Kay Murdock and Steve Chick.

Mrs. Wayne Goodrum Is Honoree At Coffee Friday In Ferris Home

Mrs. Wayne Goodrum was guest of honor at a coffee at 9:30 a. m. Friday, Aug. 11, in the home of Mrs. George Ferris.

The Goodrum family is moving to Seymour where Mr. Goodrum will be General Telephone Co., of the Southwest Manager of the Seymour District.

The serving table was decorated with a lovely arrangement of yellow roses. Presiding to serve cake and coffee to the guests were Mrs. Bert Glasecock and Mrs. Don Davis.

The hostess gift to Mrs. Goodrum was a matching card table and chairs. Approximately 30 guests attended and many brought gifts which were opened by Mrs. Goodrum.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mes. Melvin Jennings, J. H. Barbee, Jr., Bert Glasecock, C. D. Bradshaw, W. R. Scott, Bob Douthit, Kenneth Parker, Les Sims, R. L. Wells, Neal Hindman, Rayford Hutcherson, J. B. Scott, Don Davis, Jack Rose, Ben Moss, R.



MISS LINDA BURKETT

Burkett-Foster Engagement Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Robert O. Burkett of Midland announce the engagement of their daughter, Linda, to Lt. Henry S. Foster, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Foster, Sr., of Memphis.

The wedding will take place September 30, in the First Baptist Church of Midland, Texas.

The bride-elect is a 1967 graduate of Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene. While there she was a member of Beta Gamma Epsilon Social Club, Student Congress, Women's Tennis Team, Epsilon Eta Phi, Women's National Business Sorority, and Women's Interclub Council.

The prospective groom is a 1966 graduate of the West Point Military Academy where he played freshman basketball, was a member of the Radio Club, The Seuba Club, The Skydiving Club, The Rocket Club, The Cadet Band, The B. S. U., and was named to the Dean's List. He recently completed flight training at Reese Air Force Base in Lubbock and has been assigned to Peterson Field, Colorado, where he will become a member of the first instructor pilot faculty of the new program in which faculty and students in the United States Air Force Academy are receiving flying training in T-41 aircraft.

B. Phillips, Norma Lebow and Mrs. Ferris.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Waddill have been enjoying out-of-town company, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Laurent and son Brian of Boston, Mass. Mr. Laurent is Mrs. Waddill's brother. They spent a few days in Memphis then Mr. and Mrs. Waddill visited in Pampa with them in Mrs. Waddill's sister's home, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Richardson and family; then in Amarillo with her mother, Mrs. Florence Laurent; and in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Bryan in Amarillo, also a sister of Mrs. Waddill's. Mr. Laurent and family spent three weeks visiting with his mother and sisters.

Mrs. Henry Blum received word this week that her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Wyatt, is recovering nicely from injuries sustained in a car wreck. The Wyatt family lives in Rhode Island.

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Daniel L. Clark Receives Tech's S-R Scholarship

Daniel L. (Danny) Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Clark of Memphis, who plans to attend college at Texas Tech this fall, has been notified by J. Wayland Bennette, Associate Dean, of Texas Tech that he is a recipient of a Sears - Roebuck Foundation Scholarship for the 1967-68 academic year.

The scholarship, awarded in Agriculture, is for \$300. By receiving the scholarship, Danny will become a member of a highly select group in the School of Agriculture.

Danny will receive \$150 for the first semester (fall) and if he maintains a 2.0 average that semester, he will receive the second half when he enrolls the second semester.

He is also being considered for the Clayton Scholarship which is \$700 for the Freshman year and may be renewed the following school years, but the final decision on this scholarship is not made before Sept. 1.

Danny is the past president of the local FFA Chapter and holds many awards for his work in agriculture as a high school student.

Cecil Bingham Is New Butcher For Davis And Scott

On Page With Davis & Scott — Cecil Bingham began work Monday as the new butcher for Davis and Scott Super Market here, Don Davis, owner, announced this week.

Cecil, his wife, Gloria, and their three children, Troy 8, Tammy, 5, and Scottie, seven months old, are living at 616 North 14th St.

The Bingham family has moved to Memphis from Aspermont where he has been working for Mac's Super Market.

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No bidder may withdraw his bid within 30 days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

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Did you know that Robert Maddox is selling Southern Farm Bureau Life Insurance? He is! adv.

Late A. W. Read Give First Report

Chamber Of Commerce Is Organized Here In 1911

(Editor's Note: The Memphis Chamber of Commerce was organized in Memphis in 1911 and was known at that time as Memphis Commercial Club. The late A. W. Read, father of Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard and Mrs. Don Wright, served as the first secretary of the organization. Below is reproduced the report given by Mr. Read at the first Chamber of Commerce banquet in Memphis in May, 1912. He served as secretary until his death in 1917.

SECRETARY A. W. READ'S REPORT

Read at the first annual banquet of Memphis Chamber of Commercial Club, May 1912.

For several years the need of organized effort on the part of our people has been recognized by the more thoughtful among us, and from time to time efforts have been made to secure it. Sev-

eral organizations have been effected, all doing good as long as they lasted, but soon interest died out, and while seeming failure attended their efforts each was now been in existence one year lacking one month; and it is meet that on this auspicious occasion a statement of what has been accomplished and some of the things in prospect should be made. We have built no great factories, nor railroads, no great commercial enterprises have been projected. Real estate has not jumped in price, nor has there been a grand rush of immigrants to the county, and one who only looks on the surface might be lead to conclude that nothing of great importance has been accomplished. But, gentlemen, if you will follow me closely, and carefully consider the matters I shall bring to your attention, I believe that every public spirited man present will recognize that the benefits that have come to Memphis and Hall County

On the 24th day of May, a public meeting was called in the Opera House, and the Memphis Commercial Club was organized; it has now been in existence one year lacking one month; and it is meet that on this auspicious occasion a statement of what has been accomplished and some of the things in prospect should be made. We have built no great factories, nor railroads, no great commercial enterprises have been projected. Real estate has not jumped in price, nor has there been a grand rush of immigrants to the county, and one who only looks on the surface might be lead to conclude that nothing of great importance has been accomplished. But, gentlemen, if you will follow me closely, and carefully consider the matters I shall bring to your attention, I believe that every public spirited man present will recognize that the benefits that have come to Memphis and Hall County

through the efforts of the Club have been ample to warrant the splendid support our people have given this organization.

POLICY OF CLUB MANAGEMENT

As your secretary on whom has fallen the duty of carrying out the policy outlined by the Club through your Board of Directors, I feel that the humble part I have had in the work that has been done, has been so insignificant and my own personality has been such a small (line off copy) to state that in my judgement, aside from our churches and schools, there is no institution among us that has done more for general good of our people along all lines than the Memphis Commercial Club.

Your Board of Directors to my mind deserve great credit for their untiring efforts and the wise policy they have adopted, and I desire to say here that a more energetic, progressive and yet conservative set of men ever served any people; As you know they are all men of business judgement, and men whose every interest is tied up in the prosperity of Memphis and Hall County. These men on assuming their duties as your representatives in the establishment and the operation of this

institution went about it in a business like manner; recognizing that the success of any business depended much on location. They secured one of the most permanent corner buildings in the city, equipped a commodious office with splendid reception hall and ample provisions were made to display the products of our county.

They reasoned that our city did not need more or greater mercantile establishments, and that our splendid Banks were amply able to handle the finances of our present population; they reasoned also that it would not be wise to bid for great industries and offer bonuses for institutions whose success would be problematic and which would stimulate an unnatural activity for a time, but sure to cause corresponding depression from reaction by reason of failure to pay dividends.

It was therefore decided that the wise course to pursue would be to direct our energies to the development of the resources we already had, thereby strengthening our own people and turning into their coffers whatever gain might come from such development; And wisely they reasoned that to build a great city of Memphis it was necessary to strengthen (See next week's paper for more)

NEWLIN

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Barnes are away for a few days vacation in the mountains.

Mrs. Pearl Johnson of Ft. Worth was here last week visiting with her cousin, Mrs. G. E. Nelson.

Capt. Jack Helm, Mrs. Helm and children of Clinton Sherman Air Force Base Okla., were here over the weekend visiting with his father, J. N. Helm, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Stewart visited over the weekend in St. Jo with their daughter, Mrs. Loyd Angell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. McCraw of Mobeetie spent Sunday night with their daughter Inez and Annie Hamilton. They returned home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cobb and children of Portland were here recently visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cobb.

Mrs. Bill Bradley, Monte and Mary Lou left last week to go with her parents from Oklahoma to make a trip to Washington state. They plan to stop on the way to see points of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Davis attended the Davis family reunion which was held in Memphis Saturday night and Sunday.

Sorry to hear of the sudden death of Finis Richerson of Esteline. May we take this means of express our deepest sympathy to his wife, Mary, and all his family.

Hospital News

Visiting Hours
10 A. M.-11 A. M.
2 P. M.-4 P. M.
7 P. M.-9 P. M.

Patients
Leay Phillips, Neva Koerner, Robert Lacy, Walter B. Bond, Jr., Lorean Saunders, Eugene H. Godfrey, Mary Lowe, Ruby Newbrough, Cassidy I. Hester, Douglas Lindsey, Mary Lou Hawthorne, Donna Grace Lane, Ira D. Lawrence, Sam G. Bruce, Myrtle Crabb, Margaret Holcomb, C. S. Compton, Argie Lee McKay, Mary Lou Tippet, Ella F. Johnson, Clyde L. Wilson, Linnie DeVorce, Elida Gutierrez.

Dismissals
Madelyn Goff, Jerry Shields, Mack L. Sims, Louise Ellis, Brooke Harrison, Sam T. Ivy, Audrey Neeley, Ollie Winton, Jack Kinard, Herman Mitchell, Jr., Pearl Powell, Barney Baten, G. J. Henders, Neva Koerner, Connie Eddins.



Mr. and Mrs. Emiliano Ren are the parents of a daughter, Lucia. She was born Aug. 9 and weighed 8 pounds, 6 ounces.

Marvin Craig Kennedy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Carrol Kennedy of Hedley was born August 13. He weighed 6 pounds, 13 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Darryl L. Phillips announce the arrival of a son on Aug. 3. He has been named Michael Kregg and weighed 7 pounds, 2 and one-half ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Louis Koerner, Jr., announce the birth of a daughter on Aug. 15. She has been named Bobbie Dean and weighed 6 pounds, 9 and one-half ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Trahan and family of Houston are visiting this week with her mother, Mrs. J. W. Chappell, and other relatives. On Sunday the family gathered at the Armory in Wellington for the day. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Chappell and family, Mrs. J. W. Chappell, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Galloway and family, all of Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. James Chappell and family of Wellington; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Trahan of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Galloway and Marc of Fords, New Jersey.

Mr. Lee Gilmore and Mrs. Jack Taylor of Canyon and Pauline Gilmore of Amarillo visited Tuesday with Mrs. H. B. Gilmore here.



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Locals & Personals

Mr. and Mrs. James Roach and Linda are here from Baton Rouge, La., visiting their mother and grandmother, Mrs. W. F. Ritchie.

Mrs. Herschel Combs and Debra and Kent Combs visited in Wellington Saturday with their mother and great grandmother, Mrs. L. A. Dickey.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Foard of Amarillo visited here Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pratt Foard.

Mrs. Wendell Harrison and Rosemary spent the past weekend visiting in Abilene with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Douthit and family of Perryton visited here

over the weekend with relatives and friends.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Smith were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lindsey arrived home Monday after spending the past two weeks as guests of Mrs. Reba Stroehle and Mrs. J. W. Fitzjarrald at Black Hawk, Colo. Mrs. Stroehle and Mrs. Fitzjarrald also returned to Memphis on Monday after vacationing for some time in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Crawford returned home Sunday after enjoying vacationing at Biloxi, Miss. While gone they also visited their

son, Dick Morgan and family in Alpine.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Beckham and Lori spent last week visiting with their daughters and sisters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Odom in Waco and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Morgan and son in Alpine.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Jones went to Amarillo last week to visit their nephew, Billy Pletcher of Perryton, who was injured in a motorcycle accident. He is reported to be recovering satisfactorily this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ottilie Jones and grandson, Hoot Jones and Mrs. H. B. Gilmore of Dallas visited in Amarillo Friday with Mrs. C. W. Carder. Mrs. Carder is a sister of Mr. Jones and Mrs. Gilmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ed Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Thompson were Amarillo visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ed Thompson went to Palo Duro Saturday night to attend the production, "Texas."

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lockhart and Tami and Scotty are vacationing this week at Estes Park, Colo. They are expected to return home the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. McNally and Alan were in Colorado recently to visit with their daughter and sister, Miss Janet McNally who is attending Camp Shoshone, near Boulder. Miss McNally went to camp June 18 and will return home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hutcherson of Hobart, Okla., visited here over the past weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Parker and family.

Paul Ponder, who is enrolled in the Texas Highway Department Patrolmen School in Austin, visited here over the weekend with his wife and other relatives.

Visiting here over the weekend with their mother, Mrs. A. B. Jones and sisters, Mrs. Mildred Stephens, Mrs. Lloyd Ward and Mrs. J. W. Johnson were Mrs. R. C. Brumley of Austin and Mrs. B. J. Spence and her daughter, Mrs. Jerry Rice and daughters of Coffey.

James O. Miller, accompanied by G. T. Stephens of Quail and George W. Stephens of Slidell, enjoyed the past week at Devil's River, near Del Rio, fishing. While gone they also visited the Amistad dam.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Lee visited in Amarillo Sunday.

Mrs. David Davenport has returned home after enjoying a week's vacation downstate. While gone she visited "Six Flags Over Texas" and visited relatives in Pittsburg, DeKalb and New Boston. En route home she visited in McKinney with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Monroe and Kirk.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hickey left Tuesday for Ruidoso, N. M., where they plan to vacation for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Gip McMurry spent the past weekend visiting in Amarillo with their son, Bobby Jack McMurry and family.

Mrs. Grace Monzingo visited in Dimmitt last week with her daughter, Mrs. Jerry Cluck and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lee Smith and son, Scooter left last Friday for several days vacation in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hays visited in Dallas last week with their daughter, Mrs. John Clark and family. While there Mr. and Mrs. Hays helped the Clarks move into a new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Elliott and daughters vacationed last week at Red River, N. M.

PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding a new Section 13 thereto to read as follows:

"Section 13. Notwithstanding any other section of this article, the Legislature in providing for the creation, establishment, maintenance, and operation of a hospital district, shall not be required to provide that such district shall assume full responsibility for the establishment, maintenance, support, or operation of mental health services or mental retardation services including the operation of any community mental health centers, community mental retardation centers or community mental health and mental retardation centers which may exist or be thereafter established within the boundaries of such district, nor shall the Legislature be required to provide that such district shall assume full responsibility of public health department units and clinics and related public health activities or services, and the Legislature shall not be required to restrict the power of any municipality or political subdivision to levy taxes or issue bonds or other obligations or to expend public moneys for the establishment, maintenance, support, or operation of mental health services, mental retardation services, public health units or clinics or related public health activities or services or the operation of such community mental health or mental retardation centers within the boundaries of the hospital districts; and unless a statute creating a hospital district shall expressly prohibit participation by any entity

other than the hospital district in the establishment, maintenance, or support of mental health services, mental retardation services, public health units or clinics or related public health activities within or partly within the boundaries of any hospital district, any municipality or any other political subdivision or state-supported entity within the hospital district may participate in the establishment, maintenance, and support of mental health services, mental retardation services, public health units and clinics and related public health activities and may levy taxes, issue bonds or other obligations, and expend public moneys for such purposes as provided by law."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on November 11, 1967, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the constitutional amendment to permit municipalities, other political subdivisions, and state-supported entities located within hospital districts to participate in the establishment, maintenance, support, or operation of mental health services, mental retardation services, or public health services."

"AGAINST the constitutional amendment to permit municipalities, other political subdivisions, and state-supported entities located within hospital districts to participate in the establishment, maintenance, support, or operation of mental health services, mental retardation services, or public health services."

PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE ON THE BALLOT

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 17 proposing an amendment to Section 49-b, Article III of the Constitution of Texas, so as to authorize an increase in the total amount of bonds or obligations that may be issued by the Veterans' Land Board to Four Hundred Million Dollars (\$400,000,000); providing for the issuance of said bonds or obligations and the conditions relating thereto and the use of the Veterans' Land Fund; and providing for an election and the issuance of a proclamation therefor.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 49-b, Article III of the Constitution of Texas, be amended so that the same will hereafter read as follows:

"Section 49-b. By virtue of prior Amendments to this Constitution, there has been created a governmental agency of the State of Texas performing governmental duties which has been designated the Veterans' Land Board. Said Board shall continue to function for the purposes specified in all of the prior Constitutional Amendments except as modified herein. Said Board shall be composed of the Commissioner of the General Land Office and two (2) citizens of the State of Texas, one (1) of whom shall be well versed in veterans' affairs and one (1) of whom shall be well versed in finances. One (1) such citizen member shall, with the advice and consent of the Senate, be appointed biennially by the Governor to serve for a term of four (4) years; but the members serving on said Board on the date of adoption hereof shall complete the terms to which they were appointed. In the event of the resignation or death of any such citizen member, the Governor shall appoint replacement to serve for the unexpired portion of the term to which the deceased or resigning member had been appointed. The compensation for said citizen members shall be as is now or may hereafter be fixed by the Legislature; and each shall make bond in such amount as is now or may hereafter be prescribed by the Legislature."

"The Commissioner of the General Land Office shall act as Chairman of said Board and shall be the administrator of the Veterans' Land Program under such terms and restrictions as are now or may hereafter be provided by law. In the absence or illness of said Commissioner, the Chief Clerk of the General Land Office shall be the Acting Chairman of said Board with the same duties and powers that said Commissioner would have if present."

"The Veterans' Land Board may provide for, issue and sell not to exceed Four Hundred Million Dollars (\$400,000,000) in bonds or obligations of the State of Texas for the purpose of creating a fund to be known as the Veterans' Land Fund, Two Hundred Million Dollars (\$200,000,000) of which have heretofore been issued and sold. Such bonds or obligations shall be sold for not less than

par value and accrued interest; shall be issued in such denominations, and upon such terms as are now or may hereafter be provided by law; shall be issued and sold at such times, at such places, and in such installments as may be determined by said Board; and shall bear a rate or rates of interest as may be fixed by said Board but the weighted average annual interest rate, as that phrase is commonly and ordinarily used and understood in the municipal bond market, of all the bonds issued and sold in any installment of any bonds may not exceed four and one-half percent (4½%). All bonds or obligations issued and sold hereunder shall, after execution by the Board, approval by the Attorney General of Texas, registration by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas, and delivery to the purchaser or purchasers, be incontestable and shall constitute general obligations of the State of Texas under the Constitution of Texas; and all bonds heretofore issued and sold by said Board are hereby in all respects validated and declared to be general obligations of the State of Texas. In order to prevent default in the payment of principal or interest on any such bonds, the Legislature shall appropriate a sufficient amount to pay the same.

"In the sale of any such bonds or obligations, a preferential right of purchase shall be given to the administrators of the various Teacher Retirement Funds, the Permanent University Funds, and the Permanent School Funds. Said Veterans' Land Fund shall consist of any lands heretofore or hereafter purchased by said Board, until the sale price therefor, together with any interest and penalties due, have been received by said Board (although nothing herein shall be construed to prevent said Board from accepting full payment for a portion of any tract), and of the moneys attributable to any bonds heretofore or hereafter issued and sold by said Board which moneys so attributable shall include but shall not be limited to the proceeds from the issuance and sale of such bonds; the moneys received from the sale or resale of any lands, or rights therein, purchased with such proceeds; the moneys received from the sale or resale of any lands, or rights therein, purchased with other moneys attributable to other bonds; the interest and penalties received from the sale or resale of such lands, or rights therein; the bonuses, income, rents, royalties, and any other pecuniary benefit received by said Board from any such lands; sums received by way of indemnity or forfeiture for the failure of any bidder for the purchase of any such bonds to comply with his bid and accept and pay for such bonds; and the purchase of any lands comprising a part of said Fund to comply with his bid and accept and pay for any such lands; and interest received from investments of any such moneys. The principal and

PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR ON THE BALLOT

interest on the bonds heretofore and hereafter issued by said Board shall be paid out of the moneys of said Fund in conformance with the Constitutional provisions authorizing such bonds; but the moneys of said Fund which are not immediately committed to the payment of principal and interest on such bonds, the purchase of lands as herein provided, or the payment of expenses as herein provided may be invested in bonds or obligations of the United States until such funds are needed for such purposes.

"All moneys comprising a part of said Fund and not expended for the purposes herein provided shall be a part of said Fund until there are sufficient moneys therein to retire fully all of the bonds heretofore or hereafter issued and sold by said Board, at which time all such moneys remaining in said Fund, except such portion thereof as may be necessary to retire all such bonds which portion shall be set aside and retained in said Fund for the purpose of retiring all such bonds, shall be deposited to the credit of the General Revenue Fund to be appropriated to such purposes as may be prescribed by law. All moneys becoming a part of said Fund thereafter shall likewise be deposited to the credit of the General Revenue Fund.

"When a Division of said Fund (each Division consisting of the moneys attributable to the bonds issued and sold pursuant to a single Constitutional authorization and the lands purchased therewith) contains sufficient moneys to retire all of the bonds secured by such Division, the moneys thereof, except such portion as may be needed to retire all of the bonds secured by such Division which portion shall be set aside and remain a part of such Division for the purpose of retiring all such bonds, may be used for the purpose of paying the principal and the interest thereon, together with the expenses herein authorized, of any other bonds heretofore or hereafter issued and sold by said Board. Such use shall be a matter for the discretion and direction of said Board; but there may be no such use of any such moneys contrary to the rights of any holder of any of the bonds issued and sold by said Board or violative of any contract to which said Board is a party.

"The Veterans' Land Fund shall be used by said Board for the purpose of purchasing lands situated in the State of Texas owned by the United States or any governmental agency thereof, owned by the Texas Prison System or any other governmental agency of the State of Texas, or owned by any person, firm, or corporation. All lands thus purchased shall be acquired at the lowest price obtainable, to be paid for in cash, and shall be a part of said Fund. Such lands heretofore or hereafter purchased and comprising a part of said Fund are hereby declared to be held for a governmental purpose, although the individual purchasers thereof shall be subject to taxation to the same extent and in the same manner as are purchasers of lands dedicated to the Permanent Free Public School Fund.

PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE ON THE BALLOT

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of Texas be amended by adding a new section thereto to be known as Section 49-e, as follows:

"Section 49-e. The Parks and Wildlife Department, or its successor vested with the powers, duties, and authority which deals with the operation, maintenance, and improvement of State Parks, shall have the authority to provide for, issue and sell general obligation bonds of the State of Texas in an amount not to exceed Seventy-Five Million Dollars (\$75,000,000). The bonds authorized herein shall be called 'Texas Park Development Bonds,' shall be executed in such form, denominations, and upon such terms as may be prescribed by law, provided, however, that the bonds shall bear a rate or rates of interest as may be fixed by the Parks and Wildlife Department or its successor, but the weighted average annual interest rate, as that phrase is commonly and ordinarily used and understood in the municipal bond market, of all the bonds issued and sold in any installment of any bonds, shall not exceed four and one-half percent (4½%) interest per annum; they may be issued in such installments as said Parks and Wildlife Department, or its said successor, finds feasible and practical in accomplishing the purpose set forth herein.

"All moneys received from the sale of said bonds shall be deposited in a fund hereby created with the State Treasurer to be known as the Texas Park Development Fund to be administered (without further appropriation) by the said Parks and Wildlife Department, or its said successor, in such manner as prescribed by law.

PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX ON THE BALLOT

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 33, Article XVI, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 33. The Accounting Officers of this State shall neither draw nor pay a warrant upon the Treasury in favor of any person for salary or compensation as agent, officer or appointee, who holds at the same time any other office or position of honor, trust, or profit, under this State, except as prescribed in this Constitution. Provided, that this restriction as to the drawing and paying of warrants upon the Treasury shall not apply to officers of the National Guard or Air National Guard Reserve, the National Guard Reserve, the Air Force Reserve, the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, nor to enlisted men of the National Guard, the Air National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, the Air National Guard Reserve, the Air Force Reserve, and the Organized Reserve of the United States, nor to retired officers of the United States Army, Air Force, Navy, and Marine Corps, and retired warrant officers and retired enlisted men of the United States Army, Air Force, Navy, and Marine Corps. It is further provided, until September 1, 1969, and thereafter only if authorized by the Legislature by general law under such restrictions and limitations as the Legislature may prescribe, that a non-elective State officer or employee may hold other non-elective offices or positions of honor, trust, or profit under this State or the United States, if the other offices or positions are of benefit to the State of Texas or are required by State or federal law, and there is no conflict with the original office or position for which he receives salary or compensation. No member of the Legislature of this State may hold

any other office or position of profit under this state, or the United States."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on November 11, 1967, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the amendment to extend the Veterans' Land Program by authorizing the sale of bonds to increase the Veterans' Land Fund for the purpose of purchasing land in Texas to be sold to Texas veterans who served in the Armed Services of the United States between September 16, 1940, and the date of formal withdrawal of United States troops from the present armed conflict in Viet Nam, which amendment would amend Section 49-b, Article III of the Constitution of Texas, and provide for an additional \$200,000,000 in bonds, such funds to be expended in accordance with instructions and requirements that may be provided by law."

"AGAINST the amendment to extend the Veterans' Land Program by authorizing the sale of bonds to increase the Veterans' Land Fund for the purpose of purchasing land in Texas to be sold to Texas veterans who served in the Armed Services of the United States between September 16, 1940, and the date of formal withdrawal of United States troops from the present armed conflict in Viet Nam, which amendment would amend Section 49-b, Article III of the Constitution of Texas, and provide for an additional \$200,000,000 in bonds, such funds to be expended in accordance with instructions and requirements that may be provided by law."

All bonds have been fully paid with interest, or after they are on deposit in the interest and sinking fund sufficient moneys to pay all future moneys to principal and interest, additional moneys received from admission charges to State Parks shall be deposited to the State Parks Fund, or any successor fund which may be established by the Legislature as a depository for Park revenue earned by said Parks and Wildlife Department, or its said successor.

"All bonds issued hereunder shall after approval by the Attorney General, registration by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas, and delivery to the purchaser, be incontestable and shall constitute general obligations of the State of Texas under the Constitution of Texas.

"Should the Legislature enact enabling laws in anticipation of the adoption of this amendment, such Acts shall not be void by reason of their anticipatory nature."

Sec. 2. The foregoing amendment to the Constitution shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on November 11, 1967, at which election each ballot shall have printed thereon, the following words:

"FOR the amendment to the Constitution of Texas adding a new section to be known as Section 49-e of Article III, authorizing the issuance and sale of Seventy-Five Million Dollars (\$75,000,000) in bonds by the State of Texas to create the Texas Park Development Fund to acquire lands for State Park sites and to develop State Parks."

"AGAINST the amendment to the Constitution of Texas adding a new section to be known as Section 49-e of Article III, authorizing the issuance and sale of Seventy-Five Million Dollars (\$75,000,000) in bonds by the State of Texas to create the Texas Park Development Fund to acquire lands for State Park sites and to develop State Parks."

"FOR the amendment to the Constitution of Texas adding a new section to be known as Section 49-f of Article III, authorizing the issuance and sale of Fifty Million Dollars (\$50,000,000) in bonds by the State of Texas to create the Texas Park Development Fund to acquire lands for State Park sites and to develop State Parks."

"AGAINST the amendment to the Constitution of Texas adding a new section to be known as Section 49-f of Article III, authorizing the issuance and sale of Fifty Million Dollars (\$50,000,000) in bonds by the State of Texas to create the Texas Park Development Fund to acquire lands for State Park sites and to develop State Parks."

LIBRARY LORE

By Jim Roark

"Always try to associate with those who know more than you, who do better than you, who see more clearly than you. Don't be afraid to reach upward. The friendship might pay off at some unforseen time, but that is only an accidental by-product. The important thing is that such associations will make you a better person."

After reading "At Ease" by Dwight D. Eisenhower, a novel for young adults and adults, one will feel that he has just had a most rewarding and pleasant visit with the author. His novel is a number of stories told for the simple pleasure of telling them—a warm book written for the fun of it! Throughout these stories shines the sincerity, geniality, conviction, and persuasiveness of a thinking man, and one knows a true American—a man who "always took his job seriously, but never himself."

This book is at the library in Memphis.

A donation of her entire personal library was given by Roselyn Williams in memory of her sister, Mrs. Lois Lemmon.

Mildred Stephens Attends Lubbock Con. On Medicaid

Mrs. Mildred Stephens, administrator of the Cousins Home, in Memphis, Texas, was one of 263 nursing home staff members, welfare case workers, and health department employees who attended a conference in Lubbock on August 10, on the implementation of Title XIX, commonly referred to as Medicaid, of the Social Security Act in Texas. A total of almost 1300 persons was in attendance at the four seminars held in Dallas, Houston, San Antonio and Lubbock, Mrs. Stephens stated.

The one-day meeting, sponsored by the Texas Nursing Home Association, State Department of Public Welfare, and Texas State Department of Health was based on the theme, "Meet The Challenge Of Change", and dealt with the responsibilities of the nursing home and state employees under this program.

Title XIX, being implemented in Texas starting September 1st will replace the current Kerr-Mills welfare programs which have been functioning in Texas since 1962.

This new, joint federal-state program, will initially provide the following services to the certain categorical groups of the medically indigent welfare recipients: physicians, in-patient hospital services, out-patient hospital services, skilled nursing home services, and other laboratory and x-ray services. These services will be available to the eligible blind, aged, and totally and permanently disabled and families of dependent children.

Medicaid was the companion legislation to medicare passed by Congress in 1965 as a part of Public Law 89-97. Since Medicaid is a joint federal-state program, while Medicare is strictly a federal program, each state legislature had to pass legislation enabling the state to participate in the program. Senate Bill 2, passed by

the Texas Legislature and signed by Governor John Connally on May 11, 1967, was Texas' enabling legislation.

Conference speakers included Dr. David Wade, Assistant Commissioner for Medical Administration, State Department of Public Welfare; Arthur B. Taylor, President, Texas Nursing Home Association; L. C. Rouse, Director, Public Assistance Division, State Department of Public Welfare; Dr. R. C. Jordan, Chief, Medical Care Administrative Services Section, Texas State Department of Health; Bee Grissom, Director of Finance, State Department of Public Welfare; and John M. Crawford, Executive Director, Texas Nursing Home Association

Equalization Board To Meet Saturday At Lakeview

The Board of Equalization of the city of Lakeview will meet Saturday, Aug. 12, in the City Hall, it was announced this week.

The board will sit in session from 9 to 11 a. m. and from 1 to 3 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sexauer and Suzanne left Tuesday for Colorado where they will vacation for a few days.



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DALE REDING

Dale Reding Is New Conservationist With SCS Work Unit In Memphis

Dale Reding, a recent graduate of Texas A&M University, has recently joined the Soil Conservation Service here in Memphis as a Soil Conservationist.

Henry Gregory, Work Unit Conservationist, in making the announcement stated that Reding would undergo a period of intensive training for approximately six months. "We welcome Reding as a member of our Conservation team," Gregory said. Reding attended WTSU for two years before transferring to Texas A&M to complete his education.

Reding is 24, unmarried and has lived most of his life in Amarillo. His parents still live in Amarillo where they raise registered quarter horses on a small homestead north of town. Reding will re-

side at 221 South 6th here in Memphis during his training period.

An animal science production major, Reding has worked as a ranch manager at Kurten, Texas. He was a veterinary assistant in Amarillo for two years.

While in school he was a member of the WTSU Blocks and Bridle Club and Rodeo Club. His activities at Texas A&M included being a member of the Aggie Rodeo Club and was a competing member of the Rodeo Club. He was club reporter in 1966-67 and was also on the Board of Directors.

Reding said he was happy to be in Memphis and was enjoying the work very much so far.

Lakeview Sunbeams Visit Democrat Office Tuesday

Lakeview Sunbeams (Ins 1-14) Members of the Lakeview Baptist Sunbeams and their sponsors were visitors at the office of the Memphis Democrat Tuesday morning. The class was observing Sunbeam Focus week.

The group was taken on a tour of the mechanical department by Bill Comba, who explained the process of printing to the youth.

Souvenir linotype name slugs were given to the class.

Making the tour were Judy Hignight, Shelbourn Hignight, Marla Joplin, Marty Joplin, Belinda Barbee, Rachelle Barbee, Denise Bevers, Christi Whitten, and sponsors Mmes. Dixie Griffin, Evelyn Bevers and Sonya Hignight.

Miss Lynn Foxhall is visiting in Ft. Worth this week with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Sanders. Also visiting in the Sanders home is another sister, Mrs. Jean Clement, of Austin



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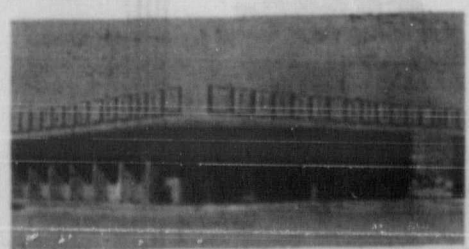
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Changes In Texas Vehicle Inspection Law Becomes Effective August 28

Beginning Monday, Aug. 28 and continuing through April 16, 1968, all motor vehicles in the State of Texas will pass through the annual inspection. However beginning this year, there have been some changes in the Motor Vehicle Inspection Law of the State of Texas.

First off, the inspection fee has been raised to \$1.75. This charge will be made by Inspection Stations for every inspection, whether approved or rejected, except that any Inspection Station shall inspect free of charge any vehicles rejected by it after necessary adjustments have been made, within a period of seven days, the law reads.

Other changes include: Seat belts—front seat belts are required on every motor vehicle in which anchorages were a part of the manufacturer's original equipment. Stations will inspect for—required belts are present belts are unsafe or unserviceable attachment fittings are damaged or loose; buckles are loose or inoperative.

Steering—lash is the condition in which the steering control can be turned through some part of a revolution without front wheel motion. Stations will inspect—steering wheel has more than two (2) inch lash measured on the outside periphery of the rim; it is impossible to turn wheel from full right to full left without jamming; the fluid in the power steering is below the recommended level.

Wheel and rims—will be in-

spected for defective or bent rim flanges, or loose or missing bolts, nuts or lugs; rims have defects and cracks to the extent that they impair safe mounting and proper retention of tires.

Information and Safety Officer Chester Fant of the Texas Highway Patrol said that the new law goes into effect the last of this month and urged all vehicle owners to plan to have their vehicle inspected early this year.

Brice News

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hudgins and children of Hays, Kans., spent the past few days here with his parents, the David Hudgins, and with her parents, the Johnnie Drivers at Lesley.

Mr. and Mrs. Peet Jones left Monday for Denison for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brock of Amarillo spent the weekend here with his sister, Mrs. Merle Lemons and Mr. Lemons.

The J. C. Johnsons had as guests Sunday her sister, Mrs. Thomas Perkins and daughter Pam of Clarendon.

The G. W. Selmons had as guest Sunday their daughter, Mrs. J. P. Carlile and four children of Canyon; his niece, Debbie McNeal of Waco; and a brother-in-law, A. T. McCortley of Vernon.

The J. W. Hatleys had as guests Sunday his sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brock, Mrs. Lester Lind-



SCS PLANT MATERIALS CENTER—The above aerial view of the SCS Plant Materials Center at Knox City was taken recently. The Center will have formal dedication ceremonies, Thursday, Sept. 7, 1967, and several citizens from this area are expected to attend.

sey and Mr. Lindsey, Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes and two sons, Mrs. Lavern Evans and daughter Judy, also a nephew, Joe Ben Brock and wife, all of Amarillo.

Relatives who visited in the Burgess home Sunday were her mother, Mrs. H. V. Parish; her sister, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Brooks and son Joe; a niece, Debbie Parish, all of Shamrock. Wesley Brooks who had been visiting in the Burgess home returned home with his parents Sunday evening.

Audley Rhodes of Denver visited here the past week with his brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Murff.

Doug Burgess and T. H. Gattis were Amarillo business visitors Monday.

Thursday guests in the Aubry Martin home were her brother-in-law, Burt Burch of Gainville; Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Burch of Pilot Point; Mrs. Joe Durham and Mrs. Fannie Martin, Mrs. Vira Floyd and son Dalton of Lakeview; and Paula Martin of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Pipes and son Rusty returned home Sunday evening from Corpus Christi where they visited relatives.

Hooser Attends Annual County Agents Meeting

Texas' county agricultural agents were challenged last week to mold out of today's young generation tomorrow's leaders.

The challenge was issued by the Honorable Ben Barnes, state representative and speaker of the House of Representatives. Barnes addressed the group of about 150 county agents, their families and friends at the awards banquet during the annual meeting of the Texas County Agricultural Agents Association in Amarillo.

The three-day affair began Sunday, August 6, and was held in the Holiday Inn West. W. B. Hooser, Hall County Agricultural Agent, was present for the entire program.

"Never before has Texas agriculture faced the challenge it does today," said Barnes, "and it cannot afford to rest on its laurels. We must strive forward as responsible citizens to preserve our heritage and to assist and train our young people to become responsible citizens. The Texas Agricultural Extension Service plays a vital role in this effort."

"Law and order must be preserved," Barnes stated. "The gravest problem we, as Texans, face today is crime. Crime increased five times more rapidly in 1966 than did our state's population. We must strive to create a society in which our laws and rights are respected."

Honored at the banquet were six outstanding agricultural leaders from throughout the state who received "Man of the Year" awards. They were Berwin Tilson, Plainview; Ray W. Wilson, Dallas; C. B. Ray, El Paso; Clyde H. Wells, Granbury; Frang Pagel, Tivoli; and J. M. Price, Corpus Christi.

Also receiving recognition at the banquet were seven of the state's county agricultural agents. Named by the National Association of County Agricultural Agents to receive the Distinguished Service Award for 1967 were Warren W. Pickens, Jr., Hemphill County; Kirby W. Clayton, Jones County; Uel R. Stockard, Ellis

County; Todd W. Berry, Van Zandt County; C. T. Parker, Jr., Runnels County; Clinton R. Currie, Tyler County and Rayford G. Kay, Harris County. The award is the highest honor bestowed by the national association.

At a noon luncheon Tuesday, John E. Hutchison, director of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, discussed the characteristics of Extension Work. "Extension work is challenging and dynamic," he said. "It is demanding but also rewarding."

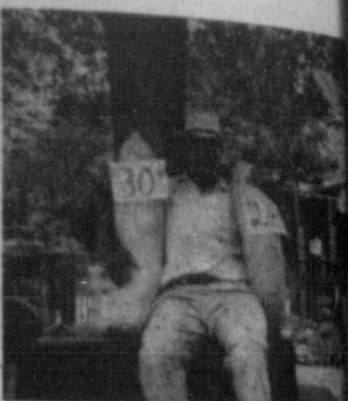
"No profession is more completely family oriented than that of the Extension worker," Hutchison pointed out.

In Texas, we have the largest Cooperative Extension Service in the world with 250 county offices and 860 professional staff members, he added.

The installation of new officers was also a part of the association's annual meeting. Officers for the coming year are Elwyn L. Dysart, Channing, president; H. C. Stanley, Abilene, vice-president; Paul Henderson, Seminole, second vice-president; and B. T. Haws, Wichita Falls, secretary-treasurer; George Rice of Nacogdoches is the past president.

Visiting from Thursday of last week through Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Jarrel were their youngest daughter and family, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Atkins and daughters, Ann, Stephanie and Nancy. Lt. Col. Atkins has been on assignment in Thailand for the past year and has just returned. His wife and children spent the year in Bossier City, La. The Atkins left for Andrews AFB in Maryland for his next assignment. They also visited with Mrs. Atkins' sister in Borger.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Roark and children have returned to their home in Bridgeport after spending several days visiting here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Roark.



Perry Hale Is Growing Funny Looking Fruit

Perry Hale of 1023 Robertson St. in Memphis has been growing strange looking plants with unusual looking fruit, which has attracted a lot of attention in his neighborhood.

As seen above, the fruit is a mixture of pumpkin and sweet potato, which grows to an enormous size. The two shown above weigh 24 lbs. and 30 lbs. respectively.

Hale reports the fruit is better eating when it is in the four to five pound stage and can be fixed like squash or sweet potato. "I have been saving seed so I can plant more next year," he said.

The vines have large leaves and reach lengths of 40 feet with some runners even longer. When the fruit is small, it resembles a ripe banana.

Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Thompson and sons of Breckenridge visited in Memphis Sunday and Monday. They were en route home from Taos, N. M.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Jeffers of Gruver vacationed recently at Carlsbad Caverns and Ruidoso N. M. In Ruidoso, they visited Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Word. Mrs. Word is the former Alinda Johnson of Memphis. They all toured White Sands and went on top of Mt. Baldy, the highest mountain in New Mexico. The Jeffers returned to Memphis and visited several days in the home of Mrs. Jeffers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hale, and with her sisters Mrs. Bob Anderson and Mrs. Derrell Taylor, and her grandmother Mrs. Maude Chaudoin.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas Barber of Oklahoma City, Okla., spent the weekend here with his mother, Mrs. Estelle Barber.

Jim Baldwin of Dallas visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Baldwin, over the weekend. Miss Jackie Bowers of Dallas was a house guest of the Baldwins also. Both young people are students at Baylor University.

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Increasing Number Of Hall County Citizens Receive Pension Payments

(Special to The Democrat)
New York, Aug. 12—An increasing number of men, women and children in Hall County are receiving benefits of money that was deducted from payrolls the past 30 years and set aside to provide for their future needs.

Currently, as a result, no less than 1,197 local residents are receiving Federal pension checks each month, as compared with 824 recipients four years ago. Some of them are retired workers, some are disabled persons and some are the dependents—wives, children and parents—of former workers.

The rise in the number of beneficiaries has been due, in the main, to the periodic expansion of the social security program. Each change has made it possible for more and more people to be covered.

The extent of this expansion is detailed in the annual report of the Social Security Administration, which contain facts and figures of every section of the country.

They show, for Hall County, in addition to the increase in number of beneficiaries, an increase in size of the checks going to them.

As of the beginning of this year, total payments in the local area came to \$881,000 a year, as against the total four years ago of \$598,000.

Pre-Registration Dates At Clarendon Set For Freshmen

The Registrar's office of Clarendon College has announced that pre-registration of freshman students only will be held during the period of Aug. 21-31. Office hours will be from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Monday through Friday, and 9 a. m. to 12:00 noon on Saturday. The purpose of pre-registration is to allow students to complete their class schedules prior to the time of regular registration. Such an arrangement is an advantageous one, particularly for the student who often feels bewildered and frustrated with his first experience of enrolling in college.

The registrar's office stated, "I allow him ample time for consultation and insures his admittance to classes which might otherwise already be filled and consequently closed. Mrs. Jean Moore registrar, advises all freshman students to take advantage of the convenience offered by Clarendon College and complete their pre-registration before the Aug. 31 deadline."

Records which should be submitted to the Registrar's office prior to registration include: high school and/or college transcript, ACT test scores, application for admission, medical record and social security number. A dorm reservation fee of \$10.00 is also necessary for those students who wish to reside in the dorm.

Students who are interested in obtaining financial assistance through part-time employment or student loans should contact the Dean's office immediately.

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Just how much any one individual or his dependents have been eligible to receive has depended upon how much he paid into the social security trust fund during his active working years. And that, in turn, depended upon his earnings.

The latest official figures show that pension payments in the past year to people in the local area averaged \$737, as compared with the 1962 rate of \$648.

The rise, 13.7 percent, compares with a rise of 9.9 percent in the United States and 10.2 percent in the State of Texas.

Now, with more people participating and with pension checks running larger than before, the amount of money flowing into the community has become of greater importance to the local economy.

A further increase in benefit is in prospect. Congress has before it an administration proposal to boost payments by at least 15 percent. Payroll taxes would rise also.

Boys Ranch Is Planning Largest Rodeo In History

The 348 boys at Cal Farley's Boys Ranch are expecting a new attendance record to be set at their 23rd annual rodeo this year, and additional seats have been installed to accommodate the crowd over the Labor Day weekend.

Last, nearly 9,000 attended the two-day event, and an additional 500 seats have been erected at the north end of the rodeo arena. Dates for the rodeo are Sunday Sept. 3rd and Monday, Sept. 4th at 2:30 p. m.

All of the 348 boys will have a part in the rodeo with nearly 100 riding for awards and honors. Ranchers who do not ride will be serving as ushers, helping in the parking area, working at concession stands, or helping around the chutes.

Giant-size barbeque beef sandwiches will be prepared and served by Ranchers who are learning meatcutting and cooking as their future vocations for spectators and visitors who arrive early to picnic.

The climax of the rodeo, the largest Labor Day event in the Texas Panhandle, will be naming of the Junior and Senior All-Round Cowboys, two of the highest honors that can be earned by the boys. Professional rodeo stock will be used in the bull riding and bare-back bronc events, and a special stick-horse race will be featured for the four to six-year-olds.

Tickets for either performance are available in advance from the Boys Ranch office, Box 1890, Amarillo. Reserved box seats are \$2.50, general admission is \$1.50, and servicemen's and children's tickets are 75c. All proceeds will be used for future expansion of the Ranch.

CARD OF THANKS
I want to thank all of those who visited or sent flowers and cards while I was a patient in the hospital. I also want to thank Dr. Clark, the nurses, and the First Baptist Church on Morning side for their care and love of caring.
Mrs. Maggie Lamb

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johnson, Jr. of Garland are in Memphis this week operating Memphis Steam Laundry and Cleaners while their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson are vacationing.

YOUR COUNTY AGENT SAYS

FERTILIZED PASTURES WITHSTAND DROUGHT BETTER

"Summertime usually means dry pastures. But," notes County Agent W. B. Hooser, "pastures which have received adequate plant food usually withstand the

summer conditions better than those not fertilized."

"Many research tests have shown that fertilized pastures consistently produce more forage and hold up better during the hot and dry weather which usually is a part of the Texas weather scene. As much as a third more forage can be expected when adequate plant nutrients are applied to pastures," says the county agent.

"Fertilizing pastures has other benefits," adds Hooser. "Forage quality is much higher. This means livestock usually prefer

this forage and produce better gains and performance than when grazing on unfertilized pasture."

"Pastures where the forage is pale green and yellowish in color are starved. Hungry forage plants plus the dry and hot weather makes summertime forage less desirable," explains Hooser.

"A soil test should be the basis for pasture fertilization programs or for determining the need for lime. County agents," Hooser says, "can supply information on how to take soil tests and furnish

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WINS FARM BUREAU AWARD—Hall-Donley County Farm Bureau Agency won the Agency Manager Award for the most life insurance sales in District 1 which includes 46 counties in the Texas Panhandle. The local agency won the honor for the month of July with \$146,396 of life insurance production. Not pictured is Leonard Selvidge of Clarendon. Shown left to right are Robert Maddox, Jerry Burleson and Zack B. Fisher.

Trail Riders Enjoy Ride To Indian Creek

"If you have never been on a trail ride down dirt and dusty roads, under a hot sun with the wind blowing in your face and at times almost separating you and your hat, you wouldn't know just how welcome a shade tree, cool drink of water and a real good cup of creek coffee can be," stated members of the Memphis Trail Riders.

These are some of the experiences of life with human, horse and nature the Memphis Trail Riders are enjoying. Sunday, August 13th, twenty-two members trailed out to Indian creek where nine other members and guests had the coffee made and delicious food ready for a good ole outdoor meal.

A wonderful, lazy Sunday afternoon of creek bank visitation was enjoyed; also, the group enjoyed watching the Pony Express team practice exchanging the saddle bags.

Members and guests enjoying

the afternoon were: Paul and Thursa Mae Smith, James, Bonnie and Barbara Canida, Coy, Sherron and Kim Johnson, R. B. and Kay Rowland, John and Beatrice McCauley, Tommy and Jimmie Patterson, Bill and Earlene Murry, Amos Weddell, Doc Fowler, Grady Worthington, Denny Irons, Dennis Brundige, Pheaton Alexander, Pat Patterson, Lanny Crow, Priscilla, Timmy and Paula Collins of Amarillo and Dorothy Weddell of Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Young returned home Monday from Hamlin where they spent last week due to the death of Mr. Young's brother-in-law, Frank Hiller. Funeral services for Mr. Hiller were held on Wednesday last week.



25TH YEAR AWARD—T. H. Seay of Estelline (right) receives the 25 tenure award of the Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association from the organization's President, E. A. Roquemore of Arlington. The award was presented at the Annual Awards Breakfast for the association in recognition of the dedicated service rendered to Vocational Agriculture.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Spannagel and family of Anchorage, Alaska, visited last week with her brother, Robert Galloway and family, and other relatives. From Memphis, they went to San Antonio to visit with Mr. Spannagel's parents and then to Oklahoma City where Mr. Spannagel will be in school for the next three weeks.

Local Trail Riders

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ship of the Memphis Trail Riders with proceeds going to the sponsoring organization.

Also, the Wills Family Singers, an inspirational group will provide entertainment at the Community Building at 8 p. m. on Saturday, Sept. 16. The annual Hall County Picnic will be held in the City Park at 1 p. m. on Sunday, Sept. 17.

Mrs. Baten reported numerous invitations have been mailed out-of-town in letters and the organization hopes to have a fine well planned parade. Loyd Ward will serve as parade marshal.

Funeral Services

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time and energy to the progress of this county and area. Among some of his activities are the following:

He served over 12 years on the Lakeview School Board; helped organize the Lakeview Farmers Cooperative Gin, and served as one of its directors for many years; helped organize the Upper Red River Irrigation and Food Control District in the late 1930's, and served as a director and officer of the district until his death; served three years as a director of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce and Hall County Board of Development.

Also he served for 10 years on

the board of the Farmers Home Administration, during which time he was a prime mover in aiding young farmers in their purchases of farmlands in the county. In the 1930's he was instrumental in getting WPA funds which were used to improve the physical plant of Lakeview schools. Old timers will remember when Bevers promoted the first paved road in this county which is now known as Highway 256. His latest efforts for this county were concluded when over \$100,000 in surplus equipment were obtained; also a federal grant under the Disaster Relief Program was received by the county to help in rebuilding dirt roads.

Bevers became active when the Hall County Electric Cooperative was organized, and was personally responsible for signing up farmers for the service, all the way from Memphis to Roaring Springs. He and V. C. Durrett were responsible for the establishment of the Memphis Cotton Classing Office, which now serves cotton growers in a 20-county area.

Through all his adult life, he was an active member of the Democratic party, and served as precinct chairman at Lakeview for approximately 16 years. He was a friend of many national and state public officials, and had appeared in Washington and Austin many times lobbying for the interests of his county. At the time of his passing, Bevers was serving as county campaign chairman for Governor John Connally and Senator Ralph Yarborough.

He helped organize the Lakeview Lions Club; was a charter member, and also a past president. He is a past Noble Grand of the Lakeview Odd Fellows Lodge; a member of the American Legion, serving in the U. S. Navy during World War I.

Serving as pall bearers were

the following: V. C. (Zipp) Durrett, Herschel Combs, Tommie Potts, Otho Fitzjarrald, H. W. Spear, John Tuttle, R. S. Wansley and Otho Gardenhire.

Honorary pall bearers included: Del Wells, Carroll Fowler, Lyman Davenport, John Capp, R. M. Holt, B. E. Durrett, Charlie Murff, E. (Gip) McMurry, L. C. Martin, Eddie Foxhall, J. O. Montgomery, George Blewer, Lee M. Robertson, J. W. Hatley, Coleman Duke, Jerry Byars, Bud Smith, Billy Hancock, Raymond Moore, Lynn McKown, Dr. R. E. Clark, Dr. O. R. Goodall, James Skinner, Clifford Bevers, H. D. Payne and Joyce Webster.

County Schools

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office in Turkey High.

U. F. Coker, high school principal, will serve as head football coach for the Turkey Turks this season, assisted by Harvey Wellman and Roddy Seago. The Turkey team has 26 boys working out at this time, with several of the squad having good experience.

Estelline Schools
The Estelline School children will meet at 9 a. m. Thursday, Aug. 31, in an assembly to begin the first day of school.

School will let out at 2:30 p. m. that day. The 9 to 2:30 session also will be observed Friday, Sept. 1. The first regular session of Estelline schools will be held Monday, Sept. 4, from 8:23 a. m. until 3:37 p. m.

The budget hearing will be held at 8 p. m. Friday, Aug. 25, in the superintendent's office, according to Supt. David Haynie.

Lakeview Schools
Supt. Allen P. Jones of Lakeview announced that the students of that school will report for enrollment beginning at 9 a. m. Friday, Sept. 1.

The first day of school, with buses running and the cafeteria open will be Monday, Sept. 4, said.

The budget hearing for the Lakeview Schools will be held 8:30 p. m. Friday, Aug. 18, the superintendent's office.

Local Athletes

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backing position and is a good passer.

The coaches are always concerned with depth in the team and Spruill, a junior, could develop into a great asset in this position as Tony Pounds is a senior, and Bradshaw and Godfrey are younger boys.

The local squad has two scrimmage games lined up before opening the season against Clarendon in Cyclone Stadium, Friday, Sept. 8. Information about the scrimmages will be announced next week.

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