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Dink Miller Is C. C. President

Dink Miller was elected president of the Memphis Country Club following the stockholders meeting held Monday night. The country club's board of directors met following the election of four new directors and

selected Miller as president, and James (Skitter) Bray as vice president.

Newly elected board members include: Miller, Bray, Melroy Cofer and Gene Lindsey. Hold-over directors are Bill Lockhart, Dennis Ward and Bill Whitten. Also at the board meeting, committee chairmen were named. These include: Bill Whitten, social chairman, Melroy Cofer, grounds and greens chairman, Johnny Farnsworth, house chairman, and Dennis Ward as tournament chairman.

Lakeview High School Lists Honor Students

The Lakeview High School announced the A and B honor students for the third six-week period this week.

Students listed on the A honor with all grades over 90 included:

- 11th Grade: Brad Byars, Ad-Rodriguez, Karen Cofer and Linda Barbee.
- 10th Grade: Bill Richburg, honor roll students, who had grades over 80, included: 11th Grade: Billy Chapman, Charles Molloy, Mike Miller and Mark Clark.
- 9th Grade: Joan Berry, Jennifer Byars, Sidney Gardenhire, and Lindley and Ricardo Rodriguez.
- 8th Grade: Zane Gilbreth.
- 7th Grade: Donnita Byars, Gomez, Sherry Proffitt and Sanders.
- 6th Grade: Mary Ann Gilchrist, Carolyn Hughes and James

Reddie Bruton New Postex Plants Manager

Reddie Bruton has been named manager of the Postex and Ex-Hall Plants of Burlington, N.C., where he will be in charge of the division's Ash-blanket plant.

The promotions are announced by John R. Williams of Greensboro, N.C., executive vice president of manufacturing for Burlington Domestic. Bruton transfers to Postex in Sherman, where he was plant superintendent. He joined Burlington in 1962 and formerly worked at the Postex Plant. His assignments were at Burlington plants in Greenville, S. C., Ft. Texas and Durham, N. C. Bruton is a native of Denver City, Texas, earned his degree in industrial engineering at Texas Tech in 1952. His wife is the former Mrs. Holley, a native of Lubbock, formerly of Childress. The Brutons are active in the Assembly of God Church. They have children, ages 8 years and 18 months.

Services To Be Held Friday For Birdie Holbrook

Funeral services for Mrs. Birdie Holbrook, 70, will be held at 2 p. m. Friday, Jan. 19, in the First Baptist Church here.

The Rev. C. H. Murphy, Jr., pastor, will officiate and interment will be in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Spicer Funeral Home.

Mrs. Holbrook was born July 13, 1902, in Collingsworth County, and passed away Monday, Jan. 15, in Burbank Hospital, Burbank, Calif. A resident of Memphis for 55 years, she had been making her home with her son in Burbank for the past seven months. She was a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include: one son, Jimmie D. Holbrook of Burbank; one brother, John R. Woods of Andrews; one sister, Mrs. D. D. Murphy of Amarillo; three grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Pall bearers will be J. P. Johnson, Dr. H. R. Stevenson, Clyde Lee Smith, Dr. R. G. Bice, R. C. Lemons and J. M. Ferrel, Jr.

Serving as honorary pall bearers will be Dr. O. R. Goodall, Roy Coleman, Lester Campbell, Dick Spoon, O. L. Helm, John Fowler, Ed Foxhall and Ben Parks.

County Bank Deposits Set Record

'73 Chamber Committee List Released By Parks

Incoming Chamber of Commerce President Larry Parks released a list of committee assignments for the upcoming year this week with an announcement of encouragement.

"These committees will not officially begin working until after the annual banquet, but I felt it would be a help if members knew their assignments and committee chairmen could begin planning now for the year ahead," Parks said.

"We are especially looking for new members between now and the February banquet. We want to welcome any prospective members and will be happy to have them on any committee," he said.

"We want to ask our committees to organize although they won't be starting until after the banquet. Committees can look to officers and the manager for help," he added.

The list of the 1973 committee assignments are as follows:

Membership and Finance: A. L. Gailey, chairman, M. G. Alewine, Don Cockrell, Morris Davis, Hubert Dennis, W. H. Dean, Gayle Greene, Johnny Hancock, D. H. Pope.

Community and Area Development: Jim Markgraf, chairman, Roddy Bice, John L. Burnett, O. M. Coshy, Bill Combs, Don Curl, Jim Davis, Hubert Dennis, J. M. Ferrel, Dick Fowler, John Kehr, Dub Parker, Wayne Sweat, Dennis Ward.

Agri-Business: James Chappell, chairman, Ed Hutcherson, G. W. Lockhart, J. J. McDaniel, D. C. Messick, Jr., D. F. Miller, Lacy Montgomery, Grover Moss, Morris Odom, Larry Rogers.

Convention: Tom Drake, chairman, Lester Campbell, Dr. Robert Clark, Mrs. Bray Cook, Kenneth Dale, Ed Foxhall, Mrs. Lotie Kinard, Robert Spicer, Dr. H. R. Stevenson.

Industrial Affairs: J. B. Scott, chairman, Jim Beeson, Hiram Crawford, John Deaver, II, Ben Parks, Dr. Jack Rose, Danny Scarbrough.

Historical Affairs: Wendell Harrison, chairman, Byron Baldwin, Elmont Branigan, Herschel Combs, John Deaver, Mrs. Vera Dickey, Allen Dunbar, Miss Tops Gilreath, R. C. Lemons, Les Sims, Homer Tribble, John Valance.

Idea: John Lemons, chairman, Jack Blanks, Mike Branigan, Lee Brown, Thomas Clayton, John Ferrel, Andy Gardenhire, Richard Linder, Raymond Martin, Earl Nestel, Clyde Lee Smith, Bonnie

Wilson, John Wolfe.

Welcome: Myrtle Helm, chairman, Flo Branigan, Lucille Burnett, Ann Chamberlain, Phyllis Dale, Ann Farnsworth, Pat Goodnight, Mary Ann Hanvey, Johnnie Hutcherson, Fern Kehr, Yette Miller, Peggy Moreman.

Junior Livestock Affairs: Jim Goldston, chairman, Phaeton Alexander, Glen Bruce, John Chamberlain, George Ferris, Robert Galloway, Carol Gardenhire, Robert Hanvey, Bob Hutcherson, L. B. Snider, Dan Thurman.

Tourist and Highway Development: Frank B. Foxhall, chairman, Jim Beeson, Boyce Bruce, Coy Davis, Lloyd Elliott, Earl Fisher, John Fowler, Zeno Lemons, Bill Lockhart, J. C. Shields, Barry Ward, Bonnie Wilson.

Beautification: Johnnie Farnsworth, chairman, J. L. Brewer, Jerry Burleson, B. H. Cook, Bob Douthit, Gordon Gilliam, Dr. O. R. Goodall, Bill J. Hall, Freddie Starr Johnson, W. E. Leslie, Lois Monzingo, Sylvia Moore, Carl Morris, R. S. Patrick, O. R. Saye, Donny Spicer, Ola Mae Ward.

Retail Affairs: Coy Miller, chairman, K. B. Chick, Ann Cofer, Don Davis, Floyd Edwards, Bob Fowler, Gayle Greene, Gene Lindsey, L. L. Lusk, John Shadid, Grady Simpson, Lenis Simpson, Barron Smith, Heyman Valance.

Hall County finished the end of the year 1972 in the best financial shape in the history, as far as bank assets and deposits are concerned, as the 12-month period ended with over \$2 million dollars more than at the end of 1971.

The combined total assets of the three Hall County banking institutions as of Dec. 31, 1972, were 22,288,123.93, showing an increase of \$2,161,991.72 over the same reporting date a year ago.

Total deposits of the three banks totaled \$20,265,234.85, an increase of \$2,041,884.53 over the end of 1971 figure. This is the first time in history that Hall County banks have had over \$20 million in deposits on a reporting date.

Local bankers estimate that the peak will not be reached until that period when much of the 1972 cotton crop has been gathered and sold. The way the weather is going, this could be in late February.

Also showing an increase is the loans figures of the three banks which totaled \$11,461,272.19, an increase of \$1,156,457.29 over the Dec. 30, 1971, total figure.

The three Hall County banks, Peoples State Bank of Turkey, First State Bank of Memphis and First National Bank of Memphis have statements of condition reports published in this issue of The Democrat.

Hall County banks have had record-setting reports throughout the year 1972; so it was expected that the end of the year reports would set new record highs. The peak would have been higher had weather cooperated to allow more of the 1972 cotton crop to be harvested and sold, bankers said.

First Baptists To Have Bible Conference Soon

The First Baptist Church of Memphis will be having its annual Bible Conference Sunday through Wednesday, Jan. 21-24. The Bible Conference will present the letter of Paul to the Galatians, under the theme, "Freedom Through Christ."

The pastor of the church, C. H. Murphy, Jr., will deliver a series of messages from Galatians, beginning with the 11 a. m. Sunday worship service, and continuing each night at 7 p. m. through Wednesday. Geary Brogden, music director, will lead in the presentation of special and congregational music.

A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend the Bible Conference, and bear the church's own leaders.

"The Bible Conference is for all the families," Rev. Murphy said. A nursery will be provided. Bus transportation to and from the Conference can be arranged by calling 259-8533.

Cotton Harvesting Could Resume Today If Good Weather Will Hold

Cotton farmers are, where soil moisture will allow, moving back into fields with their strippers today. A few managed to strip yesterday.

If good weather would hold for several days, the harvest could get back into full swing; but the weathermen are not giving very favorable reports.

The cotton, according to reports from gins, is dry enough to strip, but the snow has made fields so soft that farmers are having to wait until conditions are right.

Varied estimates have been given from over the county on how much cotton remains to be gathered. Some reports are as high as 50 per cent still in the fields and other points report one-third or one-fourth remaining. The county is over one-half complete in the harvest. How much more remains is really just a guess at this time.

Classing Report

Cotton harvest is at a standstill in the Memphis area due to ice and snow the past week, according to W. E. Cain, in charge of the USDA, AMS Cotton Classing Office here in his Jan. 12 report.

"Cotton harvest is about 65 to 75 per cent complete in this area," said Cain.

The Memphis Cotton Classing Office graded 16,950 samples last week to bring the season total to 131,350. This compares to 87,150 on the same date a year ago.

The predominant grade classed this week was Strict Low Middling Light Spotted (42) with 37 per cent followed by Middling Light Spotted (32) with 25 per cent and Strict Low Middling (41) with 21 per cent.

The predominant staple classed last week was 32 with 76 per cent followed by staple 33 with 15 per cent.

Micronaire, fineness and maturity, readings showed 69 per cent miked in the desirable range of 3.5 to 4.9. The 3.3 to 3.4 range accounted for 15 per cent and the 3.0 to 3.2 range accounted for 12 per cent.

Pressley, or strength tests showed 85 per cent tested 75,000 psi or higher. The average was 80,000 psi.

The cotton market continued active and prices were steady to 2 cents per pound higher than last week. Average prices late in the week for Strict Low Middling (41) and Middling Light Spotted (32) 1 inch staple were 28.50 to 28.75 cents per pound. This was for cotton miking 3.5 to 4.9.

The average price paid farmers for cottonseed at the gin was \$52 per ton.

Lakeview FFA Boys To Go To Amarillo Show

The Lakeview FFA chapter will take nine boys and their hog projects to the Amarillo Livestock Show, Saturday, Sunday and Monday, FFA Advisor Barney Joe Bevers announced this week.

The boys will have weigh-in Saturday, show their animals Sunday and sell them Monday. Plans call for 14 animals to be in the show.

Boys planning to make the trip are: Bill Richburg, David Lindley, Ricardo Rodriguez, Terry Watson, Zane Gilbreth, Ronny Proby, Donnie Ritchie and Ken Slay.

Hall County Units Receive \$100,191 Revenue-Share

According to a survey of Hall County cities and the County of 1, this county has received approximately \$100,191.00 in revenue-sharing money for the year 1972. The second checks from the Federal Government were received last week.

Complete reports have been received in The Democrat Office Wednesday from Hall County, Cities of Memphis, Lakeview, Estelline, and an estimation from the City of Turkey of \$100 was available.

Receiving the largest share of revenue sharing is Hall County with checks of \$29,300 and \$28,000 for 1972. Checks in 1973 are expected to arrive quarterly.

A national news magazine reported that it will cost the Federal Government 1.5 billion dol-

lars each quarter in 1973 to meet revenue-sharing tabs to states and localities under this program.

The City of Memphis has received checks of \$19,142 and \$18,369, while the City of Lakeview has received checks of \$411 and \$395 and the City of Estelline has received checks of \$444 and \$422.

The City of Lakeview reports that no definite plans have been made as to expenditure of funds but the City Council is planning to discuss this matter at the January council meeting, according to Sec. J. C. Stepp. City street repairs is one of the items under discussion.

The City of Estelline also has not determined to date how the money will be used according to Mayor T. H. Seay. Mayor Seay stated that the expenditure of the

funds will be decided upon at the next meeting of the Estelline City Council.

The City of Memphis is currently examining the feasibility of a different type of system of trash and garbage collection and hauling at this time.

The County of Hall is currently advertising for bids to replace door frames and doors in the Courthouse and studying on a proposal of doing something about a leaking roof to the building. "We needed to repair the roof for several years," County Judge E. Gip McMurry said.

From discussing the funds with municipal and county officials, there will be no problems finding worthwhile projects. Officials' concern is in the nature of relying on the funds for necessities and suddenly the funds be cut off.



MEMPHIS VISITOR—Sir Knight Belker D. Paschall, Jr., Eminent Grand Sentinel of the Grand Commandery Knights Templar of Texas will be in Memphis on January 25, for his official visitation and inspection of Memphis Commandery No. 50 Knights Templar. The meeting will be held in the Masonic Hall. All Knight Templars are invited to attend.

Prayer Life Mission' Weekend Is Planned By Three Local Churches

The First United Methodist Church, the First Presbyterian Church, and the First Christian Church of Memphis are sponsoring a Prayer Life Mission this weekend, Jan. 19-21.

Dr. and Mrs. Marshall Rhew of Seymour will conduct the mission. Dr. Rhew is district superintendent of the Seymour District of the United Methodist Church and has been pastor of a number of the larger churches of the Northwest Texas Conference.

The Rhews have held several missions on prayer in various churches of the conference in the past few years.

The purpose of the mission is to help Christians understand better the meaning and significance of prayer, to help each person establish more regular and helpful habits of prayer, and to become more effective in their prayer life.

The Prayer Life Mission will open with a Covered-Dish Supper on Friday evening in the Fellowship Hall of the Methodist Church at 7 p. m. On Saturday, there will be a Men's Prayer Breakfast in the Fellowship Hall of the First Christian Church at 7 a. m., a Ladies' Prayer Luncheon at noon in the Fellowship Hall of the United Methodist Church, and a Youth Supper and Bowling Party at 5:30 p. m. at the United Methodist Church.

Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock adults will meet in the Sanctuary of the First United Methodist Church for a Congregational meeting in which Dr. Rhew will speak. School age children, grades one through six will be entertained at a Skating Party Friday evening and will view a full-length, Walt Disney motion picture Saturday evening. A nursery will be provided at all services.

Lakeview S-W Corp. To Have Annual Meet

The annual membership meeting of the Lakeview Sewer and Water Corp. will be held at 7:30 p. m. Monday, Jan. 22, in the Lakeview School Auditorium.

City Secretary J. C. Stepp encouraged all users of the service to be on hand at the annual meeting.

Memphis FFA Plans Project Swine Show Soon

The Memphis FFA Chapter is busy preparing for its first annual livestock project show. The show will be held Saturday, Jan. 27, at the High School Voc.-Ag. Shop.

Judging will begin at 9 a. m., and the public is invited to attend. On exhibit will be local FFA members' swine projects. Also 4-H members may exhibit their animals.

"This year's show will include market barrows and open gilts," Bonnie Morris, Memphis vocational agriculture instructor, said. "It is hoped that future shows might be expanded to include calves and lambs."

Local FFA members will carry some of the barrows to be shown at the Southwestern Livestock Exposition in Fort Worth Jan. 30.

"Animals shown by the FFA members were purchased near the beginning of the school year. Since that time the animals have been fed and cared for by the students and we are happy that they have this opportunity to exhibit their projects," FFA Advisor Morris said.

The animals will be fitted during the week and in place on Friday before the show Saturday.

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EDITORIAL

Pressure On To Reduce Food Prices!

President Richard Nixon last weekend, under pressure to reduce food prices, paved the way for a big increase in 1973 wheat production by eliminating requirements that farmers keep part of their land idle.

At the same time, President Nixon lifted wage and price controls except those on food and health industries. The President is asking for a voluntary effort to restrain increases in prices and wages, but said firm regulations will be continued "with special vigor for businesses involved in food processing and food retailing."

President Nixon's releasing of land areas to allow more wheat, and other agriculture products to be produced is expected to increase food production generally, and have the effect of lowering food prices.

The President's announcement about freeing idle land, 15 million acres in the wheat program alone, and no estimate was given in the feed grain program, was so unexpected that it left agriculture experts dismayed at the implications. U. S. agriculture has been under one form of acre-set aside or the other for several decades.

The announcement followed by 24 hours a USDA announcement that wholesale farm price increases of 6.8 per cent were recorded in December. Wheat prices rose from \$1.32 per bushel last July to \$2.38 per bushel in December, the most in 25 years. The cause of this increase was the United States selling one-fourth of last year's wheat crop to Russia.

The announcement, coming in January, means that the winter wheat fields have already been planted, and the 15 million acres freed will either have to go into spring wheat or other crops.

Experts report no apparent shortage in livestock feed as far as grain sorghum is concerned. Beef prices are up so cattle feedlots are paying the asking price which is as much as \$1 per hundred over a year ago.

The President's move to free acreage is asking for maximum production of wheat and increased production of other agriculture crops. Will the end product be a surplus, lower prices, or even price controls on raw agriculture products?

In announcing Phase 3, the President said that controls will remain on food processors and retailers. Is it not just a small step to controlling agricultural markets?

The long range question being over looked in the whole situation is "what is good for American agriculture?" In recent months we have seen a complete reversal in administrative policy about American agriculture. From a most liberal handling of governmental programs to almost a rigid tightening of reins, coming close to turning agriculture loose to sink or swim in a supply-and-demand situation. Government farm programs have had funds cut drastically since the election.

The President's plan to cut federal spending and to trim a few percentage points off inflation appears to us to be a plan to let American farmers pay for it. Is there any other conclusion to be drawn?

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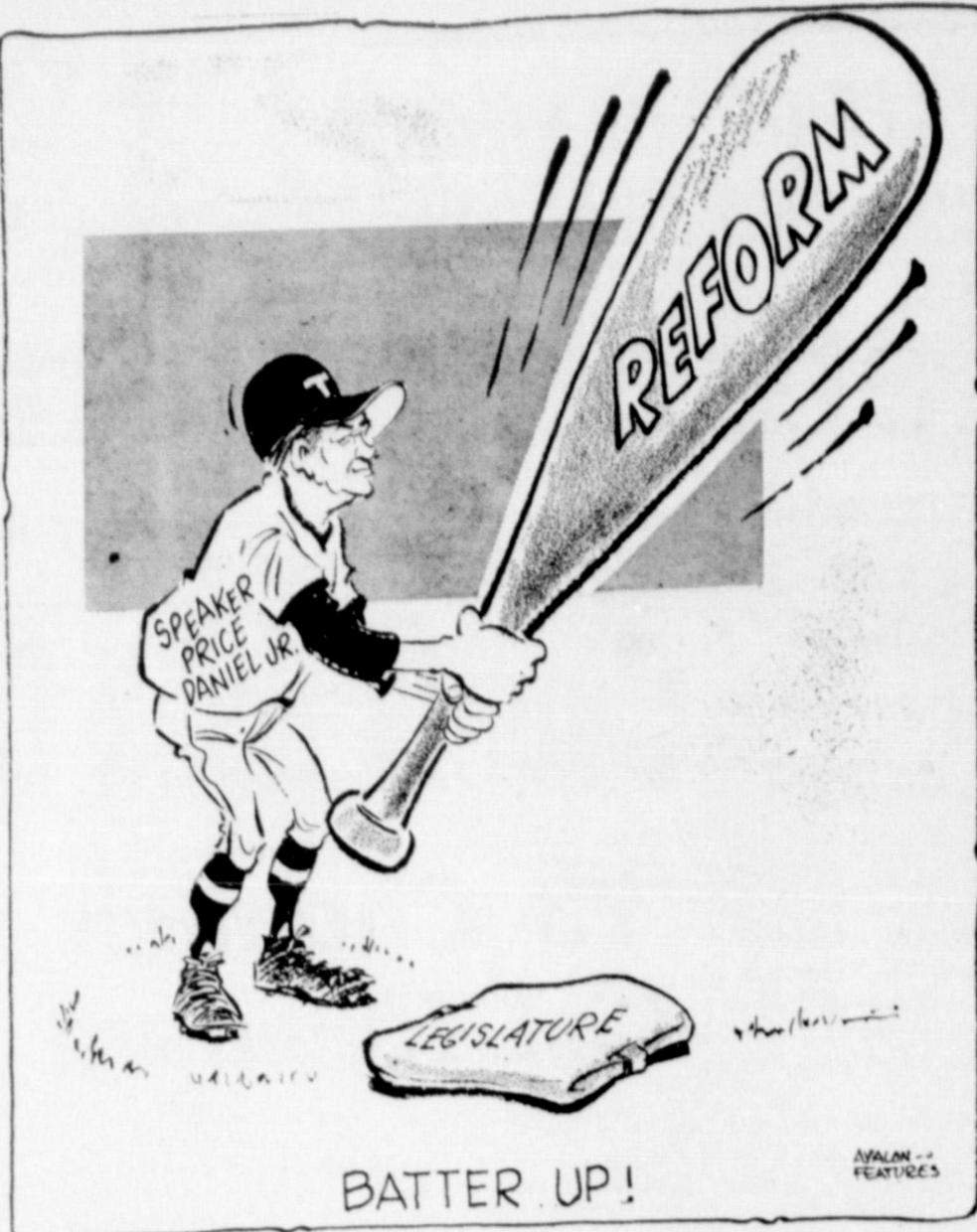
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ACROSS THE DESK

What Other Editors Say

Need For Understanding

There's misguided hostility in Congress against the farm program and it reaches down in Agricultural Committees of both the House and Senate. Unfortunately most of the members of both committees have no farm or ranch experience at all. They have no conception of how the production of food and fiber fits into the economy of this nation. They are opposed to the farmer being paid for "not growing a crop." It never occurs to them that this is more a subsidy for the consumer than it is for the producer.

Right now our excess grain is a means of obtaining badly needed gas and other urgently needed raw materials from Russia. It is probably too much to hope that some of our leaders will be astute enough to obtain some of that Russian gold. Perhaps it is enough to hope that the most efficient and productive agricultural system the world has ever known will not be crippled to the detriment of the entire nation.

—Deskins Wells in
The Wellington Leader

Social Security Tax Up

By now most folks have received a paycheck in 1973, so it will come as no surprise that Uncle Sam took a bigger bite from your check in the form of social security withholdings.

The rate of withholding for social security increased as of Jan. 1 to 5.85 per cent, whereas it had been 5.2 per cent previously. If you are an employer, you have to send in more than 11 per cent of the total you pay your employees.

Social Security undoubtedly is nice, and we suppose you have to have it. A newspaper friend of ours said this week that taking a stand against social security would be like coming out against motherhood or high school football.

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—The Claude News

New Financial Problems

Two of the major priorities for the new Legislative session will concern finance: how to finance primary elections, and how to finance public school education. Old methods of handling both have been overturned by Supreme Court rulings.

School financing will be the toughest. Best bet is that the state itself will take over financing of basic education costs for all of the state's school districts. That doesn't mean that local school taxes will be eliminated... just that they may be re-routed.

—The Canadian Record

Depression Coming Up

It seems the Republicans will never learn that our national prosperity is directly tied with farm income.

Nixon, in an effort to stop inflation, is cutting at the very heart of our economy and the result will be another depression, the loss of small farmers and the eventual conglomeration of our total food industry and a serious

—Bill Ellis in
The Friona Star

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Memories

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30 YEARS AGO

January 21, 1943

Old Man Winter, aided and abetted by Boreas, the cold north wind, reached deep into his bag of tricks early this week and blitzed the Panhandle-Plains and Northwest Texas with the coldest weather in 10 years. Rising temperatures Wednesday brought relief. 3.5 in the morning the thermometer registered 10 degrees, and by afternoon had risen to 62.

Mr. and Mrs. Foy Young are the parents of a girl born Jan. 17. She was named Alice Kay and weighed 9 pounds and 6 ounces.

To encourage the use of beans in war time meal planning, the Dept. of Agriculture has designated dry edible beans as a Victory Food special.

Typewriter and adding machine ribbon spools must be turned in when buying a new one from the dealer, is the ruling of the OPA. The wholesaler must send in the old spools to the factory in order to get new ribbons for the dealer and customer.

Beginning Monday, by order of the Office of Price Administration, all bakeries have ceased to deliver bread already sliced.

20 YEARS AGO

January 22, 1953

The Hall County PMA Committee issued \$85,121.00 in soil conservation assistance to 597 farmers last week, according to Lynn McKown, PMA official.

W. D. Young was installed as president of the Texas and Oklahoma IOOF and Rebekah Circles at a meeting held Tuesday night in Childress.

Wendell Harrison and Cliff Farmer this week announced that they had sold their Angus herd for \$15,000. The famous five-year-old bull, Raona's Prince Eric, was purchased by George W.

Graham of Wichita Falls. The Winnie Davis Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy met Jan. 13 for its 1972 annual meeting at the home of Mrs. Glynn Lee with Mrs. T. J. Hampton as assistant hostess.

The home of Mrs. Alben Mack was the scene Wednesday of the Needle Craft Club Annual luncheon and annual meeting of officers. Chosen were: Robert Cummings, president; Mrs. Henry Scott, vice president; Mrs. Marion Long, secretary; Mrs. Nat Bradley, treasurer; Mrs. T. D. Weatherby, new member.

10 YEARS AGO

January 24, 1963

Miss Neva Sue Koenigsweber was crowned Queen of the DeWitt High School Annual, a pretty coronation service Saturday evening. The profile was Judy Bruce, seventh grade; Donna Beckham, seventh grade; Elmonette Branigan, freshman; Minka Sims, sophomore; Lemmon, junior.

John M. Deaver, son of Mrs. T. H. Deaver of Childress, is a candidate for a general election for a seat on the Board of Arts degree from the University of Texas Jan. 26.

The Memphis Garden Club is in regular session at the school room Jan. 17. Bettye Smith, president, presided over the home meeting. Neal Hindman, 12th grade agriculture teacher of Childress High School brought a most interesting and timely lesson on pruning of fruit and shade trees and ornamental shrubs.

Attorney Tim Kirk, son of Fan Kirk of Lakeview, announced this week that he is connected with the firm of E. J. Jack, Sallinger and Nick of the Republic National Bank in Dallas.



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Improved Business, Continued Gains Reported By Burlington Industries

GREENSBORO, N. C. — Improved business in 1972 and expectations for continued gains in 1973 are reported by Burlington Industries.

Burlington's \$1.8 billion sales for 1972 were up 5.2 per cent, and per share earnings of \$1.86 were 22.4 per cent higher than in 1971.

The company's annual report to shareholders, being mailed this week, attributes improvement to an upswing in the general economy, shifts in product mix, further growth in home furnishings, and resurgence of markets for certain types of apparel fabrics.

See earnings were also aided by a new investment tax credit.

Burlington Chairman Charles Myers and President Ely Callaway note that "the outlook for 1973 American economy must be viewed with greater confidence and optimism than a year ago."

Developments in international trade, notably realignment of value and improved trade relationships, are viewed "constructive."

Burlington's 1972 operations featured changes in product lines and moves into new market areas for growth and greater earnings are anticipated.

Expansion in knit and stretch apparel fabrics pushed Burlington's sales in those products from \$93 million two years ago to \$271 million in 1972. Total sales of products for apparel and home furnishings business of \$2 million accounted for about one-third of the company's total sales in 1972, that part of the increase increasing 18 per cent over 1971 and 31 per cent over 1970.

Increased manufacturing capacity to accommodate the new and expanded product lines was achieved primarily through conversion of existing plants rather than new plant construction, a fact which should continue to help the company's profit picture.

Two additional furniture options were begun during the year and a third plant is now being equipped for furniture manufacturing. Another plant has been completely re-equipped to dye, print and print products in our home furnishings area, and towels, blankets have been added to domestics lines," the report on advertising and promotion have substantially increased consumer

awareness of Burlington and its products. Expenditures were \$15 million in 1972 and are projected at close to the same level for this year.

Under the guidance of a company safety and health committee, major efforts are underway at each plant location to identify and eliminate potential hazards. Occupational health programs include medical screening of employees, hearing protection, control of environmental conditions, and the elimination of materials handling, chemical and physical hazards.

In 1972, Burlington invested \$2.2 million in 16 projects to install or improve pollution control facilities. Expenditures are estimated at \$4.5 million for 1973. The company is continuing development of new methods and procedures to make manufacturing processes cleaner and more efficient.

Burlington's support of educational, as well as health, social and other public interest programs continued, with particular regard to the needs of communities in areas of Burlington operations.

"The many changes in the past year will add considerable flexibility and strength to the company's long established position as a leading producer of textiles and related products," Mr. Myers and Mr. Callaway said. "We have exceptional product and equipment balance—the best in the industry, we believe—and as Burlington enters its 50th year, the outlook is better than it has been for some time."

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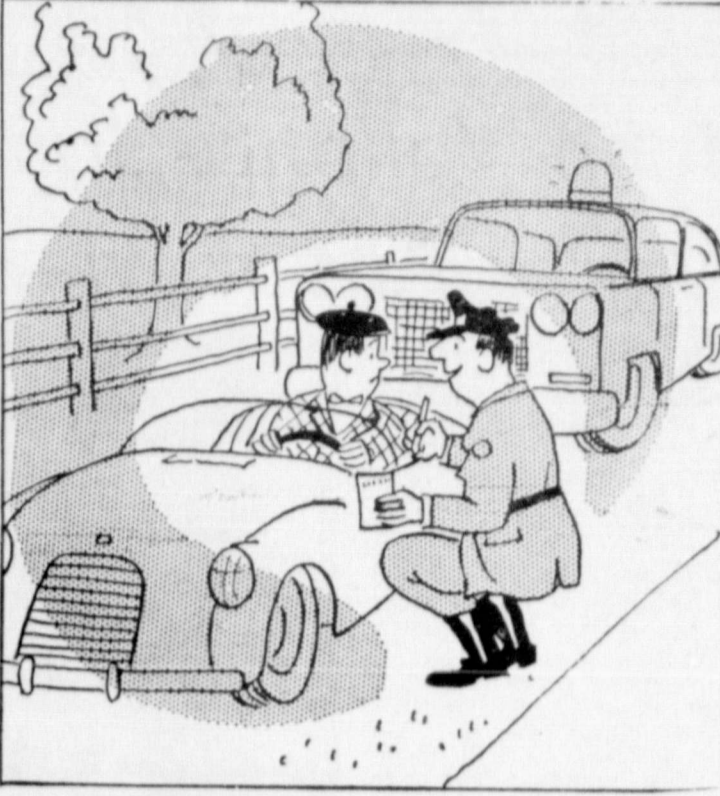
The company has 135 plants in the United States and 34 plants in 10 other countries.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks to Dr. Stevenson and to the hospital staff, the many friends for their visits, prayers and their concern while I was in the hospital.

F. O. Hodges

LAFF OF THE WEEK



"You were pedaling too fast . . ."

To cope with labor shortages, tirement. In Uzgekistan, a 117-year-old man went to work as a traffic policeman to come out of re-

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO INTRODUCE A BILL IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: COUNTIES OF CHILDRESS, DONLEY, FOARD, HARDEMAN AND HALL:

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned intend to request the introduction of a bill in the Sixty-third Legislature, Regular Session, of the State of Texas, the general purpose, nature and substance of which is as follows:

Such bill will provide that Greenbelt Municipal and Industrial Water Authority shall comprise all of the territory contained within the Cities of Childress, Clarendon, Hedley, Quanah and Crowell on the effective date of said bill. Said bill will have the effect of deleting the City of Memphis from the Authority and adding all territory annexed to the included Cities since their initial inclusion in the Authority. Said bill will also provide methods for the annexation of territory to the Authority, authorize the Authority to own and operate retail water distribution systems and to acquire all types of property within and without the boundaries of the Authority and authorize the Authority to employ and constitute its own law enforcement officers with power to make arrests when necessary. Such bill will also provide that the Authority may issue its bonds to mature within fifty years

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from the date of any installment or issue of bonds, and that such bonds may be sold at a price and under terms determined by the board of Directors to be the most advantageous reasonably obtainable.

The above enumeration of provisions to be contained in such bill is not intended to be exclusive, but only to express the general purpose, nature and substance thereof.

This notice is given in accordance with the requirements of paragraph (d), Section 59 of Article XVI of the Texas Constitution.

Greenbelt Municipal and Industrial Water Authority
James L. Kuhn
General Manager 37-2c

Merle L. Kilpatrick left Wednesday for West Texas University at Canyon after visiting his family, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Kilpatrick, Jr. and Teresa Kay.

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- Tuesday, Jan. 23**
Vegetable beef soup, cornbread, peanut butter cookie, peach half, chocolate milk.
- Wednesday, Jan. 24**
Burritos, chili, cheese, green beans, tossed salad, oatmeal cake, milk.
- Thursday, Jan. 25**
Fried chicken, corn, mashed potatoes, cream gravy, hot rolls, butter, apple sauce, chocolate milk.
- Friday, Jan. 26**
Frito pie, green beans, tossed salad, strawberry short cake, hot rolls, milk.

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John Vallance, Janie Gomez Marry At Lakeview Dec. 23



MRS. JOSEPH C. BONEY

Joseph C. Boney, Miss Graham Wed

Miss Cynthia Lou Graham and Joseph Cloyce Boney exchanged nuptial vows at 2 p.m. Saturday, January 6, in the First Baptist Church here.

The Rev. C. H. Murphy, Jr., pastor, officiated the double ring ceremony before two candelabra entwined with greenery and two baskets of white gladioli. The nuptial space was completed with a prayer bench. Pews were marked with white satin bows.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack E. Graham of Amarillo and the groom is the son of Mrs. Jack Boney, Jr. of Memphis and the late Mr. Boney.

The traditional wedding procession and recessional were presided over by organist Mrs. Jerry Montgomery. She accompanied Geary Brogden, uncle of the bride and minister of youth and music of First Baptist Church, as he sang "My Own True Love," "There Is Love" and "The Wedding Prayer," which was sung as the couple knelt at the prayer bench.

As the bride entered, she paused and presented her mother with a long stemmed red rose and kissed her. As the couple left the ceremony, the bride presented the groom's mother with a long stemmed red rose and kissed her.

The Bride

The bride was escorted to the altar by her father. She wore a carpet-length dress of sheer fabric over bridal taffeta styled with a scoop neckline edged in lace. The bodice was covered in heavy lace and the same lace accented the very full, sheer sleeves. Her elbow-length veil of illusion was attached to a lace headpiece encrusted with seed pearls belonging to the groom's sister, Mrs. Ottie Ray Jones. Her bouquet was of white carnations and ribbon streamers tied in lovers' knots with a detachable white orchid corsage and was attached to a white Bible. She wore a six pence in her shoe.

Attendants

Mrs. Geary Brogden, aunt of the bride, served as matron of honor and Mrs. Ottie Ray Jones, sister of the groom, was bride's matron. They were attired in dresses of red sheer fabric over red taffeta fashioned with empire waist with covered buttons on bodice, and full, sheer sleeves with covered buttons on cuffs. The dresses had A-line skirts. The attendants each carried a long stemmed red rose. Misses Tammy and Shelley Graham, sisters of the bride, were candlelighters. Their dresses were fashioned similarly to those of the other attendants and had short puffed sleeves. They wore red wristlet corsages.

Best man was Steve Boney, brother of the groom, and groomsman was Ottie Ray Jones, brother-in-law of the groom. Ring bearer was Kevin Brogden, cousin of the bride. Chris Liner and Davis McKay served as ushers. All the men wore red shirts and white ties, carrying out the bride's chosen colors of red and white.

Mrs. Graham, mother of the bride, wore a blue, long sleeved knit dress and a cymbidium orchid. Mrs. Boney chose for her son's wedding a pink double knit

dress with white lace coat and wore a cymbidium orchid.

Grandparents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Fulton of Amarillo while the groom's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Cloyce Holman of Childress and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Boney of Estelline. Great-grandparents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Richard Holman of Childress.

Reception

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in Fellowship Hall. The bride's table was in her chosen colors of red and white.

The three-tiered wedding cake was decorated in white with red roses.

Miss Carol Jean Godfrey presided to register the guests and Misses Nancy Carter and Zana Jenkins served at the bride's table. Other members of the house party were: Mmes. L. F. Jones, Bob Douthit, Billy Ray Jones and R. B. Phillips.

For a wedding trip to Dallas, Mrs. Boney wore a red double knit suit and black boots.

A rehearsal dinner was held at the Big O Restaurant Friday, January 5, at 7:00 p. m.

After the wedding trip, the couple will reside at Rt. 1, Estelline, where the groom is engaged in ranching.

Both attended Clarendon College.

Methodist Women Meet Jointly Monday Evening

Three groups of Methodist women met jointly for the annual Call to Prayer and Self Denial observance Monday evening, Jan. 15, at 7 p. m. in the Wesley class room at the church. The meeting was called to order with prayer by the secretary of mission education and study, Mrs. Tommy Nelson.

Mrs. Bob Fowler brought a message in song, accompanying herself on the xylophone.

The offering for this annual observance is allocated by the Division of Methodist Women to schools, community centers and other mission needs around the world. These places and needs in the United States were discussed by Mrs. M. G. Tarver, Mrs. Ed Hutcherson and Miss Neville Wrenn. The foreign allocations and needs were pointed out by Mrs. Bob Hutcherson.

Mrs. R. C. Lemons led the group in a Litany of Hope for mankind, toward peace and justice, pointing to the rising of the ecumenical movement as hope for the church and the world.

Following the offering, Mrs. Nelson closed the meeting with prayer. Others in attendance were Mmes. H. Bownds, B. Burnett, J. B. Scott, W. J. McMaster, Clyde Morris, Lee Brown, Geo. Payne, A. Boswell, Roy Spruill, D. C. Messick, Jack Martin and A. Phillips.

Mrs. and Mrs. Candler Hawkins of Houston arrived here Wednesday to visit with Mrs. Ruth Harrison and other relatives.

Delphians Enjoy Family Life Program Tuesday

Mrs. Sim Reeves was hostess for the Jan. 16 meeting of the Delphian Club at the Big O Restaurant.

Delicious refreshments were served to club members: Mmes. L. L. McKown, F. A. Finch, C. L. Smith, Wayne Sweatt, Mildred Stephens, W. C. Dickey, Kenneth Dale, Neal Hindman, L. F. Jones, John Deaver II, Leon Davis and an honorary member, Mrs. J. S. McMurry.

Club President Mrs. Kenneth Dale called the meeting to order, led in the Pledge to the Flag and conducted the business session.

Mrs. Neal Hindman introduced the program, "Steps for Responsible Family Life." The meditation thought was "Mom, You Can Change the World," which was followed with a panel discussion on "Modern Day Challenges." Mrs. F. A. Finch led in the discussion of "The Pampered Child's Right." Mrs. McKown discussed "The Battered Child's Case" and Mrs. W. C. Dickey spoke on how "The American Home Is Surprisingly Hazardous." Mrs. McKown concluded the program by giving club members a quiz entitled "Are You a Permissive Parent?"

Delphian officers for the coming year will be: president, Mrs. Kenneth Dale; first vice president, Mrs. Wayne Sweatt; second vice president, Mrs. L. F. Jones; recording secretary, Mrs. Leon Davis; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Mildred Stephens; treasurer, Mrs. Henry Hays; parliamentarian, Mrs. C. L. Smith; and reporter, Mrs. F. A. Finch.

Memphis FHA Meets Monday In Regular Session

The Memphis Future Homemakers of America met for regular meeting Monday, Jan. 15, at 7 o'clock.

The meeting began with the reading of the minutes by Meredith Douthit, secretary, and Debbie Johnson gave a balance of the treasury report.

After this business was taken care of, Sherri Davis introduced the speaker, George Bourns, public relations director at Clarendon College. Mr. Bourns discussed the college along with various other colleges. Also, the floor was open for questions to be asked and then discussed. The F.H.A. members, Mrs. David May and guest, Kay Murdock, enjoyed Mr. Bourns' discussion of various college requirements, etc.

Following the speaker, other important areas of business were discussed and taken care of. The meeting was adjourned by the president, Jennifer Pate.

The electric lights appeared on Broadway in New York City for the first time Dec. 20, 1880.



TO OBSERVE 50TH ANNIVERSARY—Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gowdy of Lakeview will be honored with an open house in celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday afternoon, January 21, in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Ima Ruth Hancock, 720 Montgomery St., Memphis. Friends of the Gowdys are invited to call at the Hancock home between the hours of 2 and 5 p. m.



MR. and MRS. JOHN HERMAN VALLANCE

nosegays were of orchid and pink pom poms.

Miss Monica Monzingo was flower girl and groomsmen were Ricky Spencer, Tony Salinas and Bary Castillo. Serving as ushers were Bill Richburg and Kenny Slay, both of Lakeview.

Mrs. Gomez chose for her daughter's wedding a long sleeved dress of mint green double knit complimented with a sleeveless coat with bone accessories and a corsage of pink carnations.

Mrs. Vallance, mother of the groom, wore a dress of red and navy double knit, fashioned with long sleeves and a matching sleeveless coat, red accessories, and corsage.

A reception was held following the ceremony in the Fellowship Hall of the Methodist Church at Lakeview.

Miss Janis Vallance, sister of the groom, presided at the bride's book to secure the signatures of the guests. Her floor-length gown was of pink brocade taffeta with white chiffon Juliet sleeves.

Little Theatre Meets in Home of Mrs. H. A. Combs

The Memphis Little Theatre met Saturday, Jan. 13, in the home of Mrs. Herschel Combs, 613 South 7th, with Mrs. Leo Fields serving as co-hostess.

Virginia Browder, vice president, presided at the meeting in the absence of the president, Mrs. Hubert Jones.

A most entertaining program was presented by Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard who reviewed "Tracy and Hephburn" by Garson Kanin. She told many interesting facts about the personal life of Spencer Tracy and Kathryn Hephburn.

Tasty refreshments were served during the social hour to the following members: Mmes. Nell Beeson, Virginia Browder, Annette Boswell, Emma Deaver, Charlene Douthit, Myrtle Helm, Charlene Greene, Lottie Kinard, Tomacile Greene, Janet McMurray, Mildred Stephens, Wilma Voyles, Tanga Widener, and hostesses, Helen Combs and Mary Leo Fields.

The next meeting will be Feb. 10 in the home of Mrs. R. S. Greene. Members of the social committee will serve as hostesses.

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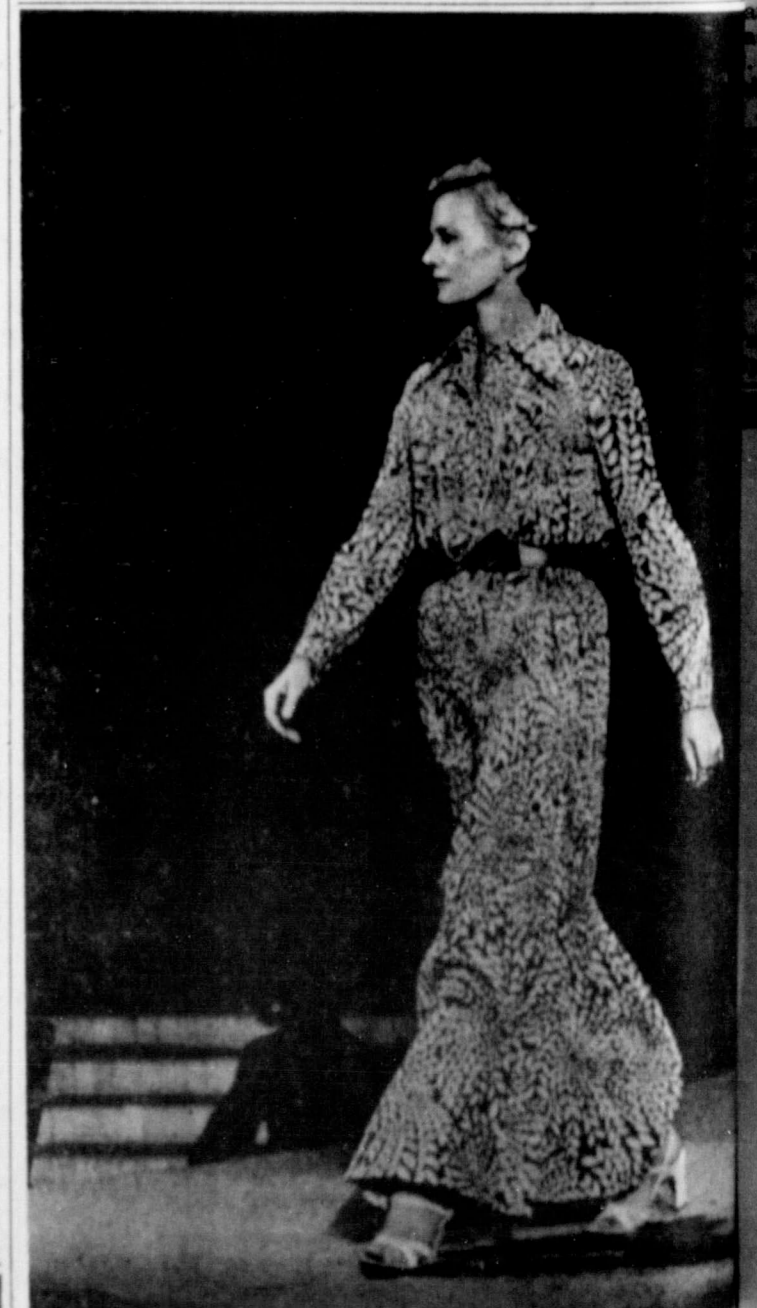
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The bride's table was covered with a cloth of white lace over pink and held an epergne arrangement of pink and white mums.

The beautifully decorated wedding cake was topped by a miniature bride and groom with tiny pink and orchid roses spiraling from the top to the base. Nuts, mints and strawberry pink punch completed the refreshments. Presiding at the serving table were Miss Patti Reed and Mrs. Donita Byars.

Rice bags of pink net tied with white ribbon were handed to the guests by Betty Sanders and Connie Fowler.

For a wedding trip to Amarillo, the bride traveled in a dress of mint green double knit with bone accessories and wore the orchid from her bridal bouquet.



COTTON IMPACT '73—Above is shown one of the when cotton was star of the show as producers staged annual fashion preview in Dallas recently. Retail buyers resenting women's and children's wear from several saw cotton fashions on parade at the Apparel Mart.

Accent on Health

J. E. PEAVY, M.D., Commissioner of Health

There are nine risk factors which physicians and medical scientists believe make man more susceptible to a heart attack far in his life: high blood pressure, high levels of cholesterol, excessive eating, too little exercise, diabetes, cigarette smoking, tensions and heredity. Of these, hypertension, or high blood pressure, has become the major target for a nationwide 1946 campaign by the National Heart and Lung Institute, say officials of the Texas State Department of Health.

The reason for this major new campaign is simple. There are estimated 23,000,000 Americans who suffer from hypertension. That amounts to at least one in every 10 persons in this country. Health authorities seem only half aware of their task, and of those, only about one-third are receiving treatment. And health officials say that of these, only half are receiving proper treatment, so there is a broad campaign for a program in this area.

High blood pressure is a serious condition. It can lead to faster strokes, heart failure, serious kidney problems, and often to early death. It can strike young and old, people of all races. Someone is important to each citizen of our country.

Even if you have high blood pressure, you may be unaware of it. Often there are no urgent symptoms to send you to your doctor. On the other hand, you may have severe, persistent headaches which is one of the symptoms most likely to cause a person to consult a physician.

Hypertension is easy to detect. A blood pressure check is inexpensive, quick, and painless. Everyone needs blood pressure checked. It is a simple matter to move blood through the circulatory system. The blood pressure goes up and down within a range with each beat of the heart. But when the blood pressure goes up, and stays above the normal range, it is called hypertension.

There are several types of hypertension, varying from a sustained but usually modest elevation of blood pressure to blood pressure which is severely and consistently elevated. In general, the higher and more persistently elevated the pressure, the more likelihood of damage to the blood vessels and the heart, the brain and other organs.

During a physical examination, a doctor uses a blood pressure cuff and gauge (sphygmomanometer) to determine the force of the blood pressure.

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blood as it comes from the heart and hits the artery walls. The highest reading, known as "systolic" pressure, records the pressure exerted on the artery by each thrust of blood from the pumping action of the heart. The other, and lower reading, is the "diastolic" pressure remaining in the artery while the heart is relaxing.

When a person has high blood pressure, the arterioles, or the peripheral arteries of very small size, clamp down to restrict the flow of blood. To overcome this resistance, the heart must pump harder to push blood through the circulatory system. With the increased work load, the heart muscle may grow larger and weaker from the demands put on it and begin to lose its efficiency.

A man whose blood pressure at systole (the moment the heart contracts) is over 150 has more than two times the risk of heart attack and nearly four times the risk of stroke of a man with systolic blood pressure under 120.

While the exact cause of primary or essential hypertension is unknown, certain factors contribute to it. The kidneys, for instance, may release a substance into the bloodstream which triggers a chain of chemical events leading to high blood pressure. Hypertension also may be caused by longstanding kidney disease, or certain abnormalities of the adrenal or other endocrine glands. Emotions are thought by many to play a role in increasing the blood pressure.

Hypertension can usually be controlled. A person can lead a normal life, for treatment can usually bring his high blood pressure down.

The purpose of the national campaign against hypertension will be first to detect the patient who is hypertensive and then to provide him with a treatment program which will control his blood pressure.

State Health Department officials emphasize that hypertension is one of the commonest diseases affecting the population but that it is easily diagnosed and is amenable to therapy. But, in its untreated state, it takes a major toll both in death and disabling disorders through cardiac and renal damage and particularly through strokes.

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Statistics Show Health Improving In Hall County

(Special to The Democrat)
NEW YORK—How healthy are Hall County residents? How do they compare, in that regard, with people in other parts of the country? What progress has been made, if any, in recent years?

Some answers to these questions may be gleaned from the reports of the National Center for Health Statistics, the analytic arm of the U. S. Public Health Service.

Through weekly samplings of families across the land, it keeps constant watch on the physical condition of the population.

It gauges the general health of a community by the extent to which its people are able to pursue their normal daily activities without interruptions necessitated by illness or injury.

This is measured by what is called a "disability days index," which takes account of the number of days of restricted activity, when a person is unable to go to work or to school, and those in which he is kept in bed or in a hospital, called bed days.

In the regional area embracing Hall County, on that basis, the health of the population was somewhat better in 1970 than it was five years earlier, according to the government's latest figures.

They show that the average number of disability days in the area in 1970 was 15.9 per person, of which 7.2 were bed days. In 1965 local people had an average of 16.9 disability days, including 6.7 bed days.

By way of comparison, the national average in 1970 was 14.6 days of restricted activity, 6.1 of them in bed.

Improvement was noted in this regard in all sections of the country except in northeastern states. Also, it appears from the figures, women are more likely to be incapacitated than men. They have 15.8 days of disability per year as against 13.2 for men.

The loss in Hall County, based upon the disability rate reported for its sectional area, 15.9 days per person, adds up to a total of 91,000 days for the year.

The American Medical Association, commenting on these health statistics in its publication "Update," notes that the healthiest people in the country today are those who live on farms in the midwest and have incomes of over \$10,000 a year.

Elk are the most polygamous of American deer. In mating season, a bull elk may collect a harem of 60 cows.



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Amelia Earhart-Putman started her first solo flight across the Pacific Jan. 11, 1935.

In The World Of Science

New Materials For Filling Teeth May Be Answer To Dental Problems

New tooth-filling materials—milky white and hard—that adhere directly to the enamel and dentine of teeth are undergoing clinical testing in the United Kingdom, reports "Chemical & Engineering News," weekly publication of the American Chemical Society.

Promising to reduce considerably the need for severe cavity drilling and probably eliminate drilling entirely in some cases, the new translucent materials have been developed at the U.K.'s Laboratory of the Government Chemist in London, the newsmagazine says.

The new cements form a continuous structure with tooth surfaces and appear much like fine bone china with the color of dental enamel. They are formed by mixing a special aluminosilicate glass powder with a water solution of polyacrylic acid, a substance generally used to coat synthetic fabrics such as nylon.

Dentists should find the new materials useful for repairing the natural fissuring that frequently develops on molar-biting surfaces. Such potential sites of cavities

can be filled by direct application of the cement, reports the magazine, continuing:

"The cements should also aid dentists in treating tiny cavities that occur at the gum line. These cavities, known as gingival or cervical erosion cavities, are now difficult to repair with conventional cements because their close proximity to the gum, in addition to their small size, makes drilling undesirable.

"Conventional cements result when fused silica glasses are mixed with phosphoric acid. But they have a number of disadvantages. For one, phosphoric acid is harsh and can damage a tooth. Consequently, a cavity must be lined to lessen the chances of the acid attacking the tooth. Secondly, the cements aren't adhesive, so that considerable undercutting is needed to secure the filling in place mechanically.

"The basic ingredients of the cements, developed by Alan Wilson and his co-worker, Brian Kent, are alumina, cryolite, fluorite, and quartz. This mixture is fired in an electric furnace at about 1200 degrees (centigrade), shock-cooled, and ground to a fine powder. To prepare the cement, a dentist mixes this powder with a 50 per cent aqueous solution of polyacrylic acid before applying it to the tooth. Hardening begins within about five minutes and continues to develop as the cement cures in place. The final product can withstand a crushing force of 30,000 pounds per square inch or more.

Cementation is the result of hydrogen ions in the polyacrylic acid solution replacing aluminum and calcium ions of the glass. These liberated metal ions then cross-link the polyacrylic acid chains, resulting in a metal polyacrylate matrix.

"Apart from the cement adhesiveness, polyacrylic acid is much more benign to teeth than is phosphoric acid. And because it has a molecular weight of 20,000 or more compared with phosphoric acid's weight of about 100, polyacrylic acid is less likely to diffuse into the tooth structure."

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Researcher Says Rating Of Couples Should Be Close

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Chances are, a Connecticut psychologist says, you and your spouse not only will rate close to each other on the attractive scale, but will also know it and rate each other accordingly.

Dr. Bernard I. Murstein, a professor of psychology at Connecticut College (New London, Connecticut), felt that couples planning to marry would be closer to each other in physical attractiveness than pairs of people made up by randomly pairing attractiveness scores of people.

Two hundred couples who were engaged or going steady at several Connecticut colleges volunteered to be studied. Murstein asked each partner to rate what he or she felt his own physical attraction was and that of his partner. Independent judges also rated the couples from photographs.

The result showed that the judges rated the "real" couples as being more equal in attractiveness than the randomly paired couples and that the couples themselves felt the same.

In general, Murstein found, the typical person perceived his partner as slightly more attractive than herself—himself thus proving, perhaps, that the couples were not only perceptive about their looks but smart, too.

THE INTELLIGENT INVESTOR



By J. Y. MONK, III

One of the most rapidly growing industries in our nation over the last several years has been the fast-food industry. Numerous chains of fast-food restaurants have opened around the country in answer to the public's demand for food to be served quickly and at reasonable prices.

The fast-food restaurants have prospered and should continue to do so. With more and more wives choosing to work outside the home and with the four day work week allowing more time for leisure, people should continue to increase the number of meals that they eat away from home.

Probably the best known of the fast-food restaurant chains is McDonald's Corporation, famous for its hamburgers and french fries. McDonald's has built its reputation on good food and excellent service to the public and has helped to make the hamburger the most popular single food item in America.

Kentucky Fried Chicken, now part of Heublein, Inc., claims to have more actual food outlets than any other restaurant chain. This company built its reputation on a special recipe for fried chicken, created by the famous Colonel Sanders, who once ran his own private restaurant before making his fortune in the fast-food bus-

ness. Several other fast-food chains which are well known to the public are Hardee's (hamburgers), Pizza Hut (pizza), Ponderosa Systems (steaks), Bonanza International (steaks), and Sambo's Restaurants (coffee shops). There are, of course, many other popular restaurant chains which are too numerous to mention here.

Investors who recognized the growth potential in the fast-food industry and bought stock in these companies could have received an above average return on their money. McDonald's, for example, has split its stock six times since its initial public offering in 1965. Ponderosa Systems Inc. moved from a low of \$4 1/2 per share in 1971 to a high of \$68 3/4 in 1972, while Sambo's Restaurants moved from a low of \$7 last year to a high of \$43 in 1972.

The average American currently eats about one-half of his meals away from home. With the trend toward eating out continuing to increase, investors might well consider the fast-food industry for investment possibilities in the years to come as there is still ample opportunity for growth.

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Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Morris enjoyed skiing last weekend at Ruidoso, N. M. Accompanying them were his brothers and wives, Mr. and Mrs. Rikki Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Kim Morris, all of Lubbock. Ron and Mike Morris remained here to visit in the home of their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Eller, while their parents were gone.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Dunbar and Jane had as house guests over the weekend Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. McCracken and sons, Brad, David and Frankie, of Marshall Mo. Miss Dunbar accompanied them back to Missouri. Both Jane and Brad are students at Missouri University in Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jack Smith and daughter of Irving spent the weekend visiting here with his mother, Mrs. Carl Smith, and sister, Mrs. George Ferris, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Helm of Lubbock spent the weekend visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Helm and Mrs. and Mrs. James Miller.

Misses Irene and Carol Foxhall returned to Lubbock last week after spending the holidays here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Foxhall. They are students at Texas Tech University.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Dunbar and Jane had as out-of-town guests Friday evening to meet their house guests, the Frank McCracken family of Missouri, Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burrage and Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Greenhaw, all of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Strange of Silverton.

Mrs. Ralph Howard and Kelly and Brien and Mrs. Estelle Guthrie of Lubbock spent the weekend visiting here with Dink Dennis and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Sims are in Lubbock this week where they are attending market.

Mrs. Mike Chapman of Fort Worth is visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Yarbrough, for two weeks while her husband is employed in Amarillo.

John Shadid visited in Altus, Okla., Sunday with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Jones, accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Baker of Hedley, spent the weekend in Sunray with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Baker and family.

Mrs. Jack Moreman visited in Groom Saturday with her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Sweatt, and family.

Mrs. Douglas Lawrence of Dumas spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Brewer, and his mother, Mrs. Ira Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Finch of Dalhart visited here the first of the week with his sister, Mrs. Ruth Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. John Alderman and daughter of Dallas spent the weekend here with Mrs. Alderman's mother, Mrs. Ruth Harrison.

Miss Debra Combs has returned to her home in Carbondale, Ill., after visiting here during the holidays with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Combs, and uncle, Bill Combs, and family.

Miss Helen Madden was called to Denver, Colo., last week due to the death of her sister, Mrs. Jeffery Hoy. Funeral services were held on Saturday in Denver.

Thomas Greene left last Friday for Fulton, Mo., where he is a student at Westminster College after spending the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Greene.

Bob Clark, who has been spending the holidays here with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Clark and family, has returned to Waco where he is a student at Baylor University.

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LAFF OF THE WEEK

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Rep. Phil Cates Named To Three House Committees

State Representative Phil Cates of Lefors has been named vice chairman of the Human Resources Committee in the Texas House of Representatives.

The appointment was announced last week by Price Daniel, Jr., newly elected Speaker of the House.

The Human Resources Committee will consider all legislation in the following areas: welfare reform, drug laws, mental health and retardation.

Rep. Cates is currently serving his second term in the State Legislature and will also serve as a member of the Oil and Gas sub-

committee, and Agriculture Committee.

Following the announcement of his appointments Rep. Cates said, "I am extremely pleased to serve on these committees because of their importance to my district."

"Each committee assignment deals directly with the needs of District 66 and I anticipate a hard working and eventful session. The people of our district are greatly honored in these vital appointments to positions of leadership."

Committees were consolidated and placed under major headings through the reform rules.

Mrs. Renee Williams and Mark of Hale Center are visiting here this week with her parents, the Carl Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Glass were in Amarillo Monday on business and also shopped.

CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF CONDITION OF

First State Bank

of Memphis in the State of Texas and Domestic Subsidiaries at the close of business on December 29, 1972.

ASSETS	
Cash and due from banks (including \$ None unposted debits)	1,139,168.10
U. S. Treasury securities	420,000.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	1,157,984.64
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	4,293,818.11
Other loans	104,745.91
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	108,611.71
Real estate owned other than bank premises	193,862.20
Other assets	7,418,190.67
TOTAL ASSETS	7,418,190.67

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$2,807,458.78
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	3,530,364.16
Deposits of United States Government	6,615.07
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	380,187.64
Deposits of commercial banks	2,000.00
Certified and officers' checks, etc.	51,786.88
TOTAL DEPOSITS	6,778,412.53
(a) Total demand deposits	3,153,548.37
(b) Total time and savings deposits	3,624,864.16
Other Liabilities	63,538.11
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$ 6,841,950.64

RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	
Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to Internal Revenue Service rulings)	3,951.03
TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	3,951.03

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Equity capital, total	572,289.00
Common stock—total par value (No. shares authorized 10,000) (No. shares outstanding 10,000)	100,000.00
Surplus	200,000.00
Undivided profit	272,289.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	572,289.00
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	7,418,190.67

MEMORANDA	
Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	\$ 6,689,760.28
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	\$ 4,348,270.29

I, Harold Moffitt, Assistant Cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest: Harold Moffitt
Bob Hutcherson, Don G. Cockrell, Allen C. Dunbar, Directors.

State of Texas, County of Hall, ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 11th day of January, 1973, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.
My commission expires June 1, 1973 Pat Goodnight, Notary Public.

REPORT OF CONDITION, CONSOLIDATING DOMESTIC SUBSIDIARIES, OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

of Memphis, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on Dec. 31, 1972 published in response to call made by comptroller of the currency, under Title 12, United States Code, Section 161.

ASSETS	
Cash and due from banks	2,260,233.33
U. S. Treasury securities	996,361.40
Obligations of other U. S. Government agencies & corp.	410,000.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	1,648,117.09
Other Securities	12,900.00
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	800,000.00
Loans	5,985,361.85
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	230,553.71
Real estate owned other than bank premises	2,610.00
Other assets (including \$108,543.33 direct lease financing)	270,896.66
TOTAL ASSETS	12,617,034.04

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	4,631,400.62
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	5,569,826.05
Deposits of United States Government	33,440.54
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	964,462.92
Deposits of commercial banks	10,247.86
Certified and officers' checks, etc.	240,119.96
TOTAL DEPOSITS	11,449,497.95
(a) Total demand deposits	5,443,805.92
(b) Total time and savings deposits	6,005,692.03
Other Liabilities	194,043.02
TOTAL LIABILITIES	11,643,540.97

RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	
Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to IRS rulings)	89,996.77
TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS & SECURITIES	89,996.77

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Equity capital—total	883,496.30
Common stock—total par value	215,000.00
No. shares authorized 8,600	
No. shares outstanding 8,600	
Surplus	215,000.00
Undivided profits	453,496.30
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	883,496.30
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	12,617,034.04

MEMORANDA

Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date 11,099,010.21

Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date 6,015,362.11

I, Bobbie Ariola, Cashier, of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/ Bobbie Ariola

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

L. E. Hughs, A. L. Gailey, Ben Parks, Directors.

Legal Notice

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received for the County Depository of Hall County, Texas, at the February Term, 1973, of the Commissioners' Court of said County. Bids will be publicly opened at 10:00 o'clock A. M., Monday, February 12, 1973. All bids must be delivered to the County Judge before that hour and no bids will be received after the first bid has been opened. All bids must be sealed and must state the rate of interest offered for the use of all moneys belonging to and under the control of the County, including all County funds, School money, road bond money, etc., between the date of said bid and the next regular time for the election of a depository, which is two years. Interest to be computed on daily balance, and payable monthly. Bids must be accompanied by the certified check for not less than one-half of one per cent (1/2 of 1 per cent) of the county revenue of last year, 1972, as a guarantee of good faith. Any Banking corporation, association or individual banker in Hall County, will be allowed to bid. The award will be to the highest bidder, the Commissioners' Court reserving the rights to reject any and all bids.

Respectively submitted,
E. Gip McMurry
County Judge, Hall County, Texas

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CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF CONDITION OF

Peoples State Bank

of Turkey, in the State of Texas and Domestic Subsidiaries at the close of business on December 31, 1972.

ASSETS	
Cash and due from banks	449,095.10
U. S. Treasury securities	251,625.00
Obligations of other U. S. Government Agencies and Corporations	169,505.20
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	24,570.65
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	160,000.00
Other loans	1,182,092.23
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	16,011.04
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 2,252,899.22

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$ 1,256,480.65
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	612,273.65
Deposits of United States Government	5,775.34
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	154,719.76
Certified and officers' checks, etc.	8,074.97
TOTAL DEPOSITS	2,037,324.37
(a) Total demand deposits	1,321,296.40
(b) Total time and savings deposits	716,027.97
Other Liabilities	5,034.00
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$ 2,042,358.37

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Equity capital, total	210,540.85
Common stock—total par value (No. shares authorized 500) (No. shares outstanding 500)	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	75,000.00
Undivided profits	85,540.85
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$ 210,540.85
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	2,252,899.22

MEMORANDA

Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date 1,939,099.00

Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date 1,304,871.50

Unearned discount on installment loans included in total capital accounts 2,738.00

I, Linda Ferguson, Cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest: Linda Ferguson
Tom Salem, T. W. Bell, Jr., Elmer Lacy, Directors.

State of Texas, County of Hall, ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 12 day of January, 1973, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.
My commission expires 6-1-73 Annie Lois Hedrick, Notary Public

Cyclone Cagers Take First Round Victory

Memphis Cyclone captured first half of District 2-A basketball competition with a spot-score last Friday night with a 75 to 64 victory over the Mustangs and won the first leg of the second round with a victory over Clarendon.

Cyclonettes lost to the girls and finished the first in second place, however, Cyclonettes are just one game away from the Cyclone and the two leaders, Claude and High, and the Cyclonettes a chance to get back in the ring Friday night in Cyclone by hosting the Valley High.

Basketball fans should make now to attend all the remaining games in the district and start out with the Memorial High games here Friday night.

On Tuesday, the Memphis travel to Wheeler as second leg continues.

One of the key games in the last Friday night? Local fans had mixed feelings as the boys won and the girls lost.

Coach Joe Bain of the Cyclones said that his team played hard the first half, only to be outscored 33 to 28. "We got into a rough right off in the early part, especially on the guard and just couldn't match the scoring pace," Coach Bain said.

Memphis forwards scored double figures with Mary Beck 18, Kathy Carmen 15 and Murdock 10 for a total of 43 points, but Claude put 65 points on the board to take the victory.

Coach Jimmy Pope had praise for the Cyclone squad by saying, "our whole team played well against Claude and we had several come through for us."

Memphis center Larry Don Johnson, ran into foul trouble early in play and had to sit portions of the key game out, managing six points while he was in the contest, but taking matters well into hand was James Beck who did not score in the first quarter, but put 24 points on the board in the remaining three periods. Ronnie Browning hit 18 points and Ben Smith hit 15. Mike Browning scored 8 points and Lenis Simpson had 4 for the Cyclone.

"It was a real team effort against Claude and I felt we played real well," Coach Pope said.

Second half play opened Tuesday night at Clarendon, and the Memphis girls took a one-sided victory, 72 to 31, from Clarendon's girls.

Coach Bain said, "against Clarendon our forwards really had a good game as Kathy hit 33 points, one of her best nights, while Kay Murdock had 18 and Mary Beck 16."

The boys game which followed was the first time Memphis and Clarendon teams have met on the court this year since the emotion packed gridiron contest and according to local coaches and fans the boys game was a spirited affair, which Memphis eventually won 49 to 39.

The boys game was full of an abundance of fouling, a lot of body contact, but when it was over the victory went to Memphis.

Wednesday morning, an announcement over the Memphis

High P. A. system expressed appreciation to local players and MHS students for their conduct at Clarendon.

Coach Pope said, "our team didn't play the brand of basketball they have been playing at Clarendon, but the team showed good discipline and kept their cool, and in the final quarter put 19 points on the board while Clarendon only managed six points."

Scoring went 16 to 15, 24 to 23, 30 to 33, and 49 to 39. Clarendon led by three at the end of the third period.

Larry Johnson put 22 of the Cyclone's points on the board, some from the free throw line in the final stanza. Lenis Simpson scored 8, Mike Browning 6, James Beck 5, Ronnie Browning 4 and Ben Smith 4.

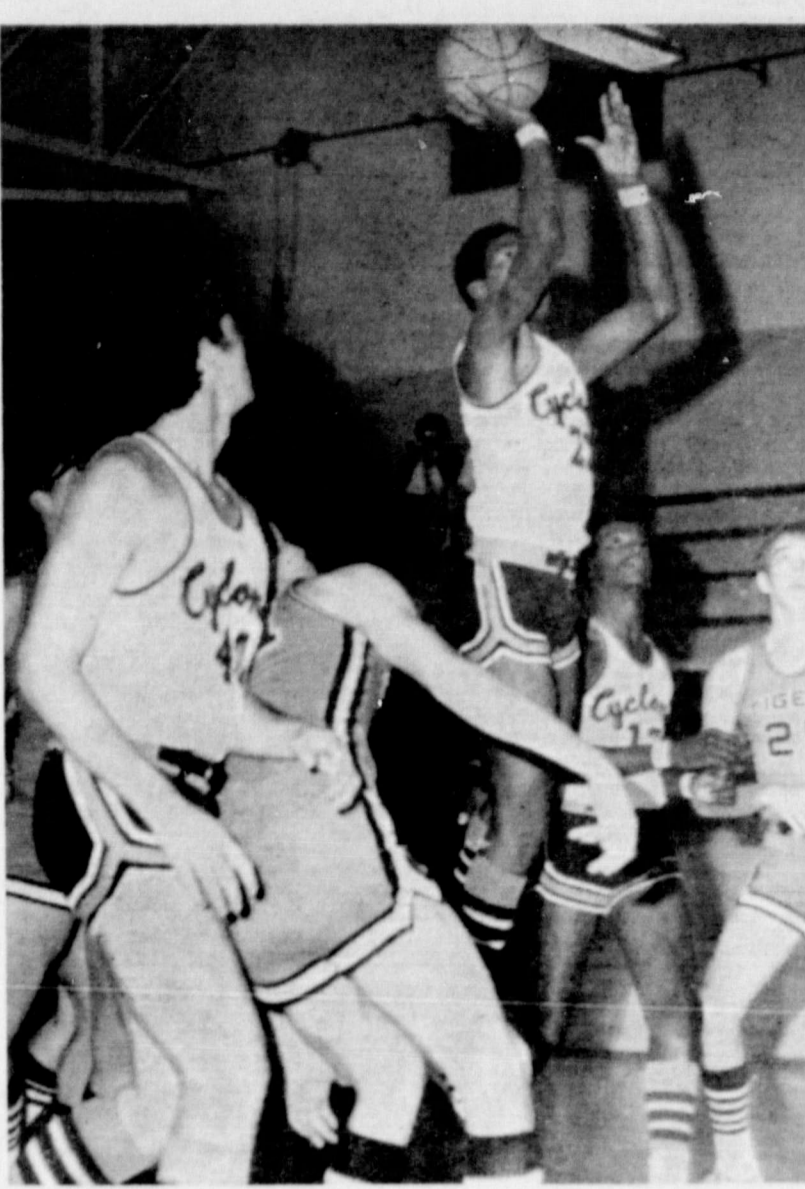
Clarendon's R. Littlefield had nine points.

Coach Pope announced that the Cyclone has a 20-3 season record so far this season, and that he understood that Clarendon was not interested in playing the make-up game with Memphis missed in the first round of district play.

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—Sydney Smith

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JOHNSON SHOOTS—Larry Johnson is shown above taking a jump shot against McLean in a recent district game. In the left foreground is Lenis Simpson and to the right of Johnson is James Beck. The Cyclone is the first round winner in the District 2-A race.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Lonny Ray Driver of Wellington are the parents of a son born Jan. 15. He has been named Brandon Ray and weighed 7 pounds, 1 1/2 ounces.

Stephanie Derinda Crooks welcomes an adopted baby brother to her home in Wichita Falls. Parents are Mr. and Mrs. Toby R. Crooks, former Memphis residents. The baby was born Jan. 1 at 4:22 a. m. and weighed six pounds. He has been named Bret Richard. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Crooks of Memphis and maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jerrell Trainham of Vera. Great-grandmothers are Mrs. E. C. Rice of Memphis, Mrs. W. I. Glosson of Houston, formerly of Memphis, and Mrs. A. Teel of Mens, Ark.

Hospital News

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Dismissed
John Loury, Mary Gonzales, Wynona Scott, Dorothy Stephens.

Public Notice

NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the County of Hall, Memphis, Texas, for the installing of new outside doors on the first and second floors of Hall County Courthouse. Bids will be publicly opened at 10:00 o'clock A. M., Monday, February 12, 1973. All bids must be delivered to the County Judge before that hour and no bids will be received after the first bid has been opened. Bids will be opened in the Commissioners Courtroom by the Commissioners Court. A complete copy of specifications can be viewed at the Office of the County Judge. The award will be to the lowest bidder. The Commissioners Court reserving the right to reject any and all bids.

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SPORTS CORNER

By BILL COMBS

Although the first half of District 2-A basketball is over, with the Memphis boys in first place, and the Memphis girls in second place in the standings, and several more important contests still on schedule, it looks like a district championship in basketball is a good possibility now.

How long has it been since a Memphis varsity basketball team won a district championship? I bring this subject up in hopes that someone will give me an idea as to where to look in Democrat files. I am almost certain that the Cyclone won district championships in 1949, for the team was the State Champion that season, in 1950, for that team lost out in the regional finals, and in 1951, a team which lost in regional play. Has there been a district championship in basketball

here since those years?

I, for one, plan to be in Cyclone Gymnasium Friday night for games with Valley High. The girls game is a real key one for Memphis girls if they hope to stay in the running for the district crown. Valley High and Claude girls are tied at this time, but should Memphis girls manage an upset victory over Valley High Friday, the local girls could stay in hot contention. Both Valley High and Claude have to play Memphis in the Cyclone gym. Basketball is a game of mobility, where quickness sometimes pays off where height is lacking. Cyclone gym is a big court and one of the local girls are used to playing on. Teams who play on smaller court areas find the play a little different on large courts.

The Memphis girls are a spirited group, and when they get



PREACHER SEZ HE AIN'T PUSHIN' LIFE INSURANCE AS MUCH AS FIRE INSURANCE.

rolling they play a fine brand of basketball. However, District 2-A girls division has several real fine girls teams competing. Fans should be on hand Friday to watch this game.

Concerning the Memphis boys, the Cyclone is one team which has kept me guessing as to which player will be the leading scorer. I try to give credit to the leading scorer in each game, but I get slipped up on occasionally. The team's two outside shooters are Ronnie and Mike Browning, nephew and uncle combination. Teamwork and team assignments necessitate different scoring combinations, by hitting the open man. I gave Mike credit for being the leading scorer against Silverton last week when it should have been Ronnie. I forgot to check the book on that game and used another source, which was in error.

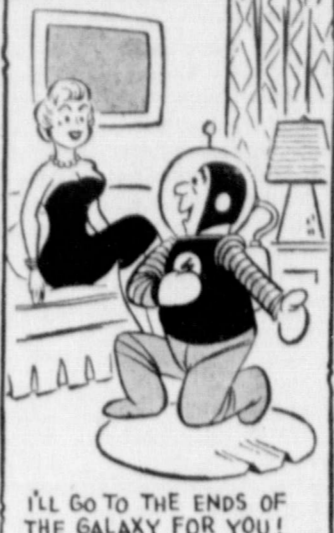
But back to the subject of teamwork. Mike and Larry Johnson are the two returning all district basketball players on the Cyclone squad. They usually draw the best defenders. What has impressed me this season is that the local team can score from all positions. James Beck was the leading scorer last Friday night against Claude. James is a sophomore and showing fast maturity. Larry was in foul trouble and in came Ben Smith who puts 15 points on the board. Ronnie got 18 points. Fans, if you want a little side game, try to guess who will be the leading scorer for the

Cyclone.

Coach Jimmy Pope said about the Clarendon game that the team's outside shooting was cold. "We had to work the ball inside in the final quarter or stand a chance of losing the game. Frankly, the team went out there and shot or drew a foul and made points from the free throw line," the coach said. "We've cut our turnover percentage way down from the first of the season and it is helping us. But what I have noticed more than anything is the teamwork. It's obvious that the squad is alert, and looking for the open man and taking advantage of opportunities when they are presented. I haven't mentioned Lenis Simpson so far and he is one player who can't be overlooked. Lenis is a steady scorer, hitting a high percentage of his shots. He was all tournament at Panhandle, and always is doing his job. Lenis was the second leading scorer against Clarendon Tuesday night."

What are the Cyclone's chances for a district crown? The team plays Valley High, a young team, then plays Wheeler at Wheeler. On Jan. 26, Memphis goes to Wellington and this is a must game for the Cyclone. Jan 30 the team hosts Silverton and on

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I can't say how long it has been since Memphis captured a district basketball crown, but I feel it's been long enough. Fans, go to the games and support the teams.

In The World Of Science

Tumor-Preventing Vaccine Studied To Determine Basis Of Its Action

A new vaccine that is preventing the development of massive tumors in hamsters infected with a tumor-producing virus, is being studied by University of Tennessee research scientists.

The vaccine they use is composed of tumor material which has been treated with radiation to prevent its growth. It was developed at Merck Institute in West Point, Pennsylvania for therapeutic research.

Dr. Joseph H. Coggin, assistant professor of microbiology and principal investigator for the vaccine project, said he and his staff are seeking to find where the vaccine-created immunity rests—in the hamster's blood fluids or in his body's cellular response. He said, "The findings of this study should help further define the role of viruses in tumor formation and perhaps provide another step toward the development of a vaccine to prevent cancer in humans should a correlation be established between human can-

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By BYRON BALDWIN



in his living room with him sitting in a chair with his pocket knife and a piece of wood and his finished wood carvings surrounding him, and had a television interview with Dave for about one hour. After this was shown on television, he received a number of telephone calls from old friends that he had not heard from in several years. It seems like Dave has made a regular "cut up" with all the wood he has shaped up into something to be remembered and admired by others.

Along with the letter, we received a package from Dave which proved his art work with wood. Some time ago, Lester Campbell gave him a piece of aspen wood and what came from this piece of aspen was a carving of a West Texas cowboy. He modeled this cowboy after a Mill Iron cowboy, Allie Graham, who lived in Estelline about 1912 and he moved to Vega where he passed away. Dave has asked that this carving be placed in Hall County Heritage Hall in memory of his old friend, W. P. Dial, who was in the farming and ranching business many years. Quote from Dave, "So many of the landmarks are gone, maybe the figure will help in recalling some of them." You will have to see this work of art to appreciate the many long hours worked on it and it is really outstanding with the lariat rope in his hand. Dave expressed his appreciation to Tommie Noel's map of the county about 1941. Another item hand carved in this package we received was a totem pole and he says the Indians used them to tell about people and events. This totem pole he said was for Willie Mae and me. The



A MULE'S LIKE SOME PEOPLE—THEY DON'T NEED A REASON TO KICK JUST 'SUMP'N TO KICK AT.

bottom figure he says is Byron, the second one is a fox, the third one a beaver and the fourth is a crow, denoting the Crow tribe, but said we could change the Crow to Baldwin. We appreciate this totem pole very much and

wish him success in his cutting and carving hobby shop.

One of Dave's most prized carvings that he has done is a wagon that is carried out in every detail for it and it really works as a wagon should.

The ginners finally caught up the past week with all the bad weather and they could have Christmas and New Year's with their families and attend worship services as they had the ox out of the ditch at last.

A remembered quote: "Success is not permanent. The same is also true of failure."

In conversation with Joe Bownds at Hall County Hospital, Joe told me that he had joined the "Honey Do" club and he had to work pretty hard to keep from doing the Honey-Do jobs. Joe, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Bownds, was born in Hall County near Lesley several years ago. (I won't say how many!) He recently retired from the post office in Clarendon after serving 22 years. He did tell of one incident that happened while in the post office. That was when a lady wanted to buy a book of stamps, and he asked her what denomination she wanted, and she replied, "Baptist."

A quote from Franklin Jones: "This is still the land of opportunity. Where else could you make enough to owe so much."

Minnie Kinslow who now lives in Eldorado, Ark., was one of the first contributors of money and work to put Hall County Heritage Hall over. She mailed us another nice contribution the past week. Thanks to her for all of the help she has given us in every way.

From the looks of the program of the inauguration of Gov. Briscoe and Lt. Gov. Hobby, they had a full day program last Tuesday over the city of our state capital. We have our state senator, Jack Hightower, and many other representatives of Hall County to see that this program was carried out right. It was interesting to read of the two Bibles, one quite old and another not so old, which are as much a part of the inauguration of Texas governors as their oaths of office are taken. The older book, known as the Supreme Court Bible, appeared when Texas was an independent nation. It was one of the few books saved in 1881 when the old capitol burned. This Bible, which

is over 130 years old, was used for the inauguration this time and it has been used for inauguration ceremonies since 1846. Pat Neff started the custom in 1925 as the last act of marking a scripture in the Bible when handed over to the new governor.

W. Lee O'Daniel chose the longest scripture when he marked the Ten Commandments. Pat Neff chose the shortest scripture with 14 lines from Psalms 119-105. I wonder what scripture Preston Smith will leave for the new governor?

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that they favored us with over the years. We will look forward to checking the growth of this family by 1974. In checking up with Ruth, she said she and Carl started this picture program 34 years ago when Sharon was a baby and in the past 34 years have only missed three years, so we now have 31 editions of pictures of this family. Another unusual thing about their picture is that they developed and made the prints themselves. I have had the pleasure of knowing 5 generations of the Harrisons and Finch families.

The past week we received a Christmas and New Year's greeting letter along with a lot more information from Dave M. Price, 3313 C Avenue, Fort Worth, Texas 76105. Dave is now in the wood carving business and has made about 300 different pieces since he started. While in a hospital bed, he made No. 1 and still has it. On area 5, channel 5, WBAP, they have a program each day from 5 to 5:30 p. m. They show art, cooking and other things people are doing in that area. Someone called this station and told them about Dave's wood carvings. So, on Monday, Jan. 8, they arrived about 9 p. m., set up the cameras and microphones



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The board set a revised date for graduation exercises and baccalaureate for the 1973 graduating class. Exercises will be on Friday, May 18, and baccalaureate will be Sunday, May 13.

Jack Hightower Draws Two Year Term In Senate

Senator Jack Hightower of Vernon drew capsule number 24, giving the seasoned senator a two-year term. Senators drawing even numbered "pills" had two-year terms as opposed to four-year terms for the odd numbers.

The drawing, held in the Senate Chamber Wednesday morning, Dec. 10, was required by the state constitution following the redistricting of the senate districts by the last legislature.

Mrs. Jeffery Hoy Dies In Colorado; Services Saturday

Funeral services for Mrs. Jeffery Hoy of Pueblo, Colo., were held Saturday, Jan. 13, at the 6th Avenue Congregational Church in Denver with the Rev. C. W. Ebbert, pastor of the First Congregational Church of Pueblo, officiating.

Mrs. Hoy died Thursday in Pueblo after a lengthy illness. Burial was in Fairmount Cemetery in Denver.

The former Loma Madden Mrs. Hoy was reared in Memphis and was a graduate of Memphis High School and Southern Methodist University. After graduating from SMU, she returned to Memphis and taught English in the high school.

She was united in marriage to Rev. Jeffery D. Hoy June 16, 1926, in Memphis. Mrs. Hoy was prominent in church affairs along with her husband, who preceded her in death.

A memorial fund has been started at the First Congregational Church in Pueblo for both

Hedley Teams Take Command Of District 4-B Basketball Races

District 4-B basketball action continues Friday night with Lakeview teams traveling to Quail and Estelline teams traveling to Samnorwood.

Next Tuesday the schedule has Hedley at Samnorwood and Lakeview playing at Estelline. The Estelline basketball teams have announced that the crowning of

Rev. and Mrs. Hoy. Rev. Hoy served as interim pastor for the Pueblo church and was also minister of the Denver congregation for a number of years.

Survivors include two daughters, Dorothy Gray and Mary Huck, both of Broomfield, Colo.; one son, William Hoy of Pueblo, Colo.; her mother, Mrs. R. L. Madden of Memphis; two sisters, Helen Madden of Memphis and Dorothy Cowart of Downers Grove, Ill., and nine grandchildren.

basketball queen and king for their teams will be held between the girls and boys game between 8 or 8:30 p. m. Tuesday night.

It appears now that the Hedley boys and girls have the upper hand in the Dist. 4-B cager races. Quite a few games were played in the district loop as make-up games were held along with regular games.

Last Thursday night, Lakeview and Hedley teams met in make-up games and the Hedley teams won both contests.

In the girls game, Hedley jumped out to a 25 to 8 first quarter lead and went on to capture a 61 to 36 victory, as Renee White scored 34 for the winners and Carolyn Hughes had 19 for the losers.

In the boys game, Hedley won the contest 91 to 47 as Tony Ricken and Dan Bolin each had 20 points for Hedley while Bill Rich-



burg had 16 for Lakeview. Friday night, Lakeview and Samnorwood played, and Samnorwood won both games. The girls game was 40 to 38 as the Lake-

view girls failed in a final quarter effort to make up a 12-point deficit. Carolyn Hughes had 24 while Lyna Coleman had 22. In the boys game, Samnorwood, led by Doug Coleman with 27 points, took an 86 to 53 victory. Ronnie Proby had 21 for Lakeview.

A key boys game between Hedley and Quail was played Friday and the Hedley boys managed a 43 to 33 victory in a low scoring contest. The game was tight, 26 to 24 through the third quarter. Leon Freeman had 18 for Hedley while Gary Brown had 11 for Quail. Hedley's girls took a 76 to 31 win from Quail as Miss White had 36 points and Debra Culpepper had 18 for Quail.

Tuesday, Quail's teams won a pair of games from Samnorwood, 59 to 56 in the girls game and 82 to 71 in the boys game.

Also Tuesday, Hedley teams won two games from Estelline teams. In the girls game, Hedley took a 54 to 41 victory as Linda Lindsey had 24 for Hedley and Patti Welch had 18 for Estelline.

In the boys game, Hedley won 74 to 33. Leon Freeman and Dan

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