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## Memphis-Clarendon To Play Key Dist. Game Fri.

Memphis Cyclone, with its unbeaten record, travels to Clarendon Friday night for a crucial football game at 7:30 p.m. The game is a "must" for the Cyclone as Coach Clyde McMurphy of Memphis is to have any chance of winning the District championship in 1975.

Clarendon Bronchos supported a 4-1 season record, compared to Memphis' 3-3, and are expected to play compared to the Cyclone. Clarendon is expected to meet Wellington until the season.

Coach Clyde McMurphy said, "We have our backs to the wall so to speak. This is a team that must win to stay in the district."

The game pits two teams of equal size and speed. They are expected to play three of the same games, with Memphis fairing better than Clarendon. Clarendon lost to Shamrock by a larger margin than Memphis did, defeated Shamrock 17-10 while Memphis took a 10-0 victory from McLean. But the "chips are down" comment scores are sometimes misleading.

Clarendon will have the home advantage, but there will be many Memphis fans at the game. The field is not too much of a factor when Memphis and Clarendon square off against each other.



**ADDRESS SYSTEM** — Myrtle Helm, president of the Business Women's Club, is pictured above with the new address system the club recently donated for use at the Community Center. The address system is modern, featuring a microphone and reading light. It was purchased from proceeds of the recent Little Master and Miss Hall County contest, sponsored by the club.

## Cotton Boll Enduro Activities To Include Parade Sat., Race Sunday

### Cyclone Mothers To Feature Variety Show Saturday

The Cyclone Mothers are sponsoring a Bi-Centennial Variety Show on Saturday evening, October 25 at 7:30 p.m. in the Memphis High School Auditorium.

A large variety of talent will perform.

Tickets are now on sale from all Cyclone mothers at \$1.50 for adults and 75 cents for students. Tickets may also be purchased at the door the night of the performance.

The public is cordially invited to come and enjoy an evening of fun and entertainment, members stated.

A concession stand will be open at intermission with coffee, cold drinks and cookies on sale.

### First Quarter Horse Show Attracts 108

There were slightly over 300 entries in the Hall County 4-H Quarter Horse Show held here last Saturday, as the show attracted 108 horses, Roy Alvin Molloy, show manager said.

Jackie Geer of Odessa riding Judd Seven, won the Youth Activity All Around Performance Championship, as she placed second in Showmanship at halter, first in Western Pleasure, first in Hunt Seat English, second in Western Horsemanship, first in Western and Trail Horse, and second in reining.

Runner-up for All-Around was Dorothy Ann Murdock, of Hobbs, N. M., who placed fifth in Showmanship at Halter, second in Western Pleasure, first in Hunt Seat English, first in Western Horsemanship, first in Western Riding and first in Trail Horse.

Miss Geer accompanied a total of 36 points while Miss Murdock had 30 points. Third place was Gena Willoughby with 28, fourth was Jeanna Tippen, fifth was Roy Travis Galloway, and sixth was Sharron Hodnett.

Winners in the show, by showing the Grand Champion Mare was Renee Cluck of Dimmitt, with Ronee Thornton of Lockney showing the Reserve Champion Mare. Grand Champion Gelding was shown by Mary Geer of Odessa with the Reserve Champion Gelding shown by Dorothy Ann Murdock of Hobbs, N. M.

Entries came in from all over including: Dimmitt, Lockney, Lubbock, Perryton, Stratford, Silverton, Odessa, Hobbs, N. M., Amarillo, Seymour, Hugoten, Kans., Liberal, Kans., Dumas, Lakeview, Memphis, Nocona, Paducah, Norman, Okla., Quanah, Summerfield, Friona, Hart, Floydada, Gruver, Flomot, Canyon, Rocky, Okla., Tulia, Happy, Omaha, Neb., and Hardesty, Okla.

Jack Streun of Summerfield, Texas, showed the Grand Champion Stallion, a horse named "Shonuff Cash", foaled in 1970, which won the 1971 and Before Stallions class.

Bill Russ of Rocky, Okla., showing Pandy Sugar Bars, took Reserve Champion Stallion honors. The horse won the 1972 Stallion class.

Renee Cluck of Dimmitt, showing I'ma Tuff, won Grand Champion mare, winner of the 1971 and Before Mares class.

Reserve Champion Mare was Baca Chica, shown by Fabian or Peggy Polita of Amarillo, the second place 1971 and Before class winner.

Grand Champion Gelding was shown by Gary Geer of Odessa, a horse named Tee Jay Ole Jackie, winner of the 1971 and Before Gelding class, and the Reserve Champion Gelding was Billy Bars Baby shown by Dorothy Ann Murdock of Hobbs, N. M.

Several area young people earned points toward the all around performance championship.

Mary Lou Bradley won fourth in showmanship at halter, third in western riding, fourth in barrels and fourth in poles for 13 points.

Oren Don Molloy took fifth in western pleasure, third in western horsemanship, second in trail horse for ten points.

Steven Molloy took sixth in western pleasure, sixth in western horsemanship, fifth in western riding, fifth in trail horse, fifth in reining, fifth in barrels and fourth in poles for 13 points.

Kim Johnson took sixth places in trail horse and reining and fifth in poles.

Staria Byars took sixth in trail horse, fifth in barrels and sixth in poles.

Roland J. (Dusty) Byars took sixth in barrels and third in poles, totaling five points.

A total of 29 riders earned points in the youth activities.

More than 600 riders from Texas and six area states are expected to be in Memphis this weekend to compete in the 4th annual Cotton Boll Enduro to be held on Saturday and Sunday, October 25 and 26, Jim Edd Wines, manager of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce, said today. The event is being sponsored by the Amarillo Track and Trail Riders and the Memphis Chamber of Commerce.

Many of the riders will bring their families with them and approximately 6,000 persons are expected in Memphis for the grande Enduro Parade on Saturday afternoon at 3 p.m., Wines stated.

Saturday events will get underway at 2 p.m. when the Memphis High School band, under the direction of Carol Blain, will meet on the courthouse lawn to give a concert.

We are expecting to have a really nice parade this year, Wines said. Parade entries will assemble at the Junior High Building at 2:30 p.m. and will march down Main street and exit from the square on Noel street.

A number of out-of-town floats will be here for the parade including the Khiva Shrine from Amarillo, Greenbelt Lake in Clarendon, Wellington, Turkey, several floats from Hedley as well as floats from local clubs, businesses and organizations. A large parade will be pieces of army artillery and the color guard from Fort Hood.

Following the parade a gun fight will be staged by the Amarillo Gun Fighters and music will be presented by the Big Texan Band of Amarillo.

Trophies will be awarded in 12 various categories, Coy Miller, who is chairman of the Parade committee, stated.

On Saturday evening two forms of entertainment will be available to the visitors. The Cyclone Mothers are sponsoring a variety show at the high school auditorium beginning at 7:30 p.m. and a special enduro show will be playing at the Movie House downtown also beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Enduro headquarters is the hut north of the DeVill Motel. Visitors will be camping at the DeVill parking lot and at the City Park. Local police will be patrolling the area, it was stated.

## UIL Marching Contest Is Tuesday For Bandsmen

The Memphis Cyclone Band underwent a 4-hour practice session Tuesday night under the guidance of Barbara and Fred Prentice of Arlington preparing for the U. I. L. Marching contest next Tuesday.

The Memphis Band will travel to Canyon on Tuesday, October 28 for the marching contest and is scheduled to march at 1:18 p.m. Miss Carol Blain said.

"I was real proud of the band for the hard work they put in during this clinic Tuesday" Carol Blain said Wednesday morning. She indicated the group showed a lot of improvement during the night's work.

Also taking place during the marching contest, is the twirling contest, where twirling solos and ensembles are judged. Boycena Bruce, Sandra Allen and Renee Wilson will be participating.

The 68 members of the Cyclone Band, under field direction of Drum Major Cheryl Messick, will be marching in the contest routine Friday night during halftime ceremonies at the Memphis - Clarendon game.

The Marching contest presented the first of three UIL grading contests bands participate in each year. A division I rating in marching, concert and sight reading is required for Sweepstake. Sweepstake bands in each class are then judged for the State Honor Band.

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## Methodist Church To Hold Carnival on Tues., Oct. 28

The First United Methodist Church is sponsoring a Halloween Carnival on Tuesday night, Oct. 28 from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. it was announced this week.

There will be fun and entertainment for the whole family. The children will want to visit the spook house, bob apples and throw darts. There will also be a fortune teller, cake walk, bingo and white elephant sale.

Half of the proceeds will go to the World Hunger program. Everyone is invited to attend the carnival.

## Brice Baptist Church To Hold Special Services

The Brice Baptist Church is planning a special bicentennial service for Sunday, Nov. 2, Jimmy Lemons, Sunday school director, announced this week.

Sunday morning services will begin with Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. followed by morning worship at 11:00 a.m. Rev. Bryan Knowles, pastor, will deliver the morning sermon.

Special music will be presented by the Pounds Family of Memphis (Continued On Page 10)

## Band Boosters To Hold Bake Sale Saturday

The Memphis Band Booster organization is sponsoring a bake sale Saturday morning, October 25. The bake sale will start at 9 a.m. and continue until all items are sold. Location will be on the west side of the square in front of Branigan Jewelry.

The group will specialize again in home baked goodies and it was decided to use no mixes. Old fashioned recipes seem to be more in demand than premixed items, so the club will again try to meet the public demand.

The purpose of the bake sale is to raise needed finances to be used upon the high school and junior Hi. bands. The tremendous increase in costs of all necessary musical items is so great that the school budget cannot cover everything needed. It is the prime concern of the booster club to help in this area as much as possible.

All money raised by the club will be used for the betterment of all band students in Memphis.

Each mother of a band student is asked to furnish for sale one home baked cake, two pies or a large quantity of cookies or brownies. Each item will be priced according to the amount of ingredients used in the baked product. For those mothers who (Continued on Page 10)

## Nation To Go On Standard Time On Sunday

Area residents should remember that at 2:01 a.m. Sunday morning, the clock will be rolled back one hour as the country goes off Daylight Savings Time and to Standard Time.

Most families turn the clocks back an hour before retiring Saturday night. The nation will stay on this time until the last Sunday in February, a four-month period.



**INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION TEAM** — Rotary Club President James Davis (left) is pictured just after he presented miniature cotton bales to the Texas Industrial Commission team which was here Tuesday. Shown left to right are: Ricimard Petree, Mgr. of Ind. Dev. Dept. of WTU, Collier Watson, Texas Dept. of Community Affairs, E. H. Sheffield, Mgr. of Community Service of TIC, Tomer Tucker, Sr. Ind. Dev. Consultant, State Rep. Phil Cates of Shamrock and Mgr. of Community Service of TIC, Jerry Heare, Dir. of Community Service. Mr. Heare addressed Rotarians and those attending the seminar at the lunch. Twenty-six of the 31 persons attending the seminar were from Memphis, with others from Clarendon, McLean and Claude. West Texas Utilities, Lone Star Gas and General Telephone Co. paid for the seminar guests at the luncheon.

## Assembly Of God Women To Have Spaghetti Supper

The Women's Missionary Council of the Assembly of God Church will sponsor a spaghetti supper Thursday evening, October 30, in the Travis school cafeteria.

The meal will be served between the hours of 6:30 and 7:30 p.m.

Tickets may be purchased at \$2.00 for adults and \$1.50 for children.

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## EDITORIAL

### Cotton Boll Enduro Weekend!

The Memphis and Hall County area will be the site of another motorcycle weekend this weekend, as riders will begin assembling in the area Saturday morning.

The Amarillo Track and Trail Riders and the Memphis Chamber of Commerce have again planned another active weekend, with the two big features being the Cotton Boll Grand Parade at 3 p. m. Saturday and the race which starts at 8:01 a. m. Sunday morning.

Area citizens as well as motorcyclists will have to remember that at 2:01 A. M. Sunday morning, the time will change to Central Standard, from Daylight Standard, so all clocks and watches will need to be rolled back one hour.

Saturday's activities will begin with a 2 p. m. musical program by the Memphis High School Band on the courthouse square in Memphis. At 2:30 p. m. Saturday, parade entries will form at the Jr. High School at 11th and Main Street.

Enduro riders are invited to ride in the parade and display a sign giving their home town. A trophy will be awarded to the bike rider from the longest distance.

The parade starting at 3 p. m. will have a large entry of out-of-town, as well as local, floats, etc. A number of activities will surround the parade, such as gun fighters, music provided by the Big Texan Steak House of Amarillo. Indications are the parade this year will be bigger and better than last year.

All bikes in the race will undergo sound tests to determine noise levels, and all riders are encouraged to put up their bikes after sound testing, and sponsors have warned, "Any bike on streets or disturbing the peace after sundown will be disqualified from the enduro; no exceptions."

As far as Memphis is concerned, "It's welcome matt time." This farming community and area have hosted the enduro motorcyclists in years past and they are welcome. Frankly, most residents have been very cooperative, and have found disturbances to be few and far between. On the other hand, citizens have been far more concerned for the safety of riders and their bikes who have tackled the tough enduro course in past years. There have been instances where bikes were lost in the sand and mud on the river, and others torn completely up. Riders have had to undergo hospital treatment for injuries in a few instances.

This year's course, however, is expected to be a little milder than in past years, especially if the area doesn't receive rainfall before the race Sunday. This enduro, like others in the past, filled up with entries many weeks before the race date, so sponsors had very little problem finding entries.

Area citizens can be very helpful during the race if they give assistance and aid to riders who have experienced breakdowns or who have lost their way. Also, motorists should drive defensively since there will be unusually large numbers of motorcycle riders on the streets and highways in this area.

Memphis has been the site of several activities involving sporting events. Last weekend, the Hall County 4-H Quarter Horse show attracted entries from as far away as Nebraska and Kansas, and Hobbs, N. M., and this weekend motorcycle riders will come from all over to participate in the Cotton Boll Enduro.

These activities add to the "tourist" dollars spent in this area and our visitors deserve a special effort on all our parts to see that their needs are met in a courteous and friendly way.

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## ACROSS THE DESK

What Other Editors Say

### NO NEED FOR PANIC

Texas Attorney General John Hill opened a can of worms a couple of weeks ago with an opinion which declared that a school district can't charge students for school supplies, lab fees, driver education and extra-curricular activities.

Shock waves spread quickly across the state, and scores of school boards and school administrators panicked at the idea of having to pick up the tab for many thousands of dollars worth of supplies and fees which parents had been paying.

Calm is now returning. School people overlooked a couple of factors, one being that an "opinion" by the Attorney General is just that, and doesn't necessarily have the effect of law until it has been tested in the courts. The other was that the Attorney General's opinion, which may or may not have been ill-considered, was confined to three specific areas: tuition for driver education, charges for school supplies, instruction and lab fees, and fees for extra-curricular activities, and didn't cover the entire waterfront.

The Texas Education Agency has now issued some guidelines which may calm the troubled waters. Among the points made by Commissioner of Education Dr. M. L. Brockette: the ruling does not require schools to furnish traditional supplies such as pencils, paper, etc; it is not retroactive (schools aren't going to have to refund fees charged prior to the October 1 ruling date); and driver education courses offered in summer sessions can be charged for.

The whole uproar may have some beneficial effects, also. Some schools which have virtually gone into the business of peddling school supplies may stop it; and the practice of requiring expensive work-books, lab materials and special equipment for regular school courses, now that school districts may have to pay for them, may be reduced to more reasonable limits.

Local schools have not been greatly affected by the ruling. Band uniforms for which the Attorney General says no rental fee may be charged, and instruments have traditionally been furnished local students anyway. The Canadian district has been generous in furnishing equipment needed in labs and classes. There's no cause for panic.

—The Candian Record

### THE FAMILY FARM

Every once in a while we read something warning us that the nation is in danger of being taken over by giant corporate farms and that the family farm is on its way out.

This has not materialized, and it appears that it might be a very long time coming about, if ever. The Associated Press had an article last week about the family farm. It said that the trend is to fewer and larger farms, which has been under way since the mid-1930s, is still going on.

Back in 1930 one of every four Americans lived on a farm. Today one person in 25 resides there.

The trend toward fewer and larger farms does not mean that this is a trend toward corporate farming, other than the fact that a great many family farms have incorporated for management and tax purposes.

The vast majority of farm production in this nation is done by family farms, which of necessity are larger than they used to be.

After all, an investment of \$30,000 in a tractor means that more land has to be cultivated with it in order to justify that investment. The day when a farmer hitched up a mule and plowed 40 acres is long gone, except for the history books.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture says that today there are about 2.8 million farms, averaging 385 acres each on a national basis. Farms are larger than that in this part of the country.

In 1870 the average farm was 150 acres. This is understandable because in 1870 there was no machinery capable of cultivating and harvesting crops like there is today.

Farming is a big industry and one of the most important industries we have in this nation.

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Because Americans have traditionally been well fed and our nation has had a problem of food shortages, the Americans who live in cities tend to take it for granted that food production is somewhat automatic, like the weather.

Agriculture, although a giant industry, does not lend itself to corporate management as easily as some other fields. Farming itself is quite a gamble and does not lend itself to formulate and equations that guarantee results and profits.

Occasionally somebody will assemble a giant tract of land and try to apply corporate methods to it. This has not generally been a howling success. The large scale sprinkler irrigation project in Dallam county, using capital of Winston Rockefeller, is still going but on a reduced scale since the death of Rockefeller.

The family farm has been around a long time and seems destined to be around a long time to come. We need to be thankful that there are dedicated farmers determined to make their living from their land.

—The Perryton Herald

Generals Lee and Grant fought on the same side in the Mexican war.

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## Memories

From  
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### 30 YEARS AGO October 25, 1945

The earliest killing freeze in Hall County in 28 years came last Monday morning, Oct. 15. Thin skims of ice were observed. Late feed, garden crops and flowers were "killed" by the freeze, but there was no appreciable crop damage.

The Moss Motor Co., a new business firm in Memphis owned by Grover Moss and his son, William, is getting things in shape for the display, sales and services of Plymouth and DeSoto automobiles and parts, for Oliver tractor and implements and for Crosley electrical appliances.

S-Sgt. Gene Lindsey is home — a civilian. He served with the 15th Air Force in Italy as a waist gunner on a B-24, and he amassed 253 combat hours and nine months in that theatre of operation.

Purchase of a new, streamlined fire truck with all the latest type equipment used in fire fighting, is being considered by the City Council.

It's now Wendell Harrison of the Harrison Hardware Company instead of Lt. Harrison of the United States Navy.

Memphis and Lakeview, both Losers Last Week in Football; Old Rivals Tangle In Eagle Stadium; Game Time Is 7:30.

Carroll Hanna, Ronnie and Don Gailey receive class badges; Robert Perry Wright, Gordon Bunky Adcock, Gordon Jimmy Callaway were first class badges. Recent awards were Wayne Leamy Dunn and Larry Crand Moore received a award and Charles Massey merit badges in canoe archery.

### 10 YEARS AGO October 28, 1965

Mary Hubbard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lakeview, and Harold of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Memphis, were united in Friday, October 22, at Baptist Church.

Cub Scouts of Den 10 tour of the Memphis Monday afternoon. Sponsoring were Billy Clark, Freelen, Mike Mowrey, Mowrey, Fidel Rocha, Sanchez, Russell Glasco, Bradshaw and Robert Glasco. Mothers were Mrs. L. B. and Mrs. Bert Glascock, chief was John Carman.

Janice Pounds of Memphis one of 43 coeds pledged to a sorority at West Tennessee University to close fall rush.

Members of the Memphis Fire Department sponsor a Halloween Carnival Saturday. Rides began at Tuesday and booths will Saturday. The carnival on the vacant lot south of 10 State Amendments.

The Memphis Cyclone band under Drum Major Knight, took to the field day at U. I. L. Region 1 Contest at Canyon and awarded a Division 1 runner Twirler Rosemary Harris fourth year as a twirler awarded a Division 1 runner her twirling solo.

### 20 YEARS AGO October 27, 1955

Hall County gins had turned out a total of 6,857 bales of cotton.

Karen Eddins has been chosen queen for 1955-56 by students of the Estelline schools. Kenneth Crump was elected "Mr. E".

Mrs. Seth Pallmeyer and Mrs. Bill Keeterson returned Tuesday from a three-week tour through nine southern states.

Debs Eugene Cofer receives Scholarship; Money to Southwest Texas State Teachers College at San Marcos.

Seventeen Scouts of Troop 35 advanced during the Hedley Camporee. Bob Alewine, Gary Gunter,

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### VARSITY SCHEDULE

|              |              |                       |
|--------------|--------------|-----------------------|
| September 12 | — Memphis 20 | — Childress 28        |
| September 19 | — Memphis 7  | — Crowell 14          |
| September 26 | — Memphis 21 | — Lubbock Christian 6 |
| October 3    | — Memphis 6  | — Wellington 23       |
| October 10   | — Memphis 20 | — Shamrock 7          |
| October 17   | — Memphis 60 | — McLean 0            |
| October 24   | — Clarendon  | ..... There           |
| October 31   | — Silverton  | ..... There           |
| November 7   | — Wheeler    | ..... Here            |
| November 14  | — Claude     | ..... There           |

### JUNIOR VARSITY SCHEDULE

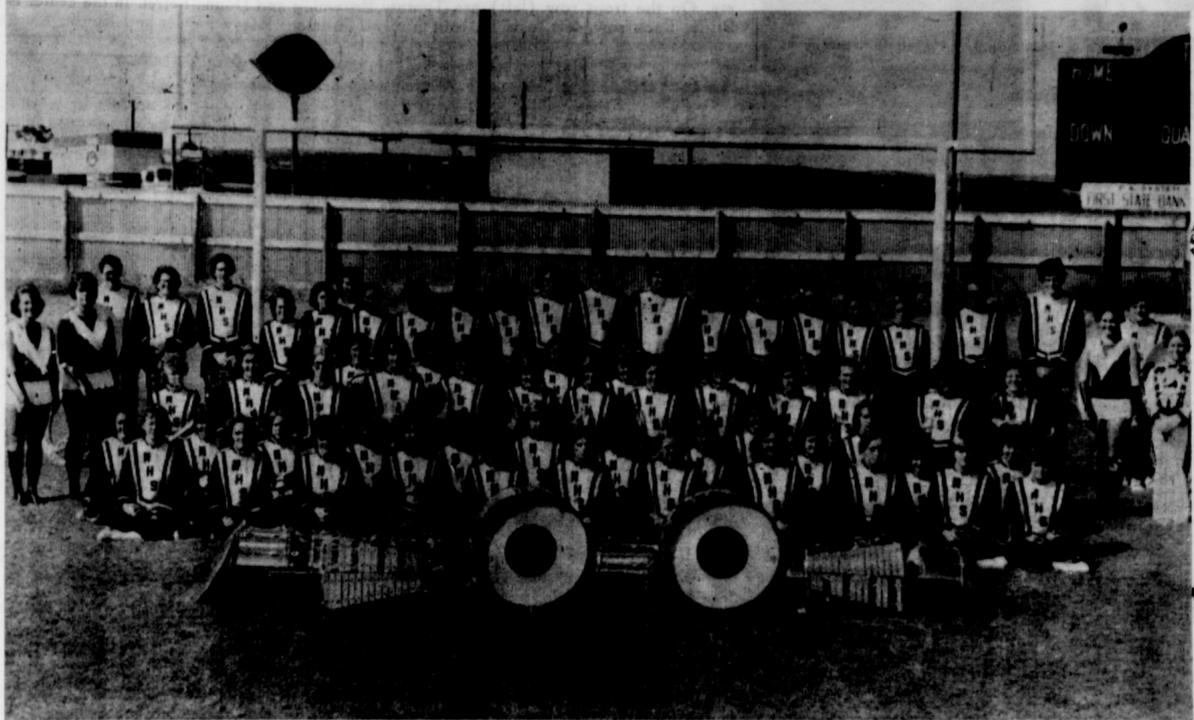
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| September 4  | — Memphis 16 | — Clarendon 6   |
| September 11 | — Memphis 8  | — Childress 36  |
| September 18 | — Memphis 6  | — Quanah 26     |
| September 25 | — Memphis 22 | — Claude 0      |
| October 2    | — Memphis 0  | — Wellington 16 |
| October 9    | — Memphis 22 | — Shamrock 12   |
| October 16   | — Memphis 12 | — Hollis 2      |
| October 23   | — Clarendon  | ..... H (7:00)  |
| October 30   | — Hollis     | ..... T (5:30)  |
| November 6   | — Wheeler    | ..... T (7:00)  |

### 7th GRADE SCHEDULE

|              |              |                 |
|--------------|--------------|-----------------|
| September 11 | — Memphis 0  | — Childress 32  |
| September 18 | — Memphis 0  | — Quanah 50     |
| September 25 | — Memphis 0  | — Clarendon 14  |
| October 2    | — Memphis 0  | — Wellington 20 |
| October 9    | — Memphis 0  | — Shamrock 20   |
| October 16   | — Memphis 14 | — Hollis 6      |
| October 23   | — Clarendon  | ..... T (4:30)  |
| November 1   | — Hollis     | ..... T (5:30)  |
| November 6   | — Wellington | ..... H (4:30)  |
| November 13  | —            | ..... OPEN      |

### 8th GRADE SCHEDULE

|              |              |                |
|--------------|--------------|----------------|
| September 11 | — Memphis 20 | — Childress 52 |
| September 18 | — Memphis 14 | — Quanah 8     |
| September 25 | — Memphis 16 | — Claude 8     |
| October 2    | — Memphis 24 | — Wellington 0 |
| October 9    | — Memphis 16 | — Shamrock 0   |
| October 16   | — Memphis 38 | — McLean 0     |
| October 23   | — Clarendon  | ..... H (6:00) |
| October 30   | — Silverton  | ..... H (6:00) |
| November 6   | — Wheeler    | ..... T (6:00) |
| November 13  | —            | ..... OPEN     |



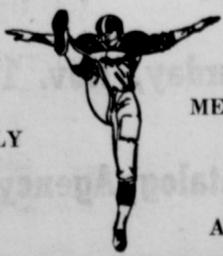
MEMPHIS CYCLONE BAND—The 68 members of the Cyclone Marching Band will be competing in U. I. L. Region Marching Contest on Tuesday, Oct. 28, at Canyon. The band marches at 1:18 p.m. and sponsors of this advertisement in saluting the band want to extend best wishes as the band prepares for this important contest. Pictured left to right, front row, are: Debbie Callahan, Holly Roden, Jana Davis, Liz Phillips, Peggy Fowler, Sheri Woodard, Kim Blackburn, Donna Sterling, Helen Bolden, Brenda Davis and Jolynn Bass. Second row from the left are: Suzanne Elliott, Jackie Chappell, Debbie Atkisson, Rachel Hernandez, Diana Mejia, Pat Wheeler, Gloria Brille, Barbara Hudson, Julie Fowler, JoAnn Allard, Sandra Watson, Kim Wynn and DeCarla Sasser. Third row from the left are: MariAnn Posey, Tammy Lockhart, Linda Hudson, Pam Kehr, Sherita McKay, Adam Alemon, Sherryll Johnson, Theresa Davis, Lisa Ferris, Sandy Hindman, Kim Pride, Donna Ferrel, Donna Maddox, Kindra Blackman, Sheryl Orcutt, Tammy Browning, Dale Wiginton, Alicia Berry and Jane Richardson. Standing from the left are: Sandra Allen, Renee Wilson, Jody Dixon, Brent Barbee, Scooter Smith, Christy Stahl, Mel Huffman, Audrie Phillips, Edna Williams, J. Frank Spry, Jay McKay, Rex Brewer, Randy Herndon, Lance Long, Donna Butler, Cheryl Frisbie, Allan Beasley, Phil Chappell, Steve Boney, Boycene Bruce and Cheryl Messick. The Cyclone Band is under the direction of Miss Carol Blain.

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**Hospital News**

**Patients**

Inez Patrick, L. B. Chaudoin, Milton Ellis, Joyce Boyies, Mozelle McMillen, Oscar Walker, Peggy Ruth Lamb, Ruby E. Patterson, Susie Mae Williams, Eunice Armstrong, Pearlee McWhorter, Mildred Ariola, Mattie T. Phillips, Jimmy R. Fowler, Lynda Perkins, Bell Bland, H. D. Bell, Janie M. Wynrner, Rosetta Shields, Sharon Trout, Martin Eugene Allison, Robt. Stewart, Clyde James, Earl Wayne Parsonse and Nellie Leary.

**Dismissed**

Jerry Holland, Nina Harmon and baby girl, Wilma Wilks, Floye Jones, Penelope Jones, Frankie Blocker, Viola Robertson, Kattie Walls, Alice Eller, Robbie Jones and baby girl, Mary Chadwick and baby boy, Tommie McFalls, Estelle Moore, William Cline, Joan Marlow, Deborah Tobey, Ima Lawrence, Willie Reid, Leora Sparks and Weldon Bates.



**CRADLE ROLL CALL**

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hendrix of Canyon are the parents of a new baby girl, Martin is the son of Mrs. Dewey Hendrix and the late Dewey Hendrix, former Hall Countians.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Chadwick of Clarendon are the parents of a son born Oct. 16. He weighed 4 pounds, 11 1/2 ounces and has been named Tommy Gene.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie M. Jones of Childress announce the arrival of a daughter on October 16. She has been named Melissa Gay and weighed 5 pounds, 1 1/2 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Harman of Childress announce the birth of a daughter, Carol Lea Ann, on October 19. She weighed 6 pounds, 11 3/4 ounces.

April Lynne Shoffner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas W. Shoffner of Childress, was born October 20. She weighed 7 pounds 2 1/2 ounces.

**Cafeteria Menus  
Memphis Public Schools**

**Monday, Oct. 27**

Italian Spaghetti, corn, carrot stick, sliced bread, cobbler, milk.

**Tuesday, Oct. 28**

Hot dogs with chili and cheese, pork and beans, tossed salad, strawberry cake, whipped topping, milk.

**Wednesday, Oct. 29**

Meat and potato casserole, sweet peas, tossed salad, hot rolls, apricots, milk.

**Thursday, Oct. 30**

Pizza, baked beans, lettuce salad, banana pudding, milk.

**Friday, Oct. 31**

Hamburgers, lettuce, tomato, onion and pickles, French fries, cake, milk.

Mrs. Seth Pallmeyer of Wichita Falls spent last week visiting here with her sister, Mrs. Susie Kesterson. Mrs. Pallmeyer's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Foster Watkins, also of Wichita, visited here with Mrs. Kesterson over the weekend and Mrs. Pallmeyer returned home with them.

**Artist Studio Meets In Regular Session Tuesday**

The Memphis Artist Studio met Tuesday, October 21 at the DeVillie Restaurant.

The members who attended the Palette Award banquet in Amarillo Saturday night gave information concerning the club becoming a member of the national organization and at a late date becoming an international organization.

The meeting was hosted by Mrs. Olla Mae Ward.

Members attending were Mmes. Morgan Baker, Lottie Kinard, J. R. Saunders, Susie Kesterson, Teddy Jean Allen, Bonnie Wilson, Jimmy Wheeler, Margaret Smith and Martha Clark.

J. O. McQueen of Shamrock visited here Sunday with his mother, Mrs. John McQueen.



**FRESHMEN CHEERLEADERS**—Pictured above are the six Memphis Freshmen Cheerleaders. On the front row (left) are Tammy Browning and Donna Ferrel. In the center is Kelli Pride. Back row, left to right, are: Sandy Hindman, Peggy Fowler and Kindra Blackmon.

**Mrs. Joe Eddins Is Hostess To Pathfinders Oct. 14**

The Pathfinders Council met Oct. 14 in the home of Mrs. Joe Eddins.

The president, Mrs. J. F. McIntush, gave the invocation. She then conducted the business meeting. Mrs. Ora Ritchie gave the meditation and Mrs. Eddins introduced the program beginning with the Pledge to the Flag.

Mrs. Brown Smith gave an enlightening talk on "You Are What You Eat". She discussed the outward appearance when one over-eats and the dangers to health.

Mrs. Robert Breedlove told the members how to care for and

have beautiful house plants.

A lovely refreshment plate was served to the following members: Mmes. Brown Smith, J. F. McIntush, J. J. McDaniel, Hester Bownds, Ora Ritchie, Robert Breedlove, Valmon Payne, W. D. Young, Lee Blanks, J. O. Cobb, Cecil Adams, Ada Jones; a guest, Mrs. Lois Leggett, and the hostess, Mrs. Eddins.

The next meeting will be Oct. 28 in the DeVille with Mrs. Breedlove serving as hostess and Virginia Browder as guest speaker.

**LOCALS**

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond H. Martin and Kenny visited in Stephenville over the weekend and attended homecoming festivities at Tarleton College. Their daughter, Penina Martin, was runner-up for homecoming queen.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Kilgore visited in Amarillo Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Gammage, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. McQueen and Mr. and Mrs. David Kilgore and family.

**Memphis Little Theatre To Present Dinner Theatre On Monday, Nov.**

The Memphis Little Theatre will present a dinner theatre on Monday evening, Nov. 10 at 6:30 p.m. in the community center, Virginia Browder, president of the club announced today.

Tickets are now on sale and may be purchased from all members of the club. The tickets are \$3.50 each.

Following the dinner, two one act plays "Florence Unlimited"

and "Who's Who" will be presented. "Florence Unlimited" is a comedy by Nell Beecon. The local gossip column prints a story that Lindsay Laughton is set to appear in a dinner theatre and while in a semi-state said one-half of the audience would go to "Florence Unlimited" for Florence to appear in the cast.

Members of the cast include Wilma Voyles, Annette Myrtle Helm, Patricia Haire, Tanga Widener and Greene.

"Who's Who" featured an old man sitting in a rocking chair on the side porch. It is a comedy and he has his binoculars and is bird watching when a senile old wife joins him. The pair have been married twice before. . . to Mrs. Grace, Harry and Bernice, a mixup of people, plus dates follows.

The cast includes John Rell and Janet McMurry. The play is directed by Virginia Browder.

Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Green returned Sunday from a vacation in Los Angeles, California. Their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Lentz

**Burial Here Today For Pete Darling, Former Resident**

Funeral services for Floyd "Pete" Darling, 62, of Childress former Memphis resident, were held at 2 p.m. today in the Childress First Baptist Church with the Rev. Joe S. Allen pastor, officiating. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery here.

Mr. Darling was born in Freeport, Pa., and came to Shamrock with his parents in 1918. He was united in marriage to Mae Staggs in 1937 at Shamrock. He had been an employee of the Panhandle Fruit Co. and a member of the First Baptist Church. Mr. Darling was past Exalted Ruler of Childress Elks Lodge 1113. He passed away Monday, October 20.

Survivors include the widow; two daughters, Mrs. Darla Fowler of Amarillo and Mrs. Sally Ann Clay of Waco; one son, Donald of Ardmore, Okla.; two sisters, Marie Cook of Clay Center, Kans., and Mrs. Wilson of Shamrock; one brother, Paul of Amarillo and 11 grandchildren.

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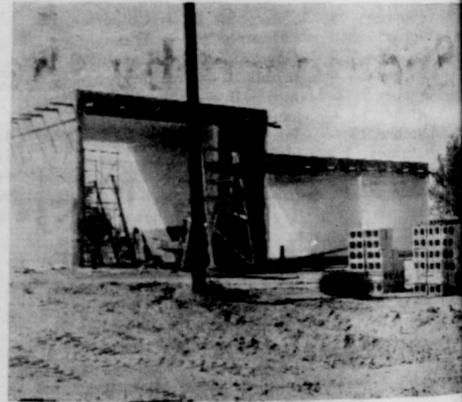
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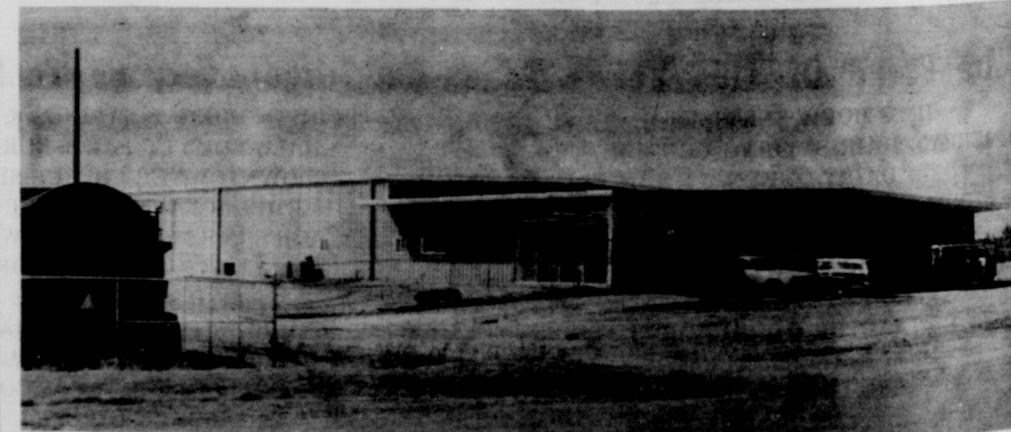
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- 3:00 p. m. Parade downtown
- 3:30 Gun Fight by Amarillo Gun Fighters  
Awarding of Trophies  
Music by Big Texan Band, Amarillo
- 7:30 p. m. Variety Show, High School Auditorium  
sponsored by Cyclone Mothers
- 7:30 p. m. Special Enduro Show, Movie House

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By  
BYRON BALDWIN



In reading some of the facts about the signers of the Declaration of Independence which were very interesting, I found that 48 of them were born in America, 8 were foreign born, 2 in England, 3 in Ireland, 2 in Scotland and 1 in Wales. The youngest of the signers was Edward Rutledge, 26 1/2 years old. The oldest one of the signers was Benjamin Franklin, age 70 years. The occupations of the signers were very much diversified as follows: lawyers, 23; merchants, 12; farmers, 2; doctors, 4; one minister; 2 manufacturers; 6 planters; 4 landowners; one printer and one politician. I believe if this was signed today, we would have more than one politician sign on the dotted line. In the group of 56 signers of this document, 32 had college education and 24 did not go to college. The ages of the signers at death were: ages 30-39, 1; 40-49 years, 7; 50 to 59 age group 10; 60-69 age group, 15; 70 to 79 years, 9; 80 to 89 years, 11; and 90 to 99 years, 3. The first to die was John Morton, April, 1777. The last to die was Chas. Carroll November 4, 1832.

A quote from Thomas Jefferson's last letter, written June 24, 1826, "All eyes are opened to the rights of man... Let the annual return of this day forever refresh our recollection of these rights, and an undiminished devotion to them."

In checking the biographies of each one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence, we find that some of them were rich and some poor, and some of the rich dropped into the poor class.

The one minister who signed the Declaration of Independence was John Witherspoon of New Jersey who was the 20th signer and his first wife was Elizabeth Montgomery who came with him from Scotland. She bore him 10 children. He was the only active clergyman in Congress and was one of the most prominent men in the Colonies. He died at the age of 71 and was buried in the Presidents' Lot at Princeton University, which he had done so much to create.

When I moved to Memphis, I met a real young lady whose name was Elizabeth Montgomery, who was a Presbyterian and was the daughter of S. S. Montgomery. So this family may be descendants of this Scotch family who moved from Scotland to New Jersey in the 1700's.

L. A. Barber of Pampa was a visitor in Hall County Heritage Hall the past week. He is now a retired contractor. He was reared in Iowa, Missouri and Illinois and moved to Pampa 50 years ago where he has maintained his home.

The problem of air pollution is not new. It has troubled Amer-

icans since the start of the nation. In a letter to her niece written on April 13, 1794, Martha Washington, wife of the first president of the United States, wrote: "The atmosphere in Philadelphia has caused sore eyes in many people, including my husband and myself." There are still 57 trees standing at Mount Vernon that were personally planted by George Washington.

It was a very interesting article I read a few days ago about Kate Smith, one of my favorite singers. She discovered her talent at an early age and started singing in public at the age of 5 years. For the past 62 years, she has been one of the idols of the stage, radio and television. She never had voice lessons and did not know musical notes, but she had the talent and voice to sing. The only song that she ever wrote was her own special "When the Moon Comes Over the Mountain", which was written when she lived in the Shenandoah Valley of Virginia.

I guess it is my age, but it seems to me that the moon is now not as pretty and bright as it was in the early days when we would sing "Moonlight and Roses." I wonder sometimes when I look at the moon if it is a little dim since all the trips there and all the walking and camping if that has blurred the brightness. Well, Kate Smith has lost 85 pounds in weight and is now 67 and still a good singer. I am glad she found the talent early in life and she still loves people and people love her. Her manager reported at one time a few years ago that her earnings had been over 35 million dollars. She now lives on Lake Placid in New York. She is on the Bi-centennial program to sing "God Bless America."

I had a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Sam George of Corpus Christi the past week. Mrs. George will be remembered as Mary Lorean Johnson, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Porter Johnson. Lorean graduated from MHS in 1926. Her sister, Lavista (Johnson) Gasen now lives in Eldorado, Okla. The other member of this family is Hap Johnson who has stayed in Hall County. Lorean's husband is now retired from Delmar College of Corpus Christi after 27 years of teaching. The grandparents of this Johnson family were early day residents of Hall County that I met here in 1907. Mr. and Mrs. Will (Bill) Stephens and Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Johnson. Uncle Bill, if I remember right, was a brother of the late H. G. Stephens who operated a hotel in Memphis.

"A Supplication" (Author Unknown) — "Lord, Thou knowest better than I that I am growing older and will some day be old.

## STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Bill Boykin

AUSTIN — Gov. Dolph Briscoe rocked proponents of a new state constitution by coming out firmly against all eight revision propositions on the November 4 ballot.

Briscoe's announced opposition may have applied the finishing blow to revision this year, many observers of the campaign feel.

Others insisted the Governor's resistance will not be crucial. Briscoe centered his criticism on proposed annual sessions of the legislature.

He said he feels yearly meetings of lawmakers would be counter-productive, would sharply increase state spending and lead to a fulltime legislature.

The Governor also specifically criticized the judiciary article (merging of top courts), lifting of welfare spending ceilings, increasing bonding authority of the Permanent University Fund and continuing constitutional authority for a two cent property tax dedicated to state buildings.

He said the proposed new document would be subject to endless court tests and interpretation, confusion and chaos in state government and reduced checks and balances on government.

Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby, House Speaker Bill Clayton, Land Commissioner Bob Armstrong and other revision proponents disagreed entirely with the Governor.

### Insurance Up

Auto insurance rates are go-

ing up again — away up — by a statewide average of 17 per cent. The increase just ordered by the State Insurance Board effective January 1 is the largest in more than 15 years. Texans will be paying \$112.8 million more in premiums next year.

At that, the hike is less than the insurance industry wanted. Industry spokesman asked a 24.9 per cent increase which would have meant \$165.4 million in additional premiums.

Total state premiums at the elevated rates will come to about \$663.6 million a year. Actual increases vary according to age, residence, make and model of cars, driving records and use of vehicles. They will range from \$8 to \$43 more annually for a typical auto owner. But a young unmarried male driver in Houston may see an increase from \$581 to \$706 in his total premiums.

Full comprehensive will go up an overall average of 8.8 per cent, \$100 deductible collision 12 per cent, bodily injury liability 21.1 per cent, property damage liability 16 per cent and un-insured motorist coverage 32.4 per cent.

Utility Agency Moving  
The new Public Utility Commission of Texas began gearing up for its regulatory duties with naming of top staff personnel.

Thomas G. Gebhard Jr., 38, Las Cruces, N. M., utilities director, will become Texas, first director of utilities. John F. Bell of Grand Prairie, 30, will be commission general counsel; Roy Henderson of Austin, 30, director of hearings; Marva A. Bennett of Austin, Chief accountant; and Martha V. Terry of Austin, legal counselor.

Appointments  
Mrs. Beryl Buckley Milburn of Austin is director of President Ford's primary campaign in Texas. Roger Wallace, former aide to U. S. Sen. John Tower, will be state campaign manager.

Governor Briscoe appointed Gerald A. Fohn of San Angelo district attorney of the 51st district effective November 1. He succeeds Frank Dickey Jr. in the Tom Green, Coke, Irion, Schleicher and Sterling counties post.

Briscoe appointed T. H. Haynie of Amarillo to the Texas Private Employment Agency Regulatory Board, succeeding Berlin Vance, Amarillo.

He reappointed Richard Gu-

terrez of Rio Grande City, Judge William Rapp of Raymondville, Omar Rodriguez of San Benito and Nathan L. Winters of Edinburg to the Rio Grande Valley Municipal Water Authority.

Dr. Vernon B. Spiva of Fredericksburg was reappointed to the Fleet Admiral Chester W. Nimitz Memorial Naval Museum Commission.

Courts Speak  
The Court of Criminal Appeals ordered new trials in three murder cases.

Errors by prosecutors were noted in San Marcos and Odessa cases where husbands shot their wives to death. A Harris County man won a reversal of a conviction for slaying his sister-in-law because the trial jury was not told specifically that evidence offered was circumstantial.

An improper search of a motor vehicle near New Braunfels brought a new trial for a man sentenced to seven years and \$5,000 fine for possession of 650 packages of marijuana.

The Court of Criminal Appeals allowed an El Paso County probation officer to appeal an embezzlement conviction, even though the normal deadline had passed.

AG Opinions  
The Attorney General held terms of the final settlement agreement of a Killen former city employee's suit for reinstatement are public information and must be disclosed.

In other recent opinions, Hill concluded:  
A writ of habeas corpus is available to a proposed alcoholic patient held under a writ of protective custody.

Where a political subdivision has never held a local option election, the area it encompasses is wet.

Parks and Wildlife Commission may exercise regulatory authority in Aransas, Brazoria, Cameron, Calhoun, Jackson, Jefferson, Kennedy, Kleberg, Matagorda, Nueces, Orange and Refugio counties.

The special fund into which boat certification fees are deposited is subject to constitutional limitations, but a provision of the general appropriations act allots money from the funds to make refunds authorized by general law.

Seek Free Mail  
Secretary of State Mark White is pushing congressional legislation to provide free postal delivery of any voter information materials.

Governor Briscoe asked U. S. Rep. Richard White to introduce the bill which would facilitate the right to vote in all public elections by allowing election officials to transmit voter material and information in free mail covers.

Attend The Church of Your Choice This Sunday.

## Polka L. Adecock Observes 85th Birthday At Party

Polka Lee Adecock celebrated her 85th birthday in Honds on October 15. Hostess for the occasion was her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Bruce Adecock, who is administrator of the Leisure Lodge Rest Home in Honds.

Those attending from out-of-town were her daughter, Mrs. Dutch Vallance of Memphis, Mrs. Sue Adecock of San Antonio; her granddaughter, Mrs. Fay Lee Harrison of Fort Worth; her great granddaughter, Conessa and Stephanie of Fort Worth, another granddaughter, Mrs. Fay Lee Sexton of Killen; her son, Bruce Adecock of Honds and three friends from San Antonio, Marvin, Della and Minnie.

Cake and punch was served to all personnel and patients of Leisure Lodge home.

CARD OF THANKS  
We want to express our appreciation to our friends who were so kind to us during the loss of our loved one. For the calls, cards, flowers, memorials, food and prayers we were grateful. To the Hall County Hospital staff and nurses for their many deeds of kindness, we want to express our appreciation. We will never forget these kindnesses.

The Family of  
Mrs. Alla E. Boswell

Mrs. Gordon Fitzhugh of Clovis, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Rogers of Corpus Christi visited here Monday and Tuesday with friends and relatives.

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## Assembly Of God To Hold Special Services Nov. 2

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The ministry of Dan and Nancy Crouch includes special services featuring a variety of today's favorites gospel songs and old favorites of the church. The emphasis of their ministry, however, is the preaching of the Word.

Services will begin with School at 9:45 a.m. with services at 11:00 a.m. Sunday morning. Services will be held 7 Sunday evening.

Covered Dish Meal Fetes Houston Guest

A covered dish dinner was held Sunday, Oct. 19, in the Memphis Housing Authority Center in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Hughes and July Moran all Houston.

Those attending were Grace Marcum of Amarillo, Laverne Hiett of Wellington, Mmes. J. W. Chappell, Orachie, D. B. Kennedy, Ella and Katie Scoggins, all Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. Emory Ware of Wellington; Mrs. Ayers of Croshton; Mr. and J. C. Ashcraft of Clarendon; the honorees.

"The Jazz Singer" starring Jolson was the first talking picture.

### Reddy's helpful tips for your Home Laundry

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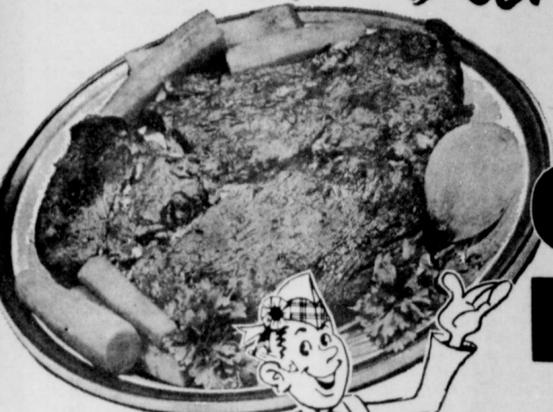
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### Methodist Oliver Fellowship Meets In Fowler Home

The Oliver Fellowship of First United Methodist Church met in the home of Sue Fowler at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, October 20. Chairperson Peggy Becker conducted the business session in which plans were made for the group's part in the church Halloween carnival the night of October 28. She also reminded members of the sub-district meeting of United Methodist Women in Shamrock on October 28 from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

The following Oliver Fellowship officers were elected to serve in the next calendar year: Peggy Becker, chairperson; Johnnie Hutcherson, program chairperson; Emma Lou Spruill, treasurer; Sue Fowler, reporter; and Beulah Martin, local church activities representative.

The program for the evening, "So You're Retired," was led by Wanda Messick, assisted by Dora McQueen, Peggy Becker, Johnnie Hutcherson, Cherry Orcutt, Beulah Martin, and Dorothy Morris. It stressed the importance of planning for retirement and offered suggestions about how the retirement years might be spent. The program was ended with scripture and prayer.

During a time of visiting following the meeting the hostess served refreshments of spiced tea and pie to Betty Pelfrey, Cherry Orcutt, Wanda Messick, Dora McQueen, Peggy Becker, Johnnie Hutcherson, Beulah Martin, and Dorothy Morris.

The next meeting will be at the church on November 17. It will be the annual pledge service and salad supper.

### Methodist Alpha Fellowship Meets Monday For Study

The Alpha Fellowship of the U. M. W. met Monday, Oct. 20, at 3 p.m. in the First United Methodist Church.

The leader, Mrs. J. J. McDaniel, introduced the program and Mrs. F. W. Foxhall gave the meditation entitled "As God's Chosen Ones", based on the scripture of Colossians 3: 12-17.

Mrs. Lee Brown presented a comprehensive review of Elaine Magalis' book, "Conduct Becoming a Woman." She stated that in the 19th century American women emerged from the confines of home and pew to join in two world-shaking movements of their day — Protestant Chris-

### Culture Club Meets In Home Of Mrs. L. A. Stilwell

The Woman's Culture Club met October 15 in the home of Mrs. L. A. Stilwell for a program on "Great Women in American History."

Miss Sybil Gurley opened the meeting with prayer. During the business meeting, presided over by the president, Mrs. Robert Moss, Mrs. Hester Bownds was unanimously elected to membership.

Miss Jackie Culbert, program chairman, introduced the program with the quotation "There is properly no history, only biography," Emerson.

Miss Sybil Gurley gave the devotional. She read the 23rd Psalm with comments. "Great Women in America—Their Contributions to American History Increase our Opportunities to make History," was given by Mrs. Alvin Pyeatt. Some of the women she told about were Jane Adams, Susan B. Anthony, Amelia Earhart, Pearl Buck, Clara Barten, Juliette Lowe, Betty Ross, Madame Currie and Florence Nightingale.

Each member answered roll call with "My Favorite Women in American History."

The following members were present: Mmes. Frank Ellis, Ward Gurley, Jim Lange, Robert Moss, Alvin Pyeatt, L. G. Rasco, Sylvia Lewis, Misses Esta McElreath, Jackie Culbert, Sybil Gurley, Alma Bruce and the hostess, Mrs. L. A. Stilwell.

### Mrs. G. E. McCaskill Dies In Ft. Worth

Mrs. Leon Fowler, Mrs. Lessie Salmon and Mrs. Euna Rampy went to Fort Worth Monday to attend funeral services on Tuesday morning for Mrs. G. E. McCaskill. Mrs. McCaskill, who is a cousin of Mrs. Salmon and Mrs. Rampy, has visited here numerous times and is known to many people here.

tian missions and women's rights. Mrs. Brown focused her talk on a few of a multitude of spirited personalities who pressed their Christian concern into forbidden avenues and created a new world for millions who followed.

Mrs. Ed Hutcherson led the closing prayer. Attending, other than those mentioned above, were: Mmes. M. G. Tarver, N. J. McMaster, Bess Crump and W. V. Coursey.



### PLAN HOLIDAY WEDDING — Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Adrian Combs, Jr., of Carbondale, Ill., announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Debra Kay, to David Lyn McKay, son of Mr. and Mrs. Argie Lee McKay of Memphis. The wedding will be an event of Sunday afternoon, Dec. 21, at 3:00 p.m. in the First Baptist Church in Memphis. The bride-elect and her fiancé are both graduates of Memphis High School and are students at Texas Tech University, Lubbock. Mr. McKay will receive his degree in Agronomy with the spring graduating class. Miss Combs is the granddaughter of Mrs. Herschel Combs of Memphis and the late Mr. Combs.

### 69ers Club Meets In Home Of Mrs. Opal Waites

The 69ers Club met October 21 in the home of Mrs. Opal Waites at 1 p.m.

The afternoon was spent quilting a quilt for the hostess. During the party hours, Carrie Dennis and Ruth Gardenhire were named as birthday girls for the month and received gifts from their secret pals. Ruth Gardenhire received the "Lucky Lady" gift.

The hostess served soft drinks and home made cookies to two guests, Mrs. Sam Jackson and

Mrs. J. H. Martin and to the following members: Mmes. Inez Aspgren, Alice Beasley, Carrie Dennis, Ruth Gardenhire, Faye Maddox, Ruth Misenhimer, Dorothy Stargel, Ima Widener and hostess, Mrs. Waites.

### Parnell Club Plans Carnival For October 25

The Parnell Club met Wednesday, Oct. 15 with 16 members and three guests present.

Billie Potts called the club meeting to order and the Lord's prayer was repeated in unison by the members. Leona Burk gave the devotional.

Roll call was answered with "A way to save money on your grocery bill." Leona Burk read the minutes of the last meeting.

During the business session, plans were completed for the Halloween carnival. The date of the carnival is October 25. Beginning at 8:30 p.m. food will be served and will include chili, stew pie and sandwiches. Chili and stew will be 80 cents and sandwiches 25 cents each. Coffee and tea will be served free.

Members reported 17 visits to the sick. Billie Potts led the dismissal prayer.

Clara Cowan and Leona Burk served refreshments to the following members, and guests: Billie Potts, Georgia Bowman, Clesie Jouett, Erlene Trapp, Darlene Morris, Bessie Lathram, Lucille Robinson, Nell Burk, Roxie Orcutt, Cindy Boney, Wade and Dawn, Ramona Burk and Tyria, Cordye Hood, Dessie Osborn, Nelda Ferrel and guests, Anita Hakkins of Estelline, Sybil Griggs of Vidor and Ruby Rapp of Estelline.

### Baptist Class Elects Officers On October 13

The Fellowship Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Lenis Simpson October 13.

Plans were made for the coming year and officers were elected during the business session.

Officers elected were: Mrs. Ma-



### PLAN JANUARY WEDDING—Mr. and Mrs. Bob D. Purcell, Okla., formerly of Memphis, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Meredith Ann, to Michael Anthony Mulkey, son of Mrs. George M. Mulkey of Abilene. Marriage will be exchanged in the First Baptist Church in Memphis on January 10, 1976 at 7:00 p.m. Miss Douthett, graduate of Memphis High School and is a sophomore at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene where she is a member of Tri-Phi Sorority. Mr. Mulkey is a graduate of Abilene High School and will receive his degree in business management at Hardin-Simmons University in December. He is a member of Sigma Delta Sigma fraternity and is employed by Abilene Youth Center.

rie Davis, president; Mrs. Beverly Hutcherson, vice president; Mrs. Jean Chick, treasurer; Mrs. Billie Parker, reporter; Mrs. LaVelle Dean, social chairman; Mrs. Janice Davis, Mrs. Dolores Davis, Mrs. Verna Lee Simpson, Mrs. DeAnn Penny, group captains and Mrs. Ruth McKay, teacher.

Mrs. Beverley Hutcherson, a very inspiring devotion, some favorite poems. Refreshments were served. Mrs. Nancy Elliott, Mrs. Dale, Mrs. Marie Davis, Mrs. Erly Hutcherson, Mrs. Billie, Mrs. Ruth McKay, Mrs. Chick and hostess, Mrs. Simpson.



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## Don Crook Is New Conservation Director, Zone II

Don Ray Crook was elected to the office of Director for the Zone II of the Hall - Childress Soil and Water Conservation District. The election was held at Cliff Campbell's home on October 14th.

Crook presently is a Director of the Conservation District and was re-elected for a five year term. The Board of Directors is composed of five land owners and one Director is elected each year. The Director from the Turkey area will be elected next fall.

The primary duties of the Board of Directors for a Soil and Water Conservation District is to set the operational policies for the carrying out of conservation work. In performing their duties, the Directors help farmers and ranchers rework. In performing their duties, the Directors help farmers and ranchers receive need assistance in carrying out conservation measures on individual farms and ranches.

At the present time Mack Richards is the Director for Zone I, Lee Scrivner is the Director for Zone III, Ernest Rea is the Director for Zone IV and George Foard is the Director for Zone V.

## Harold Hodges Visit In Denton Recently

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hodges visited in Denton from Saturday, Oct. 11, until Thursday, Oct. 16, with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Chastain, and other relatives and friends.

On Monday night, Oct. 13, Mrs. Hodges attended a miscellaneous shower in honor of her niece, Miss Cynthia Ann Chastain, and on Oct. 15, they attended the wedding of Miss Chastain to Gary Dwight Clark, in the home of the bride's parents.

Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Clark of Shady Shores.

## Rebekah Lodge To Serve Supper Mon.

Members of the Rebekah Lodge will serve their regular monthly supper Monday night, October 27, at the Lodge home in northeast Memphis, according to Mrs. Estelle Barber.

Serving of the delicious meal begins at 6:30 p.m. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to come and eat.

## Band Boosters—

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are unable to donate baked goods, a donation of \$5.00 would be accepted with appreciation to be spent upon all the band students. A list will be provided at the sale for those bringing baked items so that each mother may sign her name.

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## Al Morrah Shrine Club Organized For Five Counties

The Al Morrah Shrine Club has been organized for Armstrong, Donley, Collingsworth, Hall and Cottle Counties, which will be meeting on the third Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the Clarendon Country Club.

Officers elected are: President Paul Hancock, Vice President Herman Green, Secretary - Treasurer M. L. Van Arsdell. Three members of the board of directors are: Luther Butler, three-year term, Emmett Simmons, two-year term, and Alton Hendrick, one-year term.

All Shriners who join the new club before January 1, 1976, will be charter members of the Al Morrah Shrine Club, annual dues are \$5.00.

## Brice Baptist—

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as well as other special musical selections.

All former members of the church are extended a special invitation to be present for the services as well as other visitors.

Dinner will be served at the church following the morning service and everyone is urged to bring covered dishes for the meal. During the afternoon, an old fashioned gospel singing will be featured. All those who enjoy good singing are urged to stay for this phase of the service, Mr. Lemmons said.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Crooks, former Memphis resident now living in Mena, Ark., visited here Saturday with friends.

## COFFEE PRICES TO JUMP

Coffee prices are expected to jump sharply in the coming months due to a July freeze in the top coffee producing states of Brazil, says an economist in marketing for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. The freeze is expected to cut in half next year's harvest of coffee beans in Brazil. And many buyers in the United States now have low inventories, so they will have to build their stocks in the wake of the disastrous freeze losses in Brazil. After the July freeze, the New York cash price for green coffee jumped about 20 cents per pound. Retail coffee prices may increase 25 to 75 cents per pound during the next three to nine months.

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