

# BOY SCOUT LEADERS TRAINING SCHOOL OPENS MONDAY

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### TWO DAY CLASS TO TRAIN MEN FOR LEADERSHIP

#### Local Men to Become Scouts for Time to Learn Methods

With twenty-five business men signed up for the court and more expected before the date set, the Scout Leadership School, Monday and Tuesday nights, at the basement of the First Methodist Church, is expected to be a great success and to give to the future leaders of the Boy Scout Troops of city and county training in Scout ideals and methods which will assure success in the organization.

In addition to the fifteen men whose names were given yesterday as students in the school, the following nine have signed up since: O. V. Alexander, W. C. Blankenship, Jack Boone, Orion W. Carter, L. C. Linn, R. E. L. Pattillo, Frank Phelan, J. C. Ross and L. W. Stanford.

The program for Monday night's class, which will begin at 7:30, will be as follows:

- 7:30-8:00—Exhibits, puzzles and stunts.
  - 8:00-8:10—Group singing, Colors, Pledges.
  - 8:10-8:20—Greeting by Supt. Davis, Chairman of Training Committee for Hall County.
  - 8:20-8:30—"What"—Explanation of the Course by Scout Executive C. A. Clark.
  - 8:30-9:00—"How"—Practicing Scout Methods.
  - 9:00-9:30—Organization of Patrols, Selection of Names, Calls.
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### ADULT TEACHERS ADDED IN COUNTY

R. D. Whittington of Newlin, Jack Bryan and Paul Morris of Memphis, Mrs. Albert Bailey of Estelline, and Mrs. Lillian Parks of Deep Lake were added yesterday to the list of the Hall County adult education instructors.

The teacher appointments were made by E. E. Kerr, emergency education supervisor for the Works Progress Administration of the Lubbock district, who was in Memphis yesterday conferring with adult teacher applicants.

Mr. Kerr left last night for Lubbock. Dozens of Hall County applicants were turned away. No changes in the emergency education setup were announced by the district representative.

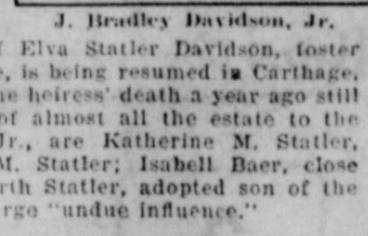


Katherine Statler

### War for \$500,000 Statler Estate



Isabell Baer



J. Bradley Davidson, Jr.

Battle for the \$500,000 estate of Elva Statler Davidson, foster daughter of the late hotel magnate, is being resumed in Carthage, N. C. court, with the mystery of the heiress' death a year ago still unsolved. Fighting the bequest of almost all the estate to the widower, J. Bradley Davidson, Jr., are Katherine M. Statler, widowed daughter-in-law of E. M. Statler; Isabell Baer, close friend of the heiress; and Ellsworth Statler, adopted son of the late hotel man. They charge "undue influence."

### SCHOOL CENSUS IN COUNTY TO BEGIN MARCH 1

#### Census Trustees Are Appointed to Take Census of Pupils

Census trustees to take a school census of all common school districts in Hall County have been appointed, Miss Vera Tons Gilreath, county superintendent of public instruction, announced.

The canvass is to begin the first of March and will run until March 31. Diligence on the part of the enumerators and full cooperation on the part of all parents of school children is being sought by Miss Gilreath in an effort to enroll every person of scholastic age in the annual census.

Scholastics are children from six to 17 years, inclusive. For each child omitted from the census the county schools will lose \$17.50, Miss Gilreath pointed out. That sum is the per capita allowance from the State School Fund for the year 1936-37.

All citizens are urged to aid the (Continued on Page 12)

### SCHEDULE GAMES AT C.C.C. CAMP

Clovis Vaughn and C. S. Riley, in charge of the series of games to be held tomorrow afternoon at the CCC Camp report that arrangements for the games are all completed, with a number of entries already received in each event.

The games will start at 1:00 p. m. and will continue until 4:00, and local contestants are urged to come to the camp and enter the various events against the CCC boys, which are to be held in the Recreation Hall.

The program will include dominoes, four-two, checkers, chess, table-tennis, horseshoes, and pitch. Prospective contestants are asked to see either Mr. Vaughan or Mr. Riley at the Camp.

Visitors are welcome, whether they play or not.

### FIRST ANNUAL F.F.A. BANQUET HELD LAST EVE

#### Splendid Program Is Feature of First Annual Meeting

Forty-five persons, future farmers and their fathers and this news hawk, grouped around the tables in the basement of the First Methodist Church last night at 7:30 to partake of the first annual banquet of the Memphis High School Chapter of the Future Farmers of America.

Needless to say, the second annual banquet of the F. F. A. will be held next year, the third in '37, and so on.

Quite an elaborate program was presented, with handsome and witty Winifred Swift as toastmaster.

First, just after the group had entered, the lads blended voices in the official song of the organization, "Future Farmers of America." Mrs. Marion McNeely was accompanist for this and the other songs which followed. Invocation was by the Reverend O. W. Carter, pastor of the First Methodist Church, after which Toastmaster Swift called the roll of officers, each of whom responded with a brief statement about one of the aims of the organization. Then (Continued on Page 12)

### The Weather

WEST TEXAS: Fair, slightly warmer in southeast tonight; Sunday partly cloudy, colder in Panhandle.

LOCAL: Sky partly clear. Temperature at 8:00 a. m. 23 degrees, rising to 37 by noon. Minimum temperature last night 17 degrees.

### District Court Will Convene Monday

District Court will convene in this city next Monday for the regular spring term, with Judge A. J. Fires on the bench.

Local court attaches report that, with the exception of the cases continued from last term, the docket will probably be light, unless the Grand Jury returns several bills of indictment, which is quite likely.

A number of cases were continued last term, including several felony cases, and these will come up for trial at the coming session of court. Among the cases continued were the Hawthorne murder trial and the Posey arson case. Both of these will probably come to trial this time.

Several defendants have been bound over for the action of the (Continued on Page 12)

### NOTED GANGSTER KILLED CHICAGO

By Associated Press  
CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—"Machine Gun Jack" McGurn, notorious terrorist of the old "Scarface Al" Capone alcañon mob and once indicted for the St. Valentine's Day massacre of seven rival gangsters, was assassinated this morning in typographical fashion in a northside bowling alley.

The chief gunman for Capone was reputed to have amassed several hundred thousand dollars in prohibition days, but died broke. While McGurn and two companions (Continued on Page 12)

### AMATEUR SHOW WILL BE HELD TONIGHT

#### Prizes Wanted From Entire County in Big Entertainment

Date for the Amateur Contest sponsored by the Memphis Schools, has been set, and Friday night, February 21, amateur entertainers of the county will vie for honors and cash prizes at the High Auditorium.

There will be no entry fee, amateur entertainers in all are urged to fill in the coupon which will be found in the Democrat for the next few days, mail it in. Winners are to be decided by vote of the audience and attractive cash prizes will be paid the three entertainers getting the largest vote.

Whether you are a pianist, a tap dancer, a harmonica player, a tap dancer, a harpist, or whatnot, if you are in Hall County, those in the contest want you to enter.

Speaking of the contest, A. Odom, president of the Rotary Club, has this to say: "A wonderful program if carried out, in that it will bring to the community spirit, and our young people to find outlet for their several talents."

A program of this kind will have the hearty cooperation of every citizen and organization in Hall County that has a part in the contest, the complete (Continued on Page 12)

### ST RITES FOR MEMPHIS WOMAN

Funeral rites were held yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock for Mrs. Rector Brown, wife of J. G. Brown, of this city, at the First Methodist Church, with the pastor, Orion W. Carter, assisted by John Angus MasMillan, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, officiating the services. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery with Mortuary in charge.

Services were held at the church altar and around the casket, which was a veritable profusion of flowers. Many floral tributes were from the friends of the deceased, attending the service in which she was buried.

Funeral services were in charge of the flowers by Mrs. Roy L. Guthrie, Mrs. J. Hart, Mrs. J. L. Barnes, (Continued on page 2)

### Junior C.C. to Stage Membership Drive

### MEMBERS RAGE OVER COUNTRY

By Associated Press  
CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—Storm and flood waters lashed the Midwest and churned the sea from the Pacific to the Pacific, as a new wave advanced eastward from the Rockies. Zero weather is expected to chill the east before the weekend passed. Landslides and floods harried the region, with epidemics of influenza and colds spread in the wake of the storm. One hundred fifty persons were reported killed by flood waters, and 140 boys isolated by a landslide (Continued on Page 12)

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The Democrat may not always be right in the stand it takes; it may not always be wise in standing for what it believes; but, right or wrong, wise or unwise the Democrat will stand for the things it believes are for the welfare of the Community.

## JUST MUDDLING THROUGH

ONE of the hardest things for us ordinary mortals to understand is that the great people of the world—the statesmen and strategists who have our destinies in their hands—are all blood relations of Mr. Micawber

Mr. Micawber, as you will doubtless recall, was forever hopefully awaiting for something to turn up.

We like to think of the Stanley Baldwins, the Adolf Hitlers, and all the rest as strong, far-seeing men who know exactly what they and their countries are going to be doing three years from now. But once in a while someone gets unusually frank and we find that world politics is largely just a matter of muddling through—and like Mr. Micawber, hoping that something will turn up.

Frazier Hunt, newspaper foreign correspondent who recently toured Europe, states that he talked to a thousand people over Europe and that no one could give him a sane and sure answer as to the Italian situation.

No such answer was forthcoming because no definite decision has yet been made. In other words, nobody knows.

Now all this is illumination worth having; a reminder that the statesmen of the world are very much like our humble selves, after all, in that they are adrift in a current whose force and direction are unpredictable.

They cannot make definite long-range plans; they cannot tell just where they are going. Muddling through and hoping that something will turn up is all that is left to them.

And that, after all, is not as discouraging as it might be. When the future is as uncertain as it is today, a program needs to be flexible. Driving at full speed in the dark is not the best way to meet such a situation.

Mr. Micawber's way may not have much to recommend it, but there is this about it; it does save people from the prospect of a wrong decision at a time when a wrong decision might be unimaginably costly.

Just think this over, too, when next you are tempted to grill the administration for its "cut and try" methods of the past few years.

## When the Pork Barrel Meets the Cracker Barrel



Chesty Walker, football coach, bragging about his prowess as a bowler. "Since I started playing with the High School team," Chesty said, "we have won five out of six games." No wonder they call the guy "Chesty."

More people in town yesterday who were over 65 years of age than we've seen in many a moon. They were all in to sign applications for the Old Age Assistance pensions.

Two of the old fellows go into a "bootlegger's" place.

A man about 80 years of age and two others of around 70 come into the office yesterday morning. When they started to leave, the octogenarian said, "one of you boys close the door."

Jerry Daiton giving his philosophy on love. "Love is grand, but not very discriminating," he said.

Mrs. E. W. Evans in town the other day. She appears to be gaining a little weight along.

E. McBride, SCS camp superintendent, asking about Thursday's sandstorm. He wanted to know if that was the type we always had here. We asked him what sandstorm he was talking about, that we hadn't noticed any.

In the Fort Worth Star-Telegram that the Texas Rabbit Twisters Association is complaining about folks cutting up trees into logs and painting the centers of the logs black. The rabbits, thinking the black paint is a hole, run into the log and knock their brains out. The Rabbit Twisters Association members charge a set sum to twist a rabbit out of a hollow log.

## Behind the Scenes in Washington

By RODNEY DUTCHER  
 NEA Service Staff Correspondent

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 WASHINGTON—Higher income taxes on the well-to-do, federal inheritance taxes on the wealthy, and retroactive excess profits taxes on processors who have been recovering AAA taxes through the courts will be Roosevelt's answer to recent jolts to the budget.

Proposed new tax legislation, if administration plans are not revised, will call for a billion dollars or more of levies to meet costs of the new farm program, the bonus, and the return or withholding of processing taxes under the old AAA program.

Most sensational aspects of the plan are its "soak the rich" phases and its objective of insuring lower prices for consumers by re-enactment of processing taxes at substantially lower rates.

Simultaneously, Roosevelt plans a beligerent counter-blow at backers of the American Liberty League and other wealthy groups which oppose him, an attractive alternative for the congressional inflationists and a gesture for millions of city consumers who have resented higher food prices.

The administration wants to raise about \$500,000,000 to pay for its farm relief-soil conservation program for the next fiscal year.

It seeks nearly \$300,000,000 with which to pay off moral obligations and liquidating expenses under the old AAA contract system.

It wants \$250,000,000 to apply against extra bonus payment expenses, of which \$90,000,000 would be for this fiscal year and \$160,000,000 for next year.

The latter figure would be an annual expense, due to immediate bonus payment spread.

Peter Thompson, self-styled "country dude" in town yesterday passing out valentines.

Several comic valentines that were sent to some of the local "cards" yesterday. We saw a woman send one to Mrs. Omer Johnson, but we won't divulge the name of the sender.

Bill Smith, the barber, arranging his affairs to go into the filling station and tourist park business at Del Rio.

Later on seeing him in town, we got the "low-down" on the matter. It seems that some gazabo offered him \$100 a month, free rent and a percent to take charge of a tourist camp for him at Del Rio. Was Bill pepped up. He almost threw his razors away, but decided he'd keep them to shave himself with, and it's a good thing he did, for the man who offered him the job blew town owing a local cafe for a meal. Bill is still barbering.

A long lean girl from Turkey who is working at one of the offices at the courthouse up on top of a counter, making a stump speech one day this week. Wonder what she's going to run for. If the boss had caught her, she'd probably have run "from."

## Today's Weather During 14 Years

(Furnished by Blitha Scott)

	Temperature		Weather
	AM	PM	
1935—	49	54	Cloudy
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1933—	24	58	Cloudy
1932—	42	46	Cloudy
1931—	42	47	Cloudy
1930—	35	54	P. Cloudy
1929—	35	40	Cloudy
1928—	36	54	P. Cloudy
1927—	46	72	Clear
1926—	32	52	Cloudy
1925—	32	66	Clear
1924—	55	68	P. Cloudy
1923—	19	40	Clear
1922—	25	54	Clear

through until 1945, the originally stipulated for bonus certificates

ROUGHLY, in round numbers and subject to revision, administration plan for the money is about as follows:

1. An additional tax, perhaps as high as 10 per cent, on individual unearned income of \$10,000. This might bring about \$325,000,000 to the treasury.

2. Inheritance taxes at graduated rates on all inheritances of more than \$40,000. They presumably would be somewhat near \$300,000,000.

3. Processing taxes designed to raise about \$350,000,000 instead of more than \$500,000,000 under the old AAA schedule. This is where the consumer theoretically would get a better deal than under the former program. Tentatively, it has been proposed to cut the tax on hogs from 15 to 75 cents a hundredweight, wheat tax from 30 to 20 cents, the cotton tax from 4.2 cents a pound, to 2.8 cents; and the tax on wool from 30 to 15 cents.

4. A special retroactive excess profits tax of 90 per cent, more, through which the treasury would seek to recapture \$200,000,000 from processors who have had their impounded funds refunded under the supreme court decision or who simply refused to pay.

You can see that the administration is determined that packers, millers, and other processors who passed the tax on to consumers while "little fellows" were paying their AAA taxes must be given those bonanzas at the expense of the taxpayers who already have paid as consumers.

"Tops" Gilreath at the Estabrook basketball tournament last night wearing white shoes, despite near zero weather.

D. L. C. Kinard proudly displaying a new folder rack at his office—the product of his own workshop.

## Last Rites—

(Continued from Page 1)

Mrs. R. A. Cole, Mrs. Chas. Williams, Mrs. E. N. Hudgins, J. W. Slover, Mrs. Ira Foster, Harley Cudd, Mrs. Herman Schler, Miss Ruth Pendergrass, Miss Edna Bryan. Pallbearers were Bill D. Hart, Roy L. Galt, J. M. Ferrel, Z. A. Moore, Jones and Herman Horschler.

Among out of town relatives here to attend the service were, Mrs. Margaret Francher, son, Rector Carpenter, Seymour Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Dodson, non; Mrs. M. E. Pickel, Mrs. J. Horn and sons, J. B. and Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. John and children, Rosalyn and M. Bass, Clarendon, Mr. and Herman Horschler, Hedley Jones, Estelline.

Mrs. Brown, who died Thursday afternoon at the family home after a week illness from pneumonia, is survived by her husband, Mrs. Brown, one daughter, Letta Brown, one son, Tom Brown, another, Mrs. Mary Fields, one daughter, Mrs. Margaret Francher, one son, three brothers, John Brown and T. F. Fields, Detroit, Mich., Fields, Washington, D. C.

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GLADYS SWARTHOUT

series on KTAT recently drew attention o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. at the Court House door of said County, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of J. M. McKelvy and wife Willie McKelvy and E. H. Rasco in and to the following described property, levied upon, to-wit: Situated in Hall County, Texas, to-wit 120 acres of land, being all of the north 1/4 of the northeast 1/4 of Section No. 3, in Block No. 20, Certificate Number 91731, in the name of H. & G. N. Ry. Co. and patented by the State of Texas to The Texas Land Company, Assignee, on the 8th day of November 1882, by patent No. 572, Vol. 71, together with all improvements thereon. The above sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment for \$7,186.71 in favor of Plaintiff, together with all costs of suit and sale, and the proceeds to be applied to the satisfaction thereof. Witness our signature this the 7th day of February, 1936. J. N. Colvin, Sheriff, Hall County, Texas. By JNO. R. TURLINGTON, Deputy

with the Metropolitan and Chicago Civic Opera, numerous appearances and leading in motion pictures attest to musical brilliance and charm of Gladys Swarthout, young American soprano who will be guest on the February 16 Ford Evening Hour. The program features also the music of the Symphony Orchestra and under the direction of Victor will be broadcast Sunday, 9 to 10 p. m., E.S.T. over the coast-to-coast network of Columbia Broadcasting System.

Carl Grundy, formerly of this as one of a number of aspirants for announcer's honors over KGNC at Amarillo, and been competing in a series of contests over that station. Astaire and Ginger Rogers just completed their new co-starring picture "Follow the Fleet" with Irving Berlin, following up his "Hat" triumph, has written lyrics and music for seven numbers which will be presented in the show. To introduce numbers over the air for the time Irving Berlin, with every instrument orchestra leader in the States clamoring for the prize, has chosen Horace Heidt and his Brigadiers. Heidt's Brigades were the first band in the world to introduce the complete "Follow the Fleet" when it went on the air February 10 (CBS 10:00 p. m., E.S.T.).

basic SBS stations have contracted for the largest number of programs ever contracted for by a station or group of stations in the Southwest. Purchasing a major portion of dramatic programs produced by Transco, KTAT, KTSA, KO-WACO and KNOW add to schedules 400 of the finest programs available for broadcast. This purchase includes a total of a different series, representing practically every type of dramatic program on the air. Produced at America's film capital, the finest writers, actors and actresses were available in the production, and make each series a valuable addition to the stations' schedules. The first program of the initial series will go on the air February 21, starting dates of other programs will be announced later. A complete list of programs will be required to complete the series.

"The Thrill Hunter," adventure

ENTRY BLANK

Hall County Amateur Contest

Please enter my name as a contestant in the Amateur Contest, sponsored by the Memphis Public Schools, Friday night, February 21, 7:30 p. m.

specialty is \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

Fill out this coupon and mail to Amateur Contest, Memphis Public Schools, Memphis, Texas, not later than Thursday, February 20.

Periman for Re-election

This is my official announcement to the voters and citizens of Hall County as a candidate for re-election to a second term as County Attorney of Hall County, Texas. I wish to thank the voters and citizens of the entire County for the overwhelming majority given me for my election of a first term. I deem it an honor and a privilege bestowed upon me by you.

I hope that I have lived up to the trust and confidence that was placed in me. I feel that I am indebted to the citizenship of Hall County for making it possible for me to begin my career as a lawyer.

I have made mistakes, but I have also learned much from the experience obtained in this office. I have tried to be fair and honest in performing the duties of this office. I am ready at all times to cooperate with County and State officials and the citizens in enforcing the law.

Your continued support will be greatly appreciated. CARL PERIMAN.

Mrs. Howard Boyd of Pampa was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. McMurry here yesterday. She was accompanied to Pampa by Miss Katherine McMurry and Miss Hazel Owens, who will be her guest until Monday. Miss McMurry will go from there to Denver and Miss Owen will return to Memphis.

Special Notices

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Hall. Whereas, by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the District Court of Tarrant County, Texas, on the 7th day of February, A. D. 1936, wherein J. W. Broad et ux is Plaintiff, and J. M. McKelvy et al is Defendant, on a judgment rendered in said court against said Defendant and in favor of the said Plaintiff, for the sum of Seven thousand one hundred eighty-six dollars, Seventy-one cents, with interest thereon at the rate of 10% per annum, from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit; I have levied upon and will on the 3rd day of March, A. D. 1936, between the hours of



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# WOMAN'S PAGE



NORA TIPTON, Society Editor, Phone 15

## Whittington-Pope Wedding Sunday

Molly Whittington of Amarillo became the bride of Ernest T. Pope, popular business man of Lubbock and Clarendon, at the La Fonda Hotel in Santa Fe, N. M., Sunday evening, February 9. The Rev. Gains read the ceremony.

After a two weeks wedding trip the couple will be at home in Lubbock where Mr. Pope is associated with the Hanna-Pope Dry Goods Company.

Mr. Pope has been engaged in the dry goods business for a number of years, accepting a position with the Baker-Hanna Co. soon after his graduation from high school. He went to Clarendon in February, 1920, with the opening of the Hanna-Pope store there and had been a resident of that city until recently, when he moved to Lubbock to take charge of the newly opened Hanna-Pope store.

Mr. Pope is well known in Memphis where he visited a number of times during the operation of the Hanna-Pope Dry Goods store here. He is a brother of Mrs. Kennon Hillier of this city.

Mrs. J. B. Horn and sons, J. B. and Ray, accompanied Mrs. M. E. Finkel to Memphis yesterday from Pampa to attend the funeral of Mrs. J. G. Brown. They were guests of Mrs. Pickel's mother, Mrs. Bessie Pendergrass until today.

## Shorter Skirts



The shorter skirt length and figures hugging lines of the spring suits introduced by Chanel are illustrated in this model of fantasy wool or beige and white with flecks of red.

## Mystic Weavers Met Wednesday

Mrs. M. J. Draper entertained members of the Mystic Weaver Club Wednesday afternoon in their regular meeting at her home, 700 South Eighth.

A business session was presided over by the president, Mrs. Foxhall. Roll call was answered by humorous jokes.

After an enjoyable afternoon was spent in sewing and conversation the hostess served a delectable two course refreshment plate to Mrs. T. T. Harrison, Mrs. C. W. Kinslow, Mrs. R. H. Wherry, Mrs. T. Kittinger, Mrs. R. C. Walker, Mrs. D. A. Grundy, Mrs. C. R. Webster, Mrs. J. S. McMurry, Mrs. T. E. Noel, Mrs. S. S. Montgomery, Mrs. J. A. MacMillan, Mrs. S. T. Harrison, Mrs. J. L. Barnes, Mrs. F. N. Foxhall, Mrs. T. R. Garrott and Mrs. W. B. DeBerry.

## Daughters of Wesley Class

The Daughters of Wesley Sunday School Class of the Methodist Church met in regular session Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harley Cudd with Mrs. Angus Huckaby co-hostess.

During the business meeting Mrs. W. V. Coursey was elected assistant teacher.

After the business session a short program was given: Mrs. Floyd McElreath gave the devotional, choosing as her subject, "Selfishness." Mrs. E. E. Rice gave a reading, "The Word."

Refreshments, carrying out a Valentine suggestion were served to the following: Mrs. J. L. Barnes, Mrs. Ira W. Neeley, Mrs. E. N. Hudgins, Mrs. Bess Crump, Mrs. G. H. Garner, Mrs. Lloyd Byars, Mrs. C. H. Compton, Mrs. J. W. Slover, Mrs. R. A. Cole, Mrs. Floyd McElreath, Mrs. C. C. Meacham, Mrs. Frank Wright, Mrs. Ross Springer, Mrs. S. L. Seago, Mrs. W. O. Eddins, Mrs. W. V. Coursey and Miss Gwendolin Coursey.

## Presbyterian Choir Feasts

Members of the Presbyterian choir enjoyed a waffle supper, followed with a sing song and regular choir rehearsal at the home of Mrs. Maynard Drake Wednesday evening.

Those present were: Dr. and Mrs. M. McNeely, Mrs. S. S. Montgomery, Mrs. C. D. Denny, Mrs. Forrest Power, Miss Pauline Ross, Mr. and Mrs. David Fitzgerald, T. E. Noel, Buster Helm, R. E. Martin Jr., and H. J. Gore.

In behalf of the choir, Mrs. M. McNeely presented David Fitzgerald with a lovely gift, as a token of well wishes.

## West Ward P.T.A. Meeting

The West Ward P.T.A. met in regular session Thursday afternoon with the president, Mrs. Clyde Milam, presiding.

A very interesting George Washington program was given by the pupils of Mrs. Bishop and Mrs. Gore. Vocal solo, "Little Annie Rooney," Mrs. Maynard Drake, with Mrs. M. McNeely at the piano. A paper, "A Challenge of our Founders," Mrs. B. B. McMillan. Mrs. W. J. Bragg gave a reading, "Vision," which was her own composition, and which was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Estes read the report of the nominating committee, and

## 'Gay Pique for Evening'

THESE simple, flattering evening gowns of everfast pique will be an asset next summer as well as for a cruise jaunt or resort vacation, if you're lucky enough to have one. The backless model at the left has a white background with large floral motif. The other (right) comes in a vivid sailboat design.



## Entertains With Bridge

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cudd retained fourteen tables of bridge Tuesday and Wednesday evening at their home, 922 South Second.

Red Carnations and red provided an attractive and seasonal decorative note for the reception suite. Red hearts, which marked the chosen Valentine motif.

Tables were arranged for ten sets of players for each evening when contract bridge was played. In the Tuesday evening games prizes, enclosed in white wrappings, were presented to Mr. and Mrs. E. Morgensen for holding high score and Wednesday evening Mr. Mrs. Bill Gerlach made the score.

The delicious refreshments that were served at the close of the game series were expressive of St. Valentine Day.

The guest list included: and Mrs. O. V. Alexander, and Mrs. T. H. Deaver, Mr. Mrs. D. J. Morgensen, Mr. Mrs. John Deaver, Mr. and T. E. Noel, Mr. and Mrs. Chesey Thompson, Dr. and Mrs. Fry Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Ina Walker, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. G. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Miller, and Mrs. Hal Goodnight, Mr. Mrs. L. L. Doss, Mrs. T. T. rison.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gerlach and Mrs. Irvin Johnsey, Mr. Mrs. Zeb Moore, Mr. and Harold Walker, Mr. and Glynn Thompson, Mr. and Hugh Crawford, Mr. and B. Bass, Mr. and Mrs. G. Greehaw, Dr. and Mrs. W. son, Mr. and Mrs. Carl G. Miss Thelma Shankle, Miss F. ie Johnsey and Owen Fields.

Miss Katherine McMurry yesterday for Denver, Colorado a month visit here with parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Murry. Miss McMurry is a lady in a ready-to-wear establishment in Denver.

## Ace High Bridge Club

Members of the Ace High Bridge Club were entertained in the home of Mrs. Tom Ballew Wednesday afternoon.

A colorful Valentine theme was carried out in the table appointments for the contract bridge games and in the refreshments.

At the conclusion of the games Mrs. Edgar Cudd was fortunate in making high score. She was presented with a lovely gift.

Players included Mrs. Harold Walker, Mrs. Hal Goodnight, Mrs. Zeb Moore, Mrs. Bill Gerlach, Mrs. Glynn Thompson, Mrs. Hugh Crawford, Mrs. N. W. Durham, Mrs. Clay Crow, Mrs. Hubbard Bass, Mrs. Edgar Cudd and Mrs. Marie Ballew.

The following officers were selected for the ensuing year: Mrs. Clyde Milam, president; Mrs. O. K. Webb, first vice president; Mrs. Roy Guthrie, second vice president; Mrs. B. B. McMillan, third vice president; Mrs. E. E. Roberts, recording secretary; Mrs. E. E. Rice, treasurer; Mrs. Tom Ballew, press reporter; Mrs. W. O. Eddins, chairman of social committee; Mrs. Lon Montgomery, chairman of room mothers; Mrs. Maynard Drake, chairman of mothers singers; Mrs. W. J. Bragg, chairman of education; Mrs. Russell Middleton, chairman of year book; Mrs. Bob Seyfarth, chairman of publicity; Mrs. C. G. Bumgarner, corresponding secretary; Miss Ruth Pendergrass, registrar.

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## Fun, Frolic and Frivolity



This beautiful scene will be the setting for the royal court King Frivolous XIX, the climax to Galveston's annual Mardi Gras February 21-25, the first of the Texas Centennial Celebrations planned for this year—five days of fun, frolic and frivolity. More than 35 socially prominent young women will represent as duchesses to the King's court. Three Texas beauties shown in the insets. Miss Shirley Lege, duchess of Dallas, upper right; Miss Dorothy Lou Culton, duchess of Corpus Christi, lower left, and Miss Adelaide Folk, duchess of Fort Worth, lower right.

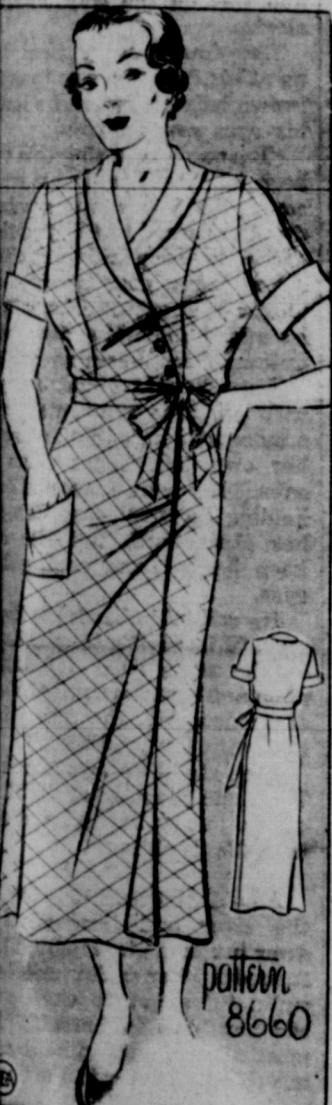
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### Social Calendar

#### MONDAY

The Baptist W. M. S. will meet in Circle meetings at 3 o'clock. Circle No. 1, 2, and 3 will meet at the church and No. 4 will not have their meeting. They meet in mission study.

Mrs. Lee Bell, 419 1-2 South Sixth, will be hostess for the Mizpah Guild at 7 o'clock. Their mission study will be continued.

The Woman's Missionary of the Methodist Church will meet at the church at 3 o'clock for a World Outlook program, with Mrs. J. W. Slover leader.

#### TUESDAY

Mrs. H. H. Newman will be hostess to the Pathfinders Council at her home, 221 North Eighteenth, at 3 p. m.

The Delphian Club will meet at 3:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Candler Hawkins at her country home west of the city.

#### WEDNESDAY

The 1913 Study Club will meet with Mrs. Horace Tarver, 602 South Seventh Street, at 3 p. m.

The Woman's Culture Club will meet at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. G. L. Tipton, 710 West Cleveland, for a book review.

Members of the Ace High Bridge Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Marie Ballew, 1015 West Bradford, for a 1 o'clock luncheon, followed with bridge.

The Atalantean Club will meet at the home of Mrs. L. M. Hicks, 704 South Eighth, at 3:30 o'clock. Topics for discussion, Sweden.

### Entertains S. S. Class

Members of Mrs. W. M. Walker's Sunday School Class of the Baptist Church were entertained yesterday afternoon with Mary Jones and Owen Gilmore as hostesses, at the home of Mary Jones, 1415 West Brice.

Games in keeping with the Valentine season were played and the refreshments that were served by the hostesses were carried out in the Valentine colors.

Those present were: Nina Ruth Nelson, Helen Davis, Eva Campbell, Winnie Strickland, Ida Mae Robinson, Mrs. W. M. Walker and Mrs. Ottie Jones.

### Entertains With Valentine Party

Miss Norma Ruth Crow entertained a group of children with a Valentine party at her home, 914 West Noel, yesterday afternoon from 4 until 5 o'clock. Virginia Isabel assisted in entertaining.

A number of games and contests were enjoyed and at the conclusion prizes were awarded. Those winning prizes were Dorothy and Billy Lester, Aline, Billy James and Gene Isabel, Larry Messer and Kenney Crow.

After the prizes were awarded the beautiful Valentine box was opened which contained Valentines for all present.

Refreshments were served to Wanda Hawkins, George Edward Sumerow, Melvin, Gene, Billy James and Aline Isabel, Larry and Imogene Messer, Ima Nell Rice, Charriotte Janice, Waunona, Kenneth and Charlene Crow, Dorothy and Billy Lester.

#### CHORISTERS AT CHURCH

Sunday night, 7:15, the fifty young ladies of the Junior High School Choral Club will sing at the First Methodist Church. These young ladies are directed by Miss Mary Foreman.

The pastor, Rev. Orion W. Carter, will make his message conform to the hour, by speaking largely to Young People.

Mrs. John Angus MacMillan left today for Arlington to be with her son, Russell, who is reported ill. Russell is a student at the North Texas Agricultural College at Arlington.

### MOVIE TOPICS



How good are you at identifying actors with their makeup on? Here is the picture of one of America's best-known actresses starred as a famous queen. Can you identify the actress? What queen is portrayed? In what country did she rule? When? Is the characterization to be seen on the screen or stage? What is the name of the production? Don't let appearances fool you in identifying the actress—and when you have listed your answers and hold them until Monday, when the correct answers will be printed, together with a picture of the actress without her makeup.

The tabulated list of recent films approved by the West and East Coast Preview Committees and the Preview Board on Musical Films is at hand. These committees are composed of representatives from The National Society of Daughters of the American Revolution, the National Society of New England Women, the General Federation of Women's Clubs, the California Congress of Parents and Teachers, the National Council of Jewish Women, the Women's University Club of Los Angeles, the Southern California Council of Federated Church Women, and the California Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs.

Among recent pictures reviewed are:

- Captain Flood, approved.
- Celine Zero, approved.
- Magnificent Obsession, approved for adults.
- Petrified Forest, approved.
- Chatterbox, approved.
- Riffraff, approved for adults.
- Three Live Ghosts, approved for adults.
- The Lady Consents, approved for adults.
- Brides Are Like That, approved.
- The Bride Comes Home, approved.
- Gentle Julia, approved.
- If You Could Only Cook, approved for audiences over 14.
- Mister Hobo, approved.
- Fang and Claw, approved.
- Professional Soldier, approved.
- The Invisible Ray, approved.
- Two in the Dark, approved.
- Anything Goes, approved.
- Collegiate, approved for adults.
- Freshman Love, approved.
- The King of Burlesque, approved.
- Rose of the Rancho, approved.
- Song and Dance Man, approved.
- Strike Me Pink, approved.
- Dangerous Waters, approved for audiences over 14.
- Exclusive Story, approved for adults and young people.
- Man Hunt, approved.
- Muss 'Em Up, approved for adults and young people.
- Road Gang, approved for adults.
- Tough Guy, approved for adults.
- Bar 20 Rides Again, approved.
- "March of Time" this month completes a year on the American screen, and in that time has become one of the most popular short subjects. During the year, ten subjects have been released and are showing in more than 4500 theatres.

### Priceless Cloth Given Church Exhibit



This ancient table cloth, displayed by Elsie Lorenz, is of silver threads, with the flower relief motif worked in silk. It dates back to the 17th century and is one of a score or more valuable religious pieces of art which the Streets of All Nations, one of the largest concessionaires under contract for the Texas Centennial Exposition at Dallas, have contributed to the Exposition's Hall of Religion.

### \$230,000 for Foods' Display



The architect's sketch above is of the \$230,000 Hall of Foods and Beverages at the Texas Centennial Exposition in Dallas. Already work is well under way on this building, with its apparent completion due six weeks before the opening date of the Exposition, June 6.

### Six Flags That Flew Over Texas



The six flags which have flown over Texas in its long and historic career are shown above by girls from the Texas Centennial Exposition, which opens at Dallas June 6, celebrating the Lone Star State's one hundredth year of independence. In front is Mary Frances Thurman, with the flag of the United States; in the second row Mildred Ezell, left, France, and Cherie Cooper, Spain; in the rear row, left to right, Essie Lee Haynos, Lone Star Republic; Ruby Reagan, Mexican; and Jerry Andrews, the Confederacy.

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# CRUISE TO NOWHERE

### Jane Weston Thought Romantic Adventures Only Happened in Far-Away Places

#### CHAPTER I

JANE WESTON heard the cold wind and sleet beating against the panes as she dialed the Central Employment Bureau again. She said in a tired monotone, "Miss Weston calling," and glanced at the office clock.

It was 11:30. Every day for 30 days, while she was at this temporary job in the Oceanic Magazine office, Jane had called the same number. Regent 3000. Regent 3000. The sing-song refrain buzzed in her mind.

And each time, as now, she had received the same reply. "Sorry. No call for you yet, Miss Weston."

Jane sighed and put down the telephone. She began to type again. It was a relief from thinking about herself.

Or was it? It was maddening, counting off the hours from eight to six. A good steady job that absorbed her was what Jane wanted. For more than a year she had taken anything—typing, holiday clerking, switchboard work, anything she could get. She couldn't admit defeat—she couldn't go back to that little middlewestern town until she had found what she had been looking for when she set out alone for the city.

Back in Indiana Jane had been a girl of high, keen spirit. She was the middle child in a family of five and had neither the intense self-reliance of the first-born or the home-loving content of the last-born. She wanted to see things and do things that were beyond the ken of her companions in the town. And

Jane was practical. When she wanted a thing, she went after it.

In the midst of the final letter in her wire basket, she looked up and saw Dickie Landon grinning at her. Dickie was no more than a glorified office boy, at his first job. He had tried to date her every day for a month.

"Have you ever been to Coney Island in the winter?" Dick asked. "That's the best time. No crowds, no hot dogs, just the long sweep of the ocean and—"

"And a breeze so cold it'll freeze the marrow in your bones," she replied. "No, thank you. I'll take a cruise to the South Seas on a luxury liner."

She smiled knowingly, for she had just typed a letter to a very

by  
**Deck Morgan**  
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wealthy woman who had written the travel editor of the magazine, asking about cruises to the South Seas.

"Aw, come on," Dick begged. "Just this time. You're no killer for looks, Jane, but you knock the shine off the others in this building. I ought to know. I've tried to date them all."

Jane flushed a little, but she smiled at Dick's naivete. He was as open and frank in his observations as a child.

Nevertheless she paused in her work long enough to glance at her image in the wall mirror. She had dark-brown eyes and a pert, cushioned mouth. Her reddish hair was set in smooth waves away from a high, white forehead. She had never thought of herself as being especially pretty, but there were plenty of young men who turned

around to look after her when she passed on the street.

At this moment there came the faint sound of a ship's horn from the river. Jane glanced quickly toward the window which overlooked the shipping at the piers. Far down she could see the tug boats nosing a giant liner, like a sleek greyhound, out into the water.

Streamers of white paper hung from the stern of the ship, and faintly Jane could hear the noise of the sailing. She could see the black throng on the pier head, waving handkerchiefs to the people on board the departing cruise ship.

She stood up and tried to distinguish people on board the ship, but they were too far away. The ship steamed down the bay, carrying those people to life, color and gaiety on tropic seas.

"Down to the sea in ships," escaped Jane's lips. Then she sighed.

"Hub! It's one of those cruises to nowhere," Dick Landon scoffed. "I'll bet they don't have any more fun than we had on the Show Boat last summer. We used to go up the river and back all in one night."

But Jane didn't hear him. She picked up a newspaper and turned to the steamship columns. "The S. S. Orinoco sails today at noon with 440 on board. Among the passengers are Prince Raoul d'Espinay; Jack Fields, international tennis star; the Earl of Abingdon; Lola Martinez, the danseuse; and Alberto Grandi, the tenor—"

From somewhere Jane caught up the sight of a romantic baritone who sat on the deck, the stars and murmured a nonsense about the moonlight kisses on Lake Como to her. Weston. Or there was a young man with blond hair and blue eyes on the sun deck who asked her if she would go for a swim in the Pool Room which was luxuriously scented like bath salts at that time . . .

The buzzer on Jane's desk brought her back from her daydream. Dickie Landon said, "Hurry up! Jerry, the boss, is waiting."

But Jane had heard. She had already picked up her dictation machine and was on the way, smiling alertly.

She found Jerry Seal sitting up at his desk. He was tanned, had brown hair and when he looked at her his eyes seemed tired.

"I'm sorry to spring this on you," he said. "As I told you last week, the job was temporary and I'm forced to tell you the magazine is suspending publication. After today your services will no longer be required. Nor will I be added gloomily, as you might say, to the business end of the office."

Jane thought about Jerry Seal for a moment. She had never thought about her own job. Tears came into her eyes. They were tears she had been holding back all day. She kept her chair hard, but she kept Jerry from seeing her eyes.

He smiled in his friendly way. "I know it's tough. Take some time off this afternoon and scout around the city for a new job. I'm going to meet now with the publisher." Jane stood up and thanked him. Then she went back to her office, put on her hat and left the building.

A cold wind was blowing from the river and instinctively she drew her coat closer about her neck. She turned up her collar and began to walk. "I've got to save my strength," she confided to herself. "Most of the employment agencies are close together in the downtown business district."

But she soon found the search difficult in the slush. The wind cut her face and her eyes were sodden and heavy. In a corner drug store, she called a roommate at the walk-up apartment with cooking facilities.

"I'm down town making rounds of the agencies," Jane said. "I'm through at the office. I haven't any more job. Won't you write me down and share my misfortune this afternoon?"

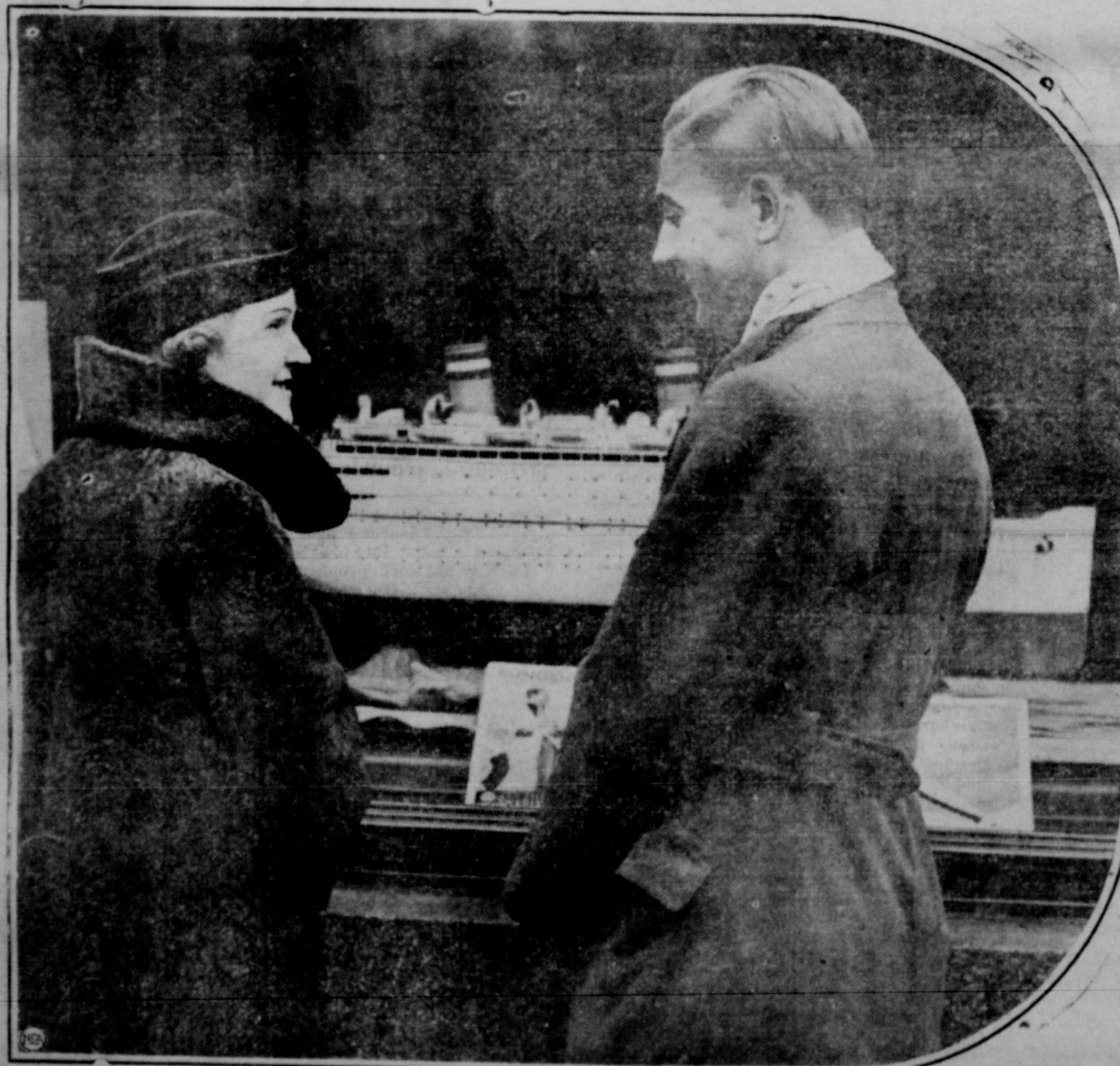
Alice said, "Have you had lunch?"

"No."

"Well, you little idiot, get over to my place on Canal street and get some hot food. And wait for me there."

Jane left the booth and entered the little white-table-top restaurant with its pleasant smell of vegetable soups and pastries. She sat down at a table before the window and ordered a bowl of chowder.

She and Alice had often eaten the rounds together. Alice had a steady job, too, but had nothing to do except spare typing to do. There was something heartening about entering a crowded employment bureau along with the agencies, one after the other, with chins up and spirits high. Employment managers liked



Suddenly he turned and said, "Swell tub, isn't it?"

## MONDAY: Jane Boards the ru



# The Democrat's Farm Page

## PRESERVING QUALITY OF COTTON BY CORRECT METHODS IN GINNING

### Ginning Plays Great Part in Production of Staple

Last week we discussed the importance of the cotton crop and the influence of proper harvesting in bringing this precious crop to market in the best possible condition. This week we discuss the value of correct ginning which may save several dollars per bale as against the indifferent ginning that is sometimes done.

In order to further preserve the quality of cotton in the process of cleaning and ginning, or the actual removal of the lint from the seed, careful attention must be given to the proper use and adjustment of suitable ginning equipment in order to insure its efficient operation. This involves the use of mechanical and pneumatic devices for cleaning and extracting cotton; the adjustment of the automatic feeders; the density of the seed roll; the condition and shape of the saw teeth and ribs; the speed at which the saws are operated; and the type of doffing equipment used in removing the lint from the saws.

Investigations conducted by the Texas Agricultural Station on the use of air line cleaners show, in general, that the grade of cotton and style of ginning was materially improved by their use in the removal of dirt and trash from the cotton. The types of cleaner used did not appear to have any appreciable effect on the length of the lint or the time required for ginning. Careful attention should be given to the selection of equipment with sufficient capacity necessary for extracting and cleaning may be accomplished.

It is important that the adjustment of the automatic feeders should be such that the flow of cotton into the seed-roll will be constant and in such volume to insure a moderately loose roll at all times. Our investigations show

that a loose seed roll gave much better results than a tight seed roll. Increasing the density of the seed-roll appeared to lower the grade of the cotton, and the style of ginning to increase the amount of gin-cutting, to lengthen the time required in ginning, to damage the seed, and in some cases to lower the percentage of lint.

The U. S. Cotton Ginning Laboratories found that the tight seed roll increased the power requirements in the operation of ginning equipment almost 50 per cent. They reported that the bale value of cotton ginned with a loose seed roll was increased from 60 cents to four dollars a bale, depending upon the length of staple and moisture content, as compared to cotton ginned with a tight seed roll.

The condition and shape of the saw teeth and ribs readily influenced the smoothness and uniformity of the sample obtained. Ginning Laboratory tests show that poor saws and poor ribs may affect not only the quality of the ginning, but the quantity of turn-out as well. They further disclose the fact that the use of saws and ribs in good condition increase the bale value of long staple cotton by \$2.00 per bale and of short staple cotton by \$1.00.

The question is often raised as to what influence changes in saw speed will have on the quality of the ginned line. The results of numerous tests made by state and federal workers show that the most satisfactory results for any particular make of gin may be expected when the saws are operated at not more than 100 revolutions per minute above or below those speeds recommended by the manufacturers. It was concluded that reasonable saw speed variations do not generally produce significant changes while varying density of the seed roll nearly always produced noticeable changes in quality of the ginned lint.

The next step in the ginning operation is known as "doffing" (Continued on Page 12)

## Plows Rip Through Snow Mountains in Rescue Job



Through mountainous drifts, plows slowly sliced their way to free scores of stranded motorists in a near-record snowfall that accompanied sub-zero weather in a great area from northwest to the east coast, this scene near Algonquin, Ill., being a typical one of rescue. Rail and highway traffic was paralyzed, schools were closed, and blocked roads brought grave peril of fuel famine to many communities.

## TO CONTINUE THE AGRICULTURAL PROGRAM PLANNING IN STATE

### Survey of Farms in State First Step in Big Program

COLLEGE STATION, Feb. 15.—The state-wide launching of the Agricultural Program Planning Project which was discontinued following the Supreme Court decision will be continued and is expected to be under way in Texas by February 17, according to George E. Adams, Assistant State Agent of the Extension Service.

"This work, which is being directed by Extension district agents, both men and women, should be finished by April 1," Adams said. Adams, who has charge in Texas of this agricultural planning activity, will select a number of counties in each Extension district where the Extension district agents will meet with the county Extension agents and the county farm and home demonstration councils and set the wheels in motion.

"A continuous flow of economic information to and from the farm is very much needed; this program planning is designed to implement that and to bring the farmer into the planning end of the agricultural work," Adams gives as the reason for going ahead with activity now.

"Mutual understanding of problems is needed to have democratic planning. This program is calculated to get such an understanding between the agencies in authority administering government agricultural programs and farmers engaged in carrying those programs into effect on their farms," Adams said.

The first question to consider is: planning project is in effect a survey which will be conducted in the 200 counties by farm and home demonstration council members who will undertake to reach an actual five per cent of the rural population and secure replies to these questions:

The first question to consider is, "Probable production in 1936 assuming normal weather conditions, present farm practices and prospective prices."

The second question to consider is, "Probable production of the various farm products in 1936, assuming normal weather conditions and prospective prices be without

either production or marketing control, and if farm practices had been adjusted to maintain soil fertility and to control erosion."

"The schedule forms for answering these questions will also have added another schedule, number seven, which asks these questions in relation to gardens and home processed commodities for home consumption," Adams concluded.

LUFKIN.—Mrs. Nelson Cowart, yard demonstrator for Odell Home Demonstration Club in Angelina county, had no stone from which to make a walk, so she used broken blocks of concrete from an old 'dipping vat' which was nearby in making a flagstone walk three and one-half feet wide, from steps to front gate, according to Nellie Ward, home demonstration agent.

### Cow Is Cupid; Law Says 'No'



A romance that began when a lifer, climbing a prison honor farm fence to milk a cow in an adjoining field, met a farmer's daughter and later eloped with her ended in Chicago when Mr. and Mrs. George Singer, shown here in close embrace, were held by police. Singer, convicted in a fatal payroll robbery, was to be returned to Missouri state prison and the girl to her farm home.

## On Texas Farms

Minnie Fisher Cunningham  
Extension Service Editor

Texas yards will be on the move this year of the Texas Centennial, and Texas rural home owners have been getting ready for the show if one is to judge annual report figures of the Extension Service.

In Austin county Mrs. E. Neuman, yard demonstrator, New Ulm, began her work in October 1934 by preparing a cutting bed in which she put out cuttings of evergreens and to be rooted and transplanted her yard in 1935.

Miss Celesta Albert, yard demonstrator in Anderson county increased the size of her yard so that it would correspond with the large house, then planted native shrubbery in a series of plantings across the back to off the view of the service buildings. Youpon, coral berran, lantanas and wild orange were used.

Mrs. Fred Einkauf, yard demonstrator from Wallis, began her work by measuring a bed all the way around the house four feet wide which was then dug about fourteen inches deep, fertilized, worked over and raked after which coral berry, cherry laurel, youpon, Japanese quince, pomegranate and bridal wreaths were planted as foundation plantings.

Mrs. Alvin Bravencoe of Sonville beautified her yard with native shrubs which her husband said he was glad to transplant because they "looked pretty in the woods."

Preliminary to this work, the home demonstration agent held a training school for yard demonstrators last spring in which she learned how to identify plants, material, ball and burlap for transplanting and treating them.

Youpon, winter willow, coral berry, French mulberry, sumac, red cedar, older bush, holly, dogwood, redbud, cherry laurel, spice bush are all growing here in Austin county, and are available for yard improvement work there.

## SOIL BUILDING CROPS CUT FARM COSTS AND CHECK EROSION



Gullies eat away entire farms.



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### Three Ways to Cut Farm Costs

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2. Grow Food Crops.
3. Grow Soil Building and Erosion Control Crops.



ADJUSTMENT payments and increased income from cotton are enabling farmers to retire and build up badly eroded and worn-out land. The new cotton contract provides that food and feed crops for home use, in addition to soil-building and erosion-control crops, may be grown on land withheld from cotton production.



# CHURCHES

## FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Dr. John Angus MacMillan, Minister

A great deal of the world's Christianity is a thing of mere words. And mere words are a poor substitute for Christianity. Today morning's sermon will deal with "Christianity In Action." In fact until Christianity gets into action it isn't worth the name. Which is one reason why "Christianity In Action" is the subject of a good sermon substitute. There will be special music. Service will be held at 11 o'clock.

"There Isn't Any Escape" will be the subject of Vesper address at 5 p. m.

Sunday school will open at 9:45 a. m.

Junior church meets at 11 o'clock.

10:00 a. m. Bible School

11:00 a. m. Morning Worship. "What Constitutes the Church"

8:00 p. m. Evening Worship. "Marked Passages in Lincoln's Life."

## FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Orion W. Carter, Pastor

Sunday School 9:45, Roy Guth, Supt.

Morning Worship 11:00 a. m., Young People's Service 6:15 p. m., Evening Worship 7:15.

Great crowds help make great services.

Great services inspire great faith.

## FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Hayes O. Luna, A. M., B. D. Pastor

10:00 a. m., Bible School.

11:00 a. m., Morning Worship. Sermon: "What Kind of Religion Do You Want?"

8:00 p. m., Evening Worship. Sermon: "The Unexpectedness of God."

Wednesday night, at 7:30, the Annual Church Fellowship Banquet.

quet will be held, with Patrick Henry, State Secretary of the Texas Missionary Society, as special guest speaker.

## BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.

Preaching, 11:00, "The Two Resurrections" by the Pastor.

Sunday Afternoon: Association B.T.U. Rally. Visitors will be here from many of the churches in Panhandle Association.

B.T.U., 6:00 p. m.

Preaching by Pastor, 7:15 p. m.

Monday—W.M.U. 3:00 p. m.

Wednesday night—Prayer meeting. Young Peoples Department of the Sunday School conducting.

## ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

R. A. Jones, Pastor

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.

Morning Service, 11:00 a. m.

Evening Service, 8:00 o'clock

Tuesday—Ladies' Bible Class, 3:00 p. m.

Wednesday—Prayer Meeting, 8:00 p. m.

Thursday—Prayer Meeting, 8:00 p. m.

Saturday—Young People's Meeting, 8:00 o'clock.

## CHURCH OF CHRIST

Dwain Jones, Minister

Bible School, 9:45 a. m.

Morning Service, 10:45 a. m.

Evening Service, 7:00 p. m.

Tuesday—Ladies' Bible Class, 3:00 p. m.

Wednesday—Prayer Meeting, 7:30 p. m.

## CHURCH OF CHRIST LAKEVIEW

Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.

Communion, 11:00 a. m.

## NAZARINE CHURCH

Rev. O. A. Brown, Pastor

Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.

Preaching, 11:00 a. m.

N. Y. P. S. Service, 7:00 p. m.

Preaching, 7:45 p. m.

Midweek Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 7:45 p. m.

### Weekly Sunday School Lesson

## People Before Property

Text: Luke 8:26-37

The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for Feb. 23.

BY WM. E. GILROY, D. D. Editor of Advance

THE story of the Gerasenes in the King James Version called Gadarenes and the swine, upon which this lesson is based has puzzled many people. To some of a freely critical mind, it has seemed no different from anything else in the New Testament that they have wondered whether it had an authentic place in the record at all; yet it has some very clear and definite teachings, the application of which is decidedly marked in relation to life today.

The story itself is simple. As Jesus went through this country of the Gerasenes, adjoining Galilee. He met a man possessed of demons, or who was, as we would say, insane. The man's insanity took the form of sending him forth from his fellows to live in the tombs, unkempt and unclothed. When the poor fellow saw Jesus, there was fulfilled the saying, "the devils also feared and trembled," for in his madness he railed against the Master. When Jesus asked him his name, he replied that it was Legion, for many demons had entered into him.

THE story has a strange aspect, as the demons are represented as asking that, if they were cast out of the man, they should not be hurled into the abyss, but should be allowed to enter a herd of swine feeding on the mountains. The record is that when the demons had gone into the swine the latter rushed down a steep place into the lake and were drowned.

Interpreted upon any literal basis, inquiry might well be made

why the gentle Jesus in healing the maniac should have destroyed the hogs or sent them to such an end. The obvious reply would be that the hogs were intended to be slaughtered anyway, and that no question of mercy or humanity is involved in the form of their destruction.

THE story manifestly is strange and puzzling, but the teachings that come from it are very clear and practical. These Gerasenes, by their law and religion, were forbidden the use of pork. So far as their religion was concerned they were engaged in an illicit and prohibited business for the sake of gain. They would not eat the hogs themselves, but they would sell them to other people.

Waving aside any question of the propriety of eating pork, a question that the non-Jewish world has solved in its own way, the teaching is obvious. They always have been in the world and there are today the sort of people who are far more concerned about their self-interest and profit than they are about the welfare of their fellow men.

Here were these Gerasenes utterly unmindful of the fact that the poor maniac had been healed and put in his right mind, but deeply concerned about the loss of their profit in pork.

HOW many modern parallels can one could cite? Such an attitude too always has its larger consequences.

The Gerasenes asked Jesus to depart out of their coast. When a man has given his life over to selfishness and meanness there is no place there for Jesus. He immediately becomes an unwelcome guest.

How large are the areas in our modern world that we do not wish Jesus to enter?

nesday, 7:45 p. m.

### BAPTIST SERVICES

"According to Your Faith" is the subject of the morning sermon by the pastor. Text Mt. 9:29.

"Cut Loose," is the theme for the Evening Message. Text, Rev. 1:5 (R.V.)

You have a friendly hand waiting for you at this church. This church seeks to help you in the things that really count.

Sunday School, 9:45.  
B.T.U., 6:00 p. m.  
Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.

Mrs. Ike Cupp, Mr. and Mrs. Cupp and Mrs. Dewey Miller will Dewey Miller and Mr. and Mrs. remain until Sunday with their Fred Miller arrived from Erick, father, Robert Reynolds, who is ill Okla., yesterday and are guests inat the home of his daughter, Mrs. the home of Mrs. Grace Duge, Mrs. Duke.

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# SPORT PAGE



## Basketball Tournament Is Now Under Way

### COUNTY TEAMS VIE FOR TITLE AT ESTELLINE

#### Lakeview and Turkey Take Openers at Games Last Night

Running true to pre-game predictions, Lakeview and Turkey copped the inaugural rounds in the County Interscholastic League Basketball Tournament last night in the High school gymnasium at Estelline.

Upward of 200 spectators shivered in the big gym as Lakeview unlaunched a whirlwind scoring attack that completely swamped touted Estelline Cagers, and Turkey played a haphazard game to win handily from the trailing Memphis Cyclone.

By virtue of the offense thrown against Estelline last night and the smooth all-round floor game, the Lakeview lads were today favored to trim Turkey when they clash in the climactic game tonight. Turkey, due to their record of 21 wins in 23 games played, were conceded as decided favorites to walk off with county honors; but the Terrible Turks looked like a mediocre quintet last night in defeating the locals.

Lakeview and Memphis were scheduled to clash this morning late, as were Turkey and Estelline, when the four class "A" basketball teams of this county resume play in the Round Robin tournament to determine the county championship.

Coach Bob Clark's Lakeview cagers displayed a fairly fast-breaking offense and a tight defense to win over Estelline's Bear Cubs. Coach Curbutt's men were

### M. B. A. League

Memphis Bowling Association

Tuesday Game				
HIGH SCHOOL				
Players	(1)	(2)	(3)	Ttl.
McNally	112	94	157	363
Crump	138	104	96	338
Walker	135	103	147	385
Powers	172	193	156	521
Kinslow	110	115	126	351

Totals				
MERCHANTS				
Players	(1)	(2)	(3)	Ttl.
Massey	104	142	111	357
Johnsey	132	131	115	378
Eady	96	138	107	341
Hampton	111	148	141	399
Dummy	131	131	131	393

Totals				
Standings				
Team	W	L	Pct	
V-Eights	11	7	.611	
Industrials	9	6	.600	
Merchants	10	8	.556	
High School	8	7	.533	
Democrats	9	9	.500	
Laundry	7	8	.467	
Band	5	7	.417	
Outlaws	4	8	.333	

#### Monday's Game

Democrats vs. Outlaws

unable to sink a single field goal the first quarter, but fared better the second quarter. Score at half-time was 24 to 10 with the Eagles on top. Billings, sharpshooting Eagle forward, was form itself as he paired with Stargle to lead the Lakeview scoring. Both netted 13 points.

Imel, Lakeview forward, played a good, steady game, controlling the tip most of the time from the taller Stout. Clifton sparkled for the Bear Cubs, followed by Edmondson, who was not quite up to his usual form. Leatherwood, regional winner of the century dash

### Mass Production in Hammers and Locks



Looks as if a pretzel bender was drilling the University of Pennsylvania mat squad in this workshop.

last year, amazed the spectators by his agility and speed on the court.

Final outcome of the encounter was 44 to 22, with the Eagles on the big end.

The Turkey-Memphis clash was not so colorful as the opening game. The Turks took an early lead and maintained it throughout, neither team displaying much. One regular, Yarbrough, was missing from the Turkey lineup. Score at the half was 17 to 6 in Turkey's favor.

Bass, Turkey forward, led the offensive attack by his team, being high point man of the game with 10 points. He was followed by Capt. Young, forward, who scored seven.

Pud Malone starred for the Memphis quintet, despite his inability to find the basket consistently. Playing forward and guard he was the most polished man on the floor the second game. Little Peter Gilreath looked good at times, as did Davis and Smith.

Starting lineups for last night's games:

Lakeview—Billings and Stargle, forwards; Imel, center; Hatley and (Continued on Page 12)

### HARRY GRAYSON'S SPORTCAST

#### NEW STYLE IN SWIMMING

NOT to be outdone by recent developments in other fields of sports, swimming now has something new to thrill spectators which will probably result in many new records.

It is a new style of breast stroke which is a complete swing away from the familiar orthodox method. For years contestants in breast stroke races have lumbered through the water in an uninteresting and tiresome manner, stroking with their arms under water. The best swimmers in this type of event now lift their arms out over their heads in a sort of two-armed crawl stroke.

This style cannot definitely be called new for it was first invented 10 years ago by the German star, Erich Rademacher, and banned as illegal. The stroke is a series of arm thrashes against the water with the hands ending against the hips in the orthodox fashion, but then being swung out of the water and forward in a manner which can best be described as a butterfly stroke.

One of the leading exponents of this newly developed method is Jack Kasley, University of Michigan junior who holds the national collegiate 200-yard record. He has bettered the world record in practice using the over-arm stroke.

FROM the spectators' standpoint the stroke might aptly be named the flying fish, as the swimmer appears to make a series of powerful lunges through the water. Matt Mann, Michigan coach, who has been experimenting in the new field, predicts that Kasley will break the existing 100 and 200-meter records by at least six seconds.

The stroke was revived in 1933 by George Kaplan, a swimmer for

the College of the City of New York. It has since been ruled legal for competition by the International Amateur Athletic Federation.

Other outstanding performers using the stroke are Johnny Higgins of Olneyville, Pa.; Ray Kay of the Detroit Athletic Club, and Ed Speece of the New York Athletic Club. They and Kasley are the best in the field today.

Records may be smashed, by swimmers wishing to use the stroke throughout an entire race will be faced with an entirely new program of conditioning. It is a very tiring style and for the most part is used only at the beginning and end of races.

"THE old stroke depends on the legs for speed," says Kasley. "The new one depends on the arms."

"When I swim a 200-yard race I can go the first half with the new stroke, but then I tire and go back to the old. I take the old stroke for 50 yards and finish with the flying fish. I don't believe that one can go the whole 200 at top speed with the new stroke. It's a killer on the arms, but steady practice will develop the necessary muscles."

Coach Larry Petersen of Western Reserve has conducted tests with the new stroke and has met with marked success through the splendid performances of his star pupil, Jack Gorman. The Cleveland youth has several new records pending which he made in A. A. U. meets.

The new method has already made its appearance in college and high school meets throughout the country. It promises to add a new zest to an ancient sport in offering a rigorous challenge to the nation's husky water babies.

### GOAT-GETTERS

By Krenz



### BOWLERS NEAR FIRST HALF OF LEAGUE SEASON

#### First Half Finish Will be Close Race for Honors

The first half of the league season of the Memphis Bowling Association finishes next Friday night, with several teams decidedly in the running for first half honors.

Only two games were played this week. Wednesday night's contest between the Band and the Industrials and last night's play between the Laundry and the Outlaws were both postponed. This means that six games will have to be played next week if the schedule is completed.

Regular scheduled games for

next week are as follows: Monday week.

night, Democrats and Outlaws; Tuesday night, Laundry and V-Eights; Wednesday night, High School and Band; Friday night, Merchants and Industrials. The postponed games will probably be played on two afternoons next to be.

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### Noted Gangster—

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ions awaited their turn to bowl, three men came in and opened fire with pistols on McGurn. One shot struck him in the neck and one behind the ear.

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The Memphis Daily Democrat is authorized to announce the following as candidates for public office, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July.

For Representative, 121st Dist: BOB ALEXANDER, Childress (Re-election)

For District Judge: A. S. MOSS, Memphis

For District Attorney: JACK DEAHL, Wellington JOHN DEAVER (Re-election)

For District Clerk: J. N. CYPERT (Re-election)

For County Judge: JIM VALLANCE (Re-election)

For Sheriff: JOE N. COLVIN (Re-election) R. G. BARNETT W. H. MONZINGO LINDSEY E. HILL

For County Attorney: CARL PERIMAN (Re-election)

For County Clerk: FLOYD SPRINGER (Re-election) MISS MAY ANTHONY

For Tax Assessor-Collector: J. M. FERREL A. BALDWIN

For County Treasurer: MISS JOHNNIE WILSON CHAS. DRAKE

For Justice Peace, Prec. 1: W. L. WHEAT (Re-election)

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For Commissioner, Prec. 3: JOHN RUSSELL B. T. PREWITT (Re-election) BURL BELL

### First Annual—

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more singing, "Old Faithful" and "Shipmates Forever."

The dinner was then served by the ladies of the Methodist Church. The complete menu was as follows: candy favors, baked hen, dressing, celery, creamed potatoes, string beans, fruit salad, hot rolls, coffee, cherry pie.

As plates were being pushed back, Ed Smith launched an exhaustive statement of the 1935-1936 objectives of the chapter.

Swift next called on Howard Yarbrough, Joyce Dot Webster, and Raymond Anderson to report on their respective home projects, as a cross section of the entire group's work.

These interesting reports, which show how the boys are really getting results from their study of approved farming methods, were followed by a short speech by Winifred Swift, introducing R. E. L. Pattillo, Hall County Agricultural Agent, the main speaker of the evening.

Pattillo made a nice long talk, pleasantly interspersed with jokes and funny stories, on the subject of soil conservation.

"Like our eyesight, we accept the fertility of the soil as a matter of course," Pattillo stated, "and give no serious thought to it until it is gone." He gave instances of soil being ruined by neglect, contrasting with examples of greatly improved land by terracing.

Texas loses enough land each year through water erosion to cover 120,000 acres a foot deep, according to Mr. Pattillo. But this situation is being remedied.

After the soil is conserved, he continued, wise use of it depends on knowledge of the plant foods it contains.

The purpose of scientific farming is obviously to make money for the farmer, but, said Mr. Pattillo, money isn't all: "There is no short cut to or substitute for character." Agriculture, he reminded them, offers opportunities for human service, so long as one keeps in mind that "It's not what we live on, but what we live for." He concluded with the advice, "Make your best better."

The fathers were then introduced by name to the group, and impromptu talks by various of them and by Superintendent of Schools W. C. Davis and Professor Walter Labay of the Estelline chapter of the F. F. A. terminated the session.

### District Court—

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Grand Jury at this term, and if bills are returned against them, their cases will help swell the docket.

Court attaches are of the opinion that it will be possible to dispose of the docket of pending cases at this term of the court.

### Junior C. C.—

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this line with a committee from the Senior Chamber. A series of monthly trades days will be inaugurated here at an early date.

It was voted by the Junior body to share expenses with the Senior chamber of the barbecue used at the recent F.F.A. and Home Economics dinner.

### County Teams—

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McElreath, guards. Estelline—Edmondson and Clifton, forwards; Stout, center; Townsend and Leatherwood, guards. Turkey—Bass and Young, forwards; Lipscomb, center; Coker and Farley, guards. Memphis—Malone and Childress, forwards; Smith, center; Davis and White, guards.

### Two Day—

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etc. 9:30-9:50 — "Why"—Scouting Objectives and Program, by Riley W. Carlton.

9:50—Assignment of next lesson and Home Study.

Every man in the county who is interested in the furthering of the Boy Scout movement is invited and urged to attend these classes, whether they plan to take an active part in the work or not, as it will give them a clear insight into the ideals, methods and objectives of the organization.

### Amateur Show—

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list of contestants and their specialties will be compiled and copies furnished all clubs and organizations in the county, to serve as a directory of entertainment talent in the county.

The contest will be conducted along the lines of the popular radio amateur hours on the radio, with microphone and public address system playing their part in adding reality to the setting.

### Elements Rage—

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at Placerville, California.

Fifty persons are reported snow-bound on an Idaho highway.

Distress calls from two large boats and many small fishing craft sent the Coast Guard cutters hurrying from Boston off the New England coast. Eleven fishermen are in danger a half mile off the shore from Lockport, Nova Scotia. They are in motorboats, unable to make port because of the heavy ice.

Richmond, Virginia, reports a dozen or more vessels facing new dangers from rising flood waters as they are battered by an 18-foot wall of ice and water from an ice jam break on the St. James river.

### School Census—

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trustees in every way possible in securing the names of the scholastics, Miss Gilreath stated.

Trustees will get their supplies this month. Those who will canvass north of Red River will get their supplies from the county superintendent's office Feb. 25 at 2:00 o'clock. The remainder will get their supplies at the office of C. A. Russell in Turkey on Feb. 27.

Following are those who were appointed census trustees:

Jewel Gilreath, Eli; C. L. Wheeler, Deep Lake; Alice Baker, Gam-mage; Mrs. C. C. Crozier, Webster; Daphna Anderson, Parnell; Mrs. Alvin Pyeatt, Indian Creek; A. J. Lyles, Baylor; Mrs. Conley Crabb, Pleasant Valley; J. L. Benham, Penn Creek.

E. W. Solomon, Salisbury; J. T. Garner, Buffalo Flat, Mrs. Ben Bockleman, Bridle Bit; J. A. Fuston, Leach; D. A. Neeley, Friendship; Mrs. Nettie Adams, Churchman; John Bradley, Fairview; Barna Plaster, Tampico.

Grover Kesterson is reported ill and unable to be at his place in the Russell Market at the City Grocery today. Fred Russell is here from Clarendon to take his place during his illness.

### Texas Theatre

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Dr. and Mrs. L. M. Hicks, and children, Lloyd Jr., and Jane, Harold Walker, Jack Boone, Paul Dodson, Buck Gillenwater, J. R. Sanders, Jack Sifton, Miss Vera Gilreath and Miss Marcellie Dickson were among those attending the opening game of the basketball tournament at Estelline last night.

### Preserving—

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or the removal of the lint from the saws. This is accomplished in two ways, one by means of revolving brushes, and the other by a pneumatic nozzle, either of which blows the fibre from the saw teeth and discharges it into the lint flue. Care should be taken to see that moting occurs at the proper point, so that none of the motes will be carried into the flue with the lint and thus lower the grade of the cotton. The position of the air nozzle in relation to the saw is equally important in order that the lint may be removed completely from each saw tooth as it passes the opening in the air blast nozzle. This adjustment should be checked at intervals, and especially after the saws have been sharpened. The air blast pressure and velocity should also be checked with a special indicator made for this purpose. When ginning unusually

trashy cotton, frequent examination should be made to see there is no obstruction of the nozzle.

In conclusion, it should be pointed out that close cooperation between the farmer and the gin is essential in the matter of ginning and ginning if a high quality of cotton is to be marketed.

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