

The Memphis Democrat

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ORR STUDIO IS OPEN IN NEW BUILDING

The Orr studio and gift shop opened today in the new Orr building on west Main street with the most complete line of gift good and the best equipment obtainable for the studio department.

The occupancy of the new building is the culmination of over twenty years in the photographic business in Memphis, Mr. Orr having started here in his youth with a very small studio and a scarcity of equipment. To-day he is the owner of a \$50,000 establishment and is considered one of the best photographers in the state.

Mr. Orr is to be commended upon his success and his ability in this field.

GUEST CLOSES LAUNDRY; TO DO TAILORING

The Guest Steam laundry and dry cleaning plant has discontinued the laundry department and will in the future devote their entire attention to the cleaning and pressing business, according to a statement today by Buddie Guest, proprietor of the establishment. Mr. Guest gave as his reason the fact that the volume of business in laundry work would not justify the profitable support of two laundries and as he had an established trade in the cleaning department he preferred that line.

In the future the business will be conducted under the name of Guest Tailor Shop as was done previous to the installation of the laundry equipment. Mr. Guest states he will use a large portion of the laundry machinery in the dry cleaning work and will have one of the most modern cleaning plants in this section of the country.

T-O FAIR MAN HERE TUESDAY BOOSTING FAIR

J. Malcom Harrison, special representative of the chamber of commerce of Wichita Falls, also advance agent of the Texas-Oklahoma fair, to be held October 2-7 at Wichita Falls, was advertising same in Memphis Tuesday with his attractive window cards and automobile banners and very elaborate lithographs for show windows. Mr. Harrison states that the T-O fair this year has added a number of new attractions to one of which he called special attention, the Gorgeous Paganst, showing early life in Texas and Oklahoma in eras to the present date.

Mr. Harrison also called on the business men of Memphis in interest of his industrial campaign from which no doubt great things in cooperation between Memphis and Wichita Falls, will result.

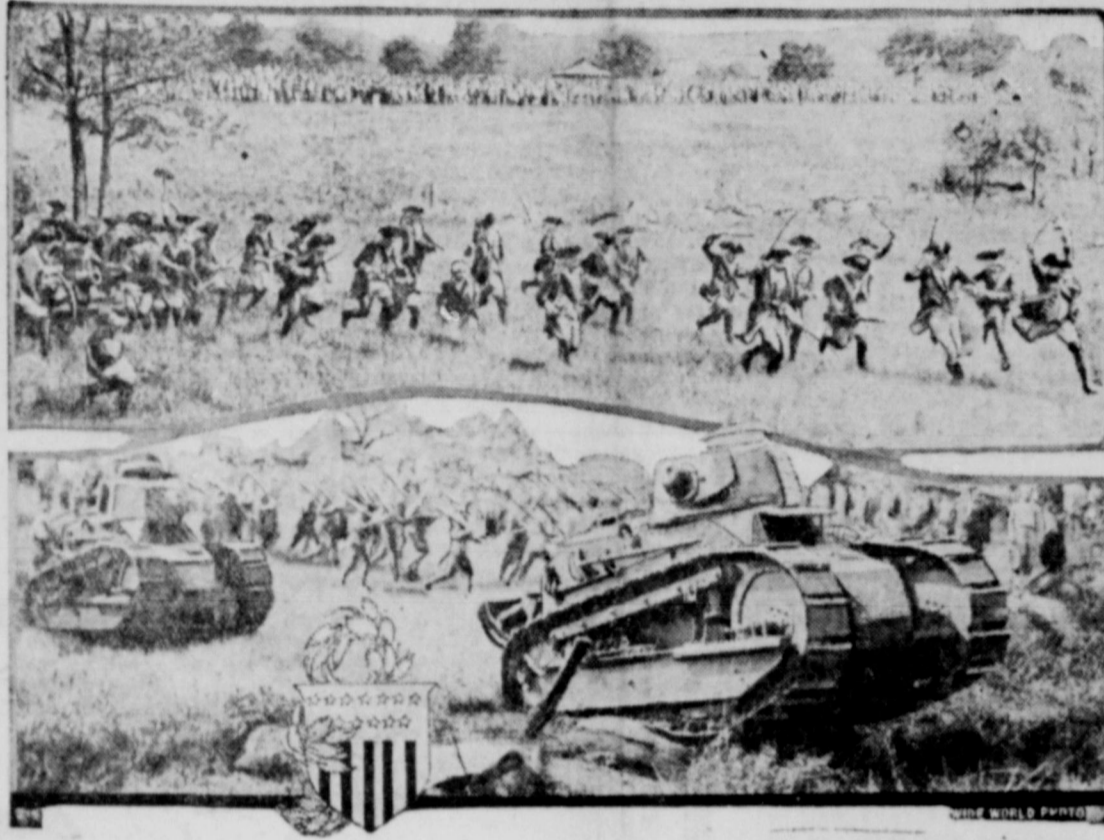
HIGHTOWER GREENHOUSE HAS INSTALLED LARGE REFRIGERTOR TO CARE FOR CUT FLOWERS

A Democrat representative went to the Hightower Greenhouse Tuesday morning and found Mr. Hightower busily engaged cutting zenias, carnations and other beautiful flowers preparatory to making them into bouquets, mostly for the fair.

Mr. Hightower has recently completed a nice building for the purpose of office room, working room and to accommodate the large refrigerator recently installed for the purpose of preserving the flowers for several days at a time. This refrigerator has three large compartments and will accommodate several large bouquets and wreaths at the same time. Immediately south of this office building is being erected his hot house, under which will be placed a large basement and the furnace for heating purposes will soon be installed.

Miss Margaret Arnold has been employed in the decoration departments for the purpose of arranging the flowers into bouquets

Fighting Battle of White Plains Over Again



Under both Revolutionary war and present day conditions, the battle of White Plains of 150 years ago was reproduced by 700 men of the regular army, National Guard, and the Citizens Military Training Corps under the auspices of the Sons of the Revolution, at White Plains, N. Y. The illustration shows the Colonial troops above and the modern tanks below.

NEW HOTEL IS NOW OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

The new Memphis hotel and coffee shop were opened this week and have been enjoying capacity crowds both in the coffee shop and in the hotel. The rooms on the third floor have been completed and have been occupied every night the past week. The second floor will be finished as soon as the flooring can be laid in several of the rooms and plastering done. A flash telephone system has been installed and each room has phone accommodations.

The coffee shop was opened Saturday, and Sunday served luncheon and dinner to a large number of Memphians. Col. Ernest O. Thompson, owner of the hotel was present at the opening Saturday night, and led the grand march at the opening of the ball room.

Informal dances have been held each night during the fair in the new ball room with the Spanish Serenaders supplying the rhythm. The work is being rushed toward completion that the formal opening may be held at an early date.

COTTON LOOKS GOOD

J. L. McBrayer stated Monday that his cotton was looking fine. He said that he had forty acres he believed would make forty bales of cotton. Then he had eighty acres that would make forty or one-half bale per acre. This is indeed good cotton and from reports reaching us, there are many other farms in the county just as productive.

STORM DOES DAMAGE TO FARM BUILDING

J. E. Cooper, living nine miles out on route one, stated Saturday that a windstorm in the form of a twister visited his place on the Saturday before and played some unusual pranks. It turned his chicken house over three times, blew the barn roof off and carried it several yards. A neighbor's home was moved and set down over the cistern, flues blown down, and several other minor arrangements.

B. F. SHEPHERD FAMILY MOVES TO LUBBOCK

Ben F. Shepherd and family left Wednesday for Lubbock, where they will make their home. Ben will be city editor of the Lubbock Daily Avalanche, Ronnie will attend Tech College (his second term), and the other two boys will attend public school.

This estimable family will be missed from the business, social and church activities of Memphis, and the C. C. Band will be short three good musicians. Coming to Memphis more than twenty years ago, Ben has been active in business affairs ever since, and through his honest and conscientious attention to business, built up a reputation and coterie of friends seldom reached by a citizen.

For several years he was publisher of the Democrat, and then received the appointment as postmaster of the Memphis post office, which place he held several years. He has worked for the Democrat for the past fifteen or sixteen months, and has been a valuable man in the upbuilding of the paper. The management of the Democrat regretted very much his leaving, but wish him well in his new location, for it offers better opportunities in a business way, as well as an opportunity to give his deserving sons a better education.

This family has a host of friends here who regret to lose them, trust they will at some time in the future see fit to move back to Memphis. They retain their property here, and are not burning any bridges behind them. So some day may be expected to return.

Just this word: We doubt if there is another citizen of Memphis who has done more for the upbuilding of the town and community than Ben Shepherd.

ALLEN-WILSON

The marriage of Miss Mae Beth Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jodie J. Wilson of this place to Earl G. Allen, was celebrated Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents on South Ninth street, Rev. E. T. Miller, Baptist pastor performing the ceremony. Miss Pauline Goodnight, maid of honor, was escorted by Bill Allen, brother of the groom and best man.

The bridal pair left immediately following the reception for New Mexico where they will spend their honeymoon. They will return to Memphis to make their future home.

The ditcher was busy this week on Seventh street between Main and Brice and the street is in readiness for the paving work.

IT SEEMS TO ME

It will be a good day for this world when men learn that character spells success.

WILL ORGANIZE AAA CLUB HERE NEXT MONDAY

A meeting will be held Monday in the Memphis C. C. office, at 10 a. m., for the purpose of organizing an A. A. Auto club. Messrs. W. Looney and S. A. Price, representative of A. A. A. were here Tuesday making arrangements to hold the meeting next Monday.

These men have been at work for several days organizing the Panhandle Auto Club of the AAA. This club includes sixteen branches in the Panhandle. Branches have already been established at Amarillo, Canyon, Panhandle and Clarendon. Roy McCullum of Amarillo is temporary president of the Panhandle Auto Club, and O. C. Goodwin is temporary secretary. Amarillo is temporary headquarters.

The AAA (American Automobile Association) has 841 clubs in the United States with a membership of 850,000. Texas has 31 clubs.

When organized the Memphis Club will be directly affiliated with the Texas State Automobile Association and the American Automobile Association, and will function locally.

Every owner of an Automobile is urged to be present Monday at the organization meeting.

The yearly membership fee will be about \$5.00 and will entitle each member to the following service:

Free Road Service

Dead cars will be started in (Continued on page five)

WELLINGTON FAIR OPEN TODAY WITH BIG PARADE; WILL BE THE BEST EVER IN COLLINGSWORTH

Wellington, Texas, Sept. 14.—Everything is in readiness for the opening of the sixth annual Collingsworth county fair Thursday.

The fair will be opened with a downtown parade and more than a score of towns in the Panhandle and Western Oklahoma will be represented with floats and cars.

Horse races, roundup, band contests, airplane flights and "Tin Lizzie" races are few of the many attractions that will be featured this year.

The cattle department has been flooded with entries, and the following classes have been filled: Holsteins, Shorthorns, Jerseys, Guernseys, Herefords. From the present entries it is believed that this will be one of the largest gatherings of purebred cattle ever exhibited in West Texas.

The agricultural exhibits are larger than any previous year, and every girls' and boys' club in the county will be represented.

Dan Miller's roundup is attracting much attention, and entries have been received from cowboys

LARGE CROWDS ATTEND FAIR DAILY; EXHIBITS BEST EVER SHOWN HERE

Free Attractions Above the Average And Of Unusual Type; Exhibit Halls Are Crowded With Good Displays

FIRE DEPARTMENT CALLED

The fire department answered an alarm turned in from the Powers home on North Fifteenth st. when a kindling pile caught fire. The blaze had been extinguished when the apparatus arrived upon the scene.

GAS MAY NOT BE HERE FOR 60 MORE DAYS

The Democrat called the Wellington office of the Upham company this afternoon, and received a statement virtually as follows: The contracts for the right-of-way have just been completed; no definite date has been set for beginning work on the line from Wellington to Memphis, and when it does begin it will be six to eight weeks before Memphis could get to using gas.

NEW SKATING RINK OPENED IN MEMPHIS

A large portable skating rink has been opened under canvas across the tracks opposite the Denver depot and will remain in the city the coming year. The management reports large crowds attending each night and predicts a good patronage here the next few months.

WRESTLING BOUT CARDED FOR TONIGHT

A wrestling match has been billed for tonight at the skating rink, opposite the depot. The main event will be a finish match two out of three falls, between Jack Vincent, 178 pounder of Iowa and Cowboy Chick, 180 pounds of Cheyenne, Wyo. These men are professional wrestlers and each a claimant of heavyweight titles in other sections of the country. A real match is expected tonight. Several preliminaries have also been arranged.

VETA ELECTRIC CO. ENLARGES BUILDING

W. J. Turnipseed, owner of the Veta Electric, is adding a 16x24 addition to his building on North Seventh. The building is rapidly being erected, and will give this business more room.

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all over the state. Entries in the calf roping contest have been exceptionally heavy.

Many of the state's finest race horses are stabled here, and every contest is expected to be hotly contested.

From all indications the slogan set by the fair officials will become a reality. "Thirty-five thousand Paid admissions and the Greatest County Fair in the Southwest."

NEW STUDEBAKER CARRIES COTTON

A new Studebaker phaeton driven by Raymond Ballew, local Studebaker dealer, and carrying two 500 pound bales of cotton on the top paraded the streets and at the fair grounds this week. The demonstration was made to exemplify the unusual strength of the new tops, which are made with all steel frames. Mr. Ballew explained that this was indeed a feature of safety for passengers should the car overturn.

The Hall county district fair this year is better than ever before, is the verdict of all who have attended. Better exhibits of farm and garden products, live stock, hogs and poultry, and the ladies' department especially is full of fine exhibits that would do credit to any fair.

While the exhibit features are better than ever, the entertainment features, though exceptionally good, have not been satisfying the lovers of such attractions. The carnival is good, though of small size. Some splendid horse races each afternoon, interspersed with good free acts by performers on the trapeze and mat. One hand balancer is far above the average. In fact these attractions alone are worth far more than the 50 cents admission price, and one gets to see all the exhibits, horse races, and such like besides. Really the fair as a whole is worth any one's time to attend.

The weather has been ideal for the fair, and conditions favorable. Good crowds have been in attendance each day, and Friday is expected to be banner day of the four.

The exhibits are far better than last year, and showing to the world that this section of country is blessed with splendid crops, fine cattle, hogs, and horses, and better poultry. The woman's building is replete with displays of textile, culinary, home economics, flowers, etc., and schools of the county have some excellent booths. Newlin, Salisbury, Baylor and Memphis are among those represented in the school display.

In the poultry department there are more than 600 birds on display, with White Leghorns and Rhode Island Reds predominating. Mr. E. N. Hudgins claims this to be the best poultry show ever staged in the county, and is indicative of more attention being paid to this valuable adjunct to the up-to-date farm.

In the agricultural building fine community and individual exhibits are to be seen, and cause many to open their eyes in surprise that so many different things can be grown on the farm. Lella Lake has a splendid exhibit from Donley county in the community contest, and has won first place; Estelline won second; and Friendship third in the community exhibits. In the individual farm exhibits I. W. Thompson won first; Mrs. G. A. Sexauer won second, and Mrs. C. G. Smith of Indian Creek won third. Besides the winners in the community exhibits, Eli and Salisbury had exceptionally good exhibits; and in the individual exhibits besides the winners are some fine displays by R. J. Olsen, Mrs. Floyd McElreath, and Mrs. Claude Harris.

The boys and girls agricultural exhibit is well arranged and attracts considerable attention and comment. In fact the boys have beaten the men in every contest for first, second and third prizes, states County Agent Thompson. Supt. E. M. Ewen, of the swine division, states that the hogs exhibited this year show better class than ever, though not so many head are on display. These hogs will compare favorably with any in the state. Many exceptionally good individuals and herds of horses, mules and cattle bring the livestock exhibits up to a high standard, and the winners in these classes are unquestionably the top animals of any man's country.

Besides the exhibits of farm, orchard, garden, lot and pasture, a number of business houses have displays of their wares, and these are attractively arranged.

Some twenty good race horses are here and have been giving excitement to the lovers of races. Texas Kid's Rodeo is also furnishing amusement each day and night.

Phebe K. Warner Says Boost For Texas Always

Almost everybody in the United States who has ever studied geography knows the simple fact, "Texas is the largest State in the Union." That fact is about as generally known to the American people as "All Gaul is divided into three parts" is known to the beginning Latin class.

And there all knowledge of Texas ceases with practically 90,000,000 of our people. Or do you suppose there are even ten million people outside of Texas who know anything about our State except its size? That's a good many.

But that's not the worst of it. How many of the FIVE MILLION people who live inside of Texas know anything about the whole State? How many of our five million people are interested in ALL TEXAS? Do you know of another State in this Nation that is chopped up into so many districts and factions?

California is the next State in size but you never hear so much about North, South, East and West California. No sir! It is CALIFORNIA where ever they go. Sometimes Southern California pulls off a show all her own. But when most of us think of California we think of the whole State.

Montana is third in size. But you don't hear much about the different corners of Montana even when you are among the Montana people. They speak of their State as a unit, undivided. They advertise it that way.

How about Texas? There's South Texas and the Rio Grande Valley. There's West Texas and the Big Bend country and the Davis mountain region. Then we have West Texas proper which no one hardly knows where it begins or where it ends. The supposition is that West Texas begins "Out Where the West Begins" and ends out where El Paso is. But a lot of West Texas ends before it gets to El Paso. Then there are the South Plains. Some one asked me the other day what

we meant in Texas by the South Plains, and the only answer I knew was "The South Plains are a part and a very active part of West Texas." Next, going round the State, comes the Panhandle. Who knows what the Panhandle is and what kind of weather we have there? Evidently not the highway publicity man. Have you noticed how touchy we Panhandle folks are about our weather? We're proud of our weather. A letter came this morning from an Illinois brother saying, "We've had a regular Texas June, July and August weather up here this summer." But the writer did not mean a word of it, because he thinks Texas weather is just like Illinois weather. He doesn't know any better because our TEXAS WEATHER even has never been advertised away from home. Why, who would trade a summer day in Texas for a summer day in Ill.? Nobody, if they knew both days.

Next comes North Texas with all its wonderful features, and then East Texas which means North Texas and Southeast Texas and all the great forests and the most densely populated part of the State. And this makes the rim of Texas. But like the big fine watermelons we raise all over Texas the best part seems to be in the center and so we have Central Texas, known to itself as the Heart of Texas, where the cotton and the corn and the pecans grow as well as a thousand other things.

But, after all, it is like a lesson we learned somewhere in school that "The whole is equal to all parts but not part is equal to the whole."

What Texas needs today worse than anything is some whole State wide publicity. Texas has more than SIZE to talk about. Size alone doesn't count for anything if it did how many big men and women we would have in Texas. It is all right for us all to boast our own particular part of Texas. But in so doing we have no right to cast a shadow on any other part of Texas. We might just as well boost our hands and criticize our feet. Our body is not complete without both. And neither can fulfill its greatest mission without the help of the other.

Our factional rivalry in Texas has no doubt helped to let a few

Your Child Needs Physical Fitness For School Work

Get Your Child Ready For School

That physical fitness of children has much to do with their school progress as well as their ultimate success in life, is the opinion of Dr. H. O. Sappington, state health officer, who urges parents to see that their children are in good physical condition before their entrance into school.

"Bad eyesight, adenoids, diseased tonsils, decayed teeth, and other remedial physical defects should be corrected, as they are handicaps that prevent a child from keeping pace with other children who are free of such defects, imposing a hardship on the child as well as a tax on the community."

"Many hundreds of children in Texas fail each year to make their grades through no fault of their own, but because of some physical handicap. This entails a heavy economic loss, as it is estimated that it costs the state approximately \$50.00 for each child that repeats a grade. For the sake of all concerned, take your child to your family physician for a physical examination before the opening of school."

Vaccination
"Not only should physical defects in your child be corrected, but he should also have his health safeguarded against such preventable diseases as smallpox, diphtheria, and typhoid fever. The use of vaccination against smallpox as a prevention of this disease has long been generally known, but there are still many who do not know that diphtheria and typhoid fever can also be prevented by immunization."

"In the registration area of the United States, the death rate from diphtheria in 1900 was 43.3 per 100,000 population. Through the use of antitoxin, this rate had dropped in 1913 to 12.1 per 100,000."

"Many schools require vaccination against smallpox as a requisite to school entrance. Parents should realize that this is necessary health protection that every child should have. Also

people know about the special virtues of certain sections. But when you get a few miles over the State line folks don't know what you are talking about and when you run down one part of the State to boost another, they are inclined to not believe anything you say. Let's get together this year and do more boosting for ALL TEXAS. Every section of Texas is great. And every part of Texas is doing great things. The whole State is on a boom."

Look at the new harbor at Corpus Christi. How proud every one of us should be of this great accomplishment. How many of us know how many deep harbors Texas has and what her shipping record is? Here is something for the high school graduates of 1927 to get busy on now. It would be a good subject for at least one member of every graduating class in the State to write about. The rest of the State might learn something new (about Texas) on commencement night.

What do any of us, except the people who live there, know about East Texas? The forests of East Texas and their value to us would make another fine topic for high school graduates. A lot of us ought to know better how to vote if we knew more about their value and what it will mean if we let them be wasted.

And the Panhandle oil field! Who knows anything for sure about it? And it is only an infant in age in the oil business of Texas. But that infant promises to be a husky kid in a few more months. And then there is all the beauty in Texas going to waste while our people spend \$8,000,000 sight seeing in other States. Think of it, and the last legislature did not even appropriate \$750,000 to help put our own beauty on the market. Texas needs roads built to her natural scenic wonders. Nothing would help the 5,000,000 people in Texas to get better acquainted with their State than to make tourist travel popular inside Texas. And the 15,000,000 bale cotton crop! where is it coming from? and all the other grain? Texas is grand. But about all the world knows about Texas is HOW BIG SHE IS. Here is a sure-enough thought: Let's make our 1927 commencements a Texas day. Let's give more Texas programs graduation night. And start our boys and girls out in life with a new vision of their own great State. And most of all let's give our own minds and hearts a chance to grow until they are big enough to know and love ALL TEXAS. Let's be as big as our State. Texas is no place for little old narrow-minded folks.

have him given immunization against diphtheria, which is a highly communicable disease to which it is possible that he may be exposed during the school term."

HEREFORD TO OPEN WAR ON ALL BEGGARS

Promiscuous advertising and begging were condemned at the first meeting of the directors of the Hereford chamber of commerce, and local merchants will be urged to cooperate with the advertising committee, and keep out a lot of the undesirable schemes.

Every week wandering salesmen come through Hereford and take money from the local merchants. All beggars who appear in the business or residence sections of Hereford should be referred to Sheriff Claude Benton, and let them plead their cases to the charity committee. Selling program advertising by local or foreign printing companies was also condemned, and Hereford merchants are urged to turn down such propositions.

House-wives of Hereford, and local business men should turn in every salesman or beggar who is working without a letter from the advertising committee or the Hereford chamber of commerce.

Frances Craver spent last week visiting in Wichita Falls.

Mrs. F. M. Trapp is having a nice four-room stucco home with bath built on Noel street, and same will be ready for occupancy in a few weeks.

Henry Wilson departed Tuesday night for Fort Worth where he will enter Texas Christian University. Henry will be a Junior this year.

D. L. Howard was here from Lubbock Friday and Saturday on business. Mr. Howard reports plenty of rain on the lower plains the past few weeks.

BOB'S BARBER SHOP

Best Shop — Best Barbers
Best Treatment

We shave the farmer and jelly bean, too. In better style than the others do.

Come all you woolies if you want a good shave. Bob's old razor is a full concave.

We will shave your whiskers and cut your hair. If you will come around the corner where we 'air.'

BOB'S BARBER SHOP

10-4c

New Baker

Will open a new, strictly modern sanitary bakery in Memphis about tober 1st and will bake a complete of pastry, cakes, etc. Also bread will be wholesome, palatable and tary.

Stephens Baker

NEAL STEPHENS, Proprietor

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DURING HALL COUNTY DISTRICT FAIR
SEPTEMBER 14-17

—AT—

Albert Gerlach Service Station

Tenth and Main, Memphis, Texas

WILL GIVE FREE WITH EACH 5 GALLONS OR

MORE OF

AMERICAN GASOLINE

PURCHASED, A BOX LOOSE-WILES
HIGH GRADE CANDY

Welcome to Hall County District Fair

We Are Open!

In our new Studio building at 713 West Main street, with a lovely line of new Gift Goods, and are better prepared than ever before to serve your needs.

We have several thousand dollars of stock and equipment and the most modern facilities in our studio department.

W. D. ORR
Studio & Gift Shop

713 W. Main Memphis, Texas

"THE ONE THEY TALK ABOUT"

The One They Talk About!

Because Its Goodness Reaches You FRESH!

WHITE SWAN BRAND COFFEE
ROASTED & PACKED BY WAPLES PLATTER GROCER CO.

White Swan COFFEE

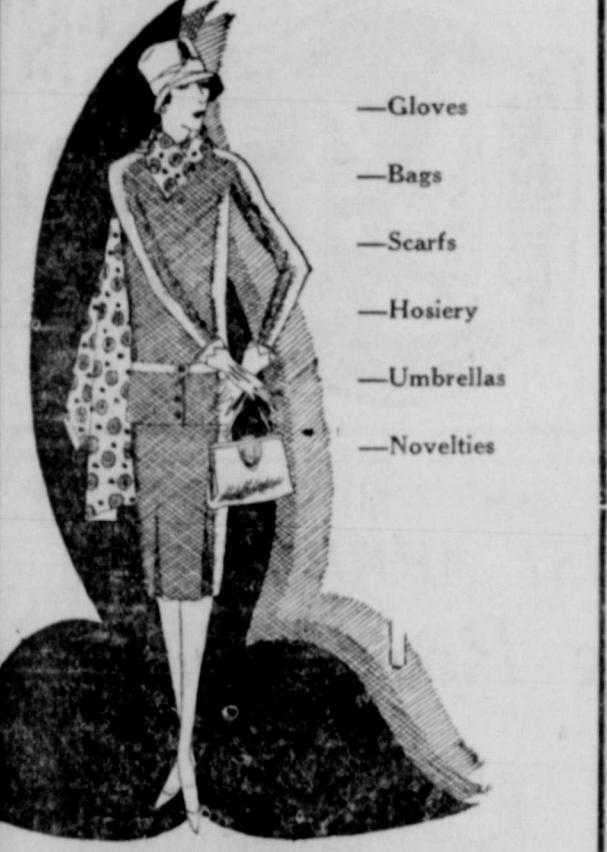
"THE ONE THEY TALK ABOUT"

WEST SEAPORT
 West seaport, Corpus Christi offers a sea-way outlet to the big and increasingly prosperous section of Texas which occupies the extreme southern angle of the state.

American motion picture producers in 1925 exported 225,000,000 feet of positive photographic film, exceeding by 55,000,000 feet the 1924 record.
 A 30,000-watt incandescent light bulb, the largest ever made, has been designed for taking colored motion pictures. The ordinary sized lamp is 115 watts.

Pro Smith Lumber Co.
 J. G. BROWN, Mgr.
 Shingles, Sash Doors, Lime, Plaster, Coal, Posts, Paints and Builders Hardware
 Phone No. 72 Memphis, Texas

ACCESSORIES
 Must Be Chic this Fall



- Gloves
- Bags
- Scarfs
- Hosiery
- Umbrellas
- Novelties

is the woman who realizes that entire costume is only as chic as sum of its accessories.
 There is one unchangeable rule that must follow. She must never purchase an accessory, no matter how trivial it may seem, without considering it in relation to the rest of attire. That precision and attention to details is the secret of smartness.

important in her list of accessories gloves, hosiery, handbags, milinery, scarfs and umbrellas.

authenticity of style, for diversification of collection, for personal service, exclusiveness and distinctive. Everybody's Store is an insurance policy for Autumn smartness.

Everybody's Store
 Side Square Memphis, Texas

Chevrolet Given Test On A Long Grade Climb

Climbing a hill one thousand miles long is one of the tests which General Motors engineers believe no car can withstand unless it has rugged strength and stamina built into it to meet such a continuous strain.
 In effect, this is the test which the Chevrolet car is meeting at the General Motors Corporation's extensive testing grounds, 1,146 acres in area, located in the rolling country 40 miles west of Detroit.

A "towing dynamometer" is the machine used to duplicate the terrific drag encountered by an automobile motor in ascending steep hills. It is said to reproduce almost exactly the stress of an uphill climb.
 The dynamometer is mounted on a chassis to be towed behind the Chevrolet car under-going the test. Weights on a scale beam control two huge brake drums on the chassis through a hydraulic valve exerting pressure on the drums through a set of gears. The scale can be set to reproduce a grade of almost any degree through pressure on the drums.
 Today the prospective car owner does not have to play the role of an experimenter in trying out products of General Motors. Experienced engineers on the proving grounds have every modern facility at their disposal to test all devices or methods suggested for the improvement of Chevrolet cars. Other American and foreign cars are also "put through the grind" there. Any changes contemplated for the Chevrolet are tested for months or years before final adoption.

FIRST UPHAM GAS IS TURNED ON IN VERNON AT LAST

Vernon, Sept. 13.—Natural gas from the Shamrock fields was brought into Vernon through the mains of Northern Texas Utilities company Sunday night. The first gas was burned shortly before midnight Sunday when a large gas torch was lighted.
 It is brought to Vernon by a two inch line which taps the main line at Quanah. This line is to serve the immediate needs of the city until the main line is completed. Testing the distributing mains in the city and it was announced by A. H. Raborn, general superintendent of the company, that a number of consumers would be supplied with gas by noon Tuesday.
 Mr. Raborn requested that consumers refrain from lighting the gas until they had been given permission to do so by the company, which probably would be by Tuesday noon. The N. T. U. is an Upham subsidiary.

Two horses, a prize bull, and a tomcat licked three circus lions recently in a battle royal in the public square of Cremona, Italy. The lions, which escaped from their cages, were driven back into them by the other animals.

The automobile in which Archduke Ferdinand and his wife were murdered in 1914 has been offered for sale for the 25 time since the tragedy, but there are no buyers. Superstitious persons believe that the car, blood red in color, is bedeviled, inasmuch as four of its owners have died in it and it has killed and injured several others.

School children of the United States have more than \$30,000,000 on deposit in savings banks throughout the country, the boys and girls of New England leading those of other sections.

Teaching the artistic use of rouge, instead of forbidding cosmetics among high school pupils, was advocated before the Illinois State Teacher's Association.

The Red Swastika Society is an attempt to replace the Red Cross in China.

Local and Personal

Carl Boston of Clarendon visited friends here Sunday.
 Budge Harle of Wellington visited friends in Memphis Sunday.
 John Forkner spent the week end with friends in Wellington the past week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Burton of Childress visited friends in Memphis Sunday.
 Jim Ballew left Friday for Abilene where he will teach in the Abilene public schools.

Miss Otta Greene underwent an operation this week for the removal of her tonsils.
 Mrs. Ernest Lee and Miss Cora Lee visited the family of John Bass at Clarendon, Monday.

C. Guy Stidham returned from Quitaque Sunday and will remain in Memphis for the present.
 Mrs. Roy L. Guthrie left Sunday for Dallas where she will receive treatment for eye trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carlton of Hobart, Okla., visiting her brother, Geo. Bass and family of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bass of Mineral Wells are visiting their son, Geo. M. Bass and family, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddie Guest, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McMurry motored to Shamrock Sunday, returning Sunday night.

October 3-9 Is Fire Prevention Week

The week of October 3-9 has been designated fire prevention week by Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson.

She pointed out in her proclamation that in 1925 fire exacted a toll of 284 lives and more than \$20,000,000 in property.

Her proclamation: "Year by year, the destruction of property by fire in America has been mounting until the total annual loss is now more than \$500,000,000. This means a waste each day of an average of \$1,370,000 of resources which we can ill afford to lose."
 "But far worse than the destruction of valuable property is the toll of human life through fire. The average number burned to death each day in the United States is stated to be 48."
 "In our own great state of Texas last year there was more than \$20,000,000 worth of property and 284 lives destroyed by fire. A most conservative estimate is that 85 per cent of fires are from preventable cause."
 "Now, therefore, I, Miriam A. Ferguson, governor of Texas, do hereby designate October 3-9, 1926, as fire prevention week."
 "City officials, civic and commercial organizations, school officers and teachers are hereby requested and urged to arrange meetings and exercises for the study of fire prevention problems, and for impressing upon the public the seriousness of the waste caused by fire and the need of the utmost care in protecting life and property from damage. Editors and public speakers are requested to call special attention to this subject during that week. Our fire waste is already too large; we cannot permit it to increase. By united effort we can reduce it from year to year."

Candidates for marriage are now stamped in Turkey. Each person desiring a marriage license must undergo a medical examination, and to prevent any transfer of the permit the arm of the applicant is stamped with a number corresponding to that on the permit.

French was the spoken language at the Court of England from the time of the Conquest to the reign of Edward III. English was then made the language of legislation.

Rice has almost doubled in price recently in China. Chinese women, traditionally subdued, have created a new problem by raiding rice shops.

Free libraries are being organized throughout Turkey by the ministry of public education.

PUNCTURE-PROOF CASINGS

Get Lee Puncture Proof Casings from the Texas Station and quit worrying with punctures.

We also handle auto accessories of all kinds.

The New Texaco Gas—Try It
The Texas Station
 T. L. Thompson and C. H. Bounds

KING FURNITURE STORE ADDING LATEST DESIGNS

In a conversation with Max King of the King Furniture store Wednesday Mr. King stated that he had received three car loads of new furniture which he personally selected this summer at the Chicago and Grand Rapids markets. He said "The whole world has been searched by furniture designers for new ideas adaptable to the requirements of the American home. The success of their efforts is shown at the great furniture markets where never before in the history of the country was so much beautiful, artistic furniture offered at a price which will put it within the reach of the average man's purse when it reaches the retail floors."
 "I have attended these markets for years and attribute much of the success of the store to this fact. The markets enable us to take immediate advantage of the new styles and put before our customers the latest creations in the art of furniture making."
 "The furniture received this week was that selected from the latest designers and should be seen to be properly appraised and valued."

Three hundred and fifty years ago an English micrographist wrote within the circle of an English penny the Lord's Prayer, the Creed, the Decalogue, two short prayers in Latin, his own name, a motto, the year of the Lord, and year of the reign of the Queen (Elizabeth).

American Marble firms are complaining because the Government is considering awarding to foreign companies the contract for furnishing crosses for the graves of 30,000 American soldiers buried in France. The bids were \$14.50 each for Italian marble and \$35 for American marble.

Only one person in four in Mexico is able to read or write.

Joy Synth BRILLIANTINE
 for lovely hair
 LEVERETT-WILLIAMS DRUG

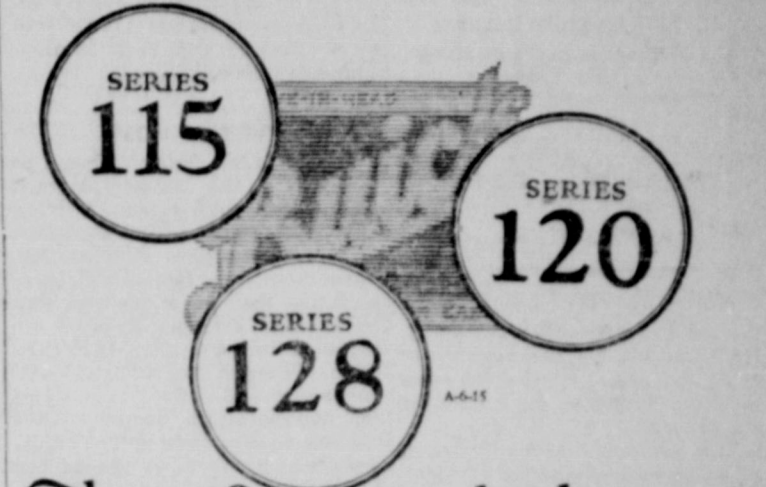
Imperial Russian Government war bonds have been declared a dead loss to American holders, under a ruling of the Board of Tax Appeals.

Serious objection is being expressed in Western Australia to the influx of low-wage immigrants from Southern Europe who work for one-third the pay of native Australians.

More than \$216,000,000 was paid to unemployed workers in the British dole of 1925.

NEW YEAR POSITIONS

Paying \$1,000 to \$1,200 to begin with will be waiting for those who master the world-famous Draughon training. Scholarships insure positions to those who begin now—either at College or by Mail. Low Summer Rates now. Mail Coupon to Draughon's College, Wichita Falls, Texas, for special offer.
 Name _____
 Address _____



Three figures which mean extra motor car value

Buick motor cars are now designated by their wheelbase lengths. Series One Fifteen has 114½ inches of wheelbase. Series One Twenty is 120 inches from axle to axle, and Series One Twenty-eight measures 128 inches.

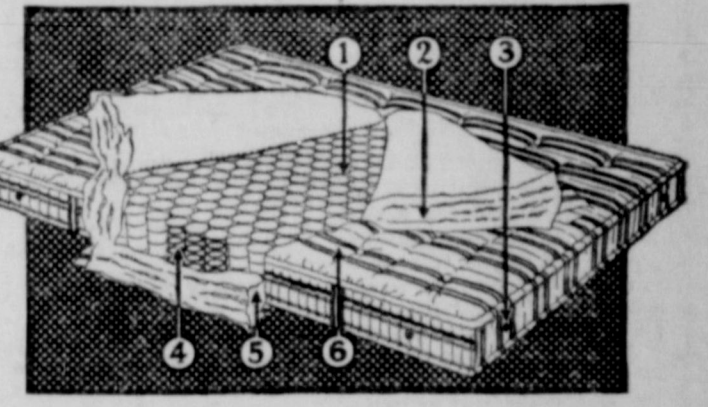
Many cars, several inches shorter than Buick and without advantages offered by Buick design, are priced considerably higher.

Compare the wheelbase length of other cars to Buick, before you spend your money.

THE GREATEST BUICK EVER BUILT
Davis Buick Company

SIMMONS Beautyrest Mattresses

- 1 Gentle, yielding support is given by the more than 625 small coils
- 2 Deep, soft layers of fine new-felted cotton form luxurious cushion
- 3 Eight ventilators in side walls keep interior fresh and sweet always
- 4 Fabric pockets cut open to show tempered coil springs under tension
- 5 Sides and ends are of same fine construction as top and bottom
- 6 Attractive, durable cover. Generous roll edge keeps bed neat and tidy

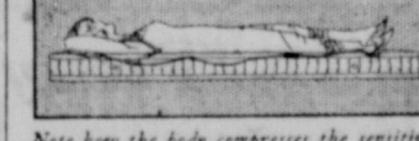


Here is the biggest money value ever offered in a mattress at any price

Study these comfort diagrams



Note how the body compresses the sensitive springs to various heights instead of sagging to meet the mattress.



Never before has so fine a mattress as the new Beautyrest sold for a price as low. We are offering our customers this greatest mattress value on the market. Its inner-spring construction insures you years of the finest sleep-luxury.

More than 625 small springs, in separate fabric pockets, give gentle, flexible support to your tired body. Thick layers of new felted cotton, complete a buoyant cushion which cradles your body in the easiest and most restful position. See diagrams.

Until Simmons produced this super-mattress at so low a price, only the rich were able to afford such luxury. Now everyone can enjoy it. Once you have seen the new Beautyrest you will not rest content until you have put it on your bed.

\$39.50

MOORE Hdw. & Furni. Co.

Memphis Democrat
WELLS & WELLS
Owners and Publishers

J. CLAUDE WELLS, Editor

Entered at the postoffice at Memphis, Texas, as second-class matter, under Act of March 3, 1879.

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Special Representative
TEXAS PRESS WEEKLIES, INC.
H. L. GRABLE, Manager
613 Mercantile Bank Building
Dallas, Texas



KEEP MONEY AT HOME

Fred Landers, editor of the Estelline News, hit the keynote of home patronage in the following editorial published last week in his paper:

There is going to be thousands of dollars change hands in Estelline within the next few months. What are you going to do about it Mr. Business man? Are you going to sit idly by and let the mail order houses and the house-to-house solicitors get the business or you going to tell the customer or prospective customer, what you have to offer. Very often, in fact in almost every case where we have seen it tested, the local merchant can give better values than the out of town concern. Then why doesn't the buying public trade at home? The reason is simple, the people of today go where they are invited to go, and where they know what they can buy before they enter the store.

Now is the time to go after the business. Let's all work together to keep Estelline money at home this fall. Don't condemn the customer for buying from the man who solicits his business in attractive advertising, where prices are quoted to guide him in his purchases, get busy and advertise your goods and let him make the comparison.

We venture to say you will get the business, if you will tell the buyers what you have. The News believes in trading with the home merchants in every line where the class of merchandise desired can be procured. We also believe in being fair with the customer and letting him know through newspaper advertising what we have to offer, so he can make his purchase without having the trouble, and often embarrassment of going from one store to another, to select his bill of goods.

ADVERTISING GRAFTERS

Clarendon, like other cities of this section, has been the victim of countless advertising grafters and publicity schemes this summer, and still the grafters come. Last week one of these birds came into town and proposed to put out programs for the district convention of the West Texas chamber of commerce with local advertising all around at so much per. Clarendon printers refused to handle the job and flatly told the

promoter that it was a superfluous expense for our local business men. It didn't go over, and the wonder of wonders is that so many fellows who call themselves business men fell for such poor substitutes for real constructive advertising. The Chamber of Commerce has a committee to review all advertising schemes and no merchant in Clarendon ought to buy a dime's worth from these fellows without the endorsement of the committee. The committee is for the protection of all, and will not endorse any schemes that isn't fair. If the promoters hasn't the endorsement he doesn't deserve your business. Let's protect ourselves and each other.—Clarendon News.

LIVES AT HOME

It sounds like living at home to listen to A. M. Padgett, a prosperous Hall county farmer living nine miles southeast of Memphis. While in Memphis Monday Mr. Padgett told a Democrat representative that he started picking cotton last Friday. Two of his negro pickers has since that time taken "French leave" and left him about \$36 dollars to the bad for transportation expense. According to Mr. Padgett his crops, especially his feed, is one of the best he has ever made. "I would not want any better feed than I have this year," said Mr. Padgett. He stated that about thirty days ago a certain patch of his cotton was burned and looked as though it would not make a quarter of a bale per acre, but since the bountiful rains the past few weeks, he now is confident that the same patch of cotton will make from one-third to one-half bale per acre.

Mr. Padgett is a great believer in the old adage of "living at home and boarding in the kitchen." He purchased an individual cooking and canning machine of twenty-five quart capacity, and his home is now well stocked with about 500 cans of home grown, home canned, peas, beans, okra, corn, etc. In addition to all this he also has a bountiful supply of the cow, sow and hen variety that goes to make home a place worth while. Hall county is noted for many such homes and industrious farmers as is described above.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stanley and children of Fort Farth spent Saturday night with R. L. Slaton and family. The Stanleys were enroute to their home after a vacation trip of several months in Colorado and New Mexico. Mr. Stanley and Mr. Slaton were boyhood friends at Alvord, Texas and Mr. Stanley has many friends in Memphis.

Each community should have a correspondent to the Democrat. Let the rest of the people know what is being done in your individual community. Correspondents will be furnished stationery, postage, and the paper each week. Send in the news from your community.

Subscribe to the Democrat

TRAIN SCHEDULE

North Bound

No. 1 arrives Memphis 6:47 p. m.
No. 5 arrives Memphis 4:27 a. m.
No. 7 arrives Memphis 10:50 a. m.

South Bound

No. 2 arrives Memphis 7:10 a. m.
No. 6 arrives Memphis 1:36 a. m.
No. 8 arrives Memphis 8:30 p. m.

ON AND OFF THE SQUARE

Just a few days ago a man, who is visiting in Memphis, wanted to know the location of a certain piece of property in Memphis which he wanted to look over with a view to buying. We couldn't tell him, except in the same vague way that every citizen in Memphis have to do, and that was, "go to ? ? and ? ? then north ? ? then east ? ? , etc." He said, "why in the name of goodness don't you folks have your city put up street signs and then require the citizens to put up house numbers?" We told him that every citizen is ready and anxious to put up house numbers—just waiting on the city dads for the street signs.

Did this ever happen to any business man in Memphis? It happened to one of the Democrat office men this very day. We called the Cameron Co. number; some one answered; we asked for Archie; they said we'll get him; we waited; no one showed up; we called central and asked to be connected; same thing happened; we waited; then called central and had been cut off again; asked for re-connection and finally finished the call. Took something like ten minutes to transact one minute's business over the telephone—paying good price for service too.

The Hall county district fair is a dandy, and showing much improvement in farming in this county. The purpose of a fair is to create better interest in farming, poultry raising, hog raising, and stock farming. With better farming a country will do much better in a financial way.

A drive over the paved streets of Memphis will convince any one

that people like paved streets better than unpaved. Cars are so thick one has to watch his step or he will crash into some one or get crashed into.

Memphis is right up-town these days. The Hall County Herald has been appearing every morning as a four page daily—something never before done in Memphis.

Some new residences on Tenth street are in class of big city residences. A good town just will not be downed. It grows and improves all the time. Such is Memphis' way of doing things.

The Gem Theatre Program

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY—
The most lovable star on the screen Buck Jones in
GENTLE CYCLONE
Also a good comedy Lovers Hurdle.

MONDAY—
James Oliver Curwood's famous story
WHEN THE DOOR OPENED
with Jacqueline Logan supported by Walter McGrail, Robert Cain and many others. Also Prince Royal the Dog marvel. A good comedy Buster Watch Tige.

TUESDAY—
Warner Bros. presents Irene Rich and Huntley Gordon in
SILKEN SHACKLES
Also a good comedy.

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY—
Warner Bros. presents John Barrymore and Dolores Costello in the

SEA BEAST
A rousing tale of new Bedford whaling days, the golden age of American Seafaring. Don't miss this one. Also Fox News No. 97 and Variety.
Watch for the "GILDED BUTTERFLY."

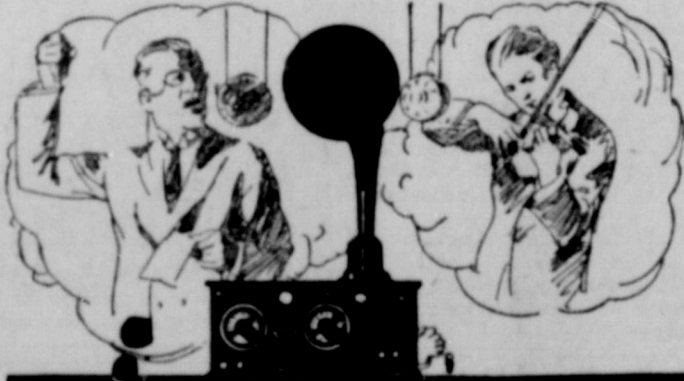
Read Democrat Want-Ads!

RICH -- TASTY ICE CREAM SUNDAES

Every spoonful a smile-maker, appealing to your taste—refreshing to your system—you'll be delighted with the goodness that's packed into one of our delicious Sundaes—made with Shaw Bros. Ice Cream.

Try Our Delicious Toasted Sandwiches

H-B CONFECTIONERY



"Pretty Soft"

A cozy armchair, a choice cigar, and tuneful melodies floating through the air from a SHAMROCK 6-tube Radio Set—bring rest to a weary brain and relaxation to tired muscles. Show us the man to whom such a setting would not appeal!

The Shamrock uni-control are simple to tune in—just a turn of a single dial to the desired wave length and the room is filled with music or the program from your selected station.

WE REPAIR ANY MAKE RADIO
Auto Tops and Harness

Memphis Saddlery Co.
J. H. NORMAN, Prop.

The Palace Theatre Program.

FRIDAY—
SUBWAY SADIE
Jack Mulhall and Dorothy Mackaill! Comedy Never Too Old.

SATURDAY—
Double Bill.
THUNDERING THROUGH
with Buddy Roosevelt and
THE SECRET SPRING
Mystery melo-drama. Comedy
Ice Cold Cocos.

MONDAY—
EVES' LEAVES
Featuring Leatrice Joy. Comedy
Luck of the Foolish.

TUESDAY—
PARADISE
With Milton Sills. Pathé comedy

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY—
Rex Beach's
PADLOCKED
Lois Moran, Louise Dresser and Noah Berry. Comedy Light Housekeeping.
Coming "MARE NOSTRUM"

Eyes examined and glasses fitted. Dr. J. H. Croft at Tomlinson Drug store. 12-1c

NOMINATIONS DECLARED

The State of Texas
County of Hall
I, Edna Bryan, Clerk of the County Court, in and for the County of Hall, State of Texas, do hereby certify that the following list has been certified to me, by Robert A. Grundy, Chairman Democratic Executive Committee Hall County, Texas, as a list of the County and Precinct Candidates receiving the Nomination in the Second Primary held on August 28, 1926, as canvassed and declared by the Democratic Executive Committee, in Compliance with Article 3125 of the Revised Statutes of Texas:

For sheriff—S. A. (Sid) Christian.

For county school superintendent—Theodore Swift.

For county treasurer—J. B. (John) Landis.

For public weigher precinct no. 1—H. Cleve Evans.

For public weigher precinct no. 3—W. B. (Bee) Bennett.

For public weigher precinct no. 4—Earl (Boy) Lyles.

Given under my hand and seal of office, at office in Memphis, Texas, this 13 day of September A. D. 1926.

Edna Bryan
County Clerk, Hall county, Tex.

Saturday Special

To the hundreds of fair visitors who visited our store during the week to call attention to the following for Saturday:

FLOUR DOLLY DIMPLE
48-lb. Sack

COFFEE WHITE SWAN
3-Pound can

LARD Swift's, Armour's
White Cloud, 8-lb. bkt.

SOAP P. & G. and Crystal
White, 10 bars

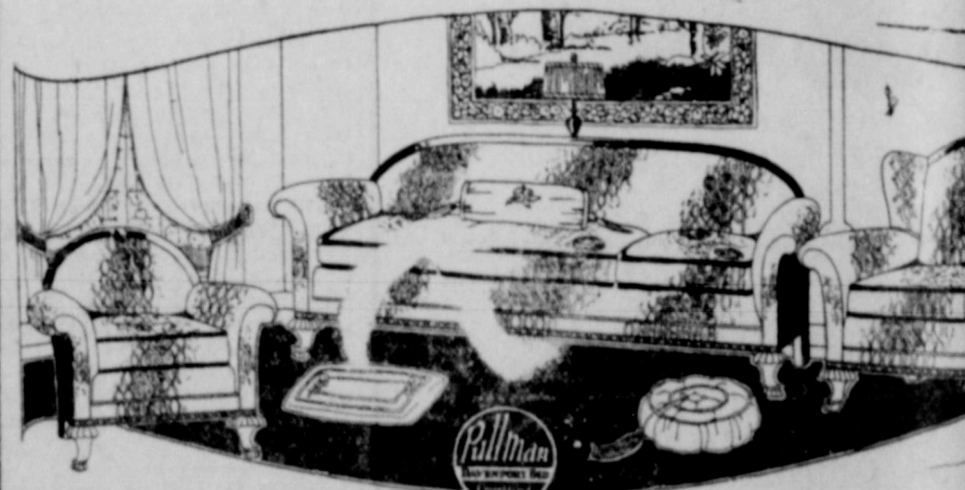
GRAPES FRESH CONCORD
5-lb. basket

LEMONS California Best
Dozen



"M" SYSTEM Groceries
PHONE 44
MEMPHIS

JUST ARRIVED Living Room Suites



Upholstered in Jacquard Velour, Reversible Cushions, \$167.50

Pictured above is one of the many beautiful living room suites, in handsome correct style, comfortable sofa and chairs with hand-carved frame in taupe and rose jacquard velour, with reversible cushions in tapestry. This is indeed a value.

3 CAR LOADS

of personally selected furniture for the entire home, selected by us at the Chicago and Grand Rapids markets arrived this week. Every article is a rare value. Newest designs—rich patterns and beautiful styles. Every suite priced exceedingly low.

OILETTE PAINTINGS

Popular subjects reproduced by this new process. Beautifully framed—many with glass. Values to \$4.50, Special price \$1.00

King Furniture Company

40th Annual State Fair of Texas DALLAS OCT. 9-24 1926
IN THE AUDITORIUM

THE SHOW PLACE OF THE SOUTHWEST

Texas Talent Triumphant
Superb Agricultural Show
Livestock Exhibit Supreme
Paramount Poultry Display

DOG SHOW—AUTO CLASSIC
Wonder Woman's Division
Art, Textile, Culinary

FOOTBALL—R. O. T. C. HORSE SHOW

"PRINCESS FLAVIA"
Spectacular Short Musical Success
THAVIUS BAND AND OPERA COMPANY
More Free Attractions—Low Rail Rates

If It's LUMBER You Want Let Us Figure With You

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Australian Aborigines bob their wives' hair, using sharp stones as knives.

AAA TO MEET
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fifteen minutes actual service or towed to your home or garage without charge. Wrecked cars will be towed in from any point in the country day or night without charge. Gasoline will be delivered any place in the country and only a charge for the gas made. Tire service will be rendered free any place in the country. Member receives the same service free in any of the 835 AAA clubs in the United States.

Legal Advice
A competent attorney will be employed by the club to render free legal advice to all members of the club pertaining to automobiles. A local attorney will be affiliated with the other thirty attorneys in the state in the club's legislative work.

Touring Bureau
The local Club will maintain the touring bureau, which will furnish to all members reliable road information, road logs, and maps of every kind in making a trip. The touring bureau of this club will receive daily reports from every club in the United States.

Affiliation
The local club will be a member of the Texas State Automobile association, which has thirty clubs. It will also be a member and directly affiliated with the A. A. A., which has 835 clubs and a membership of over 800,000.

Civic Work
Traffic and parking problems affecting the motorist watched closely. Ordinances passed by the city given careful attention. Report to proper authorities, glass or holes in the street.

A membership drive will continue until Friday night and all members desiring membership as a charter member are urged to call the Chamber of Commerce.

VEGETABLES

supply you with the very best in Fresh Vegetables and Staple Groceries.

A PHONE CALL TO 463 will bring them promptly.
PHONE 463

CITY GROCERY
J. E. ROPER

Get Your Wires Straight

Our human machine the brain is the dynamo from which we get our lights. If there is a short along our nerves the brain is the dynamo from which this force emanates. The nerves are the wires which this force travels. Treatment of nerve interferes with the transmission of force and causes disease.
EXAMINATION FREE

Office over First National Bank

Rex Beach's PADLOCKED

is Moran, Louise Dresses, Noah Beery
Wed. and Thur.

long, dramatic story of a beautiful, spirited girl of today whose soul is anxious over the narrow workings of father's mind and the evil influence of Broadway theatrical life.

a sweeping revelation of this restage!—Of a girl—and of the Broadway theatrical and night life environment in which she struggles from the shadows to a glorious victory.

PALACE

CLOSED OUT

due consideration we have decided to discontinue our laundry department and devote our entire attention to our dry cleaning business. We will maintain a large part of the machinery used in the laundry for dry cleaning department, which will give us the most replete and modern dry cleaning equipment obtainable.

wish to thank you for the liberal patronage given us in the laundry department and ask a continuance of your dry cleaning business.

Best Tailor Shop
554 Prompt Delivery

WHITE SWAN CONTRACTS FOR ADVERTISING

The Waples-Platter grocery Co. roasters and packers of White Swan coffee have placed a contract with the Democrat for 250 inches of advertising to run 12 consecutive weeks, in their annual campaign for publicity on their coffee.

This is the third series of White Swan ads contracted for by Waples-Platter company and appearing in the Democrat the past few months. The contracts total over 1000 inches and were placed upon recommendation of a nationally known advertising agency after a thorough investigation of the size and quality of circulation and the reasonable rates, of the Democrat.

PAUL JAMES TO PLAY AT TRI-STATE FAIR

Here's some good news for lovers of band music who will attend the big Tri-State Fair here next week.

Paul James of Memphis, the most popular band leader in the West Texas and who is director of the Gold Medal band of Memphis, will play with the Amarillo Municipal band during the fair. Mr. James and his son, Paul Jr., both will have solo parts with the Amarillo band.

W. C. Wylie, director of the Amarillo band, is busy whipping his organization into shape for the Fair. The band will give concerts down-town and on the grounds every day during the Fair.—Amarillo News.

SELF INFLICTED TORTURE

Do you shave yourself? Cut out this ad, paste it in view of your shaving kit. Every time you shave you will further realize the utter indispensability of a G. E. Sullivan Hone Strop. You may not order today, but by saving this little ad your order is ultimately assured. For after all, a G. E. Sullivan Hone Strop is the real basis of a real shave. The acme of economy, thrift, utility, and convenience. The best assurance we can give of the G. E. Sullivan Hone Strop quality is the fact that it is perhaps the largest selling strop in the world. A special blade holder for holding any and all makes of safety razor blades furnished free with each strop. It is possible to shave with one blade six months to a year, and the shaves are far better than from new blades. The strop carries a bonafide ten-year guarantee. Write for catalog of full particulars today.

G. E. Sullivan Hone Strop Co. Marlin, Texas. 12-1c

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones, living at Eli, departed Saturday night for Fort Worth where they will spend several weeks visiting their daughter, Mrs. Bob Barker, also to benefit Mr. Jones' health, which has not been very good for the past several weeks.

Mrs. Lonnie Edmondson of Estelline, was a pleasant visitor in Memphis Monday.



Tomorrow we again present to the women of Memphis a most complete and comprehensive showing of distinctive

Wash Frocks



MARCY LEE DRESSETTES



The wash frocks that are distinctively different

These dresses are designed and fashioned with the same care and skill that go into the production of silk frocks. Very unusual in style and made from durable materials such as suitings, gingham, percales, cretonnes, etc. Many styles to select from at

\$1.95



We suggest that you come prepared to buy several of these dresses as you are certain to want more than one.

For the convenience of out of town women we will be glad to give mail orders instant attention.

See our windows

Greene Dry Goods Co
"THE BIG DAYLIGHT STORE"

Memphis, Texas



MEMPHIS HAS BIG PAVING PROGRAM
 Memphis has a big paving program under way now. In fact the town seems to be entering a big boom, reports L. B. Bullock, who returned from there yesterday. He spent the day there on business affairs.
 Memphis has paved a number of streets in the past few weeks

and is getting ready to pave some more, he said. Gas mains have been laid over the city and will be connected up with the line from the Panhandle this week. The new hotel, being built by Colonel Ernest Thompson, is now receiving guests.
 "Amarillo had better watch Memphis," said Mr. Bullock.—Amarillo News.

Cotton Marketing Studies Begun By Experiment Station

G. L. Crawford, research marketing specialist in the division of Farm and Ranch Economics, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and Mr. Robert F. Spilman, formerly with the United States Department of Agriculture, Farm Managements and Costs Division, will arrive in Lubbock September 10 to inaugurate a survey of cotton staple and grades in the Lubbock section, the data to be used in a study of the market demands for various staples and grades which the Texas Station is conducting in cooperation with the Federal Bureau Agricultural Economics.

Data are to be gathered at five points representing the principal cotton producing regions. Ten to fifteen samples will be taken each day during the season from bales sold and brought to the yard or workhouse. Record will be made of the grade; the price; the variety and grade of seed; the method of harvesting; whether picked, snapped or gathered as bolls; and the condition of the seed cotton as to dirt, trash and amount of moisture. These samples will be sent to the laboratory at College Station and studied there.

Samples from the Coastal Plains section are being taken at Robstown. The samples from Eastern Texas at Henderson; for the Central Texas Blackland section at Hillsboro; for the Brazos Valley area at Bryan; and the samples taken at Lubbock are to be representative of the Northwest Texas area.

The actual samples will be gathered over a period of three months and Mr. Spilman will remain for the period to select representative samples suitable for the purpose of the study.

It is expected that the farmers and cotton buyers will cooperate in securing these samples since the data are absolutely necessary to the study, which, if effective, should simplify the problem of ascertaining the correct values of the various staples and grades of Texas cottons and if these cottons are correctly evaluated, there is a general impression that farmers having the better grades and staples will be able to secure more nearly their proper worth in the market.

Having accomplished this much, Mr. Crawford thinks the tendency will become more toward improved staples and grades which have seen a gradual decline for the past twenty years.

Under the new Nicaraguan immigration law every immigrant to that country will receive fifty acres of tillable land. Tools, materials, and other necessities will be entered duty free and farmers will receive a subsidy for raising alfalfa, coffee, chocolate, and pineapples.

Because of the housing shortage in London, cells in an old prison are being rented as apartments.

We will serve noon lunches to the school children—Hamburgers, chicken and ham sandwiches, cake, pie, milk, etc. R. E. Martin. 9-4c.

No Pellagra After Three Treatments

Dr. W. C. Reuntree, Texarkana, Texas.
 Dear Doctor:—I had Pellagra five years. I was nervous, had stomach trouble, rash on hands and arms, skin itched and turned brown, sore mouth, could not eat or sleep, lost weight and got awful weak. I tried many treatments. Took Hypodermics six months, got no relief. I took 3 of your treatments and was well of Pellagra. I wish I could influence every one who has this terrible disease to write you.
 W. W. FOSTER, Nico, Texas, Rt. 1.

Hulver Hints

Rev. Tooley filled his regular appointment here Sunday, visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Mothershead of Parnell.

Mrs. Floyd Phillips is spending the week with Mrs. Carl Hill of Memphis.

Mrs. W. F. McCoy has been in bad health the past few months and is now under the care of a physician.

Miss Lenora Fraser spent a few days visiting in Memphis this week.

The Phillips Gin Co. ginned 12 bales Tuesday. The largest number they have had in one day this season.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hill of Memphis visited friends and relatives in Parnell and Hulver last week end.

Misses Mary Noel and Ruth Leary spent Saturday and Sunday with their parents at Hedley and Estelline.

Miss Huffman visited friends at Wellington this week.

Norris Williamson was in Memphis Wednesday on business.

Loyd Phillips and R. C. Collins attended the fair at Memphis Tuesday night.

MEMPHIS MATTRESS FACTORY
 Old Mattresses Renovated
 New Beds
 At Old Fire Station
 W. H. HAWTHORN

CHAS. OREN
 JEWELER & OPTOMETRIST
 WATCH AND JEWELRY REPAIRING
 ENGRAVING
 EYES EXAMINED
 GLASSES FITTED
 Phone 264 619 Main St.

V. R. JONES
 Registered Optometrist
 Eyes Examined—Glasses Fitted
 Office Over City Bakery
 HERE EACH MONDAY
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Sunday Accidents
 Sunday newspapers have daily chronicles of the accidents of the Sun- and it is well known half of such accidents reported in the papers. the reason there are accidents on Sunday than on of the week is largely ere are more cars on Another reason is that many people think that secured depends on the e. It seems that most drivers out on Sunday eat hurry to get some- of them care little go so it is somewhere where they are, and get to that "some- are in just as great get elsewhere. Sun- become the busy day hospitals, the ambulances, etc.

Junior College
 has voted bonds to building in which to con- sior college. The col- to be under the super- the University of Tex- ll be managed and sus- the local school board. college idea is gradually in Texas. Boys and get their first two years training in such schools sense than at the larger and universities and be direct care of their par- age when most of them

need the home influences. With a junior college in every popu- lous county Texas would at once become known for its educational advancement. From "a h/h school in the reach of every Tex- ass boy or girl," the watchword will soon be changed to "Junior Colleges in reach of all."

Making Tomatoes Profitable
 Although some places have com- plained that the tomato crop has been unprofitable this year, San Augustine county has found it highly profitable. Some growers have netted \$350.00 an acre and many have made \$300.00 to the acre. The secret, according to the county farm agent, is in early planting, proper cultivation and co-operative marketing. The average price paid the growers was 46 cents a crate. That county is now marketing its sweet potato crop at \$1.25 a bushel. The county is learning the advantages to be secured by intelligent diver- sification.

Lubbock Gets Large Hotel
 Lubbock has long been a good town, but the building of Texas Technological college there has started it rapidly on the way to become a leading Texas city. Among its recent accomplishments is the completion of a half million dollar hotel, something needed to care for the thousands of visi- tors drawn there largely because of the college. The part of Texas is rapidly changing from ranch- ing to farming, and the splendid crops being produced are attract- ing the attention of farmers the country over. The prosperity of

Lubbock is radiated in every di- rection.

City Dog Nuisance
 Recently 13 young children, some of them playing on their home porches, were bitten or scratched by a little puppy that was so small that little attention was paid to the slight wounds un- til some one suspected the dog might have hydrophobia. A test proved the suspicion correct, and now 13 little children, with their lives endangered, are suffering from the effects of the rabies treatment. There may still be some excuse for keeping dogs in the country, but city dogs should be caged just like other dangerous animals, and should not have opportunity to bite any one except their keepers, who voluntarily assume that risk.

Honors "Native Son"
 The school board of Henderson has done the unusual but the nice thing in electing Robert T. Milner, Jr., superintendent of the Hender- son schools. The young superin- tendent is a son of "Bob" Milner, deceased, and was born and reared at Henderson. His father was the first commissioner of agricul- ture in Texas and was at one time president of A. & M. College. It is seldom that the older heads give proper recognition to the young man or young woman who grows up among them, but they give the positions of responsibil- ity to persons from "away" leav- ing those at home to get out and rustle among strangers at best they may. Henderson has set an example to other places in recog- nizing the merits of its younger generation.

How Troubles Accumulate
 For many years a raft of drift wood and debris of all kinds has been accumulating at the mouth of the Colorado river in Matago- da county, extending many miles up the river and causing frequent damaging overflows. The danger increased from a small beginning until the prosperity and the safety of a large part of the county became so imminent that \$485,- 000 was paid a contractor to re- move the raft. After a year's work, which began at the mouth of the river the head of the raft has been broken and a fourteen mile channel has been opened. Two more years may be required to complete the removal of the raft, but the cost will be just- ified by the benefits to the county. The lesson of this paragraph is so apparent in community affairs, in business and in private life that

no further comment is necessary to make it clear.

Work That Will Count
 The Junior Chamber of Com- merce at Gainesville, cooperating with the rural school of Cooke county, has launched a county- wide cleanup campaign. Prizes of \$25.00, \$15.00 and \$10.00 are offered to the schools in the com- munity having the best kept pre- mises. This should stimulate com- munity pride in clean premises in every school district, for the clean- liness will apply to the schools and the homes alike. A move- ment of that kind in every county in the state would soon make Tex- as famous for cleanly schools and home premises.

Tourist Thieves
 Unless thievery on the part of auto tourists is stopped, the tour- ists in Texas will soon become as unpopular as in some other states. Complaints are becoming more frequent that tourists often do not hesitate to take anything loose if they think they can get away with it. Kansas newspapers say that about one in three auto tour- ists recognizes property rights in that state and that others do not hesitate to steal chickens, fruit, melons, vegetables or anything else conveniently near.

County Fair Draws Crowd
 The United States Census gives Kendall county a population of less than 5,000 and Boerne, the county site, less than 1,200. Des- pite the small population of the county and town, there were 12,- 000 paid admissions at the county fair one day recently, and at one time more than 4,000 auto- mobiles on the fair grounds. Coun- ty and community fairs are be- coming quite popular in Texas, and they indicate the prosperity of a section. If assured good en- tertainment, Texas people are li- eral fair patrons.

Prosperity Signs
 Prosperity has either hit the Childress Index good and hard or that paper proposes to help pros- perity along, for recently the pa- per has been enlarged from six to eight columns and changed from semi-weekly to a tri-weekly. To do this the old press has been discarded and a new Duplex printing press has been installed. All Texas newspapers wish for friend Haskett all kinds of success.

TEXAS ISN'T BUYING FEED THIS YEAR
 It is estimated that Texas im- ported, from other states, nearly a quarter of a billion dollars' worth of feed, last year. Over a wide section of the state, farm- ers were trying to raise feed, but drought prevented making a crop. Over much of the state, no feed was planted.

This year, it is estimated, Tex- as will be an exporter of feed. The region that was drought- stricken last year, Central Texas, is raising an immense feed crop, with favorable weather. The region that planted less feed than it should have, West Texas, has a greatly increased acreage this year, with splendid prospects.

More than the question of buy- ing feed is involved. For much of the land that, planted to cot- ton, would have pushed the price of that commodity downward, is planted to feed this year and is helping to maintain the price of cotton at a better level. It is better to raise three bales at a profit than four at a loss.

C. A. Russell of Turkey, was in Memphis Monday. Mr. Rus- sell stated to the Democrat that he came over to be with his friend, Anson McCandless, who died here Saturday night and the remains shipped to Crockett, Texas, Sun- day night.

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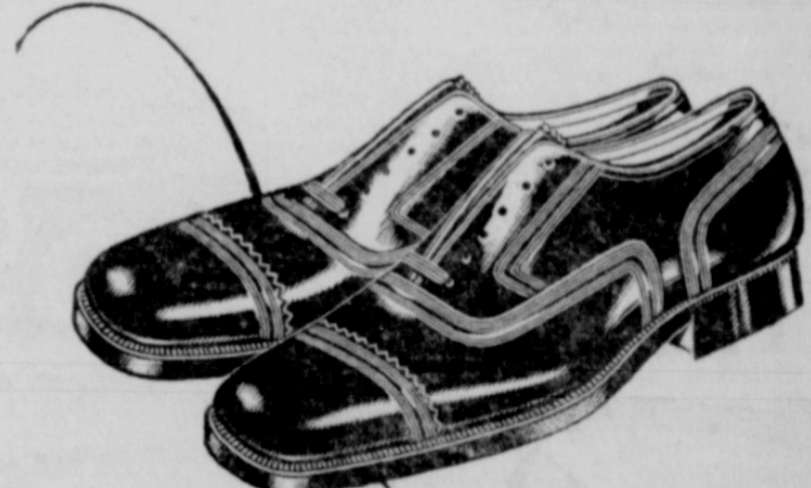
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Local and Personal

R. R. Eddleman of Estelline was in Memphis Tuesday.

Dr. V. R. Jones was here Monday practicing optometry. 9-tfc

Guy Norris spent the week end in Childress with friends the past week.

Alvin Baldwin is able to be out again after an operation for appendicitis.

Your car needs greasing. Let us do it for you. Memphis Garage Co. 1-tfc

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Rushing returned last week from a vacation trip in Colorado.

Thomas & Scott Funeral home, South Seventh Street. Phone 258. 4-tc

Rev. J. H. McCauley and family of Hedley were visitors in Memphis Tuesday.

We have it—a complete line of groceries. Phone 351. Draper Grocery. 9-tfc

Mrs. Rouark of Oklahoma is here this week visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. E. Stroup.

Frying chickens bought at market prices at Draper Grocery. Phone 351. 7-tf

Judge J. L. Lackey of Wichita Falls, was in Memphis Monday attending district court.

A complete line of groceries. Our motto. We have it. Phone 351, Draper Grocery 9-tfc

Miss Oleta and D. C. Hyder, Jr., of Amarillo spent the week end here with their father, Dr. D. C. Hyder.

Amarillo Pullman loaf and Butter Nut bread fresh every day at Draper Grocery. Phone 351. 7-tf

Miss Ophelia Webb returned this week from McKinney where she has been the past week on a vacation.

For a nice light lunch—try one of our delicious toasted sandwiches and a cold drink from our fountain. H-B Confectionery, 4tc

Mrs. Tom Kennedy and Miss Anna Moore of Clarendon, are visiting in the home of Mrs. John A. Wood here this week.

W. F. McCoy and family of Hulver were here Wednesday. They brought Mrs. McCoy to the sanitarium for treatment.

Have you tried Mrs. R. E. Martin's hamburgers and sandwiches and other lunches. 11th and Main streets. 9-4c

Mrs. Q. Street of Graham arrived Wednesday to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wheat of this city for several days.

When buying school supplies get them from us with the coupon on them and we redeem the coupon and save you money. R. E. Martin. 9-4c

Mrs. Bun Trueblood of Childress arrived in Memphis Tuesday and will visit several days with friends and relatives.

Good oil will make your car run better. Let us drain your crank case and fill with new oil. Memphis Garage Co. 1-tfc

Mrs. Harris Walker of Fort Worth arrived Sunday afternoon to join her husband, who is in the employ of Waples-Platter grocery company.

Order flowers early for opening of the new Memphis Hotel. Hightower Greenhouse. Phone 491 -11-2c

Uncle Johnny Noel and daughter Miss Mary left for their home at Mineral Wells Wednesday after an extended visit in this city.

Mrs. B. M. Moss and two children of Amarillo arrived in Memphis Monday to join her husband, who is employed in the mechanical department of the Democrat.

Prof. Vaughn and family were here spending the week end with friends. He is one of the teachers in the State Teachers College at Canyon.

Malcom Harrison of Wichita Falls, was in Memphis Tuesday advertising the Texas-Oklahoma State Fair at Wichita Falls which will take place from October 2-7.

H. H. Burnett of Dumas, was in Memphis Tuesday on his way home from El Paso where he had been with his wife to place her in a sanitarium.

Joe B. Stacy has resigned his position with the iFain & Co. store here and J. R. Willard of Childress has been transferred to the local establishment as manager.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cross visited their son, Dr. D. D. Cross at Lubbock Sunday returning Monday accompanied by Mrs. D. D. Cross who will visit for several days.

J. L. Barnes is having a nice new home built on his farm. Mr. Barnes is a believer in building good homes for his tenants and let them live in comfort while working his places.

Ted Mitchell living near Lesley sustained a broken leg Saturday when he was kicked by a mule. He was brought to Memphis in a King ambulance and treated at a local hospital.

Misses Helen and Carolyn McNeely left Monday for Abilene, where Miss Helen will be in charge of the expression department of McMurry college and where Miss Carolyn will attend as a student.

Hollis Boren closed a deal Saturday for the Montgomery property on Ninth and Main, and has made arrangements with the paving company to pave Main street alongside the property. This will give Main street an unbroken pavement for some twelve blocks. Paving work on this stretch was started Wednesday morning, and Boren is to be commended for the prompt action taken in showing a public spirit in the matter.

Jim Montgomery of Amarillo was a business visitor here Saturday.

Ralph Stroup of this city is enjoying a visit from his mother, Mrs. Chas. Stroup of Ringgold.

Lesley Foxhall, Clyde Drake, Henry Goodpasture, Max Nail, and Llewellyn Stout left Friday night for College Station where they will attend A. & M. College this year.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Montgomery spent Sunday in Amarillo visiting their daughter, Mrs. Eli Johnson. Mrs. T. Kittinger who attended the American Legion convention at that place last week returned to Memphis with them.

Miss Knight, daughter of E. K. Knight of Estelline was removed to her home in an ambulance from a local sanitarium Saturday. She had been under treatment for a broken leg.

Local engine No. 313, while switching at the compress Friday, was derailed by the track spreading. The wrecker was brought from Childress and it took until about 7a. m. Saturday to get the engine back on the track.

Frank Fore conveyed Mrs. Fore and her mother, Mrs. W. W. Clower, and Mrs. Hub Mathewson of Mangum Okla., who had been visiting Mrs. Clower, to Mangum Tuesday. The ladies will go to Hot Springs, Ark., for a month's stay for their health.

Col. Ernest Thompson, owner of the new Memphis Hotel, and his mother, Mrs. L. O. Thompson, were here from Amarillo Saturday night to be at the opening of the Coffee Shop and ball room. Col. Thompson is well pleased with the start the hotel is making.

Bonnie Cohen informed the Democrat that he would remain in Memphis this fall where he will be employed with his father at the Famous. It was rumored that Bonnie would attend Clarendon college, but he denies the charge.

Judge A. S. Moss received a message last Tuesday stating that a brother living at Davis, Okla., had been seriously hurt. Mr. Moss departed immediately for Davis. A letter received by Mrs. Moss in this city Monday stated that his brother was slightly improved.

W. B. Gresham, who formerly lived in the Newlin Community but now living near Carey, was in Memphis Tuesday looking for cotton pickers. Mr. Gresham said he had one hundred hales of cotton already made, with fine feed crops to back it up and that he is living at home.

Miss Alice Howell, who is teaching in the Friendship school, spent the week end in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Jenkins of Turkey, were business business visitors in Memphis Monday.

Eyes examined and glasses fitted. Dr. J. H. Croft at Tomlinson Drug store. 12-1c

Miss Thelma Lee Hattenbach left this week for Abilene where she will attend Simmons University.

C. B. Hume, formerly night watchman in this city, but now living at Turkey, was in Memphis Monday on business.

R. L. Madden and two daughters, Helen and Dorothy, left Wednesday for Norman, Okla., where the girls will enter the Oklahoma State University.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Webster, Mrs. Neal Stephens, and Mrs. Hamp Prater spent the week end with relatives and friends in Paducah.

Mrs. V. A. Porter, Mrs. Laura Campbell and Miss Willie Jones of Wellington attended the fair here Wednesday.

Eyes examined and glasses fitted. Dr. J. H. Croft at Tomlinson Drug store. 12-1c

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Brooks and daughter, Mrs. M. E. Foster, of Wellington, have been visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. J. M. Lane.

The Democrat will appreciate reports of meetings and activities of the different clubs of the city. Each club has a press reporter, and the reports will be given close attention.

EMPLOYMENT WANTED

As I am soon to retire from office after ten years of efficient service as County Treasurer of Hall county, I am anxious to secure other employment, and I will appreciate any assistance my friends may be able to give me in this way. As to recommendations I refer those who may not know me to any responsible business man or person in Hall county. 11-2c J. M. WILLBORN

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A policeman in Richmond, Virginia, whose automobile collided with another car, promptly arrested himself for reckless driving.

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FOR RENT—My residence on Ninth street. See J. C. Wells at Democrat office. B. F. Shepherd. 12-tc

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FOR SALE—Two corn binders. G. W. Sexauer, 8 miles west of Memphis. 10-3p

LOST—Hamilton, 17-jewel watch gold case, engraved R. C. W. Finder please return to Mrs. R. C. Walker. 10-tc

LOST—Ladies, hand tooled leather purse, somewhere on streets of Memphis Sunday. Return to Democrat for reward. 11-2p

FOR SALE—Seed wheat, \$1.25 per bushel; free from Johnson grass seed. Tom Cope, Parnell 12-2c

FOR SALE—Four work horses and two wagons. Hall County Bank. 1-tfc

IF YOU have anything for sale let me sell it for you. L. J. Starkey. 7-tf.

FOR SALE—Several real homes in good location; easy payments. Also some farms and ranches worth the price asked; buy a home and stop paying rent. See L. J. Starkey. 7-tf

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COTTON PICKERS WANTED—White or black; good cotton, plenty to keep pickers busy for quite awhile; good house. Mrs. Bassett, at Oxbow. 12-tfc

WANTED—Men roomers. Phone 141. 10-tf

WANTED—2D HAND CLOTHES We buy and sell second-hand clothes and shoes or any other articles second hand. See us and get our prices if you have anything in the second hand line. Bob Pugh, located at Bob's Place near oil mill. 11-3p.

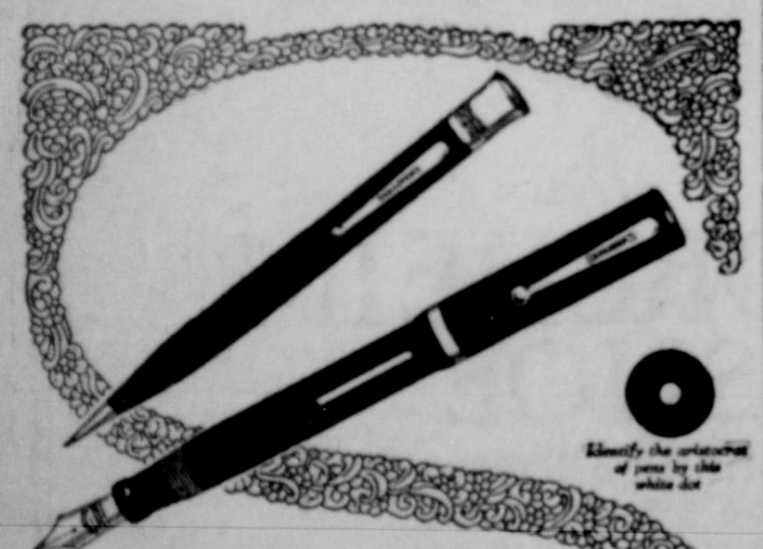
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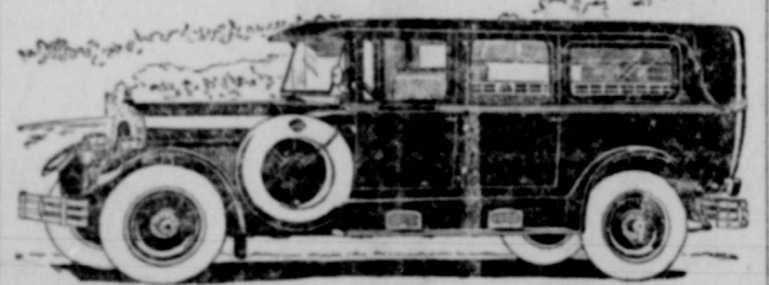
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