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HALL COUNTY'S CLUB REPORTS— WEDDINGS

Society News

Eva Mae Holcomb Elected President Of Greenbelt Union

The Greenbelt Union of Methodist young people met at Quail Tuesday night, at which time the Quail league was in charge of the program.

The program was as follows: Songs by the group, led by Emmett Palmer; invocation by Rev. Kirby of Wellington; welcome address by Billye Dodson; scripture by Buford Graham; special number by quartet; reading, Mary Lee Bishop; talk, Ruth Aaron; musical reading, "Youth Prays for Peace," Billye Dodson; benediction, Rev. Plant.

The business session was presided over by Demarius Gidden, and the following were elected officers for the coming year: President, Eva Mae Holcomb of Memphis; vice president, Billye Dodson of Quail; secretary and treasurer, Demarius Gidden of Plaska; parliamentarian, Dorothea Dewlen of Memphis; the local reporter for each league will act as union reporter.

During the social hour, refreshments were served to the following: Hedley—Von Biggs, Martha Sue Noel, Geraldine Land, Josie Plunk, Dorothy Land, Lottie Mae Randall, Mrs. J. B. Masterson, Billye Dodson, Keith Bain; Marella—Mrs. J. W. Pearson, J. W. Pearson, Lucille Self, Jake Roach.

Plaska—Demarius Gidden; Memphis—Dorothy Neil Evans, Vada Webster, Joyce Duren, Dorothea Dewlen, Elwanda Jones, Edna Dewlen, Marion Duren, Bill Browning, Eva Mae Holcomb, Mary Lois Powers, Deward Jones, Roy L. Guthrie.

Wellington—Helen Sue Singley, Dorothy Holcomb, Geraldine Graham, Evelyn Ball, Irene Ball, J. Edmund Kirby; Quail—Mary Lee Bishop, Bennye Ruth Dodson, Billye Dodson, Sylvia Brown, Pete Dowell, Jack Brisham, Emmett Palmer, Buford Graham, Hilary Weaver, Durwood Hooker, Johnny Crawford, Harold Hammit, Marlin Weaver, Wendell Graham, Beatrice Earing, Merle Palmer, Mrs. Hooker, Mrs. J. R. Plant, Jack Plant, J. W. Bishop, J. W. Giddens, M. C. Vaughan.

Atalantean Club Members Take Trip Around World on Cruise of Imagination

On May 1 the Atalantean Club embarked on a round the world tour. Club members met at the high school auditorium to receive their passports. Mrs. Noel Woodley then gave a brief resume of the proposed tour.

To the shouts of Bon Voyage the good ship Atalantean set sail with London town as their first destination. After arriving in London the club hid themselves to the Old Globe Theatre for a matinee performance of "Macbeth" put on under the direction of Miss Joyce Sheats. Her all-boy cast gave a clever burlesque of the classic in true Shakespearian manner.

While in London the group availed themselves of the opportunity to visit Dicken's Olde Curiosity Shoppe to view the vast collection of antiques then on display. Mrs. Gordon West, dressed in an old English costume, greeted the visitors at the door and presented each with a replica of Dresden china. Mrs. G. W. Johnson played some familiar English airs while the club viewed the antiques.

The next stop was the Heidelberg Inn in Baden, Germany, where the group served drinks by the inn-keeper, Mrs. Frank Phelan, assisted by Mrs. H. B. Hill and Darlein Reed who were dressed in peasant costumes. There the club enjoyed two selections from Wagner played by Mrs. R. H. Williams. One number, "A Merry Life," was sung by the young artist, Dorothea Dewlen. When the group was enjoying the scenery from the portico, Betty Lindsey and Green Coursey gave a costume song and dance, accompanied by Mrs. Cordell Goodpasture at the piano. As the club set sail for the next port, moving pictures of the group were taken.

A cocktail lounge in Paris was the next stop in the club's itinerary. While Mrs. W. C. Dickey, the hostess, served cocktails, Mrs. Noel Woodley gave a short travelogue of the scenic wonders of Paris. Original styles from

Mrs. G. S. Dowell. The next meeting will be held at Memphis June 11.

Lanvin, Chanel and other Parisian designers were modeled by Joyce Read, Jane Hicks, Billie Lofland, Cassandra Morris, Jo Ann Hart, John Jarrell, Camille Stringer, Phillip Periman, and Ann Woodley.

Back across the ocean the club sailed and arrived safely at Mexico City in time for an enchilada supper. The tables were colorful with Mexican figurines, pottery vases filled with orange poppies, and with fiesta colored dishes. While the members feasted, they were serenaded with accordion music played by Louise Rogers and Rayburn Jones, who wore Mexican costumes and played popular Mexican music. After the supper Rev. E. L. Yeats showed lantern slides of Mexico, which he had taken on several trips down through that country.

After the club had viewed the glories of London, Paris, Germany, and Mexico they still felt as Henry Van Dyke did when he said, "America for me!" and with an "Adios" for their Mexican friends back they came to Memphis.

Club members taking the trip were Mesdames Ralph Bennett, C. W. Broome, Troy Broome, Robert Devin, W. C. Dickey, H. B. Estes, L. M. Hicks, N. A. Hightower, W. B. Hooser, Jack Jarrell, J. B. Kimberlin, C. W. Kinslow, J. A. Odum, John Lofland, J. H. Morris, D. A. Neely, Carl Periman, Frank Phelan, S. L. Seago, Guy Smith, H. D. Stringer, C. R. Webster, Winfred Wilson, Noel Woodley, O. K. Howe, E. S. Foote, and Miss Ruby Lee Stringer.

TO HAVE RECITAL
Mrs. Marion McNeely will present her pupils in a music and expression recital at the Presbyterian Church Thursday night, May 16, at 8 o'clock. A program consisting of piano, organ, and speech numbers will be given.

Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Cargill, Rev. E. L. Yeats, and Joe Findley-attended the revival meeting at the Christian Church in Clarendon last Friday night.

Miss Ellen Edwards was reported on the sick list the first part of the week.

Mrs. T. M. Harrison Presents Speech Pupils in Recital

Speech Arts pupils of Mrs. T. M. Harrison were presented in a spring recital Tuesday night in the high school auditorium. Assisting Mrs. Harrison were Anita Meacham and Mary Ruth Johnson, in voice and Mrs. Robert Devin and Jane Hicks, pianists.

The program, lasting approximately one hour and 15 minutes, consisted of a large variety of numbers, ranging from short readings to a one-act play as the closing number.

Taking part on the program were Jimmie Bownds, Mary Jo Watson, Mary Drew McCollum, Martha Ann Wattenbarger, Peggy Lou Davenport, Gloria Howard, Patsy Ann Goodnight, Gena Mac Devin, Creed Lamb, Patsy Davenport.

Carroll Foxhall, Harold Foxhall, Fletcher Bownds, Sim Goodall, Charles Cullin, Orrin Howe, M. L. Evans, Robert Clark, Mary Nell Evans, Laura Houston, Mary Ruth Johnson, Martha Allen, Peggy George Walker, Gladys Lone Bownds, Jack Hightower, Hazel Sherman, Anita Meacham, Mrs. T. M. Harrison.

Salisbury Quilting Club Meets With Mrs. C. Williams

The Salisbury Quilting Club met in the home of Mrs. Charles Williams Tuesday afternoon.

After a short business session presided over by the president, Mrs. Bill Longshore, the remainder of the afternoon was spent quilting and piecing quilts.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames T. K. Wilson, Ceci Lockhart, Ed Hutcherson, E. Lee, Alfred Hutcherson, Bill Longshore, Ted Barnes, R. H. Hutcherson, E. F. Sustaite, Lester Bowman, J. R. Mitchell, E. W. Solomon.

Mesdames B. Wyatt, Ira McQueen, Irvin McQueen, and four visitors, Mrs. Violet, Mrs. William Ragsdale, Mrs. Ruth Ragsdale, and Miss Annie Mitchell.

The next meeting of the club will be at the home of Mrs. E. W. Solomon May 22.

Mystic Weavers Meet in Home of Mrs. R. C. Walker

The Mystic Weavers Club met Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. R. C. Walker.

After the business session, presided over by the president, Mrs. George Hattenbach, the following members answered roll call with current events and jokes:

Mesdames D. A. Grundy, S. T. Harrison, Lee Thornton, R. H. Wherry, Henry Read, J. L. Barnes, C. A. Reynolds, C. E. Webster, J. W. True, Jim McMurry, Frank Phelan, F. N. Foxhall, Chas. Oren, George Hattenbach, and guests, Mrs. Jessie Jones, Mrs. Horace Tarver, Mrs. Art Miller, and Mrs. C. W. Kinslow.

Some-R-Set Club Meets in Home of Mrs. Julius Gable

Mrs. J. P. Godfrey won high score last Thursday afternoon when the Some-R-Set Bridge Club met in the home of Mrs. Julius Gable near Lakeview. Floating prize went to Mrs. Murray Dial.

An ice course was served to Mesdames Clarence Burks, J. P. Godfrey, Dick Spoon, Winfred Swift, O. K. Howe, Murray Dial, Carl Wolf, and the hostess.

Baptist Philathea Class Has Trailer Camp Party in Basement of Church

Members of the Philathea Class of the First Baptist Church entertained their husbands with a Trailer Camp party Tuesday evening in the basement of the church.

On entering "Welcome to all states trailer camp, where friends meet" was seen. A miniature trailer lighted with a kerosene lamp and a figure of an old lady was in one corner where the floor was covered with grass, and a china doll and dog were near the trailer.

A camp fire and a small tent, decorated another spot. A clothes line filled with the day's wash was across one end of the room.

Signs around the camp were "The pump well! well!" "Light refreshments, so light you'll hardly notice them" and many others familiar to trailer camps.

The decoration committee with Mrs. Mack Graham as chairman was complimented on their unique decorations. Mrs. Earl Pritchett was chairman of the refreshment committee.

The guests were welcomed by the president, Mrs. Glen Carlos. Mrs. A. J. Joyce gave the invocation and a picnic lunch was served buffet style.

Mrs. J. P. Godfrey, social chairman, conducted games pertaining to states. Prizes were won by Lynn Jones, Marshall Jones, and Jack Joyce.

Songs pertaining to the states were sung by the group. The last song was "The Long, Long Trailer." The party was dismissed with a prayer by Rev. S. F. Martin.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Osborne, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Sargent, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Joyce, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Long, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Pitcock, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Godfrey, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Webb, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Vickers.

Mesdames T. A. Paulsel of Fort Worth, J. O. Fitzjarrald, R. A. Massey, Glen Carlos, Mae Cochran, Nat Bradley, J. M. Ferrell, Earl Pritchett, J. D. Whitteburg, Roy Brewer, C. J. Youree, Jack Nivens, and C. L. Simmons, and Miss Ruby Thornton, and Rev. S. F. Martin.

Thursday Night Bridge Club Meets in Bob Land Home

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Land were hosts to the Thursday Night Bridge Club last week.

Mrs. E. E. Cudd won high score for the women and Frank Garrett was high for the men at the close of the games.

Mrs. Land's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ode Caraway of Clarendon, were guests. Members present were Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cudd, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. George Greenhaw, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Morgensen, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Crawford, and the host and hostess.

Blue Bonnet Club Meets in Home of Mabel Meacham

Margaret Hood, president, presided at the business session Friday when the Blue Bonnet Needle Club met in the home of Mabel Meacham.

The women spent the afternoon talking and sewing.

Refreshments were served to Fernie Boone, Susie Coleman, Clara Cowan, Essie Cullen, Frankye Fultz, Gladys Gilmore, Betty Goodall, Margaret Hood, Winnie Johnson, Gussie Jones, Hucie Lindsey, Kathryn Morgensen, Margaret Phillips, and the hostess.

Mrs. M. McNeely Entertains Pupils Guests With Picnic

The afternoon was spent at the City Park Tennis room when Mrs. M. McNeely entertained her pupils and guests with a picnic.

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Everett and Bobbie Ferrell, Bobbie and Sharlene Ly and Nancy Jo Barbara and Nancy Lydames R. L. Brewer, Everett Bryan, and Neely.

Miss Maise Perkins was visitor in Dallas part of the week.

Mrs. Dennis daughter, Mrs. Clara and Mrs. T. D. West Amarillo visitors Monday afternoon.

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Mrs. Conly Ward Has Studio Recital Of Music Pupils

Music week was observed Saturday afternoon when Mrs. Conly Ward presented a group of pupils in a studio recital.

The following pupils were presented: Sue Lynn Guthrie, Larry McQueen, Laura Mai Hightower, June Joyce, Sara Joyce, Sylvia Nell Goodnight, Gladys Bownds, Jimmie Bownds, Wayne Hutcherson, Dorothy Hutcherson, Bobbie Clare Davenport.

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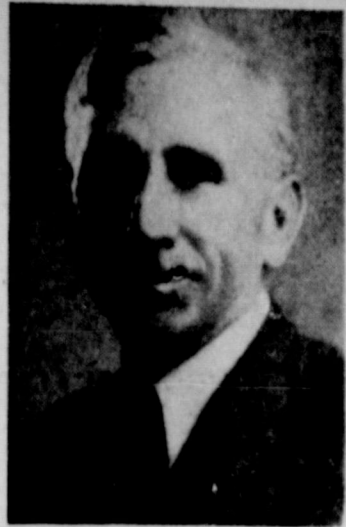
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Tom V. Ellzey, Perryton, Enters Race For U. S. Congressman of 18th District

Tom V. Ellzey of Perryton, Ochiltree county rancher, also known through his work with youth through the L. Z. boys ranch...



TOM V. ELLZEY

Long a lay church leader, Ellzey has been primarily interested in conservation of youth. It was as a young man in Kiowa County, Okla., while he was president of a county Sunday school organization...

In order to devote his time to the congressional race Ellzey has turned the management of the ranch and of the boys camp this summer over to his son, Lawrence...

Conservation of natural resources, conservation of soil and conservation of youth are planks in his platform. He has been ranching nearly a quarter of a century in the Panhandle and feels that he is thoroughly competent to talk the language of the people of this section in congress.

Ellzey issued the following statement in connection with his candidacy:

I was born in California and was reared in Texas. I came up the Chisholm trail as a little boy with my father from Limestone County to Greer County, then part of the Panhandle of Texas.

I was with H. J. Heinz Co. for 5 years as director of the Growers' Service Department and as personal representative for J. H. Heinz in United States and Canada. While with the Heinz Co. I was sent to Washington to have a special appropriation included in the agricultural bill then before the House of Congress. I got the job done in three days.

Upon the death of my brother I resigned from the Heinz Co. in order to take over the management of the L. Z. Ranch. On the way from Pittsburgh to the Panhandle I came through Washington and I brought a message from the government to the Panhandle, urging the growers to produce more feed and food for the war.

The Panhandle Cattlemen's Association organized a special commission for the promotion of Panhandle food and feed campaign. The commission was composed of Ben Masterson, Pat Landergerin, Tom Coble, W. H. Fuqua, Ed Brainard, J. D. Hamlin, Tom Moody and others, and I was made director and manager of this campaign, without salary. I served in this capacity until the close of the war.

In 1918 I was sent to Washington to secure a \$50,000 loan for the wheat growers of Ochiltree County and secured the loan in one day.

And in 1934 when the feed situation became so acute, I went to Washington with Jack Allen, now 84th district judge. We started in at Marvin Jones' office at 9:30 a. m., and by 6 o'clock that evening, the emergency feed committee in Washington had started loading 100 carloads of feed for the dust bowl of Texas.

The feed for Ochiltree County arrived in Perryton before Allen and I returned. Thereafter, I rendered service whenever possible in building the present farm and ranch program.

The conservation of childhood and youth, the conservation of the soil, the grass and all other natural resources are fundamentals of an enduring civilization. The fear of God, the love of one's country, and the respect and concern for one's fellow man are as necessary today as they were when a little boy, busy at his father's carpenter bench in Nazareth, wrought out a yardstick, the Golden Rule, which is the only yardstick by which an individual can square his life. The same thing is fundamentally true of a home, a state, or a nation.

If we are going to use that yardstick, we are certainly obligated to provide security for old age with old age pensions. Shipping our boys to Europe to be fed to machine guns, bombs and cannon, is not conserving our youth, and the mothers and the fathers of the nation and of the world should be on their knees praying God to stay the horrors of war; but I believe that adequate means of defense and preparedness to the Nth degree are two of the major factors in keeping the United States out of war.

The New Deal has done more than any other program since the days of our Pilgrim Fathers to make possible the practice of the Golden Rule in everyday living. No one can deny that there are certain details of the New Deal program that should be modified and changed, but certainly it has saved the farmers and ranchers, and therefore all other forms of business interests, in the 18th Congressional District.

Marvin Jones, through the New Deal, has done more for the farming and ranching interests than any other man who has ever sat in Congress.

No man can fill his place, but the need of the hour is to put a man in Congress from this district who knows the farming and ranching business from actual experience: who has tailed up cows, sworn out tractors, who, along with others, has kicked the wolf from the door with one foot and the sheriff with the other during these long years of drought and dust experience.

The world now faces one of the most critical and chaotic conditions that has ever existed in the history of our nation. No one dares prophesy what may happen in the next four years. For this reason it is imperative that we have as our representative a man who has had first-hand experience in and personal knowledge of the various interests of this Panhandle country.

We do not want to send men to Congress who will take four to eight years to get ready to do their task. We need a man to go to Washington with the fear of God in his heart and courage to start to fight the day he arrives to hold what Marvin Jones has secured for the ranchers and farmers of this district.

BRICE

By MRS. W. A. BATEN

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Dickson were host and hostess to the young married couple's "42" Club Saturday night. Refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cheek, Charlie and Cleo Muff, Dewey and Pat Myers, Laylan and Pauline Gillespie, Joe and Juanita Wood, Edd and Faye Murff, Arnold and Ruby Baten and the host and hostess.

Mr. Hartzog of New Mexico spent the week-end with his daughters, Mrs. Joe Wood and Mrs. J. C. Johnson.

M. L. Pittman, Mrs. L. T. Smallwood, Granny Smallwood, and Luther Nite Pittman are visiting in Comanche County.

Marie Collins, Dorothy Salmon, and Pete Salena were supper guests of Rowena Wood Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Baten attended the banquet Wednesday night in Clarendon at the Caraway Cafe.

Mr. and Mrs. Hope Lemons and John Lemons and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Merle Lemons Saturday night.

Mrs. George Dickson is visiting her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Dickson, in Fort Worth.

Barney Baten of Spearman visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Baten, over the week-end.

Mrs. C. A. Hightower visited her father at Ballinger the past week.

Herman Cross returned to Mexico the last of the week to resume work there.

Clifford Collins spent Saturday night with Barney Baten.

Mrs. R. Sanderson and son of

Antelope Flat spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Gibson.

Brady Pittman and family of Amarillo spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Pittman.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wood spent Sunday in Clarendon and Martin with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Perkins and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hartzog.

Daniel Gillespie and family of Turkey visited in the J. H. Gillespie home Sunday afternoon.

J. B. Estes, who is staying with his daughter, Mrs. Boyd Dickson, spent the week-end in Vernon with his wife and son. He went fishing while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wood, Walter Wood and family, L. H. Wood, and Elmer Wood were dinner guests in the Jess Wood home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Finchum spent Sunday at McKnight with

Locals and Personals

J. C. Reeves of Pampa, former resident of Memphis, visited here Sunday.

Mrs. E. P. Thompson and Miss Martha Thompson were Amarillo visitors Monday.

Miss Mary Katherine Walker, student at WTSC at Canyon, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Nelson visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Crone, in Childress Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Clinton attended a spring concert given by R. E. Martin Jr. in Lubbock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Perkins.

The Brice softball team won a game against the Lesley softball team Sunday.

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Memphis School News

WEST WARD — JUNIOR HIGH AND HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES



REPORTS ON ACADEMIC, ATHLETIC AND EXTRA-CURRICULA ENDEAVORS

Second Grade Pupils Entertain With Program for West Ward Students

Three FFA Boys Win in Area Meet

The local FFA chapter won two second places and one fourth place in the Area Contest in Childress on May 4. The area is composed of three districts, Memphis, Wellington, and Vernon. Jack Martin and Henry Solomon won a second place in debate, being defeated by Quail. Charlie Williams won second in extemporaneous speaking, being defeated by McGargie. Ted George and L. A. Richards won fourth place in the one-act demonstration.

These boys will enter the state meet in Huntville in June. Mr. and Mrs. Byron Baldwin and son James, Miss Mary Lee Mabry, Miss Clara Burnett, and Miss Bernice Webster attended a sales meeting in Lubbock Sunday.

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Homemaking Class Visits Cameron Company on Trip

Students Show Interest In Exhibits; Miniature Homes Placed on Display

The Homemaking class attended the exhibit at the Cameron Lumber Company Wednesday last week.

The class is studying a unit on "making our homes more livable." Some of the materials exhibited that were of special interest to the class were displays of new wall papers, new types of ironing boards, and medicine cabinets. The miniature homes, with floor plans, cost, and landscaping for each, were of special interest to these students.

Students making the field trip were Lavonne Archer, Nadean Barton, Dorothy Barker, Margaret Bourland, Gwen Coursey, Audrey Duke, Juanella Evans, Lois Hamilton, Jane Hicks, Ruthie Johnson, Billie Lofland, Jim Moore, Billie Frances Montgomery, Geraldine McQuire, J. D. Morrison, Naomi Morrison, Gamae Melton, Jack Washam, Ida Mae Robertson, Louise Smith, Dorothy Sheehan, Florence Shumate, Maxine Walls, Maxine Webster, Addie Mae Woodall, Joe Crump, Honoria Phillips, Bonnie Musgrove, Eleanor Turner.

And School's Out—

HIGH SCHOOL CALENDAR
May 10—Announcement of senior exemptions.
May 12—Baccalaureate sermon, High School Auditorium, 8:15 o'clock.
May 13—Senior examinations.
May 14—Announcement of junior, sophomore, and freshman exemptions.
May 15—Final examinations.
May 16—Check in books.
May 17—Report cards at 1 o'clock, Graduation exercises, High School Auditorium, 8:15 o'clock.

A. J. Butler of Wellington was a Memphis visitor Sunday.

Hi-Y Boys Elect '40-'41 Officers

The Hi-Y meeting was held Tuesday night to elect officers for next year. Lois Kerr was re-elected president, Louis Grimes vice president, and Dick Benton program chairman. Officers not being elected are secretary, treasurer, and sergeant-at-arms. Officers for this year were president, Lois Kerr; vice president, Izador Hardin, secretary, Lloyd Hicks Jr.; treasurer, L. F. Jones; and sergeant-at-arms, Hilton Lindsey. The club decided to have a picnic Friday night. James Fultz has charge of place and eats. For next Tuesday night Harold Nichols, new district YMCA secretary, will be present.

9 Cyclone Cagers Receive Sweaters

The Memphis High School Cyclone basketball team were awarded sweaters Tuesday in assembly. Those receiving awards were Henry Lee Solomon, M. D. Gunstream, J. W. Harrison, and J. C. McClure, forwards; Ted George, Louie Grimes, and Lois Kerr, guards; Orville Jones and Charlie Williams Jr., centers. Coach W. B. Dees announced he was expecting to have a good team next season with Captain J. W. Harrison, Louie Grimes, Henry Lee Solomon, Charlie Williams, and a number of prospective men moving up from the "B" team of last year to be ready for action.

Junior High Girls Sing at Childress

Members of the Junior High School Girls' chorus, under the direction of Buren Carr, appeared on the district music program at Childress last Friday morning. The chorus was invited to sing by S. O. Harlock, deputy school superintendent. Numbers presented were the same as those given when Dr. L. A. Woods, state school superintendent, spoke to rural 7th graders in Memphis recently. Songs were "Serenade," from The Student Prince, by Romberg, and "Pale Moon," by Logan. Following the program, members of the chorus held a picnic at noon, and returned to Memphis in the afternoon.

Class Members Choose Vocations

The students in the occupation class taught by Sam Cowan are studying their personal characteristics to aid them in choosing their vocation, and prepare for Diversified Occupations next year. The students choose jobs and subjects relating to the position chosen are studied in the Diversified Occupations class. If possible the students are placed in the training stations of their choice. Eight of the Diversified Occupations trainees are graduating this year and their jobs will be filled next year with new students.

TESTS GIVEN Pupils in West Ward School were given achievement tests last week. Since the school exists for the child, the proper use of standardized tests is interwoven with the proper functioning of the school. The scores showed that the pupils had done satisfactory work.

PROGRAM PLANNED The program for graduation night at May 17 will be new and instructive in content with the students participating in the program, it was announced this week. Special selections of instrumental music and choral singing will be followed by short speeches by honor members of the senior class.

NOTICE OF APPRECIATION The Memphis High School Band, the Drum and Bugle Corps, and G. W. Johnson, band master, wish to express their appreciation for the splendid cooperation shown during the annual Cap Rock Band Festival held here last week-end. The school superintendent, and the citizens willingly did their part toward making the festival a success.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Harper of Childress visited Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Mayfield Sunday.

LIBERTY

By MRS. W. F. HODNETT

Rev. Hansard filled his regular appointment at Liberty Sunday morning and night. Rev. Ford and Orbey and W. F. Hodnett attended the workers meeting at Hedley Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Joe Bownds is spending the week in Clarendon. Mrs. J. S. Rice, Mrs. John Bownds and Sandra Jo spent last week-end in Dalhart with relatives. Mrs. Troy Dunn spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. W. F. Hodnett.

Lorene Mitchell is reported steadily improving and able to sit up. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ramsey were visitors in the Liberty community last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesters entertained the young people with a party Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Hancock and Mrs. Curtis Henry Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Slim Henderson went fishing at Lake Kemp Tuesday and came home Thursday. They reported that the fish were not biting very well.

Jeff Rice and Susie were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Slim Henderson Sunday.

Mrs. Williams of Arkansas is visiting in the Liberty community.

INDIAN CREEK

By MRS. NORA VANDEVENTER

Mrs. W. E. Henry visited her son in Lakeview Thursday. Jesse Vick is on the sick list. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Billington visited in the Wilburn home Sunday.

Cecil and Artist Whitten went to Lake Kemp to fish last week. Elmer Turner has as her guest her brother from Portales, N. Mex.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Rea had as Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Rea and Myrtle, and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Reed and family.

Florence Gardenhire and Claudia Vandeventer, and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Edwards spent Saturday night with Rebecca Edwards. The wildcat oil well is furnishing excitement for this community.

nity. Glen and Alma Bruce returned from Carlsbad Cavern Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tolley Henry spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Henry.

CORRECTION

Through some error the name of Florence Shumate, who played the part of Baby Jo in the play, "Mammy's Li'l Wild Rose," was omitted from the list of characters in the cast last week. The play was given twice, once at the CCC camp and once at the Alaska schoolhouse.

LUNCHEON SET ON DISPLAY A luncheon set made by Edna Dewlin, second year home economics student, is being shown in the display case in high school on the first floor. The set is of red Indian head material, embroidered in white and edged with white lace. The project was made for the kitchen improvement unit.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. S. daughter Linda Carol friends and relatives in Okla., Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Amarillo and Mrs. Gladys of Clarendon visited Mrs. Denny Sunday.

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Legionnaires to Go To Amarillo Meet

A number of Memphis Legionnaires are making plans to attend the dedication services of the new Veterans' Hospital in Amarillo next Sunday. Opening services will be held Saturday.

Planning to attend from the Chas. R. Simmons Post are Mr. and Mrs. John Deaver, Mrs. Allie D. Weaver, Mrs. Jan Martindale, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Edmondson, Mac Tarver, J. E. Reheis, Bryan Reynolds, Roy Guthrie, C. S. Compton, Dr. L. M. Hicks, A. M. Sims, Jess Dobbins, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Merrell, C. C. Dodson, H. H. Lindsey, and H. L. Blanks.

Two Legion conventions will be held simultaneously—the Fifth Division of Texas and the Panhandle-Plains Association of American Legion Posts.

Principal event of the two-day program will be the inspection of the new hospital, although arrangements have been made for merriment and festivities, it was announced.

Louis Johnson, assistant secretary of war and a former national commander of the Legion, will be principal speaker. He will be introduced by Marvin Jones, U. S. Congressman.

The ceremonies will be conducted on the hospital lawn, in front of the main building, and a loud speaker system will be installed with enough power to make the sound audible to 5,000 people. The Lone Star chain will carry the broadcast over a part of its stations beginning at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

4 Escape Injury In Estelline Wreck

Four young Estelline citizens escaped serious injury when their car overturned while they were en route to Memphis after the Estelline High School Junior-Senior banquet Friday night.

In the accident were J. C. Stillwell, Dean Bailey, Mozelle Gregory, and Evelyn Marcum. All occupants received bruises and several slight cuts, but none were serious.

The car, which overturned twice, was almost a complete loss.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Russell and daughter Margaret, and Mrs. C. M. Hawkins spent the week-end with friends and relatives in Decatur.



RESPECT—To respect his flag—as a symbol of his country's ideals—is the first step taken by the new Scout, it was emphasized in Memphis this week, in connection with plans for the sustaining membership roundup. The boy is taught the flag's history and significance, and the meanings and traditions that lie deeper than drills, parades and flag waving.



IN OTHER LANDS—A way for youth which embodies none of the traditions of scouting is that practiced by the young boys of Russia, raised on purges, guns, and bayonets. Pictured above is a group of boys, all of scouting age, who are instead learning military tactics.

FFA at Lakeview Lay First Plans Of '41 Stock Show

Citizens to Provide for Cash Prizes; Show to Be Held Next Spring

Discussion of a livestock show to be held in Lakeview next spring, was held at a meeting of the FFA members of that community Tuesday night.

Lakeview citizens have already assured FFA boys that at least \$112 can be raised for prize money, it was announced at the meeting.

Classes will be divided into the dry-lot calves and milk-fed calves, with each of these classes being broken down into light and heavy groups. An additional class will be formed for a group of at least two calves owned by one individual. Calves receiving milk after November 1, 1940, are to be considered as milk-fed calves.

A separate division may be set up for any other boys and girls not members of the FFA chapter who live in the Lakeview school area, it was decided.

Tentative prize schedule set up is as follows: Milk-fed, light weight—first, \$9, second, \$7; third, \$4, and fourth, \$2. Cash prizes are the same in the milk-fed heavy, dry-lot light, and dry-lot heavy.

Group of two calves—first, \$7, second, \$3, third, \$2. Grand champion will receive \$7, and reserve champion \$5.

Memphians Attend Clarendon Revival

Regular services of the First Christian Church were dismissed last Sunday night to allow members to attend the closing service of the revival meeting at the Christian Church in Clarendon.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McMurry and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Howe and son Orrin, Mrs. Ben Eddy, Mrs. B. Webster, and Joe Findley.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Cunningham and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Kay spent the week-end in Lubbock visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Nelma Bishop of Paducah spent the week-end with her father, John Bishop.

Derrell Hannon and Cordell Goodpasture fished at Lake Pauline Saturday night and Sunday.

COLORED CHURCHES DIRECTORY

Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church—Preaching, 2nd and 4th Sundays. Business meeting Thursday night before each 4th Sunday. Lord's Supper, 4th Sunday. Sunday School, 9:30 o'clock. J. Spurgeon W. Thomas, minister.

C. M. E. Church—Preaching, 2nd and 4th Sundays. Epworth League, 4:30 p. m. Missionary Supper, each quarter. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Rev. T. A. Ridge, pastor.

Church of God in Christ—Preaching, 2nd and 4th Sundays. Lord's Supper, each quarter. Business meeting, first Monday night each month. Willing Workers Band, Sunday, 6:30 p. m. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Rev. R. S. Polk, pastor.

Third Baptist Church—Preaching, 1st and 3rd Sundays. Lord's Supper, 1st Sunday. Bible Band each Tuesday night. Missionary Circle, Wednesday afternoon. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Rev. J. A. Streets, pastor.

Webster Out of Race for Office

Brice Webster, Hall County farmer who announced his candidacy for commissioner of Precinct No. 1 about a month ago, this week withdrew from the race for that office.

"Due to conditions about which I did not know at the time I entered the race, I am announcing my withdrawal," Mr. Webster said Tuesday.

"I also wish to thank each person who has supported me thus far in my candidacy, and say that I sincerely appreciate their help."

"In withdrawing, I am not favoring any particular candidate in the race, but I do wish to show my appreciation to my opponents who have been so fair in the race. Anyone of the men is qualified to hold the office," Mr. Webster said.

Garner Moore and Curtis Dodson of Lubbock were honored with a picnic at the City Park Saturday night.

Mrs. Max Nail and daughter Mary Patricia of Salem, Ill., who are visiting Mrs. Nail's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Leary of Estelline, spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. David Hudgins.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Dunbar Jr. of Angleton visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Dunbar, Thursday and Friday, and attended the funeral of their brother-in-law, Bill Bowerman.

Mrs. W. T. Davis had as her guests Saturday and Sunday her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Smith of Slaton, and her brother, Arthur Smith and family of Odessa.

Mrs. Carol Hignight is reported improving rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Galloway and family have moved in the house vacated by Mrs. W. T. Davis. The Galloways have lived in the Medina Valley for the past two years.

Those who visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hall Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Nabers, and family, Mrs. Floyd Davis and children, Mrs. W. T. Davis and son, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Smith of Slaton, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith and granddaughter of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Foster of Arlie visited home folks here the past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Zane Bevers have moved near Lakeview.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Provence are visiting with their children near Olton this week.

Mrs. Bob Muncy of Lockney spent the past week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Crawford.

We regret to learn of the death of Uncle Bobbie Leonard. He has made his home with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wilson for a number of years. Mr. Leonard died Monday afternoon after an illness of two weeks.

CARD OF THANKS
May we express our sincere gratitude for your many kindnesses and sympathy. Only an hour such as this can make us know the real value of your friendship.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Davenport, Mrs. Dorothy Bowerman and Beverly.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Dunbar, Mr. and Mrs. Allen C. Dunbar, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Dunbar Jr.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to take this opportunity to thank each and all of our friends who showed us so many courtesies during the time of sorrow and grief in the death of our husband and father, John C. Scott. We gratefully thank each for every act of kindness in every way. We were grateful for the beautiful floral offerings and all who helped in every way. May God's richest blessings rest on each and all of you is our prayer.

Mrs. J. C. Scott, M. C. Scott and Wife, J. L. Scott and Family, Albert Scott and Wife, Cecil Scott and Family, John R. Scott and Wife, S. F. Coffee Jr. and Family, C. H. Phelps and Family.

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CORN , Sweet Corn, 3 No. 2 cans 25c	NEW SPUDS , 5 lbs. 19c	
LUNCHEON PEAS , White Swan, 2 No. 2 cans 33c	LETTUCE , large heads 5c	
CRISCO , 3 lb. can 49c	TETLEY'S TEA 1/4 lb. pkg. 18c 1/2 lb. pkg. 35c	
PEANUT BUTTER , quart jars 25c	COFFEE FOLGER'S 1 lb. can 25c 2 lb. can 49c	
CATSUP , Wapco, 14 oz. bottle 10c		
CRACKERS , 2 lb. box 15c		
LARD , pure pork, 8 lb. carton 75c		
VINEGAR , 1/2 gallon water bottle 25c		

CATFISH Fresh Water Cat lb. 25c	MEAT SPECIALS BOILED HAM, fancy, lb. 35c CHEESE, 2 lb. box 48c OLEO, 2 lbs. 25c BACON, smoked, sliced, lb. 18c STEAK, good and tender, lb. 19c CHUCK ROAST, tender, lb. 18c
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Future Readers of The Democrat

Mr. and Mrs. Tom A. Ballew of Los Angeles announce the birth of a boy Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Lewis announce the birth of a girl weighing 7 pounds 11 ounces at a Brownfield hospital.

Local hospitals will join other similar institutions over the United States in observing National Hospital Day next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Palmeyer were Amarillo visitors Wednesday.

Methodist— (Continued from page 1) Rev. Hardy will deliver both the morning and night sermons, and will probably address the audience Sunday morning on the history of the Panhandle.

Rev. Ben Hardy of Tahoka, former pastor, will deliver the special sermons May 19, and Rev. Marvin Norwood of Hereford, a former member of the church who has become a preacher since leaving Memphis, will deliver the sermons May 26.

Norman Now With Utility Company Jack Norman began work Monday morning of this week with the West Texas Utilities Company in Memphis as air-conditioning salesman.

Mr. Norman has been associated with his brother, James Norman, in the operation of the Norman's body and top shop.

Comments— (Continued from page 1) event that attracts a large crowd, and is a community project that tends to bind the people into a closer bond of friendship.

A few months ago I tried to get C. W. McCool located in California. Not that I wanted to get rid of him, but because I thought he would like it on the coast.

The City Park is rapidly becoming a community center for recreation. Drive to the park any evening and see how many groups and families are having supper, a wicker roast, or picnic.

Memphis High— (Continued from page 1) ities, aside from providing a place where men and women of the city can enjoy themselves, is to aid in the balancing of the educational program in mental and physical development.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Highnote and Mrs. Leta Mae Lynd of Corsicana spent from Friday until Tuesday with their sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rushing.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dodson, Mrs. W. T. Hightower and Mrs. N. A. Hightower were Amarillo visitors Friday.

Masons to Have Called Meetings Three called meetings of the Memphis Masonic Lodge were announced this week by R. E. Davenport, worshipful master.

Second of the sessions will be held tonight (Thursday) when work is to be done on the Fellow Crafts degree.

Troy Broome and Buster Bell were in Cherokee, Okla., on business Saturday and Sunday.

Memphis Receives .88 of Inch Rain Weather observers were beginning to believe that Hall County is improving as far as rain is concerned when the second rain with ten days fell last Monday and totaled .88 of an inch.

Farmers who had started planting after the first rain postponed their work following the rain Monday, and some of the land was still too wet Wednesday to be worked.

Findley Speaks at Clarendon Joe Findley, pastor of Christian Church in Clarendon, guest preacher at the church in Clarendon, Tex., Sunday night in the absence of Harvey, Clarendon church there last week.

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- BEEF ROAST, lb. 20c FRESH FISH, lb. 30c BACON, Sliced, lb. 18c

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The First Methodist Church of Memphis has joined the New Deal. Last Thursday night a "wicker" quarterly conference was held at City Park by District Superintendent Palmer.

Once upon a time there was a canny Scot who preached in Memphis at the Presbyterian Church by the name of John Angus MacMillan.

Bob Buskin of the Wichita Record News published another of the Democrat Staff poet's purported-to-be-poems in Monday's issue of that paper.

THE OLD AND NEW By Democrat Staff Poet My heart yearns for the old-fashioned wife who spent all her time in the kitchen so neat.

Lakeview Takes Memphis Nine Hall County's baseball season unofficially opened last Sunday at Lakeview when a warm-up game between Memphis and the host team ended in a 6 to 5 victory for Lakeview.

Staggs started the game for Memphis on the mound, and was relieved by Hoover in the fifth. Hubb Foster pitched all seven innings for Lakeview.

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CANDY, all 5c bars, 3 for GUM, Wrigley's, 3 pkgs. for PINEAPPLE, Gold Bar, 3-9c cans POTTED MEAT, Armour's, 7 cans VIENNA SAUSAGE, Picnic brand, 3 cans for BEANS, Green, 3 No. 2 cans for BEANS, Fire Side, 3 large cans for

CRACKERS, 2 lb. box PEANUT BUTTER, quart CORN FLAKES, Jersey Brand, 3 large boxes for MELO, large box SOAP, Big Ben, 7 bars HOMINY, 3 No. 2 cans VINEGAR, per gallon BABY FOOD, Heinz, 3 cans PIMENTOS, 7 oz. can SPREAD or DRESSING, Plymouth brand, 8 oz. jar SHORTS BRAN

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LIFEBUOY SOAP, 3 bars			19c
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BEN SOAP, 7 bars			25c
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FRUIT JUICE, 46 oz. can			15c
PLE JUICE, 46 oz. can			31c
JUICES, all kinds, 2 tall cans			17c
Rose Brand, 7 small cans			25c
TO SOUP, White Swan, 2 cans			15c
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ROAST, lb.	17c
ED LUNCH MEATS, lb.	25c
MARGARINE, Our Favorite, 2 lbs.	25c

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38 Newlin Homes Get Electricity as Line is Energized

Other Sections on New Extension Almost Ready To Receive Electricity

Electric power went into 38 homes in the Newlin community last Friday when a 30-mile stretch of the Hall County Electric Co-Op extension line was energized.

Energization of the portion of the new extension was set for May 1, but was delayed two days when the contractors were unable to have the line completed.

Next section of the line to be energized is the portion which runs along the feeder road now under construction between Memphis and the Wellington-Childress highway. The section has eight homes on it, and will receive power within the next few days.

The Giles community will be the next to be given power, and energization will probably take place next week. Deep Lake citizens will get their electric power in about 10 days, Alvis Yarbrough, local supervisor, said.

A survey of the number of electric refrigerators being used on the new extension, as well as on the old line is now being made, Mr. Yarbrough said. He estimated that about 60 were using the refrigerators, although an exact count has not been made. A number of subscribers on the Newlin line had their refrigerators connected when the power was turned on.

COLORED CHILDREN TO PRESENT PROGRAM

The colored school children of Childress will present an hour's program of singing, dancing, etc., at the auditorium in Plaska Wednesday night, May 15, at 8 o'clock. The admission price will be 10 cents.

Mrs. Hope S. Swan of Rotan is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. J. Joyce.

Mrs. W. M. Morrow and Miss Melba Gilbert of Dimmitt spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Morrow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Boren.

Political Announcements

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

For Congress, 18th District:
DESKINS WELLS, Collingsworth County
ALLEN HART, Hall County
LEE C. MCCONNELL of Gray County
TOM W. ELLZEY of Ochiltree County.

For State Senator, 31st District:
MAX BOYER of Perryton
CURTIS DOUGLASS of Panhandle

For Representative, 121st Dist.:
E. E. WALKER, Hall County
PAUL EUBANK, Motley Co.
STANSELL CLEMENT, Childress County

For District Judge:
A. S. MOSS, Memphis (Re-election)

For District Attorney:
JOHN DEEVER, Memphis
ELGAR L. ROBERTSON of Childress

For District Clerk:
MRS. ISABELL CYPERT (Re-election)

For County Judge:
M. O. GOODPASTURE (Re-election)

For Sheriff:
JOE N. COLVIN
W. C. ANDERSON
S. S. (Sam) COLEMAN
C. W. CRAWFORD

For County Clerk:
MURRAY DIAL (Re-election)

For Tax Assessor-Collector:
J. M. FERREL (Re-election)
J. W. BURK

For County Treasurer:
CHAS. DRAKE (Re-election)

For County Attorney:
H. D. STRINGER

For Justice of Peace, Precinct 1:
JOE A. MERRICK (Re-election)

For Commissioner, Precinct 1:
J. F. (Frank) SOLOMON
M. C. (Conly) WARD
W. B. (Butler) MORRISON (Re-election)
G. W. (Bill) KESTERSON

For Commissioner, Precinct 2:
TRACY L. DAVIS (Re-election)

For Commissioner, Precinct 3:
BURL BELL (Re-election)
A. D. (Dewey) BRITT
JOHN BERRYMAN
GROVER C. EWING
WADE DAVIS

Seventh Graders—

(Continued from page 1)

bers of the class, and presentation of diplomas by Tops Gilreath, county superintendent, and Mr. Murdock. Members of the rural 7th grade class will wear red robes.

Informality will be the keynote of the Junior High promotion exercises. Clinton Voyles, principal, said. This week. The program will consist of a song by the girls' chorus, a piano solo by Rayburn Jones, a brief address by W. C. Davis, Memphis superintendent, presentation of awards to students neither tardy nor absent during the year, recognition of the ten honor members of the class, presentation of awards to the valedictorian and salutatorian of the class, and presentation of diplomas.

Baccalaureate services for the Memphis High School graduates will begin at 8:15 o'clock Sunday night. Rev. S. F. Martin, pastor of the First Baptist Church, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon. Invocation will be given by Rev. E. L. Yeats, pastor of the First Methodist Church, and the benediction will be given by Joe Findley, pastor of the First Christian Church. Rev. E. C. Cargill, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, will read the scripture, Miss Mary Hejen Hardin will sing a solo, "Holy City," and a special number will be given by selected voices.

Candidates for promotion from the Junior High School are as follows:

Patty Aduddle, Jack Baldwin, Billie Jean Beckham, Albert Ray Bernard, Winfred Bowling, Robert Cochran, George Cook, Glen Crowder, Paul Crowder, Dorothy Jean Curry, Curtis Daniell, Laverne Dodson, A. Y. Doherty, Lois Earley, Jack Eller.

G. W. Frazier, Herbert Garner, Van Gillelan, Melvon Gilchrist, Odis Lee Gilchrist, Marshall Griffith, Sue Lynn Guthrie, Laura Mai Hightower, Melva Lou Jameson, L. C. Johnson, Douglas Laurence, Amelia Martin.

Shelby Martin, J. B. McAbee, F. T. Paschal, Jack Patrick, Grady Phillips, Holmes Posey, Jackie Pounds, Voalene Ritchie, Beatrice Roach, George Sargent, Frank Smith, Estelle Sweett, Howard Stewart, Lee Roy White, Jackie Willford.

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Billy Merlene Hale, Electra Hearn, Jack Hightower, Lee Roy Johnson, Bonnie Oleta Kerr, Bobby Lee, Burl Martin, Delbert McBee, Yerby McElroy, Betty Jane McMurry, Nora Mae McMurry, Neil Orand, Irene Patterson, Helen Patrick.

Duard Pounds, Betty Jo Randolph, Harry Basco, Thomas Rogers, Troy Romines, Mary Jean Sanders, Thelma D. Seal, Don Stevens, Laverne Stewart, R. C. Taylor, Mary Ellen Tidwell, Florine Tull, Harry Joe Weaver, Billie Nadine Wells, Maxine Woodall.

Candidates for promotion from the rural 7th grade class are as follows:

Harold Ayers, Eli; Hazel Ayers, Eli; J. B. Baker, Buffalo Flat; Nathan Berryman, Newlin; Dollie Jean Bevers, Deep Lake; Robert Billington, Friendship; Vernon Boatright, Buffalo Flat; Cloe Buchanan, Bridle Bit; Eugene Burk, Parnell.

Junior Burnett, Newlin; Bill Cofer, Deep Lake; Betty Frances Compton, Eli; Madge Laverne Crabb, Pleasant Valley; Lonnie Crawford, Pleasant Valley; Horace Erwin, Plaska; Moena Evans, Newlin; Frances Lee Earley, Weatherly.

Myrtle Gibson, Brice; Frances Gilreath, Eli; LaVerne Gleaton, Eli; Willa Dean Gowdy, Pleasant Valley; Morris Gowdy, Pleasant Valley; Olive Hart, Buffalo Flat; Marjorie Hemphill, Newlin; Bonnie Higgins, Brice.

Juanita Hill, Deep Lake; Troy Lee Holcomb, Deep Lake; Joe Ralph Holland, Friendship; Wanda Houston, Bridle Bit; Leatrice Hutchins, Friendship; Allene Is-

every Sunday night.

God so loved the world that he gave His only begotten son—John 3:16. The Son lived about 33 years and He gave, yes, He gave all His time and all His love. He gave and shared with others all He had. We do not wear out the soul with loving and sharing and giving.

We enjoyed our trip to Waco to the state Training Union conference.

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E. C. Cargill, Pastor
"MOTHERS DAY"

"As one whom his mother comforteth so will I comfort thee." No name so sublime as "Mother." No name so sacred. If your mother has passed away, come honor her life by attendance in Sunday school and church service. If your mother is living, come with her. Special music Sunday morning in honor of mothers.

Congratulations to all graduates of our schools. We will look forward to seeing you Sunday night.

Will you help to make next Sunday in attendance even better than last Sunday which was a record day in Sunday school attendance.

bell, Salisbury; Eddie January, Weatherly.

Clifford Jester, Deep Lake; Eulis Jester, Deep Lake; W. M. Jones, Deep Lake; Andrew Kinnard, Newlin; Lavenia Koeninger, Deep Lake; Girdene Lawrence, Deep Lake; Mary Frances Lollis, Pleasant Valley; Doris Long, Newlin.

Wanda Jo Marcum, Parnell; Raymond Martin, Plaska; Gwendolyn Martin, Eli; Mozelle Masters, Pleasant Valley; G. W. May, Parnell; Ida Mae McKay, Buffalo Flat; Frances McQueen, Salisbury; Earl Meadows, Parnell.

V. O. Mixon, Salisbury; Otis Mixon, Salisbury; J. H. Murdock, Plaska; Jo Katherine Murdock, Plaska; Billie Frances Murdock, Plaska; Claudine Murdock, Plaska; Doice Nivens, Weatherly; Claudine Nix, Eli.

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Newlin; Melba Smith, Eli; Fern-dean Smith, Eli; Velma Smith, Eli; Billy Bob Snowden, Eli.

Billie Travis, Parnell; Mickey Veteto, Salisbury; Melvin Vick, Friendship; Juanita Ward, Plaska; Jeraldene Watson, Deep Lake; Phalen Weatherly, Deep Lake; Margaret Fay Wellman, Weatherly; George Williams, Salisbury; J. R. Wooten, Friendship; Glen Wooten, Friendship.

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CHURCHES

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Joe Findley, Pastor
The regular service hours at the First Christian Church are as follows:
Bible school 9:45 a. m. Sunday.
Church services 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
Christian Endeavor 7 o'clock Sunday evening.
Prayer meeting 7:30 Wednesday evening.
Choir practice, 7:30 p. m. Thursday.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
S. F. Martin, Pastor
SUNDAY—
9:45 a. m., Sunday school.
11 a. m., Morning worship.
7 p. m., Training Union.
8:15 p. m., Baccalaureate Service at the high school.
WEDNESDAY—
7:30 p. m., S. S. officers and teachers meeting.
8:30 p. m., Prayer meeting.
9 p. m., Choir rehearsal.
Climaxing the observance of Christian Home Week on Sunday, the pastor is bringing a message in keeping with the day. A tribute will be paid to "Mother." Instead of the regular evening worship service the hour will be given to the Baccalaureate service at the high school. The pastor is bringing the message at that hour. You are invited to worship with us at any of the services. Remember the Sunday school and Training Union.

PLASKA METHODIST CIRCUIT
Albert Cooper, Pastor
May 12 is Mother's Day and an adequate program will be rendered at the Plaska Methodist Church. Both the Baptist and Methodist Churches will have part in the program. Everyone in the community is invited to attend.
Honor Thy Father and Mother is one of the basic laws of God's Kingdom.
The pastor will preach at the night service.

FRIENDSHIP AND PLASKA BAPTIST CHURCHES
M. O. Evans, Pastor
Our regular preaching days at Friendship are the 4th Sundays. Sunday school every Sunday at 10:30. Training Union every Sunday night.
Our regular preaching days at Plaska are the first and third Sundays. Sunday school every Sunday at 10 and Training Union

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BUSINESS BETTER?

ARE THINGS IN THIS HAPHAZARD WORLD of ours "looking up," or are they becoming worse?

Your answer to this question may be as good as anybody's. In a way it is hard to tell just how things are coming along, and especially in an election year—when one side (the one holding the reigns) tells you how well things are, and the other side pointing out all the bad things about the present power-holders.

Ever since the Democratic party went into power in 1933, the country has been awaiting a solution to the depression problem—and a portion of that solution has been accomplished.

Most any business man will tell you his business is better than it was during the dark ages of 1932 and 1933, although in this particular locality, the government cotton payments spiced the financial pie no small amount.

The national debt, of course, is larger, much larger than before the Democrats took over, but of this debt, a large amount of security can be mentioned—security such as loans to needy farmers, dams which prove useful both in creating electric power and in aiding irrigation, and numerous other projects on which money certainly has not been wasted.

Out of this maze of government work has come large numbers of American citizens being placed on the government payrolls, and millions are on WPA payrolls today.

But recently, an announcement was made that more than 1,250,000 workers have left the WPA during the past year to accept private employment. The same announcement said that the national incomes during March of 1940 were four per cent above the March incomes of 1939.

Technocracy, the machine age in other words, has affected more workers over 40 years of age than below that mark, and a study of what is to be done is now being made by experts on that subject.

The gigantic automobile industry has shown an increase, even in that which seemed darkest. Back in the boom days of the 1920's, research experts predicted that the saturation point would be reached when 25,000,000 cars had been sold. But this has not been the case, since, during the past 15 years, car registrations have nearly doubled, increasing from 16,000,000 to 30,000,000.

Whether you felt it in your business in Hall County or not, leaders in the business world, and men working in the U. S. departments have all agreed on one fact—that the production in 1939 was about equal to the boom year of 1929, but that the number of employed persons was 2,000,000 to 3,000,000 less.

In other words, it no longer takes as many people to do the same amount of work as it did in 1929. But at the same time, production in 1939 was as great as it was in 1929—and sooner or later this will affect us in Hall County.

According to this line of argument, then, business is "looking up." Whether it will continue to become better is to be determined later. Let's hope it does while we are waiting to see.

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PRESERVATION

LOCAL POLICE OFFICIALS report that Memphis citizens are showing a great deal of cooperation in the recently-inaugurated safe-driving campaign, and that very few have shown any irritation in receiving the red courtesy traffic tickets.

In fact, most of the citizens who have received the tickets have acknowledged the fact that they were driving wrong, and since then have made attempts to "right their wrongs."

There are still a few, however, who persist in doing the wrong thing, partly because of the habit and partly because they do not like to be told how to drive.

The first class, those who are merely in the habit of doing the wrong kind of driving, will soon realize their mistakes, and will probably start practicing more safe methods of driving.

It's the other class, those select few, who are to be the ones to make driving still unsafe. They may always be with us. They are the type of driver who feels that he has been driving his automobile long enough to know just what he can do in it—and still be safe.

But automobiles, even the most modern, are not infallible. Someday those drivers will find this out, but it may be too late. They may have already lost

SHUT-IN



Press Paragraphs

CULLED FROM THE DEMOCRAT'S EXCHANGES

Dog-Gone

The Hedley Informer: Mr. — You old fool, if you don't quit killing dogs around here, you are going to regret it. Anybody that is low down enough to kill law-abiding citizens' dogs needs to be taken care of by the law. You better watch your step.

In answer to this anonymous letter, I wish to state that I have not killed any dog. I know who wrote this letter and who put it on the door and who had better watch YOUR step. Mr. —

Disappointed

The Hereford Brand:—The Brand is becoming a clearing house for lost and found articles. Early this week Mrs. Louis Woodford found a coin purse at the back of the Glenn Weir's Red and

White store. She gave it to Glenn, who brought it to the Brand office with instruction to run a "found" ad in the classifieds if the owner didn't show up before the paper came out. But J. A. Roe identified the purse yesterday. Result: No found ad was run. Heck!

Loaded, Anyhow

Jada Davis in the Odessa News-Times: You can see the avid fisherman packing up their old lunch baskets, getting their fishing tackle in order, tuning up the old jalopie and taking off for the rivers, lakes, and streams of Texas—they'll be back in a few days after May 1—some of them loaded to the gills with fish—some of them loaded to the gills.

Itch

The Apostle in the Donkey County Leader: Oola Yurt has been offered a place on a radio program featuring itch powder. Her ma says Oola's social standing is now cinched. She's had

the itch and will be paid to tell 'em.

Travel Changes

The Daily Texan (University of Texas paper): The war in Europe has been of considerable benefit to Latin-America. Tourists who used to go abroad are voyaging south instead. Mexico, being nearest at hand, has naturally benefitted to the largest extent.

Love

"Cracks" in the Chillicothe Valley News: It's a great thing to have been loved even if you lost. No, we didn't mean it, bless their dear souls, but as one Chillicothe husband remarked, "Shoot, she ain't like what I thought she was before we married."

Strictly Fresh

MOSQUITOES, they tell us, prefer the skin of pigs to that of humans. It is up to the individual to decide whether he prefers hogs or bugs for company on that first spring picnic.

In America, they're making ice cream out of cotton; in Europe, cloth out of milk. Science, it seems, is working itself into a vicious circle.

It is Mr. Farley, the Democratic chairman, who has reversed the axiom, so that it now reads, "Now is the time for the party to come to the aid of the man."

Hitler's working the time-honored Trojan Horse gag on the Norwegians reminds us of the village comic who applies still another hot foot in the corner pool room.

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Unknown Prophet With a Message

The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for May 12
Text: Habakkuk 1:12-2:4

THERE is disagreement as to just who Habakkuk was, but there is no disagreement that he left us a powerful message. Habakkuk was a prophet, practically an unknown prophet. Some have said that he was a singer in the Temple choir, as inferred in the last verse of the prophecy (3:19). In any event the world would do well to study his three chapters of prophecy.

We are reminded that even prophets had their moments of depression. At times their words came like trumpet calls from a mountain top, as in our last lesson concerning the prophet voicing God's great invitation. But at other times they were as souls in the darkness of the night, full of lamentation and crying for the dawn.

Habakkuk appears in this mood of depression. He comes before us with a burden. It is the burden of a world of violence from which God seems to have departed—the sort of world out of which some modern prophet in Czechoslovakia, or Poland, or Finland, might have uttered some cry of doubt or despair. He is appalled at the evil that he sees around him, at the injustice, the strife and cruelty, and the disregard of law and judgment.

He sees the power of the Chaldeans, which he describes

in vivid, swift-moving rael for their sin. He reflects that these things are even more a view to think of the cutting God's judgment.

In his bewilderment Habakkuk cries out: "Art Thou not from O Lord, my God, O One?" But Habakkuk only cry. He does not man assailed with to do; he puts himself of finding an answer.

He pictures himself ascending a tower and his watch. Here he see and hear; and his doubt turns to faith. "The just are sure." "The just by faith." "The just marks of their eyes."

It is in the light of that Habakkuk's unrighteousness of his despoilers shall be Woe is upon those their houses with and their cities with iniquity. Woe is upon give their neighbors is upon the makers of the falsifiers of religion. But Habakkuk ends of hope and confidence. Lord is in his holy all the earth keep Him."

Your Best Girl's Hat

Jack Stamper in the Tulia Herald: Co-eds at TCU have printed in the school newspaper nine items of correct behaviour for their boy friends:

1. Don't laugh at your best girl's hat.
2. Send her candy or flowers now and then.
3. DON'T LAUGH at your best girl's hat.
4. Take her to church Sunday.
5. DON'T LAUGH AT YOUR best girl's hat.
6. Take her to a show Sunday afternoon.
7. DON'T LAUGH AT YOUR

BEST GIRL'S hat

8. Take her out to day evening.

9. DON'T LAUGH BEST GIRL'S HAT!

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THE GREAT AMERICAN HOME



Explanatory Notes on

SOCIAL SECURITY

(Editor's Note: The following is the eighth of a series of articles prepared by Dewey Reed, manager of the Amarillo Social Security Board office, to be published in this newspaper. The information contained in the articles is educational and of interest to the public in general and the wage earners in particular. Watch for the next article.)

PROVISION FOR PARENTS UNDER THE NEW SYSTEM OF OLD-AGE AND SURVIVORS INSURANCE

In case of the death of an insured worker who is the sole support of a parent, the parent after age 65 will receive monthly benefits provided there is no widow or unmarried child surviving. The parent must file proof of dependency within 2 years of the death of the wage earner. Each parent may receive a monthly benefit amounting to one-half of the wage earner's basis monthly benefit.

Example: A stenographer who has been employed for several years in a wholesale house dies, leaving her mother and father who were dependent upon her for sup-

port at the time of her death. Her salary earnings would entitle her to benefits of, let's say, \$25 per month. Each parent, upon reaching age 65, would receive a monthly check amounting to \$12.50 as long as he or she lives.

Even though the parent is under age 65 and was not dependent for support upon the deceased child, a payment amounting to six times the basic monthly benefit may be made to the mother or father, where neither wife nor child survives.

Suppose, for example, that the unmarried son of middle-aged parents dies. Assume that his wage earnings up to the time of his death would justify a basic monthly benefit of \$25. His parents, even though they had not been dependent upon him for support, would receive a lump-sum payment of six times \$25, or \$150. This lump-sum death payment provided under the revised act can be made to another relative if no widow, child, or parent survives, or even to a person other than a member of the family if he paid the funeral expenses, but only to the extent of this actual expenditure up to six times the monthly benefit.

In Last Week's Democrat

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their life, or taken the life of someone else, someone who may or may not be dear to them.

It is then that they will take the red traffic ticket, read the slogan at the bottom of it—"You Can Save a Life—But You Can't Restore It"—and realize just what that slogan means.

FRIDAY, MAY 10, 1940

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LAKEVIEW... By BOBBIE BARNETT... Miss Kathrine Mann spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wiley and family. R. M. Holt of Childress visited Sunday with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Barnett and family of Memphis spent the week-end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barnett. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Byars of Memphis spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Ellis. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crowder and family of Memphis spent Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Scott. Rial Barnett has returned to Amarillo, where he will be employed in the trucking business. He will haul from Amarillo to Los Angeles. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Davis spent Sunday with his father, and Mrs. Vera Floyd. Mr. and Mrs. Jess Mann were the guests of Edd Drake Sunday. Billy Duncan and Becky Dial of Memphis visited in the home of Bobbie Nell Barnett Saturday. Robert L. Barnett was a guest of Connie Ray Robertson Saturday night.

PARNELL... By MRS. W. W. RICHARDS... Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Allen and children left last week for California. One-fourth inch of rain fell here Monday night. Grandpa Stout spent last week-end with his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Richburg of Turkey. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Longshore of Lakeview spent a few days last week with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Richards. Charlie Wynn is seriously ill. Mrs. Claud Anderson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Allen. Miss Taylor and Marietta Ferrel spent the week-end with Miss Ferrel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ferrel. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Richards of Lela spent last Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Richards. Two milk cows belonging to Edd Crow died last week. It was believed the cows died after eating cockle burrs. Mrs. Ed Smith and the Nelson home. Lloyd Harris visited Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Phillips visited in the home of Mrs. L. Price took Mr. Price's mother to her home in Granbury last Saturday. Mrs. Burl Bell, who underwent an operation in Temple, returned home last Friday. Mrs. C. Bownds of Hooker, Okla., came Monday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Burl Bell.

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Awards Made During Recent P.T. A. Conference in Memphis Announced

Announcement was made this week of the awards to the various units made during the P.T. A. district conference held recently in Memphis. A total of 76 P.T. A. members were graduates of the procedure course, with the Woodrow Wilson unit of Pampa having the highest number of graduates. Lefors was second high in the number of graduates. Parent education certificates were issued to 151 members, with the Wilson unit of Amarillo getting the highest number, and Panhandle second high. Other awards made were as follows: Publicity Record Books: Junior and senior high school: First, Pampa junior high; second, Pampa senior high. Elementary and high combined: First, Panhandle; second, Lefors. Ward schools: First, West Ward, Borger; second, Woodrow Wilson, Pampa. Rural schools: First, Hopkins No. 2; second, Huntoon. City councils: First, Pampa (only one entered). County councils: First, Gray County; second, Ochiltree County. Procedure Books: Large units: First, Sam Houston, Pampa; second, Woodrow Wilson, Pampa. Small units: First, Morse; second, Hopkins. Year Books: Printed: First, Memphis senior high; second, Morse. Longhand: First, Huntoon (only one entered). Typewritten: First, Webb; second, Childress. Mimeographed: First, Booker; second, Gruver. History Books: City units: First, Woodrow Wilson, Pampa; second, West Ward, Borger. Rural units: First, Petrolia; second, Lefors. City Council: First, Borger (only one entered). Special Day Programs: With newspaper facilities: First, Weatherly, Borger; second, Pleasant Valley, Amarillo. Without newspaper: First, Morse; second, Lipscomb. Unit With Largest Registration At Educational Conference in Canyon: First, Panhandle; second, Horace Mann, Pampa. Mother Singers: First, Perryton; second, Panhandle. Unit With Largest Number Registrations at Spring Conference at Memphis: First, Childress Junior High; second, Perryton. (Total registrations was 344). Unit With Largest Paid Memberships: First, West Ward, Borger; second, Wolflin, Amarillo. Unit Reports: City councils: First, Amarillo; second, Pampa and Childress (tied). County councils: First, Potter County; second, Tri-County Council. Elementary Group I: First, Woodrow Wilson, Pampa; second, Canyon and Adrian (tied). Elementary Group II: First, West Ward, Borger; second, Farwell. Elementary Group III: First,

Approval Is Given For Free Cotton Market Services

The first applications for free cotton classing and market news services to be approved for North Texas this season were announced this week by J. R. Kennedy of the Agricultural Marketing Service of Dallas. The applications were submitted by the Plano Cooperative Gin One-Variety Cotton Improvement Association and the Plano Mchane One-Variety Cotton Improvement Association located at Plano, Collin County. The Plano Cooperative Gin One-Variety Improvement Association has 63 members planting 2,754 acres of Acala cotton. The Plano Mchane One-Variety Cotton Improvement Association has 83 members planting 2,848 acres of Mchane cotton. These members will be furnished with free classification and market news services, since they have organized to standardize on an improved variety of cotton. About 20 additional groups from northeast Texas are making application for these services. Instructions for making application and forms for applying can be obtained by addressing the Agricultural Marketing Service, P. O. Box 1369, Dallas. CARD OF THANKS On Thursday evening, April 25, our home and all contents were destroyed by fire, caused by lightning. It is with very grateful hearts that we take this method of thanking our many friends and neighbors for their thoughtfulness and kindness to our family during our distress. We wish that it were possible to see each and everyone who contributed anything in any way to offer our thanks. May God's richest blessing abide with each and everyone in the prayer of I. M. Smith and Family, C. Frank Smith and Family.

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When Your Boy Grows Up!

ALL mothers and fathers want their children to have worthwhile employment when they grow up. The Texas oil business is manned by Texans... the Texas boys and girls of yesterday. 225,000 of them earn good livings for themselves and their families—a yearly payroll of \$271,000,000. Oil pays good wages... maintains reasonable working hours... and offers opportunity for promotion. Old age retirement and unhampered development of the oil business will provide many new jobs each year for our young Texas workers. But the growing tax burden is a serious factor in wages and employment, since the Texas oil industry now pays taxes equal to 36 per cent of its labor payroll. Unwise laws and excessive taxes can retard and stop the growth of this industry which means so much to the future employment of our boys and girls. This Advertisement Paid for by Various Units of the Industry and Sponsored by TEXAS MID-CONTINENT OIL AND GAS ASSOCIATION

Floydada to Have 50th Anniversary

Floyd County's 50th anniversary will be celebrated in Floydada three days beginning Monday, May 27, and continuing through Wednesday, May 29. Joe McCollum is president of the Floyd County Old Settlers Association. Main attraction for the celebration will be a "Rodeo" owned and presented by Ollie Cox, Sweetwater. There will be 100 head of cattle and horses. Bronco and steer riding, roping, bull dogging, and wild cow milking will be featured. Our performances will be given on Monday night, Tuesday at noon and night, and Wednesday night. Liberal cash prizes will be awarded to all contestant winners in the different rodeo events. "Pioneer Day" will be held on the 28th of May, which will be the 50th anniversary of Floyd County. A beautiful and clever parade will be held at 10 o'clock with pioneers and citizens participating. Each business house will plan to enter a float. Speeches will be delivered by old settlers and other prominent people. An invitation has been extended to Harry Hines, highway commissioner, and others. The Doughboys have been asked to present their broadcast at Floydada and to also have charge of the music for the round dances for the three nights, Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday. A square dance will be held on Pioneer Day with Ben Gully in charge. All dances will be held on open air platforms. A bountiful free barbecue will be served at noon on Pioneer Day. The meat is to be trucked for the meal in fireless cookers from a packing company in Fort Worth, to Floydada.

Typical Family—Close to Home

The winner of the District I title in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce "typical family" contest was not from Hall County, but at least the winning family has relatives here. The district winner, the D. E. Leathers family of Clarendon, will compete with nine other families from other districts, from which a family will be sent to the New York World's Fair. Mrs. Leathers is a sister of Mrs. David Hudgins, Mrs. Brice Webster, Mrs. Bob Roberts, and Mrs. Allie Meredith, all of Hall County. Mr. and Mrs. Bill D. Hart and daughter Jo Ann visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hart, in Yukon, Okla., over the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Ingram Walker of Turkey visited in Memphis last Thursday.

Khiva Temple to Have Celebration

Several Memphians are making plans to attend the 29th anniversary ceremonial celebration of Khiva Temple, to be held in the city auditorium in Amarillo Tuesday, May 21. Walter D. Cline of Wichita Falls, the imperial potentate, will be the honored guest, and special attention will be given to charter members. Registration will begin at 9 o'clock in the Herring Hotel, following a breakfast to be given in honor of Mr. Cline, official visitors from other Temples, and the past potentates of the Khiva Temple. At noon a barbecue will be served in the city auditorium. The Nobility will go into ceremonial session at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. At 9 o'clock, the reception and ceremonial dance will begin at the Nat Dance Palace. The Camel Herders round-up will be held Monday night in the Herring Hotel.

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Memphians to Go To Amarillo Meet

Several Memphians are planning to attend one of a series of services next Friday night, being held at the West Amarillo Christian Church by Dr. Rafael Miller, minister of the National City Christian Church at Washington, D. C.

The services are being held in observance of the construction of a new building for the Amarillo church, it was announced, and formal dedication of the building will be held next Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. A number of Memphians are also planning to attend the dedication ceremonies.

The West Amarillo Christian Church is the second of two Christian Churches in Amarillo to hold dedication services for new buildings during the month of May.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Gleander McAdams of Quanah was the guest of Mrs. W. B. Russell Friday.

L. G. Perkins is confined to his home this week due to trouble with his feet.

Bucker Logan of Little Rock, Ark., arrived in Memphis Monday to be with his sister, Mrs. Lindsey Hill, during an operation she underwent in a local hospital Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Curry and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Newsome were Amarillo visitors Sunday.

Demarius Gidden spent the week-end in Crowell with Miss Emma Bell Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Delaney and daughter Carole Jean spent Sunday and Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Delaney, in Lubbock.

Mrs. O. L. Greer of Mt. Carmel, Ill., spent last week in Memphis visiting her grandmother, Mrs. M. T. McCormick. Mr. Greer was in Memphis a short time Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Tim Paulsel and son of Fort Worth are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Thornton.

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Fitzjerald and Mrs. Tim Paulsel were Amarillo visitors Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ray Huff of Quanah visited her sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Shankie, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Meacham and daughters, Anita and Diane, and Bettye Johnson visited Mr.

PLEASANT VALLEY

By MRS. E. W. PATE

Mr. and Mrs. Holland McMurry were Memphis visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lowe of Weatherly spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Molloy.

Miss Oleta Crawford of Weatherly spent the week-end with her parents.

Mrs. Mamie Benton and daughter spent Saturday night with Mrs. E. W. Pate.

Mr. Pearson, Miss Hendrix, Miss Hillhouse, Ed Monzingo, Mrs. Allen Monzingo, and Mrs. Calvin Rogers of Memphis escorted the Pleasant Valley Singing Class to Childress Friday.

George Sullivan of Borger visited relatives here this week.

Miss Hendrix and Miss Davis of Plaska spent the week-end with relatives in Turkey.

Miss Hillhouse spent the week-end in Estelline.

Leroy Pate is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tolbert Stowers of Friona spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mrs. Leroy Pate and Miss Inez Bonner entertained with a dinner Sunday honoring their mother, Mrs. O. S. Martin, on her 60th birthday anniversary. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Pate, Mr. and Mrs. Ruff Bonner, Mrs. Mamie Benton, Leroy Pate, Elyvn Pate, Ola Faye Benton, E. B. Watson, Willie Benton, O. S. Martin, the honoree, Mrs. O. S. Martin, and the hostesses, Mrs. Leroy Pate and Mrs. Inez Bonner.

Meacham's mother in Turkey Sunday.

Ray Powell and children, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Powell, and Green Powell of Paducah visited their aunt and sister, Mrs. Mary Combest, in a local hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Tucker, Miss Hattye Dem Ward, and Billy Thompson were Childress visitors Sunday night.

Miss Martha Thompson and Miss Bobby Clark were Childress visitors last Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Kelly and daughter Normadine visited his sister, Mrs. A. C. Cooper, in Wellington Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Goodpasture and Mr. and Mrs. J. Bricie Webster were Childress visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Browder of Mineral Wells spent last week with friends and relatives in Memphis.



LEE C. MCCONNELL

Lee McConnell of Pampa Announces For Congressman of 18th District

Lee C. McConnell, Pampa grain and oil man, this week authorized The Democrat to announce his candidacy to the office of Congressman for the 18th Congressional district. McConnell is the ninth to enter the race.

In announcing, Mr. McConnell made the following statement:

After much deliberation and hesitancy I offer myself as a candidate to fill the place of that outstanding Democrat and leader, Honorable Marvin Jones, although I feel that I have the ability, courage, and foresight to discharge the duties of this office that would commensurate with true Americanism.

I am a native Texan and am 45 years of age. I was born in Lamar County near Paris in 1894, came to Gray County in the year 1907, and have lived here ever since.

I have been a life-long Democrat, approve in general the New Deal, will support the Democratic nominee in the Presidential election. I believe in liberal democracy of the American type for the benefit of all the people.

I do not know whether I will have any platform at all or not, but the planks in these platforms decay so quickly and so easily. If I have a platform I will be simple and will not take a Hoover Economic dietician to understand it.

Many people have asked me my stand on the present governor's race. My frank statement is that the present governor, W. Lee O'Daniel, will be high man in the coming Democratic primaries with a lead of a minimum of 50,000 votes over the next opponent.

I believe in the sales tax as the most fair and equitable means of taxation. The state constitution says that all taxes shall be equal and uniform. No other method employed to raise taxes has ever gotten close to this constitutional mandate.

Why has not the old age assistance benefits been paid to the deserving people? Because O'Daniel would not play the kind of ball that the professional politician wanted him to play. I notice he has some of them on the run.

They have told me that there would be no need for me to run for office if I did not play ball with the politicians, and I will state that it all depends on the kind of ball they want to play. I seem to me that the trouble with our politics today is that not enough men have the courage of their own convictions.

I am very much in favor of the Soil Conservation and the farm program for the benefit of the agricultural interests of the nation and believe that the processing tax was the best and fairest method of raising funds with which to meet the parity payments to the farmer. In this connection I believe that the crop insurance feature of the present law for the benefit of the farmers should be enlarged and amended so as to include those farmers who do not participate in the allotment program because the phase of the law is self supporting within itself. To the further advantage of the farmer, I believe that the most economical and best place to store products for market is on the farm where raised.

I believe in a closer cooperation and understanding between the farmers and stockmen of the country and their bankers. Any program that would bring them closer together will receive my endorsement, since it could only work to the benefit of both the farmer and the banker and business in general.

I believe wheat growers should receive a minimum of \$1.25 per bushel and the cotton grower a minimum of 15c per pound to be on a parity with industry. Thanks to the government for leaving the cotton alone.

I realize that this particular area has some of the highest freight rates known in the land. I believe these rates should be reduced, but since the Honorable Marvin Jones, with his experience, leadership and untiring efforts, has been unable, so far, to secure a reduction of such freight rates, my efforts along this line would probably not be successful. However, it would be my intention and purpose to keep up the fight along the same lines as it has been made by Marvin Jones to accomplish a reduction of such rates.

I realize too, that the railroads are in a financial slump, along with the farmers, and I can not see much relief from the freight rates in the near future.

I am in favor of organized labor.

I am strictly opposed to any intervention upon the part of our government in the present or any other foreign war, although it is my firm belief that our government should keep a watchful eye on any foreign interference with any of the countries of the Western Hemisphere, and I would favor at all times a sufficient army, navy, marine and air corps to protect this country and assist in protecting any other country on the Western Hemisphere from foreign interference or invasion. I believe we should maintain at all times a navy second to none.

I believe that to keep the good will of our neighbor republics south of us, we will need a closer relationship between their money and our dollar. In this connection, it is my candid opinion that capital does not cooperate closely enough with the government for the general welfare of the nation.

I am opposed to the Cole Bill now under consideration in Congress to put the oil business under federal control.

I am not asking for this office on the influence of friends as many politicians will say and I would not attempt to insult the intelligence of the voters of this district by telling them whom to vote for in this race. It occurs to me that there is every kind, class and denomination now asking to be elected to Congress from this district, and the people have plenty to choose from without telling them how to vote. I am simply submitting myself and my views for their consideration in selecting their next Congressman.

I will make a formal announcement at a later date.

Mrs. Henry Read spent Sunday in Lubbock with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Randall, and her daughter, Miss Ouida Read.

OXBOW NEWS

By MRS. OTHEL THOMAS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitefield and son Herschel spent the week-end in Childress visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrison of Clarendon visited in this community Sunday.

Arvel Thomas spent Saturday night with his parents.

J. W. Helms was an overnight guest of J. W. Thomas Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Dee Hill spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Othel Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Othel Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Whitefield visited Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Dee Hill Thursday night.

Everyone is invited to attend church and Sunday school at the Deep Lake Church each and every Sunday.

J. W. Helms and J. W. Thomas visited Oren Lee Hill Sunday afternoon.

Prayer meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Henry next Sunday. Everyone is invited.

The quilting club met with Mrs. Benton last Wednesday. There were 17 members and three visitors present. Two quilts were completed.

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With an expected recruiting activities summer, the U. S. has enlisted the aid of young men in order to submit their applications for enlistment to recruiting stations, according to Postmaster J. B. Read. Mr. Read said that supplied with applications and illustrated pamphlets, the marines, their duties, and by inquiry at the office.

Upon receipt of an application at the station in Dallas, a full consideration of the applicant meets the of the Marine Corps date upon which enlistment, it was station for final enlistment, it was Barbara B. Foreman, Gwendolyn, Devin, R. Walker with the program of the visitor.

Miss Jerry Kinard Baylor University Saturday night and her parents, Mr. and Kinard.



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B. Madden Sent Pupils to Recital

Madden will present his in a recital Monday 13, at the First Church at 8 o'clock. Pupils will appear from: Diane Meacham, Betty Ruth Byrd, Godfrey, Meiva Lou May Ruth Johnson, Ann Norman, Sue Ann Prater, Louise Joe Jones, Anita Spahn Blanks, Mrs. Mrs. R. H. Devin, Foreman, Rebecca Gwendolyn Coursey, Devin, Robert Clark, Walker will be guest of the program. Singer of Clarendon visitor Sunday.

Eastern Star Has Officers Election In Regular Meeting

The Eastern Star met in regular session Tuesday night to elect officers for the coming year. Those chosen were as follows: Worthy matron, Fern Durham; worthy patron, H. B. Hill; associate matron, Mary Youngblood; associate patron, Lloyd Phillips; secretary, Eunice Slover; treasurer, Lola Webster; conductress, Mary Lou Hill; associate conductress, Marjorie Draper. Public installation of officers will be held Friday night, May 31, at the Masonic Hall. CALL 15 FOR QUALITY JOB PRINTING

Sub-Deb Club Has Meeting in Home Of Bettye Fultz

Miss Joyce Sheats, sponsor, read the book, "Questions Girls Ask," at the meeting of the Sub-Deb Club in the home of Bettye Fultz, with June Edmondson as co-hostess, last Saturday afternoon. During the business session the regular club reports were given and the National Club bulletin was read. Members present were Jane Hicks, Billie Frances Montgomery, Ann Compton, Jo Prater, Gloria Scott, Muffet Merrell, Cassandra Morris, Jean Denny, Gwen Coursey, Billie Lofland, Frances Simmons, Genevieve McCool, Ruth Johnson, Miss Joyce Sheats, and the hostesses.

Culture Club Has Meeting in Home Of Mrs. R. E. Clark

The Woman's Culture Club met in the home of Mrs. R. E. Clark last Saturday afternoon for its program on "Peace and Federation." With the thought in mind, "Let Us Have Peace," by U. S. Grant, the American Creed was given in unison by the club. A fitting tribute was paid and pioneer medals presented to the club's two outstanding pioneer women, Mrs. W. L. Wheat and Mrs. D. A. Grundy, by Mrs. J. Hampton, H. Norman, assisted by Jimmie Carr Hamrick and Robert Clark. Convention reports were made by the delegate, Mrs. D. A. Grundy, and the alternate, Mrs. A. W. Howard. Mrs. George Sexauer and Mrs. D. W. May also brought out interesting facts concerning the convention. "Peace through the Eyes of the World" was given by Mrs. R. L. Madden. At the conclusion of the program the club was favored with a duet, "Long, Long Ago," by Jimmie Carr Hamrick playing the clarinet and Robert Clark the saxophone. The business session was directed by the president, Mrs. D. J. Morgensen. A check for \$5 was given by Mrs. Roy Fultz to be presented through the Culture Club to the Fairview Water Works and the club voted to donate \$5, making a total donation of \$10. The club also voted to send \$1 to the Cancer Memorial Fund. During the social hour the hostess served refreshments to Mesdames W. L. Wheat, J. A. Whalley, R. L. Madden, D. A. Grundy, D. W. May, George Sexauer, L. B. Madden, J. H. Norman, C. L. Hamrick, D. J. Morgensen, T. B. Rogers, H. T. Gregory, Roy Fultz, W. C. Davis, A. W. Howard, W. E. Bryant, and the hostess.

Methodist Sunday School Class Hears Review of Book

Mrs. Roy Guthrie reviewed the book, "The Rose Bush of a Thousand Years," by Mabel Wagnalls last Thursday afternoon when the Daughters of the Wesley Sunday School Class of the First Methodist Church met in the home of Mrs. Charlie Webster with Mrs. Bill Ragsdale as co-hostess. In the absence of the president, Mrs. G. H. Garner, vice president, presided at the business session. Refreshments were served to Mesdames Bess Crump, J. L. Barnes, Albert Gerlach, W. B. DeBerry, Clifford Compton, Roy Fultz, Roy Guthrie, S. L. Seago, J. W. Slover, T. J. Hampton, Henry Newman, Tommie Potts, G. H. Garner, S. E. Mayfield, A. S. Moss, and the hostesses.

Plaska Needle Club Meets in Home of Mrs. E. E. Foster

The Plaska Needle Club met last Tuesday in the home of Mrs. E. E. Foster. The afternoon was spent doing needle work. After a brief business session over which Mrs. C. H. Riddle presided, Pollyanna gifts were exchanged. Guests present were Mesdames E. Harper, H. T. Rea, A. S. Harwell, E. Foster, John Providence, A. L. Hall, J. T. Martin, T. L. Garrett, Joe Bob McWhorter, John Murdock, and Miss Myrtle Rea. Members present were Mesdames L. A. Bray, W. T. Davis, C. W. Jones, T. L. McWhorter, John Smith, Ruby Murdock, C. H. Riddle, Floyd Davis, C. C. Cunningham, G. P. Owen, Troy Dunn, Blufford Burnett, and the hostess, Mrs. Foster. The next meeting of the club will be at the home of Mrs. C. H. Riddle May 7. David Roberts of Fort Worth is visiting his sister and brother, Mrs. Frances Anthony of Memphis and Jet Roberts of Wellington.

'Youth for Christ' Subject of W. M. U. Meeting at Church

Mrs. Mary Bownd's circle had charge of the program Monday when the W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church met for a social and missionary program on "Youth for Christ." The program was opened with a song, "The King's Business," by the group, and Mrs. A. J. Joyce offered prayer. A skit depicting ranch life was presented by Laura Mai Hightower, Betty Randolph, Owen Gilmore, Roslyn Williams, June Joyce, Mary Anderson, and Janet Hood. A collection was taken for aged ministers and Mrs. B. Baldwin offered the closing prayer. The hostesses, Mesdames W. Wilson, S. Foxhall, T. L. Leard, W. C. Anderson, J. P. Godfrey, Frank Garrett, J. R. Harrell, and Mrs. W. F. Goffnett served refreshments to Mesdames Alfred Hutcherson, D. A. Grundy, L. G. Rasco, E. T. Prater, C. L. Simmons, Jackson, F. J. Smith, C. R. Sargent, Mary Bownds, Bill Hawthorn, Glen Carlos. Mesdames Earl Pritchett, Sam Foxhall, Murray Dial, Lynn Jones, Lee Thornton, H. C. Crow, C. W. Crawford, W. B. Scott, Lloyd Phillips, A. Baldwin, W. C. Davis, A. J. Joyce, J. H. Smith, Ottilie Jones, H. B. Gilmore, W. M. Hood, Joe Webster, B. Baldwin, Claude Stephens. Mesdames W. B. Bragg, O. N. Hamilton, W. Wilson, W. L. Kelton, Roy Patton, Jim McMurphy, George Cullin, J. C. Lamb, R. E. Clark, J. M. Weathersbee, R. H. Wherry, John Barber, and Miss Maude Milan.

1913 Study Club Meets in Home Of Miss Foreman

Miss Mary Foreman was hostess to the 1913 Study Club last Saturday afternoon. The business session was conducted by the president, Mrs. H. E. Tarver. The program consisted of roll call with each member giving the assigned yearly response. A parliamentary drill was given by Mrs. H. E. Tarver. Mrs. M. G. Tarver, delegate to the district convention at Shamrock, gave a report on what the women of Texas are doing thru their federation. Those present were Mesdames Gayle Greene, T. M. Harrison, Jessie Jones, D. L. C. K'nard, M. McNeely, Lon Montgomery, H. E. Tarver, George Sager, M. G. Tarver, R. C. Walker, and the hostess.

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Eudine Gable Given Party at Home on Sixth Birthday

Eudine Gable was honored on her 6th birthday anniversary last Saturday afternoon at her home with a party. The afternoon was spent playing games, and after the gifts were opened and admired, ice cream and the birthday cake were served to Mary McCanne, Bobbie Sue Melton, Joyce and DeEllen Durrrett, Patricia Alexander, Mary Ann Crome, Ann and Dickie Spoon, Merylyne Burks, Thresa and Virginia Kelly, Sheldon Anisman, Jerry Smith, Ronnie Webster, Jerry Hill, Rodney Earl Veteto, Ben Fred McCreary, Barbara Bradley, Joan Webster, Juaneila Goffinnett, and the honoree.

Homemakers Club Organized in Home Of Mrs. G. Corley

The Homemakers Club met and organized last Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Gene Corley. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Homer Huggins; secretary and press reporter, Mrs. Edward Hill. The next three months will be spent studying interior decorating. The homemakers will meet each second and fourth Wednesdays, with the next meeting on May 15 at the home of Mrs. Murray Dial. Refreshments were served to Mesdames Ellis Veteto, Homer Huggins, Frank Goffinnett, Edward Hill, Cecil Herrell, Marvin Webster, Murray Dial, and the hostess.

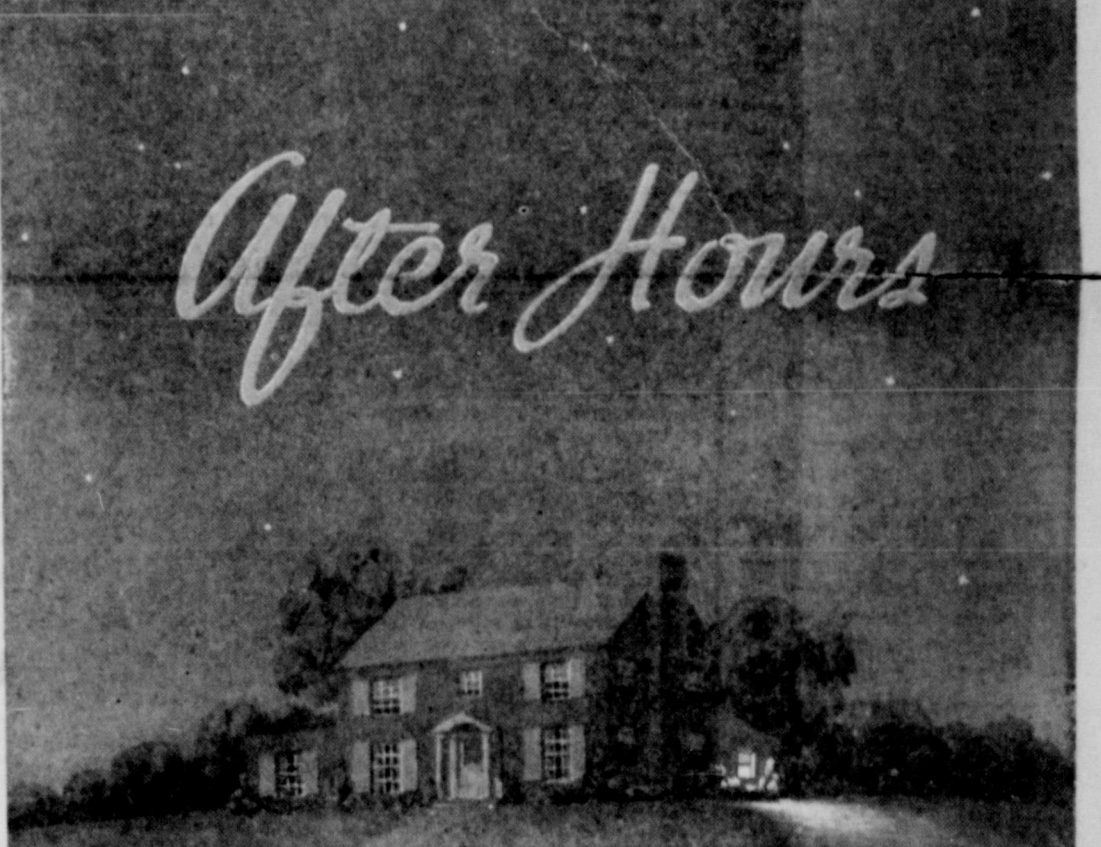
M. E. Society Has Joint Meeting of Circles at Church

The book, "Parables of Jesus," was taught by Mrs. Roy Guthrie at the meeting of all circles of the Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service at the church parlor Monday afternoon. Members present were Mesdames S. L. Seago, H. F. Schoolfield, E. C. Hoffman, J. W. Slover, Robert Devin, W. C. Dickey, L. M. Hicks, J. H. Hampton, T. R. Franks, H. E. Tarver, Louie Merrell, D. Huggins, C. Webster, L. Johnson, Wilbur Jones, Edd Hutcherson, C. W. Broome, and Lloyd Byars.

Baptist Gleaners S. S. Class Has Picnic at Park

Mrs. Edward Hill, Mrs. Marvin Webster, and Mrs. Frank Goffinnett entertained the other members of the Gleaners Class of the First Baptist Church with a picnic at the City Park last Friday. Twelve children and the following members were present: Mesdames Bill Miller, Murray Dial, Cecil Howard, R. E. Clark, Lesley Calhoun, and Neal Wyatt.

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Christian Woman's Council Meets in B. Webster Home

The following program on the theme, "Kindled Fires," with Mrs. J. M. Elliott as leader was given at the meeting of the Woman's Council of the First Christian Church Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. B. Webster with Mrs. M. O. Goodpasture as co-hostesses.

Mrs. W. C. Milam led the devotional, "To Build a Neighborhood," and the group sang "Break Thou the Bread of Life."

The following topics were discussed: "That They Might Be One," by Mrs. J. A. Whaley; "Parson Tom of Boulder Dam," discussed by Mrs. J. H. Norman; "United Serving in Our Homeland," by Mrs. T. B. Rogers.

The president, Mrs. J. A. Odum, presided at the business session.

The hostesses served refreshment plates to Mesdames Floyd Limer, J. A. Whaley, W. C. Milam, J. M. Elliott, J. H. Norman, O. K. Howe, T. B. Rogers, J. A. Odum, E. E. Roberts, and one visitor, Mrs. Nora Tipton.

Baptist Elevation Class Has Picnic At City Park

The Elevation Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church was entertained with a picnic at the City Park Tuesday night.

Those present were Mrs. Sam Foxhall, teacher, Roslyn Williams, Mary Jones, Plina Hill, Rebecca Ray Weaver, Nina Ruth Nelson, Gwendolyn Ballew, Owen Gilmore, Florene Scott, Colleen Abernathy, three guests, Louise Gowen, Jacqueline Hale, and Billy Joyce McMurry.

Baptist Elevation Class Has Picnic At City Park

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Newman visited in Amarillo Sunday. Their son Henry returned with them to Amarillo after spending Saturday night here.

Jim Deberry of Albuquerque spent Sunday and Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Delferry.

Garner Moore of Lubbock spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Moore.

Palace

Thursday last day—
Carole Lombard and Brian Aherne in "Vigil in the Night"

Friday and Saturday—
Cesar Romero and Jean Rogers in "Viva Cisco Kid"

Saturday Night Prevue, Sunday, Monday—
Tyronne Power and Dorothy Lamour in "Johnny Apollo"

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thurs.
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George Brent and Merle Oberon in "Till We Meet Again"

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thurs.
Frank Morgan and Ann Rutherford in "The Ghost Comes Home"

Closing Weeks of School to Be Busy Ones for Rural Children of County

Students of the rural schools in Hall County were being rushed this week with tests, both physical and mental, and other last-of-the-school-year tasks as preparations were made for the closing of the schools in the latter part of May.

Rural 7th graders will have their promotion exercises May 14, when Dr. L. A. Woods, state school superintendent, will return to Memphis for the second time this spring and deliver the principal address. The exercises will be held in the Memphis High School auditorium, and 87 7th graders will be advanced from their grammar school standing.

Highlight of the school year for the 7th graders, however, will be the annual trip to Carlsbad Cavern May 24, 25, and 26. A total of about 60 children and sponsors are expected to make the trip.

Standardized mental tests are now being given in each school, the tests first being taken by students in the Newlin schools last Tuesday. The series of tests will end at 8:30 May 30. The tests, conducted by Superintendent Tops Gilbreath said this week, are given the pupils to conform with the state program, and the results will be used for remedial purposes.

Physical tests for rural school children started this week, and at different intervals during the month about 700 children will be examined. The examinations are made in Memphis by members of the Hall County Medical Association.

A picnic was held Wednesday night at the City Park for rural 7th graders and teachers.

Three numbers by Hall County school children will be given at the district music festival in Childers Friday under the direction of Miss Mary Foreman, county music supervisor. To present numbers will be the Hall County rural school girls glee club, the special chorus of the rural school singers, and the primary choruses from Deep Lake, Plaska, and Pleasant Valley.

18 Register New Vehicles in April

Thirteen that unlucky number, again popped up as that many new passenger cars were registered in the office of J. M. Ferrel, county tax collector-assessor, during the month of April. Five commercial cars were registered.

Registration of passenger cars was as follows: Chevrolet sedan, R. W. Alewine, Memphis; Plymouth sedan, J. L. Downs Jr., Memphis; Ford sedan, Walter LaBay, Estelline; Oldsmobile sedan, D. H. Davenport, Lakeview.

First, Dee Armstrong of Turkey made a motion to amend the resolution to the effect that the delegates go "uninstructed" to the state convention. That brought fire from J. C. Wells of Memphis, who favored instructing the delegates. That in turn brought fire from Dr. H. Gilmore of Turkey, who favored the non-instruction of the delegates.

After some discussion, a vote was called on the adoption of the resolution. The first count was made by a raising of hands, and the county delegates favored the adoption of the resolution by a vote of 17 to 16.

A standing vote was next called, and the resolution was downed by a vote of 24 to 21. Finally, a new motion was made and passed to adopt the resolution down to the "instructional" part. This adoption carried with it a resolution endorsing the candidacy of Garner for President, but did not include instructions for the delegates to vote as a unit for the Garner movement in the state convention.

Funeral Rites Held For Bill Bowermon, Plane Crash Victim

Funeral services for W. H. (Bill) Bowermon, 25, son of Mrs. Charlie Davenport of this city, and former resident of Memphis, were held last Thursday afternoon from the First Baptist Church, with Rev. S. F. Martin, pastor, conducting the rites, assisted by Rev. E. L. Yeats, pastor of the First Methodist Church.

Bowermon died Saturday afternoon, April 27, from injuries received when the plane in which he was riding with two other men crashed into Manassett Bay, near Port Washington, Long Island, N. Y. All three men were killed.

Survivors include Mrs. Bowermon, and a small daughter Beverly.

Active pallbearers were Leslie Foxhall, Jess Rosenwasser, Marcus Rosenwasser, C. L. Sloan, Jack Larmer, and Carl Harrison.

Former Memphis Killed In New York Accident; Interment at Fairview

Interment was in Fairview Cemetery, with King's Mortuary in charge of arrangements.

Bowermon was working as an aeronautical inspector of the Civil Aeronautics Authority at the time of his death.

The former Memphian was born and reared in Memphis, and attended the Memphis Public Schools. He finished high school, however, at the New Mexico Military Institute of Roswell, N. M., in 1932. Later he attended an aviation school in Tulsa, Okla., and received his transport license there.

Wedding Licenses Issued to 5 Pairs

Only five couples applied for licenses to wed during the month of April—despite the plea of County Clerk Murray Dial for more business.

In the first issue of The Democrat in April, Mr. Dial pointed out that no longer do couples have to wait three days after applying for licenses before they can be issued. The three-day wait was formerly the reason for a large number of couples to go to Oklahoma to be married, he said, but the law has been repealed.

The couples buying licenses in April were as follows: F. F. Chandler, Lakeview, and Elba Garrison, Lesley; Merrill Otis, Huntsville, and Helen Ruth Hammonds, Memphis; T. A. Ellis, Memphis, and Lorrein Spurgeon, Clarendon; Leland L. Knight, Tulia, and Lenora Ellington, Pampa; Bill Thornton, Turkey, and Esther Graham, Turkey.

Band Festival—

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answer to the invitation extended by G. W. Johnson, local bandmaster and director of the festival.

Climaxing the day of music, the massed band concert, directed by Col. Earl D. Irons of Arlington, bandmaster at NTAC, was held in the Memphis High School gym. The crowd there was not so large as the one which saw the parade, and only one side of the gym was filled.

The concert, for which two rehearsals were held during the day, was a success, however, as far as the music was concerned. Col. Irons pronounced it as the best he has conducted this school year, and reports from all who attended point out that the music was well liked.

Each of the musicians who played in the massed band were given certificates of award, and each individual band here was given a trophy.

In addition to the regular musical program, a luncheon was held at noon and a dinner at night for attending bandmasters and their wives. Band members were guests at a fun hour from 6 to 7 o'clock in the high school gym.

Mr. and Mrs. George Greenhaw left Tuesday for Plainview after receiving a message that his mother was seriously ill.

Junior High School Students to Give Program Tonight

Band, Girls' Chorus to Be On Music Festival; P-T.A. Unit to Have Brief Part

Junior High School students will present their annual musical program, jointly sponsored by the school and the Junior High P-T.A., at the high school auditorium tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock.

In addition to several numbers by the Junior High Band and the girls' chorus, both under the direction of Buren Carr, the P-T.A. unit will present a short program.

The program will last approximately 1 hour and 15 minutes, and admission will be free, Clinton Voyles, principal, said this week. Mothers and fathers of students will be honor guests.

The band will play 11 numbers, and the chorus will sing eight songs, one of which will feature a duet, "Indian Love Call," by Nora Mae McMurry and June Joyce.

Boy Scout—

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these counties," Mr. Roberts told local men. "Under the new plan, a section comprising Wheeler, Collingsworth, Hall, and Donley counties, will have the services of a field executive. He will conduct an intensive campaign to bring into Scouting work a far larger number of boys than are now receiving the advantages."

In the four counties comprising the southwestern section, \$3,600 will be needed to finance the program. Similar drives have been conducted in the other towns.

"We cannot urge too strongly the support of Memphis for this section," Tommie Potts, general chairman of the Round-Up states. "This is the first time that such a finance drive has been held in Memphis, and the success of this event will do much toward the determining of how many more boys in Memphis will be reached for the beneficial training which Scouting affords."

Stamp Plan Has New Supervisor

Frank C. Ebaugh of Wichita Falls will succeed Leslie H. Stowe as local supervisor of the Federal Surplus Commodities Corporation food stamp plan in Memphis, it was announced this week.

Mr. Stowe left Wednesday night for Dallas, where he will be stationed for some time since its inauguration.

Mr. Ebaugh will be home in Memphis, but will retain his headquarters in Wichita Falls. He will be in Memphis two or three weeks, he said Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. H. daughter Pauline of their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. more, Tuesday.

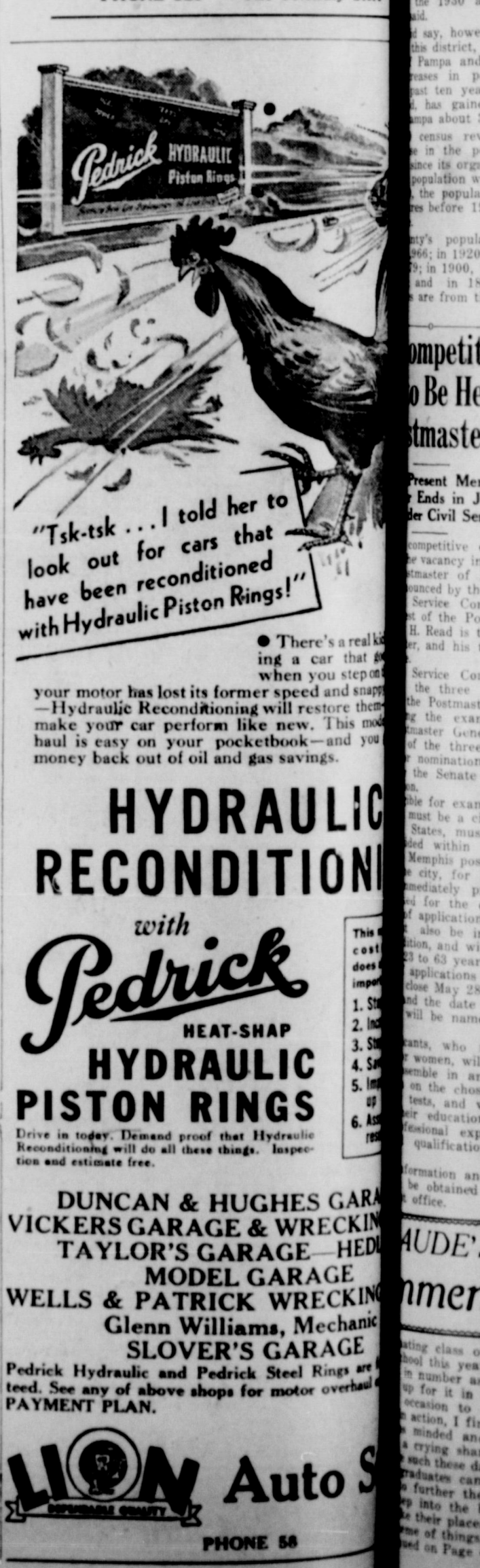


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