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MEMPHIS, HALL COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY AFTERNOON, JANUARY 9, 1941 FIVE CENTS NUMBER 30

## APP, LEARY RECOMMENDED SUPERVISORS

### Men to Work in State Board Soil District

Ed Leary and Ed Leary were recommended to the planning committee as supervisors of the soil conservation board for the Hall County soil district, to be held in the near future. Leary was recommended for a term of two years, and the Hooser said following...

## Income Tax? May Now for Different

### Calls for Filing Tax, Not Net, Income; Level Lowered

The U. S. internal revenue act of 1940, and with it came a warning of a new filing income tax. The penalties prescribed by the law for individuals, or married individuals not living with husbands, having a "gross income" of \$100 or more must file...

## CLAUDE'S Comments

trouble with New Year resolutions making is that we form old ones that are discarded. One resolution that all drivers should make is to drive carefully. As a lot of Memphis drivers in a fog most of the time...

## Burglaries Are Solved in Arrest

A series of school burglaries in Hall, Childress, and Hardeman Counties were solved last Saturday when Herman Mayfield Helms confessed to burglaries before officers of the counties in Childress. Helms was arrested at his home in Memphis last week by Sheriff W. C. Anderson. He was held in jail here until Saturday, when he was taken to Childress.

## IT SNOWED, YES — BUT NOT MUCH

Moisture of Snow, Mist Totals .15 of Inch; Low Temperature of Week 24 Memphis got its first snow of any sizeable amount Sunday night but altogether it was only about one-half inch. The moisture from the snow, coupled with that of the mist earlier Sunday night, was .15 of an inch, J. J. McMickin, local weather observer, reported today.

## REA Line to Wells of Local Water Company Finished

Extension 2 1-4 Miles in Length; Present Plan to Install Motors at Wells The Hall County Electric Co-Op has completed a short line to the wells of the Memphis waterworks, T. E. Lenoir, superintendent announced this week. Plans now are to install electric motors at the wells, Mr. Lenoir said. Two motors have been operating for some time on wells nearer to the REA lines.

## Martins Honored on 1st Anniversary

Rev. and Mrs. S. F. Martin of the First Baptist Church in Memphis were honored on their first anniversary in Memphis when members presented them with two large baskets of flowers. Mrs. Martin was ill at the time, and was unable to attend the services. Sunday night, Rev. Martin used as his sermon topic, "This Year Thou Shalt Die," upon which he preaches the first Sunday of each year. At the close of the night services, the pastor sang a prayer as a benediction.

## New Presbyterian Minister and Wife Arrive—Like Memphis and Its People

The new Presbyterian minister, Rev. Russell A. Wingert, may be from New Orleans, but he doesn't have a southern drawl. Neither does he have a Chicago accent (he was born there), nor a Princeton accent (he went to school there). As a matter of fact, he carries on a conversation just like almost anyone else in West Texas—just as if he had been here a long time. He hasn't been here long, however, since he arrived in Memphis last week to assume his duties as pastor of the First Presbyterian Church. He conducted his first services here Sunday morning, delivered the Sunday night sermon, and then on Tuesday was guest speaker at the regular Rotary luncheon.

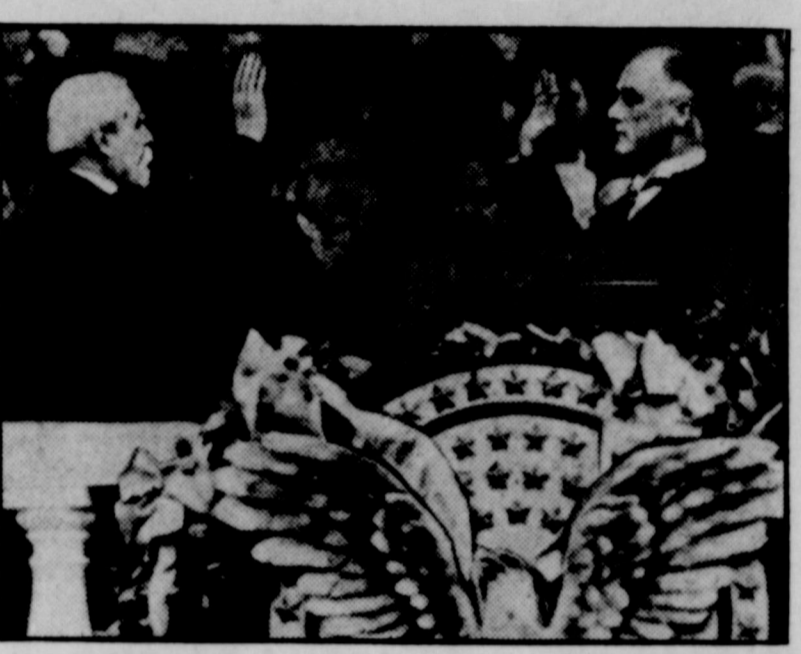
## City Files Thirty Suits for Unpaid Taxes on Property

A total of 30 suits have been filed by the City of Memphis for unpaid taxes in the office of District Clerk Isabell Cypert. The cases are scheduled to come up at the next session of the district court in Hall County, to be held in February. Several of those against whom suits have been filed have either already paid the back-due taxes, or have made arrangements to pay them.

## No Decision Made On Observance of F.D.R.'s Birthday

Parties in 1940 Showed Little Profit; Suggestions Include Dance, Singers Whether Memphis and Hall County will join other sections of the nation in observing the birthday anniversary of President Roosevelt January 30 had not been determined this week. Last year's dance, and bridge and "42" parties netted little profit, and most Memphians were skeptical about whether a celebration of some sort could be made to pay this year.

## Fourteen Men Are Sent Notices of Draft Selection



REPEATERS—Here's two men to repeat a performance for the third time when Chief Justice Hughes administers the oath of office to President Roosevelt January 20. This picture was taken during the first inauguration in March, 1933. The lower pictures show the President as he looked when first inaugurated in 1933, again in 1937, and to the right as he looks today.

## TO FILL SECOND CALL IN COUNTY

Volunteers Will Leave for Lubbock, Induction Center, January 23—Then to Camp Fourteen Hall County men, all volunteers, were this week sent notices of their selection to fill the quota of the second call from this area under the provisions of the Selective Service Act, W. J. Bragg, chairman of the local draft board, announced. The men will leave Memphis January 23 for Lubbock, the nearest induction center, and will be sent to camps from that point. Those selected were Fred Pershing Musgrove, Raymond Prescott Kerr, William Paul Moore, Malcolm Nichols Holland, Loman Wallace Henry, James Arlie Lyles, G. D. Rich, James Ernest Carter, Eddie Leon Mixon, J. Leamon Bourland, Robert Lee Welch, Claude Lee Upton, Orval James Greath, and Curtis Leo Richardson.

## Planting of Fifty Elms at City Park Boosts Progress

Four Squirrels and Cage Also Donated to Add to Playground's Development Even in cold weather, progress is being made in the development of the City Park in Memphis. Only last Saturday, fifty Chinese elms were set out, C. C. Hodges, member of the local park board, announced. The trees were donated by E. N. Hudgins, local insurance man.

## GRIDMEN OF COUNTY TO BE GUESTS OF SIDELINERS CLUB JANUARY 20

## Land-Use Planning Committee Elects Officers for 1941

Arthur Gidden to Serve As Chairman, J. B. Smith Vice Chairman for Group Election of members, including the chairman and vice chairman, of the County Land-Use Planning Committee was held Monday morning at a meeting of the committee in the district courtroom. Heading the committee during 1941 as chairman will be Arthur Gidden. Vice chairman selected was J. B. Smith.

## A. E. Hollingsworth Of Turkey, 76, Dies

Funeral services for Albert E. Hollingsworth, 76, of Turkey were held Sunday afternoon from the Turkey Methodist Church. Rites were conducted by Rev. Perry Asmos of Lubbock, pastor of the Turkey Primitive Baptist Church, assisted by the Methodist pastor, Rev. Hamilton Wright. Mr. Hollingsworth died early Saturday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ila Turner.

## Want Something Made? Then See Men In Charge of School's Shop Courses

Need something for the home? If so, get in touch with W. C. Davis or Gene Barnett of Memphis High School, who are in charge of the shop courses being conducted there now for men between the ages of 17 and 24, inclusive. Particularly are the men taking the courses becoming adept in woodworking. Along this line things such as clothes closets, cedar chests, lawn chairs, smoking stands, bookcases, radio tables, wagon beds, trailer beds, hay racks, and feeder troughs.

## Three Arrested in Theft in Memphis

Three men were arrested last Friday night by Chief of Police Ed McCreary in connection with the snatching of a purse from Mrs. Charles Duncan north of Tarver's Drug Company. The three were arrested a few minutes after the robbery occurred, and were identified by Mrs. Duncan. The purse was found in the car which the men were driving, McCreary said.

## Legion Meeting to Be at Wellington

The regular monthly meeting of the 18th district of the American Legion will be held January 16 at Wellington, District Commander J. M. Johnson of Canadian announced this week. The Frank King Post of Wellington will be host at the meeting. Lunch will be served at the Legion hall at 7:30 o'clock and will be followed by a business session. Child welfare will be discussed, and a dance will be held after the meeting is closed.

## M System Pick-Up Stolen, Recovered

A pick-up belonging to the M System grocery was stolen last Saturday night, but was recovered by local officials early Sunday morning. The pick-up was found about six miles south of Claude, and apparently, officials said, the thieves were en route back to Memphis when the gas supply was exhausted. The pick-up was not damaged.

# PERSONALS

Miss Nell McNeely returned Wednesday of last week to Oklahoma City, where she visited her sister, Mrs. Alfred H. Freeman, before returning to Oklahoma University.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Howard and daughter Gloria Virginia visited with friends in Vernon and Childress Sunday.

Bill Hartman, Lewis Curry, Paul Curry and J. D. Sims spent Thursday in Mineral Wells on business.

Mrs. N. S. O'Rear, who has been visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. M. McNeely, returned to her home in Wellington last Sunday.

Pat and Joe Lanchester of Amarillo visited in the home of their sister, Mrs. Bill Hartman, last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Haynes of Fort Worth spent the weekend with Mrs. Haynes' brother, W. C. Smith and family of Memphis.

Leroy Robinson left Monday morning for Hillsboro, where he is attending college.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Goodpasture and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ayers attended the Spores Motor Freight convention and banquet at Amarillo Friday and Saturday night.

Mrs. George Copeland of Childress visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Orr, last Friday. She is the former Miss Virginia Orr.

Tom Salem and John Sharp of Turkey visited in Memphis Tuesday.

T. T. Harrison of Spur visited in Memphis last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Shelton of Clarendon visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Meacham, here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Bruce and L. V. Bruce of Clarendon visited her father, M. J. Draper, here Monday of this week.

Herschel Montgomery visited in Shamrock Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Meek of Childress, parents of Mrs. S. E. Mayfield, Mrs. J. A. Harper of Childress, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Farmer of Wheeler visited here Sunday.

Mrs. Harper, Mrs. Farmer and Mrs. Mayfield are sisters.

W. D. Mabry and daughter Mary Lee visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Roder in Haskell over the weekend.

Mrs. Mabry has been visiting there a week and returned home with Mr. Mabry and Mary Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Foust made a business trip to Amarillo Sunday.

Gaylon Casse visited in Abilene and Dallas during the Christmas holidays. While in Dallas, he attended the Cotton Bowl game. He returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Drake and daughter of Amarillo visited friends in Memphis Sunday.

Mrs. J. K. Bartlett of Clarendon visited her mother, Mrs. Fred Swift, last Sunday.

Mrs. M. E. McNally Jr. visited her mother in Childress last Friday.

Sidney Mayfield is home to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Mayfield, on a 10-day leave of absence from Lowry Field in Denver.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Greene of Clarendon visited his mother, Mrs. S. O. Greene, here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Bean and Mrs. Bernice Bean spent the holidays with Mrs. E. Bean's sister at Floydada.

## GAMMAGE

By MRS. W. J. GOFFINETT

Mrs. Fred Hamilton, who has recently undergone an operation, is reported to be improving.

Darrel Dean, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Whitten, has been ill in a Memphis hospital, but has recovered and is home now.

Mrs. Louis, formerly Miss Jannie Adecock, who has been visiting her mother and friends, has been seriously ill in a Memphis hospital.

Nita Blevins visited Elizabeth Goffinnett last Wednesday afternoon.

Ted George was among the football boys who attended the Mother and Son banquet Monday night.

John Wooten and family from Friendship have recently moved to this community.

Mrs. W. J. Goffinnett and Elizabeth visited in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Woodrow Floyd of Lakeview, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hamilton and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Whitehead.

One half of the population of the earth live upon less than one seventh of its surface.

# Society

### Miss Marie Tindle And Jett Hoggard Wed in Memphis

Miss Marie Tindle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Tindle of Memphis, became the bride of Jett Hoggard, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Hoggard of Hedley, Tuesday, December 24.

The single-ring ceremony was read in the Methodist parsonage in Memphis, with Rev. E. L. Yeats officiating.

The bride was attired in a heavily-blue dress with gold and pink accessories. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Sullivan of Clarendon, and Miss Tula Hoggard, sister of the groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoggard will make their home west of Hedley on the Calvert farm, where he is engaged in farming.

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### Blue Bonnet Club Meets in Home of Mrs. H. T. Gregory

The Blue Bonnet Club met in the home of Mrs. H. T. Gregory last Friday afternoon for the election of new officers for the coming year.

Mrs. H. B. Gilmore was elected president; Mrs. C. C. Meacham, vice president; Mrs. T. M. Potts, treasurer; Mrs. Otho Fitzjarrald, secretary; Mrs. T. B. Rogers, reporter.

A salad course was served to Mesdames H. B. Gilmore, Roy Fultz, George Cullin, Otis Jones, W. M. Hood, C. C. Meacham, D. J. Morgenson, Jack Boone, T. M. Potts, Lloyd Phillips, H. H. Lindsey, Claud Johnson, Otho Fitzjarrald.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. O. R. Goodall Friday, January 10, for the anniversary dinner and gentlemen's evening.

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### Missionary, S. Baptist W.M. Program Held

The W. M. U. of the Baptist Church met Monday at the church in a social program.

Circle No. 5, with Bragg as leader, had a social program. The "Saves" opened the program.

Mrs. L. G. Rasmussen, Mrs. G. C. Adams, Mrs. R. C. "Where We Live," Mrs. Bill Hood led in the program.

Refreshments were Mesdames W. J. Smith, Lloyd Phil Bownds, H. B. Gilmonson, J. C. Lamb, Al son, Frank Smith, A. J. Joyce, W. B. Prater, J. M. Wea Randolph, Claud Hood, L. G. Rasc, Milam.

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Ladies' Black Pumps, all sizes, former \$4.50 sellers. Out on the counter—

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A counter full of Ladies Shoes, regularly sold at from \$2.95 to \$6.50. High heels in all sizes. Low heels in small sizes 3 1/2, 4 and 4 1/2—

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**MEN'S STETSON HATS**

This is not our regular stock, but discontinued numbers—only two or three hats of a kind, but all sizes in the lot—

Your Choice at . . . \$2.98

**MEN'S WOOL SHIRTS**

Men's Heavy Wool Overshirts, plaids and solids. All sizes 14 1/2 to 18—

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Belding's Knitting Silk Thread, four dozen. Regularly 25c spool—

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**\$1.95**

**DRESS GOODS**

15 pieces of silks, rayons, linings and tissue ginghams, worth regularly from 25c to \$1. A real bargain at

**10c**

**LITTLE BOYS' WINTER SUITS**

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**HALF PRICE**

**MEN'S SHIRTS**

We have gone through our stock of better shirts, that sold at \$1.50, \$1.65 and \$1.95 and have selected the shirts that have been on hand for some little time, and have grouped them in one lot. All sizes and sleeve lengths—

Your Choice . . . 98c

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Three dozen Men's Caps. All wool, adjustable sizes, that sell regularly at \$1.00. We want to get out of the cap business, and offer at the ridiculous price—

Your Choice . . . 25c

**WOOLEN GOODS**

\$2.98 grade at	\$2.48
\$2.48 grade at	\$1.98
\$1.98 grade at	\$1.65
\$1.79 grade at	\$1.48
\$1.69 grade at	\$1.39
\$1.50 grade at	\$1.29
45c Heavy Suitings	33c

**MEN'S and BOYS' WOOL COATS**

\$6.95 values at	\$5.45
\$4.98 values at	\$4.40
\$3.98 values at	\$3.48
\$3.45 values at	\$2.98
\$2.98 values at	\$2.65
\$1.98 values at	\$1.65

**BLANKETS**

\$1.25 Grade at	\$1.10
\$1.98 grade at	\$1.79
\$2.48 grade at	\$1.98
\$2.98 grade at	\$2.48
\$4.45 grade at	\$3.98

**MEN'S OVERCOATS REDUCED**

\$25 Coats at	\$18.95
\$18 Coats at	\$13.95
\$15 Coats at	\$11.45
\$12.50 Coats at	\$9.85

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\$18.00 values at	\$14.00
\$13.50 values at	\$11.00
\$12.50 values at	\$10.00
\$9.50 values at	\$7.00
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## Ross Gentry Is Honored at Bridal Shower at Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard's Home

A bride-to-be, Mrs. Ross Gentry, the former Miss L. Stringer, was honored at a bridal shower at the home of Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard, 455 S. Main, Sunday afternoon. The bride-elect was the center of attention as she was presented with a number of gifts and well-wishes from her friends and relatives. The hostesses were Mrs. G. R. Hollis Boren, R. C. Walker, G. R. R... class Lois McCulloch and f the... G... and... t spoke... as co-hostesses... Live... ne... arrived they... program... in the... Miss... nd... in... was... at... with... s... with brown and dusty... sessio...

## Delphian Club Has Meeting in Home of Mrs. D. W. May

The Delphian Club had its regular meeting Tuesday, January 8, at the home of Mrs. D. W. May. The meeting was held in the dining room, which was decorated with flowers. The club members enjoyed a business session followed by a social hour. The hostess, Mrs. May, was assisted by several other members. The meeting was well attended and a very enjoyable one.

## Party Is Given at Lakeview in Home of George Payne

A party was given at the home of Mrs. George Payne on Sunday afternoon. The party was attended by many friends and relatives of the hostess. The evening was spent in a very enjoyable manner with music and refreshments. Mrs. Payne was assisted by several other ladies in making the party a success.

## Margaret Tucker and Dave Waldron United in Marriage

Miss Margaret Tucker, daughter of Mrs. Ethel Tucker of Estelline, became the bride of Dave Waldron of Clarendon in a single-ring ceremony at the parsonage of the First Methodist Church at Wichita Falls, December 22, with Dr. P. E. Martin officiating. Mrs. Waldron is a graduate of Estelline High School and for the past several years she has been in the real estate and insurance business in Estelline.

## Needle Craft Club Meets in Home of Mrs. G. Hammond

The Needle Craft Club met in the home of Mrs. George Hammond Tuesday afternoon. The club members enjoyed a business session followed by a social hour. The hostess, Mrs. Hammond, was assisted by several other members. The meeting was well attended and a very enjoyable one.

## Daughters of Ruth S. S. Class Meets With Gloria Scott

The Daughters of Ruth Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church met Thursday, January 3, in the home of Gloria Scott. The meeting was opened by Mrs. Claud Johnson leading in prayer. Mary Jo Lamb brought the devotion.

## Eli Mothers' Club Is Given Dinner at Grover Moss Home

Mrs. Grover Moss entertained the Eli Mothers' Club with a dinner new year's day at her home. Present were Mesdames J. T. Nelson, Joe Miller, Garner Kaker, O. M. Gunstream, W. B. Gilreath, Wade Patrick, M. L. Smith, J. S. Ballard, W. B. Stargel, O. A. Phillips, Phaeton Alexander, Edd Smith, and Misses Eddine Smith, Marie Nelson, Lorraine Nelson, Lois Moss, and the hostess, Mrs. Grover Moss.

## Gammage Needle Club Meets With Mrs. John Dunn

The Gammage Needle Club met in the home of Mrs. John Dunn Thursday, January 2. The afternoon was spent quilting. Present were Mesdames Milton Ellis, L. A. Stilwell, Russell Crone, W. S. Malone, Brice Webster, and John Dunn.

## Salisbury Sewing Club Meets With Mrs. Neal Sweatt

Members of the Salisbury Sewing Club met in the home of Mrs. Neal Sweatt for an all-day session and covered dish luncheon. Mrs. Ernest Lee, the newly-elected president, presided at the business session. Those present were Mesdames Alfred Hutcherson, Edwin McQueen, Edwin Hutcherson, J. W. Longshore, R. A. Hutcherson, L. O. Davis, Mrs. Martin, Clara McQueen, Henry Blum, C. A. Williams, Ernest Lee, J. R. Mitchell, G. M. Boss, W. M. Ragsdale, C. F. Stout, J. W. Nichols, O. N. Jones, Bob Turner, and the hostess, Mrs. Sweatt.

## Rebecca McCanne, Eugene McElreath Wed at Lakeview

Miss Rebecca McCanne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry McCanne of Lakeview, became the bride of Eugene McElreath Saturday at six o'clock at the home of her parents. Mr. McElreath is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McElreath of Memphis. Mr. McElreath is a graduate of WTSTC in Canyon. She is the primary teacher for the Newton school, having taught there for the past four years.

## Plaska Needle Club Meets in Home of Mrs. E. J. Galloway

The Plaska Needle Club met in the home of Mrs. E. J. Galloway Tuesday. The afternoon was spent in embroidery and crocheting. Mrs. W. L. Nabers presided over the short business session. Those answering to roll call were Mesdames E. E. Foster, Harold Hodges, C. W. Jones, Olan Murdock, W. L. Nabers, John Smith, Ruby Murdock, Troy Dunn, E. J. Galloway, W. L. Crawford, Horace Grant, Edith Dunn, and C. C. Cunningham. One visitor, Mrs. Henry Tiddie, was present.

## Wilma Tarver and Wilber Gibbs Are Wed at Childress

Miss Wilma Tarver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Tarver of Estelline, and Wilber Gibbs, son of Mrs. Minnie Gibbs, were united in marriage Saturday evening at the Childress First Methodist parsonage. Rev. Orion W. Carter read the marriage vows in the presence of the bride's sisters, Misses Jean and Thelma Tarver, and brother, Roy Tarver, all of Estelline.

## Family Reunion Held at Lakeview During Holidays

Mrs. John Blanks of Lakeview was hostess at a family reunion during the holidays. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Chappell; Mrs. E. E. Persons and sons John, Tom, and Jimmy of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. D. E. McMahan and children, Francis, Pat, and Don of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Chappell, Mr. and Mrs. Colbert Chappell, all of Littlefield. Mrs. E. H. Holcomb, Mr. and Mrs. Debs Holcomb and children, Cora, Mack, and Rupert, of Portales, N. M.; J. W. Chappell of Plaska; Mr. and Mrs. Lance Leggett of Lakeview; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Horschler, of Amarillo; Miss Willie Marsh Chappell and Mrs. Val Morris of Lubbock.

## Mrs. Chamberlain Hostess to Guild of Presbyterians

The Mizpah Guild of the First Presbyterian Church met in the home of Mrs. Park Chamberlain Monday night, December 6. During the business session, Miss Mary Noel was appointed as secretary to fill the unexpired term of Mrs. Chas. Kinslow. Each one present answered roll call on "Prayer." The lesson given by Mrs. Durwood McCool was on "Six Ways in Which Modern Men Can Pray," and was open for discussion for all members. Mrs. Martha Beard gave the devotional on "Christ in Gethsemane."

## Auxiliary to Meet

Members of the American Legion Auxiliary of the Chas. R. Simmons Post will meet Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. C. C. Meacham, it was announced this week. The meeting place was changed to the Meacham home from the home of Mrs. J. E. Roper.

## Breakfast Given For Study Club At Tarver Home

The 1913 Study Club had its annual new year's breakfast Saturday, January 4, at the home of Mrs. M. G. Tarver. Members answered roll call with parliamentary pointers. The program, conducted by Mrs. Carl Harrison, was on the order of Dr. I. Q's radio program, with questions of parliamentary law. The following officers were elected for the new year: Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard, president; Mrs. Carl Harrison, vice president; Mrs. W. B. Russell, recording secretary; Mrs. R. S. Greene, corresponding secretary; Miss Mary Foreman, treasurer; Mrs. L. B. Merrell, parliamentarian and critic; Mrs. Jessie Jones,

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Silver Leaf Sugar CORN 3 No. 2 cans	25c	LEMONS, large Sunkist, dozen
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WOODBURY'S SOAP, 4 bars	26c	GRAPES, fresh, pound
JERGEN'S SOAP, 4 bars	16c	ORANGES, California, dozen
COMPOUND VEGETOLE 4-lb. carton	37c	CRISCO or SPRY 3-POUND BUCKET
69c	49c	SUGAR 25-POUND BAG
		\$1.25
		CATSUP 14-OZ. BOTTLE
		10c

BABY FOOD, Gerber's, 3 cans	23c	MEAT SPECIALS
HEINZ CATSUP, 14-oz. bottle	20c	PORK ROAST, nice and tender, lb.
SPAGHETTI or MACARONI, 3 boxes	10c	CHEESE, 2-pound box
PINEAPPLE, sliced or crushed, 3 cans	25c	PORK SAUSAGE, per pound
CRACKERS, 2-pound box	15c	OLEOMARGARINE, 2 pounds
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CELERY, per pound	19c
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MARGARINE, 2 pounds	25c
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Here's Review of Last Five Months of 1940

What happened in 1940? Here's the remainder of the review of the year...

Memphis gets 2.34 inches in rainfall, general over county. Nine young men from Hall County enlist in U. S. Army at Childress recruiting station. O. V. Alexander is named commander of local American Legion post.

Grand and petit jurors for fall session of district court are announced. Lena Pearl Childress, M. D. Gunstream wed in ceremony in Wellington. Memphis chamber of commerce outlines plan of action for 1941.

Announcement is made that Lakeview may get district telephone system. Joyce Read, Ray Childress are wed. Doris Stem of Lakeview, Lloyd Rice of Lesley are united in marriage.

Jasper L. Snellings in San Marcos. Announcement is made of wedding of Aza Lee Thompson of Tip-ton, Okla., to Jack Holcomb. Drive for band uniforms nets \$675.

Wheeler Mustangs down Memphis Cyclone 7-0 in grid tilt. W. B. McQueen selected as representative of local FFA chapter to national convention.

Memphis, Lefors grid teams battle to 13-13 tie. Ann Pallmeyer of Memphis represents Hall County as queen at annual homecoming day of WTSC in Canyon.

Memphis takes on holiday air as decorations are put up. Funeral services for Olin L. Martin are held at Lakeview.

Thank You. I wish to express my thanks and appreciation to my friends and customers for their loyal support and patronage received at the Fields Grocery and Market during the past.

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Week End Specials. COFFEE, Folger's, 1-pound...26c; 2 pounds...51c. SUGAR, Pure Cane, 10 pounds 52c; 25 pounds \$1.30. SNOWDRIFT or CRISCO, 3 pounds 50c; 6 pounds 98c.

SEPTEMBER 12-13 District court grand jury returns seven bills of indictment. Hall County Singers Convention is held at Harrell Chapel. Highway 86 Association meets in Memphis.

SEPTEMBER 14-15 Memphis takes on holiday air as decorations are put up. Funeral services for Olin L. Martin are held at Lakeview.

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Miscellaneous

Get Your MATTRESS renovated and cleaned—special prices on inner spring mattresses. Hawthorn Mattress Factory, 400 North 5th Street. 9-tfc

Legal Notice

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the sheriff or any constable of Hall County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded, that you summon, by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the County of Hall if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in a newspaper published in the nearest county to said Hall County, for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, Bert (Ernest Andrew) Rhodes, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be held in the County of Hall at the courthouse thereof, in Memphis, Texas, on the 17th day of February, 1941, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court, on the 19th day of November A. D. 1940, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 2485, wherein Ruth Rhodes is plaintiff and Bert (Ernest Andrew) Rhodes is defendant.

The nature of the plaintiff's demand being as follows, to-wit: Suit for divorce and custody of child. Plaintiff alleging plaintiff and defendant were married November 10th, 1926, and lived together as husband and wife until February 5th, 1927, when defendant without any provocation or cause unlawfully left and abandoned plaintiff with the intention of finally separating and living apart from her and that he has continued so to do up to the filing of the petition herein and that since said date plaintiff and defendant have lived apart without cohabitation for over ten years; that there is no community property between plaintiff and defendant; that there was born to the marriage of plaintiff and defendant one child, a girl, Helen Rhodes, thirteen years of age; plaintiff prays for judgment dissolving the marriage between plaintiff and defendant, for the care, custody and education of said child and for general relief.

Herein fail not, and have you before said court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Memphis, Texas, this, the 12th day of December A. D. 1940. ISABELL CYPERT, Clerk District Court, Hall County, Texas. 27-4c

Sharp, Leary—

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crs, Mr. Hooser said. No one will be forced to become a member of the district.

The district was given a 3-1 majority in a recent election held to determine whether it would be organized. A two-thirds majority was necessary for the passage of the proposed district.

Those present at the meeting Monday were as follows: Miss Bessie Mae Love, Bob Land, David Shaheen, representing the FSA office; B. F. Parsons, SCS and CCC; F. E. Leary, Memphis Production Credit Association; D. A. Neeley, AAA committee; Walter Lebay, vocational agriculture teacher; W. B. Hooser, extension service.

Farmer members present were S. D. Posey, C. A. Hightower, J. L. Marcum, J. B. Smith, Arthur Edlemann, Star Johnson, John Sharp, Arthur Gidden, T. W. Bell, C. A. Williams, O. E. Bevers, Wade Davis, John Russell.

The first burglary was at Esteline where four rings, two bracelets, and an electric iron were taken. Helms admitted in his statement that he took between \$1 and \$5 in cash, four rings, and a sound system microphone.

In the next burglary, at Chilli-cothe, a quilt, some silverware, four rings, three bracelets, a radio, a hammer, and some stamps were taken. At Lakeview, one ring and a belt buckle were stolen.

Sheriff Anderson located some of the silverware and several other articles in Memphis last Saturday.

Club to the county's football players, regardless of whether they win or lose, it has been explained.

Last year, the banquet was held in the American Legion Hall. Main speaker was Russell "Dutchy" Smith, line coach of Texas Tech, who was accompanied by two Tech players, Guard Primo McCurry and Captain Dixie White. D. L. C. Kinard acted as toastmaster.

Gridmen of—

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Bailey Gilmore of Memphis Becomes Owner of Grocery

Field's Store Changes Owners in Transaction; Market Not Purchased

Announcement was made this week of the purchase of Field's Grocery Store by Bailey Gilmore, the transaction having been consummated Friday and Mr. Gilmore taking charge of the store Saturday.

Mr. Gilmore will be the active manager of the business and will retain the present staff in his employment, including Hubb Bass, C. W. Crawford, and Jack Drake. The market operated in connection with the transaction and will be operated by the Field's interests with D. R. Kelley in charge.

Mr. Gilmore is a native Hall Countian. He served six years as tax assessor for Hall County and was agent for the Phillips Petroleum Company for 9 years. For the past six months he has been business manager of the Ododom-Goodall Hospital.

Mr. Gilmore states that he will operate his new business enterprise on a high quality and low price basis, and invites the public to use the facilities he offers. He also expresses his thanks for the business given him since he has been associated with the store.

Grundy Implement Company Is Moved

Allen C. Grundy has moved his tractor and implement business from its location at 7th and Noel streets to the H. D. Stringer building on Main street, formerly occupied by the Couch Feed and Produce Company.

Mr. Grundy handles M-M tractors and implements, and states that he will use the front of the building for the display of his wares and the rear of the building will be used for storage purposes.

Mr. Grundy is assisted in the operation of this business by Earlice Rasco.

Coal Thief Caught At Bishop Company

A man was caught in the act Monday night when he attempted to take two hundred pounds of coal from Bishop's Grain and Coal Company.

The man, when spied by the nightwatchman of the company, attempted to run, but stopped when shots were fired at him. He was caught and turned over to city police officials.

Fourteen Men—

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no definite information to that effect. In both the first and second quotas, Hall County has had a sufficient number of volunteers for the year of military training to fill the call. The first call was for four men, this for fourteen, and a total of 11 more have also volunteered.

The fourteen named have all been notified of their selections, but it is possible, it was explained, that there may be some changes in the selections by the time the men leave for Lubbock.

When the next call will be made is not known, Mr. Bragg said, although it will probably be sometime in February.

INDIAN CREEK

By MRS. NORA VANDEVENTER  
Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Gardenhire Jr. came from Wichita Falls Wednesday for an indefinite stay with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Knightstep of Pleasant Valley spent Monday and Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Morrison.

Roy Grimes spent this week with his grandmother, Mrs. J. W. Smith.

Jane Harris returned last week from Amarillo, where she has been employed.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Lester spent last weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Morrison, spent the weekend with Harry and Don Tyler.

Dee Henry of Lakeview spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ragan of Lesley spent Sunday visiting in the Vandeventer home.

J. D. Morrison is ill this week. The twins of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ellis are ill with influenza.

Iva Lou Scott was ill the past week.

Rebecca Edwards visited friends in Turkey Sunday.

Mrs. W. G. Wade visited Mrs. Wilson Thursday of last week.

Ruby Gardenhire and Nora Neil Lockhart visited Zettie Jo Jenkins Sunday.

Chester Carson was a business visitor in Hulver Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Vick and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Allen Saturday night.

Claudia Vandeventer visited in Parnell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Billington and family attended the singing at Plaska Thursday night.

FAIRVIEW

By MRS. R. ELLERD

W. D. Mabry went to Haskell Sunday for Mrs. Mabry, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Clyde Roden and family.

Mrs. Ward Grundy, Mrs. Roscoe Eller, Freda Ray and Kelly Gable accompanied Sylvia and Erma Gardenhire to Oklahoma City Tuesday, where they will re-enter Draughn's Business College.

Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Harris of Wellington spent the weekend here visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Ellerd carried their daughter Ethelyn to Amarillo Sunday, where she will enter Amarillo Commercial College.

Alma Sweatt returned this week to Denton to resume her studies in TSCW.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Eller spent the weekend in Brownfield.

Pearl Shearer visited Mrs. Blanche Duke in Memphis Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Gunstream visited Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Gunstream in Memphis last Sunday.

Eddie January and Gael Stephens visited Henry Williams Sunday.

Peggy Lowe and Jolo Dean Imel have been reported ill this week.

Louise and Charles May have moved here from Elgin. They are both enrolled in school.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dunn and children visited Mr. and Mrs. H. Gardenhire and son Sunday.

Miss Irene Stephens returned to Canyon Sunday to resume her studies at WTSC, after spending the holidays with her parents.

There will be a free picture show Wednesday night at the school auditorium. Two educational pictures of Boulder Dam and a 5-reel picture of "We Can Take It," a picture of what the CCC men are doing in California, will be shown.

C. L. Morse and Travis Weatherly made a business trip to Fort Worth Monday.

Olene and Gene Banner visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Martin, Sunday.

Russell, C. A. Williams, J. B. Smith, Arthur Eddleman, O. E. Bevers, and J. C. Bevers. (These men will serve one more year).

Drawing numbers three (for terms of three years—to serve two more years) were Ed Drake, W. W. Richards, C. A. Hightower, E. R. Rorie, H. A. Hodges, Arthur Gidden, Jess Mann, J. L. Marcum, Mrs. C. A. Williams, A. B. Stephens, and S. D. Posey.

PARNELL

By MRS. WILLIE ANDERSON

The farewell party given for Mr. and Mrs. Tom Weatherly and boys was well attended. Everyone enjoyed the games and the good time together.

Mrs. L. T. Winn has the flu.

Mrs. Lee Wheeler has been seriously ill, but is better at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Marcum have taken over the cafe of Mrs. Tom Weatherly.

Mrs. T. J. Cope has been ill, but is much improved.

L. T. Winn and Bill Orcutt have returned from Quamada Valley, where they have been on business.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cooper of Hulver spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Trapp.

J. E. Berryman returned to Ada, Okla., Sunday.

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CELERY, large... 10c

CABBAGE, per pound... 3c

RUTABAGA TURNIPS, pound... 4c

CANDY, bulk mixed, 2 pounds... 25c

SPUDS, 10-pound bag... 19c

LEMONS, Sunkist, dozen... 15c

SOAP

25c

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BEANS, 5 cans... 25c

DRN Silver Leaf, 3 No. 2 cans... 25c

COUNTRY BUTTER 30c

BACON, sliced, pound... 20c

HICK CHILI, home made, pound... 20c

PORK CHOPS, per pound... 18c

USAGE, pure pork, pound... 17c

EO, Savoy Brand, pound... 15c

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PRICES Were Never LOWER

Table with 3 columns: OXYDOL (Large size 21c), Folger's COFFEE (1-pound can .26c, 2-pound can .51c), Fruit Cocktail (2 CANS 25c). Second row: Peanut Butter (24-oz. jar .20c), Vienna Sausage (2 cans .15c), Wheaties (2 packages .23c), Peas, Luncheon (No. 2 can .16c), Mince Meat (2 pkgs. .17c), Pickles, sour or dill, quart .14c. Third row: Jell-O (all flavors, 2 pkgs. .11c), CAMPBELL'S Tomato Soup (3 cans .25c), Hominy (2 No. 2 cans .15c), Saniflush (25c can .20c), Scot Tissue (3 rolls .23c), Lux Soap (3 bars .20c). Fourth row: CRISCO (3-pound can .52c, 6-pound can \$1.02), CAKE FLOUR (SWANSDOWN, PKG. 24c), MEAL (AUNT JEMIMA, 5 LBS. 20c).

Table with 2 columns: FRESH VEGETABLES (Lettuce, Mustard Greens, Lemons, Celery, Fresh Onions, Radishes, Carrots) and FIELDS' MARKET (We invite you to use the facilities of our market in planning meals...).

Table with 3 columns: FLOUR (AMARYLLIS, 24-lb. sack 79c), PURE CANE SUGAR (10 pounds .55c, 25 pounds \$1.33), Salad Dressing (White Swan, Quart 29c).

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## IT MUST BE 'GRAPES OF WRATH'

Dear Mr. Editor:  
 Last week, if you recall, I wrote to you about those detestable tumble weeds which lead me to believe at times that I am really living in the devastated area described in that best selling novel, "Grapes of Wrath."

You can be assured that I was extremely grateful to you for publishing the letter I wrote, but for some reason or another, I cannot tell that it did much good. I know a few people read it, for I heard them talking about it.

What those people said amounted to just about this: It's a "durn" shame that we have to have so many tumble weeds wandering around not only in Memphis but all over the country, but on the other hand, a lot of work would be required to clean up the weeds.

Now, Mr. Editor, it's just like I said last week. I know that you or any other single individual cannot clean up these tumble weeds. But I do know that with the united efforts of everyone the weeds can be completely annihilated.

One of the people I overheard the other day remarked that Hitler would not allow the weeds to run rampant over streets in German cities, or blow carelessly over fields spreading seeds and harming the productivity of the land.

Now I don't mean to say it takes a dictatorship to clean up this mess of weeds. What I mean to say is that if we in an agricultural section are going to help with the national defense of our country, then one of the least things we can do is keep weeds from taking over the land. Get what I mean?

If this letter to you doesn't do some good along the line of helping to clean up our town, then I guess I will just drop the matter.

Weeds, as you know, Mr. Editor, are like some human beings—they're parasitic.

## A LIGHT THAT FAILS

WHEN COLUMBUS was a little boy, he thought the world he knew was living in an age of darkness, and he was right.

He started out on a journey to find new routes to other parts of the world. It took him months to make the trip to this new land, and it was hard to convince others that there was such a land.

Today the people of the world think they know all about other lands. They think they know how other people live, what they do, how they act, and all about them.

But is this true? Do you know what is really happening in Germany? Do you know what is happening in Russia? Do you know how the Chinese are living?

You might know these things, but it is extremely doubtful. It's true, of course, that the newspapers carry stories of happenings in far-away countries, stories which are only a few hours old. The telegraphic system has made this possible.

Yet these stories are censored in some countries, and we are in the dark about the real truth. Then, too, reporters are unable to visit many of the camps in the countries at war where prisoners are kept.

There are three million men new prisoners of one country or another, it has been reported. Part of these are in Germany, part in France, part in Russia, and others in the other countries at war. Had it ever occurred to you what these three million people are doing?

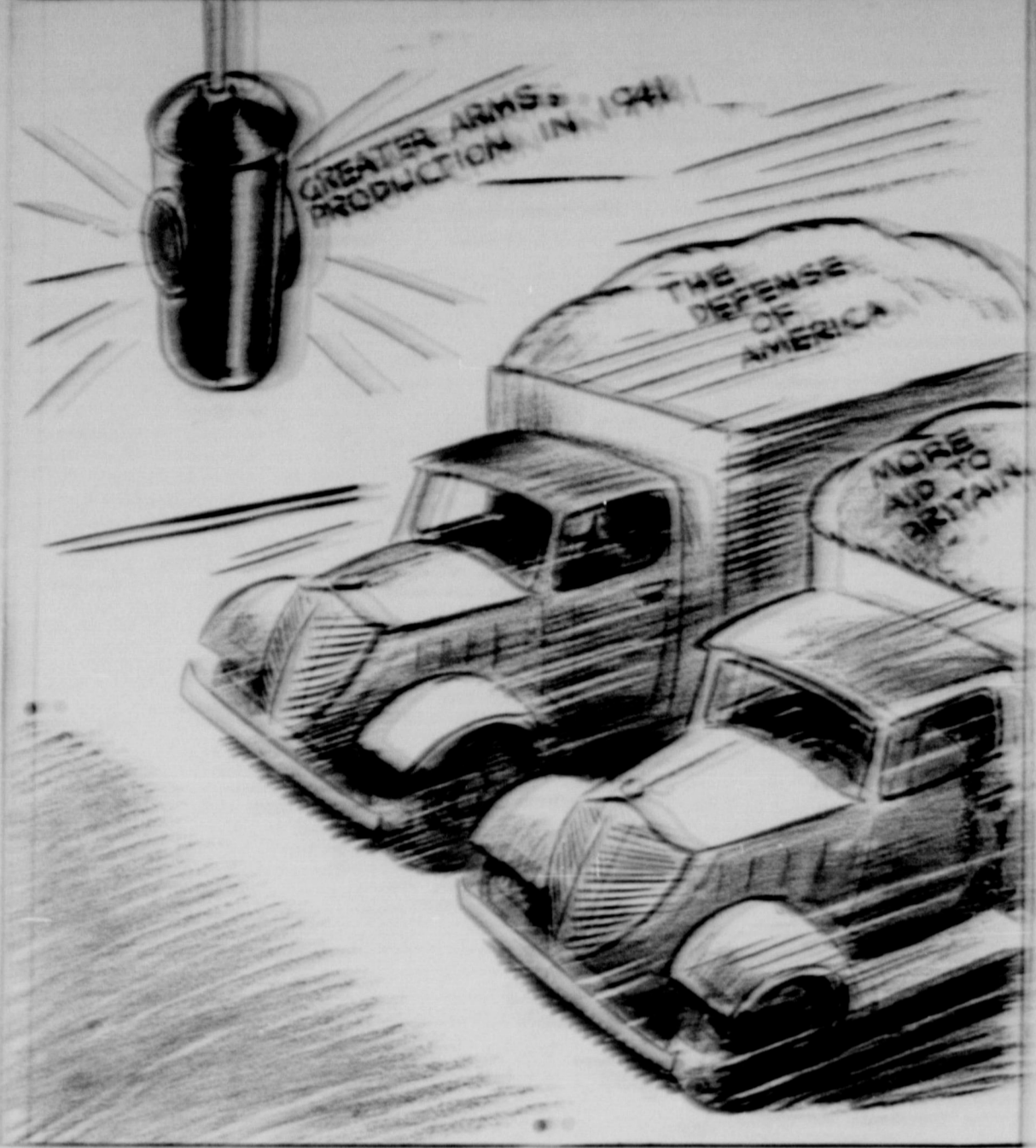
Are they in distress? Or do they have all the essentials of life? Do they become ill, and receive no treatment? Or do the countries holding them as prisoners care for them? Do any of them ever starve to death or die because of the lack of a well balanced diet? Or are they well fed?

What about all those millions of French people now living under German domination? We never hear much more of them. What about those people who used to be citizens of Denmark, and are now under German control? What happened to the Polish people, who no longer have a country?

Sure, we think we know what other people are doing. But despite the wireless communication systems, despite the fast means of travel afforded by airships, despite all these other "modern" conveniences which are of the informative type, we still know little of what is really going on.

It's a "dark age" all right, yet five hundred years ago, Mother Shipton wrote of 1926: "Old worlds will die and new be born." So far her prophecy is coming true.

## GREEN LIGHT



## Press Paragraphs

CULLED FROM THE DEMOCRAT'S EXCHANGES

**The Future**  
 The Wheeler Times: Our people should see the handwriting on the wall. No man can blame anyone but himself if he allows the trend of government domination of the individual and free enterprise that wrecked the liberties of European nations to gain headway here.

**Things**  
 "Shed" in the Moment News: Things that generally come the worse disposition of any good man. The good wife to ask four times in a row, what he did with that quarter he invented out of the grocery money. Son to offer advice on how to change a flat tire on the family chariot when the temperature is in the nineties and the family has already driven four hours. That friend who has overtaken your affairs for weeks suddenly moves to resume being a friend, and the wife says, "I told you so!" Some one laughs loudly when he hits the east—on his fourth. When he comes in at 12 midnight and finds that Junior has left a string of eggs between him and the light switch. And needless to say, other things almost too numerous to mention.

**Dresses of Milk**  
 "The Apostle" of the Donkey County Leader: Now that they are making women's dresses out of milk, what will she do if she should start to curdle?

**"Wah"**  
 The Lubbock Morning Avalanche: We cannot take the chance that the British may be falsely crying "wah," for an immediate selfish purpose. We can't take that chance because the possibilities are too strong that the wah may actually have been sighted.

**He Quit Smoking—Once**  
 Douglas Meador in the Matador Tribune: Exercising my will power to the breaking point, I

once quit smoking for two days with degree in this nation in order after burning my automobile from cent years.

**The French**  
 The Oklahoman Tribune-Chief: There are only two kinds of people in France today—one kind wants the British to win and the other kind wants the Germans to lose.

**Miracles**  
 "Daily Herald" in the Claude News: A wagon maker, who had been chump for a number of years, picked up a hub and spoke. A blind carpenter on the same day, reached out for a plane and saw a deaf almost unknown word out with his dog and head. A homeless fisherman caught a barrel of herring and melt.

**Until the First**  
 Ed Bishop in the Dalhart Telegram: (written, of course, before Christmas). It isn't how many days until Christmas with most of us now. It's how many days until the first.

**Lazy Dixie**  
 Virginia Anderson in the Shamrock Texan: A current favorite of Mrs. Claude Shelton, who can certainly get hold of some dizzy numbers, is the little poem: Fuzzy Wuzzy was a bear; Fuzzy Wuzzy lost his hair; Fuzzy Wuzzy wasn't fuzzy, was he?

**Road Bonds**  
 The Canyon News: A man in counties to call road bond elections. It was a Santa Claus affair, according to press reports. Bond salesmen induced contributions to call these elections for the purpose of increasing their bonded indebtedness with the view of the state taking over the load. Many of the counties had hitherto refused to vote bond issues and the state had to complete practically all of the primary roads in these counties. Getting something for nothing has developed to the

**Sleeping, Working**  
 The Mountain News: A man should work eight hours and sleep eight—but not the same eight hours.

**The War**  
 The Stephenville Empire-Tribune: If, as England hopes, Italy should fall, the blow to Germany would be terrific. Hitler would lose more than a partner of dubious courage and power. He would take a terrific beating in prestige and in the small countries he has forced into his grandiose Axis.

**A Correction**  
 The Tulsa Herald: Calling all girls! Here's some good news—out of the press!

**J. O. Bass**  
 J. O. Bass isn't married, as stated in the Herald last week.

**The handsome young exponent**  
 of "love and love again" is still on the loose, but Cotton E. O. is already roped and tied down, presumably for life.

**Through a mistake**, the Herald stated that J. O. Bass married Miss Pauline Vineyard of Kress. E. O. Bass married Miss Vineyard.

**J. O. Bass**  
 J. O. Bass isn't married, as stated in the Herald last week. He can be found in the Taylor community almost any night, and his father, Blonds, bra-nettes, and breadbuns preferred.

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## Large Number of Civil Service Jobs Opening Daily, Thompson Announces

A large number of jobs under the U. S. Civil Service administration are opening daily, Glenn Thompson, local secretary of the U. S. Civil Service commission, said this week.

A part of the positions, Thompson explained, might be filled with Hall Countyans, since the type of work varies greatly.

Among those which are being opened for exams is the place of junior communications operator, the same type of position which a former Memphisian, Carl Nuhn, is now holding in Nebraska. Certain qualifications must be met, and further information may be obtained from Thompson at the post office.

Another job open for examination is that of a junior calculator-machine operator. The job pays \$1,440 a year, and applications must be in by January 15. A practical examination on the operation of the machine must be taken, it was explained.

Other positions listed include that of metallurgical engineer and metallurgist, with salaries ranging from \$3,200 to \$5,000 a year, and inspectors of ordnance materials, with salaries ranging from \$1,820 to \$2,300 a year. Applications for the positions as inspectors will be taken until further notice, it was stated.

## BRICE

Mr. and Mrs. Hilburn Gattis are visiting relatives in Clarksburg, N. M., for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dickens are leaving this week for a visit with her sister in Fort Worth. From there she will go to Santa Anna, Calif., to spend several months with her children.

Rev. Crossland and family from Plainview held his first Sunday appointment, preaching Saturday night and Sunday morning and night.

Ray Palmer and Homer Speed of Clarendon visited in Brice Wednesday.

Mrs. George Dickens entertained the "42" club with a party Friday night.

Mrs. J. W. Reeves of Hadley, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Moriman, returned home Saturday.

Quiet a number of Brice people attended the amateur program in Lakeview Thursday night, and also the basketball game Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Tooe and Mrs. G. H. Lane and daughter visited in the D. S. Smallwood home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Romer Johnson visited in the Higgins home Sunday.

Elmer and Albert Wood have returned home after a short visit in Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Salton have moved to Mineral Wells, where they will make their home for a few months.

Zackie Salton, who has been visiting her parents during the holidays, returned to Canyon Sunday, where she will resume studies at WTSC.

Mr. and Mrs. James McAnear and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Higgins and Mrs. Ted McAnear and family Sunday.

H. Norman and son made a business trip to Wichita Falls Monday.

Larold Holland has returned to Clarendon after a visit with her parents during the Christmas holidays.

Miss Dattien is spending a few days in Amarillo with friends and relatives.

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# Personalities

**LYDE ROBERTSON**  
Date of birth, November 14, Lakeview.  
Physical description— Eyes, hair, blonde; height, 5 feet 3 inches; weight, 127.  
Favorite food—French fried oysters.  
Ambition—Hasn't decided on a career.  
Achievements—She has been a member of the Home Economics Club for three years, a member of the pep squad for four years, one of the leaders this year, reporter of her junior class, was chosen FFA sweetheart of the year.

**R. S. WANSLEY**  
Date of birth, February 28, 1924.  
Physical description— Eyes, hair, blonde; height, 5 feet, 6 inches; weight, 150.  
Favorite food—Fried chicken.  
Ambition—Courtship beautiful woman.  
Achievements—Usually known as "Mutt," very outstanding member of his freshman class, vice president of his sophomore class, president of his junior class, has been a member of the FFA for two years, serving as leader of his freshman year. He played on the football team two years at the guard and tackle positions.

**COMMERCIAL TEACHER**  
Irene H. Hott, commercial teacher in Lakeview High School, born at Clarendon, Tex., April 21, 1917. He attended school and graduated from Clarendon High School. He attended Clarendon Junior college, attended Sam Houston State Teachers College at Huntsville, Tex., receiving his B. B. A. degree. This is his first year teaching here at Lakeview, and he is very popular with everyone. He likes good radio programs, especially the comedies, and he likes students who come in on time. It would be hard to distinguish high school boys who are in a group of them because he is only 5 feet 8 inches tall and weighs 137—and he says he is a 7-1-2 size shoe.

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# The Eagle

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## Honor Students of Lakeview Grade School Announced

**Roll Includes Students in First Seven Grades of Lakeview Grade School**  
Honor students of the Lakeview grade school, including the first seven grades, were announced this week. They are as follows:  
First grade: Perry Glyn Kennedy, Donald Payne, Alton Peck, Jimmie Paul Robertson, Bobbie Sue Milton, Mary Beatrice McCann.  
Second grade: Ray Nell Foster, Iva Mae Cartwright, Joyce Laverne Durrett, Jerlean Merritt, Wilma Ruth Hall, John Luther Byars, Mary Joe Davenport, Herbert Wallace, Kenneth Barbee, Jimmie Ellis, Joe Melvin Thompson, Laverne Davis.  
Third grade: Douglas Story, Carl Jack Smith, Don Wright, Wynynn Cunningham, Marjory Foster, Yreva Shearer, Jeannine Waldrop.  
Fourth grade: Charles Morrison, Billy Salmon, Donald Ray Russell and Bobby Jean Davis.  
Fifth grade: Alene Cunningham, Martha Pearl Davenport, Vaudene Byars, Joan Marie Heron, Leon Hoggatt, Leon Martin, Jeannine Adams.  
Sixth grade: Bobby Jean Mitchell, Bobby Joyce Adams.  
Seventh grade: Elnoria Barbee, Bobby Alvin, Nadene Graves, Bobby Helen Grimes, Betty Hughes, Floella Story.

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## Editorial

**IMPROVEMENTS**  
Day after day we students come to school and pay little or no attention to the improvements being made. To one who has not been to Lakeview for a few weeks would be evidence of a great change. Since the second week in November, lights have been placed on the football field, cement posts have been placed around the sidelines, and the field has been leveled. The foundation has been laid for the rock wall and a great portion of the wall itself is now well above the ground. Load after load of rich soil has been put in the low places around the building to help eliminate the usual mud holes. It is remarkable what differences a little improving will make. Make it a point to drive by sometime and see the progress being made. Then you, too, can join us in our pride.

**RESOLUTIONS**  
The coming of the New Year brings many resolutions. Many people make resolutions, but who keeps them? As students in grade school we made a list of resolutions for the new year and generally observed them. However, as we grew older we forgot what resolutions were for. By the time we reached High School, most of us had forgotten even to make resolutions. It seems that in high school we are too busy to remember to make resolutions or to keep them. If resolutions are made they should be observed. High school students remember this. The years we spend in high school offer the greatest opportunities. We should resolve to study more diligently and thereby we can be better students and accomplish greater things. When you make resolutions stick to them. Don't resolve to do today and forget tomorrow. "He who will do it; He who doesn't won't."

**Locals and Personals**

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Reheis of Douglas, Kans., visited Friday of last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Reheis. The Kansans were en route to their home from Buckeye, Ariz., where they had been visiting with their daughter, Mrs. Ted Miller. H. F. and J. E. Reheis are brothers.

Dick Oakley of Reedley, Calif., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oakley, last week.

Eva Mae Holcomb visited in Amarillo last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Regnal Greenhaw of Amarillo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Greenhaw, here Saturday and Sunday.

## NEWLIN

By MRS. FRED HEMPHILL

**Fairy Mae Seets Returned To Hospital**  
Fairy Mae Seets, daughter of Mr. William Seets, was returned to a Memphis hospital last week after spending a few days at the home of her aunt in Hedley. She is recovering from an appendicitis operation made several weeks ago, and is reported some better at this time.

**Church Activity**  
Rev. J. P. Cole, Methodist pastor here, filled his regular appointment Sunday and announced his plans for the new year for the church. Announcement was made of a mission special day in Vernon Monday. Mid-week Bible study is held each week, but the attendance has been low because of so much illness.

**Newlin Has Monthly Publication**  
Rev. J. P. Cole, Methodist pastor, publishes a monthly periodical called the Gleaner, which carries several advertisements from various firms over the county, and also news of interest to the two churches in this circuit. Several hundred copies are printed and sent to the members of both churches and a large number sent to other places.

**Visitors**  
S. D. Ballard and son L. D. of Plainview spent Sunday with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ballard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Elliott took their daughters, Misses Eloise and Berniece, to Denton Thursday where they will resume studies in T. S. C. W. Mr. and Mrs. Elliott went from there to Bonham, where they visited his mother for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Cooke and family are moving this week to Estelline. Mr. Cooke has been barbering here for the past six months.

A. O. Phillips and son Alvin of Eli spent Monday in Newlin on business.

Miss Bonnie Davis of Wichita Falls spent the weekend with her parents here, returning home Sunday.

J. R. Long of Broken Bow, Okla., is here visiting his father, R. D. Long.

Royce Lee and Estes Nelson returned Saturday morning from Dallas where they went to enroll in an airplane assembly school last week. They were disqualified because of physical conditions.

Delbert Murphy of Ropes is here visiting his father, Forest Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Shelton returned Sunday from a short visit in El Paso. They returned with Bill Burnett.

**FORMER RESIDENT HERE**  
Mrs. Fannie Craft of Orange Cove, Calif., spent the holidays in the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oakley of near Memphis. Mrs. Craft is the former Fannie Robertson of Memphis. She was born in Hall County 40 years ago, Mr. Oakley said.

**Hoyt's Flushed Out All Poison, Says Mr. Spencer**

**Lubbock Resident Says Hoyt's Compound Ended Constipation, Heart Burn, Gas Pains and Sourness**

"Constipation, heart burn, sour stomach and gas bloating filled my system with poison," says Mr. J. M. Spencer, of 223 Ave. R, Lubbock, Texas. "My stomach was upset, my kidneys were bad, I had severe pains across my back. I was underweight, run-down and nervous. I could hardly eat. At last I gave up hope of finding relief. "But after a few doses of Hoyt's Compound, I could see a change. Now my bowels are more regular, and I eat without suffering. The pains are gone, I sleep well, have a good appetite, am gaining weight." Hoyt's Compound is recommended and sold by Tarver's Drug Store and is carried, for your convenience, by all druggists.



MR. J. M. SPENCER

## Forestry Service Plants Red Cedars

"Over 144,000 red cedars are being dug at the Plainview nursery for planting in Texas shelterbelts," reported W. E. Webb, state director of the Prairie States Forestry project. Due to unusually favorable weather, the planting of red cedar is already underway. Better survival is expected from these red cedar than in previous years, stated Mr. Webb, as these trees have gone through a hardening-off process which has put them in excellent condition for handling and setting in the ground.

In past years, these trees had to be hauled long distances and often it took from three to six weeks from the time they left the nursery until they were placed in the background. Everything possible was done to keep the trees dormant even to placing them in cold storage, but even this failed. To eliminate this loss from handling, the trees are going to be dug at the Plainview nursery twice weekly and placed in the ground before the week has gone by, the director explained.

This year early experimental plantings indicate that the locally grown red cedar will give much better results, declared Mr. Webb. Trees planted in October and early November are in excellent condition due to the presence of plenty of soil moisture. Very few show any signs of dying.

Later on a good many thousand southern yellow pine will be planted in Texas shelterbelts. Some southern pine will be delivered to the shelterbelt project by E. O. Sieske, director of the Texas Forestry Service and a good many western yellow pine will be received from the National Forestry nursery at Monument, Colo.

Mixed poultry feeds tend to lose their vitamin A content with age. Brazil's largest cotton crop in 1937 was only two-fifths as large as that of Texas for the same year.

## ELI

By VALDA SMITH

Sunday School officers and teachers were elected Sunday for the new year. Due to the cold weather, only a small number was present.

Mr. and Mrs. Y. Z. Smith and family visited in the Frank Smith home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller and daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. Edd Smith and family Sunday.

Roy Smith filled the pulpit at the Antelope Flat church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Snowdon and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Baker Thursday night of last week.

Jim Milton Smith accompanied Tuis and Lewis Smith to Abilene Friday night, where they plan to work.

Several from this community attended the basketball games in Memphis Tuesday night of last week.

Donald Ray Fuller spent Sunday with James Smith.

Rev. Milton Evans will fill his regular appointment Sunday.

Mr. McBrewer was a business visitor in this community Friday morning.

Several farmers attended the stock sale in Memphis Monday.

**FRIENDSHIP**  
By JACQUE BASHAM

Nora Nell Lockhart spent Sunday with Ruby Gardenhire.

Robert Lane of Dimmitt is visiting relatives here.

Rayford Harris and Bill Johnson of Amarillo spent last weekend here.

Katherine Welch visited Mary Helen Padgett Saturday.

Billie Gardenhire was a guest of Tim Basham Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Carder and daughter Charlene of Amarillo were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Padgett and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Gardenhire and son Edward were guests of

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Morrison Thursday night.

F. J. and Marguerite Gardenhire have returned home from their visit in Wichita.

Helen Wilson visited her mother Monday afternoon.

Most of the younger children of this community are either exposed or taking the chicken pox.

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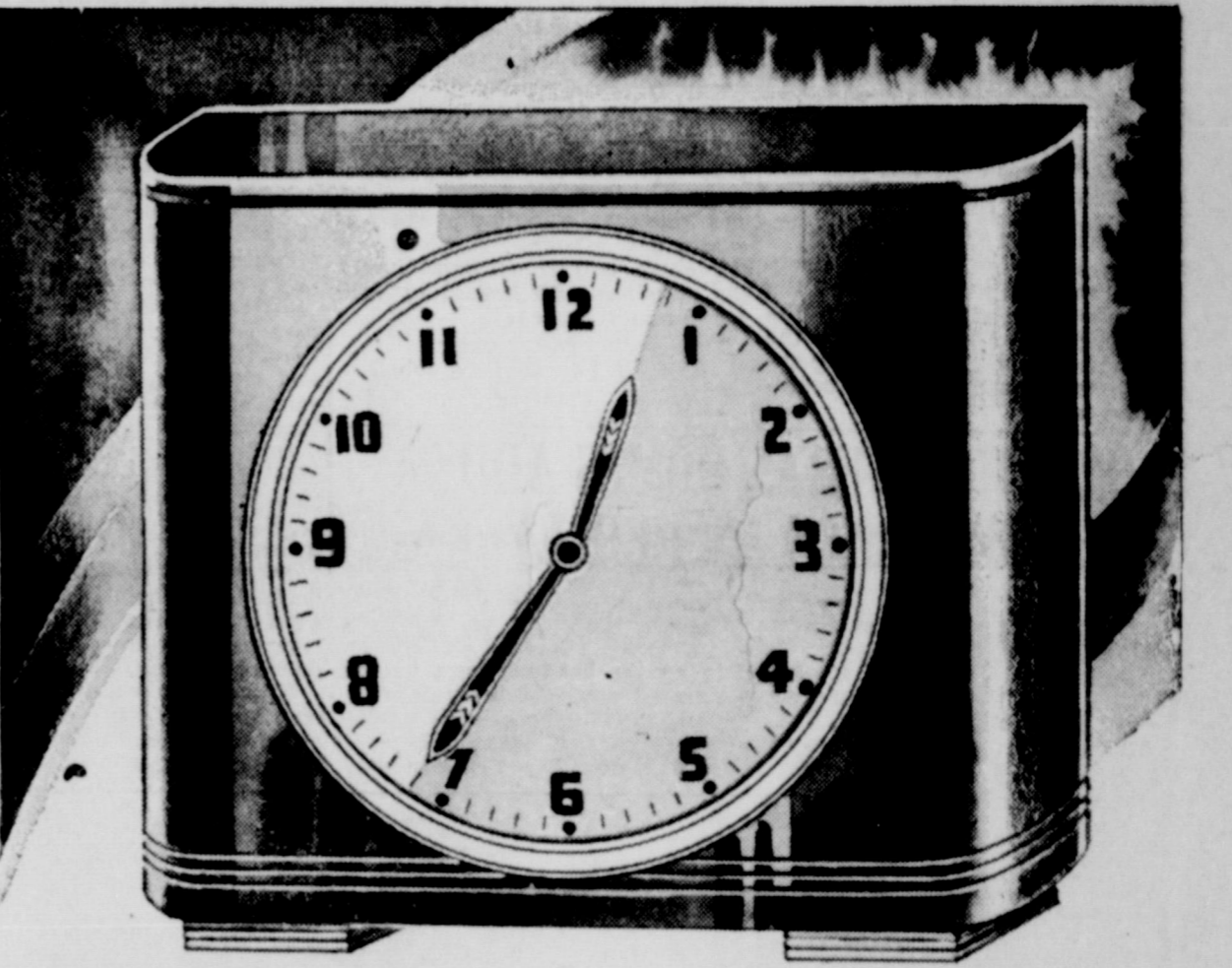
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### Poem Recordings Heard by Classes

The classes in American Literature under the direction of Miss Joyce Shonta have had their recording of modern poetry enriched by hearing recordings of famous poems.

With the study of Edwin Marchant's poem, "The Man with the Hoe," the class listened to a time-recording of the poem given by Marchant himself. Five of his other poems were given.

The records were played on a record player and picked up on the radio. During the study of Vachel Lindsay's poems, the classes heard recording of Lindsay's ever-famous poem, "The Congo."

After having heard this selection the students more clearly understood the meaning of the term "half-enchanted lyric," as pertaining to Lindsay's style.

### Exempt Students To Be Announced

Exemptions from the semester examinations will be announced next Tuesday.

Students exempt in all subjects will not be required to attend school Wednesday, January 19, examinations day. Those certainly exempt will attend class, but will not take the examinations in the subject in which they are exempt.

Books will be changed in English and economics class when the students meet those classes. Fees for the second semester will be collected Monday, January 20.

### Local Students to Be on Broadcast

The home economics and vocational agriculture departments will put on a joint program over station KGNC, Amarillo, January 19, from 3 to 5:15 o'clock in the afternoon.

The students to take part in the program have not been selected, but will be by the end of the week.

The program, with an introduction by W. C. Davis, superintendent, will consist of what the two departments have done this year and plan to do in 1934.

**BEGIN TRANSCRIPTION**

The shorthand class has progressed so rapidly this year that the students have already begun the transcription of their notes on the typewriter, rather than waiting until the second semester as is usually the case.

### WOMACK FUNERAL HOMES ADD 1941 AMBULANCE AT HEDLEY

Continuing to offer the finest within the very near future, and very latest in equipment, the Hedley funeral home will have Memorial Funeral Home of Hedley, Tex. as its headquarters, having added a new 1941 ambulance to its equipment in Memphis, having purchased one of the finest trucks in equipment this past week. This home in Memphis and Hedley, Tex., has set an example to raise competition into a Modern type of service in Hedley Funeral Home.

# Memphis School News

Prepared and Submitted by  
WEST WARD — JUNIOR HIGH AND HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES  
Memphis High School  
REPORTS ON ACADEMIC, ATHLETIC AND EXTRA-CURRICULA ENDEAVORS



STAR—Lila Biza, one of the All-American Red Heads to meet the Faculty Ramblers in the local gym January 24. She is playing her 4th season with the Red Heads, is 6 feet tall, weighs 140, and can outjump the average player her same height.

**CLASS PLOT GRAPHS**

Each student enrolled in first year typing is to keep a personal progress chart, showing his average words per minute and average errors per minute. A glance at the chart will show immediately the standing with regard to both speed and accuracy.

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**Officers Elected For Department**

The social science department of the 8th grade have organized clubs in sections 81, 82, and 83, respectively, and have elected officers.

In section 81, the officers are: president, Glyn Baker, vice president, Duff Conpton, secretary and treasurer, Mary Ruth Anderson, and parliamentarian, Lynn Benson.

Officers in section 82 are: president, Lodie Brown, vice president, Robert Hanvey, secretary-treasurer, Rayburn Jones, and parliamentarian, Dave Price.

Section 83 officers are: president, Ola Mae Greenwood, vice president, Ruby Neal, secretary-treasurer, Eriella Mueller, and parliamentarian, Nellie Clark.

Those clubs will meet twice each month. They have definite aims, and are already displaying much interest and enthusiasm.

### Diversified Occupations Class Offers Training for Pupils at Moderate Cost

### 18 Out-of-School Begin Shop Work

The diversified occupations program offers occupational training in communities at a moderate cost, since it requires only regular classroom facilities and reference materials.

The establishments of employers are used for training students in occupational activities for one-half of the day, and the other half is spent in school. A minimum of ninety minutes of the student's daily school time is devoted to study of subject directly related to their chosen occupations. The remainder of the time in school is devoted to regular academic courses.

This work is given in the junior and senior years, and the acquisition of occupational training in this manner does not preclude graduation from the regular high school.

### H. E. Girls Serve Dinner at School

A dinner was served by a group of homemaking girls in the department Wednesday, January 17, at 6 o'clock. Guests were Bill Pletcher, C. E. Headstream, Norman Heath, Frank Martin, and Jack Jarrell. Hostess was Miss Thelma Lee Messer.

The menu consisted of apricot nectar, meat loaf, stuffed celery, olives, tomato sauce, green beans, potatoes, coffee, hot rolls, jelly, butter, cherry pie, and whipped cream.

The following girls served the dinner: Geneva Melton, Betty Jo Mitchell, Ila Mae Robertson, Minnie Lou Rabby, and Thelma Lee Messer.

### New Pupils Enter Local High School

Several new students entered Memphis High School Monday after the holidays, coming from various parts of the state and nation.

Some were new students entering Memphis for the first time, while several are former students. Regardless of the fact that they be old or new, from schools in this state or out of the state, they are welcome in Memphis schools.

Principal Noah Cunningham said, "The entries are as follows: Winifred Miller and Ruth Eastman, Little from Santa Maria, California; Billy Tunimison from Wilmer; A. E. Stewart Jr. from Turkey; Mignon Womack from Vallojo, California; Maxine and Beatrice Roach from Olton, Texas.

### Cotton Dresses to Be Finished Soon

The first-year clothing class will complete their cotton dresses this week.

These dresses will be judged to determine which one will be sent to the state homemaking rally in San Antonio next April. The dresses are all made of cotton prints, of simple patterns, and the average cost is one dollar.

The girls have been working on these dresses about four weeks in the clothing classes.

### Uniforms for Band Arrive in Memphis

The new uniforms for the high school band arrived Saturday of last week. Uniforms for 43 members, the drum major, and director will be issued some time this week.

The band has been practicing drills in marching for the contest to be held in Amarillo this spring.

### Vegetable Laxative Makes Happy Friends

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### Ag Students Make Study of Judging Band Prepared Music Competitions

The first-year agriculture students have been studying beef cattle and judging.

Field trips have been taken to S. B. Pailmeyer's feeding pens where judging of beef calves has taken place. The first-year agriculture boys are working on "Judging Barrows."

The second-year class, after spending some time on insects and diseases, is now beginning to study advanced work in judging both feeding and breeding animals.

The third-year class is making preparations to enter a team in the poultry contest in Cleburne January 18. The team will judge three classes of white leghorns, three classes of Rhode Island Reds, and three classes of Plymouth barred rocks, as well as take an examination of fifty questions based on poultry.

The Memphis Future Farmers are now ready to sell garden seed to anyone wanting them for 5 cents per package.

By an analysis of the viability and germination of these seeds, it was shown that no other seed measured up to the Hygrade garden seed in this respect; it was reported.

These seeds will be kept here about two weeks and then sent back to the Hygrade Seed Company, Fredonia, N. Y. The Hygrade seed that the future farmers have to sell were grown in Texas by a substitution of the Hygrade Company and are adapted to soil, temperature, and climatic conditions found in this community; it was explained.

An estimated 2,000,000 Jersey cows are on Texas farms, representing 80 per cent of the cows milked in the state.

### Local FFA Has Seed to Sell Here

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# E. Cudd Purchases Entire Carload of Tires for Station



**NEW ARRIVALS**—Here are some of the 500 automobile, truck, bus and tractor tires displayed in front of the E. E. Cudd Service Station of this city. This car-load shipment of tires, possibly the largest ever received in Memphis, was received Saturday from the Firestone Tire and Rubber Company by Mr. Cudd, local Firestone dealer. In the picture, reading from left to right, are Art Miller, Jack Miller, Elmer Siddle, Jack Nivens, Chester Grimes, Slats Burks, E. E. Cudd and Nelson Combest.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Cosby attended the Cotton Bowl game in Dallas new year's day. Miss Lena Melear spent a few days of last week visiting in Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Roy R. Fultz visited friends in Petrolia and Wichita Falls last week. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whitaker of Levelland visited her brother, Homer Tucker, here Wednesday.

## Mrs. T. J. Earp of White Deer Dies

Funeral services were held last Friday afternoon in McLean for Mrs. T. J. Earp of White Deer, former resident of Memphis.

Mrs. Earp, 45, died Wednesday morning of last week at the home of her sister, Mrs. M. D. Porter of Robert Lee. Born in Memphis, Mrs. Earp later moved to White Deer. From there she went to California, then returned to Texas, living for a while in Panhandle, then later in White Deer.

Survivors include her husband, one daughter, Mrs. R. C. Bennett of San Bernardino, Calif., and a son, J. B. Earp of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Allen returned Sunday night from Tyler, where they have been visiting his parents for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Bean visited friends in Amarillo and Canyon last week-end.

## 88 Per Cent Favor Quotas in Texas

Final tabulation of the ballots cast in the AAA's cotton marketing quota referendum December 7 showed 137,052 votes in Texas favoring quotas and 18,588 opposing for a total vote of 155,640 and a favorable percentage of 88.1 per cent.

The total vote dropped about 14,000 from last year's total but the percentage of voters favoring quotas climbed from last year's 82 per cent to 88.1 per cent this year, B. F. Vance, assistant state AAA administrative officer, pointed out.

Analyzing the returns, Vance said that in 176 counties out of the 225 in which farmers voted the percentage favoring quotas was larger than last year, while in only 45 counties was the favorable percentage smaller. In 4 counties the percentage was unchanged—100 per cent last year and this year.

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## ment Is One Largest Ever to Memphis

car-load of Firestone tires received in Memphis by the Firestone dealer, E. E. Cudd, constituting what is thought to be the largest single shipment of tires ever to be received in Memphis.

According to Mr. Cudd, these tires were selected in such a manner as to be able to fit any car, bus, or tractor in this vicinity. The tires were unloaded and stacked in front of the service station Saturday afternoon.

Cudd is a veteran automobile service station man in this business for 22 years. A little over a year ago, he opened his present place of business after having remodeled the building to suit his needs. The business remains open day and night and has a complete automotive service including repair work.

## Campaign to Fight Infantile Paralysis Underway

Leaders in Various Fields in Movement to Raise Funds to Fight Disease

Organization for the 1941 "Fight Infantile Paralysis" campaign was organized to complete this week. Leaders in business, the sports and women's activities prepared for a record-smashing drive against the crippling disease.

Messages from all parts of the state informed Keith Morgan, national chairman of the committee, of the celebration of the President's birthday anniversary that day. The slogan is "Help the Ed Magister Around Your Own Corner."

Among the first to give his full support to the drive was the former mayor, James A. Farley, who accepted the chairmanship of the campaign. Farley will work in close cooperation with Grantland Rice, national chairman of the sports council, who has completed a program of events to raise funds for the defense against infantile paralysis.

In the business field, General Wood, chairman of the board of the Sears, Roebuck and Company, has taken the leadership of the drive. General Wood has accepted the chairmanship of the Retail Committee which will support the campaign through the support of retail merchants.

Meanwhile, committees in 48 counties are spreading their mobilization drive. Indiana is the first state to be completely organized with chairmen and their assistants operating in its 92 counties. Indiana's chairman, Don Stiver, superintendent of state police and director of public safety, informed Mr. Farley that he is convinced the state's enthusiasm in the fight is shared by the entire West.

## School for Singers Plaska to Close Friday Night

to Be for All Hall Large Number Expected to Attend

A singing school at Plaska, Texas, closed the past two weeks, and will close Friday night with an hour-long program for all Hall singers. E. F. Cook of Plaska, who is in charge of the school, announced Wednesday that he is expecting a large number of singers. Mr. Cook said that the singing school from Amarillo has had an average of one hundred at each meeting. It was open for the benefit of the Plaska community. The class has been the most successful to have had so far at Plaska, Mr. Cook said. Three singing schools have also been held.

A program, to be held at the Church, will begin at 6:30 p. m. Mr. Cook said. It will consist of class singing, quartets, and soloists.

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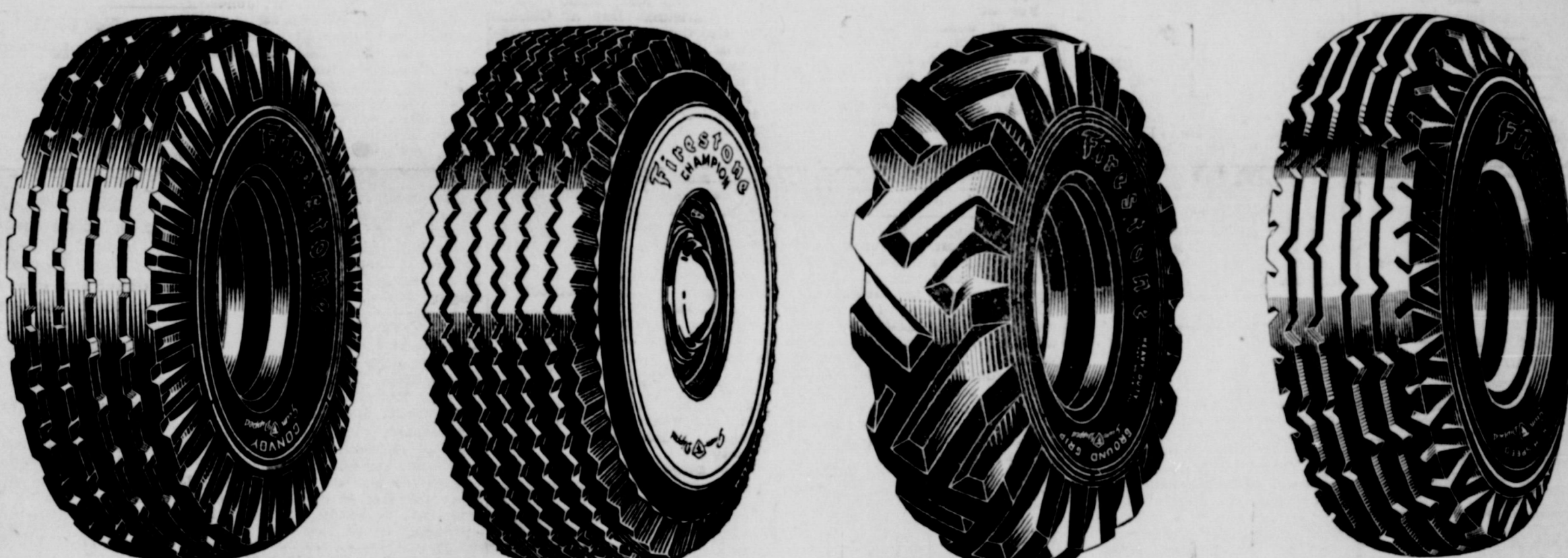
Mrs. Foster Watkins of Amarillo and Canyon visited a few days in Memphis last week.

Foxhall visited a few days in Memphis last week. He and a group of friends were deep-sea diving.



# Just Arrived! ... a carload of 1941 "BABIES"

We are happy to "announce the arrival" of about 500 new 1941 "babies" in our family. These 1941 youngsters arrived January 4, a whole freight car of them, from the Firestone factory at Akron, Ohio. We invite you down to see these new additions, and we know that you'll find just what you want to fill your 1941 needs.



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