

Society News

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PERSONAL MENTION
—CALL 15

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Dorcas Meeting Held in Home of Mrs. E. W. Evans

The Dorcas Society met in the home of Mrs. E. W. Evans Thursday, January 2.

The president, Mrs. W. E. Johnson, opened the business session, and this was followed by Mrs. Lucy Pullen reading Psalms 95. Mrs. J. B. McBeed led in prayer. Mrs. W. P. Wyatt gave a reading, "Contentment."

The group decided to give a quilt to a needy family. The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Lucy Pullen.

Sandwiches and coffee were served to Mesdames J. B. McBeed, E. J. Sims, Sam Brown, A. B. Jones, Dick Baker, M. P. Plummer, F. J. Smith, W. P. Watts, W. E. Johnson, Lucy Pullen, M. H. Braddock, M. O. Goodpasture, T. R. Blades, J. E. Williford, L. O. Dennis, W. A. Simmons, E. W. Evans, F. F. Houston, Vera Roden, C. A. Veteto, and Miss Mary Smith.

Party Is Given at Lakeview in Home of George Payne

Mr. and Mrs. George Payne of Lakeview entertained their family and other relatives with a Christmas Eve party at their home.

Games for both young and old were played and fireworks were enjoyed by the group.

Gifts which had been placed on the decorated Christmas tree by all families were distributed to W. J. Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Payne and daughters; Mr. and Mrs. Slim Payne; Mr. and Mrs. Troy Payne and son; Russell Payne and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gowdy and family; Miss Grace Gowdy; Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Payne and daughter from Las Cruces, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. George Payne and son.

Bags filled with fruit, candy, and nuts were given to each one present.

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 group quilted for the hostess. During the business session the president, Mrs. Hammond, presided. Election of officers was held and the following were elected: Mrs. Carl Wolf, president; Mrs. L. G. Carlos, vice president; Mrs. Lloyd Byars, secretary; Mrs. H. H. Newman, treasurer; and Mrs. Earl Pritchett, reporter.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Carl Wolf, Lloyd Phillips, H. H. Newman, Lloyd Byars, Jerry Wright, J. M. Ferrel, L. G. Carlos, Barney Wattenbarger, Earl Pritchett, and the hostess, Mrs. Hammond.

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 devotional.

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.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. J. R. Mitchell.

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 embroidering 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.

The club will have its next meeting in the home of Mrs. Troy Dunn January 14.

Wilma Tarver and Milbern Gibbs Are Wed at Childress

Miss Wilma Tarver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Tarver of Estelline, and Milbern 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.

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.

Mr. McElreath is a graduate of Texas Tech of Lubbock.

They plan to make their home near Lakeview until the close of the school term.

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."

During the social hour, a salad course was served to Mesdames Mack Wilson, Vera Robinson, Conley Ward, Carl Periman, J. H. Morris, Durwood McCool, Elizabeth Johnston, Ira Foster, Murray Dodson, Ora Denny, Martha Beard, R. A. Wingert, and Misses Mary Noel and Melrose Henderson.

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.

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.

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. L. 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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PICKLES, per gallon	39c
MATCHES, 6-box carton	15c
OXYDOL, giant size, 2 bars Camay FREE	59c
PURE LARD, 8-pound pail	69c
PORK CHOPS, per pound	16c
CHEESE, Longhorn, per pound	19c
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OLEO, Gem, pound	10c

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SPAGHETTI or MACARONI, 3 boxes 10c	PINEAPPLE, sliced or crushed, 3 cans 25c	CRACKERS, 2-pound box 15c	MUSTARD, quart jars 10c
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NO. 1 can 5c; No. 2 cans, 2 for 15c
WHOLE BEANS, No. 2 cans 14c
LUNCHEON PEAS, No. 2 can 17c
20-ounce can 9c
3-pound cello bag 16c
5 pounds 25c
fancy Blue Rose, 5 pounds 29c
PRUNES, 50-60 size, 2 pounds 15c
rice size, per dozen 19c
rice stalks, each 10c
firm heads 5c
green, hard heads, pound 2 1/2c
bulk, per pound 7 1/2c
SAUSAGE, pound 17c
per pound 19c
STEAK, pound 18c
MARGARINE, 2 pounds 25c
BRISKET ROAST, pound 15c

Advertisements in The Democrat!

Here's Review of Last Five Months of 1940

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FOR SALE—Fresh and springer Jersey cows, all young and good grade. B. M. Durrett, Lakeview, Hall Co., Texas. 29-3p

FOR SALE—1933 Ford Coupe, 1935 Chevrolet Coupe. Inquire at Democrat office. dh

Wanted

GOOD WATKINS route open now in Memphis. No car or experience necessary; Watkins Company largest and best known and products easiest sold; usual earning \$20 to \$35 a week. Write J. R. WATKINS COMPANY, 29-92 W. Iowa Ave., Memphis, Tenn. 1p

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 holden 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 Shahan, representing the FSA office; B. F. Parsons, SCS and CCC; F. E. Leary, Memphis Production Credit Association; D. A. Neeley, AAA committee; Walter Neeley, 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.

Burglaries—

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last Saturday and confronted with several of the articles which officers had found.

Some of the stolen articles have been recovered, and Helms told officers where he had sold or pawned others.

The first burglary was at Esteline where four rings, two bracelets, and an electric iron were taken.

The second was at Kirkland, where 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.

Gridmen of—

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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.

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 store was not included in the transaction and will be operated by the Field's interests with D. R. Kelley in charge.

Mr. Gilmore is a native Hall Countyman. 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 Odum-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 his 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 the will enter Amarillo Commercial College.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Ellerd 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.

WEATHERLY

By FAYE WILLIAMS

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.

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. Erie Trapp.

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

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ORANGES 2 DOZEN 25¢	BANANAS DOZEN 15¢
DELICIOUS APPLES LARGE SIZE, DOZEN 25¢	CARROTS, 3 bunches 10c
MINACH, No. 2½ can 10c	LETTUCE, per head 5c
TOMATOES, 3 No. 2 cans 19c	CELERY, large 10c
BEANS, 5 cans 25c	CABBAGE, per pound 3c
DRN Silver Leaf, 3 No. 2 cans 25c	RUTABAGA TURNIPS, pound 4c
COUNTRY BUTTER POUND 30¢	CANDY, bulk mixed, 2 pounds 25c
BACON, sliced, pound 20c	SPUDS, 10-pound bag 19c
HICK CHILI, home made, pound 20c	LEMONS, Sunkist, dozen 15c
PORK CHOPS, per pound 18c	SOAP P & G or CRYSTAL WHITE, 8 BARS 25¢
USAGE, pure pork, pound 17c	YUKON'S BEST FLOUR 48 POUNDS \$1.45
EO Savoy Brand, pound 15c	PURE LARD BRING YOUR PAIL—POUND 7¢

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PRICES Were Never LOWER

OXYDOL LARGE SIZE 21c	Folger's COFFEE 1-pound can . . . 26c 2-pound can . . . 51c	Fruit Cocktail 2 CANS 25c
Peanut Butter, 24-oz. jar 20c	Jell-O, all flavors, 2 pkgs. 11c	CAMPBELL'S Tomato Soup, 3 cans 25c
Vienna Sausage, 2 cans 15c	Hominy, 2 No. 2 cans 15c	Saniflush, 25c can 20c
Wheaties, 2 packages 23c	Scot Tissue, 3 rolls 23c	Lux Soap, 3 bars 20c
Peas, Luncheon, No. 2 can 16c		
Mince Meat, 2 pkgs. 17c		
Pickles, sour or dill, quart 14c		
CRISCO 3-pound can . . . 52c 6-pound can . . \$1.02	CAKE FLOUR SWANSDOWN, PKG. 24c	MEAL AUNT JEMIMA, 5 LBS. 20c
FRESH VEGETABLES LETTUCE, large crisp heads 5c FRESH MUSTARD GREENS, bunch 5c LEMONS, full of juice, dozen 20c CELERY, large bleached stalks 10c FRESH ONIONS, bunch 5c RADISHES, large bunch 5c CARROTS, 5 and 6 in bunch 5c	FIELDS' MARKET We invite you to use the facilities of our market in planning meals. Winter time meals always call for heavier food than in warmer weather, and the best basis for such a meal is steaks, roasts, chops or the many other meats that we can sell you at low prices in spite of their high quality.	
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.

I. Hataweeds

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?

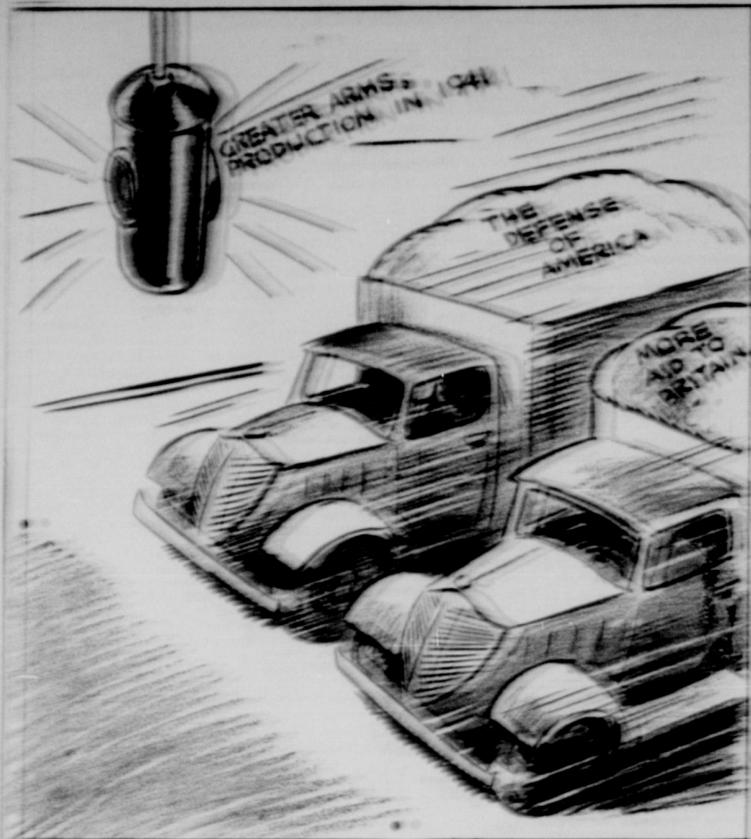
Are they in distress? Or do they have all the essentials of life? Do they become ill, and receive no treatment? Or do the countries holding them as prisoners care for them? Do any of them ever starve to death or die because of the lack of a well balanced diet? Or are they well fed?

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

"Sketch" in the Memphis 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 invested 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 owned your suitcases for weeks suddenly moves to require being paid, 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 one 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

Donkey Leader 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 last year.

carolous "pig" owners. Later I reasoned that the sacrifice was useless since my car was gone, thus removing the element of fire insurance danger.

The French

The Okonah: 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.

Miscellaneous

"Daily Herald" in the Claude News: A wagon maker, who had been chomped 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 road out with his dog and head. A houseless 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 News: 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 air depends on opposition within these countries to help her win the war. German's solving problem is one of the most difficult in history. You can't shoot all dissenters. And one man in a factory, trained in sabotage, could disrupt production for months. It has lately been reported that England is starting a secret sabotage system in central Europe.

A Correction

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

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 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 breadbeads preferred.

Call 15 for Quality Job Printing

Large Number of Civil Service Jobs Opening Daily, Thompson Announced

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 their notice, it was stated.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stone (daughter: Alma) spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert.

J. W. Thomas spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert.

Several have been reported this week with flu and colds.

Walter and Audine, have returned to their home in Claude after visiting here.

Frances Thomas spent with Bonnie Musser at the post office.

Several from here attended the amateur program which was given at Lakeview Thursday night.

Graves, Whitman, and others spent the week-end at Thompson's.

Dorlene, Ray and Mrs. Fort spent Monday night and Mrs. C. G. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hester, family spent Sunday at Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl, who visited in the home of Mrs. F. A. Whitfield.

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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 today. They are as follows:

First grade: Perry Glyn Kennedy, Donald Payne, Alton Peck, Jimmie Paul Robertson, Bobbie Sue Milton, Mary Beatrice McCann.

Billy Mitch Bell, Jimmie Doyle Evans, Gerald Payne, Richard Ray, Joe Wiginton, A. D. Wadley, Eudine Gable, Billie Joe Miller, Nita Ann Offholter, Betty Mae Todd, Betty Joyce Wiggins.

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, Wynne Cunningham, Marjory Foster, Yreva Shearer, Jeannine Waldrop.

Jackie Lee Milton, Charles Morrison, Billy Salmon, Donald Ray Russell and Bobby Jean Davis.

Fourth grade: Alene Cunningham, Martha Pearl Davenport, Vaudene Byars, Joan Marie Heron, Leon Hoggatt, Leon Martin, Jeannine Adams.

Fifth grade: Bobby Jean Mitchell, Bobby Joyce Adams.

Christine Moreman, Elnoria Barbee, Bobby Alvin, Nadene Graves, Bobby Helen Grimes, Betty Hughes, Floella Story.

Sixth grade: Betty Jean Brown, Patricia Montgomery, Florene Story.

Barbara Bell, Tommie Jo Bevers, Jimmie Bullock, Bonnie Edens, Joy Hoggatt, Leroy Wallace, Troy Glen Wiley and Martha Vera Smith.

Seventh grade: James Albert Montgomery, Gwendolyn Scott, Josephine Verden, Clella Pearson, D. Winfred Tyler, Jean Crozier, Roxie Ray Butler, Armon Lee Butler.

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.

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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 today and forget tomorrow. "He who will do; He who doesn't won't."

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our gratitude to the many friends and neighbors who were so kind and thoughtful toward us during our recent period of bereavement. We also hope that you may be shown the same kindness in your times of sorrow. May God's richest blessings rest with you.

Mrs. G. P. Owen
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Mrs. W. C. Johnson
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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.

Rev. L. J. Crawford, Baptist pastor, went to Shamrock Sunday where he is pastor, preaching for both services.

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.

Correction

In the announcement of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Bill McClenny, the name was reported to be Carol Ann, but the name of the baby girl is Wanetta Sue.

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



MR. J. M. SPENCER

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.

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. Sieck, director of the Texas Forest Service and a good many western yellow pine will be received from the National Forest 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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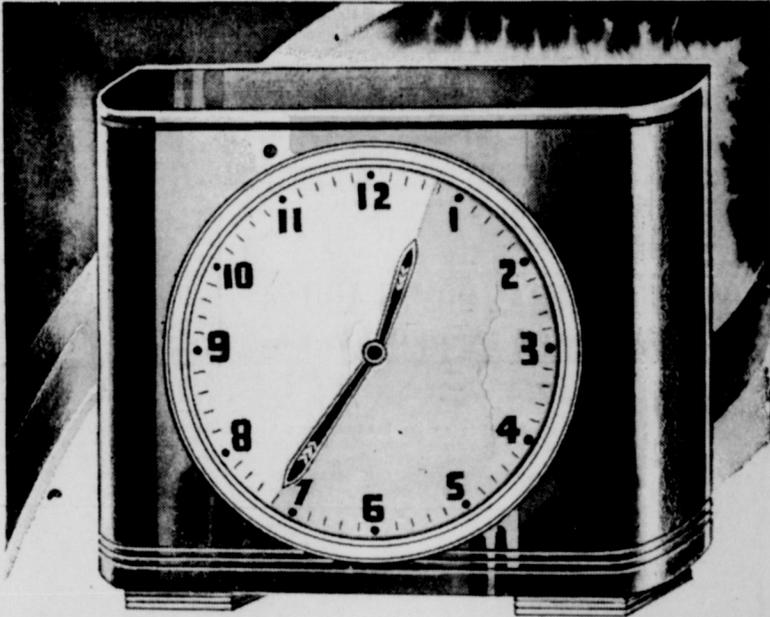
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Poem Recordings Heard by Classes

The classes in American Literature under the direction of Miss Joyce Shasta 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 Marham 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 last 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 their 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, Texas 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, Texas, has set an example to raise competition into a Modern type of service in Hedley Funeral Home.

Memphis School News

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Memphis High School

WEST WARD — JUNIOR HIGH AND HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

REPORTS ON ACADEMIC, ATHLETIC AND EXTRA-CURRICULA ENDEAVORS



STAR—Lila Blue, 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, Duffie 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, Erisella 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

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

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.

It has always been possible for the large cities to set up occupational schools to train students to enter skilled occupations, but means for industrial training in small communities was almost prohibited before the passage of the George Deen Bill in 1927, which provided for part-time schools.

This act made provision for instruction in distributive and public service occupations by a diversified part-time cooperative training program.

The diversified occupations class has the following fifteen students with training agreements with local establishments as training students: Orlo Baker-Rosenwasser's, John Baker-Rosenwasser's, George Carter-Alexander and Ross Rogers-Elford-Weatherby Food, Ed. Foster-Perkins Furniture, Ludie Goff-Rosenwasser's, M. A. G. Hargis-J. C. Penney, Bobby Lindsey-Lindsey Tailor, Travis Mulne-J. C. Penney, Lavagna Miah-Geisler-Battery, Wanda Casey-Greene-Dry Goods, Sam Prather-Taylor Electrical Appliances, Jack Bryant-B. & B. Bakery, John Sargent-M. System Grocery, Hiram Wood-Democrat.

The largest sweet potato production in the state is the title claimed for Georgia, yet shipped only 22 carloads to commercial concerns last year. The Cracker and his spuds are not parted.

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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: Winfred Miller and Ruth East-estine Tittle from Santa Maria, California; Billy Tunimson from Wilmer; A. E. Stewart Jr. from Turkey; Mignam Womack from Vallejo, California; Maxine and Beatrice Roach from Olton, Texas.

Cotton Dresses to Be Finished Soon

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

These dresses will be judged to determine which one will be sent to the state home-making 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

Here's a laxative that usually acts thoroughly as harsh ones but is a gentle persuader for intestines when used this way. A quarter to a half-teaspoonful of spicy, aromatic BLACK-DRAUGHT on your tongue tonight; a drink of water. There's no silly time for a good night's rest, with a gentle, thorough action next morning relieving constipation's headaches, biliousness, sour stomach, bad breath.

BLACK-DRAUGHT is a splendid combination of vegetable ingredients, chief of which is an "intestinal tonic-laxative" that helps impart tone to lazy bowel muscles. It's economical. 25 to 40 doses; 25c.

Ag Students Make Study of Judging

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.

Local FFA Has Seed to Sell Here

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 measures 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.

Band Prepares Music Competitions

Plans are being made for the local Cup-Rule Band to participate in the Amarillo festival.

The festival may be in early March and will be the Amarillo festival.

Dates for the Cup-Rule festival as well as the visiting conductor and sponsored soon. Competitions are being ordered for the studying and promoting Memphis High School probably enter class annual state festival.

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Girls Are Advised to Build-Up Force

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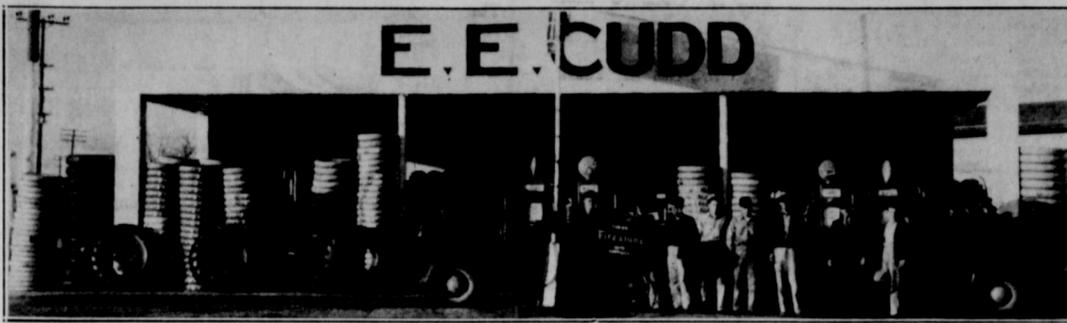
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E. Cudd Purchases Entire Carload of Tires for Station



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 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 after having remodeled the building to suit his needs. The business remains open day and night and has a complete automotive service including...

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 announced 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, chairman of the committee for the celebration of the President's birthday anniversary that the organization is solidly determined to make this year's slogan, "Help the Ed Magister Around Your Own Corner" the first to give his full support to the drive was the former...

School for Singers Plaska to Close Friday Night

to Be for All Hall Large Number Expected to Attend

Singing school at Plaska, Texas, closed the past two weeks, 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.

are expecting a large number of singers," Mr. Cook said, "sing singers from Amarillo number of neighboring communities."

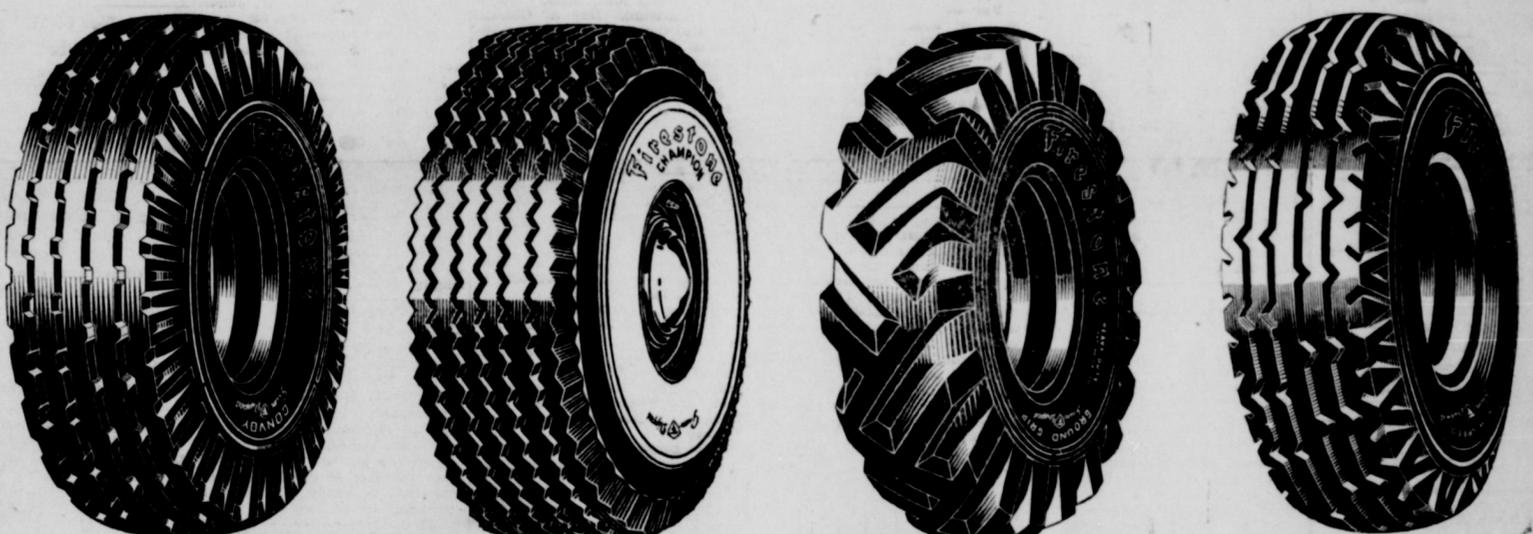
program, to be held at the Church, will begin at 6:30 p.m. Mr. Cook said. It will consist of class singing, quartets, and soloists.

school has had an average of one hundred at each meeting. It was open for several weeks of the Plaska community. The class has been the most successful to have had so far at Plaska, Mr. Cook said. Three classes have also been held.



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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SOCIETY

Mystic Weavers Meet in Home of Mrs. D. A. Grundy

The Mystic Weavers Club met Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. D. A. Grundy.

Mrs. J. W. True, president, presided at a short business session which closed with the election of officers.

A tea-table was set with Mrs. Charles Webster and Mrs. R. E. Wherry presiding.

Those present were Mesdames Sam Harrison, Chas. Webster, Geo. Hattenbach, Henry Read, Seth Palmeyer, Lee Thornton, J. L. Barnes, J. W. True and the hostess, Mrs. Grundy.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Charles Webster, Wednesday, January 22.

Pleasant Valley Club Has Meeting In Crawford Home

The Pleasant Valley Club met with Mrs. H. C. Crawford January 7 with eight members present.

The afternoon was spent in piecing quilts and doing embroidery work for the hostess.

The next meeting will be held January 14 at the home of Mrs. Lois Pate.

Cleveland Kinard of Spokane, Wash., was here a few days the first of the week to visit his cousin and family, D. L. C. Kinard.

He is a former resident of Memphis.

Palace Thursday Last Day—Clark Gable-Fledy Lamarr

"COMRADE X" 10c—FRIDAY—10c Jean Hersholt and Dorothy Lovett in "Remedy for Riches"

Saturday Only—Gene Autry and Smiley Burnett in "Ride, Tenderfoot, Ride"

Saturday Night Prevue, Sunday and Monday—Paul Muni and Gene Tierney

"Hudson's Bay" Tuesday, Wed., Thursday—Marx Brothers in "GO WEST"

Ritz Thursday Last Day—Ritz Bros. and Andrews Sisters in "Argentine Nights"

10c—FRIDAY—10c Jean Hersholt and Dorothy Lovett in "Remedy for Riches"

Saturday Only—Tim Holt and Ray Whitley in "WAGON TRAINS"

Saturday Night Prevue, Sunday and Monday—Franchot Tone and Peggy Moran in "Trail of the Vigilantes"

TUESDAY ONLY—On the Stage in Person—"UNCLE EZRA"

On the Screen: "Father Is a Prince" Admission 10c-30c

Wednesday and Thursday—Grant Mitchell and Nana Bryant in "Father Is a Prince" Admission 10c-15c

Texas Friday and Saturday—Bill Elliott-Evelyn Young in "Wildcat of Tucson" Cartoon and No. 8 of "The Royal Mounted"

Culture Club Has Meeting in Home of Mrs. Grundy

The Woman's Culture Club met in the home of Mrs. D. A. Grundy with Miss Esta McElrath as hostess Wednesday afternoon.

The following were elected to serve during the coming year: Mrs. G. W. Sexauer, president; Mrs. Donald W. May, first vice-president; Mrs. R. E. Clark, second vice-president; Mrs. Vincent Taylor, recording secretary; Mrs. D. A. Grundy, corresponding secretary; Mrs. R. L. Madden, treasurer; Miss Tops Gilreath, parliamentarian; Miss Esta McElrath, historian; and Mrs. A. W. Howard, reporter.

Miss McElrath brought a report of the educational committee and it was decided that several would visit the Eli and Salisbury schools January 27 to investigate educational needs.

Mrs. G. W. Sexauer led a round-table parliamentary discussion. Those present were Mesdames R. E. Clark, G. W. Sexauer, Robert Sexauer, Vincent Taylor, D. W. May, R. L. Madden and D. A. Grundy; Misses Esta McElrath, Melrose Henderson and the club guest, Miss Helen Madden.

Baptist S. S. Class Meets for Dinner In S. Foxhall Home

Mrs. Sam Foxhall entertained the Elevation Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church with a dinner in her home Tuesday at 7 o'clock.

After a short business session was held the dinner was served. Those present were Naomi Smith, Mary Jones, Bess Elaine Ayers, Mildred Baker, Nina Ruth Nelson, Rosiland Williams, Peggy George Walker, and the hostess, Mrs. Foxhall.

Garden Conference To Be at Denton

More than five hundred persons interested in gardening, including members of the Memphis Garden Club, are expected to attend the second garden conference of a statewide nature to be held on the Texas State College for Women campus at Denton Tuesday and Wednesday, January 14 and 15.

BOARD MEMBERS ATTEND FEDERATION MEETING

Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard and Mrs. G. W. Sexauer, two members of the board of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, went to Fort Worth today to attend a meeting of the board Friday, which has been called by the president, Mrs. J. W. Walker of Plainview.

Following the meeting Mr. and Mrs. Sexauer will go to Corpus Christi to visit their daughter, Mrs. Ira Phelps and family.

Comments— (Continued from Page 1)

dications, 1941 will be a most prosperous year. Already business conditions in the east are far ahead of 1940 and improving every day, what with the defense program unloading billions of dollars in the business centers of America.

This new money will radiate into every community in the coming months. The greatest boom in history will be the result of defense activities. It will take a good crop to bring Hall County into the money, and it looks like this is to be a good crop year, with a good season in the ground to start the crop.

A. M. White of Childress was a Memphis visitor Wednesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Cordell Goodpasture arrived Wednesday night from Kansas City to visit his parents, Judge and Mrs. M. O. Goodpasture. They will be in Memphis for an indefinite time.

CHURCHES

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH Joe Findley, Pastor

The regular service hours at the First Christian Church are as follows: Sunday School at 10 a. m. Church services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 6 o'clock Sunday evening.

Prayer meeting at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening.

METHODIST NEWS NOTES E. L. Yeats, Pastor

Rev. E. L. Yeats attended the District Missionary Institute in Clarendon Tuesday of this week. W. P. Dial, chairman of the board of stewards, gave the annual banquet for the board of stewards Tuesday of last week.

The young people will begin a credited training course January 19, to be held in Hedley. Rev. W. E. Hamilton of Lubbock and Rev. Yeats of this city will be the instructors.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH S. F. Martin, Pastor

SUNDAY—9:45 a. m., Sunday School. 11 a. m., Morning worship. 2 p. m., Deacons meeting. 6:30 p. m., Training Union. 7:30 p. m., Evening worship.

WEDNESDAY—7 p. m., S. S. officers and teachers meeting. 8 p. m., Monthly business meeting.

FRIDAY—2 p. m., State-wide Baptist Training Union Revival with a team coming to the First Baptist Church, Memphis.

Regular services throughout the week. You are cordially invited to attend the morning and evening preaching services. The pastor will be in the pulpit at both hours.

Remember the Sunday School, Training Union, and prayer service. There is a place for you.

PLASKA METHODIST CIRCUIT Albert Cooper, Pastor

January 12 is preaching day at Plaska. May we have a good crowd—both in quality and in quantity.

For we have not received the spirit of bondage again to fear, but the spirit of adoption where-by we cry Abba, Father.

There is but one answer for the spirit of fear and superstition prevalent in the world today.

It Snowed— (Continued from page 1)

began shining early to indicate that this afternoon would be the warmest and fairest of the week.

Coldest temperatures of the week was registered Friday night of last week, when the mercury dropped to the 24-degree mark, while the highest of the week was yesterday afternoon—58 degrees.

Saturday of last week, the high and low temperatures were the same—29 degrees.

Temperatures for the week are as follows: Wednesday high 58, low 30; Tuesday, 44-29; Monday, 32-29; Sunday, 34-32; Saturday, 29-29; Friday 56-24; Thursday, 43-25.

Wingert Is Guest Speaker at Rotary

Rev. Russell A. Wingert, new pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in Memphis, was guest speaker at the regular Rotary luncheon Tuesday.

The new pastor arrived in Memphis last week, and conducted services at the church both Sunday morning and night. He and his wife are living in the parsonage next to the church.

Mrs. J. C. Finger, Pioneer Resident, Dies in California

Early Settler Came Here In 1889; Had Lived in California for 22 Years

Mrs. J. C. Finger, 89, of Springfield, Oreg., died last Saturday morning at the home of her daughter in Huntington Park, Calif.

Burial services were held there. Mrs. Finger, who was one of the early pioneers in Hall County, was the aunt of Mrs. T. D. Weatherly of Memphis and the grandmother of Mrs. Beatrice Patrick, also of this city.

Coming to Hall County in 1889, Mr. and Mrs. Finger settled on Red River not far from Oxbow. They lived in a dugout there for almost a year, then moved to a place about three miles west of where the community of Lesley is now located.

In 1894, the family moved again, and Mr. Finger bought four sections of land. He worked on the Shoe Bar range and ran his cattle with the Shoe Bar herds.

Mr. and Mrs. Finger moved to Memphis about 1905, and in 1909 they moved to a farm near Estelline. Mr. Finger died in 1912.

Shortly afterwards, Mrs. Finger returned to Memphis, and then later moved to Floydada. In 1918, she moved to California.

LIBERTY By MRS. W. F. HODNETT

Rev. Hansard filled his appointment at Liberty Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Spear and family of Crosbyton visited her sister, Mrs. W. M. Cofer and family, over the week-end.

Mrs. Jack Allen and son of Rails visited over the week-end with home folks.

B. B. Spear is ill in a Memphis hospital.

Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Dyess of Beeton and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Todd of Parnell spent Christmas night with Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Mitchell and daughter Lola Eunice, and Mrs. Ronald Jones and Billie Claud spent Christmas Day at Clarendon with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Todd.

Mrs. Scott Hancock is reported ill this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Dunn and daughters visited at Weatherly Sunday. Mrs. Weatherly, who has been visiting here, returned home.

Mrs. Sallie Mitchell, who spent several months with her son Leonard, has gone to visit her daughter in Corpus Christi.

Rev. Hansard was a dinner guest in the L. L. Mitchell home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hodnett and children spent Sunday afternoon in the L. L. Mitchell home.

Leonard Mitchell and family have moved to the Joe Bownds home.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Carlisle and family of Clarendon, and his daughter and family of Amarillo spent the week-end visiting their father, J. P. Hancock.

John Bownds was honored with a party on his 83rd birthday anniversary last week.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Parks and children, Harold and Ruth, of Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Hale and son Gerald of Daltart, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rice and son, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Burnett and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. West, Mr. and Mrs. Slim Hinders.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bownds and daughter Sandra Jo of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Denton and children, Vess Arrington and son of Carey, Mrs. Mary Bownds of Memphis, and the hostess, Mrs. Hester Bownds and her children.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Watkins and Martha Thompson visited in Childress Wednesday afternoon.

Future Readers of The Democrat



Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Martin of Newlin have received an announcement of the birth of a girl to Mr. and Mrs. Otis Martin of San Francisco, Calif. The daughter was born January 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Berry of Houston are the parents of a son, born in an Eldorado, Ark., hospital January 3. He weighed 7-1-2 pounds at birth, and has been named Robert Carroll Berry. Clifton Berry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Berry of Estelline.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Gresham of Lakeview announce the birth of a son January 6, weighing 10 pounds, 2 ounces. His name is Vance O'Dell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Jeffrey announce the birth of a son, Jimmy Jack, Friday, January 4.

PLASKA

By MRS. E. J. GALLOWAY

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Crawford have both been confined at home with the flu.

J. M. Provence has been reported very ill.

Sula Faye Galloway has been ill with throat trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Murdock have been reported ill.

James Harper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Harper, was home for the week-end. He is with the army, and is stationed at Fort Bliss, near El Paso.

Rev. E. F. Cook of Amarillo is conducting a singing school at the Baptist Church. Attendance has been good despite the bad weather and sickness. The school will close Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter Cunningham were business visitors in Childress Tuesday.

C. W. Jones is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Jones. He is in the Army and is stationed at Fort Bliss, near El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. Eld Murdock were Amarillo visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hall went to Levelland Tuesday after Pauline Pharr.

The Plaska boys basketball team defeated the Friendship boys team in a contest Friday night.

The Plaska girls basketball team defeated the Friendship girls basketball team in two games of volleyball ball Friday afternoon.

The Hillhouse quartet from Newlin sang Tuesday night at the singing school.

LESLEY TO PRESENT THREE-ACT PLAY

A school play in three acts will be staged at Lesley Friday night, January 10, sponsored by the Parent Teacher Association.

The play, "The Flower of the Ranch," will take about two hours to present and an invitation is extended the public to attend, with a promise that all will be well entertained. Admission price is 50 cents.

VISITS IN SHAMROCK

Herschel Montgomery visited Tuesday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Montgomery of near Shamrock, and with a brother, Harry Montgomery of Phoenix. Harry, who is manager of the Arizona state bureau of the Associated Press, was en route home from New York where he had attended a meeting of AP officials.

Texas is fifth in the manufacture of cheese and eighth in the total income from sale of milk.

Cigaret Vendor at Estelline Looted

An undetermined amount of money was taken from a cigarette machine in the Gulf station at the highway junction in Estelline Monday night.

Hall County officials are investigating the case, and arrests have been reported.

J. M. Ferrel and J. M. Ferrel and J. M. Ferrel were Amarillo visitors.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE FIRST STATE BANK

at Memphis, State of Texas, at the close of business day of December, 1940, published in the Memphis newspaper printed and published at Memphis, State of Texas on the 9th day of January, 1941.

Table with columns: RESOURCES, LIABILITIES, CAPITAL STOCK, INCOME DEBENTURES SOLD, UNDIVIDED PROFITS, NET, DUE TO BANKS AND BANKERS, SUBJECT TO CHECK, INDIVIDUAL DEPOSITS SUBJECT TO CHECK, INCLUDING TIME DEPOSITS DUE IN 30 DAYS, PUBLIC FUNDS, INCLUDING POSTAL SAVINGS, TIME CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT.

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF HALL: We, F. E. LEARY, as President and G. M. DUREN, as Cashier of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of January, 1941. MADGE POOLE, Notary Public for Hall County, Texas.

CORRECT—ATTEST: Sam J. Hamilton, T. J. Dunbar, H. W. Stringer.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK Of Memphis

in the State of Texas, at the close of business on December 31, 1940, published in response to call made by Comptroller of Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

Table with columns: ASSETS, LIABILITIES, CAPITAL STOCK, COMMON STOCK, TOTAL PAR, SURPLUS, UNDIVIDED PROFITS, RESERVES (AND RETIREMENT ACCOUNT FOR PREFERRED STOCK), TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS, TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS, MEMORANDA.

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF HALL: I, T. H. DEEVER, cashier of the above-named bank, do hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of January, 1941. E. M. JOHNSTON, Notary Public for Hall County, Texas.

CORRECT—ATTEST: S. S. Montgomery, O. V. Alexander, D. L. C. K.

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