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COUNTY GINS FIFTY THOUSAND BALES OF 1927 COTTON CROP

Ranks Fifteenth in State of Texas; Amount of Cotton Ginned Far Exceeds All Expectations

and bales of cotton ginned in Hall County, made for the 1927 crop. This is just twenty thousand more than of the previous year when Hall county led the state in cotton ginning. It is also ten thousand more than the most optimistic guess of this county, because of a drouth over all the county and a total drouth over the county.

The crop was made with the amount of moisture during the growing season, however, was boosted by moisture falling during the winter and plenty of under-planting of cotton. The crop was late planted and few were able to get it in before June. At least a few were able to get it in at the usual time.

of nearly seventy thousand bales was made under favorable conditions during the growing season, and the farmers have received for the crop of 1927, a price in much better financial condition than the close of the year.

crop of fifty thousand bales and a heavy feed ration like that of the county soil. It is given out by the county about 15th of the month in Texas, standing of the bales for 1927 was for 1927 was leading counties of the state below with for 1927 and

1927	1926
14,987	126,037
19,455	102,717
24,478	102,902
35,773	89,674
50,088	70,959
64,850	78,088
79,737	59,855
94,948	84,088
110,230	76,931
125,515	67,747
140,802	69,546
156,089	62,526
171,376	61,684
186,663	53,752
201,950	69,738
217,237	4,461
232,524	16,044
247,811	48,680
263,098	34,165
278,385	52,947
293,672	45,996
308,959	74,087
324,246	39,047
339,533	25,551
354,820	42,801
370,107	24,298
385,394	7,445
400,681	50,414
415,968	44,990
431,255	39,312
446,542	50,338
461,829	26,354
477,116	40,753
492,403	39,823
507,690	25,958

WEATHERLY AND PARNELL 4H CLUBS

Theodore Swift, county superintendent, and L. M. Thompson, county agent, visited the Weatherly and Parnell school Wednesday in interest of the 4-H Boys and Girls clubs. Much interest was manifested at both schools in the club project.

The boys and girls of the Parnell school are highly interested in dairy work. After organizing a 4-H club the boys were given a demonstration in judging dairy cows, visiting places near the school and looking over some good Jersey cows. Professor Glasco, principal of the Parnell school is giving the boys and girls of his school some practical lessons along with their studies.

FLOYD ELMO CHAMPION DIES HERE MONDAY

Mr. Floyd Elmo Champion, aged 44 years, died at his home, Fifteenth and Bradford street, Monday morning at 10:30, and was buried Tuesday afternoon in Fairview cemetery, the funeral being held from the First Methodist church at 3 p. m. conducted by the Rev. C. E. Jameson, assisted by Dr. J. H. Hardin Mallard.

Floyd Elmo Champion was born in Johnson county, Texas, March 25, 1884; moved with his parents to Scurry county in 1900; was married to Miss Mina Teague in March 1905, and to this union five children were born, all of whom with their mother were present at the funeral. He leaves the wife and children, an aged mother, three brothers and six sisters, all of whom were present at the funeral. Out of town loved ones and friends attending the funeral were his mother, Mrs. L. J. Champion of Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Teague, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Champion, and Miss Gladys Teague, all of Snyder; Mrs. Bert Baugh of Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lockhart of Lorenzo; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Champion of McCamey; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hudson of Wells, and granddaughter, Miss Maurine Thompson of this city, and George M. Jr. of Amarillo, left Wednesday for Roswell, New Mexico, to attend a polo game Friday and Saturday between the Stanford University in California, and the New Mexico Military Institute of Roswell. Their son Chauncey O. Thompson of Stanford University is captain of the California team.

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GOLDEN GATE GIRLS

One of the most pleasant bits of vaudeville that has been viewed in Memphis in some time was presented last Thursday at the Gem theatre, "The Golden Gate Girls" form a smiling troupe of talented young ladies—they are musical, they can dance and they are acrobats of no mean ability. The program had no dull moments. It was a snappy presentation from beginning to end and applause was spontaneous and liberal.



HIGH SCHOOL BAND PLAYS AGAIN SATURDAY

The High School band will make its second public appearance Saturday evening about 7:30 on the north side of the square, is announced by Prof. Paul James, director of the band. He says the boys are making rapid progress with their music and the concert Saturday night will be better than the one two weeks ago. Members of the Gold Medal band will assist the high school band in the playing Saturday.

County Meet Begins Friday

The Hall County Interscholastic Meet will begin tomorrow, as scheduled, at Estelline. Officials have announced that everything is in readiness for one of the best inter-school competitions ever held in the county.

ATTENDING POLO GAME AT ROSWELL, N. M.

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FORMER CITIZEN OF COUNTY BURIED HERE

Carl L. Sandel, aged 24 years, was buried in Fairview cemetery Wednesday afternoon, the funeral being held from the King Undertaking Parlors conducted by the Rev. E. T. Miller of the First Baptist church.

Mayor Has Hard Life

PARNELL, Tex., Mar. 29.—Parnell has a mayor. 'Tis none other than L. T. Winn, enterprising grocer and filling station proprietor, unanimously appointed to the office by his fellow townsmen.

"It's a hard life," Mayor Winn says, "trying to look after a business and guide Parnell's destiny at the same time."

Even though Parnell's population is still at a modest figure, this mayor business has its trials for just about the time the city's dad is about to meet with an important committee someone wants a sack of sugar or five gallons of gas and the meeting is all off.

"Got to take care of my business," the mayor explains. "I was selling groceries and gas here before the boom ever started."

ROTARY CLUB IS ENTERTAINED BY SINGER

The president, D. L. C. Kinard, being absent, Jack Figh, vice president, acted as chairman and a good program was given. Mr. Otteson, manager of the Rayburn Evangelistic campaign, made a short talk on boys work and gave two excellent solos which were highly enjoyed. He has a splendid voice and lovers of good singing may expect some excellent music during the revival starting next Sunday.

JOT MONTGOMERY LOSES IN SEAGRAVES BLAZE

Jot Montgomery was named among those who sustained heavy losses when fire destroyed the business section of Seagraves last Tuesday. Mr. Montgomery, who formerly resided here, was engaged in the drug business in the Gaines county town.

Only four or five buildings were left standing when the flames had died. The total loss is estimated at upwards of half a million.

died suddenly there March 4, 1921, and was buried in Fairview cemetery. Surviving deceased besides his mother are three sisters and one brother, all of Ada, Oklahoma, who were present at the funeral.

FIRE DESTROYS FIRE CHIEF'S GARAGE

A garage and wash house adjoining Fire Chief Silas Wood's residence were destroyed by fire of unknown origin Thursday afternoon. The two buildings were a total loss. No one in the neighborhood was able to explain the origin of the blaze and flames had made good headway before the alarm was turned in. The fire siren blew just as scores of people were returning home from work, practically all of whom de-toured by way of the scene.

Joint Meet of Poultry Ass'n's.

The Hall County Poultry association and the Anti-Theft Poultry association will hold their regular monthly meeting in the county court room at the court house April 7 at 2:30. If you are interested in helping to raise the quality and price of your poultry be sure to attend this meeting. All members of both organizations are requested to be present if you wish to continue your membership. The subject of "Infertile Eggs," will be discussed.

SHRINE POTENTATE GOING TO EL PASO

J. Henry Read, of this city, Potentate of Khiva Temple, with past potentates Dr. A. J. Caldwell, J. O. Gueleke and George Stapleton of Amarillo, and O. T. Nicholson of Shamrock, will leave Friday for El Paso to attend the Texas Shrine council which convenes March 31. Representatives from all Texas Temples and also Shriners from out of state points will be in attendance.

Drives Oakland Wichita to Memphis 3 Hours, 20 Minutes

E. T. Montgomery, 56, of Plaska recently drove his Oakland auto from Wichita Falls to Memphis in 3 hours and 20 minutes, according to a statement he made to Vallance Motor Co., local Oakland-Pontiac dealers, yesterday. He made one stop—Chillicothe, he said.

On arrival in Memphis he drove up to Vallance Motor Co., placed his hand on the motor and said, "Boys, she isn't even hot."

BUILDING ACTIVITY IN MEMPHIS SETS A NEW SPRING RECORD

Wooldridge to Rebuild Lumber Yard; D & M Company to Build Warehouse; Many Residences Under Construction

Spring building in Memphis is gaining impetus each week and 1928 promises to be one of Memphis' most important years along lines of permanent construction. Several residences and business buildings are in the course of erection now and a number of sizable projects are planned to begin next week.

'CLARENCE' WAS SPLENDIDLY GIVEN

The second play presented by the American Legion Post of Memphis was given at the high school auditorium Tuesday evening, March 27. "Clarence," a four act comedy, consisting of ten characters, was equally as great a success for the Legion as was "Friendly Enemies."

Jim Martindale, as Clarence, played his part with an ease and skill superior to that of most amateurs. Fred Reed, as Mr. Wheeler, the head of an unhappy, rowing family, played the part of a tired financial wizard with wonderful success. Mrs. Jack Leath, as Mrs. Wheeler, the jealous step-mother, retained the standard of excellence she made for herself in "Friendly Enemies." Janice Martindale, as Cora, the fifteen year old daughter who had to be disciplined rather severely, starred. Hubert Dennis, in the role of Bobby, the kid brother who that he was a grown-up man, played as only he can play. Mrs. Leonard Doss, as Violet Pinney, the governess, a beautiful, demure young woman who tried to do her duty in the household, held the love of the audience throughout the performance. Mrs. Glenn Thompson, doubling as Mrs. Martin, the efficient private secretary of Mr. Wheeler and Della, the Irish housemaid, was clever in both parts. She brought laughter from the audience in her amours for Clarence throughout the play. Although the other two characters played minor places, they were both well fitted to their roles and did them in an excellent manner. Robert Jones as, Dinwiddie, was told that he had missed his calling by not being a butler by trade; and Roy Guthrie, as Mr. Stem, the grasswidower, did well even though he was unpopular with the audience.

Each of the four acts was filled with comedy, plenty of action and was played with lots of pep. The first act was a scene in Mr. Wheeler's office. Mr. Wheeler seemed to be rather disturbed and warned Mrs. Martyn to be on the lookout for Miss Pinney and Cora, as they might come into the office to see him. He had hardly gone to his private office before his wife, consumed with envy, hurried into the room. Mrs. Martyn explained that no one was present but Mr. Wheeler, and Mrs. Wheeler left. Immediately, Bobbie entered in a state of excitement. While he was still there Miss Pinney and Cora came. Then in quick succession, Clarence entered, learned all of the family secrets, Cora was disciplined, Mrs. Wheeler returned and expressed her bitterness concerning her lot in life; Mr. Wheeler gave up in despair and Clarence got a job in the Wheeler home.

In the second act, Clarence proved that he knew as much about tuning pianos as he did about driving mules; Mr. Wheeler, Mr. Stem, Bobby and Clarence all expressed their love for Violet; Mrs. Wheeler failed to longer control her jealousy and created a scene; Clarence, Cora and Dinwiddie added a sketch of comedy with a saxophone stunt and Mr. Wheeler grew jealous of his wife and Clarence.

In the third act Mrs. Wheeler was beautifully repentent, Mr. Wheeler could hardly understand her abrupt change of demeanor; Mr. Stem attempted to prove that Clarence was a deserter from the army and Clarence revealed the fact that he was an expert on the coleoptera.

In the fourth act Cora was de-

Work will start within a very short time on the new brick buildings for J. C. Wooldridge Lumber company to be erected on the site where the old frame structures were destroyed by fire last January. Mr. Wooldridge was in Memphis last week and intended making final arrangements to start construction, but he was called to his home in Gainesville on account of sickness in his family. He will probably return next week.

The lumber sheds and office building will be of attractive design and just as fireproof as it is possible to make them.

The D & M Chevrolet Co. will erect a tile warehouse building on the corner of Seventh and Robertson according to announcement made yesterday by B. E. Davenport, president. The building is to be 50x140 feet and will cost about \$4,000.

New and used cars will be stored in the warehouse and a complete Duco paint shop will also be maintained there. The structure will be completed about May 1.

Rapid growth of the D & M Chevrolet Co. in the last few months has made necessary this program of expansion. Since January 1 the firm has enjoyed the largest increase in sales in its history.

"Indications point to a continuation of business at a brisk rate," Mr. Davenport said, "and we must have additional space in order to render our patrons the best possible service."

Several Homes
J. J. Harrison—4-room residence on North Eleventh.
Horace Taryer 4-room residence on South Seventh.
Roy Dunn—4-room residence on North Seventh.
Horace Robertson—4-room residence on Brice.
John Vallance—6-room residence on Bradford.
H. O. Wooten Grocer Co.—Warehouse on East Noel.
J. S. McMurry—Filling station and battery shop at Eighth and Main.
C. A. Reynolds—6-room residence on Tenth.
Mrs. Mary Arnold—Second story to home on South Sixth.

Pupils of Mrs. Margaret Morgan Render Recital

Pupils of Mrs. Margaret Morgan glorified their teacher in a well-attended recital at the First Baptist church Thursday evening. Each number was well executed and revealed much painstaking practice.

The following were on the program; Kathryn Oren, Ruth Harrison, Alice Ruth McLaren, Mamie Cudd, Vallie Harrell, Juanita Johnston, Mary Bourland, Dollie D. Brewer, G. W. Smith, Lucille Cudd, Mollie Harris, Jacqueline McMurry, Crystal Howard, Juanita Cudd, Winifred Prater, Anna Beth Leverett, Ethel Pearson, Floy Gerlach, Lula Fae Oren, Velma Dean White, Omega Ballew, Martha Thompson, C. W. Crawford, Thetis Rasco, Bertha Patrick, and Mrs. Morgan.

termined to learn the meaning of the word "coleoptera." Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler became devoted once more; Clarence and Violet decided to join hands for the rest of the journey through life. Bobbie and Cora although terribly disappointed in their love affairs were reconciled and the play ended in peace and happiness.

The Legion is very thankful for the good attendance and splendid behavior. Proceeds will go toward improving the interior of the Legion home.

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We could never portray in print the excellent selection we have for you in plain and printed cotton fabrics. We mention only a few of the leaders.
 PRINTED SUITING—An Everfast product. Excellent for smocks, wash dresses and sport wear. Per yard..... **49c**
 PRINTED DIMITIES AND BATISTE—Two very popular fabrics for Spring and Summer. Guaranteed fast colors. Per yard **39c**

PETER PAN and ABC Fine Zephyrs, per yard **49c**
 NAINSOOKS—Fine sheer quality in full range of colors. ... **29c**
 ORGANDIES—Stoffel's permanent finish. 45 inches wide in plain and printed designs. Yard **75c and 89c**

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One lot Special value Rayon Teds per pair **\$1.19**
 One lot Special Value Extra Heavy Teds. Pair **\$1.50**
 Rayon Pajamas, Stepins and Night gowns in all the wanted shades **\$2.95 to \$4.50**
 Silk Stepins, Pajamas and Night-gowns **\$3.50 to \$5.95**

WOMEN'S SHOES

Our Pre-Easter showing of Women's Footwear is the best ever. All the new light shades of White Jade, Honey Beige, and Pastel Parchment. High heels and box heels.
\$4.95 to \$9.85

THE NEW FROCKS



Dresses were never more beautiful than they are this season. Styles are smart and materials are supreme. Prints in all over and combinations are battling for first place with the plain fabrics.

Unusual Values at
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NEW COATS and Coat Suits



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Children's Dresses

A complete assortment of Children's Dresses in new printed fabrics. Ages two to sixteen.

Bloomer Dresses **\$1.25 to \$1.69**
 Regular Dresses **\$1.25 to \$2.95**

Hats for Children

For the little folks from two to twelve years. A big assortment.

\$1.95 - \$2.50
\$2.95

Pre-Easter Sale of MILLINERY



Hats with every new feature—the irregular silhouettes, eyebrow effects, wider brims and close-fitting models. Specially priced—
\$2.95 - \$3.95 - \$5.95
\$7.95

Men's Clothing

Ready with the newest styles in young men's Spring Suits. Two and three button models—with notched and peaked lapels. The new light patterns for Spring at the unusually low price of
\$19.50 to \$29.50
 Extra trousers at small cost

Boys Spring Suits
 Featuring Boys' 2-pant Suits in newest patterns at—
\$9.95 to \$16.95

Hats

Easter time is new hat time. Our stock of new Spring Stetsons is complete.
 New Feather-Weight Stetsons **\$8.00 to \$10.00**
 Bahanco Feather-weight Hats **\$4.95**

Shirts

We have just received our new stock of Spring shirts for men and boys. All the new shades of blues and greens.
98c to \$2.95
 Boys' fast colored broadcloth shirts, sizes 6 to 14 **\$1.00**

Underwear

New two-piece underwear for the young men.
 Rayon Undershirts **\$1**
 Plain and fancy pattern trunks **75c to \$1**



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Our work clothes are typical of Hanna-Pope's values.
 Children's Hickory striped and khaki unionalls—
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 Boys Overalls—Sizes 4 to 10 **75c**
 Boys' Overalls—Sizes 12 to 16 **98c to \$1.15**
 Mens Overalls—triple stitched and full cut. The best value will find **\$1.15 to \$1.75**
 Khaki Pants—Men who have been buying our work pants and appreciate the big values **\$1.49, \$1.75**
 Men's Blue Work Shirts, extra value
 Men's Blue Extra Heavy Work Shirts
 Men's Extra Heavy Khaki Work Shirts

MEN'S SPRING OXFORDS

Featuring Packard Shoes for men. Every pair ankle-fashioned and built by master craftsmen. Per pair **\$8.85**
 WALTER BOOTH, our headliner in popular priced shoes, it **\$4.95 to \$6.50**
 Our special work shoes for men. U. S. Army shoes **\$3.95**
 Moccasin toe work shoes in black and brown **\$3.50**
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 Plain Pumps, Straps and Ties **98c to \$1.50**

Big assortment new Spring 32-in. Gingham. Fast colors. Yard 19c	9-4 Bleached and Brown Sheeting. Good quality, yard 29c	Water Twist Bleached Domestic, yard 10c	Verona Bleached Domestic Soft finish. Per yard 12 1/2c	ABC Printed and Cambric. Fast colors. Per yard 15c
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Democrat,
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Dear Claude:

I notice in your editorial column that you are pleased that The Democrat is getting so many compliments from its subscribers. How can they help it? Every time I open it up, I think, "Well, well! Here is a sure-enough good paper of which any place can be proud."

I want to congratulate your people, even more than you, on the general excellence of The Democrat. The paper and the town, along with all the surrounding country, seem to be growing together. I am proud to be on your staff.

Sincerely yours,
WILL H. MAYES.
Writer of "Texas and Texans."

New Garage at Parnell Completed And in Operation

PARNELL, March 29.—The Donerite Garage, owned by J. E. Harris and P. G. Spivy, is completed and open for business. The garage is well-equipped for general repair work and will stock the usual supply of accessories. Both proprietors are from Cleburne, Texas and have had extensive experience in the automobile repair business.

Webster Warblings

Some few farmers of this community have begun to plant their crops. All report a pretty good season but a good rain would be appreciated.

Misses Minnie and Inez Martin visited Misses Kate and Dorothy McMurry Sunday.

Rev. Barnes, pastor of the Webster Baptist church, filled his

regular appointment at Webster Sunday morning. A very good crowd attended and all enjoyed the service.

The people of Webster community had the pleasure of having the singers of surrounding communities join in their singing Sunday afternoon. A large crowd attended. The singing was enjoyed by all. We certainly were glad to have the visiting singers with us and cordially invite them here again next month.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Robertson entertained the young folks of this community Saturday night. Several visitors from Lesley and Lakeview were there. All report a nice time.

Mrs. W. M. Scoggins and family visited at the home of T. A. Scoggins Sunday.

Mrs. Harrison Scoggins visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Robertson, Monday of this week.

A complete stock of New Crop TEA GARDEN preserves at Womack's Grocery.

"Les Miserables" Cost Millions Says Director

The Universal Film de France production, "Les Miserables," from the novel by Victor Hugo, produced by Cineromans, of Paris, is the subject of discussion on the fact that it cost barely over one and a half million francs to produce praised this as "sound economy and real commercial sense." However, Mr. J. Sapene, director of Cineromans, repudiates this estimate and maintains that "Les Miserables," which was produced on a magnificent scale, really cost four times as much. He says that all the qualities essential to making this picture a world-wide success necessitated extremely heavy expenditure to the tune of six million francs, which, if the franc were at par, would be equivalent to \$1,400,000. Universal bought the United Kingdom rights for "Les Miserables" and intend to release it in two massive stories or episodes.

The French super film, which is conceded to be the most stupendous motion picture ever produced in France, has been booked by the Gem theatre for local showing beginning Thursday, April 5.

Gabriel Gabrio, in the character of Jean Valjean, heads a distinguished European cast.

PANHANDLE TO GET NEW HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING

PANHANDLE, March 29. (UP).—A contract for Panhandle's new high school building was let Monday. The building and equipment will cost approximately \$165,000. A gymnasium, cafeteria and auditorium will be included.

Coming soon our 1c Sale. Clark Drug Co.

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If your breath is bad and you have spells of swimming in the head, poor appetite, constipation and a general no-account feeling, it is a sign your liver is torpid. The one really dependable remedy for all disorders in the liver,

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London authority bears same of Darwin advocates children—says it's education but the sort of education to be administered often graduate earlier than

applied by hand in the size of that member in purchasing gloves one pressed to find one hand than the other and yet any other way does not any personal contact of and child or father and the case may be. Con-

clippers have often proved and one little fellow of attended a birthday a friend only to divulge affairs thusly:
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ing is inspirational in that on the inspiration of It is easy because as for the work is al-

ked to your person, but asking has often left the hand rather lame.

without immediate ef- fect is claimed. True, a child has seldom failed to immediately docile.

also been noticed that ability of a child so ver one "reasoned with" one hundred per cent. es trouble in school and of hand in public places. whisper, "If you don't spank you when we has a salutary effect gain small one quietly while somebody across armers, "Thank good- woman knows how to child!"

up all ye who were in childhood days. Only one remains in that, you say the man like this slip of paper ask him to write his beneath the question, asked when a child?" answering the ques- day that the practice on since the begin- and is a heritage that can must expect as in kinds of hair and of disposition.

Mr. Blank. We will the gentleman has

was spanked and it. Spank 'em, I em at home and for the public to me o' thirteen and are. It's made me ay."

Gaining Popularity In Key District

March 29.—Dairy- tion is growing by ds. Several asso- total of more than \$1.15 to have been formed being laid to organ- Leaders in the ment are making ar- get 8 registered at this section.

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SOCIETY and Club

O. E. S.
Mrs. Jennie George, assistant deputy of District No. 2 will make her official visit to Memphis Chapter No. 351, O. E. S. Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the Masonic Temple. All members are invited to attend. The regular meeting of Memphis Chapter No. 351 Order of the Eastern Star will be held Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock. All officers and members are urged to be present promptly at 6 o'clock. Visiting members always welcome.

AUDREY NEELEY, W. M.
NORA TIPTON, Secretary.

BUSINESS GIRLS MEET AT HOME OF MADGE POOL
Fourteen members answered roll call at the regular meeting of the Business Girls' club Friday night, March 23, with Gladys Hammond and Madge Pool as hostesses, at the latter's home on Thirteenth street.

The new president and her assistants have mapped out some very interesting and instructive work for the coming term. Mrs. Frankie Hamilton was selected as a delegate to attend the district meeting of the Texas Federation of Womens' clubs at Dalhart the latter part of April.

After a "Good English Drill" delicious refreshments were served and the meeting closed.

Mrs. Hester Bownds, and Miss Fay Helm were very welcome guests.

W. M. S. MEETS WITH MRS. D. L. C. KINARD
Mesdames D. L. C. Kinard, S. T. Harrison, Charles Flannery, John Barber, G. C. Baskerville, T. L. Lewis, and W. N. Bowerman were joint hostesses to the Baptist W. M. S. Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Kinard.

The missionary program, "Far Above Rubies," was led by Mrs. Flannery, and was very touching and appreciable, coming at the close of the week's revival. Mrs. Henderson Smith led the devotional on the subject of "The Christian's Joys." Mrs. T. M. Harrison gave a splendid talk on "Acres of Rubies" and "Rubies of Great Price." Mrs. J. M. Ballew discussed "Gems for His Crown," and Mrs. J. S. McMurry presented "The Key to God's Chest of Jewels" and "Using the Key." Mrs. Sam Manilton closed the program by giving, "Giving our Rubies" and "A Worthy Woman."

At the close of this splendid program the hostesses served a lovely ice course.

MISSION SOCIETY HEARS REPORT
The Woman's Missionary society of the Methodist church met Monday afternoon at the church to hear Mrs. Delaney give the report of the Missionary council meeting she recently attended at Nashville, Tenn.

Mrs. Delaney conducted the devotional giving a glimpse of the council meeting from the wonderful message of Miss Bertha Conday, national Y. W. C. A. student worker. Her message on prayer and spiritual life were very inspirational. In her report proper Mrs. Delaney gave the wonderful word picture of the dedication of the Belle Bennett Memorial building at Seagriff, Tenn., our school for training Christian workers, also told of the addresses of Mrs. Peabody who is national president of women voters on law enforcement also brought greetings from natives of foreign countries as follows: Poland, Mexico, Japan, Korea, Cuba, Brazil, and China. She also told of the pageant which represented the 50 years of the Woman's Missionary society. More than \$1,000,000 was appropriated for next year's work.

SURPRISES HUSBAND WITH BIRTHDAY PARTY
Mrs. Bill Howard entertained her husband with a surprise birthday party last Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McMurry.

A lovely birthday cake topped with lighted candles centered the table. The Saint Patrick color scheme was carried out.

After a number of games of 42 a dainty salad course was served to the following:

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Kennedy,

Mr. and Mrs. Vivian Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McMurry, Mr. and Mrs. Durwood McCool, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Burks, Mr. and Mrs. Buddie Guest, Miss Katherine McMurry, and Mrs. John Dalton of Laramie Wyoming.

DELPHIAN CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. W. C. DICKEY

On account of the revival next week the Delphian club met this week at the home of Mrs. W. C. Dickey Tuesday afternoon on South Eighth street with Mesdames W. C. Dickey, R. V. West and John A. Wood as hostesses, and Mrs. W. S. Moore as leader.

Roll Call, "A Quotation from Poe."

"Life of Edgar Allen Poe"—Dr. Pat Wiggins.
"Poe's Literary Characteristics"—Mrs. C. A. Powell.
Poem Discussion, "The Raven"—Mrs. V. B. Rogers.
Delicious cream and cake were served during the social hour.

DELPHIAN CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. F. V. CLARK

Mrs. F. V. Clark was hostess to the Delphian club last Wednesday afternoon at her home on South Seventh street with Mrs. Bill Kesterson as leader.

Roll Call, "Name a Bird or Wild Flower of Your Community."
Reading, "The Heart of a Tree"—Mrs. J. A. Brewer.
Talk, "The Value of Natural Scenery for Parks and Recreation Places"—Mrs. F. V. Clark.
The club elected Miss Maude Milam delegate to the District Federation which meets in Dalhart the latter part of April, and Mrs. Bill Kesterson as alternate.

INTERMEDIATE C. E. HOLDS MEETING

The Intermediate Christian Endeavor of the Presbyterian church invited the young people's societies of the other churches to attend their meeting Sunday evening at 6:15. The meeting opened with Mrs. L. D. Pierce Jr. welcoming all present.

A sing song followed which all enjoyed. It was followed by a devotional read by Mary Louise Thomas, Chloe Johnson, Frances Joyce Tomlinson, and Fred Brewer. Brother Sharke and Mrs. Jameson led in prayer. The Endeavor members then presented the visitors with the balopticon lecture and pictures. The meeting closed with sentence prayers followed by the Mizpah benediction.

MYSTIC WEAVERS CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. DRAPER

The Mystic Weavers club met in an all-day session Wednesday, March 28, at the home of Mrs. Draper, with Mesdames Brewer, Williams and Draper as hostesses. Guests present were Mesdames Ragsdale, Sager, Cooper, Walker, Jones, and Sam Harrison.

All were asked to arrive at the 11th hour, dressed in an old "tacky" costume.

After the dress parade and a few polk dances and songs, all were invited into the dining room, and were served a most sumptuous buffet luncheon consisting of baked ham, new potatoes with white sauce, string beans, red beets, combination and fruit salad, green onions, radishes, sliced tomatoes, home made rolls and corn bread, ice tea with all the trimmings, and delicious ice cream with three kinds of cake.

The entertainment for the afternoon was very clever, each one present including the guests put on a "stunt," there was a wonderful lot of talent displayed, consisting of old love songs, readings and vaudeville stunts.

There were two prizes given. Mrs. T. T. Harrison received one and Mrs. E. S. Foote the other.

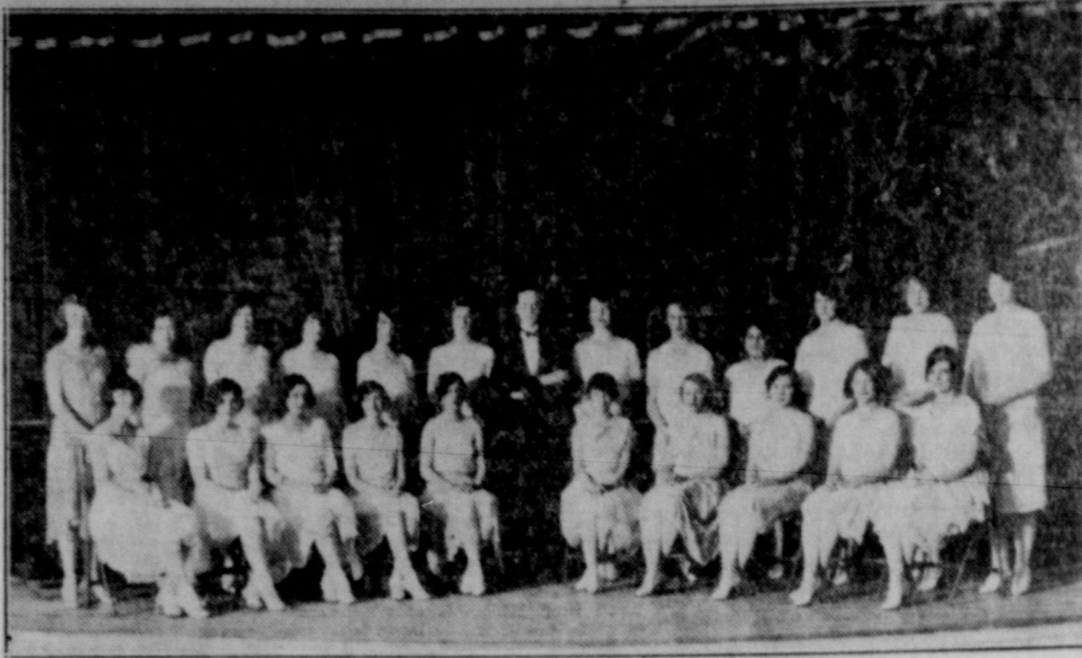
At a late hour, all left thanking the hostesses for one of enjoyable time.

BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR NELL WALKER

A delightful party honoring her daughter Nell's twelfth birthday was given by Mrs. R. C. Walker at her home on Eighth street Wednesday afternoon from 5 to 7 o'clock.

Amid a profusion of spring flowers, tables were arranged for the ever popular game of Hearts,

Memphis Girl Will Tour With Baylor Choral Club



BELTON, March 29.—The Baylor college Choral club left yesterday for a two weeks tour of North and East Texas, going to Dallas, Athens, Palestine, Lufkin, Nacogdoches, Jacksonville, Henderson, Longview, Gilmer. Early in March the club gave three concerts in Austin and San Antonio.

For the fifteenth annual tour

twenty-two Baylor girls have been selected and are under the direction of Arthur Faguy-Cote, head of the department of voice.

In the picture are: seated left to right: Marion James, Alvin; Jewell Melton, Greenwood, Miss.; Lena Shaffer, Sweetwater; Cassie Roberson, Corsicana; Mary South Summers, Nacogdoches; Kate Hester, Lexington; Marjorie Simpson, San Antonio; Vernadine Jones, Memphis; Alvis Calvin,

Graham, Louise Estes, Mart. Standing—Elsie Borden, Galveston; Mardelle Parks, Mission; Lois Stallings, Slaton; Lena Pearl Harris, Sweetwater; Frances James, Belton; Buena Vista Heaton, San Antonio; Arthur Faguy-Cote, director; Mary Belle Hicker-Cote, Temple; Marjorie Patterson, Gilsland, La.; Nellie Seman, San Antonio; Agatha Frazier, Springfield, Mo.; Jewell Thompson, Iowa Park; Josephine Peters, Marlin.

which held the attention of the young folks as they matched wits and competitive skill. Place cards at each table carried out further the idea of spring, emphasizing the Easter motif.

At the conclusion of the games, a delicious plate lunch was served, after which the birthday cake was cut. This cake was a model of culinary art, decorated in pink and green icing and adorned with twelve pink candles. As the candles were blown out by the honoree, wishes were made by those present complimentary to Nell. Eskimo pies served as the piece de resistance with the birthday cake. Mrs. Walker was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. G. D. Beard.

The honoree was the recipient of many useful and beautiful gifts, attesting to the esteem in which she is held by her wide circle of friends. Favors of Easter suitcases were presented to each of the girls and the boys received whistles.

Those present were Cora Fox Yonge, Frances Montgomery, Martha Draper, Audie Lofland, Floy Gerlach, Lula Fay Oren, Ouida Rice, Vallie Harrell, Mary Gardner, Allie Caviness, Helen Kinslow, Ruby Lee Stringer, Helen Boswell, Geraldine Watson, Betty Dale West, Georgiense Sexauer, Mary Wilson, Nell Walker, Henry Boyd Newman, Bobby Ragsdale, C. W. Crawford, Floyd Wattenbarger, Charles Flannery, Gayle Greene, Sumner Reed, Cearley Read Kinard, Royce Brooks, Billy Ragsdale, Louis Foxhall, Joe Petty, Bob Foote, Neil Wilson, and Jack Walker.

HARMONY CLUB MEETS WEDNESDAY

Mesdames R. S. Greene and A. Owen were hostesses to the Harmony club Wednesday afternoon, March 28, at the home of Mrs. R. S. Greene, with Mrs. McNeely as leader.

"Scandinavian Music" was the study for the afternoon and the following program was rendered:

Roll Call—Scandinavian Musicians.
Piano, "Barcarolle"—Mrs. Mallard.
"History of Music in Scandinavia"—Mrs. McNeely.
Piano, (a) "Marche Grottesque" (b) "Rustle of Spring"—Mrs. Shelley.
Voice, "Winds of the South"—Mrs. Bass.
Piano, (a) "Impromptu," (b) "The Juggler"—Mrs. Ward.
"Poems of Scandinavia"—Miss Cooper.
Piano, "Spring Flowers"—Mrs. Hasie.
Voice songs—Mrs. Kinard.
Piano, "Allegretto"—Mrs. Robertson.
During the social hour dainty refreshments were served to Mesdames James E. Bass, Coleman

L. Hasie, L. B. Madden, M. McNeely, Margaret Morgan, James Norman, Mary Robertson, Elmer S. Shelley, Horace Tarver, Conley Ward, D. L. C. Kinard, J. H. Mallard, and Miss Cooper.

MRS. A. GIDDEN GIVES QUILTING PARTY

On Wednesday, March 14, Mrs. A. Gidden of Lodge entertained a large number of her friends with an old-fashioned quilting party.

Most of the guests arrived about ten o'clock, and soon afterward needles were threaded and work was begun on the two quilts hanging in rooms on each side of the reception hall.

It is needless to say that the quilting was unaccompanied by the merry conversations of the two groups of women. No prizes were given, but the groups soon rivaled each other in seeing which quilt

would be first to come out of the frames. Although one was much larger than the other, both were completed about the same time. One group agreed to hem both quilts if the other would lace in and begin another quilt.

At 1 o'clock a delicious luncheon, the like of which is found only in the country, was served to the following: Mesdames M. N. Orr, F. A. Whitefield, F. J. Gardenhire, John White, Sam Bolls, Charlie Reagan, H. B. Marks, H. L. Wheeler, J. L. Hicks, A. R. McMaster, Jake Lamb, J. W. Oliver, A. S. Harwell, W. F. Connor, H. D. Maxwell and Mrs.

Political Announcements

The following candidates have announced subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July:

For State Representative:
C. LAND (Re-Election)

For District Judge:
A. J. FIRES

For District Attorney 100th Judicial District:
JAS. C. (Jimmie) MAHAN (Re-Election)

For District Clerk:
D. H. ARNOLD (Re-Election)

For County Judge:
TOM L. COLVIN (Re-Election)

For County Clerk:
MISS EDNA BYAN (Re-Election)
E. E. (RED) WALKER

For Sheriff:
SID A. CHRISTIAN (Re-Election)
J. K. GIBSON
J. A. (Joe) MERRICK

For County Superintendent:
THEODORE SWIFT (Re-Election)

For Tax Assessor:
BAILEY GILMORE (Re-Election)
J. D. SHANKLE
R. H. (BOB) PUGH

For Tax Collector:
HENDERSON SMITH (Re-Election)
D. A. NEELEY

For County Treasurer:
J. B. LANDIS (Re-Election)

For County Attorney:
JOHN M. DEEVER (Re-Election)

For Justice Precinct 1:
R. N. GILLIS (Re-Election)

For Constable Precinct 1:
J. D. MAY
E. A. (Tater) THOMAS

For Commissioner Precinct 1:
J. B. BURNETT (Re-Election)
T. J. THOMPSON
CHAS. A. HILLIAMS

For Commissioner Precinct 2:
E. A. LOYD
E. C. (Joe) BARNETT
F. W. GWINN
J. R. (Bob) ANNON
T. N. BAKER
W. F. ADAMS
A. R. McMASTER

Wines, Misses Fannie Mae Orr, Mattie Mae McMaster, and Elsie White.

Some children were present and were entertained during the day by the young ladies who had not yet acquired the art of quilting.

By 5 o'clock all of the guests had said good bye, after having spent a very enjoyable day and each taking home happy memories of a day n'er to be forgotten.

INTERMEDIATE C. E. ENTERTAINS

The Intermediate Christian Endeavor entertained with a social last Friday evening in the Presbyterian church parlor. Each member invited one guest and various games were enjoyed under the direction of their superintendent, Mrs. L. D. Pierce Jr., assisted by Mrs. W. E. Gammage.

Candy was made during the games and at the close was served to the following: Mary Louise Thomas, Dorcas Ruth, Willie C. and Grace Wilson, Mary Gammage, Mildred Phelan, Lois Clark, Jo Ann Estes, Mary Winston Walters, Velma Monzingo, Jewel Grundy, Marjorie Guill, Pauline Roll, Frances Joy Tomlinson, Jessie Wood, Chlo Johnson, and James Hammond, Fred Brewer, and Darel Grundy.

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MRS. MORGAN HOSTES TO 1913 STUDY CLUB

Mrs. Margaret Morgan entertained the 1913 Study Club Tuesday, March 21. The members answered to "An American Dramatist." A. Owen was the leader after noon and a most interesting program was given by Walker, Mrs. T. E. Nestor, Owen.

As no meetings will be held during April the club met with Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Pete Clower and Mrs. Pete Clower and refreshments were served by hostess during the social hour.

MOTHER DIED

Joe Gatlin of this city died at Breckenridge, Tex. last week to attend the funeral of his mother who died at home. Mrs. Gatlin was 80 years old and lived in Breckenridge for many years. She was the mother of many relatives and friends to mourn her death.

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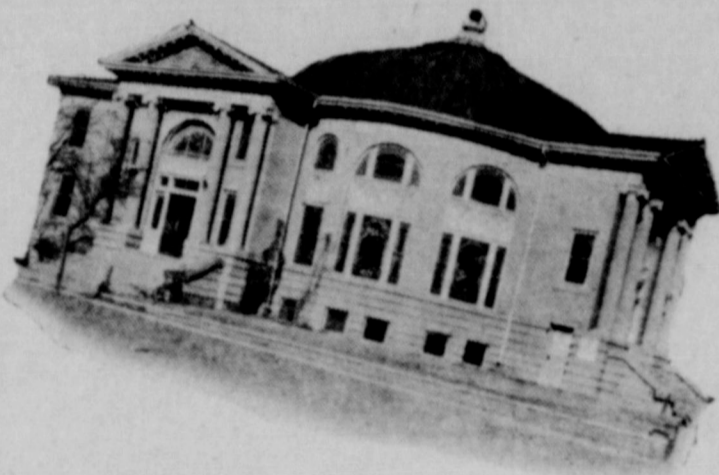
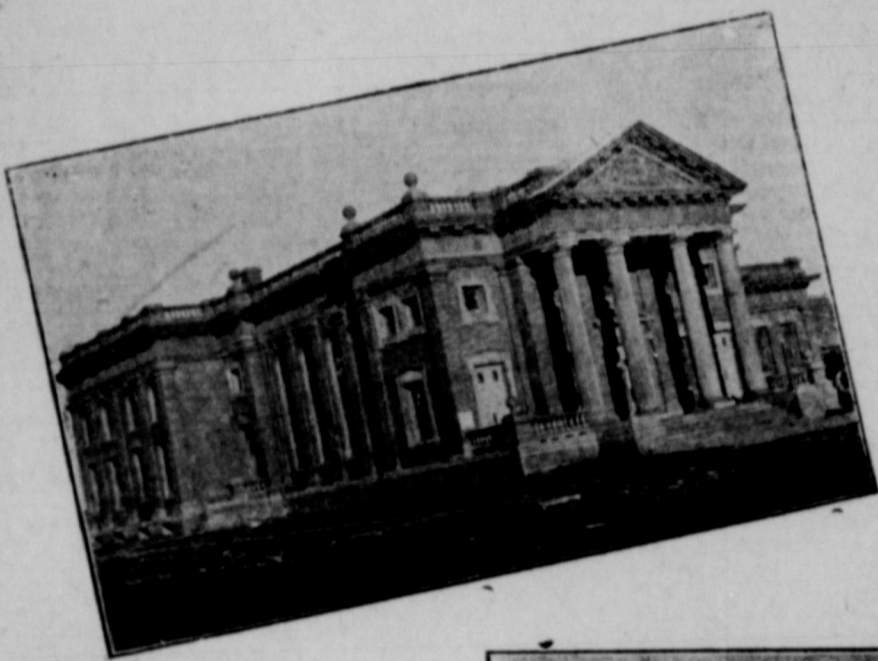
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REVIVAL STARTS SUNDAY, APRIL 1

Memphis Churches and Pastors Who Are Co-operating in Rayburn Revival



SHOW AT MAINVIEW APRIL 3-6

Plains Will Be Revealed

NEW, March 29.—The Plains of Texas will show the progress made in the breeding of dairy cattle through the Annual Panhandle show to be staged in next week, April 3, 4,

over the fifty-three Texas Panhandle area covered by the Plains Dairy association reports of entries of dairy stock, and fine that is many in rival in production bred stock. Secretary estimates that animals that will run higher than anticipated when launched late in

staging the show. The show will be big cattle barn at the Overall biggest stock barn. It is located in the business district and has been a large exhibit hall. They are among the best dairy cattle

to be widely attended as an evangelist who is different. The Democrat is convinced that this is true for it has been trying for three weeks to secure photographs of the evangelist and his two assistants, Rev. G. W. Otteson and Mrs. D. K. Stover. When asked why the party had no cuts to furnish this newspaper, Rev. Otteson simply replied, "Rayburn is different."

Spirit of Memphis Churches Pleasing To Rev. Short

The Democrat has been furnished the following statement by Rev. M. M. Short, pastor of the local Nazarene church, endorsing the Rayburn evangelistic campaign which will be inaugurated Sunday: "It is our candid opinion that there are few towns or cities in the country that show the splendid cooperation and fellowship and genuine friendship to be found in the little city of Memphis, which makes this an ideal place in which to live."

"The marked congeniality of the citizens of this place is quite wholesome. The high tone of religious consciousness of church members and non-church members is very cordial. The union revival is bound to build up the mutual interest of all."

"Dr. Rayburn's manner of preaching and conducting revivals is very much appreciated among many of the Nazarene ministers where he has held union revivals. Some of them have written to us, after hearing the Rayburn evangelistic party is coming here, endorsing the work accomplished in their towns."

"We trust the Lord will give us a gracious revival such as will build up his kingdom in the hearts of men in every church and that will mold character and shape the destiny of the people of Memphis true to type that is so near to every heart and that will cause rejoicing in heaven."

"The Nazarene church and pastor expect to put heart and soul into the meeting."
"M. M. SHORT, Pastor."

STUDENTS RETURN TO SIMMONS UNIVERSITY

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wherry left Tuesday morning by auto for Abilene to take their daughter, Miss Florence, and Miss Janice Miller, who have been visiting home folks since Thursday of last week. Mrs. Douglas Carver of White Deer accompanied them for a visit with her parents in Abilene.

Rayburn Is Different!

Dr. James Rayburn is heralded as an evangelist who is different. The Democrat is convinced that this is true for it has been trying for three weeks to secure photographs of the evangelist and his two assistants, Rev. G. W. Otteson and Mrs. D. K. Stover. When asked why the party had no cuts to furnish this newspaper, Rev. Otteson simply replied, "Rayburn is different."

Baptists Close Good Meeting

Probably the most successful one-week meeting ever held in Memphis, the Baptist revival closed Sunday night before an audience that practically completely filled the church. The pastor, Rev. E. T. Miller, who filled the pulpit throughout the series of services, delivered one of his most eloquent sermons the closing night.

Song services, which were led by the Rev. Douglas Carver of White Deer, elicited much praise and constituted a big drawing card during the revival. Rev. Mr. Carver's work among the Sunday school children in organizing a "booster" choir was also highly complimented. The adult choir, of course, had a big hand in the musical program, presenting several special numbers of merit. The Baptist orchestra, accompanied by two pianos, made gospel music that all but "raised the roof" with its melodious strains.

Following the sermon the Sunday night service was turned over to Dr. J. Hardin Mallard, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, for the purpose of inaugurating the bond sales campaign for the Rayburn revival. About \$200 worth of the bonds were disposed of.

Quite a number of those who were converted during the meeting were baptized after the period allotted for preliminary work on the cooperative revival.



TOP—Left to right, First Baptist church, First Presbyterian church. CENTER—Rev. C. E. Jameson, pastor Methodist church; First Methodist church; Dr. J. Hardin Mallard, pastor Presbyterian church. BELOW—Rev. E. T. Miller, pastor Baptist church. Members of the First Christian church of Memphis are also lending co-operation, but their church is without a regular pastor at this time.

Baptist Sunday School Teachers Met Tues. Night

Twenty-nine teachers and officers of the Baptist Sunday school held their regular monthly session Tuesday night at the home of A. Womack, superintendent of the intermediate department.

Each department spent several minutes in separate conferences and then met in general assembly for discussions. Mrs. W. S. Moore gave a brief talk on "How a Teacher Should Prepare the Sunday School Lesson."

REV. C. E. JAMESON CLOSES REVIVAL AT DODSONVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Bishop and Mrs. C. E. Jameson went to Dodsonville Sunday after Rev. C. E. Jameson who has been assisting in a revival meeting there the past week.

SUNDAY WILL BE FULL DAY FOR CHURCH GOERS AT REVIVAL HERE

Sunday will be a full day of religious endeavor for church-going people of Memphis, according to Dr. J. Hardin Mallard who has announced the program for the opening day of the Rayburn Revival.

Sunday Morning

All Sunday schools will dismiss in time to be at the tabernacle at 10:30.

Dr. James Rayburn will begin his series at the eleven o'clock hour. Subject: "Rebuilding the Walls of Jerusalem."

Sunday Afternoon

Men's meeting at the tabernacle at 2:30. Subject "Big Business."

Women's meeting at 2:30 at the Methodist church.

Young people will meet at 5 o'clock at Presbyterian church.

Sunday Evening

Dr. Rayburn's subject for the 7:30 service will be "Raising the Dead."

Chairman Issues Call for Revival Choir Practice

Thomas E. Noel, chairman of the music committee for the cooperative Rayburn revival which starts Sunday, has issued a call for all singers of the various churches who will participate in the evangelistic campaign to meet at the First Baptist church Friday night at 7:30 o'clock for choir practice.

"We are very anxious to have a well organized choir at the coming meeting," Mr. Noel said. "We want everyone who can and will sing to be at the choir practice Friday night. At that time arrangements for the music will be completed. We are going to pass out cards and get our singers aligned so that we can make the singing one of the features of the services."

The first week of the evangelistic campaign will feature the song service, Mr. Noel said, and emphasized the desire of his committee to have a large chorus choir fully organized before the meeting starts.

3-WEEK MEETING BEGINS SUNDAY MORNING

"Rebuilding Walls of Jerusalem" First Subject

Plans for the cooperative revival by the churches of Memphis gained new impetus last Tuesday with the arrival of Rev. G. W. Otteson who will direct the singing and assist in the work among men and boys in the evangelistic campaign to begin Sunday. Mrs. D. K. Stover, another member of the evangelistic party arrived Wednesday and is meeting with the ladies of the various churches in her capacity of worker among the women and girls. Dr. James Rayburn, widely known evangelist who will have charge of the meeting, is expected to arrive in Memphis Sunday morning.

With Rev. Otteson supervising, construction work in enlarging the Baptist tabernacle is progressing satisfactorily. Carpenters have been on the job since Tuesday extending the structure so that it will, when completed, almost double its present capacity. The tabernacle is being enclosed on the sides so that services may be held regardless of weather conditions. Additional seats are being installed and every provision made for the comfort of the public.

Representatives from the various churches cooperating in the revival met Saturday afternoon to outline definitely the plan of campaign and to appoint various committees. This important work was in the hands of Rev. E. T. Miller, Dr. J. H. Mallard, Judge J. M. Elliott and Charles Webster.

The preliminary sale of bonds was inaugurated at the First Baptist church Sunday night at the close of the Baptist revival, more than \$200 being realized from the sale of the bonds at that time. Subsequent efforts are being made this week by the committee in charge to take care of incidental expenses prior to the opening of the evangelistic campaign. Bonds are being sold at \$1 each, no person being permitted to purchase more than one bond.

In interviewing the religious leaders of Memphis, The Democrat has been informed that the citizens of this city are responding nobly to the cause of evangelism, that the people are for the revival and are expending their best energies to bring about a general house-cleaning along religious and spiritual lines.

The opening service of the revival will be held Sunday morning at the 11 o'clock hour, meetings to continue through the course of three weeks.

Rayburn Revival Committees Were Named Saturday

At a meeting held Saturday afternoon committees to serve in various capacities during the Rayburn revival were named and members of the committees were informed of their duties Sunday night at the Baptist church. The bodies are as follows:

Music Committee
Thomas E. Noel, Presbyterian, chairman; Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard, Baptist; Mrs. Mac Tarver, Methodist; Mrs. W. C. Milam, Christian.

Bond Sales Committee
D. L. C. Kinard, Baptist, chairman; R. L. Madden, Methodist, treasurer; J. G. Gardner, Christian; T. M. Tucker, Presbyterian; M. E. McNally, Methodist. Sam Hamilton is serving in Mr. Kinard's absence.

Ushers Committee
George A. Sager, Presbyterian, chairman; Byron Baldwin, Baptist; John Bishop, Methodist; Jeff P. Watson, Christian.

Prayer Committee
Mrs. J. Henderson Smith, Baptist, chairman; Mrs. L. D. Pierce, Presbyterian; Mrs. T. Kittinger, Presbyterian; Mrs. J. W. Fitzjarrald, Baptist; Mrs. Frank Phelan, Methodist.
Lyman E. Robbins, Baptist, publicity director.

MANY PEOPLE COMMENDING FARM AND RANCH PROGRAM

Some Misunderstand as to the Scope of the Effort to Stabilize Southwestern Agriculture

BY FRANK A. BRIGGS
Editor Farm & Ranch

The announcement of a farm program for the Southwest which appeared in Farm and Ranch March 3 attracted attention throughout the length and breadth of five states. Many letters have been received and the press has been most generous in calling attention to this new application of old and tried principles of balanced farming with livestock to Southwestern farm conditions.

The Farm and Ranch program, as announced in the issue of March 3, does not contemplate the development of livestock on farms to the exclusion of anything else. It does not advocate plunging in livestock, but only a conservative use of livestock on the farms of the Southwest as a means of balancing the program, making possible a crop rotation plan which will lead to soil conservation and soil building. Farm and Ranch suggests only such livestock on the farm as will furnish a market for the feedstuffs produced on that

farm—no more and no less. The program, if generally adopted, will serve as a protection against surplus cotton acreage and make cotton production more profitable.

If there is nothing to look forward to by Southern farmers—if the South must continue its soil-destroying one-crop program on the theory that cotton is the only crop that offers any hope, then let us cease to publish agricultural papers. Let us abandon our agricultural colleges and dismiss every professor and specialist from the pay roll, and let us discontinue every county and home demonstration agent now drawing pay from the pockets of the taxpayers. This, in answer to those who would discourage other crops than cotton, and who see failure and disaster by adopting a new program for Southern agriculture.

Reasons for a Change in Program
The cotton farmer who has no other source of income is forced to sell his crop at a disadvantage. He is unable to cooperate with brother farmers in enforcing the principles of cooperative marketing.

Continual planting of cotton from year to year on the same land robs the soil of its humus and causes washing and ditching. This, in itself, carries away the best soil. Constant cropping also robs the soil of much of its available plant food.

Increasing destructiveness of insects and the spread of root rot in Texas make cotton production under present conditions more hazardous every year.

Decreasing acre yields and increasing cost of production in most cotton-growing areas make the crop unprofitable even when prices are high.

The cotton grower on the average-sized farm cannot compete in production with large-scale growers who break and bed the soil with large-capacity implements and plant and cultivate with four-row outfits. The only way he can compete is by lowering his standard of living.

Farm ownership by men who till the soil is rapidly declining. The number of tenants on Texas farms equals 60.4 per cent of all farmers. Farms cultivated by tenants are wasting away more rapidly than farms tilled by owners because tenant farms produce little else than cotton and little or no effort is made toward soil conservation and soil building.

The standard of living on Southern farms does not average with that of farmers in the Midwest and North. Southern farm homes will not average in size, comfort, and conveniences with homes in other sections of the country. Yet the chief crop of the South is cotton, and has been cotton for a century. It is the most wonderful and the most valuable staple known to the world. It has more uses in commerce and in the arts than any other known soil product. It provides millions with employment in every corner of the civilized world, and makes thousands of people rich who handle it either as brokers, buyers, or manufacturers. But it has not made the producer rich. The poorest of all farmers in America are cotton growers. The most illiterate of all farmers and farmers' children are the producers of this wonderful fiber which gives to the United States a balance of trade every fiscal year.

Every sane and proved principle of good agricultural is against one-crop farming, except in a few highly specialized crops.

No permanent and prosperous agriculture has ever existed without livestock as a component part.

In every community one will find a prosperous farmer. Take a look at his farm. It is terraced. He has a good home and com-

Child Preacher



At the age of 5 years, Harry Myers Crawford preached his first sermon. Now at the age of 8 he has preached in more than 200 mid-western Baptist churches. He is the son of Rev. Robert H. Crawford, a Chicago pastor, and is in the third grade of a Chicago public school. The young preacher has eight brothers, six of whom have also preached. He is the fourth generation of a family of preachers.

modious outbuildings. He rotates his crops and has cows, chickens, hogs, and sheep. He knows from experience that one cannot farm successfully without livestock.

Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota, and Iowa, each in turn, tried out the one-crop system and failed. Their soils were depleted and it took years to rebuild them. Those states which produced both food and feed prospered even during the depression of 1920, 1921, and 1922, but those which depended almost altogether upon a single branch of the industry, whether it was cot-

ton, grain, or livestock, suffered. Much of the depression in the states named did not result from their system of farming, but came from inflation and speculation during the war period.

The Program Summarized
Farm and Ranch suggests the balancing of the farm program throughout the Southwest.

It suggests that a part of every farm be planted to food and feedstuffs in such quantities and varieties as are suitable to the individual farm to the end that crop rotation may be practiced in a practical manner.

It does not encourage a production of a greater amount of foodstuffs than can be consumed at home or can be marketed advantageously. It does not encourage farmers to plunge in livestock or have on their farms a greater number than necessary to consume the feedstuffs produced.

It urges every farmer in the Southwest to plan a crop and livestock program that will give employment to the owner or renter and such hired help as can be profitably used, every month in the year, distributing the labor throughout the months in as equitable a manner as possible.

No farm in the Southwest should be without a good cow or two properly fed and cared for. Every farmer should have at least one good brood sow and produce a part of his own meat. There should not be less than 200 standard bred chickens on each farm. A few good sheep or goats, as the case may be, are always profitable no matter what the price of wool or mutton may be.

Most farmers are so situated that they can, with profit, feed and finish a small amount of livestock every year. A few well-bred steers and calves to consume the feedstuffs produced will make a profit on the feedstuffs almost every year.

The feeding and finishing of livestock requires time and attention, but it is not difficult to learn. Thousands of boys in their early teens have been able to follow the instructions of county agents and others and exhibit well-finished animals at every fair and fat stock show. These animals are economically fed and return attractive profits to the producers.

The Southwest produces the stocker animals which provide a market for the feedstuffs grown in the North. Thus the Northern farmer feeds his feedstuffs at a profit through livestock produced in distant sections of the country.

The Southwest can produce

most years a greater variety of desirable feedstuffs at less cost than Northern farmers. We have a more equitable climate and do not have to feed to generate heat to keep the animal alive, but can feed to produce flesh.

Hundreds of farmers in the Southwest have been feeding home-grown products at a profit for a number of years. Others can and should profit by their experience.

It took years of costly experience for Northern states to break away from the one-crop plan of farming and learn the art of feeding livestock and the art of marketing dairy products. The knowledge obtained by them at much expense is available to Southwestern farmers without cost.

Dixieland Should be Prosperous
The South is in a geographical position to advantageously market its products both at home and abroad. Climate and soil favor and encourage a diversity of crops and livestock such as no other part of this country can produce.

Single-cropping for more than a half-century has depleted our soils and reduced acre production of our great staple crop of cotton. Continual planting of the same crop has encouraged and fostered soil and plant disease. Weak plants grown on infertile soil quickly succumb to the ravages of insects and disease. It is a known fact that much of the damage charged to insects is the result of weak plants unable to bear or hold the fruit. Cotton squares found on the ground are not always punctured by the boll weevil.

Cotton needs protection by bringing about a reduced acreage on every farm by a sensible and practical crop rotation system in connection with a reasonable complement of good livestock. This will bring about a soil building process which will increase both acre yield and quality of the staple. Farm and Ranch is a friend of cotton, but would have it do the

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Mr. and Mrs. Alton Meredith and little son of Jericho spent several days here last week visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Meredith.

J. P. Wood and daughter, Pearl of Hereford visited daughter and sister, Mrs. O. Alexander, here Sunday, were accompanied by Mr. Cla

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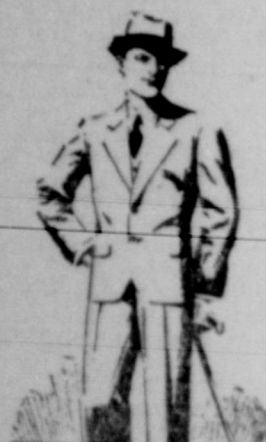


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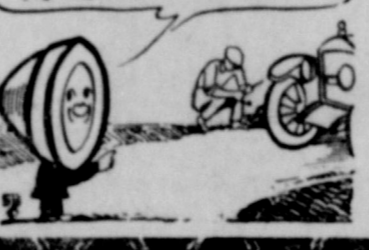
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WARREN CHILDRESS DAILY INDEX

Children's Daily Index was last week by the Hasketts, and son, to the Nunn-Publishing company. The management will take charge a short time. The Nunn-Publishing company owns a number of copies of the Panhandle and enters the lower Panhandle. L. E. Haskett has been in charge of the Haskett and Fred L. Haskett June 10, 1889, being the first paper in Northwest Arkansas. The Daily Index plant is one of the best equipped in the Panhandle. L. E. Haskett remains with the new plant but Fred will likely go to Falls where his services are needed by one of the daily papers. Hasketts have always issued a newspaper, and have been the boosters for Children's Daily Index in this county. The Demonstration success in what is an undertaking, and extends a hand to the new owners with whom they will continue the work of helping build up the river country.

College at Eastland to Open Early Next Fall

Eastland, March 29. (UP)—The board of an administrative building, two dormitories and a hall for the Warner Memorial to be established here next fall will begin about the board of education, Dallas, who has been president of the board moved to Eastland and headquarters. It is expected the president's term begins in the fall.

TO ARIZONA

Cool and family left for Jerome, Arizona, and will spend several weeks there. McCool stated that he will have a good time in the state, and ordered his friends to keep him posted on what his friends are doing in Hall county.

Farm and Ranch

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bidding of the producers instead of making them slaves.

Farm and Ranch looks forward to the time when the farm homes of the south will equal in beauty and comfort the farm homes of Iowa, Wisconsin, and other Mid-West and Northern states. Farm and Ranch wants to see the women and children taken out of the field and the children sent to school. It cannot be done via the all-cotton route. It can be done by crop rotation with livestock as a foundation for soil building. The labor on the farm must be profitably employed throughout the year. Every man hour available should make a profit. No man depending upon his labor can expect to make a living by employing himself profitably for only three to five months a year.

Bankers and merchants who have financed the cotton crop from year to year are requested to study this program, and if satisfied with its merits, give it the same support as they have given the one-crop cotton farmer in the past. Farm machinery manufacturers and distributors and all interested in a permanent and prosperous agriculture in the South should cooperate in making possible the rejuvenation of Southern agriculture to the end that they also may participate in the prosperity that may come out of it.

This program is not work of a single year. The change must be brought about gradually and on a permanent basis. Many farmers must be financed in the purchase of machinery and other equipment. Means must be provided for obtaining the desired livestock. Shipping associations must be organized to cut the cost of marketing. Markets should be provided for surplus food products. It is a program requiring the united effort of farmers, merchants, bankers and other business men. Farm and Ranch pledges its unequalled support and invites the cooperation of farmers and other interested. Let us work together in the building of rural homes, churches and schools worthy of our Southland and put in them all the comforts and conveniences industrious people are entitled to. We have tried it by the one-crop cotton farming system and have ingloriously failed. Let us do it by adopting a better and more constructive system of farming. Suggestions and criticisms of this program are invited.

Hidden Away



Feminists are all astir over the fate of this "portrait-monument" of (left to right) Susan B. Anthony, Elizabeth Cady Stanton and Lucretia Mott mysteriously confined to the semi-darkness of the Capitol crypt instead of being exhibited on the second floor, where monuments rightly belong. The memorial weighs eight tons and is irreverently referred to as "three old ladies in a bathtub." Congress is now being prodded to authorize a more conspicuous display of the memorial.

Abilene Population Placed at 32,400; Increase of 200%

ABILENE, March 29. (UP)—Population of Abilene is 32,400, according to a new city directory issued this week by the John F. Worley Directory company at Dallas.

This is an increase of more than 200 per cent since 1920 when the last federal census was taken. The census for that year gave Abilene a population of 10,274. The 1926 directory gave the city a population of 10,274. The 1926 directory gave the city a population of 25,297.

Ft. Worth Teacher Has Unique Method Of Child Discipline

FORT WORTH, Mar. 29. (UP)—A novel system used by Principal Ernest Parker keeps the number of spankings at the Jennings Avenue Junior high school unusually low.

Parker has used corporal punishment a la papa at his school for the last eight years. In that time he has not spanked a single student. Instead, when punishment is necessary, Parker summons the father of the errant to come to the school and administer the spanking.

An average of only two or three students are spanked a year by use of this novel method.

"After the parent administers the spanking," Parker explained, "I can always apply the Biblical admonition in reverse order and spare the rod. A spanking from father seems to achieve the desired result much better than if done by the teacher."

Fire Department At Turkey Buys Modern Equipment

TURKEY, March 29.—Turkey has taken another forward step toward cityhood. The city council has purchased a modern fire truck to protect its ever-increasing commercial and domestic interests and to lower its insurance key rate.

The truck, a Graham Bros. chassis with American La France equipment, is a hose and chemical combination machine purchased from Allen-Figh Motor company, of Memphis, represented by G. B. Gentry. Erection of a brick fire station that would also house water department offices is planned.

Mrs. G. S. Vineyard and son James are here from Amarillo visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. J. C. Wells.



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A REVIVAL FOR MEMPHIS

SUNDAY NEXT, the last Lord's Day before Easter, will witness the beginning of the cooperative revival meeting, taken part in by the various churches of the city. Definite plans have been formulated for financing the evangelistic campaign so that few collections need be taken during the course of the meeting. The Baptist tabernacle is being enlarged and every necessary step taken so that the services may begin and run their span free from all financial worry and responsibility.

Dr. Rayburn, the evangelist, is said to be different from many of his co-laborers. His plan of campaign is simple but effective. He sees to it that the foundations upon which he builds his meetings are complete and adequate before the services start. In this way, the meeting gets under way immediately without the preliminaries that require time, money and thought if they are not disposed of prior to the opening of the meeting.

The evangelist is said to be a man who depends upon the power of gospel meetings to bring the lost safely into the fold. He does not employ tactics that tend to be regarded as sensational or dramatic to reach the sinner. His propositions to the unsaved are like unto those expounded by the great teacher, Christ. In fact, they are one and the same with His. He shows the Christ to be the personal savior of men, who died upon the Cross that men might live to enjoy the life everlasting. Such sermons should get results.

Memphis needs a city-wide revival, a spiritual awakening. In a large measure, the ground has been broken through the success attending the Baptist revival which closed last Sunday night. Men and women, boys and girls took a stand for the right in this meeting by accepting the meek and lowly Nazarene, by aligning themselves with the principles of right living and right thinking, and by realizing more fully their responsibilities and duties as Christian citizens of the community.

The coming revival will be a success for the Lord if the people of Memphis realize fully its wide scope and influence and work indefatigably and pray consistently and earnestly for their unsaved loved ones and friends. Revivals are built largely upon prayer, just as every worth while thing in life is. As Rev. Miller said in a sermon recently, it is up to the sinner as to whether he will take the best God has to offer him or the worst, and equally, it is up to the Christian people to make the sinner see the truth that is here expounded.

This week should be a week of preparation and prayer for a revival that will shake the tottering and unstable foundations of sin in Memphis and that will bring many to forsake their ways of wickedness and to partake of the salvation that is offered them, freely and unafraid.

AN AIR PORT ADDS PROGRESS

LARGE CITIES and small towns in the North and East are developing an "air-mindedness" which is as striking as it is commendable. People are awakening to the possibilities of air transportation and they are giving concrete expression to their beliefs by establishing landing fields, erecting hangars and in general giving serious consideration to their commercial destiny.

In many of the large cities of the South, airports have become realities. Adequate landing fields have been provided to attract aviators. New airways are opening up each month. The manufacture of airplanes is becoming a substantial industry and those towns having the vision to see this thing are going to reap the results that their unprogressive neighbors will be denied.

Memphis is large enough to support an air port. There are any number of fields adjacent to this city where such a landing place could be established at small cost. Such a field should contain at least one hangar large enough to accommodate two planes. It should be equipped with telephone, rest room, shower baths and small sleeping quarters. In addition, the field should contain facilities for refueling planes. It would seem that an initial expenditure of five thousand dollars would be ample to provide an airport here.

One day last week a Texaco passenger plane circled low over the city, but did not make a landing for the simple and significant reason that no landing field was available. The plane, of necessity, had to continue its flight to Amarillo, in order to effect a landing.

DR. DUTTON RECOMMENDS

MY Dear Mr. Sager:
I am told that Mr. Rayburn is to open an evangelistic campaign in your town next week.

Allow me to say that I think, from his sane methods and results he gets, that he is the safest and the greatest evangelist in the nation.

Things will happen in your town. He is so different from most evangelists. He is a man's man straight from the shoulder. No cheap clap-trap methods.

You can well afford to back him to the limit. I am very greatly rejoiced that you are to have him. I do love your people and wish for them all possible good. Untold good of the most constructive and permanent character will be the result.

God bless you all most abundantly.
This is entirely voluntary. I assure you.
Sincerely yours,
DEAN C. DUTTON.

The Passing Show



TELL THE EDITOR ABOUT IT

In his column, "The Day in Texas," Mr. Will H. Mayes comments upon the tendency of newspaper readers to talk with the editor about features or articles appearing in the paper only when criticism or complaint is to be expressed, and points out that commendation as well as criticism should be given the editor by his patrons.

Not many newspaper readers, apparently, understand that the editor tries every day to make his paper just what the readers want it to be. All manner of features are published and all kinds of articles written, with the hope that each one may please somebody who reads the paper. Naturally, those features which please large numbers of readers are published regularly and those which apparently please only a few are omitted if space becomes too limited. If newspaper readers would tell the editor what they like and what they dislike about the paper, he would be able to please all of them much more often and the actual value of the paper would be immensely increased. It frequently happens that the editor can gain no idea of the "reader reaction" to articles or features which he offers from day to day, and relying upon his own judgment and taste may continue or discontinue them contrary to the wishes of a large number of people who pay their money for the privilege of reading the paper.

Likewise, it is possible for the readers of a newspaper to exert a great deal of influence in directing the editorial policies of their favorite paper. If the editor's views are pleasing, his readers may encourage him to express them by offering commendation. If they are displeasing, or at least to express them less vigorously, if his readers discuss them with him and point out the errors in his conclusions.

The newspaper should be, and frequently is, an expression of the life and thought of the community it serves. It is a public institution, although privately owned, and its character may be moulded by the readers if they will exert themselves to do so. The newspaper editor is always glad to welcome suggestions and to read the opinions of those who hear his paper, and if he is a capable and conscientious editor, he is always anxious to make the paper just what his readers want it to be. The only way he can learn what the readers want is for them to tell him. Editors are smart, but they don't know everything.—Brownwood Bulletin.

"The cure for worry, my boy, is work."
"Yes, but I'm worrying because because I can't get work."
"Why did they send Brown to the insane asylum?"
"He murdered a man and refused to plead temporary insanity."

CHILDRESS INDEX PAYS DEMOCRAT A COMPLIMENT

Possibly the Memphis Democrat is the best patronized country paper in Northwest Texas. Practically every issue consists of 16 pages, each page carrying a large number of advertisements from the merchants of Memphis, demonstrating beyond a doubt the business element of Memphis has confidence in the Democrat and its editors.—Index.

"I've just come back from old Bill's funeral."
"So old Bill's dead."
"Well, if he's not someone has played a dirty trick on him."

"You can talk to me all you want about girls," said Herbert dreamily, "but I've got a real girl, none like her. Why, we were driving along a country road—birds singing, full moon—first time I'd ever had a date with her, and—well, to tell the truth I told her I was out of gas and began to make love to her."
"What about it?" inquired Clarence. "Did she walk home?"
"That's the wonderful part. She walked home and about an hour later came back carrying a five-gallon can of gasoline."

Mike—Did ye ever speak before a large audience, Pat?
Pat—Fairly large, I did.
Mike—And what did you say?
Pat—Not guilty.

Tobey and Tike

—By Redner



My Own Kollum

By J. C. W.

The County Interscholastic Meet will be held in Estelle for the next two days, and children from the different schools of the county will participate in literary and athletic activities. These contests are fine for creating school spirit, as well as a desire on the part of the individual in literary or physical attainments.

Memphis has two debaters who will have no opponents in the county meet, but will have to wait until the district meet to strut their stuff. These two boys have been challenged to tryouts with other school debaters over the district, just for the practice the participants will get preparatory to the district meet. The Memphis debaters are Burton C. Miles and Edwin Todd.

Real Panhandle showers have been reminding the citizenship that the day of sand storms in the Panhandle are not entirely obliterated, as some suggest, but still have the power of persuading people to stay indoors and keep doors and windows closed tight. Then the housewife gets up in the morning and begins to talk about how hard it is to keep the house clean with the wind pitching in the sand through the keyholes faster than she can shovel it out with a broom or vacuum sweeper.

One cannot help but wish the entire citizenship would get the same kind of an idea about the town as a whole, and want to keep it clean. Just a few days ago a citizen of Memphis, who lately moved into town, made the remark that he would like to see a general clean up take place in Memphis, and then all work to keep it clean. "I know some alleys and yards that look like they had been abandoned by citizens and turned over to barbarians who have no pride in the appearance of their homes or premises. Why, there are some who continue to throw their rubbish and tin cans right into the alley where their neighbors have worked for hours to get it presentable."

This same citizen wondered if the city has a health officer, or some one to look after those things, and suggested that it should be done frequently by some one in authority. If the citizenship as a whole will not keep their town clean then the authorities ought to step in and do their stuff. Memphis, as a whole, is one of the cleanest towns in Texas; but she needs just a few more people with civic pride enough to do a little cleaning.

Nearly every day some speeder either has a close shave or strikes some other car in Memphis. It is only a question of time until some one will be killed or seriously injured, due to the carelessness of the speeder. Traffic laws are violated every day by many. No regard is given to the welfare of the school children by some drivers. They go hell-bent-for-election past the school grounds as though there were no children in a mile of there.

It has been frequently observed at churches or other places, where cars are parked in great numbers, some careless drivers drive right through at a prohibitive rate, and could easily strike some one coming from behind the cars into the street. Every day they drive onto the square, at the busiest corner, at a rate of thirty or forty miles per hour. It is a wonder that some one isn't hurt or killed every day or two.

Now here is a solution. The city could well afford to put on a motorcycle officer who could run down and arrest the violators of the traffic laws. Paying a few fines is the best deterrent of a continuation of violations. Taxes are being paid into the city for protection as well as other things, and if the people of Memphis do not need protection from speeders and violators of traffic laws of every kind, then they do not need anything at all.

The present high school graduates heard promises of a good telephone exchange when they were wee children. They are now beginning to wonder if, in their brief span of three score and ten, they will see that promise fulfilled. Paducah was praised recently by a telephone official for appreciating telephone service in their town. Paducah has cause for praising it, for they were recently given a new flash light system. Memphis is long-suffering, and each new set of owners promise a new system right away, but sell out before the promise is fulfilled.

Citizens of Memphis will have an opportunity to exercise their constitutional right to say who

This and That

By L. E. R.

West Texas sand storms are like gossiping women. They know when to stop.

Our contemporaries have forth with spring poetry not this—

Oh, yes, we have our rain. In this section of the land. But our rain is seldom warm. Just torrents of red sand.

Gaul may have been into three parts, but some gall is divided into any number of parts and ready for any use.

Our Correspondent
Dear L. E. R.: I can't get night for thinking about mess. What would you do? Ans: Just lie there thankful you have enough mess to think about.

Dear L. E. R.: If you married man would you mother-in-law live with you? Ans: Possibly we might, but we don't think INVITE her.

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TEXAS HAS MANY LEGENDS OF VALUABLE BURIED TREASURES

By GORDON K. SHEARER
United Press Staff Correspondent

AUSTIN, Texas, March 27 (UP)—Springfield, Missouri's buried treasure, reported buried by Ponce de Leon, had a counterpart in Texas. Frequent searches for buried treasure have been conducted in this state. Some, according to report, have been fruitful. So numerous are the accounts of lost mines and treasure buried by explorers in Texas that they have been gathered together in Frank Dobie's report of the San Saba or Bowie mine. It is famous in the report of the James and Rezin mine. It is supposed to have been a mine worked by the Spaniards. There has been many a hunt for its site.

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Ballad of John Maroon

BY ANDREA MONTZ

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Now this is the tale of John Maroon, believe it if you will; For the man he lived and the man he died and maybe he's living still Out in the cattle country with no marker to show his grave, But men have said that his boots were on and he was passing brave.

A silent man was John Maroon as he rode the Texas plains; He kept away from the beaten track of civilization's mains, For John Maroon was a silent man and his pony was his friend, And the two of them in clouds of dust traveled where long shadows bend.

Where the cactus thrives in its rocky bed and mesas rim the sky; Where the sun boils down in sizzling heat on beds of alkali, And where in winter blizzards sweep in a wild travail o'er earth, It was all the same to John Maroon, this land that gave him birth.

For John Maroon was a silent man and he loved the silence best When galloping into a sunset with a breeze upon his chest: With a fresh plug of tobacco and some home-made cigarettes, So far as Western folk could tell the man had no regrets.

His cheek was tanned and his body scarred, his gait was a trifle slow, But the keen gray eyes looked ever ahead and sparkled with a glow; His body had felt the taste of lead, and he knew how to draw His shooting irons, for they were best respectors of the law.

It is said the man had a secret love buried for years in the sod— That he lived with her in the spirit world of open air and God, But few there were who really knew why the plains gripped him so strong, And sent him out in the lonely wastes to write his epic song.

His campfire blazed three hundred miles along that wind-burned stretch, And cowboys sang when the nights were long of an old and wizened wretch— The song that came from the heart of him whose years had failed to free:

"Oh, bury me not, Oh, bury me not, out here on the lone prairie." But John Maroon, he kept aloof from the roundup and its men; He kept away from the howling herd—the stampede with its din; And he would ride to the wildest stretch of the lordly empire state, To write his name in the burning sand with the embers from his grate.

The man and horse were clouded shapes and men would nod their heads, And point him out as he galloped by, and discuss him in their beds When the wolves they howled at the campfire's glare that trailed off to the East, That kept them back from juicy steak on which they dared not feast.

And in saloons where whiskey spilled on beards matted and gray, Each man had a word for John Maroon as he went his lonely way. Old heads were shaken and brows were knit: "Let's have another drink." For men in leather are easily pleased and hate like Hell to think.

A shot and a cry by the River Red and answering shots in the dark, And John Maroon and his faithful mount lay prone and stiff and stark. The man who loved the silence best had found it eternally— The secrets he carried within his heart now went forever free.

Old bleaching bones on a western slope show white beneath the moon, But man and horse are riding still on the prairie wind's soft croon. The ghosts of a thousand campfires can tell of the story best, While countless stars are flooding their lights on the wind-swept West.

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A. R. McMASTER FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 2

The Democrat is authorized to announce the candidacy of A. R. McMaster for the office of County Commissioner for Precinct 2 Hall county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July. Mr. McMaster made the race two years ago and ran a very close second. He has lived in the Lodge community and successfully farmed for the past five years and is very familiar with the needs and qualified to fill the office to look after the business affairs of the county to the best of his ability.

T. C. PRITCHETT

Following is a brief sketch of the life of T. C. Pritchett, who met death when hit by an automobile west of town last week. He was born at Talladega, Alabama, February 27, 1858; came to Texas in 1872; married to Miss Belle Payne October 1878; was a resident of Hall county for the past eighteen years; prior to that time made his home in Limestone and Navarro counties; six children were born to this union—three boys and three girls. He joined the Methodist church at an early age and lived a consistent Christian life.

Dallas Prepares For Its Annual Rose Show May 6 to 12

DALLAS, March 27. (UP)—The annual "rose week" under the direction of the local Rose Lovers league will be held here May 6 to 12 according to officials of the league. A feature of the week will be awarded for 12 different classifications of roses. Twenty-five thousand rose bushes have been planted in Dallas as a result of the two annual campaigns of the Rose Lovers league.

Long, Tedious Chevrolet Tour Now Under Way

There is a motoring tour now under way which, it is safe to predict, will out-do in thrills and drama any of the experiences of some 40,000,000 Americans who will take to the highways this season.

It is a tour through jungle trails, over desert wastes, over uncharted lands never before traversed by a stock car, amid jungle life, where a tropical sun burns down by day, and where the wilderness echoes with the threat of savage life at night.

The transportation selected by the adventurer consists of a stock Chevrolet sedan trailed by a Chevrolet truck on which is carried equipment necessary to hew a path through wilderness tangles. Included in the equipment is a complete wireless outfit with which the men will maintain contact with the outside world, and a medical chest containing anti-venom serum and surgical and first aid supplies. Each member has been inoculated against jungle fever.

The run was officially started by radio from New York City by J. D. Mooney, president of General Motors export, who expects to sail from New York in time to greet the travelers in Europe. The first leg of the run, Cape Town to Cairo, is scheduled for completion in 40 days.

Heading the party is the famous African adventurer, Captain Lacey. Others are a wireless operator, a newspaper man, and a motion picture photographer. Selection of a Chevrolet to carry the party was logical, following a demonstration of the rugged qualities of the car conducted recently by Lacey, in which he bested by nine hours the time of the express mail train over the 2,000 mile route between Elizabethville and Johannesburg, in South Africa.

The Cape-to-London run, sponsored by General Motors (South Africa) Ltd., was planned originally to end at Cairo, but interest

aroused by the project became so keen that the route was extended to include General Motors plants at Alexandria, Berlin, Antwerp, London, and Stockholm.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Thompson and children visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Neel.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Tunnell of Quitaque visited Mrs. Tunnell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Swift, Sunday.

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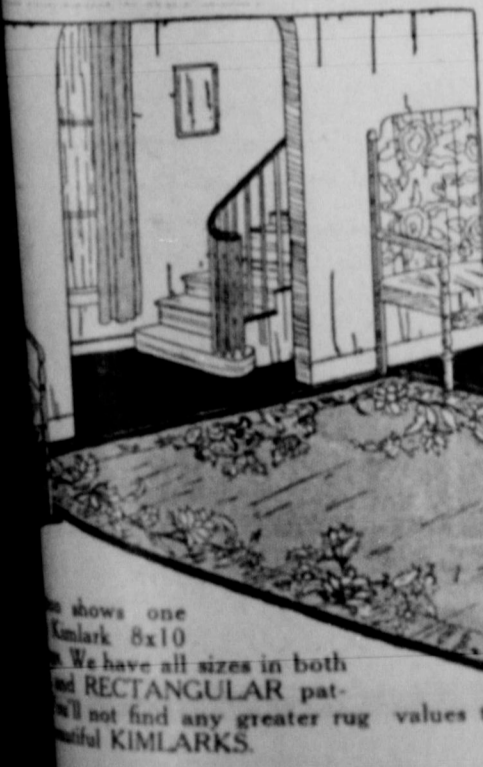
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DR. E. R. CLARK WEDS DALLAS TEACHER

Dr. Ernest R. Clark, of the Memphis hospital, went to Dallas first of the week, and Tuesday he and Miss Katie Freeman, a teacher in the Dallas schools, were united in marriage.

They left immediately after the wedding for St. Louis where they will spend their honeymoon, and where Dr. Clark will take a special course in children's diseases, and eye, ear, nose and throat work for a few weeks.

This estimable couple will return to Memphis to make their home. The Democrat joins their many friends in extending best wishes and congratulations.

Get it at Tarver's.

Cut Construction Costs at Texas U. School of Mines

EL PASO, March 29. (UP)—Lack of sufficient funds for new buildings has not deterred the El Paso School of Mines from providing additional classrooms and needed improvements, it was disclosed during a visit of the board of control.

Prof. John W. Kidd, engineering instructor at the school, provided additional classrooms by mining away rock from beneath several buildings to form a basement. For \$600 he built a roadway on the campus which contractors estimated would cost \$2,000. Professor Kidd uses students in his classes for the work thereby giving them practical experience, he said.

When a new \$18,000 building was erected the rock blasted away to provide a site was used in the construction.

Duke Tobacco Suit Is Heard In Austin Court

AUSTIN, March 29. (UP)—The suit of Naraline H. Duke against State Controller Terrell to prevent collection of \$110,613 claimed due as inheritance tax on part of the estate of the late tobacco magnate was opened in district court here today.

The state's claim is based on 35,997 shares of Texas Company stock which formed part of the Duke estate. The estate paid \$77,264 of the tax claimed. The balance has been deposited in Liberty bonds pending outcome of today's suit.

ESTELLINE WILL GET GAS LINE THIS YEAR

The citizens of Estelline have signed a contract with the Upham Gas company for a gas line into their city, which is expected to be ready for gas distribution by September 1. The main line of the gas company will likely be tapped somewhere north of Red river.

The delegation of Estelline citizens who went to Wichita Falls to sign the contract included Curry Green, Carl M. Jones, R. H.

Whaley, W. M. Whaley, and Fred Landers, editor of the Estelline News and capable secretary of the Estelline chamber of commerce.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Madden spent last week end visiting their daughters who are attending the West Texas State Teachers college at Canyon.

J. S. Minton of Wichita came Sunday for his wife's baby who have been visiting parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Turner.

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Southwestern Life Celebrating Silver Anniversary; C. A. Reynolds Has Good Record as Local Agent

A growth unparalleled among insurance companies of Texas has been the good fortune of the Southwestern Life with headquarters at Dallas, represented locally by C. A. Reynolds. This month the company is celebrating its silver anniversary, having been chartered 25 years ago in March, 1903.

Strictly a Texas company, the Southwestern has grown by leaps and bounds from a modest capitalization of \$100,000 to the present fully paid in sum of \$3,500,000, combined capital and surplus. Assets are now more than \$26,000,000.00. It is virtually the first Texas company organized in this state. A company was chartered in Waco in 1901 but did not write any business for several years and the Southwestern lays claim to being the first active Texas insurance organization.

During the first year the company paid only \$3,500 in claims, but over a million dollars annually is paid out now. Hon. Sam P. Cochran of Dallas holds policy number one, issued in July, 1903.

The Southwestern had its origin in the minds of a number of business men who recognized the opportunity for a strong, conservative life insurance company in Texas. It had been brought to their attention that a large amount of money was being paid annually to Eastern companies by residents of Texas. As a consequence the Southwestern Life was organized. There were no promotion expenses. Every cent of money paid in by business men for capital stock and surplus went directly to the treasury of the company.

The company was founded by Texans and has been entirely controlled by Texans since. Funds are largely invested in first mortgage loans, all in this state.

C. A. Reynolds, who represents the Southwestern in Hall county opened a permanent office for the company over the Hall County National Bank slightly over two years ago. Mr. Reynolds has been with the organization 12 years and has the distinction of being one of two Southwestern representatives who has not missed writing an application a week for 4 years and 8 weeks. This record for continuous production stamps Mr. Reynolds as a wide-awake representative for the company.

"My company has enjoyed a good business locally since opening an agency here," Mr. Reynolds said, "which I attribute to the good service rendered to policy holders and beneficiaries. All matters are handled without expense to policy holders and beneficiaries. All claims are paid promptly—within 3 or 4 days."

"If Texans do not build Texas, who will? The fact that Texans prefer to do business with a Texas company is revealed in the rapid growth of Southwestern Life. Our company writes more insurance in Texas than any other company and has held this lead for the past nine years. More than \$59,000,000 was written in 1927 by Southwestern Life representatives."

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Professional Christian Succumbingly Foiled at Dallas

DALLAS, March 29. (UP)—A "professional Christian" who practiced the practice of joining local churches and then asking the congregation for financial assistance, was foiled by Dallas police. The man attended church services in several churches, wearing tattered clothing. A plan was made for all churches to be visited by the minister bestowed the "poor stranger" turned "poor man" and told them his name and address, poor health and the congregation would be helped with liberal donations. The man's preference for any denomination to carry on his practice was Phares of the South Christian church became known in that church and he returned the following day to be baptized, telling if he needed help it was at that time. In the week following the man's plan. The man appeared at the church.

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Chesterfield Sales Gain Twenty-Eight Billion in 5 Years

From seven billion smoked in 1922 to twenty-eight billion smoked in 1927—sales doubled and redoubled all within five years. These are the startling figures announced by the Liggett & Myers Tobacco company for their ever-popular Chesterfield cigarette.

This amazing growth, representing a gain of 300 per cent, signifies not only the universal preference for the cigarette as the smokers' choice, but the acceptance of this one particular brand as the popular favorite.

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This genuine testimonial for good tobacco and good blending is based largely on Chesterfield's particularly pleasing flavor and taste. As it is stated in the advertisements, Chesterfields are "mild and yet they satisfy;" in other words, the flavor has been so skillfully balanced as to eliminate any suggestion of harshness or bite, and yet leave enough richness and body to "let a smoker know he's smoking."

Nor is Chesterfield's rapid growth limited to the boundaries of the United States. Sales reports have revealed that this brand is world wide in its acceptance, as shown by the fact that in practically all the principle cities of the world it is found to be among the leading sellers.

In fact, Chesterfield's world-wide recognition has given rise to another new advertising slogan which truthfully asserts that "the sun never sets on Chesterfield's popularity"—with the added distinction that "Such popularity must be deserved" because of a

Berry Pickers to Gather East Texas' Big Crop Arrive

TYLER, March 29. (UP)—The advance guard of berry pickers began arriving in the Lindale section, near here, this week in anticipation of this year's bumper berry harvest.

The blackberry crop will not be ready for picking until the first of May, being about two weeks

later than usual this year. Strawberries will begin ripening next week.

More than 2,500 berry pickers will be camped in this section by the time the picking season is in full swing. The crop is heavier than usual this year and the Lindale fruit crop will bring more than \$250,000 to the growers.

May Sell Water Works to Secure Money for Paving

TURKEY, March 29.—The city council is considering the sale of the Turkey Water Works to the Texas Water company of Fort Worth and Chicago. If the transaction is consummated money derived from the deal will be used for paving Main street and laying curbs and gutters on several other streets. The franchise would call for a complete sewerage system to be installed by the Texas Water company.

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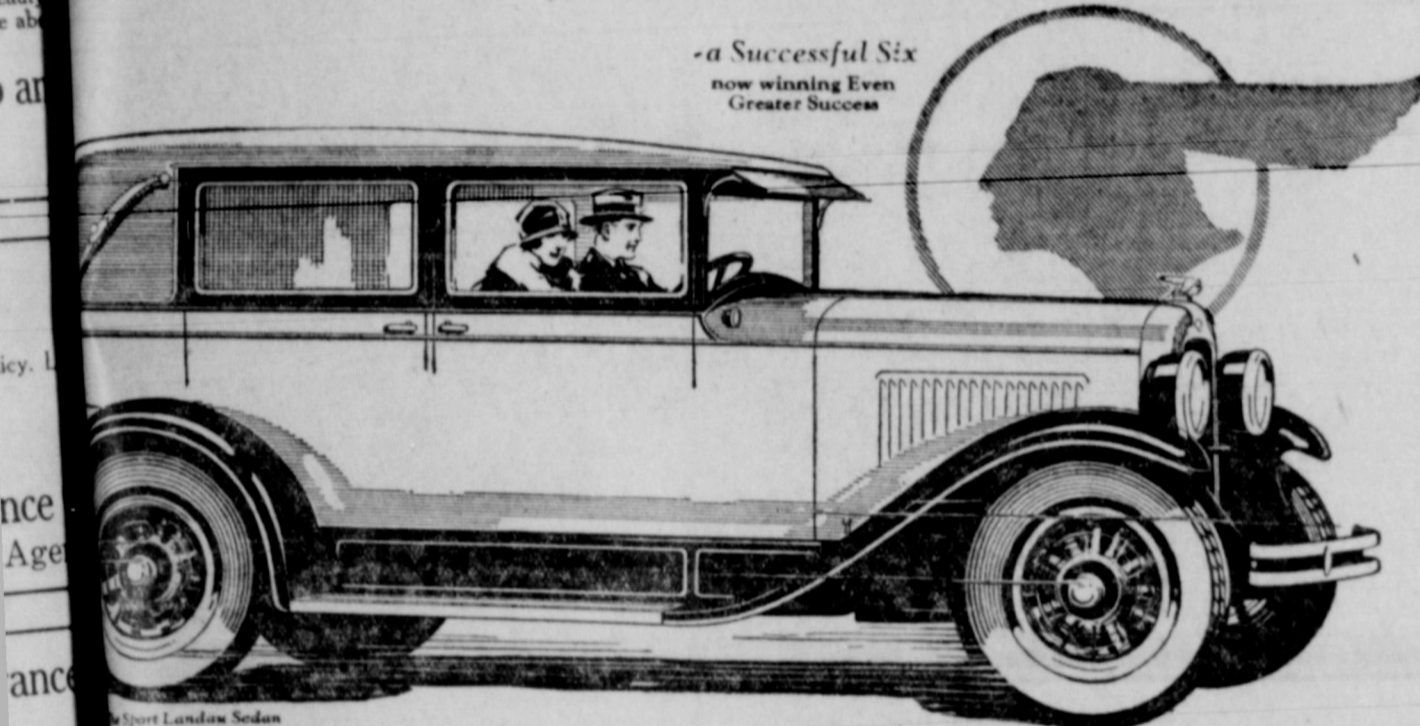
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Mary Pickford's "My Best Girl" Costly Picture

Forty thousand dollars a minute! No, that isn't the long distance telephone rate from here to Mars—it's the cost of just one sequence in "My Best Girl," Mary Pickford's new comedy-romance which opens Tuesday at the Palace theatre here.

The sequence is enacted in a huge set representing a section of a downtown business district. The set occupies two city blocks, and is kept between two and four hundred workmen busy for a month in erecting the four and five story buildings and laying the street car tracks and the paving.

Although the cost of the set itself, the salaries of the cast and of the twelve hundred electricians and extra people used, totaled in the neighborhood of \$120,000, the scenes take only a few minutes on the screen, which makes it probably the most expensive sequence per minute ever made.

While the set is a faithful copy of a business section, complete from street cars to traffic signals, the realism of the scenes was enhanced by several unscheduled traffic jams during the filming, which, as Miss Pickford said, "made everything look just natural."

"My Best Girl" is a story of the 5-and-10-cent stores, with the star in one of her famous "gingham roles" as a little stock-girl. It is said to be the funniest picture she has ever produced, and critics are acclaiming it generally as the best film of her career.

GILES

Mrs. J. D. McCants is on the sick list this week.

Miss Ruth Johnson of Amarillo spent the past week end here visiting her mother, Mrs. C. Y. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Younger and little son Daniel of Channing were visitors in the J. A. Lemmon home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. F. C. Johnson and daughter, Miss Lovell, are visiting friends in Bowie county this week.

Mrs. E. L. Mevis and L. E. Beckwith were visitors in Quail Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shields of Quail visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Huffmaster, Sunday.

Heck Cope of Tascosa was here Sunday visiting home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ranson and Mrs. Robert Stotts visited friends at Shamrock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Thaxton and daughters Jack and Laverne of Wellington spent Saturday night and Sunday here in the J. A. Lemmon home.

Harvey Stotts went to Tascosa Sunday where he will work for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Watt and Mrs. E. M. Glass were shoppers in Memphis Friday afternoon.

Several from here are attending court at Clarendon this week.

Mrs. Mae Beckwith who has been visiting friends in Amarillo several weeks, returned to her home here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hurley Moreman and children of Hedley visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lemmon Sunday evening.

HIGH SCHOOL

The chapel program for Wednesday morning of last week was a very impressive message delivered by Evangelist S. E. Templeton.

To the delight of all the students, Reverend and Mrs. Carver entertained them again Thursday morning.

Monday morning the high school orchestra, the Sizzling Six, rendered a few popular numbers.

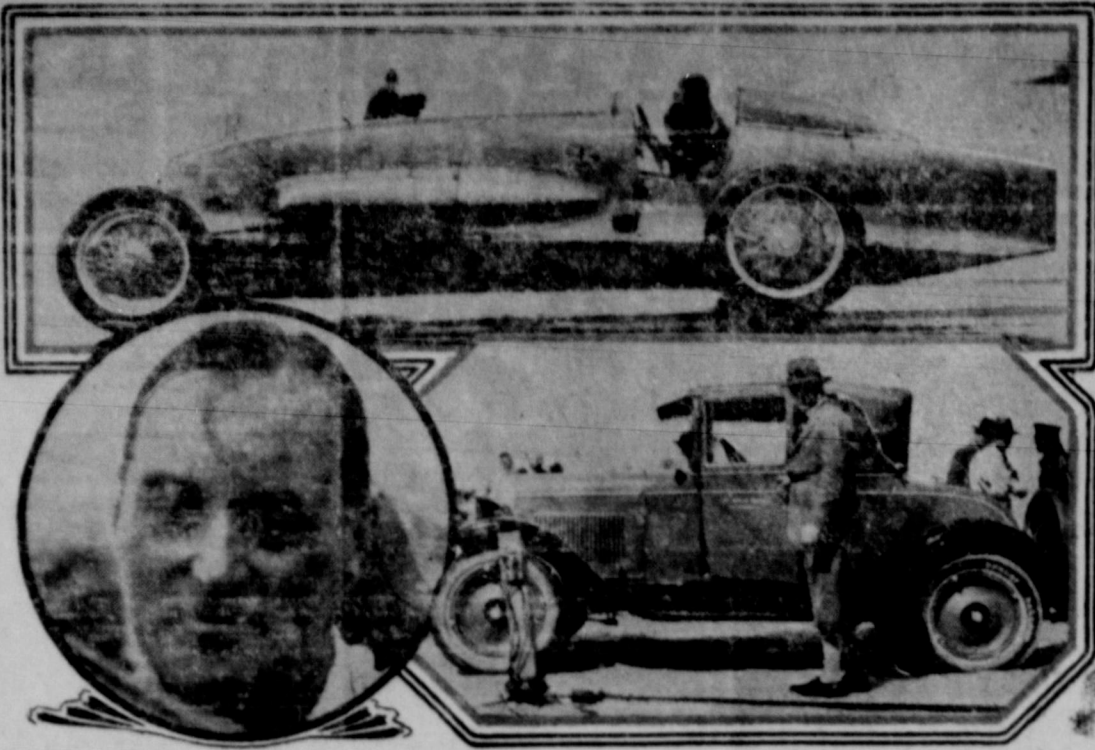
As it is near the time for the annual Junior-Senior banquet a program on etiquette was given Tuesday morning. A poem was read by Dorrae Powell and pantomimed by Bernice Guthrie, Lucy Hudgins, Mary Lee Simon, C. J. Goodnight, Clayton Read, and Windell Harrison. After the program Mr. Miles presented sweaters to the following basket ball girls: Madie Thompson, Marie Gilreath, Erlene Neal, Jeannette Dennis, Vallie Mae Butler, Dorothy Liner, Violet Balthrop, and Pauline Alexander.

Attend Convention Of West Texas C. C. In Five Airplanes

WACO, March 29. (UP)—Following the trend of modern transportation, a group of Waco business men went to the district convention of the West Texas chamber of commerce at Dublin yesterday by airplane.

Five late model planes were used to transport the party. The local delegation will urge the convention to aid in the development of modern highways linking Waco with west Texas.

Famous Driver Buys Companion Car



Captain Malcolm Campbell, of England, who recently set a new world record at Daytona Beach by achieving the astounding speed of 206.95 miles per hour, used the Napier "Bluebird" shown above in his daring feat. For his personal use he selected the Chevrolet coupe, pictured on the lower right as it stood beside the mile post on the track. Both race car and Chevrolet are equipped with Dunlop tires. Lower left inset shows a close-up of the speed king.

Texas and Texans

By Will H. Mayes, Austin, Texas

Flowers Among Editors

Most persons, knowing that Burnet and Marble Falls are only a few miles apart in the same county, would expect a spirit of bitter rivalry between them and that Editor Faubion of the Marble Falls Messenger and Editor Chamberlain of the Burnet Bulletin would be at each others' throats almost constantly. But, not so; they are good friends, as all editors should be, and recently Editor Faubion took a whole column in his paper to tell what a fine fellow Chamberlain is. Among other things he said Editor Chamberlain "is entitled to all the nice things in this life and a greater crown in the life to come," and that "the name Chamberlain stands four-square for right doing, right thinking and the moral uplift of humanity." In thus singling the praise of his neighbor, Editor Faubion shows he is a big man with none of the petty jealousies so often found in many men engaged in competitive business.

Stick to Home Enterprises John E. Cooke, of the Rockdale Reporter, uses almost the entire first column of his paper to preach a fine sermon to his townsmen about the way—some of them have been treating Joe Stein, the local baker, "whose bread is as good as the best." He says that Stein has been baking bread in Rockdale for 31 years, that he is a good citizen, has reared a large family that he has clothed and fed in Rockdale, that he has supported every worthy enterprise of the community, has voted for every bond issue, paid his taxes, given liberally to local charities, and put his earnings all back into the town; and yet Rockdale people are buying truck loads of bread from out of town bakeries every day—bread that is not a bit better than Joe Stein's bread, for Joe bakes good, honest bread.

Bad Business Policy Editor Cooke pictures Stein as an almost ideal citizen who puts quality and service into his business, but it seems that a number of Rockdale people had rather help along some other town than to patronize one of their townsmen who has shared their struggles for 31 years. The Rockdale man who buys bread out of Rockdale, when he can get as good bread at as good a price from Joe Stein is not only boycotting Stein, but boycotting his own town, and to that extent helping to tear it down. Rockdale people are not the only folks guilty of doing such things, and the bakers are not the only business concerns that suffer from such practices. There is too much disposition in many places to trade away from home for merchandise of all kinds that can be bought at as good advantage at home. No town can thrive as it should where this is done. It is ruinous to business and holds back a town's growth.

Court House Records in Church Gray county recently voted to move the county seat from Lefors, a small village off the railroads, to Pampa a thriving railroad city. Pampa has no courthouse, but Pampa citizens have ingenuity to make up for lack of a court building, and so the records were moved to the basement of the Baptist church—a kind of necessitous admixture of church and county.

Rebuilding Phone Plant Among the many other news reports showing the growth and development of the thriving Winter Garden town of Carrizo Springs, is the statement that the telephone system is being rebuilt, the work to put it into shape to meet the de-

mands of the place requiring about three months. Public utilities seldom reconstruct their plans until driven to it by necessity, an idleness in this case is growth.

First Car Mohair

Hondo has reason to be proud of the fact that it has shipped the first carload of mohair ever consigned out of the town. It shows that the Medina county mohair industry is increasing and that Hondo is becoming a more important marketing and shipping point. A few years ago there were only a few small, scattered flocks of goats in the county. Now there are many persons who have nice incomes from goats and mohair. One grower this season has sold something over 4,000 pounds of mohair from which he received \$2,350.

Plainview Poultry Plant

Poultry raisers of Hale, Floyd, Briscoe, Swisher, Motley and Lamb counties are going to erect a plant at Plainview at which eggs will be graded, stored and shipped, provided they can get the farmers of those counties to agree to raise 40,000 hens from which to supply the eggs. This organization will enable poultry and egg producers to get better prices for their poultry products. Local depots will be established in each of the counties to handle and forward supplies to the main plant.

Pretty Lawn Contests

A Slaton reader of this column, who doesn't state in what paper he reads it, has sent me a clipping about Hearne's yard contest and adds that Slaton is ahead of Hearne, for his chamber of commerce will give \$100 in money and shrubs this year in four contests to encourage beautification of home lawns. Slaton is to be congratulated on having a chamber of commerce with eyes for the beautiful and citizens who vie with each other in friendly contests to see which can have the prettiest yards.

Graham Water Reservoir

It is a short sighted policy that allows any town to be satisfied with provisions for a water supply barely sufficient to serve its present population. Graham realizes this and will vote on a bond issue of \$250,000 to construct a reservoir to cover about 400 acres of land and with water capacity of two billion gallons. Graham is also planning to build a \$35,000 memorial auditorium.

Pecos' New Theatre

Theatre buildings are a necessary accompaniment of prosperity, for prosperous people want entertainment. Luxurious theater buildings indicate that the average citizens of the place where it is located are accustomed to luxuries. This is preliminary to saying that Pecos is to have a \$75,000 theatre building with all modern improvements, and to seat 1,000 people. It is not to be built by some over-enthusiastic townsmen, either, but by a company that operates a circuit of fourteen West Texas theatres and knows what it is about. This theatre will be fitting accompaniment of Pecos' \$150,000 hotel now under construction.

Falfurrias Melon Acreage

It is stated that watermelons from some 2,000 acres of land in the Falfurrias section will be starting to market about the 20th of May unless there should be some unexpected crop calamity. The vines are now in fine condition and will soon be blooming.

U. S. Naval Pilot To Attempt Flight Dallas - HongKong

DALLAS, March 29. (UP)—Plans are being made here by C. K. Claunch, United States naval pilot, for a flight from Dallas to Hongkong in an attempt to win the W. E. Seaterwood, Jr., prize of \$25,000.

According to Claunch, who was recently transferred to Dallas from Bolling Field, Washington, D. C. he has the backing of a private individual. He will attempt the flight in a tri-motored design of the latest make, he said.

Claunch expects to go to California in a few weeks, where he will receive further air training. His hop will be the second attempt for the Easterwood prize. Capt. William Erwin, ill-fated Dole flier, who lost his life while searching for other planes which had been lost, was the first entry.

Whippets Second In Registrations Records Reveal

According to reports received by Webster Bros., local dealers for Willys-Overland automobiles, registrations for the state of Texas show Whippet and Willys-Knight cars in second place, having outsold all other makes except one.

The February showing, it is said, follows a record breaking month during January, when retail sales for the state were the highest of any month on record. The registration figures are official, having been supplied by Noel K. Brown.

Whippet sales in Memphis are breaking all records according to Joe Webster. Cars are being sold here faster than shipments can be made from the factory, Mr. Webster said.

Valley Exhibits Will Be Shown at Demo Convention

EDINBURG, March 29. (UP)—Work is progressing rapidly on the Lower Rio Grande Valley bureau to be established in Houston during the Democratic convention in June, Leslie Neal, president of the Valley Commercial Secretaries association, said upon his return from Houston.

Four large oil paintings depicting this section of Texas as well as displays of fruit and agricultural products grown here will form the exhibitions in the booth. Pamphlets describing this section will be distributed among the delegates and an invitation will be extended them to visit this section on a side trip after the convention.

Colby Delaney, Jim DeBerry and Misses Bernice Guthrie and Hazel Owens took Miss Lucille Lacy to Shamrock Sunday afternoon. Miss Lacy having spent the week end with Miss Hazel Delaney.

Hostess Cakes at Womack's Grocery. 1714

\$500,000 Poultry Farm Being Built Rio Grande Valley

EDINBURG, March 29. (UP)—Construction work on a \$500,000 cooperative poultry farm located at Mercedes, 20 miles west of here, will begin soon. The promoters of the proposition have purchased 500 acres of land bordering the Intra-Valley highway.

Modern seven room cottages will be erected on plots of 10 and 17 acres, with a fence enclosed poultry yard, and a five acre citrus orchard. Purchasers of the plots will be given five years to pay for their tract.

The farms will be stocked with pure bred pullets. The promoters will market surplus fowls, eggs, and citrus fruit cooperatively in order to insure better prices and the minimum of marketing expense.

There are five similar colonies in the United States at present, two in California, one in Ohio, one in Florida, and one in New Jersey.

Corpus Christi Wants Air Port And Improvements

CORPUS CHRISTI, March 29. (UP)—An election on a proposed \$425,000 city bond issue to finance municipal improvements will be called shortly. City Attorney James M. Taylor has been instructed to draw up the papers for the election at once.

The issue would be used to finance improvements to Corpus Christi bay, which would be carried out by the sculptor Gutzon Borglum, establishment of a municipal airport and widening and paving several streets.

The airport would be established on a 171 acre tract just outside the city limits.

El Paso Woman Is Saved From Trial By Eight Children

EL PASO, March 29. (UP)—The eight children of an El Paso woman saved her from trial on a charge of using abusive language.

When a constable went to the woman's home to bring her to court, she refused to go unless she could bring her children. The constable telephoned Justice of the Peace A. J. Wilson and told him of this.

"Then don't bring her," Wilson replied. "I don't want that many kids in my court."

New Gray County Railroad Work to Start This Fall

PAMPA, March 29. (UP)—Construction of a railroad between Pampa and Cheyenne, Oklahoma, will probably begin before fall, according to local men who have invested in the project.

The railroad will link Pampa with Oklahoma City. The line from Pampa will connect with Kell's railroad at Cheyenne. Frank Kell, Wichita Falls capitalist and railroad builder, is sponsoring the new line.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Mitchell and children of Hedley were visitors here Sunday.

Welfare Workers Hold Annual Confab at Waco

WACO, March 29. (UP)—Social welfare workers of national prominence were here today to appear as speakers before the annual state conference of social welfare, which opened this morning.

The three day conference attracted more than 300 social welfare workers of Texas. The conference meets once a year to discuss knowledge acquired from actual experience during the year. Welfare workers of a dozen Texas cities will outline the methods used in their communities.

Among the prominent speakers for the conference are Dr. Owen R. Lovejoy of the Children's Aid society, New York; Dr. Marietta Eichelberger of the American Red Cross, St. Louis; Mrs. Grace Ashbaugh, St. Louis; Dr. Frederick Peterson, New York, and Dr. O. C. Wenger, Hot Springs, Ark.

At the Woodward Field Station in Oklahoma the average value of Sudan grass drilled and used as pasture for dairy cows was \$12.50 per acre when the nutritive value was compared with corn silage at \$5 a ton and alfalfa hay at \$14 a ton. In a six-year trial the pasture season opened July 1, on the average, and closed November 5. The yield of

cowpea hay was much lower than either Sudan grass or alfalfa, but the crop yielded more digestible protein and on the farm may be more valuable than either of the others.

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LARGEST ATTENDANCE PREDICTED FOR DEMO PRECINCT CONVENTIONS

BY GORDON K. SHEARER
United Press Staff Correspondent

AUSTIN, Tex., March 29 (UP)—Largest attendance ever at precinct conventions is indicated for May 5 when the Democrats and Republicans, alike, will take the first step toward choosing national candidates.

Democrat politicians learned their lesson four years ago when they were taken into camp at the precinct conventions. Following the established practice, word has been sent out to 15 stalwarts to be at the precinct meetings and take control. When the meetings were held the stalwarts were surprised to find from 50 to 75 people arrive in a body and vote them out on everything. In some instances, it was asserted, they were moved from the general direction of Ku Klux Klan halls.

Tom Love has again proved a master of the political game according to state capitol view. Regardless of the outcome of the national convention, it is conceded here that Love has built a machine that has a good chance to make him lieutenant governor. He is conceded to have a good move in announcing promptly and formally filing notice of his candidacy. This is no contrast with Barry Miller who at the beginning of this week was still uncertain.

There is said to be little prospect that former Senator H. L. Darwin of Paris or Representative Bob Johnson of Palestine will consent to be shouldered out of the race by a late entry by Miller. Darwin is anxious to start on a tour of Russia to gather valuable books for the University of Texas but he has already arranged to make that trip after the primaries.

Apparently a run-off election will be necessary to choose the lieutenant and if Miller can get into that it might seem that Love's advantage would be gone. However, past political history has shown that in such a race the supporters of the loser on one side are more offended against the other candidate of their own faction than against the general enemy.

Half page newspaper advertisements show that Darwin supporters are taking the Miller inaction at full value and that the Paris man is in to the finish. Just now the race for lieutenant governor looks to be the most important of all the state races. Ordinarily it attracts little attention. Usually it is filled at the same time as the change in Governor

Leads Singing for Hall County Revivals



Rev. Douglas Carver of White Deer Assists Rev. Miller

The Rev. Douglas Carver pastor of the First Baptist church of White Deer, Texas, who so ably assisted the Rev. E. T. Miller during the Baptist revival here that closed last Sunday night, is leading song services at the meeting now in progress at Lakeview. Rev. Mr. Carver met with considerable success in building up song services at the Baptist church here last week and his work among the young people in developing a "booster" choir was especially appreciable.

and the lieutenant goes in as an adjunct to the successful candidate for governor. But when Moody beat Mrs. Ferguson for a second term the old order was disturbed. Miller first had been elected with Mrs. Ferguson, though he had been a bitter critic of Jim Ferguson. He was re-elected when Moody went in. Supposing Moody is to be re-elected whoever is lieutenant governor during Moody's last two years has the inside track to run for Governor in 1930.

Whether the letter of Frank Davis, former Democratic state chairman, to Al Smith, was intended to put Smith in the hole, to help a possible Smith-Moody ticket or just a desire for information is open to each person's own verdict. That it will be received by Smith as the first, is likely. Davis has been aligned with the McAdoo faction and was also a party to the conference recently which preceded a Texas movement to support Walsh.

It is therefore likely Governor Smith will not reply or that he will mail Davis a copy of his statement on prohibition which was issued early in the campaign.

Davis' questioning was two-pronged. He asked:

(1) Do you advocate the adoption of a bone dry platform by the Democratic National convention at Houston, and

(2) Will you accept the nomination for President if a dry platform is adopted.

State Agricultural Commissioner Terrell (this time he says he is serious) raises the point that the fuss about bone dry in Texas is a beam and mote affair. "I am not unduly excited about the non-enforcement of the liquor

laws in other states. We have the strongest liquor law (The Dean Law) of any state in the union, and a prohibition governor with the State Militia and Rangers at his command, yet conditions show we have plenty to do in Texas without finding fault with lax enforcement in other states.

Terrell travels about the state meeting principally the farmers. If they have the same view there may be some surprises when the reports from the precinct conventions in the country are received. Incidentally these precincts will be the first to speak.

Convenience and precedent have made it customary to hold the precinct conventions outside the cities and towns in the afternoon. In cities and towns they are not held until night. Reports from the afternoon rural meetings may have a material bearing on the later meetings in the cities.

San Antonio, which has active campaigns under way in behalf of Smith, in behalf of Reed and against either Smith or Reed was responsible for reports that Smith's name might not go before the Houston convention.

John Boyle, avowed Smith supporter and the man generally credited with sending the San Antonio machine for Moody, George Armistead, one of the staunch McAdoo crowd and Marshall Eskridge were talking together. Armistead quotes Boyle for saying "if Smith's name goes before the Houston convention, he will be nominated." The "if" sounded as the most important part of the statement to Armistead. When Boyle heard himself being so quoted, he pointed out that Armistead apparently failed to get the force of the statement which

preceded it. That statement was that Smith now has the nomination assured.

Eskridge while here several days ago said that both are correct.

Therefore the Boyle statement now stands: "Al Smith has the nomination assured. If his name goes before the Houston convention he will be nominated."

If that means there is some doubt that Smith wants the nomination with an attendant danger of Democratic defections in the South, it is doubly important for Boyle is the man who is close alike to Governor Smith and Governor Moody.

George McBlair's question if Governor Moody would run on a ticket with Governor Smith is yet unanswered.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to our many friends who assisted us in our bereavement in the death of our husband and father. May God reward each of you our prayer.

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Ginners Favor State Regulation

DALLAS, March 29. (UP)—Texas ginners favor state regulation of the ginning business as a public utility and this action will be sought here April 5 and 6 at a meeting of 4,000 members of the Texas Cotton Ginners' association, according to C. B. Hunt, secretary.

The opening session of the meeting will be devoted to a discussion of insurance matters relating to ginning. During the second day meet, state laws affecting the industry and proposed laws will be considered by the ginners. The session will close with the election of officers and consideration of ginning problems.

Prof. W. C. Blankenship was moved from the Memphis hospital last Monday to his home on North Brice street and is still improving and hopes to be able to resume his duties at school Monday.

Thomas B. Huff and daughter, Miss Myrtle, went to Amarillo Saturday where she will attend the Amarillo Business college. Evangelist S. E. Templeton, Mrs. Bill Howard and Miss Charlie Binkley accompanied them.

PRODUCE MARKET

Average Local Market This Week:

Colored hens	18c
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Retired French Diver Claims Device to Raise Submarines

The recent raising of the S-4, only after three months of effort since the disaster, which claimed the lives of all of its crew, has brought public attention to a safety device recently invented by M. Michel Lepouze of Paris. The inventor, a retired deep-sea diver, claims that his apparatus would have brought the S-4 to the surface and enabled its crew to reach safety during the time that futile hammer taps were being sounded on the side of the sunken submarine.



M. Michel Lepouze, retired French deep-sea diver, is shown above with a model section of a device which, he claims, will raise sunken vessels speedily and avert such tragedies as befell the S-4. A diagram showing how the invention would work is at the left.

"My ships can bring ships to the surface quickly," M. Lepouze explained. "Its basis is a series of metal sections which can speedily be joined together to make a water-tight tube as long and as large as may be needed. The first set of locked sections is anchored to the sea floor around the sunken craft. Section after section is added until the top of the tube rises above the surface of the water. The water in the tube may then be pumped out and any repair work that is necessary may be done to the ship and it can be raised to the surface.

Once the tube is clamped to the sea bottom about the vessel and filled with air, the sunken ship can be pierced and an oxygen hose inserted, thus supplying the imprisoned crew with enough air to sustain life until the vessel can be raised by floating cranes.

U. S. Navy authorities are said to disapprove of safety devices which are built onto the submarine because they necessarily add bulk and weight to a type of vessel whose effectiveness depends upon a maximum of fighting weight with a minimum of superfluous tonnage. M. Lepouze's device, if it should be found capable

of living up to its inventor's claims, would have the advantage of not being an added weight to the submarine.

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LAKEVIEW HIGH PRESENTS PLAY

The Arizona Cowboy

"The Arizona Cowboy" drew a hearty applause at assembly, last Thursday evening. It was a howling success for the second time in Lakeview.

"The Arizona Cowboy" is a four act play representing the typical life of cowboys, which was presented by the boys of the basketball squad, assisted by high school girls. It was directed by Mr. Nevins, principal of Lakeview high school and Miss Pansy Dawson.

The play is replete with thrills of the old western cowboy life, and each act is a hearty laugh within itself. Each character was fittingly done.

Just as the climax was reached the "man in the case" drew a gun upon the "heroine," the "hero" aimed his revolver at the "man in the case," with all his characteristic dignity, the supercilious and cunning "villain" calmly drew his gun and prepared to shoot the hero; and the outraged "partner," tricked and ruined by the wiles of the "villain," brought his artillery in from the rear to do away with the cause of all his woe. Then the efficient "grizzly," never satisfied with anything, interposed a suggestion. The climax came with the roar of a weapon as it was directed at the hero.

—LHS—

Lakeview High School Fair
Wednesday afternoon from 1 to 5 o'clock the Lakeview school was the scene of a real "Fair Day."

The school exhibit consisted of work from each student from each room, proved to be very interesting to students as well as to the parents and visitors of the community.

The tryouts in debate and declamation were held. The winners in debate were Ruby Lee Wiley and Wilma Loyd Clytie, Cunningham won in senior girls declamation contest. In junior contest Rebecca McCann and Georgia Lee Payne won first and second places respectively. These girls will represent Lakeview high school at the county meet.

Track events, both girls and boys were interesting features of the "fair."

—LHS—

B. Y. P. U. Echoes
"We praise Thee, O God"
For our B. Y. P. U.,
Which has taught devotion
To Thy word so true.
Hallelujah, Thine the Glory
In our B. Y. P. U.

Teach us Lord to be Thy servants
Faithful, loyal and true."
Are you interested in the work of the B. Y. P. U. in doing? Then let it be known by your presence with us each Sunday from 7 to 8 p. m.

Knowing that there are many unsaved people in our community who will probably never be won for Christ unless it is done through personal service, and believing that each saved person is God's opportunity to reach the unsaved, let us go forth and hold up Christ to them. Soul winning is the finest, and indeed the only solution of any community problem.

Ora Lee Bray, Director.

—LHS—
Mrs. Moore Eerves Lunch to Lady Teachers

Can you imagine all the "lady" teachers of Lakeview high school enjoying a peaceful meal together? If you can't you miss it all, for that is what they did Friday when Miss R. C. Moore invited the teachers to take lunch with her. They all agreed that, at least one time during the year, one square meal was enjoyed.

Poultry Business On Increase In Parnell Vicinity

PARNELL, March 29.—Farmers in this section continue to turn to poultry raising as a means of diversification and those already raising chickens on a commercial scale are increasing their flocks.

T. A. Hill, who lives 1 1/2 southwest of Parnell is building four poultry houses to better care for his flock of 600 birds.

Mrs. W. H. Hamilton, 2 miles southeast of here, has entered the business on a large scale. She has rented out her farm lands and has turned all her attention to poultry raising. Nearly a thousand birds comprise Mrs. Hamilton's flock.

Bean Crop Good, But Growers Fear Labor Shortage

McALLEN, March 29. (UP)—The bumper bean crop of the Lower Rio Grande Valley has started to market. The crop is bringing unusually good prices, according to local shippers.

Most of the first shipments were consigned to Houston and San Antonio and brought \$5 a hamper.

The crop was not hampered by killing frosts this season and will be considerably larger than in 1927. Appeals have been sent out for laborers to aid in handling the crop. A serious shortage of harvesters is feared in this locality.

Hostess Cakes at Womack's Grocery. 17tf

Turkey Will Vote On \$50,000 School Bond Issue Saturday

TURKEY, March 29.—An Election for the purpose of voting \$50,000 in school bonds will be held here Saturday. The bonds, if carried, will be used to build a new high school to relieve present heavily congested conditions. It is planned to have the building completed by September and to use the present high school for a grammar school.

CHURCH OF CHRIST Seventh and Brice

S. E. Templeton, Minister
Bible study hour 9:45 a. m.
Preaching next Lord's day morning at 11 o'clock, followed by communion. Sermon subject: "Should Christians Allow Worry or Anxiety to be in Their Hearts? or God's Care for His People."
Evening sermon, 7:30 o'clock, "The Curse of All Ages—What is It?"
Young People's Meeting at 6 p. m.

ONE IN TEN
Neglecting a little wound, cut or abrasion of the flesh may in nine cases out of ten cause no great suffering or inconvenience, but it is the one case in ten that causes blood poisoning, lockjaw or a chronic festering sore. The cheapest, safest and best course is to disinfect the wound with liquid Borozone and apply the Borozone Powder to complete the healing process. Price (liquid) 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Powder 30c and 60c. Sold by Leverett-Williams Drug company. 36-5t

Chickens Chickens

Star Parasite Remover will keep them free of worms and destructive insects, in better health and producing more eggs.

BABY CHICKS

Don't let white diarrhea and other bowel troubles kill them. Star Roup and Diarrhoea Tablets will prevent and relieve them or money back. For sale by Leverett-Williams Drug Co. tfe

Bill Der Says The Carpenter Pounds His Way to Success



Are You a Babe Ruth?

Do you spend most of your spare time around the house in summer time swatting flies? And does your poor "ball and chain" keep swatting while you're gone?

Huh! Then get those screen and screen doors on in a hurry! See us about making 'em for you and getting a gent to hang 'em, too. That's just one of our extra services, you know.

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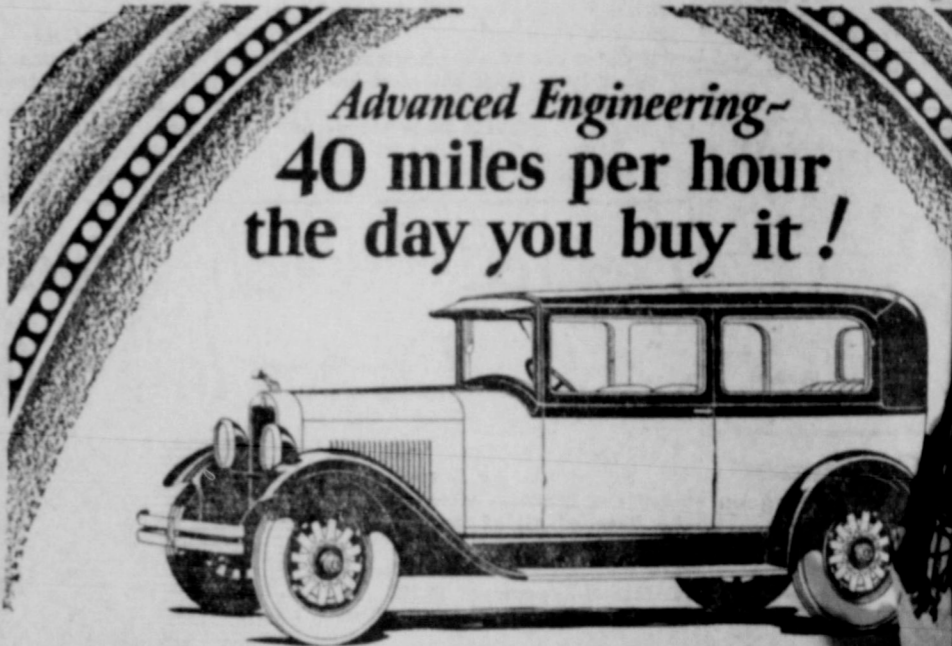
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NOW, for the first time, a low-priced car which you can drive at 40-mile speed the day you buy it—the New American Edition of the Erskine Six.

Studebaker's advanced engineering is evident in every detail of the New Erskine Six. High quality materials are exactly tested. Production is held to precision standards hitherto found only in the most expensive cars.

Championship Performance
This new Erskine Six is the champion performer of its class—conclusively demonstrated when a stock Erskine sedan averaged better than 54 miles an hour in a 24-hour test. This record never equaled by any stock car priced under \$1,000.

Bigger—More Powerful
But even these authentic facts and figures cannot tell you the story of this new American Edition of the Erskine Six. A bigger—roomier—more powerful Erskine. Comfortable—spacious doors nearly a yard wide—room seats 4 feet wide—62 miles an hour—nimble acceleration—thrifty of gas and oil—amplified action 4-wheel brakes. And remember this car is Studebaker built and that speaks volumes for its quality and dependability. Test it out—NOW!

RAYMOND BALL

APRIL SALE SMART FOOTWEAR

A One Week Pre-Easter Event Beginning Friday, March 30 and Ending April 7

- L & A Black Satin and Kid Shoes \$6.85 (Regular \$8.50 value)
- L&A Tans and light color shoes \$7.85 (Regular \$10.00 value)
- L&A Black Footfriends \$7.85 (Regular \$9.00 value)
- L&A Tan and light color Footfriends \$8.85 (Regular \$10.00 value)



- J&K Black Shoes for -- \$7.85 (Regular \$10.00 value)
- J&K Shoes in light colors and tans \$8.85 (Regular \$12.00 value)
- J&K Footsaver in black \$8.85 (Regular \$10.00 value)
- J&K Footsaver in light colors and tans \$9.85 (Regular \$12.00 value)

ALSO LOWER PRICED SHOES — FANCY PATTERNS — \$3.95 AND UP!

Attractive Easter Offerings

The Cross Dry Goods Store is offering very attractive prices for Easter shoppers.

- Beautiful floral designs in Celanese Cloth, yd... \$1.95
- Printed Georgettes and Crepes... \$1.95
- Wash Silks in pretty printed patterns... 95c
- Something new in Printed Linens... \$1.50
- Printed Dimities, Indian Head and Nana Cloth at 50c

Special for this week end will be—
\$1.50 Ladies Purses... 98c
Another shipment of silk Rayon Bloomers that sell regularly for \$1.25 for 98c
Sizes for the little miss of two years to the grown up lady.

Watch Our Windows for Specials Every Friday and Saturday

On the balcony—
Ladies Coats and Dresses will be reduced for Friday and Saturday.
One table of \$6.50 and \$5.00 Ladies Hats to go for \$3.95
All other Hats Reduced

Cross Dry Goods Store

The Cream of the Tobacco Crop



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IMPROVEMENTS MULTIPLY AS PARNELL'S GROWTH CONTINUES

Without the aid of an organized townsite company or a real estate promoter Parnell continues a steady and healthy growth. This little city's only impetus for development is the arrival of the Ft. Worth & Denver South Plains railroad that opens up some of Hall county's richest agricultural territory.

TURKEY TO GET NEW BANK BUILDING

Other Business Buildings Are Now Under Construction

TURKEY, March 29. — Construction has begun on the new two-story home of the First National bank. The building will be of brick construction, 25x100 feet. The upper floor will be given over to offices for business and professional men.

"Our new building will be modern in every respect," John Sharp, president, said. "Besides presenting a pleasing outside appearance, the most efficient and attractive interior furnishings will be installed."

The new Palace theatre, owned by Tom Colvin, has just been completed and will be opened this week. It is a spacious amusement house built to serve Turkey for many years to come.

Fred Lacy is erecting a brick 30x60 feet to house his tailor business and the Home Insurance company.

A modern brick garage, 50x125 feet is being built by John Richardson.

John Young is completing a brick filling station at the west end of Main street.

The sheet iron building on the south side of Main street, formerly occupied by Miller-Gilmore Drug company is being improved by the owner, Roy Cooper. The building will be of brick construction.

Coming soon our 1c Sale. Clark Drug Co.

Parnell's latest improvement is its individual telephone exchange promised by the State Telephone company. E. L. Curb, manager at Memphis, recently made a survey of the town and surrounding country and stated his company would install a switchboard here if 50 connections could be secured. These have already been pledged. Parnell is served at present from the Estelline exchange.

The union church citizens have been seeking for several weeks is now assured. The church committee has raised over \$500 and construction on the building will begin sometime in April. Preaching from adjoining towns will be the pulpits.

Several weeks ago Parnell folks told the Democrat they needed a blacksmith shop. This was heralded throughout the southwest by dozens of daily newspapers carrying United Press reports and as a result Parnell's first blacksmith shop will be established early in April. H. C. Armstrong of Granbury will be the owner.

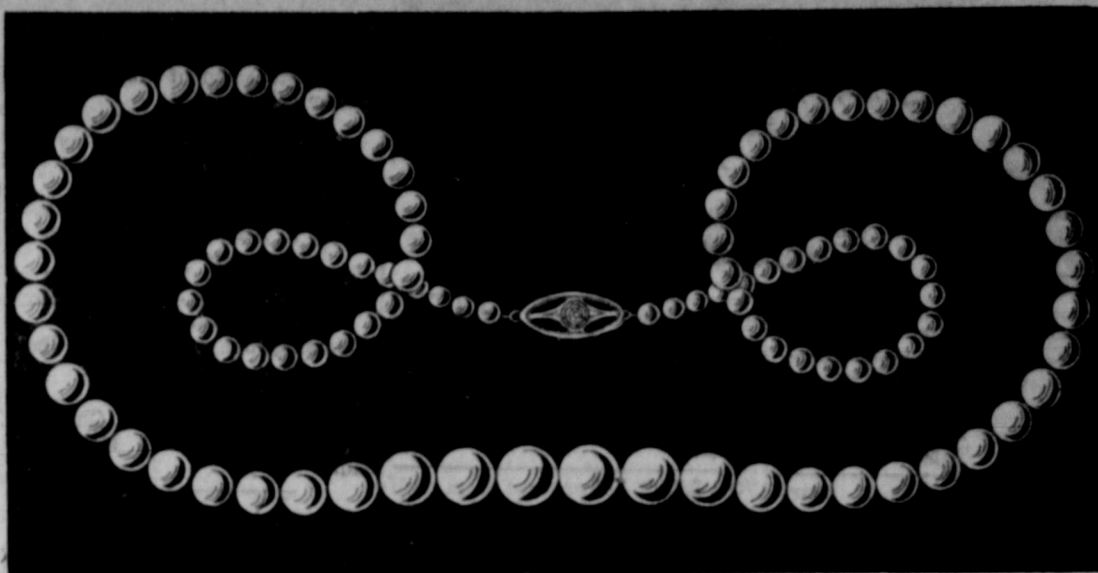
Several modern homes are now under construction here. J. R. Moorehead is building a 7-room stucco house to cost \$3,500. A 4,000 sq ft 8-room stucco home to cost \$4,000 is now under construction for T. H. Jouett, farmer residing 3 miles southeast of Parnell. G. W. Weatherly is building a 6-room frame residence west of Parnell. The house will cost about \$3,000.

BRADY WILL GET 50 MORE BLOCKS PAVING

BRADY, March 29. (UP)— Fifty one blocks of additional pavement for Brady's business and residential sections have been authorized by the city council. With the completion of this project Brady will have five miles of paved streets.

Miss Thelma Lee Hattenbach, student at Simmons University, returned to Abilene Sunday morning after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hattenbach.

CLIP THIS ADVERTISEMENT It Is Worth \$4.00 If Presented Before April 1



This Advertisement and \$1.00 Entitles Bearer to One Regular \$5.00 Indestructible Pearl Necklace

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Important Announcement to every owner of a Model T Ford

ON MAY 25, 1927, when Henry Ford first announced his plans for making a new car, he announced also that he would continue to make parts for the Model T Ford. He said:

"The Model T Ford car was a pioneer. It blazed the way for the motor industry and started the movement for good roads everywhere. It broke down the barriers of distance in rural sections, brought people in these sections closer together, and placed education within the reach of everyone. We are still proud of the Model T Ford. If we were not, we would not have continued to make it so long."

For twenty years, the Model T Ford led the automobile industry and it still serves more people than any other automobile. Over one-third of all the automobiles in use today are Model T Fords — an indication of the sturdy worth of the car and its value to people in all walks of life the world over.

The Ford Motor Company will continue to make replacement parts for these cars "until the last Model T is off the road." That is a part of Ford service. That is what Henry Ford meant when he said: "We believe that when a man buys one of our cars we should keep it running for him as long as we can and at the lowest up-keep cost."

Because of this policy a considerable part of the Ford manufacturing plants is given over to the making of parts for the Model T Ford. These replacement parts are made of the same material and in the same way as those from which your car was originally assembled.

Make it a point, therefore, to see the nearest Ford dealer and have him look over your Model T Ford. You may find that a very small expenditure will enable you to get thousands of miles of additional service, and at the same time protect the money you have invested in your car.



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Ask for a demonstration at our display room — today. A small deposit and easy monthly payments puts any Frigidaire in your home.

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FOR RENT—2 rooms and garage, bath and gas. E. M. Ewen. 39tc
FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, 221 North Ninth street, sink, hot water, gas, private entrance. Phone 371 1c
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FOR RENT—One large furnished room for light housekeeping. Mrs. V. H. Surlis, 1010 South Seventh street. 1c
FOR RENT—Single bedroom. J. B. Wrenn. 29-tf
FOR RENT—Three front bed rooms. Phone 487. 1014 West Noel street. 40-2p
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Solomon was a wise man. But he never had the pleasure of judging a Used Car.
It does not take a Solomon to judge the USED CARS found in our salesroom.
1927 Chevrolet coach. Run 4,000 miles; mechanically perfect. \$500
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Friday
'THE GREAT MAIL ROBBERY'
Saturday
'BREEDS OF THE SUNSET'
Monday and Tuesday
CLARA BOW in 'TWO CAN PLAY'
Wednesday
'THE APACHE RIDER'
Thursday & Friday
'LES MISERABLES'

LOCAL PERSONAL NEWS

Coming soon our 1c Sale. Clark Drug Co. 2c
Ray Moreman of Hedley was a visitor Sunday.
C. A. Powell was a business visitor in Plainview last Friday.
C. W. Kinslow was a business visitor in Amarillo last Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Phillips of Hulver were visitors here Monday.
Coming soon our 1c Sale. Clark Drug Co. 2c
Mrs. Leslie Land of Childress visited relatives here last week end.
Raymond Ballew was a business visitor in Wellington Tuesday.
Royce Brooks spent Friday to Sunday in Amarillo with his parents.
Mrs. J. J. McMicken returned Sunday from a visit at San Antonio.
D. L. C. Kinard spent first of the week transacting business in Dallas.
Mrs. A. J. Kinard of Goodnight is here visiting her son, D. L. C. Kinard.
Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Reed and children were visitors at Ashtola Sunday.
Supt. and Mrs. Russell E. Page of Newlin were visitors in the city Saturday.
Mrs. Brown Lamb is reported very ill at the Memphis hospital this week.
T. M. McMurry returned Saturday from a visit at Sherman and McKinney.
Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Grundy were visitors in Amarillo Tuesday and Wednesday.
Get it at Tarver's.
FOR SALE OR TRADE—One Case separator, one Fordson tractor, all in good running order; a bargain if you have any threshing or grinding to do. See S. G. Hinton, Estelline, Texas. 29-tfc
U OUGHT 2 OWN YOUR OWN HOME—6-room house on South 8th street; one-half block of pavement; 75 feet east front; will take good auto, and balance at \$13 per month. See Oakland-Pontiac Dealers, High Class Used Cars. 39-tfc

Wanted

WANTED TO RENT—Farm of about 125 acres; will buy teams and tools and pay cash. H. L. Morrison, Memphis, Texas. 50-3p
MULES WANTED—I will be in Memphis to buy mules Monday, April 2. Highest prices paid. Bring in your mules. J. D. Moore, Childress. 1c

For Trade

FOR TRADE—I need another young mule and will trade good second-hand piano for same. W. M. McBrayer, the piano man, Lakeview. 38-tfc

Miscellaneous

JERSEY MALE—At my place. Registered Jersey, and a fine animal. Call E. M. Ewen. 37-tfc

Retires



Captain Ole Anderson, 64, who has been a lighthouse keeper for 35 years near Highlands, N. J., has just retired, but will continue to live within sight of his former station so he will not "miss the inspiration of the beacon." He began life as a sailor on square riggers and has a master's license to sail vessels "on any ocean." Hundreds of summer visitors have wended their way in the past to Captain Anderson's lighthouse to hear his tales of the sea.

Charles Dennis is still very sick at the Memphis hospital and is reported not doing so well today.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Tunnell of Quitaque visited Mrs. Tunnell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Swift, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Thompson and children visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Neel.

Mrs. S. L. Seago is still improving and was moved from the Boaz hospital Wednesday to her home on South Sixth street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Joyce announce the arrival of a baby girl, March 22, at their home on West Noel street. She has been christened Carrie June.

There is a Baldwin built piano for every purpose and every purse. Makers of the world's finest pianos. Mrs. J. C. Cudd, phone 532. 40-4p

Miss Ione Webster, student at C. I. A. at Denton, arrived this morning to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Webster until Wednesday of next week.

Say it with flowers on Easter. We have a beautiful line of blooming plants and cut flowers, and also a fine stock of bedding plants. Hightower Greenhouse. 1c

GET RID OF THAT PAINFUL BACKACHE. If you have that "don't care" feeling—if you feel sluggish, more than likely your liver needs attention. "Grandma's Stomach and Liver Tea stimulates the liver and aids the kidneys. Get it "on the corner" at Tarver Drug Co. 32-tfc

Plainview Expects Railroad April 1

PLAINVIEW, Mar. 29. (UP)—The rails of the Fort Worth and Denver railroad branch line between Lubbock and Plainview are expected to reach Plainview by the end of this week. The rails have reached a point about six miles east of here. When the rails are completed to Plainview the crew will return to Lockney to aid in pushing the extension to Lubbock. Officials of the railroad hope to start freight service on the line by June 1. Passenger service will be inaugurated soon afterward.

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Prescription service built on experience acquired through years of training.
You'll find our Service prompt and the quality and price right. Bring us your prescriptions to be filled.
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The Casual Observer
LOCAL BARBERS claim there is just one man who can out-talk them when he gets in a chair—Dr. D. C. Hyder.
WHY SHOULD E. E. Walker worry when a dust storm blows up? The red sand is just the color of his complexion.
WE DON'T know how true it is but John Bishop declares that M. E. McNally applied to him yesterday for a job on the Farmers Union Supply company's new building. What worries John is why M. E. would actually be looking for work.
A. R. McMaster is the seventh man to announce for commissioner of precinct two. "The more the merrier," said Mr. McMaster, "and besides seven was always my lucky number."
THAT THERE is no limit to a Ford's capacity has been substantiated. "How many will your Co., "on the corner."

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Fancy sweet potatoes, bushel \$
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HiTone Pen Tablets, 4 for
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Envelopes, 4 packages
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—Rivaled by his fellow-men. All around him tumult, bloodshed, confusion—Jean Valjean stood out a lone figure—courageous! Battling to save the very men who persecuted him. The drama of a heroic soul—stirring to the last degree! Tremendous in its scope!
VICTOR HUGO'S Immortal Masterpiece
"Les Miserables" A Universal Picture
Gem Theatre
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