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COUPNICHERS TO BE HONORED AT 1939 PIONEER REUNION

PLANS FOR BIG OLD SETTLERS REUNION MADE

Old Ranches Will Have Headquarters Here July 27-28

Chuck wagons will again roll over dusty trails and cowpunchers, range bosses, and chuckwagon chefs will gather from the range to re-create a bit of the Old West in Memphis as the annual Hall County Old Settlers and Cowboy Reunion and Rodeo opens here on July 27 for a two-day camp.

One of the most ambitious programs ever attempted in a pioneer celebration has been outlined by the Memphis Chamber of Commerce for the 1939 reunion, and the calendar will be turned back half a century to reconstruct official chuck wagon headquarters for the Shoe Bar, Diamond Tail, JA, Mill Iron, and Smith ranches. Each ranch will be asked to have its own chuckwagon, and all of the hands, both old and new, from range boss to reustabout, will find their range headquarters in Memphis. Special tribute will be paid the ranchers and 'punchers of another day at the 1939 pioneer reunion.

One of the proposed entertainment features of the celebration this year will be a two-day rodeo, in charge of a professional rodeo director, showing matinee and night performances on each day of the reunion. Another will be a parade of pioneer vehicles.

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Memphis Nine Ties Estelline for Top League Position

Lakeview Drops Cubs in Game Sunday; Memphis Wins Over Goldston

Estelline's league-leading baseball nine dropped its second game since the opening of the season Sunday, bowing to the third-place Lakeview nine, 9-4, and went into a tie with Memphis, defending champions in the Hall County League. The Memphians administered a sound 10-1 shellacking to luckless Goldston in a game on the local diamond to earn the tie for first place.

Estelline has been tentatively awarded the abbreviated set-to with Tell last week, a game which ended with a first-inning lead when the fireworks started. Sunday's loss to Lakeview was the first for the hard-hitting Cubs in the past six weeks. Their only other loss this season was to the Tell nine in the second game of the league schedule. Lakeview hitters nicked Sis Weatherly for 11 base hits, bunching four of them with 2 free passes and a couple of errors to score 6 runs in the eighth and put the game on ice.

Harnes, pitching for Memphis, held Goldston to one run while Memphis batters connected to drive Richey, first Goldston hurler, from the mound and keep Collins, his relief pitcher, in trouble.

Hedley, with a firm grip on the cellar position, provided the biggest surprise of the day by rallying to defeat Tell 11-10 on the Hedley diamond. The win, Hedley's second of the season, placed Tell, Goldston, and Hedley at the bottom of the ladder in a three-way tie for fourth place.

With Memphis, Lakeview, and Estelline apparently firmly entrenched in the top bracket, the battle may develop between the three last-place teams for the fourth position in the league's Shaughnessy play-off.

Next Sunday's game between Memphis and Estelline may go a long way toward determining the first-place club for the remainder of the season. The tilt will be played on the Estelline diamond. In other league games, Hedley plays at Lakeview and Goldston goes to Tell.

The standings:

Team	W	L	Pct
Memphis	6	2	.750
Estelline	6	2	.750
Lakeview	4	3	.571
Tell	2	5	.286
Goldston	2	5	.286
Hedley	2	5	.286

Attend Luncheon Honoring Hines

Carroll Smyers, secretary, and S. T. Harrison, director, of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce attended a luncheon sponsored by the Vernon Chamber of Commerce at Vernon Wednesday honoring Harry Hines, member of the Texas Highway Commission.

The luncheon was arranged in appreciation of Hines' work in building West Texas highways since he became a member of the commission.

The Corner Found -- Now Looking For Prosperity

Prosperity's just around the corner.

What corner? The corner of Seventh and Noel, where the Memphis Chamber of Commerce has its offices in the City Hall. Prosperity's positively bursting from the bud—or at least that's the optimistic report from the business engineering department.

The C.C. it seems, in cooperation with Memphis merchants, has a big scheme for putting money into circulation. The whole issue is shrouded in cigar smoke just now, but Carroll Smyers, Memphis' chief contact with the "world of tomorrow," emerged from his trance Wednesday afternoon long enough to inform us that "the spirits are willing" and "it won't be long now."

Carroll immediately went back to gazing into the crystal ball, but there's no doubt about it. Prosperity's on the way. Watch for it!

Mrs. H. M. White Is Buried Monday At Estelline

Lived in County 36 Years; Dies Sunday at Earth; Is Brought Back for Burial

Funeral services for Mrs. H. M. White, 69, of Earth, formerly a resident of Hall County, were conducted Monday afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Estelline with Rev. C. M. Brister, pastor, in charge. Burial was in Estelline cemetery, under the direction of King's Mortuary of Memphis.

Mrs. White had lived at Estelline for 36 years before moving to Earth two years ago. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in that city.

Born Sarah Alice Brady in the state of Georgia, on August 21, 1861, she died in her home at Earth Sunday morning, June 4. She was 69 years, 9 months, and 13 days of age.

Surviving are her husband and four children; three sons, J. C. White of Duncan, Okla.; J. E. White of Earth, and C. A. White of Brownfield; and one daughter, Mrs. Velma Robinson of Wink.

Other survivors include three brothers, S. J. Bailey of Quanah, S. R. Bailey of Bridgeport, and W. R. Bailey of Lubbock; a niece, Mrs. Belle Barrett, of Pampa; and nine grandchildren.

Pallbearers at the services Monday were J. L. Darby, R. A. Eddleman, Hulon Clifton, Cecil Adams, T. A. Power, and F. E. Leary.

Honorary pallbearers were B. T. Prewitt, R. H. Whaley, H. L. Chaudoin, W. P. Dial, W. C. Dickey, G. W. Cowan, G. C. Ewing, Cap. Orcutt, O. F. Jones, T. N. Copeland, J. W. Butler, and C. W. Kinslow.

Flower bearers were Mrs. Hulon Clifton, Mrs. Frankie Echols, Mrs. Bessie Coppage, Mrs. J. L. Darby, Mrs. T. N. Copeland, Mrs. Joe Allen Ballard, Mrs. Lonnie Richburg, and Mrs. Albert Bailey.

DAIRY PRODUCE SHOW WILL BE HELD SATURDAY

Manufacturing of Dairy Products to Be Demonstrated

An unofficial "dairy day" will be observed in Memphis next Saturday, June 10, when W. V. Maddox, dairying expert with the Texas Agriculture Extension Service, comes here to conduct a Dairy Products Show.

The show has been arranged by County Agent W. B. Hooser, with the cooperation of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce and several local business firms. The demonstration will be held in the building at the corner of 7th and Main, across the street east from the post office.

Farmers, farm women, and dairymen are invited to attend, and all who are interested are invited to enter products in a judging contest. Suitable prizes will be offered the winners in each division, according to County Agent Hooser.

Maddox will demonstrate the manufacture of farm butter, cottage and processed cottage cheese, and Neufchatel cheese.

Local utilities companies are cooperating with the sponsors of the show by providing gas, water, and electricity in the building, free of charge for the day.

The demonstration here is one of a series of "dairy day" demonstrations sponsored by the Extension Department. Fifteen official Dairy Day Shows were put on this spring at key points over the state, and the "unofficial" shows are planned as a supplementary measure to increase the interest and efficiency in dairying on the average farm.

G. W. Smith Heads A. & M. Press Club

G. W. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Smith of this city, was recently elected president of the Texas A. and M. College Press Club.

G. W., a junior this year at A. and M., was named editor of the 1940 college annual, The Longhorn, at a recent student election. He will attend the Coast Artillery training camp at Galveston this summer before entering A. and M. for his senior year this fall.



REV. ORION W. CARTER

Carter Appointed Pastor of Childress Methodist Church

Rev. Orion W. Carter, serving his fourth year as pastor of the First Methodist Church here, was appointed last week to fill the pulpit of the First Methodist Church in Childress.

Rev. Carter succeeds Dr. A. L. Moore in the Childress pulpit. Dr. Moore resigned as pastor there early in the year on account of ill health, and the presiding elder of the Vernon District, Rev. Cal C. Wright of Vernon, has since filled the Childress pulpit.

Announcement of Carter's transfer to Childress was made last Friday, and came as a surprise to members of the local church. He conducted his farewell service here Sunday morning, and made his first appearance in the Childress pulpit at the Sunday evening service.

No appointment has been made for the Memphis church. Rev. I. E. Biggs, pastor of the First Methodist Church at Hedley, will hold services here Sunday morning, however, Rev. Carter announced before leaving for Childress Tuesday. He moved with his family to the new appointment Tuesday afternoon.

Rev. J. T. Palmer, presiding elder of this (Clarendon) district

had announced the appointment of a pastor from Lubbock to serve the local church for the remainder of this conference year, but the place was not accepted.

Canyon People Are Injured Friday As Auto Overturns

Accident Occurs on 370 South of Memphis Early Last Friday Morning

Four people received slight injuries last Friday morning when their automobile went out of control and overturned on Highway 370 just south of Memphis.

In the accident were Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Sternberg, D. A. Butler, and Miss Eric McNeal, all of Canyon. The party was en route to College Station when the accident occurred, at about 7:30 a. m. Friday morning.

Miss McNeal received a scalp wound which was not serious, and the others were bruised and shaken. Mr. Sternberg, a Canyon lumber dealer, was suffering from shock and severe bruises, and is still under care in a local hospital.

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Lowena Attends Homecoming And Plays for Leo

Lowena Moore attended a homecoming at her Alma Mater in Austin last week—always a real thrill for the girl whose quick smile and cheerful "hello" makes the dark first floor corridor of the Hall County courthouse just a little brighter.

A bigger thrill was in store, however, when Lowena, an accomplished violinist, together with four other alumni students from the school, played Wednesday afternoon, May 31, at the governor's mansion. The occasion was the last of the season's informal receptions given by Mrs. W. Lee O'Daniel.

Lowena played several solo selections, and was introduced to the governor himself. The homecoming, she reported, was a pronounced success—and it would be hard to discover an alumni student whose love and loyalty for her school is greater than this girl's, whose Alma Mater is Texas School for the Blind.

Hall County Farmers Receive \$80,000 In Cotton Checks In Past Ten Days

E. M. Ewen Heads Farmers Union Co-op Board

Annual Election Officers And Directors Is Held In Memphis Saturday

Two hundred members were present Saturday for the annual election of directors of the Farmers Union Co-operative Gin Company and Farmers Union store. All former officers and directors were re-elected.

E. M. Ewen was re-elected to head the board of directors of both gin and store. E. W. Solomon was named vice president of the board of directors for the Farmers Union store, with Jim Webster, E. A. Thomas, A. W. Francis, R. A. Hutcherson, and F. E. Leary on the board.

Directors for the gin are E. M. Ewen, president; E. A. Thomas, R. A. Hutcherson, E. McMurry, and A. W. Francis.

A cash dividend of \$6,000 was paid members and stockholders. The company has recently moved one of its gins from Memphis to Brice, and will operate four gins during the coming season located at Memphis, Eli, Alaska and Brice. O. M. Cosby is manager.

R. L. Coleman is secretary and manager of the Farmer's Union

With the AAA check-writing machines working at top speed, more than \$80,000 has been added to the farm income in Hall County during the past eight days, assistant County Agent F. R. Curtis revealed this week.

In addition to \$25,000 received here last Thursday morning, two other allotments totaling \$54,486.56 were received during the week-end and on the first of the week. There were 160 checks in the first allotment, and a total of 364 in the others.

The total payments for the week represented the largest single allotment received here since the first benefit payments from the 1938 program were received on April 7. \$132,000 was distributed in the county on that date.

According to records at the County Agent's office, \$362,908.48 has been paid Hall County farmers in cotton rental checks from the 1938 program. The total for the year has been estimated at approximately \$450,000.

At the present date, 2,065 checks have been distributed to farmers in this county.

Officials at College Station, Texas headquarters for the AAA, announced last week that there were still more than 5,000 applications for payment on hand. A majority of the remaining payments, however, are on multiple farm holdings, and since these must be carefully checked there may be some delay in clearance.

Legion Units Plan Picnic Tonight

Members of the American Legion, the woman's Auxiliary, and the Sons of the Legion will gather at the new city park tonight (Thursday) for a basket picnic. Ottie F. Jones, commander of the Charles R. Simmons Post, announced Wednesday.

The picnic will begin at 7:30

First Rehearsal Is Held Monday Morning 40 Bandsmen Report for Practice

Forty musicians reported for the first rehearsal of the Memphis Summer Band at the high school gymnasium Monday morning, and Director R. E. Martin Jr., named last week by the Memphis Chamber of Commerce to conduct the band during the summer months, appeared highly pleased with prospects for the organization.

The first band concert of the summer will be played on the city square Friday night, June 9, Martin announced, stating that he would have a forty-piece band ready for the performance.

Martin started a two-week band school Monday morning, and plans to conduct daily rehearsals during that period. After the close

of the school, band members will rehearse three times weekly, and plan a number of concerts and booster trips during the summer.

The band will be sent on trips to neighboring cities and communities to advertise the coming Pioneer Celebration, which will be held in Memphis July 27-28, and will be active here during the two-day reunion, according to Carroll Smyers, secretary of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce. The chamber of commerce, in cooperation with Memphis schools, is sponsoring the organization during the summer.

Martin, a student of band at Texas Technological College, is a former member of the Memphis High Black and Gold Band, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Martin of

this city, and was employed to conduct the summer band during the absence of G. W. Johnson, high school band director.

No fees are charged the band members, and all who are interested or who have had experience in band work, are invited to join the organization this summer.

A new band house, now under construction on the high school campus, will be completed about the 15th of this month. Until the building is ready for occupancy, rehearsals will be conducted in the old high school gymnasium.

New music and new arrangements arrived early this week, and the band has already begun rehearsals of the new pieces. The concert on the square Friday night will begin at 8 o'clock.

Robertson Home Damaged by Fire

A frame residence at 602 North 9th street, owned by Mrs. R. L. Robertson, was partially destroyed by fire Wednesday morning. The local fire department, making a quick run to the scene, brought the flames under control in short order.

The blaze was believed to have started when a quantity of insect spray in the kitchen of the home was ignited. Mrs. Robertson was not at home at the time, and the fire was discovered and reported by neighbors.

The house was closed, and firemen credited this fact with keeping the fire under control, since no draft reached the flames. Extent of the damage was not determined.

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Memphis Couple Celebrate Golden Wedding Anniversary Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Columbus Parks celebrated their Golden wedding anniversary Sunday, June 4, at their home on Dover street. Forty-four children, grandchildren, in-laws, and guests from various points in Texas and Oklahoma were present for the occasion.

Sunday dinner was served from a large dining table centered with a frosted layer cake upon which was inscribed in gold, "50th Wedding Anniversary." Mr. Parks cut the wedding cake.

Mrs. Parks, nee Libbie Newsum, was born in Washington County, Texas, in 1873. Mr. Parks was born in Leon County on November 25, 1872. They were married at Dublin on June 6, 1889, and came to Memphis in 1915.

Eight of their ten living children, together with their families, were present for the anniversary celebration Sunday. They were:

Mrs. E. H. Hire and children, Winnie Mae and Jean, from Duncan, Okla.; Mrs. J. L. Hearn and children, Walter, Ray, Electra, and Jean, and Mr. and Mrs. Arvel Hearn, all of Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Duke and son, Coleman, of Lakeview; Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wiggins of Hedley, with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Myers of Lelia Lake, and children, Walter, Bill, and Oran.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Parks and sons, Harold and Keith of Borger; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Parks and children, Joan, Neal, Don, Lynn, and Ginger of Texline; Mrs. C. P. Lamkin and children, Sue and Kenneth of Amarillo; and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Garlett and son, Keith, of Texline.

Also present were Mrs. John Parks, a sister-in-law from Ardmore; and Misses Doris and Charlotte Parks, daughters of the late Freeman B. Parks of Memphis.

O. L. Parks, a son from Anardarko, Okla., and Mrs. Vernon King, a daughter, of Amarillo were not present.

H. J. Orand and I. G. Thomas of Memphis were invited guests.

Peggy Leary of Estelina was a Memphis visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Cotter and J. E. Proper of Amarillo were week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Johnson.

Officers Elected By Pleasant Valley Needle Club

The Pleasant Valley Needle Club met with Mrs. Holland McMurry on May 31. Mrs. J. W. Molloy won in the penny drill.

During the business meeting new officers were elected as follows: President, Mrs. E. V. Shirley; vice president, Mrs. H. C. Crawford; and secretary, Mrs. Roy Rea.

The afternoon was spent in quilting and embroidering.

Those attending were Mesdames Leo Hoening, J. S. Spencer, and Miss Mary Helen Williams of Littlefield, visitors; Mesdames Opal Anderson, Sam Chaney, H. C. Crawford, T. C. Crawford, V. D. Howard, J. H. Knightstep, Alvin Molloy, J. W. Molloy, E. W. Pate, H. T. Rea, Roy Rea, E. V. Shirley, R. B. Spruill, O. E. Gardenhire, Jewel Polasek, and Misses Oleta Crawford, and Myrtle Rea, and the hostess.

Oxbow Fun Day Club Has Meeting With Mrs. Whitefield

The Oxbow Fun Day Club met Wednesday, May 31, with Mrs. Frank Whitefield. The afternoon was spent quilting. Refreshments of cake and iced drinks were served.

Visitors were Mesdames T. P. Fincher, Emma Ray Benton, Olin Hill, Nolin Hill, Audra Thomas, Lila Mae Wells, W. A. Henry, Lorena Allen and daughters, and Misses Billy Gowdy, Moselle Gowdy, Juanita Gowdy, Ola Fay Benton, Josephine Verden and Flossie Rousseau. Members present were Mesdames Jewel Gowdy, L. R. McGee, M. E. McMaster, Walter Thomas, J. W. Oliver, Joe Rousseau, S. F. Rousseau, and Euna Gowdy, Emma Smith, Sibyl Verden, Helen Brewer, Mamie Benton, Lucille Teel, Minnie Teel and the hostess, Mrs. Whitefield.

Mrs. R. L. Brewer and daughters, Barbara and Nancy Lee, are visiting her mother, Mrs. N. E. Stuart, of Mount Pleasant. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor of Caldwell are visiting relatives here.

Society

Mrs. H. W. Kuhn Is Honoree of Party Friday

Mrs. A. W. Howard and Miss Martha Perkins entertained in the L. G. Perkins home Friday afternoon for Mrs. H. W. Kuhn who was leaving Saturday for Graham to make her home.

The party was informal and a number of gifts were presented to the honoree.

Those present and presenting gifts were: Mesdames J. E. Hughes, J. W. Fitzjarrald, Clarence Stroehle, J. W. Slover, F. A. Schoolfield, W. L. Wheat, F. A. Maxwell, Lesley Calhoun, Neil Wyatt, Gloria Virginia Howard and the hostesses, Mrs. Howard and Miss Perkins.

Order of Eastern Star Officers Are Installed

The Eastern Star installed officers on May 31 with Ida Anisman, Maude Milam, and Edna Fitzgerald as installing officers.

The following officers were installed for the coming year: Mrs. Lola DuVall, worthy matron; Henry Youngblood, worthy patron; Mrs. Lola Webster, associate matron, pro tem; H. B. Hill Jr., associate patron; Mrs. F. N. Slover, secretary; Mrs. Claudie Hattenbach, Treasurer; Mrs. Era Youngblood, conductress; Mrs. Lenora Greenhaw, associate conductress, pro tem; Mrs. Maude Fitzjarrald, chaplain; Mrs. Pearl Davenport, marshal; Mrs. Mary Jane Thompson, organist, pro tem; Mrs. Margie Draper, Ida; Mrs. Alice Garrett, Ruth, pro tem; Mrs. Mattie Lotz Davenport, Ester; Mrs. Della Palmeyer, Martha; Mrs. Mildred Smeyers, Electa; Mrs. Susan McCleendon, warder; and Lloyd Phillips, sentinel.

After the installation of the officers, Mrs. Edna Fitzgerald presented a token of appreciation to the retiring Worthy Matron, Mrs. Ida Anisman.

B. E. Martin Jr. delighted the Chapter with two piano solos. A social hour concluded the evening and was enjoyed by about fifty members and guests.

Baptist WMS Has Meeting Monday

The Baptist WMS met Monday, June 5, in the parlor of the First Baptist Church for a social and missionary program. Circle No. 3 had charge of the program for which the subject was "The Great Commission and Chief Aims of WMU and Missionary Education of Our Young People," with Mrs. R. E. Clark as leader.

Mrs. Clark brought the devotional, "Responsibility of Parents" Genesis 44:30-34, Deuteronomy 6:47, closing with a poem, "My Task." Mrs. B. Baldwin offered prayer, followed by the song, "Come Thou Almighty King." "Youth and the Great Commission" was given by Mrs. L. O. Dennis. "Give of Your Best to the Master" was then sung. Mrs. A. M. Wyatt and Mrs. L. G. Rasco gave "Plans That Bring Success." M. D. A. Grundy gave "Boys and Girls" and the "Margaret Friend." Mrs. S. B. Foxhall offered the closing prayer. It was voted to send a linen shower to the Baylor Hospital.

The hostesses, Mesdames B. Baldwin, Chas. Oren, T. A. Prater, E. T. Prater, Tom Draper, Hollie Boren, and Hayden Goodnight served ice cream to Mesdames D. A. Grundy, R. E. Clark, Holt Russell, A. M. Wyatt, Joe Weathersbee, J. R. Harrell, Mary Combest, L. G. Rasco, Bill Hawthorne, John Barber, Otis Jones, H. B. Gilmore, W. L. Wheat, J. H. Smith, Cleve Bownds, Lloyd Phillips, Emma Baskerville, A. J. Joyce, Lunn Jones, R. C. Crow, F. R. Curtis, Glen Carlos, Clara Pritchett, N. M. Lindsey, S. B. Foxhall, W. B. Wilson, L. O. Dennis, J. N. Cyfert, W. J. Bragg and Bill Hood.

Duckworth-Blanks Wed Here Sunday

Leroy Blanks of Amarillo and Miss Euba Duckworth of Hedley were married in a quiet ceremony at the Baptist parsonage here Sunday evening at 10 o'clock. Rev. J. Wm. Mason, pastor of the First Baptist Church, performed the marriage ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Willingham of Brownfield spent the week-end here with her mother, Mrs. D. P. Webster, and other relatives.

Mrs. Lloyd Phillips spent Wednesday in Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce McClure of Midland spent from Sunday until Tuesday here visiting relatives.

Jack Norman, Jack Boone, Harold Walker, and Tug Sanders are fishing at Lake Kemp this week.

A-Muse-U Club Meets With Mrs. Burks

The A-Muse-U Club met Friday with Mrs. C. R. Burks at 2:30 p. m.

The afternoon was spent playing "42."

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Ike Hancock, L. O. Dennis, Dick Vallance, D. J. Sims, Alvin Massey, Cecil Hancock, Alvin Gerlach, V. L. Taylor, Robert Breedlove, Mac Graham, C. R. Sargent, A. E. Osborne, Owen Pyeatt and guests, Mrs. H. M. Guest and Mrs. Dale Hill.

Dorcas Society Meets Thursday

Members of the Dorcas Society held an afternoon meeting at the home of Mrs. E. W. Evans Thursday, June 1.

Following a business session, an hour of devotional was observed. Mrs. Lucy Pullen and Mrs. W. E. Johnson presided. A social hour followed, and plans were made for an all-day meeting. Fifteen members and one guest were present.

Attending were Mesdames E. J. Sims, W. A. Simmons, E. W. Evans, Ted Young, M. H. Braddock, J. P. Jones, John Barber, H. B. Brock, W. E. Johnson, R. P. Baker, L. B. McAbee, M. O. Goodpasture, Lucy Pullen, J. W. Burks, Sam Brown, Hill Wells, and Frank Smith.

Unique Bridge Club Meets at Godfrey Home May 31

The Unique Bridge Club held its regular meeting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Godfrey May 31.

At the conclusion of the contract games Mrs. Adron Burkhalter and Ed Bost held high scores.

Refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bost, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. Adron Burkhalter, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey.

Mrs. Hugh Crawford has returned home from Wichita Falls where she had been in a hospital several weeks.

Miss Goldston and Leslie Pickering Marry Here June 3

Ushering the bride's month in with one of the most beautiful simple weddings, was the marriage of Miss Willie Lucille Goldston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Goldston of Clarendon, to Mr. Leslie Pickering, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Pickering of near Clarendon, which took place in Memphis at the home of the bride's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Chamberlain, 1410 Walden street, at 6 o'clock Saturday evening.

Rev. Orion W. Carter read the ring ceremony in the presence of the immediate families and a few friends. The vows were taken with the couple standing under the archway banked with greenery, pink and purple larkspur and pink sweetpeas. The wedding bow tied in pink and blue crepe paper with streamers leading down each side of the archway against the greenery made a lovely setting.

The bride wore a dusty pink costume and big pink hat. Her shoulder corsage was of sweet-heart roses. For something borrowed and something blue she carried a dainty blue linen handkerchief.

Pink and blue flowers decorated the house and an informal reception was held after the wedding with Mrs. Chamberlain and Mrs. Edwin Eanes, sister of the bridegroom, presiding at the table which was laid with an Italian linen cloth, and centered with a three-tiered bride's cake decorated in pink and blue forget-me-nots and rosebuds, topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom, and a lovely punch bowl filled with fruit punch.

The bride attended Clarendon high school last term and the bridegroom is farming with his father on Lakecreek, where the couple will be at their new home after a short wedding trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Spath and three daughters of Salt Lake City were here last week visiting Mr. Spath's sister, Mrs. C. S. Compton. They are visiting Mrs. Spath's people in Quanah this week.

UDC Entertains With Luncheon at Legion Hall Saturday, June 3

As a fitting climax to a successful year the local U. D. C. chapter entertained with a luncheon Saturday, June 3, at the American Legion Hall. The hall was artistically decorated with spring flowers and baskets of potted plants. The beautifully laid foursome luncheon tables, sparkling with colorful china, silver and glassware and centered with white vases with red flowers, added to the attractiveness of the scene. Miss Mary Helen Lindsey was at the piano.

Following the invocation by Mrs. C. W. Broome the social committee composed of Mesdames J. H. Norman, G. W. Sexauer, Sam West, D. J. Morgensen and Claud Johnson served a delightful three-course luncheon.

Mrs. D. J. Morgensen welcomed the guests in the name of the chapter and then introduced Mrs. W. L. Wheat, president, who fittingly paid tribute to Jefferson Davis. Miss Lindsey played two numbers, "Sheep and Goats" by Guion and "Deep Purple" by DeRose. The book, "My Son, My Son" was reviewed by Mrs. R. Ernest Clark. The program was closed by all standing while Miss Lindsey played "Dixie."

The following guests and members were present: Mesdames

Lakeview Quilting Club Has Meeting

The Quilting Club met in the home of Nash for an all day June 1.

Those present were T. W. Luttrell, W. M. Martin, Cone Adams, Ernie Lila Milton, Mrs. the hostess, Mrs. Nash

Sam Foxhall, N. A. Lloyd Phillips, J. M. R. Webster, T. B. Kinslow, James Norman, Dickey, Sid Baker, H. blood, S. L. Seago, R. D. A. Grundy, E. W. H. T. Gregory, John D. ma Baskerville, C. W. E. Clark, L. G. DeB. Goodall, T. J. H. Morgensen, J. H. N. Odom, G. W. S. Slover, C. Z. Stiff. Springer, Glenn Thomas, Wheat, Frank Wright, J. A. Whaley, and Norman, Maud Milam, Helen Lindsey.

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- 4-FOOT ELECTROLUX at 50% DISCOUNT
- 6-FOOT GRUNOW, with new unit
- 4-FOOT KELVINATOR, almost New \$75.00 DISCOUNT
- 5-FOOT G. E., good condition
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We have a large stock of GOOD USED RADIOS priced from \$5.00

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\$1.00 and \$1.95

Scoop Up Several! All Sizes to 52

Be your prettiest, coolest self in these gay cottons! Full basque, princess, shirtwaist styles with generous hem swirling skirts! Crisp young sheers, poplins, piques! Eye-catching prints! All brilliantly new, with lingerie, ruff smoking, ric-rac trims! Buy several TODAY... at \$1.00 and \$1.95, they'll sell fast!



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THE BIG DAYLIGHT STORE

LOOK 'EM ALL OVER... Hotpoint is a great Refrigerator Buy!

Measure the value of all refrigerators before you buy any! It proves before you buy how you get plus value for every last cent when you buy a Hotpoint Electric Refrigerator. Hotpoint Value Yardstick shows 36 important refrigerator features... Come in and check them today.

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Hotpoint Value Yardstick shows 36 outstanding refrigerator features: 6-Way standing refrigerator features; Pop-Ice Cold Storage Compartments; Adjustable height Trays; 16-point temperature control; Adjustable interior; Semi-automatic defrosting; New desert tray; Vacuum sealed sliding shelves; Fruit and vegetable storage drawers; Automatic safety gauge. And 24 more.

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HOTPOINT REFRIGERATORS GET U. S. GOVERNMENT APPROVAL!

In letting Government Procurement contracts for the current year on electrical refrigerators, the Treasury Department, acting in behalf of the United States Government awarded exclusive contracts to the Hotpoint refrigerator.

Before placing this contract, the government made exhaustive tests for efficiency and dependability on Hotpoint Refrigerators. When you decide on the refrigerator you want for your home—remember the United States Government considers Hotpoint the best on the market.

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Seventh Graders Visit Scenes of Historical Interest in San Antonio

Grade students from Memphis, accompanied by Miss Edna Bryan Smith, returned May 31, from a trip to San Antonio, where a number of places of interest were visited. The trip was made by the United States Army flying cadets.

Leaving San Antonio on Tuesday morning, the group visited Corpus Christi, where they watched two United States destroyers dock and later went on board for an inspection tour; then returned, after a swim in the bay, by way of Austin, where they visited the capitol and University.

The trip was made possible by the Eli Parent-Teacher Association and parents and was given as a graduation tour for members of the Seventh Grade graduating class.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Allen and children of Weatherly visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitefield, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Jones and family, who have been living on the Grundy farm the past few weeks, moved to Memphis last week.

Walter Thomas, who has been sick for several months, has been under treatment and is improving.

Several from this community attended the school play at Pleasant Valley Wednesday night.

Audean and Jerald Rousseau have gone to the Plains for a three-week visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Spencer of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gowdy last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cagle and children visited in Childress Sunday.

Home Economics Students Carry on Summer Projects

Thirty Girls Begin Work Under Supervision of Miss Rachel Deahl

Thirty home economics students have started work on summer projects under the supervision of Miss Rachel Deahl, high school home economics instructor.

The Summer Home Economics Club was organized on June 1, with Mary Jones as president. Avalene McQueen was named secretary, Frances Clark treasurer, and Anna Margaret Mitchell reporter.

Five regular meetings will be held during the summer, Miss Deahl said. Meetings are scheduled on June 1 and 8, July 1, and August 1 and 15.

Project work this summer includes clothing construction, meal preparation, yard improvement, bedroom improvement, improving clothes closets, making barrel chairs for bedrooms, refinishing furniture, and making out-door living rooms for summer.

Students carrying on the work through the summer receive one-half unit of credit toward graduation for satisfactory work.

Tom Luttrell of Lakeview was a Memphis visitor Friday.

R. R. Gowan and J. W. Coppedge of Estelline were in Memphis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cagle and children visited in Childress Sunday.

Jerry Carmichael went to Haskell Tuesday where he will visit friends a few days.

Jimmy and Betty Lou Howard of Pampa are here visiting their aunt, Mrs. Claud Johnson and husband.

PERSONALS

Mrs. G. M. Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Byron Baldwin visited in the Louie Thompson home in Clarendon Sunday.

Tommy Ruth Potts, Hattie Dem Ward, Martha Thompson and Ann Pallmeyer visited Miss Joe Ann Thompson in Clarendon Sunday.

J. D. Webster, student at Texas Tech, spent the week-end here with his parents.

Martha Thompson and Ouida Read were Childress visitors Saturday.

Mrs. A. A. Greer of Estelline was in Memphis on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Alexander left Saturday for the San Francisco World's Fair, and other places of interest on the Pacific coast.

Mrs. Benton King and little son John of Amarillo are this week visiting their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Smith of Claude were Memphis visitors Saturday.

Verna Lee Hill left Saturday for a week's visit with her sister, Miss Shirley Hill, of Amarillo.

Mrs. W. B. Greene of Hereford arrived in Memphis Saturday for a week's stay with her daughter, Mrs. O. F. West and husband.

Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Regnal Greenhaw of Lefors spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Greenhaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Melcar of Pampa spent the week-end here. George Greenhaw made a business trip to Pampa Monday.

Miss Joyce Sheats of Childress was a Memphis visitor Monday.

J. L. Erwin, student at Texas Tech, has returned home for the summer.

Miss Ira Hammond, Mrs. H. B. Estes, Mrs. Forrest Hall, Mrs. W. B. Kimberlin, and Miss Thelma Shankle went to Canyon Tuesday where they will enroll in summer school at WTSC.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Thomason returned from Wichita Falls Saturday where Mrs. Thomason underwent an operation several weeks ago. She is convalescing nicely.

Miss Maud Milam, Miss Helen Ruth Thompson and Mrs. Joe DeBerry went to Canyon Monday to attend summer school at WTSC.

Believe It or Not!

More General Electric Refrigerators and Philco Radios are being sold in American Homes than any other brands.

LET US SHOW YOU WHY

Also See the NEW STUDEBAKERS

Raymond Ballew

—The House of Quality—

CONGRATULATIONS

to the

FARMERS UNION SUPPLY CO.

—On Your Remodeled Home
—On Your 32nd Birthday

We think that it is fitting and proper that you should round out your 32nd year of service to the people of this community and county by having your home placed in excellent condition. We congratulate you both on your birthday and on the remodeling of your store.

It has been our happy privilege to serve you during the renovation and remodeling work and we are proud of the pleasant association and the happy connection that we have made.

With our congratulation goes our best wishes for many profitable and pleasant years ahead.

J. C. WOOLDRIDGE LUMBER COMPANY

E. E. Roberts, Mgr.

"Thank you, Reddy, for keeping the temperature down in my refrigerator."

Reasons Why Electric Refrigeration Is BEST IN West Texas

- Dry, Hot Climate** requires exceptionally low temperature in your refrigerator to properly preserve food. Only Electric Refrigeration can give equally low temperatures (around 40 degrees) in July and August the same as in January.
- Low Electric Rates** are in effect for refrigerator users. Economy of operation, plus the simplest refrigerating mechanism ever built, plus safety from toxic fumes, safety from combustible explosives, plus multiple-cold food protection—all these combine to make electric refrigeration best suited for use in West Texas where summer months undeniably are hot and dry.

Ask About Trade-in Allowance, Small Down Payment—and Easy Terms

SEE THIS X-RAY PROOF!

Compare New FRIGIDAIRE "COLD-WALL" Saves Food From Drying Out!

COLD WALL COOLING provides an abundance of food-preserving cold THROUGH THE WALLS and AROUND THE FOOD in lower compartment. First time ever done in home refrigerators! SEE HOW highly perishable foods stay deliciously fresh for days. SEE HOW odor and flavor transfer is checked—Don't miss seeing it!

West Texas Utilities Company

CONGRATULATIONS

to the
Farmers Union Supply Co.

We extend our congratulations to the Union Supply Company on their 32nd birthday and the remodeling of their building. We are also happy to have had the pleasure of assisting with the program.

We Extend Our Best Wishes To This Pioneer Concern

GOOD LUCK
ENDON PAINT & PAPER CO.

CHEVROLET

Shift with that EXCLUSIVE VACUUM GEARSHIFT and watch Chevrolet out-sprint the field!

Regardless of what make of car you are now driving, we urge you to drive a new Chevrolet with Exclusive Vacuum Gearshift, which goes into action automatically and supplies 80 per cent of the shifting effort, the moment you touch it with your finger, thanks to an exclusive vacuum booster!

You owe it to yourself to learn how much more easily and effortlessly and efficiently you can shift gears with Chevrolet's Exclusive Vacuum Gearshift.

So please accept this invitation to see your Chevrolet dealer today; take the wheel of the nation's largest selling motor car; shift with that Exclusive Vacuum Gearshift and watch Chevrolet out-sprint the field!

SALES FIRST IN ECONOMY FIRST IN VALUE

Watts Chevrolet Co.

Phone 412 Memphis

Farmers Union Supply Company Will Celebrate Thirty-Second Anniversary

Storebuilding Has Been Remodeled And Renovated

All Departments of Store Enlarged and Improved, Larger Storage for Warehouse

Commemorating their 32nd birthday and noting a change in policy from a corporation to a cooperative, the Farmer's Union Supply Company will open a sale next Saturday in a completely remodeled and renovated store building at the corner of Second and Harrison streets, the details of such sale being set out in an advertisement appearing on the opposite page.

In remodeling their store, the Farmers Union Supply Company have removed the partition that separated the grocery department and moved it back about 25 feet. This gives more room in the store and also made room for the installation of a complete new meat market. This new market includes a new meat counter and two new walk-in storage boxes finished in white, black and grey porcelain. The new market is located at the rear of the store.

The business offices of the company have been moved from the rear of the store to the southeast corner of the building and are easily accessible from the Second street entrance. The cashier's desk and wrapping counter has been set between the two front doors of the building and are easily accessible to customers.

The entire interior of the building has been finished in tones of green and cream creating a beautiful effect, and displaying the Farmers Union's huge stock to best advantage.

For several years the company has had a dry goods department and the remodeling program included improving and enlarging this department and it was stated that several new brands will be added to the stock.

A hardware department has been added and the stock in this department has been increased.

The renovation was not confined to the store proper, but was carried to a large warehouse in the rear of the store where the company's stock of feed stuffs is to be stored, thus giving more room in the store proper for merchandise displays.

The company's gasoline station, which handles all kinds of auto accessories as well as automotive fuel and lubricants was also included in the renovation plans.

The personnel of the Farmers Union Supply Company includes: Roy L. Coleman, manager and secretary-treasurer of the cooperative; Cleron McMurry, office manager and bookkeeper; Ernest (Gip) McMurry, cashier and head of produce department; Clifton Burnett, poultry and livestock buyer; Mrs. Grace Duke, dry goods department; D. P. (Doc) Hale, meat market; Bud Gilreath, service station; Ed Clark, gasoline transport; J. D. (Jack) Cain, cream and feed department; Deward Jones, delivery; H. A. Tatum, coal yard; Marion Messer, clerk; Garland Solomon, clerk; Henry Guest, night watchman. C. L. Ayers is manager of the firm's Eli store.

Today, the Farmer's Union Supply Company is one of the most modern stores that can be found in the Panhandle with plenty of parking space. It is a popular mecca not only for farm trade but for Memphis town trade where local women find this up-to-date store, with its easy accessibility and courteous clerks, an ideal place to trade.

Newspaper Ads Are Approved By Local Mercantile Agency

Farmers Union Supply Co. Have Used Democrat Ads For Three Decades

A part of the success of the Farmer's Union Supply Company, which is celebrating its 32nd anniversary with a sale beginning Saturday, is due to consistent use of the advertising columns of The Democrat, according to Roy Coleman, manager of the establishment.

The Democrat, an old-timer in the Memphis community itself, has carried Farmers Union Supply Company advertising in practically every issue during the past thirty years.

Since The Democrat was changed from a daily to a weekly in March of 1936 the Farmers Union Supply Company has carried an advertisement in every issue. On the opposite page will be found a full page advertisement of this company, giving bargains from all departments of the store.

Lois Waggoner and Helen Boswell were Clarendon visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sloan and children of Estelita were Memphis visitors Monday.



BOARD OF DIRECTORS—Pictured above is the board of directors of the Farmers Union Supply Company. Left to right, top row, E. M. Ewen, president; E. W. Solomon, vice-president; Roy L. Coleman, secretary-treasurer and general manager; R. A. Hutcherson, E. A. Thomas, J. W. Webster, directors. Bottom row, A. W. Francis and F. E. (Ed) Leary, directors.

FARMERS UNION POLICY CHANGED CORPORATION TO COOPERATIVE

Patrons of Pioneer Firm Will Share In Profits In Accordance With Purchases It is Announced Here By Officials

Growth Of Local Company Noted On 32nd Anniversary

Farmers Union Supply Co. Enjoys Unique History Involving Early Days

Thirty-two years ago a small group of optimistic and far-sighted farmers and business men of Hall County banded themselves together and launched a business enterprise that was to develop into one of the leading businesses of the county. Times and conditions have changed during those intervening years and rapid progress has been made by that organization—the Hall County Farmers Union Supply Company.

The original stockholders were confined to 20 or 30 men, and some of those original organizers hold stock in the company today and have been rewarded on their stock year after year with dividends. There are now 165 stockholders in the organization and some of them are at various points throughout the nation. Several years ago the New York Stock Exchange asked for quotations of the value of Farmers Union Supply Company Stock.

But despite all this, the Farmers Union Supply Company is a home owned organization directed and maintained by local people. The company's policy is so drawn up as not to allow anyone person to control the company and the enterprise is directed by a board of directors and a general manager.

The Farmers Union Supply Company was organized with a capital stock of \$3,000 fully paid. The capital stock is now valued at approximately \$75,000. The company started business in warehousing and weighing cotton. Some years later, for the convenience of farmers bringing cotton to the warehouse and scales, a few items of merchandise were kept in the office. The demands grew on this small supply of merchandise until the directors realized that it would be profitable both to their organization and to their farmer trade to carry a large line of merchandise, especially groceries.

In a few years, it became necessary to construct a large building for the fast growing business. The company took on new lines of merchandise and began handling cottonseed. In 1920 it be-

With the celebrating of their 32nd anniversary and the remodeling of their Memphis store, the Farmers Union Supply Company, pioneer mercantile agency of this county, also announces a change of policy. Until recently this establishment has been a corporation, operating under the laws of the State of Texas governing such types of business, but at recent meetings of the board of directors and the 165 stockholders, it was decided that the company would be changed into a cooperative, placing the business on a profit sharing basis with the stockholders and patrons.

It is the plans of the company to operate their business in such a manner that only operating expenses will be retained by the firm and the profits of the business will be returned to the patrons in the form of dividends at the end of the year.

According to company officials an accurate record will be kept of each purchase of 25c or more and the name of the purchaser, and the profits, when divided, will be distributed to the patrons in proportion to the amount of the purchases made. Provisions will be made for the dividends to be paid to the stockholders in proportion to their investments, since the state law provides that only 8 per cent dividend is the maximum that can be declared.

came obvious that a gin would be profitable to the organization but the charter did not provide for ginning business. This brought about the organization of the Farmers Union Gin Company, organized with a capital stock of \$25,000 and now operating four gins. This latter organization has no legal connection with the Farmers Union Supply Company but the list of stockholders and board of directors indicate that the same far-sighted and capable farmers and businessmen were responsible for both organizations.

The present Farmers Union Supply Company store building in Memphis, which has recently undergone extensive remodeling and renovation, was built in 1928 at a cost of \$15,000. The store at Eli was started in 1926 and the store at Plaska which was discontinued the forepart of this year was started in 1929.

Wendell Harrison of Longview is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Harrison. He is taking a vacation.

Alvin Pyatt and daughter are visiting relatives in Cameron this week.



Challenge TIRES

for a carefree

Vacation

Take It On

SEIBERLING Challenge Tires

Your vacation this summer can be a pleasure if you will not let it be marred by tire trouble. Before you start, come by and let us equip your car all around with the low-priced high-quality Challenge Tires that Seiberling has recently placed on the market. These wonderful new tires will carry you there and back without the worry of tire troubles and protect both you and your car from the many road hazards that assail the vacationist.



Farmers Union Supply Company

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"Satisfied Customers Keep Us Busy"

Spectacular VALUES

In Groceries, Dry Goods, Meats, Feed and Hardware at our

REMODELING SALE



Combined With Our BIG



32nd

ANNIVERSARY Jubilee

Opening Next SATURDAY June 10

We want you to feel that this is a personal invitation to trade with us, both during the big Remodeling Sale and our Birthday Jubilee and on through the weeks and months to follow. We have an attractive, redecorated store that will please you, we have a complete stock of merchandise, the finest in the country; and we are now on a co-operative basis so you can share in our profits.

GOOD SAVINGS!

MUSIC FURNISHED BY THE SPAN-AMERICAN ORCHESTRA-COME

BLACKBERRIES, No. 2 can 9c

FREE Head of Lettuce with Tri-State Brand Salad Dressing, Sandwich Spread, 1000 Island Dressing, qt. size 22c

TSUP, 14 oz. bottle, 2 for 25c
KLES, Sour or Dills, qts. 13c

RD 74c
B. CARTON VEGETOLE

NCE ALBERT, per carton \$1.19
KES TOBACCO, per carton 89c

EE! WE WILL GIVE A \$1.00 BASKET OF GROCERIES to the First 100 Customers purchasing \$5.00 in Merchandise.

M, All Flavors, 3 pkgs. 10c
ACKER JACKS, 3 pkgs. 10c

RESERVES 59c
L. MONTE, Asst. Flavors (Pure) 5 lbs.

LATINE, W.S., all flavors, ea. 5c
LO FREEZING MIX, asst. flavors 9c
RSHMALLOWS, 1 lb. pkg. 15c
APEFRUIT JUICE, 46 oz. can 15c
ANSER, Lighthouse, per can 4c

FRESH PINEAPPLES Extra Large and extra nice ea. 9c

GREEN BEANS Louisiana Green or Wax 4 lbs. for 19c

FRESH TOMATOES Vine Ripened lbs. for 25c

SPUDS Mesh Bags 10 lbs. 18c

2 bunches 5c
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Carrots, 2 bunch 5c
Green
Onions, 3 for 10c
Medium, Winesap
Apples, doz. 14c
Large Size
Lemons, doz. 22c
Okra, 2 lbs. 25c
Rhubarb, 2 lbs. 15c
Celery, lg. size 13c

10 Lbs. Imperial CANE SUGAR 55c
Large Vanilla WAFERS 25c
Both for 69c

SODA CRACKERS 2 lbs. for 13c

OXYDOL Large Box 21c

BIG 4 SOAP 7 bars 23c

SHORTENING 4 lbs. 39c

MILK Evaporated 6 cans 20c

SANDWICHES and REFRESHMENTS Will Be Served; Souvenirs for the Kiddies

PEACHES, White Swan, 2 1/2 can 17c
PEARS, White Swan, 2 1/2 can 21c
PINEAPPLE, No. 1, 3 for 25c
White Swan, Sliced or Crushed

WE HAVE PLENTY NICE DRESSED FRYERS

LIPTON'S TEA 1/2 lb. 45c 1/4 lb. 25c
Delicious ICED

CORN, No. 2, 12 cans 85c
Standard Pack, (sweetened)
CORN FLAKES, Jerseys, 3 pkgs. 23c

We Will Pay Top Prices for Your Eggs, Cream, Poultry, etc.

CHOICE MEATS

STEAK, Loin, good and tender, lb. 25c
BEEF ROAST, nice cuts, lb. 17c
SLICED BACON, lb. 25c
Sugar Cured, Wrapped
PORK CHOPS, lb. 20c
Nice Lean, Loin Cuts
DRY SALT, lb. 13c
Streak o' Lean, Streak o' Fat

LAKE TROUT FANCY, PER LB. 15c

STEAK, nice and tender, lb. 18c
OLEOMARGARINE, lb. 14c

Dry Goods Department



Overalls

Scott's level best, sanforized, blue or stripe.

\$1.00

Work Shirts

Good grade, grey work shirt.

79c

Lotion 39c

Hinds Honey and Almond

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PRINTS

All new patterns. Guaranteed fast colors.

16c Per Yard

Batiste

Fast Colors

15c and 19c yd.



WASH FROCKS

Fast color Prints and Batiste

98c

Straw Hats

Men's and Boys'

19c and up



HOSE

Claussner hose, Regular \$1.00 for

79c



2 for Anklets 25c

All sizes and colors.

Ladies' Underwear

SLIPS \$1.00

PANTIES 25c

STEP-INS 15c and 25c

BRASSIERES 25c

BATISTE GOWNS and PAJAMAS, only 89c



Men's Dress Oxfords

Black or Tan

\$2.98

Work Shoes up from \$1.50

Hardware Department

Garden Hose, 50 feet \$3.25
Good grade
Stove Wicks, Perfection, ea. 25c
Brooms, good grade, ea. 23c
Percolators, 1 1/2 qt. size 69c
Clothes Pins, 3 doz. for 25c
Fly Swatters, 3 for 25c
Water Buckets, 12 qts. 39c
Linoleum Rugs \$4.98
Rubbertex backed, 9 x 12, each

FEEDS

DAIRY RATION, Bewley's, 18%, 100 lbs. \$1.90
SWEET FEED, Bewley's, 100 lbs. \$1.05

Egg Mash, 100 lb. 1.80
Bewley's Joy
Bran, 100 lb. 1.20
Better grade
Shorts, 100 lb. 1.45

Farmers Union Supply Company

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A MIDSUMMER ROUND-UP

A HIGHLY AMBITIOUS PLAN has been outlined this week for Hall County's annual Pioneer Celebration, to be held here July 27-28, and possibly its outstanding feature is the proposal to pay special tribute to the oldest pioneers, the cowpunchers.

Of the five ranches which once flourished in this immediate area, only two are still in operation. The westward progress of civilization has long since made the open range only a memory, but many of the men who rode that range, who led the march of progress into this land, are still living near the land which they helped to build.

No credit should be taken from the pioneer settlers, the men who brought their families to a new land, established homes, schools, churches, and developed farms. But the cowpunchers rode in the vanguard of civilization, blazing the trail for the settlers.

In the old days, too, the ranchhouse was a haven for many weary travelers, and the chuck wagon held a welcome for the lonely rider.

As the range closed in and cattle were no longer allowed to roam free across the broad prairies, the 'punchers joined forces with the settlers and placed their brand on a part of the range which had once been theirs. They too became builders, and, having paved the way for the development of a new land, many of them remained to become its most useful citizens.

They are still here, though their ranks are thinned and many have hung up their saddle and spurs to go to a greater range beyond, and it is to them that a part of the 1939 Pioneer Re-union will be dedicated. All Memphis is preparing for a bigger round-up when the 'punchers gather at the chuck-wagons in July.

TEXAS' ANSWER

ONE OF THE MOST significant trends in this essentially agricultural section today is the movement toward making dairying a major function on the farm, ranking it next to cotton production as a principal source of income. With the movement, in this particular area at least, still in its infancy, it remains for the present an interesting experiment, but one which promises to have a far-reaching effect upon business as a whole.

Two events are being recorded this week in Memphis which may point the way to swift progress for the budding industry. One is the proposed organization of a dairy testing association; the other, the scheduled "dairy manufacturing school."

Formation of the testing association is a logical development of an awakening consciousness of the desirability of improving the quality and production of dairy herds. A number of local farmers, recognizing the value of quality stock, have been building up their herds with registered animals. The testing association will permit them to scientifically and accurately weed out the slackers and keep only the cows which are good producers.

The manufacturing school, on the other hand, attacks the problem of handling raw materials which are produced. Demonstrations are planned to show methods of turning milk and cream into profitable and salable manufactured products.

With millions of acres of fertile land retired from cotton production, Texas farmers have found that the retired acreage can be turned to pasture to profitably support large herds of dairy cows. Most observers believe that dairying will never supplant cotton production as a major source of farm income, but certainly cows are competing actively with King Cotton for a place on the modern Texas farm. Dairying appears to be Texas' answer to the "farm problem."

SUPPORT THE BAND

MEMBERS OF MEMPHIS SUMMER BAND should receive the loyal support and encouragement of the entire city during the next three months. The forty-odd young men and women who will make up the organization are giving their services and talent to advertise Memphis and the Pioneer Reunion, and their work will not be easy.

Band work is hard work, and rehearsals and concerts during the hot summer months may well become a test of fortitude at times. The band is performing a valuable service for Memphis, and it is up to the people of Memphis to show their appreciation by attending the concerts and showing as much interest in the band as the band is displaying in Memphis.

Press Paragraphs

CULLED FROM THE
DEMOCRAT'S EXCHANGES

Panhandle editors last week concentrated their editorial comment on the pressing problems of Texas' government, with especial attention to the pension proposals. Discussions in the weekly press in this section have been unusually comprehensive. A few of the comments follow:

The Panhandle Herald: This newspaper is against any plan that deliberately pays pension without merit. . . . You may sneer at that and say that the person who has worked hard and saved his money is entitled to the same amount as one who has nothing. But any such theory of government is wrong. The one who has not saved will never get as good a living from the government as one who has saved independently and has his own income for the sunset of life.

Texas has never had a greater battle than has been going on of the past few months in the state legislature over old age pensions. There is the moral side of preventing starvation for tens of thousands of old people, and the financial side of businesses and individuals being tax poor. The legislature has this newspaper's sympathy in dealing with this tremendous problem, one that concerns millions of dollars yearly to the people of Texas.

The Canyon News: The situation is bad. The House and Senate have been at dagger points over the determination of each to pass the buck to the other.

Both are trying to put the monkey on the back of the governor with the liberalized pension bill. The legislature is in the longest session in the history of the state. Nothing has been done regarding taxation and pensions excepting to muddy the waters to a greater degree. Every movement for adjournment has been defeated. No one knows the solution to the problem. Added to the misery of the situation is a filibuster in the Senate which threatens to kill a large number of House bills.

The Donley County Leader: While the suggestion was made in this column many months ago, it appears to be needed more now than ever. Both branches of our legislature should be made to hold their sessions on a ship three miles out in the Gulf. If they did no more than they have done this session, the taxpayers could blow up the ship, wipe the slate, and start in with a new crew that had the fear of God in their hearts and get the job done quickly. There wouldn't be more than one ship lost in the deal, either.

"Outside the door a grimy wanderer stood where the gay light splashed or worn flagstones, listening to a serenade. The music was like warm rain against the face on a summer night, and the stranger became wistful for a delicate instant, then stopped to tie his mis-shapen shoe before entering the wall of shadows. Memory had neglected to remove a bayonet from the path of a returning veteran."—Trail Dust.

"Most people do not have time to read the old English poets anymore—except the students who are required to do so—but those old-timers broadcast some wisdom that could make us a better generation. Consider, for example, this choice morsel from Dryden:

"But far more numerous was the herd of such
"Who think too little, and talk too much."
—The Scurry County Times.

The first wheat will be harvested somewhere about June 10 in Floyd County, we guess. And our guess is based on what some of the wheat growers tell us. The wheat yield this year will be as spotted as a zebra's coat, or should we say a leopard's skin. Anyway, the crop will be too sorry to cut in spots, mediocre in others, fair in others, and good to excellent in others.—The Floyd County Hesperian.

GAMMAGE

By MRS. A. G. GRISHAM

J. M. Dunn, who suffered a stroke of paralysis last week, is reported to be improving.

Lester Huggins' father is ill in a Memphis hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Jones have been visiting in the V. H. Siddle home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Hill and sons, Bennie, Bobbie, and Billie, were dinner guests in the Olan Hill home near Deep Lake Sunday.

Mrs. Orville Hill visited Mrs. A. G. Grisham Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. M. E. Johnson and daughter, who have been visiting in Childress and Tell, returned home Sunday.

Mrs. W. J. Goffinett was a visitor in the A. G. Grisham home Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Lee Elliott visited in the Orville Hill home Monday afternoon.

The total motor vehicle registrations in the United States at the end of 1938 numbered 29,485,680, of which 25,261,649 were passenger cars, and the balance were trucks.

BETHEL

By MRS. NAOMI HILL

The women of Bethel and Lesley communities surprised Aunt Emma Adams Sunday with a covered dish luncheon and linen shower. Those attending were Mesdames McCarty, Laura Knight, Louie Wesley, Bryan Adams, Herbert Adams, Henry Booth, and Melvin Hill, and little Obie Jack Adams.

Mrs. Jack Walls and family of Clovis, New Mexico, visited their daughter, Mrs. Hester Shields, last week.

Joveta Ingram of New Mexico is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Tom Walls. Harmon Shields, who is attending school at Canyon, visited here last week-end.

Mrs. Laddie Hightower and her mother, Mrs. Boone, spent last Thursday with Mrs. Bryan Adams.

Thelma Lee Holcomb of Lesley spent Sunday night with Alice Faye Hill.

Joanna Hatley is spending a few days in Amarillo with her sister, Mrs. Bennie Brock.

J. B. Davis made a business trip to Childress last Thursday.

Izetta Spencer of Pampa is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mosely, here.

Herbert Shields spent last week with his sister, Mrs. Bill Henson, in Memphis.

Juanita Knight spent the week-end with Illa Marie Robertson of Webster.

Ella Wanda Walls of Clovis is spending a few days here with her sister, Mrs. Leroy Shields.

Mrs. J. W. Hatley and Mrs. Naomi Hill attended a surprise birthday dinner at Mrs. M. A. Taylor's home Monday.

Joanna Hatley and Juanita Knight spent Thursday with Alice Faye Hill.

Lou Ella and Dorothy Hill and Lou Alice Adams visited Mrs. Naomi Hill last Friday.

Laverne Hatley is visiting her sister, Mrs. Cyrel Aduddell, at Chamberlain.

Lou Alice Adams, Mamie Ruth Knight, and Laverne Hatley spent Sunday at Lesley with Gladys Booth.

PLEASANT VALLEY

By MRS. E. W. PATE

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Harvey and daughter, Ora Mae, of Shamrock visited Mr. and Mrs. Holland McMurry Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lowe spent last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Molloy and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lowe.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Rea and daughter, Myrtle, made a trip to Crowell Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mr. Rea's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Harvey of Shamrock visited Mrs. H. McMurry Tuesday.

Mrs. John Sullivan came home Thursday from a Lubbock hospital. Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Williams and daughters of Littlefield accompanied Mrs. Sullivan home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Francis and baby of Haman, Okla., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Francis Wednesday night.

Little Dowden Koeninger of Newlin is spending the week with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Koeninger.

Mrs. Mamie Burton and daughter, Olafae, visited Mrs. J. W. Molloy Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Booth are the proud parents of a baby boy, born May 29.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lowe left Sunday for Canyon, where they will attend summer school at West Texas State College. Vera Molloy accompanied them to Canyon.

Leo Koeninger had the misfortune of losing a good mare Sunday night.

Visitors in the H. C. Grant home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Watson, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Pate, and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Crawford.

WEBSTER

By DOROTHY N. ROBERTSON

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Robertson were accompanied to Perryton Sunday afternoon by Bonnie Jean Robertson, L. M. Wiginton and Mrs. Dulah Wiginton. They returned Sunday afternoon.

Johnnie Sue Byars spent the latter part of last week visiting her brother Lloyd Byars and family at Memphis.

Nell Cochrane of Lakeview was a overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Durham Friday night.

Maxine Wansley of Amarillo has come to spend the summer visiting with Jean Crozier.

Gilbert Srygley of Memphis spent last week visiting here with Oleta Moore.

Mrs. Allen Henry was an afternoon guest of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Martin, near Hedley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wheeler and daughter Wylene of Plainview visited relatives and friends here Sunday. Billy Clyde Robertson returned home with them for a few days' visit.

G. E. Srygley and children, Jack and Ralph, of near Memphis visited his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Moore and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Williams

and daughters, Mary Helen and Dot, and granddaughter Anona Juan of Littlefield and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Sherley of Lakeview were visitors in the C. W. Martin home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Ioor of Lakeview spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Crozier and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cap Byars and family of Groom visited relatives here Sunday.

Has Birthday Dinner
"Aunt Beattie" McMurry was honored on her seventy-eighth birthday Sunday with a surprise birthday dinner. Those present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Byars and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Henry and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paulie Robertson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Scoggins, Mr. and Mrs.

Lawrence Durham and son, Mrs. C. L. Ellis and sons, Mrs. Dulah Wiginton and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Robertson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Moore and daughters, Mrs. C. M. Wheeler and daughters.

Mrs. A. E. Ranson Jr. and daughter, Charlie Robertson and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Durham, Mrs. John Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cochrane and daughter, W. C. Wolfe and daughters, Mrs. Morris Robertson and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Kennard, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Nash, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brock and son, Kathrine, Paul, Jimmie Lee and Claude McMurry, Lockie Williams, Leo Wiley, Weldon Robertson, Minnie and Imogene Martin, Delbert Butler, Charlene Davis, Joyce Elaine Byars, and the honoree, Mrs. McMurry.



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Mrs. Ralph Barnett, Virginia of the last week-end here niece and cousin, Compton.

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Following is a list, in part, of new and renewal subscriptions to The Democrat which have been paid in recent weeks:

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WINS TOURIST APPROVAL— Camp Alhambra, located on north 10th Street is a popular local tourist camp. Since changing to Conoco products recently, owner C. C. Hodges reports consistent sales gains, and the camp recently received nationwide publicity in the Conoco trade magazine, The Red Triangle, when the photo above was published. In the group left to right, are George R. Cullin, local wholesaler, C. C. Hodges, owner and his grandson Gerry, and M. R. Webster, milage merchant.

LAKEVIEW

By MRS. JACK ALLEN

Those visiting Tuesday afternoon in the C. Dunn home were Mrs. J. P. Dunn of Pampa, Mrs. Luther Byars and family, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Ritter and family of Pampa, Andy Dunn of Groom, Leroy Jones, Mrs. Guy Oliver and children of Plaska, Mrs. J. W. Martin of Plaska, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Dunn of Plaska and H. W. Blanks of Lakeview.

Mr. and Mrs. George Payne and son Donald have gone to Frost to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Moore.

Oleta Stephens, Eva Johnson, Nelda Ward, Mrs. Tom Johnson, and Mrs. Fred Jackson went to McLean Friday to visit Mrs. Johnson's son Truett Johnson.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Berry Stevens Sunday were Mrs. Ina Boren, Mrs. Jack Allen, Mrs. C. B. Lively of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Martin, and Bobbie Nell Boren of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee Williams of Clarendon visited Friday with Mrs. William's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Scott and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Gipson have gone to Canyon where Mr. Gipson will attend summer school. Kenneth Bownds has been quite

ill with an infected throat but is reported to be improving.

Cap Smith, Morris Williams, Tom Isham and Elmer Moore were Amarillo visitors Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Middleton have moved to their new home in west Lakeview.

Mrs. Dewey Martin and Mrs. Jack Allen visited Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. John Capps.

Mrs. B. F. Cope who is in Hot Springs, N. M., for her health is reported to be improving.

A vacation Bible school will begin June 12 and last through June 22. Everyone is invited to attend. The school will be held at the Methodist Church.

Mrs. Prichard has returned from a several week's visit with relatives in Oklahoma.

Mrs. C. B. Lively and son Don of Lubbock visited Saturday and Sunday with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Wilks of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Montgomery Sunday.

Mrs. John D. Reed visited from Wednesday until Friday in Wilson, Okla., with Mrs. Reed's daughter, Mrs. Eual Lawson and family. They also attended the opening at Lake Murray.

Mrs. W. J. Butler, Mrs. John D. Reed, Mrs. R. E. Jones and Mrs. Paul Jones were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Durrett Monday.

Mrs. Jim Stanley entertained with a buffet supper and ice cream social Monday night. The guests of honor were Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Blanks of Hedley who married Sunday night. Others enjoying the merry-making were Josephine Blanks, Zelpha Fagan, Maxine Mitchell and Joe Blanks.

Don Lively, Better Pearl Bowerman, Olton Pate and Maxine Mitchell were Memphis visitors Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. W. M. Cofer and family of Deep Lake visited her sisters, Mrs. Dewey Martin and Mrs. Jack Allen, Friday.

LIBERTY

By MRS. W. F. HODNETT

Rev. Todd filled his regular appointment at Liberty Church Sunday and Sunday night.

Mrs. John Spencer of Pampa visited her mother, Mrs. A. W. Mosley, here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Hancock entertained the young people of the community at a party Friday night. Fifty youngsters were present, and enjoyed games and accordion music by Mrs. Joe Bownds.

Geraldine Jones of Memphis visited Frances and Lucile Hancock Sunday.

Marie Hodnett and A. C. Hodnett spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Wines and family.

Jack Crabb and Sylvester and Don Huggins of Amarillo visited with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Huggins, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oil Hancock and family visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, of Lodge Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Mitchell and daughter, Lola Eunice, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Scott Hancock.

Mrs. Troy Dunn and daughter spent last week with her father and mother at Weatherly.

J. Hale of Dalhart is visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bownds.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Rice were hosts at a family reunion Sunday. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Slim Henderson, Mr. and Mrs.

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PERSONALS

MISS DOROTHY ROBERTS of Fort Worth, who has been visiting Mrs. Carlton McAbee for the past two weeks, returned home Sunday. Mrs. McAbee returned home with her for a two-week visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor of Caldwell are here visiting relatives this week.

Mrs. Joe C. Webster and Mrs. Joel Ziegler and daughters of Shamrock left here Sunday for Fort Worth to visit their son and brother, Lon Webster and family.

Marie Williamson and Billy Blackwell spent the week-end in Amarillo with Marie's mother, Mrs. Black.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Harrison, Mrs. Candler Hawkins and Wendell Harrison spent Sunday in Hollis as guests of the Keys quadruplets.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Ayers and children and Marie Rasco were Amarillo visitors Friday.

Mrs. Margie Warrick and son Clifton went to Wellington Thursday to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Morrison had for their guests the past week Mr. and Mrs. Lester Day and children of Amarillo, Mrs. William Curtis and baby of Amarillo, Mrs. Morgan Dennis of Dimmitt and Mrs. Bob Adams of Nebraska who was en route to California.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Vandeventer visited in the Clarence Ragen home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tyler were business visitors in Memphis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Grant spent Sunday in Plaska with his parents.

Audrin Allison and Miss Frankie Turnage of Santa Maria, Calif., were married June 2. Mr. Allison lived here all his life until recently. He is now employed with the Chevrolet Motor Co. at Santa Maria.

Dr. and Mrs. C. Z. Stidham and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cummings spent Monday and Tuesday in Wichita Falls.

Ted Combost of Dallas is visiting here in the home of his brother Nelson Combost and wife.

Mrs. S. T. Harrison and son Wendell and grandson Candler Morton Hawkins went to Paducah Tuesday.

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Sunday morning the pastor will bring a message, "Jeremiah's Visit to the Potter" using Jeremiah 18:1-6 as the scriptural background. We believe that there are some splendid messages in this story and ought to prove helpful. Sunday evening will be special Young People's Night in our church and the pastor will bring a message appropriate for the occasion.

There were splendid crowds in our services on last Sunday with 4 additions to the church. We trust that when you have company come in for the week-end that you will bring them to the services with you. There is always room in the Sunday school and B. T. U. for others. We hope all will work together to keep away "old man summer slump."

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

It is indeed an inspiration to have a mother and seven daughters attend church service and occupy a pew together as was the case last Sunday, when Mrs. Rasco and her seven daughters attended the morning service. We hope this will be repeated a number of times.

The Guild meeting Monday night was fine in the home of Mrs. Courtney Denny. Also Monday evening was a splendid hour with the Boy Scouts and Donald May and little son.

Splendid music last Sunday morning, and we always look forward to this feature of the service.

We miss Brother Carter and his lovely family very much.

Visitors and friends extended a most cordial invitation to all services next Sunday. Come to worship in prayer and in holy reverence to God's house.

E. C. Cargill, Pastor.

Locals and Personals

Miss Mary Helen Lindsey is visiting this week in Childress in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davenport.

Mrs. David Davenport and daughters of Lakeview were here Monday.

Garland Solomon, Anita Meacham, Betty Jonsson and Dorothy Nell Evans went to Abilene Monday to attend the Young People's Assembly of the Northwest Texas Conference. They will return Friday with Rev. O. W. Carter who is to be platform speaker there Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cummings of Santa Anna, Calif., visited in the home of his sister, Dr. and Mrs. C. Z. Stidham, this week.

ESTELLINE

By MRS. FRED BERRY

Miss Marjetta Ewing and Clyde Wilkerson were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Swain Young in Childress this week.

H. R. Gowan is visiting his mother, Mrs. Tom Copeland.

Mrs. Carl Jones visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cobb, last week-end.

Mrs. Buri Bell and children visited in Rule with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Clarence Hownds, during the first of the week.

Dorothy Jean Power is visiting her aunt in Yukon, Okla.

J. W. Coppage is home with his mother, Mrs. Bess Coppage, after attending school at SMU in Dallas this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Eddins took their daughter, Betty Jo, to Lubbock Sunday. She will enter Texas Tech for the summer term.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Simpson of Vernon visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Rigsby Sunday.

Miss Mozelle Billingsley left for Canyon Sunday to enter college at WTSC for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Steed and Mr. and Mrs. S. Young of Childress spent the day in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Young.

Miss Marjetta Ewing is home for the summer after attending college in Denton.

Clyde Wilkerson of Laredo is visiting in the Grover Ewing home.

Miss Izetta Richburg left for Fort Worth to visit her sister, Mrs. H. Dolson.

Miss Annie Laura Anderson is visiting her aunt at Happy this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Berry announce the marriage of their son, Clifton Berry, of Eunice, La., to Miss Lucille Griffin of Eldorado, Ark., on Saturday, June 2. They are now living at Eunice where Clifton is employed by the research department of the Gulf Oil Company.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends who were so kind and thoughtful in the illness and death of our loved one, Mrs. H. M. White. Your words of consolation, acts of kindness, and floral offerings have made our sorrow easier to bear. May God's richest blessings be on each and every one of you.

H. M. White.
C. A. White and Family.
J. E. White and Family.
J. C. White and Family.
Velma Robinson and Leon.
Belle Barrett.
Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Bailey.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Denny visited in the home of his mother Mrs. B. F. Denny here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Gardner and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Roberts were visitors in Childress Monday evening.

R. T. McElreath, while renewing his Memphis Democrat subscription Friday, said, "My crops are up and doing fine. This is my 49th crop in Hall County."

Mrs. Tim Paulsel and little son, who had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Thornton, several weeks, returned to their home in Fort Worth last Friday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Lon Montgomery and daughter, Mrs. Montgomery will attend the summer term of the NTSTC at Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Weltcher of Parnell were Memphis visitors Monday.

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The Keys quadruplets, Mona, Leota, Mary and Roberta of Oklahoma City spent Tuesday here as guests of Mrs. Candler Hawkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cobb of Vernon and S. W. Smith and daughter Gladys of Chillicothe spent Sunday here in the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Fitzjarrald.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Smith and children of Shamrock were here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Garold Kunkler and Billy Rule spent the week-end in Celina with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Wilson. Jack Wilson returned with them for a visit with his sister, Mrs. Kunkler and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Lemons and Mrs. Landrum Stanford spent Saturday in Amarillo.

Dr. and Mrs. W. Fitzjarrald of Hollis were guests Sunday in the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Fitzjarrald.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ross went to Amarillo Tuesday to visit in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Benton King and husband.

Mrs. Loveless Holland of Hedley is visiting this week in the home of Mrs. W. R. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Foster and children of Canyon visited her sisters, Mrs. Don Wright and family of Lakeview and Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard and family this week.

Miss Frances Anne Beck of Hamlin is visiting in the S. T. Hamlin home here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Madden, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sexauer and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wells attended a family picnic and barbecue at the Amarillo Club in the Palo Duro Canyon last Sunday.

George S. Cope went to Stovall Tuesday for a few days.

Bill Jo Boren, student at T. C. U., returned home Tuesday for a few days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Boren, before returning to Fort Worth to attend summer school.

Russell Shriver of Haskell is here visiting his uncle, J. A. Shriver and wife.

Guthrie Bennett went to Amarillo Wednesday.

FRIENDSHIP

By MRS. C. L. PADGETT

Rev. Sargent preached his last sermon here Sunday morning and night. He has been transferred to a circuit near McLean. Rev. Frank Story will fill his place here.

Miss Cloma Lee Evans left for her home in Fort Worth Wednesday. Her mother came for her.

Mrs. Fred Butler was a visitor in Memphis Tuesday.

Mrs. Alvin Fyeatt and daughters, Della Jo and Frances Jean, left Sunday to visit several days in Cameron.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bruce and children were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Padgett and family Saturday night.

Rev. Sargent and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Smith Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Butler Stewart and sons were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hill Wells Jr. and children Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Neeley were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bruce Friday night.

Mrs. Bessie Archer of Amarillo, W. M. Padgett, Mrs. Lillie Martin of Plaska and C. L. Padgett left Wednesday for Levelland to be at the bedside of their granddaughter and niece, Mrs. Quitman Box, who is very ill.

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Rev. and Mrs. O. W. Weldon spent Sunday with Rev. Carter, H. W. Carter, who left Sunday to visit several days in Cameron.
Mrs. Dick Watson of Childress, Judge M. O. G. business.
Mrs. J. E. Warrick and Lawrence Warrick were in Memphis Tuesday.

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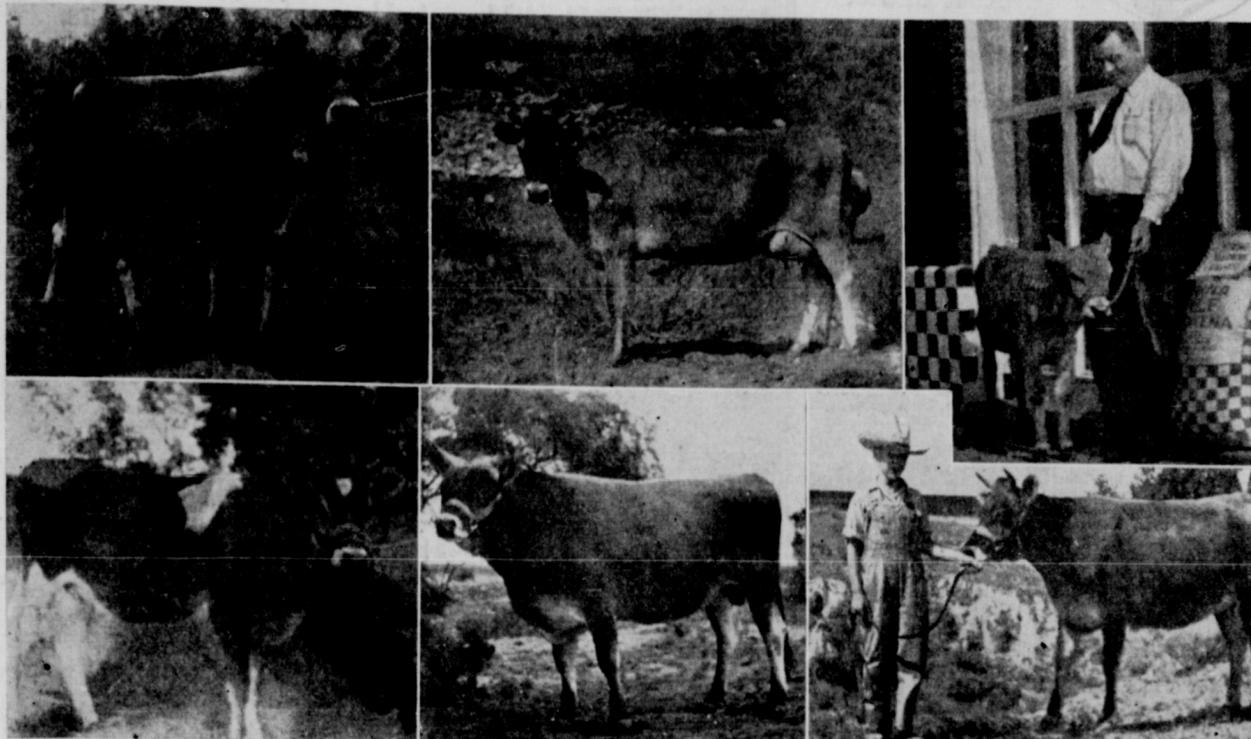



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A Page for the MODERN FARMER

Farm News Features and Pictures



JERSEYS ON PARADE:— Top left is a young registered Jersey bull owned by C. A. Williams; Top center, registered Jersey heifer raised by Charles Williams Jr.; and top right, T. D. Weatherby, local feed dealer, shows his prize Jersey calf. Bottom left is a registered Jersey heifer on the T. K. Wilton farm; bottom center is the fine registered Jersey bull owned by J. R. Mitchell; and bottom right, G. W. Lockhart, 4-H Club boy, shows his registered Jersey calf.

Wallace Advocates Export Subsidy to Regain Markets

Loss of World Markets on American Cotton Rouse Discussion at Meeting

Secretary Wallace's widely-discussed Arkansas speech on the proposed cotton export subsidy, when summed up and stripped of its trimmings, meant that an export subsidy would be the cheapest way to stimulate foreign demand for American cotton without knocking the props from under the cotton farmers' income.

At least that is how George Slaughter, chairman of the Texas Agricultural Conservation Committee, interpreted the Secretary's remarks.

One of 18 Texas Agricultural leaders who attended the Little Rock conference at which Wallace spoke, Slaughter said cotton farmers cannot afford to give up the commodity loan program which has kept the bottom from falling out of cotton prices, but that the loan has "put the skids under our export trade" by pegging the price of American lint slightly above the world level.

If it were not for the government loan, cotton which has been selling for around 8 cents this year probably would have dropped to 6 cents, Slaughter surmised, adding that the foreign-grown staple consequently has undersold Uncle Sams product by about 2 cents.

"We can't stand to give up the loan," he said. "We must uphold the price so far as practical at which the farmer sells his cotton, and continue to get maximum returns from the domestic market. But we must let foreign buyers have our cotton for the same price that our competitors quote, or we will continue to lose export markets."

A gull can soar as slow as 12 miles per hour.

Japan proper contains five main islands and some 600 smaller islands.

Soil Conservation, Farm Security and Rural Electrification. Back of these are chambers of commerce, business men and bankers of the state. They are interested because development of dairying in Texas means better rural homes, fewer debts, bigger bank accounts and a thoroughly balanced agricultural program for the state.

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To Demonstrate Cattle Dipping

A demonstration showing the killing of lice with wettable sulphur and cubae will be given on the D. H. Davenport ranch soon, according to County Agent W. B. Hooser. Date for the demonstration has not been set definitely.

The demonstration is being staged through cooperation of the Texas Gulf Sulphur Company. Some 160 head of cattle will be dipped at the ranch, Hooser said.

Probably no industry in Texas has developed more rapidly in recent years than dairying. Prior to 1920 there was relatively little milk production in this state and most of the dairy products were ice cream and butter. During the lapsing 19 years this industry has become one of the foremost in the state, producing all types of dairy products.

Calf Has Unusual Growth On Patent Weatherby's Feed

Average Gain of Fourteen Pounds Per Week Is Noted By Local Feed Concern

Unusual growth over a four weeks' period has been noted at Weatherby's Feed and Storage this week in a calf that Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Weatherby have been feeding on Purina patented feeds, and keeping a record of weights. According to Mr. Weatherby the calf was started on this feed at 10 weeks old and weighed 146 pounds. The calf is now 14 weeks old and weighs 201 pounds, a total weight gain of 55 pounds or an average of 14 pounds per week. It has been carefully fed by Owen Pyeat, feed expert.

This calf is on display at the Weatherby Feed and Storage company on West Main street and both Mr. and Mrs. Weatherby invite the public to see it. A complete story of the calf's growth and its record can be found in an advertisement appearing on this page, along with pictures of when the calf was first started and at the present time.

H. D. Agents Will Place Emphasis On Education

Extension Workers Plan Teaching Movement for Texas Farm Families

Emphasis on education rather than on training will feature the efforts of home demonstration workers in the future. This is the theme of an article entitled "An Appraisal and a Prophecy," prepared for the national Extension Service Review by Mildred Horton, state home demonstration agent and vice director of the Texas A. and M. or we will continue to lose export. There is a vast distinction between training and education, Miss Horton points out. Education involves the effort to understand, to comprehend, to develop ideas, interests, and aspirations. Training is a means, education is an end in itself.

Dairying In Texas Far Behind Other Agriculture

Program of Development For State's Neglected Industry Is Planned

By JOHN M. HENDRIX

Texas Dairy Products Association. On all its fronts with one exception, Texas agriculture has advanced steadily toward a balanced program. Range cattle have been improved until they are standard throughout the nation. The feeding and fattening of these on home grown feeds has been profitably established. Production of wool and mohair in the Edwards Plateau area has been improved and increased until the state leads in the production of wool and produces 85 per cent of the mohair supply of the nation. Wheat second to none in grade and quality comes by the millions of bushels each year from the High Plains area of the state.

By long years of seed breeding and improvement Texas cotton has been kept highly salable in the marts of the world. Fruits and vegetables in the Valley have been improved and standardized until their quality is unequalled. Likewise Texas turkeys and pecans have set a national standard. These improvements, standardizations and resulting profits to the state were the result of long and intensive campaigns to which Texas agricultural, manufacturing and business leaders have given freely of their time and means.

The Dairy Industry is the neglected frontier of Texas agriculture. Just why no one seems to know, for climatic conditions, ability to produce cheap seasonal feeds, marketing conditions, and demand offer greater opportunity than those of other agricultural phases already developed.

To the leaders of the state there has recently come a realization of this dereliction. They are thoroughly organized and already forces are being marshaled to bring Texas dairying from its ragged 42nd position in production per cow in the nation's dairy picture to a place somewhere near that enjoyed by other Texas agricultural resources. They have formulated a program easy and possible of accomplishment which has for its basis the farm dairy herd. It contemplates no junking of already producing cows but a steady improvement of herds by the introduction of better sires, such as the Texas longhorn was transformed into the highly merchantable beef animal of today.

The use of trench silos will be thoroughly stressed as well as care of products and orderly marketing. Firmly back of the leaders in the movement is as imposing an army of trained workers as was ever marshaled for a cause—county agents, home demonstration agents and vocational agriculture teachers of the state. These are augmented by the field men of all branches of governmental agencies doing work related to agricultural development.

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Breed: Registered Jersey Bull
Age When Started: 10 weeks
Date When Started: 4-28-39.
Feed: Purina Calf Startena.

Age	Weight	Gain
10 wks.	146	—
11 wks.	149	3
12 wks.	173	24
13 wks.	186	13
14 wks.	201	15
Total Gain		55

On April 28 we started feeding a 10 weeks old registered bull on PURINA CALF STARTENA. On this date the calf weighed 146 pounds. During the four weeks that we have been feeding this calf on PURINA CALF STARTENA it has shown a weight increase of 55 pounds or approximately 14 pounds increase each week. Picture above is the calf when we started feeding him. At the top of this page is another picture of the calf made a few days ago weighing 201 pounds. You can see the difference for yourself. What PURINA CALF STARTENA did for this calf can be done for yours. We are proud to show you this record and invite you to visit our store and see the calf for yourself on display at all times. You will be convinced that PURINA FEEDS are the very feedstuffs you have been looking for for your own stock.

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Road Bill Passed by Senate

The Texas Senate late Wednesday passed the County Road Bond Assumption Bill, the measure which has been a bone of contention throughout the present session. The bill, which provides for state assumption of counties' bonded indebtedness on highways which have been given state designation since 1932, was passed with minor amendments and sent to a joint Senate-House conference for final revision.

Final passage of the bill will mean a saving of half a million dollars to Precincts 1 and 2 in Hall County, and will allow for a definite reduction in taxes.

James E. King, president of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce, who has been in Austin all this week in the interests of the bill, informed Carroll Smyers, secretary of the local C-C, of the Senate's acceptance in a telephone conversation early Thursday morning. Passage of the road-bond bill has been one of the main objectives of the chamber of commerce this year. King and County Judge M. O. Goodpasture went to Austin Monday.

Mrs. Jennie Saunders is visiting her nephew John Pruett in Wellington this week.

New Fiction, biographies, etc. You'll enjoy reading during the summer months. Rental Library, daily rates 5c. Mrs. Gayle Greene, 1217 1-2 Montgomery.

Special Notice

It has come to our attention that there are persons violating the rules of Brookhollow Club. Persons who are not members and who have no paid privileges. These people usurp property of others, such as boats, without consent of the owners, and otherwise trespass.

This practice must cease. The lake and property belong to people who pay for the privileges for the enjoyment of themselves and families. Outsiders, who violate rules and use what does not belong to them are trespassers and will be dealt with accordingly. BROOKHOLLOW CLUB.



Troop News from the Donley-Hall Scout District

Troop 33 went on a picnic last Thursday night at the Broome Park. A game of "passball" was played by those in attendance. Four new boys, J. R. Mitchell, Calvin Wileford, Harold Smith and Charles Williams were invited guests at the picnic and candidates for membership in the troop. Gayle Greene, a committeeman for the troop was also a guest at the picnic.

H. B. Hill Jr., assistant scoutmaster, is in charge of the troop 33 activities during the summer months in the absence of the scoutmaster, Frank Hubbell, who is vacationing in South Texas.

Troop 34, meeting Monday night at 7:45 at the Presbyterian Church, engaged in Second Class requirement tests following the regular meeting in the church basement. Larry Grundy, Ted Swift, J. O. Gibson, George Dean Morgensen, Jim Deaver, J. D. Watson, Luke Browning and Teddy Jim Austin passed the scout's pace requirement of the Second Class work. Following this test several members of the troop passed their knife and hatchet requirements.

The passing of these tests complete the Second Class work for Larry Grundy and Dean Morgensen who are eligible to receive their Second Class rating on June 10, such date representing one month's service as tenderfoot scouts.

Larry Grundy and Jim Deaver are making plans to attend the second week's session of Camp Ki-o-Wa near Canadian.

Troop 34 is making plans to issue a multigraphed paper with J. O. Gibson as editor, Dean Morgensen, Larry Grundy and Jim Deaver as the printers.

W. C. Davis, district chairman of the scout activities in the Donley-Hall District recently made the following statement concerning the troops in his jurisdiction: "The recent organization of local Boy Scouts can do much to help overcome the rapid increase in the destruction of public and private property. Close to twenty dollars worth of window panes have been broken in the new gymnasium and school buildings since school has been dismissed."

"Do a good turn daily, scouts, and help the citizens put an end to this wave of property destruction; not only will you be doing the citizens a favor, but you will be living up to the Boy Scout oath and making yourself worthy to be a scout. "If you see a person thoughtlessly or wilfully destroying or defacing property, talk to him and make him realize the great harm he is doing to himself and to others by his actions. We will be able to stamp out the greater part of the unlawful practice if you scouts will answer the call to do your good turn daily by helping us save property from destruction."

May Traffic Death Toll Drops Far Below Same Month One Year Ago

Incomplete statistics indicated today that May's traffic toll will be well under the total of 127 lives lost on streets and highways during May a year ago.

From highway patrol reports and newspaper stories, state police counted 96 dead in May traffic. The figure is likely to be increased, however, by reports from outlying parts of districts.

Of the 96 reported fatalities, 26 were pedestrian dead, 35 were car, truck or motorcycle operators and 35 were passengers.

As usual, tragedy was often of freakish nature, the reports disclosed.

Jack Heathington, 44-year-old Pampa laborer, became a traffic victim when he fell from the roof of a house. Heathington was atop the roof of the house, which was being transported by truck, when he shifted to the porch roof. The roof collapsed, plunging the man under the truck wheels.

In San Angelo, 7-year-old Philip Acosta was flying a kite, backing up the street as he did so. To get out of the way of a car, he first started toward the center of the street, then changed his mind and ran for the curb. Confused, the driver was unable to avoid striking the child, who died of a fractured skull.

Mrs. W. K. Fudge of Houston was fatally injured on the sidewalk when an automobile collided with a switch engine and then, out of control, hurtled onto the passing pedestrian.

Trying to avoid two trucks W. M. Bounds, 75, of Fort Worth ran into the front of a bus and was knocked 30 feet, a fatality report showed. Bounds had parked his own truck, crossed the highway to talk to a man on a tractor and was re-crossing the highway when the accident occurred.

Scene of the accident was near Forney.

Homer Ray Pruitt, 9, of Electra was on his way home, happy that school was out and proud of the report card he carried in his hand. A passenger train struck him as he stepped onto the track. His report card was found near the body.

Reynaldo Aguirre, 25, of Kingsville was killed in a head-on collision between a car and an oil truck near Beeville early one morning, and two others were injured. Aguirre was returning from Yorktown, where he and his sweetheart had planned their wedding for the following Sunday.

Marriage Licenses

MONTH OF APRIL

Marvin T. Houston and Ruby Jo Huse, April 5; Gary Barnhill and Ruth Nell Williams, April 5; Elvan Lee Copeland and Shirley Morgan, April 8; Marlin A. Groom and Lola Mae Durham, April 14; O. T. Hook and Katherine Wooley, April 24; Ralph Maxey and Anne Pierce, April 25; Archie Groom Woods and Imogene Gwendolyn Brown, April 7; L. A. Orrell and Johnnie Hugh Stinson, April 15; Lee Royce Collins and Lorine Lacy, April 29; Henry Houdashell and Anna Mae McLaughlin, April 27; Clovis W. Jones and Annie Sittie, April 22.

MONTH OF MAY

Harry G. Brown and Thelma Louise Brewer, May 2; James H. Cooper and Annice Wise, May 3; John D. Tidrow and Edie Mae Land, May 5; John Folley and Mrs. Ada Middleton, May 12; W. J. Carroll and Louise Marie Heathery, May 19; Edd Morton and Hester Lorraine Mash, May 20; Clarence Leftwe and Marie Rich, May 22.

Local Tourists Hold Reunion At San Antonio

A stranger visiting Brackenridge Park in San Antonio on a recent Sunday might have found a bit of the Texas Panhandle transplanted there—and not by a "duster," either, though the famous Panhandle dustbowl is reputed to have blown that far at times.

A group of Hall County people, and former Hall Countians, gathered in scenic Brackenridge on Sunday, May 28, for a picnic dinner. Misses Edna Bryan and Emily Smith with their touring seventh grade students from Eli school formed the center of the group. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryan and children, Billy Frank and Carol; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Cummings and son, Robert, of Medina Valley; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gallo and children of Medina Valley; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. White and children of Medina Valley; Mr. and Mrs. Roy McQueen of Corpus Christi, and Miss Sue Page of Corpus Christi.

After lunch, the group was joined by Mr. and Mrs. Scott Sigler and children, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Cheves, Mack Jones, Miss Rebecca McCanne, and the seventh graders from Newlin school. A Hall County reunion was held on the spot.

Mrs. M. Morris Is Hostess to Club

The Gammage Needle Club met in regular session at the home of Mrs. Mode Morris Thursday afternoon of last week. The afternoon was spent in needlework and conversation.

Refreshments of lemonade and cookies and sandwiches were served to 21 members and four guests.

The next meeting will be on June 15 at the home of Mrs. Marvin Webster.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Gillespie of Reno, Nev., are spending this week with her aunt, Mrs. Glen Carlos, and grandmother, Mrs. W. T. Clifton.

Newt Jones and daughter, Mrs. W. C. Young, of Archer City and Mr. and Mrs. John Singleton of Vann visited Mr. Jones' sister, Mrs. C. E. Anthony, here Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Letha Miller of Weimar, Calif., is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Glen Carlos.

SOCIETY

Methodist W.M.S. Meets in Home of Mrs. H. Newman

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church met Monday in the home of Mrs. Henry Newman, with Mrs. Bessie Crump, Mrs. George Hammond and Mrs. C. W. Broome as co-hostesses for a social meeting.

Mrs. S. L. Seago gave an interesting book review on "Why Not Try God?" by Mary Pickford. A lovely ice course was served to Mesdames D. L. Johnson, Louie Goffinet, E. N. Hudgins, W. E. Johnson, Ben DeBerry, T. R. Franks, T. J. Hampton, A. C. Hoffman, John Lofland, S. L. Seago, C. W. Broome, Bessie Crump, Sam Brown, Bessie Crump, W. C. Dickey, George Hammond, C. R. Webster, Claude Prather, and Mrs. E. B. Luce of Plainview.

Members of O. E. S. Attend Meeting At Clarendon

Several members of the local chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star attended an OES instruction school at Clarendon Wednesday. Sister Mildred Harris, worthy grand matron of the Grand Chapter of Texas, was present.

More than 100 members from chapters in district 2 attended the session. Local members attending were Mesdames C. R. Webster, Mary Youngblood, Lola DuVall, Lloyd Phillips, Pearl Davenport, Eunice Slover, J. N. Cyfert, J. J. Hampton, and Mattie Lou Davenport.

J. B. McAbee left Wednesday of last week for Denver where he is visiting relatives.

L. B. McAbee and sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Riondet of Denver left Wednesday for Paris and other East Texas points for a visit. Mrs. Riondet will return here to visit her sister, Mrs. M. H. Braddock, before returning home.

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Bridal Shower is Given for Mrs. Odell Rawls

A bridal shower was given Tuesday afternoon honoring Mrs. Odell Rawls, who before her recent marriage was Miss Dora L. Harper, by Mrs. O. D. Phillips and daughter, Honoria.

After the gifts were admired by all, lemonade and cake were served. Those present or sending gifts were:

Mesdames C. R. Woodson, Cloyd Foreman, Roy Widener, Roy Francis, W. A. Spruill, Lloyd Widener, Leo Collins, Claude Fowler, S. H. Wills, Louis Richards, J. C. Spruill, C. E. McCauley, Edadel McCauley, and Misses Faye Jones, Jessie Fay Collins, Everene Wills, Mildred Richards, Jennie Belle Harper, Jerry Francis, Dorothy Francis, and the honoree and hostesses.

Mrs. Lloyd Phillips, Mrs. C. R. Webster, Mrs. J. W. Slover, Mrs. T. J. Hampton, Mrs. J. N. Cyfert, Mrs. H. J. Duvall, Mrs. W. H. Youngblood, Mrs. D. H. Davenport, and Mrs. Lyman Davenport of Lakeview, attended an Eastern Star meeting in Clarendon Wednesday.

Needlecraft Club Meets Tuesday At Curtis Home

The Needlecraft Club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Curtis. The afternoon was spent piecing quilts and conversation. The next meeting will be June 20 in the home of J. M. Ferrel.

A delicious salad served to Mesdames Edman, Lorene Curtis, Edmond, Marguerite Phillips, Mae Wolfe, Effie Clara Pritchett, Bessie Wattenbarger, and others.

Bryan Reynolds and Lindsey went to Lakeview fishing trip Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Webster Wednesday night where Mr. Phillips' medical attention.

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Second Place
Contest Meet

of the Memphis vol- Department's crack carried off second place drill contests at the men's Association in late Wednesday, and aiming to a hope for

of Alvin Massey wired information in a crypted telegram Wednesday stating that the local offering a protest for and had clinched runs. No further information available.

and members of the drill Sunday night for to attend the annual Representatives of dents from all sections are expected to enter side competition. Tension opened Tuesday for the annual session, and the local's crack drill team was the state-wide contests. The team has won several full competition at the handle Firemen's Association planned to make a for state honors at this week.

up the team were Massey, V. Coursey, Leslie Ward, Cecil Grimes and Pope Hall.

Election Officers Held

Sonic Lodge

Meets June 5; Arch Chapter Has June 12th

of the Memphis Ma meeting in regular Friday evening, June 1st Masonic Temple, held election of officer report was named Webster, succeeding D. I.

Baker was elected Secretary, Glin Cooper, Junior Guthrie, treasurer, secretary; and I. Stringer was appointed. Tuesday, June 2nd as the date for its officers.

Friday evening, the Royal of the local Mason and elected chapter of H. D. Stringer was excellent King, A. S. Scribe, J. M. F. of the Hosts, R. F. principal Sojourner, V. Royal Arch Captain, V. Master Third Val B. A. Bayne Master, E. A. Thomas w. stinel.

LAUDE'S

Comments

By J. C. W.

who have loved on Fairview Cemetery t and shrubs on t. In the early sprit the shrubs and pla and soon the shrubs start growing. Even early for a time, but will come on, and will be on page 12)

Palace

THURSDAY LAST DAY
Merle Oberon in
"Wuthering Heights"

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
Jack Holt in
'The Strange Case of Dr. Meade'

SATURDAY NIGHT
PREVUE, SUNDAY and MONDAY
Bette Davis and Paul Muni in
"Juarez"

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY
Gracie Allen in
"Gracie Allen Murder Case"

Ritz

THURSDAY LAST DAY
Kay Francis and George Brent in
"Secret Service of An Actress"

10c FRIDAY 10c
Charles Ruggles in
"Boy Trouble"

SATURDAY ONLY
Charles Starrett in
"Western Caravans"

SATURDAY NIGHT
PREVUE, SUNDAY and MONDAY
Bob Hope and Una Merkle in
'Some Like It Hot'

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY
Corrine Duchaire in
"Prison Without Bars"

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PURE CALCIUM CARBONATE, for stock, 100 lbs.	\$1.00
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AUTO or TRACTOR OIL, in bulk, gallon	38c
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