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MEMPHIS, HALL COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY AFTERNOON, JULY 3, 1941

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## HALL COUNTY MEN REGISTERED BY LOCAL DRAFT BOARD JULY 1

### Daniel Closes Senate Race With 1,095 Margin



W. LEE O'DANIEL

### New Regime Heads Rotarians' First Meeting Tuesday

### Davis Addresses Group; Prexy-Elect Noel Appoints Committees for New Year

W. C. Davis, superintendent of Memphis schools, was Rotary speaker at the regular weekly luncheon Tuesday, and made a forceful talk, according to the Rotarians, on the subject of Relationship of Schools and National Defense. He gave a comprehensive word picture of world conditions and how Americans will have to face them.

T. E. Noel, new Rotary Club president, announced the appointment of committees for the ensuing year as follows:

Club and community service—Carl Harrison, D. L. C. Kinard, Leon Bullard.

Fellowship and attendance—O. V. Alexander, Carroll Smyers, Mack Wilson.

Membership and classification—Tomie Potts, C. T. Johnson, Allen Dunbar.

Student loan and boys' work—R. S. Greene, Jess Rosenwasser, J. A. Odum.

Rural-Urban service—L. M. (Continued on page 6)

### Farmer Aid Asked In Poison Project At Mix Stations

### WPA Labor Shortage Felt; Poison Now Available; Estelline Open Wednesday

Since June 10 the mortality rate of West Texas' No. 1 pest, the grasshopper, has been raised several points, according to a report of their key executioner, County Agent W. B. Hooser. At the rate of approximately one ton of poison per day applied to the fields and by-ways, the Mexican migratory and the native types of grasshoppers have been killed thru the use of the poison, sodium arsenite, mixed with bran and saw-dust.

This poison has been distributed from three stations, Turkey, Estelline, and Memphis, free of cost.

### Parnell Voters Boost School Tax

Voters of the Parnell Independent School District voted Saturday for a 25 cent increase on the hundred dollar valuation in school taxes.

This increase from 75 cents to \$1.00 was voted upon along with the senatorial election and according to County Clerk Murray Dial, 26 voted for the issue and 3 against.

### Cotton Retailers Urged To Attend Session Wednesday

### Merchants to Discuss Area Benefits of Cotton Stamp Program; R. Moss to Speak

All retailers and their clerks, and wholesalers of American grown and manufactured cotton merchandise are urged to attend an important mass meeting to be held in the courthouse at 8 p. m., Monday, July 9.

R. S. Greene, chairman of the Hall county Cotton Stamp Committee, will preside.

Robert Moss of Dallas will be the principal speaker.

In announcing the meeting, Mr. Greene stated that as far as possible not only merchants but their clerks should attend this important discussion of how merchants may participate in the benefits of the Supplementary Cotton Stamp Program, soon to be launched in this area.

He said that in order to be eligible to accept cotton stamps for redemption from the government, merchants must first complete a "Retailer's Statement" from which will be available and fully explained at the meeting.

Mr. Greene added that \$25,000,000 worth of cotton stamps are available for distribution to cotton farmers during 1941, and any merchants unprepared to accept these stamps in trade in the prescribed manner would be at a distinct disadvantage. "The simplest way for merchants to fully understand the program," said Mr. Greene, "is to attend this meeting." (Continued on page 6)

### Two Women Hurt In Out-of-State Auto Accident

### Condition of Mrs. Holcomb, Mrs. Gilliland Improved; Other Occupants Uninjured

Mrs. Troy Holcomb of Memphis and Mrs. John Gilliland of Lakeview received injuries when the automobile in which they were riding overturned 51 miles east of Albuquerque Thursday afternoon.

En route to California with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Barnett, uninjured occupants of the car, the injured persons were carried into Albuquerque by a passing motor bus where an ambulance took them to St. Joseph's Hospital in that city. (Continued on page 10)

### BETTY JEAN MILAM TO SPONSOR AT CLARENDON

Miss Betty Jean Milam left today to attend the rodeo at Clarendon as sponsor from Memphis on July 3-4. Last month Miss Milam sponsored Memphis at the Floydada Rodeo.

A large delegation from here is expected to attend the Clarendon Rodeo both days.

### New Recreation Features— VARIETY IS SPICE OF RECREATION PROGRAM

By MRS. ROY L. GUTHRIE, Director of Recreation Program

Most enticing feature of the week's recreation program has been the new croquet game which was purchased by the recreation leaders and presented to the center. Almost every hour of the day six participants have been on the court and much skill has been displayed among the younger children. Box hockey, softball, and ping pong, tennis, softball, and many other activities have held their popularity in spite of the warmer weather. The little children are enjoying the new toys in the nursery.

In cooperation with the officials of Civilian Conservation Corps, programs have been arranged at the camp for Sunday mornings and at least one evening during the week. On Sunday morning Rayburn Jones, O. L. Barham, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Guthrie attended the service. Rayburn played the piano; Mr. Barham led in the singing of religious songs, and Mrs. Guthrie talked on the idea of "Where There is No Vision, the People Perish." Mr. Guthrie closed the service with prayer.

On Wednesday evening Mr. Barham and Rayburn assisted the Chaplain in his camp service. The leaders are receiving a great pleasure from these contacts with the ex-service men.

On Tuesday evening the women's softball team played the Lakeview women at Lakeview, where the home team won over the Memphis team with a heavy score. The men's games are attracting interested crowds because of the splendid sportsmanship and skillful playing. The singing on Tuesday evening is in the band house; the square dancing on Thursday night in the gymnasium, the Spanish Club, which meets ordinarily on Friday but will meet Thursday of this week at four o'clock, and the Arts and Crafts Club are attracting adult interest.



FIRST HALL COUNTY TRIPLETS—Buck, Bob, and Dick Sitton, triplet sons of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Sitton of Fort Worth, formerly of Memphis and the first set of triplets born in Hall County. They have been visiting their sister, Mrs. Emmitt Walker of Memphis and their brother, Jack Sitton in Amarillo. Royce Buckley, Robert Carrol, and Richard Lee are ten years old.

### CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ASKS FOR ALL OUT AID IN MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

### FORMER CITIZEN OF ESTELLINE DIES

### T. N. Copeland Dies Sunday At Jacksboro; Interment Is in Fairview Cemetery

Funeral services for Thomas Newton Copeland, 58, who died at his home in Jacksboro Sunday, were held at the First Methodist Church in Estelline Tuesday afternoon. Services were conducted by Rev. O. M. Addison of the O'Donnell First Methodist Church and interment was made in the Fairview Cemetery at Memphis.

Thomas N. Copeland was born in Mulberry, Tenn., in 1898. He came to Texas and settled at Davilla, Williamson County. He was married to Miss Bene Martin (Continued on page 10)

### Mrs. Lizzie West Dies in Oklahoma

Funeral services were held last Friday at Chickasha, Okla., for Mrs. Lizzie West of that city, who died Thursday, June 26.

Known to pioneers as Lizzie Copeland, Mrs. West was a daughter of the late Mrs. F. A. Spencer, first woman resident of Hall County.

Mrs. West had lived in Chickasha for the past 40 years and since 1918 had been active in Oklahoma state politics. She served as postmistress of the Oklahoma legislature during two sessions and at the time of her death was district supervisor of (Continued on page 6)

### W. J. BRAGG CONDUCTS SECOND S. S. A. REGISTRATION TUESDAY

John Sharp and James Faulkner Register Eligibles At Turkey; 50 From Memphis, Lakeview, Brice, Newlin, Plaska, and Parnell Reach Age Limit Since October

### MANY FARMERS OWN DAIRY COWS

### Cattle Statistics Prove Interesting; 619 Owners Plan to Increase Herd

The recent survey of dairy cattle in Hall and adjoining counties, made at the request of the Kraft Cheese Company, reveals some interesting statistics, according to information given to The Democrat.

In Hall County, where the survey was made, approximately 827 farmers reported having dairy cattle. The number of cows listed these to be fresh within four months; bulls, registered and grade (most of these registered), 110.

Six hundred nineteen of the 827 reporting farmers said they would increase their herds if a cheese factory should be located in their territory. The survey reveals that there are 230 silos in the county, and that 227 more will be built.

The survey in Hall County was made by County Agent Hooser and several farmers in each community of the county, who spent a lot of time in getting the data from the individual farmers. This information, coupled with that obtained by various committees who worked in the adjoining counties, showed the cheese company representatives that there are sufficient dairy cows in the area to maintain a cheese factory.

### Food Expenditures Increase Through Stamp Program

### 789 Families Participate in County Program; \$9,295 June Increase Recorded

Expenditures for food in Memphis and Hall County were increased \$9,295.50 during the month of June through the government's food stamp program, it was revealed Monday by Latham White, assistant regional director of the Surplus Marketing Administration for the thirteen Southern States.

This sum represents the amount of blue stamps issued by the Memphis and Hall County stamp program office during the month. In addition, \$11,112 of orange stamps were purchased from the government during the (Continued on page 6)

### Brown McMurry Is Transferred

Brown (Bill) McMurry, office manager for several years with Waples-Platter wholesale house in Memphis, has been transferred to Amarillo where he will work territory out from Amarillo.

"Mr. McMurry has been with the company for several years, and his promotion is a well-deserved one," O. F. Jones, local manager, stated Wednesday.

Mrs. McMurry and son, Stanley, will join Brown within a few days to make their home in Amarillo.

### Clinton Earl Voyles Is Navy Enlistee

According to information received here from the U. S. Naval Recruiting Station in Dallas, Clinton Earl Voyles, teacher in the Memphis Schools, has enlisted in the U. S. Naval Reserve.

Mr. Voyles taught one year in the High School and was principal of the Junior High School

According to the report of W. J. Bragg, chief clerk of the local draft board, 55 eligible men of Hall County registered under the Selective Service Act on July 1 at the local draft board office and at Turkey.

This second registration included those men who had reached the age of 21 since October 16, 1940, the first registration day, and was conducted at the draft board office in Memphis by Mr. Bragg, W. C. Davis, superintendent of Memphis schools, J. M. Ferrel, county tax assessor and collector, H. B. Hill, court reporter, Lee Rushing, and Dorothy Bragg.

In Turkey, the only other registration point, the registration was conducted by John Sharp, member of the draft board and resident of Turkey, and James Faulkner.

Registrants who signed up in the Memphis draft office included: L. G. Bernard, Olden Jordan, Talmage O. Pounds, John Willis Hayes, Olan George Richard, Nathaniel Ball, Horace Clinton Vines, Herman Franklin Cardwell, Clarence Edward Maddox, Ralph Lee Hill, Robert Harold Wheeler, James Doyle Crone, Clarence Graham, Winifred Lee Shafer, Cordell Clifford Bales, Thomas Jefferson Spry, Jr., Robert Lansing Moss, Otho Hayward Richards, Coy Edward Yarbrough, Virgil Clay Greenhouse, William Paul Weatherbee and Homer Wylie Tucker of Memphis; Leon Watson, Beverly Houston Neal, William Robert Scott, William Marsene Holt, Richard Benjamin Lindsey, Harlan Lester Vaughn, Vernon Windie Phillips, Tommy Dois Moreland, and Arthur Lester Borens of Lakeview; William Harmon Shields, Robert Lee Clark, and William Carl Rexrode of Brice; General Pershing Patterson, Quentin Adams, Roy Howard Tarver and Thomas Kenneth Kirkland of Estelline; Vernon Estell Totty of Plaska; James Wilson Weatherly and Carl Edward Thompson of Parnell; James William Alewine, Avery V. Greenroyd, and Robert Vernon Sweet of Newlin; and Harold Boone Hightower, Dallas.

In the July 1 registration at Turkey the following have been placed on the selective service lists: Louis Eugene Yarbrough (Continued on page 10)

### July Ushers in Warmer Weather

Running true to form, the thermometers are soaring daily in anticipation of July 4 celebrations, according to the records of J. J. McMickin, local weather observer. Scattered showers have been recorded with .38 inches of rainfall for the week.

Temperature reports for the week are Thursday, high 67, low 50; Friday, 88-67; Saturday, 92-67; Sunday, 92-65; Monday, 94-67; Tuesday, 92-67; Wednesday, 94-67, Mr. McMickin stated.

Prevailing cloudiness with scattered showers and thunderstorms have been reported by the weather bureaus over West Texas the past few days.

### Miss Betty Ewing On Democrat Staff

Miss Betty Ewing of Leonard arrived last Friday to work in the news and advertising departments of The Democrat.

Miss Ewing graduated from TSCW at Denton this year, majoring in journalism and advertising. She was editor of the TSCW annual "Daedalian" this year, and was also on the advertising staff of the Lasso, the college paper. She has had practical experience on her home paper, The Leonard Graphic.

Highly recommended by her instructors, Miss Ewing comes to The Democrat to try her hand at newspaper journalism, and to make her home in the friendly city of Memphis.



HALL COUNTY'S CLUB REPORTS—WEDDINGS

# Society News

## Former Memphian Celebrates 90th Anniversary

In observance of her ninetieth birthday, Mrs. Elizabeth B. Palmer of 1304 Charles Street, Pampa, was honored Sunday, June 22, with a dinner at her home.

Mrs. Palmer has been a resident of Pampa since November, 1940, when she moved from Memphis, where she had lived since 1915. She was born in Mississippi and after the Civil War, came to Texas as a bride and made her home in Mills County. She recalls having made several wagon trips into the unsettled country of western Texas and she has many vivid memories of the Old South of her childhood.

Attending the celebration were Mrs. Palmer's four daughters, Mrs. Blanche Brewer of Pampa, Mrs. Ora Walsh of Dallas, Mrs. Max Weinberger of Dallas, and Mrs. G. B. Moss of White Deer.

Other relatives present included three sons-in-law, G. B. Moss of White Deer, Col. Max Weinberger of Dallas, and N. H. Witt of Dimmitt; Mrs. Neal Edwards of White Deer, granddaughter; Betty June Witt of Pampa, granddaughter; Buford Moss of Borger, grandson; George Brewer of Pampa, grandson; and Mr. Edwards of White Deer; Nathan Edwards, great grandson; of White Deer.

Others attending were Miss Kitty Francis of Borger, Miss Juanita Campbell of Canadian, Miss Anna Belle Moss of Pampa, and Joseph Crabbe of Dimmitt.

## Picnic Is Given for Visiting Relatives

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lindsey entertained for Mrs. Lindsey's sister, Mrs. N. L. Benson and family, and her mother, Mrs. J. E. Morrow, Friday evening with a picnic at the city park.

A picnic lunch was served to Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Benson and daughter Carol of Corsicana, Mrs. J. E. Morrow of Hollis, Okla., Mary Helen Lindsey, Betty Lindsey, Gene Lindsey, Owen Gilmore, and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lindsey.

## Christian Church to Hold Monthly Supper In Annex Tonight

The Christian Church is having its monthly fellowship supper in the annex of the church tonight.

Lester Rickman, minister of the Christian Church in Plainview, will be guest speaker. Miss Doris Kesterson will play a cornet solo.

Cook vegetables in as little water as possible. Many of the vegetables' important minerals and vitamins are in that cooking water. Save it for soups.

## Sunday School Class Hears B. S. U. Report At Picnic Tuesday

The Elevian Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday, July 1, at the Wilson swimming pool for a swimming party. Members of the class went from there to the City Park for a picnic lunch.

Miss Mary Isabelle Hanvey, who returned last week from Ridgcrest, N. C., where she attended the B. S. U. Retreat, told those present about her trip.

Members present were Misses Mary Isabelle Hanvey, Mildred Baker, Bess Elaine Ayers, Mary Jones, Plina Hill, Nina Ruth Nelson, Peggy Walker, Rebecca Ray Weaver, Owen Gilmore, one guest, Betty Ewing, and the teacher, Mrs. Sam Foxhall.

## Sodalitan Class Gives Patriotic Skit at Meeting

The Sodalitan Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met Friday afternoon, June 27, in the home of Mrs. W. B. Morrison, with Mrs. Bud Godfrey as co-hostess.

The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mrs. W. C. Davis. The devotional was given by Mrs. W. C. Anderson on "Service." Mrs. O. N. Hamilton, president of the class, presided over the business meeting. The class members decided to have a picnic July 29 for members of the class and their families.

The social chairman, Mrs. W. J. Bragg, was in charge of the program. A patriotic skit on George Washington was given by the following: George, Mrs. W. C. Davis; Betsy Ross, Mrs. Bragg; soldiers, Mrs. O. N. Hamilton and Mrs. Emma Baskerville. The skit ended with the class singing the "Star Spangled Banner."

Refreshments were served to fourteen members and one guest.

## N. N. Bridge Club Meets With Martha Thompson June 24

The N. N. Bridge Club met last Wednesday evening in the home of Miss Martha Thompson, with Miss Gerrie Kinard placing high and Miss Ruth Barnes placing low.

Refreshments were served to Miss Dorothy Fultz, Mrs. Billy Thompson, Mrs. Foster Watkins, Miss June Power, Miss Gerrie Kinard, Miss Tommie Noel, Miss Athalee Goffinett, Miss Genevieve Prater, Miss Ruth Barnes, Miss Rebecca Ray Weaver, Mrs. Nelson Combest, and the hostess, Miss Martha Thompson.

## Buy Grapefruit By the Pound?



You may soon be paying so much a pound for grapefruit, according to Horace "Dusty" Rhoads, La Jolla, Calif. He evolved this super-colossal grapefruit, weighing 5 lbs., 9 oz. Eleanor Brawley contrasts the giant size with a regular-size grapefruit.

## Gammage Needle Club Meets Thursday

The Gammage Needle Club met Thursday of last week in the home of Mrs. W. S. Malone. The afternoon was spent quilting.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Dot Webster, E. H. Stanford, Dot Monzingo, L. A. Stilwell, Grover Roden, Jess Daniels, Jess Roden, J. C. Morris, Ed McMurry, Russell Crane, Bill Goffinett, P. Blevins, and Misses Doris Stilwell and Wacile Mason.

## Picnic Is Held At Wayside Park For Young People

Misses Bettye Fultz and Gloria Scott entertained with a "Hobo" picnic last Tuesday night at the Wayside Park.

Each guest arrived in "Hobo" attire and was given a picnic lunch wrapped in red and white napkins and tied on a stick. Games and dancing furnished the entertainment for the evening.

"Hoboes" attending were Miss Muffet Merrell, Jack Drake, Miss Jane Tarver, Temple Deaver, Miss Genevieve McCool, Jim Caviness, Miss Ann Compton, Billy Fred Rasco, Miss Katherine Milam, W. H. Goodnight, Miss June Edmondson, Jim Moore, Miss Gloria Scott, Shelby Martin, Miss Bettye Fultz, Curtis Harrell, and Mrs. L. B. Merrell, and Mrs. Roy R. Fultz.

## W.M.U. Members Meet at Baptist Church Monday

Members of the W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church met Monday afternoon at the church for Bible study.

The opening song was "Praise Him, Praise Him," followed by a prayer by Mrs. W. C. Anderson. Mrs. S. B. Foxhall taught the lesson from the book of Psalms, and closed the meeting with a prayer.

Those attending were Mesdames

## 'Auer' of Fashion



Newest concoction by Mischa Auer, movie madcap, is "Tail-sette," a combination of shorts and full dress suit which displays the gentleman's shapely calves. It's a style that will not become popular—we hope.

Lloyd Phillips, S. B. Foxhall, Murray Dial, Otis Jones, H. B. Gilmore, W. C. Anderson, Glen Carlos, Leon Randolph, George Cullin, and Earl Pritchett.

## Twelve Needle Craft Club Members Meet At McMillan Home

The Needle Craft Club met Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. B. B. McMillan.

The afternoon was spent in doing needlework. Refreshments were served to Mesdames Lloyd Byars, Bess Crump, Earl Pritchett, Henry Newman, T. D. Weatherby, Jerry Wright, Glen Carlos, J. M. Ferrel, Lloyd Phillips, Floyd McElrath, George Hammond, and the hostess.

## Odessa Boyd Weds Clyde Barnett At Las Vegas, Nevada

Miss Odessa Boyd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Boyd of Charleston, became the bride of Clyde Barnett Saturday, June 7, at Las Vegas, Nev.

Mr. Barnett is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Barnett of Lakeview. The bride wore a shadow pink costume with light beige accessories and a pink and white corsage.

The newlyweds have been the recipients of many gifts from friends and were entertained this week at a wedding dinner given at the home of the bride's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnett will make their home in Lompoc, Calif., where the groom is employed with the Johns-Manville Company.

Call 15 For QUALITY JOB PRINTING

## Mrs. J. R. Mitter Is Hostess For Sewing Club

Two quilts were quilted day afternoon when the Sewing Club met at the home of Mrs. J. R. Mitter.

Refreshments of cookies, and punch were served to the following guests: Mesdames C. F. C. L. Nixon, E. W. Solis, Fred Hutcherson, J. E. Moore, L. I. Davis, Ernest M. Moss, Bill Ragsdale, Lockhart, Ira McQueen, Queen, Albert Cardwell, B. Hoover.

Misses Athalee Hanvey, Maxine Longshore, L. I. Davis, and Anna Margaret Mitter were the hostesses, Mrs. J. R. Mitter.

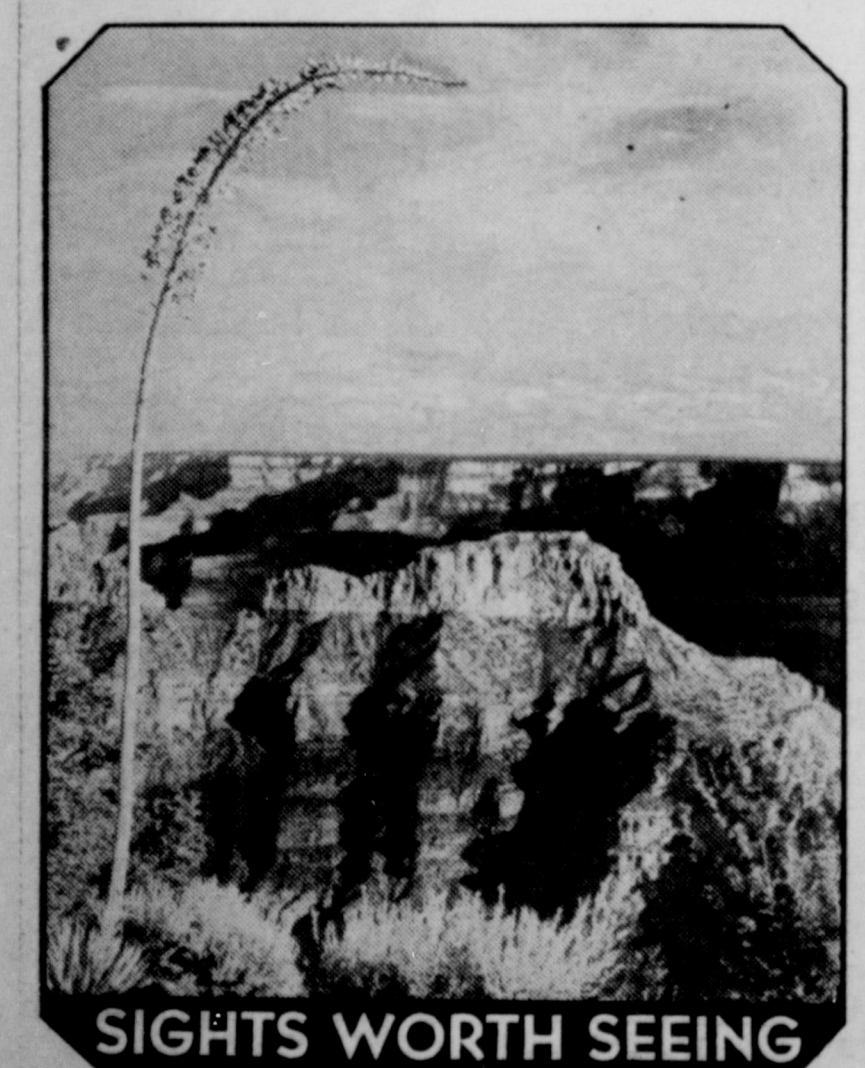
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## Visitors Entertained At Dinner Sunday

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Those present were Mrs. Lyman Davenport, Mrs. Vera Doyle, Mrs. J. G. Kunkler, Mrs. Brewer of Fort Worth, Mrs. Raymond Walker of vine, and Mr. and Mrs. Weatherby.

## Impressive Grand Canyon Draws American Tourists



for thousands of American tourists. Grand Canyon National Park is well worth a visit. Discovered 400 years ago by Don Lopez De Cardenas, of Coronado's expedition, the Grand Canyon is one of the world's greatest natural wonders. Its rocks are millions of years old.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Send your favorite vacation snapshots of sights worth seeing to Winifred Clark, in care of this paper. For every picture used in this feature, we will send you an attractive enlargement of your photograph, free.

### NEW OIL BEATS

five other big-name brands in

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Endures Sizzling Death Valley heat for

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Latest available products of 5 leading competitors bought retail by Referee.

New everyday coupes used. Same make and model. Broken-in alike. Engines taken apart for Referee—to assure uniformity.

Cars tuned alike. Same route for all. Drivers rotated to even up on skill.

One fill per car. Never any added. Engines under lock.

Engines were under lock every mile. Cars were under scrutiny every minute. Never a drop of oil could be added.

#### How this Certified Record can spell new Oil-Savings—new Engine Safety—for You

You get the oil that outlasted 5 other highly reputed brands by 74% to 161% in Certified Competition, when you change to this proved-in-advance new oil named

#### CONOCO N<sup>th</sup> MOTOR OIL

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Your own engine can be fortified by new Conoco N<sup>th</sup> motor oil right today, at Your Mileage Merchant's Conoco station. But before going on sale this new oil proved that a regular 5-quart fill could establish startling extremes of endurance, engine protection and miser-economy.

#### Fantastic Death Valley brings Your Evidence

Death Valley seems to shimmy—like heat at your furnace door. And down on this desert impartial observers watched 6 identical stock cars, at 57-mile speed, torture-testing 6 quality oils, including new Conoco N<sup>th</sup> oil. No let-up, day on day, till each oil gave out and junked its engine.

Even the best competitive oil in the test was outlasted 5,683 miles by Conoco N<sup>th</sup> oil. And one "rival" was outlasted all of 8,268 miles by new Conoco N<sup>th</sup> oil. Certified.

#### All this New Economy how?

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You'll never give your own engine such a "trial by torture." You wouldn't pass up your regular time for draining. Authorities say, "Don't!" But you can know that Conoco N<sup>th</sup> outlasted other big-name oils by as much as 161%... Certified. So you can see your chance of big Summer savings in changing now to new Conoco N<sup>th</sup> at Your Mileage Merchant's Conoco station. Continental Oil Co.—Pioneers in Bettering America's oil with Synthetic

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H. M. Jaeklin  
Consulting Engineer, who during Academic year is Professor of Automotive Engineering, Purdue University

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DAY AFTERNOON

PARTIES, DINNERS, PERSONAL MEETINGS—CALL 15

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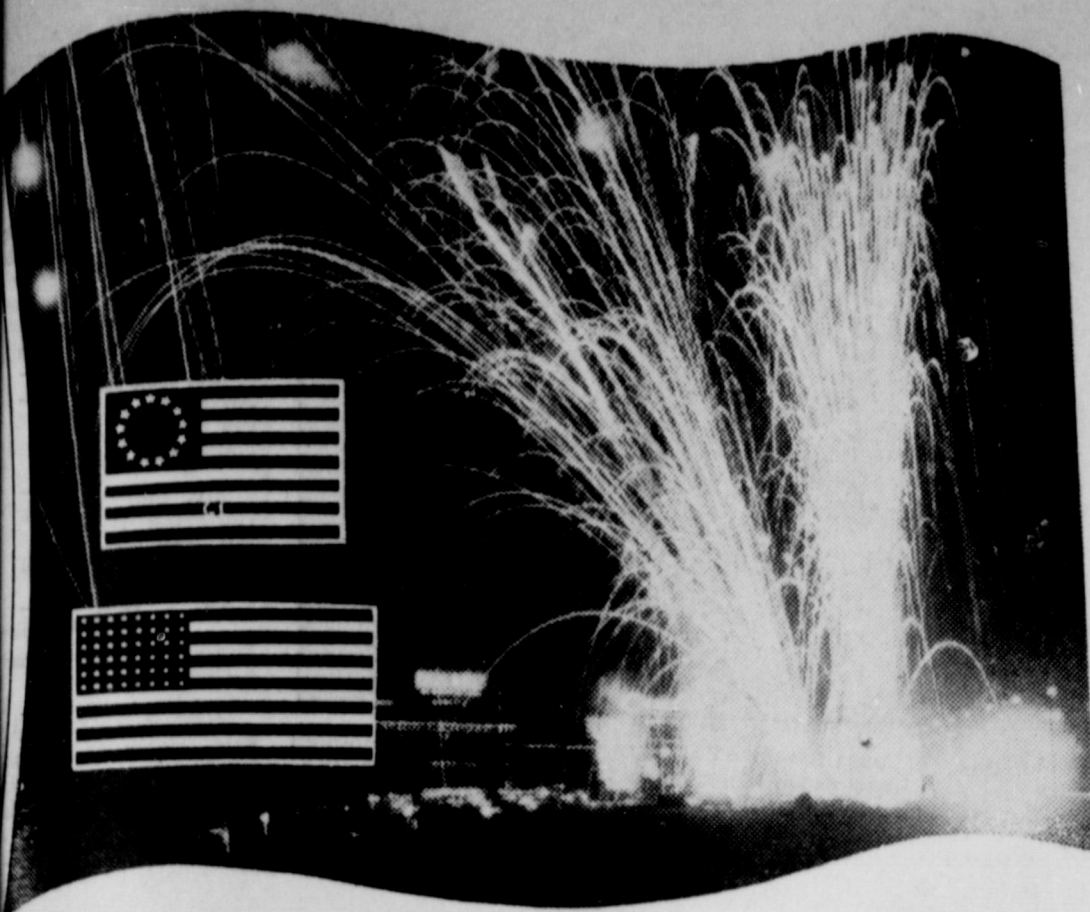
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In the Rocket's Red Glare



People will view the traditional fireworks of the Fourth of July with more than usual pride this year. The original Stars and Stripes, designed in 1777, has grown until today's Star-Banner covers a united, powerful nation.

H. La Guardia of New York, U. S. director of Citizenship, has called for a program of rededication to be built around a program of the President of the United States on Independence Day.

President Roosevelt's statement concerning the ceremony follows: The approach of Independence Day this year will kindle in all American hearts an appreciation of the dark days that preceded and followed July 4, 1776.

They have in this hour of anxiety and peril. The Fourth of July has always been a happy festival, a day of joy and exaltation in which all Americans have caught something of the spirit of liberty which the Fathers of the Republic proclaimed to all the world on that mid-summer day in Philadelphia in 1776.

Old People ADLERIKA they would say, "I'm 70 and have had 14 years." (L. M. For quick bowel action from bloating gas try today.

National AAA Conference Stresses Agriculture in U. S. Defense Program

Agriculture's part in the national defense program was the dominant thought at the national AAA conference held in Washington recently, Texas delegates to the meeting pointed out on their return, according to D. A. Neeley, chairman of the Hall county AAA committee.

MEMPHIS WOMEN WIN CONTEST

Mrs. Denny and Mrs. Dickey Submit Entries dated 1909 To Place in Utility Contest

Miss Mary Ledbetter, of Quanah, submitted the winning entry in the "Old Bill" contest conducted by the West Texas Utilities, according to M. C. Wilson, WTU local manager, who said the \$50 first prize was won on an entry dated December, 1904.

Prizes of \$5 each go to the following for the ten next oldest bills entered in the regional contest: E. L. Jackson, San Angelo, for bill dated October, 1906; Mrs. Wiley James, Baird, September, 1908; Mrs. B. F. Denny, Memphis, January, 1909; Mrs. W. C. Dickey, Memphis, March, 1909; Mrs. Dallas Scarborough, Abilene, September, 1909; Mrs. Frank Easley, Quanah, January, 1910; Mrs. A. V. Smith, Abilene, February, 1911; Mrs. L. E. McCurdy, Vernon, April, 1911; Mrs. Fred Williams, San Angelo, June 1912; and D. M. West, Miles, February, 1913.

Miss Ledbetter's entry, rendered to her father, a pioneer of Quanah, whose house was second to be wired for lighting in the town, shows that he paid a flat rate of five dollars monthly— "payable in advance." It covered lights only and she recalls that they were on only a few hours each evening. Miss Ledbetter also remembers that: "... The plant was a very small affair and when we had a thunder storm the lights went out and we used a coaloil lamp which was kept ready for these occasions."

Nearly 300 old bills were entered in the contest, 69 of which were dated in 1920 or earlier. Just outside the winning margin were H. L. Adams of Dalhart, with a May, 1913, bill; and L. L. Welsh of Abilene, with one dated September, 1913.

"We want to thank everyone who sent in old bills," Mr. Wilson said. "The information they contain and the letters telling about service in those days will be very valuable in collecting historical facts about the development of the electric industry in this West Texas country."

All bills, he said, will be returned as soon as possible.

Texas farmers' cooperatives have more than \$7,500,000 invested in land, buildings and equipment.

The next time you drive by a shelterbelt notice the different species of trees that are growing.

their community and county committees. All recommendations are subject to the approval of the Secretary of Agriculture.

PERSONALS

D. J. Morgensen went Sunday after his wife and son, who have been visiting relatives in Snyder, Okla., and Oklahoma City.

Mrs. Claude Morris of Dimmitt is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. E. E. Cudd, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Miller visited their son, Jack, who is attending NTAC at Arlington, last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lindsey and daughters, Mary Helen and Betty Sue, were Clarcondon visitors Sunday.

Mrs. John Cates and daughter, Juanita Rose, and Miss Margaret Gloor of Childress were Memphis visitors Sunday.

Mrs. A. Anisman and son, Sheldon, left last week for Pittsburgh, Pa., where they will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Marcus.

Mrs. T. M. Potts and daughter, Mrs. Homer Tucker, returned Sunday from Texarkana where they visited relatives last week.

Robert Moss, who has been in Pampa on business, returned home last Wednesday night.

Miss Betty Jo Shearer and her grandfather, W. K. Kennedy, are visiting friends and relatives in Frederick, Okla., for an indefinite time.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Denny of Childress visited his mother, Mrs. B. F. Denny, Sunday.

Miss Eva Mae Holcomb visited her sister, Mrs. Clarence Shackelford, in Amarillo Sunday. Mrs. Shackelford is ill in a hospital there.

O. V. Alexander was a business visitor in Hereford last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Gilmore and son, Jerry, visited in Hedley Sunday afternoon.

Miss Marie Rasco, student in Texas Tech at Lubbock, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Rasco, last week-end.

Miss Vallie Harrell of Paducah visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Harrell last week-end.

Mrs. J. E. Morrow of Hollis, and Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Benson and daughter, Carol, of Corsicana visited Mrs. Morrow's daughter and Mrs. Benson's sister, Mrs. H. H. Lindsey and family last Friday.

Mrs. Sam Hamilton left Monday for Marshall where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Roy Lagow, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Regnal Greenhaw of Amarillo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Greenhaw, last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ingram Walker and daughter, Gail, of Turkey spent last week-end here visiting his mother, Mrs. R. C. Walker and her brother, Gayle Green, who is ill.

Andrew Simmons returned home Friday from Albuquerque where he had been visiting his brother.

Mrs. M. McNeely and daughter, Nell, left Sunday for a visit in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Alfred H. Freeman at Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Figh and daughter, Peggy, of Dalhart visited Mr. and Mrs. Oren Jones last week.

Mrs. Elmer Hall has returned to her home in Childress after a week's visit with her mother, Mrs. Silas Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Harris and son, Kay, Mrs. Allie D. Weaver and daughter, Rebecca Ray, were Childress visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Jack Jarrel, who has been working in Austin for the last few weeks, returned to her home here Friday afternoon. She left Sunday for a few weeks' visit in Pampa.

Miss Jimmie Gilreath of Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gilreath, here last week-end.

Jo Crump of Lubbock visited his mother, Mrs. Bess Crump, last week-end.

Curtis Harrell spent last week-end in Bryan on business.

Make This a Safe and Sane Fourth of July by riding on

Firestone TIRES



Don't let your holiday be spoiled by blowouts and flat tires or run the risk of the highway patrol having to unsnarl a tangle of traffic caused by your having a flat on some heavily traveled highway. Buy Firestones and be independent on Independence Day.

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HELLO, SARGE...

"Say, Sarge, since everyone nowadays are turning to Firestone Tires, the only tickets that we are handing out are the ones we are selling to the 'Policeman's Benefit Ball.' There hasn't been a crash on my beat, caused by a blowout, since so many people have put those Firestones on their cars. Boy, they're the cat's whiskers!"



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# Hogan and Demaret Team To Challenge Best Golfers

BY ART BRONSON

**BEN HOGAN** speaking: "For \$1000 a side, Jimmy Demaret and I are willing to meet any two golfers in the world. We're willing to play any kind of golf match, any place, any time."

The scene is the clubhouse of Toledo (O.) Inverness after the seventh annual invitational four-ball match which the two Texans won with a plus 11 score. Under the Inverness scoring plan, a team gets a "plus" for each hole won, a "minus" for each one lost.

Such candor is unusual among professional golfers. Most of them refuse to predict anything. But there is a good deal of truth in what Hogan says. He and Demaret should give any two golfers in the country the stiffest competition.

**BEN HOGAN**, 28, is 137 pounds of golfing magic—the little guy with the big golf game.

He is one of golf's longest hitters. When he steps up and swings, he seems to put everything into it but his back teeth. In 1940, Hogan led the golfing money brigade. He won three big tournaments in a row—the North and South Open, the Greensboro Open and the Ashe-



Jimmy Demaret

ville Open. He copped the Goodall Round Robin. He was in the money in every one of his 19 tournaments, won \$10,655 in prize money.

That's a long road for a little Irish kid who started to caddy around his home in Dublin, Tex., at the age of 12 to travel. But Hogan took that road with all the attendant hard knocks and disappointments. Today, he is probably America's number one professional.

**DEMARET**, a fellow Texan, is a real golf personality. He is the sartorial king of the links, has a wide, infectious grin, makes friends readily.

His game has the natural ease and grace of his disposition. He is not a tremendous driver, a startling putter, or a wizard with his irons. But he has two golf treasures—balance and accuracy.

Demaret hit one of the most amazing streaks in golf annals during the winter of 1940. He won in quick succession the Oakland, San Francisco, New Orleans, St. Petersburg and Western Opens. His prize money between Jan. 5 and April 17 of that year totaled \$7652.

When you look these two lads over, the Hogan statement doesn't look like such a sucker bet, does it?



Ben Hogan

## SURPLUS FOODS LISTED FOR JULY

All Fresh Vegetables Are Included on Blue Stamp List For July, Says W. S. Goode

The list of foods available during July for purchase with blue stamps by families taking part in the Food Stamp Plan in Hall County was announced today by Wynn S. Goode local Stamp Plan Representative.

Fresh peaches and fresh vegetables (includes potatoes, all fresh vegetables, except those processed, frozen, canned, dried, or pickled, but does not include melons) have been added to the list of food which will be available nationally during July, while fresh grapefruit and fresh apples obtainable during June in all areas are not included in the July list. With these revisions the complete list of "Blue Stamp Foods" for the period July 1 through July 31 in all Stamp Plan areas is as follows: fresh oranges, fresh peaches, fresh vegetables (includes potatoes, all fresh vegetables except those processed, frozen, canned, dried, or pickled, but does not include melons) pork lard, all pork (except that cooked or packed in metal or glass containers), corn meal, shell eggs, dried prunes, hominy (corn) grits, dry edible beans, wheat flour and whole wheat (graham) flour, and raisins.

## Family Domesticity Saves Dispositions

Family cooperation in small household duties saves not only time but wear and tear of dispositions. Louise Bryant, specialist for the A. and M. College Extension Service, says when families consider home management, most frequently they think of financial management and forget the time factor.

Here are some suggestions she offers for family cooperation which will save time and result in sharing the small, but sometimes harassing, household tasks:

Let one member of the family be responsible each night for leaving the living room in order. This will save work next morning. Put magazines and daily papers in a rack after use. Don't let them get scattered.

Make sandwich filling for the next day's school or work lunches at night after supper.

Encourage every member of the family to make his own bed and hang up his own sleeping garments each morning.

Be sure to clean muddy shoes before entering the house. This will save a lot of floor cleaning.

Wash the bath tub and hang up the bath mat after every use.

Have a hamper or laundry bag and place soiled clothing in it rather than on a closet door.

Keep clothing on coat hangers. This saves much pressing.

Ask every member of the family

## Spudders to Meet Childress Sunday

Facing one of the strongest nines of this section, the Memphis Spudders will meet the Childress Ball Club Sunday afternoon at the local baseball field at 3 p. m.

The game Sunday was called off when the scheduled Amarillo Texans wired at 1 p. m. that they would be unable to come, according to Don Wright, manager of the Spudders.

## Borger Plays Host At Horseshoe Meet

Sponsored by the Borger Chamber of Commerce, the Texas Amateur Athletic Federation horseshoe pitching tournament will be held at Borger in the baseball park beginning Sunday morning at 8 o'clock.

All horseshoe pitchers in the Panhandle Counties are invited to participate in this tournament. Winners will represent the Panhandle in the state meet to be held at Houston August 31 and

## FAIRVIEW

By MRS. R. ELLERD

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Gurley left Sunday for Oklahoma City to attend the funeral of her father which was held Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Yarbrough spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Ellerd.

Billie Joe Shearer and her grandfather left last week for a visit with relatives in Frederick, Okla.

Patsy Mitchell spent last week visiting her grandparents near Lakeview.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Ellerd and son, Roger, visited Mrs. J. E. Gable Sunday.

Bud Vaughn and Seyon Shearer of Amarillo spent the week-end with their parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Ellerd visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ward Gurley Sunday.

Thirty to forty jackrabbits will consume as much as a cow.

September 1. Suitable awards will be given the winners, according to Jim C. Edwards, district director of T. A. A. F.

## Giant Rubber Starfish Guards Sky



New barrage balloons developed at Akron, O., look like six-pointed stars and soar three times higher than those used by the British. They are now in production for the U. S. Army and Navy.

## Locals and Per

Mr. and Mrs. George returned to their home Antonio last week here with his parents, Mrs. W. J. Goffinet, Goffinet accompanied her and his family home for weeks visit.

Miss Jessye Bremer Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Walker of Grapevine spent the week-end in the home of Mrs. W. J. Goffinet, Mrs. T. D. West.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Navasota visited in the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Neely last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Childress visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Neely last week.

Elmer Hall of Childress visited in Memphis after a week's visit.

Mrs. R. C. Lewis, teachers, Betty and Bob, visited in Memphis last week for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Durant, Okla.



Miss Mary Ledbetter

The \$50 first prize goes to Miss Mary Ledbetter, member of a pioneer family in Quanah, who submitted a bill dated "December, 1904". The bill was rendered to her father, J. Ledbetter. It is well preserved and was found among other papers of historic value. Miss Ledbetter is an amateur collector of antiques which include the painting and clock, pictured, now over 50 years old. Shown congratulating Miss Ledbetter on her winning entry is Earl Morley, WTU's district manager in Quanah. At right below is a photostatic copy of the 37-year-old bill.

# The WINNERS in the "Old Bill" Contest

(Name, town, and date of winning entry)

- Miss Mary Ledbetter, Quanah, Dec., 1904
- Mr. E. I. Jackson, San Angelo, Oct., 1906
- Mrs. Wiley James, Baird, Sept., 1908
- Mrs. B. F. Denny, Memphis, Jan., 1909
- Mrs. W. C. Dickey, Memphis, Mar., 1909
- Mrs. Dallas Scarborough, Abilene, Sept., 1909
- Mrs. Frank Easby, Quanah, Jan., 1910
- Mrs. A. V. Smith, Abilene, Feb., 1911
- Mrs. L. E. McCurdy, Vernon, Apr., 1911
- Mrs. Fred Williams, San Angelo, June, 1912
- Mr. D. M. West, Bronte, Feb., 1913

\*\$50 first prize; \$5 each for 10 oldest bills.

## HONORABLE MENTION

(Many thanks to all those who sent in entries in the "Old Bill" Contest and for the contents of letters pointing out contributions made by this organization of men and women to the growth of West Texas)

NAME	TOWN	DATE OF OLD BILL
H. L. Adams	Dalhart	May, 1913
Welsh	Abilene	Sept., 1913
W. H. Larimore	Mason	March, 1914
Carrie Underwood	Hardin, Childress	March, 1914
Mrs. Fred Hart	Baird	April, 1914
J. B. Sanders	San Angelo	July, 1914
Lillian Talbert	San Angelo	Dec., 1914
Miss Lee Poffon	Clarendon	Dec., 1914
H. V. Payne	Dalhart	Jan., 1915
Paul H. Scott	Abilene	May, 1915
R. M. Morris	Clarendon	Aug., 1915
Jno. Crowley	Rotan	Sept., 1915
C. H. Taylor	San Angelo	Nov., 1915
Mrs. Susie Beede	Abilene	Jan., 1916
Mrs. M. P. Ledbetter	Quanah	Jan., 1916
Geo. Holman	Ballingier	Feb., 1916
W. F. Leach	Childress	March, 1916
Mrs. George A. Ryan	Clarendon	April, 1916
A. J. Fires Estate	Childress	April, 1916
Asa Cordill	Ballingier	June, 1916
C. A. Willis	Abilene	July, 1916
A. Privity	Childress	Nov., 1916
Dave McCook	San Angelo	Feb., 1917
Mrs. Sella Gentry	Clarendon	March, 1917
Geo. Daniels	Cisco	April, 1917
Mrs. B. H. Daddon	Haskell	July, 1917
W. R. Robinson	Dalhart	July, 1917
E. S. Hendrick	Chillicothe	Sept., 1917
C. D. Pantz	San Angelo	Sept., 1917
Mrs. T. M. Green	Rotan	Nov., 1917
Mrs. Alice S. Johnson	Cisco	Dec., 1917
Eula Alexander	Childress	April, 1918
Mrs. W. L. Lindsey	Abilene	May, 1918
John Schroder	Dalhart	June, 1918
Dr. Arthur A. Edwards	Haskell	July, 1918
E. W. Adams	Clarendon	Dec., 1918
T. J. Jefferies	Childress	Dec., 1918
W. L. Harrell	Cisco	Feb., 1919
R. M. Dickerson	Stamford	March, 1919
W. C. Milam	Memphis	May, 1919
A. McGill	San Angelo	Sept., 1919
Mrs. Harry Kennedy	Abilene	Sept., 1919
J. S. Hall	Childress	Oct., 1919
W. A. Davis	San Angelo	Oct., 1919
Art Schlofman	Dalhart	Nov., 1919
W. L. Martin	Stamford	April, 1920
Mrs. Jennie Gilliland	Abilene	May, 1920
T. H. Sumrall	San Angelo	June, 1920
Ellen Bacon	Cisco	June, 1920
J. S. Lawson	Abilene	July, 1920
Mrs. W. M. Milam	Memphis	July, 1920
Mrs. Clara Fulwiler Boyd	Abilene	Oct., 1920
T. T. Fain	Wellington	Nov., 1920
A. W. Reynolds	Albany	Dec., 1920
T. C. Delaney	Memphis	Dec., 1920
Andy Nelson	Ozona	Dec., 1920

M. J. Ledbetter  
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Fixtures furnished 1.00

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## Present-day Low Rates, Good Service, Tax Payment Earn Miss Ledbetter's Praise in Winning Letter

(The following letter accompanied Miss Ledbetter's "Old Bill" entry)

"Many wonderful improvements have been made since 1904. Then we had lights only costing five dollars monthly in advance. We used about ten kilowatt-hours, a rate about ten times as high as today.

"The West Texas Utilities since has become one of the finest institutions any town can have. They give the best of service. They've lowered the rate until today electricity is a small item compared to other living costs.

"They're worthwhile, essential citizens and taxpayers—taxes helpful in operating our city government, schools, and in maintaining streets and highways and for their individual support of churches and every worthwhile civic undertaking."

To learn the value of modern-day, improved Electric Service, ask those who remember when electric lights first came into usage. Miss Ledbetter's home was the second in Quanah to be wired. She recalls that "The plant was very small and when we had a thunder storm, the lights went out and we used our coal-oil lamp which was always kept handy for these occasions." Electric bulbs were of 16 candle-power size. The Ledbetter home had ceiling drops with two of these tiny bulbs to the room. The cost of \$5 monthly for lights alone compares to today's average cost of less than 10c a day in a majority of homes which also have irons, sweepers, radios, refrigerators, and other time- and labor-saving appliances.

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While you're heading for fun, find out how much more fun it is to drive with a motor that is really doing its best. See if you don't feel that difference when you fill the tank with Phillips 66 Poly Gas... at the Orange and Black 66 Shield.

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**Faith Defeats Violence**

**The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for July 6**  
Text: 16:6-15

It is with mixed feelings that one takes up the study in this lesson of the introduction of Christianity into Europe. How much are the places and events of that time related to the places and events of which we have been reading in our daily papers.

The unbeliever or cynic might remark on the irony of the fact that, where the triumph of the Gospel seemed so effective, after 19 centuries great armies are arrayed in destruction with the powerful machines and equipment of a civilization that has gone astray.

PAUL with his missionary companions was making his second missionary tour in Asia Minor, revisiting the places where he had preached the Gospel and established the beginnings of churches. For some reason that is not made plain, his course in Asia was blocked. The lesson says that the Holy Spirit had forbidden them to preach the Word in Asia, that is, in that particular part of it. And when they sought to go to particular places, "the spirit of Jesus suffered them not."

We do not know just what was the nature of this inhibition, but when Paul's course seemed

blocked there came the most remarkable opening. It was probably as he lay meditating upon this serious barrier that he saw a vision of a man of Macedonia, that is, from Greece, standing by him in the night and saying, "Come over into Macedonia and help us."

AS with his experience at the time of his conversion on the way to Damascus, Paul was "not disobedient unto the heavenly vision." For him such a call meant immediate action. There is a remarkable turn however, to this story of Christian beginnings in Europe. It is the part that women played, and particularly one woman, Lydia, a seller of purple, a woman evidently of remarkable force of character, whose business enterprise was matched with spiritual integrity.

This is something to ponder. It was fitting that Christianity, which has been the great liberator of women, should have had its beginning in the part that a woman played.

Now for the word of hope. The Christianity that had so small a beginning and in less than three centuries became the religion of the Roman Empire and spread throughout the world, is neither dead nor done for. Faith, hope and Christian courage can still overcome the new forces of tyranny and violence.

**Baptist Vacation Bible School Ends**

By Church Reporter

One of the most successful Vacation Bible Schools ever held at the First Baptist Church closed Sunday night with a Commencement program attended by parents and friends of the boys and girls. There were 137 enrolled during the week with an average attendance of 18.

Rev. B. J. Martin, son of the pastor and student of Southwestern Seminary, Fort Worth, was principal of the school. There were four departments with a superintendent and associate for each. Mrs. Henderson Smith was the superintendent of the Intermediate with Mrs. L. G. Rasco assisting her. Mrs. D. A. Grundy had charge of the Mission Study; Mrs. T. M. Harrison, Bible Study; Mary Smith, secretary; Miss Oradell Nuhn, Mrs. H. B. Gilmore and James Baldwin had charge of the handwork. Mrs. B. J. Martin of Fort Worth and Miss Mary Catherine Walker supervised the Juniors with Rev. and Mrs. Cordell Bales, Peggy Walker, Mrs. Love Headstream, Mrs. W. C. Anderson, and Mrs. A. E. Osborn assisting. Mrs. Leon Randolph with Mrs. George R. Cullin as assistant, directed the primaries. Their helpers were Mrs. Mrank Smith, Mrs. S. F. Martin, Mary Isabel Hanvey, Betty Sue Lindsey, Athalee Hatcherson and Mrs. J. E. McPherson. Mrs. O. N. Hamilton, Janet Hood, Mary Sue Huckaby and Laura

Mai Hightower took care of the Beginners department. Parents and children agreed that the school was of splendid value.

Rayburn Jones served as pianist in the general assembly and in the Junior department. He also played Sunday evening at the service. Each department gave a demonstration of the work that had been done during the week and certificates were given to those completing their handwork, memory work and who attended the required number of days.

Friday morning at the close of the session the faculty and pupils enjoyed a picnic in the park near the church.

A mission offering was taken during the week and sent to the Chinese, Japanese, and Mexicans. There were nine conversions in a joint meeting of the Junior and Intermediate departments Friday morning.

**Locals and Personals**

Mrs. W. L. Raney and daughter, Mrs. W. B. McDonough, of Colorado Springs are visiting Mrs. Raney's sister-in-law, Mrs. J. W. Fitzjarrald, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Crump and daughter, Nancy, of Long Beach, Calif., visited last week in the home of his mother, Mrs. Bess Crump.

Miss Elizabeth Luce and Joe Crump of Lubbock spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Bess Crump.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Bartlett of Hollis visited last week in the home of Mrs. Bess Crump.

Mrs. Arnold McClendon of Gatesville is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Hartman, this week.

Mrs. J. F. Toler and children John Lewis and Jenella of Idalou, left Tuesday morning after a short visit here with her sister, Mrs. S. F. Martin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fore and son, Billy Frank, of Beverly Hills left today for their home after a visit with his mother, Mrs. W. M. Fore, and his sister, Mrs. Cicero Milan, and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Wright went after their children, Don Jr. and Kay, Tuesday. They have been visiting their aunt, Miss Gladys Wright, in Henrietta this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy R. Fultz and daughter Betty went to Wichita Falls Monday on business and to visit relatives. Mr. Fultz returned Tuesday night and Mrs. Fultz and Betty returned today.

Mrs. Dennis Walker of Wichita Falls visited friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Jack Boone and Mrs. O. R. Goodall were business visitors in Amarillo Monday.

D. R. Kelly is visiting in Mineral Wells this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Vallance and daughter, Dorris, visited Mrs. Vallance's mother, Mrs. J. W. Kilgore, in Childress Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Devin and daughter, Gena Mae, spent the week-end here. Mr. Devin is attending school in Austin.

Robert, Richard and Royce Sitton, triplet brothers of Mrs. Emmitt Walker, left Monday for their home in Fort Worth. They came Saturday with their brother, Jack, of Amarillo where they have been visiting for the past two weeks.

**Loyalty Wins WTU Lineman National Valor Award**



Lineman J. B. Handley of Childress shows how ordinary fesse wire was used for climbing hooks in emergency that won national honors.

Loyalty to his job today is worth \$150 in unexpected cash to J. B. Handley, lineman for the West Texas Utilities at Childress, who thus capitalized on the "big blizzard" of February 16-17, 1940.

Handley was selected for the Claude L. Mathews Valor Award of 1940 at the annual convention of the Edison Electric Institute in Buffalo—an award made each year for the outstanding performance of valor in the United States electric industry. A check for \$150 and a handsome scroll, commemorating his restoration of lights and power on the Quitaque-Turkey electric line during a severe wind and snow storm, were presented to him at the quarterly safety meeting in Childress.

Nominated for the honor by WTU officers and fellow workmen, Handley, according to the citation, "on his own initiative and at great personal risk patrolled 10 miles of transmission lines, improvised means for climbing ice-coated poles, made necessary poletop repairs and restored electric service to the towns of Quitaque and Turkey..."

Handley and two other linemen, Bob Adams and Jay Hunter, were doing routine repair work on the Quitaque-Turkey line, February 16, 1940, when the blizzard struck. They were instructed to return to Childress where they were headed when the line went out. They then tackled the job of making repairs.

Taking turns walking a mile across farm and pasture to patrol the line, while the other two followed the road in a pickup truck, Handley, during his turn, was isolated when the truck was stuck in a snow drift and unable to meet

**PERSONALS**

Mrs. B. H. Eudey has returned from a ten day visit in Brownfield with Mrs. M. C. Massengill. Mrs. Eudey also visited her niece, Mrs. Ethel Gayhart of Brownfield and her sister, Mrs. Joe Eudey of Roswell, N. M.

Miss Ella Mae Kercheville visited friends in Childress Sunday.

Miss Reba Ann Leath of Houston arrived Monday night for a visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Guthrie.

Mrs. D. T. Eddins and daughter, De Alyce, of Estelline were business visitors in Memphis Tuesday.

Mrs. G. C. Crone of Childress spent Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Nelson, of this city.

Nelson Combest left Thursday for Corpus Christi on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Wise and daughter, Ethel, of Quitaque, visited Mrs. Wise's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Hartman, here last week-end.

Mrs. Emory Barton and daughter returned to their home at Denton last Thursday, accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. R. Webster, Mr. and Mrs. Webster returned to Memphis Monday.

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KRAUT, No. 2½ cans, each ..... 10c  
BROOMS, good grade, each ..... 29c  
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### Nine Couples Are Licensed to Wed

According to marriage license applications made in the office of County Clerk Murray Dial, nine couples were scheduled for nuptial proceedings in the month of June. The couples to whom licenses were issued are:

C. A. McElroy and Mrs. Dora Mae Hardie, Memphis; Clifford Lee Zint and Velma Heene Lambert, Estelline; Melvin Strygley and Imogene Stephens, Memphis; Everett L. Ray and Bessie Estelle Reeves, Canyon; Eugene Scott, Memphis, and Euline Sutterfield, Anton; Fred Kennerly, Carlsbad, N. M., and Lila Neal, Lesley; J. N. Helm Jr. and Honora Phillips, Newlin; Ward Rex Bufkin, Amarillo, and Vickie Lorene McAnear, Brice; John Hugh Eudey and Juanita Case, Turkey.

### PLASKA

By MRS. E. J. GALLOWAY

Mrs. George Taquard and daughter Violet Marie were visitors in the Bud Clark home last week. Their home is in Alvin and they are former residents of our community.

Bud Clark, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. George Taquard of Alvin, has returned to his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Grant and children of Conway are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Grant, and Mrs. Rhoda Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Gardenhire of Indian Creek visited in the J. E. Murdock home Sunday afternoon.

Those attending the Fifth Sunday singing at Lakeview were Mrs. W. L. Nabers, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gardenhire and daughters Florence and Eula Faye, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Foster, Sulah Faye Galloway, Billie Frances Murdock, and Jo Kathryn Murdock.

The small daughter of Ray Martin who has been seriously ill in a hospital in Memphis, is reported to be improving.

Greta Martin is on the sick list. Wilfred Dunn has gone to Pampa to work in the harvest.

E. J. Galloway is visiting his mother, Mrs. M. E. Galloway at Exeter, Calif. Mrs. Galloway is reported much improved in health.

Robert Galloway is on the sick list this week.

Miss Lena Downs and small brother Bobby have returned to their home in San Antonio after a month's visit in the home of their uncle, Bob Liner.

### Mother, May I Go Out to Swim?



"Yes, my darling daughter, hang your clothes on a hickory limb, but don't go near the water." The poem fits Virginia Maple, New York City. Her bathing costume is made up of ordinary bandana cloth—definitely not for swimming. She's wearing a new car-key bracelet for forgetful motorists, on her wrist.

### Mrs. Lizzie West—

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the WPA sewing projects, a position which she had held since the inception of Oklahoma's Welfare Administration.

She was an active member of the First Baptist Church, Eastern Star, Rebekah Lodge, and other organizations.

Mrs. West was 65 years of age at the time of her death. She is survived by a son, Harry West, Salina, Kans.; a daughter, Mrs. Carl Miller; two grandsons, Carl Miller Jr., and Harry West Miller, of Oklahoma City; six sisters, Mrs. R. O. Douglass, St. Louis; Mrs. George Davis, Globe, Ariz.; Mrs. O. A. Lock, Mangum, Okla.; Mrs. B. F. Bryant, Tulsa, Okla.; Mrs. M. A. Hughes, Oklahoma City; Mrs. Jessie Jones, Memphis; and a brother, Walter Copeland, Kingsville.

Six rabbits will eat as much as one sheep, 32 rabbits will eat as much as 1 cow. 300 rabbits to one section of land is not unusual.

### J. M. Ferrel Reports Car Registrations

According to a report issued from the office of J. M. Ferrel, assessor and collector of taxes in Hall County, an increase in the number of passenger car and truck registrations has been recorded for the month of June. One funeral car, 24 passenger cars, and 4 trucks had been registered in Tax Collector Ferrel's office.

Passenger cars registered in June included: Walter Labay, Estelline, Ford sedan; C. L. Caviness, Memphis, Plymouth coupe; Clem Calhoun, Memphis, Chevrolet sedan; B. L. Gresham, Newlin, Oldsmobile sedan; Joe Mae Smith, Memphis, Ford sedan; Gene Chamberlain, Memphis, Chevrolet sedan; Jake Morrison, Estelline, Ford sedan; B. D. Jackson, Memphis, Chevrolet sedan; Womack Funeral Home, Memphis, Cadillac funeral car; H. H. Hall, Memphis, Ford sedan; Kirby Hagens, Memphis, Ford sedan; Finis Edwards, Estelline, Ford sedan.

B. E. Davenport, Memphis, Chevrolet sedan; H. H. Lindsey, Memphis, Chevrolet sedan; J. H. Richardson, Memphis, Chevrolet sedan; J. M. Ferrel Sr., Estelline, Chevrolet sedan; Vallie Harrell, Memphis, Chevrolet sedan; Winfred W. Swift, Memphis, Chevrolet coupe; H. B. Hill Jr., Memphis, Dodge; Emma Lee Johnson McIver, Memphis, Chevrolet coupe; John T. Bishop, Memphis, Dodge coupe; Stanolind Oil and Gas Co., Tulsa, Okla., two Ford sedans; Imogene King, Memphis, Mercury sedan; V. L. Taylor, Memphis, Studebaker sedan.

Truck registrations included: J. J. Simons, Memphis, Chevrolet pick-up; V. L. Taylor, Memphis, Studebaker pick-up; H. H. Hall, Memphis, Ford farm truck; J. W. Lindley, Lakeview, Chevrolet pick-up.

### Farmer Aid—

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charge and mixed by ten WPA workers at each station. The Forest Service has cooperated with the program in furnishing trucks for the transportation of the materials which compose the poison. Now it will be necessary for the farmer to offer further cooperation. Due to the recent WPA farm labor shortage, henceforth there will be only one experienced mixer at each station, according to Mr. Hooser, and it will be necessary for the farmer to assist in the mixing.

Regardless of the minor changes, the cooperative program will continue as before. In Memphis a building is being furnished by F. W. Foxhall one door west of the Miller and Miller Motor Freight Line Company. The Forest Service is furnishing a building for the station in Turkey and the building of Hulon Clifton is being used in Estelline.

"Due to the small amount of poison being distributed from the Estelline station, this station will only be open every Wednesday," Mr. Hooser stated, "and July 9 will be the first of these open dates until the need for more frequent distribution justifies the daily opening of the station."

In reporting on the general aspect of the grasshopper situation, Mr. Hooser stated that due to the high winds of the past two weeks, great numbers have migrated northeast but in view of the fact that the cotton is coming up, it will be necessary to take extra precautionary measures.

### Cotton Retailers—

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They will learn how they may get their share of this additional business; what goods may be exchanged for stamps; the rules and regulations they must comply with in making cotton stamp sales; and how to redeem the stamps for cash.

"By aggressive merchandising methods pushing the sale of cotton goods not only to those using stamps—but to every family in the community—retail merchants will make a substantial contribution toward solving the problem of price-depressing cotton surpluses and under-consumption of cotton goods by a large part of our people."

### New Regime—

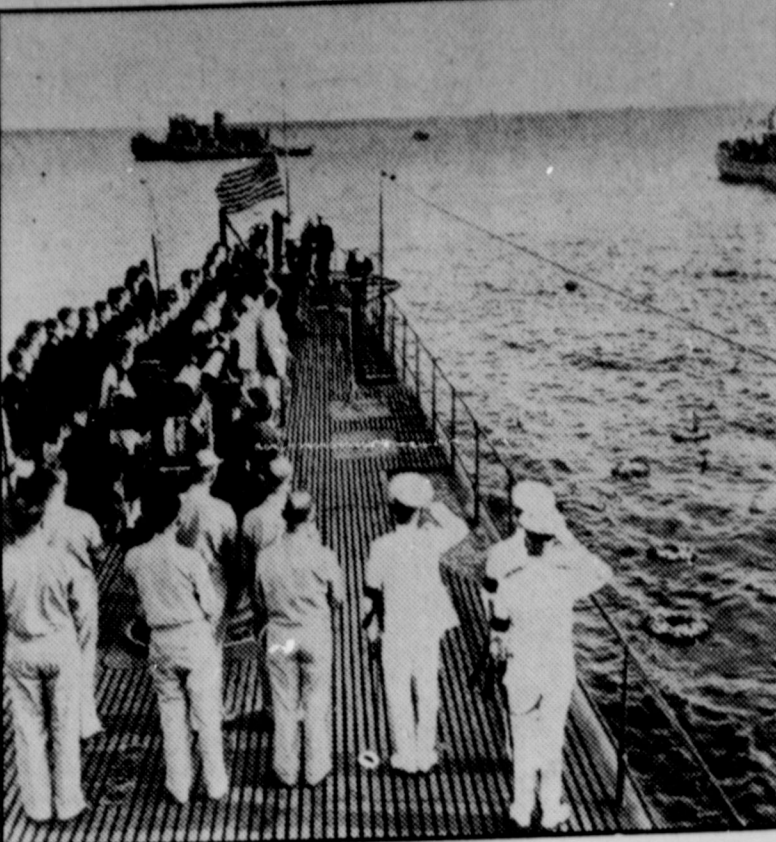
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Hicks, D. J. Morgensen, E. E. Cudd.

Rotary education and vocational service—W. C. Davis, W. Wilson, R. R. Fultz.

Publicity—J. C. Wells, Edd Foxhall, J. E. King. The following are club officers: T. E. Noel, president; H. D. Delaney, vice president; Allen Dunbar, secretary. Directors include the above mentioned officers, and O. V. Alexander, Carl Harrison, and E. E. Roberts.

### Memorial Service for O-9 Victims



Lined up on the deck of the submarine Triton, officers and men perform solemn memorial rites at the scene of the sinking of the submarine O-9, which plunged to the floor of the Atlantic during maneuvers. Thirty-three members of the O-9's crew lost their lives.

### Food Expenditures—

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period, bringing the total amount available for food purchases due to the stamp program to \$20,407.50 for June.

Participating in the Memphis and Hall County stamp program during the month were 789 cases, representing with their families 3,036 persons. Those participating represented 92 per cent of the 3,268 persons in the area eligible to receive stamps during June.

Since the stamp plan has been in operation, \$72,093 in blue stamps have been issued in Mem-

phis and Hall County, augmenting regular food expenditure for the area by that amount. Amount of blue stamps per person during June averaged \$3.06.

### ATTEND FUNERAL OF FATHER IN KERRVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Tarver and son, Gary, returned Saturday from Kerrville where they attended the funeral of his father, who died there Thursday.

Mr. Tarver was 76 years old, and had been in ill health for some time.

It takes approximately 7,000 trees to plant one mile of 10 row shelterbelt.

### SALISBURY

(By Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Williams and family were Amarillo visitors Sunday.

Olman Sweatt of Whiteface is visiting his brother O. Son Sweatt. Miss Betty Jean and Henry Lee Solomon are visiting in Floydada this week.

Miss Athalee Hutcherson has returned home from Lubbock where she had been visiting since Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nelson and son of Spade and W. L. Crabtree

visited in the home of Mitchell Sunday. Miss Freda Mae Wall view has been visiting in well since Sunday. Mrs. Myrtle James visited with her mother, Bert Cardwell several week.

Whole grain cereals home are cheaper and the family than the breakfast foods.

Tree survival in this year has been good due to favorable conditions.

## P & J FOOD STORE

MEMPHIS, TEXAS

- COFFEE, Admiration, pound
- CHUCK WAGON BEANS, can
- GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, 46-ounce can
- SALAD DRESSING, quart
- FRUIT COCKTAIL, Heart's Delight
- TEA, Schilling's, 1/4 pound
- FRESH CORN, 2 ears
- FRESH TOMATOES, pound
- SYRUP, Pennant, half gallon
- OKRA, fresh, pound
- PEACHES, Syrup Packed, gallon
- FLOUR, Hillbilly, 48 pounds
- BREAKFAST BACON, sugar cured, not sliced, lb
- DRY SALT JOWLS, pound
- FULL CREAM CHEESE, pound
- STEAK, tender, pound

PAY CASH AND PAY LESS

## WEEK-END SPECIALS

- COFFEE, Folger's, 1 lb. 27c, 2 pounds 53c
- SANKA, 1 pound, drip or regular 34c
- SUGAR, Pure Cane, 10 lbs. 58c, 25 lbs. \$1.44
- SPRY, 3-pound can 57c, 6-pound can \$1.12
- MEAL, Aunt Jamima, 5 pounds 20c, 10 pounds 36c
- BAKING POWDER, 25-ounce KC 18c
- SOAP, P&G or Crystal White, 6 bars 23c
- SOAP, Lux or Lifebuoy, 3 bars 19c
- LUX FLAKES, large box 23c
- WHITE KING, large box 29c
- BIG 4 SOAP FLAKES, box 32c
- SANI-FLUSH, large can 20c
- MILK, all kinds, 6 cans 23c
- POST BRAN or GRAPE NUT FLAKES, 2 boxes 17c
- POST TOASTIES, 2 boxes 19c
- BABY FOOD, Heinz Strained, 3 cans 22c
- BABY FOOD, Heinz Junior, 2 cans 23c
- DATE & NUT BREAD, C & B, 2 cans 25c
- POTATO CHIPS, regular size, 2 packages 17c
- FLY SWATTERS, all kinds, 2 for 15c
- TOILET PAPER, White Fur, 4 rolls 23c
- FRUIT JAR CAPS, Complete, dozen 21c
- TOMATO JUICE, Campbell's, 2 cans 15c
- PINEAPPLE JUICE, Campbell's, 2 cans 17c
- GRAPE JUICE, Royal Purple, pints 14c, quarts 24c
- PIMIENTO, small cans 7c, large cans 10c
- TUNA FISH, Gold Bar or Del Monte can 18c
- ENGLISH PEAS, No. 2 cans, Mission, 2 for 23c
- CORN, No. 2 cans, Primrose or Our Darling, 2 for 23c
- TOMATOES, No. 1 cans 5c, No. 2 cans, 2 for 15c
- CHERRIES, No. 2 cans, Red Pitted, 2 for 23c
- PEARS, or APRICOTS, large cans, Heart's Delight 20c
- PINEAPPLE, Sliced or crushed, 3 cans 25c
- FRUIT COCKTAIL, Heart's Delight, 2 cans 25c
- LETTUCE, nice heads 5c
- NEW POTATOES, 5 pounds 12c
- PEAS, Cream or blackeyed, pound 5c
- FRESH CORN, 2 ears 5c
- OKRA, nice and tender, pound 12c
- CUCUMBERS, 3 pounds 10c
- FRESH TOMATOES, 2 pounds 13c
- FRESH LIMES, dozen 12c
- ORANGES, lots of juice, 2 dozen 25c
- BANANAS, nice yellow fruit, dozen 15c

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# FOOD VALUES

<b>GRAPES</b> Thompson, Fresh, Seedless, Pound <b>15c</b>	<b>WATERMELONS</b> ICE COLD, POUND <b>2c</b> ORANGES, 2 dozen 25c APPLES, 2 dozen 25c PEACHES, fresh, 4 dozen 25c <b>BANANAS</b> YELLOW, RIPE, DOZEN <b>15c</b>	<b>TOMATOES</b> Fresh, Ripe, Pound <b>5c</b>		
LETTUCE, crisp heads, 2 for 9c CELERY, large 15c PEPPERS, green, pound 10c CUCUMBERS, 3 pounds 10c BEANS, fresh snaps, pound 5c OKRA, fresh, pound 10c	FLOUR Yukon's Best <b>\$1.69</b>	MEAL Yukon's Best, large sack <b>49c</b>	SUGAR 25-Pound Bag <b>\$1.39</b>	FREE DEMONSTRATION OF MY-T-FINE DESERT 3 Packages <b>14c</b>
CHERRIES, 2 cans 25c PINEAPPLE, 3 No. 1 25c PEACHES, Gold Bar, 2 No. 1 cans 25c APRICOTS, No. 2 cans, 2 for 25c PEACHES, No. 2 1/2 15c TOMATO JUICE, 4 cans 25c PINEAPPLE JUICE, 3 cans 25c HOT BARBECUE, lb 25c	CORN, 2 No. 2 cans 15c TOMATOES, No. 2 can, 2 for 15c HOMINY, No. 2 cans, 2 for 15c PORK & BEANS, 3 cans 15c MACKEREL, 2 cans 19c SALMON, No. 1 15c POTTED MEAT, 6 cans 25c	OLEO, Golder, lb PICKLES, 2 qts. MUSTARD, 2 qts. CATSUP, 2 bottles CORN FLAKES, 2 packages CRACKERS, 2 lbs. MARSHMALLOWS, 1 pound CANDY, 3 bars STEAK, Chuck, lb		
<b>HAMS</b> Picnic, Boneless, 4 to 6-pound average <b>28c</b>	<b>BACON</b> Sliced, Pound <b>25c</b>	<b>Kraft Dinner PACKAGE</b> <b>10c</b>	<b>LUNCH MEAT</b> Assorted, Pound <b>25c</b>	

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Jobs Open

CIVIL SERVICE

With the national defense program of the United States opening up large numbers of jobs of varied types almost daily, the Civil Service Commission is asking for applications...

Here's a listing of a few of the jobs for which applications are now being taken...

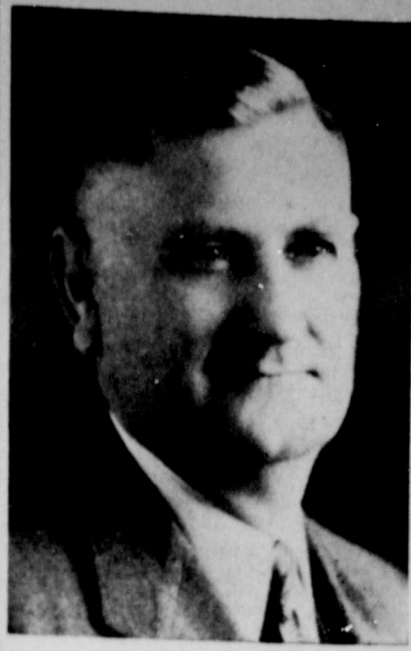
The Civil Service Commission announced this week that it would fill important administrative positions in Defense and other government agencies through the competitive examination procedure...

It is useless to apply if you cannot meet the high standard of requirements shown in the announcement...

Another examination just announced by the Commission is for poultry coordinators to carry out the administration of the National Poultry Improvement Plan...

All applications must be sent to the Washington office of the Civil Service Commission not later than the closing dates specified.

Advertise in The Democrat!



G. L. TAYLOR

District Manager of United Gas Goes to New Braunfels

G. L. Taylor is Promoted to Larger District; Childress District Abolished

G. L. Taylor, district manager of the United Gas corporation here for 16 years, will leave next week for New Braunfels where he will become district manager for the company.

The Childress district will be merged with the Wichita Falls district and the district office at Childress will be abolished but no changes in the personnel of the Childress office are planned at present.

J. O. Schuyler, who has been manager at Vernon, will come to Childress as manager.

The Childress office will serve as sub-district headquarters for the company in this immediate area.

In going to New Braunfels, Taylor is receiving a promotion as that district is larger than the Childress district.

Comments—

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office is one of the eyesores and on the same block the post office is located is another. In fact the weeds on the latter block are so thick and tall, it makes one think of the thick woods in East Texas.

Texas is to have a new U. S. Senator and a new governor, as a result of the election last Saturday. The voters have spoken—how wisely remains to be seen.

Heretofore, we have all been so proud of The Democrat's prizes and honor winnings in newspaper contests that we have sent it to any and every paper in the country just to show it off.

Some six weeks ago, following the announcement that The Democrat had won National Editorial Association honors, the Galveston Daily News took Lester Campbell away from us.

This kind of thing has existed for some 15 years. The Democrat has acted as a training school for printers and news writers, and then they have been taken away from us by other publishers who could see the superiority of those who had been trained here.

Some of those who were trained in The Democrat office and who have advanced successfully in the newspaper field are Harry Montgomery, now Arizona state manager of the Associated Press; John Forkner, with McCormick Advertising Agency in Amarillo; H. King Stephens, for several years superintendent of printing in the Government Printing Office at Washington, D. C.; Vance Johnson, managing editor of the Amarillo News; Ted Read and Jerry Sitton, advanced to editorial posts of the Kilgore Daily News, and then to publicity writing in the political field; Jack Sitton, news editor Amarillo News and radio news commentator and others.

READ THE DEMOCRAT WANT ADS

Memphis FFA Boys Chamber of— To Have Meeting

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The Memphis Future Farmers will hold their monthly meeting at the vocational agriculture department, July 7 at 8:30 p. m., according to an announcement made this week.

The meeting will be conducted according to parliamentary procedure as is the regular practice of the Future Farmers, it was said, and several matters will be up for discussion, most important being the annual state convention to be held in Marshall July 16-19.

Certificates of merit that have been won by the Memphis Future Farmers will be awarded at the meeting.

New means of financing the students' projects for the coming year will be discussed and it is of great importance to the local members to be present and on time, it was pointed out.

MR. MRS. D. E. TIPPETT ARE GRANDPARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Hillyer of Shreveport announce the arrival of a baby girl, Shirley Jenine, born June 27 and weighing 7 pounds and 12 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Gurley went to Oklahoma City Sunday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Gurley's father, Mr. V. Van Meter, who died there last Saturday.

Don May Goes To Bay City Tribune

Mr. and Mrs. Donald May left Friday for Bay City where he has accepted a position as advertising manager with the Bay City Daily Tribune.

Mr. May was in charge of the advertising department of The Memphis Democrat for the past three years, and severed his connections here only because the post at Bay City offered a better chance of advancement, he said.

While in Memphis, Mr. May took an active part in civic affairs, it was pointed out by friends here. He designed the monument to Hall County pioneers, and also designed several units at the City Park. He devoted a lot of time to Boy Scout work and other community activities.

NEW SON ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Daley of Zillah, Wash., announce the arrival of a son weighing 7 pounds, 3 ounces on June 18. The baby

MEMPHIS GROCERY CO.

White Swan COFFEE 1-Pound Can 27¢, PICKLES Sour or Dill Full Quart 13¢, Pure Cane SUGAR 10-lb. Bag 58¢, RINSO or Magic Washer Large Package 19¢, BRIGHT & EARLY TEA Glass FREE! 3 1/2-oz. Pkg. 15¢

O'Daniel Closes—

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Johnston, 16; King, 1; Mann, 20; O'Daniel, 15.

Box No. 12, Hulver: Dies, 1; Johnson, 8; Mann, 2; O'Daniel, 10.

Box No. 13, Memphis: Dies, 17; Johnson, 59; Mann, 85; O'Daniel, 70.

Box No. 14, Oxbow: Johnson, 5; O'Daniel, 3.

Box No. 15, Deep Lake: Johnson, 1; Morris, 1; O'Daniel, 10.

Box No. 16, Bridle Bit: Johnson, 3; Mann, 1; O'Daniel, 17.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of expressing our gratitude and heartfelt thanks to our many friends and neighbors during the illness and death of our loved one. The beautiful flowers, words of sympathy and acts of kindness are sincerely appreciated.

PIGGLY WIGGLY WEEK-END SPECIALS APRICOTS 10¢ WHOLE, PACKED IN HEAVY SYRUP

FRUIT COCKTAIL, No. 1 can 10c GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, large can 15c APPLES, Winesaps, dozen 20c BANANAS, dozen 15c ORANGES, Sunkist, dozen 15c POTATO SALAD, 15-ounce glass 15c HOMINY, No. 2 1/2 can, 3 for 25c PRUNES, gallon 25c HEINZ BABY FOOD, 3 cans 20c

Salad Dressing or Spread 25¢ 2 QUARTS SQUASH, White or yellow, pound 5c SPUDS, new, No. 1 Reds, peck 27c TOMATOES, per pound 5c CUCUMBERS, 3 pounds for 10c LETTUCE, per head 4c SPINACH, No. 2 can, 3 for 25c CORN, No. 2 can, 3 for 25c TOMATOES, No. 2 can, 3 for 25c

FLOUR \$1.55 DOBRY'S BEST, 48 POUNDS SUGAR, 10-pound bag 55c FRUIT JARS, quarts, dozen 75c FRUIT JAR LIDS, dozen 20c FRUIT JAR RINGS, dozen 4c

MARKET SPECIALS OLEO, Parkay, per pound 20c BUTTER, creamery, per pound 38c DRY SALT JOWLS, pound 14c SLICED BACON, square, pound 20c DRESSED FRYERS

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### OUR SACRED HONOUR

FOR the support of this Declaration, with a firm reliance on the protection of Divine Providence, we mutually pledge to each other our Lives, our Fortunes, and our Sacred Honour."

The first part of the Declaration of Independence with its glorious credo of Americanism is well known to all of us, but until the President's voice rang out to the nation in those stirring last lines of this document, how many of us remembered that the Declaration of Independence demanded service from us, in return for the rights of "life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness"?

Our fortunes are a small price to pay for the freedom under which they are built up. Without liberty where would they be? We have the answer in every land where the democracy haters have conquered a careless, uncoordinated people.

Our lives—would they be worth anything under the iron hand of a dictator? Devoid of freedom to worship, to speak, to study, even to think—what would life hold to those of us who are steeped in the traditions of liberty?

But the third part of the pledge is our greatest safeguard of our liberties.

What is our Sacred Honour? According to the dictionary, Honour is "the sense of what is right and conformable to a high standard of conduct." And, according to the Bible—"A man's pride shall bring him low; but honor shall uphold the humble in spirit."

Doing what we should because it is the right and honorable thing to do is the basis of a stable society. There is no security unless men and nations can depend upon each other's pledged word.

Reliance on our sacred honour has been the bulwark of our defense during all the trials through which the nation has passed. The pledge of not just our lives, or our fortunes, but our sacred honour as well—that is what made and will continue to make the Declaration of Independence work!

As a nation let us therefore on this one hundred and sixty-fifth anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence solemnly repeat this pledge and consecrate ourselves anew to the ideals of the democratic way of life.

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### PRIORITY FOR TRAFFIC SAFETY

SAFE AND FREE FLOWING traffic is a vital factor in national defense, as well as a necessary peacetime objective, asserts Norman Damon, director of Automotive Safety Foundation.

Damon says the efficiency of our vast highway transportation system is equally vital to our economic well-being and the well-being and the production of defense weapons. Traffic inefficiency, reflected in congestion and accidents, cannot be tolerated in a national emergency.

Yet traffic accidents are sharply on the increase. They are pacing a rising business curve. War and boom psychology is having a marked effect on traffic conduct. Fatalities in 1941 may reach an all-time high. This is in spite of the fact that the fatality rate declined steadily throughout the past five years.

Nationally the intensity of the problem has increased by nearly one-fourth in the past six years. In defense concentration areas, over the past years, the mushrooming growth of traffic threatens to swamp road and traffic control facilities. This year the Army, with some 280,000 vehicles, will be operating the largest single vehicle fleet in the world.

Most traffic accidents can be prevented. How effectively it is done, however, depends upon the degree to which accident prevention effort is stepped up, upon a greater measure of self-discipline and upon more determination than has yet been shown.

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### Press Paragraphs

CULLED FROM THE DEMOCRAT'S EXCHANGES

#### Immortal Democracy

Ruth Taylor in the Dickens County Times: Democracy is not dead. No onward march of dictators can trample it into dust— for Democracy is more than a way of life. Democracy is a way of thought and no dictator can dominate forever the mind of man. It is the unfettered thought of man that has spelled the doom of every dictator who ever lived. When we fight for Democracy, we are not fighting for a country but for an ideal—not for a word but for the things for which the word stands.

#### Cannibal Tendencies

Matador Tribune: "It's news when a man bites a dog," runs the old saying, but this time it's a case of man bites man—on the nose! Perhaps it was the result of too much Jane Teenth celebration, but in a scrape Friday a local negro wound up with a bitten nose.

"It's the only lick I got, though," said the dinky, "and when I took out after dat guy, he lit out like Hitler hisself was in de chase."

#### Railroad Manna

The Scurry County Times: One can look for many of the nation's railroads that have been bankrupt for years to turn up this fall with cash resources equal to those of solvent roads of comparable size— sharply increased business, due to the national defense program, is expected to bring many lines out of the red this year and result in many stockholders who haven't

### This Week's Birthdays

July 5 to 12



John Paul Jones, left, famous American naval commander, was born on July 6, 1747. John D. Rockefeller, pioneer oil magnate, was born on July 8, 1839.

been getting interest on their investments to get both interest and nice dividends. The railroads of the nation are the surest taxpayers in the country when they have the money with which to pay taxes, so county, state, and federal governments can expect to be "in" on the railroad windfall. Major railroads of the country were just about ready to holler "call rope" in many instances when the defense program, with a resultant move of materials by the hundreds of tons—happened along.

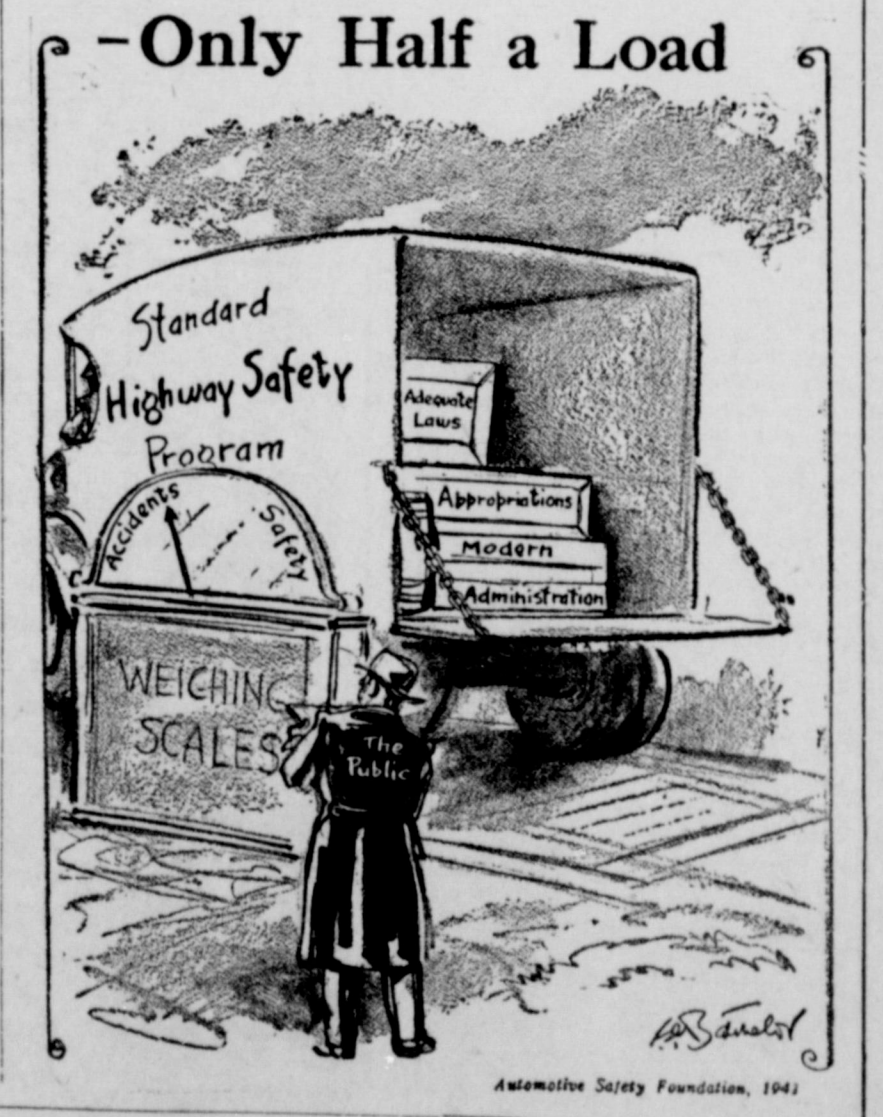
**Par Nothing**  
The Saint Jo Tribune: For Sale: Set of golf clubs in leather-trimmed bag. Two woods as good as new. Irons, ditto. All clubs have come in actual contact with ball only few times. Set only slightly used in fareway, but well acquainted with roughs. Balls for said equipment may be found along fareways of local course. Will trade same for a set of jacks. Inquire of owner, at Tribune office, immediately lest he change his mind and give the game one more try.

**Stiffer Laws**  
The McLean News: The state police report 190 persons in Texas having the privilege of driving their automobiles taken away from them during a two month period.

115 of them for driving while intoxicated. Eleven violations were in the Amarillo district. With a stiffer license law, we may expect to see better driving conditions in Texas from now on.

**Birds of a Feather**  
The Lubock Avalanche: The Plainsman believes he is voicing the opinion of at least 18,000,000 of the nation's 130,000,000 when he says: "It's a fine thing to see Russia and Germany fighting each other, because that means more trouble for Hitler. But I haven't got a darn bit more use for Joe Stalin and his followers— than I had before the Nazis and the Reds began fighting."

**Blackout**  
Carl Roewe in the Turkey Enterprise: The blackout last March in Turkey was the first in the State and one of the first in the Nation. It was, in fact a matter of weeks from the date of the blackout drill here until certain neutral nations of Europe held their first air raid precaution blackout exercises. That the citizens of Turkey were justified in conducting this defense drill at such an early stage in the defense program is now proven by the importance placed on the event in that our Congressman filed the report for the Congressional Record.



By BOUGHNER



"It must run in the family. I was hoping someone around the house with a little bit of tickle."



Of course wee Duncy kept real still. Deciding that he'd better not. He had a better chance without scaring the girls. His hiding place was hot. Hiding in this street. But I'll be baked. More coffee shorted out. Then Duncy heard the girls. "It's chilly here. Please light the match."

**Strictly Fresh**  
IT looks like we'll be seeing "Red" every time we look at the war headlines in the next few weeks. That loud "ouch" you hear is coming from a war expert kicking himself for saying the Nazis were bluffing when they made threatening noises at Stalin.

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Pitch 4-H Camp in Washington



Members of the Washington 200 4-H Club recently held their annual picnic. Top photo, Dean Lindley, Gertrude Noxon, Irving Norton, Wash.; and Dean, Bradentown, of Agriculture was made an honor. Bottom photo, Elmer Nuss, Anne Leaming, and Charles J. of Indiana.



Fate and J. W. Helms had a picnic supper at Deep Lake Thursday night.

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

Mrs. George Blewer is ill in a hospital in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Hill and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Arvel Hill Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Whitefield spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Whitefield of Plassa.

Flossie Rousseau and Ray Benton visited Frances Thomas Wednesday afternoon.

Earnie Gowdy visited Ruddle Verden Sunday.

Miss Fay Benton spent Monday night and Tuesday with Miss Frances Thomas.

Mrs. Lois Pate is giving a party Friday night, and everyone is invited to come.

Mrs. Mamie Benton and daughter Fay, Mrs. Lois Pate, and Mrs. Willie Benton visited Mrs. E. W. Pate of Pleasant Valley Monday afternoon.

Cheese and eggs dishes can be substituted for meat two or three times a week.

Chickens, Turkeys Star Sulphurous Compound

Given in water or feed, Destroys as they enter the fowl, intestinal germs and worms that cause most all disease and loss in egg production. Also rids them of lice, mites, lears, and blue bugs. Keeps the appetite good. Then you will have good, healthy egg-producing fowls and strong baby chicks. Costs very little. Money back if not satisfied.

DURHAM-JONES PHARMACY

Memphis Citizens Answer Call For Lunchroom Food

Three Families Donate To Cafeteria; 22 Bushels Of Fresh Vegetables Received

In response to an appeal by Mrs. Gene Barnett, school lunchroom supervisor, for fresh vegetables to be used in the summer lunch program and in the canning kitchen, three families have donated large quantities.

Mrs. Walter White has given approximately 20 bushels of turnip greens, Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Reeves donated a bushel of green beans, and Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Lord a bushel of fresh green beans. These donations have been made with no charge to the school.

This food has been used in daily lunches and 138 cans of green beans and 146 cans of turnip greens have been stored for use in next winter's lunches.

According to Mrs. Barnett, there are over 100 children eating at the summer lunch room daily necessitating a large amount of food. Anyone having a surplus of fresh vegetables is still being asked to donate to the cafeteria by calling 18M. Those who desire to have their donations count in payment of their children's lunches will be paid present market prices. "If you bring \$1 worth of vegetables to school, your child may eat 10 free lunches at the cafeteria," Mrs. Barnett said.

Former Residents Announce New Son

The Democrat is in receipt of an announcement from Santa Maria, Calif., as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wiley are the parents of a son, Tommy Cloyd, born June 21. The youngster, who has a brother, Jerry Windell, weighed in at 8 pounds and 2 ounces.

Mr. Wiley, the father, graduated from the Lakeview High School with the class of 1934, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Wiley of Lakeview. Mrs. Wiley, the mother, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Barbee, also living at Lakeview.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley and son, Jerry Windell, left Hall County last August for Santa Maria, where Mr. Wiley is employed.

At the present rate of production, American factories in 1941 will turn out more than 450,000,000 pairs of shoes, breaking all records for production for any country.

Advertisement for Black-Draught laxative, featuring the product name in large letters and the slogan 'A TOP-SELLING LAXATIVE ALL OVER THE SOUTH'.

Advertisement for Weatherby's Trucks, listing contact information for T. D. Weatherby in Memphis, Texas.

PERSONALS

Mrs. O. V. Alexander returned last Thursday from Ruidosa, N. M., where she spent several days.

Misses Mary Jane and Martha Cayton of Abilene are visiting their aunt, Mrs. O. V. Alexander this week.

David Clifton and John Floyd Shankleford of Amarillo are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. T. Holcomb this week.

Sam J. Hamilton left Wednesday for a business trip to Dallas. He will go from there to Marshall where he will join his wife who has been visiting relatives.

Miss Ioliet Tacquard of Houston spent last week-end here visiting Miss Maxine Winegrove.

Mr. and Mrs. Rab Harrison and children, Susan and Richard, visited friends here last week-end en route to their home in Amarillo. They were returning from a trip to South Texas.

Bud Frisbie of Fort Bliss visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Frisbie, last week-end.

L. G. Perkins and daughter, Maizie, left Monday night for Los Angeles to visit their son and brother, James Perkins and family.

L. G. Rasco left Sunday for Perryton where he will be employed.

Thomas Pyle returned home Sunday from Wichita Falls where he visited his sisters last week.

A. G. Kesterson spent last week-end in Lubbock visiting friends.

Mrs. M. C. Allen and son, Macky, left last week for a visit with relatives in Dallas.

Ed Foxhall was a business visitor in Dallas last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Crowder of Lubbock spent last week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Crowder.

Miss Madeline Huggins was a visitor in Lubbock Sunday.

Mrs. Holt Bownds and daughter, Gladys, and Mr. and Mrs. E. S. West visited relatives and friends in Lubbock Sunday.

Miss Mary Jane Selby returned Sunday from a two-week vacation in Oklahoma. She visited her sister, Evelyn, in Oklahoma City.

Russell McClure, Emmitt Walker, Weldon Massey, and Homer Tribble visited Mr. and Mrs. Royce McClure and J. C. McClure at Midland last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Burnett and daughter, Audrey Beth, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. E. L. Pattillo in Lubbock Sunday.

Miss Rosalyn Williams left Saturday night for a visit with her grandmother, Mrs. E. Roberts, and her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Alexander, at Austin.

Misses Dorothy Ray Kesterson, Billy Joyce McMurry, and Elnore Muller, and Joe Findley returned Sunday afternoon from Ceta Glen where they spent last week on the annual Christian Church encampment.

Mrs. J. S. Brookshire returned from California Wednesday morning where she visited her brother in Glendale and her sister in Los Angeles.

Miss Thelma Shankle, who is attending the summer term in WTSC at Canyon spent last week-end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Shankle.

Miss Margi Stallings of Bowie is visiting Miss Billy Montgomery this week.

Mrs. W. L. Patton of Amarillo visited in the home of her sister, Mrs. Bess Crump, last week-end.

Miss Bobbie Clair Davenport returned Monday after a week's visit with relatives in Fort Worth.

Mrs. F. Swift left Saturday for Amarillo for a ten-day visit with her daughters, Mrs. P. M. Combs and Mrs. W. A. Stanley.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Brister and daughter, Peggy Jean, of Dallas visited his uncle, J. S. McMurry and family, last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Foxhall and son, Frank Browder, returned Sunday night from Mineral Wells where they visited relatives last week.

Earl Preston of Childress was a business visitor in Memphis Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. W. Fitzjarrald of Hollis visited his brother, Dr. J. W. Fitzjarrald and family, last Sunday.

Mrs. Dot Bowerman and Miss Jacqueline McMurry visited in Clarendon last Friday.

Mrs. Clarence Stroehle and daughter Betty Jean returned last week from Fort Worth where they visited Mrs. T. A. Paulsel.



RUNNERUP—Frank Foxhall, local golfer, who was defeated Sunday in the finals of the State Championship for left-handers, at Mineral Wells. Bobbie Malone of Fort Worth defeated Foxhall 1 up in 38 holes.

PARNELL

By CHRISTINE TRAPP

Charlie Bruce, Travis and Susie Ray visited Mrs. J. O. Damron Sunday.

Mrs. Annie Crow of Newlin visited Mrs. Golden Welcher Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Price and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tom Drake of Hollis, Okla., visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Morehead Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Berryman and Joe Lloyd visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Berryman at Newlin Sunday.

Mrs. L. T. Winn is ill this week. Mrs. Golden Welcher and Susie Ray attended the show in Memphis Saturday night.

Mattresses are being made at Parnell the first of this week. A party was given by Miss Christine Trapp Friday, June 27. About thirty-five were present and all had a nice time.

James Wise of Estelline is visiting relatives here this week. V. L. McGlocklin has been ill, but is better now.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Orcutt, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Travis, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hill visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer Qualls Sunday.

Mrs. Mae Weatherly visited Mrs. G. L. McGlocklin Sunday afternoon.

LAKEVIEW

By MRS. C. C. CROZIER

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Springer Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Pheaton Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Hinders, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore, and Mr. and Mrs. Dewy Martin.

Mrs. Luther Nabers of Plaska was a visitor with Mrs. E. C. Barnett Sunday.

D. H. Davenport has finished harvesting his wheat averaging better than twenty bushels. He

has made fifty-three crops in Hall County and this is the best crop he has ever harvested.

Miss Maxine Wansley of Amarillo is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith this week.

Lee Roy Scott and R. S. Wansley were visitors in the Charlie Robertson home of Webster Sunday night.

Mrs. B. F. Davis returned home Tuesday with Wanda and Durel Davis of Pampa for an indefinite visit.

Miss Bobbie Barnett was a dinner guest of Miss Juanita Davis Sunday.

Mrs. Oren Syrgley and daughter of near Memphis visited in Lakeview last Friday.

Guy Barnett visited his family Sunday. He has been employed at Groom.

The fifth Sunday afternoon Singing which was held at Lakeview last Sunday was well-attended and the singing was enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Newby visited in the Cartwright home Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Joyce Schilnigh of Childress is visiting her grandparents this week.

Misses Bobbie Barnett, Jean Blanks, Barbara Blanks, Nell Cunningham, Wanda Davis, and Nita Davis, enjoyed a picnic lunch at the Memphis Park Friday afternoon and then attended the show afterwards.

Everyone is rejoicing over the good rains that we are receiving.

Misses Nell Cunningham and Wanda and Juanita Davis spent Sunday night in the home of Oma Lee Davis.

More co-ops have been established in Texas since 1930 than in any other state, with the number more than doubling in the past seven years.

Does Pyorrhea Threaten?

Gums can become mighty trying. Druggists will return your money if the first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to satisfy. (1) TARVER'S PHARMACY

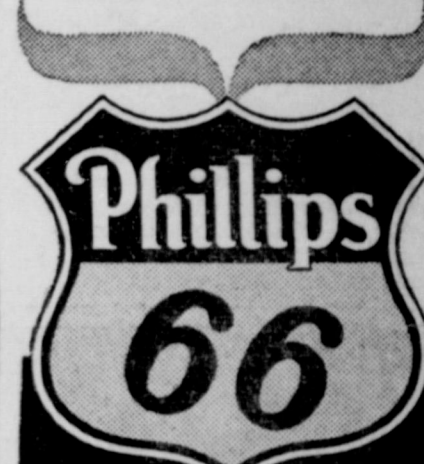
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# Society

### NYA Girls Attend Childress Social And Open House

Thursday evening, June 26, the NYA youths of the girls production center and the supervisor attended a picnic and skating party in Childress given by the NYA youths and supervisors of that city. This was open house day throughout the state for NYA.

Previous to the supper various games were played after which the projects were visited. The displays included a colorful assembly of pottery, hand loomed cotton and string rugs, cotton and mohair weaving, hand carved beds and chairs. All articles showed originality of design and careful workmanship. It was said, transportation was furnished through the courtesy of Joe Findley, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hodges, and Mrs. Ora L. Denny, supervisor of the local project.

### Former Memphian Weds Miss Axelrod In Dallas Sunday

Miss Phyllis Elouise Axelrod, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Axelrod of Borger, became the bride of Jesse Mellinger, son of Mrs. Sam Mellinger of Austin, formerly of this city, in Dallas Sunday, June 29.

### Billie Jean Stroehle Celebrates Her Third Birthday With Party

Billie Jean Stroehle celebrated her third birthday, June 30, at her home on South 7th street. Refreshments were served to Diane Meacham, Bobbie Clair, Peggy, and Patsy Ann Davenport, Mary Frances Whaley, Jean Foxhall, and Judy Curry.

### Plaska Needle Club Meets in Home of Mrs. Harold Hodges

The Plaska Needle Club met with Mrs. Harold Hodges, Tuesday, July 1, with eight members and two visitors present. The afternoon was spent doing various kinds of needle work.

### Homemakers Class Honors Husbands With Lawn Party

The Homemakers Class of the First Baptist Church honored their husbands with a picnic on the lawn of the home of their teacher, Mrs. Byron Baldwin Tuesday, July 1. Tables placed at various points on the lawn were made attractive with many colored flowers.

After the picnic supper was served, games were played with Mrs. Shirley Patrick, chairman of the entertainment committee, in charge, assisted by Mrs. George Thompson and Mrs. Gene Corley.

As the climax of the evening, Rev. B. J. Martin delivered an inspirational talk on "The Difference of the Christian of Today."

Members of the class and their husbands present were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Harrell, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Adair, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cornelius, Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Patrick, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Corley, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Olson Sweat, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Webster, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Earl McPherson, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Dial.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake McCulloch, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cullison, Mrs. Oris Gilbert, Mrs. Charlie Hill, Mrs. Juanita Eudy, Mrs. Lloyd Phillips, Mrs. Harry Womack, Mrs. Hooper Shaw, Mrs. Frank Goffnett, and Gordon and Edwin Gilliam, and Olson Sweat.

Guests were Mrs. George Thompson, Miss Zora Mae Sweatt, Rev. and Mrs. S. F. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. A. Baldwin, Mrs. Bertha Carter, Rev. and Mrs. B. J. Martin of Fort Worth, and Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Baldwin of New Orleans.

## Palace

Thursday Last Day—

John Garfield and Ida Lupino in "Out of the Fog"

10c—FRIDAY—10c  
Clyde Brook in "CONVOY"

Saturday Only—

Arthur Kennedy and Joan Perry in "Strange Alibi"

Saturday Nite Prevue,

Sunday and Monday—  
Joan Bennett and Walter Pidgeon n "MAN HUNT"

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday—

The Marx Brothers in "THE BIG STORE"

## Ritz

Thursday Last Day—

George Tobias and Lucille Fairbanks in "Calling All Husbands"

10c—FRIDAY—10c  
Clyde Brook in "CONVOY"

Saturday Only—

Tim Holt, Ray Whitley in "Cyclone on Horseback"

Saturday Nite Prevue,

Sunday and Monday—  
Geraldine Fitzgerald and Jane Stephenson "Shining Victory"

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday—

Jackie Cooper in "Life with Henry"

### Martha Temple and Z. V. Bates Are Married June 28

Miss Martha Temple of Memphis became the bride of Z. V. Bates of Pampa Saturday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Guthrie of Memphis.

The home was decorated with cut flowers and ferns, the crowning feature of which was an improvised altar before which the bridal party stood.

The bride wore a suit of heavenly blue with navy accessories. Her corsage was of tiny pink roses. The ceremony was pronounced by Judge M. O. Goodpasture, a lifelong friend of the bride and her family. Misses Sue Lynn Guthrie and Patricia Lumpkin of Amarillo presided at the table where the bride's angel cake and iced punch were served to the guests.

Mrs. Betts, who has been working with the Work Projects Administration, resigned her position effective July 1, and has moved to Pampa where Mr. Betts is employed as a civil engineer. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Betts, Judge and Mrs. M. O. Goodpasture, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Crow, Misses Frankie Barnes, Helen Boswell, Faye Rasco, and Mr. and Mrs. Guthrie.

### Former Citizen—

(Continued from page 1)

In 1908 at Paducah and to this union two sons were born. He moved with his family from Childress to Estelline in 1915 where he established himself in the drug business until he moved to Jacksboro in 1939. Mr. Copeland was married to Mrs. Mineola Cowan in Estelline January 22, 1922.

When a young man Mr. Copeland joined the Presbyterian Church in which he served as church school superintendent, class teacher, and steward.

Surviving are his wife; two sons, Thomas Martin of Jacksboro and John Doyle of Lubbock; four brothers, D. T. Copeland, G. W. Copeland, E. M. Copeland of Rogers and J. S. Copeland of Houston; two sisters, Mrs. F. J. Petrucci and Mrs. Lilly Burnett of Rogers.

### Two Women—

(Continued from page 1)

The accident occurred when the Barnett car attempted to avoid another and contacted soft gravel on the shoulder. Mrs. Holcomb received cuts on the hands and bruises while Mrs. Gilliland's arm was broken and her back was injured.

John Holcomb, Miss Corean Holcomb, and Lloyd Ward went to Albuquerque and returned to Memphis with their mother Saturday. John Gilliland left for Albuquerque immediately following the accident to be with Mrs. Gilliland.

### W. J. Bragg—

(Continued from page 1)

Noel J. Edwards, Frank Oliver Perkins, Edwin L. Meacham, James Othell Young, Clyde Ray Johnson, James Edward Faulkner, Lloyd J. Richardson, John Byron Young, and Arthur Lee Stewart, all of Turkey.

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# PERSONALS

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Odom returned Wednesday from El Paso where they visited with their daughter, Mrs. Ney Hale.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Baker were business visitors in Childress Monday.

Miss Thelma Lemons spent last week-end with her sister, Miss Virginia Lemons in Amarillo.

Miss Jessie Headstream of Abilene visited her brother, Ted Headstream and family, here last week. Mrs. Headstream and daughter, Lucy, returned home with Miss Jessie for a visit.

Mrs. C. T. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ragsdale and daughter, Martha, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Williams and children attended a family reunion in the home of Mrs. Viola Wimberly and daughter, Mrs. T. J. Finney, in Amarillo Sunday. Relatives from Hereford met them there.

Mrs. C. C. Tuel of Gilmer is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Hartman this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Garner of Quanah visited Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Partain Sunday.

W. C. Hodges of Clarendon is ill at the home of his mother, Mrs. Alice Towle of this city.

Lynn Harris was a business visitor in Abilene Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Bracken and Webster Terrell of Town Creek, Ala., and Miss Mildred Cofield of Mobile, Ala., visited last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gurley. They reported drouth conditions serious in Alabama, as very little rain has fallen in about eight months.

R. P. Baker and A. Jones spent Sunday and Monday in Oklahoma City, visiting Mr. Baker's sister, Mrs. Lawrence.

Mrs. L. B. Madden went to Houston Wednesday where she will visit a sister a few days. From Houston she will go to San Antonio to study advanced piano and music appreciation at the University of San Antonio. While in San Antonio she will be a guest of her sister, Mrs. A. B. Calder.

Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Baldwin of New Orleans arrived Monday night for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Baldwin. Dr. Baldwin is with a hospital in New Orleans. Mrs. Baldwin will be remembered as Miss Janice Miller, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. E. T. Miller of Corsicana, formerly of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ball and daughter Catherine of Lubbock and Ollie Lee of Pampa visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lee last Sunday.

D. L. C. Kinar made a business trip to Dumas Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Greene, who have been vacationing in California, returned home Tuesday on account of the illness of their son Gayle. Billy Frank Fore of Beverly Hills, Calif., came with them and returned to California Wednesday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fore who visited relatives and friends here a few days.

Mrs. H. C. Crow of Abernathy is visiting friends and relatives here this week.

Travis Arnold and Clifford Young of Camp Barkley at Abilene, left today after a short visit here with Mr. Arnold's sister, Miss Bobbie Dutton of Plaska.

Gilbert Archer of Sentinel, Okla., visited his mother, Mrs. E. G. Archer, last week.

Miss Janey Sue McMurry left last night for Dumas where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Bob Powell Jr., for a few days.

J. E. Archer of Fort Devens, Mass., visited his mother, Mrs. E. G. Archer last week. J. E. Archer will be transferred to Porta Rica when he returns to Fort Devens.

Mrs. Mary Bownds and Mrs. Holt Bownds left Tuesday afternoon for Dalhart where their father-in-law, John Bownds, is seriously ill. His daughter, Mrs. Jeff Rice of Lakeview, accompanied them to Dalhart.

W. S. McCrory returned to his home in Houston Saturday after a visit here with his sister, Mrs. Sid Baker.

Bill Joe Boren went to Dallas Monday, returning Wednesday night.

Sid Baker of Memphis, his mother Mrs. W. R. Baker, and Billy and Vaughn Baker, of Amarillo left Friday to attend the funeral of Mr. Baker's uncle, George Baker, of Honey Grove. George returned Sunday.

Mrs. Willie Key and daughter, Chancey Ruth, of Hedley were business visitors in Memphis Tuesday.

Mrs. Gayle Greene returned Tuesday from Lexington, Mo., where she has been visiting her parents. She returned on account of the illness of her husband.

R. E. Martin Jr. of Paducah visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Martin here last week-end.

Bill Greene was a visitor in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Spence and daughter Deanna arrived Tuesday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. A. B. Jones.

Zeb Moore Jr. of Amarillo spent Tuesday and Wednesday here visiting Burl Springer.

Mrs. Alvis Gerlach, Mrs. Bill McMurry, and Mrs. E. H. Stanford were Wichita Falls visitors Monday.

Miss Francis Sowder of Wellington is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. T. R. Blades, here this week.

Misses Mary Helen Lindsey and Lula Travis attended a district picnic in Childress for United Gas employees Tuesday night.

J. A. McClenon of Gatesville is spending the week with his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Hartman.

### Who's Ill— IN OUR CITY

Miss Charlene Gerlach, who underwent an operation at a local hospital the first of the week, is reported to be doing nicely.

Dow Johnson, who has been in a local hospital recovering from a fall he received a few months ago, was taken to his home here Monday afternoon and is reported to be improving.

Joel Hartman of Memphis, 91, is seriously ill at his home at 14th and Bradford.

E. Melton, 701 North 10th street, is reported to be improving this week. He has been seriously ill for the past two weeks.

Miss Maxine Winegrove, who is in a local hospital, is reported to be suffering with bronchial pneumonia.

Gayle Greene, who has been ill for several days, is reported to be improving rapidly. He is in a local hospital.

### For Rent

FOR RENT—4-room apartment with frigidaire, private bath, air conditioner. Call 115J. 3-1c

FOR RENT—Front bedroom, Noel and 9th. Telephone 266J or 322M, Mrs. J. C. Lamb. 2-3c

FOR RENT—Unfurnished modern 6-room dwelling, 16th and Montgomery. W. H. Moreman. 1-tfc

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, South 7th and Harrison. Phone 240M. 1-3c

FOR RENT—3-room furnished apartment. Close in. Adults only. 202 North 7th street. dh

### For Sale

PEACHES—We are now selling good tree-ripened peaches six days a week at my orchard 2 miles west of Hedley, Texas. W. J. Luttrell. 2-4c

SPECIAL THIS WEEK ONLY, individual Sheaffer-built fountain pens, with the Addipoint feature to fit your personal writing needs. The Democrat. dh

FOR SALE—15,000 started chicks and pullets. All U. S. approved and bloodstested stock. Clarendon Hatchery, Clarendon Texas. 2-5c

DON'T GUESS at postage. Save money with an accurate postage scale—The Democrat. dh

APRICOTS—Will begin picking and selling apricots at my orchard 2 miles west of Hedley 6 days a week, beginning June 30. W. J. Luttrell. 2-2c

ARCH FILES for your invoices will keep them neat and available at all times. The Democrat. dh  
KEEP A NEAT DESK, get a wire basket for filing papers at The Democrat. dh  
Wanted  
WANTED—Married man to work on farm. R. W. Thomas, Silvertown, Texas. 3-4p  
Miscellaneous  
Get Your MATTRESS renovated and cleaned—special prices on inner spring mattresses. Hawthorn Mattress Factory, 400 North 5th Street. 9-tfc  
BOOKKEEPERS—you'll like the new Dip-It Pen—just one dip and it writes 200 words. Get several

### Overplanters Net Cotton Penalty

Cotton farmers of Hall county who are issued red marketing cards because they have overplanted their 1941 cotton acreage allotment will be required to pay a penalty on the excess cotton they market equivalent to one-half the basic loan rate for cotton, Millard P. Brown, secretary of the Hall County ACA, has announced.

The penalty on cotton for the 1941-42 marketing year set at 3 cents per pound of excess cotton marketed. The exact amount of penalty cannot be determined until the final marketing year is over. The state AAA office will advise as to the amount of penalty per pound of excess cotton marketed. The ACA official estimated that the penalty will be about 7 cents per pound of excess cotton marketed.



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### Home Paper

The Voice of the Red River Valley

Call No. 19 re the Hall County Draft boys left Memphis to report for duty at Cavalry and Coast Army post at El Paso, Texas. W. J. Bragg, chief

men who were eligible into the Selective Army are: William Howard No. 188; Willard, Brice, 232; and Brewer, 286, of Memphis.

information re the local draft board, active Service headquarters last week of the armed forces of the United States, to be inducted into the Army, Navy, Air Force, or Marine Corps, will have 31,964 in training under the training and Service to General J. Watt as director.

as for the states, he said, have been re-computed so that the assignments of the armed forces will be distributed as follows: 11,000 in the Army, 10,000 in the Navy, 8,000 in the Air Force, and 2,964 in the Marine Corps.

Page pointed out that a requirement that a "bank account" upon armed forces may draw to time. The latest quota for Texas, on the basis of data May 15, 1941, is 136,400. Against this number, to the 31,964 inducted is credited with 80,140 of the armed forces, which those who entered before the first registration last October as well as have volunteered under Service, General

Walker, Smith, Participate in Out-of-Matches July 4-5-6

Walker of Quanah, Green Belt Champion, Quanah invitation golf tournament played July 4, 5, and 6.

Walker, Jack Walker, O. Murray Dial relocal golfing circles at Dallas tournament. Harris and Smith qualified for championship flight, and Smith drew Jack Walker for three consecutive matches defeating him after which he advanced to the finals and was beaten by "City" Walker who par while Smith was

Walker defeated L. S. in his first match but was defeated by Whitney Anderson in the next one. Walker advanced by defeating O. B. in the semi-finals in connection with Smith was

Dial in his first match over T. Edgar Quanah, 1 up. In the Dial took out Putnam Oke, 1 up on the 19th. The winning streak, led by Richard Newton, up, and in the semi-final, H. Thorne of Childress, the winner of the first round at the turn only to beat him 1 up.

Boy Scouts of this district expected to enter the diving meet to be held morning at the Memorial Pool, according to scout executive of the district.

are expected from Hedley, Memphis, East. In this district meet council meet at Pampa

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