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WHOLESALE GROCER CONTRACT FOR BRICK BUILDING

Wholesale Grocer Co., Shows Faith in As Wholesale Center; Will Build on East Side

H. O. Wooten of Abilene, owner of a number of wholesale grocery stores over West Texas, let a contract Tuesday to T. Kittinger for the erection of a brick building 50x130 feet just south of the Waples-Platter building, that will face Noel street.

Mr. and Mrs. Wooten were here first of the week from their home in Abilene and while here Mr. Wooten bought the lots 100x140 feet and then let the building contract. He is very much sold on Memphis as a wholesaling point and signified that belief by investing in a permanent location.

R. C. Howerton, local manager, says that work is to begin at once on the building, which will be pushed rapidly to completion. The present quarters of the company is just west of the depot.

County Officials Appear Before Hiway Board

The Commissioners court of Hall county met in called session Friday, and an order was passed authorizing County Judge A. C. Hoffman and County Engineer, C. L. Hasie to appear before the State Highway Commission at Austin Monday, February 20. The two officials left Saturday morning for the capitol city, making the trip in Mr. Hasie's car to Fort Worth, and from there they went by rail.

Judge Hoffman is speaking of the purpose of their appearance before the commission at this time, made the following statement:

"The court authorized County Engineer C. L. Hasie and myself to meet with the State Highway Commission Monday, February 20, for the purpose of arranging for paving on Highway Five from Red river in Hall county to the Childers county line. The contract having heretofore been awarded from Red river to the Donley county line, with the paving complete north of Red river to Donley county line with the exception of about three miles north of the river. Work was discontinued on this project because of the extreme cold weather, but will be resumed again about March 1."

OXBOW BRIDGE WILL RECEIVE REPAIRS SOON

The Commissioners of Hall county will meet at the Oxbow bridge across Red river, which is about 20 miles southwest of Memphis, on the road between Lakeview and Turkey, Thursday, February 23, at which time they expect to determine the amount of repairs needed on this bridge.

The bridge is about 3,800 feet long, and the commissioners plan on giving it a general repair, which is sorely needed.

MEMPHIS SCOUT GETS EAGLE BADGE

R. C. Pearson of Memphis was made an Eagle Scout at Amarillo Wednesday. This is the first Eagle Scout for Memphis, and is the highest honor a Scout can receive. Twenty-seven other Scouts of the Panhandle were also made Eagles at the annual meeting of the Panhandle Area Council, held in Amarillo Wednesday.

J. A. Brewer, Rev. C. E. Jameson, G. A. Sager and J. C. Wells represented Memphis in the meeting, which lasted a good part of the day, and closed with a banquet at the Amarillo Hotel that night.

Rotarians And Anns Enjoy a Fine Banquet

Rotarians, Anns, and a few house guests enjoyed a banquet and splendid program at the Masonic Temple dining hall last Friday night. The banquet was a feast to tickle all palates, and was prepared by the ladies of the First Christian church.

D. L. C. Kinard acted as toastmaster and kept the program interesting from start to finish. Mesdames Kinard, Lewis, Fore, Watson, Greene, and Leverett, accompanied by Mrs. Elmer S. Shelley, gave several vocal numbers.

Allen C. Grundy delivered an address on Rotary that was proclaimed as the best ever delivered here.

The Anns were presented with Rotary compacts as favors. Some fun was had with fireworks that scattered favors over the audience. The evening was delightfully spent by all present.

Paul A. James Re-Elected As Vice-President

Paul A. James of Memphis, director of Texas' Gold Medal Band, was re-elected vice-president of the Texas Band Teachers Association and acting president of the western division at a convention held by the teachers at Breckenridge last Monday and Tuesday. Dallas was elected as the convention city next year.

It was decided not to have state band contests at the chamber of commerce conventions this year. Bands will compete at Fort Worth in June for the championship of West Texas and in Greenville in May for the championship of East Texas. The two winners will meet at the Dallas Fair next October for the championship of Texas.

The convention was informed that the West Texas chamber of Commerce had subscribed \$5,000 in prizes to be awarded to bands at the 1928 convention. Mr. James to Breckenridge.

COTTON RECORD BROKEN BY HALL COUNTY FARMER

Makes Nearly Bale and Half Cotton Per Acre

W. T. Davis, living on the Early Galloway farm one mile west of Plaska, broke the record on cotton the past year. He made 84 bales of cotton on sixty acres of land. The bales all weighed more than 500 pounds each. In fact, counting just 500 pounds to the bale he would have made about 88 bales.

Mr. Davis attributes the extra production to early planting. He planted the cotton about the middle of April. Of the 84 bales, 67 were picked and 17 pulled, giving him a good sample on most of the crop which brought him a good price for the crop.

This is a splendid record, especially for a dry year like 1927—nearly a bale and a half per acre—which shows the productiveness of Hall county land.

DEPUTY REVENUE COLLECTOR TO BE HERE SOON

For the convenience of those who are required by law to file Federal income tax returns, a deputy collector of internal revenue will be at county court house in Memphis February 29 to assist taxpayers in preparing their returns. No charge will be made for this service. The matter of filing income tax returns should be given immediate attention, in order to avoid penalty and interest.

BOND ELECTION ORDERED FOR SCHOOL

An election has been ordered by the Board of Education of Memphis Independent school district, for the purpose of voting \$60,000 worth of bonds for the erection of a new school building. The election will be held March 12.

The money will be used in paying for the site, improvements and a ten-room one story brick building. The location has been secured across the street east of the new Country club building, and contains one-half block of land.

The Mercantile Bank & Trust Co. of Dallas has offered to buy the bonds, which are to be 4-3-4 per cent forty year serial bonds, at a premium of \$1.291, provided the election carries.

The building is to be used for the primary and intermediate grades. All who have had occasion to visit the school this year know that more room must be provided, or else Memphis will lose her standing with the state department of education.

Mahan To Ask Death Penalty In Murder Case

F. A. Nave, charged with the murder of Jack Morgan, will be tried in District Court of Donley county before Judge C. C. Small, the trial being set for April 9, according to District Attorney James C. Mahan, who says he will ask for the death penalty in this case. This case has been ordered to Donley county on a change of venue from Childress county.

Nave is alleged to have murdered Morgan in the Smith pasture in Childress county, east of Newell, in Hall county, on or about November 10, 1926, and his body placed under a culvert where it was found January 11, 1927, two months later.

Mrs. Jack Morgan, wife of the slain man, is an accomplice in the case, and Attorney Mahan expects to bring out corroborative and accomplice evidence sufficient strong to warrant the death penalty.

MRS. SUTTON DIES AT ESTELLINE

Mrs. Ludie K. Sutton, 37, died Tuesday, February 21, at her home in Estelline. Funeral for Mrs. Sutton was held at the Baptist church Wednesday afternoon, conducted by the Rev. J. C. Mann, pastor of the Methodist church. Interment was made in the Estelline cemetery.

INFANT DIES

Verga Lee, 12-day-old infant, one of the twins of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Richey, died at their home in Lakeview Tuesday morning, February 21. Burial was made Wednesday afternoon.

The other twin died February 10.

BABY DIES

Hazel Jane, the 3-day-old infant of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. White died Tuesday morning at their home on North Fourteenth street. Burial was made Tuesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. White moved here from Estelline two weeks ago. Mr. White has bought the Memphis laundry.

THELMA MELTON

Thelma Melton, aged 19 years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Melton, died Monday, February 20, at the family home, one mile south of Lakeview. Funeral services were held Tuesday and burial was made in the Lakeview cemetery.

DISASTROUS BLAZE CAUSES THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS LOSS

Dial Elevator and 30,000 Bushels of Threshed Maize Destroyed in Blaze Early Wednesday

Fire starting shortly before 4 o'clock Wednesday morning and believed to have been caused by spontaneous combustion, totally destroyed the elevator building of the W. P. Dial Feed & Coal Co. at a loss of between \$30,000 and \$40,000. Thirty thousand bushels of threshed maize stored in the elevator also burned. The loss is only partially covered by insurance.

Fire boys hadn't been asleep long following their annual banquet Tuesday night when they were called from warm beds to fight a raging fire. The nearest fire plug was at the corner of Fifth and Main and it was necessary to lay more than 1,000 feet of hose to reach the blaze. The West Texan, crack Fort Worth & Denver train, which leaves Memphis for Amarillo at 4:47 a. m., was held up about fifteen minutes before it was safe to break the hose stretched across the tracks.

The fire raged furiously for nearly two hours and a stream of water was kept on it some time after that. Mr. Dial stated Wednesday he was unable to carefully check his total loss but was certain it would be upwards of \$30,000.

SEVERAL CASES DISPOSED OF IN DISTRICT COURT

District court has had its ups and downs this week. Judge Small was well pleased with progress made Monday when four cases were disposed of but said time lost Tuesday when the W. B. McCain jury could not agree more than an offset the good record made the first day of the week.

Here are results of first four days of this week:

Monday—Paul Franklin found guilty of forgery and sentenced to 2 years.

Tuesday—Hung jury in case of W. B. McCain, charged with transporting liquor. He pled his own case.

Wednesday—Hung jury in case of Red Rogers, charged with possessing liquor for purpose of sale.

Thursday—Bert Bird was being tried on charges of possessing liquor for purpose of sale.

The only case disposed of in District Court Friday was a suit in which Raymond Ballew, Studebaker dealer, sued C. A. McElroy for damages growing out of exchange of railroad bonds for a second hand car, plaintiff alleging that defendant misrepresented the value of the stock. Judge C. C. Small, at the close of the evidence, handed the jury an instructed verdict in favor of the defendant.

Kuhn-Caviness Install Large Electric Sign

One of the largest electric signs in Memphis has been erected by the Kuhn-Caviness Motor Co., local Chrysler dealers. It is 14 feet high and 18 inches wide. The word "Chrysler" appears in vertical form on glass panels on either side. Eight electric light bulbs illuminate it.

The sign was built in the Kuhn-Caviness shop and painted by Tipton Sign Service.

MEMBERS OF AMERICAN LEGION AND AUXILIARY HOLD MEETING

The American Legion and the Legion Auxiliary met Tuesday night in joint session. There were about 50 men and about the same number of ladies present. The following program was carried out:

Reading—Little Miss Ewen.

Installation of Auxiliary officers for the coming year, followed by an address—Mrs. Benton.

Address, "Americanism"—Rev. C. E. Jameson.

Aims of the Legion for the Year 1928—H. J. Gore.

The program was enlivened by singing of familiar songs, led by Mrs. Shelley.

Mrs. T. Kittinger was installed as president for the ensuing year. Mrs. Gooch as first vice president, Mrs. Roy Guthrie as second vice president, Mrs. Ewen as secretary, and Mrs. Fitzgerald as chaplain.

After the installation Mrs. Benton, the district director of the Auxiliary from Amarillo, made a very interesting address on the work of the Auxiliary. She told of the condition at the veterans hospital at Kerrville, dealing especially with the families of the veterans. She outlined some of the plans that they are trying to carry out with reference to aiding these people.

Rev. C. E. Jameson gave an inspiring talk on "Americanism." He set before us the meaning of true Americanization, showing us that nationality, religion, or station in life mean very little after all. The true American is the man who is willing to die for his country but more especially he is the man who is willing to live for his country, support her ideals, honor her institutions.

After the meeting refreshments were served consisting of sandwiches, cake, and chocolate.

The number present was very gratifying to all; it was a sure sign that both organizations are alive and working. The "Buddies" who were not there missed something and you are going to miss something every time you are not there. We meet every first and third Tuesday, every third Tuesday with the ladies, and we are going to have something doing every time. If you are not active in our work you are going to miss some big things this year.

It is always the aim of the Legion to stand behind the community in all worthy undertakings. We stand for progress and we are willing to work for progress. There are three special things we have in view for the coming year. We expect the greatest Memorial Day service Memphis has ever had. We are going to stage the greatest Armistice Celebration ever held here. We are sponsoring a community Christmas tree for next Christmas.

The Legion also goes on record as favoring the following bills which are before Congress at the present session. The first bill is one providing for a national (Continued on page 4)

Memphis Takes Another Step Forward!

(An Editorial)

COMPLETION of the Memphis Country Club house is another milestone in this city's progress. That is why The Democrat has set aside an entire section of this issue in honor of an organization that plays an important part in Memphis' social life. Where social life is neglected there can be no great city built and the value of the Memphis Country Club to this community is undisputed. This club affords a place where men and women may know each other better and form contacts that will culminate in lasting friendships. A single tie will bind souls where once dissension existed, and disagreeing factions will go into discard. Now the club has triumphed. A magnificent and commodious \$15,000 club house is completed and ready for occupancy. It is an achievement rarely witnessed in a city of 5,000, but Memphis is famed for doing the unusual. The Democrat rejoices with the Memphis Country Club and sincerely congratulates members on the completion of their spacious and beautiful club home.

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DAIRYING IS ON INCREASE IN PANHANDLE

That dairying is being increased in this section of the Panhandle is evidenced by the amount of cream that is being sold at local stations in the various centers of Hall, Hardeman and Childress counties, according to H. D. Cuykendall, field representative and educational worker for the cotton oil mills of Childress, Quanah, Memphis and Chillicothe and the Gate City Creamery of Childress and Quanah.

At Childress there are about 600 farmers selling cream to three cream stations, including the Gate City Creamery. These 600 farmers are making their living off their dairy cows and having their profit crop each year in cotton.

At Memphis there are large numbers of farmers either turning voluntarily into the business of the farm dairy, or are being diverted by the banks into that channel of work.

At Quitaque the local cream station reports about 125 farmers in its trade territory and 75 of them on the books of the company, bringing in cream regularly. On two days this cream station received 22 10-gallon cans of cream and expected to ship, during February 125 10-gallon cans.

At Turkey, John Sharpe, banker, is turning his customers into dairy farmers. When a man calls at the bank and asks to borrow money to pay for his groceries and dry goods through the summer from this practice. He says that he is not in favor of loaning money for such purposes but that he will loan money for the farmer to purchase a dairy herd so that he can make his own living and have something to show for his investment at the end of the period of time when the note falls due. In this way the farmer is made self supporting. He buys his dairy cows and pays off his note with his cotton crop. He then has his dairy cows to support him the next year without the necessity of borrowing money.

At Quanah great strides are being made in dairying. It is believed that section will make wonderful progress during the next two years. Already the farmers are beginning to adopt the dairy program in increasing numbers and others have evidenced an interest in this work. Hardeman is going to give Childress a hard race for honors in dairying during the next 24 months.

NOTICE TO POULTRY RAISERS

The Hall County Anti-Theft Poultry association will meet at the court house Saturday, February 25, at 2:30. If you are not a member of this association, we ask that you come to this meeting and find out what is being done to stop poultry stealing. Come and help your neighbor in protecting the poultry industry of our county.

SPAFFORD WILL VISIT TEXAS MARCH 2, 3, 4

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 22.—National Commander Edward E. Spafford, of the American Legion, will pay an official visit of three days to Texas on March 2, 3, and 4, Department Commander Walton D. Hood, of this city, announced here today.

Coming from Shreveport, Louisiana, Commander Spafford will go first to Galveston, arriving there at 9:40 a. m. on March 2. After luncheon at Galveston, he will motor to Houston. A banquet will be given in his honor by the seven Legion posts of Houston that evening.

Arriving at San Antonio on the morning of March 3, Commander Spafford will be taken immediately to visit World War disabled veterans in the base hospital at Fort Sam Houston and then will motor to the veterans' bureau hospital at Kerrville. Upon his return from Kerrville, he will be the guest of Alamo Post No. 2.

Plans for the entertainment of the national convention of the Legion to be held at San Antonio on October 8 to 12 will be discussed at length during Mr. Spafford's visit. He will be in conference on housing, entertainment and general details of the convention arrangements with Nat. M. Washer, general convention chairman; Commander Hood, executive chairman of the convention committee; Mayor C. M. Chambers and Phillips B. Stapp, general convention director.

RENEW YOUR LEASE ON LIFE

What would you give to be able to eat a big meal—anything you want—and be free of all unpleasant and disagreeable after effects? Indigestion, sour stomach, foul breath, biliousness, sick headache, constipation, dizziness and all other ailments of a disordered stomach may be quickly banished with a few doses of O-S-A-T-O TONIC, the superior laxative. Sold only on a positive money back guarantee. Buy a bottle today for \$1. If O-S-A-T-O TONIC will not back our claims your dollar will be cheerfully refunded and without question. Tarver Drug Co., "on the corner."

LAKEVIEW SOPHOMORE CLASS ENTERTAINS JUNIORS AND SENIORS

Friday night, February 10, the Sophomore class of Lakeview high school entertained the Juniors and Seniors with a Valentine party at the home of Miss Inez Gosdin. A large number was present, and every one took part in the games. Refreshments of sandwiches, hot chocolate, cake and fruit salad were served. We were very sorry that our sponsor, Miss Fuller, could not be present, but every one present reported a delightful time.

Pauline Smith, Class Reporter.

Henry Webb, of the West Texas Utilities company, returned Sunday from Dallas where he attended a Frigidaire sales meeting.

A. T. Lokey is in Wichita Falls in the interest of the Lokey-Burr extractor.

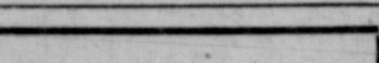
Mrs. Ed Crump of Estelline underwent an operation at the Boaz hospital Monday.



Tired and Achy Mornings? Too Often This Warns of Sluggish Kidneys.

DOES morning find you stiff, achy—"all worn out"? Do you feel tired and drowsy—suffer nagging backache, headache and dizzy spells? Are the kidney secretions scanty and burning in passage? Too often this indicates sluggish kidneys and shouldn't be neglected.

Doan's Pills, a stimulant diuretic, increase the secretion of the kidneys and thus aid in the elimination of waste impurities. Users everywhere endorse Doan's. Ask your neighbor!



AUCTION SALE DOUBLE HEADER

3 Good Farms with improvements, implements and farm tools. 14 head mules and horses, 5 or 6 Jersey cattle, 700 bushels of corn, 175 bushels Burnett Cotton Seed and household goods to sell at

PUBLIC AUCTION, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 29th

One mile west and seven miles south of Turkey. Sale begins at 10:30 a. m.

MOORE AND ROGERS, Owners

W. H. Seale, John W. McDonald, Auctioneers

Special Electric TOASTER OFFER for February

free with each Westinghouse Turnover Toaster purchased during the month of February we will give absolutely free a

HANDY ANN GARBAGE CAN

with self-opening lid and separate inside container, attractively enameled.

RECIPE for CHEERFUL Breakfast

A morning appetite is easily encouraged. There are times when toast or charred toast is almost a necessity. That's why people are turning to toast made electrically, right at the table where it can be watched and served piping hot at exactly the right moment.

A Westinghouse Turnover Toaster brings every convenience of electric toasting to your breakfast table. It takes a full sized slice of bread in each rack; it toasts quickly and evenly toasting and raising the rack turns the slice for toasting the other side. No trips to the kitchen, no fuss or bother. It's truly a recipe for cheerful breakfasts.

Westinghouse Turnover Toaster The Aristocrat of the Breakfast

West Texas Utilities Company

Friday, Saturday, Monday---Three Big Bargain Days MEMPHIS MERCANTILE CO.'S DOLLAR DAY SPECIALS

CHILDRENS TAPED UNION SUITS, 79c VALUE. Sizes 2 to 12 in either girls or boys style, while they last. Dollar Day, 2 suits Limit 4. **\$1**

LADIES \$1.50 HOUSE DRESSES. pretty styles of fast color prints, all new spring styles. Dollar Day, choice Limit 2 to a customer. **\$1**

YARD WIDE UNBLEACHED DOMESTIC. Domestic will be higher so take advantage of this offer. Dollar Day, 10 yards Limit ten yards. **\$1**

CHILD'S RAYON SILK BLOUSE. Sizes 2 to 12 in the new Spring colors. While they last. Dollar Day, 2 for Limit 2 to a customer.

Mens Heavy Work Shirt Triple Stitched, full made, good heavy work shirt. Dollar Day, 2 for Limit two. **\$1**

32-in. Dress Gingham 24 pieces to select from. All new Spring Styles in checks fancies and solids. Dollar Day, 7 yards. **\$1**

15c QUALITY SOFT BLEACHED DOMESTICS Yard wide, soft quality and full bleached. Good value. Dollar Day, 10 yds Limit 10 yards. **\$1**

Ladies Silk Hose Quite an assortment of colors, a real \$1 value. Dollar Day, 2 pair Limit 4 pair. **\$1**

CHILDREN'S 40c BUSTER BROWN HOSE Colors black and cordovan brown. Practically all sizes. Dollar Day, 5 pair While they last. **\$1**

Men's \$1.50 Overalls Good heavy weight and a real bargain at this price. Dollar Day, 1 for Limit 2. **\$1**

40 INCH \$1.49 GEORGETTE SILK Four strand all silk georgette in practically all colors. Dollar Day, yard **\$1**

81x90 Garza Sheets, Dollar Day, Each Limit 2. **\$1.00**

36x42 Garza Pillow Cases, Dollar Day, 4 for Limit 4. **\$1.00**

MEMPHIS MERCANTILE COMPANY

WE SELL FOR LESS MEMPHIS, TEXAS 607 MAIN ST. PHONE 307

Local and Personals

Mrs. Carl Cardwell of Newlin was a visitor here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Huckaby and daughter Mary Sue visited Mrs. Huckaby's sister, Mrs. M. D. Vinson in Childress Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Grundy visited their daughter, Mrs. A. A. Kinard, at Claude, latter part of last week.

John Killian, of Harrison Hardware Co., is having a four room residence built on Twelfth and Grundy streets.

H. L. Griffis closed a deal Monday for the five room residence of L. C. Gober on Seventh and Bradford streets.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Martin went to Matador Sunday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Tom Jameson, which was held in the afternoon. They were accompanied by Alfred and Elizabeth Jameson.

Paul James attended the band teachers meeting in Breckenridge first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Dyer were visitors in Clarendon Sunday. W. B. Dyer accompanied them. He was enroute to his home in Marlow, Oklahoma.

Duard, the two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lafayette Pounds, is very ill with pneumonia at their home on South Fifth street.

Postmaster W. M. Owens attended the conference of Republican leaders in Amarillo Saturday. He attended the luncheon at noon and the business session in the afternoon, both of which were held at the Amarillo Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Palmer have returned to Memphis from White Deer. Mr. Palmer has been in the grocery business there for two years, but recently sold and will likely make Memphis their home again.

George Thompson of Amarillo spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Thompson.

Red Picket fence, all lengths. J. C. Wooldridge Lbr. Co. 20-tf



SOPHOMORES HAVE CLASS PARTY

The Sophomore class of the Memphis high school held its class party Friday night in the gym of the high school building, there being twenty-five present. The evening was spent in playing games. They carried out the George Washington motif in their decorations, using small flags and hatchets.

Refreshments of cherry Bavarian cream and cake were served by their sponsor, Miss Johnnie Christian.

BUSINESS GIRLS BANQUET MONDAY, FEBRUARY 13

The Business Girls club had their regular monthly banquet Monday evening at the White Kitchen.

A Valentine motif was carried out with pink hearts and flowers. Valentines were used as favors. Covers were laid for 16 members.

The Origin of Valentine was given and after that "after dinner chats" were enjoyed by all.

The menu consisted of: Fruit salad, fried chicken, cream gravy, english peas, french potatoes, hot biscuits, hot chocolate, and peaches topped with whipped cream.

Those present were Mildred Harrell, Frankie Allison, Altha Tom Bridge, Bonnie Black, Lura Black, Willie Guinn, Bird Pressler, Joan Bryan, Edna Bryan, Clem Wyatt, Frankie Hamilton, Justine Keeling, Lillian Gull, Madge Poole, and Gladys Hammond.

We were glad to welcome Mrs. Lottie Williams as a new member of the club.

DORCAS SOCIETY TO MEET THURSDAY

The Dorcas society will meet with Mrs. W. E. Johnsey, 203 North Eighteenth street, Thursday afternoon, March 1, 1 o'clock. Each member is urged to be present and bring a quilt design. We want to select a design for a nice quilt also bring material to piece another wool quilt.

Mrs. Dunbar Johnsey, Pres. Mrs. A. B. Jones, Secretary.

MOREMAN-PALMER

Sunday afternoon in the presence of the parents and a few intimate friends, Miss Maye Palmer and Mr. Alvis Moreman were joined in matrimony by Rev. McClung at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Palmer of Almarred.

Miss Palmer is a very lovable girl of fine traits and christian character.

Mr. Moreman is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Moreman of this city and is now connected with the cotton gin at Almarred.

The contracting parties left immediately after the ceremony for Amarillo and other points to visit with friends and relatives.—Clarendon News.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Thompson and children of Hedley spent Sunday here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Neel and Mrs. G. M. Thompson.

W. B. Dyer visited his son E. G. here Saturday. He was enroute to his home in Marlow, Oklahoma, after spending several months in South Texas.

Mrs. Ernest Butcher of Childress spent last week end here with her sister, Mrs. P. A. James.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Kinard and children of Claude visited Mrs. Kinard's parent's, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Grundy, Saturday and Sunday.

David M. Warren, of the Nunn-Warren publications of the Panhandle-Plains country, was a visitor here Tuesday.

C. E. STONE CO.'S

99c SALE 99c

Something Different

Friday Saturday Monday

Here is good news for the thrifty shopper. Below you will find some real honest to goodness values grouped at the low price of 99c

Don't overlook the saving coupon at the bottom of this space. It is worth money to you in addition to the many savings listed. Check the articles you need and bring this ad with you. It is worth 99c

- Engineer Overalls heavy wt. Pr. 99c
- Engineer Jumper, Heavy wt. Each 99c
- Mens Heavy weight Work Sox, Seven pair for 99c
- Mens Tar Heel Sox, 7 pair for 99c
- Leather palm gloves heavy wt. 3 pair 99c
- Canvas gloves, heavy wt., 7 pair for 99c
- Boys Broadcloth Shirts, fancy, solids 99c
- Mens Dress Shirts Fancy patterns 99c
- One Lot Mens Silk Ties, 2 for 99c
- One Lot Mens Belts good values 99c
- Mens Durham Mercerized Hose, 5 pair 99c
- Mens Fancy Dress Sox, 3 pair for 99c
- One Lot Boys Wash Suits, Good values 99c
- Mens Fancy Silk Sox, 65c value, 2 pair 99c
- One Lot Boys Caps good values 99c
- One Lot Childrens Sweaters, sizes 2 to 6, special 99c
- One Lot Mens Dress Caps, choice 99c
- Big Yank Coat Style Work Shirt, heavy weight 99c
- One Lot Mens Ties, silk cut, good value 99c
- Suit Case, Good value 99c
- Heavy wt. Leather work glove 99c
- Mens Khaki Work Shirt, heavy wt. 99c
- Ladies Service Weight Silk Hose, good value, pair 99c
- Ladies Rayon Hose, Pointex Heel, all colors, 2 pair 99c
- Ladies Mercerized Hose, all colors, 3 pair 99c
- 27-in outing checks and plaids, 7 yds 99c
- 32-in. Rayon Gingham, Good value, 3 yards 99c
- Genuine Pomona Cloth, Good value, 4 yards 99c
- Mothers Pride Nainsook. All colors, 3 yards 99c
- 36-in. Pillow Tubing, 3 yards 99c
- Bath Towels, large size, 3 for 99c
- Wash Rags, large size, 12 for 99c
- Small Huck Towels, good value, 12 for 99c
- Fancy Face Towels large size, 5 for 99c
- Toweling, good value, 5 yards for 99c
- Underwear Lingerie Crepe Special, 2 yards 99c
- 32-in. English Prints, fast colors, 3 yards 99c
- 36-inch fancy Linen Prints, 3 yds 99c
- Fancy Madras Shirting, fast colors, 3 yards 99c
- 32-in. Krinkle Krepe, 3 yds 99c
- Grey and Blue Shirting, Heavy weight, 5 yards 99c
- Security Gingham Solids and Checks, 5 yards 99c
- Silk Pongee, pink, blue and green per yard 99c
- 36-in Windsor Prints, new patterns 5 yards 99c
- 36-in. Fancy Cretonne, new patterns, 5 yards 99c
- 36-in. Percales, solids and Prints, 5 yards 99c
- 32-in. Hazel Gingham, fancy patterns, 7 yards 99c

The Spring Exposition of Ladies' Fine Footwear

Honey Beige Kid. Silk Kid Trim \$9.50

Honey Beige Kid. cut out vamp. \$9.50

Black Patent Leather and Satin Pumps \$7.50

Honey Beige Kid. Tan Kid Trim \$6

Black Satin and Patent Leather Pump \$4.95

T-Strap Black Patent Cut out, reptile trim \$6.00

Most women have had explained to them the merits of RIGID shank shoes to support the arch. Also the merits of the very flexible shank shoe to give freedom and necessary exercise to the feet.

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Legion Meeting

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draft law. The bill provides that every man in the United States shall be under the draft and all subject to the same regulations and that they shall all receive the same compensation regardless of whether they are in the active service or at home building ships or such work. The next bill we are in favor of is the bill providing free hospital service for the officers who served in the last war. The enlisted men who served are at present entitled to such service, the officers are not. We believe there should be no differentiation. The other bill we want to see passed is the bill extending the time for making application for adjusted compensation. The bill provides that the time be extended until 1936.

Another move of the Legion, nation wide in scope, is the organization of a baseball team composed of high school boys. The Legion is to sponsor this team. An elimination very much like our Interscholastic League contests is to be held to decide the state champion and then contest between the champions of different states. Finally the contest will be narrowed down to a contest for the national champion. The American and National leagues have set aside \$50,000 for this fund. The Legion has appropriated a large amount also. What we want to get out of this move is a spirit of a clean sport and a clean sportsmanship. We count on it costing us something in time and money but if we can install the above ideal into the boys of this age we will consider the gain much greater than the output.

Firemen's Banquet

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to a reduction of 2 cents which you are not getting. You are charged with 2 cents because you do not have a hook and ladder truck. We do have a hook and ladder truck and should receive credit for it. If our truck is too old or unserviceable to get us this credit let's junk it and make room for efficient equipment.

"Now lets see what all this means in dollars to us. We are short about 33 plugs. These at a yearly rental of \$25 each means a cost of \$825 but is offset by a reduction in premiums of about \$2,400 a year. A pumper with chemical tank will cost about \$9,000 or \$10,000 to write off this investment in 30 years and figuring interest on the cost at 7 per cent and adding the upkeep cost makes a total cost of about \$1,200 a year which is partially offset by a reduction of \$300 in premiums. The balance of this cost is more than offset by having confidence in our equipment to handle any emergency.

"A summary of these figures show that the savings in premiums when this all comes to pass will be about \$11,000 per year and the additional direct cost to

the city will be but \$2,000 a year. These savings do not come into the city treasury but into your pocket, and mine, so in order that we may give a part of these savings to the city so that they can do the things necessary to make these savings for us we need a special tax levy to maintain the fire department."

Assistant Chief Alvis Gerlach spoke on a "Proposed Legislation." Buster Guthrie, secretary, talked on "Fire Hazards," stressing the fact the shingled roof was one of the worst hazards that firemen had to compete with and that it could be eliminated by using proper building materials.

Chief Trent of Clarendon told of the equipment used by that city and that by installing a new water system, a new pumper truck their key rate would be lowered from 48 to 29 cents. Mr. Trent, in behalf of the mayor and other city officials of Clarendon, extended an invitation to the City Council of Memphis to visit their city and inspect the new equipment.

Chief Fitzgerald of Childress introduced Secretary Baker who said that they were proud of their key rate which was only 27 cents. He said also that approximately 80 per cent of their fires were handled by a chemical truck.

Claude Gibson, chief of the newly organized department of Turkey said that they were new in the fraternity of firemen and were there to learn rather than to talk, but as it seemed in order to tell something of the advantages and disadvantages of the speaker's home town he wanted to state that the key rate at Turkey, on one side of the street, of which there seemed to be only one in number, was \$2.50 and \$9.85 on the opposite side. He said further that their apparatus to combat fires consisted of an order, placed recently, for 1,100 feet of hose and a department of hot headed fire boys.

Chief Handley of Wellington said that, like Childress, about 80 per cent of their fires were handled by a chemical truck and that they had a key rate of 34 cents.

J. G. Gardner, who seemed somewhat peeved because he was not the only chief present, represented the city council and expressed their appreciation of having the opportunity to meet with the firemen.

Chief Silas Wood spoke a few words, showing the advantages of a two mill tax in financing the fire department.

The visitors included three from Wellington, two from Clarendon, eight from Childress and four from Turkey. Several of the visitors were accompanied by their wives or lady friends who were entertained at the home of Assistant Chief Alvis Gerlach until after the truck returned from the ill-timed fire at which time a dance was held in the hotel ball room. Music for the dance was furnished by the Iowaians, a six piece orchestra, who also played during the banquet.

Joe Hardy, druggist of Wellington, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

FEDERATED SOCIETY MONTHLY LUNCHEON

The Executive Board of the City Federated Missionary society held its regular monthly luncheon Monday at the home of Mrs. G. D. Beard, followed by the regular routine of business. The president, Mrs. Henderson Smith, opened the meeting with scripture reading followed by prayer, then the house was called to order for the consideration of business. Splendid reports from the various committees were made.

The Civic Committee reported quite a number of signatures petitioning the Citizens of Memphis to pay 25 cents per month for having the garbage hauled off.

The Intercultural committee reported the work in the colored addition progressing nicely the outstanding feature is the circulating library sponsored by this committee also betterment of the school and better sanitary conditions.

The Legislative committee is urging the enforcement of the city ordinances. A motion was made and carried to see the proper authorities in regard to the chicken law as it is time to plant flowers and grass. It is time and money thrown away unless the chicken law is enforced. A clean city is the federation's slogan. A clean city becomes a city beautiful. In view of these facts the federation earnestly solicits the interest and the assistance of those in authority, to enforce all laws that have been enacted for the benefit of our homes, our schools, then we shall hope for the best results.

TARVER DRUG COMPANY SCALDS FOUNTAIN GLASSES

A system that prevents possibilities of contracting a disease by drinking from a soda fountain glass, according to Horace E. Tarver, has recently been installed at the Tarver Drug Co. fountain.

A complete hot water system has been added to the fountain equipment and glasses are run through scalding water after having been used. Under this new arrangement no one drinks from the same glass until it has been sterilized, Mr. Tarver said.

J. Henry Read went to Wichita Falls Tuesday night to attend the Seventh District Bankers convention Wednesday.

Don't fail to see "Help Yourself," a three act comedy, at the high school auditorium, presented by the Junior class, Tuesday evening, February 28.

J. K. GIBSON ANNOUNCES FOR SHERIFF OF HALL

The Democrat is authorized to announce the candidacy of J. K. Gibson for the office of Sheriff of Hall county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

Mr. Gibson has been a resident of the county for seventeen years, during which time he has made the acquaintance of a goodly portion of the voters of the county. For the past eight years he has been in business in Memphis. He was elected as constable at Bridgeport, Texas, in 1910, but moved to Hall county before time to take

office. He served as deputy sheriff under J. A. Pressley in Hall county. He has never asked for an office in Hall county. He desires to state to the voters that he is capable of making Hall county a good peace officer, and promises, if elected, to enforce the laws at all times without fear or favor. Give his candidacy your earnest and fair consideration.

D. A. NEELEY ANNOUNCES FOR TAX COLLECTOR

D. A. Neeley authorizes the Democrat to announce his candidacy for the office of Tax Collector for Hall county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

Mr. Neeley has been a resident of Hall county for many years and is therefore well known to the voters. Most of that time he has been an active farmer, but for the past few years has been engaged in business in Memphis. He is thoroughly conversant with the duties of a tax collector, and promises, if elected, to give his very best attention and service to the office as a servant of the people, and make his administration of the office as economically as possible.

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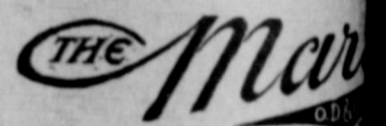
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A delightful musical recital was given by Mrs. Conley Ward, 177 Noel street, February 7. Ward presented in mid-afternoon, Willie C. Wilson and West, two talented little musical numbers were given as were the recital of Tommie Mae Boren, a precocious little Miss pupil of Mrs. Bill How-
expression. Quite a number of friends were present and enjoyed the program.

EVANS-MESSER
February 14, Cleve Evans and Lizzie Messer were united in this city, the ceremony performed by Judge Evans, who resides east of Memphis, while Mrs. Evans, who resides in the Lodge at all her life is a most popular lady.
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WEAVER CLUB
WITH MRS. GRUNDY
A. Grundy was hostess
members of the Mystic
club, and four guests at
Wednesday, Feb. 22.
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all was in keeping with

the day, each lady present answering with "truthful" current events.
The club decided to have an all-day meeting in the near future and a committee was appointed to complete plans.
The afternoon was spent socially. The event furnishing the most merriment of all was when we learned it was not only George Washington's birthday but Clara Barnes' Alice Wood's and Ruby Leverett's also (ages not given).
The hostess presented each of these ladies with a pretty little gift and to show their appreciation each gave a speech.
Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess and a sprig of cherry and hatchet were favors.
The club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Stokes March 7.

BAPTIST LADIES HOLD
BUSINESS SESSION
The Baptist W. M. S. met in regular business session Monday afternoon in the Soldolitan classroom at the church. The president read the tenth chapter of Romans for the devotional and the members discussed different verses. Mrs. Keeney read a report from the executive board meeting of the Federated Missionary society. Reports from the young peoples organizations were good and especially the R. A. and Sunbeam Band reports. Mrs. N. W. Herrington was elected G. A. counselor.

HARMONY CLUB MEETS
WITH MRS. BASKERVILLE
The Harmony club met in business meeting Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. C. Baskerville on South Seventh street. After an interesting business meeting refreshments were served during the social hour.

PARNELL COMMUNITY
CLUB ORGANIZED
Last Wednesday evening, February 22, the women and girls of the Parnell community met at the home of Mrs. J. M. Ferrell and with the assistance of Miss Edna Bryan of Memphis, organized a club for the purpose of "promoting the higher educational, social, moral and industrial conditions of the community."
A short patriotic program was held and Mrs. Bill Bryan of Memphis gave a sketch of the life of George Washington, after which the fourteen charter members present elected the following officers to serve the club for the next six months:
Mrs. Luther Jones, president; Mrs. J. M. Ferrell, first vice president; Mrs. Bob Mothershed, second vice president; Mrs. J. E. Price, secretary; Mrs. Willie Anderson, treasurer; Miss Ruth Morehead, press reporter.
After lovely refreshments were served the meeting adjourned until next Wednesday, when it will be held at the home of Mrs. J. R. Morehead's. Every one in the neighborhood is urged to be present at this meeting.

DELPHIAN CLUB MEETS
WITH MRS. W. S. MOORE
A most interesting meeting of the Delphian club was held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. S. Moore on South Seventh street.
Members answered to roll call with Our Most Enjoyable Meet-

ing. Mrs. J. L. Barnes was leader. "Life of J. M. Barrie"—Mrs. L. M. Hicks.
"Story of the Drama," Mary Rose—Mrs. R. V. West. A contest on George's cherry tree was held by the hostess. Mrs. John A. Wood, winner, was presented a big beautiful birthday cake with 16 candles.
The hostess served a two course luncheon to club members and Mrs. G. H. Hattenbach and Miss Mary Lou Cox, and Mrs. Tom Kennedy of Clarendon, house guest of Mrs. John A. Wood.

SENIOR B. Y. P. U. HAS
ENJOYABLE PARTY
Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Harrison and Evangeline Wilkes were host and hostesses to the Senior B. Y. P. U. of the First Baptist church, February 14, at the Harrison home on Eighth street, the Valentine idea prevailing in the decorations and the lovely refreshments served to 18 guests. Games, jokes and stunts of various kinds were included in, and each one present expressed themselves as having spent a delightful evening.
Those enjoying the hospitality of this home were Misses Radie Moreman, Olive Ruth Ewen, C. J. Goodnight, Opal Adams, Dorcas Ruth Wilson, Mary Ellen Hamilton, Ruth Harrison, Burton Miles, Buster Helm, Alvin Massey, Leon Bullard, Billy Johnson, R. C. Pearson, Lon Webster, Mayo Odom, Wendell Harrison, James Arthur Anthony, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hamilton, and Miss Evangeline Wilkes.

Joe Meacham of Turkey was a business visitor in the city Tuesday.
You get your Hostess Cakes at Womack's Grocery and save time in baking them. 12-1f
Miss Fannie Mae Davenport of Lakeview is reported very ill at the Boaz hospital this week.
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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Greene and sons of Clarendon visited relatives here Sunday.
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C. A. Reynolds is building a beautiful seven room house on North Tenth street. It will have all modern conveniences and will be quite an addition to that part of the city.
Jess Jenkins, manager of the Greene Dry Goods company of Turkey, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Quigley, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Dunbar, Misses Willie Guinn and Mildred Harrell left Tuesday evening for Wichita Falls to attend the Seventh District Bankers convention. From there the Dunbars go to Dallas and the Quigleys to San Antonio.
J. F. Forkner transacted business in Fort Worth a few days last week.

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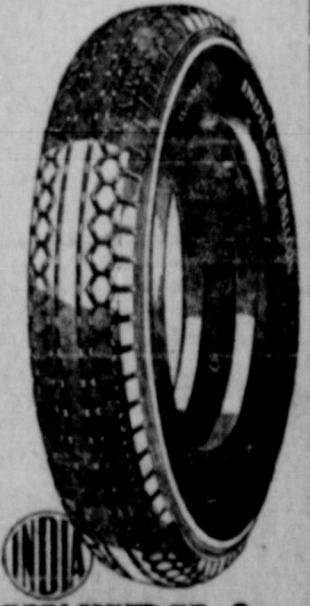
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MANY ATTEND P.T. ASS'N MEETING

The Parent-Teacher association met in regular session Thursday afternoon, February 16, in the high school auditorium. It will go on record as one of the best meetings the association has held and the attendance was gratifying despite the very inclement weather.

The president, Mrs. M. J. Draper, opened the meeting promptly at 3 o'clock. As the next meeting is time for the election of officers the following nominating committee was appointed: Mesdames Kinslow, Foote, Williams and Kinard.

The membership committee reported more than sixty members and new ones coming in every meeting. Mrs. Dycus' room won the picture for having the most mothers present.

The program on Americanization and Citizenship, sponsored by the 1913 Study club, was very interesting. Miss Watson's pupils displayed excellent posters relating to this subject.

The contests in the sixth and seventh grades for the best themes on the subjects, History of Our Flag and How a Foreigner Becomes an American Citizen, were discussed by Arlin Spruill and Mary Luma Rosco but due to Mary Luma's absence Frances K. Wright, winner of second place was pronounced first.

Mrs. T. E. Noel gave an interesting talk on Our City Ordinances and Do We Obey Them? A trio was given by Mesdames Kinard, Davis and Fore, with Mrs. M. McNeely, accompanist.

Mrs. T. M. Harrison's talk on the power of the home in the shaping of a child's character was splendid.

The Delphian club is sponsoring the program for the next regular meeting.

BAPTIST CHURCH

The pastor sends greetings from White Deer, where he is helping in a good meeting. Large congregations have waded the mud and snow to attend the services at the First Baptist church. Many strong men and women have been reached. This church is in a great revival that is reaching the entire town. The pastor will return to Memphis some time this week and will be in his pulpit for both services next Sunday and hopes to meet all of the members in the Sunday school and praying services.

A cordial welcome is extended to all of our friends and visitors to worship with a "Growing Church" at the First Baptist church. Come and worship with us and you will make us happy and shall strive to do you good. E. T. MILLER, Pastor.

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Claims Tenant Farmer Is Loss To Landlord

The landlords of Texas face a loss every year from tenants who stay but a year or so on a farm, according to H. D. Cuykendall, field representative and educational worker for the cotton oil mills of Childress, Quanah, Memphis and Chillicothe and the Gatz City Creamery of Childress and Quanah.

Mr. Cuykendall says that the farm situation is much like the house renting proposition in the city. The city landlord faces a situation wherein about three months out of the year his property is vacant and there is no income. Then, when a new renter moves in the house must be repaired or otherwise fixed up to suit the ideas of the new renter. Then, when that renter moves out the landlord finds that he has torn up certain things that must be repaired.

The same is true, in a general way, on the farm. The landlord must make certain concessions to the new renter. The renter moves on the place with no idea of permanent residence. He is there for just a year or so and then he will move on to some other place. That renter is a detriment instead of an asset. He does not care about building up the soil; he merely wants to get all he can out of the soil the year he is there and then move to some other soil that he can rob. He does not care about keeping up the improvements on the place. He will use the improvements as they are and let the future take care of itself.

This tenant does not care about the betterment of the community. He is not in favor of good roads, good schools or good churches. He will use what the community has to offer him in that respect and let well enough alone. He does not care much about what kind of roads he has to haul his produce to market—he's not a fixture. He does not care about the kind of school his children attend because he's not progressive. He does not give any support to the local church because that farmer is usually not a church-goer.

With it definitely settled that the tenant who changes places every year is not an asset; it then becomes the contrary fact that the tenant who will stay from year to year is an asset. This man is interested in roads, schools, churches and other community institutions. He wants them built up and made better so that he can use them throughout the period of years.

From that conclusion we would learn that any community that wants to secure permanent tenants or a better class of land-owners would first have to make that community a desirable place in which to live. If good roads are placed there; if the school is made the best possible; if the church is all that it should be; then, and not until then, will the community attract the best class of people. Farmers with money to buy land will gladly pay a premium to get to live in a live community like that. Everyone will

SHERIFF FINDS STOLEN CAR

Sheriff Sid Christian received word Friday about 6 o'clock that the Ford coupe stolen from in front of a theatre in Memphis on January 26, 1927, had been located at Wellington, and Don Anderson is held in jail in connection with the theft of the car. The car belongs to Mrs. Bill Pool, nee Madge Christensen.

Anderson and the car were brought to Memphis Saturday by Sheriff Claude McKinney of Wellington. McKinney found four other stolen cars in the possession of Anderson and a pal.

want to go there to rent farms. They are the progressive kind of renters that are an asset to a community.

Coming back to the first argument, the farmer wants to know how he can get a tenant who will be satisfied to stay with him. The answer to that is to see to it that the year's work is made so profitable to the tenant that he will want to remain another year. That can be done by letting the tenant do things that will make him money. If you hold his nose to the grindstone, do not let him diversify, don't let him make any money, he will be only too glad to leave you.

On the other hand, show that tenant that by diversifying and following the cow, sow and hen route he can make money on that farm. Show him how he can make a living off his dairy cows and off the skim milk fed to hogs and chickens. That will let him have his cotton for a cash crop and he'll have money left in the fall of the year in addition to being in a position to make his living at home the year around.

This renter becomes satisfied with his condition and wants to remain on that same farm to become an asset to the community and to his landlord. He is a man who will make money for the owner of the farm and at the same time that he makes money for himself.

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When the time comes that the farmer makes more money, he brings about a period of general prosperity for, when he has money to spend the merchant prospers, the business man does well and everyone gets a portion of the money that the farmer spends. With the one-crop system of farming there are years of plenty and then there are lean years. When the farmers learn to diversify and to operate a dairy herd, there will come constant and continued prosperity for everyone.

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NOTES OF LAKEVIEW SCHOOL

Team Loses Game and One From Hedley
 Hedley girls went to review, February 9, defeated by the star Hedley high school, but was turned when the team met them on their field, Wednesday afternoon 15, and defeated 24.

They team staged some playing throughout the Lakeview girls other and did as good playing as has been season. Credit for the hardly be given to any Ola Mae Strygley, all-around because of a hold her opponent to Louise Cunningham running center.

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SCHOOL LAW TESTED BY JUDGE AT GROESBECK

GROESBECK, Feb. 21. (UP)—
 A test of the law giving county boards of education power to consolidate school districts will be made on the appeal from the decision of Judge W. R. Boyd in district court here.

Judge Boyd held that the county board was without power to consolidate, on grounds that the legislature had no power to delegate it to the school board.

The decision was given in making permanent an injunction against the Limestone county board in a consolidation it voted for the Marx Chapel district with the Ben Hur district. The board will appeal.

general assembly period next Sunday evening at 6:30.

All the young people are urged to be present.
 ORA LEE BRAY, Director.
 —LHS—

We are happy to know that Mrs. Bowerman is rapidly recovering. Mrs. Bowerman has been seriously ill for some time and her leadership in the different activities has been greatly missed.

—LHS—
 Owen Loyd, who has been in Memphis taking treatments for the past two weeks, has returned home. Owen has been taking active part in school activities and his absence has been felt. We are happy to have him with us again.

—LHS—
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Wide as they are separated, these heroes of the two great crises of our national life stand together in representing solvent powers, inspiring processes and the hopeful opportunities of American liberty. One of them coming from the top and the other from the bottom, to the presidency of the United States superbly il-

lustrates the fact that under our institutions there is always a place and always a time, regardless of the discouragements of origin or of youth for grit, pluck, ambition, honesty, and brains.

These great men have passed from our view, but they have left to us a grateful people, the richest legacy which man can leave to man—the memory of illustrious names and the inheritance of great examples.

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NOTICE

In the future I will be in Memphis Thursday and Sunday only. My assistant will be in the office at all times to make appointments for these days. Believing it best for myself and patients I have thrown my books away and all work in the future will be strictly cash. However, prices will be reduced accordingly. Tonsil work will be \$35. Glasses from \$2 to \$4 less all cash.
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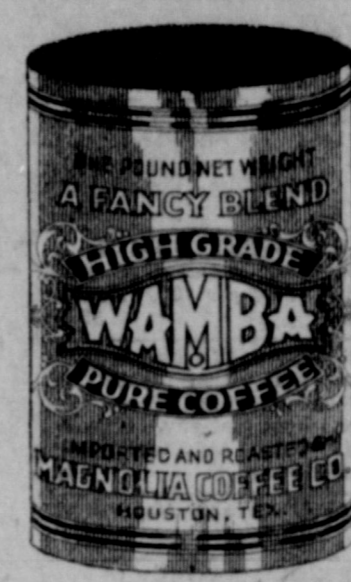


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Don't fail to see "Help Yourself," a three act comedy, at the by the Junior class, Tuesday evening, February 28.

Horace E. Tarver is letting a contract this week for the erection of a modern home on his Whaley Addition property in Northwest Memphis.

R. D. Turner of Enzy, N. M. is visiting his daughter, Mrs. W. E. Billington of Memphis. Mr. Turner owns a farm near Enzy, 44 miles southeast of Portales near the Texas line, but the altitude there is too high for him. He will spend three or four weeks in this climate before returning.

Local and Personal

Miss Grace Leverett is still very ill at the Memphis hospital.

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Mrs. Tom Kennedy of Clarendon is house guest of Mrs. John A. Wood this week.

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Miss Edna Key of Clarendon, county home demonstrator, is here today visiting Mrs. W. S. Moore.

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A. C. Hendricks of Lubbock is a business visitor here this week.

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Editor and Mrs. Deskins Wells of the Wellington Leader were visitors here at the Country Club opening Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. S. P. Vineyard of Amarillo visited his sister, Mrs. J. C. Wells Wednesday.

If your clock needs repairing, see W. S. Hale, 615 North Twelfth street. 35-2p

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Ballew of Vernon visited old friends here latter part of last week.

Mrs. King Stephens of Wellington came to Memphis Tuesday afternoon to be with her father, R. L. Slaton, who has been confined to his home, due to illness, for the past several days.

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C. D. Ardery and Don Wright made a business trip to Amarillo and Pampa first of the week.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wilson are the proud parents of a fine baby girl, born early Wednesday morning at their home in Memphis Heights. The new girl has been christened Betty Sue.

Hostess Cakes at Womack's Grocery. 17tf

Mrs. W. E. Conwell and son Omer of Pampa came Wednesday for a visit with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Lafayette Pounds. James Wimberly returned to his home in Decatur Wednesday after a visit with his daughter, Mrs. J. W. Slover.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Colbert of Paducah, visited in the home of his brother, C. L. Colbert, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Thompson returned Tuesday from a business trip to Wichita Falls. They visited R. N. Johnson poultry farm and the Lokey-Burr Extractor plant while there.

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Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Jameson returned from Matador Tuesday where they had been at the bedside and attended the funeral of their sister-in-law, Mrs. Tom Jameson, which was held Sunday afternoon.

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Fable—Cutting a Melon.

Comedy—Vendors of the World.

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"TEXAS TORNADO"

A big western bill featuring Tom Tyler and his Pals.

Serial—Hawk of the Hills, 8.

Comedy—Mickey's Pals.

Monday and Tuesday

"THE HEART OF SALOME"
A colorful story of adventures among the salones of Paris, with Alma Reubens in the role of siren.

Comedy—First Prize.

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Wednesday

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NINETY BELONG TO CLUB NOW; WILL ADD TEN

Here is a list of members of the Memphis Country club, prepared for The Democrat by Harry Delaney, secretary of the club. Directors recently voted to receive ten additional applicants but their memberships have not yet been approved. They will be admitted as soon as the club's charter is amended.

- Bailey Gilmore
- R. S. Greene
- A. C. Grundy
- R. F. Garrett
- George Greenhaw
- J. L. Haas
- T. M. Harrison
- T. T. Harrison
- S. T. Harrison
- C. L. Hasie
- E. N. Hudgins
- Buster Helm
- Robert Henderson
- Irvin Johnsey
- Omer Johnsey
- Oren B. Jones
- P. A. James
- D. L. C. Kinard
- D. Max King
- J. E. King
- Will Kesterson
- J. R. Leverett
- R. C. Lemons
- T. L. Lewis
- M. McNeely
- Sam H. Moore
- C. C. Meacham
- S. S. Montgomery
- C. G. McCleery
- T. E. Noel
- Ira W. Neely
- W. M. Owens
- A. Owen
- J. A. Odum
- Geo. L. Pounds
- Frank Phelan
- Lee Pope
- W. B. Quigley
- R. L. Ragsdale
- J. H. Read
- Lee Rushing
- E. S. Shelley
- C. L. Sloan Jr.
- J. H. Smith
- M. G. Tarver
- H. E. Tarver
- Ed. Teer
- Glynn L. Thompson
- R. V. West
- S. T. West
- V. O. Williams
- W. Wilson
- Frank Wright
- Mrs. E. C. Walker
- Tom Wilson
- R. H. Wherry
- J. A. Brewer
- J. R. Ballew
- G. D. Beard
- H. L. Boren
- J. D. Browder
- R. E. Clark
- A. J. Clower
- O. M. Cosby
- Burnett Cox
- B. E. Davenport
- John M. Deaver
- H. H. Deaver
- H. D. Delaney
- T. C. Delaney
- W. P. Dial
- W. P. Dickson
- M. J. Draper
- T. J. Dunbar
- O. V. Alexander
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- Frank Foxhall
- H. A. Finch
- Sam B. Foxhall
- C. A. Powell
- W. C. Dickey
- R. E. Stroup
- Robert Johnson
- Frank Fore
- A. S. Moss
- E. P. Thompson
- M. E. Allen

Two Good Ones



Here are two more well-known golfers, Harry Cooper (left) and Tommy Armour (right). Of course they don't belong to the Memphis Country Club but we bet they'd wish they did if they could see that peach of a club house.

covered bales which were shipped to Germany, more than 400 pounds of the cotton bagging was stripped from the bales and garnetted, to determine the approximate reuse value of such bagging. The value assigned to this garnetted cotton bagging waste by a large waste concern on January 25, 1928, was 10 to 12 cents per pound. The report states that fiber salvaged from used cotton bagging may be reused, either alone or when mixed with other lowgrade cottons, in the manufacture of cotton bagging, osaburg or other coarse fabrics or articles usually made of low-grade cotton and waste. The loss in garnetting was estimated to be less than 2 per cent.

Summarizing the results of the study, the department says: "Cotton bagging may be manufactured from the lowest grades and staple lengths of cotton produced in the United States, and can be manufactured from high-grade waste.

Cotton bagging, as manufactured at present, makes a very suitable covering for cotton bales.

It is reasonable to suppose that a better method of spinning yarns and weaving the cotton bagging fabric may be developed by experimentation and the cost of production consequently lowered.

"Ordinarily, cotton bagging costs more than jute bagging, but in 1926 it was cheaper because the demand for cotton bagging would probably force the price of jute to unusually low levels. Decided economics in transportation and insurance costs would also result from the use of a lighter weight bagging.

"A strong, light-weight cotton bagging of standard construction and weight would tend to obviate the disagreeable and costly practice of challenging and taring American cotton in spinners' markets at home and abroad.

"Cotton lint does not adhere to cotton bagging so tenaciously as it does to jute bagging. The lightest weight of cotton bagging thus far tested is superior to 2-pound jute bagging and to the burlap covering commonly used on the Egyptian bale, which has the reputation of being the most attractive cov-

ering now entering the world's markets.

"The use of cotton bagging for cotton appears to depend upon the manufacture of a light-weight

MUST AMEND CHARTER FOR NEW MEMBERS

At a recent meeting of directors of the Memphis Country club it was voted to accept ten new members, raising the membership to 100. Before the new members can be admitted, however, the charter must be amended as it was secured for a membership of 90.

"This move was not made for financial reasons," Secretary Harry Delaney stated. "Original plans of the club called for 100 members but only 90 were sufficiently interested in the organization up to several months ago."

FIRE DEPARTMENT IS ORGANIZED AT TURKEY

TURKEY, Texas, Feb. 19.—Turkey's first volunteer fire department has been organized. Claude Gibson was elected fire chief, with H. M. Green as assistant chief. Twenty-nine volunteer members were signed up and several others are yet to join. The department will meet all the requirements of the state insurance commission, in order to receive the proper reduction in fire insurance rates.

cotton on the basis of its net weight in the markets of the world, including local markets, to obviate the losses which would result from the use of a light-weight bagging when settlements are made on the basis of gross weights."

We Congratulate THE MEMPHIS COUNTRY CLUB

on the occupancy of their very attractive club house. It is a building of which all Memphis as well as club members themselves may feel justly proud.

The Memphis Cotton Oil Co. Extends Best Wishes to The Memphis Country Club

MEMPHIS COTTON OIL COMPANY

TESTS SHOW COTTON BAGGING BEST COVERING

The superiority of cotton bagging as compared with jute as a covering for American cotton bales has been demonstrated from a physical standpoint by the United States department of Agriculture in test shipments of cotton to Germany and return to the United States.

Four weights of cotton bagging designed by technologists in the division of cotton marketing and woven in the cooperative testing laboratories at Clemson college, South Carolina, and North Carolina State college were used in the tests. The lightest weight cotton bagging compared very favorably with jute. A representative of the department reported from Hamburg that "the bales covered with cotton bagging were much neater and in better condition generally than those covered with jute bagging."

Breaking strength tests were also made of the cotton bagging and these tests together with the shipping test indicate, says the department in a report on the experiments, that "from the viewpoint of durability, protection to the cotton, and neatness, cotton bagging is a more suitable covering for the American cotton bale than is jute."

After the return of the cotton

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Plumbing and Gas Fitting in the New Country Club Building was done by us.

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Every Job Guaranteed!

We congratulate members of the Memphis Country Club on the completion of their fine new home.

Angus Huckaby

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CELOTEX is a sound-proof pulp composition especially designed for walls and ceilings and should be investigated by everyone interested in any sort of building project.

We also furnished part of the other building materials used in the construction of this fine structure. We are proud to have had a part in the erection of such a beautiful building as the Memphis Country Club house. Congratulations to members on the completion of their new club home.

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MEMPHIS CLUB MEMBERS WIN MANY TROPHIES

Memphis Country club is about trophies, in fact it has credit quite a number of them.

The first Green Belt association was at Quanaah two years ago. Sam West won a cup as champion in the first flight.

Second year at Electra Sam West won his winning in the first and G. D. Beard won the third flight. Frank J. was medalist. The representative at Electra was West, Raynes West, Foxhall, Jr., Pete Clower, and G. D. Beard, Rufus

Sam cup offered at the Country Club Invitation has been captured by two years in successive more winning will give this club permanent position. Two years ago, Raynes West, Frank J., and J. C. Ross composed Memphis team; last year West, Carl Harsh, Foxhall, Jr., and Tom

of the local champions of the past four years are—Sam West, winner; runner-up.

year—Raynes West, C. Ross, runner-up.

year—Raynes West, West, runner-up.

year—Raynes West, Frank Foxhall, Jr., runner-up.

and Texans

WILL H. MAYES
Austin, Texas

Good to Visitors
The state of Texas looks prospective for visitors enter Texarkana and travel El Paso, whether they decline and go out at wherever they go, inviting look of prosperity indication of a contented people.

from the North region me: "Your state good to me from all directions to I can't understand so much good land I had to try to that Texas is just almost impossible that it is easy to like Indiana or like, but not so with

County Wants Two
Counties would be one cotton mill, but group of plants and farmers in Wood county, decided to start a secure two textile county. A committee to select the plan for

Clyde Grow
Enterprise explains is growing and are all so contented. There are many hogs and chickens in the town as there ago. "Yes, and more than one-fifth out of the county we ought to hear the Enterprise able to tell about

County Seat Election
Gray county will have an election March 9, to vote on moving the location of the county seat to a more appropriate place. Pampa has by far the largest voting population, and at this distance seems in position to win over Alanreed and McLean, the other places named as contesting points. Pampa is one of the young but progressive young Panhandle cities.

Build Community House
The civic clubs of Pharr will unite to build a community house for all the clubs of the town and for the use of any other organizations that may need a large hall for their meetings. Such a building increases the "get-together" spirit of a town, and where there is united action it can be constructed with little difficulty.

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Bobby



Where is the golfer who hasn't wished he could play a game like Bobby Jones? Bobby is called the marvel of all time on the links.

J. C. Ross was telling some friends about the way he made his far-famed hole in one.

"Ever hear of Bobby Jones?" one of his listeners asked.

"Oh, yes," J. C. replied. "he's a pretty good player, too."

the increased number of cows.

Floydada Wants College
Gunter College, after twenty-five years in Grayson county, will be moved "out west," where colleges are not so crowded and there is more room for expansion. Floydada is making a strong bid for the school, which it would locate on two sections of land, of which 30 acres would be used for the campus, 200 acres for farm demonstrations and experimental work and 1,000 acres will be cut into 10 acre tracts from which it is expected that revenue would come to care for the needs of the school.

Making City Beautiful
Longview women have started a campaign to make their city the most beautiful in East Texas. There is a suggestion in that for making every Texas town beautiful. Why not organize a "City Beautiful" club in each senatorial district, and offer prizes for the most beautiful city in each district. Some enterprising and public spirited publication might sponsor such contests if the matter were presented to it.

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Club's Name Figurative

The Memphis Country club, in the literal sense, is not a country club at all. In fact it is well within the city limits—just one block from the pavement.

That is one feature golf widows object to. The links are so convenient, they claim, they scarcely see their husbands except at breakfast time and noon.

On the other hand, the golfers appreciate such an arrangement. No time is lost, they explain, in driving several miles before they can get into action. And besides it's really the big time way, they point out, and cite for example metropolitan courses where large cities have grown entirely around country clubs.

A GOLFER'S SONG

(After James Hogg)
Where the fairway's smoothly shorn,

Where no threatening bunkers yawn,
Where the prospect's fair and free—
That's the way for my ball and me!

Where no wild, luxuriant "rough"
Fosters herbage thick and tough,
Where looms no obstructing tree—
That's the way for my ball and me!

Where no hidden rocks are found,
Where you can't slice in the sea—
That's the way for my ball and me!
Where the "tiger country's" worst,
Where the sandhills most are cursed,

Where the brambles scratch your calves
(Note: we don't do things by halves!),
Where the biggest gorse clumps grow—
That's the way we always go!

—E. L. Roberts.

adding much to the wealth of the state. Every Texas builder who uses granite or marble in a building should specify that Texas products must be used.

Making Industrial Survey
Industries and business are no longer located in the old haphazard way of starting with little

Former Champ



A close-up of George Von Elm who defeated the famous Bobby Jones for the national amateur championship in 1926. But Bobby came back—and how!

or no thought for the need of such interprises. They now want to know the volume of business that reasonably may be expected. Marfa, the thriving town of Presidio county, is having an industrial survey made by its chamber of commerce and will be prepared to show in what lines development should be made.

Admitting Its Failures
The Pearsall chamber of commerce did an unusual, if not original thing in pointing out, in its annual report the failures it had made as well as the successful efforts. The report showed the organization to be "studious to please, yet not ashamed to fail." If we are wise, we profit by our mistakes. The failures of 1927 may be turned into the successes of 1928.

High Society Athletics
Many a woman's vaulting ambition keeps her husband on the jump.
How about her golf career?

Waitress (pleasantly)—Very nice weather today, sir.
Absent-minded Diner—All right bring me some.

WILL PLAY FOR CHAMPIONSHIP OF BASKETBALL

AUSTIN, Feb. 22. (UP)—Eighteen district basketball championships will be decided this week end. Eight of the tourneys were held during the past week.

Several bi-district matcehs to determine winners to enter the state interscholastic tournament at Austin March 9 and 10 will also be decided.

Alpine district will send its winner direct to the state tournament, because of its large territory.

The other districts have been designated to meet in the following clashes:

- Canyon district winner vs. Lubbock district.
- Childress district vs. Wichita Falls district.
- Paris district vs. Texarkana district.
- Greenville district vs. Denton district.
- Abilene district vs. Stephenville district.
- Hilsboro district vs. Waco district.
- Nacogdoches district vs. Slo-cum, winner of the Huntsville district.
- Beaumont district vs. Houston district.

Kerrville vs. San Marcos district.

Uvalde district vs. Brenham district.

Kingsville district vs. McAllen district.

"How does Winnie always have so much more spending money than we have?"

"Her uncle is a golf-ball manufacturer and her brother is a professional. She only has to pay green fees."

Oh, for a beaker of "Old Yale," But, since it is a drink we shun, Bring on your case of ginger ale! At last I've got a hole in one!
—N. R. Jaffray.

We Rejoice

with the Memphis Country Club on the completion of a club house as fine as any in the Panhandle. It is a thing of beauty and we are sure it will be a joy forever. Ross Clothing Co., extends best wishes to all members of the club.

We'll Be Glad

to show you

Knickers, Sox, Golf Shoes

—in fact anything in wearing apparel for the golfer.

Ross Clothing Co.

THE MAN'S STORE

Years Ago--

A Studebaker buggy and a croquet court were necessary to make one happy.

Now--

It takes a Studebaker automobile and a membership in the Memphis Country Club to lead a joyous life.

We Congratulate

the Memphis Country Club on the completion of their new club house. It greatly resembles a Studebaker — Stately, Graceful and Sturdy.

Raymond Ballew

When Better Automobiles Are Sold Raymond Ballew Will Sell Them

OUR HEARTY CONGRATULATIONS

to members of the Memphis Country Club. If you'll pardon the slang, we think the new club house is a 'dinger.' Whenever you can't find Alex at the store just call at the country club.

Look your best, Club Members — Send your clothes to us for Cleaning and Pressing

ALEXANDER'S STOAR

PEERLESS and BROOKS BURNER GAS HEATERS

at the Memphis Country Club were furnished by us. Vaporizing water container with the Peerless gas logs makes an unusually efficient heating unit.

We extend hearty congratulations to the Club on completion of its beautiful new home

HARRISON HARDWARE CO.

WE ARE PROUD

of the Memphis Country Club and its beautiful club house just completed.

Most hearty Congratulations and sincere Good Wishes

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TOWN DEVELOPMENT

IT USED to be frequently said in smaller towns, that it is the business of a good citizen to mind his own business, keep out of debt and avoid breaking laws. It was commonly thought that if he did that, it was about all that could be expected of him, and he was conforming to the ideals of good citizenship.

But a community's development cannot be promoted in these times on any such limited basis. The fact that so many smaller town people still have this spirit, and expect to get along without doing anything in particular to boost community movements, is one of the principal reasons why some towns do not get ahead faster.

Some must take hold and carry on the work of churches and fraternal societies. Some of the men with a special head for business need to work in some organization for the commercial and other needed development of the community. Some need to work in clubs for educational purposes, and for more interesting social activities. There is something that each one should do and we must all take hold to do something in these public lines if we expect that a town is going to keep up with the game.

People should not act as if they were making a great sacrifice if they devote a little of their time to such purposes. We should love our home town so much, we should be so ambitious to see it go ahead, we should be so conscious of the gains that people who have initiative or ability or industry, should be willing to give some time each week to helping forward such causes.—R. E. S.

BETTER TRY SOMETHING ELSE

THE ADVICE "don't kill a child," posted on signs around the school buildings by the Panhandle Auto Club, is good. But good advice is not always heeded, as evidenced by the fact that many continue to drive by Memphis school buildings at a high rate of speed. A continuation of this policy is almost certain to result in a regrettable accident. If signs of warning have no influence on the speeder, other steps should be taken.

Safety Clubs have solved this problem in many cities. These clubs have as members school boys from about fourteen years up and in some instances they are organized exclusively of boy scouts. Safety Club members patrol streets surrounding school buildings during recess periods and at noon and stop all motorists who attempt to drive too fast. The city co-operates and assesses fines sufficient to keep the offenders from repeating the act.

A still safer plan is to close the streets while children are on the school grounds. Three or four blocks could probably be spared from traffic an hour and a half a day and it's a cinch careless drivers cannot endanger the lives of children if the streets around our school buildings are barricaded while the youngsters are at play.

The "don't kill a child" signs are as good as they are terse, but if they don't get results why not try something else?

SMITH AND RITCHIE

DR. NICHOLAS MURRAY BUTLER, who knows so much about the East and so little about the South, said recently that the Democrats would nominate either Governor Smith or Governor Ritchie, both avowed wets. He says the Republicans should not make the mistake of underestimating the strength of these candidates.

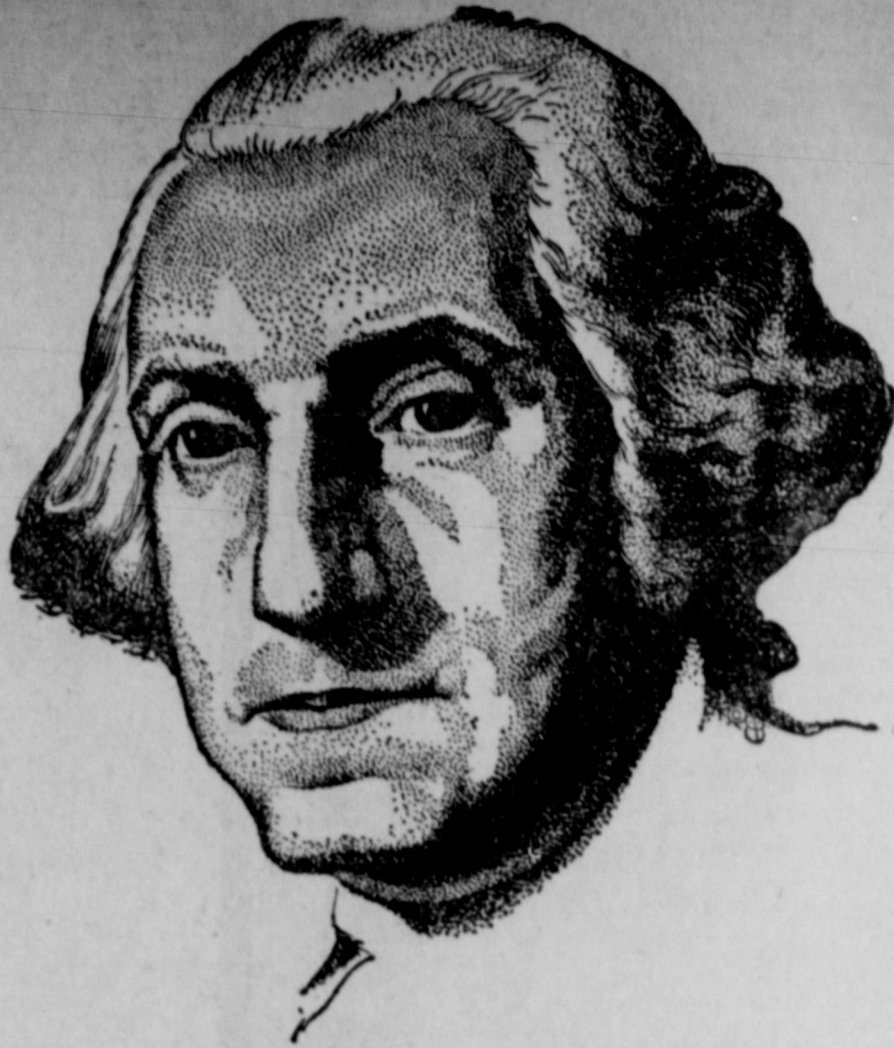
These men would make strong candidates in the East, but the Democratic party, on its part, should not make the mistake of overestimating the strength of these men in the South. If they are nominated many states of the South will be found in the Republican column when the election is over. The Solid South is a political phenomenon that has stood the test of years, but there are some barriers it will not jump. Smith seems to be such a one.

GOOD TREATMENT

WEATHER GODS have been mighty good to old Hall county lately. They sent us a wonderfully mild fall for gathering crops and now they're graciously sending moisture to season mother earth for next season's production. Every dog has to have his day and these seem to be dog days for Happy Hall County. Nothing since the mortgage was paid has pleased farmers more than last week's snow, estimated at from four to six inches. Add to that additional moisture received this week and one cannot help but be optimistic about coming crops.

PROGRESS CONTINUES

MEMPHIS is in the midst of much new building. A number of residences are going up, one business building is in course of construction and there are good prospects for several more. Spring development is more intensified just now than it has been in several years and such conditions give an indication of general prosperity in 1928.



"The unity of government which constitutes you one people . . . is a main pillar in the edifice of your real independence, the supports of your tranquillity at home, your peace abroad; of your safety; of that Liberty which you so highly prize."
—Washington.

This and That

By L. E. R.

If he goes out of his way to speak to you—whether he ever saw you before or not—he's a candidate. Vote for him.

Our argument for more advertising:

- EVENTUALLY—Your business will be advertised.
- BUT—Why leave it to the sheriff.

Statistics say there are 1,200,000 Smiths in the United States. We'll see how many of AI's kin stick by him.

In case the New York governor should be elected president by an overwhelming majority would you call it a Tammany haul?

The Hall County Half-Wit says



It's ten times easier to charge something than it is to pay for it. A blind man can tell more quickly when he's stepping in a hole than lots of fellows who see with both eyes.

The instigator of this column has asked help in finishing it this week, and the improved style that starts with this paragraph should be an indication that this is not his writing.

We welcomed the opportunity of addressing the vast audience known as Democrat readers, for we want to tell them a few plain truths about the conductor of This and That. He owes us \$5 that he has refused to pay and furthermore he refuses to pay and furthermore he refuses to pay the interest. The time he spends trying to avoid payment of his debt could have been used to get this copy in by last Friday. The only thing we can think of that would be better than getting copy for this offbeat of literature in on time would be to leave it out entirely. That would spare both the printers and the readers.

We don't know very much about Lee Pope, but there must be something wrong with him or he wouldn't hold L. E. R. in such high regard.

facts

about The Democrat
The Democrat represents a financial investment of \$16,000. Improvements last year totaled \$1,500.

LET'S CHAT AWHILE

By Dorothy B. Robbins

The picture of Admiral Andrews presenting a cane to the governor of Massachusetts in a recent Memphis Democrat decided my chat for this week. I had a son who spent nearly two years on European waters with Admiral Andrews so early last year when I received a clipping in semi-cartoon form of a drive to rehabilitate "Old Ironsides" I had a feeling that I might help, so writing to the admiral I received permission.

I have gone into many foreign ports, in spirit, before and after the World War and ships have played a considerable part in my life. Let's chat awhile about our historical old keeprake. The best known ship of the American Navy is to be reconditioned by the school children of the country; perhaps Memphis school children have already done their part, but so far I think only the larger cities of Texas have awakened to the call of "Old Ironsides." There is yet time for all to participate for not until the year 1929 will the work be complete.

The official name of "Old Ironsides" was "The Constitution," never has any nation shown a ship of such patriotic appeal. Her keel was laid in Hart's shipyard in Boston in 1794. When her second trip was made to her birthplace in 1834 there was such a demonstration, with national ensigns and flying flags, as this old frigate deserved. When under the command of Captain Isaac Hull of 1912 fame she safely entered dry dock. In 1927, 94 years later, she again entered the self same dry dock to undergo repairs, bringing another memorable day in Boston Navy Yard and a gathering of distinguished men.

Now more than three decades past a hundred she is in a sad state of decay, there has been considerable difficulty in safe docking and naval circles have worried. In 1906 when repairs were made she was kept afloat as docking was considered unsafe. Her timbers at present are in a much worse state of decay and the usual keel blocks have needed to be supplemented by masonry that holds the old ship securely. Admiral Andrews, who is chair-

man of the national committee, has found a few shipbuilders of the old school who understand the work so well that "Old Ironsides" when afloat will be strong as in the hey day of her youth.

Many patriotic men and women of means could easily have contributed to the reconditioning of this old treasure, but the commission desired the children of the country should be given an opportunity to help. Heroism and daring as combined in "Old Ironsides" carries the acme of appeal to youth.

I have a beautiful picture of the ship from a painting by Gordon Grant and am sending today for one for the Memphis high school to be framed and hung as a reminder of what our navy means to us.

Song of the Boys and Girls Who Are Helping to Rebuild "Old Ironsides."
She's a big ship, a good ship, a dear ship to me,
And we will help rebuild her to sail upon the sea.

The boys and girls of Texas,
The boys and girls of Maine,
The boys and girls of Florida,
And to the coast again.

The gallant fighting frigate that made a union free
And brought our flag its glory and song of victory.

And helping with our pennies in so very small a way
Has brought the past before us, its imprint to stay.

Betsy Ross made her flag,
Paul Revere's bolts were part,
From our states came the wood,
And from all men of heart
Who were loyal and strong to stay by a task

And get for their country everything she could ask.
We can see her form majestic when in nineteen twenty-nine
She flies her flag of fifteen stars upon the rolling brine,
With another gallant crew
From our good old U. S. A.
While all the boys and girls
Wish them God speed that day.
For this ship is our keeprake, whatever else betides,
Our good one, our big one, our brave "Old Ironsides."

HOW I LONGED FOR THIS
Mother—Oswald, you should never do anything which you would be ashamed for the whole world to see.
Oswald—Hooray, I won't have to take any more baths.—Oklahoma Whirlwind.

WEEKLY BIBLE THOUGHT

Selected by S. E. Templeton, Minister Church of Christ

"Let all that ye do be done in love." 1 Cor. 16:14.

There is no service or work worth while unless it is "done in love."



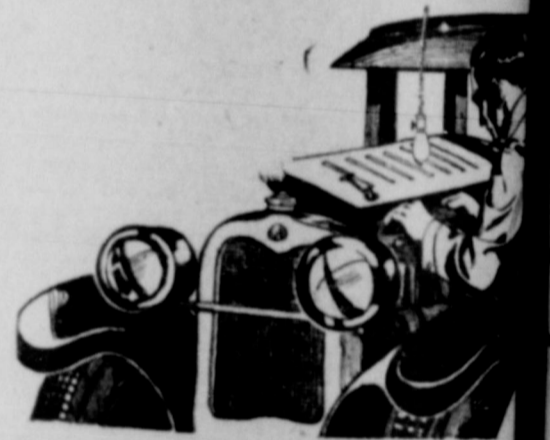
OFFERS

Congratulations TO THE Memphis Country Club

M. System Grocery offers its sincere congratulations to the members and officers of the Memphis Country Club on their loyalty to civic pride in erecting the handsome building which was opened Wednesday.

On its part M System believes in maintaining constant effort to make this a more attractive and while we are always ready to co-operate in civic enterprises, we also wish to mention that our regular service is designed to enable our customers to enjoy the quality they want in groceries at the same time save money to be used for things that make life more enjoyable.

SKILLED HANDS To take every knock, rattle and out of your motor



To set out on a Spring trip, knowing the car isn't "acting right" but "might hold up" quite costly to you. Your better judgment it would be better to have the trouble adjusted by if your motor hasn't been overhauled in

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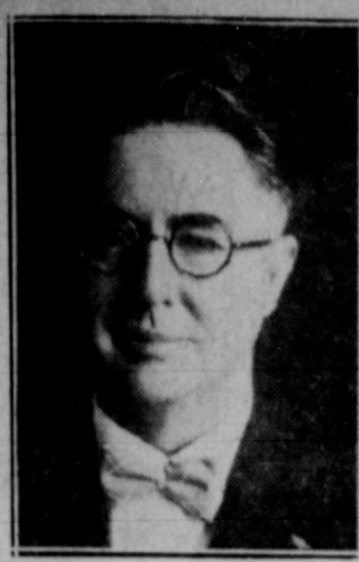
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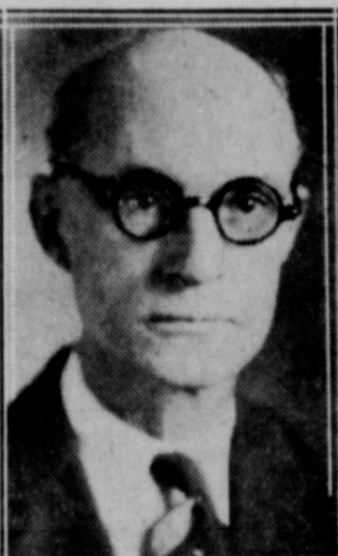
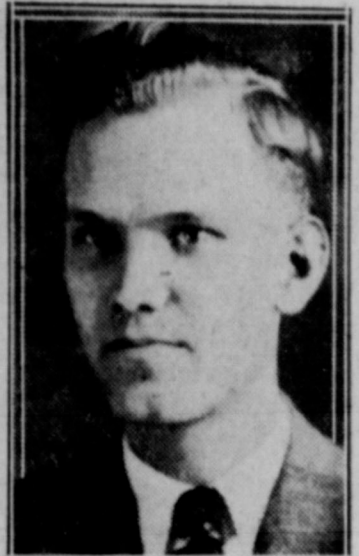
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poses. Each member will please take notice and attend the class to which you have been assigned. Lesson, first and second chapters. Wednesday, February 29, the

ETS WITH ROOMS

The Chapt. was glad to Welcome Mrs. Jeff Hampton as a new member. A lovely plate luncheon was served during the social hour.

METHODIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY MET MONDAY

The Missionary society of the Methodist church met Monday afternoon at the church in the ladies' parlor in business meeting with 40 members present. Splendid reports were given from each officer and committee. Next Monday the society will meet in the homes of Mesdames Quigley, Major and Bradford for mission study. The book to be studied is New Paths for Old Pur-

Greetings from the "Corner"

er's, "on the corner," ex- hearty congratulations to Memphis Country Club on the beautiful club house just opened. you're not at the club, boys, with us, "on the corner."

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society will meet with Clarendon and Hedley at Hedley at 10 a. m. for an all day program and mission study. The book to be studied is The Adventure of the Church. Mesdames N. A. Hightower and John Lofland will take part on the program, giving the third and sixth chapters. Anyone wishing to go, who doesn't have a way, call Mrs. C. W. Broome. The delegation will leave the church in a body at 9:30 a. m.

MIZPAH AUXILIARY MEETS WITH MRS. JAMES BASS

The Mizpah Auxiliary met Monday evening, February 20, at the home of Mrs. James Bass with 16 members present. Mrs. Blake Bolton had charge of the lesson study for the evening. During the business session parts were assigned various members for the program the auxiliary will present for church services Sunday evening, February 26, and the public is extended an invitation to the services, which promises to be especially inspirational and interesting.

After enjoying a pleasant social hour the Auxiliary adjourned to meet march 2, with Mrs. T. E. Noel.

JUNIOR CLASS PRESENTS A THREE ACT COMEDY

Tuesday evening, February 28, at the high school auditorium, the Junior class presents "Help Yourself," a three act comedy with musical numbers produced by special arrangement with Mollie Moore Godbold, Dallas, Texas.

Cast of Characters
John Gordon, who has no use for women, especially Martha Wentworth—Howard Foote.
Captain Donald Winters, his nephew—Wendell Harrison.
Buddies of Winters, Vance Johnson—Lon Webster, Nay Crabb.
Martha Wentworth, who despises all men, John Gordon in particular—Ethel Lucile Ballew.
Mill Wentworth's nieces—Lucy Hudgins, Bernice Guthrie.
Friends of June and Polly—Fancy Swift, Loree Duke, Castoria Prunella Johnson, a lady of color. The Wentworth maid—Catherine McMurry.
Belles Beaux, sunbonnet girls, chorus girls, negroes.
Time—The present.
Place—Cedardale, a town in Central Texas.

CHURCH OF CHRIST Seventh and Brice

S. E. Templeton, Minister
Services next Lord's day: Bible study hour, 10 a. m. A class to suit you.
Preaching at 11 a. m. followed by communion. Sermon subject, "The Worst Thing in the World—What is It?"
Young people's meeting at 6 p. m. An interesting program has been arranged. Come!
Preaching at 7:15 p. m. The theme for this hour is, "Prepare to Meet Thy God."
Services to be held next week: Ladies' Bible class meets at 2:30 p. m. Monday. The lesson will be, Romans 1. Meeting open to each lady in town.
Men's Open Forum Bible class meets at 7:45 p. m. Monday. Lesson, Genesis 3. Meeting open to any question pertaining to the Bible, or any doctrine against the Bible. All men invited!
Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday. Everybody come!

Percy Wells and family and Mrs. R. H. Cocke and daughter were here from Wellington last Sunday.

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OLD AND NEW GOLF COURSES IN CONTRAST

The Memphis Country club of yesterday and the organization as it is today present quite a contrast.

Five years ago the "course" consisted of 2 holes and scores of mesquite bushes. The links were nearly all "in the rough" in those days when twenty-five members spent most of their time hunting lost balls.

Today it is a standard 9-hole course covering 35 acres, is well kept and meets the standard set by larger courses of the country.

LET THE CLUB BREAKING GO ON

"You didn't mind me losing my temper and breaking my golf club on the last hole? You seemed to smile so good naturedly about it, I took it that you rather enjoyed the incident."

"Quite so, quite so. I thought it very amusing I assure you. You should be encouraged in this sport of breaking golf clubs when they offend."

"I don't understand you. Do you say that sarcastically?"

"Oh no, not at all, I mean it. You see I am a golf club manufacturer."

IN FAVOR OF HIGHER SPEED LIMIT FOR CARS

The time has come to stop side-stepping the problem of speed on the highways, is the opinion of Paul G. Hoffman, vice president of the Studebaker Corporation of America.

"American railroads have proved that it is possible to attain both high speed and safety. When we look back over the years we view with amusement the excitement that greeted the iron monsters of 1848 as they thundered over the rails at the fearful speed of 25 miles an hour. Grave doubts were even raised that human beings could travel at speeds of more than 40 or 50 miles an hour and live.

"In the field of individual transportation the motor car has played an important part in breaking down the barriers of time and distance. It is as foolish to put legislative bars of a fixed character in the way of development of speed in motor car transportation as it would have been to put speed limits on American railroads in the early years of their development.

"It is time to look at the problem of highway safety from a new point of view. One of the first steps is to get over the idea that speed in itself is a dangerous thing. Traffic and safety experts—men who have studied the question—know that speed in itself is not the source of danger it is popularly credited with being.

"It is not speed alone, but speed in combination with other factors that makes accidents. Fifty miles an hour on the open road in the country may be safer than 25 miles an hour in crowded city traffic.

"Any well constructed car of the present year is much safer at 50 miles an hour under the proper conditions than cars of a similar class were 15 years ago at 30 miles an hour. One stretch of road may be safely covered at 60 miles an hour—another may be unsafe at 30.

"No one can deny that there is real danger in speed plus unfavorable conditions for speed on the highway, but speed in itself does not necessarily create hazards. High speed at intersections, in turning corners, passing pedestrians or passing other traffic in the face of oncoming traffic from the other direction is a real menace.

"Legislation and enforcement should concern itself not so much with speed as with those acts of a driver which, combined with speed, result in accidents. Let us stop arresting the sane motorist who is doing a sensible 45 miles an hour on a fast road in the open country, and concentrate on drivers like the short corner-cutter in town who may be doing only 15.

"Michigan has led the way in this attitude by abolishing a fixed speed limit. Fixed speed limits do not in themselves promote safety; they make lawbreakers out of motorists and often permit constables to bring discredit on highway policemen as a whole by affording opportunities for petty graft.

"Several eastern states have taken this up-to-date attitude toward fixed speed limits, and make their highways safer by enforcing safe driving rather than by concentrating on speeders alone.

"It is time to meet the new conditions on highway safety with a fresh point of view—and concentrate on safety rather than on the antiquated theory that anything over 30 miles an hour is recklessness."

You Know These By Sight



Four faces familiar to every person affected with the golf fever—Bobby Jones and Bob Cruikshank (left), Walter Hagen (center) and George Von Elm (right).

He Got Away With It

Here is the latest golf story and it is a good one. Two golfers came upon a player going around the links alone. Being well within their rights they ordered him out of the way while they went thru advising him that he had no standing on the links.

To their surprise they received a very strong rebuke. "What do you mean by telling me that I

have no place on the course, can't you see I am playing two balls? This is a regularly constituted match." As the story goes he got away with it.

The Retired Duffer Addresses Par

To seek thee I often rove Thru woods and on the green; And thou wert still a hope, a love, Still longed for, never seen. —Wordsworth.

FOUND—THE INVENTOR

The inquiring reporter went to interview the devil on the subject of golf and found his Satanic Majesty listening intently and with joyous glee to two duffers trying to out-lie each other about their golf achievements on earth.

"No wonder you are so pleased," said the reporter. "You invented this infernal game of golf, did you not?"

"No, no," replied the Devil, "I just invented the golf alibi."

Sign of Age

Doctor—Your father seems hale and hearty at the age of 104. Mountaineer—Yep, but pap's slippin'. T'other day I heard him say he reckoned he'd take up the game of golf.

In the early days—the sober seventies or even in the bus-forties—the father chose a business career for his son or sent him to law school. Now he buys him a set of boxing gloves, or a golfing outfit.—Southern Golfer.

GREETINGS

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Mrs. E. C. Wilcox of Center community, in county, have found the success in diversification... Wilcox says that he is considering for a moment the one-crop system... there is money in raising and has proven satisfaction.

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Pity Pedestrians If All Motorists Were Golfers



If the average golfer drove as recklessly down the public highway as he does down the fairways there would be need of some good soft billowy down along the wayside in what is familiarly known as the rough on the links.—Southern Golfer.

It is reported that a golf club down south has the following sign posted: "Don't buy lost tees from the caddies."
"Do you play the explosion shot?"
"Oh yes, very well. I don't think there is a sand trap on the course which I do not have an occasion to explode."

Why criticize these star golfers for turning authors, surely enough writers and authors have turned golfers?
"Don't you miss the old bar at the golf club?"
"Yes, very much, the bar tender used to listen to a recital of how you played your round when no one else would."

The Golfer's Mother Goose
There was a man of our club
And he was wondrous wise,
He sliced into a bramble bush,
The worst of awful lies;
But when he took his niblick out
(He then was playing four)
And popped into another bush,
My gosh, but he was sore!
—New York Sun.

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THE BANKS of Memphis extend greetings and congratulations to members of the Memphis Country Club on the completion of their beautiful new club home. It is, indeed, a wonderful asset to Memphis, and the club as a whole is an organization of which a city this size should be extremely proud. Business men should have time for play and the Country Club will be of real service to the community in furnishing means of physical and mental recreation.

Sincere Good Wishes to the Memphis Country Club

First National Bank Citizens State Bank Hall County Nat'l Bank

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NAMED SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE TO WASHINGTON

G. W. Fry, president of the West Texas Utilities company, has been named by R. W. Haynie, president of the West Texas chamber of commerce, as that organization's special representative to Washington to seek legislation to insure additional potash surveys and explorations in West Texas.

Special attention is being paid by the West Texas chamber of commerce to the Spur section, where promising deposits of potash have been reported in wells drilled for oil, Mr. Haynie said.

In dozens of wells drilled in Ward, Loving, Reagan, Midland, Border, Dickens, Hockley, Randall, Potter and other West Texas counties and in Eddy and Lea counties of New Mexico, heavy potash content in cores, sometimes 1,600 to 2,000 feet thick, has been found.

General outline of the salt beds in West Texas extends from southwestern Ward and Pecos counties northeast, taking in Deaf Smith, Randall, Armstrong, Donley and Collingsworth counties in the Panhandle.

To date seven potash tests have been started or completed. Roger W. Babson, eastern business statistician, and various holders of shares in the Texas & Pacific Lands Trust, holding millions of acres of far West Texas land, have sought information during the past year on results of potash tests in this section.

Political Calendar for 1928

Because of presidential elections, the year 1928 will be particularly eventful from a political viewpoint. Special attention has been called, by those familiar with election laws, to the change in provisions for the date of the State convention. The provisions of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925 were amended by the Fortieth Legislature, in the called session, placing the date of this convention on the Tuesday following the third Monday after the run-off primary. The original provision designated the Tuesday following the second Monday after the run-off primary. Below is a calendar of the principal political events of 1928:

April 1—County tax collectors furnish county election boards with lists of poll tax payers and exemptions.

April 7—County Democratic executive committee meets to organize, fill vacancies and transact other necessary business.

May 5—Primary conventions held for election of delegates to county (presidential) conventions on May 8.

May 8—County (presidential) conventions held for election of delegates to state (presidential) convention of May 22.

May 8—State executive committee of any party which cast as many as 10,000 and fewer than 100,000 votes in next preceding gubernatorial election, shall meet and decide whether candidates for state, district and county offices are to be nomi-

nated by convention or primary election, and shall certify such decision to secretary of state.

May 22—State (presidential) convention held by all parties to send delegates to national conventions.

June 4—On or before this date, candidates for party nominations file applications for place on primary ballot—with state chairman if for state office, with district chairman if for district office in district having more than one county, and if no district chairman, with each county chairman in district.

June 11—State executive committee meets to direct state chairman to certify to county chairmen candidates for state offices, going on primary ballot, and to name place for state convention.

June 11—County executive committees meet and issue call for precinct conventions to elect delegates to county conventions, also announce chairmen, hour and place of precinct conventions.

June 12—Republican national convention, Kansas City.

June 16—On or before this date candidates for offices within counties, including districts within confines of any single county, and candidates for county chairmen apply for places on primary ballot.

June 18—County executive committees meet to determine order of names on ballot, estimate

cost of primary, and apportion cost. A ballot, or primary substitute of five is appointed.

June 25—On or before this date, candidates must pay ballot fees.

June 26—Democratic national convention, Houston.

June 28—First day to file first statement of campaign expenses with county clerk.

July 2—Last day to file same.

July 9—Ballot, or primary, sub-committees meet to prepare primary ballots.

July 16—First day to file second expense account.

July 20—Last day to file second expense account.

July 23—On or before this date, county chairmen secure from tax collectors complete lists of voters, paying not more than \$5 therefor.

July 23—Last day for voters who have removed from one ward to another to secure transfers from tax collectors, such transfers being necessary in event voter lives in city of 10,000 or more population and removal was prior to delivery of lists of certified voters to present chairmen.

July 24—Last day for voters who have removed from one county to another, or from one precinct to another to secure transfers from tax collectors, such transfers being necessary if new residence is in city of 10,000 or more population.

July 28—Primary election day. Polls open from 8 a. m. until 7 p. m. Returns of primary election delivered to county chairman. Precinct conventions held. Republican primary convention held.

Aug. 4—County executive committees meet to canvass returns and county chairmen certify results to proper officials.

Aug. 4—County conventions held to elect delegates to district and state conventions. Republican county convention held to nominate county officers and name delegates to state convention.

Aug. 7—Last day to file third expense account.

Aug. 13—Democratic state executive committee meets to canvass returns. Republican state executive committee meets to prepare temporary roll for state convention.

Aug. 14—Republican state convention meets to nominate candidates for state offices.

Aug. 25—Second, or run-off, primary election for offices where no candidate received a majority in first primary. (Democratic).

Aug. 25—District conventions held and nominations certified to secretary of state.

Sept. 4—Last day to file fourth expense account.

Sept. 10—State executive committee meets to canvass vote of second primary and prepare list of state convention delegates.

Sept. 11—State Democratic convention meets, canvasses votes, announces nominations, orders nominations certified to secretary of state, adopts platform, elects state chairman and state executive committee.

Nov. 1—On or before this date, county chairmen nominate supervisors in each election precinct.

Nov. 6—General election. Polls

open at 8 a. m., close 7 p. m.
Nov. 12—Returns to be canvassed by commissioner's court.
Dec. 17—Returns on state and district officials (except Governor and lieutenant governor)

canvassed by secretary of state.
Jan. 8, 1929—Legislative session and within six months returns on general and lieutenant gubernatorial elections.

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Watch and jewelry repairing of every nature and the fitting of glasses are lines in which he specializes. Quite an array of silverware and a liberal stock of novelty gifts may be found at Oren's. A number of diamonds and other jewelry of value are shown by Mr. Oren.

"It is not entirely my aim to see how much business I can do," Mr. Oren said, "but rather how well I can do repair jobs entrusted to me and how well I can please customers who desire to make their purchases here."

POULTRY

Average Local Market This Week:

Colored Hens	18c	Capons	22c
Leghorn Hens	15c	Cocks	7c
No. 1 Turkeys	20c	Green Hides	12c
No. 2 Turkeys	12c	Butter Fat	38c

COTTON

Receipts very light at compress this week. Several gins report they have closed for the season. Total Hall County crop is estimated at more than 45,000 bales.

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