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On the LEVEL

a column by
William Russell Clark

The first sandstorm of the year has come and gone with many more probably just around the corner. The recent sandstorm did not improve the looks of the city to any appreciable extent. In fact, the havoc wrought by a little sand reminds me that our town needs cleaning. Physically, it is dirty.

Probably it is too early to start agitation for a cleanup campaign. I suppose that will naturally transpire later in the year when spring opens up with a will. It is not too early, however, to call attention to the fact that our town needs tidying up a bit. The generous sunshine of the past week has made anything but pleasant the unsightliness about us. Let's start making repairs while the sun shines.

It seems to me that a good way to begin would be to burn off the dead grass on the lawns. When the new grass springs up, it always seems to be greener and the stand thicker when the dead grass has been disposed of. Lawns will look any too well for a while after they have been burned, but nature will care for the blemish and the appearance will eventually be for the better.

I wonder how many students of the Memphis Public Schools ever give much thought to the appearance of Memphis? I believe I'll try and find out. Here's the proposition: I'll offer a prize of five dollars to the student who writes the best article, of not more than 250 words, on the subject, "How We May Improve the Looks of Memphis."

The contest will be open to all students of the local schools. Address your articles to "On the Level," care of Memphis Democrat, Memphis, Texas. They must all be in by Saturday, March 1. Any student may compete, but be sure and do not get your teachers or parents to help in preparing the articles. Do the work yourselves. I'll know, of a certainty, if you are getting any outside aid.

The above offer holds good provided there are as many as twenty-five articles submitted. I shall read them over carefully and decide which is the best. I'll offer a prize of \$2.50 for the second best article and \$1.00 for the third best. The winning articles will be published in this paper in the issue of Friday, March 7. Now, folks, if you want to earn a little extra money, get to work now. Concentrate on the subject and see what you can do with it.

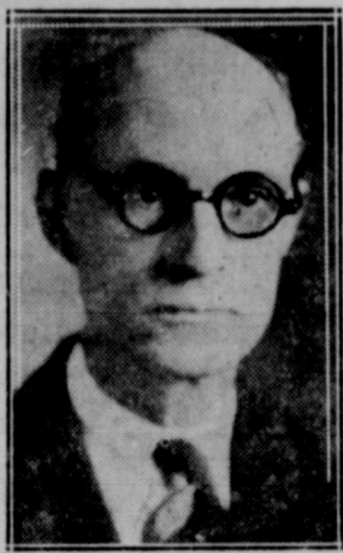
Every article submitted I want to be absolutely original. I am not attempting to ascertain what parents or teachers think about how Memphis may be improved, but I want the students to express their own opinions.

County Voting Strength Shows Substantial Gains Over 1929

Although official figures are not available, the approximate voting strength of Hall County was made public this week by J. Henderson Smith, county tax collector, who stated that practically 3,500 voters have paid their poll tax which will make them eligible to vote in the coming primaries next July and August. This number compares with 3,200 voters in the county entitled to exercise the right of suffrage during 1929.

600 Additional Voters
With approximately 600 more voters on the rolls this year than was the case in 1929 lends color to the fact that 1930 is an election year. It is always true that

Says Memphis Needs Payroll



W. B. Quigley, president of the Citizens State Bank, contributes below the third article in a series on the subject, "What Memphis Needs Most." Mr. Quigley believes that the outstanding need of this city at present is more industries to transform our raw materials into finished products.

New Industries In City Are Found to Be Essential Need

BY W. B. QUIGLEY
In the Panhandle of Texas, Hall County is first in agriculture. This fact is not disputed and the agricultural situation is improving from year to year. Memphis, the chief city of Hall County, is an agricultural town. Stability goes with soil production. We, therefore, prefer agricultural to oil production. We even prefer it to strictly industrial production. Yet, like the farmer, our city needs to diversify, hence I say we need a payroll.

Furnish Employment
We need that which will take (Continued on page 5)

Colbert Suffering From Broken Leg

Harry Colbert, son of C. L. Colbert, Singer Sewing Machine dealer, is suffering from a badly broken leg and many severe bruises about the body as a result of a motorcycle accident which occurred on Highway No. 5, north of the city Tuesday night about eight o'clock. Young Colbert was riding on a motorcycle with Ben Johnson, operator of the Speedway Service Station, on North Tenth street, at the time of the accident. Both boys were injured, but Johnson was not taken to a hospital as was Colbert.

Riding Without Lights
The boys are said to have been (Continued on page 5)

County Club Women To Hear Extension Food Specialist

Miss Lola A. Blair, state extension specialist in foods from College Station, will be in Memphis Friday and Saturday of this week to work with members of the Hall County Home Demonstration clubs in their problems having to do with the 4-H pantry, according to Miss Ruby M. Adams, county home demonstration agent. Miss Adams stated that Miss Blair is one of the outstanding food specialists in the state and it is expected that many members of the county clubs will hear her lectures.

At least one representative from each club in the county will meet with Miss Blair in the home of Miss Adams, at 816 Montgomery street, Friday afternoon. At that time, she will give a lecture on the production, preparation and preservation of foodstuffs. Miss Harvey Thompson, county Home Demonstration Agent of Donley County will be a guest at this meeting.

Pantry Work Outstanding
The 4-H pantry work is an outstanding phase of the club work of the county, according to Miss

Adams. "Many farm women of this county make the mistake of not planting enough foodstuffs for canning," Miss Adams said. "Farm families can live throughout the winter months without buying many groceries if they will can plenty of foodstuffs during the summer and fall. Miss Blair will discuss the best methods of preparing and canning products grown on the farm in her lecture Friday and I am expecting a good representation present from the various home demonstration clubs."

COW, SOW, HEN ROUTE TAKEN BY FARMER

Largest Profits Are Realized From His Barnyard

BY VANCE JOHNSON
C. B. Champion, farmer, who lives four miles west of Memphis, is a firm believer in the "live at home" idea, and believes that the farmer's surest route to prosperity and large profits is by the "cow, sow and hen" route. Mr. Champion says that his largest profits come from the products produced in the barnyard of his home.

Milks Six Cows
Mr. Champion milks six cows regularly and is selling around 36 pounds of butter in Memphis each week. He is feeding skimmed milk to his hogs, which bring him large profits each year. He raises enough hogs to furnish his family throughout the winter with meat, besides having a number of hogs for the market.

Cotton Money Profit
"If it were not for my cows and hogs," Mr. Champion said, "it would be a hard matter to make ends meet, but as it is, the money I make off cotton is practically (Continued on page 5)

Local High Schools Are Complimented By Supervisor Gattis

W. E. Gattis, state supervisor of high schools, from the State Department of Education at Austin, visited the senior and junior high schools here Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. Mr. Gattis complimented the condition in which he found the local schools. He stated that the senior high school had especially good science equipment. The supervisor found that the school library was in need of books. It was explained to him that new books for the library are purchased each year.

Mr. Gattis stated that he likes the spirit manifested in West Texas and that he finds schools in this section of the state better in many ways than the schools in East Texas and other sections he visits.

Camp Site For Boy Scouts Is Donated By Claude Couple

A camp site for Boy Scouts of the Southeastern Panhandle Area was accepted at a meeting of the executive council in the offices of Scout Executive I. E. Jolly Tuesday afternoon. Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Warner, of Claude, tendered the camp site and gave the Scouts a deed to the land in memory of their son who was a Boy Scout before his death.

Southeast of Claude
The land which was given to the Scouts is situated southeast of Claude on the brink of the Palo Duro Canyon, at a place known throughout the Panhandle as "Dripping Springs." The site has been named "Camp Warner" by the Scouts out of honor to the donors. An abundance of drinking water is available at the springs, but there is no running water for use of Scouts for swimming purposes, and due to that (Continued on page 5)

Official Of Lions Is At Zone Parley

Zone 11 of Texas Lions Clubs, which comprises Hall and a number of adjoining counties, was signally honored at its quarterly meeting in Clarendon Tuesday by the presence of Secretary-General Melvin Jones from the International Office in Chicago, and District Governor A. C. Kater of Houston. Deputy District Governor W. C. Davis of Childress, and Zone Chairman Homer Mulkey of Clarendon were also present.

7 Present From Memphis
Representatives from Lions Clubs at Childress, Quitaque, Estelline, Claude, McLean, Amarillo, Pampa, Memphis, and other points, in addition to the entire Clarendon membership, were in attendance. Memphis Lions present were Dr. W. McCollum, V. F. Trout, J. H. Croft, Paul James, I. E. Jolly, R. D. Stuart and Lyman E. Robbins. Following the noon luncheon, the assembly heard vital messages from Lions Kater and Jones until two o'clock. The customary business session and round table discussion by officers from all the clubs in this zone was held from two until three o'clock.

WAR COMEDY IN 3 ACTS WILL BE GIVEN

American Legion Will Sponsor Play Here Last Of Month

A war comedy in three acts, "Corporal Eagen," will be presented under the auspices of the Charles R. Simmons Post No. 175 of the American Legion at the high school auditorium here, Thursday and Friday nights, February 27 and 28. The proceeds from the show will go into the treasury of the local Legion post, according to an announcement made Wednesday by H. L. Nelson, post commander.

Intensely Interesting
The Universal Producing Company will stage the production here. This is the same company who presented "Aunt Lucia" with so great a degree of success as a Legion benefit last year. Hazel Delaney, who is employed by the Universal Producing Company booked the play for this city and recommended it to the local Legion post. It is said to be intensely interesting from start to finish and to be even better than "Aunt Lucia" was. (Continued on page 5)

Estimate Damage To Apartment House In Fire Monday, \$1,000

The apartment house rented by Rube Sisk, owner of Rube's Coffee Shop here, was badly damaged by fire Monday afternoon. The fire is said to have started in a small pantry of the apartment occupied by R. W. Ragsdale, automobile salesman from the Clower Motor Company. Damage done by the fire was estimated to be in the sum of \$1,000. Only a part of the loss was covered by insurance, according to John Evans, owner.

None of the tenants were at home at the time the fire started with the exception of the aged father of Rube Sisk, and the fire was not noticed by him until it had been raging for some time. The fire department did good work in putting out the blaze, according to Chief M. G. Ray.

New Minister



Rev. H. A. Shaw, pastor of the First Christian church, has lived in Memphis for only a short time, but he likes the town and has no hesitancy in saying so. Below, Rev. Mr. Shaw gives his impressions of the city during the two weeks he and his family have lived here.

Christian Pastor Gives Impressions Of His New Charge

BY REV. H. A. SHAW
My first impression of Memphis after having gotten settled and established here was the high type citizenship which exists in the city. People here are the most cordial that I have ever encountered. I am certainly pleased with the welcome they have given me and my family. I was here for several weeks last summer, assisting in a revival campaign at the First Christian church and I got to know many of the people at that time. When the call came to me to take over the pastorate here, I gladly accepted it, knowing full well the kind of people I would be privileged to work with in my ministry.

In Educational Work
Heretofore, I have been connected with the educational work in a number of churches over the (Continued on page 5)

C. of C. Membership Drive Will Start

Everything is in readiness for the whirlwind drive for new members of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce which will be conducted throughout the day next Tuesday, February 18, according to C. Lee Rushing, who is in charge of the campaign. Directors of the local commercial body will compose the various committees and it is expected that the drive will be completed in the period of one day. It was stressed that the campaign is not being made for funds, but rather to get new members. (Continued on page 5)

Ideal Camp Site Is Presented To Girl Scout Troops Of City

As a reward for the efficient work being done by four troops of local Girl Scouts, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Broome have presented a beautiful plot of ground to the Girl Scouts, which is located just on the edge of the city, as a permanent meeting place for this organization. It is planned to have a Girl Scout "little house" erected on the location, where all the ideals of home making may be carried out under capable leadership.

Is An Ideal Site
The ground donated by Mr. and Mrs. Broome is an ideal site for Girl Scout activities. The plot is situated at the end of Tenth street, just after one crosses the first

OFFICERS BRING MAN TO CITY ON TUESDAY

Reward Of \$600 Is Paid For Capture Of Hess Tyler

Hess Tyler, wanted in connection with the shooting at Ell recently of young Bryan Nall, has been apprehended by officers at Big Spring, Texas, shortly before noon last Saturday. A widespread search had been instituted for the man following the fatal shooting and subsequent death of Bryan Nall. Rewards were posted and the radio made use of in broadcasting Tyler's description.

Lodged In Jail Here
Tyler was lodged in the county jail at 8:10 p. m. Tuesday night by Sheriff Sid Christian and two deputies. The Sheriff, accompanied by Deputies Hill and Renfro and two men taken along to identify Tyler, left Memphis at 4:30 o'clock Tuesday morning. They arrived in Big Spring at 12:10, left there at one o'clock and had their prisoner behind the bars at 8:10 Tuesday night, having covered a distance of 679 miles in the day's drive.

Sheriff Uncommunicative
Sheriff Christian was uncommunicative when asked for a statement and would not be quoted, except to say: "We know we have the right man." It is expected that the grand jury now in session will bring an indictment against Tyler and that his case will probably come to trial during the February term of district court. It is not known at this time what the defense will be or who will defend Tyler. The man is said to be anxious to have his case come up for trial, saying that he hoped it would be among the first to be called. Another murder case will come up for trial next week, and it may be several weeks before Tyler is brought to trial.

Paid Reward of \$600
Sheriff Christian stated that he paid a reward of \$600 to officers at Big Spring for the capture of Tyler. Five hundred dollars of this amount was subscribed by the father of the youth who died as the result of the wounds he received in trying to protect the store at Ell.

Bryan Nall was shot while at his post of duty in a store at Ell on Thursday night, January 30, and died in a local hospital Wednesday morning, February 5. The shooting came about as the result of an attempted robbery of the store. Two men have been arrested previous to the arrest of Tyler and held in the county jail, they being Granville Ray and W. C. Cline.

Local officers made it apparent that they were satisfied that they had apprehended the right man and the belief current around the courthouse was to the effect that speedy trials for those alleged to have been implicated in the shooting would be ordered, probably at this term of district court. The cases will be tried before Judge A. J. Fires of Childress, veteran Panhandle jurist.

AS WE SEE IT

(AN EDITORIAL)

Any city anywhere can only measure its bigness and importance in proportion to the bigness of its citizens. "Big" citizens in this city, as we see it, are willing to support an agency that devotes its entire time toward helping Memphis grow and prosper. That agency is the Memphis Chamber of Commerce.

Perhaps you have some pet criticism concerning some of the policies of the Chamber of Commerce, and undoubtedly that organization errs in many

instances. No individual, no company, no corporation or association is above criticism. They all make mistakes. You, to whom this editorial is directed, have erred. The reasons why you should align yourself with your local Chamber of Commerce far overshadow whatever reason you might offer as to why you shouldn't, in this writer's humble opinion.

Have you ever wondered if you could do as well as the men active in Chamber of Commerce work, who are giving freely of time they might spend

for personal gain? If you make your living in Memphis and call Memphis your home aren't you willing to support these men to the extent of becoming a member of the Chamber of Commerce? Aren't you interested enough in your city to employ every possible means to help it grow?

You who are not members of the Chamber of Commerce will be called upon Tuesday by several committees who will extend you an invitation to "join the ranks." The Democrat, because it believes in Memphis, urges you to respond.

bridge on the way to the Broome home. If a person turns to the left before crossing the second bridge, he will find an "island" almost surrounded by water, except for one corner between two bridges. The knoll is surrounded by large trees and the "little house," facing the south, would view a real grove of large cottonwoods on the island at the edge of the creek. The formal presentation of the plot and the acceptance by the Girl Scouts and the Girl Scout Council will be consummated in March with an especially planned program, when the National regional director, Miss Margaret Twohy, will be present.

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One's Own Garden

A Garden is a lovesome thing, God wot!
 Rose plot
 Fringed pool,
 Fern'd grot—
 The veriest school
 Of peace; and yet the fool
 Contents that God is not—
 Not God! in gardens! when the
 eye is cool?
 Nay, but I have a sign;
 'Tis very sure God walks in mine.
 —Thomas Edward Brown.

A very old story tells us that when man was created he was put by the Creator into a garden to dress it and keep it. He could not have been put into a better place nor could a more honorable and necessary occupation have been given him. No doubt the woman who lived in the garden with him aided him in this work. Not having a house to care for or dressmaking and sewing to do, or cooking to take her attention, there was nothing to prevent her from helping in the dressing and keeping of the lovely garden. At any rate that is what Milton thought, for he makes Adam speak to Eve of "our delightful task to prune these growing plants and tend these flowers."
 (Note: Watch this space for helpful suggestions in planning, preparing and cultivating flower gardens.)

Christine Allen Society Enjoys Year Book Program

The "Christine Allen" Missionary Society enjoyed the Year Book program in the Ladies Parlor of the church with Mary Beckum as hostess and Mrs. Duval Brumley, leader.
 "The Beautiful Garden of Prayer" was sung and Ruby Hoffman led in prayer. The roll call revealed many items of interest from the monthly Missionary Bulletin, and other items were taken from the Federal Council Bulletin, a Missionary Journal of Interchurch Cooperation.

The Missionary Bulletin called special attention to the Woman's Missionary Council that convenes in Amarillo March 13-18 and brings to the Methodist women of the Panhandle an opportunity to enjoy the Council that represents the thirty-nine conferences of Southern Methodism. The Fiftieth Anniversary was celebrated in Nashville, Tenn., in 1928 and the Council met in Washington, D. C., in 1929. An unusual privilege in viewing the foundation of all missionary endeavor is accorded those who attend.

From the Federal Council Bulletin the interesting subject of the third project for promoting of World Friendship through the Children was of especial interest. The Friendship Treasure Chest is being sent to the children of the Philippines. The chest is made of metal and elaborately designed, \$2.00. It is purchased from the Commission of International Justice and Good Will. The chests are to be filled with scrap books, dolls, handkerchiefs and things children appreciate. Orders have gone in so fast that five additional workers have been added to the staff. The War Department through the Bureau of Insular Affairs is co-operating with the Treasure Chest project by transporting the chests free of charge from New York and San Francisco to Manila. The schools of the Philippines are a part of the work of the Department of Education in the U. S. and especial interest is being indicated by the public schools throughout the country.

A piano number "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" with variations, played by Vera Neely was sincerely appreciated.

The leaflet containing valuable information on The Wesley House serving children in Foreign Communities was interestingly given by Verna Crump. Alice Marie McKelvy made "The Settlement a Way of Life" very vivid and worthy of sincere cooperation in her presentation.

Mrs. Brumley concluded this interesting program by giving a practical lesson on the subject "Respect for Personality." The example of the regard Jesus had for others was exemplified in several illustrations during the ministry of Jesus.

Those present were Misses Bird, Pressler, Alice Marie McKelvy, Ruby Hoffman, Ira Hammond, Verna Crump, Gladys Hammond, and Mesdames Moore, Jolly, Evans, Delaney and Brumley.

Little Theatre Guild Entertained In Fore Home

The Little Theatre Guild enjoyed an interesting program at the home of Mrs. Frank K. Fore Saturday afternoon, February 8, with Mrs. Fore, Mrs. Bass and Miss Virginia Browder as hostesses.

A One Act play, "The Trysting Place" by Booth Tarkington, was presented under the direction of Mrs. Marshal Allen.

The setting of the story is in a fashionable hotel where the characters are guests.
 "The Woman," Mrs. Curtis was portrayed by Mrs. John Lofland; "The Boy" Lancelot Briggs, Mrs. Krank K. Fore; "Mrs. Briggs," Mrs. Parker; Mr. Iglesby, a middle aged bachelor in love with Mrs. Briggs, a widow, "Jessie Briggs, daughter of Mrs. Briggs, Vernadine Jones, and her lover, "Rupert Smith," Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard.

"The Boy," in love with Mrs. Curtis, a widow, in spite of the difference of years, portrays the ardor of youth and was an especially attractive character. The exclamation on the lips of the different characters who were looking for a secluded nook, on entering "The Trysting Place" would inevitably be "Where nobody is at all," when there was always one or more characters in hiding, and visible to the audience which provoked much merriment and applause.

The cast showed especial adaptation to each role, and the play was heartily appreciated by the members of the Guild.

Lovely refreshments were served by the hostesses and the Guild adjourned to meet on March 8.

Methodist Circle No. 2 Has Meet In Reed Home Mon.

The program was of unusual interest Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. B. Reed when Circle No. 2, of the Woman's Missionary Society enjoyed the Year

Book program. Mrs. J. G. Brown and Mrs. W. S. Montgomery assisted Mrs. Reed as hostesses.

Mrs. D. A. Neeley as leader brought an inspirational program on the subject of "Serving Children in Foreign Communities." With the spirit of joy in service, the song, "Since Jesus came Into My Heart" was sung and Mrs. S. L. Seago stressed in the devotional lesson "Respect for Personality." Sincere regard for the unfortunate and a respect and desire to serve all mankind was the ideal Christ had in his regard for the entire human race.

The pledge cards were distributed by the president, Mrs. J. P. Montgomery who stated that the funds were used to carry on the work in several foreign fields and in the U. S. A free will offering of \$211.75 was paid by the society in 1929, which did not include regular dues and offerings for special objectives.

The Wesley House serving children in Foreign Communities was effectively presented by Mrs. T. J. Dunbar and Mrs. Fred Clark, of the work of the Wesley House in Fort Worth, Dallas, New Orleans, Port Worth in Galveston and in Alabama. The need for service to these who find themselves a part of our vast country, and in ministry to the children of foreign nations in our midst verifies the lesson in the devotional in respect for personality.

"The Beautiful Garden of Prayer" was sung and Mrs. J. W. Slover ably discussed the interesting subject "The Settlement a Way of Life." There are many ways but the Way of Life includes the problem of the Settlement.

Martha DeBerry favored the society by singing "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" by Lawrence Hope. She was accompanied by Mrs. E. S. Shelley. "What a Friend We Have in Jesus," a piano number arranged by M. W. Butler was rendered by Vera Neeley. These musical numbers were especially effective and appreciated as a fitting close to the program. A contest on the Women of the Bible was conducted by Mrs. Neeley after which the hostesses served dainty refreshments assisted by Annie Rene Montgomery.

Members enjoying the afternoon were Mesdames Seago, Phelan, Gerlach, Fred Clark, Brown, Neely, Ballew, Hart, Dunbar, Schoolfield, Slover, Hightower, Major, Delaney, Taylor, Hoffman, Dowell, W. S. Montgomery, J. P. Montgomery, Ed Lofland, Reynolds, Johnson, and Coursey.

Lee Pope spent Sunday in Amarillo.

Joint Recitals Held Two Nights During This Week

Two evenings of unusually entertaining music and readings by pupils of Mrs. Marshal Allen, expression teacher, and Mrs. Elmer S. Shelley, piano and voice teacher, were enjoyed by large and appreciative audiences in the senior high school auditorium.

Monday evening, February 10, the following program was rendered: Spinning Song—Op. 14, No. 4 by Ellmenreich, Joyce Read; A Jolly Party (contest number) by Grant Shaeffer, Naomi Wiggins; The Mustard Plaster, by Stuart, Jackie Lee Boren; The Lizzards by Philip H. Goepf, Juanita Jones. (a) Dream Song by Forman, (b) The Chase (Tarantelle), (c) Jolly Party (contest number) by Grant Shaeffer, Jeanette Watson; (a) The Pine Tree, by Kroeger, (b) Triumphal March by Oosten, Ann Pallmeyer; A Knight Above Reproach by Ellis Parker Butler, Lloyd Evans; A Little Waltz by Jessie L. Gaynor, Juanita Jones; Curious Story by Heller, Dorothy Dunbar; The King's Breakfast by A. A. Milne, Mary Ellen Hamilton; O Sole Mio (My Bright Sun) by Edwardo de Capua, Ouida Read; Boy Wanted, from Old Scrap Book, Benny Estes; (a) Wooden Soldier by Lewis G. Thomas, (b) Boy Scouts by Kroeger, (c) Indian Dance by Kroeger, Marcia Potter.

Notin' to Laugh At, by Edgar A. Guest, Mary Helen Nelson. A Merry Jingle by Lemont, Dorothy Evans; Roses of Picardy by Hayden Wood, Mary Ellen Hamilton; Turkish Rondo by Mozart, Virginia Orr; Introducin' Jimmy— from Pollyanna, by Eleanor H. Porter, Dorothy Evans; Aragonaise by Massenet, Mary Ellen Hamilton; (a) Home Is Where the Heart Is by Edgar A. Guest, (b) In a World of Make Believe by Jewel Walker, Helen Ruth Wiggins; Fur Elise (contest number) by Beethoven, Geraldine Watson; musical readings: (a) Politeness, by A. A. Milne, (b) Lines and Squares by A. A. Milne, (c) Vespers by A. A. Milne, Annie Ruth Williams.

Tuesday evening, February 11, the entertainment was given by the more advanced pupils, who rendered, in a very creditable manner, the following program: reading, "Millions of Cats" by Wanda Gay, Mary Cosby, Piano "Valse Helena" by Kern, Mary Helen Kinslow; voice—"Doan Ye

Cry, Ma Honey," by Albert W. Noll, Maizie Perkins; Selections from "Ol' Man Adam and His Children" by Roarke Bradford, (a) Sin, Lewis Foxhall; (b) Steamboat Days, F. M. Sachse; (c) Mrs. Lot, Gayle Greene; piano duet, "With Muted Strings," by August Noeclck, Anna Louise Hudgins and Mrs. Elmer S. Shelley; voice—"Shoogy Shoo," Lorraine McCown—"Arbutus," by Metcalf, Frances Wright; voice—"The World Is Waiting for the Sunrise" by Seitz, Annie Rene Montgomery; piano—"Tarantelle" by Reinhold, Dorothy Jones, voice—"Sorter Miss You" by Penn, Iris Hollis; piano—"Twilight" by Guy, Iweta Morgan; voice—"Fallen Leaf" by Logan, Sarah Bradshaw; piano—(a) "Flatterer" by Cham-inade; (b) "Coasting" by Burleigh, Vera Neely; voice—"Roses of Picardy" by Hayden Wood, Sara Hart; saxophone solo, Royce Brooks; reading, "You Got to S'lute" by Ellis Parker Butler, Cearley Read Kinard.

"The Six Who Pass While the Lentils Boil," a fantasy in one act by Stuart Walker; characters, The Boy, Audrie Lofland, The Queen, Allie Caviness; The Mime, Martha Draper; The Milk-maid, Tommie Boren; The Blind-man, Loreece Webster; The Ballad-singer, Lorraine McCowan; The Dreadful Headman, Margilee Sigler.

The Sodolitan Class of the First Baptist Church met Friday afternoon, Feb. 7, at the home of Mrs. B. E. Davenport, with Mrs. R. E. Duren, assistant hostess.

Mrs. Davenport Hostess At Meet Sodolitan Class

The very interesting program opened by singing the Class song, "My Desire," followed by a prayer led by Mrs. Miller. The devotional was conducted by Mrs. Frank Ellis, and Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard led in prayer. After the devotional a short business

session was conducted by the Class president, Mrs. Frank Ellis. The program was as follows: Class History—Mrs. H. H. Lindsey; Song—Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard; Reading—Mrs. W. S. Moore; Contest—Mrs. Sam Foxhall.

Lovely refreshments were served

ed to the class members by the hostesses, and a very enjoyable social hour was enjoyed.

Misses Ruth Pendergrass, Zada Bell Walker and Ruby Bray, of the Leslie school, spent the week end with their relatives in Memphis.

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Ladies' shoes, one large lot, choice the pr. \$1	One large lot of Batiste Flaxon Tissue Gingham and other materials, 3 yards \$1
Children's Socks, assorted colors. While they last, 10 pairs for \$1	Prints, Indian Head, Pique and Broadcloth, 2 1/2 yards \$1
	Cotton Crepe, 35c value, 4 yards \$1
	Ruffled Curtains and centers, the pair \$1
	Men's Cotton Socks in black and white, 12 prs \$1

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Cross Dry Goods Store
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The Society appreciated the presence of a former member, Mrs. Carl Reese of Amarillo.

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*Formal Opening
of the
Marilyn Shoppe
Saturday, February 15*

On Saturday, February 15th, the Marilyn shop will open for business and you are cordially invited to attend our opening and become one of our regular customers. The Marilyn Shoppe will be located the second door south of the postoffice and will be headquarters for the best dressed women in this section of the country.

Management of new store

The Marilyn Shoppe is owned and will be under the management of Mrs. A. L. Croft and Mrs. E. D. Turner. Both Mrs. Croft and Mrs. Turner are well known in Memphis and are experienced ready to wear experts and connoisseurs of Millinery styles. Both Mrs. Croft and Mrs. Turner extend you a hearty welcome at all times and will endeavor to care for your every need in Ready to Wear and Millinery adequately.



Presenting The New Styles For Spring

In our opening we bring to you the newest styles in Ready to Wear and Millinery and at prices that will merit your serious consideration. We will at all times offer a complete showing of both Ready to Wear and Millinery as presented by America's foremost manufacturers of fine garments for fashionable women. We invite you to see our initial presentation of spring and summer merchandise.

NEW SPRING COATS

Clever indeed are these summer wraps for women and Misses. Beautiful garments tailored of fine quality fabrics in both straight line and belted models. Self and fur trimmed. We offer for your approval a complete range of sizes and colors. Priced—

\$12.00 \$17.00 \$19.00 \$25.00 and up

New Spring Dresses

You will be delighted with this showing of new spring dresses featuring the new long skirts and the many varied style trends. There are solid colors and scores of beautiful prints from which to make your spring selection. Attractively priced as follows:

\$7.00 — \$10.00 — \$13.00 — \$16.00 and up

New Spring Suits

From this offering of new spring suits you may select just the garment that suits your particular need. They are to be had in variety of styles featuring novelty fabrics of many attractive colors and patterns. Self and fur trimmed garments to select from. Priced as follows—

\$12.00 — \$16.00 — \$20.00

AND UP



Perkette Bloomers
These bloomers are well made of good quality Rayon, reinforced at all points of strain. With good elastic waist and knee band. The pair..... \$1.00

Blossom Bloomers
These bloomers are extra good jersey with reinforced crotch, guaranteed not to rip. They are to be had in a pretty range of pastel shades. The pair \$2.25

Crepe Slips for Women

With the new long skirts a special need for slips and from this offering of fine quality crepe slips you may select just the garment that fits your need best. They are to be had in flesh, peach and white. The garment..... \$2.25

presenting the
NEW MODES
in
Spring Millinery



Charming indeed are the new Millinery modes for spring and summer. There are new shapes, new straws and many delightful new colors. All in keeping with the lines of the new dresses. We take pleasure in presenting this offering of spring Millinery for the approval of fashionable women.

New Straws

Among the new straws for spring will be found, Rock Hemp, Fancy Hemp, Lace Hemp, Petaline, Double Petaline, Bacu Petaline, Visca, Crocket Visca, Fancy Visca, Railroad Straw, Braid, Leghorn or Tuscan, Celophone Straw.

New Colors

The new colors for spring and summer Millinery are as follows: Linen, Cupid, Pastorial, Pie Crust, Butter, Castilian red, Morning.

\$3.00 — \$5.00 — \$6.00 — \$8.00

THE MARILYN SHOPPE

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Texas

"Memphis' Newest Shoppe for Women"

Memphis
Texas

Jefferson Davis Is Eulogized As Soldier, Statesman

A tribute to Jefferson Davis, soldier and statesman, was rendered in a paper read by Mrs. L. R. Henderson at the February meeting of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, held on Tuesday, February 11. The paper was written by Mrs. Henderson and reads as follows:

"One of the chief actors and the strongest figure in the stirring times of the Confederate government was Jefferson Davis. When the Confederate government had been resolved on, all eyes were turned to the great Mississippian as the best fitted to be President of the Confederate States and Commander-in-chief of its army and navy. He was at once unanimously elected to that position by the provisional congress assembled at Montgomery.

"In a calm, on placid seas, many may steer and command the vessel, but when a storm comes, the highest skill and courage are required. He grandly bore the burden placed upon his career as a statesman and soldier during these trying times and was without a peer. His life was illustrious and challenges admiration. Tried often and on great occasions, he always proved equal to the demands on him.

"He achieved distinction as a soldier. His power as a speaker was unlimited. Elected to Congress, he maintained his reputation as the greatest statesman of his time. He was chosen Colonel of the First Mississippi regiment for service in the War with Mexico. He hurried to the scene of hostilities and won great honor as a brave and skillful officer. Returning on crutches from a wound received in the battle of Buena Vista, he was offered a signal honor, a Brigadier General's commission, but declined it.

"Returning home with such a brilliant military reputation, he was the pride of Mississippi in that day of her glory and power. Soon after his arrival, he was appointed United States Senator. Here, he took high rank and displayed his remarkable statesmanship and was appointed chairman of the committee on Military Affairs. Later, he was elected for a term of six years. He continued in the Senate always taking a prominent part and was easily the foremost Senator from the South. He was called from the Senate by his state in the year 1861. His farewell address to the Senate on his leave-taking will always be considered one of the greatest orations ever given. He willingly gave up honor and accepted the call to duty.

"He had a fine personality, a splendid bearing that commanded attention everywhere. His attainments were varied and extensive. As an orator, he could thrill and move an assembly or army as none other in that time. As a writer, his defense of the Southern people in his History of the Rise and Fall of the Confederate Government will stand forever unanswered and unanswerable.

"Jefferson Davis' claims on the hearts of his people do not rest entirely with his services to the Confederacy. As a young soldier on the frontier and in Indian wars, he had illustrated the highest type of a young officer. As Colonel of the gallant Mississippi regiment, he won imperishable glory on the fields of Mexico and contributed his part toward planting the Stars and Stripes on the walls of the Montezumas. As representative of his state in the halls of Congress, he had been the peer of the greatest in the House and in the Senate, even though there were giants in intellect in those days. As secretary of war, he proved himself the ablest the country ever had.

"In summing up his life, there has never been a greater statesman and a more valiant soldier than Jefferson Davis. He commanded respect because he deserved it. Whatever his hand found to do, he did it with his might. In private life, in the army, in the House or Senate, as secretary of war, as President of the Confederate States, wherever he was placed, diligence, serious devotion to his task characterized him. He was ambitious, no doubt, but it was to serve his country, and he was ready to sacrifice himself, and he proved he was the greatest soldier and statesman the South ever had.

"In his passing to the Great Beyond, the South knew he was one who had never wavered in his defense of his people and the cause so justly defended. He was one, but would not be forgotten."

Mrs. M. O. Goodpasture and Henry Goodpasture drove to Quail Tuesday afternoon to attend the funeral of R. R. Bradshaw, who died Monday night, and was buried Tuesday at Quail.

POWER FARMING DAY SET BY THOMPSON

"Hello World" Coffee To Be Served At Meeting Here

Believing that farmers of the county are becoming more and more interested in power farming, Thompson Bros. Hardware Company have set Wednesday, February 19, as "power farming day" at their store. A power farming school will be conducted on that day by expert teachers who represent the McCormick-Deering Implement Company in the display of Farmall tractors. The meeting will be held throughout the day in the implement display room which is located on the first floor of the new Memphis Hotel Annex.

Will Serve Lunch
At noon, a hot lunch will be served to all farmers attending the school. "Hello World" coffee, ordered especially for use on this day from W. K. Henderson, the "hello world, dog gone" radio announcer, will be dispensed. After the lunch, a motion picture will be shown which has for its theme the economic value of power farming.

Most Economical Way
Thompson Bros. Hardware Company are doing their utmost to introduce power farming in Hall County because they believe it is the most practical and economical way in fact to farm. At the present time, the company has sold 65 Farmall tractors for use on county farms.

Policy Of Federal Farm Board Comes In For Criticism

The policy of the Federal Farm Board in making Government loans only to farmers who are members of cotton marketing associations has been attacked by O. P. Norman of Kaufman, president of the Farmers Marketing Association of America, according to a story published this week in the Dallas Morning News.

"The policy of the Federal Farm Board for cotton has collapsed," Mr. Norman said. "Cotton is now selling for about \$8 per bale below the Farm Board's loan value. Furthermore, the board seems determined to limit its operations to a certain group of marketing associations which have a notorious past record for high cost of handling and bad management and speculation in cotton futures."

With the note that his organization's purpose is to give the farmers an opportunity to "secure a price for cotton equal to cost of production with a reasonable profit," Mr. Norman placed it at the service of Texas farmers with his statement that "since the farm board's policy is to force the farmers by coercion and otherwise to join this specific group of co-operation regardless of high charges and other failures, we believe that the Farmers Marketing Association of America is under obligation to give every farmer in Texas a chance to join our association with its simple, economical plans, free from rigid contracts which allow the farmers to withdraw when the association does not secure satisfactory prices for their cotton."

"We are relying on the fact that the cotton industry is suffering from under consumption instead of over production," the statement continues, "and that economic conditions will be adjusted so that the millions of people now going half-naked will buy clothes and thereby consume more cotton than the world is now producing. It is nonsense to howl over production when 40 per cent of the people of the world are freezing for the want of clothes and starving for the want of bread."

Mrs. J. M. Bush of Crowell, spent Monday with Mrs. Henry Newman, on her way from Amarillo to her home in Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Bryant spent last week end visiting their daughter, Mrs. Byron Gist, in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stargell and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Stargell drove to Clarendon Sunday to visit with T. G. Stargell.

Mrs. Sallie Waggoner, of Hollis, Oklahoma, is now visiting her son, Gene Waggoner, new manager of Fain & Co. store in Memphis.

W. E. Gattis, State High School supervisor, of State Department of Education, of Austin, is in Memphis inspecting the schools.

Friendship School Will Present Play

A play entitled, "The Road That Leads to the City," will be presented at the Friendship school, five miles south of Memphis, on Friday night, February 14, at 7:30 p. m. R. C. Swinburn is director of the play and two hours of genuine entertainment is promised those who attend. Admission will be ten and twenty-five cents.

The characters in the play are: Robert Darnell, a country physician, Doyle Simmons; Richard James, a man from the city, Vance Swinburn; Jud Judkins, a young farmer, Coy Beckham; John James, Richard's invalid father, Alvie Adams; Duke, a man of mystery, Dellian Betts; Jet Anderson, girl at the crossroads, Mrs. R. C. Swinburn; Toto Lee, Jet's cousin, Idell Betts; Lilly Morton, a girl from the city, Irene Odom. Mrs. Sanderson, Jet's widowed mother, Miss L. V. Taylor; Marie, a lady's maid, Estelle Harris.

Claude Harrison Matriculates In Kerrville School

Claude Benton Harrison son of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Harrison of Memphis and a graduate of the Terrill School in Dallas, enrolled last week in the college department of the Schreiner Institute at Kerrville, Texas. The second semester of school at Schreiner began Monday of last week without any break between the first and second terms of study. More than 20 students who were not enrolled for the first semester are expected to matriculate before this week is out.

Military routine, after having been dispensed with during final examinations of the first semester, was resumed last week at the regular drill periods. Extra-curricular activities are being revived following the final examinations. Some of the campus clubs have not met regularly since the Christmas holidays, but now plan to reorganize for the second semester.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryan have a new daughter, Olga Mary, born Wednesday, Feb. 12.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wirt Rogers returned home Monday night from a ten day trip to the Rio Grande Valley.

Frank Bayouth made a business trip to Amarillo Monday.

Miss Reba Fitzjarrald, who is teaching in Lodge this year, spent last week end with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. John W. Fitzjarrald.

Clarence Jackson, was a visitor in Clarendon Saturday.

There is every indication that Texas has a capable and fearless auditor. The report of Auditor Moore Lynn to the legislature should get action. It illustrates the colossal carelessness with which so many offices in this state are administered.—Pampa Daily News.

NEWLIN NEWS

J. C. Downing went to Dallas this week on business.

D. W. Lawrence and Walter Le Compte left Tuesday for New Mexico on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Mansel Burnett are happy parents of a baby boy, born February 6.

Mrs. Fred Hemphill entertained the Ladies Missionary Society with a Valentine party Monday afternoon.

Miss Ruby Acker spent the week end with Miss Margaret McElreath in Memphis.

Mrs. Landers and Mrs. Whitesides visited the Newlin school Monday morning.

Miss Mann was called to Hedley Tuesday on account of her uncle's death.

Miss Marjorie Calwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Calwell, of Tell, was married to William Walton Hamilton, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hamilton, of Newlin, Saturday, February 8, at the Methodist parsonage. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Stapleton, pastor of the First Methodist church of Newlin.

The Newlin girls' basketball team defeated the Hedley girls' team Thursday, February 6, on Hedley's court by a score of 26 to 21.

The Newlin girls won a victory of 31 to 29 from the Carey girls Tuesday evening on the Carey court.

The junior girls of Carey defeated the Newlin girls on Tuesday evening by a score of 13 to 8.

The Newlin Cardinals defeated the High Point basketball team 30 to 18 in a fast contest on Carey's court, Tuesday, February 11.

Cotton Situation Is Discussed By Dallas Authority

If the severe winter weather in most of Texas should check the boll weevil, and if the cotton acreage be increased or maintained at last season's level, and if there should follow a bumper crop of cotton because of the beneficial effect of zero temperatures on soil, it is very likely that a distressing situation would develop for the Texas cotton farmer in 1930.

Of course, it should be remembered that the spread of the boll weevil is more greatly dependent upon the seasonal conditions next spring and summer than upon winter weather, as the records show. However, there is always a possibility that a more than ordinarily favorable combination of weather, soil and absence of insects may develop which would enable the cotton plant to produce its maximum.

It has been repeatedly stated in these columns that the immediate outlook for the Texas cotton grower is not encouraging, due chiefly to the declining fertility of the soil and the increasing cotton acreage which always holds the threat of a greater crop than can be marketed at a profit.

Fall Oats Killed
With fall oats killed throughout North and much of Central

Texas, there is a threat that much of this land may be planted to cotton unless effort is made to insure its planting to spring oats and other grain and feed crops. Planting time will be here shortly and farmers will need wise counsel from their bankers, credit merchants or landlords.

The safest procedure would seem to be in the direction of planting only the best land in cotton and letting land which can not be fertilized and which in the last few years has not produced a profit from cotton remain idle or planting it to feed crops.

If the Texas farmer is to pull himself out of a hole he must have the right kind of advice from his banker or financial adviser. Certainly a safer method of farming which assures first a good living on the farm and which also restores fertility and organic matter to the land is to be preferred to the system now so largely practiced.

Lost Fifty Pounds Lint

The Texas cotton yield on a per acre basis has gone down from an average of 185 pounds of lint during the decade of 1903 to 1913 to 133 pounds for the last ten years. This loss of fifty pounds per acre perhaps makes the difference between profit and loss. It amounts roughly to \$8 an acre at this season's prices. A farm having sixty acres in cotton would have been just about \$500 better off than at present.

The last year in which Texas had an average lint yield of more than 200 pounds an acre was 1912 when 206 pounds were produced. At that time the Texas area in cultivation was on 11,338,000. Since that time, in seventeen years, Texas has added more than 8,000,000 acres to cotton raising. Last season 18,912,000 acres were planted in Texas and more than 1,000,000 acres were abandoned before harvest. The acre yield of lint was only 106 pounds or almost down to one-fifth of a bale. Such yields could scarcely make the farmer a profit if he obtained 22c a pound instead of the 16c he received the last season.

Quality Is Important

With the neglect of soil and the decline of fertility and organic matter the staple length and strength of Texas cotton also has deteriorated until British, German and other foreign spinners no longer look to Texas for the kind of cotton their industries require. India and the Sudan, as well as several other foreign countries are producing much better staple in large volume than does Texas. It is only natural that foreign spinners should look to those countries for their principal supplies.

The spread of short staple in Texas has hurt the cotton industry of the State. Farmers are still deluded over what they call a larger gin turn-out of the short staples, forgetting that these varieties are penalized in advance because they usually do not produce seven-eighths-inch lengths. Anything less than that is not tenderable on United States futures standards. Summed up this answer would seem to be:

Plant no land in cotton which does not produce at least seven-eighths-inch staple. Better still would be if at least fifteen-sixteenths or one inch were the minimum goal. The Texas reputa-

tion in the world markets was made with cotton which was of rather uniform lengths around one and one-sixteenth inch, but that kind of staple now is very scarce and was only produced in limited areas in recent years.

Better staple and more cotton on fewer acres is still as good a slogan as it was when The Dallas Morning News and the Texas A. & M. College launched the cotton contests some years ago. In these contests it was clearly shown that as much cotton can be raised on a properly tilled and fertilized five or ten acres as on fifty or more acres and at a much lower cost. But to do this land must be built up to higher production. Crop rotation and live stick will do that. Something must be put back in the land if profits are to be gotten out of it.—Victor H. Schoffmayer in The Dallas Morning News.

Mrs. Jack Sharkey thinks her husband will beat Phil Scott, but this ought not influence the betting odds.

In talking with a number of our good farmer friends, we find that many of them are going to raise a few hogs this year, not going into the hog business, understand, but keep enough to use the surplus feed, milo and scraps about the average farm home, and most of them say, that they will have in addition to their own meat, a few hogs to sell.—Turkey Enterprise.

Why don't the women get together on the name "Catherine"? We see it spelled many ways. Here are a few: Catherine, Katharine, Katharyn, Katherine, Kathryn. This editor writes a news item about a Kathryn So and So, and if he doesn't know the Catherine personally, he spells it Katharine and learns it should be spelled Kathryn. Can't something be done?—Quannah Tribune-Chief.

"All experiments of little children," Dr. J. Reaney says, "such as turning on gas taps and the like, should be given plenty of scope." Plenty of stethoscope, he probably means.

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Some Good Young MULES

We sell for cash or on Fall time with good notes. These mules will make a crop and then sell for a profit.

J. F. Forkner

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That's the kind of meats you get when you order from Chitwood's Market. We offer you choice cuts at all times. Here you get the tenderness of meats . . . and at the lowest prices possible. Phone us your order and test our snappy delivery service.

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PORK CHOPS	PER LB.	30c
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Dressed Chicken, Fish and Oysters, and Hotdy-Hot Barbecue!

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The Saturday Specials offered by "M" System every week are worth waiting for . . . because they enable you to save on many items. And yet you will find our prices all during the week are low, and trading at this store at any time means money saved.

SATURDAY SPECIALS

FLOUR	Every Sack Guaranteed—48-Lb. Sack	\$1.59
SUGAR	25-LB. SACK	\$1.47
SPUDS	PER PECK	45c
SYRUP	EAST TEXAS—PER GALLON	98c
SAUSAGE	FRESH FROM OUR MARKETS, LB.	20c
OLEOMARGERINE	PER LB.	21c

"M" SYSTEM

On The Level—

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... themselves. Take a look out the town. Try to visualize how conditions may be improved and then start writing. The sooner the articles are written and printed the better it will be. All editors in Memphis have an equal chance of winning, but the winning articles must show some thought and must be written so that I can read them.

The reason I am making this offer is to get more people interested in the physical appearance of this city. Most of us are in the habit of taking things for granted. If the students attending public schools in the city begin taking an interest in the things about them, I believe it will help the older folks to come to a realization that it is better to live in a clean town than in a dirty one.

With a little effort, a little work, Memphis can be kept clean the entire year. There is no good reason why this city should not have a "spick and span" appearance all the time. I hope that through the medium of this contest public consciousness will be awakened and that all of us will pay more attention to our physical surroundings.

Colbert Suffering—

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riding without lights, when they were run down by a car whose lights blinded the youths. The car did not see the approaching motorcycle until the crash. The boys were dragged along the pavement some distance before the car could be brought to a stop. Colbert's leg was broken in two places. Although Colbert was severely injured, attending physicians say he will recover, but it will be some time before he can leave the hospital.

New Industries In—

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our raw materials and convert them into finished products and at the same time furnish employment to a part of our citizenship. A mill that will take our raw cotton and make cloth and other cotton fabrics as the oil mill converts our seed into oil and meal. We need a fully equipped creamery, taking whole milk and butter fats and establishing cream routes over our county. The fact that we are rich in agricultural production leads us to indifference along industrial lines. We make a living from these, so why should we worry.

Strictly as an agricultural center, we will perhaps reach a population of say ten or twelve thousand, but should we be ambitious to go beyond these figures, industry must needs plant itself in Memphis. We have the fuel and the water—two main elements of industry—so why not hitch the old bus to a star and travel along? School towns do not make commercial cities. Rich agricultural centers rarely develop cities. Why? Because people are content with what they have and do not push out after industries.

C. of C. Membership

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ber for the Memphis Chamber of Commerce. Every business and professional man in the city will be seen with reference to joining the organization.

Want Every Business Man

Mr. Rushing stated that it is the desire of the directors to have every business man in Memphis align himself with the Chamber of Commerce and to work with and through this organization for a greater Memphis and Hall County. Each section of the business district will be divided between the directors and a thorough and responsive drive is anticipated.

SHAMROCK B. Y. C. STORE TRADED FOR PLAINS LAND

The B. Y. C. Store at Shamrock has been traded for a large tract of Plains land, according to an announcement by J. Claude Wells and J. C. Ross.

Clifford Lemons, former manager of the store, has moved back to Memphis and will be associated with C. Lee Rushing, local representative for the Southland Life Insurance Co.

FIRST

WHEN news was received by the Sheriff's Department Saturday of the capture in Big Spring of Hess Tyler, wanted in Memphis in connection with the fatal shooting two weeks ago of Bryan Nall, Eli storekeeper, the Memphis Democrat—Your Home Paper—was the first agency to give the news general distribution via printer's ink.

Complete details of Tyler's capture, as well as a story of the placing in jail of a threatened state's witness, were supplied FIRST in an extra edition of this newspaper which appeared on city streets at 5 p. m. Saturday. The extra was distributed all over the county by three specially dispatched motor cars by 6:30 Saturday afternoon. This service was rendered to the large Democrat family at considerable expense.

Christian Pastor—

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state and I expect to make religious education a feature of the church program. Along with religious education, I believe in a high type musical organization in the church. My experience as a singer and choir director will help me in this regard.

Have Part in Cantata
I have brought with me to Memphis my wife and daughter, Margaret, who is a senior in high school. I have two other daughters attending school at Texas Christian University, in Fort Worth, both of whom are majoring in the fine arts. When they come home to Memphis for the Easter holidays, they will have a part in the Easter cantata which I shall direct. Doris is a senior in the University and Mota Maye is a junior. The younger girl has had four years training in the music conservatory there while Doris is a candidate for the beauty page in the "Horned Frog" student yearbook.

Welcome Opportunity
My family, as well as myself, while hating to sever the many friendly connections we made while in Amarillo, welcome the opportunity of living in Memphis and being a part of the life of this fast growing town. It is a pleasure to live among people so thoroughly wholesome as those in Memphis.

Cow, Sow, Hen—

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clear profit, as the money I get from eggs and butter pays nearly all of our living expenses."

140 Acres in Cotton
Mr. Champion lives on a 200 acre farm, about 140 acres of which is planted in cotton. Although he plants the major part of his land in cotton, he raises enough feed to keep his stock well fed throughout most of the year. Some years, he sells several tons of feed, but during the past season, he only made enough to feed his stock until harvesting time next fall. He made 40 bales of cotton last year, but he is confident that a much better crop will be had this season. "I am predicting a cotton crop of about a half bale to the acre this year," Mr. Champion said, "and if we make that much cotton per acre, we should make about a ton of maize to each acre."

Camp Site For—

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fact, no camp will be held at the site this coming summer. However, contemplated improvements provide that a dam will be built, so that within a year's time there will be an abundance of water for all necessary purposes.

To Secure Camp Site
Instructions were given Executive Jolly to secure a camp site for the use of the Scouts of this area for a camp this summer. No site has been selected, as yet, but it is anticipated that the park at Craterville, Oklahoma, near Medicine Park, in the Wichita Mountain district, will be selected.

FIRST BASEBALL GAME WILL BE PLAYED SOON

Vance Swinburn stated that the first baseball game will be scheduled for about March 1, the rival team to be announced later.

Drive for selling season tickets for the baseball games to be played in Memphis will start within two weeks.

The team is being organized, and will start practicing soon.

NOTICE
Attend our 1c Sale beginning next Wednesday, Feb. 19, and running 4 days. New Stocks, Big Values. Drugs, Stationery, Toilet Goods. CLARK DRUG COMPANY.

The farmers of this community have commenced their Spring plowing.

Mrs. W. B. Baker has returned from Waxahachie, where she placed her daughter Mildred, in Trinity University.

Joseph Rich is still out of school on account of illness.

Everybody present enjoyed the party at Charlie Hill's home last Friday night. Delicious refreshments, of fruit punch and cake, were served.

Next Sunday night the Community Singing will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hampton.

By Reporter.

Olin V. Alexander, former owner and manager of O. V. Alexander Gents' Furnishing Store here, is ill at his home on South Eighth Street. Mr. and Mrs. Alexander have been in Nocona for some time since the closing of his business in January but returned here this week. He has been ill for the larger part of the last month.

Miss Mona Cowan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Copeland, of Estelline, is in the Memphis Hospital.

Chapel Program At Junior High Given By Several Scouts

Students and teachers of Junior High School enjoyed a chapel program Tuesday, February 11, which was given by the Boy Scouts. The first number was the Scout song, sung by the Scouts in the glee club. Next, the Scout laws and their meaning were given by Floyd Wattenbarger. Following this, Joe Peddie gave, "The Spirit of Scouting."

The octette of Junior High boys sang two numbers, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. M. McNeely. Lewis Foxhall then read a short poem, "The Unknown Scout." J. P. Bolles presented to the Junior High School a magazine rack for the library, made by the Scouts of Troop No. 2. This was followed by a talk given by I. E. Jolly, local Scout Executive.

Mrs. Alfred Stone of Lamesa, is visiting this week with her mother, Mrs. John Dennis.

Mable Godfrey, is visiting in Pampa this week.

Mrs. P. F. Craver and Mrs. Elmo Whaley spent Monday visiting in Hedley.

Pauline Kennedy spent Sunday in Eli with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Keesterson, and son Bill George, made a trip to Hollis, Okla., last Friday.

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JEL SERT	Good as Jello, pkg.	5c
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SUGAR	Cane, 10-lb. cloth bag (limit 10 lb.)	58c
Market Specials		
PLATE RIB ROAST		19c
OR STEW MEAT, per pound		19c
SALT PORK	Per lb.	18c
VEAL LOAF	Ground with pork, lb	22c
CHEESE	Long Horn, per lb.	27c

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MEAL	5 POUNDS	19c
FLOUR	BIG A—48 LB. SACK	\$1.59
RAISINS	4 POUNDS	29c
COFFEE	PEABERRY—5 LBS.	99c
SOAP	P. & G.—Full Weight Bars, 10 bars for	39c
BEANS	GREEN—2 CANS	25c
MATCHES	6 BOXES	15c
OLEOMARGERINE	3 POUNDS	50c
SAUSAGE	COUNTRY STYLE, PER LB.	20c
BEEF ROAST PLATE RIB	PER LB.	17c

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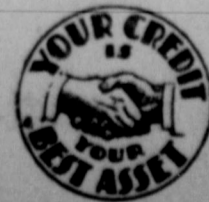


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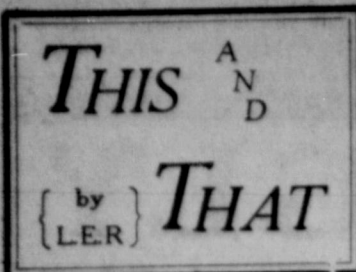
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Business Men Congratulate L. E. R. On His Sprained Ankle



L. E. R. has been on crutches this week as the result of getting in the way of the Memphis Fire Department.

Why will these boys follow the fire trucks and even try to beat them to the conflagration? Why?

Frankly, I was trying to keep out of the way. I merely went to the fire to look on, but when one of the firemen hollered "Let's pull this hose" I didn't have any better sense than to think he was talking to me.

Well, people, hose pulling isn't what it's cracked up to be. I got along fine until the hose turned a corner. I didn't turn fast enough.

What really annoys me most is the fact that I didn't have any business at the fire in the first place. I have always had disgracefully thick ankles, but my right one is now about the thickest you ever saw.

RUNS TO FIRE INTACT—COMES BACK ON CRUTCHES



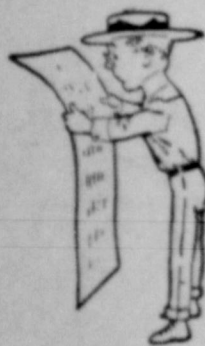
This action photo shows L. E. R. en route to the fire last Monday. However, I'm really not the brunette this picture indicates. Just an instance of poor photography by the staff photographer.

THE RAVAGES OF FIRE!



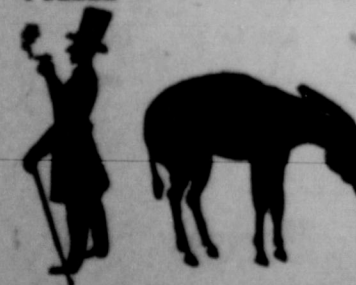
Here is the way L. E. R. will have to walk when he gets off his crutches. Note the stiff-legged effect.

BUSINESS MANAGER FAILS TO READ OWN PAPER—PAYS DEARLY



Procrastination—thou evil virtue. Above we show L. E. R. reading an editorial that appeared in The Democrat more than a month ago. He didn't read it until after the fire Monday. The discourse cautioned private citizens about getting in the way of the Memphis Volunteer Fire Department. Moral: (Publishers please note) Always read your own newspaper.

PUZZLE PICTURE—WIN \$5!



Above are two photos. One is the likeness of L. E. R. The Democrat will pay a cash prize of \$5 to the person who first submits the correct solution of the puzzle picture. Which one is L. E. R.?

NEWSPAPERMAN WILL DEVOTE LIFE TO WORTHY CAUSE!



This is the way L. E. R. will appear when he begins a lecture tour of the United States. He has definitely decided to devote the rest of his life, as soon as his ankle has healed, to lecturing on the subject "Why Follow a Fire Truck?" He will be accompanied by his crutches which he will exhibit as one of the chief negative reasons.

My sprained ankle was sponsored by the firms whose ads you see on this page. Tarver's Pharmacy, Clark Drug Co., Meacham's Pharmacy, Leverett-Williams Pharmacy, Palace Theatre and Dr. J. A. Odom each played an important part in the event. I don't believe I ever could have had a sprained ankle without them.

Trying to walk down stairs on crutches is like flirting with another man's wife. Risky business.

I know of at least one advantage, however. Sixteen beggars have passed me up because I look like an invalid.

A long-time subscriber for The Democrat came in the office yesterday and sympathized with me. "Why you poor man, he said. What a pity! What a pity! Yes, what a pity you didn't break your neck!" That ought to give you a fair idea of the esteem in which I am held in this community.

Another one of my very dear friends said I should have fallen on my head, in which case I would have emerged without a blemish.

And another good thing. I'm only wearing out one shoe. Now if I can just sprain the other ankle. . .

Misses Danny Huffman, and Lois Harrell, and Alton and Russell Harrell spent Sunday in Amarillo.

Miss Dodie Clifton, of Los Angeles, Cal., is visiting with friends in Memphis this week.

Miss Lena McLearn left Friday to take a position with the Love Dry Goods Co. in Spur.

Miss Rady and Miss Ireta Moreman, and Mrs. R. E. Thomas went to Amarillo to spend Sunday.

Bonny Cohen drove to Amarillo to spend Sunday with friends there.

S. S. Montgomery of Mangum, Oklahoma, was in Memphis Friday and Saturday, with twelve other boys, to see the Follies. S. S. was formerly of Memphis High School, and he said that he would still be loyal to it by coming and bringing his friends to see this entertainment.

Church News

"On the Sabbath he went to the synagogue, as he was accustomed to do, and stood up to read the Scripture." Luke 4:16. Announcements for the week beginning Sunday, February 16. A cordial and sincere welcome to all the services.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Rev. H. A. Shaw, Minister
Bible School at 9:45 a. m.; R. C. Howerton, general superintendent; classes for all ages.

Morning worship starts promptly at 10:55. Sermon and communion follow. The Rev. H. A. Shaw will be in his pulpit at both the morning and evening services. He will use for his morning subject, "Leaders for God." At the evening fellowship service he will speak on the subject, "Avenue to God." Evening service at 7:30. The choir will render special music at all services. A special feature of the evening service is its free fellowship and the congregational sing-song led by Mr. Shaw. Mr. Shaw will sing a tenor solo, "Take the Home Path."

On Monday at 3 o'clock the Ladies Aid will meet at the home of the pastor and wife. Choir rehearsal and church night meeting, Thursday evening at 7:30. Everyone is cordially invited to attend all services of this conveniently located worshipful church.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Dr. J. Hardin Mallard, Pastor
SUNDAY—
Sunday school 9:45. Dr. M. McNeely, Supt.

Junior Church in Junior Chapel at 11 o'clock; Mrs. Mallard in charge.

Morning worship 11 o'clock. This is the first service of the meeting which has been previously announced. Sermon by Dr. E. B. Surface of Abilene.

Evening worship 7:15.
MONDAY—
Evangelistic services throughout the week at the evening hour. The hour of services and plans for day services will be announced Sunday night.

SATURDAY—
Four o'clock, Intermediate C. E. in the basement of the church.

Six o'clock, C. E. Seniors at the church.

THE CHURCH OF CHRIST
Lester W. Fisher, Minister

SUNDAY—
Bible Classes 9:45.
Preaching 11 a. m.
Communion 11:45.

The pastor will hold services at the Fairview school, at 3 p. m. Young People's meeting 5:30. Song drill for children 6:00. Gospel service 7:00.

MONDAY—
Ladies Bible Class at the church at 3:30.

THURSDAY—
Mid-week service.

SATURDAY—
Bible drill for children in the basement of the church at 2:00 o'clock.

NOTE—
Attendance is larger and better interest is shown in every service since coming into the new church. Twenty-four women present Monday, February 10, in Bible study. Thirty-two children attended the service on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Stoer of Wichita Falls visited with Miss Laura Brinson Friday.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Dr. Ernest E. Robinson, Pastor
SUNDAY—
Sunday school 9:45; D. A. Neeley, Supt.

Junior church 11 o'clock in men's S. S. room; Miss Lillian Thames in charge.

The Junior church is a busy place, and the children are learning the meaning of their responsibility to the church. Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Foxhall were invited guests on last Sunday and Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Thomas are invited for next Sunday.

Nursery in the basement during the church hour in charge of Mrs. Wm. Coursey and capable assistants. Instruction in Sunday School work is included in the plans.

Morning worship 11 o'clock. Subject: "The Things That Cannot be Shaken."

Junior Hi League in men's S. S. room at 5:30. Mrs. Wm. Bagwell, counselor.

Hi-League and Seniors at 6:15 in Ladies Parlor.

No preaching at night on account of the revival at the First Presbyterian church.

MONDAY—
Woman's Missionary Society. The Circles meet in joint Business session at the church at 3 o'clock. Mrs. J. P. Montgomery, president.

"Christine Allen" Missionary Society 7:15 in the ladies parlor in Mission Study.

TUESDAY—
Young Ladies S. S. Class, in monthly Business and Social meeting at the home of Mrs. E. E. Robinson at 7:30; Miss Edna Bryan, president.

WEDNESDAY—
Prayer meeting.

THURSDAY—
Choir rehearsal at the church.

FRIDAY—
Young Peoples Missionary Society 3:30 at the church; Margaret Gowan, president.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. E. T. MILLER, Pastor

SUNDAY—
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Preaching service, 11 a. m.
Sermon by the pastor.

Junior choir practice, 2 p. m.
Preaching service, 7:30 p. m.
Sermon by the pastor.

MONDAY—
W. M. S., Business meeting, 3 p. m. at church.

R. A., 7 p. m. in the home of Mrs. John Forkner.

WEDNESDAY—
Prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.

THURSDAY—
Adult choir practice, 7:30 p. m.

Poultry Raiser Is Realizing Profits From Small Flock

A profit of \$169.35 above all expenses, including chicken houses, stoves, water fountains, and feed—that's the record made by Mrs. B. Plaster, poultry raiser living a few miles east of Turkey in Hall County, who started eleven months ago in March, 1929, with a flock of 586 White Leghorn chickens.

Mrs. Plaster is a Hall County Home Demonstration Club member, working and co-operating with Miss Ruby Adams, County Home Demonstration Agent. She is winning recognition as a successful poultry woman and is establishing a record in egg production.

Receipts Total \$592.12

In March, 1929, Mrs. Plaster bought a flock of White Leghorn chicks, costing \$65. During the eleven month period her expenses included \$150 for chicken houses, \$22 for stoves, \$20.50 for water fountains, and \$165.27 for feed, or a total expense of \$422.77. Her flock began laying at an age of between four and five months, and at the end of the month of January, 1930, her receipts showed a total of \$592.12, giving her a clear profit of \$169.35. She now has a well developed poultry flock and

all the initial expense of her enterprise paid for, with a neat profit left over. She expects to increase her flock during the coming year.

In addition, Mrs. Plaster sold well over \$100 worth of fryers, leaving her an average of 230 hens, from which during the six months of production she collected 15,700 eggs.

Standard Is Doubled

During the month of November the flock averaged 13.3 eggs per hen, which is over three times above the standard of 4 eggs per hen set for November. The standard for the month of December was doubled when the flock produced an average of 10.5. In January, which was an extremely

bad month for poultry, the flock dropped in production, averaging only 5.5 eggs per hen as compared with a standard of 9 eggs for the month. This decrease is attributed to the severe cold weather and unfavorable conditions for a month, and under the circumstances, is considered a good average.

Mrs. Plaster's success has been gained through study and consistent effort in the proper management of a poultry flock, with special attention given to sanitation, careful feeding and constant culling.

Mr. and Mrs. Farris and Mrs. M. L. Sims of Hedley were singing in Memphis Friday.

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C. E. Nall, Mattie Nall, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Smith and Relatives.

CARD OF THANKS

wish to thank the Mother's club and ladies of the Eli Lodge No. 14 for the kindness shown during the sickness and death of my nephew, Bryan.

MRS. LINNIE WILLIAMS, Farwell, Texas.

Miss Zieta Guest and Miss Opal Ford spent the week end with their parents.

Miss Laura Brinson, of Little Rock, Ark., has gone to Dallas business.

WANTED ADS

RATES—2 cents a word. Minimum, 25c. Three insertions for the price of two.

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FOR RENT—Five room house. A. R. Evans. Phone 82J. 37-1fc

FOR RENT—Furnished apartments. Phone 115J. 40-3p

FOR RENT—Two room apartment, furnished, next bath, modern conveniences, private entrance. 221 North 9th street. Phone 371. 40-3p

Mrs. P. H. Longan and daughter, Rachel Edith, Mrs. Elmer Palmer and baby, James Wesley and Miss Dollie Corder of Clarendon spent Friday with Mrs. Bill Gaither.

MODERN HOUSE on pavement, unfurnished, for rent. Dr. Boaz, Phone 130. 41-3c

FOR RENT—One three room and one five-room house on 10th and 11th streets. Call Hollifield, phone 200. 1p

FIFTY-FOOT store building, formerly occupied by Amarillo Furniture Co., for rent. See W. W. Mason at 608 Noel. 41-3c

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms. 815 S. 8th St. Phone 479. 41-3p

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, 921 South Seventh street. Phone 398M. 42-3c

FOR RENT—Five room modern house, March 1. Call 536. 40-3p

FOR RENT—Bedrooms, two or three rooms, or furnished apartment, private bath. On pavement. 703 S. Eighth street. Phone 161. 41-3p

FOR RENT—7 room house on paving, arranged for two families. G. D. Beard, Phone 568, or 544M. 1p

BEDROOMS FOR RENT—Mrs. B. F. Shepherd Phone 305M. 42-3c

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, phone 387, Mrs. R. E. Martin, apply 1023 Main street. 1c

FOR RENT—Two light house-keeping rooms, have two closets and bath, sink in kitchen. Two blocks from town. 403 S. Sixth street. Mrs. M. E. Breeding. 1c

FOR RENT—Four room house, 14th and Brice, one and one-half blocks from school. Louis Goffnett, phone 359. 1p

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment for adults. Close in, modern. Phone 238. 42-3p

FOR FURNISHED Apartments, phone 115J. 42-3p

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms, for light housekeeping, modern conveniences. Call 412. 42-tfc

FOR RENT—Two apartments, furnished, separate baths, hot water, close in. Adults only. Phone 546. 42-3c

FOR SALE—White, enameled top kitchen cabinet \$12. G. D. Beard, 620 South 9th street. 1p

TO TRADE—Six room frame house, 4 years old, all conveniences, 2 blocks of car, five blocks from High School, good location. Dallas, Texas. Write Zella Anthony, Peabody Apartment "J," Little Rock, Arkansas. 1c

For Sale

FOR SALE—One Milton Upright piano, \$100; and one Player Piano, \$200. J. H. Norman & Son, Auto Body, Glass and Top Shop. 41-3c

FOR SALE—100 pure English White Leghorns and one Jersey cow. C. M. Thompson, at Wayside Camp. 40-3p

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FOR SALE—Ten thousand hegarli bundles. See S. D. Ballard, Newlin. 42-3p

FOR SALE—5 tons maize \$25 per ton. One mile west of Lodge. John Campbell. 1p

FOR SALE—Pair good mules, one 2-row Go-Devil, one Slide Go-Devil, good Cultivator, P. & O. Lister. Will take bankable note payable in Fall. Telephone 654J, J. R. Harrell. 42-3p

FOR LEASE—320 acres, 150 acres in cultivation; 3 room house. Three and one half miles southeast Hedley. Priced reasonably. C. O. Thornton, Hedley, Texas. 42-3p

FOR SALE—Delta No. 4 planting seed. See J. L. Darby, Estelline. 42-4p

FOR SALE—Cream separator and 180-egg Safety Hatch incubator. Both in good condition. Phone 909F. 42-3p

FOR SALE—6 room modern stucco house; for further information call 536. 40-3p

FOR SALE—Filling Station on Indian Creek. See Leo Hendrickson. 40-3p

FOR SALE—100 tons of kaffir corn heads, price \$20 per ton. W. A. Graham, Totaque, Texas, one mile west of town. 40-3p

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred 18 months old red durham bull, call E. M. Dennis Grocery, or 903K, Lakeview. 40-3p

I HAVE on the W. B. Quigley farm eight miles south of Memphis 12 Jersey cows now fresh and 4 heavy springers; also 4 mules and wagon and farm equipment. This stock will be sold on fall time at reasonable values. Will take other cattle, as yearlings or calves, in exchange. If you are interested see W. B. Quigley at Citizens State Bank. D. H. Reynolds. 40-6c

Wanted

WANTED—A man with family to work on farm and milk cows. \$50 per month year round, write box 822 Borger, Tex. 41-3p

WANTED—To rent two or three unfurnished rooms by couple. Address P. O. Box 875. 1p

WANTED—To trade Edison talking machine and 35 records, in good condition, for about 5 dozen good Rhode Island Red or Plymouth Rock chickens. 14th and Brumley, or address Box 269. 1p

WANTED—To rent a three or four room house for at least six months. See R. V. Whatley, at J. H. Norman & Son's. 1p

WANTED—Plain sewing. See Mrs. Edna Lester, one mile west of town, Widow Milam's farm. 41-3p

WANTED—Two or three room modern unfurnished apartment, built-in features. J. M. Sibley, phone 221. 1c

WANTED TO RENT—Five or six-room modern house, unfurnished. Phone 221. E. H. Whittington. 1c

WANTED—A crop on the shares, or would work through for a crop. Have good working force. See me on T. R. Franks place, 4 miles south on pavement. 40-3p

WANTED—That sewing machine that has kept everybody mad so long. Repair work guaranteed. J. M. Baker. 25-tfc

WANTED—Some one to build a house on Main street. I will rent it by the year or will try to buy it. Box 698, Memphis. 25-tfc

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SOCIETY and Club

Social Meeting Of Methodist Circle Is At Clark Home

Members of Circle No. 1 of the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Methodist church met Monday afternoon in a social and voice program at the home of Mrs. L. S. Clark, 409 South Seventh street, with Mrs. T. R. Franks and Mrs. G. L. Tipton, as assistant hostesses, and Mrs. John Lofland, leader.

The meeting was opened with the members singing, "Savior, More Than Life to Me." The program theme, "Respectful Personality," was brought out in the devotional by Mrs. M. J. Draper, and Mrs. C. W. Broome led in prayer. The topic for study was "Wesley Houses in Foreign Communities," which was given by Mrs. J. M. McKelvey; "St. Mark's Hall Wesley House in San Antonio," Mrs. Barney Wattenbarger; "Mexican Quarters in Dallas Night Schools," Mrs. E. W. Thomas; reading, "Today," and "L'Envoi," Mrs. Tom Ballew. Mrs. J. P. Montgomery made a talk on the connectional pledge, after which pledge cards were passed and pledges made. Mrs. M. J. Draper announced the council meeting which convenes in Amarillo March 12 to 18, and urged that a number attend.

At the conclusion of the program, a contest of Women of the Bible proved very interesting. This was followed by a delicious two course luncheon.

There were 24 members present including Mrs. C. W. Broome, Mrs. J. H. Bounds, Mrs. R. O. Goodall, Mrs. D. E. Brumley, Mrs. Floyd McElreath, Mrs. L. B. Madden, Mrs. J. H. Read, Mrs. E. S. Foote, Mrs. E. W. Thomas, Mrs. Barney Wattenbarger, Mrs. John Lofland, Mrs. C. L. Caviness, Mrs. M. J. Draper, Mrs. Dan McCollum, Mrs. R. S. Greene, Mrs. J. C. Farmer, Mrs. Will Bagwell, Mrs. T. H. Harrison, Mrs. J. M. McKelvey, Mrs. T. R. Franks, Mrs. L. S. Clark, Mrs. G. L. Tipton, Mrs. Tom Ballew and Mrs. J. C. Hensley.

Monday, February 17, Circle No. 1 and Circle No. 2 will meet in a joint business session at the Methodist church at three o'clock.

Wesley Daughters Meet Last Week In Business Session

The Daughters of Wesley Sunday School Class met in the home of Mrs. Z. A. Moore, Feb. 6, in their regular business and social meeting, with Mesdames Moore, Compton, and Kimberlin as hostesses.

The topic for the afternoon was "Love." Opening song "Love Divine," roll call was answered with a quotation on love.

The class was glad to have Mrs. K. E. Robinson as a guest. Mrs. Robinson gave a very interesting talk on the life of Isaiah. Mrs. W. M. Bagwell was leader of the Bible Study for the evening.

The hostesses served a lovely salad course to twenty members and two guests.

Install Officers Of Woodman Circle Wednesday Night

Grove No. 803 of the Woodman Circle met Wednesday night, January 5, in regular weekly meeting in the I. O. O. F. Hall, with 18 members present. After the regular business was transacted, installation of officers was in order. The following were installed: Mrs. Willie B. Cudd, guardian; Mrs. Emma Turner, past guardian; Mrs. Rowena Springer, adviser; Mrs. Willie E. Loard, clerk; Pearl E. Roberson, attendant; Miss Clem Wyatt, assistant attendant; Mrs. Modie Brewer, captain; Mrs. Claudie Taylor, captain; Mrs. Verlin Webster, musician; Mrs. Mary Henderson, inner sentinel; Mrs. Irene Smith, outer sentinel; Mrs. Della Gober, bank-er.

Mrs. Claudia Taylor, captain, wishes all who can to attend next Wednesday night, as the team is to be re-organized at that time.

Missionary Meet Of Presbyterians Held Last Monday

The Ladies Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church met in regular session Monday afternoon at 2:30. The meeting was opened with prayer by the president. The fifth and sixth chapters of the Mission Study book were discussed. Mrs. Mallard led in discussing the fifth, and Mrs. Van Pelt the sixth chapters, all ladies present took part.

A business session was held and an offering of \$2.75 was given. The Mizpah benediction closed the meeting, and immediately following a Prayer Meeting was held, the subject being God's Promises.

Eight ladies were present for this meeting. There will be another meeting, Friday afternoon, at the church parlors for all ladies south of Main street. North of Main, the meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. M. Tucker, 1321 Montgomery street, at five o'clock.

Regular Meeting Of Business Girls Is Held Tuesday

The Business and Professional Women's Club met Tuesday evening, Feb. 11, at the home of Mrs. H. L. Zinc, with Floretta Whitefield as hostess.

The topic for the evening's lesson was "Lincoln," and about twenty members answered roll call with stories and sayings of Lincoln. Miss Clem Wyatt gave an interesting talk on "The Lincoln Memorial at Washington." A book review "A Man for the Ages," was given by Gladys Hammonds.

Lovely refreshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be Feb. 25, with Mildred Harrell as hostess.

Four Circles Of Baptist Church Meet On Monday

Mrs. Bailey Gilmore was hostess to Circle No. 1 of the Baptist W. M. S. Monday afternoon, when it met to study the book, "In the Land of the Southern Cross." In a brief business session, the Circle reported having been active during the cold weather, by giving garments, food, and money to the needy and sick.

Roll call was answered with scripture verses. Mrs. Treadwell taught the lesson. Eight members were present.

Mrs. Roy Leverett will be hostess the second Monday in March. Fourteen members of Circle No. 2 gathered at the home of the leader, Mrs. C. R. Webster, Monday afternoon to study the book, "Pioneer Woman." Mrs. Sam Foxhall was teacher of the lesson.

Circle No. 3, with Mrs. Byron Baldwin leader, met with Mrs. J. P. Forkner, Monday afternoon, with Mrs. Forkner conducting the devotional.

An interesting lesson on "The New Africa" was enjoyed by eleven members.

Circle No. 4, under the leadership of Mrs. W. S. Moore met with Mrs. George Thompson Monday afternoon. Mrs. Thompson opened the meeting with scripture reading and prayer. Mrs. T. M. Harrison taught the lesson on "Stewardship In the Life of Woman," to twelve members.

Entertain With "42" Party On Tuesday Evening

Mrs. Vina Dunn entertained Tuesday evening, at her home on Fourth & Montgomery streets, with a "Forty-Two" party.

After an evening, spent playing games, the hostess served hot chocolate and cookies, to the following: Miss Pauline Kennedy, Mrs. Hodges, Josh Lamb, Earl McAbee, Red Patrick and Orville Smith.

Mrs. J. H. Croft and Mrs. E. H. Turner spent Wednesday in Estelline, attending to business.

P.T.A. to Sponsor Martha Washington Tea February 21st

Announcement was made this week that the Parent-Teacher Association of Memphis will give a Martha Washington benefit tea at the local Masonic Hall on Friday, February 21, at three o'clock. A free will offering will be taken, and all proceeds will go for the benefit of the public schools of Memphis.

An interesting program is being arranged which will consist of musical numbers by the kindergarten orchestra under the direction of Miss Thames, a reading by Tess Potter; junior boys' octette, directed by Mrs. M. McNeely; colonial dance under the direction of Misses Robison and Thornton; solo, Miss Ruby McCanne accompanied by Mrs. Elmer S. Shelley, and a playlet directed by Miss Vernadine Jones.

Shaws Will Hold Open House At Home On Friday

Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Shaw of the First Christian Church will hold Open House at their home, 110 S. Tenth Street, Friday evening, Feb. 7, from 8 to 10 p. m. for their church members and friends in Memphis. This will afford an opportunity to get acquainted and see the parsonage home which has been redecorated.

Local Girl Marries Amarillo Business Man

Miss R. E. Thomas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Thomas, who reside on West Main street, in this city, was married to C. W. Carter, of Amarillo, Monday night, Feb. 10, in Clovis, New Mexico.

Miss Thomas has been attending school for some weeks in Amarillo, though she recently resided in Memphis. Mr. Carter is a former Memphian, also, and is related to Oren Jones, Mrs. Moreman, and several other old-timers in this town.

Mr. Carter has been employed for the past five years with the Santa Fe Railroad Co., in Amarillo, and the newly-weds will make their home in that city.

Boy Scout Week Is Observed By Supper At Church

In observance of "Boy Scout Week," the ladies of the Methodist Church served supper Monday night, at 6:30 at the church, to about thirty three Scouts and their parents.

Levis Foxhall gave a talk on "What Scouting Is."

Henry Boyd Newman gave the welcoming address.

Mrs. S. L. Seago gave the response to the address.

A demonstration exhibition of first aid work was given by Boy Scout Troup No. 2.

Group singing by the Boy Scouts was led by Scout Master I. E. Jolly. Then Mr. Jolly led the mothers and fathers, as well as the

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Participants in The Democrat's "Why I Read Democrat Advertising" contest are "off for the races." Twelve replies have already been received and each mail is bringing two or three more.

Why not get your share of the \$50 that is to be given free to Democrat readers who best tell why they read Democrat advertising? The rules are simple. Just write your reasons in not more than 500 words. Attach an additional sheet of paper with the names of three Memphis business firms who do not advertise regularly in The Democrat, but whose ads you would like to read every week in this newspaper. Contest closes February 19th.

The first prize of \$25, or the second prize of \$15, or the third prize of \$10 can be yours for just a little effort.

Scouts in a sing-song.

The program was followed by the benediction.

United Daughters Of Confederacy Meet On Tuesday

The U. D. C. met Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 11, at the home of Mrs. J. H. Norman, with Mesdames Gore, Jackson, and Norman as hostesses.

After a brief business session, the following program was given: Song, "Tenting on the Old Camp Ground," by the chapter.

Stone Mountain—Mrs. T. J. Hampton.

Reading—Mrs. Glenn Thompson.

Jefferson Davis as a Statesman and Soldier—Mrs. Henderson.

Poem, "Stone Mountain"—Mrs. J. D. Browder.

Quartet, "Massa's in de Cold, Cold Ground"—Mesdames Slover, Whaley, Jackson and Norman.

The chapter was glad to welcome Mrs. L. S. Clark as a new member. The hostesses served lovely refreshments to twenty-four active members and one honorary member, Mrs. Wells.

NOTICE

Attend our 1c Sale beginning next Wednesday, Feb. 19, and running 4 days. New Stocks, Big Values. Drugs, Stationery, Toilet Goods. CLARK DRUG COMPANY.

Mrs. J. A. Bradford Is Still Very Sick

While the condition of Mrs. J. A. Bradford, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, was said to be somewhat improved Thursday morning, she is still in a precarious condition and very little hope for her ultimate recovery seems to be held out. Mrs. Bradford suffered another severe heart attack this week. Up until that time, it had been thought that she was improving.

The many friends of Mrs. Bradford in Memphis are hoping that the improvement noted Thursday will be steady and that despite the seriousness of her illness, she will recover.

Mrs. Addie Patton and son, and Mrs. Lissie Anderson and daughter, of Memphis, spent Monday with Mrs. W. B. Stargell, at Eli.

Powell Operated On At Hospital

C. A. Powell, who has been confined to his home for several weeks with a serious illness, was taken to a local hospital Wednesday afternoon, where an operation was performed for an abscess in his side. Attending physicians stated, following the operation, that Mr. Powell was doing nicely, and that it appeared the operation was a success.

Mr. Powell's numerous friends wish for him a speedy recovery.

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Mrs. Roy Hardin's Father Succumbs At Shamrock Home

L. A. Hicks, father of Mrs. Roy Hardin of this city, and former resident of Memphis, died at his home in Shamrock Saturday night, February 8, at twelve o'clock.

Attending physicians attributed death to high blood pressure caused by pneumonia. Interment was held in Shamrock Sunday.

Mr. Hicks is well known in Memphis and Hall County, having lived in and around Memphis for the past 20 years. He moved with his son, Bud Hicks, to Shamrock in August, 1928, and has lived there up until the time of his death.

Surviving Mr. Hicks are two daughters, one son, and three stepsons, Beulah Hicks of Shamrock, Mrs. Roy Hardin of Memphis, Bud Hicks of Shamrock, and Buck Alexander, Corpus Christi, Bill Alexander, Electra, and Jim Alexander of Memphis.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Self and family were called last Thursday, to the bedside of Mr. Self's mother, Mrs. F. M. Self, who resides near Fort Worth. Mrs. Self died Saturday afternoon at 3:15.

PALACE

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SATURDAY

Robert Armstrong and Carol Lombard in "THE BIG NEWS" All-Talking	Sally O'Neil in "BROADWAY SCANDAL" All-Talking
BIG DOUBLE PROGRAM	
Mon.—Tues. Joan Crawford in "THE UNTAMED" All-Talking Fox Movietone News Talking Comedy	Wednesday Constance Bennett and Edmund Lowe in "THIS THING CALLED LOVE" All-Talking Talking Comedy
THURSDAY—FRIDAY	
Warner Baxter and Mary Duncan in "ROMANCE OF THE RIO GRANDE" All-Talking Paramount Sound News Talking Comedy	

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Football Follies Is Artistic And Financial Success

SECOND EDITION OF FOLLIES IS ACCLAIMED

Show Plays to Large Crowds Two Nights Last Week

BY BILL COOKE

Heralded as an artistic success by the large crowds that attended both performances, and a financial success by the business manager and producer, "The Football Follies of 1930" was presented in Memphis at the high school auditorium on Thursday and Friday nights, February 6 and 7, under the direction of William Russell Clark. The book was written and staged by Mr. Clark, with the cast of characters composed of students of the Memphis high school and residents of this city.

Outstanding Production
The "Football Follies of 1930," staged as the second edition following the presentation last year of "The Football Follies of 1929," has been proclaimed by the people of Memphis as one of the outstanding home talent productions given in this city, climaxing even the success of its predecessor in 1929. Advertised as a "Melange of Musical Mirth," the musical comedy of Thursday and Friday nights lived up to this slogan in every way, and gave to the people of this city a type of modern entertainment that is found only in the theatres of the larger cities.

Was Financial Success
From a financial standpoint the production was again a success according to its business managers. Large crowds attended the performance on both nights, and a neat sum was added to the coffers of the high school athletic fund, the production being staged as a benefit for the athletic department of the local schools. Attaching to the popularity of The Follies is the fact that the second night run drew a larger crowd than the opening night, with many people attending both presentations.

Cast Deserves Praise
Every member of the cast, as well as Mr. Clark, who wrote the book, the words and music to several of the songs, and personally supervised the staging of the production, deserves praise for the manner in which the musical comedy was presented. Each character played his or her part with ease, and a lack of stage consciousness and the usual omissions and blunders that are often found in home talent productions. The work of the stars, even the work of those who played the smallest parts, showed the results of the months of diligent study and practice that had been put into the production before its presentation.

The story told by the characters in music, song, dance and dialogue, was built around the rise to stardom of Pee-Wee Short, a home town football hero in search of a stage career, and very much in love with himself as well as Gracie Chiffon, the belle of Podunk Cen- (Continued on page 8)

JUDGE INSISTS NEW HIGHWAY TO RUN NEAREST PRACTICAL ROUTE

"It's still the nearest practical route," exclaimed County Judge A. C. Hoffman, when an irate farmer complained that the new highway which is to be built across Hall County would probably cross his property. "The bonds which the people voted recently," continued the judge, "called for a road across the county from Memphis to Mulberry Bridge by way of Lakeview, 'the nearest practical route,' and that still stands." "Why don't you order the new road to follow the section lines?" asked the farmer.

Former Justice And Successor



William Howard Taft, ex-President of the United States, resigned as Chief Justice of the United States Supreme Court last week on account of his failing health. He is reported to be improved, but is still in a precarious condition. Taft succeeded in office by Charles Evans Hughes. Hughes already has served as a justice in the court, having resigned in 1916 to run for President against Woodrow Wilson.

Chamber Of Commerce May Sponsor Invitation Track Meet

Athletes of Memphis High School are looking forward to the start of the track season on Monday, February 17, according to Coach Nolan Walter. He expects a large number of prospective track men to report at the beginning of the season and from this number, he expects to pick the best track team in the history of the local school.

Massey Heads List
Heading the list of letter men is Walter Massey, captain of the track team last year. Massey is an outstanding dash and hurdle man. He has gone to the district each year that he has been taking part in track events. This will be his fourth year on the local team. Durward Martindale is a veteran high jumper and dash man, excelling especially in the high jump.

Bob Phillips and Bill Sanders are new recruits who are expected to deliver in track, according to the coach. Phillips is a good, fast 100 yard dash man, while Sanders excels in weights.

Invitation Track Meet
An invitation track meet is planned here on February 22, in order that the local athletes will have a chance to meet competition before competing in the county track meet which will be held on February 29. The invitation meet will probably be under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce, Coach Walter stated, and teams from towns throughout the Memphis trade territory are expected to take part. Prizes that will be attractive to all high school athletes will be offered the winners at the meet.

Men Taking Things Easy
Later in the season, Coach Walter expects to take a number of his best men in track to the meet (Continued on page 5)

C. Of C. Directors Favor Calling Of Periodical Meets

Plans for periodical membership meetings of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce are now being worked out by a committee named at the regular semi-monthly directors meeting Tuesday morning. The committee is headed by T. J. Dunbar, chairman of the Public Relations committee.

To Have Mass Meetings
Tentative arrangements outlined at the board meeting call for mass meetings bi-monthly or quarterly in which a strenuous effort will be made to congregate a large number of Chamber of Commerce members. Projects being undertaken by the chamber will be outlined at these meetings, and individual members who are not directly active in the work will be given the opportunity to voice their sentiments and offer suggestions.

Membership Meetings
Expressions were made by directors of their desire to be constantly in the closest possible contact with every member of the local commercial organization. "Regular membership meetings undoubtedly will benefit our Chamber of Commerce," said J. Claude Wells, former chairman of the Membership Meetings committee, "and they have been attempted in the past without success. We have extended to members the opportunity to join us in our Chamber of Commerce activity but they have not responded. I think we should keep plugging and exert every effort to make these meetings successful."

Formal Opening Of Marilyn Shoppe To Be Held Saturday

The Marilyn Shoppe, an exclusive ready-to-wear and millinery shop for women, will hold its formal opening next Saturday, February 15, beginning at 9:00 a. m., according to an announcement made this week by Mrs. E. D. Turner and Mrs. J. H. Croft, proprietors. The new business is located two doors south of the postoffice in the building formerly occupied by Shepherd and Pool, job printers.

Put Building In Shape
Carpenters and workmen have been busy the past two weeks putting the building in shape, installing new fixtures, and placing the finishing touches on the interior decorations. Mesdames Croft and Turner have just returned from the markets and are now placing their stocks in preparation for the opening Saturday. All women visiting the shop on the opening day have been requested to register by the managers, they announcing that a free gift of value will be given away.

Owners Well Known
The two owners of the Marilyn Shoppe have both been residents of Memphis for some time, and are both well known. They are recognized as business women well versed in the field of ladies ready-to-wear. Mrs. Turner has, for the past six months, been connected with the J. R. Jones store in this city, in charge of the ready-to-wear department, and prior to that time, she had gained valuable experience in her particular field of endeavor in other cities. She moved to Memphis from Dallas, (Continued on page 8)

Baptist Church Starts Drive To Enlarge Different Departments of Sunday School

Beginning Monday of this week, the Sunday School of the First Baptist church started a drive for the enlargement of the Sunday School. Training classes for teachers and department heads are being held at the church each night this week from seven to nine o'clock, supervised by Andrew Allen of Dallas, first assistant to the State Secretary of Sunday School work. Mr. Allen is assisted in conducting these classes by W. L. Day of Amarillo, education-

CURE IS FOUND FOR ILLS OF ROTARIANS

Greene Stresses More Work to Keep Up Club's Health

In an interesting address at the weekly meeting of the Memphis Rotary Club Tuesday at noon, Rufus Greene, acted on the diagnosis delivered by W. C. Dickey at the meeting last week, and prescribed work and more work to cure and counterbalance the lethargy of members. Mr. Greene stated that more classification talks should be made, and that through these talks, and as a result of them, leadership in carrying forward the community enterprises would be harnessed into action, and Rotary would take its proper place in the life of the city by furnishing leaders, ready when called upon, to help in all civic movements.

Dissatisfied Members
Mr. Greene's talk was, in part, as follows: "Walter Dickey referred last week to the fact that we are not getting what we should out of Rotary. We will get out of the club what we put into it. I know there are some dissatisfied members of this club, but they are dissatisfied largely because they have failed to take a proper interest in the club activities and to work for the club's interests. There was a time when I thought I should resign from the club, but due to my wife's insistence, I remained a member. I was dissatisfied, because I was not putting anything into the club work. Then I started to work and it would take a great deal to make me leave the club at the present time."

Filling Station In City Is Taken Over By Walker Brothers

The Phillips Petroleum Company's Service Station, located at Main and Ninth streets, changed management, effective Friday night of last week. Harold Walker is the new manager of the filling station, and he will be assisted by his younger brother, Emmett. For several months past, Jet R. Fore has been in charge of the filling station.

The new manager of the service station is well known in Memphis. He is a former star player for the Cyclone football team of Memphis High School. He attended Simmons University at Abilene for three years and while there was an outstanding player on the Simmons squad. Emmett Walker, who is assisting his brother, in the operation of the service station, has been the mainstay on the Cyclone football team for several years past. He was awarded a blanket last season for being the best interference man on the team.

The new management will appreciate the trade of former customers of the filling station and invite their friends and acquaintances to visit with them when in need of anything their station has to offer.

Evangelist

Rev. E. B. Surface, pastor of the Central Presbyterian church of Abilene, will conduct a revival beginning Sunday at the First Presbyterian church here. The revival will continue for 10 days or two weeks. Rev. Mr. Surface will be assisted in the campaign by Lauris Mallard, song leader.

Programs Not Balanced
"Our club programs are not balanced. We have been given too much dessert and not enough common food. We all appreciate the beautiful songs and readings that have been rendered for our enjoyment. Some of the best sermons we could possibly get have been brought to us through the medium of readings. These things have been inspiring, but since there is not much talent in the club to furnish the dessert, we, as Rotarians, must furnish the meat and bread of our programs."

Sponsored Movements
"I take it that most Rotarians know of the many projects that have been undertaken since Rotary was organized in Memphis. We sponsored the Boy Scout movement, helped with United Charities and created a Student Loan Fund. In addition, we have undertaken many other activities, but since Rotary is designed primarily not to sponsor community enterprise, but to boost it and to furnish leaders to see the enterprises carried to completion, it is our task to develop leadership."

Would Train Leaders
"Walter Dickey told you last (Continued on page 5)

CITY MINISTERS TAKE PART IN FUNERAL

Many Tributes Paid To Memory Of Well Liked Merchant



Thomas Richie Garrott, well known pioneer of Hall County and prominent in the business, social and religious life of Memphis, was called by death at his home on North Tenth street Saturday night, February 8, at 10 o'clock, after a short illness. Death was attributed by attending physicians to a weak heart, brought on by pleurisy. Mr. Garrott was 71 years, 7 months and 9 days old at the time of his death.

Son of General
Thomas Richie Garrott, was a son of Brigadier General Isam Warren Garrott and Margaret Fletcher Garrott and was born June 30, 1859 in Marion, Alabama. He moved to Texas with his mother when just a lad, having lost his father in the Civil War. He made his home in Houston and Marshall, Texas, for a number of years. He moved to Hall County in 1893, locating near Estelline and engaged in the ranching business. He moved to Memphis in 1905 and has been in business continuously in this city since that time.

Presbyterians To Hold Revival Here Beginning Sunday

A revival campaign will start at the First Presbyterian church on next Sunday morning to last for a period of 10 days or two weeks, according to Dr. J. Hardin Mallard, pastor of the church. The preaching will be done by Rev. E. B. Surface, pastor of the Central Presbyterian church of Abilene and the music will be directed by Lauris Mallard, brother of Dr. Mallard. Both the evangelist and (Continued on page 5)

County Agent Says Farmers Are Taking To Terracing Work

For the first time in the history of farming in Hall County, farmers as a whole, are turning to terracing, according to County Agent E. W. Thomas. Mr. Thomas stated that terracing has been practiced here for some time, but never before has the number of farms being terraced been as large as is the case this year.

Farmers are calling the county agent every day for help in running their terracing lines. Levels used in this work are at the disposal of Hall County farmers through the courtesy of local business men who purchased these implements for that purpose.

"Ten different farms received help in running lines last week," Mr. Thomas said. "Practically every farmer in the county is turning to terracing in an endeavor to produce bigger and better crops this year."

Community Fair Directors Will Help Plan Exposition

Plans looking forward to making Hall County District Fair to be held here September 16 to 19, inclusive, the very best in history, were formulated at a meeting of the Fair directors in the Memphis Chamber of Commerce offices last Thursday evening. A number of committees were appointed at this meeting for the purpose of dividing the work incident to the coming exposition, so that each man taking part will have time to assist in the particular phase of the work assigned him. A motion was made and carried for the appointment of a board of honorary directors to be selected from the

various communities in Hall County to assist in making the District Fair a success.

May Move Grandstand
The matter of moving the grandstand and race track on the Fair property further east in order to furnish more room at the entrance of the Fair Park came up for considerable discussion. It was decided to have the Fair catalogue published much earlier this year than was the case in 1929 in order that interested people may have plenty of time in deciding the kind of exhibits they desire to show. Work on the agricultural premium list is expected to be

started in the near future, with fully as many premiums to be offered this year as ever before.

Want Football Game
The Fair directorate is desirous of having much of the work, incident to the exhibition, out of the way long before the Fair becomes a reality. In this way, it is reasoned that more time and attention can be given to problems as they arise. Some agitation is being made for a football game at least one afternoon during the Fair, but no definite action has been taken by the directors in regard to this matter.

LOCAL FIREMEN BANQUET AT TURKEY

250 Firemen Attend District Banquet On Thursday Night

Fourteen members of the Memphis Volunteer Fire Department helped to constitute a crowd of 250 firemen and citizens from towns of this section of the Panhandle who attended a district firemen's banquet at Turkey Thursday night. This large assembly from Memphis, Matador, Childress, Quitaque, Silverton and Oxbow, were guests of the Turkey Volunteer Fire Department. The two hundred and fifty delegates from the various Panhandle towns assembled at the Baptist Church in Turkey at eight o'clock for one of the most profitable meetings of firemen this year, it is said.

Judge A. S. Moss was the principal speaker on the program at Turkey Thursday evening, and Chief M. G. Ray of the Memphis department was also an outstanding speaker. Chief Ray answered to the welcome address which was given by the president of the Chamber of Commerce there. Later in the program he spoke on "What Should a City do for its Firemen?" He stressed the need of co-operation between the citizens of the city with the firemen, not only in time of fires but also during practice periods and all activities of the firemen. He centered attention on citizens giving firemen full right of way to trucks during runs to and from fires. He said this is one of the greatest faults among citizens of small towns, and many times firemen have to look out for automobiles which are in the way to such an extent that the truck's progress is hampered. Other points brought out by the local fire chief were: good equipment for firemen, insurance and home for them, and the idea of sending as many delegates to the state firemen's convention as possible.

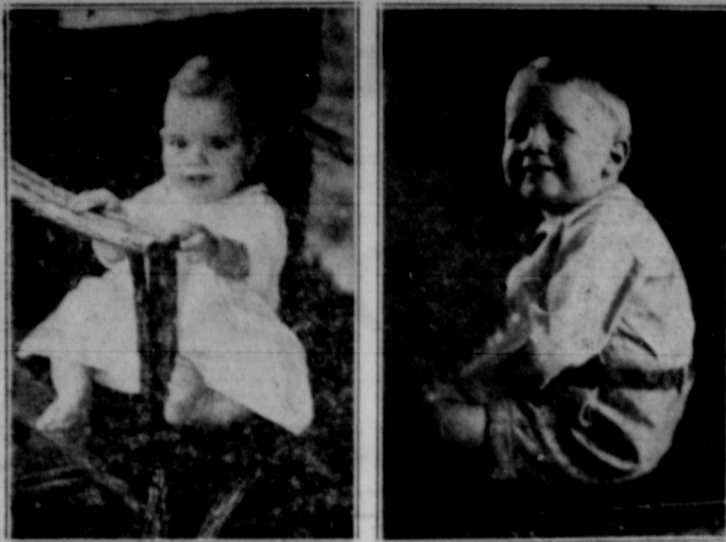
Before and after the banquet, visiting firemen were given free tickets to theatres in Turkey and free passes to the skating rink which is operating in that city. According to M. G. Ray, local firemen have never had such a thoroughly good time at any meeting of firemen in this section as the one at Turkey Thursday night.

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The Coming Generation



—Photo by Orr

Folks, meet Dwight Lewis Kinard, the chubby gentleman on the right. He is the 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard, 820 Noel Street. He was two and a half years old when the picture was taken. Dwight Lewis is king of all he surveys around the Kinard household.

The smiling little Irishman with the curling toes, on the left, is Dan Flannery, 14-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Flannery, 210 N. Tenth Street. You might judge from this photo that Dan has brown eyes. He has, and they speak volumes.

Thoxine, 35c., 60c., and \$1. Sold by Tarver's Pharmacy, and all other good drug stores.—Adv.

Two-thirds of the motto "to adopt, to adapt, to improve," which the Prince of Wales gave to England recently, probably was inspired by his highness' horsemanship.

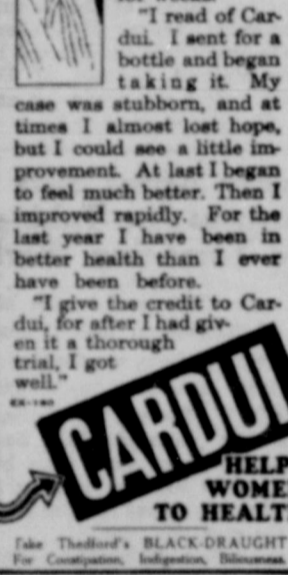
A famous movie actress says it was "either luck or sheer nerve" that got her into the movies. Maybe her looks had something to do with it.

These women shoplifters arrested this winter seem to have "the gift of grab."



WEAK SPELLS

"I was so weak," says Mrs. Josephine Cockcroft, of Baldock, S. C., "that I was not able to do anything. At certain times, I suffered dreadfully with pains in my back and sides. My head would hurt—felt like it would split open. Spells of weakness would last for weeks. I read of Cardui. I sent for a bottle and began taking it. My case was stubborn, and at times I almost lost hope, but I could see a little improvement. At last I began to feel much better. Then I improved rapidly. For the last year I have been in better health than I ever have been before. I give the credit to Cardui, for after I had given it a thorough trial, I got well."



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"I sincerely think that you can't estimate the value of Orgatone (Argotane)," said J. W. Shields, of 2213 Yale, Wichita Falls, Texas. For the past four years, Mr. Shields has been the superintendent of the Ferguson Ice Cream Plant, and is very well known all through this section of Texas.

"For eight years, I have suffered with digestion troubles. My stomach got so weak and out of order, that there was few things I could eat, and what I did seemed to do me more harm than good. Gas formed and I was continually belching up sour, undigested food. The gas pressure was so heavy on my heart at times, I couldn't take a deep breath, I had terrible headaches and was constipated, and was extremely nervous, and sometimes felt as if I would go distracted. I never got very much rest at night and was very restless.

"Since I began taking Orgatone (Argotane), I have improved greatly. I have honestly gained six pounds in weight and am much stronger. I now eat anything I want, and am not bothered with my severe headaches. I'm not nervous as I was, and that is saying a lot. The gas doesn't bother me as it did and my breathing is back to normal. My constipation has been relieved. I have recommended Orgatone (Argotane) to my friends and several have taken it on my recommendation and are getting satisfactory results. It is a good medicine."

Genuine Orgatone (Argotane) may be bought in Memphis at the Tarver Drug Store.—Adv.

Report Of Poultry Demonstrators Is Given Miss Adams

Three Hall County Home Demonstration Club workers have just turned in their regular monthly report to the County Home Demonstration Agent, Miss Ruby M. Adams. These three club workers, Mrs. B. Plaster, Turkey, Mrs. Guy Smith, Indian Creek, and Mrs. C. A. Williams, Salisbury, are special demonstrators for their respective clubs in the county and they spend a large part of their time in working with their chickens in order that they may show other club women how much profit can be derived from chickens on the farm. These three women are paying a large part of their families' expenses with profits derived from eggs and chickens, and are trying to show farmers of the county that it is easy for them to derive profits through the "cow, sow, and hen route."

Is Poultry Breeder
Mrs. B. Plaster of Turkey is one of the outstanding poultry breeders in this section of the county, and has received much attention in farm journals and magazines recently as a result of her efforts. Each month her report is outstanding in this section of the county, and during the month of January, which was the hardest month of the year so far, she compiled the leading report for club workers in Hall County. From 201 single comb White Leghorn hens, Mrs. Plaster got 1,117 eggs, an average of 5.5 eggs per hen. From eggs sold in markets of the county, Mrs. Plaster received \$41.66. Expenses for food and upkeep of the hens totaled to \$24.66, making a profit of \$17 during the past month. Due to the cold wave which prevailed in the county during the month of January, Mrs. Plaster's flock did not come up to the standard set by the Extension Department of A. & M. College for the month of January but nevertheless, her report was excellent.

Following Mrs. Plaster in egg production and profits was Mrs. Guy Smith, member of the Indian Creek Home Demonstration Club. From 126 Buff Orpington hens, Mrs. Smith got 571 eggs, making an average of more than four eggs per hen.

Mrs. C. A. Williams, poultry demonstrator for the Salisbury club states that she received 562 eggs from 155 White Leghorn hens, making a total of more than three eggs per hen on the average.

Coy Ragsdale, of Anaheim, Calif., spent last week visiting in Memphis with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Ragsdale and Walter Massey. Mr. Ragsdale left Sunday for Childress, where he will visit with friends and relatives.

34 YEARS AGO IN MEMPHIS BRINGING BACK THE PAST

FROM THE FILES OF THE HALL COUNTY HERALD

(From the Hall County Herald for Saturday, June 27, 1896)

It is stated that in the territory south of Red River for many miles it has not been so dry for eight years as it is today. The ranchers in that section are working extra time putting up new wind mills and fixing up old wells.

The Holmes Threshing machine began work today at the place of Mr. Crow, six miles northwest of town.

Oat cutting still goes on in the country about Memphis. The oats are about worth cutting.

W. H. Meador was working through the Shoe Nail ranch this week looking after strays.

Walter Shaw, of Newlin, came up on his wheel Wednesday evening and took a spin around town.

W. L. Wheat came home Tuesday on a visit to his family. He will remain at home.

New lot of queensware, both decorated and plain, just in at Tipton's. Look at it.

Prairie fires have burned off a good portion of the range on both sides of the river in the past two weeks, and unless we have rain soon there will not be much grass on the burned portion for winter use.

M. T. Hutcherson's team ran away in the rain storm Monday evening. They started near Salisbury and Mr. Hutcherson had to walk home through the rain in water over shoe tops in many places. The team wandered around with the wagon until near midnight when they hung up on a fence corner near home. No damage was done.

Ike Pickering, foreman of the Moon ranch, was badly gored by a mad steer at Esteline the other day. He is in a very serious condition as the result. He was taken to Childress for medical treatment.

W. L. Wheat, of this place was in the pen with him when the accident occurred.

Last Sunday night, while trying to throw a wind mill out of gear, Mr. W. P. Dial received a severe shock from lightning, which either struck the mill or some object near by.

two horses belonging to F. Gam-
mage were knocked down by the
lightening striking the wire fence
not far from them. Neither of
them were hurt.

The Herald has the only job of-
fice in Hall County.

(From The Memphis Democrat
for Wednesday, June 16, 1909)

Bills are being posted announc-
ing the coming of Mollie Bailey's
circus. Mollie is well known in
this territory and does not need
very much advertising. She will
appear in Memphis on June 17.

E. C. Miller has opened up a
cold drink stand and confection-
ery in the Dr. Ballew building on
the north side of the square where
he will handle all kinds of fresh
fruits and cigars.

Clarence Powell and wife re-
turned this Tuesday morning from
a several days visit to relatives in
Oklahoma.

Herbert Estes came in Tuesday
morning from Corpus Christi and
will be in town a day or two be-
fore returning to his work in
Amarillo.

Mrs. DeBerry returned Satur-
day night from Teneha, Texas,
where she had spent some time
visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Minnie Williams entertain-
ed in a charming manner Monday
afternoon with a "four course"
luncheon from 6 to 8 o'clock. The
table was beautifully decorated
with cut flowers. A spirited game
of progressive "42" was a feature
of the evening which was enjoyed
by the following guests: Misses
Emma and Fay Wheat, Jessie
Bryant, Mondie Lock, Qua Wells,
Lillie Houston, Miss Huffstutler.

Roy E. Fox's minstrels seem to
have a hard time trying to put on
a show in Memphis. The last
time they were here several
months ago he was rained out, and
this time he was rained out the
first night. During the second
performance the crowd was put to
flight by a strong wind which
handled the tent in a rather reck-
less manner. This is a good com-
pany and the performers are up
to the standard of all tent shows.

BUY A HOME IN HALL
COUNTY—THE RECOGNIZED
GARDEN SPOT OF TEXAS

Local and Personal

Miss Lois Enid Moses left Sun-
day morning for an extended visit
with her sister in Altus, Okla.

Mrs. George Fulsome, of Qua-
nah, spent Friday and Saturday
in Memphis, returning to Quannah
accompanied by George Fulsome.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McManus,
of Floydada, are visiting this week
with their daughter, Mrs. Ray
Taylor.

Dr. T. L. Lewis returned Sun-
day from Dallas, and reported
that Mrs. Lewis is perceptibly
improved.

Mrs. J. R. Jones left Saturday
night for Dallas, where she will be
at the bedside of her aunt, Mrs.
T. L. Lewis.

W. S. Cross left Sunday for
Lamesa, where he will attend to
business for several days.

Jess Rosenwasser left Saturday
for Houston, where he will spend
the week attending a Shoe Con-
vention.

Mrs. Louis Thompson, of Hed-
ley, was shopping in town Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Kimberlin
spent Saturday and Sunday in
Dallas, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis of
Quitaque spent Friday with Mr.
and Mrs. W. C. Chapman. Mr.
and Mrs. Davis moved, the early
part of the week from Quitaque
to Spur where they intend making
their home.

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Leverett-Williams Drug Co.

City Ministers—

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to his business activities, his influence on the standpoint of a business man.

Made Everyone Friend

"He has been actively identified with business of this city and county for many years, coming here an early day, pioneering and enduring the hardships and privations the early settlers and business men were forced to undergo. Although a young man, I have known the deceased for many years. When I first met him, I was a mere lad and I have known, honored, loved and admired him own through the intervening years. Soft spoken, with always a warm smile and the friendliest of friendly handclaps, he made everyone he met his friend.

Made Community Better

"He was, in my judgment, one of the most successful business men of Memphis and Hall County. Not that he had amassed an immense fortune. There have been many who have accumulated more money. True success is not measured by the good one has done, but by the influence on the community by the lasting results and our friend was a blessing to all with whom he came in contact. He made the community a better place to live, better morals, better conditions, and one could not be associated with him even in a business transaction, but that he had desired to be a better man by reason of this contact. He conducted his business on a high plane. He never resorted to sharp practices in business for his financial gain, but instead, in his business life, he made the Golden Rule his motto and actually applied it always in his business. He did to others as he would have them do to him, this even in all his business transactions. I am wondering if this could be said of many of us.

Successful in Business

"He was successful in business because of the partner he had and I am not referring to his wife, who has been a splendid partner and helper, but in this instance, I refer to his God. He took the Lord with him in his business and counseled with him and rendered to him a fair share of the profits. He was not willing to commit any act in business.

As his partner, his Lord, would have loved to share in. It was his mission to discuss his activities; they will be remembered by others, but one cannot move any phase of this his native activities for he lived his life as he carried it with him.

Positive Life

"He had a positive life. He was in doing things, doing good to others, doing things without a thought of financial gain but that they might be a benefit to others, bearing always a fair share of his responsibility to the public and the social life of his community. His family and loved ones will miss him. His friends, and he had a host of friends, will miss him. The business men of Memphis will miss him—will miss his wise counsel, his friendly assistance. He was a force for good in the community, an example worthy of emulation and he leaves to his family, his loved ones and friends, a heritage such as few men leave, a heritage to be cherished."

Converted At 30

Rev. E. T. Miller spoke, in part, as follows: "Brother Garrott was converted when about thirty years of age and united with the Missionary Baptist church. 'A prince in Israel has fallen.' This good man was truly a princely man. He was a prince in his home and community. He gave his support to every constructive movement that has touched the life of this county for the past 37 years. Being an honor graduate of a college at Marion, Alabama, fitted him to take the place of leadership in helping to develop this goodly country to what it is today. He was a man of deep conviction and gave expression to his opinion from the platform and through the press. While strong in his convictions, he was tolerant of the views of others. He made a great contribution to this country with his willingness to give himself to those duties that took much of his time from his business and his home.

Was Religious Leader

"His work stands out in a pronounced way as a religious leader. He took a great interest in his church work. He was superintendent and taught in Sunday school in this county for over thirty years. Few men have had a better grasp and understanding of the Bible than he. He was a great historian and was apt as a teacher. He taught the Business Men's Sunday School class of this church for 13 years. He taught this class last Sunday. He was

one of the best Bible scholars I have ever talked with.

Loved His Church

"He loved his church. He gave liberally and sacrificially when this church was erected more than 20 years ago. He has been liberal towards its support. He has given freely of his means to missions that the Gospel might be preached around the world. He loved to sing the gospel. He has been a faithful member of the choir of this church for many years. He was in the services last Sunday, taught his Sunday School class, attended the preaching services and taught the Adult B. Y. P. U. section. He was faithful until the last Sunday, and how appropriate and fitting that we can gather here on this Sabbath afternoon around his body to do his memory honor because of what he has meant to this church. God did not let him suffer long. He was not seriously ill but for a few days. It pleased God to call him from his sufferings. We humbly bow in humble submission to the will of God and join his loved ones in mourning his going."

The deceased is survived by his wife, two daughters, Mrs. Margaret Morgan-Andrews, of Memphis and Mrs. Lillian Collier of Houston; and one son, John C. Garrott of Houston. One daughter, Mrs. Ruth Nalle, preceded her father in death some 18 months ago. Four grandchildren also survive, Robert Collier, Jr., John Collier, Ernest Nalle, Jr., and Jack Garrott Morgan, also two nephews, Sims Hinton of Estelline and Warren Garrott of Houston.

Active pallbearers were: Charles Flannery, Byron Baldwin, George Hattenbach, Bill Bragg, R. H. Wherry, and Jim McMurry; honorary pallbearers were: W. C. Rice, George Thompson, S. T. Harrison, E. P. Thompson, R. L. Madden, Sam J. Hamilton, R. N. Gillis, J. F. Forkner, R. B. McMurry, Jodie J. Wilson, W. S. Cross, J. E. Neel and W. E. Hill. Those in charge of the flowers were: Mesdames Horace Tarver, Pete Clower, Frank K. Fore, Jack Figh, Frank Foxhall, John Deaver, V. R. Jones, Jet Fore, C. W. Flannery, Elizabeth Johnston, R. S. Greene, Mac Tarver, Harvey J. Kingry and Doris Buck.

Out of town friends and relatives present at the funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Dunn and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Phipps of Childress; Mr. and Mrs. John Rowell and family, and B. E. Rushing and family of Newlin; M. H. Meador, Miss Mary Meador and Mrs. Howard Trg of Amarillo; Sims Hutton and Jackson Collier of Estelline.

Following the services at the church, interment took place in Fairview cemetery.

Cure Is Found—

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week that we are not supposed to do the work in the field of the Chamber of Commerce, Retail Merchants' Association and similar organizations, so the greatest work left for us to do is to train leaders for that work. Leaders must not think the ones they are to lead. They must think connectedly. Rotarians are a bunch of hand-picked men and it should not be a hard matter to develop leaders from the number. This can be brought about through classification talks. A man learns many new things about his own business in telling of this business to others. You may think that no one is particularly interested in your business, but you are mistaken. We are all interested in each other's business, for that is one of the sure ways we have of expanding our own. There is a broadening influence to be had from hearing about different lines of business.

Concerted Thinking

"Great good will come to the community and to the Rotary Club by concerted, connected thinking, as well as great good to the individual derived from the effort that is necessary to think about one's own business in a clearer way. When every man can speak and stand on his feet in the Rotary Club, then we will be getting to a great extent what it is intended we should get out of Rotary, both individually and collectively."

Show Gives Solos

Prior to this address, Rev. H. A. Shaw, pastor of the First Christian church, gave two vocal numbers, accompanied on the piano by Pauline Ross. Mr. Shaw sang, "Howdy Do Mis' Springtime," and "My Wild Irish Rose." At the conclusion of Mr. Greene's address, Chairman Claude Wells paid fitting tribute to T. R. Garrott, and suggested that the new highway, from Memphis to Mulberry Bridge, by way of Lakeview, should be known as the Garrott Memorial Highway, due to the activities of Mr. Garrott in connection therewith.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawson and Mrs. Ben Kempton of Hedley were shopping in Memphis Saturday.

Presbyterians To—

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singer have had wide experience in revival campaigns.

Makes Strong Appeal

In speaking of the coming revival, Dr. Mallard said; "Dr. Surface, now pastor of the Central Presbyterian church of Abilene, has held some of the strongest pastorates in the Presbyterian church with signal success to his credit in all of them. He has always been a personality that makes a strong appeal to his hearers. He is a safe and sound gospel preacher, who always lays stress on the fundamentals of the Holy Scriptures, and believes what he preaches."

Is Constructive Thinker

"He is a constructive thinker, who preaches a gospel which is an

asset to life. Mr. Mallard is a layman and an elder who has sat in the highest courts of the Presbyterian church. He has led in evangelistic work for 25 years and in addition to having led the singing in gospel campaigns, he has been assistant pastor in the First Presbyterian church of Oklahoma City, one of the leading Presbyterian churches in the denomination. Memphis has an opportunity of meeting a strong team in this gospel campaign.

Will Begin Sunday

"The services will open Sunday morning with two services each day and will continue for ten days or two weeks. The people of the city are cordially invited to cooperate in this revival campaign. The church members who will assist in the singing are asked to meet Mr. Mallard, the song leader, at the church Friday evening from

seven to eight, this means not only the choir, but others also who will be willing to help in the choir."

C. Of C. Directors—

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tory. Chamber of Commerce was asked to furnish money to supply medals. Matter temporarily tabled.

The forthcoming membership drive, in charge of C. Lee Rushing received some discussion. The drive will likely start the fore part of next week and will probably last two days.

The fact that several towns surrounding Memphis have road signs scattered in this vicinity directing motorists in several directions, and the fact that Memphis is not represented in this territory with sim-

ilar signs was brought to the board's attention. The matter was referred to a committee composed of R. S. Greene, R. L. Madden and C. W. Flannery.

Lakeview's effort toward having the new paved road pass as closely as possible through its business district was also discussed. The board expressed itself in favor of Memphis' neighboring town receiving the greatest possible benefit from the new road now being surveyed, but also bearing in mind the fact that the surveying of the road is entirely in the hands of the Commissioners' Court. The Memphis Chamber of Commerce will not oppose any plan the Lakeview Chamber of Commerce deems best for having the road traverse its town, the directors said.

Send to Clark's for it. tfe

Chamber Of—

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which is to be held in connection with the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth on March 2. The prospective track men are taking things "easy" for the present, according to the coach, in order to be thoroughly rested for the grind they will undergo throughout the entire track season.

Miss Yetta Mae Hackworth, who is now teaching in Childress, spent the week end with her parents. Miss Hackworth is a graduate of the Memphis High School.

Edgar Hamilton of Childress visited friends in Memphis Saturday and Sunday.

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In the case of the Ford, the low charges for distribution, selling, financing and accessories mean a direct saving of at least \$50 to \$75 to every purchaser in addition to the still greater savings made possible by economies in manufacturing. *Ford charges are not marked up or increased to cover a high trade-in allowance on a used car.*

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been fair to both the dealer and the public. Within the past three months, it has been possible to effect still further economies. Today, the discount or commission of the Ford dealer is the lowest of any automobile dealer. The difference, ranging from 25% to nearly 50%, comes right off the price you pay for the car.

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THE DEMOCRAT'S PROGRAM FOR 1930

(Check Mark Indicates Project Has Been Realized)

1. Less selfishness and more selflessness in the business, professional and social life of Memphis and Hall County.
2. The placing of agriculture on a higher plane, with emphasis being put on diversification, live at home movement, and the cow, sow and hen route to contentment and general well being.
3. A better understanding between Memphis and the towns and communities in Hall County.
4. More respect for city ordinances in connection with parking of cars in the downtown district, observance of fire rules and regulations, and keeping the streets of the city in a clean condition.
5. More general cooperation in all movements seeking the betterment of Memphis and Hall County.
6. A municipal auditorium.
7. More paved streets.

A PIONEER PASSES

MEMPHIS lost one of her outstanding citizens in the death last Saturday night of T. R. Garrott at his home here. Mr. Garrott had been actively identified with the business life of this city for the past 25 years. More than any other citizen perhaps, this man practiced the golden rule. Possessed of a fine business acumen, he prospered materially and shared his fortunes generously with the city he called home and which he loved dearly. In every affair of public concern, Mr. Garrott had an opinion and he was absolutely fearless in the expression of it. A deep student of life, his influence on this community will be felt throughout the years ahead.

Many of the readers of The Democrat will recall the many timely articles from Mr. Garrott's pen. He discussed public questions only after he had given them serious thought and when he thus expressed himself, he knew absolutely what he was writing about. It will be remembered that the last article for this publication was written by Mr. Garrott shortly before Christmas of 1928. In this article, he stressed the need for a new highway across the county, and the route he proposed at that time is almost identical with the route the new highway is to take, from Memphis to Mulberry Bridge by way of Lakeview. A beautiful Christmas poem written by Mr. Garrott was received too late for publication in the issue it was intended for, but will be used in connection with The Democrat's Christmas edition next December.

As a Bible student, Mr. Garrott had few equals and no peers. For a period of thirteen years, he taught a Sunday school class in the First Baptist church. He was identified with all affairs of the Baptist church and had been a member of the official board for many years. He was one of those early citizens who gave liberally of his means in erecting the present church edifice and it was due largely to his endeavors that the new Educational Building became a reality.

In every walk of life, Mr. Garrott commanded the respect of his fellows. He was known to be a friend to everyone with whom he came in contact. He frequently went out of his way to lend a helping hand, and he was generally known as "everybody's friend." We recall the many times he treated the staff of The Democrat to candy and salted peanuts. Sometimes he would send over an entire box of the one or the other of these confections for our enjoyment. The visits he made to the office were always welcomed.

The entire community is saddened by the passing of this good man. He lived an exemplary life among us. He wrought mightily for the public good and generations as yet unborn will feel his imprint when they become part and parcel of the life of Memphis. The heritage he leaves is a rich one—entirely worthy of the name he achieved while here—"everybody's friend."

A NEW GYMNASIUM IS NEEDED

ONE of the needs of the public school system of Memphis at the present time is a new gymnasium. This matter has come up for attention from time to time, but so far as we know, no definite steps have been taken to secure such a building here. A building, similar to the one constructed at Estelline, could be erected here for a very nominal sum—probably \$4,000. We understand that the Estelline gymnasium came about as the result of only one day's drive for funds. Would that matters of this kind could go over as easily in this city! Another interesting fact in connection with athletics at Estelline is the information furnished this writer that in two basketball games in the neighboring town last week, more than \$500 in paid admissions was recorded.

It takes proper equipment to produce winning teams. Memphis has as good material with which to work as any town in Texas. Coach Walter is as good a coach as could be procured. The school authorities are cooperative in all matters that would enhance school life and activity, but still, there seems to be an unexplained lethargy on the part of our citizens that keeps them from taking the initiative and really accomplishing something of a worthwhile nature for our public schools. It is true that many things need attention other than athletics, but winning teams do as much as any other agency to boost a town. Estel-

line is known far and wide for her winning basketball teams. On the other hand, while Memphis is achieving a reputation for producing winning football teams, other branches of high school sports are neglected.

The gymnasium at the senior high school here is entirely inadequate. There is no standard basketball court there. It is improperly equipped for any form of athletics. Whenever a gymnasium is to be used, our teams generally have to go away from home and borrow the use of a real gymnasium. Newlin has recently built a thoroughly modern gymnasium. Lakeview has one, and so has Turkey. Memphis, the county seat of Hall County, is the only town in the county thus handicapped by lack of a real gymnasium. There is no trouble in finding a location where such a building can be erected. Plenty of space is available between the senior high school and the west ward building. What is needed is substantial cooperation. We are so busy with our own varied interests that we are prone to be neglectful of our school system. What a fine thing it would be if some of our business men would take the initiative in the matter and present to Memphis a brand new gymnasium, sufficient to meet the needs of the present as well as to care for the demands of the future. We are hopeful that people will begin thinking about this matter and will be ready to back up their thoughts in a substantial way and thereby help the school system to keep abreast of the times.

MR. JUSTICE TAFT LAYS DOWN THE GAVEL

THE amiable William Howard Taft has resigned as Chief Justice of the United States Supreme Court and has been succeeded by the eminent jurist, Charles Evans Hughes. It is with regret that the people see the ravages of illness take from active participation in public life one of the best loved figures of the generation. Taft has always been a big man—physically and otherwise. He has been above his political affiliations. He is generally conceded to have made one of the best Chief Justices to sit on the bench in recent years.

Confined to his bed in his home in Washington, D. C., an anxious public has watched intently every bulletin that has been issued by attending physicians as to the progress ex-President Taft has been making. Newspaper reports relate that regardless of whether or not Taft survives his present illness, he will never be a well man again, and this pronouncement means that he has definitely retired from public life. Taft is one of the two living ex-Presidents. He has always been, at least to the public mind, of the jovial good-natured type, in direct contrast with the aloofness of the New England Coolidge. During his tenure of office as President of the United States, Taft visited Texas. One of the bright spots of this visit was his reception in Dallas. Leading citizens of that place tendered him a "beef-steak dinner." They decided on this course, due to the fact that they felt he had become "fed up" on the more choice delicacies, and Taft seemed to appreciate their consideration tremendously.

During his four years as President, the jovial countenance of the chief executive flashed from one part of the country to another in news pictures. He has been photographed many times since, and the same kindly features have endeared this man to the public. Although not considered an outstanding President in any sense of the word, Taft was immensely popular with the masses, and this popularity has diminished but little since that time. While the office of Chief Justice has passed into safe hands, at the same time, jurists and laity equally grieve the loss of this statesman's counsel, his advice, his beneficent influence in the most stately and dignified office within the entire United States. William Howard Taft has achieved well. He has evidently worn himself out in the public service and deserves a rest. We hope that his illness will respond to treatment and that Taft will be left with us for many years to come. Men of his type are needed in the life of the nation to help equalize it; to help keep politics subservient to the public welfare. This, Taft has helped to accomplish, and his services will redound to the everlasting good of not only his party, but to those who have come in contact with him personally or through the medium of news dispatches and photographs.

Truth Is Stranger Than Fiction

BY DOROTHY B. ROBBINS

The city of Vienna slept fitfully only a few nights since when 400 gallons of gasoline leaked from a concrete municipal garage tank into the drains of the city and distributed it by sewerage through the metropolis.

The city authorities warned the citizens by radio of their danger, cautioning them about investigating any fumes from cellars. In one instance where a man was trying to locate a gasoline smell and held a match over the drain of the sink in the kitchen, flame shot out, singeing his eyebrows, but was soon extinguished. If the drain had been larger, Fire Chief Wagner asserted that an explosion would likely have resulted, wrecking houses in the neighborhood.

Morning found the gasoline in the Danube—yes think of the bright surface of the beautiful blue Danube with gasoline covering it.

Do you recall that night in June

Upon the Danube river?
 I love that old song yet—my European daughter pronounces it Dan-oo-bie—but making it so many syllabled a word would ruin our song. Even as we would not say Americana for American we will not say Dan-oo-bie for Danube.

We are reminded of man's powerlessness after reading about the swiftest of his inventions made

useless by storms. "Power of the Sea," is a fitting topic for an editorial and was used in connection with the Bremen—north German Lloyd liner. Though far from a casualty the fastest ocean traveler was delayed three days by the worst storm her captain had known in his thirty years of experience on the sea.

When the storm was at its worst Captain Ziegenhein of the Bremen transferred this to the ships log:

"Hurricane, tremendous sea and enormous western swell; heave to."

Yet after the steamer heaved to, Mrs. G. Stimming, whose husband is general manager of North German Lloyd lines said dances were held as usual, she participating. The Bremen's captain was presented with a testimonial of commendation for his near perfection in handling of a ship under the most adverse circumstances.

A feature listed as peculiar during the storm was the rapid changing of the wind—"the southwest hurricane shifted to northwest and in seven minutes to southwest again." Captain Ziegenhein "had never seen a high wind change so rapidly."

Oil was poured on the troubled waters several times but never did the liner run the risk of being without as she carried a full load.

Was Will Rogers, humorist, so but perhaps it was another of his jokes.

It seems to me that the late Philip Flayderman pursued the only correct method in collecting antique furniture. In twenty five years of collecting nothing was

The Great American Home



BED TIME STORIES

said about it, really the pieces were hidden, choice family heirlooms were his goal always accompanied by sworn statements and histories of each piece if possible. This collection was on sale in New York at the American Art Association, Anderson Galleries, Inc. Documentary evidence was a passion upon which the father's mode of collecting was based said his son Benjamin Flayderman.

Colonial antiques, historic, pedigreed and labeled sold to the man or woman with the pocket full of money. Living in a big city means many unusual experiences for the person with some leisure.

Many stories have come to us concerning the King's speech, one woman said she wouldn't get up so early when there was so much risk attached—might be a lot of static and another said her daughter was all ready to hear and there was a pop sending their radio out of commission. We didn't bother with our radio (not feigning static but because we haven't purchased one—we don't care for them, rather read the speeches, tell our own bedtime stories and furnish our own music). I read each aloud, delighted in the King's, was enthusiastic over MacDonald's, felt like waving the flag on reading Stimson's—well, they were worth the half hour I gave them—don't know when I have enjoyed myself more.

Mrs. Rebecca Lattimer Felton, known as the Grand Old Woman of Georgia, is dead from pneu-

monia at the grand old age of ninety five. Appointed to take the place left vacant by the death of Senator Thomas E. Watson, Mrs. Felton occupied the seat for twenty-two hours, making a memorable speech before retiring.

Senator for only a day, but it was the crowning success of her life-long efforts to help women achieve the place she felt they were fitted to fill. She had blazed a path and was cheered by crowds, composed largely of women. Mrs. Felton was said to be like "a breath of lavender and lace from the old south."

Seventy years she had been a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church, south, was a consecrated church worker and for twenty-three years made speeches for temperance. Active in club work and the suffrage movement for years, wife and mother of five children it seems impossible that one small frame could encompass so much.

Georgia, we sorrow with you in the passing of this grand woman. She was the fore-runner of many—as the days go by your sister states are coming into their own. You have shown us that woman's power used rightly has no limitations. In certain parts of Texas many of the residents claim Georgia as first mother, I have always loved the state for my father was born there. Mississippi has given us many of her sons and daughters and so has Alabama, but I believe we have more Georgians—they are good wherever found

and have added many sterling qualities to our state.

A girl from Smith College who kidnapped—the president would not give her name. The facts of the case resemble two or three similar. Strange people in a strange car asking for information then at the auspicious moment seizing the girl. This victim did not give way to weepings or wailings but talked to such purpose that she was only detained two hours.

Speculation, as to the type of her conversation and as to a possible mistake in girls, is active all the Freedom by persuasion of vocations the power would seem to be the correct solution—if there could be one.

Girls would be wise in giving notice of cars from authorities—give the name and less kidnapping.

A play is to be given in New York with a lone player. The cast, the entire action taking place over the telephone. We assure you the climax will be reached when the actor gets his number.

An American safety razor company actually has announced plans for constructing a branch factory in Russia. That's optimistic for you in the nth degree.

C. O. D. may mean "collect and delivery" to some people, but to you it means "charge on dad."

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OBITUARY

AN HAMILTON HOWARD
John Hamilton Howard was born August 27, 1847, in South Carolina, and departed this life, January 20, 1930.
He moved with his family from his native state to Mississippi, thence to Arkansas and from there to Grason County, Texas. It was in Grayson County where he married Miss Polly Simpson. He moved from Grayson County to Brown County, from there to Throckmorton County, and from there to Erath County, Texas. In the year 1905 moved to Hall County, living here until the time of his death.

Eight children were born to the union with Miss Polly Simpson, seven are living, one son and six daughters, Mrs. T. A. Prater of Memphis, Mrs. George Lester, Memphis, Mrs. Ott Lester, Memphis, Mrs. Joe Prater, Memphis, George Howard, Childress, Mrs. M. E. Thompson, Hobb, N. M., and Mrs. Bob Anderson of Cal. The deceased has one sister living, Mrs. Elsie Simpson, of Carter, Oklahoma. He is survived by one brother, Alfred Howard, whose residence is not known.

Sixteen years ago, the deceased was married for the second time. He married Mrs. C. Forbes, of Memphis, Texas. She also survives him together with many grand and great grandchildren. He is survived by 37 grand children and 24 great grand children.

The deceased never united with any church. He was a believer in Christ.
The ancient cliff dwellers built huge houses in the southwest, each one of which provided homes for 600 families. We know a lot of people who say there never was a house large enough for two families, if one of them was the in-laws.

Get it at Tarver's.

FROM THE PEOPLE
Defends Right to Vote
To The Democrat:
The Mighty Ones have spoken. The Great Democratic Executive Committee has "executed." "Let all the earth keep silent before 'them'!" Jove has thundered from his mount—let ordinary Democrats quickly bow down before their august majesties. How some men do swell up with a brief authority!

And so, if we ordinary Democrats will only make over our conscience to the Little Tammany we will be "permitted" (sic) to vote! "Upon what meat doth this our Caesar feed that he hath grown so great?" Just when did this High and Mighty committee get a chattel mortgage on the Democratic voters of Texas.
Only Democrats with the mark of the Tammany beast (the Tiger's paw) upon their foreheads will be "permitted" to offer for office with the benediction of these Masters upon their heads. May I suggest that there will be found several hundred thousand democrats who have not nor will, bow the knee to their bibulous Baal, and who still write under their names "Sole Owner of My Conscience."

We will not get down on our knees, nor plow our honest bricks in the dust before these little Tammany Tin Gods, nor kiss the big toes of these pygmy popes of Democracy's polluted temple.

Let us trust the higher courts will rebuke this plotted tyranny, and the dry democrats of Texas have yet a chance to cast a ballot for the tall man, the sun-crowned men, whose patriotic services were never more needed in Texas.
As a Democrat, as a Statesman, as a Patriot, and as a Man, Thos. B. Love is the peer of any man in Texas, and would make Texas one of her greatest governors. But the bosses cannot permit this. They know his ability, and fear him. One of their leaders but recently said "We know that Senator Love is the best posted man in Texas on state affairs. He is unquestionably head and shoulders above the other candidates that are being discussed, but we don't like his leadership that carried Texas for Hoover in 1928, and we are determined to keep his name off the ticket." And it is such partisanship as this that is hurting Texas more than anything else.

Had they followed the Bible saying, "Let him that is without sin cast the first stone" not many rocks would be flying. It was all right to bolt the ticket to run after Ferguson and Peddy, but to vote for Hoover, ah! that is the unpardonable sin. It evidently depends on whose ox is gored. Well, they heard from us in 1928 and they will hear from us again in 1930.

ARTHUR W. JONES.

Lubbock, Texas, 2-3-30
The Memphis Democrat,
Memphis, Texas.
Dear Sirs:
Having moved to Lubbock for the present, would like to have you send the Democrat to us here. We are well pleased with our new home. But of course, we still like to hear from our friends in our old home town and we know of no better way to do it than to read about them in the Democrat.
Please send our paper to the following address and oblige.
JIM VALLANCE,
110 Texas Avenue,
Lubbock, Texas.

To The Democrat:
I appreciate the stand the writer of the editorial page of The Democrat has taken in behalf of Memphis and Hall County. The Democrat program for 1930 is good and if all the people will cooperate much good can be done.

Also, I believe the meeting held at Estelline last week, to lay plans for organization of the farmers and business men, is one of the best means taken in behalf of all the people in Hall County since I came here 19 years ago.

There is no mistake in this matter about farmers getting away from so much short staple cotton. The organization of the Farm Council is a wise move and should be appreciated by all, for as I understand it, all of us would

be benefitted through its work if we will apply the proper system.
E. T. MONTGOMERY,
Plaska, Texas.

Local and Personal

Miss Ora Lee Bray has been ill the past week, but is reported Monday as being improved, however she has not yet returned to her position in the local schools.

Mrs. Ray Taylor has taken a position with J. R. Jones & Co. where she will have charge of the ready-to-wear department.

Mrs. E. H. Turner and Mrs. J. H. Croft spent several days shopping in Dallas this past week.

Mrs. Lilly Pryor spent Sunday in Kirkland.

Misses Willie Guinn and Heene Barnard drove to Estelline Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Roy Bartee spent Sunday in Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Gardner spent Friday in Memphis, returning home Friday night, accompanied by Miss Beth Moreland.

Mrs. H. B. Bryan has been ill with the flu this past week.

Mrs. Earl Avery has been seriously ill, at the Memphis Hospital, but is reported Monday as recovering nicely, though still unable to return to her home.

Mrs. L. D. Pierce, who has been in a hospital in Dallas for the past two weeks is reported to be improving.

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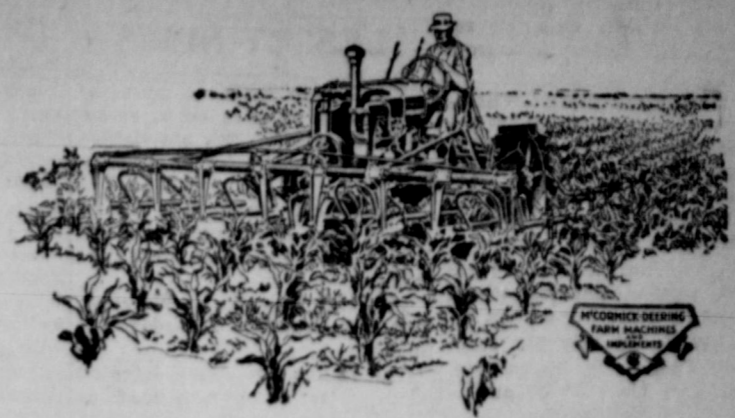
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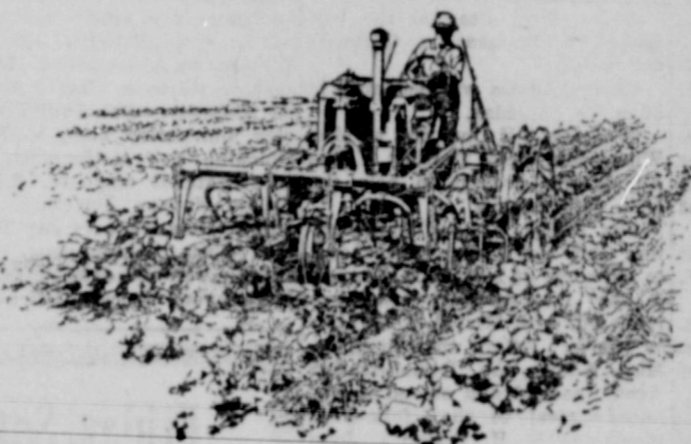


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Power Farming Day

The power farming idea is sweeping the country so rapidly these days that it is important for every farmer to get first hand information on this subject. It is the purpose of our big POWER FARMING DAY, Wednesday, February 19, to provide, in an interesting, entertaining way, facts that will prove helpful to present and prospective power farmers.

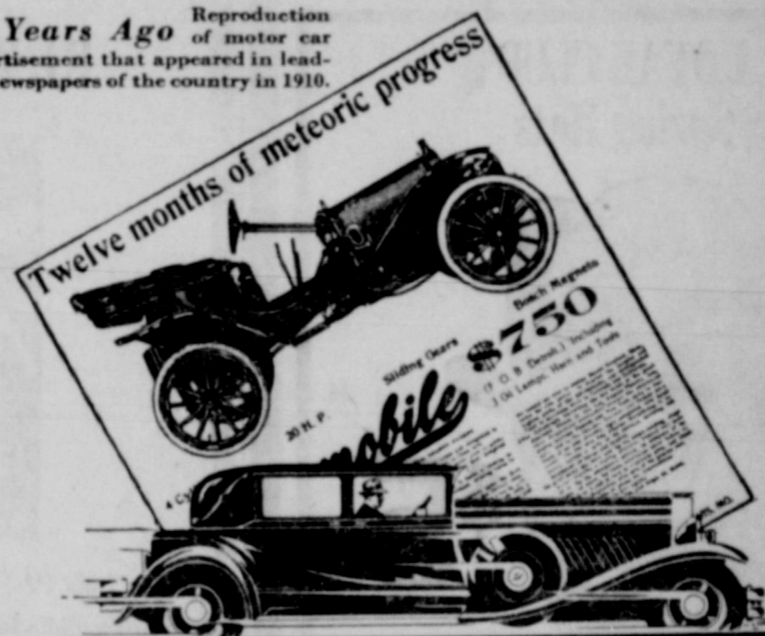
The men who will present these facts during our POWER FARMING DAY are experienced in tractor operation and upkeep. Their discussion and demonstration of power farming equipment methods will be worth money to every farmer who is interested in reducing production costs. And, remember, the whole party is FREE. Come early and be our guest for the day. There'll be a dandy FREE LUNCH AT NOON, and FREE MOVIES.



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Local and Personal

J. C. Cameron went to Amarillo Thursday of last week, to be at the bedside of a relative, R. C. Evans, who formerly resided in Hall County. Mr. Cameron reports that Mr. Evans is improving.

Bob Walker and Gilbert Wilkinson drove to Fort Worth Saturday, leaving Memphis at twelve that night, arriving in Fort Worth at eight the following morning. They attended a show and returned to Memphis Sunday night.

Miss Olive Ruth Ewen, who has been in Austin attending school has returned home for a visit.

L. A. Wells, of Amarillo, stopped Friday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Watt Wells, on his way to Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hughes, formerly connected with Cross Dry Goods Store of Memphis, were in town for a few hours Monday, on their way to Henrietta from Hereford where they have been conducting a sale.

T. M. Little of Mangum, Oklahoma, visited his daughter, Mrs. Carlos Grissom last week end and summed his trip to Clarendon to it with another daughter.

W. E. Battrell of Ashtola returned home Thursday from a few days visit in Memphis.

J. C. Woods made a business trip to Paducah Thursday of last week.

Miss Dorrace Powell spent last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Powell who live on South Eighth street.

Miss C. J. Goodnight is spending a few days with her parents on South Tenth street.

Mrs. John T. Bishop has returned home from a visit with her daughters, Nelma and Mildred, who are in school in T. W. C. at Fort Worth.

Mrs. E. E. Lane visited her daughter, Clara Frances in T. W. C. for a few days last week.

Mrs. W. T. Yourel and Mrs. Frank Springer and baby and Mrs. S. W. Lamberson and baby of Hedley were shopping in Memphis Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Newman of Hedley shopped in Memphis Saturday.

Mrs. L. H. Earthman and children of Hedley were in Memphis shopping Saturday.

Dr. J. A. Odom spent Sunday in Lubbock visiting with Mrs. Odom, Adrian and Mayo.

Mrs. T. P. Vaughn returned from Sanger Friday and her father, E. S. Rice, who has been visiting in Memphis for some time returned to his home in Sanger last Friday.

LESLEY NEWS

The Lesley P. T. A. meets on Wednesday of next week, everyone interested in this association, please come and bring your neighbor.

The local basket-ball teams played Deep Lake teams here last Friday. Lesley teams were victorious.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Wingrove visited in Amarillo Saturday and Sunday.

The Lesley boys were defeated in their last conference game at Newlin last Tuesday. Excellent playing was noticeable on both sides.

The Lesley girls played the Newlin girls and were defeated in a hard fought game, by three points.

Mr. Churchman and Ruth LaFon visited in Clarendon over the week end.

Lesley fans enjoyed the games played at Lakeview Monday night. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mitchell visited at Turkey Sunday.

Brother Baker was at the school building at chapel hour Monday and made a very interesting and helpful talk to the students.

Zady Belle Walker, Ruby Bray and Ruth Pendergrass were Memphis visitors Saturday.

Lesley boys attended the basketball tournament at Quitaque last week.

Gladys Adams was shopping in Memphis Saturday.

The girls 4-H Club met at Mrs. Wingroves home Tuesday. Miss Adams was present to help the girls with sewing.

The Lesley Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday afternoon, in the home of Mrs. C. H. Bounds. A very interesting program was rendered, with Mrs. J. G. Hinders as leader. After the program, Miss Adams, the Demonstration Agent, cooked and served a balanced meal to the following: Mesdames H. H. Pennege, John Pierce, G. P. Spencer, L. L. Kennegor, H. J. Hodnett, E. L. Wingrove, Joe D. Bennett, McClahan, James Smith, J. G. Hinders, Little Betty Joe Pennege, and the hostess, Mrs. C. H. Bounds. All members are highly enthused over the work planned for the year.

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ter, who was also "that way" about Pee-Wee. Those two leading roles were carried by Albert Pearson and Miss Vernadine Jones. The musical comedy carried the diminutive Pee-Wee through his dreams after leaving school, into an unsuccessful attempt to make the theatrical grade in Chicago where he was unwittingly captured and held prisoner in a Gangster's Den, and from there on to New York where he eventually made a success in a Night Club of the Big City—with, of course, Gracie Criffon at his side helping him to make his dreams come true. The theme song of the production was "When My Dreams Come True."

Pearson Hit of Show

Pearson, the hit of the show story, was also the hit of the show in reality, with Miss Jones playing the supporting role to perfection. Other members of the cast, all of whom carried out their parts in a creditable manner, included: Mrs. Sadie Chiffon, Gracie's mother, Ruth Harrison; Jim Ellery, Pee-Wee's roommate who also liked to sing, Clarence Jackson; Pete Scarjaw, leader of the Black Patch group of Chicago Gangsters, James Hammond; Nellie Ellie, his woman, Annie Ruth Johnson; Jesse Ochiltree, farm hand with city livings, Blanton Bagwell; Lady Olivia Rosegarden, actress and woman of the world, Pauline Ross; Count Uneeda da Bisco, rather fond of making whoopee, Homer Shankle; Al Ammony, Broadway musical star and cut-up man, V. L. McGlocklin, Bob Mothersinnall, Jewish theatrical magnate, Bill McKelvy, Madam Dufunny, night club hostess, Frances Joy Tomlinson; Cutie, chorus girl, Sarah Bradshaw;—and farmhands, football players, dancers, chorus girls,

gangsters, night club patrons, etc.

Comedy in 3 Acts

The musical comedy was divided into three acts, as follows: Act I, after the big football game in Podunk Center; Act II, Scene 1, a street in Chicago; Act II, Scene II, a gangster den in Chicago; and Act III, a New York night club.

The song numbers of the Follies disclosed the fact that there is an unusual amount of splendid voices and talent among the students of Memphis high school, as well as other residents of the city. The numbers given by each one were well received, and several drew encores on both nights.

Opened With Chorus

The production opened with the chorus, "The Spirit of Podunk High," sung by Albert Pearson and chorus. In the first act other song numbers were: "The Pee-Wee Song," (words and music by William Russell Clark) sung by Albert Pearson; "When My Dreams Come True" (theme song), by Clarence Jackson, assisted by chorus; "Wouldn't It Be Wonderful?" by Miss Vernadine Jones, assisted by Albert Pearson and chorus; "If I were You, I'd Fall in Love With Me," by Albert Pearson, with the finale of the first act, "Waiting at the End of the Road," sung by Miss Vernadine Jones, Albert Pearson and Clarence Jackson, assisted by chorus.

"Satisfied" was the initial song number of the second act, sung by Miss Vernadine Jones, Albert Pearson, Clarence Jackson, Miss Ruth Harrison and Blanton Bagwell. Other numbers were "The Wedding of the Painted Doll," gangster dance, by the gangsters; "Alma Mammy" and "Do Something," sung by Miss Vernadine Jones and Albert Pearson; "Sleepy Valley," by Miss Annie Ruth Johnson; and "Singing in the Rain," by principals and the chorus.

Miss Pauline Ross, assisted by the entire cast, opened the song numbers of the third act with "My Sweetest Than Sweet," which was followed by "True Blue Lou," sung by Homer Shankle, assisted by entire cast; "My Song of the Nile," by V. L. McGlocklin, assisted by entire cast; "I Lift Up My Finger and Say 'Tweet Tweet,'" by Albert Pearson; "Ain't Misbehavin'," by Clarence Jackson, and Miss Vernadine Jones, assisted by entire cast; with the grand finale, "When My Dreams Come True," sung by the entire company.

The beauty and artistic touches of the production were greatly enhanced by the luxurious stage settings and fixtures, stage furniture, electrical fixtures, and a collection of gorgeous costumes, evening gowns and apparel. The use of colored flood and spot lights also added to the beauty of the several scenes and the effectiveness of the musical numbers. The costumes for the chorus girls were designed by Sara Hart, Annie Ruth Johnson, Sarah Bardshaw and Mary Batson. Miss Vernadine Jones wore an evening gown in the third act direct from New York, furnished through the courtesy of Lee Pope, manager of Hanna-Pope & Company.

The gentlemen of the chorus were Bill Sanders, Bob Phillips, Carl Gerlach, Iyan Thornton, A. J. Rushing, Iris Bradshaw, James Hammond, Homer Shankle, Bill McKelvy, Robert Mitcham and Jerry Sittin.

Ladies of the chorus included Sara Hart, Sarah Brawshaw, Ethel Pearson, Mazie Perkins, Mildred Kesterson, Frances Joy Tomlinson, Catherine Easterling, Anna Louise Hudgins, Almada Jarrell, Marietta Gibson, Annie Rene Montgomery, Dorothy Hart, Chloe Johnson, Mary Winston Walters, Lola Mae Grundy, Jewel Grundy, Iris Hollis and Mary Batson.

Outstanding Scene

The outstanding scene of the entire musical comedy, in point of beauty, was the night club scene of the third act, which displayed a profusion of balloons, serpentine and other decorations, with the characters all outfitted in evening wear. The lighting effects in this scene were also used to good advantage.

Stage settings and continuity of the production were by Mr. Clark. Electrical fixtures were furnished through the courtesy of the West Texas Utilities Company and furniture by the King Furniture Company. Linens for the third act were furnished through the courtesy of Rube's Coffee Shop.

The technical staff for Mr. Clark included Carl Reese, musical director, who furnished the music throughout the two evenings with an excellent orchestra; James Hammond, business manager; Clarence Jackson, assistant business manager; Emmett Walker, stage manager; Gerald Kunk-

ler and Coy Ragdale, assistant stage managers; Ernestine Walker, mistress of the wardrobe; W. Fred Martin, technician; Weld Massey, assistant technician; Walter Massey, head doorman; Troy Broome, tickets. Ushers were Tressa Simmons, Tommie Bore Lorcece Webster, and Pauline Turlington.

May Take Show Elsewhere

Officials of the "Football Follies of 1930" are now making plans and preparations for taking the musical comedy to several towns and cities near here for presentation. No contracts have been closed at this time, but it is expected that the first out-of-town presentation will be made at Mangum, Oklahoma. The business manager announces that there are several other tentative engagements.

Formal Opening of

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where she was manager of an exclusive ladies' shop for some time.

Mrs. J. H. Croft has been a member of the Memphis business world for several years and for some time actively connected with the business management of the Memphis Hotel. She, too, is well acquainted with the ready-to-wear business, and has held responsible positions in that department of local stores.

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New spring coats are much in demand and we have a good stock from which to make your selection at from \$10.75 to— **\$29.75**

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