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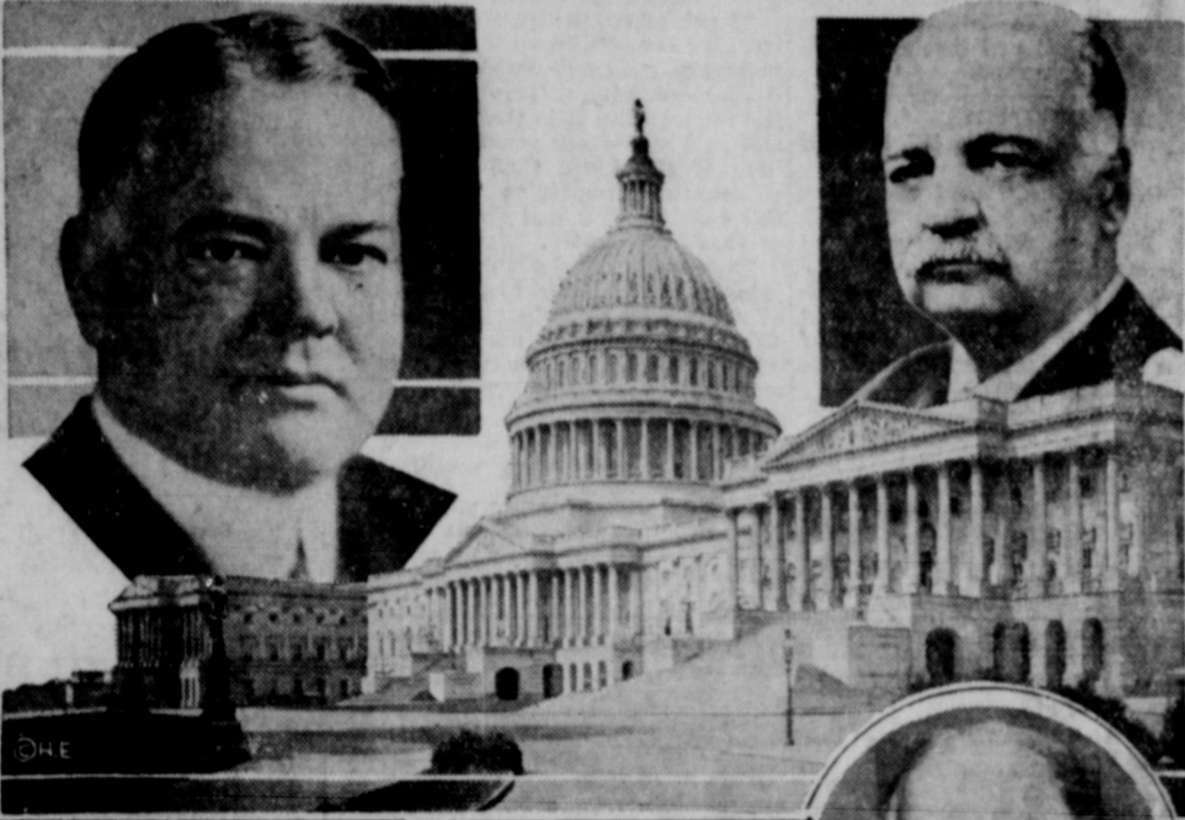
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PANHANDLE DISTRICT ENDEAVOR MEETING OPENS HERE FRIDAY

Three Hundred Delegates Are Expected To Attend Three Day Meeting; National Speakers To Take Part In Work

Three hundred delegates representing the Presbyterian and Christian churches throughout this section of West Texas are expected to be present at the Panhandle District Christian Endeavor convention which will get under way at the First Presbyterian church Friday morning, March 8, and will continue through Sunday afternoon, March 10.

The First Presbyterian church and the First Christian church will be joint hosts to the convention, with headquarters maintained at the first mentioned church. The general theme of the meeting is "Crusade with Christ."

Mrs. Pierce Chairman
Mrs. L. D. Pierce is general chairman of the convention and working with her are Dr. J. Hardin Mallard and Rev. Arthur W. Jones. Howard Hughes is secretary-treasurer. Miss Mae Nell Elliott is chairman of registrations. Mrs. Mallard, Mrs. Jones and Mrs. J. P. Watson are also members of the convention committee. Mrs. Elmer S. Shelley is musical director.

The delegates will be entertained in the homes of members of both the Presbyterian and Christian churches. Breakfast will be served to them and a number of luncheons and dinners. Saturday at noon a luncheon will be held at the church. A fellowship banquet will be tendered the convention Saturday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock at the Masonic Temple. Old and new council members of the district will have luncheon at the Memphis Hotel Sunday at noon.

Program Announced
The announced program will be as follows: Friday morning, the text for this meeting is found in 2 Peter 3:18, "Grow in Grace and in the Knowledge of Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ." Convention song, "You Can Smile." Miss Dorothy Cox, district president, will preside. Others on the program at this meeting will be Harold Singer, Mid-West Secretary International Society of Christian Endeavor; E. F. Huppertz, general secretary, Texas Christian Endeavor Union; Mrs. Elmer S. Shelley, director of music.
Reception of Delegates
Friday afternoon: 3:00, reception of delegates and assignment to homes. Friday evening, district president presiding. 7:30 worship period; 7:45, worship in song. Rev. H. A. Shaw, assistant (Continued on page 7)

Wichita Company Buys Stage Line

C. C. Wells, for several years owner of the bus line from Vernon to Amarillo, sold his interest last week to the Wichita Bus Company, the transfer taking place Friday subject to the approval of the State Railroad Commission. Mr. Wells purchased this line for \$3,800 about two and one-half years ago. At this time, the property included the two old line cars, not in the best of condition.

Has Six Buses
At the present time, the bus company has five fifteen passenger buses and one 22 passenger bus, all practically new. From the time he took the company over, Mr. Wells has rendered excellent service. His drivers have been courteous and accommodating and the good will of the company has been materially enhanced.

To Increase Capacity
In the course of a short time, (Continued on Page 7)

JONES IS SURE CITY TO GET BUILDING

Congressman Gives Opinion on New Post-Office Here

Despite the fact that a new federal building for Memphis was announced last week on authority of a telegram from Washington, some discussion seems to have arisen as to whether the appropriation for the postoffice has already been made, or whether such was merely recommended.

Telegram Dispatched
In order to make sure of this point, a telegram was sent to Congressman Marvin Jones representing the 18th district and Mr. Jones has replied at length. He states that he has no doubt that the recommendation will result in the construction of a building in (Continued on page 6)

United Charities Board Approves Work Completed By Organization

The board of the United Charities of Memphis met in the Chamber of Commerce rooms Tuesday night at 7:30, and voted to accept the report of the Secretary-Treasurer of the organization as submitted to date. This report gave an itemized list of the cases coming to the attention of this organization and detailed the relief administered.

A motion was passed to thank the Lions Club for the efforts they expended in making the drive for funds a success and to extend

thanks to The Memphis Democrat for the work this newspaper has done in helping with the charity program.

Rev. Arthur W. Jones was appointed chairman of the investigating committee, to look into every application received for help. He will be assisted by both board members and non-board members. It was voted to express the thanks of the United Charities to the Dorcas Society and its president, Mrs. Johnsey, for the offer made to cooperate in

every way possible with the charity organization. A motion was also made to publish the report of the secretary-treasurer, which report will appear in the next issue of The Democrat.

Negro cases, cases of professional beggars, and cases seeking aid from the United Charities outside the city limits came in for discussion. Such cases are to be thoroughly investigated and relief administered only in emergencies, where the failure to re-

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Dry Leader



W. D. UPSHAW

District Singing Convention Will Be Held In City

Memphis has landed what promises to be one of the largest conventions to come to this city. Thomas E. Noel and Paul James, the conventions committee of the local chamber of commerce attended the meeting of the Oklahoma-Texas Singing Association in Childress last Sunday afternoon, and extended to the directors of the organization an invitation to hold the first annual meeting here.

In the first vote the directors took, four favored Memphis and two favored Childress. Another vote was taken, and only one director voted for Childress. The vote was then made unanimous for this city.

Comes In September
The convention will be held here on September 6, 7 and 8. The directors estimate that between four and five thousand people will be in attendance. Sessions will be conducted at one of the churches or in the auditorium of the senior high school. The matter of the singing convention was put up to the Pastors' Association of Memphis, and this organization voted not to hold Sunday services on the Sabbath when the convention is in session.

Mangum Is President
W. J. Mangum of Memphis is president of the Oklahoma-Texas District Singing Association and he believes that there will be about 1,200 delegates, to say nothing of the large number of people expected to attend without credentials.

The association embraces sixteen counties bordering on Red River in the Panhandle of Texas and Oklahoma. A committee is to be appointed from the chamber of commerce to make arrangements for housing the delegates as the hotels will have more than can be adequately cared for.

Recording Artists
An interesting program is being prepared for the three days' meeting. It is expected that Victor and Columbia recording artists will assist in making the convention a success. It is also likely that an artist from the Boston Conservatory of Music will take part in the program.

Kinard and McCanne Building Is Bought For A Modern Hotel
Announcement is made this week of the purchase of the Kinard and McCanne building across the street from the Memphis Hotel by J. B. Evans. It is understood that Mr. Evans is to remodel the structure and to make it into a modern hotel.

The new hotel will be completely equipped in every respect, with hot and cold water, baths, lighting fixtures and added refinements in all of the rooms. The building is a three story structure in a good location and brought a substantial price. The deal was closed on March 2.

WILL D. UPSHAW SECURED AS SPEAKER

Ex-Solon Of Georgia Has Taken Bryan's Place As Leader.

Ex-Congressman Will D. Upshaw, frequently referred to as the "Georgia Cyclone" will speak here at the First Baptist church on Friday night, March 15, at 7:30 o'clock, under the auspices of the Anti-Saloon League of Texas. Mr. Upshaw will discuss the prohibition question. No admission charge will be made for hearing the distinguished speaker, but a free will offering will be taken.

Career Remarkable
Mr. Upshaw is vice-president of the Southern Baptist Convention. His career has been a remarkable one. At the age when youths are preparing for their life's work, Mr. Upshaw was stricken down by an accident and lay for 10 years flat of his back in a plaster cast. When he had sufficiently recovered he began preparing for life. Though always a cripple, his accomplishments have been an inspiration to the youth of the nation. He served in the Congress of the United States for eight years.

Early Prohibitionist
As a prohibitionist, Mr. Upshaw consecrated himself early to the cause and has never sidestepped the issue for political preferment. As an orator, he is recognized as one of the most entertaining speakers on the platform. Some have accorded him a place along with William Jennings Bryan among the nationally known dry leaders. His command of the English language is marvelous and there is never a dull moment while he is on the platform.

Startled Congress
The coming to this city of Ex-Congressman Upshaw recalls to the minds of some of the local dry leaders an incident that startled Congress and the nation a few years ago. When the subject of prohibition was on the lips of everyone, Mr. Upshaw from the floor of the House of Representatives called upon public officials, from President to Governor, including Congressman and United States Senators, to set an example before the nation by refusing to drink bootleg liquor. At that time, the Literary Digest said: "To Congressman Upshaw is due the credit of awakening the conscience of America on the subject of sober leadership." (Continued on page 7)

New Officers Are Elected By Rotary

New officers were elected at the Tuesday meeting of the Memphis Rotary Club. J. Claude Wells was elected president, W. C. Dickey, vice-president, Olin V. Alexander, secretary-treasurer and W. P. Dickson, sergeant-at-arms. The new officers will be inducted into office on July 1. Officers serving until that time are Jack Figh, president; R. S. Greene, vice-president; J. Claude Wells, secretary and Allen C. Grundy, treasurer. The three directors elected are D. L. C. Kinard, M. J. Draper, and Allen C. Grundy.

Delegates Elected
Olin V. Alexander and J. Claude Wells were elected delegates to attend the district meeting of Rotary Clubs which will be held in Ranger in about two weeks.

Convention In Dallas
A good deal of interest is being taken in the coming convention of Rotary International which will be held in Dallas May 27 to 31, inclusive. It is anticipated that a large representation from the local membership will make the Dallas trip. This is the first time in the history of Rotary that the international convention has come to Texas. The Rotary clubs of the South are particularly cognizant of this honor and plan for adequate representations.

SOCIETY and Club

FEDERATED MISSIONARY SOCIETY HOLDS MEET

The Executive Board of the City Federated Missionary society held its regular monthly luncheon and business meeting at the home of Mrs. W. L. Wheat Monday at 12:30 o'clock. After partaking of a delightful luncheon prepared by each member the meeting was opened by singing "Stand up for Jesus" with Mrs. Henderson Smith at the piano. Mrs. E. E. Robinson led the devotional, making an inspirational talk on the lesson after which the president, Mrs. T. E. Noel, opened the meeting for the consideration of business, calling for reports from the various committees.

The civic committee reporting its chief objective for 1929 as installing the garbage system and beautifying the city.

The outstanding feature of the interracial committee is the establishing of a rest room for the colored women and for better lighting facilities in the industrial district.

The legislative committee for better enforcement of city laws.

The chairman of program committee gave out calendars prepared for the year after which the meeting adjourned to meet with Mrs. Pete Clower, April 1.

The following members were present: Mrs. E. T. Miller, Mrs. Henderson Smith, Mrs. Arthur W. Jones, Mrs. J. H. Mallard, Mrs. J. P. Montgomery, Mrs. S. L. Seago, Mrs. E. T. Noel, Mrs. Frank Phelan, Mrs. Mamie Van Pelt, Mrs. M. J. Draper, Mrs. V. O. Williams, Mrs. G. J. Brown, Mrs. Pete Clower, Mrs. John Deaver, Mrs. E. E. Robinson, Mrs. Jet Fore, Dr. Pat Wiggins, Mrs. G. D. Beard, Mrs. Ed Dishman, Mrs. N. A. Hightower, Mrs. C. R. Webster, Mrs. W. L. Wheat and Miss Mary Noel.

P. T. A. MEETS ON THURSDAY AFTERNOON

The P. T. A. met last Thursday afternoon at the high school auditorium in regular meeting with a good attendance. During the business meeting it was decided to use the proceeds from the benefit tea to purchase a Victrola for the West Ward school and also to aid the Junior High in completing their basketball course. A picture will be bought for the East Ward school to encourage mothers to attend. The room having the greatest number of mothers present gets to keep the picture for one month.

Parents are asked to give records for the new Victrola and it was said that a record given by anyone would be appreciated.

The P. T. A. was greatly encouraged at having 27 new members present at this meeting and the next regular meeting which will be Thursday afternoon, March 28, has accepted an invitation from H. J. Gore to meet at the Junior High school building on South Ninth street. The following program was given:

Male quartette, Messers. H. A. Jackson, Lester C. Linn, Sam Cowan and Ike W. Jay.

Better English Drill—Mrs. Seaburn Buck.

Music by Hi School Orchestra. History and Significance of the P. T. A.—Mrs. T. J. Dunbar.

Song, "America, the Beautiful,"—by all.

MISS MILAM HOSTESS TO DELPHIAN CLUB

The Delphian Club met with the president, Miss Maud Milam, Tuesday afternoon at her home at 203 North Tenth street, with Mrs. J. Hardin Mallard as leader. Germany was the subject.

Roll call, News Notes from the Musical World.

Lives of the Music Masters—Mrs. Bill Bryan.

Goethe and his "Faust,"—Mrs. Bill Kesterson.

Questionaire conducted by Mrs. Bert Brewer.

Victrola music.

The hostess, assisted by her mother, Mrs. W. M. Milam, served a lovely two course plate lunch to the eighteen members present. Club adjourned to meet March 19 with Mrs. J. W. Stokes at her ranch home.

SODOLITAN CLASS HOLDS MEETING

The Sodolitan Sunday School Class of the First Baptist church met at the home of Mrs. E. T. Miller with Mrs. E. T. Miller, Mrs. H. L. Nelson and Claud Johnson as hostesses.

The devotional was led by Mrs. A. J. Joyce followed by prayer by Mrs. E. T. Miller.

After the business session the following program was rendered.

Reading, "The Little Light,"—Mrs. Frank Sockwell.

Song, "Let the Lower Lights be Burning."

Reading, "The Old Fashioned Pair,"—Mrs. W. J. Hill.

Contest, "Sodolitan,"—Mrs. A. W. Howard, winner.

Delicious refreshments, carrying out the Easter motif were served to about twenty members.

HARMONY CLUB MEETS WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

The Harmony Club met Wednesday afternoon, February 27, at the home of Mrs. W. B. Quigley, 602 South Sixth street, with Mrs. Margaret Morgan and Horace Tarver as hostesses and Mrs. Conly Ward as leader.

Classical Music program was given:

Response, Old Masters.

Piano, Ecosaises—Beethoven—Busoni—Mrs. Margaret Morgan.

Voice, "Sing, Smile, Slumber,"—Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard.

Gounod, "Fantasia in C Minor," by Mozart—Mrs. M. McNeely.

Piano, Fantasia in C Minor, by Mozart—Mrs. M. McNeely.

Voice, "O Thou Sublime Sweet Evening Star"—Mrs. James E. Bass.

A historic sketch of each number was given which added greatly to the interest of the program. A delightful salad course was served.

Y. W. A. MEETS MONDAY EVENING

Mrs. Jim McMurry, Misses Mildred Harrell and Willie Guinn were hostesses to the Y. W. A. on last Monday evening at the home of Mrs. McMurry.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. Bonnie Ray, Mrs. Jet R. Fore presided.

A very interesting program on "The Negro," was discussed by Mrs. Fore, Mrs. Vernon Williams and Miss Ora Lee Bray. Statistics gave some startling facts as to what the negro is doing and has done for himself.

After the program the hostess served lovely refreshments to the following members and Y. W. A. Counsellors: Mrs. Jet R. Fore, Mrs. Vernon Williams, Mrs. Hunter, Allie Huckaby, Eva Prater, Frankie Hamilton, Misses Mildred Harrell, Ora Lee Bray.

PATHFINDERS COUNCIL MEETS ON THURSDAY

Members of the Pathfinders Council met Thursday evening, February 28 for their regular monthly lesson on "Human Engineers," at the home of Mrs. H. B. Gilmore. The president opened the meeting and after a short business session, Mrs. H. B. Bennett conducted a very interesting miscellaneous roll call.

Mrs. E. G. Lofland had charge of the Psychology lesson, the following taking part in the discussion: Mrs. Frank Sockwell, Mrs. A. J. Joyce, Mrs. Earl Parker, Mrs. Floyd McElreath, Mrs. Paul Williams, Mrs. R. W. Mullis, Mrs. Scott Sigler, Mrs. John Bishop, Mrs. J. W. Slover, Mrs. Holt Bounds, Mrs. H. B. Bennett, Mrs. Ira Neeley, Dr. Pat Wiggins and H. B. Gilmore.

REBEKAH LODGE MEETS ON MONDAY EVENING

The Flora Rebekah Lodge No. 346 met in regular meeting Monday evening at the I. O. O. F. Hall, with Mrs. Ernie Gerlach, Noble Grand, presiding. The Rebekah degrees were conferred on Mrs. Ophelia Hodges. Talks for the good of the order were made by the new member and several visitors. Fourteen members of the Lakeview Rebekah Lodge were welcome visitors.

During the social hour a plate lunch was served to 25 members and 14 visitors. Those attending from Lakeview were: Mrs. A. S. Bevers, Mrs. Lee Gilreath, Mrs. F. J. Schillinger, Mrs. Lila Melton, Mrs. Lona Logan, Mrs. D. H. Davenport, Mrs. Dan Harmon, Mrs. Valmon Payne, Mrs. Lida Brown, Mrs. Jessie Thompson and Misses Lola Davenport, Myrtle Duren, Pansy Dawson and Vera Davis.

PARTY GIVEN FOR JUNIOR ENDEAVORERS

The Junior Intermediate Christian Endeavorers were entertained last Friday evening with a George Washington party at the home of Lucile Williams. Games were enjoyed and lovely refreshments were served.

AGED CITIZEN IS CLAIMED BY DEATH

O. Steenson, aged 75 years, died suddenly Monday, March 4, at his home 15 miles west of Memphis. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, the Rev. Edgar Owens, Baptist pastor of Lakeview conducting the services. Interment was in the Lakeview cemetery.

Mr. Steenson has been a resident of Hall county for 14 years and is survived by his wife and four children: Mrs. G. E. Srygler, Mrs. Etta McMurry and Ray Steenson of Memphis and Mrs. L. E. McMurry of Centerton, Arkansas.

DR. ROBINSON IS SPEAKER AT MEET

Lions Hear Address On Subject 'Quality Vs. Quantity.'

Memphis Lions heard one of the best inspirational talks delivered to the club since its organization at the regular weekly luncheon last Thursday. Dr. Ernest E. Robinson, pastor of the First Methodist Church, spoke briefly, but very thoroughly, on "Quality Vs. Quantity." The minister said, in part:

"We are afflicted with a tendency to emphasize bigness—a word that is overdone all over our country. But bigness is not always greatness.

Cause of Quality

"I champion the cause of quality. We have an interesting study before us—it carries with it art, beauty and culture. Quantity is in the raw; quality is in the finished state. I would ask you as members of the Lions Club and as citizens of Memphis to 'laf off' this quantity stuff and place more emphasis on quality.

"It is quality, not quantity, that brings with it all the finer things of life. Let us cultivate a disposition for quality in our speech, quality in our daily actions and quality in our contact with others.

The talk was interspersed with forceful illustrations of quality's victory over quantity.

The program, arranged by Lion J. M. Hunter, was closed with two vocal numbers by Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Martin.

FARMERS

The Co-op Gin will close down when there is no cotton left to gin. We stay steamed up night and day with our electric motors, and we are still paying about five dollars per bale more than we can sell the cotton for. Bring us the remainder of your crop and inspect our new gin which made you plenty of money during the past season.

Once you get the co-op habit you'll never quit it, provided you really believe that the farmer is entitled to prosper. Once a Co-op—always. We are going to build one or two more co-op gins in Memphis. If you are not already a stockholder you are invited to join our organization as we have decided to take in about seventy-five more worthy farmers and land owners who are capable of realizing the urgent need of co-operation for ginning and marketing their cotton.

Frank Phelan is in Houston this week attending the Coca Cola convention.

Style Show Held By

Dame Fashion's for spring 1929 on living models. Company Thursday, March 14, according to manager.

Mrs. Mary C. Stone's apartment will be showing. New hats and shoes in abundance. Manager says, "We are stage show," "in order that we may see how the fashion for Easter and spring appear on live models."

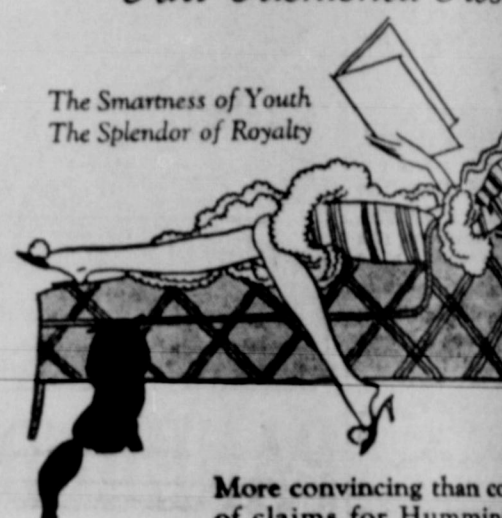
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John McGill of Memphis visitor.

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With long ties and dainty trimmings of silk rosebuds and soft embroidery.

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CHILDRESS FARMER IS KILLED

been tried in Childress during the January term of district court, a hung jury resulting.

No Gun Found

No gun was found on the body of deceased when it was searched by Childress officers. Two bullet wounds were found in the left breast, near the heart.

Six shells were found on the person of Roscoe Little when he was arrested by the officers, they stated. Two of them, they said, had been shot. The men were found several hours after the shooting. They attempted to "make a run for it," the officers said, but when the deputy sheriffs opened fire, they reconsidered and did not resist arrest further.

Monday, a third arrest in the Gossett killing was made. The last person arrested was Mrs. Hardy Brown, neighbor of the Gossetts, whose husband was shot to death about three months ago in the Gossett home.

Mistress—Did I see you kissing somebody in the garden this morning, Sarah—the milkman or the letter carrier?

Sarah, the Maid—Er-ah-was it about half-past seven, ma'am, or a quarter past eight?

Mistress—And when you leave I shall want plenty of warning.
Servant—It's my habit, ma'am merely to give a toot with my auto horn.

Moody Fails To Act On Petition Seeking Recall

The Hall County Ministerial Association recently forwarded to Governor Dan Moody a petition said to be signed by practically one-third of the qualified voters of this county, in which it was asked that James C. Mahan, district attorney, be recalled.

The ministers have received a letter from the Governor's secretary, P. H. Dougherty, which reads as follows: "Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of February 22, with enclosures.

Doubts His Power
"I am directed to advise that Governor Moody doubts that he has the power to comply with your request. He would be glad if you would submit anything on this point which you may have."

A spokesman for the ministers

stated that the pastors of the county had legal advice that it would be difficult for the Governor to do anything toward relieving the District Attorney's office of the present incumbent when the petition was circulated, but it was stated that the ministers undertook this work mainly to put the Christian citizenship of the county on record against the alleged conduct of the district attorney.

Mr. Henpeck—Are you the man who gave my wife a lot of impudence?

Mr. Scrapper—I reckon I am.
Mr. Henpeck—Shake! You're a hero.

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- 2 cups finely minced cold beef or veal
- 1 dozen raisins
- 1 small onion, chopped
- 2 hard-boiled eggs, sliced
- 1 green pepper, chopped
- 1/2 cup ripe or green olives, cut
- 1 1/2 cups brown gravy

Crisco pastry dough
Sauté chopped onion and pepper for a few minutes in Crisco. Mix with cold meat, raisins, eggs, olives and brown gravy. Place in Criscoed casserole and cover with rolled pastry. Bake in hot oven (450° F.) 20 minutes, or until pastry is nicely browned. This makes an appetizing dinner dish which will serve 4.

Brown gravy: Brown 2 tablespoons flour in 2 tablespoons Crisco and add 1 1/2 cups meat stock or milk.

Crisco pastry: Blend 1/2 cup Crisco with 1 cup flour sifted with 1/2 teaspoon salt and add 1/4 cup ice water slowly.



Honolulu Sauté

Even in romantic Hawaii, land of sunshine and flowers, housewives face the eternal problem of Left-Overs. And solve it, too, with Crisco. It's a nice thing to be familiar with a shortening like Crisco which keeps fresh and sweet in any climate and without the aid of an ice-box.

This is an economical recipe, and a good one, for using bits of "day before" food in the frying pan with Crisco. And Crisco frying is frying for Crisco itself is sweet and fresh to the taste just as it comes from the can.

- 1 1/2 cups cooked, left-over rice
- 1 small onion, chopped fine
- 1/2 cup chopped ham, left-over
- 3 tablespoons Crisco
- 3 eggs, beaten well
- salt and pepper

Sauté onion and rice with Crisco in hot skillet. When slightly brown season with salt and pepper and pour in beaten eggs (to which the ham has been added). Cook from 3 to 5 minutes or until the egg is done and serve on hot platter garnished with parsley. This is an excellent dish for luncheon and especially attractive for Sunday night suppers.



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Simplicity Croquettes

"She can make something out of nothing" (the test of a true housewife) can well be said of the woman who originated this recipe. Just cold mashed potatoes and left-over ham go into it. But when deep-fried in Crisco they become this real "company dish," croquettes, golden brown and crisp on the outside (thanks to Crisco) and well-cooked and well-flavored within. And when we stop to think about it, should any of us be willing to fry food in a fat that hasn't itself a sweet, fresh flavor? No—and that's one reason I use Crisco for frying—it tastes wonderfully sweet and fresh just as it comes from the can.

- 3 cups mashed potatoes
- 1/2 cup bread crumbs
- 1 1/2 cups minced left-over ham
- 1 egg slightly beaten
- 1 tablespoon water
- 1 tablespoon Crisco

Blend potatoes with Crisco, shape into balls, hollow out center, fill with ham and cover with potato. Make round by rolling in palms of hands. Roll in crumbs, dip in egg diluted with water, and roll in crumbs again. Fry in hot Crisco (365°-390° F.) or when a small piece of bread browns in 40 seconds. Drain on absorbent paper and serve hot either plain or with sauce poured around (never on) the balls. With the addition of a salad this is an adequate luncheon.

... Crisco was used in the Cooking School recently conducted by this paper

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When punctures come, as they will with any tire, you will find the Ford dealer particularly well-equipped to make repairs quickly and at small cost. See him, too, for replacements. Then you will be sure of getting tires built specially for the Ford car according to definite Ford specifications.

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FORD MOTOR COMPANY

RECITAL OF ROMANY GLEES AT HIGH SCHOOL FRIDAY NIGHT IS HAILED AS A MUSICAL TRIUMPH

Harmony Club Brings Superlative Attraction to City. Appreciated by All Lovers of Good Music.

Music lovers of Memphis, and those who would like to be, greeted Gilbert's Romany Glees in recital at the senior high school auditorium Friday evening last. Memphians were expecting a reputable performance and few were disappointed. The company was made up of five women and four men. As individuals, with one exception, they seemed to understand the technique of musical art and to glory in its interpretation.

The offering, sponsored by the Harmony Club, was, in no single respect, a lyceum number. Had it been, the pre-supposed artists would very likely have turned out to be the most mediocre of performers. Talent was in the cast, written into the songs, brought to the fore, surcharging listeners with something akin to the divine afflatus, than which there is nothing finer.

Program Fast-Moving
The program was fast-moving, alert. The stage setting of the first act was laid in a Gypsy camp. Enchanting costuming added color and zest to the interpretation of that particular kind of music that springs into existence around the campfire, that comes from out the darkness and mystery of night as clear cut and sparkling as a falling star.

Music, enchanting and touching the high keyboard of symphony attuned alike to the finite and infinite, rippled across the scene in soulful ecstasies of sound. The artists, and such they were, created anew the fire that is wasted along the trail, in the far places of the earth, in haunts where the primitive is encountered, under-

disappointment. He seemed unsure of himself. He watched the director a little too carefully for his own good. He failed to render his opportunity ben marcato, but then, he is young, and for a youngster, he was not half-way bad.

Style Vivacious
The contralto and mezzo-soprano accounted for their share of the applause which was generous throughout the program. In the intermission between acts, the pianist gave several numbers. Her style was vivacious but she seem-

ed nervous and lacking in bravura.

The costuming, songs and dances in the second act were reminiscent of that vague period indefinitely defined as post-colonial and pre-civil war. It was the "dandy" age in American life and the interpretations were in keeping with the spirit of the times. Songs of delicate shading came in for their share of attention and the stately dances of the period were given with a consummate grace and dexterity.

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This land is located on the Memphis-Wellington Highway, 14 miles from Wellington and runs to within six miles of Memphis.

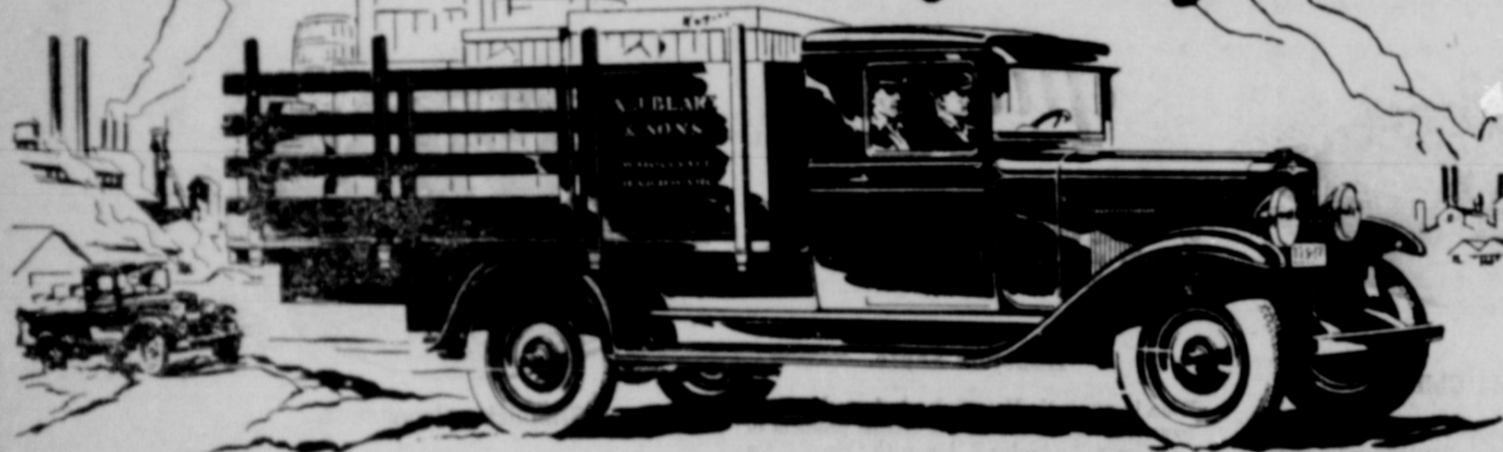
Some of this land is farming land and some is grazing land. It will be sold in half section or larger blocks. Each half section block contains enough tillable land to make good farm. Land located near Swearingen School.

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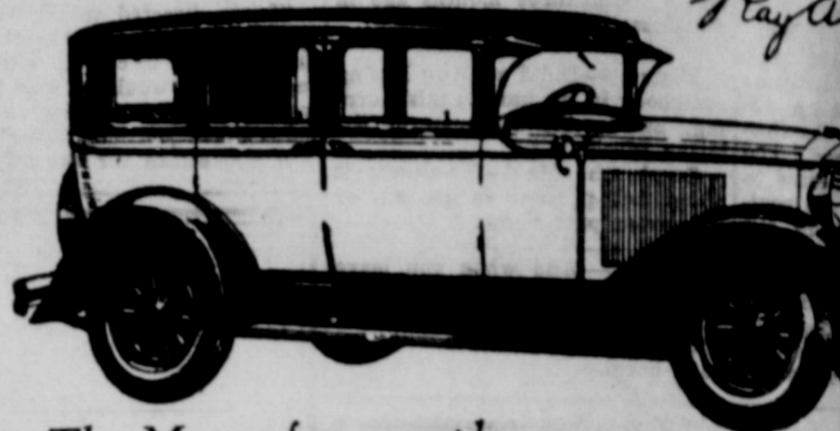
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West Texas Utility Company

Friday, March 8, 1929.

Texas Exes Enjoy Banquet-Dance Saturday Evening

Texas Exes from four state universities... The tables had been a way to form a large in until midnight. An or- fusion of flowers carried colors of Texas University and white. These further shown in the ations and in the pro- grams.

Garbage Disposal Move Is Started

Dr. J. A. Odom toastmaster. The under way with the popular school society the University of Memphis is starting a movement for garbage disposal. The civic committee of the society will make a canvass of the town soon to ascertain the number of people willing to pay a nominal charge of 25 cents monthly to have garbage hauled off once each week.

During the hot summer months, two trips weekly will be necessary and the charge for such a service will be 40 cents monthly. Mrs. C. W. Broome is chairman of the civic committee which is undertaking to bring about this important improvement. It is expected that the system of garbage removal will be in operation by April 1. The Federated Missionary Society is also planning a city beautiful campaign, details of which are yet to be worked out. Flower seeds will be given to interested people and other means to beautify Memphis' yards will be employed.

Half Of His Life Spent Suffering, Says Law Student

"Money couldn't buy the good the Sargon treatment did me. It overcame troubles I have suffered practically half my life. Ever since I was a boy I have been weak and nervous and frail. I was a constant sufferer from in-



MACK SPRINKLE

digestion and constipation and I was greatly underweight. Nervousness made my sleep fitful and broken and in the morning I was always tired and not fit for study. "I had to live on cereals, milk and soups and even that would disagree with me and my life was miserable with gas bloating and pains. Sometimes I would go days without any appetite and then, at times, I would be ravenous with hunger. Nothing I took did me any good. "I certainly wish I had been able to get the Sargon treatment

long ago because I am just like a new man now. I noticed an improvement the first week. Now, I eat three big meals a day. I've stopped that light diet and eat anything I want but it don't hurt me in the least. Nothing dis- agrees with me now and I am gaining strength every day. I sleep fine, get up in the morning feeling good and I've already gained six pounds and I have only taken two bottles of Sargon. "Sargon Soft Mass Pills are wonderful, too. My bowels be- came regular the first week after I began taking them and their ac- tion is so mild and natural that you are not sick or upset in the least."

The above statement was re- cently made by Mack Sprinkle, 827 East 8th street, Oklahoma City, a law student at the Capital City School of Law.

Sargon may be obtained in Memphis from Tarver Drug Co.; in Lakeview from Gosdin Drug Co.; in Turkey from C. H. Payne; and in Estelline from Copeland Drug Co.—Adv.

TAXI—Day 333 Nite 679M. tf

President Thanks Members of Harmony Club For Endeavors

Mrs. M. McNeely, president of the Harmony club, desires to take this method of thanking each member of the club who worked so faithfully to put over the Ro- many Gleees, and to thank espe- cially Mrs. Margaret Morgan, chair- man of finances and her commit- tee, also Mrs. Horace Tarver, publicity chairman.

The Harmony Club appreciates the splendid cooperation given by the music lovers of Memphis and can assure them another splendid attraction next year.

POSTAL RECEIPTS SHOW GAIN OVER LAST YEAR

Postal receipts in Memphis are showing a substantial increase as the months are rapidly ticked off in 1929. During the month of January, 1928, the postal receipts here amounted to \$1,421.68; postal receipts for the same month this year amounted to \$1,639.48, or an increase of \$217.80 over the same period last year.

Postal receipts for the month of February, 1929, amounted to \$1,908.46, or an increase over February of last year of \$79.63. Evidently, someone had some ad- vance information about the new federal building coming this way.

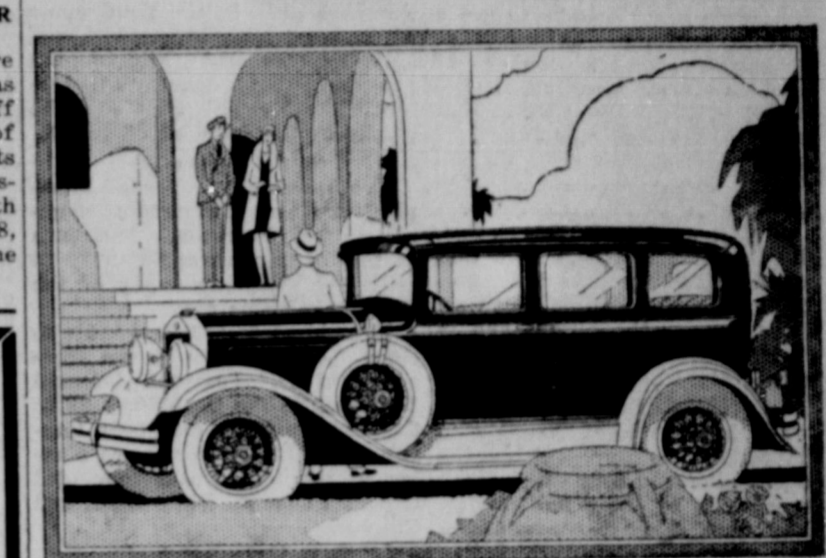
Send to Clark's for it. tfe

Rev. and Mrs. S. E. Templeton left Tuesday morning for Mineral Wells where Rev. Templeton will remain indefinitely for the bene- fit of his health. Earl Parker took them in his car.

Ed Kelly of Amarillo was a Memphis business visitor Tues- day.

Studebaker's DICTATOR

\$1265 4-Door Sedan at the factory



THE DICTATOR ROYAL SEDAN—Six wire wheels and trunk rack standard equipment, \$1395. Sedan with wood wheels—\$1265. Prices at the factory. Bumpers and spare tires extra.

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Drive to the nearest Mobiloil dealer . . . have him drain all the old oil from your crankcase and . . . fill it up with the correct grade of the New Mobiloil. You know from experience how your engine ran the last time fresh oil was put in the crankcase . . . Now—notice the difference!

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With the use of Goodrich Air Container Tubes, puncture troubles are reduced to the very lowest level. Ordinary rubber expands when it is punctured, but the Air Container's compressed rubber surface contracts. If you want to pass a pleasant spring and summer, free of trouble, we advise you to use this new Goodrich product.

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Overnight Sleeping Car Service

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Dresses

It would be difficult to say too much in praise of these delightful new Springtime Frocks. They are unusual bargains at—

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Spring Coats at Jones' are running the frocks a neck and neck race for the beauty prize. You must see them at these low prices—

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Well made Spring Hats of fine materials for the kiddies. Properly styled, and popularly priced at—

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There is a showing of fine Spring underthings we believe you will find unmatched in Memphis. Cheer and beautiful, their daintiness will delight you. You'll find step-ins, slips, campus sets, etc. in a wide range of prices.

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Lakeview-Eli Obtain High Line

SERVICE TO BE READY BY JUNE 1

Power Will Be Furnished From Sub-Station In Memphis.

Lakeview and Eli are to get a high line which will furnish these communities and a number of rural customers with full electric service of the same order as that received in Memphis by June 1 of this year, according to J. A. Brewer, local manager of the West Texas Utilities Company.

A little more than a week ago, Mr. Brewer let it be known that the high line would be built provided 70 customers in Lakeview signed up for the service and in the event that 16 rural customers were obtained.

Highly Successful
The idea appealed strongly to the people in the neighboring communities and they set to work immediately to obtain the service. They were highly successful in their endeavors and the high line is now certain.

Power will be furnished from the sub-station in Memphis. It is expected that 30 men will start work about April 15 on the new line and Mr. Brewer stated that his company desired to use the services of as many local men as possible. An aluminum wire wrapped with ten strands of No. 9 bare wire will carry the current. The high line will run from Memphis to Lakeview by way of Eli going along the west route.

Jones Is Sure

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Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Stringer moved Friday to the Bryant apartment house on West Main street where they will be at home to their friends.

Rev. and Mrs. Arthur W. Jones and daughter, Mrs. Couch, of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. B. Webster, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hughes, Mrs. J. A. Odom, Miss Willie Guinn and B. F. Shepherd went to Childress Monday evening to attend a Randolph College banquet, given by the First Christian church of Childress with visitors present from Clarendon, Wellington, Paducah and Vernon.

Mrs. A. D. McCrory is visiting her daughter, Mrs. G. N. Scroggs, at Wellington this week.

Mrs. A. R. Swan of Rotan is here this week visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. J. Joyce.

FORMER RESIDENT RETURNS TO CITY
L. Holt, who formerly operated the Holt Plumbing Company in Memphis, has returned to this city to again engage in the business. He has announced his intention to make Memphis his permanent home, stating he has been unable to "find a better town."

Mr. Holt is maintaining temporary headquarters at Gerlach's Garage.

Inez Crow Given Major Credit For Winning Tourney

BY ARCHER FULLINGIM

PANHANDLE, March 4. (Special)—Looping baskets with amazingly calm accuracy, Inez Crow forward, led the Memphis sextet to a triumphant victory over the Perryton girls in the final game of the most significant girls' basketball tournament held in the Panhandle-Plains country this season. The Memphis girls won the trophy by the score of 33 to 29.

Settle Supremacy
The tournament afforded Memphis, southern Panhandle champions, and Perryton, champions of this section an opportunity to settle the cage supremacy of the Panhandle-Plains area.

Memphis defeated Panhandle to enter the semi-finals by the score of 16 to 27. Perryton defeated Shamrock in the semi-finals 29 to 24. Panhandle barely beat Canyon 19 to 14. Other teams playing in the tournament included Groom, Plemmons, White Deer, and Clarendon.

Inez Crow Sensation
Miss Crow was the sensation of the tournament. She scored 117 points in three games, or more points than the combined scores of any one of the other teams. Miss Crow also was complimented by many for the fine sportsmanship she exhibited in the games. For example, as she started to throw a goal in one of the games, her opposing guard fell on the floor at her feet. Miss Crow waited until the girl arose before she shot the goal. Panhandle girls threatened Memphis' prospects in the final half of the semi-final game but Miss Crow struck her scoring stride in the last half and Memphis score almost doubled Panhandle's at the end of the game.

All Star Team
An all-star team was selected as follows: Forwards, Crow, Memphis; Eads, Perryton; centers, McQueen, Memphis; Roberts, Canyon; guards, Kilpatrick, Memphis; Massey, Perryton.

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United Charities—

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Agreement Reached
An agreement between the United Charities and the city and county was discussed at length and approved. This agreement sets forth what character of cases shall be helped by each, so that there will be no occasion for overlapping. It was also decided to try and obtain reductions from merchants in buying foods and materials for charity cases.

Reimburse Auto Camp
A motion was carried to reimburse an auto camp for lodging given the Bill Cupps family, while this case was being handled by the charity organization, a check of five dollars to cover this purpose.

People who are continually in the habit of asking for aid were pointed out and the investigating committee warned to be wary in giving funds and services to such cases.

The meeting adjourned to be convened again at the call of the president of the United Charities of Memphis.

METHODIST CIRCLE MEETS MONDAY

Circle No. 2 of the W. M. S. of the Methodist church met March 4, at the home of Mrs. H. W. Kuhn in voice program with 21 members present and with Mrs. E. S. Foote, leader.

Opening song, "Blessed Assurance."
Prayer—Mrs. Foote.

A very instructive and interesting devotional was conducted by Mrs. Ed Lofland, taken from St. John 4:1-26.

Mrs. N. A. Hightower, followed by Mrs. Floyd McElreath, Mrs. D. L. Johnson, Mrs. J. M. McKelvy, Mrs. J. W. Slover, Mrs. R. S. Greene and Mrs. C. Gerlach led a discussion on "Daughters," by Mrs. Norman E. Richardson. This study, taken from the daughter's view point of life proved very interesting and helpful.

Mrs. E. E. Robinson, Bible teacher, handed out the books, assigning the first chapter for next Monday's lesson.

The society adjourned to meet Monday, March 11 at the home of Mrs. F. N. Foxhall. All ladies north of Main street are invited to attend these meetings.

B. E. Rushing of Newlin was a business visitor here from Newlin Tuesday.

Mrs. O. N. Hamilton returned last Sunday from a visit with relatives in Dallas.

Gus Van Pelt, who has been at Abernathy during the ginning season arrived home first of the week.

Demonstration Is Given Of Conoco Ethyl Gasoline

A practical demonstration of Ethyl gasoline and its value to the life of a car was shown at the D & P Chevrolet Company throughout the day Wednesday by T. E. Ronan, special representative of the Ethyl Gasoline Corporation of 25 Broadway, New York City.

By the use of a specially designed engine, a large number of local people were given an insight into how Ethyl Conoco gasoline increases mileage, gives less vibration and longer life to cars. The local distributor for Conoco Ethyl Gasoline is Scott Sigler.

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Conoco Ethyl Gasoline costs only a few more cents per week than regular gasolines, yet it saves double its slight extra cost per gallon in overhauling bills. With Conoco Ethyl Gasoline, wear and tear caused by knocking are eliminated. Cooler operating temperatures, when you are using Conoco Ethyl, especially during long periods of fast, continuous driving, lessen the danger of an overheated motor. Ethyl gasoline helps to keep cars in service rather than in the repair shop, besides giving the owner the satisfaction of motoring without a knock.

T. I. P. CLUB MEETS WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

Misses Mildred Cohen, Mary Lee Simons and Lois Enid Moses were hostesses to the T. I. P. Club Wednesday afternoon, March 6 at the home of Mildred Cohen.

The following program was given:
Piano solo, "Remember Me,"—Alice Ruth McClaren.

Reading, "Chewing, Chewing Gum" and "You're too Young to Know,"—Clare Frances Lane.
Solo, "Happy Days and Lonely Nights,"—Mildred Phelan accompanied by Pauline Ross.

Duet, "Lullaby Moon,"—Mildred Phelan and Pauline Ross.
Lovely refreshments were served to Clare Frances Lane, Marie Barber, Pansy Swift, Dorothy Nell Jones, Frances Denny, Alice Ruth McClaren, Mildred Morrison, Edna Earle Hillyer, Jackie Rogers, Una Loard, Alice Baker, Lucy Hudgins, Eloise Cooper, Dorothy Evans, Ethel Ballew, Jo Ann Estes, Lois Clark, Mildred Phelan, Pauline Ross, Pauline Thomason.

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and Odessa Dennis.
The next meeting will be held at the home of Mildred Phelan, March 20.

D. W. McCollum attended a managers meeting of the C. E. Stone chain stores at Paducah Monday.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Our Sunday school will be conducted at the usual hour Sunday morning, followed by communion service, after which the audience will be invited to go to the First Presbyterian church to the Christian Endeavor convention.

Announcement as to the Sunday night services will be made at the Sunday morning service.
ARTHUR W. JONES, Minister.

SCOUTS, ATTENTION!

I will be in the office at Carnegie Library every afternoon except Saturday, in case anything in Scouting is needed.
MRS. I. E. JOLLY.

LAND OWNERS—TENANTS ATTENTION

You are partners in a business. If you fail to cooperate with each other, it is just a matter of time until your partnership is dissolved. A mutual understanding is absolutely necessary if best results are realized.

Cooperation of tenant and land owner produces one sound unit or link in a great cooperative chain, which guarantees to that unit, protection in the form of full market prices for its production, and in addition thereto, handsome dividends in cash, at the end of each business season.

This valuable chain, now composed of 200 strong units, is the Memphis Farmers' Cooperative

Society. It is generally by the Business men of that this organization has worth and has made for the county and land owners of the new Graham-Park motor car of exceptional value, some one or two feet longer than the regular Graham-Park. If you examine the new Graham-Park motor car, you will find evidence of extra sturdiness.

Many men pass up good investments because they fail to give it the proper thought. For example let us illustrate: Your farm produces one hundred bales of cotton each season, and both land owner and tenant have \$100 invested in a cooperative gin, and the gin will pay dividends of 20 per cent on invested capital and \$3 per bale additional for each bale ginned.

Tenant would receive 3-4 of 100 bales cotton x \$3 per bale, or	\$225
Tenant would receive 20 per cent on capital, or	20
Land owner would receive 1-4 of 100x\$3 per bale, or	75
Land owner would receive 20 per cent on capital, or	20
Total dividends.....	\$340

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FLOUR	EXTRA HIGH PATENT—48 LBS.	\$1.59
PEACHES	TABLE GRADE NO. 2 1/2	20c
BANANAS	EXTRA FANCY PER DOZEN	20c
SLICED BACON	POUND BOX	39c

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The only store in Memphis with this famous payment plan.

LEAGUE MEET TO START HERE MARCH 15

Medals And Cups To Be Presented Winners In Events

The Hall County meet of the University Interscholastic League will take place in Memphis on March 15 and 16, according to an announcement by H. J. Gore, who is in charge of the meet. Those competing in the various events will be the guests of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce. This organization is taking care of all expenses in connection with the affair. Medals will be given all first place winners in both the literary and field events. Pins of the same design as the medals will be given to second place winners.

The athletic events will include senior boys' track and field; junior boys' track and field; both senior and junior girls' track; boys' and girls' tennis, both singles and doubles; junior boys' basketball; girls' basketball; rural pentathlon; girls' volley ball.

Literary Events
Literary events include boys' and girls' debate; extemporaneous speaking; essay writing; the latter to be divided into three divisions, high school, rural and ward school; declamation, junior and senior boys and girls, rural and high school divisions; spelling, three divisions, sub-junior, junior and senior; music memory, arithmetic and Three R contest.

Members of League

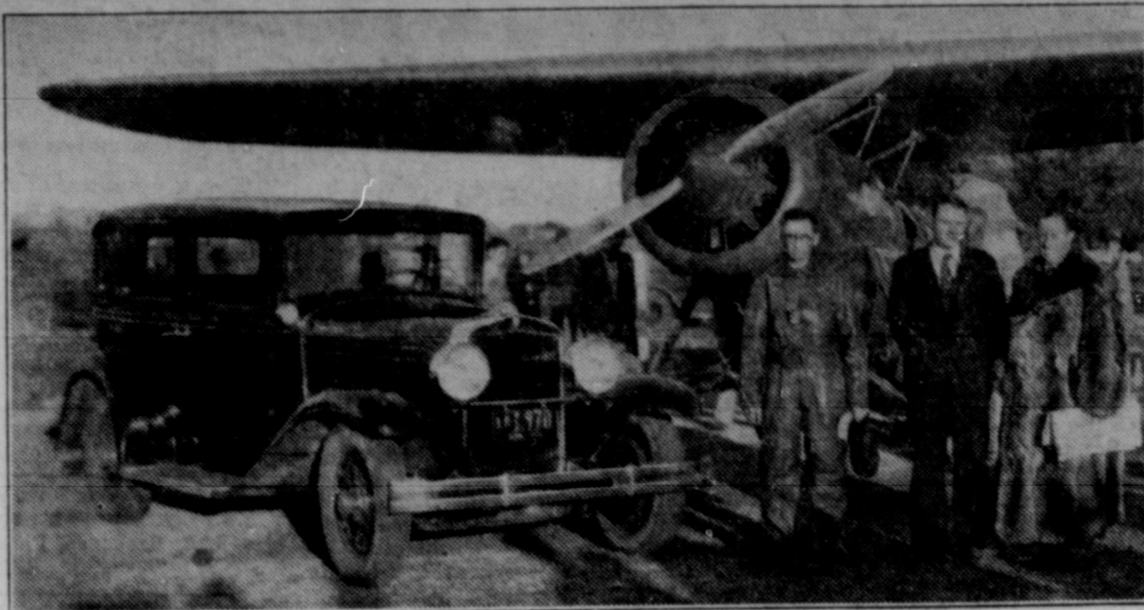
The following schools of Hall County are members of the league this year: Brice High School, Brice Grammar School, Bridle Bit School, Buffalo Flat, Deep Lake Grammar School, Deep Lake High School; Eli Grammar Grades, Eli High School; Estelline High School; Estelline Grammar School; Fairview School; Friendship School; Gammage High School; Gammage Grammar School; Hulver Ward School; Indian Creek School; Lakeview High School; Lakeview Grammar School; Leach School; Leslie School; Lodge Grammar School; Lodge High School; Memphis High School; Memphis Junior High; Newlin High School; Newlin Ward School; Parnell School; Pleasant Valley School; Salisbury School; Turkey Grammar School; Turkey High School; Weatherly School; Webster School, West Ward School at Memphis.

Cups Also Given

Mr. Gore stated that in addition to the medals, a number of cups will be given. Most of these, he said, are revolving cups, and as they have in a number of instances been won three times by the same school, it is necessary that new cups be given this year. He called particular attention to the fact that all medals and cups will be presented to the winner immediately after the various events are completed.

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Dodge Starts Fastest Flight On Time



Before Captain Frank Hawks set a new Coast-to-coast non-stop flight record of 18 hours, 21 minutes and 59 seconds, he left his favorite car a Dodge Brothers Senior Six, at the Los Angeles airport, and climbed into his plane. Captain Hawks is at the right, and his mechanic, Oscar Grubb, at the left. Mark Hanna, an old schoolmate of Hawks is in the center.

Memphis Students In Colleges Show Musical Ability

A number of Memphis boys now attending colleges and universities are demonstrating their prowess as musicians in school bands. Holmes McNeely and T. J. Dunbar are on the advisory board of the famous Longhorn band at the University of Texas. Only three members compose this band and it speaks well of the musical education these boys received in this city that they should

thus be signally honored.

Went to Washington

Colby Delaney, student at Simmons University, is playing trombone for the Simmon's Cowboy band and made the trip to the Hoover inauguration. While there, the members of the band were given an opportunity of meeting the new chief executive.

Paul James, Jr., is playing solo clarinet in the Longhorn band, holding first chair in this organization. He recently went with the band to San Antonio, where the organization played at the annual "Battle of Flowers."

L. C. Gober returned Monday from Savannah, Missouri, where he had been for treatment.

CHURCH NOTICES

Effective next week, all regular announcements of churches and church organizations must be in The Democrat office by six o'clock Tuesday afternoon, if they appear in the current issue of the paper. This deadline is necessary in order that proper attention may be given to such announcements.

First Year Book Of County Clubs Fine Achievement

Miss Ruby Adams, county home demonstration agent, reports that the activities of the various clubs of the county are increasing steadily and that adequate progress is being maintained. Ten womens clubs and five girls' clubs have been organized recently.

Publish Yearbook

Probably the most notable achievement of the clubs in recent months is the publication of their first yearbook. In less than three months, the club women had the copy ready for the printers and had raised \$300 to finance the publishing of the book. The book was made possible by advertisements secured from different firms and businesses over the county. Miss Adams stated that she was very proud of the year book as she considered it much better than many similar books published throughout the state.

Living Room Contest

The womens' clubs of the county are now sponsoring county-wide house dress and living room contests. The plans for these contests were worked out by the county council of home demonstration clubs. Two hundred women from all parts of the county are expected to take part. The living room contest is state-wide in its scope and is made possible by the cooperation of the

Dallas Semi-Week and the Extension A. & M. College of

G. B. Adkisson of A former resident of Hal was a business visitor h part of last week.

Get the new Graham-SCA motor car of exceptional value at the entire car price. You examine it and you will see the evidence of its sturdiness. 25c Spoon with each purchase of Coffee or CITY GROCERY J. E. ROPER

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CABBAGE PER POUND	3c	CORN NO. 2 CAN	11c



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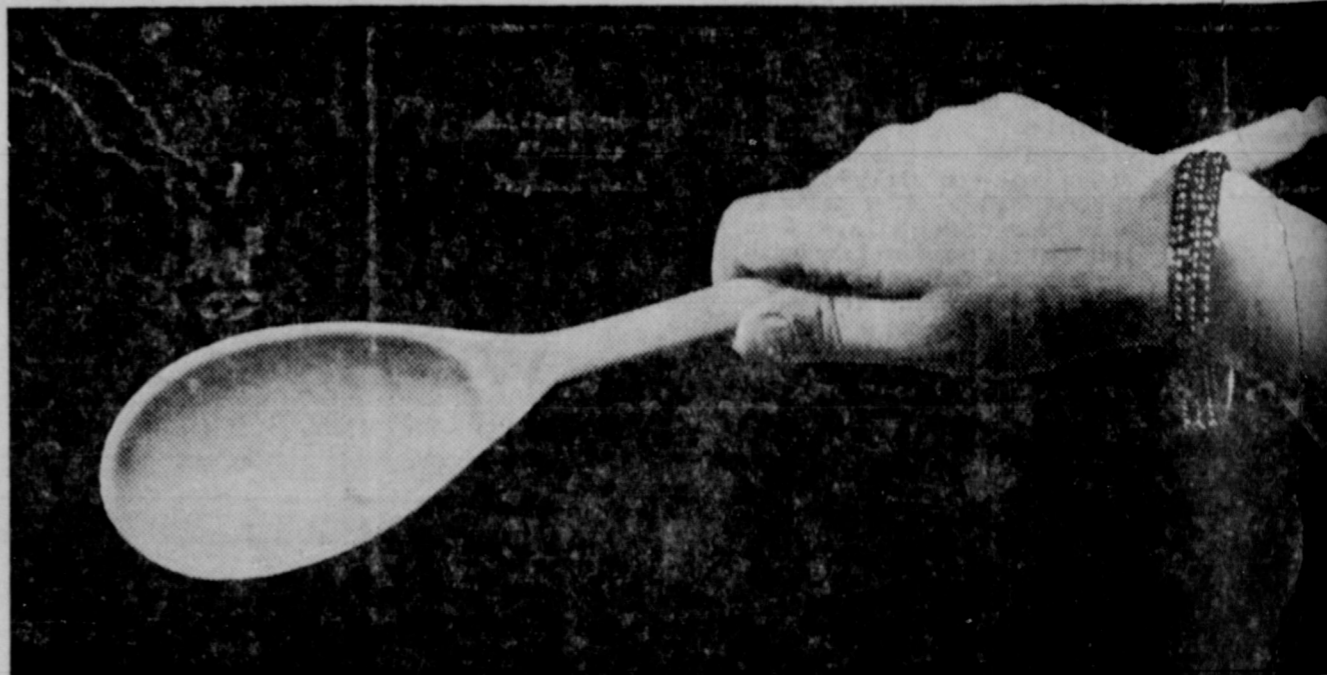
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A. Womack
Hogland Merc. Co.

City Grocery
Clarence Saunders
DeBerry's Grocery
B & M Grocery

Any one these stores will return your money instantly if you don't like the Coffee or Tea—(You keep both the Spoon and the Coffee or Tea).

Club To Put Another Relative Show

The successful performance of Gilbert's Romeo and Juliet, a Redpath attraction, attracted well a large and appreciative audience. The Harmony Club arrangements made with Mr. Gilbert for another presentation of the music-loving Memphis, probably in 1930.

Next year, which the club will sponsor, is the Reed Company. Of this group of Gilbert said: "Mr. Reed's company present a show which is a marvel of scenic and lighting effect. The program is rich and the company is led by beautiful and talented artists."

Watt and daughter, Miss of Giles, were visitors in Wellington Monday.

Local and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reed went to Fort Worth Saturday to take Mr. Reed's sister, Mrs. Miles, and niece, Miss Strong, home. They returned Tuesday.

Austin Carroll McDavitt left Saturday night for Auburn, Kentucky where he will visit his grand parents and father, from Marion, New York, for a week or ten days.

For adding machines, Standard and Portable typewriters, see Zeb Moore. 50-tfc

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Mrs. George Greenhaw and son Reginald and Miss Lena McLearn were visitors in Hollis Sunday.

Mrs. W. C. Dickey left Thursday for Dallas, where she joined the Texas delegation who went to Washington to attend the inauguration of President Hoover. She will also visit relatives in Mississippi before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hill moved to Parnell latter part of last week to make their home. Mr. Hill will be manager of the W. C. Crawford grocery store recently opened up there.



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And a quick starting, smooth-running, clean motor at all times. There's a thrill in having a steady flow of power at your command and ready to respond whenever you want it. You'll have efficient motoring if you fill up at this station regularly.

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Noel & 4th E. V. Hawkins

Mrs. W. S. Moore and son Walter returned home Monday from a visit with relatives in Dallas and Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cross visited their son, Dr. D. D. Cross, in Lubbock from Sunday to Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. White and sons, Jimmie and Jack of Eldorado, Oklahoma, visited Mrs. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Castle, Sunday and Monday.

Alfred Jameson of Canyon visited friends here Saturday and Sunday.

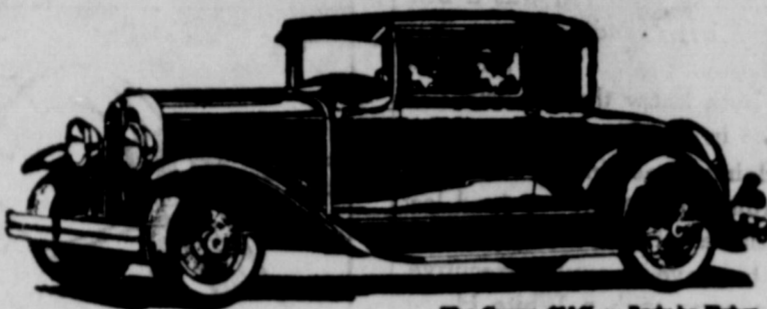
Mrs. A. Baldwin returned Thursday evening from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Walker, at Teneha.

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FOURS SIXES

January and February sales more than double those for same two months of 1928

NEW "FINGER-TIP CONTROL"



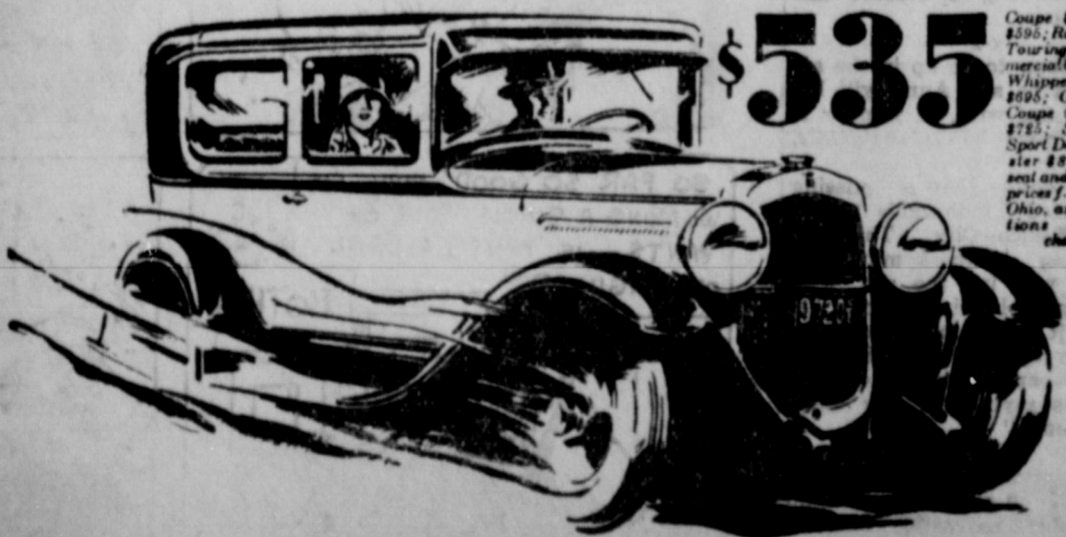
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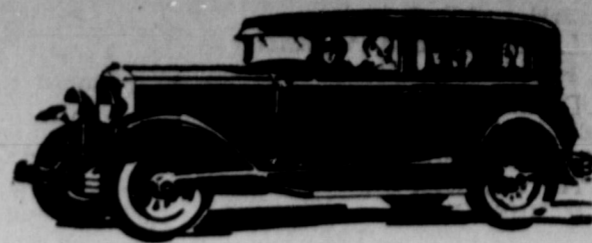
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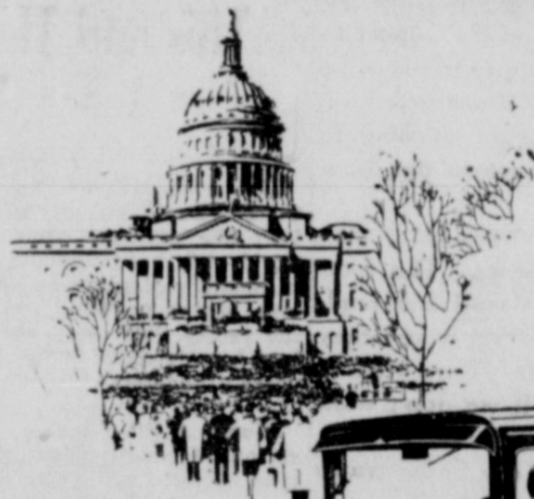
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THE DEMOCRAT'S PROGRAM FOR 1929.

(Check Mark Indicates Project Has Been Realized)

1. A municipal auditorium.
2. More dairy cows for Hall County.
3. Modern creamery plant.
- X 4. Paved highway across Hall County.
5. An adequate public library.
6. More paved streets.
7. Better police and fire protection in business and residential districts.

A STADIUM FOR MEMPHIS

SOME discussion has been going on in Memphis for some time as to the advisability of a stadium, wherein to hold all athletic events originating in the local high school. But despite this discussion, no definite action has been taken and nothing tangible, insofar as is known, has been agreed upon. Talking over a matter is a fine thing, but it takes more than words to put a worthy proposition over.

The need exists in Memphis for such a stadium. It has existed for a long time; it will continue to exist just so long as nothing is done to build one here. If as many as ten citizens would get together—men interested in athletics and at the same time interested in seeing that the members of the various teams at the high school get a square deal, not only by cheers on the sidelines, but by the expenditure of the money necessary to make a stadium possible, this project can be brought to completion before the football season gets under way in the fall of the year.

The one stock question in a case of this kind is where is the money coming from. If this question was raised in Estelline, it found a number of people who were ready to make answer in terms of dollars and cents. The citizens of Estelline built a splendid gymnasium in which to show their appreciation for the remarkable ability displayed by the basketball teams of the Estelline High School. The local high school gymnasium is not up to standard and that is the reason the district basketball games were transferred to Estelline recently.

Since the locals have a gymnasium, however, it seems that a stadium is the real thing that is necessary at this time. Estelline went in for football in earnest this past year and the coming season, this school expects to have a team in the championship class. The people of our neighboring town are going to construct a football stadium, ample in every respect to meet the needs of future gridiron battles. The gridiron is to be sodded in Bermuda grass. Seats are to be constructed on either side of the field and in general, Estelline is going to show the world that they back their athletic teams one hundred per cent.

If Estelline can put over an undertaking of this kind, then it stands to reason that Memphis can do likewise. The football teams here are tired of wallowing in the sand and mud. They want a real field. They have a right to get it and they will, if Memphians will lend a helping hand. If we want a stadium here badly enough, it can be had. If we don't want it, lets quit talking about it. Suppose we put our money where our mouths are and at least do as much for our home teams as Estelline is doing for the teams representing that town.

THE FEDERAL BUILDING

REJOICING was general when The Democrat made the announcement last week that a postoffice was in prospect for this city to cost \$65,000. Memphis has wanted a Federal building for so long a time that this paper and the local chamber of commerce even forgot it, momentarily, in outlining objectives for the year 1929. Now that the building has been promised and the money has been appropriated with which to build it, speculation is becoming rife as to when actual construction will start.

One man has bet another man a good hat that the local building will be ready for occupancy in the fall of the year. We hope that it will be but, of course, we do not know. Hundreds of other cities are wanting the same thing and Memphis will have to wait in line along with other towns.

Since the building is a certainty, it is just up to us to wait with as good a grace as is possible for Uncle Sam to begin work. Right now the bone of contention seems to hinge about what organization or what individual or individuals were responsible for getting the building for Memphis. The local chamber of commerce has been working on the project for five or six years and possibly longer. Congressman Jones promised that such a building would be erected here; Senator Mayfield, or ex-senator, as he now is, promised the same thing. Various business men have worked in the interests of a Federal building for Memphis.

The way we see the matter, thanks are due to all who have in any way done anything to bring such a building here. No selfishness should arise at this time as to where the bulk of the credit belongs. We are infinitely more concerned that we are to get a new postoffice than we are interested in all the steps that were taken to bring this about.

Some people seem to doubt whether the building will be constructed this year. We have no authority to announce any date for building operations to begin, but we do have authority to say that the postoffice is a certainty. The money has

already been appropriated. Some of our neighboring towns have not fared so well. The recommendation for a new post-office at Childress and Quanah has been made to Congress, but no amount has been voted with which to construct buildings at these places. It stands to reason, then, that we will get our postoffice before one is built at Childress or Quanah, if the necessary appropriations for these cities are actually passed.

Memphis has been ready for a new postoffice since the site was purchased. It will expedite the handling of the mails; it will be a monument to progress and endeavor and will add materially to the city's looks.

A NEW PRESIDENT

SINCE the last issue of The Democrat appeared, Herbert Hoover has taken the seat made vacant by Calvin Coolidge and from this time on for at least four years, it will be President Hoover, if you please. Despite the fact that Hoover is a Quaker and seems to desire the utmost of simplicity in all things appertaining to his person, his inauguration was a brilliant and colorful affair. You have been reading about it in the daily newspapers for several days past. You know as much about it as we do, and we both know that an event of transcending importance took place in Washington.

Mr. Hoover has the chance of doing something in a big way for all sections of the country. From the vote he received last November, he is popular with all classes of people. It is up to him to make good. It is up to him to prove a popular executive. If possible, Mr. Hoover should do away with a White House spokesman. He should be open and above board and address any communication he may care to make directly to the American people, without resorting to third person methods.

Already a good deal of talk has been going the rounds as to what Mr. Hoover is going to do for the South. Well, if he does anything worthy of mention, it will be the first time that a Republican President has seen fit to pay any attention to those states south of the mythical Mason and Dixon line. Good Hoovercrats are already making statements to the effect that Herbert used his influence in getting the federal building for Memphis. Now, that is just a lot of bologna. If Hoover has ever heard of Memphis, he probably thinks of the Tennessee city, wherein he maintained headquarters during the recent Mississippi flood. Hoover had nothing whatever to do with seeing that Memphis got a postoffice and it is safe to rest on that statement without any additional evidence.

Since Mr. Hoover is President, there is nothing for us to do but fall in line and make the best of his administration. He may prove to be a great executive. We hope that he does. We wish him all the luck in the world for he has a big job and a big responsibility. May he wear his laurels nobly and well!

Since Mr. Hoover is a Quaker, we are looking forward to an amicable administration, free from graft and corruption that have soiled the white linen of several previous administrations. If he succeeds in disposing of Andrew Mellon, and watches his other cabinet officers so that they will not be bribe hungry, Hoover may eventually have a prominent page in the historical records of the future. And then, of course, he may not.

This and That

By L. E. R.

The conductor of the column, On The Level, recently said "love isn't the greatest thing in the world—it's understanding." What is understanding but love? When love begins to wane, what does the pretty little wife always tell her boy friend? "My husband doesn't understand me!"

Here's a little take-off on the cotton farmer you've probably read before. It's pretty good, regardless of whether you've seen it before or not. R. D. Stuart, local manager of the Texas Water Utilities Company, received it recently in a letter from the company's Fort Worth office.

"The average Texas farmer gets up to the alarm of a Connecticut clock, buttons his Chicago suspenders to Detroit overalls, washes his face with Cincinnati soap, sits down to a Grand Rapids table, eats Chicago meat and Minneapolis flour cooked on a Sears-Roebuck stove. He goes out to the barn and puts a New York Bridle on a Missouri mule fed with Colorado alfalfa, plows the farm covered with a Vermont mortgage with an Illinois plow. When bedtime comes, he reads a chapter from the Bible printed in Jerusalem, crawls under a blanket made in New Jersey, only to be awakened by a Texas dog, the only home product on the place. And then he wonders why he cannot make money raising cotton."

To get back to this marriage business, about which considerable has been said in this column, one prominent local preacher says he will make no charge whatever to marry me or Paul Vinson. "In both instances, the unfortunate girl should be tipped," he said.

Last Saturday in Memphis looked like an old-fashioned first Monday. Local automobile dealers certainly know how to get a crowd in town. Merchants waited on people they'd never seen in their stores before. How many second hand automobiles were disposed of I don't know, but I do believe the auto dealers, and every one else in town for that matter,

were really benefitted. It proved to me that Memphis auto dealers are capable of "getting their heads together." Cooperation won't hurt any group of competitors. One notable accomplishment of the event was the tramping down of hundreds of weeds that have graced the federal lot so long.

In discussing the inauguration of President Hoover, one newspaper says the meanest Democrat has been found. He is the man who refused to make another payment on his Hoover sweeper following the election last November.

Incidentally, we suppose the meanest Republican is the fellow who said he'd cough his head off before he'd buy any more Smith Bros. cough drops.

"You never can tell," said the Chicago gangster as he shot down another stool pigeon.

If no one else will do anything it seems to me the Illinois game wardens would look into Chicago's year around open hunting season.

As long as there's a Chicago, Mr. DuPont need not worry about peace decreasing the demand for his fireworks.

But there's an advantage in having a reputation like the windy city's. Despondent people are going to Chicago to end it all, just as those wishing a divorce migrate to Reno.

Lindy seems to be up in the air as to when he and Anne will become man and wife. I wonder if the wedding will be a plane affair.

I still doubt that a missing wheel caused Lindbergh's recent spill at Mexico City. This one arm driving business may not work so well in the air. I've heard of girls landing fellows before, but it took Anne Morrow to turn Lindy upside down. Strange some newspaper didn't quote the air ace as saying, "I faw down and go boom."

It's a rare thing when W. R. C. and I agree on anything, but I do endorse his sarcastic remarks about the city's alleys. It's like taking a bath without washing your feet to keep the main thoroughfares in perfect trim and ignore the alleys.

And I'm not necessarily blaming

The New Farm Hand Ready To Take Hold!



the city council for this condition. I believe the firms whose businesses lead to the alleys can clean up around their own back doors. The mayor and his councilmen have my sympathy for their's is a "thank you" job, open to criticism nevertheless. I doubt if there's a one of them who wouldn't gladly resign in anyone's favor. They're not politicians—they're patriots. I wouldn't trade shoes with them at all.

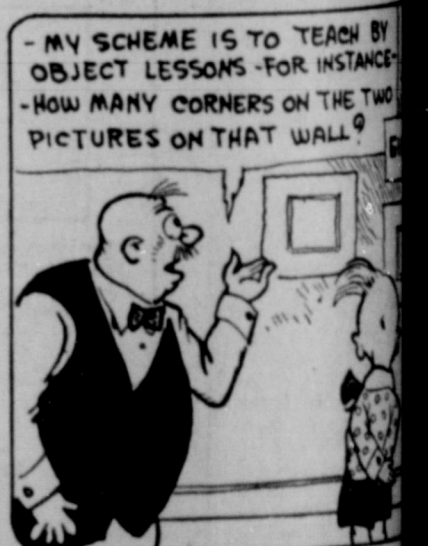
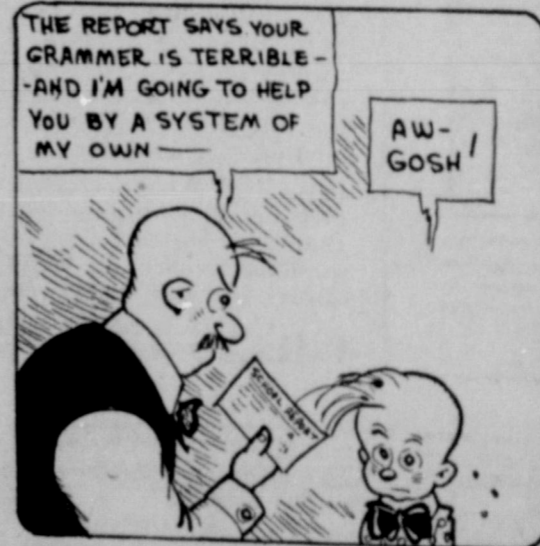
Here's the height of something or other. As I stepped in a drug store just now a man asked for the Police Gazette. One of the clerks informed him that the stock had been exhausted. Whereupon he looked the magazine stock over and finally selected a Literary Digest. I'm still wondering if he really knew what he was buying.

Panhandle Press Paragraphs

Laws and public sentiment keep our country's flag free from advertisements. Why not also keep advertisements away from the great outdoors over which the flag waves?—Claude News.

The day is rapidly approaching when the Young county citizen will have the opportunity to sit back in his automobile and dream pipe dreams and build aircrafts.

Tobey and Tike



Lakeview Holds C. Of C. Banquet

MEMPHIANS ARE PRESENT AT DINNER

Kinard, Brewer, Hoffman and Sager Make Addresses

A representative group of Memphis citizens, representing the local chamber of commerce, went to Lakeview Wednesday night to attend the banquet of the Lakeview Chamber of Commerce.

F. A. Loyd was the toastmaster on this occasion and Rev. J. I. Kelley delivered the invocation. The first talk was made by W. W. Williamson who told the things the Lakeview Chamber of Commerce had undertaken to do, among them being the high line, gas line, incorporation and highways. "There are two classes of passengers in the chamber of commerce train," he said, "a class that pushes in a tight; the other class just rides."

Enjoyable Music
Enjoyable music was rendered by Inez Gosdin and Girtrude Dunn, which was followed by a toast to the ladies by Del E. Wells. This was responded to by Mrs. Clarence Gosdin, "To the Men."

D. L. C. Kinard, president of the Memphis chamber of commerce discussed chamber of commerce work and its relation to the development of the community, the farmer and the business man.

A piano solo was given by Gertrude Rasco, and J. W. Mitchell gave a toast to B. Webster and Happy Boren.

Commerce Body Praised
W. V. Thomason, superintendent of the Lakeview school, praised the chamber of commerce for its cooperation and material aid in many ways to the school, in school athletics and other school efforts.

An opportunity was given for the ladies to get back at the men. Several availed themselves of the opportunity and told some of their faults. The following spoke: Mrs. Del Wells, Mrs. W. W. Williamson, Mrs. Tom Isom, Mrs. C. T. Jarvis, Mrs. B. Webster, Mrs. Happy Boren and Mrs. Clarence Gosdin.

J. A. Brewer told the people to look for the high line and electric lights by July 1.

Good Roads Discussed
Judge A. C. Hoffman discussed good roads and gave one example that certainly appealed. He said that 4,000 automobiles in the county will average around 3,000 miles in a year over the rough roads of this county. Experts claim that 21-2 cents per mile is saved in travelling over good roads. This would save \$300,000 a year in Hall county, if there were 60 to 75 miles of good roads.

George A. Sager, secretary of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce, discussed chamber of commerce work and how Lakeview will profit from her gas, high line, incorporation and similar things, if proper cooperation is maintained.

A delightful banquet menu was served by the Home Economics class of the Lakeview High School, supervised by the instructor, Miss Fuller.

Fight Card On At Legion Hall Good

A card of good fighters will be presented at the Legion Hall Friday night at 8:15 o'clock under the auspices of the local post of the American Legion. Legionnaires are expected to be present from the recently organized post at Turkey and from posts throughout this section of the state. Memphians are extended a cordial invitation to attend. The admission price is \$1 and ladies will be admitted free.

Two Knockouts Recorded
Two knockouts were recorded in the last fight. Jackie King knocked out Dynamite Dan of Childress in the fifth round of a scheduled eight round fight. He will be matched Friday night against Soldier Copeland in a ten round battle. Copeland is well known as a fighter having won the decision from Kid Poncho in the Hawaiian Islands.

Six Round Go
A six round go will be staged between Kid Murdock of Childress and Donald Copeland of Fort Worth, and a special four round fight between Shorty Oger-

ly of Memphis and Wilbur White of Childress.

Plenty of good preliminaries have been arranged, which will include a battle royal between five negroes. Teddy Waters, well known wrestler, will referee the matches.

Routine Business Was Disposed Of At Council Meet

Routine matters were disposed of at a rather uninteresting meeting of the City Council Tuesday night.

Chief of Police Bill Huddleston was instructed to appoint a new night policeman to take the place of Nightwatchman Lindsey, who is resigning March 15. Frank Osborne was named as city election judge in Ward 2 to serve in place of J. W. Webster, who declined to act.

Hollis Boren is having his home at 321 South Seventh street remodeled, tearing the small room on the west away and will make a brick veneer out of the frame structure which will make it one of the most comfortable homes in Memphis.

Hurd Company Is Booked By Palace

The Hazel Hurd players, a stock company of ten people, who open at the Palace Theatre next Monday night for a week's engagement, promises to be one of the best companies ever to play this territory. This popular company recently completed a sixteen weeks circuit stock engagement in central Oklahoma.

Good Entertainment
Press reports from towns on the company's circuit proclaim it the best entertainment of the season. The company carries all its own special scenery, an acting cast of 10 people and a five-piece modern jazz orchestra of merit. High class royalty plays are used exclusively.

Opening Monday night with Charles F. Harrison's latest comedy success, "The Push," the Hurd Players promise to convince showgoers of Memphis that they have real talent and dramatic ability.

Miss Radie Moreman, who is attending W. T. S. T. C. spent last week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moreman.

HOLT BACK AGAIN

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W. H. Moreman returned Sunday from a business trip to Paris, Texas.

PALACE PROGRAM

Friday
Gary Cooper and Nancy Carroll in "THE SHOP WORN ANGEL" Comedy: "All for Geraldine" Fox News

SATURDAY
William Boyd in "TWO ARABIAN KNIGHTS" Comedy: "No Children" Serial: "Tarzan the Mighty" Paramount News.

MONDAY-TUESDAY
Billie Dove in "THE NIGHT WATCH" Comedy: "Foot Loose Women" Paramount News.

WEDNESDAY
"ROMANCE OF THE UNDERWORLD" Comedy: "Stage Fright" Paramount News.

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY
John Barrymore in "TEMPEST" Comedy: "Morning Came" Fox News

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Gem Theatre

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Today

Sally O'Neil in "THE FLOATING COLLEGE" Comedy: "Chasing Husbands" M-G-M News

Burt Southern's Musical Revue

SATURDAY

Leo Maloney in "YELLOW CONTRABAND" Serial: "Sweet" Burt Southern's

MONDAY-TUESDAY

Leatrice Joy and Joseph Schenk in "THE BLUE DANUBE" Aesop's Fable M-G-M Oddity

WEDNESDAY

Rin-Tin-Tin in "RINTY OF THE DESERT" Serial: "Terrible People" Comedy: "Bumping Along"

THURSDAY-FRIDAY

Buster Keaton and Marcelline Day in "THE CAMERAMAN" M-G-M News Comedy: "We Faw Down"

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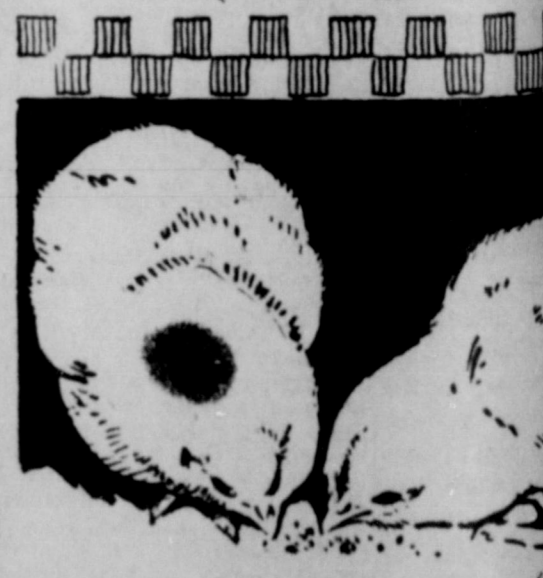
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