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2 C. OF C. BOARD OF DIRECTORS—is pictured above. Standing left to right are Ayers, John Fowler, Allen Dunbar, Wendell Harrison, Heydon Hensley, Ace Gailey, J. Howell and Herschel Combs. Seated are E. A. Smith, M. C. Allen, J. W. Coppedge, Clifford Farmer and Tomie M. Potts. (Photo by Orr)

J. W. Coppedge Elected President of C for 1952

J. W. Coppedge was elected president of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce and Hall County Board of Development at a called meeting of the new board of directors last Friday afternoon.

Coppedge succeeds Wendell Harrison and will be installed with other Chamber of Commerce officers at the annual banquet, which will be held Thursday evening, February 7.

Coppedge has served as vice president of the county wide organization this past year.

At the Friday meeting M. C. Allen was named vice president for 1952 and E. A. "Pete" Smith was named secretary. The board retained Clifford Farmer as manager for 1952.

New directors of the Chamber of Commerce were announced in last week's Democrat and included Coppedge, Allen, Tomie M. Potts, and Heydon Hensley elected to three year terms; H. J. Howell, Herschel Combs, Ace Gailey and Allen Dunbar to two year terms; and Wendell Harrison, John Fowler, Bob Ayers and Pete Smith to one year terms.

President Coppedge stated that he would name his committee members immediately following the annual banquet February 7th.



J. W. COPPEDGE

Police Warn Boys Against BB Guns In City Limits

Police Chief T. D. Weatherby this week issued a warning to all boys with air rifles or BB guns that it is against the law to shoot these guns inside the city limits. Several reports of broken windows and street lights have been turned in and Weatherby said police will confiscate all guns they find being shot inside the city.

March of Dimes Drive Still Shy Of County Quota

County Chairman R. C. Lemons reported this week that the March of Dimes campaign here in Hall County was lagging behind in contributions compared with previous years.

"The county has a quota of \$5,000 and we are a long way from that at the present," Lemons said.

"Right now our contributions do not amount to as much as the \$2,700 that we collected last year," Lemons continued.

All persons are asked to contribute as much as possible. If checks are mailed, make them payable to the Hall County March of Dimes, and mail to Memphis. (Continued on Page 8)

Poll Tax Drive Here Underway

One of the first acts of the new Chamber of Commerce President, J. W. Coppedge was to appoint several CC members on a Poll Tax committee and launch a poll tax drive here in Memphis and Hall County.

M. C. Allen was named chairman and other committeemen include E. A. "Pete" Smith, Coppedge, Bob Ayers and Clifford Farmer.

Arrangements were made to contact all social and fellowship clubs in the city and county and other organized groups to solicit their help in trying to get everyone to pay their poll tax.

Several members volunteered to contact men in other county communities and ask their help in promoting the poll tax drive. Poll tax pads were left at Turkey, Estelline, Lakeview, Parnell, Lesley, Brice and other places for convenience of citizens. Persons may fill out these slips and mail them to the County Tax Collector at Memphis.

Chairman Allen pointed out that none of the Chamber of Commerce members care how a person votes or who they vote for, just be sure to pay your poll tax so that you can vote.

This week Tax Collector Coppedge reported that about 90 percent of the people who have paid their 1952 taxes have bought poll tax, but the actual number of poll tax receipts sold in the county so far this year are between 1600 and 1700. This is only about half of the qualified voters in the county, Coppedge added.

Chamber of Commerce directors have placed poll tax pads in both the First National and First State Banks, all the drug stores, The Democrat office and various other places to make it easier for persons to pay their poll tax.

Also in this issue of The Democrat you will find an ad that you may fill out and mail to the Tax Collector with your \$1.75 and he will mail your receipt to you.

Chairman Allen reminded all eligible voters that this year will probably bring more political races and fights to the voters than any other election year and reminded all citizens to be sure and get their poll tax receipt before the deadline, January 31.

County To Get New Crop



DR. O. R. GOODALL



ED MONZINGO

Goodall and Monzingo New Bank Directors

Dr. O. R. Goodall and Ed Monzingo were named directors of the First State Bank in Memphis this week.

The announcement was made by Jas. F. Smith, president, who stated that this action was taken several days ago by stockholders of the bank at their annual meeting.

Both Dr. Goodall and Monzingo are long-time residents of Memphis and Hall County.

Monzingo moved to Hall County with his family in 1910 and was reared here. He has been (Continued on Page 8)



OFFICER—E. A. Smith, Jr., was promoted to vice president of First State Bank. Announcement was made last week by directors of the bank.

Boy Scouts Plan Overnight Camp Trip Fri. Night

Boy Scouts of Troop 35 will meet at the Scout Hall Friday afternoon at 5 p. m. where they will assemble to leave on an overnight camping trip.

Each boy should bring his camping equipment and bed gear. Scoutmaster Ted Myers said the boys would camp out Southwest of Memphis about eight miles.

About 25 Scouts are now planning this overnight bivouac. If any more Scouts are planning to go please be there at 5 p. m. Myers said.

Lakeview To Hold School Bond Election Feb. 2 for New Building

A school bond election has been scheduled for February 2, a week from Saturday, at the grade school auditorium in Lakeview for property holders in the Lakeview Independent School district.

The third proposition is whether or not the board of trustees of the school district be authorized to issue the bonds of the said district to the amount of \$150,000.

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No Inspection Needed For '52 License Plates

A recent announcement from the Texas Department of Public Safety, stated that the period for securing initial motor vehicle inspections in Texas has been officially extended until midnight, September 6, 1952.

County Tax Assessor-Collector J. W. Coppedge said that under these instructions automobile and truck owners would not need an inspection to renew their 1952 licenses.

Present plans call for the vehicle inspections to go ahead, and inspections of all vehicles will be required at a later date.

Additional information concerning this inspection will be announced later.

CASTOR BEANS TO BE PLANTED HERE THIS YEAR

Plans are now underway to introduce a new crop to farmers of Hall County, according to Production Administrator Lynn McKown and County Agent W. B. Hooser.

Through agreements with the Baker Castor Oil Company, the farmers of Hall County are being offered contracts to plant castor beans commercially for the first time.

Castor beans are not expected to replace King Cotton in the county, but many farmers are showing an interest in planting castor beans as a supplementary money crop on an experimental basis.

The beans are adapted to the sandier soil and compete well with Johnson grass. To date, 25 farmers have expressed their intention to plant about 1,156 acres here in 1952.

McKown pointed out that castor bean oil is needed in the national defense effort and due to this demand, the Government is supporting the price for 1952 at not less than 10c per pound, clean, out of hull basis. Planting seed will sell for about 15c per pound and 8 pounds per acre are recommended. Average yield in similar areas has been around 500 pounds per acre.

Listing of castor bean acreage will be accepted through February 1st at the PMA office. Any farmer interested in trying castor beans should contact the office before February 1st, McKown added.

CLAUDE'S COMMENTS

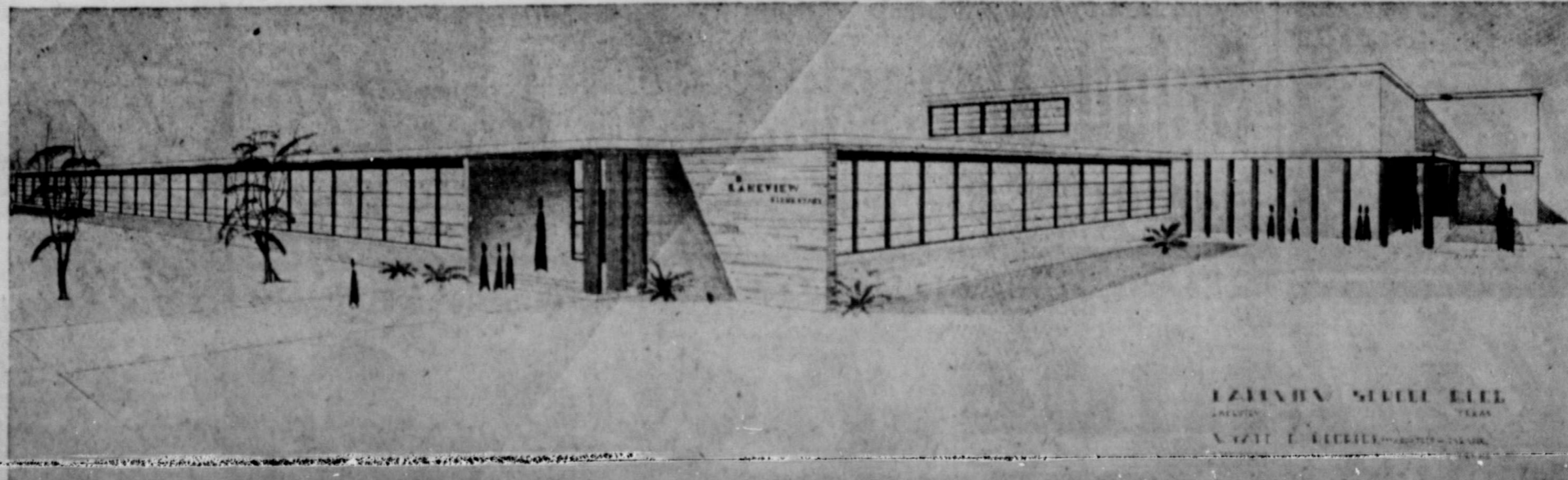
By J. C. W.

President Truman, in his economic report to Congress, says that, due to defense program, spending must increase and the government must go deeper into the red. This being national election year, Congress will likely try to hold down the appropriation asked by Truman for this year's budget, and well that great body might take time out to look at the whole card. Citizens, that is the John Q. Publics, have just tasted the higher taxes forced on them by the President and Congress the past year. It has been claimed by competent authorities that 25 per cent of income is all the country can stand and keep from going financially bankrupt. Yet, HST wants several billions more appropriation for this year, which, if granted, will cause the taxpayers to dig deeper than the safe 25 per cent.

What forced the country into such a muddled state—anyway? Wasn't it the "police action" in Korea? Why is our war department just fooling along over there? Isn't it just to keep inflation going so the people will think times are good and keep the present administration in office? I do not know the answers, but to a country boy way out here in the forks of the two dry creeks—Prairie Dog Fork and North Fork of Red River—it looks like the powers-that-be are taking us all to a right good cleaning.

If such expenditures are necessary to keep our nation safe, then such expenses are necessary. But the army leaders, and the supposed-to-be best brains of the country are at variance in what should and what should not be done. Every move that is made by them, and those moves are many, seem to be trying to get Russia so mad she will try to strike back. Or, maybe, it is the other way around? We, the folks back home, are kept muddled until we do not know the right or wrong of it.

What I am leading up to is, as stated in the outset, this is national election year, and the voters are fed up with a lot of the goings on and are going to insist on Washington leaders putting a curb on useless spending. (Continued on Page 8)



NEW PROPOSED LAKEVIEW SCHOOL—Pictured here is the architect drawing of the new Lakeview Elementary school and gymnasium. An election will be held February 2nd in Lakeview to decide whether the school board trustees shall issue bonds to build this proposed elementary school.

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Auto Insurance Claims at Record During '51

Preliminary reports indicate a number of auto liability companies entered in New York State.

The record number of bodily injury and property damage claims reported to insurance companies during 1951 was generally attributed by Leslie to the increase in the number of motor vehicles insured and the increase in motor vehicle accidents. There were more cars on the road, more of them were insured and more were involved in accidents than ever before, he said. At the close of 1951 the total registrations of motor vehicles numbered about 52,500,000, a record number, he pointed out, and the total motor vehicle mileage for 1951 undoubtedly was well over the estimated 465 billion miles driven in 1950.

Motor vehicle accident figures for the full year 1951 are not yet available, but official statistics for 29 states and the District of Columbia for the first six months of 1951 and for the same period of 1950 showed motor vehicle deaths up 4 per cent, injuries up 10 per cent and accidents up 17 per cent, according

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to Leslie.

"The all-time high in the total amount of money that will be paid out by the insurance companies on bodily injury and property damage claims reported to them during 1951 is attributed to three major factors," Leslie stated.

"First, insurance companies received more claims because more cars involved in the increased number of accidents were insured.

"Second, the cost of settling claims for both bodily injury and property damage has been steadily rising.

"Third, the adverse situation resulting from steadily increasing claim costs has been further aggravated by a marked upturn in claim frequency, that is, the number of claims per given number of insured automobiles.

"The average paid claim cost for bodily injury increased 55 percent from 1941 through 1951. For property damage, the average claim cost increased 125 percent during the same decade. There was a substantial further rise in

average claim costs in 1951, and preliminary figures indicate that current costs are running almost 70 percent higher than in 1941 for bodily injury and approximately 150 percent higher than in 1941 for property damage.

"The large increase in hospital fees over the past 10 years and the marked rise in the size of jury verdicts rendered in liability suits during the same period have naturally contributed toward raising the average cost of claims for bodily injuries. Hospital rates for room, board and nursing service in some instances have risen as much as 174 per cent; and the average verdict for the plaintiff in liability suits in New York State, for example, has almost doubled, the increase being 94 percent. Jury awards in other areas also have followed the same upward trend.

"The jump in the average cost of property damage claims is due to a number of factors, and the chief of these is inflation. The cost of automobiles and the cost of repairing them have soared upward. The average wholesale value of new passenger cars in 1950 was 125 percent above the prewar figure. Automobile repair costs—parts and labor—jumped 134 percent from 1940 to 1950. These figures, furthermore, do not take into consideration the further increases in car prices and repair costs which have taken place since the Korean war.

"The modern design of cars has also been a factor in higher claim costs for property damage. Before the war a broken fender was just that—a broken fender, and it could be replaced for \$10, but a fender on today's car includes a headlight or taillight and in many cases a substantial part of the body, too, and replacement costs \$90. Not all car repair costs have taken such a large percentage increase. A front end replacement which cost 100 in 1940 has gone up 190 percent to \$290. Certainly the elaborate grillwork, curved windshields and other innovations on the latest car models have also made repairs and replacements more costly.

The reason for the large underwriting losses sustained by the companies over recent years on automobile liability insurance is found in the upward trend of loss ratios, according to Leslie.

"For 61 stock companies, the automobile liability loss experience has grown steadily worse since the third quarter of 1950," he stated. "Data for the 12 months ended September 30, 1950 as compared with the 12 months ended September 30, 1951, the latest period for which data are available, show that the experience, on a comparable rate basis, has been 11 percent worse for bodily injury and 24 percent worse for property damage."

SNOOPING REPORTER

The snooping reporters found four new students in school this week. They are Calvin Todd, in the eighth grade and Anna Todd, who is in the eleventh grade. They came to MHS from Lakeview. Also, Robert Goodall in the eighth grade and Nancy Pierce in the seventh.

Band Honor Roll Primitive Church

The students who were on the Cyclone Band honor roll for the past week are Billy Allen Combs, Gene Davidson, and Sue Miller. Students who had between fifteen and twenty points for the past week were on the honor.

National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis chapters do not give pello treatment or care; they purchase it, with March of Dimes funds.

Memphis School Elects Class Favorites Tuesday

Classes of the Memphis High School held individual meetings Tuesday morning to elect class favorites for the year. Favorites were selected by popular vote and those chosen will be featured in a full page in the school annual.

The favorites include the following: Seniors: Patsy Jarrell and Coy Smith; Juniors: Billie Hartman and Jimmy Morrison; Sopho-

more: Patsy Armstrong and Denny Davis; Freshmen: Betty Sue Floyd and Wayland McElreath; 8th Grade: Thracia Browning; and Thurman Widener; 7th Grade: Jean Foxhall and John Freeman.

Over the years, through its scholarship and fellowship program, the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis with March of Dimes funds has financed professional training in 28 different fields ranging from physical therapy and orthopedic nursing to sanitary engineering.

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March Of Dimes Workers Ask Your Help This Week

By TED MYERS
Boys in our Troop and myself will have our booth on the square again Saturday for the March of Dimes.

We are not receiving money for the March of Dimes as well as we did last year. We would appreciate very much if the citizens will stop and leave their money or checks with us.

We have about twelve boys working on this project and they

are willing to work for the infantile paralysis drive but they find it hard to understand why so many citizens are unwilling to help in such a worthy cause.

These boys have learned in their way of life that as Americans we are supposed to help the sick and underprivileged people in time of need. That it is good to help their fellowmen with their hearts as much as humanly possible. They willingly will stand and keep the wishing well and March of Dimes booth open for the people of Hall County to come by and help in a worthy cause.

So pause a minute and think to yourself, this is not the time to be selfish but I am going to give all that is possible to help fight polio.

I am glad I can live in a country like America where all people help their neighbors and friends as much as humanly possible, then if someone in your neighborhood does take polio, you will know that you have helped in a worthy fight for your friend.

Parts Dealers To Hear OPS Representatives

Merchants of Hall County who sell farm machinery and parts, automotive parts and related services will meet at 7:30 o'clock Monday night, January 28, on the second floor of the City Hall in Memphis to hear a discussion of ceiling price regulations covering their operations.

The meeting was announced jointly by the Memphis Chamber of Commerce and the Lubbock district Office of Price Stabilization. S. R. Blake, price specialist from the Lubbock district office, will explain the provisions of Ceiling Price Regulations 34, 67 and 100, which cover farm machinery and parts, automotive parts and consumer services related to maintenance and repair of farm equipment and automobiles.

Upon completion of the formal meeting, Blake will answer questions from individuals concerning their sales and render other assistance to merchants needing it to bring their firms into complete compliance with the government's price stabilization program.

Clifford Farmer, manager of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce, urged merchants of this area to take advantage of the services offered by the OPS representative while he is here.

House Ag. Group Investigates Crop Forecasts

A House Agriculture subcommittee sought this week in Washington to determine why the Agriculture Department made "almost unprecedented" two million bale error last fall in forecasting the 1951 cotton crop.

Farmers have complained that the erroneous forecast—13 percent higher than the final estimate—unduly depressed prices at harvest time. The subcommittee called O. V. Wells, chief of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, for questioning at a public hearing Tuesday.

Rep. Thomas G. Abernethy, subcommittee chairman, said in advance of the hearing that it was "not an investigation, but rather a constructive effort to improve the department's system for gathering crop production statistics."

The Mississippi Democrat was "very angry" about the miscalculation at the time it was made but told a reporter he is now convinced there was no wrongdoing on the part of the department officials.

"I'm sure everything was on the up and up," he said. "But the officials themselves conceded the error is almost unprecedented so we want them to give us suggestions for improving the system."

Department officials have said that bad growing weather and an overestimate of planted acreage were largely to blame for the miscalculation. They said the farmers who serve as crop reporters for the department miscalculated the acreage and the department didn't have funds to check up on them.

Insurance Prof. Advises Buyers

Select an insurance agent with the same care you would use in selecting a lawyer, advises Dr. Henry T. Owen, University of Texas professor of insurance—and don't yield to "high-pressure" tactics.

Dr. Owen is the author of "Life Insurance Case Analysis Methods and Materials," published January 1 by Prentice-Hall, Inc., New York City. The new book is a supplement to Dr. Owen's "Fundamentals of Life Insurance," which appeared last May.

Planning an insurance program is too complex for an individual without professional assistance, Dr. Owen states. Seek an agent who has training, one you have confidence in, he urges. Then put your insurance problem before him.

The insurance professor's new book will be used as a College of Business Administration text, as well as by men in the insurance profession.

"Life insurance fitted to the individual needs of the buyer is a goal toward which all who are interested in the practical application of life insurance should strive," the author states in his preface.

The book is designed to help the student, the buyer or the agent develop a systematic approach to the solution of this problem. It sets forth fundamental principles to serve as a guide in planning a life insurance program and illustrates with practical application of the principles to specific cases.

Merit System To Offer Tests For Jobs Feb. 23

The Merit System Council, serving the Texas Employment Commission and the State Department of Public Welfare, will offer examinations at approximately 45 different centers in Texas on February 23.

Anyone interested in positions as clerks, typists, stenographers, key punch operators, tabulating equipment operators, senior child welfare workers, or clinical psychologists should apply to the Merit System Council, Box 671, Austin, Texas. Applications must be post marked not later than February 2, 1952.

Application blanks and further information may be obtained from local offices of the State Department of Public Welfare, local offices of the Texas Employment Commission, or by writing to the Merit System Council, Box 671, Austin.

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TRoubles NOT NEW . . . Demonstrating that Egypt's current troubles are not new, Franklin Maine, encyclopedia editor, holds cartoon printed in 1875. The drawing shows John Bull, astride Malta and Corfu, and the British Lion in control of Suez, with Russia threatening Egypt's eastern flank.

Texas To Observe Public School Week

Thousands of Texas adults will go back to school during the week of March 2-8 in observance of the Second Annual Public School Week, which has as its theme "Democracy in Action."

Governor Allan Shivers last week proclaimed March 2-8 as Public Schools Week in Texas. In his proclamation the Governor said:

"One of the basic institutions upon which we rely for the furtherance of our American ideals is the public school system. Public schools, by enabling every child to gain a liberal education regardless of station in life, promote recognition of the responsibilities of citizenship and constitute a major bulwark against subversive doctrines.

"We in Texas are proud of the school system that has been developed in our state. Its success has been due to many factors—the interest of mothers and fathers in their children, the cooperative efforts of state and local officials, and the energy and determination of those public spirited men and women who are devoting their lives to the teaching of our children.

"The continued progress of our school system requires increased public understanding of the importance of education and the greatest encouragement and support of our teachers."

Governor Shivers' proclamation allows a resolution adopted last summer by the Texas State Board of Education designating the

week of March 2-8 as Public Schools Week. The resolution urged that every citizen visit a public school during the period to become personally acquainted with the programs and accomplishments of the state's system of public schools.

The Texas Education Agency has requested local public school officials throughout the state to invite the citizens of their respective communities to visit classrooms, and to plan programs with the purpose of giving the pupils and the citizens a better understanding of the school program.

Public Schools Week was observed officially for the first time in Texas last March. In hundreds of communities thousands of citizens visited their public schools in groups. Many visitors had not been inside schools in years.

Statistics compiled by the Texas Citizens' Committee on Public Schools Week following the first Public Schools Week program revealed a great awakening on the part of the public to the problems of their local public schools.

Water Meeting To Be Held Mon. In Lubbock

The district office of the US Department of Commerce, National Production Authority in Lubbock has called a meeting of all water well drillers, pump manufacturers and distributors and prospective well owners for the purpose of explaining the new

order covering water or irrigation wells. The meeting will be held Monday, January 28 at 2 p. m. in the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce office.

President M. E. Sadler is Texas Christian University's sixth president.

Hedley Church To Hold Revival

The Assembly of God Church at Hedley will begin a revival Sunday, January 27th which will continue through February 10th. Services will begin at 7:15 p. m. each night, Rev. T. E. Gibson announced this week. Rev. and Mrs. T. Long Beach, Calif. the Revival services and old time music will be featured and the daily invited. Lot machines moved from all lions.

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PRICE DANIEL WERS U. S. ATE RACE

General Price Daniel tonight announced that he had been elected for United States

fighting speech, the 41-year-old lawyer from Liberty called for "A change in direction our country has been since World War II" and for at least 10,000 people to become his assistants.



PRICE DANIEL

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foreign policy, restoration of tidelands and a return to honesty and integrity.

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LETTERS FROM READERS

(Editors Note: This letter was received during the Christmas Holidays by Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Weatherly from Joe N. Colvin former pioneer cowboy and a sheriff in Hall County for two years, 1934-36.)

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Weatherly, Hi, friends, I received your Christmas card.

I am working at the Rail Road Pass Casino 4 miles from Boulder City and have been here a year. I have a good job at fifty dollars a week, room and board included and the work is light I don't know when I will be in Texas again, maybe next summer. I still think a lot of Hall County and I spent the best days of my life there, began work on the old Mill Iron ranch 50 years ago this spring then left in 1916. A lot of the boys that were there when I went there have passed on across the great divide.

My good friend Ben Prowitt of Estelline was wagon boss. I hope he is hale and hearty. I have never known many better men than he.

Well T. D. I suppose you have a lot to do running down the thieves if it is like it was when I was there it kept me on the go day and night, I sometimes think of how I trailed them around. I did the best I could a few got away, not many.

Luck to you boy,
I am your friend,
Joe N. Colvin.

**Baptist Revival
Now In Progress**

Services are now being held each morning and evening of the Old Line Missionary Baptist at the Primitive Baptist Church on Bradford Street near the Water tower.

The Rev. Sidney Cook is bringing the messages. Rev. Cook is a missionary who has traveled and done missionary work in Australia, Arabia, England, South Pacific Islands and other foreign countries.

All Missionary Baptist are especially invited and the public is invited to attend any of the services.

Since it was established in 1938, the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis has allocated more than \$14,000,000 in March of Dimes funds to finance scientific research into every phase of polio.

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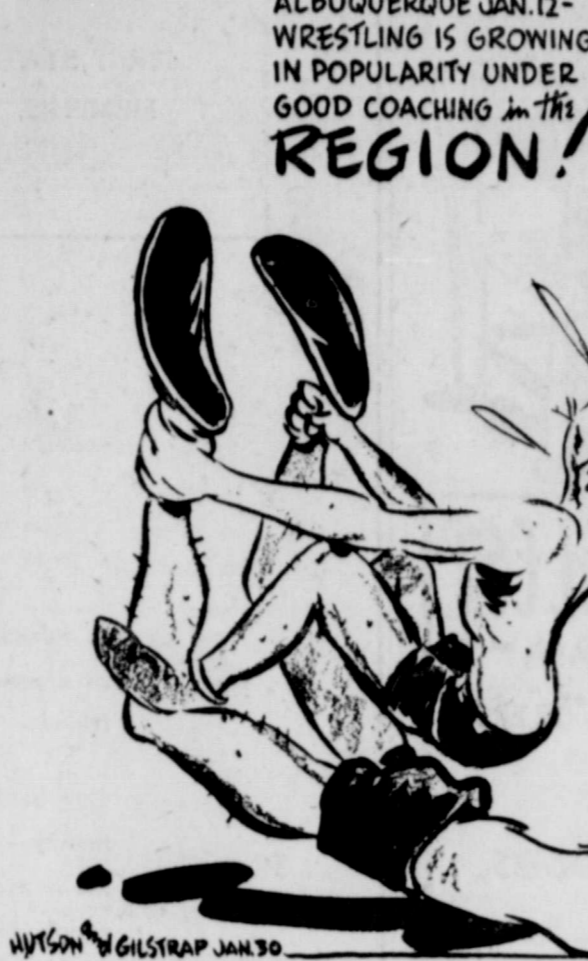
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Fat Stock Show Trip Offered By Railroads

Attention of local persons planning to attend the 1952 Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show and Rodeo January 25th to February 3rd in Fort Worth, is called to the special Package Trip offered by Fort Worth and Denver Railway.

Announcement of this Package Trip was made recently and this package will include round trip railroad transportation to Fort Worth, round trip taxicab transportation from the Fort Worth passenger station or any downtown hotel in Fort Worth to the Stock Show grounds, a ticket for a choice reserved seat at the rodeo, matinee or evening performance, including general admission to the Exposition grounds, and if desired, a reserved choice seat at one of the Fort Worth Civic Opera Association performances of "The Merry Widow," advertised as the world's most popular "musical comedy."

Edward Everett Horton will be the comedy lead in "The Merry Widow" production, which will be directed by Karl Kritz of Fort Worth.

"The Merry Widow" performances will be in the Will Rogers Memorial Auditorium; the rodeo will be staged in the Will Rogers Coliseum as heretofore.

Each Fort Worth and Denver Railway ticket agent along its lines in Texas will have for sale special souvenir railway tickets containing a souvenir coupon of the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show. Each of the rail-

Memphis Boy Receives BS From Texas Tech

Roy Patton received a BS degree in civil engineering at mid-term exercises at Texas Technological College after completion of the required work.

Patton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Patton of Memphis.

He has accepted a job with Corps of Engineers in Fort Worth.

Individuals or civic groups who may be planning to attend the Exposition, Stock Show, and Rodeo in Fort Worth this year.

WEEK-END SPECIALS

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- COFFEE, Folgers, 1 Lb. 90c, 2 Lbs. 1.78
- MILK, Large Cans, All Kinds 15c
- SALT, Mortons Round Box 10c
- MRS. TUCKER'S or CRUSTINE, 3 Lbs. 79c
- CRISCO or SPRY, 3 lbs. 93c
- EGGS, Fresh Country, Dozen 42c
- BLACK PEPPER, Schillings, 1 1/2 Oz. Can 31c, 4 Oz. 75c
- CATSUP, Large Bottle Heinz 27c
- MINCE MEAT, All Kinds, Box 22c
- JELLO, All Flavors, 2 Boxes 17c
- EAGLE BRAND MILK, Can 32c
- GUM, All Kinds, 2 Pkgs. 7c
- HERSHEY'S CHOCOLATE DAINTIES, Pkg. 23c
- BABO or AJAX CLEANSER, 2 Cans 25c
- SANIFLUSH, Large Can 23c
- SOAP FLAKES, All Kinds, Box 31c
- LUX or CAMAY, SOAP, 2 Reg. Bars 17c
- MODART SHAMPOO, Jar 47c
- TOILET PAPER Scot Tissue, 2 Rolls 25c
- PAPER TOWELS, Scot, 2 Rolls 35c
- PAPER NAPKINS, 80 Count, Pkg. 14c
- ORANGE JUICE, 46 Oz. Can Donald Duck 29c
- PINEAPPLE JUICE, No. 2 Can 15c, 46 Oz. 33c
- ARMOUR'S TREET, Can 49c
- Armour's Star VIENNA SAUSAGE, Can 23c
- TAMALES, White Swan, Can 26c
- SALMON, Tall Can Pink 59c
- HOMINY, Med. Can Kuner's 9c
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- PORK & BEANS, White Swan, Can 11c
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- MISSION ENGLISH PEAS, Can 14c
- Irvington Club, WHOLE GREEN BEANS Can 29c
- NIBLET WHOLE GRAIN CORN, Can 19c
- White Swan, CORN ON THE COB, 4 Large Ears 37c
- NUCO, BLUE BONNET or MEADOWLAKE OLEO 32c
- PORK CHOPS, Nice Fresh, Lb. 53c
- PUFFIN Can BISCUITS, 2 Cans 25c
- SLICED BACON, Armour's Star or Puritan, Lb. 57c
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- Large Thin Shell PECANS, Lb. 34c
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Isabell Cypert Asks Re-election As Dist. Clerk

Mrs. Isabell Cypert, district clerk of Hall County, authorized The Democrat this week to announce that she is a candidate for re-election to the office of district clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

Her statement is: "The people of Memphis and Hall County know me and know that I have been serving as their district clerk his past term. I want them to know that I appreciate all the kindness and thoughtfulness extended to me and I want to thank

everyone who has helped me. "I am asking your support and help again this year while I am in office.

"My experience in office has taught me how to keep the district clerk's office and I promise that I will be a faithful worker and servant to the people of this county.

"Any help or support that is given me I will sincerely appreciate.

Respectfully,
MRS. ISABELL CYPERT."

Travis Weatherly Is Service Mgr. At Marcum Bros.

Announcement was made this week that Travis Weatherly, formerly of Amarillo, is now in charge of the service department at Marcum Bros. Motor Co. J. L. Marcum, co-owner of the firm, stated that Weatherly is a native of Hall County, and is a factory-trained mechanic.

"We're glad to have Weatherly associated with us," he stated.

"He's fully qualified to take care of the demands of our customers, and we recommend him to the people of this area."

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Auto Wreckers To Meet Next Week

Two meetings in this area of Auto Wreckers and others interested in auto scrap operating under the new National Production Authority Order M-92 will be held January 29 at 2 p. m. in the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce and January 30 at 2 p. m. in the Amarillo Hotel.

The public is invited.

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PLASKA

By MRS. W. L. NABERS

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hull of Plaska spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hawthorne of Ell.

Walter McMaster and Vernon Sasser were business visitors in Clarendon Wednesday.

Mrs. J. W. Oliver, Mrs. M. N. Orr and Mrs. W. J. McMaster attended the WSCS meeting at Lakeview Monday.

Mrs. Rae Welch visited Mrs. Provenance Sunday.

Mrs. W. J. McMaster visited Mrs. J. W. Oliver Wednesday.

Mrs. A. H. Orr and daughter Carolyn Sue and Ann Tiner of Memphis visited in Littlefield over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Orr and family.

G. R. Nabers of Spade, a brother of W. L. Nabers, spent Wednesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nabers.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Galloway are now visiting in San Francisco, Calif., with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Oliver.

Mr. and Mrs. Griffen and children of Lubbock spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hignight.

Those spending the night last Wednesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nabers were Mr. and Mrs. Tyson Nabers and daughter and Ernest Long and son James, all of Littlefield.

Mrs. Vera Stuart has accepted a position as nurse at Goodall Hospital and she and her children have moved to Memphis.

Mrs. R. D. Hall and daughter, Gaylynn was brought home the last of the week from a local hospital. They are reported to be doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Sasser visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Brock Friday night.

The wedding bells just kept ringing in our community. Gene Sasser and Miss Wells of Memphis were married Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Murl Lemons and children of Brice spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Brock.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brooks Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Nabers and Mr. and Mrs. Jake McWhorter and boys of Epade. Mr. Brooks has just returned home from the hospital where he has been for two weeks with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Orr visited over the weekend in Littlefield with their son, Dr. Buster Orr. They also visited in Lubbock Sunday with their daughters, Mrs. Lavern Heath and Mrs. Judia Brooks.

CARD OF THANKS

To our friends in Memphis, we wish to express our thanks and sincere appreciation for your wonderful deeds of kindness through the years and especially during the death of our father and grandfather, William S. Richardson. To the Methodist Church, Rev. Rollo Davidson for the kind sympathetic words, the choir for the sweet music, to each one that contributed the beautiful floral offering, we are indeed grateful.

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10:50 Lord's Day morning worship every Sunday This Sunday is the beginning of Youth Week, or Christian Endeavor Week. We will have a special Youth emphasis with sermon: "The Rule of My Life" both for and to Youth. All Youth invited especially. There will be special youth participation in the service.

6 p. m. Sunday Christian Endeavor meetings in two age groups.

7 p. m. Sunday Evening worship. Sermon: "The Suffering Saviour of the Palms". Hymn singing featured.

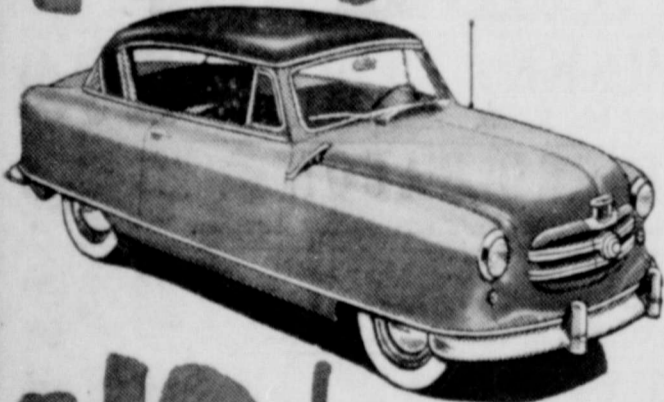
3 p. m. Monday: Women's Council meeting for mission study.

7 p. m. Monday: Youth: "Sailing the Seven Seas."
7:30 p. m. Wednesday: Study on Personal Evangelism and Prayer Meeting.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Rollo Davidson, Pastor
Church school 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship 10:55 a. m.
Sermon: Let's Check Our Excuses MYF and Children's Meetings 6:15 p. m.
Subject: The Need of a Modern Jeremiah.

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Morning worship 10:45 a. m.
Evening worship 6 p. m.
Young People's Meeting 7 p. m.

TUESDAY

Ladies Bible Class 3:30 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

Bible Classes 7 p. m.

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Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Slappy of Vernon were guests here Monday afternoon of Mr. and Mrs. Dan McCullum.

O. Aspren of Amarillo visited last week with his son, Harry Aspren and family here in Memphis.

Mrs. J. J. McMickin, Mrs. Ted Trulove and children and Mrs. Harry Aspren were in Amarillo Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Thurman

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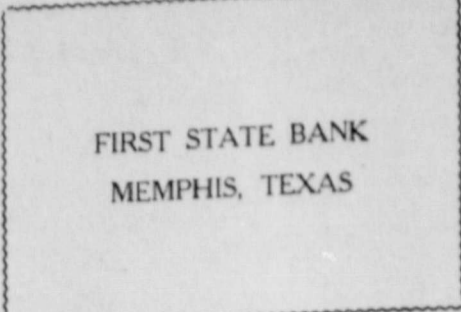
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of Childress visited in the home of his niece, Mrs. Harry Aspren and family, Sunday afternoon.
Don Wright Jr. has been confined at home the past few days
sick with the flu. Early today Mrs. Wright reported that he was improved and expected to up soon.
SCOUT MASTER
Scoutmaster Ted Myers announced this week would be a meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the Explorer Scouts Hall. All Scouts are invited to attend.



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REPORT FROM WASHINGTON

By Walter Rogers
Congressman, 18th District



PRIME MINISTER CHURCHILL concluded his address to the floor. The floor was crowded with all of the dignitaries of this country and representatives of foreign countries. The galleries were packed. He was welcomed by a standing ovation and appeared to be touched. He fully lived up to his reputation as the outstanding orator of the age. He made a reticent concerning the purpose of his visit. In his opening remarks he stated that he did not come for money. However, he quickly explained the needs of the British people for materials and equipment. The darkness of the situation in the Near East is not minimized and he did not opt to soft-pedal the great insurmountable problems that are faced on the European continent and in the Far East.

directly with the Congress would not do directly.

That is, extend the coverage of interstate commerce to all segments of American business. Such procedure would place many of the small businesses under regulatory measures to which they are not subject unless they are engaged in interstate commerce.

Until recent years a business man, farmer or rancher could decide for himself whether he would engage in interstate commerce, but under the late decision and administrative rulings, this right of election has been practically lost. The farmer and rancher is at present under interstate commerce regulations. This means that he is subject to regulation by all federal laws, including the Fair Labor Standards Act, which is the act that provides, among other things, minimum wages and maximum hours.

The only reason that the farmers and ranchers are not subjected to the minimum wages and maximum hours provisions of the Act is because of an express exemption contained in the Act. Should this express exemption be repealed, either directly or by inference, the farmer and rancher would be required to comply with the minimum and maximum hour provisions, including the provision for time and a half and double time.

The farm and ranch organizations should keep this matter primarily in their thoughts, as it is most important to all. A repeal of that express exemption could do untold damage to the farmer and rancher, especially those in our section of the country. The forces that advocate such repeal are still at work, but most of us here who are interested in agriculture are on the alert concerning this, and want you to be the same.

THE TIDELANDS: You can expect the Tideland issue to be pressed hard within the next few weeks in the Senate. The vote on the bill will be a pretty good indicator of its chances to pass over the almost certain presidential veto.

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my opinion, his words received full recognition that this country is expecting value received or additional foreign expenses; that the American people not going to pour out funds for foreign aid unless they receive the reins of control on the aid.

I stood in the chamber during the ceremonies, the terrible sight occurred to me that if I should drop an atomic bomb at that particular instant, I would destroy the entire officialdom of the United States, the head of the British Government, and prominent officials from the other continents of the world would be wiped out in one full swoop. I thought I immediately went to search the chamber for representatives of the Russian Government and was unable to locate any.

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Hester Bownds Asks Election As County Treas.

After much consideration and through the urging of my friends I have decided to become a candidate for County Treasurer and take this means of announcing for this office.

I have lived in Hall County for the past 40 years and feel that most of you know me. My first experience in the Court House was under Miss Edna Bryan in the County Clerk's office. Later when my husband passed away the Commissioners' Court was nice enough to let me finish his term of office as Tax Assessor-Collector which was 8 months. When the term expired I worked for J. M. Ferrel in the Tax Assessor-Collector's office. After 6 years with Mr. Ferrel I moved to the farm 2 years and have been working in the County Clerk's office with Sybil Gurley since January 1945. I feel that the experience I received in these two offices will better qualify me for the office of County Treasurer. I have helped Mr. Drake in the Treasurers office when he was ill or had to be out of town. That experience has given me a working knowledge of the office.

This is the first time in my life that I have asked your vote for me for public office. With this announcement, I want to earnestly solicit your vote and influence, pledging competent and courteous service.

MRS. HESTER BOWNDS.

Comments-

(Continued from Page One) In order to vote, those under 20 years of age will need to have a poll tax receipt. Never before has the need been so great for paying such poll tax. Government should begin at home instead of at Washington, and the citizens are the ones at home.

What becomes of the \$1.75 poll tax? One dollar is for the benefit of the state's free schools; 50 cents goes to the state for general revenue purposes, and the county gets 25 cents and it goes into county officers' salary fund. January 31 is the deadline for paying said poll tax.

One editor says the reason why he allows mistakes to appear in his paper is that he wants to put something in the paper for everybody. He has some readers who always look for mistakes. There are many ways that errors occur, and no one hates to have them occur more than the editor.

Homer Tucker, after reading a sign at The Democrat office which says, "Pay your poll tax here," suggested adding to it the words, "Truman might run again."

Let's switch to some other subject. Have been working over my fish pond this week so it can be cleaned more easily. Took the fish out and put them in a small tin stock tank until the concrete sets. Tuesday night, when the cold wind hit and Mr. Winburn said it would get really cold during the night, I had to get out in the cold and hunt up a lot of sacks, old clothes, etc. and spread over the tank. With all these precautions, the water had a half-inch of ice on top Wednesday morning. It made me almost wish that I had no gold fish and fish pond, but then that's what makes my back yard a nice place to spend the hot summer evenings. So guess I will just keep on doing a lot of back-yard fooling around. After all, life is made up of a lot of things.

The new safety law, which made it necessary to have cars checked before license could be issued, has been extended until September. It is predicted that changes will be made in this law, and still keep the idea intact to make driving safer. Bill Phleger, of West Main Street, suggests changing the checking to drivers' heads instead of their cars.

Goodall and-

(Continued from Page One) actively engaged in farming for the past twenty years. Dr. Goodall established his practice here more than 20 years ago and has operated Goodall Hospital for the past several years.

Other directors of the First State Bank are Sam J. Hamilton, T. J. Dunbar, Carl Harrison, F. A. Finch, G. M. Duren, Jas. F. Smith, Heydon Hensley and Edwin A. Smith, Jr.

March of Dimes-

(Continued from page one) Tex. They will be entered in the county fund. "We appreciate all the help and support we have had and we sincerely ask your continued help and contributions," Lemons concluded.

Democrat Advertising Pays



TO LEAD REVIVAL—Rev. and Mrs. Z. A. Myers of Long Beach, Calif., will conduct a Revival at the Assembly of God Church in Hedley starting January 27th. The public is invited.

Game Violations Show Increase During December

The Director of Law Enforcement for the Texas Game and Fish Commission reported that game law violation cases for December increased sharply over November but were less than the total for December, 1950. December arrests totaled 462 with fines and costs totaling \$14,008.45. The December, 1950, arrests were 503 with fines and costs amounting to \$13,307.85. The November, 1950, arrests were 332 for combined fines and costs of \$10,055.20.

Approximately 100 of the 462 cases in December concerned deer law violations. The arrests included these: hunting deer at night, 53; killing doe deer, 20; headlighting deer, 16; killing spike buck deer, 9, and failure to tag deer, 5.

The waterfowl flight also was marked by some prosecutions. Thirty-six cases involved killing ducks or geese in closed season. Twenty-nine cases were for killing ducks after the legal hour. Seven arrests were for shooting ducks from a motor boat.

Some hunters failed to abide by the quail regulations and 20 were arrested for killing quail in closed season.

The December arrest also included: no hunting license, 61; using unplugged gun, 24; hunting from an automobile, 13; and killing doves in closed season, 8.

JETS HAVE BIG APPETITES

The jet airplane is a fuel hog of colossal proportions. Loafing along at moderately high speed and altitude the jet consumes a little over a ton of fuel—about 333 gallons—an hour. When the speed is boosted and the altitude held low, fuel consumption zooms to three tons an hour. Small wonder then that roughly one third the take-off weight of a jet fighter is fuel. Also, the jet plane thrives on high altitude. The specific range (miles per pound of fuel) is almost three times as great at 40,000 feet as at 5,000. By flying at an altitude of six or seven miles the jet pilot can extend his radius of action several hundred miles.

March of Dimes funds pay for hospitalization, nursing care, physical therapy, transportation, wheelchairs, braces and crutches wherever the need is indicated.

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If you have a relative in the Navy, you might write and ask him if he got his 53 gallons of coffee last year.

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Use this convenient form— Pay Your Poll Tax

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Form with fields for AGE, RACE, SEX, YEARS IN STATE, YEARS IN COUNTY, HOME ADDRESS IN HALL COUNTY, OCCUPATION, BIRTHPLACE, NATIVE BORN OR NATURALIZED, NUMBER OF VOTING BOX, and Applicants signature.

Political Announcements

- List of political candidates including LUTHER GRIBBLE, ALLEN HARP, MRS. ISABELL CYPERT, M. O. GOODPASTURE, SYBIL GURLEY, MRS. HESTER BOWNDS, E. S. (Peck) MORRISON, Wm. J. (Bill) BRAGG, Wm. B. TEAGUE, JACK PEABODY, J. S. GRIMES, ROY PATTON, GEORGE W. BLEWER, CLINTON RICHBURG.

WHITE CALLS FOR STRICTER GRAIN LAWS

John C. White, Commissioner of Agriculture for Texas, said today that the grain scandals "breaking out in Texas like the rash" could have been prevented if HB 670 had passed in the last legislature.

"I'm going to press for enactment of such legislation again," White added. "With a bill like that, we can get at those unscrupulous storage operators who convert the farmers' grain to their own use."

The commissioner pointed out that the alleged grain shortages amounting to more than \$2,000,000 have been reported during the past few days. Most losses were suffered by the Commodity Credit Corporation, he said.

"These farmers have a right to expect protection from the State, but the Department can't help them protect their grain adequately under the present law. If these storage companies are insolvent, as reported, the farmer is just left holding the bag. The only compensation he can expect

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UNIVERSITY BOUND — Eight youthful craftsmen were awarded university scholarships valued at \$20,000, at the annual banquet of the Fisher Body Craftsman's Guild in Detroit's Book-Cadillac Hotel. Ranging in value from \$1,000 to \$4,000 each, the awards were given for proficiency in design and construction of miniature model automobiles entered in the annual competition. Grouped clockwise around the futuristic exhibit of their model cars are

would be from a company's forfeiture of its \$5,000 bond. White referred to reports that the CCC has assured farmers who stored grain as collateral for loans that they will not lose financially from shortages reported recently even if the CCC losses are not recovered.

VETERANS NEWS

Q. I got a GI home loan three years ago, when the top VA guarantee was \$4,000. I understand that a law passed since then has raised the maximum guarantee to \$7,500, and that I'm entitled to another GI home loan guarantee for \$3,500—the difference between the old and new guarantees. May I use this new GI loan to build an addition to my house? A. No. Under the law, your new GI home loan may be used only to purchase or build another house, and not to improve your present one.

Q. I have just been discharged for wounds I received in Korea.

Advertisement for Hedley Theatre. Shows: "Texas Carnival" (In Color), "Mark Of The Renegade" (In Color), "Excuse My Dust", "Francis Goes To The Races", "Go For Broke" — Plus Stage Show. Times: 7:30, 9:30. Adults 35c, Children 9c.

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Bonnett Needle Club Observes 18th Anniversary With Luncheon

Blue Bonnett Needle Club observed its 18th Anniversary Luncheon in the home of its outgoing president, Minnie Vallance, Jan. 18, 1952. Luncheon was served buffet style from a beautifully appointed table. The traditional nut cake iced in blue bearing ever numerals "18" formed centerpiece. Four quart tables were laid with maderia and graced with cut flowers. The short business session followed.

Foxhall Reviews At Study Club

Buster Helm was hostess members of the 1913 Study Club who met in regular session on Tuesday afternoon of January 16. The club was called to order and the business ably dispensed by the President, Mrs. E. L. Helm. The special program feature, Frank Foxhall entertained present with a review of "Eye Is On The Sparrow", a life story of a little negro who came up from the slums of Philadelphia to be named as one of "the women movement" of 1951 is the and pathetic tale of pride and courage coupled with faith in God and a will to win. Mrs. Foxhall, careful to please her audience with the personation of Miss Waters, artist and musical comedy of considerable importance in the world of today.

Bucilla Club Enjoys Luncheon In Massey Home

The Bucilla Club met Thursday, January 17, in the home of Mrs. T. J. Hampton with Mrs. Pearl Massey as co-hostess. During the noon hour a covered dish luncheon was served. Members did needle work for the hostess throughout the day. Mrs. Chas. Webster, president, presided during a short business session. Officers for the new club year were elected as follows: Mrs. Earl Pritchett, president; Mrs. A. Gidden, vice president; Mrs. Bess Crump, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. R. C. Cummings, reporter.

Wesleyan Guild Members Meet

Members of the Wesleyan Guild met in the home of Hester Bounds Thursday, January 17.

Alathean Class Meets In Home

The Alathean Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. W. E. Beckham Wednesday, January 16, for the regular monthly social.

Methodist WSCS Begins New Study On Latin America

The WSCS of the Methodist Church met in the Church Parlor for the first session of the study on Latin America, Monday afternoon, January 21. Mrs. M. G. Tarver, study leader, introduced the course, the author of the text, and the following who participated in the discussion: Mrs. W. H. Monzingo, who gave a vivid geographical picture of the countries of Latin America and the location of the work of the Methodist Church; Mrs. Rufus Grisham, who gave a most interesting history of the countries and their leaders; and Mrs. J. J. McDaniel, who used for the Meditation whom the church had reached.

Neel Holds Family Gathering Sunday

Mrs. W. L. Neel had assurance Sunday of having children home for a reunion. Her son, W. E. Neel of California, was unable to attend family gathering.

Annie Faggin And J. M. King Marry Dec. 24

Announcement was made this week of the marriage of Miss Annie Faggin of Memphis to J. M. King, also of this city. The ceremony was performed on December 24 in Childress.

Society News

Mrs. Alma Bruce Is New President Of Culture Club

Election of officers for the club year 1952-53 was featured when the Woman's Culture Club met Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. D. A. Grundy with Mrs. Frank Ellis as hostess. Mrs. Clifford Farmer, president, presided. Officers elected at this time included Miss Alma Bruce, president; Mrs. C. D. Morris, first vice president; Mrs. R. E. Clark, second vice president; Mrs. Coy Beckham, secretary; Mrs. Burr Morris, treasurer; Mrs. R. L. Madden, historian; Mrs. D. A. Grundy, parliamentary and Mrs. Homer Tribble, reporter. "Influence of Communication on Security" was the program theme for the afternoon. Mrs. Ward Gruley gave the devotional, using as the theme "Prayer Changes Things." Others appearing on the program were Mrs. Jeanette Irons who discussed "Club Publicity"; Miss Bruce who talked on "Influence of Radio and Television on Security" and Mrs. Morris who gave a paper on "Influence of Press on Security." Refreshments were served during the tea hour to Mrs. Burr Morris, W. E. Leslie, Robert Moss, R. L. Madden, Clifford Farmer, Ward Gruley, Coy Beckham, R. E. Clark, D. A. Grundy, C. D. Morris, Jeanette Irons and Misses Sybil Gurley and Alma Bruce.



MR. AND MRS. GENE SASSER

Nuptial Vows Are Solemnized Friday For Barbara Wells And Gene Sasser

Miss Barbara Ann Wells, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Wells of Memphis, became the bride of Gene Sasser, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Sasser of Plaska, in a ceremony performed at the home of the bride's parents, at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon, January 18, with B. M. Litton, minister of the Church of Christ, officiating.

Stephen F. Austin PTA Holds Monthly Meeting Thursday

The Stephen F. Austin PTA met Thursday, January 17, in the school auditorium. Presiding was Mrs. Henry Foster, president. The devotional was developed around scriptures read from the books of Mark, Luke and Ephesians in love for our fellowman. It was given by Mrs. Ward Gruley.

Pink And Blue Shower Honors Mrs. Jackson

Mrs. W. A. Jackson was honored at a pink and blue shower on Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. F. W. Howard in Lakeview. Serving as co-hostesses were Mrs. Howard were Mrs. Bill Hawthorne, Mrs. R. A. Howard and Mrs. James Smith.

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Mrs. T. T. Loard Hostess To Members Of TEL Class

Mrs. T. T. Loard was hostess for the regular monthly social and business meeting of the TEL Class on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. C. S. Davis, Jr., Is Honoree At Bridal Shower In Odom Home

Mrs. C. S. Davis, Jr., nee Margie Lou Young, was honored recently with a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. J. A. Odom, 8th and Menden Sts. Guests were greeted by Mrs. Odom and presented to the receiving line composed of the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Ted Young and Mrs. C. S. Davis Sr. Mrs. A. J. Kesterson Sr., presided at the bride's book in which the guests registered, after which they were shown into the dining room and served refreshments from a beautifully appointed tea table. The table was covered with a maderia cloth and centered with a floral arrangement of yellow and green. Mrs. S. B. Pallmeyer presided at the coffee service. Dainty refreshments consisted of

Delphian Club Hears Guest Speaker On "American Citizenship Week" Program

In observance of "American Citizenship Week" Judge Richard D. Byrd, county judge of Childress, spoke to the Delphian Club on Tuesday afternoon, January 16, at the regular session in the home of Mrs. R. H. Wherry.

The meeting was opened with members repeating the Lord's prayer in unison, after which Mrs. Lynn McKown introduced the guest speaker, Judge Byrd. She told of knowing him as a youth and of his successes in spite of hardships and stated that he is one of the youngest county judges in the state. Judge Byrd gave a most interesting and informative talk based on Trends in Government. He explained the three main trends are: toward over centralization; increasing power of the executive; and the cutting away of the power of the courts.

Regarding overcentralization of our government, Judge Byrd said that power not given to the state were to be given to the people, but that under the present setup, the matters which were formerly taken to the county court house, now have to go to Washington. He showed examples of other countries where over centralization contributed to their downfall.

According to the constitution, the President has certain powers with congress and the system of courts to check and balance, but Judge Byrd pointed out how the powers of the executive have been severely cut away in the past 20 years due to packing the courts, said Mr. Byrd. He gave examples of how the courts have no authority over matters now which they formerly held, but boards and government bureaus have the authority. Judge Byrd challenged us to exercise our rights as Citizens to vote; do our part in starting a new trend back to the constitution and again have our government conducted according to it.

Following the program a short business session was conducted by Mrs. Lynn McKown, president. It was reported that a CARE package had been sent to Korea, and a package of clothing had been sent to the Club's "adopted" family in Greece. Mrs. M. D. Gunstream, treasurer, reported contributions to the following: March of Dimes, Carnegie Library, Penny art fund, musical penny fund, Latin-American scholarship and community chest. Members who were unable to attend the Christmas Party contributed to the Girl Scout fund, raising the total to \$25.18.

During the social hour, members had a lively discussion on the interesting talk given by the guest speaker, and it was suggested all members write their senators and congressmen about matters over which we are concerned.

Mizpah Guild Meets In Home Of Mrs. Alexander

The Mizpah Guild met in the home of Mrs. O. V. Alexander, Monday evening, January 31. In the absence of the President, Mrs. Clifford Farmer, Mrs. Leslie presided at the meeting.

Following the business portion of the program, Mrs. Burr Morris read a beautiful sketch by Mrs. Frank Finch introducing the year's study of the Book of John. Mrs. Conley Ward conducted the first Bible lesson in an interesting manner urging members to look for God in all things and to rely on Him for assistance. Mrs. Bill Cosby directed the Mission study on the Latin American Countries. From her thorough preparation and enlightening talk, those present discovered how little they knew about our neighbors to the south.

New year books of attractive design by Mrs. Burr Morris were handed to the nineteen members answering roll call. After a tasty refreshment plate was served to the guests, including master Billy Cosby, The Guild was adjourned until the next meeting, February 4, in the home of Mrs. Leslie.

J. A. Stanford Is Dinner Honoree On 87th Birthday

Honoring J. A. Stanford on his 87th birthday anniversary, Mrs. Stanford and Rosa entertained with a dinner Sunday at the family home in Lakeview.

Enjoying the dinner and family gathering were Mrs. W. O. Teakell and two girls, Mrs. Freeman Teakell and daughter and Luther Davis, all of Walters, Okla., Miss Ethel Davis of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Martin and Tommie, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Blum and three children and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Martin. Afternoon visitors were Henry McLane and mother of Childress.

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ribbons and sandwiches, cookies and pickles also carried out the chosen color scheme.

After the guests were seated, a program was presented. Mrs. Clyde Milam sang "Margie" accompanied by Mrs. Bedford Smith. Mrs. H. S. Randal gave an appropriate reading followed by a clever presentation of the gifts by Vivian Faye Maddox.

Co-hostesses with Mrs. Odom were Mrs. E. E. Roberts, H. S. Randal, B. Webster, Cecil Starford, Gerald Knight, Bedford Smith, M. E. McNally, C. S. Compton, Jeff Aduddell, Harry Aspreen, Bill Maddox, T. B. Rogers, S. B. Pallmeyer, Clyde Milam, A. G. Kesterson and Roy Coleman.

Atalantean Club Features Panel Discussion Wed.

The Atalantean Club met Wednesday, January 16th in the home of Mrs. O. I. Seale. The meeting was called to order and Mrs. N. A. Hightower gave the invocation.

During a business session, the president, Mrs. Edwin A. Smith Jr., urged everyone to pay their poll taxes and then exercise their rights and privilege to vote. The members decided to send stamps to Veteran's Hospitals. A collection of discarded Christmas cards is being made by members to be sent to the Cerebral Palsy Association in New York.

Growth Through Science was ably discussed by a panel group which included Mrs. H. B. Estes, Mrs. J. A. Odom, Mrs. Bob Roberts and Miss Imogene King, who took Mrs. J. H. Norman's part. The attention of the group was focused on new scientific inventions in this atomic age and how we all make use of science in our everyday living.

Dainty and delicious refreshments were served from a lovely tea table to the following: Mrs. Earl Allen, J. W. Coppedge, W. C. Dickey, H. B. Estes, Henry Foster, John Fowler, N. A. Hightower, H. J. Howell, Claud Johnson, C. W. Kinslow, Ed Monzingo, J. H. Morris, J. A. Odom, Myrtle Phelan, S. B. Pallmeyer, Robert Sexauer, Edwin A. Smith, Jr., C. R. Webster, Bob Roberts, Miss Imogene King and the hostess, Mrs. Seale.

-Notes-

About Memphis, Hall County

By C. L. L.

Local political news is breaking, more each week. Looks like several candidates are going to be in the race for some offices.

Noticed where U. S. News & World Report predicts 1952 will be a year of higher business volume.

Could be. Most of the Automobile dealers had quite a day last Saturday. Several had the first 1952 showing of new models and many people were in town to see the new cars.

Understand that Gene Corley sold his Star Grocery last week to Herb Curry. Herb used to be the familiar face in Vallance's M-System store.

Several local citizens are sponsoring a poll-tax drive here in Memphis and Hall county this week lasting until after the deadline, January 31.

This year promises to be one of the hottest in both state, national and maybe local politics. Be sure

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you get in on it all by paying your poll tax before January 31.

Around our house now is what's known as the big wait! Gosh, sweating this out is about like we used to sweat the bombers out during the last war when we didn't fly... you keep wondering when it's going to arrive.

But someone told me Dr. Goodall boasts that he's never lost a father yet! That makes me feel better.

The March of Dimes campaign is still in progress. Scouts of Troop 34 set up their wishing well and milk bottle containers around the square Saturday. Understand Hall County is still shy of their quota by several hundred in fact thousands of dollars. Your contribution will help.

The best description of a father in a recent contest came from a youngster who said: "We have such good fun with my daddy that I wish I had knew him sooner." —The Tire, Clinton, Mo.

Hear that some of the young Hop-a-longs and Lone-Rangers have been getting hard up for "injuns" and other bad-men to shoot with their air-rifles and BB guns so they have turned to street lights and other people's windows.

A gentle reminder to parents—it is against the law to shoot an air rifle or BB gun inside the city limits. Police say they are going to confiscate all guns found in the city limits.

If you have a Hop-a-long who is BB happy take a reign on him so he won't lose his gun.

Here's a note to the Mayor or whoever is in charge of keeping the street lights turned on in town.

What was wrong Sunday night? My wife and I walked to town about 6:45 or 7 o'clock o'clock Sunday evening and it was so dark I thought we must have a black-out in force or something.

If this is customary—I suggest that the city begin turning the lights on Sunday nights or whenever necessary for that matter.

A new crop is going to be planted here in the county this year. It isn't exactly new, but will be new to most farmers. It is castor beans.

Farmers elsewhere have found castor beans a good supplementary crop.

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The Junior High School boys and girls hold their invitational basketball tournament today, tomorrow and Saturday. Games begin at 5 p. m. each evening and continue until four games have been played. Finals are Saturday night.

Our apologies to the High School Cue and Curtain Club. Last week we credited two of their pictures to the wrong party. We are sorry and will try to prevent such mistakes in the future.

And while we are talking of the Cue and Curtain Club, we'll congratulate them on their production this year. It was a tremendous production job, "Joan of Lorraine" but one which the local dramatic club did very well and one which will be remembered as successful.

Another word about poll taxes—be sure and pay yours! From now until the end of January you can pay it several places besides the county tax office, the banks, the drug stores, and if no one else doesn't stop you, come on in The Democrat office, we'll even sell you your poll tax.

None of these merchants or organizations care how you vote or who you vote for—the main thing is to be sure and vote.

Be sure and get your poll tax receipt!

Two modern youngsters were discussing the subject of piggy banks.

"I think it's childish to save money that way," little Mary pointed.

"I do too," Annie replied, "and I believe also that it encourages children to become misers." "And that's not the worst of it," Mary exclaimed. "It turns parents into bank robbers."

Rubber Propellers!! Sponge rubber is the latest material for airplane propellers—

LETTERS FROM READERS

(Editor's Note: This letter about Japan was written by Pfc. Billie W. Fowler who is currently serving with the Air Corps in The Far Eastern Campaign.)

Taegu, Korea

Dear Sirs:

There are many things a man can do in Japan when on leave. The special Services Division is in charge of all of the cabarets in downtown Tokyo and then on the outskirts of town there is the Large 21 Club where one can shoot pool, play snooker, musical

at least they are filled with it. It is made of a soft, tough, extensible, and adaptable rubber and a phenol resin that is strong and hard. The two are foamed to eight times their mass by a chemical. The resultant is a light rigid mass that fills the void and will not shift. It is being used commercially.

Vallances have taken out their meat market and made a complete self-service meat counter in their store at the corner of fifth and Main. They have installed new self-service counters and made a lot more room for stock.

Too much politics to take care of this week, must close and get at it. That's 30 for this week.



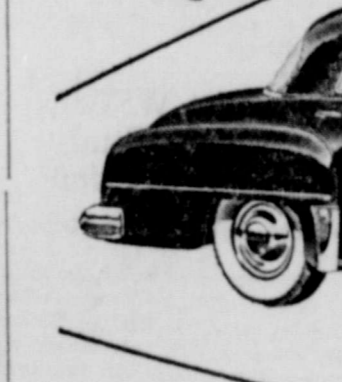
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instruments, read or listen to the radio. There are also many beautiful parks, Meji park and swimming pool, Shilya Park for all civilians in Japan. There are sightseeing trips for military personnel which are conducted by G. H. Q. information center. These offices are conveniently located where both military personnel can find out any information concerning the Tokyo area.

If one wants to travel to other parts of Japan there are different hotel for enlisted men and officers. In Kyoto there is a very nice hotel for enlisted men and civilians and in Kokura there is

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a hotel for officers and their dependents. This hotel is conveniently located on a high mountain and is ideal for mountain climbing and skiing.

Japan on the whole is a very scenic country and transportation is available to all parts.

For those who like to swim in the winter there are several heated swimming pools which are mineralized by old mother nature for health giving benefits. Those who wish to visit with the Japanese people can do so as they are very friendly and eager to please Americans. However their food is usually tasteless because they don't use very much spice in their cooking.

The soldiers who are marrying Japanese and Korean girls will have an easy job supporting them as they don't eat too much but rice and they aren't too fond of expensive clothes.

It is very interesting to see and learn all of the customs and the general life of the Japanese. I hope all of you people are enjoying these stories.

Yours truly,
Pfc. Billie W. Fowler.

Pfc. Creed Lamb of Fort Riley Kansas. Visited here a few days last week with his mother Mrs. Jean Lamb. Mrs. Lamb and daughter Jo took him back as far as Canadian Sunday.

It has been reported that the Sheriff, Peck Morrison was in bed this past week with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Jr. Sunday.

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Sisk Buick Co. Shows New 1952 Automobiles

Check the 1952 line of Buick automobiles and turned the spotlight on their new Airpower carburetor described by Buick engineers as the greatest improvement in a decade.

The 1952 line, freshly restyled and out, includes 16 body styles with four horsepower ratings ranging from 100 to 150. Offered in the Special and Roadmaster series.

Low cars went on display at Sisk Buick Company for this area last Saturday. Steering, which takes the effort out of driving, is an option on the new and bigger steel brakes are featured on other models.

Improvements in body and engine, and insulation, ever more generous use of steel, make all 1952 Buicks quieter, adding to passenger comfort.

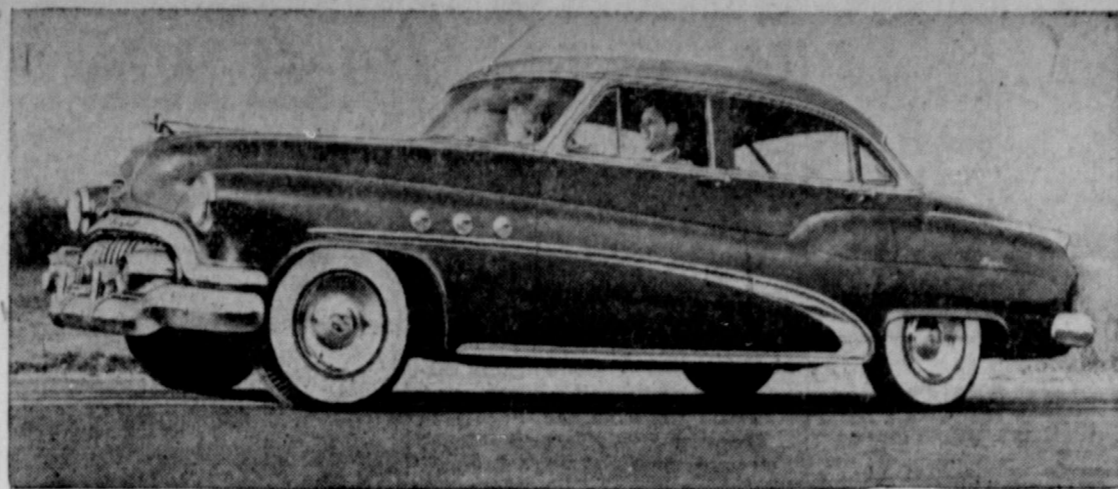
"We believe these improvements, coupled with our new styling features, make Buick the outstanding car value for 1952," and Ivan L. Wiles, general manager of Buick and vice president of General Motors.

Style-wise the 1952 Buick is new from every angle. New rear fender ornaments, smartly styled in chrome, and higher arc rear back lid on the Super and Roadmaster Series, raise the silhouette of the rear section. The new trunk lid provides seven per cent more room in the luggage compartment. Rear fender ornaments also are featured on the Special Series.

A restyled bumper—grille combination that retains that low, roadhugging effect characteristic of Buick styling, and handsome new sweeppear moldings, add fresh beauty to the overall appearance of the car. Stainless steel rocker panel moldings previously featured on the Roadmaster only, have been added to all series.

New high luster, stainless steel wheel covers, embossed with the Buick emblem in the center, all a further touch of distinction to the 1952 line.

Power steering takes nearly all of the effort out of driving, yet it permits the driver to retain that "feel" of the road so necessary for safe operation at high speeds. The maximum pressure needed to



BUICKS ON DISPLAY—The new 1952 Buick went on display last week here at Sisk Buick Company. Among the 1952 models is the popular four-door Riviera sedan in the Super Series, incomparable in the medium-priced field. Important new exterior styling changes and exquisite new interior appointments lend a new note of elegance and beauty to the Buick.

turn the wheels even while stopped, is only nine pounds, compared to 50 pounds with manual steering.

New and bigger front wheel-brakes, designed for greater safety, give more braking capacity at points absorbing the greatest breaking load. The width of the front brake linings in the Super and Special Series has been increased one-half an inch, to 2 3/4 inches. On the Roadmaster the width of the lining has been increased to 2 1/2 inches and the thickness has been increased 33 per cent. All brakes have full riveted linings, for longer life.

Dynaflo, which now has the approval of more than 1,000,000 Buick owners, continues as standard equipment on the Roadmaster and optional on the Super and Special.

Buick Easy-Eye glass, which reduces road glare, is offered as an option on all models.

Numerous changes also have been made in the interior appointments of the 1952 line, featuring many distinctive two-tone combinations in both leather and cloth. Steering wheels in red, green or blue, to match the interior colors are featured on five models in the Roadmaster and Super Series.

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Wm. B. Teague Seeks Office As County Attorney

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"I wish to take this opportunity to announce to the voters of Hall County my candidacy for the office of County Attorney. During the weeks between now and July 26th, I will endeavor to see each of you, get acquainted with you and solicit your vote and support.

"Your investigation of myself and my qualifications for the office I seek are cordially invited. I moved to Memphis the first week of July, 1951 to make my home. I am now asking you to elect me as your County Attorney for the next two years, and you as voters and citizens are entitled to know my qualifications for the office I seek.

"I am 33 years old, married, and have two children. I was born and reared on a farm in Jones County, Texas, where I continued

to live until I entered the United States Army Air Force on December 20, 1939, at which time I enlisted as a private in the Air Force and served until retired as a pilot on December 12, 1943 because of physical disqualifications for further service. I had combat duty in New Guinea during World War II, and it was there that my left leg was amputated, which necessitated by retirement. While I do wear an artificial leg, it does not affect my ability to work nor to get about.

"Immediately after my retirement from the service I sought the office of District Clerk in Jones County, and was elected. During the two years I served in that capacity, I became interested in the practice of law, and in February, 1949, I entered the University of Texas, where I studied in the School of Business Administration and the Law School, receiving an LL.B. Degree from the Law School on June 2, 1951. During the time I was attending the University I served two terms in the Texas Legislature, being a member of the House of Repre-

sentatives from the 115th District during the 50th and 51st sessions. Also during that time, and when the Legislature was not in session, I worked in the Traffic Division of the Police Department of the City of Austin. Since moving to Hall County, I have been engaged in the general practice of law.

"Your County Attorney is the Legal Officer of the County, and if elected to this office I will cooperate fully with all county and state officials, and with the people, to give you the best service of which I am capable. It shall be my purpose to prosecute all crimes of the grade of misdemeanor which are committed within the county, and to assist the District Attorney in the preparation and prosecution of felony crimes committed within the county, and to perform earnestly and honestly all the duties of your County Attorney. I promise no more than full cooperation with the law enforcement officers and other county and state officials and the people, together with an earnest and honest effort to do the best job which I am capable, I sincerely solicit your vote and your support, and look forward to meeting each one of you and discussing my candidacy with you.

Respectfully submitted,
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The Cyclone News

Cue, Curtain Club Gives Masterful Presentation Of "Joan of Lorraine"

One of the most difficult dramatic presentations of a high school dramatic group was undertaken and produced Monday and Tuesday night of this week when the Memphis high school Cue and Curtain Club presented for their annual production this year, Maxwell Anderson's "Joan of Lorraine".

A tedious presentation for even the most skilled actors and actresses because Anderson has woven a play within a play which requires acting within acting—one of the most difficult types of dramatic work.

However, even though the task was difficult, the smoothness and technique of Cue and Curtain members in performing both Monday and Tuesdays showed their dramatic fitness and training.

To single any of the many performers in the dramatic presentation as outstanding would be committing a crime against the others, since all were equally good in pre-

senting "Joan of Lorraine."

The local Cue and Curtain Club had as their guest speech students and English students from Clarion, Turkey, Lakeview, Estelline, Childress and Wellington.

Members of the cast were: Charles Messer as Masters and the Inquisitor; Gereta Graham as Al, the stage manager; Jo Anne Webster as Tessie, the assistant stage manager; Nan Crowder as Marie, the costumer; D'Armon Peabody as Garder, Bertrand De Poulengy, and the electrician; Frank Norman as Jacques D'Arc and Cauchon, Bishop of Beavais; Troy Taylor as Charles Elling and Durand Laxart; Margaret Massey as Mary Grey and Joan; Robert Nelson as Dollner and Pierre D'Arc; Bettie Kennon as Jo Cordell and Jean D'Arc; Ramon Arnold as Farwell and Jean De Metz and the executioner; Max Kennedy as Noble, La Hire, Thomas de Courcelles and D'Estivet; John Foster as Sheppard and

Alain Chartier; Jacky Gilbert as es Ward and The Dauphin; Bobby Hutcherson as Jefferson and Georges de Tremolle; Charles Hartman as Regnault de Chartres, Archbishop of Rheims; Clinton Jones, Long Bastard of Orleans, Quirke Wayne Jenkins as Champlain and Father Massieu; and the voices of Saint Catherine, Saint Margaret and Saint Michael

The girls' All-Tournament team were Nan Crowder Gloria Harris and Clinton Jones.

Memphis, Quail Win Tournament Honors

Memphis High School was host to a group of other schools for its annual tournament January 10, 11 and 12. The attendance and cooperation was splendid making this the best tournament Memphis has ever had.

The Memphis boys under Coach John Hansard, defeated Lockney 54 to 46 for the championship. The Quail girls defeated Hedley for their championship. In the consolation bracket Lelia Lake girls won over Estelline, and Lelia Lake boys defeated Hedley.

Quail's Jo Helen White was selected by the coaches and officials as the best all around girl. She was also high point girl with 86 points, Duane Miller, outstanding Cyclone center, was best all-around boy. Johnny Brumley from Hedley, was high point man with 62 points.

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was Jo Helen White, Quail; Fern Neeley, Quail; Joyce Sanders, Hedley; Carolyn Reeves, Hedley; June Wiley, Lockney; Jettie Sames, Lakeview; Virginia Miller, Quail; Alma Holland, Hedley; Jo Ann Moore, Hedley; Pat Poteet, Lockney; Shella Killiam, Lakeview; Barbara Adams, Estelline.

The boys All-Tournament team was: Duane Miller, Memphis; Jasper Peoples, Quail; Bill Sherman, Lockney; Johnny Brumley, Hedley; Doug Meriwether, Lockney; Gus Orcutt, Estelline; Julius Stevens, Memphis; Gerald Payne, Lakeview; Welcey White, Lelia Lake; and John Kendall, Lockney.

Games played and the scores were as follows:

GIRLS
 Memphis 24 — Carey 22
 Hedley 38 — Lelia Lake 32
 Kirkland 19 — Lockney 45
 Estelline 34 — Quail 42
 Lakeview 45 — Paducah 20
 Wellington 20 — Hedley 37
 Lockney 24 — Quail 42

LOOKING AHEAD

January 24, 25, 26—Jr. High Basketball Tournament
 January 26—Spanish Club Party
 January 28—Junior and Senior Dance
 January 30—Southern Assembly Program, John Regan
 February 1—Wellington here, basketball game*
 * Indicates Conference

Faculty Selects Top Students For This Year's Dis

The faculty of Memphis High School met Monday, January 21, 1952, to select the most versatile girls and boys for the year. Beverly Snell, and Mrs. Rex Snell, Most Versatile Girl of High School. Duane Miller, Mrs. D. S. Miller, Most Versatile Boy of High School.

Twelve students for Who's Who in Memphis were selected. Five seniors included Max Kennedy, Francis Carnis Durham, Jimmy Morrison, Betty Burnett, and The three sophomores were Ronnie Mary Evans, and Duke

Allan Shivers Speaks To Students Of MHS

Governor Allan Shivers spoke to the student body of High School and West Ward January 15, in the High School Auditorium.

W. C. Davis, Superintendent of Schools introduced Louis Foxhall

representative of the County National Democratic Organization, who in turn introduced Allan Shivers, Governor of Texas.

Orchids, Onions

Orchids—To students who were exempt at mid-term.
 Onions—To students who shove one another in the halls.
 Orchids—To Mr. Keyser for working so diligently with the Cyclone Band.
 Onions—To students who insist on gossiping constantly.
 Orchids—To the librarians who assist Miss Hammond efficiently.
 Onions—To students who will not study.
 Orchids—To seniors for co-operating at class meetings.
 Onions—To people who enjoy griping for a pass-time.
 Orchids—To the Business Firms who help support the various activities in school.
 Onions—To students who insist on making noise in study hall.
 Orchids—To the students who have become National Thespians during the year.

Shivers brought out the following points in his talk. We should strive for greater improvement and appreciation of our schools, to be good citizens and neighbors and Christian basis of our government against Iron Curtain Russia. Shivers gave the following quotation of advice he received from Jim Ferguson, former Governor of Texas, "Don't ever let yourself hate so many people that you don't have time to like people."

Governor Shivers was accompanied by Garland Smith his executive secretary and the following local organization members: James Arthur Anthony, member of school board; Carl Harrison, Mayor; Wendell Harrison, Clifford Farmer, Ace Galley, C. B. Calloway and Clinton Culp.

MORNING WATCH
 Morning Watch programs were cut short due to sickness and mid-term exams. The students appearing were: W. A. Bishop reading Genesis 3 and Mary Ann Eppers reading I Corinthians 13.



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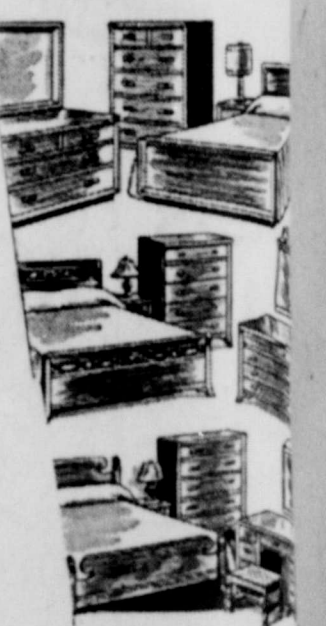
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"We want to thank the people of the 100th Judicial District for the honor and privilege of serving as your District Judge. We wish to express my appreciation for the splendid cooperation given me by the officers, judges and petit jurors and law-abiding citizens, and who have made it possible for the District Court to function in the District Court. Such cooperation has enabled us to dispatch the cases in a very few days. We earnestly solicit your support for re-election as your District Judge."

MAYOR McGUP By John Jarvis



leave after several months service in Korean waters. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCanne. Accompanying Major Lee to California was his aunt, Mrs. Billie Nase and son Mike who will visit her parents, Mr and Mrs. Lee Risinger and sister, Mrs. Royce Lewis in San Diego. They plan to be gone for several months.

SURPRISE PARTY

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Davenport surprised them with a party Friday evening on the occasion of their 21st wedding anniversary. The group presented the honorees with a lovely gift and anniversary cake. Games of canasta were enjoyed by the following: Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gatlin, Mr. and Mrs. James Skinner, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Durham, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith, Sandy and Jerry Garry and Sandra Lee Gatlin. Mr. and Mrs. Clark of Stratford visited with Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Davenport and Mr. and Mrs. H. J. DuVall Friday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Hoggatt and children of Clarendon visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Hoggatt Sunday. Mrs. Bobby Hancock visited her husband, who was at Fort Sill,

Okla., Saturday and Sunday. He left Fort Sill for a camp in Arkansas Monday. He is with the 5th armored division.

Highway Week Proclaimed By Governor Shivers

Observance of Highway Week in Texas, January 17-February 2, will get a head start in Austin at 3 p. m., Sunday, January 27, when Gov. Allan Shivers will officially usher it in. A special program will be held in the senate chamber of the State Capitol, at which he will be the principal speaker. The program will be broadcast during the afternoon by most of the stations of the Texas Liberty network. Honor guests invited to attend

the program are the living former governors of Texas and all members of the Highway Commission, both present and former Commissioners. In addition all members of the House and Senate have been invited to attend. After the program coffee will be served by Hon. Ben Ramsey, Lieutenant Governor, in his quarters adjoining the Senate Chamber.

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is a former pastor of the Lakeview Methodist church. Mrs. O. L. Favors attended a church meeting in Turkey Monday. J. A. Brook, who has been ill and receiving treatment in a Memphis hospital, has returned to his home at Lakeview. Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Payne visited in Childress Sunday. Mrs. R. S. Wansley is still visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. A. Bennett in Waco. Mr. and Mrs. H. J. DuVall were hosts to the 42 club last Monday evening. A delicious dinner was served and games of 42 were enjoyed throughout the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Morgan Salmon were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Davenport. Bennie Earl DuVall of WTSC Canyon, spent the weekend with her parents. Mrs. H. J. DuVall and Mrs. Lyman Davenport made a trip to Amarillo and Canyon Monday. Bennie Earl returned to school with them. Major Lee McCanne left Saturday for California where he will report for further duty with the U. S. Navy. He has been here for the past 30 days enjoying a

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Editorial

Death & Taxes . . . Sure Things

Last week President Truman made his annual economic address to the Congress of this country.

The text of his speech . . . more money . . . more money . . . higher taxes.

To this man who holds the highest seat in our government, the only apparent solution to anything in the government is to spend money.

To do that, as he has, he must constantly ask for more and higher taxes.

It has been said that President Truman has collected and spent more tax money in his few years in the White House than all of our other Presidents.

After the tax scandals and the mink coat frauds were uncovered . . . what was the President's answer?

Appropriate so much money to hire someone to clean up this mess he has let his administration get into. This backfired on him when he couldn't get anyone to accept the job as he offered it.

Taxes are higher now per individual and per business than at any time in our history.

And yet our government is further in debt than it ever has been since its beginning more than 200 years ago.

Under President Truman's administration all attempts at economy have been thrown to the wind and money has been spent on everything with no thought whatever to economy or to ease the American taxpayer.

Those in favor of Truman's so called administration point out that people are making more money now than ever before . . . but they won't deny that we are riding on false security and that this inflation is slowly gaining momentum and eventually the pendulum must swing back the other way.

The head of every American family will have an extra debt or tax burden of \$226 average if President Truman's new budget calls for the expected \$3 billion dollars.

This was recently estimated by the US Chamber of Commerce which urged its members to help cut federal spending by easing up their pressure on Congress for money for state and local projects.

The Chamber said its figures are based on a 10 billion dollar boost in federal spending.

What is the solution to all these taxes the Average American is now laboring under?

No one knows the complete answer. But some economy-minded Americans and representatives of our government have come up with some good ideas.

One, is a bill introduced last September by Congressman Chauncey W. Reed of Illinois. It takes the form of "Joint Resolution Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the United States Relative to Taxes on Incomes, Inheritances and Gifts."

To become law, it must be approved by a two-thirds vote of both Houses and then ratified by three-fourths of the states.

The heart of this proposal is to fix the maximum total rate of all taxes, duties and excises on income at 25 per cent. There are exceptions in time of war and other precautions.

VENTRILOQUIST ACT



Wiser men than we, have said many times that the only way to cut the cost of government is to take some of the money away from the bureaucrats and department heads and all the rest of the power-hungry politicians.

That can best be done only after a basic law of the land makes taxation beyond a certain level impossible.

This bill, if made into law, could be one step to help us fight inflation. Other measures are necessary, but this, at least, is a starting point.

The time to start is now. Excessive taxation can destroy a nation. We are at the danger point now!

Press Paragraphs— QUOTING OUR NEIGHBORS

President Coolidge enabled the republican party of the mid-19-0's to surmount the Teapot Dome scandals because the vigorously plunged into the task of leaning house. He named a strong non-partisan commission to go over the Administration from top to bottom. Mr. Truman may find himself grossly in error if he believes he can get by with lesser measures. If he fails to order the thorough firing the situation demands, the merican voters may direct it themselves — on November 4, 1952. —Hagertown (Md.) Herald

Index dropped us a letter last Tuesday complaining that "you do not show enough respect for the president of the United States; in fact, you do not show any respect at all." Well, ma'am, I can't see any use attempting to show respect for President Truman when I don't have any. I've got no use for him, no respect for him, think the country would be better off if he was in Missouri and am convinced that the fastest way we can get him out of the White House is adangsite too slow. We trust that clears up the situation as far as viewpoints are concerned. —Terrell (Tex) Index (Dem)

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Memorials
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Thursday, July 22, 1920
LATE NEWS FROM TEST WELLS IN WILDCAT FIELDS—The Estelline-Red River well, near the town site at Estelline is now down over 500 feet and splendid progress is being made according to reports this week Work on the Home People's well is temporarily suspended because of a broken pump. We understand that they now have a clear 10-inch hole cased off and are ready to go down and that drilling will be resumed soon.
JEWETT WOMEN OFFICERS STOP SUNDAY BASEBALL—After a Sunday morning preaching service at the Jewett Methodist church, a resolution was presented and unanimously passed by the congregation, denouncing Sunday baseball.
UNDERWOOD SPEAKS FOR R. E. THOMASON—Honorable R. E. Underwood, of Amarillo, spoke here from the band-stand on court house lawn Saturday afternoon in behalf of the candidacy of Honorable Ewing for governor. Underwood only a small audience were men, and he was a respectful, but silent at the close of his speech. STRICTLY PERSONAL—Martin and family returned day from a visit to the section were not as good as here. Mr. and Mrs. Jones are here visiting of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jones at El. The section closed Tuesday there were 13 addresses church and pledges build a good house R. Hicks Daniel president Panhandle district of YPSCE at the Main Street of Christ Sunday with Mrs. Officers elected President George W. President Miss Willie surer Rainy Elliott and Fay Rogers.

25 Years Ago

Thursday, March 31, 1927
HALL COUNTY SCHOOLS HOLD COUNTY MEET—The county meet of the International League will be held in Memphis Friday and Saturday of this week and pupils from all Hall county will be present and participate in many literary and field events. These annual events are productive of much good and creates good will among the people of the entire county as well as stimulate an interest in school affairs.
ODD FELLOWS HOLD HOUSE TUESDAY—Memphis Odd Fellows and Rebekah entertained their friends at Odd Fellows Hall Tuesday night with an interesting and instructive program. Judge S. A. Bryant presided and explained the meeting.
RECORD BROKEN IN PRODUCTION OF COTTON GINNED—Nearly 70,000 bales of cotton for the 1926 crop has been ginned in Hall county up to March 21, it was announced this week. This is nearly ten thousand bales more than any previous crop and would have topped 75,000 or 80,000 bales if all the cotton had been picked.
COUNTY AGENT TO BRING IN MILK COWS—County Agent L. M. Thompson is in East Texas this week buying a car load of good milk cows which he will ship to local farmers.

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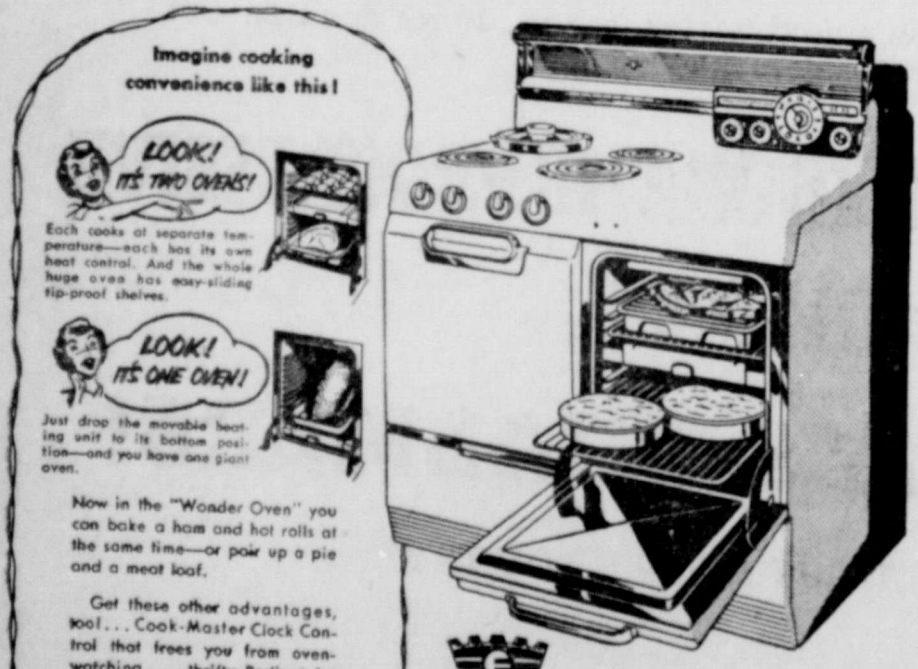
STRICTLY PERSONAL—Mrs. Jim McMother went to L... week to visit his two and Mrs. J. O. Vinney of Clarendon visited Mrs. J. C. Wells, T... and Mrs. Chester W... Luther Darby all of E... in Memphis Monday. Mae Tribble was home from Canyon where she macks Grocery, Mr. and daughter, Mary the week end with D. Cooper at Clarendon

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New Oldsmobiles Now On Display At Potts

Fifteen choices of car colors, and top are offered in two-tone combinations. Upholstery selections have been chosen with the object of giving "individualized treatment" to the ten body styles comprising the three series in the 1952 Oldsmobile line.

"Rich broadcloth of light and dark gray or green provides a classic interior for the '98' four door sedan," said the Oldsmobile dealers. "The two other '98' Classic models—the Holiday Coupe and the convertible coupe—have their own distinctive upholstery. Leather in red, green, blue or black is available in the convertible, along with a pair of two-tone leather combinations. The Holiday coupe features combinations of leather in red, green, blue or black, with harmonizing basket weave nylon in gray, green or blue."

Nylon cord is the key upholstery in the numerous combinations offered in the 1952 Super "88" models. The Super "88" four-door sedan, two-door sedan and club coupe feature gray or green nylon sharkskin with light gray or green nylon Bedford cord. The Super "88" Holiday coupe offers combinations of leather in color with nylon Bedford cord in light matching colors. The Super "88" convertible coupe is upholstered in red or black leather as solid color or two-tone combinations of green or blue leather.

The third and lowest-priced Oldsmobile series—the Delux "88"—features gray basket weave corded cloth in both the four-door and two-door sedans.

One of the highlights among many interior styling improvements, according to Jones, is the use of real carpeting as standard floor covering in all models of the "98" Series. This carpeting harmonizes in color with the upholstery, headlining and interior trim. Rubber floor covering of improved appearance will be used in the Super "88" and Delux "88" series.

The "98" closed models have a combination cigaret lighter and covered ash tray on the back of the rear seat that offers new convenience and utility.

New custom lounge seats with extra deep foam rubber cushions are available as an optional choice at extra cost on the Series "98" models. Foam rubber also is used in the seat upholstery of the Series "98" and Super "88" cars.



NOW ON DISPLAY—Oldsmobiles 1952 Super "88" four-door sedan is powered by a more efficient 160 h.p. "Rocket" engine that offers better performance according to Potts Chevrolet, distributors who placed the new '52 Oldsmobile on display here today.

Mrs. Otho Fitzjarrald and daughter Kathryn of Amarillo visited here over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wherry.

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V. L. McGLOCKLINS MOVE TO SAN ANTONIO

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. McGlocklin and family, former Memphis residents, stated in a letter to the Democrat this week that they were moving to San Antonio. Mr. McGlocklin had accepted a position as music and educational director of the Harlandale Baptist Church.

In the letter, the McGlocklins stated they would like to hear

from any of their friends here and extended an invitation to visit them at their home, 434 Rayburn Dr., San Antonio. They formerly lived at Altus.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Edmonson and son Wayne visited over the weekend with friends and relatives and Mr. Edmonson attended a reunion of the football players who played under Dan Stallworth from 1930-36.

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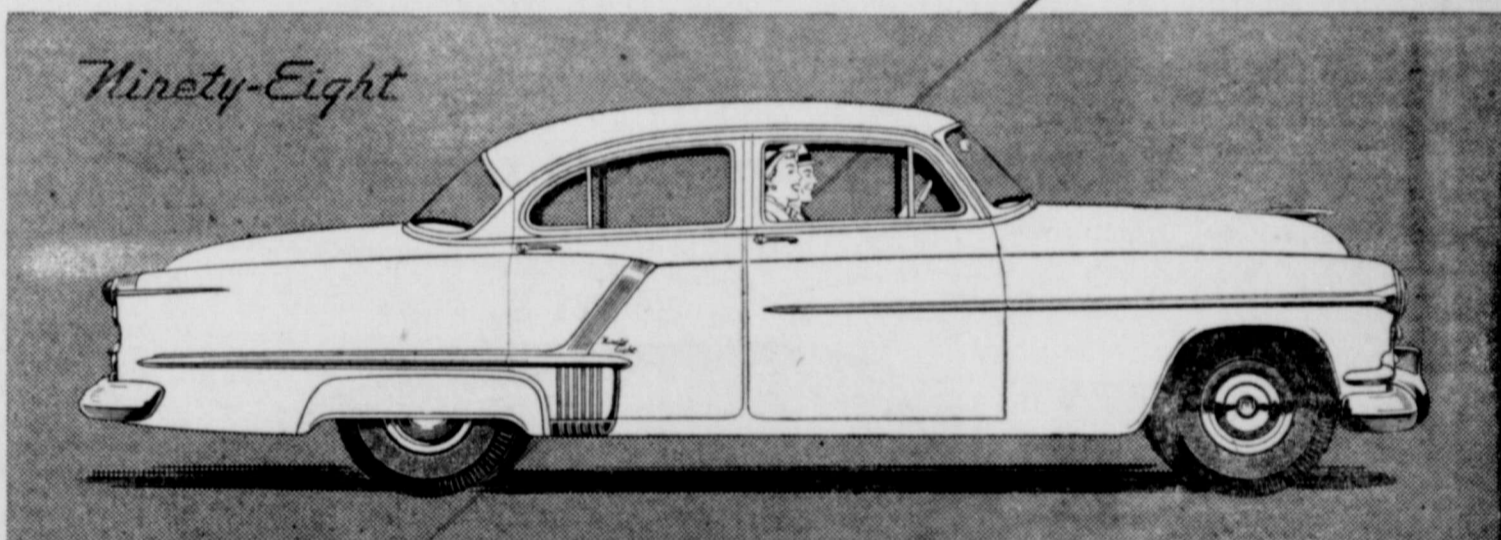
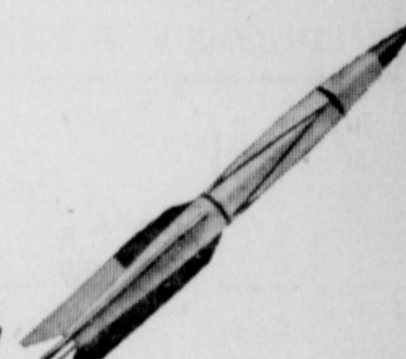
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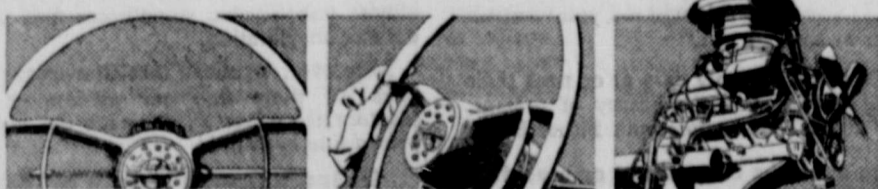
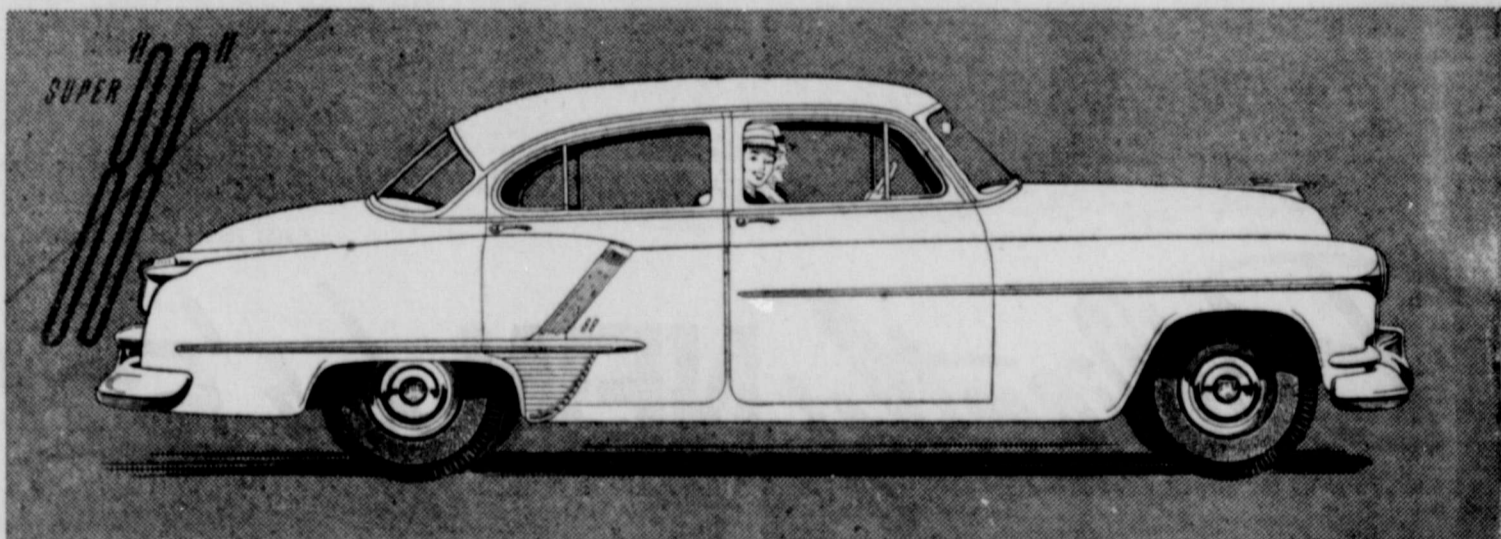
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PERSONALS

Mrs. Herschel Combs and Mrs. Roy McClure visited in Wellington Friday with relatives.

Mrs. Charline Tinsley and daughters formerly of Dallas are here on an extended visit with her father, Charles Drake.

Kermit Upshaw and daughter Marlin visited here over the weekend with George Dickson who underwent surgery at a local hospital last week. Mr. Dickson is the father of Mrs. Upshaw and she has been here with him for the past week.

Mrs. Ed Monzingo and son Tony visited in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Fowler visited in Amarillo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Liner and daughter of Odessa spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Liner.

Jimmy Don Scott of Childress visited in Memphis Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fowler visited in Lubbock Thursday.

John Shadid is in Dallas for market this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Sargent visited in Amarillo Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Sargent.

Cpl. Don Morrison of Camp Hood visited here over the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Morrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Ansil Adamson of Hedley visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kilpatrick Sunday.

B. G. Clifton of Phillips visited here last week with his mother, Mrs. W. T. Clifton.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Stevens and daughter Betty of Amarillo spent Saturday night with the Leonard Wilsons.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Greene are in Dallas this week for market.

Mrs. A. Anisman is in Dallas this week for market.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Monzingo and

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son Tony, and Miss Ethel Hillhouse visited in Dallas over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Liner spent Sunday in Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dunn visited in Childress Saturday.

Mrs. Wilma Davis and sons and Mr. J. T. Dennis visited in Floydada Sunday with Mr. Dennis's daughter, Mrs. W. J. Wilkes and family. Mrs. Wilkes underwent surgery last week but is doing very well.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Dennis visited in Floydada Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Foster and children are visiting in Abilene this week with Mrs. Foster's mother, Mrs. J. H. Ball.

Patsy Nell and Adrian Combs of Texas Tech in Lubbock were home this past weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Combs.

Mrs. Donna C. Lane spent Wednesday in Wellington with her sister, Mrs. M. E. Foster.

Mrs. Gordon Shankle and son Jim and Mrs. Ann Kercheville of Childress visited here Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. W. P. Baten and with other friends.

Miss Isabelle Parks of Trinidad, Colo., visited here from Friday through Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Barber.

Don Genter Leases Service Dept. At Kemp Machinery

Don Genter this week leased the mechanical department at Kemp Machinery Co., local Massey-Harris dealer.

Under his supervision, the service department will do general repairing of cars, tractors and trucks. Genter will also service the implements handled by the dealer.

He has resided in Memphis for several years, and has been associated with different car dealers here working as a mechanic and shop foreman.

Cpl. Randolph Messer Graduates From A&E School; Goes To Ill.

Cpl. Randolph Messer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Messer of Memphis, graduated from A&E school at Sheppard Air Force Base, Wichita Falls, on January 14.

Cpl. Messer will leave Sheppard Field Tuesday for Chanute Field, Ill., where he will take advance training. He has been in the Air Force since January 2, 1951.

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