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Confidential Corner

Duz Everything

As most of you know despite all predictions to the contrary Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Perry have recently moved into their new home. What you may not know is that Wiley has also acquired a tool which has been named "Duz" because it "Does Everything." The tool — its really a garden tractor with power mower, plows, etc. — is said to be almost miraculous in its powers. A minister who resides nearby claims that Wiley, when he is mowing the lawn, starts the tractor, sights with one eye along the path he wants it to go, aims it and then lets go. We can't vouch for this ourselves but we do know that Wiley is making a lot of extraordinary claims. In addition to all the tools he has acquired a sulky which he can attach behind the machine and ride while he mows the lawn or does other work. Some one uptown suggested that it reminded him so much of a racing sulky that he thought Wiley should attach a buggy whip as standard equipment. Still others insist that Wiley is seeking to have a television set and radio installed. That machine we gotta see!

Still Hungry

Due to the fact that we were unable to get away from the office we missed attending the banquet for the basketball teams last Friday night but judging from the reports this must have been the finest entertainment yet held for any of the athletic teams. However, one man returned home claiming he was still hungry because he was unfortunate enough to be seated between Mr. Henderson and Prof. McCorkle so that he was so busy passing fish that he didn't have time to eat. He even went so far as to claim that he was so busy that until later he didn't realize he was missing his supper. We know what he means!

Queer Doings

Speaking of the basketball banquet we understand that Clyde Watts had quite a bit of difficulty in getting through Dyersburg on his way to the Lake. In the car with Clyde were Mr. and Mrs. McCorkle, Mr. and Mrs. Henderson and Mrs. Watt. Since Clyde has made the trip on numerous occasions it is hard for us to understand how he could possibly get on the wrong road. We have inquired but so far haven't learned who was riding in the front seat with him. The conversation must have been quite interesting to cause Clyde to drive into a man's driveway or was it garage while trying to get to the lake — or something!

Red Cross Quota Passed

Once more Halls has maintained its record of never having fallen down on a Red Cross Roll Call quota. Chairman L. B. Jones this week announced that the quota of \$700 has been reached with still more donations coming in. Congratulations to Mr. Jones, the workers and the citizens of Halls.

Qualifying Time

The deadline for qualifying for offices in the city election to be held May 5 is almost here and there are still no definite candidates for the Board of Aldermen. One or two have stated that they may make the race but no one had made a definite commitment at the time this was written. This is a serious matter. Come one must attend to the city's business and under the Charter the town must have a Mayor and six aldermen. Paul Crittendon has qualified for Mayor and so far as we can learn no one else has done so. Next Tuesday is the deadline. Better get busy and qualify, some of you business men.

CIVIC CHORUS TO GIVE CONCERT

The Dyersburg Civic Chorus will present a concert in Halls on the evening of April 18th at the Grammar School Auditorium. The Chorus will appear here under the sponsorship of the Beta Club of Halls High School.

Red Cross Drive Quota Reached

L. B. Jones, chairman of the Red Cross Roll Call drive, has announced that the drive has gone over the quota of \$700 with some districts yet to report.

An additional list of donors is as follows:

W. C. Patton	\$5.00
Forke Deer Electric Coop	10.00
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Meeks	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cook	1.00
Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Gooch	1.00
O. B. Burk	1.00
R. D. Reece	1.00
F. B. Ragland	2.50
Fred R. Hurt	1.00
Halls Ice & Coal Co.	10.00
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P. H. Henderson	5.00
John Scott	1.00
Mrs. Jett Mtadows	1.00

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Storm Damages Old Hanna Hotel

Halls felt some of the wind-storm which struck in Arkansas Saturday afternoon and badly damaged Troy, Tenn.

Striking about 6:30 the big wind damaged the old Hanna Hotel building now owned by Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Perry when it blew in the south gable. The apartment and furniture occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hamilton was badly damaged and they missed possible injury only because they had just gone into the kitchen to eat supper.

All of the street lights on the west side of town were burned out when a line was blown down and many in other sections of town. The power was off for an hour and one half and many trees and limbs were down.

Gates also felt the wind and west of Halls several outbuildings were blown down. No injuries were reported.

Have you renewed your subscription to the Graphic?

Progressive Farming

We would like to suggest that you look elsewhere on this page of the Halls Graphic and read the story of the farm progress of Lauderdale County during the past ten years as related in the County Agent's News Letter for this week. We believe that this letter will be of much interest as well as informative.

No Poll Tax Needed

We have been informed that poll tax receipt will be needed to vote in the primary election for attorney general to be held May 7. However, a poll tax receipt will be required to vote in the city election May 5.

Hon. John Gray To Address Lions

The Hon. John Gray, Brownsville attorney and well known speaker, will be the guest speaker at the annual Halls Lions Club Ladies Night Program next Tuesday night, April 5, according to an announcement by Lion W. C. Patton, chairman of the Program committee for the occasion.

The meal for the event will be prepared under the supervision of Mrs. James Peery, high school home economics teacher, with the meeting to be held in the school cafeteria.

Members of the club, their wives and one additional guest — if they wish — will attend the meeting with some ninety people expected to be present.

Club members should notify the preparations committee composed of Louis Levy, Mac Hansbrough and Roy Patton if they expect to attend and whether or not they intend to bring a guest. This must be done during Friday or Saturday so that definite knowledge of the number to be prepared for will be available.

Baptists To Have Youth Revival

The Rev. R. J. Cooper, pastor, will bring the messages for the annual Youth Revival of the Halls Baptist Church which will begin Sunday, April 10, and continue through the following Sunday, April 17. Services will be held each night at 7:30.

Young people will be in charge of the various phases of the revival with a Board of Deacons, song leader, pastor, Sunday School teachers, superintendent, etc. being selected from among the young people of the church. A list of these will be published next week. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

NEW DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Neill Bivens of Jackson, Tenn., announce the birth of a daughter on Tuesday, March 29. She has been named Gloria Dean. Mrs. Bivens is the former Eleanor Faye Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baker of Halls.

Workers Must Ask For SS Payments

"Retirement insurance benefits are provided for by Federal Old-Age and Survivors Insurance," Joe P. Tipton, Manager of the Dyersburg, Tennessee, social security office stated today.

He said, "These benefits are payable to a worker 65 years old or older who has retired from work that is covered by the social security law. Also benefits may be paid to the worker's wife if she is 65 years old and to his unmarried, dependent children under the age of 18.

"The law provides that no person can receive payment for any month in which he works and earns more than \$14.99 in covered employment," Mr. Tipton said. "However, retirement is considered on a month to month basis, and a qualified person who is temporarily sick or unemployed but who intends to return to work should file an application so he can receive benefits for those months in which he does not earn over \$14.99." Mr. Tipton added, "Any person who thinks he might be entitled to social security insurance payments should write or visit our office in the First Citizens National Bank Building, Dyersburg, Tenn. Inquiries are welcome."

PASCHAL IN TOWN

County Agent F. H. Paschal was visiting in Halls in the business section Tuesday.

To Present Senior Play, April 8

Four new members have been added to the cast of "Professor, How Could You!", the annual senior class play, being presented on Friday night, April 8, at the Halls Grammar School Auditorium. They are Pat Warren, Alix Hallman, Alan Levy and Steve Pugh who play the parts of the newly acquired children of the professor, Clyde Simmons, and his loving wife, Jackie Belton.

Betty Edens, Ann Stallings, Cindy Ashford and Jonny Thompson are all making a mad attempt to get themselves married with the aid of Grandma, Jane Hall; Grandpa, Barton Simmons; Bog-gins, the butler, Tommy Simmons; and Butcher Boy Bean, the wrestler, Buddy Love.

Scenery is being constructed by the senior class boys under the direction of Mr. H. G. Conley.

Crittenden In Mayor's Race

Paul W. Crittendon, present member of the Board of Aldermen, has authorized the Halls Graphic to announce his candidacy for the Mayor of Halls in the city election to be held Thursday, May 5.

Mr. Crittendon has served on the Board of Aldermen for the past two year term and served on the previous board by appointment following the resignation of a member.

Mr. Crittendon has stated that he will make his formal statement at an early date and will make an effort to contact all the voters prior to the election date. He will appreciate your vote and influence.

Call 6311 or 3421 and tell us the news.

LAUDERDALE TEACHERS TO MEET FRIDAY

The Lauderdale County Teachers Association will hold their final meeting of the year Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock according to Prof. H. G. McCorkle, president of the organization. The meeting will be held in the Ripley High School Auditorium. All teachers are urged to attend.

Baptist Men's Bible Class

WHOM DO MEN SAY THAT I AM? Mark 8: 27.

At the time Jesus asked the above question of His disciples, He had reached the peak of His popularity and acclaim amongst the multitudes of the countries in which He had preached and performed His miracles, also mounting hostility on the part of His enemies indicated that the time of death on the Cross was approaching.

Jesus used the incident recorded in this lesson from the 8th chapter of Mark to draw from His disciples an expression or declaration of their understanding of Him.

There had been many who had followed Him under the expectation that He would overthrow the Roman control of their government and set up an earthly kingdom; there were also those who had been attracted by His power to heal their bodies and feed them with loaves and fishes, but who had failed to grasp the greater import of His purpose in the World, that of feeding them heavenly manna for their souls.

So He was deeply concerned as to how much His life before, and His teachings to His followers had succeeded in revealing to them His real identity and His purpose.

That His labors had not failed is revealed in the answer of Peter to Christ's question, "Thou art the Christ, the Son of the Living God." Mark 8:29.

Immediately after this great declaration of Faith by the great disciple, that He should suffer many evil things of His enemies, be rejected of the ruling elders, of the chief priests and scribes crucified on the Cross, and to rise again on the third day, He rebuked Peter for tempting Him, for misunderstanding the need of His vicarious death, burial and resurrection. He then called all the people, together with the disciples, and said unto them, "Whosoever will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross and follow me." Mark 8:34.

We gather from this story, two great truths (1) It is vitally important that we know Christ aright. That our knowledge of Him comes not from the lips or example of men, but the Heavenly Father reveals it to us; (2) That in order to be His disciple, We must deny ourselves to the extent that we will make Him and His cause first in our lives, and be willing to help bear His cross of humiliation, toil and suffering if needs be and follow (keep following) Him.

The world did not understand Jesus while He was here on earth, it was hard for even the Disciples (continued on page 2)

GATES PTA SPONSORING MINSTREL TONIGHT

Sponsored by the Gates Parent Teachers Association, a black-face minstrel, "Plantation Life" and a beauty revue called "Beauty Pageant of Kitchen Queens" featuring some of the older and married ladies of Gates will be presented tonight (Friday) in the Gates Grammar School Auditorium.

Written and directed by Dr. Sara York Murray, the minstrel is full of laughs from start to finish and the Beauty Pageant is planned as the high light of laughter for the evening. A frantic search for evening dresses to fit the prospects has been going on in Gates and Halls for the past several days.

An enjoyable evening is assured all who attend.

Elementary News Notes

Steelman and Steelman The "hokey" game on April one,

In many cases might be fun, But, not for those who realize The school year all too quickly flies.

First Grade
All first graders are thrilled over the warm sunny days. They can hardly eat lunch fast enough to run for a swing or a see-saw. Miss Walker's first graders made their first public appearance last week. They sang for the 3rd grade during their music period.

Second Grade
We enjoyed having "Miss Electra" for our music period while "Miss" Marsaline was ill. Anne Younger visited her grandmother in Nashville, Tenn. over the weekend.

We are enjoying our new tinker toys and modeling clay very much.

Third Grade
Those on our sick list last week were James Goodwin, Ray Garrison, Harry Wright, Glenn Newman, and Bobby Terry.

We received a letter from Larry Joe Hall who has moved to another school. We were happy to hear from him.

Thanks! Mr. Harward for visiting our grade and playing your accordion for us.

We are sorry "Miss" Marsaline has been absent from school because of illness.

We think the new caution light in front of our school is nice and a good safety measure. We had "Superman" to visit us last week and perform for us in his beautifully designed suit. He was very exciting. He was none other than one of our very own classmates; Johnny Olds.

We sang Happy Birthday to Jane Chesler Wednesday.

We have a new student from Dyer County — Ruth Helen Owsley.

In Science we are studying about soil. This week we are planting some bean seed in a box of soil in our room so that we may watch their growth.

Fourth Grade
We are glad to have Edward Owsley from Nauvoo as a new pupil.

On our sick list this week are Celia Wiley, Tommy Joe Stanley, and Tommy Freeman.

We extend our sympathy to Ernest Bell and his parents due to the death of his grandfather.

We enjoyed helping Jimmy Nichols and Mackie Cutler celebrate their birthdays this week.

We are so proud of our new records "The Little Tune That Ran Away", and "Safety Measures". They are really clever.

Our new library books are so colorful and interesting. Thanks! Mrs. McCorkle.

Fifth Grade
We are saying "Goodbye", to the March winds and "Hello" to April with its showers. We have been enjoying the beautiful spring flowers that Roberta Lawrence has been bringing to our room. We will observe the first week in April as bird week and are looking forward to it with a great deal of interest.

The new library books are wonderful and thanks! to those who made it possible for us to have this privilege.

We have just returned from an imaginary trip to Hawaii and the Philippines and we really discovered many wonders of nature there.

We are glad to have Joyce Harrell and Wayne Forsythe back who have been sick several days. "Miss" Marsaline has been sick and we hope she will soon be back. We missed Mrs. Nowell Friday. We wish to express our sympathy to Mauritta Lovelace due to the death of her grandfather. Sonny Higdon celebrated his 11th birthday March 23rd.

Sixth Grade
Twenty-three pupils of the 6th grade attended Sunday School last Sunday morning.

Among our collection of pictures we have a new picture of Mars (a planet) a true view of (Continued on Page 4)

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HALLS, TENNESSEE**

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Editor and Publisher**

EVERY FRIDAY MORNING

Readers ads, 10 cents per line, 25 cents minimum charge; card of thanks, 7 cents per line, 50 cents minimum charge; memoriams, 7 cents per line; obituaries, free; all cash with order. Display rates on request.

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Announcements

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL

DYER — Ross W. Dyer has authorized the Halls Graphic to announce him as a candidate for the office of Attorney General of the 16th Judicial Circuit composed of Lauderdale, Tipton, McNairy, Fayette and Hardeman counties, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, May 7, 1949.

WATKINS — George C. Watkins has authorized the Halls Graphic to announce him as a candidate for re-election to the office of Attorney General of the 16th Judicial Circuit composed of Lauderdale, Tipton, Fayette, Hardeman and McNairy counties, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary May 7, 1949.

OUR NEW TELEPHONE NO. 18 — 6311 —

**Sunday School
Lesson**

By Walter C. Davis, D. D., Tennessee School of Religion, University of Tennessee

(Mark 8:27 - 34; Luke 9:28 - 35)

"CHRIST'S CROSS AND THE CHRISTIAN'S CROSSES"

The great emblem of Christianity is an emblem of defeat. It starts with defeat and death. It ends by exclaiming, King of Kings and Lord of Lords. To the men who knew Christ in the flesh the cross remained a mystery. If you would write the truth of the cross in briefest words, you must borrow the language of the Apostles, "God was in Christ, reconciling the world unto Himself". We gaze upon the cross and exclaim, "He loved me and gave Himself for me." Grace was in the heart of God.

It was an accepted cross. Its shadow was across the whole life pathway of Jesus, and He accepted it. He first tested the faith of the disciples by the questions, "Who do men say that I the Son of Man am?" and "Whom say ye that I am?" Then He began to teach them that the Son of Man must suffer many things. He steadfastly set His face to go to Jerusalem. This was the supreme demonstration of His conformity to the will of God.

It was a sacrificial cross. The world moves forward because good men and women do things they don't particularly want to do but which need to be done. We have

great and reverent sayings of the Apostles as thought of Christ's death: "Forgiveness through His own blood;" "The remission of sins;" "The riches of His grace;" "Purchased with His own blood;" "And the blood . . . cleanseth us from all sin."

There are to be comrades of the cross. We are to be "confronted to His death." We must know "the fellowship of His suffering." Standing before the cross we are to realize that we too are guilty, that we stand with those who crucified Him. We are to take up our cross and follow Him. He helps us bear

it, and we have fellowship with Him. The disciple must say "no" to self so that he can say "yes" to Christ.

It is an adapted cross. It is in the plan and purpose of God. It accomplishes its purpose in our lives. It is not so great that His grace is insufficient for us.

An old legend says a man grew weary of his burden. It cut his shoulders and made them sore. He thought his burden bigger than any other. The Lord told him he could exchange it. He went to the hall where the burdens were kept. The walls were lined with all manner of burdens, great and small of every shape. Taking off his old one he tried on a new one. It didn't fit. He tried many and at last went away with a new burden. But the next day he returned and asked for his old burden, saying that it fit better and he could manage it better than the new. So our crosses are adapted to our strength.

ing table and a cake iced in pastel colors was placed at each end of the table, one for Jane and one for Mackie. Both received many lovely gifts.

Those present were Bena and Evalyn Smith, Barbara Hudgens, Barbara Freeman, Martha Hudson, Patsy Perry, Kay McGarrity, Jo Ann Hurt, Barbara Cannon, Loretta Rainey and Marian Welch of Friendship, Josh Nunn, Buddy Murchison, Tommy Flynn, Harold Tucker, Larry Steelman, John Roberts, Harold Burroughs, Billy Reeves and George Castleman.

Assisting in the serving were Mrs. Neil Ferguson, Misses Martha Bell Yarbrough and Ellen Chesler.

oree, Mrs. L. L. McDearman, Mrs. Fred R. Hurt, Mrs. J. H. Murchison, Mrs. David Nunn and Mrs. Warren.

Mrs. Hargett wore a corsage of gardenias, the gift of a friend. She was presented a milk glass fruit compote.

CLASSIFIED ADS

For Sale

BABY CHICKS — Tenn. U. S. Approved, Pullorum Passed. Now hatching. Order early through P. H. Henderson's Store. Royal Chick Hatchery, Jackson, Tenn.

FOR SALE — 1 1942 Ford pickup. L. E. Cribfield, Sr., Phone 2791 or 3961.

FOR SALE — Building lots on East Main and Love Lane. See Charles M. Love, Phone 2221.

FOR RENT 4-room apartment on College Street. Fred Fitzhugh, Chatter Box, Phone 2061.

FOR SALE — New washing machines, twenty percent down, balance monthly. Call Templeton's, Dyersburg.

FOR SALE — Fryers, about 2 lb. average. Walter Parmenter, Phone 4846.

FOR SALE — 2 pairs of young mules, well broken. Sumrow Steelman, Route 2, Halls.

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FOR SALE — Five Singer sewing machines, all treadle. We will make it electric, or will make yours electric in the old case or put it in a portable case. We will trade. We do expert repair service. Call Templeton's, Dyersburg, Tenn.

FOR SALE — 2 trucks, a 1947 Ford in tip top condition, a one-owner job, also larger one some larger, Phone 5491.

LOST

LOST — Lapel pin with gold leaves and three bunches of pearls Friday uptown. Please return to Mrs. C. C. Nearn.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT — 4-room unfurnished apartment opposite Grammar School. See Mrs. W. H. Hall, Phone 3584 or 2708.

FOR RENT — For 1-3 of crop, 100 acres of good hill land. Planted in beans last two years. Russell Rucker, Tel. 294 or 848, Dyersburg.

FOR RENT — 2 large room unfurnished apartment, water and lights, \$17.50 a month. Cheshier's Service Station, Phone 3072.

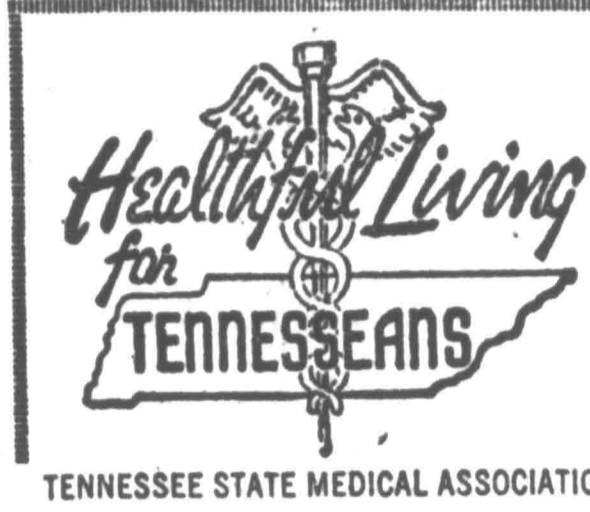
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SPARE PARTS FOR THE HUMAN BODY

"Buddy, can you spare a dime?", says the bum on the street. "Spare Parts Sold Here" says the sign over Tony's junk shop.

There are spare parts used in medical practice, too. We now have the eye bank, the bone bank, and the blood bank.

The gear you buy from Tony may last longer than the rest of your car, but the dime you spare the bum will soon vanish.

Body tissues and fluids transferred from one individual to another are more like the bum's dime — they are short-lived, too. They serve the host temporarily until he can grow new tissue of his own.

Today, due to surgical skill, many types of blood tissue can be transferred. Fascia, tendon, nerve, cartilage, bone, skin, blood, and cornea of the eye are spare parts used in body repair.

All of these spare parts except the cornea of an eye live only temporarily in the host. They are soon absorbed, re-deposited, or otherwise changed.

Skin, bone, cartilage, nerves, fascia, and tendons when transferred to another individual may be regarded as bridges across which the body can quickly build new structures of its own.

The cells of transfused blood live only a short while in the patient and are of only temporary value to him.

Even though human spare parts are not accepted as being good enough by the host, they serve the purpose of assisting the body to replace destroyed or diseased tissue and thus bring about repair.

Spare parts for human bodies are correcting deformities, restoring health, and saving life.

**PARTY HONORS
JANE CHESHIER AND
MACKIE CUTLER**

Jane Cheshier and Mackie Cutler were jointly honored Tuesday when their mothers, Mrs. James Cheshier and Mrs. Odell Cutler, entertained with a party at Mrs. Cutler's country home. Jane celebrated her ninth birthday and Mackie celebrated his tenth birthday.

Numerous games were played on the lawn and later the guests were invited into the house where they were served ice cream and cake. A low bowl of spring flowers centered the lace-draped diners.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of Arch R. Pitts, deceased
Notice is hereby given that on the 28th day of March, 1949, letters testamentary in respect of the estate of Arch R. Pitts, deceased, were issued to the undersigned by the County Court of Lauderdale County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured against his estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above named court within nine months from the date of the first publication of this notice, otherwise their claims will be forever barred.

This 29th day of March, 1949.
W. M. KENLEY, Executor
ROSS W. DYER,
Atty. for Executor

Tomato Contracts
Are now being written. Come in and get your seed and contract.

Halls Canning Company
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JOHN WAYNE IN
'Sea Spoilers'
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6 TO 8 POUND AVERAGE SMOKED PICNICS, lb.	49c
ABROS CELLO WRAPPED SKINLESS FRANKS, lb.	49c
GRADE A BEEF SIRLOIN STEAK, lb.	79c
SLICED THE WAY YOU LIKE IT BACON, lb.	55c
HUNT'S YELLOW CLING PEACHES, No. 2 1-2 can	28c
KEYKC MARGARINE, 1 lb. carton	25c
BLACKBERRIES, 1 lb. 3 oz can	23c
CHARMIN TOILET TISSUE, 4 rolls	39c
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Friday Morning, March 25, 1949

THE HALLS GRAPHIC, Halls, Tennessee

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Bowers celebrated their 3rd wedding anniversary at the American Legion Hut Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Littleton of Memphis spent the weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Agee.

Dress-Up for Easter

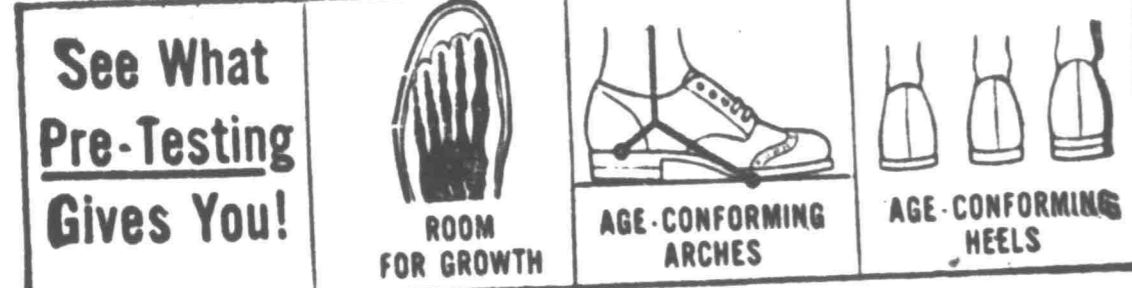


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Local Happenings

Mrs. Dick Brister and son, Jackie, left Monday to return to their home in Conway, Ark., after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Scott. They were accompanied as far as Memphis by her brother, John Scott. Buy your Easter Bonnet at L. B. Jones Dry Goods Co. adv. Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Wright and sons, Tommy and Roger, spent Sunday in Finley with Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Tidwell. PHILCO AUTO RADIOS — \$43.50 and \$55.50 installed. You lose money when you pay more. adv. Coles Hdw. Co. Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Brandon and Mrs. Willie Brandon of Poplar Grove were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Dailey Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Simmons of Dyersburg visited Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Simmons Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Taylor announce the birth of a son at the Dyersburg Hospital Sunday. Buy your Easter Bonnet at L. B. Jones Dry Goods Co. adv. Bernard Higdon and son, Sonny, Mrs. Jim White and Miss Anita White were in Memphis Saturday. They were accompanied home by W. J. Higdon who had been under treatment at a Memphis hospital. Free Silverware. adv. Mrs. S. E. Pugh and Mrs. A. C. Smith returned Sunday after visiting in Birmingham, Ala. and Macon, Ga. J. T. Stutts, Jr. of Birmingham, son-in-law of Mrs. Pugh, accompanied them here. PHILCO REFRIGERATORS — All models. Prices are right and we have the most refrigerator for the money. Coles Hdw. Co. adv. Cecil Sumrow spent Tuesday in Ripley with his sister, Mrs. J. B. Crockett. Mrs. J. W. Briggs returned on Monday after spending a few weeks in Somerville with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bedwell. FIELD FENCE — Garden fence and poultry netting. Prices right. Coles Hdw. Co. adv. Wayne White of Memphis is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. White. Free Silverware. adv. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sload of Paris visited friends and relatives here during the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. John Talley and Mrs. Loyd Johnson of Memphis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Bell. Mr. and Mrs. John Turner and daughter, Mrs. Madeline Walker, and children of Texarkana, Texas, spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Dailey. WALL PAPER — New patterns. Any kind you may need. Room lots, bargain prices. Coles Hdw. Co. adv. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clyde Escue and Mrs. Louis Escue were in Memphis Tuesday to see Mrs. A. W. Escue at the Baptist Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pipkins of Alamo visited Mr. and Mrs. O. L. White Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Roy Patton, Mrs. Charles Rooks and Mrs. T. T. Flynn spent Wednesday with Mrs. William Brown at Arlington. Mrs. John Rice III of Arlington was also the luncheon guest of Mrs. Brown. Rev. and Mrs. R. J. Cooper, Mrs. D. C. Warren, Mrs. T. G. Avery, Mrs. E. J. Shannon and Mrs. Paul Griffin attended the Quarterly Meeting of the WMS and the Dyer County Worker Council at an all-day meeting at Mt. Vernon Church Thursday. GARDEN PLOWS — And tools of all kinds. Coles Hdw. Co. adv. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Colley and children, Jimmy and Patricia, of Memphis, spent the weekend with Mr. Colley's mother, Mrs. J. F. Colley. Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Avery were in Memphis Friday. Mrs. Elmer Hoffius is visiting her sister in Louisville, Ky., and other friends and relatives in and near Louisville. Buy your Easter Bonnet at L. B. Jones Dry Goods Co. adv. Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Dance returned to their home in Adair, La., Tuesday after spending the weekend with Mrs. Dance's sister, Mrs. J. F. Colley. Mrs. Colley accompanied them home where she will be their guest. Free Silverware. adv. F. E. Sumrow of Waco, Texas is the guest of his father, E. R. Sumrow, and brother, C. C. Sumrow. Mrs. Will Sumerlin and Mrs. C. W. Armstrong were in Jackson Thursday to see their brother, Rev. Ernest Olds, and Mrs. Olds. Rev. Olds is slowly improving. LAWN MOWERS — Best price in the country. Come see. Coles Hdw. Co. adv. Rev. and Mrs. R. J. Cooper and children spent Friday and Saturday in Gleason. Mr. and Mrs. Hal Wallace and children of Jackson were guests of Mrs. Wallace's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Hurt, Sunday. They were accompanied home by Frances Hurt Wallace who had spent the weekend with her grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hendren of Memphis and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Clark of Woodville were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Stallings Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Duncan of East St. Louis, Ill. arrived last week to be at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Delia Jones. Mrs. Jones has been quite ill.

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Mrs. M. F. Walker left Wednesday to return to her home in Little Rock, Ark. after visiting her father, E. R. Sumrow. PAINT — All kinds, outside white, oil and turpentine. Get our prices. Coles Hdw. Co. adv. Mrs. A. G. Speelman and Ella Jo Gaines were guests in the C. C. Sumrow home Tuesday evening.

Miss Jane Stallings left Thursday of last week for Nashville where she entered Peabody College for the Spring Quarter. Free Silverware. adv. Mrs. G. N. Jordan spent Tuesday in Dyersburg with her aunt, Mrs. Mattie Prichard. Mrs. Lonnie Parker and son, Larry, spent Saturday in Finley. Mrs. Sarah Cherry is ill with influenza. ECLIPSE ROCKET POWER MOWER — We have them. Coles Hdw. Co. adv. Miss Reba Jones spent the weekend in Memphis. Mrs. Robert Hinton and daughter, Diana, left Sunday to return to their home in El Reno, Okla., after a visit with her mother, Mrs. Mamie Williams. They were accompanied as far as Brighton by Mrs. Williams.

MRS. LYNN VALEN ENTERTAINED CLUB Members of the Town and Country Rummy Club spent an enjoyable evening at the home of Mrs. Lynn Valen on Tuesday of last week where they enjoyed games of rummy throughout the evening. In addition to regular club members Mrs. Valen also had four additional guests. Preceding the games the hostess served a delicious dessert course. Mrs. Marvin Hansford won low for club members and Mrs. Lavon Osborne won low for the guests and also binged. Guest players were Mrs. Osborne, Mrs. Wayne Vaden, Mrs. J. K. Hinton, Jr., and Mrs. Elbert Viar. Club players were Mrs. Jerre Jordan, Mrs. Charles Viar, Mrs. Beasley Robertson, Mrs. Harry Lee Rhodes, Mrs. Earl Critchfield and Mrs. Hansford.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS SOCIAL HELD MARCH 17 Miss Fern Parrish, Mrs. W. A. Perry, Mrs. T. J. Yarbrough, Mrs. Helen Lucas, Mrs. R. C. Ashcraft and Mrs. John Ferguson, Jr. were hostesses at the regular monthly social of the Euzelian Sunday School Class on Thursday night, March 17. The tables where the guests were seated were most attractive, decorated with a St. Patrick's Day theme. Fluted green crepe paper centered the length of the tables and Irish potatoes stuck with shamrocks were placed at intervals on the tables. Hand designed baskets contained white mints. After the meal a business session was held with Mrs. W. L. Andrews presiding in the absence of the president. Those attending were: Mrs. D. C. Warren, teacher, Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. Ora E. Beasley, Mrs. Morris Currie, Mrs. W. D. Davis, Mrs. Delbert England, Mrs. Paul Griffin, Mrs. M. E. McDearman, Jr., Mrs. Henry Murchison, Mrs. Wymond Hurt, Mrs. T. H. Simmons, Mrs. Roy Patton and Mrs. Buster Campbell.

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Advertisement for Alan Ladd in Whispering Smith. Includes image of Alan Ladd and text: ALAN LADD MAKES HISTORY IN HIS FIRST TWO-GUN, TWO-FISTED WESTERN! ALAN LADD WITH MARSHALL AND BOBBI FISHER DONALD CRISP Whispering SMITH COLOR TECHNICOLOR WILLIAM DEMAREST BY BERRY HENRY

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Advertisement for Gene Autry in The Big Sombbrero. Includes image of Gene Autry and text: FAMOUS AUTRY THRILLS & ACTION! GENE AUTRY "The Big Sombbrero" CHAMPION

ALSO: Bugs Bunny Cartoon "Hare Devil Hare" — Sports Parade in Technicolor "Fighting Athletes" — Episode 9 of "Superman"

Sunday-Monday April 3-4 Sunday 3 Shows — 1:30, 3:30 and 8:30 p. m. Monday 3 Shows — 3:00, 7:00 and 9:00 p. m.

Advertisement for Lamarr & Cummings in Let's Live a Little. Includes image of Lamarr & Cummings and text: BOBS A RIOT OF COMEDY NEEDS READY LAUGHING LOVE! LAMARR & CUMMINGS "LET'S LIVE A LITTLE" ANNA LOREN ROBERT SWANBY

ALSO: Color Cartoon "Midnight Snack" — Passing Parade "It Can't Be Done"

TUES.-WED. April 5-6 3 Shows each day — 3:00, 7:00 and 9:00 p. m.

Advertisement for The Savage Truth! He Walked by Night. Includes image of a man and text: THE SAVAGE TRUTH! HE WALKED BY NIGHT RICHARD BASEHART SCOTT BRADY

ALSO: Merry Melody Cartoon "Kit For Kat" — Sports News "Ski Devils"

Starting Thursday April 7 3 Shows at 3, 7 and 9 P. M.

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ALSO: Color Cartoon "The Sunshine State" — Sportslight "Big League Glory"

Large advertisement for Youth Revival at First Baptist Church. Text: ANNUAL Youth Revival AT First Baptist Church Halls, Tennessee BEGINNING Sunday, April 10, 1949 CONTINUING THRU Sunday, April 17, 1949 Messages Brought By Rev. R. J. Cooper, Pastor Services at 7:30 Each Night What doth it profit a parent if he accumulates vast wealth — has great power and exercise much influence, yet lives to see a son or daughter become an economic failure or a prodigal in character. The Public Is Invited!

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Nankipoo News

Mrs. Vester Thurmond was carried to the Baptist Hospital Wednesday night for observation and treatment.

A son was born March 22nd to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Watkins and baby of Memphis spent the weekend with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Offie Cates.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Davis and sons were recent visitors with relatives at Ft. Pillow.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Christmas and children of Brownsville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hilliard, Jr.

Considerable damage was done Saturday night by the storm, including a cow being killed belonging to Talbert Tillman, and several buildings in the community were blown down.

Mr. and Mrs. Dicky Lazure spent one day last week in Memphis.

Mrs. Elzie Jones and baby of Memphis spent most of last week here with grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Cook.

Mrs. Will Cone and Mrs. Alf Thurmond spent Sunday in Memphis.

Mrs. Pauline Fonenell of Memphis spent part of last week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Pennington.



Storage of Surplus Fowl Is Profitable

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To assure that poultry of various classifications is properly held in locker plants or freezers, it is advisable that the fowl be wrapped in water-proof, moisture-proof paper.

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Poultrymen and farmers with a surplus of poultry have found it



profitable to place some of the birds, as well as game fowl, in storage for their own consumption as well as for sale to local markets when prices become higher.

Considerable demand has been found for ducks, geese and turkeys as well as for chickens.

During the past few years some poultry raisers have found an excellent market for smoked fowl and a most satisfactory market price.

Only quality fowls should be so stored and handled, and then only when proper wrapping material is utilized and proper storage facilities are available.

Elementary News

an astronomer's eye.

In English we are still studying noun uses. We want to thank the program leaders for a splendid room play; they were Marlene Hutcherson and Joyce Rogers. Several children took part in the play.

Seventh Grade

The seventh grade is very happy for Maynard Harrell who won an award for cotton in the 4-H Club. In History we have just finished the study of the Civil War. We know that we are going to enjoy the new books that Mrs. McCorkle selected for our library. Thank you, Mrs. McCorkle.

We welcome a new pupil to our class, Bobby Owsley from Dyer County. This makes 53. We had a 4-H Club meeting March 29th.

Eighth Grade

In reading we have been studying Longfellow's famous poem, "Evangeline: A Tale of Acadia". We are enjoying it very much.

In Arithmetic we are beginning the study of Algebra so we won't be "green freshies".

We are glad to see "Miss" Marsaline back in school after several days of illness.

Our Halls 4-H Club met today, March 29th, supervised by Miss Cora Livingston and our new leader, Mr. Bill Lanham. We had an interesting meeting.

Carolyn Akin won the prize of \$1.00 for having the best record in the Halls 4-H Club 4th, 5th, and 6th grades.

Peggy Steelman received \$1.00 for having the best record in the 7th and 8th grade 4-H Club and also received \$1.00 for having the 2nd best record in the county.

Anella Steelman won after so long of a period, finally received \$2.00 due her when she won 2nd prize in the dress review last year.

We'll see you next week!

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Modern Agronomists Debunk Copybook Line

"Hay is dried grass." That line invariably appeared in copybooks handed out to pupils in old-time writing classes, but agronomists at Ohio State university claim the copybook publishers apparently knew considerably more about teaching pupils to write than they did about haymaking.

Some dried grass is excellent livestock feed but other cured grass is just fair quality bedding, agronomists insist.

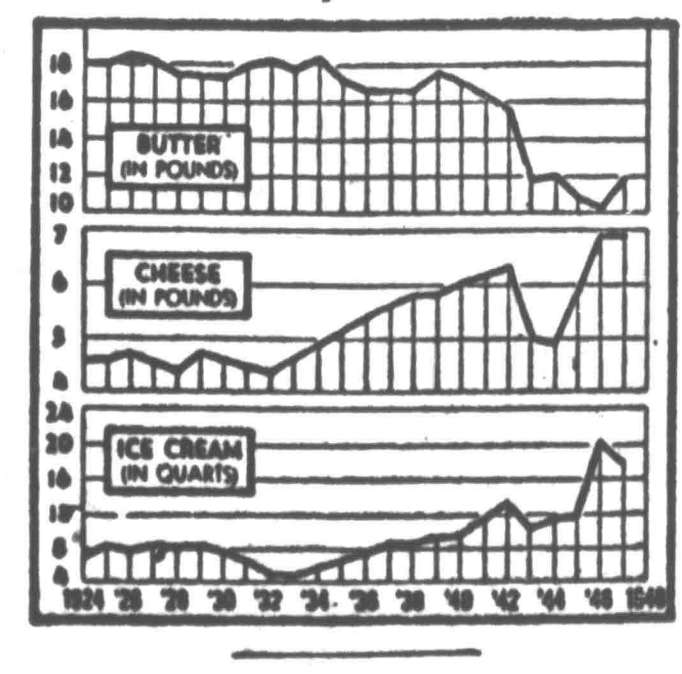
The best time for cutting hay is when plants have made almost their greatest growth in weight but still contain a high percentage of protein. For red clover, the recommended cutting time is when the plants are in the half bloom stage. The most hay of high quality will be hauled from the alfalfa field if cutting is started before the half bloom period.

Renovated Tractor



This steel shoe tractor was in good operating condition, so the farmer decided to adapt it for rubber tires. The tires, tubes and rims cost \$110. In addition to the new agricultural implements being purchased this year, many are being re-modernized.

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Thinning of Vegetables Assures Best Growth

Most gardeners make the mistake of not thinning their vegetable rows sufficiently. They hate to pull up part of their plantings and thus allow all of the seedlings to be crowded. Thinning should be done when the soil is moist and the seedlings are one to two inches tall. If taller than two inches, don't pull them up; cut them off at ground level for best results.

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Confidential Corner

Americanism

Members of the Lions club, their wives and guests were given a rare opportunity Tuesday night of this week when they heard the Hon. John Gray of Brownsville in a talk delivered at the annual Lions Club Ladies Night program. We are not quite certain just what Mr. Gray entitled his talk but we think "Americanism" would be a good name for it. Actually the talk was concerned with the departure of the American people from the ideas and ways on which this nation was founded and the seeping of socialism and communism. Mr. Gray is much concerned with the lethargy of the American people in adhering to the American way of life and called for a return of former ideals. It was his contention that should this nation become either socialistic or communistic it will be because of lack of interest on the part of the general public and not because of outside activities. Mr. Gray contends that the way of thinking of the American people is being radically changed away from free enterprise and individual independence. Using the term "landmarks" to describe the courage and enterprise of our forefathers he asked that the Lions club and those present try to see that the true ideals of America be taught to the younger generations. Those hearing Mr. Gray were gripped with the intense feeling with which Mr. Gray delivered his talk. Respect for the flag and for what it stands was the theme of his entire talk. It was a privilege to hear Mr. Gray and his talk brought home a matter that is of great importance to the nation as a whole.

Promised Ride

Wiley Perry was so pleased with the writeup of his new garden tractor, power mower, etc. that he has promised us a ride on the little sulky. Think we'll try it out some time.

Corner Does Work

For the past two weeks we have had considerable to say about the scarcity of candidates for the office of alderman in Halls. Well, we don't know whether or not we are due any credit but we're going to claim a part of it anyhow. At least eleven candidates have qualified during the past weekend and possibly two others. Also three are in the race for mayor. We are glad that these business men have seen fit to qualify and feel certain that a competent board can be selected from this group of men, several of whom have served on previous boards.

Traffic Lights Up

Since we are getting somewhat old and short of memory we are not certain whether or not we have called attention to the new flasher traffic lights which have been installed near the city limits on the highway and on West Tigaret street. We believe that these lights will aid in slowing down traffic and thus partially eliminate the traffic hazards which have been prevalent during the last few years.

Short Memory

Speaking of a short memory, Mr. Fred Hurt has a justified complaint against us. It seems that we continued his writeup of the Sunday School lesson to another page and then failed to put the breakover in the paper. We would lay it on Merle but we are not even certain but what he is as guilty as the editor.

What Do You Want?

Elsewhere in this issue of the Graphic may be found a story on the possibility of natural gas



Governor Gordon Browning (center) is shown here signing a proclamation designating May 1-7 as State Future Farmers of America and Future Homemakers of America Week. Looking on while the Chief Executive affixes his signature are (left to right) G. E. Freeman, state director of vocational education; Billy Flatt of Trimble, state FFA president; Janice Miles of Dresden, state FHA president; and J. M. Smith, state commissioner of education.

Hon. John Gray Addresses Lions

Thirty members of the Lions Club, their wives and many guests making a total of some eighty persons were present at the annual Lions Club Ladies Night Program held Tuesday night of this week in the Halls School cafeteria. The meal which featured chicken and dressing, asparagus, and pie a la mode was prepared under the supervision of Mrs. James Peery Home, Economics instructor, and Mrs. B. L. Robison, who is in charge of the cafeteria. The Home Economics girls served the meal.

The guests of the club were welcomed by former Lion President Ross W. Dyer with Mrs. D. C. Warren, widow of a former Lions club member, responding. Lion President David R. Nunn presided over the meeting and expressed the appreciation of the club for the fine work of the committees in charge of preparing the program and meal and also introduced the main speaker of the evening.

The Hon. John Gray, Brownsville attorney and member of the Brownsville Rotary Club, was the main speaker for the occasion and delivered a stirring talk calling for the return of the American People to their old standards of courage and independence and the ancient American way of life. He held the attention of his audience throughout the evening as he brought home many truths concerning the creeping of communism and socialism in the American government and way of thinking.

Among the out-of-town guests were Mrs. Gray, wife of the speaker; and County Superintendent of Schools Edric Owen.

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coming to Halls within the next twelve months. A representative of a gas concern was here during this week to discuss the matter with city officials and will return to meet with the board at its May session. Since the new city officials will take office for that meeting it might be well to discuss with the various candidates what they think about the best way to handle it. Should the town grant a franchise to a company already operating or should the town set up to handle it themselves?

Why We're Late

In all probability some of you who have been receiving your paper Thursday afternoon will find it late this week. This was caused by two things. On both Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons our current was cut off for a considerable time thus delaying us and then, of course, Thursday afternoon we shut down in order to attend the funeral of Mr. Talley, former linotype operator for the

Elementary News

— P. Belton and L. Hurt —

All the chicken is eaten up
All the water drained from our soup

Will have to get a new idea
If again soon you'll lend an ear.

First Grade

The first graders are drawing spring flowers and birds. We have been enjoying the pretty flowers the children bring to school.

Linda Lou Grady has a new baby sister and so does Betty Fern Carnell.

Second Grade

The second grade is happy to know that their classmates, Clyde Hudson, is much better. He was quite sick with pneumonia last week.

Mrs. McCorkle brought us twenty new library book from Memphis last week. They are very attractive and very much appreciated by all of us.

"Miss" Marsaline and "Miss" Geneva's first graders sang several numbers for us last Thursday during their music period. We enjoyed their program so much we'd like them to visit with us again soon.

Last Friday Anne, Bobbie Frances, Rose, and Delane of our grade along with David Harold — as the director — entertained us with several song and dance numbers. Rose was especially charming as the "Blue Lady" in the number, "Red Roses For A Blue Lady". The program was entirely their own without any assistance from "Miss" Kathryn.

Third Grade

Thanks! Mrs. McCorkle for our nice new library books. We are really enjoying every one of them.

We sang "Happy Birthday" to Harry Wright this week.

Larry Cooper brought us a little turtle last week. That makes two we have in our room now.

We learned a new choral reading last week, "I Like Tulips", by Bessie Walvington. Paul Woodley took an airplane ride last Sunday. Forty-eight of our forty-nine are present this week. Glenn Newman is absent because of trouble with his eyes.

Have you seen the red-bud trees in bloom on our campus? We think they are beautiful.

We like our new safety records and think they are very helpful. Safety First!!!

Fourth Grade

We are sorry to lose Thomas Campbell from our grade. He has moved to Jackson, Tenn.

We enjoyed having Mrs. Hurt teach last Friday. Our "How and Why Club" gave an interesting program for Mrs. Hurt.

In our science we are having an interesting unit of work on birds and their travels. We are very proud of our collection of bird pictures and the bird house we have made.

Our thoughts are turning toward Easter. Many colorful Easter drawings are now on display. Easter poems and songs are being learned. Barbara Hudgens and Barbara Ford have completed

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County Teachers Names Rochelle

The Lauderdale County Teachers held the final meeting of the school year in Ripley Friday afternoon with the president, H. G. McCorkle, presiding.

Officers elected for the ensuing year are: J. H. Rochelle, president; W. S. Cloys, vice-president; Mrs. N. S. Daws, secretary; Mrs. Allen McMahon, treasurer; and Mrs. Sumrow Steelman, reporter.

The Rev. R. J. Cooper of Halls gave the devotional. Dr. Rumbel, head of the Education Department at Memphis State College, was the main speaker of the afternoon.

Baptist Men's Bible Class

The Unselfishness of Christ vs. The Selfishness of Man

"For even the Son of Man, came not to be ministered unto, but to minister, and to give His life a ransom for many." Mark 10:45.

It is well worth the readers time to read and study the entire 10th chapter of Mark. Mark here in one chapter recites the incident of Jesus blessing little children; the story of the rich young ruler; the warning against responsibility of wealth, the ambitious request of James and John to be first in places of prominence in Heaven.

All these events have a central truth running through them; that the Christian must learn to be self denying, to put the Kingdom of God first in his planning and desires and to have the spirit of humility and to have the spirit of others that the Master had and milily and service and love for that he taught in these lessons in this 10th chapter.

Ambition for wealth, for material things, for pleasure, for preferment in society, for power, are the things the carnal person craves. Christ would have us deny ourselves these things and to have the mind he had toward the need of others for the love of God in their hearts as well as their material needs.

We Christians should give heed to the great truths in this vital lesson taught by Jesus to His disciples and to us. We men are apt to lose our real selves in our desire to earn a good livelihood for ourselves and our families, to seek material wealth, or in other way to try to take care of self.

Christ has His answer for these things, "Verily, I say unto you, there is no man that hath left house, or brethren, or sisters, or father, or mother, or wife, or children, or lands, for my sake and the Gospels, but he shall receive an hundred fold now IN THIS TIME, houses and brethren, and sisters, and mothers, and children, and lands, with persecutions; AND IN THE WORLD TO COME, ETERNAL LIFE." Mark 29:30.

"Seek ye First the Kingdom of

TO PERFORM AT FRIENDSHIP

Evalyn Smith, Mackie Cutler and Carolyn McCorkle will be invited guest artists participating in the Beauty Revue Program at the Friendship High School Friday night. Mrs. Wymond Hurt will be accompanist for each performance.

School Board To Get Road Funds

RIPLEY — Lauderdale County Court Monday transferred to the County Board of Education the \$243,000 which is to be paid within 60 days by the state as reimbursement for roads built and paid for by the county and which are now a part of the state highway system.

Meeting in its regular quarterly session, the court also put Lon Viar, Jr. on the County Agricultural Committee in place of his father, and re-elected all other members after a hotly contested fight.

Agriculture Committee Named

These two events highlighted the session over which Judge J. R. Lewis presided, with about 87 members present.

Other members of the County Agricultural Committee are Ira Dunavant, Dr. J. F. Parks, Paul McBride, Roy Hilliard, J. L. Burns, E. L. Vaughn. The committee voted to retain County Agent Farmer H. Paschal, a post he has occupied for the past 10 years.

The regular appropriation was made for the maintenance of agricultural work in this county. A resolution was adopted authorizing the issuance of \$8500 in bonds to build an eight-room elementary consolidated school for the Fifth Civil District at Ashport.

Also turned over to the Board of Education was \$14,000 of insurance on the Mounds school and the negro school at Henning which were recently destroyed by fire and windstorm. The board was directed to use these funds for building, repairing and equipping schools in Lauderdale County, including the rebuilding of the negro school at Henning.

Welfare Office Reports

An appropriation of \$5000 each was made to the high schools at Halls and Ripley for improvement of their athletic fields. The town of Ripley had recently appropriated \$5000 to be used for a similar purpose at the Ripley High School.

An appropriation of \$5000 was made for the maintenance of the Lauderdale County Health Unit for

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Halls May Get Natural Gas

That natural gas might be made available to Halls by January 1, 1950, was the information given the Halls Graphic Wednesday of this week.

Representatives of the West Tennessee Gas Co. of Jackson, Tenn. were in Halls Tuesday to confer with Mayor Ross W. Dyer and other city officials to discuss the bringing of natural gas to Halls. These men will return to Halls and meet with the city board at their May session.

At that time the gas company is expected to offer to bring gas to Halls if they are granted a franchise of a 30-year period. They stated that if the East Texas Transmission Co. is able to deliver the gas they can make it available to the public by the end of the year.

Rates will be set by the Public Utilities Commission and will be in line with rates paid at Ripley whom the concern already serves. They would also pay taxes at the regular rate on an assessment set by the Public Utilities Commission.

According to our information the service would be similar to the present water service with tap and meter for each individual household with the cost of installation — of course — to be borne by the individual. Those interested in getting gas here should discuss the matter with officials now in office and the candidates who are making the race for the various offices.

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Ross W. Dyer Makes Statement

To The People of the 16th Judicial Circuit:

I have announced my candidacy for Attorney-General of the 16th Judicial Circuit, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held on Saturday, May 7, 1949, and respectfully solicit your vote.

It has been my desire for a long time to serve in this office. From 1933 to 1935 I was employed by the Department of Safety, State of Tennessee, and gained a great deal of experience in the field of law enforcement. In 1939 I was admitted to the practice of law, and have been engaged in general practice in Halls, Tennessee, since 1941, except for three years spent in the army in World War II. I am now serving as Mayor of the Town of Halls; am a native of Halls, Lauderdale County, Tennessee and am now 38 years of age.

Since I have mentioned the fact that I am a veteran of World War II I would like to deal frankly with that question. No veteran, including myself, who has the welfare of his country at heart feels that he has a right to an office solely because of the fact that he is a veteran. However, I do believe that most veterans are of the opinion that their service should be considered along with other qualifications, and so mention the fact that I spent twenty seven (27) months in Europe in World War II, but do not base my candidacy on such service alone.

My opponent the present holder of this office, Gen. George C. Watkins will have held this office for twenty four (24) years at the end of this term.

Feeling that I am fully qualified by training and experience to perform the duties of the office, I am asking that you elect me to succeed him. I promise to conduct the duties of the office in a fair, prompt and impartial manner. I will appreciate your vote and influence.

Respectively,
ROSS W. DYER

Former Graphic Employee Dies

Funeral services for Asa B. Talley of Union City, linotype operator for the Union City Messenger, were held at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the Halls Baptist Church. Dr. W. A. Boston of Union City officiated. Burial was in Halls Cemetery with Sudbury Funeral Home in charge.

Mr. Talley died at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon at Baptist Hospital after 10 days of illness. He was born in Lauderdale County near Ripley and spent most of his life in the county. For many years he was employed as linotype operator by the Halls Graphic while G. N. Jordan was publisher and also under the present ownership leaving in October, 1947, to go to Union City where Mrs. Talley joined him later. He had also been employed by the Memphis Press-Scimitar and by a newspaper at Johnson City, Tenn.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Nell Baker Talley; a son, John W. Talley, now a student at the University of Tennessee College of Dentistry in Memphis; and two sisters, Mrs. Marvin Robertson of Ripley and Mrs. Nora Patton of Dyersburg.

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Strawberry Weevils Are Active

F. H. Paschal
County Agent
Hob Webb and H. G. Caldwell of the Central community have reported the finding of weevils in their strawberries and have made their first application of 20 pounds of pure Cryolite dust per acre, using a large size dust gun.

Some experienced berry growers are ready to give up because of these weevil attacks, but they should not be discouraged. Weekly applications of Cryolite applied with a good dust gun, all of which can be bought for the price of a few crates of strawberries can provide almost full protection against these weevils. The dust must be applied thoroughly and often, but the total cost is not at all excessive.

2, 4-D Reduces Control Effort On Lawn Pests

Lawn pests such as wild onions and garlic do not present a difficult control problem since it has been found that chemical weed killers, such as 2,4-D will kill or discourage them, say specialists of the UT Agricultural Extension Service.

For best results, 2,4-D should be applied to wild onions when the tops are growing; that is, late winter or early spring, or in the fall after new tops appear.

Usually in liquid form, 2,4-D is applied as a wet spray. Spray should be directed on the onion tops from two sides rather than from above, since spraying downward may have little effect on onion tops. This would, in fact, be injurious to clover or lespedeza in the grass. If ground ivy and chickweed are present with the onions, spraying downward, and from the side is advisable, even if desirable clovers are injured.

Safe Highway Habits Urged For Farmers

Farm people in particular need to be good drivers, inasmuch as 30 percent of all privately owned trucks in the United States belong on farms; and more farm people are killed in motor vehicle accidents than in any other kind of accident, say specialists of the UT Agricultural Extension Service.

Stressing, therefore, that "lives may be spared by a truck kept repaired," specialists call attention of farm people to these precautions.

Know the signs and road rules, and obey them; keep lights, brakes, steering mechanisms, and windshield cleaners in good order; slow to a safe speed for turns, and use proper hand signals; look out for pedestrians, and never drive while under the influence of liquor. Come to a full stop when entering the main highway, crossing, at regular stop signs.

Greater Safety Urged For "Old Folks At Home"

Because older folks do not see as well and are not as strong and steady as younger members of the family, safety needs special attention throughout the house say specialists of the UT Agricultural Extension Service.

Floors should not be slippery, rugs should lie flat, have non-skid pads underneath, and be anchored, if small. Steps, stairways, and halls need good lighting. Avoid tripping hazards, such as rockers on chairs.

A bedroom and bath on the first floor is recommended to save

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Senior Play To Be Presented Tonight

The senior class presents "Professor, How Could You?" Friday, April 8, at the Halls Grammar School Auditorium at 8 o'clock.

"Professor, How Could You?" is a play of romance and comedy based on the affairs of a professor who needs a wife. In his efforts to secure a wife he and the other members of the cast are involved in many laughable situations.

The senior class has worked hard to give you a play packed full of entertainment. Tickets are on sale this week by the students of Halls High School. Get yours without delay!

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HARRY WRIGHT, JR. CELEBRATED BIRTHDAY SATURDAY, APRIL 2

Harry Wright, Jr. celebrated his ninth birthday on Saturday, April 2, by inviting twenty-three of his friends to enjoy a Picture Show Party with him.

The guests went to the Wright home at 2:30 where games were enjoyed on the lawn and each was given a balloon and bubble gum. Harry opened the many interesting looking packages which the guests had brought.

The group then went to the Halls Theatre where Gene Autry in "Big Sombrero" was showing.

After the show they went to the drug store where they were served ice cream. Assisting Mrs. Wright in entertaining was Miss Anita White.

Those attending were Johnny Olds, Paul Woodley, Josh Nunn, James Goodwin, Forest Goodwin, Arthur Currie, Sonny Higdon, Buddy Murchison, Jerry Smith, Tommy McGarrity, Billy Reeves, Wendell Perry, Donald Ray Cleek, Teddy Cates, Mary Kerby, Kay McGarrity, Kay Wilson, Anita Campbell, Jo Ann Hurt, Linda Tomlinson, Nelda Kay Cleek, Evelyn Smith and Lorell Rainey.

FINAL PTA MEETING

The final Parent Teacher Meeting of this school year will be held Monday afternoon at the Elementary School Auditorium at 3:30. At this time the nominating committee will submit their recommendations for officers for next year. Mrs. Ross Dyer, president, urges a good attendance.

MISSIONARY TO SPEAK

Miss Josephine Read, a returned missionary will speak from the pulpit of the Methodist Church on Sunday, April 10. She will have a live message and one that will do you good. You are cordially invited to hear her message.

Civic Chorus To Perform Here

The Dyersburg Civic Chorus will appear in concert at the Grammar School Auditorium on Monday evening, April 18, at 8 o'clock. A group of 50 talented singers under the capable direction of C. R. Stanfield, the Chorus has already appeared in a number of West Tennessee towns.

The concert will be presented under the auspices of the Beta Club of Halls High School, who has invited the Chorus to Halls in order to further the cultural advancement of the community and provide uplifting entertainment as well as to raise funds for the Beta Club.

The first group of numbers to be presented by the full chorus will be "God of Our Fathers" (James), "O Divine Redeemer" (Gounod) and "The Twenty-Third Psalm" (Malotte).

In the second group, the Ladies

Small Ensemble will sing "The Snow" (Elgar) and "Hear the Sledge with the Bells" (Robertson).

The third group, presented by

Announcements

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL

DYER — Ross W. Dyer has authorized the Halls Graphic to announce him as a candidate for the office of Attorney General of the 16th Judicial Circuit composed of Lauderdale, Tipton, McNairy, Fayette and Hardeman counties, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, May 7, 1949.

WATKINS — George C. Watkins has authorized the Halls Graphic to announce him as a candidate for re-election to the office of Attorney General of the 16th Judicial Circuit composed of Lauderdale, Tipton, Fayette, Hardeman and McNairy counties, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary May 7, 1949.

FOR MAYOR

CRITENDON — P. W. Critendon has authorized the Halls Graphic to announce him as a candidate for Mayor of Halls in the city election to be held Thursday, May 5, 1949.

DAILEY — J. R. Dailey has authorized the Halls Graphic to announce him as a candidate for Mayor of Halls in the city election to be held Thursday, May 5, 1949.

FOR ALDERMAN

WALKER — D. E. Walker has authorized the Halls Graphic to announce him as a candidate for member of the Board of Aldermen of Halls in the city election to be held Thursday, May 5, 1949.

HOFFIUS — Elmer Hoffius has authorized the Halls Graphic to announce him as a candidate for member of the Board of Aldermen of Halls in the city election to be held Thursday, May 5, 1949.

the Men's Chorus, will include "Winter Song" (Bullard), "Drink To Me Only With Thine Eyes" and "To Arms" (Maunder).

The full chorus will sing the concluding numbers, "Trees" (Rasbach), "The Sleigh" (Kuntz), "Whiffenpoof Song" (Pomeroy), and "Going Home" (Dvorak).

Also featured in the program will be an old-time barber shop quartet: who will sing familiar old songs.

Mr. Stanfield, a native of O-bion County, was engaged as a musical director on the west coast before returning to Dyersburg where he owns and operates a flower shop. Mrs. J. U. Overall, Jr. is pianist for the group. H. C. Lutz is president of the organization and Mrs. Frances Thurmond is secretary-treasurer.

MRS. BROWN ENTERTAINS HALLS VISITORS

A number of guests from Halls enjoyed the hospitality of Mrs. William Brown at her attractive home at Arlington Wednesday afternoon when she entertained at two tables of Rummy.

Mrs. Brown used Spring flowers in many colorful hues to decorate her home for the occasion.

Spiced tea and mints were served upon the arrival of the guests and after the games a delicious dessert plate was served. Favors were Easter rabbits and

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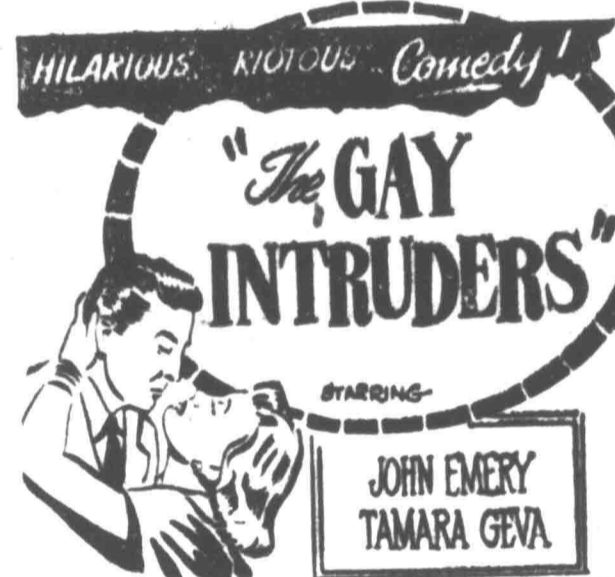
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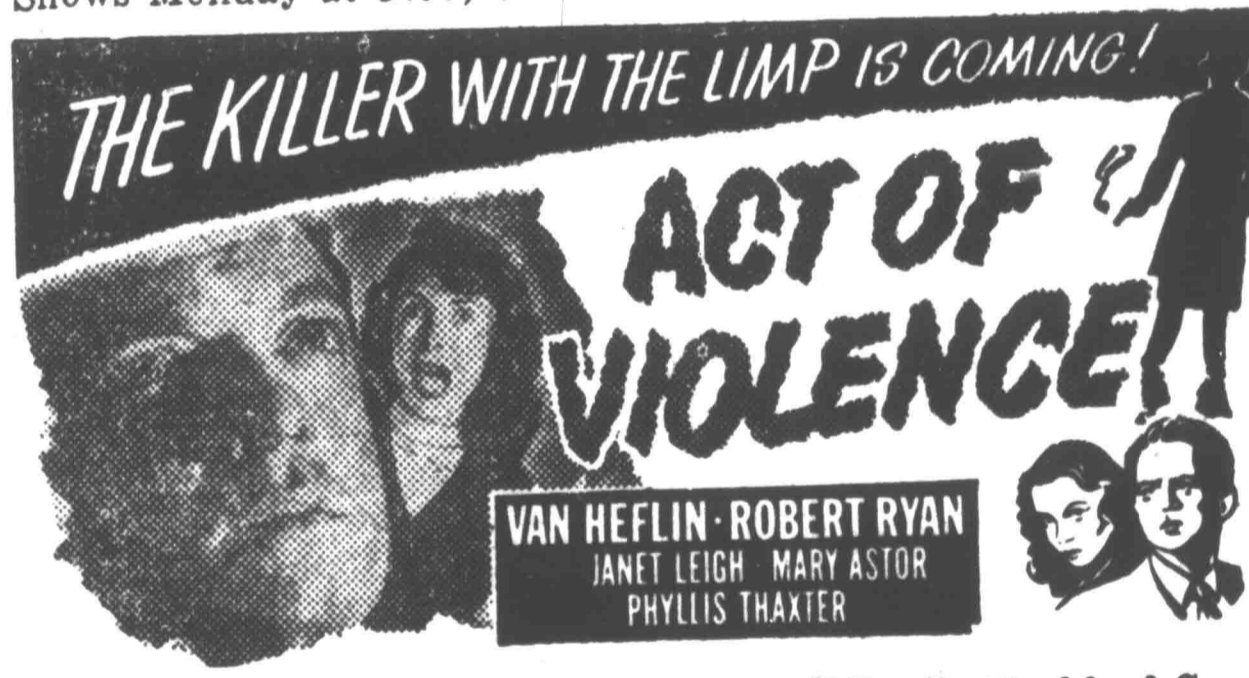
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SUNDAY - MONDAY, APRIL 10 - 11

Three Shows Sunday at 1:30, 3:30 and 8:45 P. M. — Three Shows Monday at 3:00, 7:00 and 9:00 P. M.



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TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12-13

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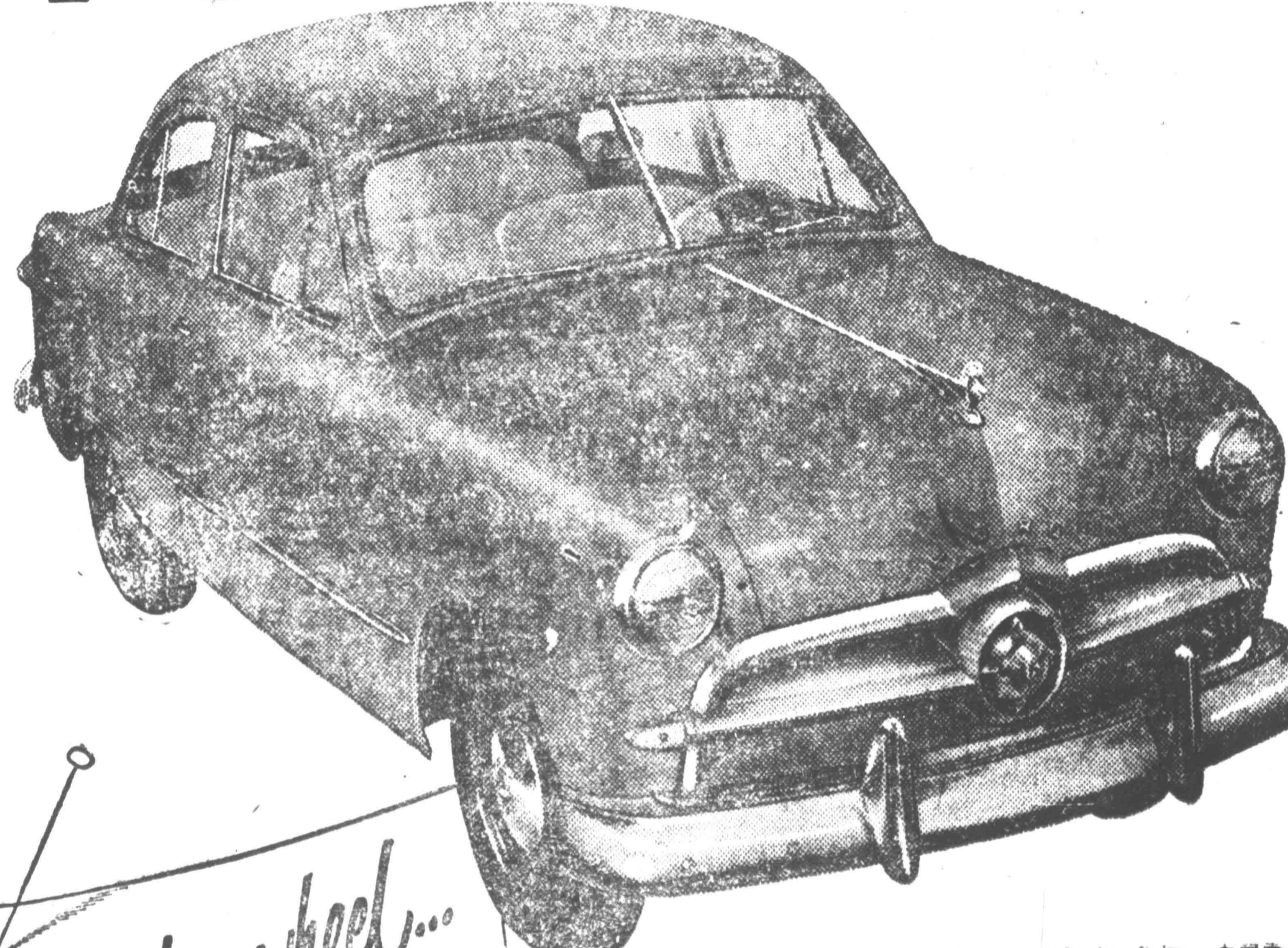
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Next year, we got our soda again and done like we always done before. And we didn't get no rust at all! Somebody say the soda in natchel nitrate acts jes like potash on rust. Maybe that's how come we got rust when we didn't get to use no soda.



NATURAL CHILEAN NITRATE OF SODA

Nankipoo News

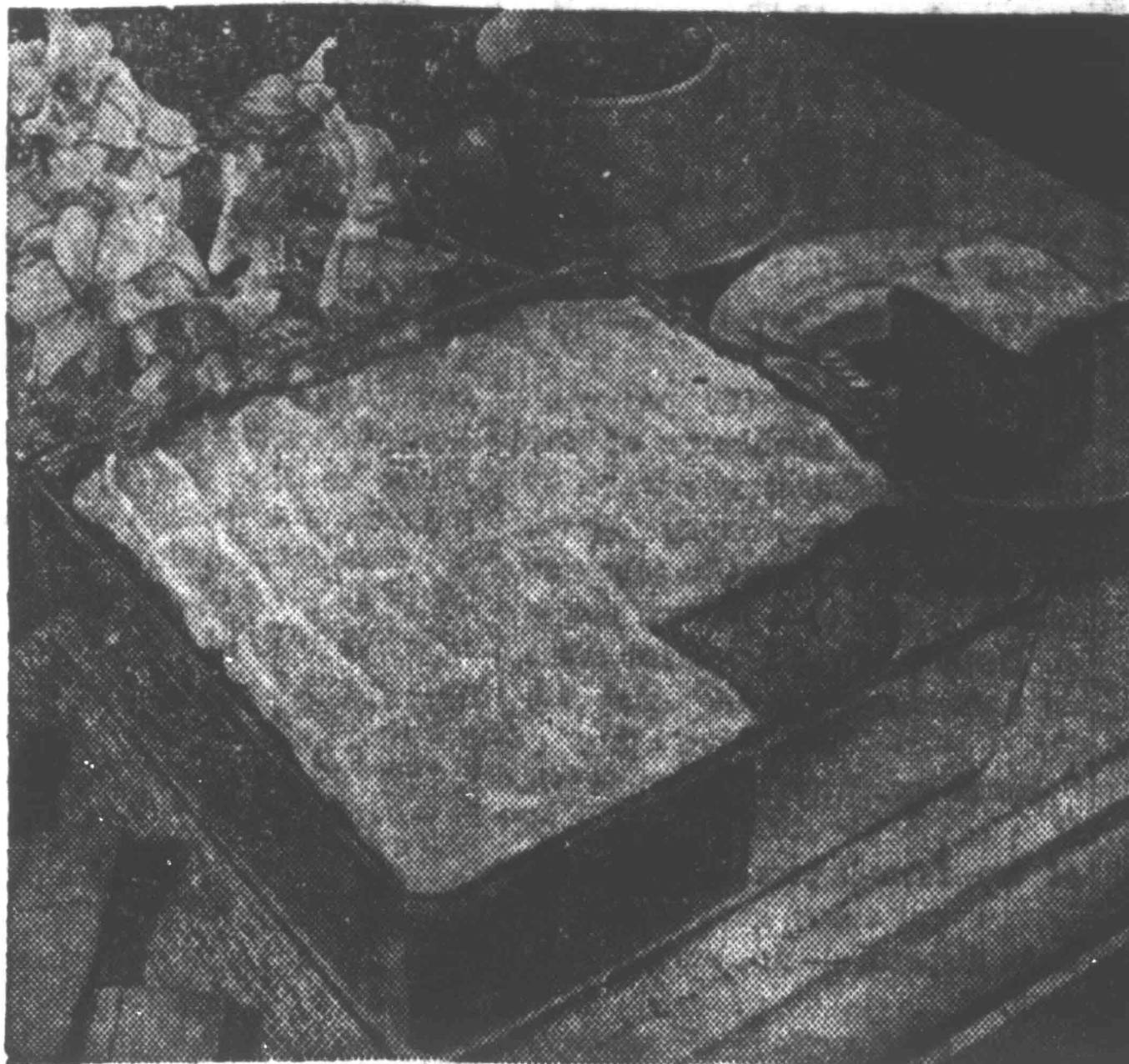
Roy Hilliard, Jr. spent the first of the week in Battle Creek, Mich. Mrs. Evie Davis and R. R. Davis and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. Leon Lands at Conner Sunday. Miss Jane Smith underwent a tonsilectomy at the Brownsville Hospital Monday. Mrs. Roy Hilliard, Jr. and children are visiting relatives in Memphis. Mrs. A. B. Murphy is quite ill. Mrs. Frank Cates spent the weekend in Dyersburg with her sister, Mrs. Lucy Brown. Mrs. L. E. Olds is visiting in Seymour, Texas, with her daughter, Mrs. Lawson Bray and Rev. Bray. Mr. and Mrs. Fleetwood Cates and T. F. Cates spent the weekend in Carroll County with Mr. and Mrs. Mack Bennett. Lester Olds and mother, Mrs. J. E. Olds, spent Sunday in Memphis with Mr. and Mrs. Elkin Olds. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wright and baby of Poplar Bluff, Mo. spent the weekend with relatives.

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Plan to Bake Once a Week (See Recipes Below)

Simplify Baking
WHILE OUR MOTHERS and grandmothers had more to do than those of us who are homemakers, they somehow managed to find an afternoon a week in which to fill the house with fragrant and delicious odors from the oven with weekly baking.

To me, this was one of the most delightful times in the whole week because then I, too, could get my hands into pie crust or sweet roll dough. It was great sport!

But, naturally, this was not the only blessing that came from weekly baking. We usually had delicious homemade bread as well as rolls or coffee cake for breakfast. To save time, the dinner for that evening was usually a baked one, a fragrant meat loaf or taste-tempting casserole with a delicious baked pudding for dessert. Then, too, the cookie jar was filled for the best part of the week, and that meant cookies for the lunch boxes and more delicious tidbits when we came home from school!

Are your families missing these treats? Then organize the household schedule at once so that you can bake once a week, and fill the larder with such delicious things as can only come from home baking.

But how can you make all these things in one day? Here's how: mix cookie dough and store in refrigerator; make ice box dough for sweet rolls, and store this, too. Bread dough can be mixed in the morning; or, if you are making quick breads, these can be mixed in a few minutes right after lunch.

You can plan the baking for any day of the week. We usually do it Friday or Saturday afternoon, so there will be a cake or pie in the house for Sunday, and, of course, bread, rolls and cookies for the whole week.

IT MAY SOUND ambitious to attempt all this in one day, but it really isn't once you get into the swing of it. Do all you can the evening before, and keep on hand such things as piecrust and biscuit mix. Refrigerator cookies, too, take no time at all to bake, and they're easily mixed ahead of time.

Refrigerator Rolls
(Makes 12-16)
1 cup milk
3 tablespoons shortening
3 tablespoons sugar
1 teaspoon salt
1 yeast cake
1 egg
2 1/4 to 3 cups flour

Scald milk and in it dissolve shortening, sugar and salt. When mixture is warm add yeast cake, crumbled, and the egg. Add flour gradually and mix thoroughly by beating. Let rise until doubled in bulk. Place a piece of waxed paper over the bowl and hold securely with a rubber band. Store in refrigerator until ready to use.

This refrigerator dough may be used for cloverleaf rolls, cinnamon braid, fruit filled rings or pecan rolls.

LYNN SAYS:
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Coal oil or kerosene will remove stains and dirt from enameled bathroom fixtures without scratching the surface or lessening the gloss of the surface.

You can keep your silverware bright and tarnish-proof if you keep the pieces wrapped in a specially treated flannel cloth which is actually impregnated with particles of silver that absorb the tarnishing elements in the air.

LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU

Beef-Vegetable Pie with Mashed Potato Topping
Molded Pear Salad
Celery Sticks Carrot Curls
Banana Spice Cake
Beverage

*Recipe Given

Whole Wheat Bread
(Makes 3 loaves)
1 quart hot water
1 tablespoon shortening
1 tablespoon salt
2 tablespoons molasses
1 teaspoon caraway seeds, if desired
1 yeast cake
6 cups all-purpose flour
4 cups whole wheat flour

Add shortening to hot water. When lukewarm, add all remaining ingredients. Stir for three minutes, or until thoroughly mixed, then set in a warm place to rise for two hours. Knead again until dough forms a ball, then let rise again, about one and one-half hours. Turn onto board; form into three loaves and place in greased bread pans. Let rise until doubled in bulk, about one hour. Bake in a hot oven (400 degrees) for 10 minutes, reduce heat to 300 degrees and bake for 45 minutes.

Nut Wafers
1/4 cup lard
1/4 cup butter
1 cup brown sugar
1 egg, beaten
1 1/4 cups flour
1/4 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon soda
1/2 teaspoon vanilla
1/2 cup nuts, chopped

Cream butter, lard and sugar; add eggs. Sift dry ingredients and add to first mixture. Fold in nuts, meats and vanilla. Shape into rolls, wrap in waxed paper and store in refrigerator until needed. Bake in a 400-degree oven for seven to 12 minutes.

Banana Spice Cake
1/2 cup shortening
1 cup sugar
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 eggs
2 cups sifted cake flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
1/4 teaspoon soda
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
1/2 teaspoon nutmeg
1 cup mashed banana
1/2 cup milk

Cream shortening until fluffy, add sugar a little at a time, creaming after each addition. Stir in vanilla extract; add eggs and beat well. Sift all dry ingredients and add to shortening mixture alternately with mashed banana and milk. Pour batter into a well greased, heat-resistant square glass cake dish, eight-inch size. Bake in a moderate (350-degree) oven for 45 to 60 minutes. Remove from oven and let cool before spreading with the following icing:

3 tablespoons shortening
1 1/2 cups confectioners' sugar
2 tablespoons lemon juice
1/2 teaspoon grated lemon rind

Cream shortening; add confectioners' sugar and lemon juice, beating until fluffy. Add lemon rind, and coloring. Spread on cool cake.

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Leather pieces around the home like furniture, bookends, albums and waste baskets can be cleaned with a mild soap and luke-warm water shampoo.

Soak pastry cloths in cold water before washing. Brush away flour mixtures with a brush before washing in hot water or the matter will cake and stick.

Keep your pot holders immaculate if you want to avoid sticky fingers if working in the kitchen. Wash and rinse the holders out as you do the towels, after a meal.

WOMANLESS WEDDING IS HUGE SUCCESS

The fathers of the Nankipoo PTA really outdid themselves last Friday night when they presented a Womanless Wedding to a full house of over a hundred and fifty people. They kept the house in gales of laughter the entire evening.

Buddy Moore and his string band furnished the music.

Mr. Harrell Clement was master of ceremonies, Miss Nina Cates gave an impersonation of Cousin Minnie Pearl and Mrs. Lawson Tillman and Mrs. R. F. Davis gave readings.

Those taking part in the wedding were Richard Clement, the minister; L. E. Olds, the groom; Clyde Tillman, the bride; and in the wedding party were J. W. Prichard, Jeff Koonce, Lawson

Tillman, Oley Tillman, Richard Lazure, Grady Cook, R. F. Davis, Gene Cook, Gene Clement, Robert Gaba, Ozie Cates, David Potter, L. D. Olds, Fred Moore, Buddy Moore, Max Moore, L. D. Sanders and Gene Lilly. They were assisted by Mrs. Lawson Tillman and Mrs. Walter Lazure.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

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And while some folks allow it's all a lot of nonsense — like the wheelbarrow ride that Cappy had to give Dutch after last election day — from where I sit, it's a mighty wholesome aftermath to a difference of opinion.

Because good Americans all take their politics and voting mighty seriously. But when the issue's settled, and the die is cast, they accept the verdict in a spirit of good humor.

And that's as it should be when it comes to any difference of opinion. Some folks vote for beer as their favorite beverage — others vote for cider. In fact, we all have differences of taste in almost everything! But that doesn't mean that we can't live together in a spirit of good fellowship.

Joe Marsh

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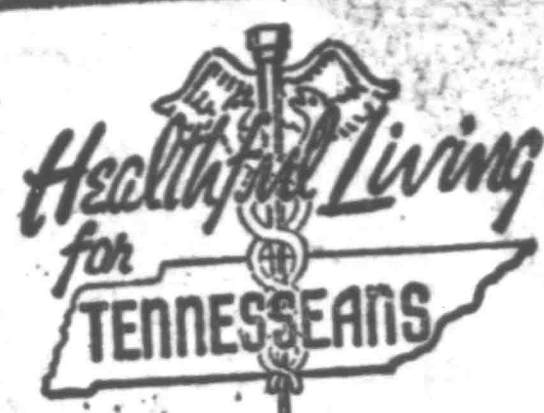
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There are 212 public water supplies and 125 public sewer systems in operation in Tennessee. These facilities for good health serve approximately 40 percent of the population.

The remainder (60 per cent) have only a semblance of safe water and satisfactory sewage disposal. There are many densely populated areas, usually suburban, that lack adequate sewage disposal. Usually, however, these areas, do have a safe public water supply.

Rural areas are still worse off. It is estimated that only one out of ten farm-houses have running water; still fewer have a safe excreta disposal — not even a septic tank.

The construction of adequate water and sewage facilities is expensive. They are expensive to operate. Yet, the availability of an abundance of safe water and adequate sewage disposal are two of the most important factors affecting community health.

Further progress in the control of filth-borne diseases such as diarrhea, colitis, enteritis, and dysentery must await a vast extension of water and sewer facilities.

Farm families will have to depend upon private water systems and excreta disposal. Communities can best depend upon public owned and operated facilities.

Community health and community sanitation go hand in hand. Money spent on sanitation is good preventive medicine.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of Arch R. Pitts, deceased
Notice is hereby given that on the 28th day of March, 1949, letters testamentary in respect of the estate of Arch R. Pitts, deceased, were issued to the undersigned by the County Court of Lauderdale County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured against his estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above named court within nine months from the date of the first publication of this notice, otherwise their claims will be forever barred.

This 29th day of March, 1949.
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Precautions Suggested To Cut Haying Mishaps

Haying mishaps annually account for a large percentage of the mounting farm accident toll. National Safety council points out in urging farmers to take extra precautions during the haying season.

To reduce hazards and thus avoid disastrous losses, here are a few suggestions:

Carefully check all equipment for defective hitches, ropes, pulleys, lifts, hay racks or ladders. Loft floors should be put in good repair and hay chutes guarded.

Make starts and stops gradually in all haying operations and watch out for falls from hay racks, hay stacks and hay mows.

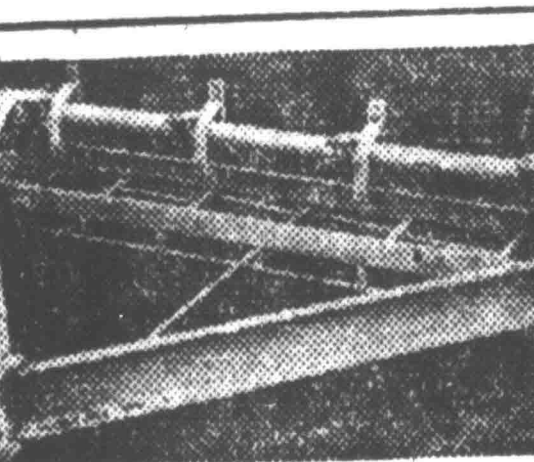
Machinery should be stopped and thrown out of gear before oiling, adjusting or unclogging, and safety guards should be kept in place at all times.

Pitchforks are dangerous; always place them where they are in plain sight of all workers. Never throw a pitchfork.

Do not wear loose or ragged clothing which may catch easily in moving machinery.

Damp hay is one of the principal causes of barn fires. Be sure the hay is well cured before storing and check regularly for several weeks for any signs of heating.

Two Row Stalk-Cutter



The two row stalk-cutter is turned on its skids for transport between fields. When reversed (with cutting blades on reel removed) and riding on cutter blades, the tool levels corn stalks so the ground can be prepared more easily for the next crop. Arc welding makes a rigid frame that is required when the cutter is hauled through a field behind a tractor.

2, 4-D Spray Proves Fatal To Some Woody Plants

Many woody plants, including willows, are partially killed by 2, 4-D sprays. Killing of large shrubs or trees cannot be expected. The spray may be used, however, to prevent resprouting of susceptible species by applying as a concentrated spray to resprouts after the trees and shrubs have been cut. Repeated applications will be necessary to prevent further growth.

Sunday School Lesson

By Walter C. Davis, D. D., Tennessee School of Religion, University of Tennessee

(Mark 10:13-16; 35-40)

'JESUS MINISTRY IN PEREA'

"The Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give His life a ransom for many."

The last-half-year of our Lord's ministry was spent in Perea, east of the Jordan. It was during the Perea ministry that Jesus spoke such lovable parables as the Good Samaritan, the Prodigal Son, the Great Supper, the Rich Fool, the Unfaithful Steward, the Unrighteous Judge, the Pharisee and the Publican.

The enemies of Jesus were watching Him. (Luke 14:1) They were listening critically of all He said. He knew the time of His departure was near, but He was undaunted.

Two pictures are included in our lesson. One is about children. Any reader of the Gospel knows that Jesus loved children and that children loved Him. At that time children were given very little chance; they were looked upon as little more than property. In "Christianity's Contribution to Civilization," Dr. Charles D. Eldridge says Christ has "changed the world's attitude toward children, saved them from the degradation of exposure and abandonment, and helped secure them the right to be properly born, properly nourished, and properly developed." In the art galleries of the world one of the most prized pictures is that of Christ Blessing the Children.

The second incident is a display of selfishness and a lesson on service. Mark says James and John came directly to Jesus while Matthew says the mother spoke for them. They were all involved in it, a sort of family scheme. See how childish they were: "Master,

we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you." This is like a child who wants a promise in advance.

The answer of Jesus was searching. The Expositor's Greek Testament says "there is a double symbolism for the passion, a cup and a baptism. The cup is an Old Testament emblem." The word of Jesus on baptism may have been the basis of Paul's reference in Romans 6:3 to baptism as a baptism into death. Challenged whether they should share His passion they answered, "We are able." They were thinking only of the rich reward and were not counting the cost.

Jesus then taught one of the most profound lessons in life. True greatness consists not in the position one holds, but in service rendered. The mind of Jesus is so different from the mind of man. The world has its own ideas of greatness, of success. But the

words of Jesus come with a shock. For the first time a halo rests on gentleness, kindness, service. We have not yet caught up with Christ but we are learning. The Red Cross is one proof of that. George Sand says, "There is but one virtue — the eternal sacrifice of self."

Mrs. Zebedee and her sons erred in asking chief honors. But they had one virtue. They were with Jesus. Bishop Quayle left us a striking sermon on "Where is Zebedee?" James and John Zebedee and the mother were with Christ. But where is Zebedee? Didn't I tell you? He is mending the nets. Never looks up. Busy with his nets and hears not. Where are you Zebedee. It is better to have made mistakes like your sons, than never to have been with Christ.

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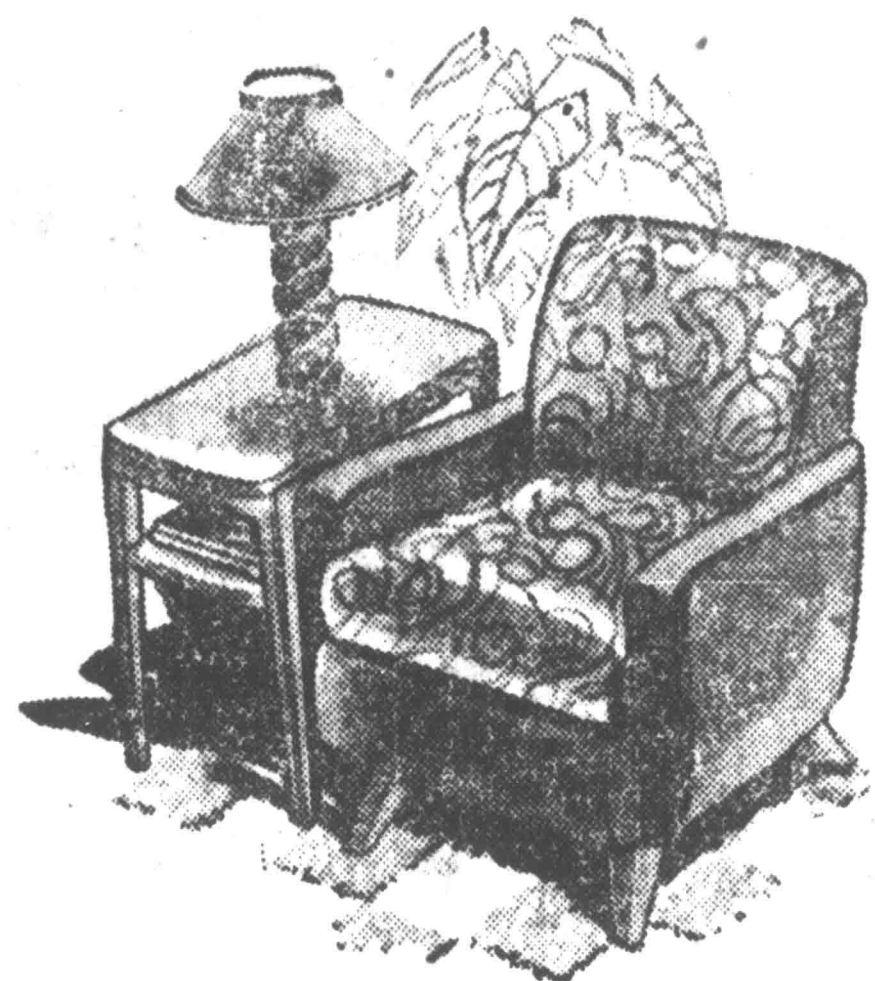
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Local Happenings

Mrs. W. S. Perry, Mrs. S. F. Young and Mrs. G. N. Jordan were in Memphis Saturday.

Mrs. Hermon Robinson and little son have returned to their home in Grand Rapids, Mich. after a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Parminster.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Sumrow and Mrs. Floyd Hurt were in Dyersburg Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Benny Maxey of Dyersburg visited her mother, Mrs. Jett Meadows, Sunday.

Need a house wired? Call Harold Ferguson at 6081. adv.

Mrs. A. E. Garrett is visiting in Memphis.

Mrs. Lester Chambers of Unionville spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. C. W. Scott.

M. H. Stallings is reported as improving after having suffered a heart attack Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Lorene Esh left Sunday to return to her home in Muskegon, Mich., after an eight-day visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Parminster.

Mrs. T. E. Reed and Mrs. Chas. Rooks and son, Mickey, were in Memphis Tuesday.

I. W. Simmons returned home from the Baptist Hospital Tuesday afternoon after receiving treatment there since Friday afternoon.

Mrs. L. L. McDearman and Mrs. A. G. Hargett returned Sunday after spending the weekend with relatives in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. David Nunn and son, Warren, spent Saturday night and Sunday in Jackson with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Dunn.

Nunn and Mrs. Dunn attended the Annual Spring Banquet of the Chi Omega Sorority at the New Southern Hotel Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Connel were in Jackson Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Murchison were in Memphis Monday.

Mrs. Roy Patton spent Saturday night and Sunday in Jackson and attended the Annual Spring Banquet of the Chi Omega Sorority at the New Southern Hotel Saturday night.

Motors repaired. Harold Ferguson, Phone 6081. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brown and son, Joe, of Arlington, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hargett.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora E. Beasley and children returned Tuesday after spending the past week with his father, C. M. Beasley. While there Mr. Beasley enjoyed a wild turkey hunt and reported lots of luck — all of it bad!

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Carnell spent Sunday in Whitehaven with James Carnell and Mr. and Mrs. David Williams.

Mrs. W. L. Bone and son of Gallatin are spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Ross Dyer, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Armstrong were guests of Rev. and Mrs. Ernest Olds in Bells Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Oliver and baby and Billy Jones of Henderson and Miss Gay Jones of Jackson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Jones during the week end.

Lester Parminster has returned to his home in Muskegon, Mich., after a week's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Parminster.

Mrs. Mamie Williams returned Saturday after spending a week in Brighton with her daughter, Mrs. Harry Spencer, and Mr. Spencer.

Irons, small electric appliances repaired, also refrigerators, ranges etc. Harold Ferguson, Phone 6081. adv.

Mrs. B. B. Brown was in Bells during the weekend to visit her brother, Lawson Spence, and Mrs. Spence.

Mrs. D. E. Walker and Mrs. James Carnell were in Memphis Wednesday.

Miss Ruth Stallings of Memphis spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Stallings.

Mrs. W. H. Haste of Memphis is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. A. Hart.

Col. and Mrs. Farrin Hillard of Shreveport, La. are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sumrow and other relatives here.

Mrs. Tom Noron of Dyersburg is attending the bedside of her mother, Mrs. A. S. Kenley, who has been quite ill since Monday.

Miss Lillie Flowers has returned from a visit with her brother, Dr. W. W. Flowers, in Livingston, Texas.

Small wiring jobs! Receptacles, plugs, switches, etc. Harold Ferguson, Phone 6081. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Campbell and children and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hughes visited M. H. Hughes in Hayti, Mo. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reed Moore spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. John Rodgers, Jr., at Bonicord.

Mrs. Maggie Clark of Bonicord visited in the home of Miss Lillie Flowers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Perrign of Friendship are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Will Sumnerlin.

ROOK PARTY HONORS
MRS. ROBERT CRADDOCK

Mrs. P. H. Henderson, Jr. entertained at her attractive new home with a Rook Party Thursday afternoon honoring Mrs. Robert Craddock.

Yellow and white spring flowers decorated the living room while an Easter motif was carried out in table decorations.

Preceding the games the hostess served a delicious dessert course and later in the afternoon nuts

and cokes were served.

Guests included Mrs. Joe Bruns, Mrs. Louis Levy, Mrs. Clyde Younger, Mrs. David Nunn, Mrs. David Hurt, Mrs. Marvin Hansford, Mrs. Elbert Vlar, Mrs. J. K. Hinton, Jr., Mrs. T. O. Martin, Jr., Mrs. Wayne Vaden, Mrs. Roy Patton and Mrs. Craddock.

Mrs. Louis Levy won the prize for high score, and Mrs. Hurt binged. Mrs. Craddock was presented a guest prize.

MIKE FLYNN HAS PARTY ON FIFTH BIRTHDAY

Mike Flynn celebrated his fifth birthday Monday afternoon when his mother, Mrs. T. T. Flynn, entertained several of his little friends with a party.

Games were played on the lawn before going into the house where they were seated at the dining table to enjoy ice cream and cake. Spring flowers decorated the refreshment table which held a lovely birthday cake. An Easter rabbit marked the place for each guest.

Those present were Charles Vlar, Steve Pugh, Chuck Murchison, Pat Warren, Cary Alsobrook, Pat Younger, Mickey Rooks, Eddie Scott Medlock, Anna Ray Hurt, Katie Lou Hurt and Elizabeth Ann Alsobrook.

ON HONOR ROLL

Paul Henderson, Jr. was among the students who have been named to the Dean's Honor Roll for the Fall Quarter at the University of Tennessee at Knoxville.

PREACHING AT SOUTH FORK SUNDAY

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NOTES

(Continued from Page 1) their prize, "Easter-Parade".

Fifth Grade

Many interesting articles on our feathered friends, the birds, are being written. Now as we observe "Bird Week". We are enjoying our bird calls and are expecting some of the boys to make bird houses to display. We are collecting old bird nests and trying to identify the builder as we study "The Nesting of Birds". Among the birds we are studying this week are the humming bird, the Baltimore oriole, the robin, the scarlet tanager, and the wood thrush. Birds are also providing material for our drawing periods. Too we are learning "The Thrustle" by Tennyson.

We are very busy because we know that the close of school is just around the corner. Everyone wants to be ready. We are sorry to lose Shelly Jean Davis who has moved to another school.

Our walls are very pretty with our maps on them.

Sixth Grade

We enjoyed our visit to the library Wednesday for it was all decorated with beautiful new books. Our teacher is reading one of the new ones, Anne of Green Gables by L. M. Montgomery. We don't want to miss a chapter.

We enjoyed our spelling lesson last week, reviewing 140 words. Helen Claire Cherry and Ella Joe Gaines made perfect scores. Dotsey Olds missed only one word.

We want to thank Mrs. Young for her kindness during the absence of our teacher.

Seventh Grade

The young people took part in the prayer meeting Wednesday night. The boys sang, "Standing on the Promises" and the girls

the bathroom needs lighting too. For the older woman who helps in the kitchen, all arrangements which save stooping, stretching, and lifting are helpful.

Eighth Grade

The eighth graders are proud of Marilyn Reece for being spelling champion of the school. Barbara Scott is alternate, Patsy Belton and Lyddie Hurt ranked third and fourth. Marilyn ranked third in the county and received a prize of \$2.50. Congratulations, Marilyn!

At our chicken salad supper last Thursday night, we cleared about \$100.00. The cakes were won by Mr. Henry Baldrige and Mrs. S. H. Campbell. We hope both enjoyed them.

We wish to thank all who contributed to the success of our chicken salad supper and appreciate the assistance of our mothers. If for some reason you did not attend the salad supper Thursday night, you really did miss a delicious plate — we think. Look for us next week.

F. H. Paschal

(continued from front page) the effort of climbing stairs and the hazards of falls. For safety, be sure the bedroom is arranged to allow a clear passageway to doors. See that electric fixtures give clear, well-diffused light throughout the room, with three-way switches at doors and within easy reach of the bed. For comfort, have at least one easy chair and a good light for sewing or reading beside it. A bedside chest or drawer may hold an extra blanket within easy reach of the bed.

In the bathroom the specialists recommend a flat-bottomed tub, as protection against slipping, with low sides easy to step over; and also a strong, easily grasped handle in the wall beside the tub.

MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

(continued from front page) God and His righteousness and all these things shall be added unto you.

The lesson teaches the great example of unselfish serving and healing and saving of the Lord Jesus. He "gave His life a ransom for all who will come to God by Him."

We want every man in his place "round about the camp" next Sunday. The Young People's Revival begins. We owe it to our young folks to give them our cooperation and prayerful interest as they engage with the Pastor and the other interested leaders in this momentous week of Worship and Soul Seeking.

Men's Bible Class
Halls Baptist Church
Fred R. Hurt, Teacher

COUNTY COURT

(Continued from Page 1) the ensuing year.

Dr. R. B. Griffin was elected county health officer for the ensuing four years, and Dr. O. F. Moore, Jr., Dr. W. Y. C. Hannum and Dr. R. S. Maclin, Jr., were elected as the Lauderdale County Board of Health for the same term. The Lauderdale County Library Association was appropriated \$100 a month, which is an annual appropriation for the Sugar Hill Lauderdale County Library.

The child welfare office and the highway commission made their

quarterly reports. The court approved a special Finance Committee composed of Judge J. H. Lewis, N. C. Utley, clerk; Thomas Steele, Jr., Oscar Grimes, trustee; C. S. Carney, Jr., and B. C. Durham, Jr. to study the bonded indebtedness of the county and recommend the method of refunding to the court at its July term.

Mrs. J. T. Connell and Nancy, Saturday in Memphis. Mrs. Paul Henderson and Mrs. H. G. McCorkle and Carolyn spent Patronize our advertisers.

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Confidential Corner

Recreational Program

For a number of years we have contended that a planned recreational program during the summer months for the youngsters of the town was badly needed. A lot of talk has been made but very little has been done in that direction but now for the first time there seems some possibility that such a program may be set up. The program would call for a paid supervisor to be in charge and to plan and control the activities of the youngsters with equipment for various types of games to be furnished. This program would include both boys and girls with the age groups to include most of the youngsters of the town. The different sizes and age groups would not play at the same time but each would have their own set time for supervised play. What would you think of a program of this type? It will be discussed with you some time soon.

Who's Running

Despite the fact that we have been given a list of three candidates for Mayor and thirteen candidates for Alderman, we continue to hear rumors that this or that man is not making the race. As we understand it any man who qualified will remain on the ticket unless the Election Commission is notified with a written notice. We would like to see the qualified men make the race so that the voters may select the type board they think can best represent them.

Please, Please

From time to time we ask our advertisers to please get their copy in at the earliest possible moment yet almost every week we have to turn away advertising because it is brought to the office too late. Also much news that could be just as easily given to us earlier misses the paper because it is not given to us in time. We know that this is inclined to displease the customer or patron but we still have a deadline to meet and must keep that in mind at all times. Your cooperation will be greatly appreciated.

Buddy, Surprises Us

Buddy gave us quite a surprise during the past weekend. Some time back Buddy entered a safety slogan contest in connection with the radio program over Radio Station WMPB. The grand prize was a television set which Buddy fully expected to win and we of course discouraged his belief since we didn't want him to be too disappointed. When he failed to win the first prize Buddy was still convinced that he would win one of the prizes and warned us to watch the mail for a package for him. Well, Saturday there did come a prize for Buddy. Thank goodness he is smarter than his Dad.

Talks Enjoyed

We don't believe that we have heard of anyone in Halls that has created such a favorable impression in a long time than has Miss Josephine Read. Miss Read, a missionary to Africa now back in the States for further study and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Read of Halls, has addressed the PTA, the Baptist Church, the Methodist Church, various missionary societies, classes in the schools, etc. and everyone who has heard her has been high in their praise of her.

Will Be Missed

Two highly respected citizens of Halls and nearby community passed away this week, I. W. Simmons, a merchant in Halls, for more than 40 years, and J. B. Ferguson, respected citizen of the Gumflat community. Mr. Ferguson

Station WDSG To Broadcast Cardinal Games



HARRY CARAY GABBY STREET

Station WDSG of Dyersburg will broadcast the play-by-play of the St. Louis Cardinals in 1949, according to an announcement made today by Frank Armstrong, station manager. This disclosure coincided with announcement in St. Louis by the sponsors of the broadcasts.

Harry Caray and the old Sarge, "Gabby" Street, will be paired on the play-by-play for their fifth season together.

Five State Network

In addition to station WDSG, the Cardinal games will also be broadcast over a 5-state network of stations in Missouri, Illinois, Arkansas, Tennessee and Kentucky. This is the largest network

of stations ever assembled to carry games out of St. Louis, and will probably be larger than any other network in the country carrying major league games.

The 1949 broadcast set-up will be the same as that established last summer in that the home and road games will be broadcast. The home games, of course, will be broadcast from Sportsman's Park, while road games are reconstructed from Western Union ticker reports as in certain other cities in both leagues. The first league game will be Tuesday, April 19, when the Cards play Cincinnati. Be sure to listen to each broadcast for the starting time of the game the following day. WDSG is 1450 on the dial.

Funeral Services For Chas. E. Campbell

RIPLEY — Services for Chas. E. Campbell, farmer, were held at 2 Wednesday afternoon at the Garner Funeral Home with W. P. Smith, Church of Christ minister, officiating. He was 73.

Mr. Campbell, who died at 6:45 Tuesday afternoon was born in Wilson County, Texas. He moved to Lauderdale County at an early age. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Pracilla O'Steen Campbell; a son, H. D. Campbell of Ripley; two daughters, Mrs. J. B. Raines of Hartsburg and Mrs. H. C. Shearin of Atlanta; and four sisters, Mrs. E. C. Owen of Curve, Mrs. W. D. Deloach of Ripley, Mrs. W. J. Hartman and Miss Bruce Campbell of Gates.

PREVENTION BEST CURE FOR ONION FLAVOR IN MILK

Prevention is better than any amount of "cure" in the matter of keeping onion flavor out of milk, say specialists of the U. T. Agricultural Extension Service.

Eradication of wild onions from a pasture, where possible, is more desirable than any other means of preventing onion flavor in milk, it is emphasized. Wild onions cease growing when the ground becomes warm; thus they are a problem chiefly in early spring and late fall. They can be controlled very well during these periods by grazing with dry cattle or by mowing.

In this connection, an Extension Leaflet should be helpful to dairymen. It gives findings of the Dairy Department, University of Tennessee, in research on off-flavors in milk. Ask the county Agricultural agent for Extension Leaflet 89, Pasture Management for the Prevention of Onion Flavor in Milk.

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Go to Church Sunday.

son had been in ill health for some years and not active for some time while Mr. Simmons, although ill, had remained active until a short time before his death. Both of these men will be missed and our sympathy goes out to the bereaved families.

A Good Report

Elsewhere in this issue of the Graphic may be found a report from Mr. H. G. Conley of the activities of his high school agricultural students during 1948. We believe that this report is worthy of your attention and that both the students and Mr. Conley are to be congratulated on their fine work.

EASTER SUNRISE SERVICE

The Rev. W. F. Maxedon, pastor, has announced that a special Sunrise Easter Service will be held at the Halls Methodist Church at 8:30 Easter morning. The regular Easter morning worship will be held beginning at 10:55. There will be no services at the church Sunday evening and the congregation is invited to attend the closing service of the Baptist Youth Revival.

Mrs. Douglas Hurt PTA President

The Halls Parent Teacher Association met Monday afternoon at the Elementary School Auditorium for the final meeting of the school year. Mrs. Rosa Dyer, president, called the meeting to order. Mrs. Paul Griffin offered prayer.

Mrs. James Voss introduced the program which consisted of a talk by Mrs. N. S. Dava describing the PTA picture which her room had kept the past month. The picture was held on the stage by two fifth graders while Mrs. Dava described something of its beauty. Two likenesses of the picture which had been drawn by fifth graders were also displayed. A trio was sung by Jimmy, Donald and Frances Smith with Mrs. Voss at the piano. Jimmy Smith also sang "Easter Parade" accompanied by Mrs. Voss. Mary Knox rendered a piano solo.

Following the regular routine of business officers were elected for next year as follows: Mrs. Douglas Hurt, president; Mrs. T. J. Yarbrough, vice-president; Miss Gwendolyn Walker, secretary, and Mrs. Buster Campbell, treasurer.

At the room count the PTA picture went to Mrs. Dava's section of the fifth grade.

John B. Ferguson Buried Wednesday

Funeral services for John B. Ferguson, prominent farmer of the Gumflat community, were held Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock at the Halls Baptist Church. Dr. O. W. Taylor of Nashville and Rev. R. J. Cooper officiated. Burial was in Halls cemetery with Suddury Funeral Home in charge.

Mr. Ferguson died at his home near here Tuesday morning after a long illness. He was member of Halls Baptist Church and very active until his health failed him several years ago. He was a farmer and landowner.

Mr. Ferguson was born at the same house where he died. He was 74.

He leaves one son, John J. Ferguson of Halls; and one daughter, Mrs. Robert Kinnemonth of Halls. Also surviving is a brother, E. A. Ferguson of Dyersburg.

Future Farmer Record Shown

Mr. H. G. Conley, Agriculture teacher for Halls High School, states that the report of the work of the Future Farmers of America organization in Halls High School for 1948 has recently been completed and the following figures have been given to the Halls Graphic:

Fifty-seven boys have completed projects during 1948 including cotton, corn, soybeans, strawberries, hogs and poultry.

These projects realized the gross sum of \$24,448.16 for the students with a total cost of \$11,664.20 to be charged against this amount leaving a gross profit of \$12,783.96. The student labor involved in the production of these projects was \$1,785.76 leaving a net profit of \$10,998.20. This was a profit of almost \$200 per project which we believe is an outstanding achievement.

Plans are being made for representatives of the local chapter of the Future Farmers of America to attend the state convention which will be held in Nashville on May 6-7. Also to attend the meeting will be representatives of the local Future Homemakers of America chapter.

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I. W. Simmons Died Tuesday

Funeral services for Ira W. Simmons, merchant and harness maker here for 44 years, were held at 8 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at Halls Baptist Church. Dr. O. W. Taylor of Nashville and the Rev. R. J. Cooper officiated. Burial was in the family plot in Halls Cemetery with Halls Funeral Home in charge.

Mr. Simmons, who 67, died at his home here Tuesday morning. He had been in ill health for several years but had remained active in his business until recently. He was a deacon of the Halls Baptist Church and for many years served as church treasurer. He was a Mason.

Born in Dyer County, Mr. Simmons came here many years ago and opened a harness repair and shoe shop, later stocking shoes and work clothing as well as other men's clothing items.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Frances Reed Simmons; a daughter, Mary Simmons of Halls; five sons, Wilburn Simmons of Dyersburg, Frank Simmons of San Francisco, Billy Reed Simmons of Knoxville, Cecil and Clyde Simmons, both of Halls; three sisters, Mrs. Maggie Clinton of Dyersburg, Mrs. Daisy McKnight of Union City, and Mrs. Emma Davis of Memphis; and seven brothers, Earl and Ella Simmons of Newbern, Evers Simmons of Denver, Colo., George Simmons of Oklahoma City, W. F. Simmons of Trenton, A. T. Simmons of Humboldt and F. L. Simmons of Henderson.

Dyersburg Civic Chorus Concert To Be Monday

The Dyersburg Civic Chorus will be presented in concert at the Grammar School Auditorium on Monday evening, April 18, at 8 o'clock. In this, their initial appearance in Halls the chorus will be sponsored by the Beta Club of Halls High School.

The program Monday night will feature religious, classical and semi-classical numbers.

The Dyersburg Chorus, composed of 50 voices, is under the direction of Charles Stanfield and has won wide recognition throughout West Tennessee where a number of concerts have already been given.

Admission price will be 25c and 50c. The public is urged to attend.

13 For Alderman, 3 For Mayor, In City Election

Three candidates for Mayor, P. W. Crittendon, J. R. Dailey and R. H. Jordan, have qualified for the election to be held Thursday, May 5, according to a release by the county election commission.

In the race for the six places on the Board of Aldermen are some thirteen candidates which includes: Buster Campbell, Jim Jaynes, Elmer Hoffus, O. L. White, J. L. Carnell, Joe Clyde Escue, R. B. Coles, F. W. Hurt, W. S. Perry, M. H. Stallings, Joe Hurt, D. E. Walker, and Lynn Vaden.

In the mayor's race Mr. Jordan is a former mayor and member of the board and Mr. Crittendon is a member of the present board. Those in the race for alderman who have served before include: O. L. White, J. L. Carnell and Joe Hurt, who is a member of the present board.

Elsewhere in this issue of the Graphic may be found the official call for the election which comes every two years. Polls will open at 9 o'clock and close at 4 o'clock.

ATTEND TEA MEETING IN NASHVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bruns and Mr. and Mrs. James Peery attended the Tenn. Educational Association meetings in Nashville during the past weekend. J. H. Rochelle, of Ripley, was elected vice-president of the elementary school principal's organization.



MAX COBLE

Max Coble of Mosheim, Tennessee, national secretary of the Future Farmers of America, will be one of the principal speakers at the point State Convention of the Future Farmers of America and Future Homemakers of America to be held in Nashville, May 6-7. Coble will address the joint group at the initial meeting Friday morning, May 6.

Elementary News

— Rainey and Woodard — Remember we told you we hadn't dropped out of sight. And now we are coming back with all our might. We are sponsoring a show and a musical play. That you will remember till you are old and gray.

(Read about these in the 8th grade column).

1st Grade
Willa Jean, Helen, and Wanda Fay Goshorn have moved back to Halls and have re-entered school. Lynn Scott Vaden celebrated his 8th birthday last week at school and at home with a birthday party.

Donald Ray Smith sang "Lavender Blue" with his brother and sister at the PTA meeting Monday.

2nd Grade
Anne Younger and Jerry Chipman visited in Memphis last week.

Harvie Hilliard and Clyde Hudson are still out of school due to illness. Both have been absent for two weeks now, and we surely do miss them, too!

Several of us have made very interesting objects with our modeling clay and the boys make rocket ships with their tinker toys. Barbara Watts celebrated her eighth birthday Saturday with a party at her home in Poplar Grove. After the many nice gifts were opened, ice cream and cake were served.

Lindell Baker and Janet Criff-held had birthdays this week, too.

3rd Grade
Those of us that saw the senior play thought it was really good.

Miss Walker's first grade sang for us in our room recently. We hope they will visit us again soon. Buddy Murchison entered a Safety Slogan contest sponsored by "Uncle Bob's Gang" program which is on the radio every Saturday. Buddy was sure he would be a winner, but his mother and dad were really surprised when his prize did arrive last Saturday.

Johnny Olds, Thelma Burroughs and Josh Nunn's drawings were chosen as the best in last week's selected drawing of the week.

We like the new records for our building, "Manners Can Be Fun" and Nursery Rhymes! Thanks, Mrs. McCorkle!

We are busy with the Easter Season ideas. Our drawings, poems, and hand work of Easter bunnies, chicks and flowers have helped to make our room attractive.

The Easter pictures that Harry Wright drew on our blackboard for us are beautiful we think they have inspired us all.

Happy Easter to you — from us!

4th Grade
We are missing Billy Tucker. We hope he will soon be able to be back in school.

Francene Smith and her two brothers, Jimmy and Donald sang "Lavender Blue" on the PTA program Monday afternoon.

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Youngsters Attend 4-H Club Congress

F. H. Paschal County Agent

Mary Ann White of Henning and Vernon McBride, Jr., of Ripley are this week attending the Tennessee 4-H Club Congress in Nashville as Senators from Lauderdale County. Kattie B. Pitts of Ripley and Joe Fleming of Central are attending as Representatives. Bill Lanham, our new Assistant County Agent, accompanied the Senators and Congressmen.

The 4-H Club Congress, sponsored by the Agricultural Extension Service and business firms and individuals throughout the state, is the leading educational and recreational event held in the state for 4-H Club boys and girls. There are more than 113,000 club members in 3,310 Clubs in Tennessee.

Governor Gordon Browning is heading the representatives of government at the Club Congress in Nashville this week. President C. E. Brehm of the University of Tennessee and State Education Commissioner J. M. Smith were two of the leading speakers at the congress.

Dr. Kord Makes Suggestions On Livestock Disease Control

Dr. C. E. Kord, State Veterinarian and an eminent authority on livestock diseases, made some very practical suggestions at the livestock production schools recently held in the county as to the methods of preventing the spread of contagious diseases.

Here are some of the suggestions to farmers: 1. Be careful where you buy hogs, beef cattle and other animals to bring onto your farm. Do not buy off a truck nor at small Auctions. Dr. Kord explained that small Auctions have no restrictions and are designed to sell animals for slaughter and not for feeding or breeding.

2. Isolate animals brought on the farm for 30 days. This applies to work stock as well as other animals. One extra mile can infect all the other work animals on the place and cut down the number available for work, rather than providing additional power.

3. Never allow a truck from another farm or a commercial truck on your premises. If you must load animals onto a truck, drive the animals out to a public highway to load.

4. Bury or burn all animals that die on the farm or otherwise dispose of them quickly and thoroughly.

5. If you go to visit a neighbor who has sick animals, stop on his front porch. Do not go where his animals are. It is an easy matter to carry a disease on ones shoes from farm to farm.

These instructions seem simple enough and every farmer can profitably follow them. **Early Diagnosis Important**

Dr. Kord advised farmers who have sick animals not to do anything until they could get a diagnosis of the trouble. He pointed out that 75 per cent of all sick animals will get well without assistance.

He further advised the separation of well animals from the sick, leaving the sick where they are and moving the well animals to another location.

Dr. Kord stated that there had not been a case of Glanders in the state for several years nor had there been any case of Enteritis.

For the Buffalo Gnat, so prevalent in this area, Dr. Kord advised the use of repellents and pronounced smoke to be the best one discovered so far. He stated that gnats can get into the lungs of animals and can produce Traumatic Pneumonia. They can also cause loss of animals in other ways.

Next week we will discuss the recommendations on Chlerra and Erysipelas in hogs.

HONOR STUDENT

Howard Oliver, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Jones, has been named one among ten non-students at Freed-Hardeman College, Henderson, Tenn. Oliver will complete his work at Freed-Hardeman this May.

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Estate of Arch R. Pitts, deceased
Notice is hereby given that on the 28th day of March, 1949, letters testamentary in respect of the estate of Arch R. Pitts, deceased, were issued to the undersigned by the County Court of Lauderdale County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured against his estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above named court within nine months from the date of the first publication of this notice, otherwise their claims will be forever barred.

This 29th day of March, 1949.
W. M. KENLEY, Executor
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Announcements

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL

DYER — Ross W. Dyer has authorized the Halls Graphic to announce him as a candidate for the office of Attorney General of the 16th Judicial Circuit composed of Lauderdale, Tipton, McNairy, Fayette and Hardeman counties, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, May 7, 1949.

WATKINS — George C. Watkins has authorized the Halls Graphic to announce him as a candidate for re-election to the office of Attorney General of the 16th Judicial Circuit composed of Lauderdale, Tipton, Fayette, Hardeman and McNairy counties, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary May 7, 1949.

FOR MAYOR

CRITTENDON — P. W. Crittendon has authorized the Halls Graphic to announce him as a candidate for Mayor of Halls in the city election to be held Thursday, May 5, 1949.

DAILEY — J. R. Dailey has authorized the Halls Graphic to announce him as a candidate for Mayor of Halls in the city election to be held Thursday, May 5, 1949.

FOR ALDERMAN

WALKER — D. E. Walker has authorized the Halls Graphic to announce him as a candidate for member of the Board of Aldermen of Halls in the city election to be held Thursday, May 5, 1949.

HOFFIUS — Elmer Hoffius has authorized the Halls Graphic to announce him as a candidate for member of the Board of Aldermen of Halls in the city election to be held Thursday, May 5, 1949.

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Circle No. 1 gave the program with Mrs. Cissy Miller as leader. Others taking parts on the program were Mrs. Kenneth Edens, Mrs. Charlie Hart, Mrs. Loyd Edens and Mrs. A. W. Williams.

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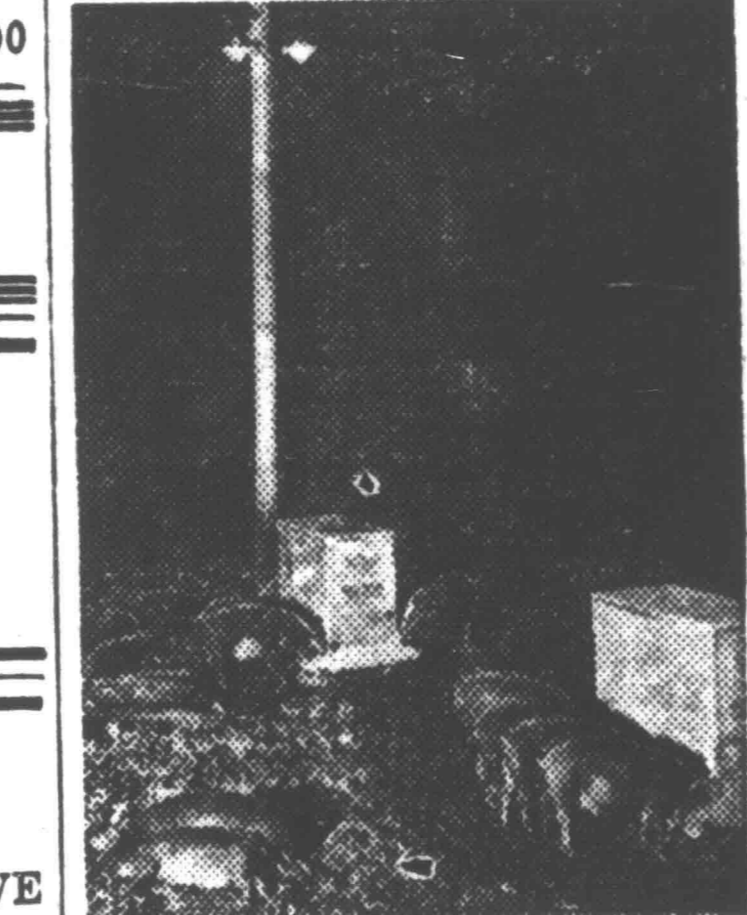
What is believed to have been the first experiment in night feeding of hogs indicates that this practice may prove highly practical, at least during the summer months.

The experiment was conducted by Robert C. Turner, a Henry, Ill., farmer, who produced an average gain of 92 pounds each on a herd of 107 Duroc hogs he had on his night-feeding program for 63 days.

To encourage his pigs to eat during the heat of the summer days, Turner erected lights in his hog lot. He had a time clock control set to switch the lights on for two night feedings, from 10 to 11:30 p. m. and from 2 to 3:30 a. m. One pole with a single 150-watt bulb and another pole with two 150-watt bulbs lighted the hog lot area, while a third pole with two 150-watt bulbs lighted the self-feeders.

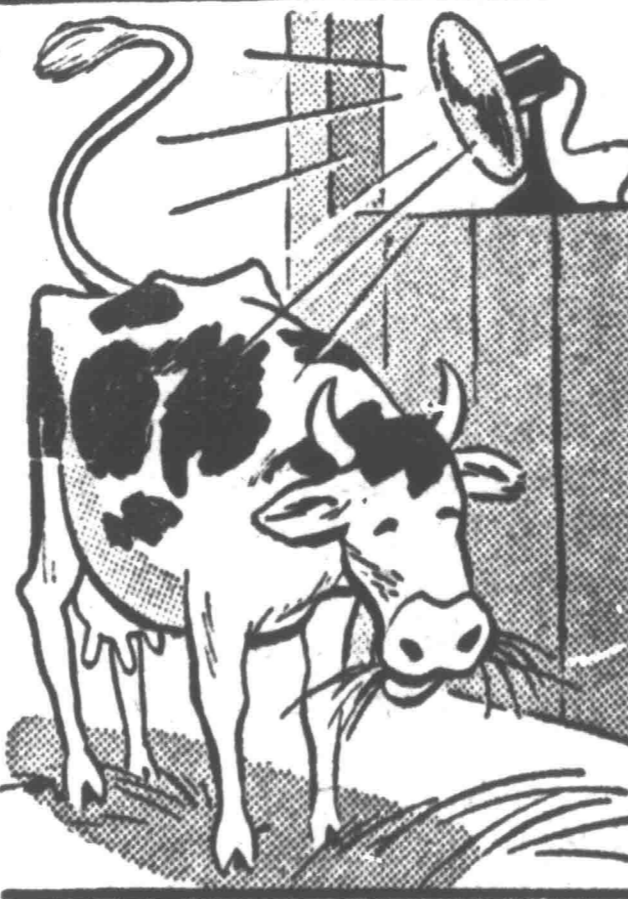
Turner fed a ration of ground oats and a pelletized milk product in the self-feeders, hand fed ear corn, and provided mineral, salt and good alfalfa pasture.

His 107 pigs, farrowed in late March and early April, weighed in for the test at 7,424 pounds, or an average of 69.38 pounds each. They weighed out at 17,270 pounds, or an average of 161.4 pounds each. This meant a total gain of 9,846 pounds of pork, about 92 pounds per pig, or an average daily gain of about 1.45 pounds per pig.



The herd consumed a total of 27,089 pounds of feed at a cost of \$1,089.91. According to these figures Turner produced his gain at the rate of 275 pounds of feed for each 100 pounds of pork, or a feed cost of about \$11.70 per hundred weight. The experiment used 148 kilowatt hours of electricity at a cost of \$7.40, or about seven cents per pig.

Plush Age on Farm



The future living quarters for Bessie and Dobbin may still be a far cry from farmhouse comforts and big-city penthouse plush, but at least some of them will have air conditioning, in the interests of more milk and better livestock health.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Viar and children of Ripley visited relatives here Sunday.

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Much emphasis has been put on the need for comfortable working heights in kitchen and laundry. The same principles hold

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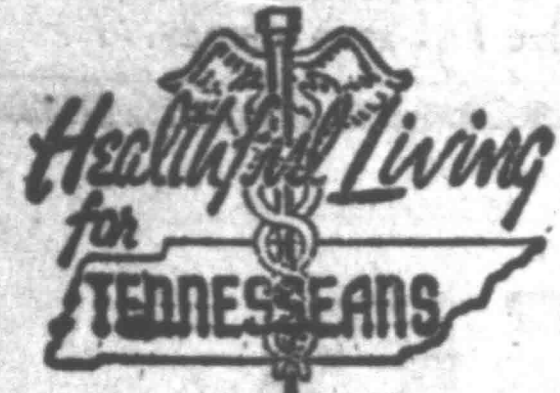
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SELF-MEDICATION

Self-medication is often over-medication and dangerous. The practice of self-treatment often follows wide-spread publicity about a new substance which offers hope of health improvement.

The recent announcement that there appeared to be less tooth decay in areas where the drinking water contained fluorides has prompted such a practice. A great number of fluoride-containing tablets have appeared on the market and the public is indiscriminately consuming them. A warning is in order.

Although there is no indication that the taking of these tablets would prove deadly, there is a good chance of fluoride poisoning from their use.

There is a small margin between physiologic benefit and physiologic toxicity or poisoning which results from the taking of fluoride compounds. It is also known that too much fluorine in drinking water causes dental fluorosis or mottled tooth enamel.

Several large cities are now experimenting with the addition of slight quantities of a fluoride to their public water supply, but there is not, as yet, conclusive proof that fluorides are essential to dental health.

These experiments do offer hope of a simple and inexpensive method of affording partial protection against dental decay, but until adequate research produces new knowledge in this field, the public should be wary about experimenting upon itself with such unproven and potentially dangerous substances.



Furacin Is Effective In Coccidiosis Control
New Chemical Proves Valuable to Poultrymen

Animal health, already in debt to human medicine for some effective help, now must acknowledge further aid from the same source. The thing for which acknowledgement is due is a drug called furacin.

Natural source of this drug is corn hulls, corn cobs, bran and similar farm wastes. It is one of the furfural series of chemicals, some of which are used in trades and industry.

In the very first trial with coccidiosis of chickens, furacin demonstrated that it was equal to the well



known sulfa drugs in stopping losses. Further research proved that the drug is generally less toxic to chickens than the sulfa drugs, and that the growth of treated chickens is not retarded as much as in the case of those which have been treated with sulfa.

This chemical is as yet available only in small quantities, and still is high in price. Even so, the amount required to be effective against coccidiosis is so small that the cost of treatment is less than with the sulfa drugs. Before long, products containing this new chemical will be available to poultry raisers on a less limited scale.

DDT Emulsion Controls Flies in Poultry House

Spraying a 1 per cent DDT emulsion on poultry manure two days before the manure was removed from the dropping boards, which were cleaned once a week, gave 100 per cent fly control at the Hawaii agricultural experiment station.

The emulsion was applied at the rate of one pint per 30 square feet of area.

The addition of lime twice a week to the manure before use of the DDT treatment reduced odor and moisture and reduced the number of flies, but apparently decreased DDT efficiency in the opinion of poultry specialists.

All-Time Champion



Above is Bess Skylark Ormsby Dera, 2382170, new all-time champion junior four-year-old Holstein for the United States, being milked three times daily. With her, on the last day of her record-smashing 365-day period, are left to right, three generations of her owners, G. F. Walters, Waterloo, Iowa; his son, Harold Walters, and his grandson, Robert Walters.

2,4-D Formulas Classed In Three Major Forms

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The 2,4-D chemical is used extensively as a weed killer.

Zinc Coating Provides Protection From Rust

Ten year tests at Indiana indicate that wire having less than a half ounce of zinc coating for each square foot of wire surface had 100 per cent of the surface rusted during the period. Samples having more than one ounce of zinc coating showed no rusting. Stainless steel and copper clad samples showed no rusting. Lead clad samples showed a third of the area discolored.

Sunday School Lesson

By Walter C. Davis, D. D., Tennessee School of Religion, University of Tennessee

(John 5:25; I Cor. 15:20-26; II Cor. 4:16-18)

"THE FUTURE LIFE"

The Resurrection of Jesus is a well-attested fact of world history. It is not a fairy tale or a concocted subterfuge. It has a place and a time and is part of the history of this planet. It is the most important event in all world history. He arose.

The fact has great implications. Thinking on these the Apostles concluded: "He arose, and He is able to give life to as many as believe in Him. He is the first of those who have fallen asleep." (I Cor. 15:20).

Our first great hope is that we shall meet our loved ones again. It will not be a mere casual meeting. "We shall know even as we are known."

Another hope is that we shall see our victorious Lord face to face. We are not afraid. Those who knew Him in the flesh put this down as certain of Him, "Having loved His own, He loved them unto the end." Christ is still the Christ even on the judgement seat. Eagerly He will come to us, with outstretched hands and happy face, and let us know how much it means to Him that we are there. (John 14:3)

"The last enemy to be destroyed is death." If we reject the Easter hope, then death reigns. Then all this vast universe with its planets and its stars faces only destruction, and the beauty of all life is but a mockery. In the vast universe of God there would be no life but only death. It would be absolute silence; no movement,

no life. Then we would have to say, He created it and put life here, but He was not able to preserve it. That is simply unthinkable.

"We know Him in whom we have believed." At no point in history can you put your finger and say, "After this no one ever came into communion with Him." To do that would be to make the lives of the saints a casebook of mental illness (Weatherhead). John Wesley wrote in his journal, "I offered them Christ." Did he offer them a dead memory or a living Saviour? From Peter and John down to Wesley and to now the great message of the Church is, "Jesus Christ is alive."

Another conviction growing out of this fact is that the experiences and affliction of this life are but for a short season and are to be borne patiently. (II Cor. 4:16-18)

We are not to lose heart but remember that while our natural life wastes away the spirit is renewed. So a saint prays, "O Lord, by all Thy dealings with us, whether of joy or pain, of light or darkness, let us be brought to Thee. Let us value no treatment of Thy grace simply because it makes us happy or sad. May all that Thou sendest bring us to Thee; that knowing Thy perfectness we may be sure in every disappointment, Thou are still loving us; in every darkness Thou art enlightening us, and in every enforced idleness Thou art still using us; yes, in every death Thou are giving us life, as in His death Thou didst give life to Thy Son, Our Saviour, Jesus Christ. Amen." (Phillips Brooks)

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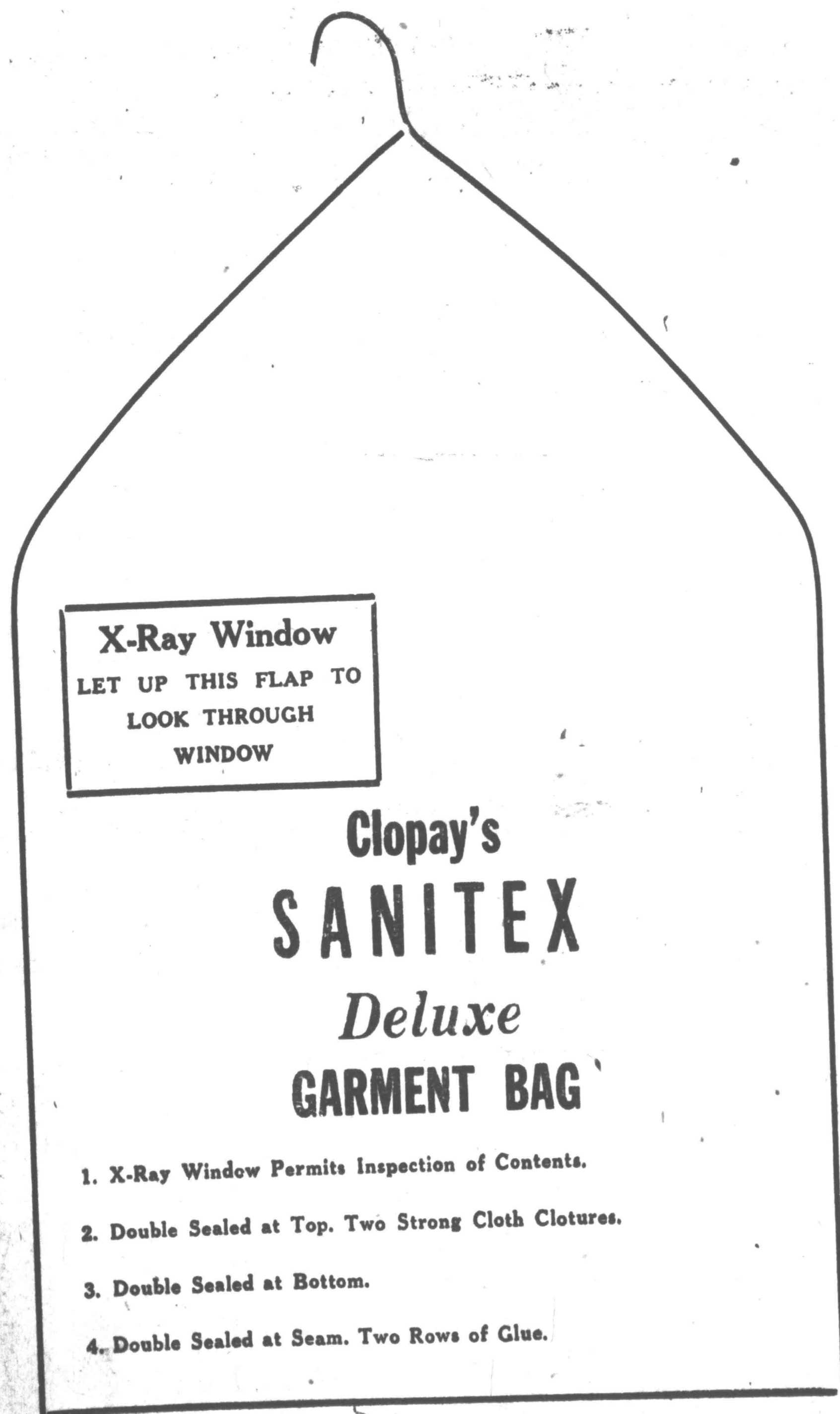
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THURSDAY, MAY 5, 1949

Said election will be held for the purpose of electing a Mayor, Board of Six Aldermen for said Town of Halls, Tennessee, and to serve for the ensuing two years.

Polls will be opened at 9:00 A. M. and close at 4:00 P. M.

The following officers, judges and clerks are hereby named and appointed to open, hold and make due return of said election:

Officer: E. O. Dew

Judges: J. O. Thompson, Stuart Crichfield, Roy Patton

Clerks: Neil Dyer, Neil Ferguson

Witness our hand this April 1st, 1949.

R. H. CHISHOLM Chairman

W. A. SANFORD Secretary

R. J. NUNN Member

Board of Commissioners of Elections for Lauderdale County, Tennessee.

Nankipoo News

Mrs. R. F. Davis is ill. Mrs. Macky Murphy continues quite ill.

Wilson Herron was called to Orysa Friday night by the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. Tom Herron.

Mrs. Buddy Murphy and baby of Memphis visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Eual Osteen last week.

Jubie and Alton Voss of Memphis visited relatives here over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jones of Dry Hill spent one night this week with Mr. and Mrs. Tolbert Tillman.

Mr. and Mrs. Derrick Tillman and children of Memphis were recent visitors with home-folks here.

Mrs. Roy Hilliard, Sr. and Mrs. Fleetwood Cates attended a tea at Curve Saturday night honoring Mrs. Lila Griffin of Memphis.

Mrs. Johnnie Stanley of Dry Hill is attending the bedside of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Lofton Hutcherson and daughter, Joann of Memphis spent the weekend here with relatives.

Rev. Clyde McCord and son of Dyersburg were dinner guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Olds.

Mrs. Evie Davis, Mrs. R. F. Davis and sons and Mrs. Jim Belton were in Dyersburg one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Griffin of Memphis spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hilliard, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Bence Cates and daughters of Sikeston, Mo., spent the weekend here and at Halls with relatives.

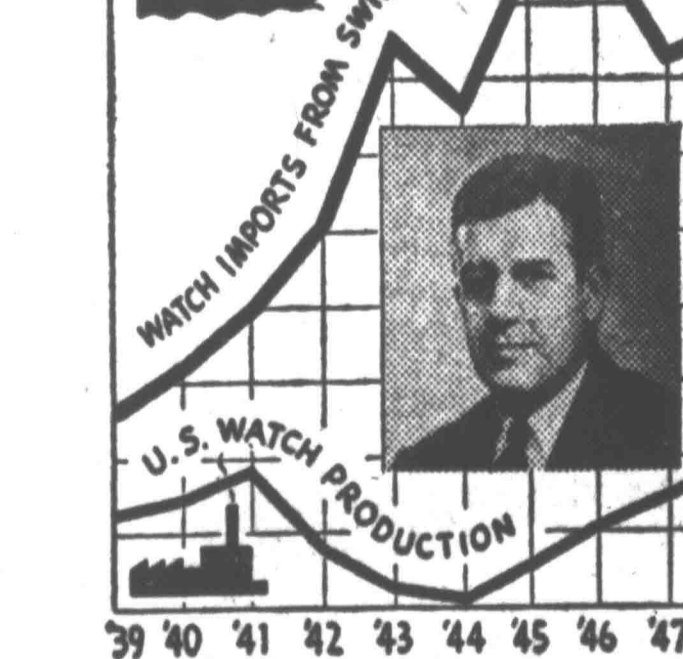
News from Gates

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Raines of Knoxville and Memphis visited in the K. H. Griffin home this week.

Mrs. A. T. McKinnon, Mrs. Grady Hargrove, Mrs. Minnie Lee Haynes and Miss Byrd Sloan attended the WSCS Conference held at Fountain Ave. Methodist Church in Paducah, Ky., last week.

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SEES THREAT TO U.S.



War-essential American jeweled watch industry is threatened by heavy imports from Switzerland which discourage healthy growth of domestic manufacture and thus endanger national security in case of another conflict, James O. Shennan (inset), president of Elgin National Watch Co., tells U.S. Senate committee at hearing on extension of trade agreements act. Asking "realistic duties" to equalize difference in movement costs resulting from Swiss labor rates which are 60 per cent lower than U.S. rates, Shennan cites figures for past 10 years (above). They show that importers captured bulk of U.S. market while the three exclusively American manufacturers of jeweled movements were engaged in vital war production.

Radio-Telephone Comes to The Farm



SEDALIA, MO. — Progressive farm equipment dealers have seized on the new radio-telephone service to speed up farm service calls and solve an old problem: how to keep contact between the service truck and the dealership sometimes many miles apart. Emergency work on farm implements sometimes come at critical times during harvesting or planting season, when every lost day costs money. Service was slowed by sparse communications in the rural areas, so that service trucks burned up valuable time retracing steps. Some farm equipment dealers have installed radio-telephones in their service trucks. Now the home office can put the service truck on an emergency job almost immediately and maintain constant communication with the operator in the field. Above, Scudder Hull of the Engle Tractor and Implement Company here, puts in a call from a customer's farm to his office, using the radio-telephone in the service truck.

MRS. H. T. ABERNATHY IS SOCIETY HOSTESS

Monday afternoon of last week at three o'clock the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church met with Mrs. H. T. Abernathy for their regular monthly meeting. Mrs. R. L. Hamilton, Jr., Mrs. James Peery, Miss Fern Parrish, Mrs. Neil Keltner and Mrs. Eugene Wyrick. Mrs. J. B. Keltner and Miss Read were welcomed at visitors and Mrs. Carmen Belton as a new member.

Society Meets

Mrs. A. T. McKinnon was hostess to the Woman's Society of Christian Service at her home last Tuesday evening. The house was made attractive with a wealth of spring blossoms. Mrs. R. V. Lilley was program leader, the subject being "God Everywhere to Every One." She was assisted by Mrs. H. J. Pennington and Mrs. Estol Wood. Mrs. Minnie Lee Haynes and Mrs. Grady Hargrove gave an interesting report of the conference held in Paducah last week. The hostess served a lovely salad plate carrying out the Easter motif with fruit punch.

CARD OF THANKS

We express our deep appreciation to the many friends and neighbors for their thoughtfulness while Mr. Higdon was in the hospital and since his return home. The cards, calls, visits and many other kind deeds are appreciated beyond words. Especially do we thank the Men's Bible Class of the Methodist Church for the beautiful flowers.

Card of Thanks

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Siler presided over the session which opened with the hymn "A Charge To Keep I Have". Prayer was by Mrs. C. W. Dyer.

A letter was read appealing for help for the blind children in China. The society made a motion to contribute five dollars to their fund. Also to ask the Treasurer to make a quarterly report to Bro. Maxedon for the Bulletin. The society will meet with the newly organized circle members in the basement of the church the third Monday at three o'clock.

There was also a contribution started for the Staff House at Camden.

The subject for the afternoon was "Light in Latin America" with Mrs. R. L. Nowell giving the worship service which began with a beautiful poem.

Talks which dealt with different phases of the subject were given by Mrs. R. H. Jordan, Mrs. Abernathy, Mrs. S. F. Young and Mrs. C. W. Dyer.

At the social hour the hostess served delicious angel food cake and coffee.

MISS JOSEPHINE READ SPEAKS AT CIRCLE MEETING

Circle No. 4 of the Baptist W. M. S. met with Mrs. Paul Williams Monday night, April 4.

Miss Fern Parrish led the opening prayer. Miss Josephine Read, missionary who has returned to the U. S. after 5 years in Africa for two years of further Bible study was a guest at the meeting and gave an inspiring talk on her missionary work in Africa and of the conditions there. She illustrated her talk with pictures of the different tribes found there.

Members present were Mrs. Joe Hamilton, Jr., Mrs. James Peery, Miss Fern Parrish, Mrs. Neil Keltner and Mrs. Eugene Wyrick. Mrs. J. B. Keltner and Miss Read were welcomed at visitors and Mrs. Carmen Belton as a new member.

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Mrs. Jim White, Mrs. Frank Moore, Mrs. John Moore, Miss Mae Rice and Mrs. Virgil Hines complimented Mrs. Bob Jones, recent bride, with a Miscellaneous Shower at the home of Mrs. Frank Moore on last Thursday evening at 7:30.

Thirty guests were present to participate in the numerous contests during the evening. The honoree wore a tomato red wool dress and a corsage at her shoulder, the gift of her hostesses. Many lovely gifts were presented to the honoree.

Later in the evening a delicious party plate and coca colas were served.

CARD OF THANKS

We express our deep appreciation for all the kind words and deeds done during my recent illness. Every expression of consideration will always be cherished by us. May the Lord bless each of you.

M. H. Stallings and Family

Local Happenings

Grace Yarbrough, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Yarbrough, underwent an appendectomy at the Dyersburg Hospital last week.

Mrs. D. C. Warren, Mrs. A. G. Hargett, Mrs. J. H. Murchison and Mrs. Roy Patton were in Memphis Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Meadows of Unionville are spending this week with their daughters, Mrs. W. A. Perry and Mrs. T. G. Avery.

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Mr. and Mrs. David Nunn Hall of Jackson were in Halls Wednesday.

Mrs. W. E. Barbour, Miss Joy Barbour and Chaucery Barbour, Mrs. James McQuirter and Irvin McQuirter of Memphis were the guests of Mrs. F. M. Jordan Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Jordan has been ill but is improving. Mrs. Barbour remained for a longer visit with her mother.

Mrs. W. A. Perry and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Becton of Unionville spent Sunday in Dickson with Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Lightfoot.

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Mrs. Bess Jordan and son, Ernest, visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Butler in Dyersburg last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Black and Mr. and Mrs. Steele Boothe of Maury City visited Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Agee Wednesday night.

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Mr. and Mrs. Billie Viar and family of Memphis and Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Viar of Columbia were here during the weekend to visit their mother, Mrs. W. C. Viar, Sr., who has been sick for several days.

Just received a new shipment of spring and summer hats. Get your Easter bonnet at Mrs. Vera Hilliard's Style Shop. adv.

Mrs. Cecil Sumrow was sick several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John White of Bonicord attended funeral services for I. W. Simmons Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. T. T. Flynn and son, Mike, spent last week in Memphis.

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Mrs. Robert Phillips and children have returned after spending a few days in Helena, Ark. with Mr. and Mrs. Granville Kee and Mrs. Mattie Dew.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Agee of Newbern spent Saturday night and Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Agee. Mr. Jeff Agee has been sick for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jordan Hall of Memphis are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hall.

Hurry, hurry and buy your new Easter dress, purse and gloves to match at Mrs. Vera Hilliard's Style Shop. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Martin and son and Mrs. B. F. Martin, Sr. of Frayser were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Stephens during the weekend.

Mrs. C. H. Spry and Mrs. Hopkins were in Memphis Tuesday.

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R. V. Agee, Sr. of Friendship, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Agee of Maury City and Mrs. Bob Jetton of near Maury City visited in the Jeff Agee home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Harrell of Dyer were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Hargett Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Oliver and baby of Henderson spent Monday in Nashville.

Mary Jane Ashcraft spent the weekend in Millington with Mary Glenn Badgett.

Mrs. Robert Baker spent several days last week in Jackson with Mr. and Mrs. Neill Bivens.

Mrs. Bobby Burnett and Mrs. Wilson Viar and daughter, Diane, of Ripley were in Halls Wednesday.

GARDEN PLOWS — Garden tools. We have them. Coles Hdw. Co. adv.

Among those attending funeral services for I. W. Simmons Wednesday afternoon were Mrs. Cora Nickson, Mrs. Jack Murchison, Bernard Doyle Murchison, J. R. Murchison of Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. John Roberts, Mrs. Aultia McCormick of Covington; Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Privett of Crockett Mills; Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Simmons of Marion, Ark.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank our friends and neighbors for the nice cards, calls, visits, flowers and other manifestations of kindness during Robert's operation and upon his return home. These kind acts will never be forgotten.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baker

T. E. L. CLASS HAS SOCIAL THURSDAY NIGHT

Mrs. Will Sumerlin, Mrs. Floyd Grady and Mrs. T. G. Avery were hostesses to members of the T. E. L. Sunday School Class Thursday evening at their regular social-business meeting. Meeting in the annex of the church, each carried a covered dish.

An Easter motif was used by the hostesses in decorating the tables for the evening. Each present was given a colorful crepe paper hat and an Easter basket. Places were marked by bunnies mounted on candy suckers and standing in colored spoons. An egg hunt and an egg race were enjoyed.

After the meal Mrs. W. E. Ralph presented in a most interesting manner the "Legend of the Dogwood." Her scripture reading was Mat. 28:6. A prayer meeting for the Youth Revival followed and was conducted by Mrs. Sumerlin. The class song "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" closed the meeting.

Those present were Mrs. Virgil Eskridge, Mrs. A. B. Witt, Mrs. W. C. Viar, Sr., Mrs. Ralph, Mrs. Charlie Hart, Mrs. Jim Jaynes, Mrs. W. H. Keltner, Mrs. Cislav Miller, Mrs. A. G. Hargett, Mrs.

O. L. White, Mrs. Maud Kirby, Mrs. J. H. Murchison, Mrs. Doyle Hawkins and Mrs. J. A. Hart. Guests included Mrs. L. G. Byford, of Crawfordsville, Ark., Mrs. P. W. Crittendon, Mrs. L. L. McDearman and Mrs. D. C. Warren.

Pastures grazed too closely in the spring never fully recover during the remainder of the season, it is pointed out. Permanent pastures should be permitted to make three or four inches of growth before grazing is started. Until the pasture makes this growth, specialists advise grazing other crops, such as small grain, rye grass, or crimson clover.

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NOTES

(Continued from front page)
 We enjoyed our field trip on the school campus Friday. We found two robin's nest with two eggs and brown thrush's nest.
 Miss Reed came to our room Thursday morning and talked to us about Africa and her work there. She taught us "Jesus Loves Me" in Ki Swahili language. We are so grateful to Miss Reed for her wonderful talk and for giving us this time. We hope she will come to see us again soon. Miss Josephine Reed is a missionary, having served the past five years in Africa.
5th Grade
 Thanks to all the parents and friends who helped us to win the PTA picture for "keeps"! We

think it is a beautiful picture and we shall surely enjoy it.
 We have learned the meaning of "The Good Neighbor Policy" and the many reasons why we should be interested in the brotherhood of man.
 We are sorry that Sonny Higdon and David Hallman are ill. Jimmy Arwood gives warning to all who go out to hunt wild flowers to beware of snakes - snakes - snakes!
6th Grade
 Here we are thinking about Easter and singing "Easter Parade".
 Grace Yarbrough underwent an appendectomy at the Dyersburg Hospital last week. We are glad to hear that she was able to return home Sunday. Hurry and get well, Grace, because we miss you very much.

Dotsy Olds, Lucinda Alsbrook and Lottie Sue Tucker memorized the 13th chapter of I Corinthians last week.
 Jimmy Smith sang two numbers at the PTA Monday, "Lavender Blue" and "Easter Parade".
7th Grade
 We all regret that this is test week, wouldn't you? Cross your fingers for us! We have our minds turned a bit toward the 7th and 8th grade party which is close at hand. We'll tell you more about it later.
 Mary Knox represented us on the PTA program Monday afternoon.
Music
 Music of a sacred nature is being stressed through the grades this week. Easter is a happy time,

the children are realizing it is a time for happy, joyful singing. Every grade through the elementary school has had the opportunity of appearing on the stage this year raising their voices in song except the 1st and 2nd grades. The 1st and 2nd grades haven't sung for the PTA because of the inconvenience of coming down to the auditorium to practice. The 1st and 2nd graders, however, are making public appearances this week by going in to the 3rd grade room and giving programs.
8th Grade
 We are the busiest bodies in the world right now — there is never a dull moment with us. Our competitive examinations are at hand and are we trying to "cram" our brain cells full? Those medals are beautiful and we are real-

ly scrambling for them.
 We'll be around to see you about a ticket before long for we are sponsoring the motion picture "Arch of Triumph". Please reserve your ticket with us. You need to see the show and we need the "mon". The musical program "Messick Musical Bells" will be given at the elementary school auditorium on Friday morning—April the 29th—at 8:30 in the morning. We are sponsoring this event, also. The admission to the public will be 25c. Every kind of bell from a tiny golden bell to a plain American cow bell will be used in this program. We're sure you wouldn't miss this treat. Make your plans to attend both events — you'll be sorry if you miss either.
 The members of the eighth grade class and the elementary school faculty wish to extend their sincere sympathy to Mary Simmons in the loss of her father. This wishes you the finest things! That life can ever bring Especially at Eastertime And with the coming Spring!

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Grandma's Homespun Remedies Now Winning Support of Modern Scientists

Don't go around snickering at Grandma and her homespun remedies. The boys in the laboratories with the test tubes are coming to agree she had something.

Some time past doctors came to realize that the wool sock tied around a sore throat did no harm and might have helped by keeping the throat warm. Mullein tea, made from the thick furry plant from behind the barn, sweetened with sugar, was not only pleasant to the taste, but it was brimming with vitamins, its syrupy consistency soothed throats inflamed by coughing, and the hot liquids helped raise body temperature and induced perspiration.

ing for years that quinine could not kill the cold virus. Nothing does. But in rural areas, quinine persisted as a cold remedy. One of the largest manufacturers of cold remedies was so convinced of its value he has persisted in its use for decades.



And now, Grandma's old standby, quinine, is suddenly being given all kinds of excited consideration. Grandma thought no home complete without a bowl of quinine pills on the dining room table. Of course, these were primarily to prevent the "shakes" (malaria) or cure it if you'd failed to take your daily dose. But to Grandma, quinine was the standard remedy for other assorted ailments — particularly colds and muscle cramps.

And now, in the laboratories, there's fancy talk about "basal metabolism" and "antibodies" which boils down to a growing suspicion that quinine may somehow condition the body to throw off infections more quickly.

No one ever argued about quinine as a malaria fever, but colds and muscle cramps—well. But recently, Drs. H. K. Moss and L. G. Herrman reported in the American Heart Journal that muscle cramps result from wastes not adequately carried away. To correct this condition, they found quinine, in small dosage, stimulates circulation by increasing power of the heartbeat and raising the blood pressure. This speedily removes waste products and relieves the cramps. These findings have been important enough to win endorsement of such medical columnists as Dr. Herman N. Bundesen and Dr. James W. Barton.

Through it all, Grandma grins knowingly. She could remind the laboratory lads that her mixture of fiery red peppers, kerosene, and table salt applied to the chest was even hotter than today's fancy sun lamps and electrical gadgets. If she knew the words, she might even tell them it's difficult to find anything to surpass her boneset tea in its diaphoretic (perspiration inducing) qualities. All in all, it appears that Grandma was no mean hand as a scientist as she prepared her brews on the old kitchen range.

Strawberry Parfait Cake



It looks like a shortcake—it's really a cake, with a strawberry meringue for the filling and topping, and a final garnish of bright berries.

Strawberry parfait cake is a variation on the shortcake theme, and an elegant springtime dessert. Instead of biscuit or scone base, there's fluffy cake, and strawberries are folded into a frothy meringue for a topping that is beautifully pink and luscious tasting.

The parfait "frosting" makes the most of strawberry flavor, so that a little more than a cup of berries will make a strawberry cake serving eight to ten people generously.
 No need to hunt for a four-leaf clover to expect good luck with this cake. Follow accurately this basic, tested recipe for a two-egg cake, using best ingredients, correct utensils, and temperature given. Bake the cake in two greased eight-inch layer pans, dividing batter evenly between the pans. For layer cakes, it is often well worth the time to cut a sheet of plain paper to fit the bottom of pans so that the cake will come out perfectly.

This cake requires only standard ingredients almost always on hand. Use enriched flour to make it for family service because of its extra B-vitamins and iron. The cake is one you'll want to serve throughout the year, with a variety of fillings and toppings.

STRAWBERRY PARFAIT CAKE

Batter

2 cups sifted enriched flour	1 cup sugar
3 teaspoons baking powder	2 eggs, beaten
1 teaspoon salt	1 teaspoon vanilla extract
1/2 cup shortening	1/2 cup milk

Sift together flour, baking powder, and salt. Cream together shortening and sugar until light and fluffy. Add eggs, beating well until creamy. Add vanilla extract. Add about one-third flour mixture. Mix. Add one-half of milk, mixing well. Add one-third flour mixture. Mix. Add remaining one-half of milk, mixing well. Add remaining one-third flour mixture. Mix. Add remaining one-third flour mixture. Mix. Add remaining one-third flour mixture.

Strawberry Parfait Topping

2 egg whites	1/2 teaspoon cream of tartar
1/4 teaspoon salt	1/2 cup sugar

Mash strawberries, or put them through a coarse sieve. Beat egg whites until frothy. Beat salt and cream of tartar. Beat until stiff. Add sugar and strawberries gradually. Continue beating until meringue holds its shape when beater is drawn through it. Pile between layers and on top of cake, leaving sides bare. Garnish top with whole berries.

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Confidential Corner

Recreation Program

Plans for the setting up of a recreational program for children and young people in Halls during the summer months are being carried out rapidly and it seems likely that the program will become a reality within the next few weeks. In addition to a planned program for the small children, the present plans call for a baseball team to compete in the American Legion baseball in this section and also for a younger team which will seek to play in the Junior League now in operation in Dyersburg, Ripley and Henning. We can think of nothing that will be of as much worth to the youngsters of the town as a playground and planned supervision. Business and professional men of the town have shown themselves wholeheartedly in favor of such a program and offered their assistance. Funds for the operation of the program are being made available with other necessary funds to be raised later. We think that this program is deserving of your wholehearted support!

Passing The Buck

For some time we have been insisting that some sort of inducement to bring the people of our trade territory to Halls on Saturday should be set up by the business firms of Halls. So far nothing has been done about it. It seems to us that each business firm is more or less passing the buck. None have proven willing to give the time and effort necessary to form such a program. Any plan which will bring a large number of people to town is certain to be of benefit to the business firms of Halls. Some attempt should be made to set up such an organization and make plans for encouraging people to trade in Halls. Why not act today and end further delay.

Election Time

Two weeks from today (Thursday) the people of Halls will go to the polls and select their Mayor and Board of Aldermen for the next two years. Many things should be taken into consideration in selecting these men but first of all their ability and fitness for the job should be considered. From the thirteen candidates a more than capable board should be selected. Study carefully the qualifications of the candidates for both mayor and aldermen, their ability, their interest in the growth and progress of the town, and their willingness to give the necessary time.

How Handle Natural Gas?

Two or three weeks ago we called your attention to the fact that the West Tennessee Gas Company of Jackson has offered to bring natural gas to Halls and we suggested at that time that the voters discuss with the candidates their attitude toward bringing natural gas here. We think from the information given us that the gas will be available and that it is purely a question of whether or not the people want it and how they want to handle it. It would seem logical to us to permit a public utility to have a franchise but the people of Halls should decide whether they want to handle it themselves or grant a franchise. Natural gas is coming, make up your minds and tell the candidates. Representatives of the gas distributors will meet with the board in its May meeting and the newly elected board will take over at that meeting.

Another Election

Not only is the city election to be held on May 5 but on the following Saturday, May 7, the Democratic Primary Election for Attorney General of the 16th Judicial Circuit will be held. Our fellow citizens, and present Mayor,

FIRST STRAWBERRIES

Clydie L. Cates, local mail carrier, brought in the first strawberries Tuesday morning of this week. Clydie said that he had ripe berries for dinner Sunday and would have a good many by the first of next week. A number of growers have stated that they expect to begin picking the last of next week.

Lions Club Has Regular Meeting

Fourteen members and two visitors were present at the regular Tuesday noon meeting of the Halls Lions on Tuesday of this week.

The first meal to be served the club under the new management of the Messing Hotel was enjoyed by those attending. H. E. Pentecost, manager of Forked Deer Electric Co-op., was welcomed as a new member and explained a few facts about the cooperative as a part of the meeting.

The club voted to accept the invitation of Mrs. Lena Wells Cafe at Gates to take their next meal with her so that the meeting on May 3 will be held in Gates. The club also voted to accept an invitation from the Nankipoo Parent Teachers Association to have one meal with them but no date has been set. A committee composed of J. T. Connell, W. S. Perry and Henry Murchison was named to make arrangements for the two meetings. Other guest of the club was Mr. Sewell who was the guest of L. B. Jones.

Funeral Services For Mrs. A. B. Murphey

Services for Mrs. A. B. Murphey, who died of a heart ailment Sunday afternoon at her home in Nankipoo, were held at four o'clock Monday afternoon at Enon Baptist Church. The Rev. C. W. Bridges officiated with Garner Funeral Home in charge. She was 84.

Mrs. Murphey was a lifelong resident of Lauderdale County and a member of Enon Baptist Church.

She leaves two sons, G. O. and C. L. Tillman of Nankipoo; two stepsons, James and John Koonce of Nankipoo; two daughters, Mrs. Annie Hutcherson and Mrs. John Stanley.

Mrs. Bell Reece Died Sunday

Funeral services for Mrs. Bell Reece were held at 2 p. m. Monday at Archers Chapel Methodist Church near Halls. The Rev. L. A. Smithier of Maury City officiated. Burial was in the church cemetery with Sudbury Funeral Home in charge.

Mrs. Reece died at the home of her son in the Archers community early Sunday morning after an illness of three months.

Her husband, J. T. Reece, died seven months ago. She was 77 and a member of the Archer's Chapel Methodist Church.

She leaves two sons, Eli Jordan and Tommy Reece, and two daughters, Mrs. Floyd Hand and Mrs. J. E. Riley, all of near Halls.

Ross W. Dyer, is a candidate for this office and deserving of our support. No poll tax receipt is needed to vote in this election so let's all go to the polls and give Mayor Dyer a big sendoff in his race. Seven hundred or more votes in Halls for Mr. Dyer would be a great help to him, let's give them to him.

Caravan Planned

Under the leadership of Wiley Perry and a number of other business men a caravan to tour the district in the interest of the candidacy of Attorney Ross W. Dyer for Attorney General is being planned. Plans call for the tour to be made on Tuesday, May 3. All who will be urged to join this caravan and make the tour for Mr. Dyer a success.

The Messick Bell Ringers



The Messick Bell Ringers, who have appeared with the Columbia Broadcasting System in New York City, will appear in person at the Halls Grammar School Friday morning, April 29 at 8:30 o'clock bringing with them a large collection of famous bells from all parts of the world, including musical Swiss Bells which they play. With a set of Swiss Bells handed down from his father in early days, Clarence Messick has made a study of bells so that today he has become an outstanding bell authority. The Messick Bell Ringers arrange their bells so that they not only have history but music also. Bells from all parts of the world make up this program. The Messick Bells present to the public bells of wood from the days of the primitive man down to the present type bells. The program is made up of music and comedy which makes these bell ringers an outstanding educational novelty. The public is cordially invited to attend this program which is sponsored by the Eighth Grade Class. Admission price to the public is 25c.

Parrish Chapel To Have Homecoming

Sunday, April 24, 1949, is set apart as Homecoming Day for old Parrish Chapel Baptist Church in the Bonicord community in Dyer Association. This church organization is so old that it is beyond the memory of any living person to recall the date of her beginning. Many would like to know the authentic date of the organization. The occasion of the Homecoming is to dedicate the new Sunday School annex or education building. Dr. O. W. Taylor, the learned and Godly editor of the Baptist and Reflector at Nashville and former pastor of Halls church, will deliver the dedicatory address. A basket dinner will be served at the church at noon. All friends and former members are invited to come, and bring a basket of food. All former pastors are invited to be present and enjoy the fellowship with us. The afternoon will be spent in songs and prayers and testimony. Charlie Golden Church Clerk

News from Gates

Mrs. Austin Coffman and son, Keith, spent the weekend in Birmingham, Ala., with relatives. N. A. Sloan, Jr. of Knoxville spent the Easter season with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Sloan, Sr.

Mrs. A. C. Mayes of Jackson is visiting her sister, Mrs. Elbert Cates.

Miss Pansy Griffin of Chattanooga spent the weekend at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. McKinnon were in Vicksburg, Miss. during the weekend.

Gene Davis of Memphis and Billy Garrett of Martin spent the weekend with relatives.

Mrs. E. G. Parker, Sr., Mrs. N. A. Sloan, Miss Byrd Sloan, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pennington, Miss Rose Pennington, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Lilly and Miss Hazel Griffin attended the Dyersburg Civic Church performance at the Halls Elementary School Monday night.

Egg Hunt Miss Byrd Sloan entertained members of the Junior Sunday School Class with an Easter Egg Hunt Friday afternoon at her home. After the hunt a devotional was held. Guests were then invited into the dining room where ice cream, angel food cake and fruit punch were served. The table was most attractive with a centerpiece of Easter eggs and bunnies on a mirror plaque. Yellow candles in crystal holders

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RETURN FROM GULF TRIP

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Parks have returned from a trip to the Gulf Coast. They visited Biloxi, Gulfport, Pass Christian and New Orleans and returned via Lumberton for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. James Henry Cherry and family.

Nunn Named Head Of Cemetery Ass'n

At a recent meeting of representatives of the Halls Cemetery Association O. J. Nunn, cashier of Bank of Halls, was named Chairman of the cemetery association with Mrs. E. F. Rawles as secretary.

Others named to the Board of Directors were Joe Sumrow, P. W. Crittendon and Mrs. Joe Hurt.

Cleaning up of the cemetery for the warm months is expected to begin within the next few days. Cemetery dues should be paid to Mrs. Rawles or may be paid to Mr. Nunn at the bank or to any of the directors.

M. H. Stallings, who along with Fred R. Hurt, has headed the association for the past three years, is assisting Mr. Nunn for the present.

PTA To Sponsor "Carnegie Hall"

Sponsored by the Halls Parent Teachers Association through the cooperation of the Halls Theatre management, "Carnegie Hall" outstanding musical film will be shown at Halls Theatre on Thursday and Friday, April 28 and 29.

Classed as the outstanding musical film of all times, "Carnegie Hall" will present the top musical figures of this generation including Rise Stevens, Walter Damrosch, Lilly Pons, Artur Schnabel, Leopold Stokowski, Vaughn Monroe, Harry James and many others. These noted musicians will present music from the ages that will appeal to every music lover.

Four showings of the picture will be held during the two-day engagement with matinee each afternoon at 3 o'clock and night showings at 8 o'clock. Advance sale of tickets under the auspices of the Parent Teachers Association has already started. Admission price is 55c for all seats, both matinee and night showing.

HD Leaders To Have Meeting

Leadership will be the theme of an all-day training meeting for officers and leaders of Lauderdale County Home Demonstration Clubs to be held in Ripley on Friday, April 22.

Approximately 150 club members are expected to attend the session for instruction in more efficient performance of their duties and information enabling them to give greater service to members of their respective clubs.

Miss Lillian Keller, Extension Clothing Specialist, Miss Inez Lovelace, Home Management Specialist; Miss Maude Guthrie, Nutritionist; and Miss Mildred Jackson, District Home Agent, will assist in conducting the meeting.

A joint assembly of all persons attending will be held throughout the day. Mrs. Bryan Thompson, president of the Lauderdale County Council of Home Demonstration Clubs, will preside over the general assembly in the morning.

HELLENS BLUFF HOME MAKERS CLUB

The Hellen's Bluff Homemakers Club met April 18th in the home of Mrs. Nelson Spence and daughter, Mrs. Clifford Walker. The meeting was postponed from Friday, 15th, the regular meeting day until Monday on account of a Field Day which was held at Hellen's Bluff.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Spence. Each member answered the roll call by giving some piece of furniture they had had or planned to remodel. There were some twenty members and three visitors present.

The project leaders gave an interesting talk on each subject. Mrs. Lee Todd of Alamo gave a splendid talk on Farm Bureau Work and the Blue Cross Plan. Sunshine gifts were exchanged. The meeting adjourned to meet with Mrs. Buford Cherry the third Friday in May. — Reporter

By Anelia Steelman

NEW SON

Mr. and Mrs. Hobson Daws of Jonesboro, Ark. announce the birth of a son on Thursday, April 14. The youngster will be called William Sydney.

Elementary News Notes

— Dunaway and Hooper — Hurray, Hurray! 'Twas a gay holiday!

When the seventh graders so graciously invited the 8th — their guest to be,

We donned our gowns — so long and fine And hurried to the Legion Hut for a gala time!

There were games and plays and music too — Such a merry time we had the evening through

The time — it passed all too soon But our memories will linger thru many a moon.

1st Grade Gene Nichols, Hilton Crowder and Helen Goshorn had birthdays last week.

Joan Lamb has a new baby sister. She doesn't know its name but they call her Inez.

The grade mothers of both first grades entertained the pupils with an Easter egg hunt on the lawn of Mrs. Douglas Hurt. The first graders had looked forward to this for a week. Carmen Belton won first prize for finding the most eggs.

2nd Grade We enjoyed having the third grade sing a number of their grade songs for us last week.

During one of our music periods, we entertained the first grade by singing several of our favorite songs for them.

Our grade was highly entertained on Friday before Easter. First, Mrs. Yarbrough came to our room with delicious refreshments in honor of Thomas' eighth birthday. Then later, our room mothers brought us our Easter surprises. So we can truthfully say, Friday was quite an enjoyable day for us.

We wish to extend our sincere sympathy to Joel Ferguson due to the loss of his grandfather.

3rd Grade Our room party last Friday was really fun. We all put on our colorful paper Easter hats and with our balloons in our hands we sang "Easter Parade" and other songs.

It was very colorful with 49 happy third grade faces blooming with joy. The refreshments were served by Mrs. Harry Wright and Mrs. Henry Murchison.

Glenn Newman is back in school after a month's illness because of an infected eye.

Jo Ann Hurt, James Goodwin and Joan Moore are on the sick list.

What we call 'measles' is taking its turn in the first three grades.

You have heard the song, "I'm forever blowing bubbles", well, we have been chasing bubbles this week up our way.

Those of us who attended the musical Monday night at the school auditorium enjoyed it.

We were glad to have Jane Cheshire, Linda Tomlinson and Joe Carmack in the high school Classical League Tuesday night.

4th Grade The fourth graders all reported a nice Easter. Twenty-four attended Easter Services, and most everyone attended an Easter egg hunt.

We are glad to have Marilyn Campbell from Nankipoo as our new pupil.

Molly Watts had a tonsilectomy at the Dyersburg hospital last Friday. Hurry and get well, Molly, we miss you very much!

We are enjoying studying and watching the turtle brought to school by Maurice Jordan.

The boys have made our room cheerful with tulips, iris, apple blossoms and dogwood. We have drawn these flowers, learned poems, written stories, and read legends about them.

Barbara Hudgens, Tommy Joe Stanley and Beatrice Lorton had birthdays this week. Happy birthday!

5th Grade Mrs. Daws' section of the fifth

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Seed Corn Varieties Are Recommended

F. H. Paschal County Agent

Cholera is the Number 1 disease in hogs in Tennessee, according to Dr. C. E. Kord, State Veterinarian. Serum and virus is the only satisfactory method of vaccinating and every hog grower should vaccinate every pig at weaning time in order that Cholera may be stamped out.

Dr. Kord pointed out that good virus must be used with serum if pigs are to have life time protection from Cholera. Pigs do not have natural immunity after they begin to eat anything except their mother's milk. If a sow with sucking pigs is vaccinated for Cholera, the pigs should be given serum and virus in order to have life time immunity.

Dr. Kord warned against the use of Crystal Violet for vaccinating hogs against Cholera. He stated that Crystal Violet cannot be used until two weeks after weaning and then it does not protect the hogs until three weeks after it is used. Crystal Violet does not protect the hogs more than six months and it cannot be used in herds which have been exposed to Cholera.

Erysipelas Control Explained Dr. Kord stated that we have a mild form of Erysipelas in Lauderdale County. It usually just keeps animals from doing well. As a method of controlling Erysipelas he recommended that all hogs be immunized against Cholera at weaning time in order that Cholera and Erysipelas do not both have to be considered as possibilities when animals get sick.

When animals have Erysipelas, the use of a minimum dose of Erysipelas serum each day for three days will usually control the disease, but this does not immunize hogs for more than 30 days. Dr. Kord explained that Erysipelas is a soil borne disease which can live in the soil in a field for three or four years. This makes it seem advisable for hog growers to keep providing winter pastures on land that has never been infected with Erysipelas.

Corn Variety Important As we consider buying seed corn to begin planting right away, the matter of varieties deserves careful consideration. It can make the difference between profit and loss.

Based on careful experiment station tests the following varieties are recommended as being the best for this section. Of the white hybrids Dixie 17 and Tennessee 10 are the best.

Of the yellow hybrids Tennessee 602, N. C. 27, Furk 711, and Dixie 44 are highest yielders. Kentucky 102 or 103 are high yielding quick maturing varieties.

Jellicorse is by far the best open pollinated with Neal Paymaster as second.

Tractor Gas Refund Law Changed The State Legislature recently approved changes in the Gas Tax Refund Law which will eliminate some of the time and effort formerly necessary for getting the 6 cents per gallon refund on gasoline used in farm tractors. Tests made in Nebraska indicated that tractors will last 30 to 50% longer when operated on gasoline than on tractor fuel.

Recent changes in the law make it possible for farmers to get permanent Permits and then to make applications for refunds every six months. Regular dealers invoices are kept for use in making applications for refunds. Most farmers will probably find it advisable to apply for refunds every four or five months. Any notary public can execute the applications.

Tractor owners who have never made use of this new law may do so by executing an application for a Permit which may be procured at the County Agent's Office or the Farm Bureau office or by writing to Dept. of Finance and Taxation, Nashville, Tenn.

Cotton Varieties Recommended The Empire variety of cotton made a fine showing in tests carried out at the Jackson Experiment Station through 1946, 1947 and 1948. This cotton makes an

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News from Gates

(Continued from Page 1)
Primaries Have Hunt
Mrs. R. V. Lilley, teacher, entertained the Primary Department of the Methodist Sunday School with an egg hunt on the Church lawn Saturday afternoon. Each was given a lovely decorated egg before the hunt began. After a devotional, delicious refreshments were served.
Sunrise Service
A sunrise service was held at the Methodist Church at six o'clock on Easter morning with a

good attendance. At 7:30 p. m. members of the Youth Fellowship presented an Easter play with the choir singing several numbers.

BEVERLY CANNON IS SIX YEARS OLD

Beverly Cannon celebrated her sixth birthday Tuesday afternoon when her mother, Mrs. Elvis Cannon, and her aunt, Mrs. W. C. Gamble, Sr., entertained with a party at the home of Mrs. Gamble. Many games were enjoyed and later in the afternoon ice cream

and cake were served. Spring flowers decorated the table which held a lovely birthday cake. Colorful balloons marked the place for each guest.

Those present were: Brenda Dew, Barbara Beasley, Lynn Stallings, Joan Edens, Marietta Griffin, Elizabeth Ann Alsobrook, Caroline Campbell, Rebecca Yarbrough, Brenda Cannon, Theron Yarbrough, Jim Castleman, Ben Castleman, Cary Alsobrook, Tommy Wright, Bud Cannon, Chuck Murchison and Danny Hensley.

ed upon our hearts whether it be music, songs, flowers, cards, eats, calls or words.

May God bless each of you as you pray.
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JERRY AND GENE SMITH HAVE EGG HUNT
Mrs. Buford Smith entertained with an Easter Egg Hunt at her home Sunday afternoon for her

sons, Jerry and Gene Smith. Arriving at 2 o'clock to enjoy the hunt were Teddy Cates, David Hallman, Willie Phillips, Billy Reeves, Buddy Lawrence, Sonny Higdon, Jimmy Marchbanks, Donald Smith and Harry Wright, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Smith helped with the entertaining and watched the children hunt the eggs. Mrs. Smith served refreshments after the hunt.

Mrs. W. E. Barbour returned to her home in Memphis Monday after a visit with her mother, Mrs. F. M. Jordan.

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FOR SALE — Building lots on East Main and Love Lane. See Charles M. Love, Phone 2221.

FOR SALE — New washing machines, twenty percent down, balance monthly. Call Templeton's, Dyersburg.

FOR SALE — Baby bed, mattress and springs. Also an electric churn, almost new. Mrs. W. B. Hall, Phone 5887.

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NOTE OF THANKS

To my many friends, I am back in my office after five weeks of rest. It may be good to get sick, we appreciate our friends more after we have tried it, I am under

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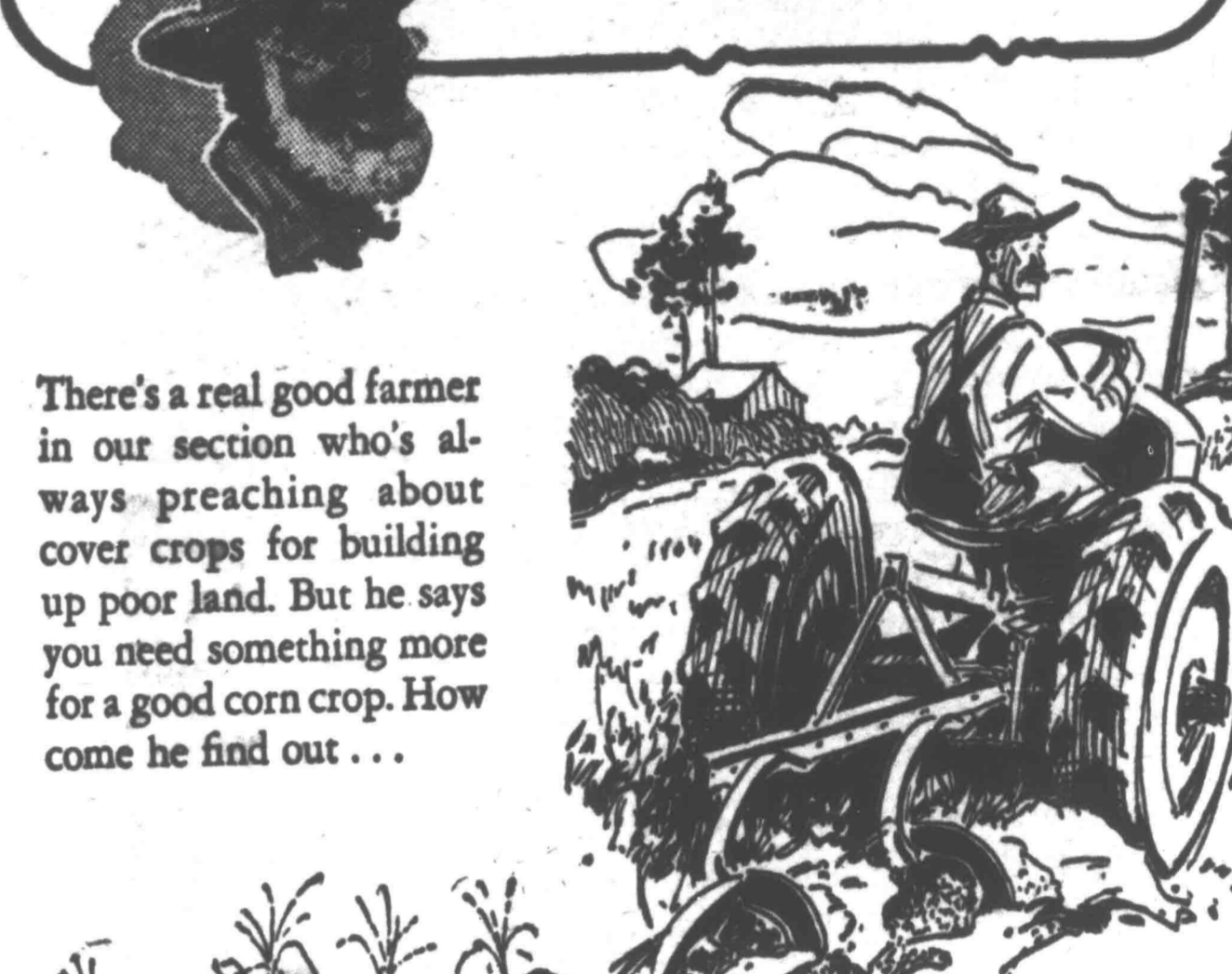
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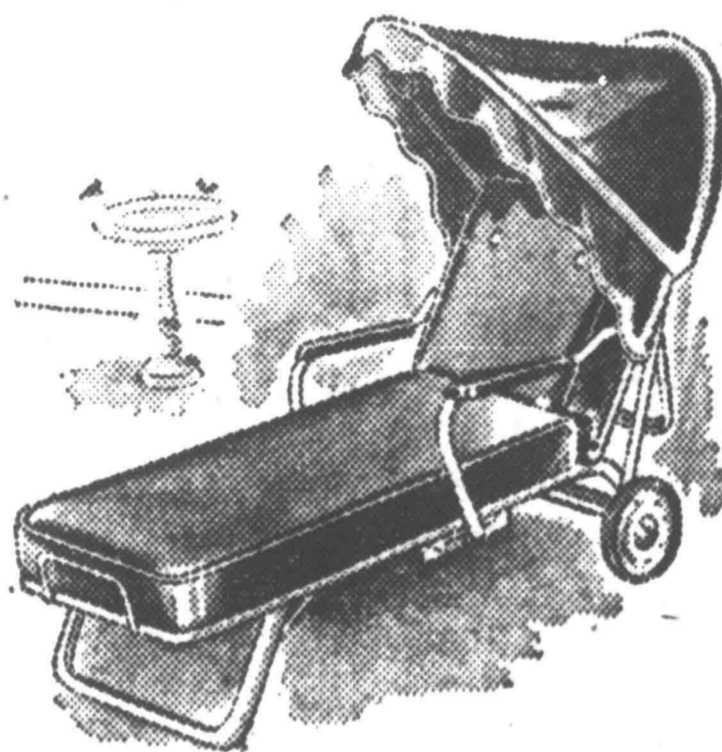
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Sunday School Lesson

By Walter C. Davis, D. D., Tennessee School of Religion, University of Tennessee

(Luke 12:16 - 21; 14:27 - 33)

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challenges man to a cool consideration of gains and losses. He says, "Come now, let us reason together." Jesus put it on the practical basis: "What shall it profit a man though he gain the whole world and lose his soul?"

In this lesson we have a successful farmer who was very foolish because he was not rich toward God. We have also a builder and a warrior who must count the cost of their enterprise.

The proposition is simple enough. A man has a body and a soul. If he lives only for his body, he misses the greater half of life; and in the world to come he loses all. That is a bad bargain.

Dwight L. Moody has left a fine sermon on the Rich Fool. This farmer was what the world calls successful. He stood well in the community. He had a good farm and knew how to farm it. He was a good manager with great foresight. The things that are not said about him are significant. It is not said he was dishonest, or that he gambled, or that he oppressed widows. No shady deals are attributed to him. Moody said no doubt had the best farm in the valley, the best cattle and sheep, good fences and buildings.

But the Saviour called him a fool. That's a hard word. When the Bible calls a man that, the man lacks spiritual discernment, is living without God, or makes a mock of sin (Prov. 14:9), or he says "there is no God." (Ps. 53:1)

What was this man's trouble? Well, he thought he had everything needed. He would just take it easy. He thought that worldly success is all there is to life. He had forgotten his soul.

We must count the cost of discipleship. It does cost something. We must figure life like a constructor who lays out the whole plan of building and its costs. It was a wise farmer who, having discovered a treasure in the field, sold all he had and purchased that field.

What is meant by bearing your cross? It is not a mere sickness, or a little inconvenience. Those who have made a study of Aramaic say this verse (Luke 14:27) means not the cross crucifixion, but a crossbar in a yoke worn by oxen. It could be paraphrased, "He who will not accept the burden of the crossbar and help pull is not fit to be Christ's disciple."

Some quarters title this lesson, "The Discipline of Discipleship." Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick says men can have an orderly society by "either disciplining themselves or by having discipline imposed upon them from without." Freedom calls for self-control. If

we do not practice it, our freedom cannot survive. Let us not deceive ourselves into believing that we can have the blessings of freedom and at the same time lose its virtues.

A nation, too, may sell its soul for a mess of pottage. We are the richest nation on earth. We have a way of life that is far better than any people the world ever knew. We cannot say, "America, take thine ease; thou hast much goods laid up in store." Then the eternal God who holds the destiny of the nations in His hand will say, "O foolish generation! If thou hadst known the things that belong to thy welfare!"



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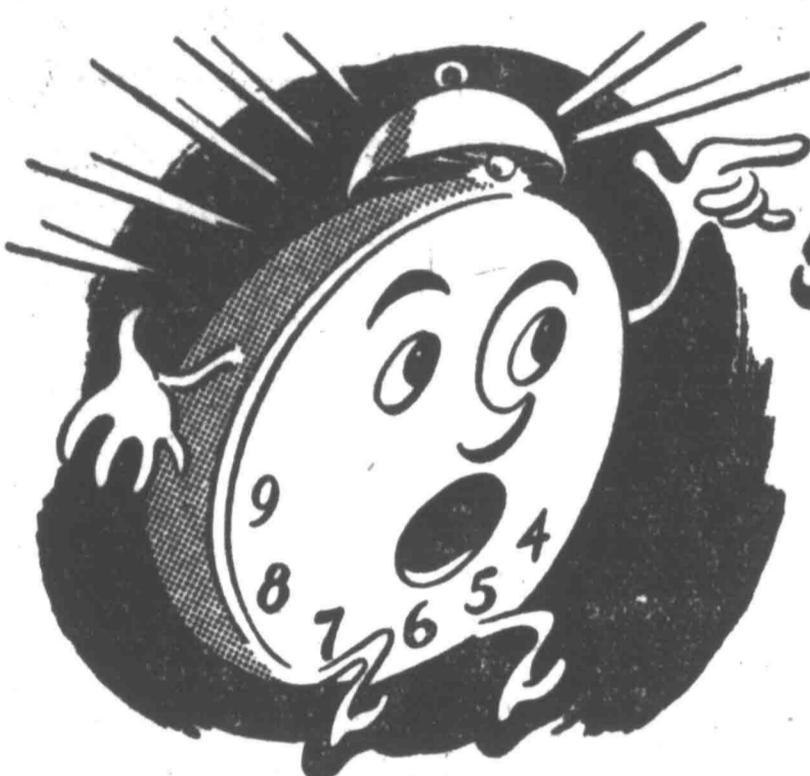
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Announcements

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL

DYER — Ross W. Dyer has authorized the Halls Graphic to announce him as a candidate for the office of Attorney General of the 16th Judicial Circuit composed of Lauderdale, Tipton, McNairy, Fayette and Hardeman counties, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, May 7, 1949.

WATKINS — George C. Watkins has authorized the Halls Graphic to announce him as a candidate for re-election to the office of Attorney General of the 16th Judicial Circuit composed of Lauderdale, Tipton, Fayette, Hardeman and McNairy counties, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary May 7, 1949.

FOR MAYOR

CRITTENDON — P. W. Crittendon has authorized the Halls Graphic to announce him as a candidate for Mayor of Halls in the city election to be held Thursday, May 5, 1949.

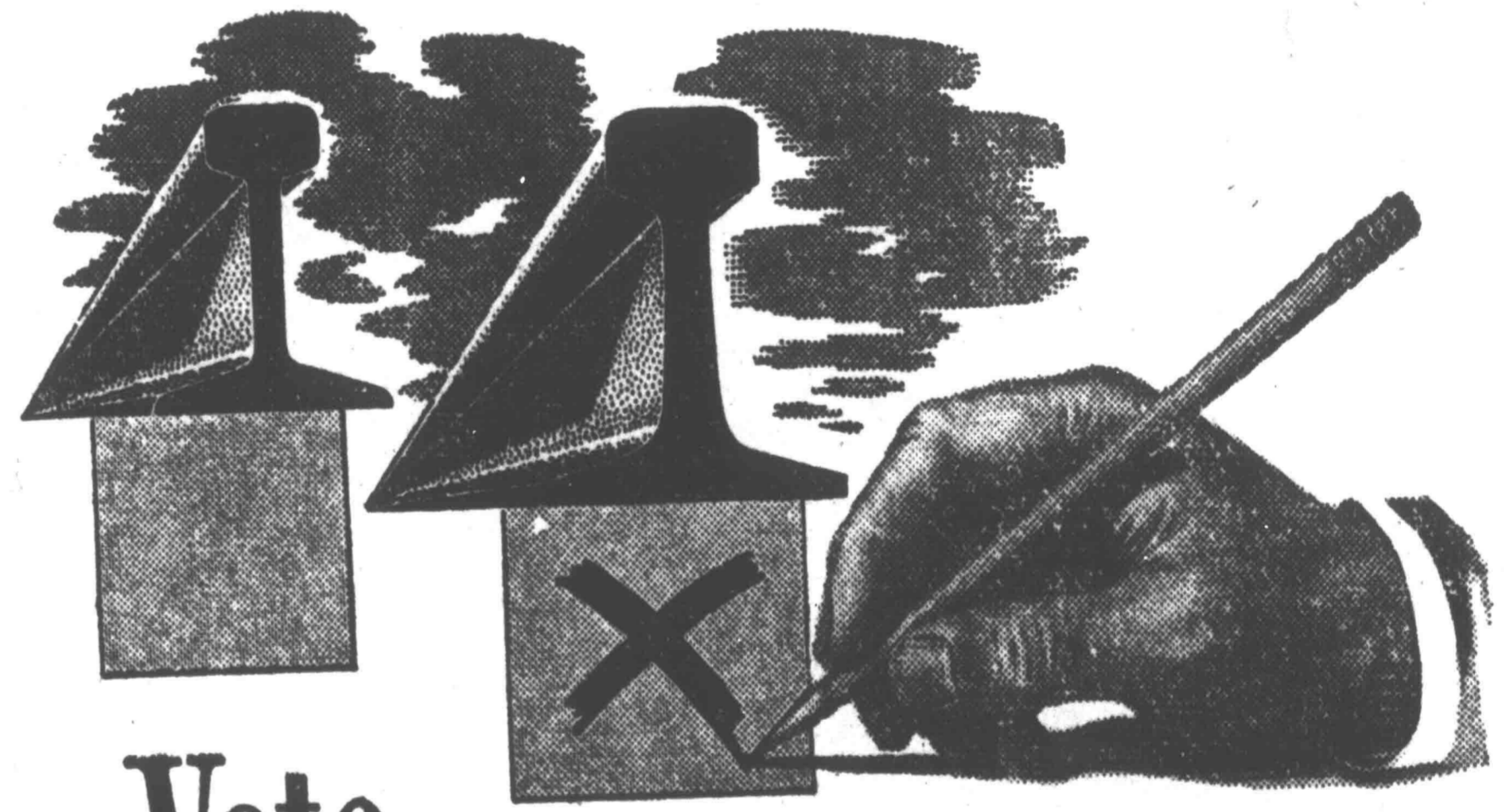
DAILEY — J. R. Dailey has authorized the Halls Graphic to announce him as a candidate for Mayor of Halls in the city election to be held Thursday, May 5, 1949.

FOR ALDERMAN

WALKER — D. E. Walker has authorized the Halls Graphic to announce him as a candidate for member of the Board of Aldermen of Halls in the city election to be held Thursday, May 5, 1949.

HOFFIUS — Elmer Hoffius has authorized the Halls Graphic to announce him as a candidate for member of the Board of Aldermen of Halls in the city election to be held Thursday, May 5, 1949.

JAYNES — Jim Jaynes has authorized the Halls Graphic to announce him as a candidate for alderman in the city election to be held Thursday, May 5, 1949.



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NOTICE OF DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY ELECTION

By virtue of the authority vested in us, the undersigned Judicial Committeemen for Lauderdale County, Tennessee, notice is hereby given that a Democratic Primary Election will be opened and held in all the voting precincts in Lauderdale County, Tennessee, on **SATURDAY, MAY 7th, 1949** for the purpose of electing a Democratic nominee for the office of Attorney General for the 16th Judicial District of Tennessee.

The polls at the hereinafter listed precincts will be open at 9 A. M. and close at 4 P. M. That in said Primary all known Democrats will be permitted to vote. And a poll tax receipt will not be a prerequisite for voting. This notice shall be run for the weeks of April 18th, and April 25th.

Notice is hereby given of the appointment of officers, Judges and clerks named to open, hold and make due returns of said Democratic Primary Election in their respective precincts, as hereinafter set out and said officials are directed to act accordingly.

FIRST DISTRICT
Durhamville:
Officer: James Doyle.
Judges: P. M. Parker, Clifford Walker and Tom Martin.
Clerks: Mrs. Arthur Thompson and T. W. Fisher.

SECOND DISTRICT
Conner:
Officer: Sam Parchman.
Judges: Adrian Parchman, James Parchman and Henry Maness.
Clerks: Mrs. Henry Maness and Mrs. James Klutte.

Cross Roads:
Officer: Raymond Coffman.
Judges: Richard Thornley, W. H. Coffman and George Tillman.
Clerks: Mrs. Robin Coffman and Mrs. Hubert Tillman.

Ripley:
Officer: Richard Fortner.
Judges: Tom Pollard, James Carroll and Chester Turner.
Clerks: Miss Forrest Edney and Miss Anna Young.

THIRD DISTRICT
Henning:
Officer: A. V. Johnson, Sr.
Judges: L. G. Turner, W. A. Tate and M. D. Mitchell.
Clerks: Miss Scrap Johnson and Miss Ida Lewis.

FOURTH DISTRICT
Price:
Officer: Jim Bates
Judges: C. H. Sullivan, Lee Peyton and Jack Peyton.
Clerks: Mrs. John Harmon and

Miss Frances Rice.
Maydeo:
Officer: Milton Dailey.
Judges: J. B. Buchanan, J. B. Newsom and John Simmons.
Clerks: Mrs. J. B. Buchanan and Mrs. J. B. Newsom.

FIFTH DISTRICT
Ashport:
Officer: Francis Middleton.
Judges: Tom Conner, Leonard Williams and Ernie Woods.
Clerks: Mrs. Jim Fullen and Mrs. Paul Hipp.

Goldust:
Officer: Biggie Reviere.
Judges: Ashley King, Alvin Crowder and Hershel Chipman.
Clerks: Mrs. Hershel Chipman and Pete Shepard.

Prestige:
Officer: Richard Reviere.
Judges: Willie Greer, John Lamar, Jr., and John Lamar, Sr.
Clerks: Mrs. John Lamar, Jr. and Mrs. Willie Greer.

Shoaf's Island:
Officer: Bill Harris.
Judges: Charlie Shoaf, L. B. Black and John Flack.
Clerks: Mrs. John Flack and Mrs. Bill Harris.

SIXTH DISTRICT
Ary:
Officer: J. P. Hale.
Judges: C. C. Kirby, O. L. Fitzgerald, and H. D. Morris.
Clerks: Mrs. J. I. Garrett and Mrs. A. W. Howard.

Central:
Officer: James Boyd.
Judges: Floyd Harrison, N. N. Caldwell and Parker Bowers, Sr.
Clerks: Mrs. Edith Haynes and Mary Nell Haynes.

SEVENTH DISTRICT
Curve:
Officer: Arthur Carmack.
Judges: Richard Owen, James Stanley and Frank Langley.
Clerks: Mrs. A. C. Carter and Mrs. James Stanley.

EIGHTH DISTRICT
Double Bridges:
Officer: Daniel Meeks.
Judges: Jimmie Meeks, Herman Underwood and Homer Cowell.
Clerks: Mrs. Daniel Meeks and Mrs. Van Jones.

Poplar Grove:
Officer: Ernest Crum.
Judges: Nichol Freeman, A. P. Burks and Roy Brandon.
Clerks: Mrs. Clyde Watts and Mrs. Roy Brandon.

NINTH DISTRICT
Barr:
Officer: Kidd Hardy.
Judges: Joe L. Hammers, Jack Hardy and Ed Freeman.
Clerks: Mrs. Ed Freeman and Mrs. Kidd Hardy.

Hales Point:
Officer: Jim Taylor.
Judges: Sam Vaughn, Banks Taylor and Wesly Keen.
Clerks: Mrs. T. E. Taylor and Mrs. Jim Taylor.

TENTH DISTRICT
Gimp:
Officer: Thomas Hopper.
Judges: Wilma Hopper, Tom Smith and Bill Littles.
Clerks: Mrs. Frieda Mann and Mrs. Edward Hopper.

Pleasant Hill:
Officer: Marshall Skinner.
Judges: Mrs. Norman Sinclair, Mrs. Joe Hubbs and Mrs. Farris Turner.
Clerks: Mrs. Catherine Forbes and Mrs. Brooks Hathaway.

ELEVENTH DISTRICT
Lightfoot:
Officer: Walter Briggs
Judges: Finas Barnes, Elmer Grammer, Joe Pitts
Clerks: Mrs. Finas Barnes, Mrs. Walter Briggs.

Luckett:
Officer: Jim Webb
Judges: Palmer Jones, Leonard Wakefield and Jack Glimp
Clerks: Kenneth Webb and Junior Webb

TWELFTH DISTRICT
Halls:
Officer: Buck Taylor.
Judges: Walter Bailey, Earl Craddock and Neil Dyer, Jr.
Clerks: Wymond Moore and Bernard Baker.

THIRTEENTH DISTRICT
Cherry:
Officer: Montelle Bates.
Judges: Austin Winn, William Hutcheson and Bill Crook.
Clerks: Mrs. William Hutcheson and Carlene Skinner.

FOURTEENTH DISTRICT
Edith:
Officer: Mark Criffield.
Judges: Bob Underwood, Ed Criffield and Felix Akin.
Clerks: Mrs. Talmadge Criffield and Miss Amelia Criffield.

Kaob Creek:
Officer: Charlie Viar.
Judges: L. R. Viar, Van Ashford and Floyd Taylor.
Clerks: Mrs. Van Ashford and Mrs. L. R. Viar.

FIFTEENTH DISTRICT
Gaines' Schoolhouse:
Officer: Guy Wood.
Judges: Dewell Harrison, Ottis Moore and L. A. McBride.

Clerks: Mrs. Will Burns and Mrs. L. A. McBride.
SIXTEENTH DISTRICT
Nankipoo:
Officer: Pat Olds.
Judges: T. O. Belton, Bill Hughes and Roy Hilliard.
Clerks: Mrs. Grady Cook and Mrs. Jewel Hughes.

SEVENTEENTH DISTRICT
Gates:
Officer: R. H. Williams.
Judges: J. T. Hamil, Frewel Buffaloe, Norman Sloan.
Clerks: Fern Buffaloe and Mrs. Finis Hardy.

Witness our hand on this, the 12th day of April, 1949.
A. P. MOORE,
Chairman of Judicial Committee.

AUSTIN WINN,
Secretary of Judicial Committee.
J. T. CONNELL,
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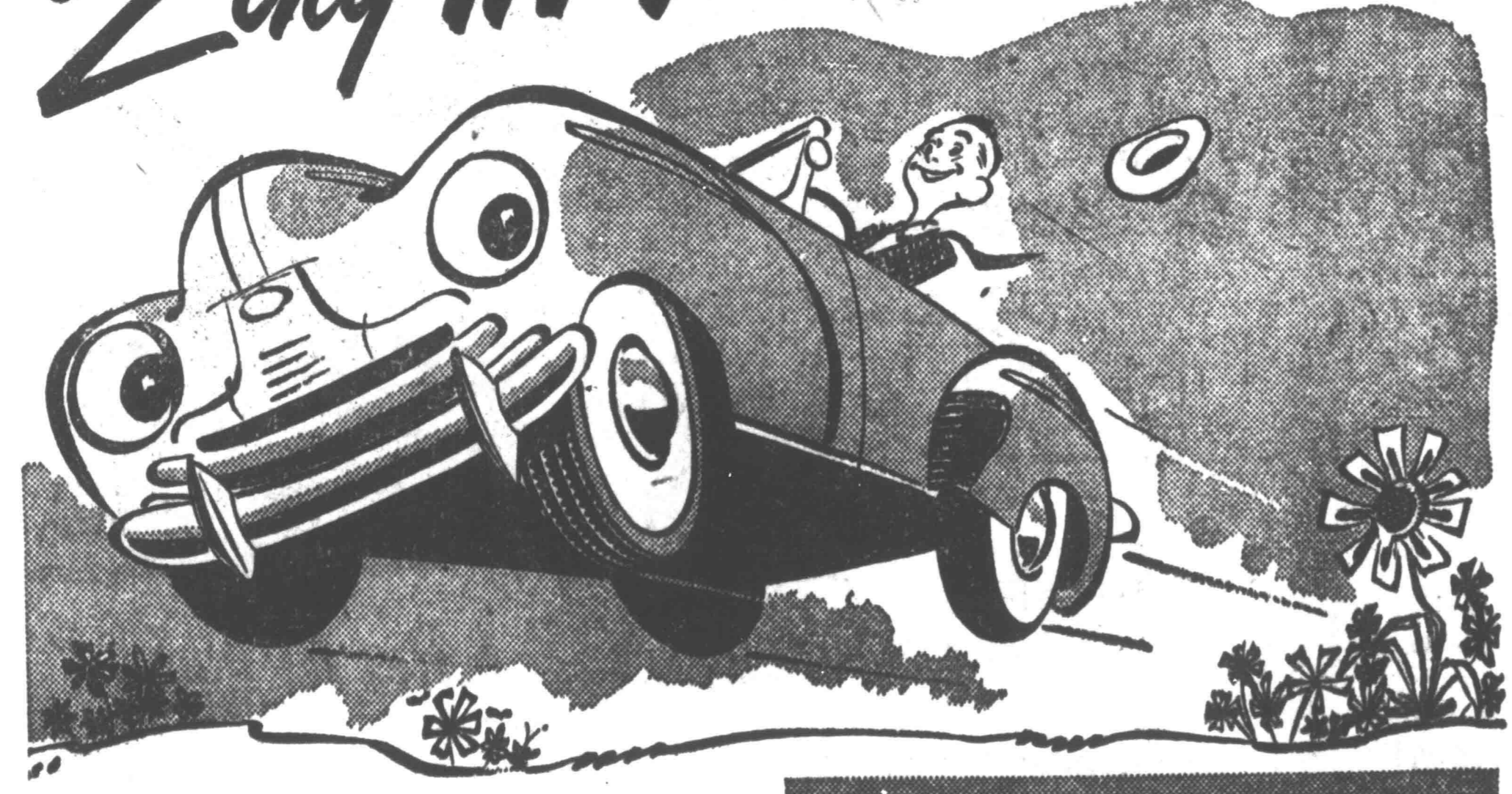
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Friday Morning, April 22, 1949

Local Happenings

Fred Ragland, Jr. returned from a visit in Magnolia, Miss., Tuesday afternoon.

GARDEN PLOWS — Rakes, hoes and cultivators. All popular prices. Coles Hdw. Co. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Shephard Smith of St. Louis visited Mr. and Mrs. H. G. McCorkle Tuesday en route to St. Louis from Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Moss of Chicago spent the weekend here. Mr. Moss is being transferred to St. Louis.

Mrs. Roy Hilliard, Jr. and Mrs. Bernard Higdon were in Dyersburg Thursday.

Miss Lucille Walker of near Tiggrett spent the weekend with Mrs. Irma Elmore.

Pat Barnes of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Jones recently. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Jones spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Jennings near Unionville.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Beech of Rutherford and Mrs. Norman Thornton of Dyer were guests of Mrs. A. N. Jones and Miss Reba Jones Sunday.

SATURDAY SPECIAL — One day only. 5-qt. blue enameled ware tea kettle. Reg. \$1.50 value for only 98c. Come see. Coles Hdw. Co. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Scott and children of Memphis visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Scott, Sunday.

Amos Agee of Maury City visited his brother, Jeff Agee, Saturday.

Mrs. A. B. Witt and Mrs. Cora Daws are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Guy Daws in Blytheville, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jordan of Jackson, Miss., visited relatives here during the past weekend.

GARDEN FENCE — Poultry netting, all sizes. Come see. Coles Hdw. Co. adv.

Rev. and Mrs. A. D. Salisbury of Troy spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Napoleon Martin of Memphis visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Sumrow were in Dyersburg Thursday of last week.

Mrs. W. C. Viar, Sr. is a patient in a Memphis Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Viar and son of Columbia, Tenn., were here and in Memphis during the weekend to see his mother.

M-Sgt. and Mrs. David Klyce Hall and Mrs. Harry Hall were in Memphis Tuesday.

FIELD FENCE — Barbed wire. We have it. Coles Hdw. Co. adv.

Mrs. M. A. Nunn returned on Tuesday after spending the past three months in Jackson, Ga. with her daughter, Mrs. F. G. Craig, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Thompson, Mrs. E. S. Crichfield and Misses Sylvia and Jonny Thompson were in Jonesboro, Ark., Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Hobson Daws and their new son. Mrs. Thompson remained over with her daughter.

Mrs. A. W. Escue spent Wednesday and Thursday in Memphis. Mrs. Wayne White of Dyersburg visited Mr. and Mrs. O. L. White Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Finis Kirby of Memphis spent the weekend with parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Kirby.

SATURDAY SPECIAL — One day only. 14-qt. enameled ware dish pan. Reg. 95c value for only 49c. Come get them. Coles Hdw. Co. adv.

Mrs. Eugene Bivens and daughter, Sandra, spent Friday night with her mother, Mrs. J. A. Escue.

M-Sgt. and Mrs. David Klyce Hall and son of Evansville, Ind., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hall.

Mrs. Odell Cutler, Mrs. James Carnell, Mrs. D. E. Walker, Mrs. E. Hoffius, Mrs. Bill Hudgens, Mrs. Bob Peal and Mrs. Leonard Andrews were in Memphis Wednesday.

Mrs. Cecil Badgett of Alamo and Mrs. Owen Williams of near Maury City visited Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Agee Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hawkins of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hawkins Sunday afternoon.

PHILCO REFRIGERATORS — The best one ever. America's No. 1 seller. Coles Hdw. Co. adv.

Roy Keltner of Brinkley, Ark. was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Keltner Friday night.

Mrs. Everett Burns and children, James and Betty, of Osceola, Ark. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. McDearman, Jr. Friday night.

A. W. Williams and daughter, Mrs. Morris Currie, were in Friendship Monday night to see Mr. Williams' mother, Mrs. R. J. Williams, who is ill.

WALL PAPER — New patterns. Any style or combination. Room lots, job lots. We can please you. Coles Hdw. Co. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Keltner and children of Memphis spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Keltner.

Mrs. E. E. Jordan and Mrs. Willard Green of Maury City and Mrs. Elmo Randle and little Tommy Strain of Alamo visited Mrs. Cora Nunn and Mrs. A. W. Williams Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith of Dyersburg were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Keltner Sunday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Barker of Newbern were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hawkins on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Avery were in Memphis Thursday.

BARBARA GEAN HUGDENS CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

On Tuesday afternoon, April 19, Mrs. Bill Hudgens, assisted by Miss Gwendolyn Walker, Miss Mary Martha Hemby and Mrs. Odell Cutler, entertained at her home on Tiggrett Street for her daughter, Barbara Gean.

After an hour of playing games the children were assembled around a table on the lawn where a birthday cake adorned with ten candles was the center of attraction. Amid much excitement the candles were blown out and the cake was cut and served with ice cream to the following guests:

Gwila Osmont, Buna Smith, Iona Brasher, Lucinda Alsobrook, Celia Wiley, Blanche Nunn, Barbara Cannon, Ann Younger, Kay McGarrity, Carolyn McConkle, Patsy Perry, Evalyn Smith, Pamela Rhodes, Barbara Freeman, Joyce Midgett, Martha Lynn Hudson, Tommy McDearman, Harold Tucker, Sonny Higdon, David Hallman, George Castleman, Taylor Grady, Charles Gaines, Mackie Cutler, Larry Steelman, Jimmy Nichols, Harrell L. Burroughs, Rodger Reece, Pat Warren and little Allen and Diane Levy.

Mrs. Neil Ferguson, Mrs. G. G. Gean, Mrs. W. V. Hardy and Mrs. Louis Levy were also guests at the party.

Carroll Avery of Decaturville has been the guest of relatives here.

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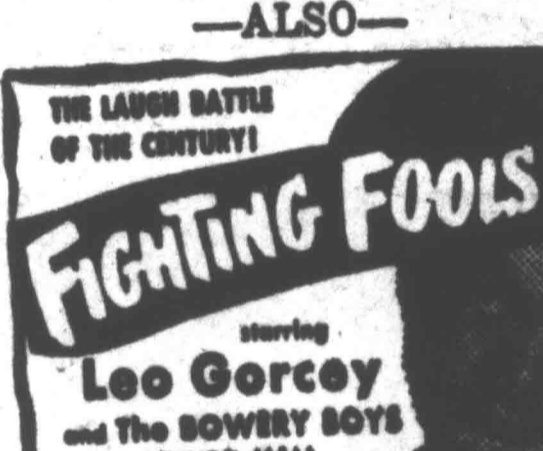
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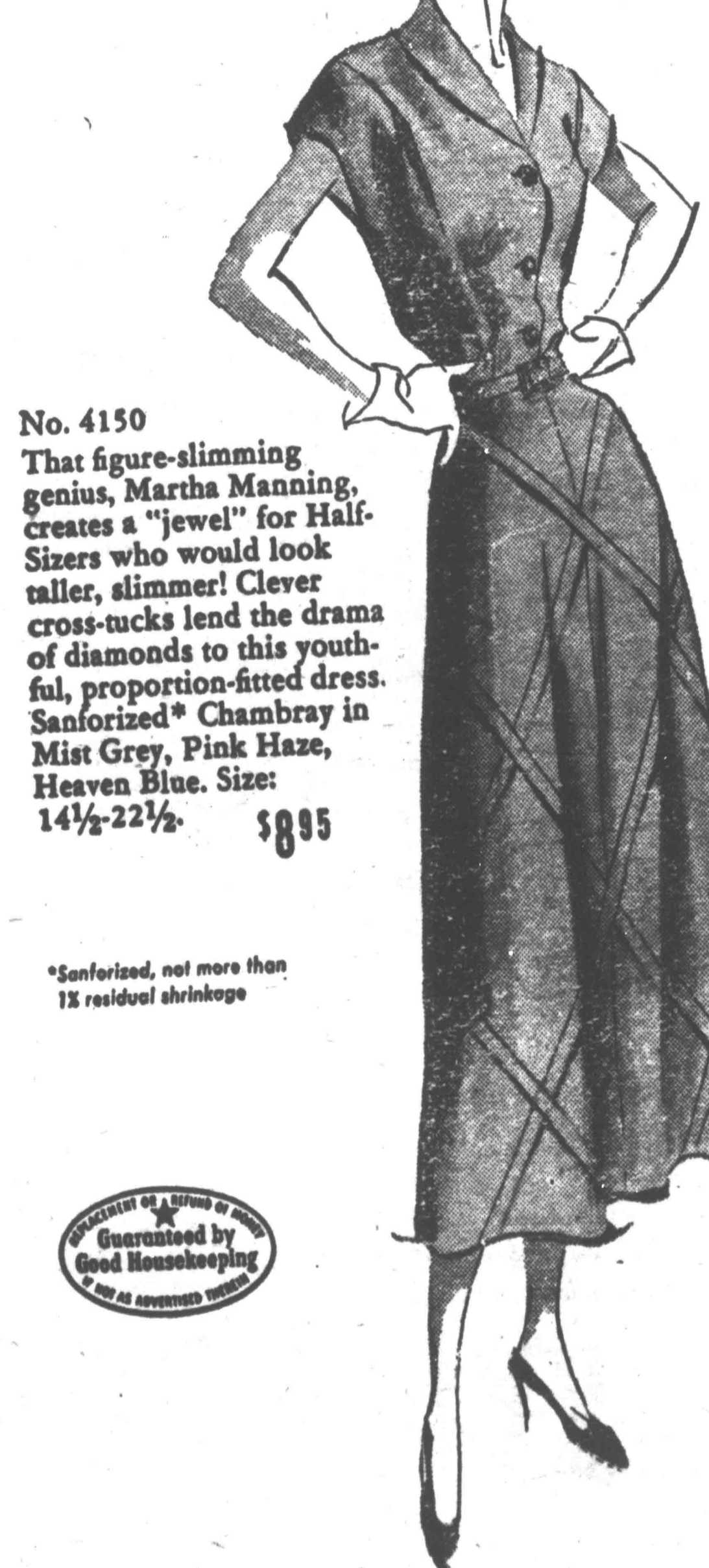
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- Special... Coles On Sale Sat. **Loose Powder Compact** Beautifully designed square compact. \$2.00 VALUE. 2 for 79c. 50c VALUE

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OLMA de HAVILLAND in the Snake Pit
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Continuous Shows from 11:15 A. M.

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THE COBRA STRIKES

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—ALSO—
WILLIAM BOYD in BORROWED TROUBLE
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—ALSO: Episode No. 12 "Superman"

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION
TO ANNA WRIGHT McCELLAN
ISSAC McCELLAN
vs.
ANNA WRIGHT McCELLAN
In the County Court at Ripley, Tennessee.

In this cause it appearing to me from the bill filed herein which is sworn to, that the defendant, Anna Wright McCellan, is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee and resident of the State of Ohio so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served on her. It is therefore ordered by the Court that the said Anna Wright McCellan appear before the Judge of the County Court of Lauderdale County on or before the first Monday in June (it being the 6th day of said month and a rule day of that term of this Court) and make defense to the bill filed herein against her or the same will be taken for confessed as true and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to her.

It is further ordered that this notice be published in the Halls Graphic, a newspaper printed and published in Lauderdale County, for four consecutive weeks, requiring her to so appear.

This 14th day of April, 1949.
N. C. UTLEY, Clerk
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GREYHOUND

H. Paschal

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excellent showing on bottom land or good upland. It is considerably earlier than other varieties. The only other variety which out-yielded Deltapine and Stoneville 2B in these tests was Tennessee 2-41, a new variety developed in Tennessee.

Of these three Deltapine has the highest lint turnout and the smallest bolls, although it has the same length of staple as Stoneville 2B. Empire has a higher percentage turn out than Stoneville but the staple length is 1-16 inch less than Stoneville or Deltapine. It appears that either of these four varieties will be entirely satisfactory in this area.

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MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

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we are going to follow the blue print of the Divine architect.

For the Master taught in these and many other parables that if we would follow Him we must also carry our own cross in helping to carry His. "Must Jesus bear the cross alone, and all the world go free. No, there's a cross for everyone and there's a cross for me."

The cross bearing christian is a happy christian. (Does that seem hard to understand?) "Take my yoke upon you and learn of me. For I am meek and lowly at heart, and ye shall find rest unto your souls, for My yoke is easy and my burden is light." Mt. 11:30.

Last Sunday was a real red letter day in the history of Halls Baptist Church. The attendance at Sunday School was the largest we have had in several years, and exactly 50 fine men adorned their places in the class last Sunday — giving emphasis and encouragement to the young people in their "Youth Revival."

The Pastor preached to a full house at eleven o'clock on the "Resurrection."

It is possible that, with the fine spirit now prevailing in our Men's Class, we will go on to greater attendance and growing avenues of usefulness for the Class, the Church and our Lord.

Men's Bible Class

Halls Baptist Church
Fred R. Hurt, Teacher

adv

MORE ELEMENTARY

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grade wishes to express appreciation to the mothers who gave the room such a nice party during the last period Friday afternoon. We have had a good attendance this week. We are glad to have Edward Chipman back after a ten day absence, due to illness. We are enjoying our study of Latin America now and we are on our imaginary trip. Too, we may learn a few Spanish and Portuguese words to make our trip more realistic.

Mrs. Nowell's section wishes to thank Mrs. Buford Smith, Mrs. G. E. Smith, Mrs. D. B. Bowers and Mrs. J. M. Currie for the use of their cars for the science trip last week.

We regret that Royce Robison had the misfortune of breaking his arm last week at play. Sylvia Hopper was also unfortunate and stuck a nail in her foot. Both are improving.

6th Grade

Happy birthday, Meredith Cleek. Well, the Easter Bunny was very good to us — as usual.

We enjoyed Miss Reed's talk in chapel. We think she is a wonderful speaker.

The tulips and buttercups are blooming on our bulletin board these spring days.

We have a new pupil, Patsy Campbell, from Nankipoo.

We are glad to have Gracie Yarbrough and Carolyn Akin back in school after several days of sickness.

7th Grade

The seventh graders have been very busy getting ready for the seventh - eighth grade party.

We are through with our tests and are now getting some of our papers back.

8th Grade

The eighth grade visited the Lauderdale County Penal Farm at Fort Pillow last week.

We had the pleasure of hearing Miss Reed, a missionary from Africa, Monday morning at 9:30. (Miss Reed has spent five years as a missionary in Africa.) We really enjoyed her visit.

Notice: The eighth grade is sponsoring a musical program of bells on Friday, April 29th, at 8:30 at the Halls Grammar School. The public is invited to attend.

The eighth grade is also sponsoring a show, "Arch of Triumph". We are selling tickets for it so be sure to buy your tickets from us. The stars are Ingrid Bergman, Charles Boyer and Charles Laughton.

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CARD OF THANKS

We are indeed grateful from our heart's depths to all who lovingly ministered to us in our great sorrow caused by the separation from his family for a period of time of one of the kindest of persons. Our list includes Dr. Taylor, Bro. Cooper, Mrs. Hurt, Mr. Avery and the other singers, the members of the funeral home, the pall bearers and all of our friends and neighbors who contributed time, delicious food and beautiful flowers. All of the kind words and sympathy folders and letters shall ever be cherished.

God bless you.

Mrs. I. W. Simmons and Children
Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Simmons, Jr. and Children
Mrs. T. H. Simmons and Children

NOTICE OF MUNICIPAL ELECTION

We, the undersigned commissioners of elections for Lauderdale County, Tennessee, do hereby give notice that the regular biennial municipal election for the Town of Halls, Tennessee is called to be held on

THURSDAY, MAY 5, 1949

Said election will be held for the purpose of electing a Mayor, Board of Six Aldermen for said Town of Halls, Tennessee, and to serve for the ensuing two years.

Polls will be opened at 9:00 A. M. and close at 4:00 P. M.


The following officers, judges and clerks are hereby named and appointed to open, hold and make due return of said election:

Officer: E. O. Dew
Judges: J. O. Thompson, Stuart Crichfield, Roy Patton
Clerks: Neil Dyer, Neil Ferguson

Witness our hand this April 1st, 1949.

R. H. CHISHOLM
Chairman
W. A. SANFORD
Secretary
R. J. NUNN
Member

Board of Commissioners of Elections for Lauderdale County, Tennessee.



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Yes Sir, Insomnia's Contagious!

When Bud Swanson had trouble sleeping nights, and tried to get over it by turning up the radio full blast, he started an epidemic of insomnia all down the block!

Folks finally dropped a hint to Bud that he close the windows or turn the radio a little lower. Bud did—and that was the quickest cure for other folks' insomnia I've ever heard of!

Not that any of us object to the radio, or swing bands, or anything else that helps another person relax of an evening. (Myself, I like a glass of beer with a bit of cheese before I go to bed. I can't speak for you.)

From where I sit, good neighborliness means nothing more than simply respecting the other person's tastes and rights—without forcing your own tastes or opinions down his throat. And that goes for Bud's radio, my glass of beer, or whatever temperate pleasure you happen to enjoy.

Joe Marsh

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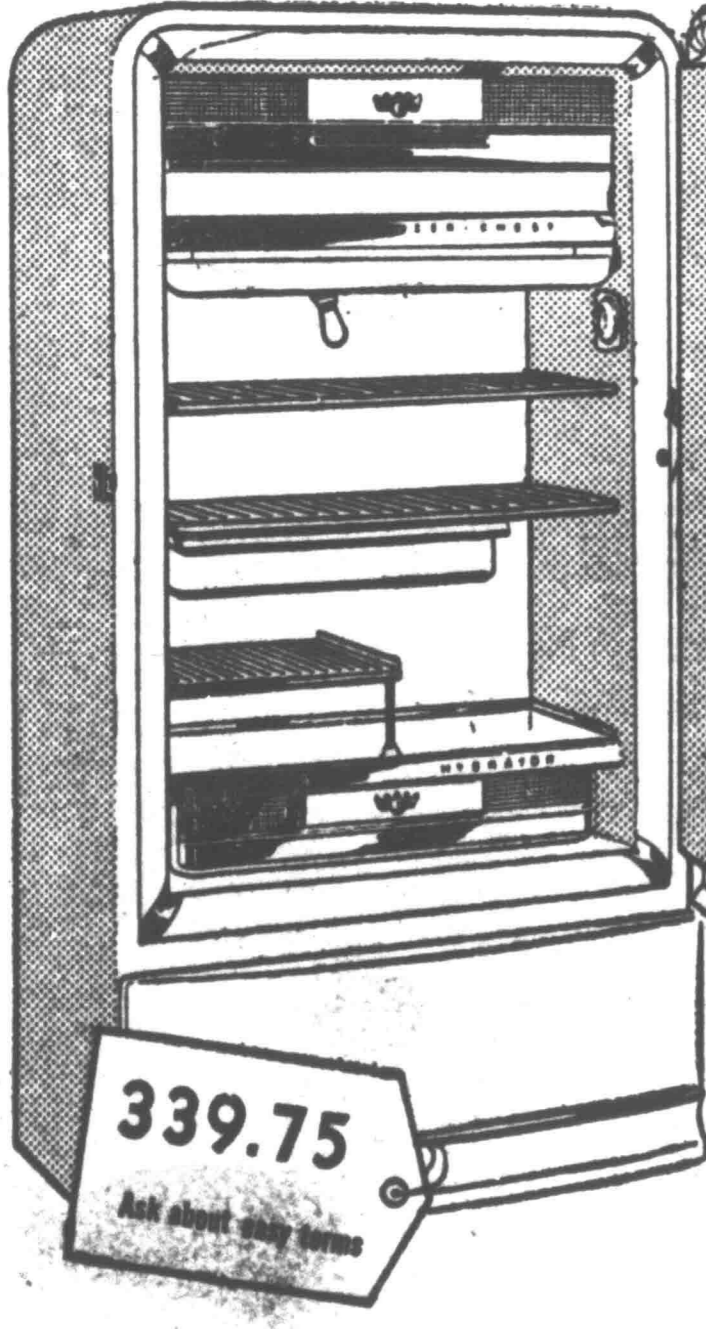
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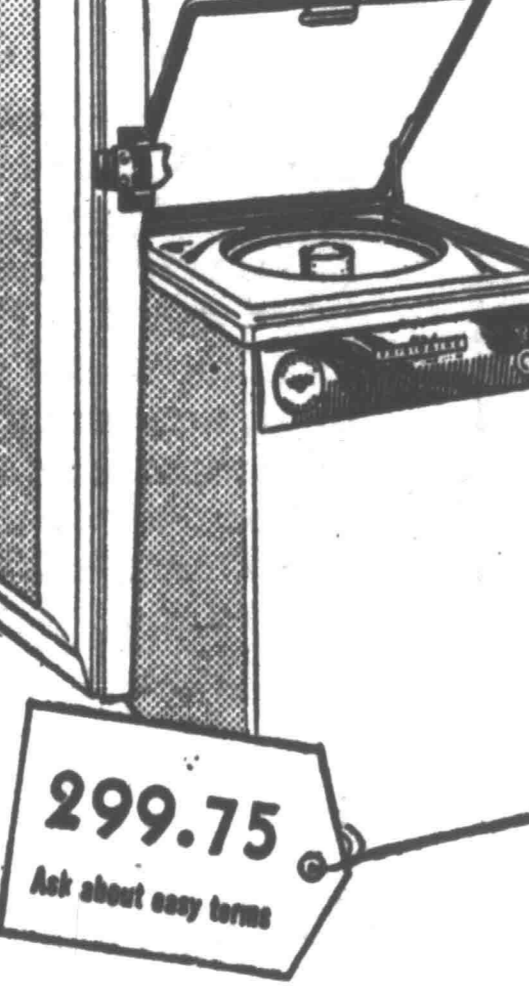
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TIDE, Large box29c	TREND, 2 boxes33c
SUPER SUDS, Giant Size 73c	
Oxydol, Rinso, 2 small boxes for 25c	
Fresh Vegetables -- Quality Meats	
NICE CARROTS, 2 bunches15c	FRESH TOMATOES, lb.20c
GREEN ONIONS, 2 bunches for15c	JUMBO CELERY, Stalk17c
LETTUCE, lb.15c	CABBAGE, lb.5c
Home Grown RADISHES, 2 bunches 15c	
ROLLED VEAL ROAST, lb.55c	MARGOLD Margarine, plain 27c; clrd ...39c
AMERICAN CHEESE, lb.49c	COUNTRY STYLE PURE PORK SAUSAGE, lb.39c
KREY'S Picnic Shoulders, lb.49c	ROSELEAF BRAND CREAMERY BUTTER, lb. 69c

THE HALLS GRAPHIC

Number 17

Halls, Tennessee, Friday Morning, April 29, 1949

Volume 55

Confidential Corner

It Always Happens

If there is ever any definite reason that some one should receive extra credit or similar recognition something always happens to prevent it. Last week the seventh grade presented a party for the eighth grade and some of those who worked the hardest in getting ready for the party were Mrs. T. T. Flynn, Mrs. J. T. Connell and Mrs. R. V. Agee so naturally when a story was written about the party the names of Mr. and Mrs. Flynn, Mr. and Mrs. Connell and Mr. and Mrs. Agee were omitted from the list of guests and chaperons. Also omitted were the names of Neil and your editor as invited guests, the omission occurring because of a misunderstanding. Naturally, the young lady who wrote the article, Mrs. McCorkle and your editor all regret the omissions.

Deeply Shocked

The people of Halls were shocked Monday afternoon when they learned that the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Smith of Covington had been drowned when he fell into a rain barrel. Only five years old, Neal was born in Halls while Mr. Smith was manager of Halls Theatre. Mr. Smith was here most recently during the Fall and early Winter months. The sympathy of the people of Halls go out to Mr. and Mrs. Smith.

Times Awaiting

If you haven't made up your mind about the city election next Thursday then you had better get busy. There are three candidates for the office of Mayor and an even dozen seeking places on the Board of Aldermen. Look over the list of candidates to be found elsewhere in this issue of the Graphic, determine which men you think will be most interested in the welfare of Halls and vote accordingly.

Deserves Support

Next Saturday, May 7, our present Mayor, Ross W. Dyer, will be before the people of the 16th Judicial Circuit seeking the office of Attorney General. A native of Halls, Mr. Dyer has proven himself both capable and conscientious. A church leader, a veteran and leader in civic affairs, he deserves your support at the polls on May 7. No poll tax will be required in this election. Let's give him a big sendoff in his hometown.

Two Fine Speakers

With the announcement this week that Dr. N. B. Hardeman of Freed-Hardeman College and the Hon. John T. Gray of Brownsville will deliver the baccalaureate sermon and the graduating address respectively the Senior Class of Halls High School is assured of two of the outstanding speakers in West Tennessee. Mr. Hardeman is well known as a preacher, a lecturer, an author and for his interest in the Tennessee Walking Horse. Mr. Gray recently addressed the Halls Lions Club and is a fluent and able speaker. Our congratulations to the class for their selections of speakers.

Names Published

Due to a number of reasons we have been compelled to postpone publication of the final list of Red Cross donors for the past two or three weeks. This week we are carrying a portion of the final list and the remainder of the list will be published next week. Please wait until all names have been published and then if your name was not included in one of the lists notify either your editor, L. B. Jones, chairman of the drive, or the worker to whom you made your contribution. It is all right!

School Closing Calendar

Friday Night, April 29 — Dance Recital
Monday Night, May 2 — Mrs. Harward's High School Recital
Tuesday Night, May 3 — Mrs. Harward's Elementary Recital
Thursday Night, May 5 — Mrs. Harward's Senior Recital
Friday Night, May 6 — Mrs. Harward's Elementary Recital
Sunday Night, May 8 — Baccalaureate Sermon, Baptist Church, N. B. Hardeman, Speaker
Friday Night, May 13 — Graduation Exercises John T. Gray, Speaker

Mrs. Harward To Present Recitals

Piano pupils of Mrs. Lula M. Harward and Mrs. James N. Voss will be presented in recitals the week of May 1st-8th which is National Music Week. Monday, May 2, the High School pupils; Tuesday, May 3, the elementary group; Thursday, May 5, the Senior group; Friday, May 6, an elementary group.

These recitals will be held in the Grammar School Auditorium at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited, no admission.

Funeral Services For Rebecca Greer

Funeral services for Rebecca Greer were held at 2 p. m. Tuesday at Mt. Vernon Baptist Church at Unionville. The Rev. W. B. Oakley, Baptist minister, officiated. Burial was in the church cemetery with Sudbury Funeral Home in charge.

She died early Monday morning at the home of her sister, Mrs. O. B. Gillman, in Memphis, after an illness of more than a year.

She was 40 and a Baptist. Before her illness she was employed by the Dyersburg Cotton Products Co. as a shipping clerk.

She leaves a son, David Greer of Dyersburg; her father, J. L. Greer of Unionville, three brothers, L. O. Greer, Boyle, Miss., J. D. Greer, Halls, and John A. Greer of Fowles; three other sisters, Mrs. J. H. Travis of Memphis, Mrs. A. R. Gean of Halls and Mrs. R. E. Hicks, Unionville.

O. L. WHITE ASKS FOR SUPPORT

To My Friends and The Voters of Halls
I am in the race for aldermen and will greatly appreciate your vote.

O. L. WHITE

TO MAKE TOUR FOR DYER CANDIDACY

Some fifty or sixty men and women of Halls will make up a cavalcade which will tour the 16th Judicial Circuit next Tuesday in the interest of the race of Mayor Ross W. Dyer for the office of Attorney General.

Plans call for the cavalcade to leave Halls at 8 o'clock Tuesday morning and visit all the towns within the circuit which includes five counties.

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most impossible to eliminate all duplication or omitting of names but we make every effort to do so. Your cooperation will be appreciated.

Has Birthday

Supt. of Schools H. G. McCorkle had a birthday this week. In consequence he was guest of Mrs. B. L. Robison and the Senior Class. Please wait until all names have been published and then if your name was not included in one of the lists notify either your editor, L. B. Jones, chairman of the drive, or the worker to whom you made your contribution. It is all right!

Baptist Men's Bible Class

Jesus Declares His Kingship

Four Hundred and eighty seven years before the events of this lesson took place, Zarahiah foretold the manner of Christ's first advent into Jerusalem. Zach. 9:9.

Jerusalem being the center of power and influence of the enemies of Christ, He had of necessity, heretofore, avoided the great city, except in frequent visits thereto.

But as Luke tells us, "When the time had come that He should be received up, He steadfastly set His face to go to Jerusalem," and again, "when He was transfigured, Moses and Elijah" spoke of His decease which He should accomplish at Jerusalem." Now in this lesson for next Sunday, we study how that Jesus planned and permitted the Triumphal Entry.

His hour of triumph on the cross was near at hand and He was using every fateful moment of the short time left to manifest His Messiahship to the world and to give convincing proof of His Kingship.

The momentous happenings in the last week before His death on the cross, have had tremendous effect in establishing and confirming the certainty of the Diety of Christ in the hearts and lives of His saints through the centuries. The manner in which He entered Jerusalem on this occasion is reminiscent of His second coming as foretold in the 19th Chapter of Revelations.

And again in Phillipians 2:9-11 we are told by the inspired apostle Paul, "Wherefore God hath also highly exalted Him and given Him a name, which is above every name: that at the name of Jesus, every knee should bow of things in the heavens, and things in the earth and things under the earth; and that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Space does not permit a more complete preview of the lesson, His compassion over the lost in Jerusalem His righteous wrath over the desecration of the Holy Temple and some of the great lessons He taught in the temple in the early part of this eventful and tragic week before He ascended the Cross for the sins of mankind.

We covet the attendance of a great number of men to sit with us and study with us, the things taught in this lesson for the well being and edification of all who claim sonship with Christ in God and fellowship with the saints, and also those who seek to the Way that Jesus taught and lived and prepared for all who will come to God by Him.

Thirty-nine were in their places last Sunday. We were graced with the presence of Mrs. Warren's class, their teacher being away for the day. The Pastor brought a fine sermon at the preaching hour, "The Leprosy of Sin."

Men's Bible Class
Halls Baptist Church
Fred R. Hurt, Teacher

R. H. Jordan Makes Statement To Voters

To The People of Halls:
I hereby announce as a candidate for Mayor in the election to be held May 5.

It has always been my policy to administer with the greatest economy consistent with the upkeep and improvement necessary for the public welfare.

This business of keeping a large crew on the streets, employed at piddling jobs, is like pouring water in a sieve so far as permanent good is concerned. This has been kept going simply as a means to work into the office of Mayor out of the taxpayers' pocket.

It is not in the power of any one man to build schools as this is solely done on the authority of the school board which has taken no action on the matter nor made any application for funds for the same; nor is Mr. Crittendon a member of the school board. Neither is it in his power to make major street improvements without the consent of the town board. If it was possible for him to keep all the cock eyed promises he has made it would bankrupt the town.

With the added income from the sales tax, the town should have by all means met its obligations without raising the tax assessment.

If elected, I expect to use every effort to get natural gas piped to every street in town. I am in favor of building walks on each side of Highway 51, North, to the school and churches provided the property owners assume the front-foot assessment for two-thirds of the cost as provided in the town ordinance.

I respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

R. H. JORDAN adv

City Election To Be Next Thursday

The people of Halls will go to the polls next Thursday, May 5, and elect their city officials for the next two years.

Three men have entered the race for the Office of Mayor to succeed Ross W. Dyer who is not a candidate for re-election. They are, as they will appear on the ticket —

P. W. CRITTENDON
J. R. DAILEY
R. H. JORDAN

An even dozen men are seeking the six places on the Board of Aldermen with another, F. W. Hurt, having withdrawn from the race.

As they will appear on the ticket the candidates for alderman are:

BUSTER CAMPBELL
J. L. CARNELL
R. B. COLES
JOE CLYDE ESCUE
ELMER HOFFIUS
JOE HURT
JIM JAYNES
W. S. PERRY
M. H. STALLINGS
LYNN VADEN
D. E. WALKER
O. L. WHITE

Of the men in the race for the various offices R. H. Jordan has previously served as mayor for several terms; P. W. Crittendon and Joe Hurt are members of the present board; and J. L. Carnell and O. L. White have served on previous boards.

EVANGELISTIC PLAY TO BE PRESENTED

An evangelistic play entitled, "What Think Ye, Is He the Christ?" will be presented at the Poplar Grove Cumberland Presbyterian Church on Sunday, May 8 (Mother's Day) at 7:30 p. m. This play is sponsored by the Young People's Society of the church and is acclaimed to be one of the greatest evangelistic plays of all time. It is unique in that it presents Christ to the world just as a modern courtroom would portray the characteristics of an innocent victim.

The public is cordially invited to attend this service.

To Deliver Baccalaureate Sermon



N. B. HARDEMAN

Elementary News Notes

Hurt and McGarity — The teachers are gay — Because these are competitive days

WE work and WE slave Through all the way. To make good grades on competitive days.

1st Grade
We are glad to have Barbara Chipman and Amelia Ann Ferguson back in school after both have been out with measles. Fred Lee Chipman is quite upset about his little sister who was burned with scalding water. She is in the Brownsville Hospital. We hope she will be well soon. Gene Pugh fell while playing tag, and sprained his middle finger.

2nd Grade
We are so glad that Alfred White and Barbara Watts are back in school — they have been absent a week due to illness.

Warren Nunn visited the zoo in Memphis Sunday, and Alfred White went fishing on Reelfoot Lake. They both report a very enjoyable day.

Clyde Hudson continues to be absent from school. We do hope he will be back with us before school closes.

3rd Grade
Those on our sick list were Josh Nunn, Letricia Vaden, J. D. Paris, and Wymond Love.

Last Friday we went to the high school music room during our music period to hear piano numbers played by some of our pupils. Then we sang some of our favorite songs. "Thanks, Miss Marsaline" for taking us.

Last week we studied some poems about April showers and made some attractive umbrella posters.

We have been studying about story writing this past month. Some good one-paragraph stories have been written. We are passing this on to you.

"THE DUCK"
"The duck can swim. I can swim too, but I am not a duck. You can swim too, but you are not a duck. A duck can fly but I can't fly, I am not a duck. You can't fly, you're not a duck, so that settles that — we're not like a duck."

By Paul Woodley
We are so happy to get to hear the "Messick Belles" program Friday morning at the auditorium.

4th Grade
The fourth grade was well represented in Ripley at the 4-H Club Rally, Saturday, April 23. Thirty-three attended and reported a most enjoyable day.

The sixth grade entertained us with a musical program Monday.

We are glad Molly Watts, Joyce Midgett and Rubye Lumley are able to be back in school. They have been absent due to sickness.

Larry Steelman and Marcus Spiller spent the weekend in Memphis. While there they visited

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Put Down Fertilizer At Right Time For Best Results

F. H. Paschal
County Agent

Putting down fertilizer at the right place with respect to the seed with some of the new equipment and some of the old is really giving farmers trouble all over the county as they begin operations for getting in the biggest crop ever this month.

All mixed fertilizers should be put in the ground deep enough that the fertilizer stays moist. The fertilizer should also be at least two inches away from the seed. As a rule, the very best placement for the fertilizer is 2 inches deeper than the seed and two inches on each side of the seed. The next best placement is two inches under the seed.

Some of the planters made for planting and putting down fertilizer at the same operation drop the seed in front of the fertilizer and then attempt to drop the fertilizer at greater depth without putting the seed and fertilizer at the same place. Farmers should dig up a section of row behind such planters and see just where the fertilizer and seed are being deposited. Expensive seed and expensive fertilizer should be put in the ground at the places where both will do the best job.

Some farmers with some types of planters and fertilizer distributors will find it advisable to put down the fertilizer at one operation and then plant the seed at another operation in order to get the fertilizer and the seed at the right place.

Strawberries Coming Into Market

Jack Wakefield picked ripe strawberries on April 20 from a fine plot on Mrs. Ola Steele's land in Ripley. These are first year Blakemore in which we could find no weevil damage. L. C. Thompson of the Arp community, Mrs. E. M. Browning of Nankipco, and many other growers picked enough ripe strawberries to have delightful shortcakes for Sunday dinner on April 24. A. D. McNeil, Leonard Becton, S. M. Kirkpatrick, and a number of other growers had crates of berries on the market in Ripley on Monday, April 25. Alert strawberry growers all over the county have really been watching for weevil damage since March 1 and many have fought back hard with good dust guns and 20 pounds of cryolite per acre to keep weevil damage to a very minimum.

Yields of berries will not be high because of the dry weather last summer and the fact that growers still are not willing to put out the money and time to fertilize the berries in July and September for yields of 250 to 300 crates per acre.

Too many growers are still content to have yields of small berries totaling only 100 crates per acre and less on the best soil in Tennessee in a climate best suited

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Ewell To Address Lions Club

M. Watkins Ewell, Dyersburg attorney, will address the members of the Halls Lions Club at their meeting on Wednesday, May 4. The meeting has been deferred from Tuesday until Wednesday in order that members of the club may accompany a cavalcade which will make a tour in the interest of the candidacy of Ross W. Dyer for Attorney General.

At the last regular meeting the club voted to meet in the restaurant of Mrs. Lena Wells at Gates after an invitation to do so was presented from Mrs. Wells. The meeting will be held at noon and all Lions are urged to be present.

Mr. Ewell will discuss the bringing of natural gas to Halls and will give some of the aspects of city ownership and of utility operation. It is our understanding that Mr. Ewell will present some figures that will be of interest to the people of Halls.

All candidates for city office will be invited to be guests of the club at the meeting to hear Mr. Ewell.

Hardeman, Gray To Address Seniors

H. G. McCorkle, Superintendent of Schools, and Douglas Collins, president of the Senior Class of Halls High School, announce that Dr. N. B. Hardeman, president of Freed-Hardeman College of Henderson, and the Hon. John T. Gray of Brownsville have accepted invitations to deliver the baccalaureate sermon and the graduating address.

Bro. Hardeman is one of the better known speakers in this section. A Church of Christ minister, he is also noted as a writer, an author and as an educator. He has traveled widely in foreign lands notably the Holy Land and is outstanding in his field. In addition to his other interests he is a horse fancier and is the owner of Maid of Cotton, top ranking Tennessee Walking Horse.

Announcement has been made that Dr. Hardeman will preach at the Halls Church of Christ on Sunday morning, May 8.

The baccalaureate services will be held at the Halls Baptist Church on Sunday night, May 8, at 8:00 o'clock with the music rendered by the High School Glee Club under the direction of Mrs. C. F. Harward and Miss Mary Martha Hemby.

Graduation exercises will be held Friday night, May 13, with the Hon. John Gray addressing the thirty-nine members of the senior class. Mr. Gray is a fluent and attention-holding speaker and will deliver a worthwhile address. He has recently addressed the Halls Lions Club and made a lasting impression with his message.

MORE RED CROSS DONORS LISTED

Following is a partial list of the remaining donors in the recent Red Cross drive. Other names will be published next week.

T. G. Avery 1.00
Mrs. T. G. Avery 1.00
J. P. Chaney 1.00
Mrs. C. C. Nearm 1.00
Mrs. Zena Dyer 1.00
James Voss 1.00
Mrs. James Voss 1.00
Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Harward 1.00
Mrs. Guy Jordan 1.00
Mrs. Paul Henderson, Jr. .25
Mrs. Jessie Mendoza .50
Mrs. Beulah Griffin .50
Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Nunn 10.00
Mr. and Mrs. Ross Dyer 5.00
F. O. Herring 1.00
Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Wright 1.00

TO PRESENT DANCE RECITAL TONIGHT

Miss Irene Blakemore of Memphis will present her dance pupils in a recital this Friday night at 8:00 at the Grammar School Auditorium.

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HENRY MURCHISON Editor and Publisher

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(continued from front page) ed to the production of high quality strawberries. An investment of \$10.00 per acre for fertilizer in July and \$10.00 more in September will pay profits of \$100 to \$200 per acre in additional berries and it will sometimes pay dividend of \$500 per acre. All new and old strawberries should receive 500 pounds of 4-8-8 fertilizer on top of the rows in July and the same amount again in September.

Vetch Saves Land And Increases Yield

D. M. Garrett of Curve community bought a piece of poor land four years ago and planted it in cotton. The following September he ran a long sweep through the cotton middles and sowed 25 pounds of hairy vetch seed per acre broadcast behind the sweep. The vetch came up to a good stand and was turned under the following April and the land planted back to cotton.

The yield of cotton was better that fall but vetch was seeded in the middles again in September. That process has been repeated each year for the last four and this spring vetch is being turned under and cotton planted for the fifth time. Yields of cotton have been better each succeeding year and the soil is easier to cultivate. The sloping part of the land has been terraced with home equipment and there is nothing about this system which any farmer in Lauderdale County cannot follow with very profitable results.

Mr. Garrett disked under vetch on April 18 which was more than 16 inches tall. He can allow two weeks for this vetch to rot and then plant cotton in plenty of time for maximum yields. He could have plowed under the vetch as early as April 10 with a 12-inch height which would have still increased his yields of

cotton as much as the application of 200 pounds of nitrate of soda per acre.

Jim Meeks of Double Bridges community seeded vetch in most of his cotton middles last July and August at the last plowing. This vetch was a foot high and ready to plow under on March 29. The seed for this vetch cost Mr. Meeks about \$6.00 per acre. It kept his land from washing, during the winter and will increase the yields of 1949 crops as much as the application of 200 pounds of soda if he could get it. Seeding vetch if he could get it. Seeding vetch in cotton middles is a good practice which should be carried out on 90 percent of the upland in this county which is planted to cotton.

Field Day On May 13

Annual Field Day at Shelby County Penal Farm will be held on Friday, May 13. Many Lauderdale County farmers will want to attend this event to see the pasture demonstrations, fruit and vegetable crops, see the beat cutting demonstration, and hear the very instructive addresses scheduled for the afternoon program.

MRS. PATTON HOSTESS TO STUDY CLASS

Mrs. W. C. Patton was hostess Monday to the Bible Study Class of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church and the newly organized Circle No. 1. The meeting was held at 3 p. m.

Mrs. R. L. Siler presided over the business session and Mrs. W. F. Maxedon opened the meeting

with prayer. Mrs. Maxedon, superintendent of the Bible Study Class, conducted the devotional, reading from appropriate scripture.

Mrs. W. O. Sugg and Mrs. S. F. Young then gave the report of the annual missionary conference which they attended in Paducah, Ky.

Mrs. Sugg, chairman of the Circle, Mrs. Baldrige, Mrs. T. S. Espey, and Mrs. Pugh were visitors of the society. The meeting closed by repeating the collect.

A social hour was enjoyed at which time the hostess served a dainty plate and hot tea.

CIRCLE NO. 1 MET LAST MONDAY

Circle No. 1 of the Baptist WMS held its regular monthly meeting Monday, April 18, in the home of Mrs. K. T. Edens. Mrs. Edens had charge of the devotional in the absence of Mrs. A. W. Williams. Mrs. A. B. Witt offered prayer.

After the business meeting Mrs. Bob Burnett had charge of the Bible Study. Mrs. Jim Jaynes dismissed the meeting with prayer.

The hostess served delicious ice cream and cake to the ten members present. — Reporter.

NANKIPOO PTA HAS CALLED MEETING

The Nankipoo PTA called a meeting on Tuesday night, April 19th. The meeting was opened by singing "America" then Scripture from the 4th chapter of Proverbs by Dickie Lazure, prayer by Richard Clement and then a brief treasurer's report.

A motion was made and carried to have two PTA meetings each month, the regular one to be on the second Wednesday afternoon and another on the 4th Thursday night so the husbands can meet with us.

An open discussion was held on

ORDER OF PUBLICATION TO ANNA WRIGHT McCELLAN ISSAC McCELLAN vs. ANNA WRIGHT McCELLAN

In the County Court at Ripley, Tennessee.

In this cause it appearing to me from the bill filed herein which is sworn to, that the defendant, Anna Wright McCellan, is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee and resident of the State of Ohio so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served on her. It is therefore ordered by the Court that the said Anna Wright McCellan appear before the Judge of the County Court of Lauderdale County on or before the first Monday in June (it being the 6th day of said month and a rule day of that term of this Court) and make defense to the bill filed herein against her or the same will be taken for confessed as true and the cause set for hearing experts as to her.

It is further ordered that this notice be published in the Halls Graphic, a newspaper printed and published in Lauderdale County, for four consecutive weeks, requiring her to so appear.

This 14th day of April, 1949.

N. C. UTLEY, Clerk ROSS W. DYER Sol. for Compl.

NOTICE OF MUNICIPAL ELECTION

We, the undersigned commissioners of elections for Lauderdale County, Tennessee, do hereby give notice that the regular biennial municipal election for the Town of Halls, Tennessee is called to be held on

THURSDAY, MAY 5, 1949

Said election will be held for the purpose of electing a Mayor, Board of Six Aldermen for said Town of Halls, Tennessee, and to serve for the ensuing two years.

Polls will be opened at 9:00 A. M. and close at 4:00 P. M.

The following officers, judges and clerks are hereby named and appointed to open, hold and make due return of said election:

Officer: E. O. Dew Judges: J. O. Thompson, Stuart Crichfield, Roy Patton Clerks: Neil Dyer, Neil Ferguson

Witness our hand this April 1st, 1949.

R. H. CHISHOLM Chairman W. A. SANFORD Secretary R. J. NUNN Member

Board of Commissioners of Elections for Lauderdale County, Tennessee.

BOUDREAU PEPS UP WITH A HAMBURGER



Lou Boudreau, player-manager of the world champion Cleveland Indians, takes time out between workouts to pep up his energy with a hamburger and a glass of milk. Lou's favorite sandwich is a hamburger deluxe, prepared like this: Add a teaspoon of grated onion to each tablespoon of softened butter or margarine. Spread on split hamburger bun. Make the sandwich with hot seasoned hamburger, lettuce, and chili sauce or relish.

projects of the school. Mrs. J. R. Wright and Mrs. L. E. Olds, piano committee, said they would get busy and get a piano for the close of school and on Wednesday they bought one.

There were eighteen men and twelve women present at the meeting. We were proud to have so many fathers present.

The meeting was adjourned with prayer by Mrs. L. E. Olds. — Reporter

ADDRESS STUDENTS

Miss Nann Snodgrass, Director for West Tennessee with International Child Evangelism Fellowship, Inc., and Miss Merna Wilkowitz, special Children's Evangelist and Teacher, both of Memphis were at the Halls Grammar School Auditorium Thursday morning, April 28, at 9 a. m. to speak to the student body at the Chapel hour. Miss Snodgrass and Miss Wilkowitz have recently visited Halls during the Baptist Youth Revival.

NANNIE RAWLES CLASS HAS HAMBURGER FRY

Mrs. Jim White, Miss Reba Jones and Mrs. W. S. Perry were hostesses to members of the Nannie Rawles Bible Class at their regular social and business meeting Tuesday evening of last week. The basement of the Methodist Church was the setting for the event which took the form of a Hamburger Fry.

The refreshment tables were very attractive with Easter lilies. A short devotional was given by the president, Mrs. W. O. Sugg.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of I. W. Simmons, Sr., Deceased

Notice is hereby given that on the 20th day of April, 1949, letters of administration in respect of the estate of I. W. Simmons, Sr., deceased, were issued to the undersigned by the County Court of Lauderdale County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against his estate are required to file the same with the Clerk of the above named Court within nine months from the date of the first publication of this notice, otherwise, their claims will be forever barred.

This the 25th day of April, 1949.

I. W. Simmons, Jr. Administrator of the Estate of I. W. Simmons, Sr. M. Watkins Ewell, Attorney Dyersburg, Tenn.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of Mrs. A. B. Murphy Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of April, 1949, letters of administration, in respect to the estate of Mrs. A. B. Murphy, with the will annexed, were issued to the undersigned by the County Court for Lauderdale County, Tennessee.

All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against her estate, are required to file the same with the Clerk of the above named Court within nine months from the date of the first publication of this notice, otherwise their claims will be forever barred.

This April 25th, 1949. C. L. Tillman Administrator with the will annexed of Mrs. A. B. Murphy's estate.

W. C. PATTON, Atty.

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GREAT NORTHERN BEANS, 25 lb. bag	\$2.75	JACK SPRAT Catsup, 2 14 oz. bottles	38c
MAYFIELD CORN, 2 no. 2 cans	25c	COMSTOCK PIE Sliced Apples, No. 2 can	18c

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Margold Margarine, lb. 27c

KREY'S Picnic Shoulders, lb.	49c	ROLLED VEAL ROAST, lb.	53c
STREAK-O-LEAN, lb.	29c	CHEESE, 2 lb. box	86c
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Announcements

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL

DYER — Ross W. Dyer has authorized the Halls Graphic to announce him as a candidate for the office of Attorney General of the 16th Judicial Circuit composed of Lauderdale, Tipton, McNairy, Fayette and Hardean counties, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, May 7, 1949.

WATKINS — George C. Watkins has authorized the Halls Graphic to announce him as a candidate for re-election to the office of Attorney General of the 16th Judicial Circuit composed of Lauderdale, Tipton, Fayette, Hardean and McNairy counties, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary May 7, 1949.

FOR MAYOR

CRITTENDON — P. W. Crittendon has authorized the Halls Graphic to announce him as a candidate for Mayor of Halls in the city election to be held Thursday, May 5, 1949.

DAILEY — J. R. Dailey has announced him as a candidate for authorized the Halls Graphic to Mayor of Halls in the city election to be held Thursday, May 5, 1949.

FOR ALDERMAN

WALKER — D. E. Walker has authorized the Halls Graphic to announce him as a candidate for member of the Board of Aldermen of Halls in the city election to be held Thursday, May 5, 1949.

HOFFIUS — Elmer Hoffius has authorized the Halls Graphic to announce him as a candidate for member of the Board of Aldermen of Halls in the city election to be held Thursday, May 5, 1949.

JAYNES — Jim Jaynes has authorized the Halls Graphic to announce him as a candidate for alderman in the city election to be held Thursday, May 5, 1949.

Friday Morning, April 29, 1949

Sunday School Lesson

By Walter C. Davis, D. D., Tennessee School of Religion, University of Tennessee

(Mark 11:1 - 11; 15 - 18)

"JESUS IS KING"

We Americans have no king. We are a free people. What a num-

ber of nations have been doing in recent years we did in 1776 when we declared we would no longer be bound by the harsh rule of George III of Great Britain. But there is one King we do acknowledge. We own Christ as King, our spiritual King, Lord over all. His kingdom is a spiritual kingdom. It has no boundaries and it needs no capital. It exists alongside of our government, and there is no interference of rivalry. It

even strengthens our government for it instills virtue and integrity and promotes all the qualities of good citizenship in our free people. Without its influence America would not long be free. This King is the Author of freedom. "If the Son, therefore, shall make you free, ye shall be free indeed." His flag is the banner of the cross. He laid down His life for His people; but He has taken it again and rules forever. He is a King with a throne. That signifies authority. "Heaven is my footstool." His throne is higher than the bench of the Supreme Court. It is higher than the United Nations tribunal. All rights come from the throne of God. All justice is established there. Freedom flows from it like a crystal stream. All law and all history center there. He holds the destiny of the nations in the hollow of His hand. At what instant He shall speak concerning a nation to build and to plant it . . . and what instant He shall speak to pluck up and pull down, it shall be done. (Jeremiah 18) Man cannot outmaneuver God. So Christ

is our King. He sits "on a great white throne," according to Revelation, "and before Him shall be gathered all nations; and He shall separate them one from another." We gladly own Christ as King and we are not afraid. He is a King with a sceptre. That signifies power. The Roman soldiers gave Him a reed as a sceptre in order that they might mock Him in His lack of power. They did not know that He had laid aside His power for a little while, and that He would take it again. "The kings of the earth set themselves against the Lord's anointed, saying, 'Let us break His hands asunder, and cast away His cords from us.' He that sitteth in the heavens shall; the Lord shall have them in derision." His power is above all coalitions, is mightier than all armies and all navies, mightier than a world of atomic bombs. Our King is sovereign over all.

He is a King with a crown. John said that in Heaven "They called Him faithful and true, and on His head were many crowns." On the day of crucifixion they seized upon the idea that Jesus was king in order to mock Him. They called together the whole band to make it lively. They gave Him a crown of thorns; they gave Him a sceptre, a reed; they clothed Him in purple; they bowed the knee Him and shouted in derision, "Hail, King of the Jews!" And then in rage they spat on Him and smote Him on the head. But God has highly exalted Him, and given Him a name that is above every name, at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of things in heaven and things in earth.

Best of all my King is my friend, my elder brother, my Saviour. His rule is a rule of love.

Hellen's-Bluff News

Mrs. Bessie Eason of Maury City spent the week with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Mayo and family.

Mrs. Willie Smith has spent the past two weeks with his daughter, Mrs. Carl Gilliland.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddie Holder and children, Mr. and Mrs. Buck White and John Robert Lovelace, Jr. spent Sunday in Memphis.

Mrs. Jack Stalcup spent Saturday afternoon in Halls with her daughter, Mrs. Pete Smith.

Mrs. Broadus Richardson spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Albert Elmore and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong and Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Gilliland and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. Rob Love Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Jones and daughter, Betty Lou, visited Mr. and Mrs. Grover Smith Saturday.

Miss Oneida Cole, James Royce Elmore, Miss Ola Austin and Jewell Love visited Mrs. Wilson Davis at Fowkes Saturday night.

Mrs. Davis and son, Wilson, Jr., returned home with Miss Cole to spend the week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jones visited their aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lents, Friday night.

Mrs. Leora Vaughn spent the weekend with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Buddie White.

Charles Richardson attended a FFA meeting at Dresden Tuesday.

Miss Dorothy Ann Baker spent Sunday with Misses Annie Fay and Della May Trede.

County Agent R. W. Moore of Alamo was dinner guest of Elford Baker and family Friday.

The Hellen's Bluff PTA presented the Hellen's Bluff Grand Old Opera at Hillcrest Friday night.

You are cordially invited to hear the Rev. D. A. Bishop at Lebanon Methodist Church Sunday at 2:30 P. M. Sunday School at 10:30 A. M. Prayer meeting and MYF at 7:30.

Mrs. Albert Elmore visited Mrs. Armstrong Sunday afternoon.

Hillcrest boys ball team defeated the Hellen's Bluff boys Sunday afternoon 8 to 5. The game was played at Hillcrest.

Mrs. B. W. Richardson spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. L. M. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Tolbert Baxter and daughter of Alamo spent Sunday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burt Darty.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

WHEREAS, God, our Heavenly Father, in His infinite Wisdom, saw fit, on April 12th, 1949, to call from our midst, our fellow class member and friend in Christ, John B. Ferguson, and WHEREAS, we feel that in his passing, this class and our church, have given up one of their most faithful and true members, and that our lives have been made richer by his great example of loyalty to his Church, and his services to Jehovah God,

THEREFORE, be it RESOLVED, that we express to his family our deepest sympathy in their great sorrow, assuring them that his faithfulness will always be an inspiration to all who remain to be loyal followers of Christ, and faithful always to His Church.

Be it further RESOLVED that a copy of these resolutions be

sent to his bereaved family; a copy published in the Halls Graphic, and a copy spread upon the minutes of this Class. Men's Bible Class Halls Baptist Church Resolutions Committee F. W. Hurt J. T. Connell T. G. Avery adv.



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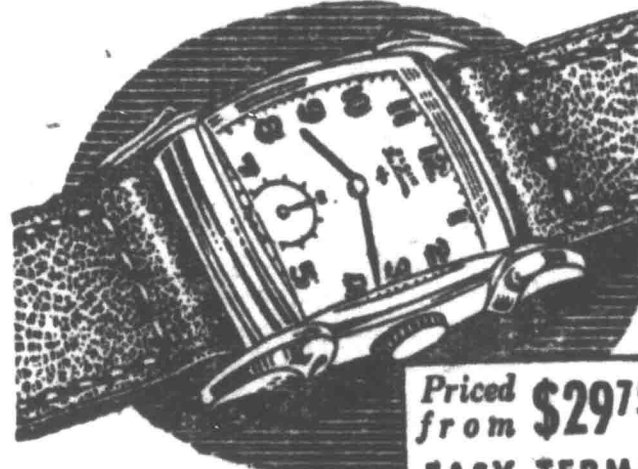


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Nankipoo News

Mr. and Mrs. Adron Moore of Memphis spent Wednesday night with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Moore.

Olen Olds has returned from Battle Creek, Mich., where he has been employed for the past several months.

Miss Louise Thurmond of Memphis spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. T. M. Webb.

Joe Taylor of Memphis is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Fleetwood Cates.

Little Judy Goe of West Memphis is spending several days with her grandfather, Carl Cates, and Mrs. Cates.

Mrs. Wilson Herron spent the weekend at Henning with her father who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Clement, Harrell Clement and children spent a few days last week in Missouri.

Miss Mellie Olds of Oakville and Roy Ray of Memphis were dinner guests Sunday night of Miss Elizabeth Cates.

Rev. Clyde McCord and Mrs. McCord of Dyersburg were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Cook.

Mrs. Addie Crikfield of Memphis spent most of last week here with her sister, Mrs. Frank Cates.

Carried Over from Last Week

A large number of friends and relatives came from a distance to attend the funeral of Mrs. A. B. Murph, Monday.

Roy Hilliard, Sr. is ill. Mr and Mrs. Ausie Cates had as Sunday guests, Mrs. Ples Fowler and daughter, Joy, Mrs. Andrew Gill Fowler and baby of Nutbush and Mr. and Mrs. Ellie Harrell and daughter of Halls.

Mr. and Mrs. Tollie Olds and baby of Memphis, spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Olds spent Sunday in Memphis.

Mrs. Eval D. Hutcherson and children spent Sunday near Forked Deer with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Watkins and baby of Memphis spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Offie Cates.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Goe and daughters of West Memphis, Ark. spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cates.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burks and children of Memphis spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Olds.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Hutcherson and daughter, Marlene, spent Sunday in Halls with Mr. and Mrs. Arch Wright.

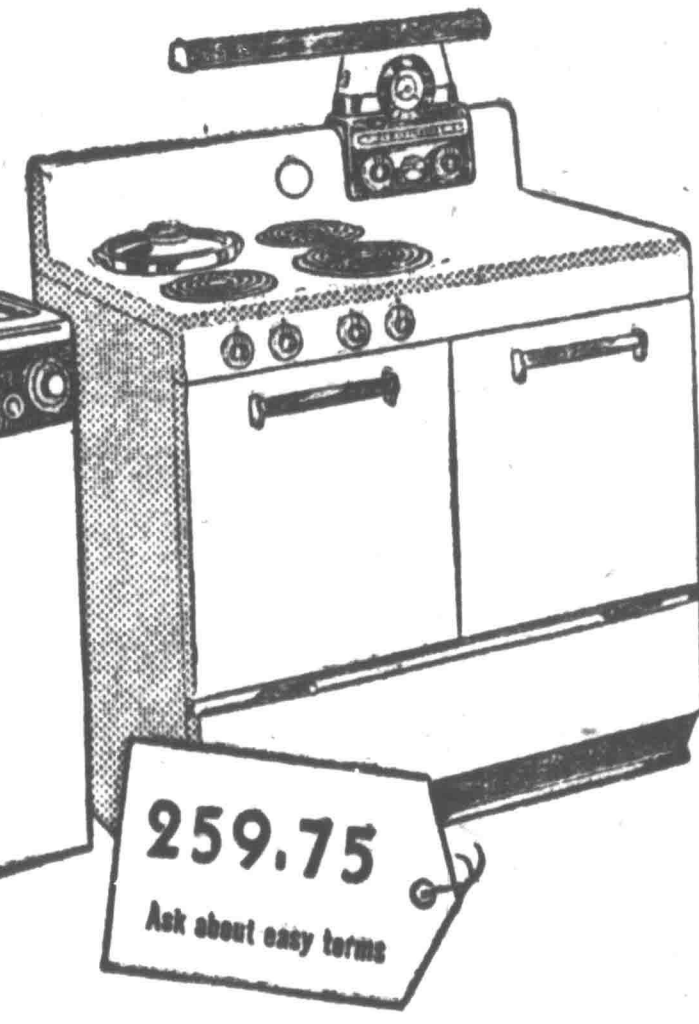
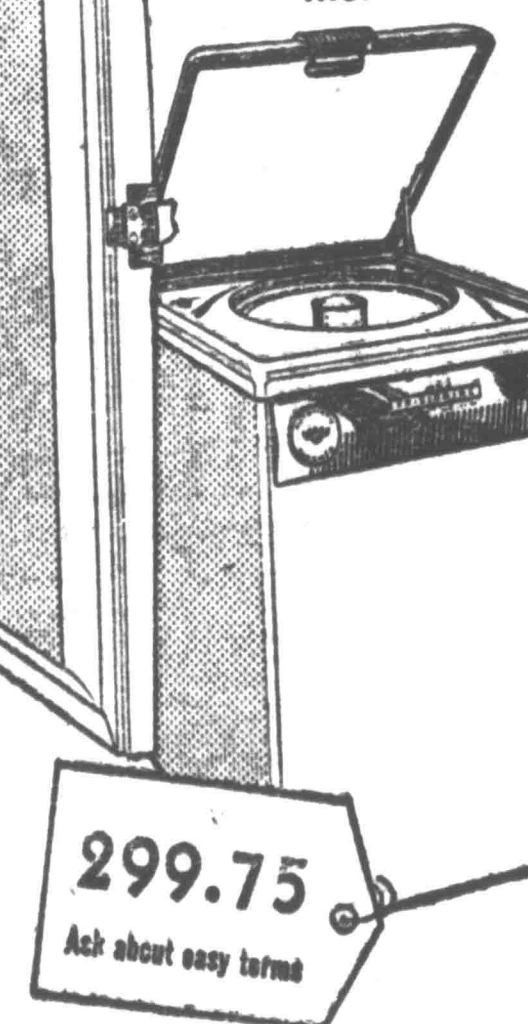
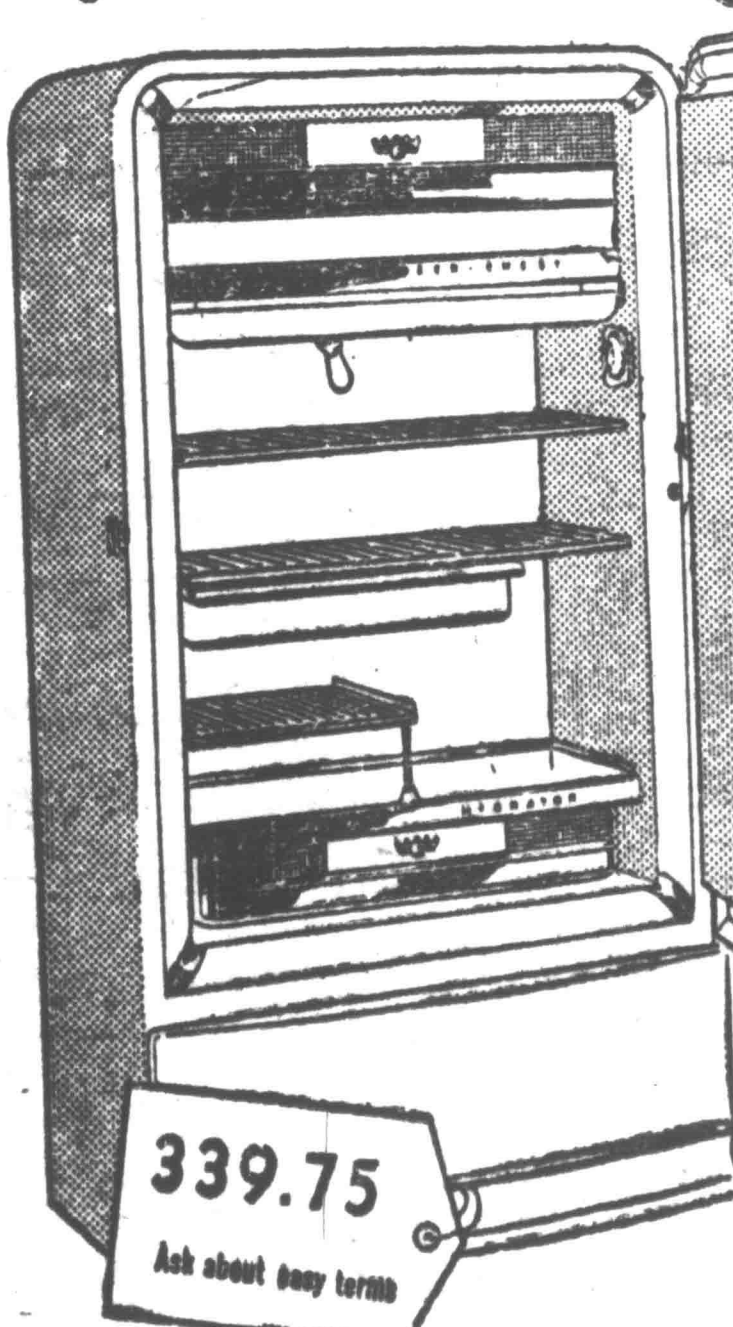
Mrs. Dana Bentley of Oakville and McKinley Bentley of Memphis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ward.

Mrs. Annie Sanders has returned home after spending several days in Memphis with Mr. and Mrs. Otho Sanders.

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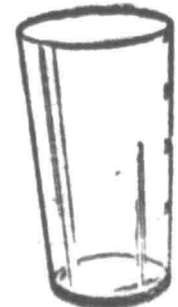
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Using the period of 1935-1939 as an index base of 100, — farm products (as of Feb. 19th) 230.7 percent; fuels 238.1 percent; building materials 217.9 percent. All groups combined 209.5 percent, but farm machinery ONLY 155.6 percent.

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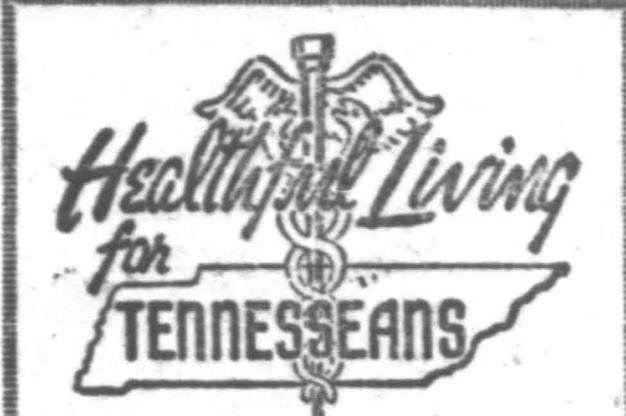
NOTICE OF DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY ELECTION

By virtue of the authority vested in us, the undersigned Judicial Committeemen for Lauderdale County, Tennessee, notice is hereby given that a Democratic Primary Election will be opened and held in all the voting precincts in Lauderdale County, Tennessee, on SATURDAY, MAY 7th, 1949 for the purpose of electing a Democratic nominee for the office of Attorney General for the 16th Judicial District of Tennessee.

This notice shall be run for the weeks of April 18th, and April 25th. Notice is hereby given of the appointment of officers, Judges and clerks named to open, hold and make due returns of said Democratic Primary Election in their respective precincts, as hereinafter set out and said officials are directed to act accordingly.

First District: Durhamville: Officer: James Doyle. Judges: P. M. Parker, Clifford Walker and Tom Martin. Clerks: Mrs. Arthur Thompson and T. W. Fisher.

Shoaf's Island: Officer: Bill Harris. Judges: Charlie Shoaf, L. B. Black and John Flack. Clerks: Mrs. John Flack and Mrs. Bill Harris.



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Many persons can't eat cantaloupe, are sensitive to spinach, or get hives from house dust. Too, milady's usually delightful perfume may cause another man's eyes to water and his nose stop up.

Allergy is an exaggerated susceptibility to a foreign substance which is harmless in similar amounts for the great majority of the population. It is estimated that fifty percent of the general population are allergic to one or more substances.

such as fur and dandruff, fabrics, insect bites and stings, serums, molds, fungi and a multitude of fumes and dusts.

Allergic substances may produce their effect by being breathed, swallowed, injected, or simply touched by the skin.

Common allergic symptoms are asthma, hay fever, hives and eczema. Such a condition is serious and should not be treated lightly.

Allergic individuals show a family history of the disease in sixty to seventy per cent of cases. Although allergy as such is not inherited, children of allergic parents seem to be more susceptible than others.

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Maydes: Officer: Milton Dailey. Judges: J. B. Buchanan, J. B. Newsom and John Simmons. Clerks: Mrs. J. B. Buchanan and Mrs. J. B. Newsom.

Fifth District: Ashport: Officer: Francis Middleton. Judges: Tom Conner, Leonard Williams and Ernie Woods. Clerks: Mrs. Jim Fullen and Mrs. Paul Hipp.

Goldust: Officer: Biggie Reviere. Judges: Ashley King, Alvin Crowder and Hershel Chipman. Clerks: Mrs. Hershel Chipman and Pete Shepard.

Prestige: Officer: Richard Reviere. Judges: Willie Greer, John Lamar, Jr., and John Lamar, Sr. Clerks: Mrs. John Lamar, Jr. and Mrs. Willie Greer.

Bar: Officer: Kidd Hardy. Judges: Joe L. Hammers, Jack Hardy and Ed Freeman. Clerks: Mrs. Ed Freeman and Mrs. Kidd Hardy.

Hales Point: Officer: Jim Taylor. Judges: Sam Vaughn, Banks Taylor and Wesly Keen. Clerks: Mrs. T. E. Taylor and Mrs. Jim Taylor.

Tenth District: Glimp: Officer: Thomas Hopper. Judges: Wilma Hopper, Tom Smith and Bill Little. Clerks: Mrs. Frieda Mann and Mrs. Edward Hopper.

Pleasant Hill: Officer: Marshall Skinner. Judges: Mrs. Norman Sinclair, Mrs. Joe Hubbs and Mrs. Farris Turner. Clerks: Mrs. Catherine Forbes and Mrs. Brooks Hathaway.

Eleventh District: Lightfoot: Officer: Walter Briggs. Judges: Finas Barnes, Elmer Grammer, Joe Pitts. Clerks: Mrs. Finas Barnes, Mrs. Walter Briggs.

Lockett: Officer: Jim Webb. Judges: Palmer Jones, Leonard Wakefield and Jack Glimp. Clerks: Kenneth Webb and Junior Webb.

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Witness our hand on this, the 12th day of April, 1949. A. P. MOORE, Chairman of Judicial Committee.

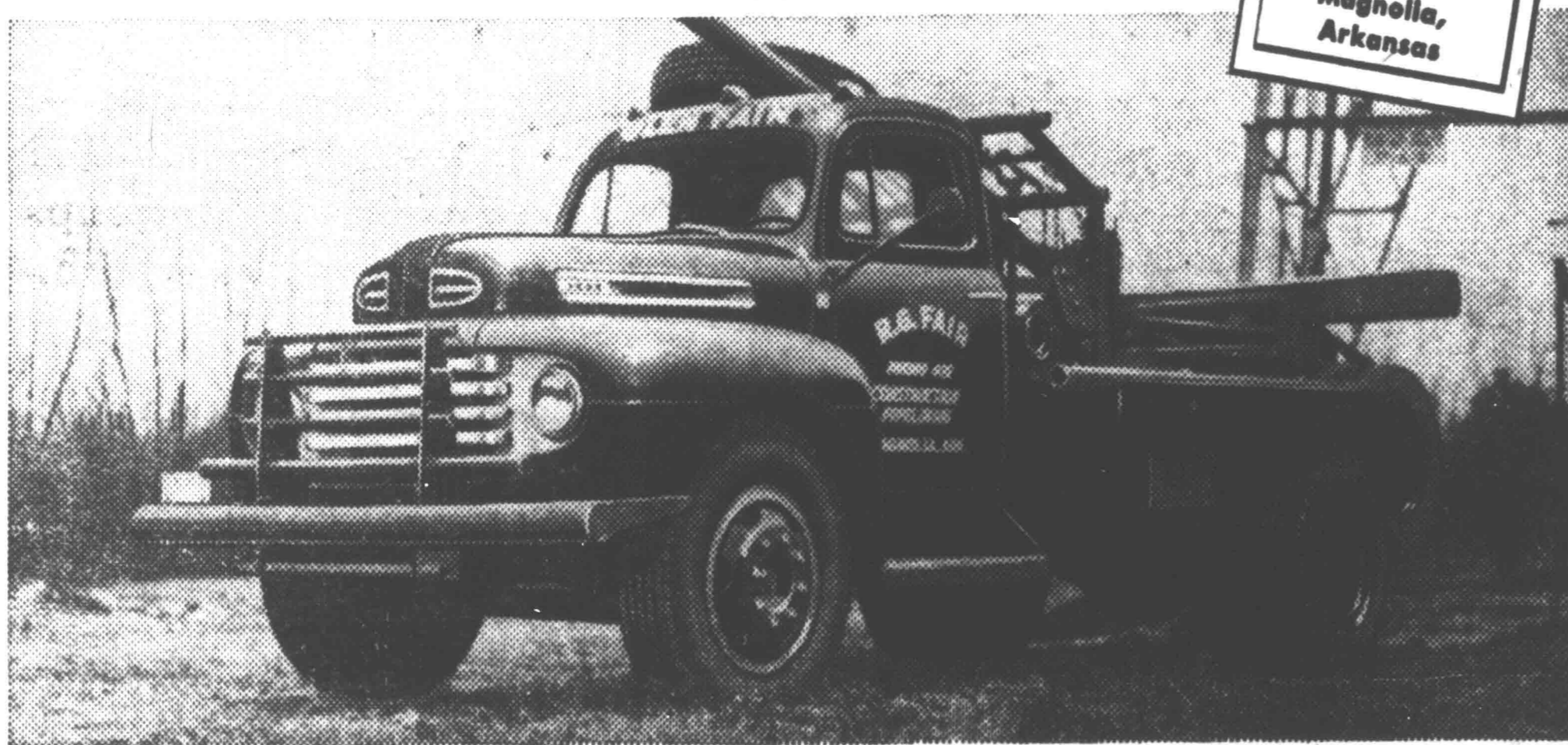
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Local Happenings

Mrs. A. E. Garrett returned Tuesday from a visit in Memphis. Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Pentecost spent Sunday in Murray, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Balden of Fillmore, Calif., have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jaynes.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Avery and son of Memphis were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Randall.

Buy your Mother's Day and Graduation gifts and get them wrapped free at Mrs. Vera Hilliard's Style Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Carnell and grandson, Stanley Carnell, visited James Carnell at Whitehaven on Sunday.

Mrs. Bili Matthews of Jacksonville, Fla., is visiting her father, Joe Chambers, and aunt, Mrs. Jett Meadows.

Miss Clara Overby spent Sunday in Mayfield, Ky. with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moody of Nashville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore over the week end.

Have a beautiful line of dresses to select from at Mrs. Vera Hilliard's Style Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Otha Graves and Mrs. Lela Aoklin of Henderson visited Mr. and Mrs. George Baker and Mrs. Mary Nearn Sunday. Mrs. Aoklin remained over for a few days.

Mrs. Joe Clyde Escue is visiting her sister, Mrs. Buck Pierce, at Little Rock, Ark.

The Lady Elgin watch is a perfect gift. Fred Ward, Jeweler adv. Mrs. Molly Jordan returned home Saturday after visiting her children in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Viar and children and Mrs. N. C. Utley were in Halls Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. McDearman, Jr. and son, Tommy, were in Memphis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hemphill Hanna of Memphis visited friends here during the weekend.

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Mrs. M. P. Summers of Flint, Michigan, has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. R. J. Cooper, and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Ashcraft and son, Darrell Wesley, of Clarksdale, Miss., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Ashcraft.

Rev. and Mrs. Ernest Olds of Jackson spent the weekend of April 17th with his sister, Mrs. C. W. Armstrong. They went to Spring Hill Church on Sunday where Rev. Olds filled his appointment.

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Mrs. T. E. Reed spent last week in Dyer, Milan and Trenton with Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Harrell, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Harrell and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Harrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayner Perry and children of Yorkville and Mrs. Mollie Perry spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Badgett at Millington.

Mrs. H. S. Green of Dexter, Mo., will arrive today (Thursday) to visit her daughter, Mrs. H. G. McCorkle and family.

SATURDAY SPECIALS — One day only. 6 crystal clear water tumblers. Regular 60c value, special for only 39c. Coles Hdw. Co. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin K. Boyce, of Knoxville, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Henderson, Jr.

Mrs. J. P. Williams of Houston, Texas, is spending several weeks with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. John Talley of Memphis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Bell.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Spencer of Brighton visited her mother, Mrs. Mamie Williams, Sunday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Jordan of Memphis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hall.

Mrs. W. E. Perry of Nashville, Ark., arrived Wednesday to visit relatives here.

Mrs. T. H. Simmons and sons visited relatives at Henderson on Sunday.

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Mrs. Gladys Kyerce of Alva, Okla., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. P. Chaney.

Mrs. Rena Jordan who spent the winter in Jackson, Miss., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harry Hall.

Mrs. I. W. Simmons is visiting her brother at Mt. Sterling, Ky., this week.

McKinley Cherry returned to his home here last week after being a patient in the Baptist Hospital for several weeks where he underwent operations and treatment.

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Mrs. T. G. Avery left Wednesday for Dickson, Tenn., where he will attend graduation exercises for the Dickson High School Senior Class of which her niece, Miss Marilyn Lightfoot, is a member.

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George Cole spent Sunday in Memphis.

Mrs. Buster Campbell, Mrs. W. A. Perry, Mrs. Meris Larson, Mrs. Bill Campbell and Mrs. Earl Corlew attended funeral services for little William Neal Smith near Covington Tuesday.

Mrs. Ora E. Beasley and children spent Friday in Caruthersville, Mo., with Rev. and Mrs. Vernon Sisco and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jaynes, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Yarbrough and children, Miss Lillie Flowers, Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Randall and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Balden of Fillmore, Calif., had dinner at Reelfoot Lake Sunday.

Mrs. Dave Smith of Newbern spent Sunday with Mrs. J. P. Chaney.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Brain of Oklahoma City were guests of her mother, Mrs. A. S. Kenley, during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hart and children have returned to their home in Attalla, Ala., after visiting his mother, Mrs. J. A. Hart.

MRS. ROY PATTON IS HOSTESS TO RUMMY CLUB

Beautiful Easter lilies and iris were used to decorate her home when Mrs. Roy Patton entertained members of the Rummy Club and guests at two extra tables Wednesday afternoon of last week.

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Mrs. Brown won low score for the visitors and Mrs. Sugg won low score for club members. Mrs. Crichfield binged.

Hellen's Bluff Host To Field Meet

The Crockett County Elementary Literary, Track and Field Meet was held at Hellen's Bluff School Friday, April 15th, with

a huge crowd of more than 500 people present. Hellen's Bluff placed first in the Literary Meet with 16 points; Broadview placed second with 15 1-2 points, and Midway placed third with 9 1-2 points.

Midway placed first in the Track and Field Meet with 60 points, Hellen's Bluff placed second with 54 points, and Broadview placed third with 31 points.

Other schools participating in the meet were: Elizabeth, Gilliland's, Johnson Grove, Nance, Cairo, Coxville, Quincy and Cross Roads.

Judges for the literary events were Miss Naomi Kenner, Mrs. Walter Cox, Miss Diane Thomas and Mrs. Luke Tooms.

Judges for the track and field events were Melvin Carleton, Edwin Black and Wilbur Hugh Smith.

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Elementary News

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ed the zoo.

Gloria Olds and Marylou Campbell are making our room cheerful this week with flowers.

5th Grade

We had perfect attendance on Monday and we are studying hard for our finals which are almost at hand. We have been studying Latin America in art, stories, and song. Our maps of South America look good on our bulletin board. We enjoyed the story, "The Dove of the Valley" which is a Peruvian folktale. We learned a little Spanish song, "Buenos Dias Por Tu" and we are planning to sing it for "Miss" Marsaline this week.

We have finished reading the book, "The Secret Garden," and we too think the world is a beautiful and wonderful place in

which to live.

6th Grade

Happy birthday, Carolyn and Marelén. We enjoyed the candy that Marelén's mother made in honor of Marelén's birthday — "Thanks, Mrs. Hutcherson."

We are beginning to get nervous over our final examinations. We have made a hurried tour through Australia in our social studies.

"Miss" Marsaline directed a musical program in the auditorium Monday.

For our last school program, Lucinda Alsbrook gave a broad cast representing the "Toni Home Permanent Show." The following won prizes: Lee Simmons, Meredith Cleek, Tommy Newman, Helen Cherry, Dotsy Olds, Glenda Scott, Iona Brasher, and Ella Jo Gaines.

7th Grade

Here we are again and very

glad our tests are over.

We enjoyed the 4-H Club Rally Saturday, April 23, and we hope to attend many more in the future.

In English we are making little booklets about what has happened this year, we call them "Looking Backward."

We are proud of Billy Rodgers who won first place in the football kick Friday at the track meet in Ripley.

8th Grade

The "track meet" met in Ripley April 22nd. We are proud of Pauline Robinson who tied for first place for the basketball throw and who won 2nd place for the high jump. Stuart Crichtfield won second place for the football throw and John M. Eekridge won 3rd place. Halls ranked 4th in the meet.

We had arithmetic competitive test April 19 which lasted for 6 hours.

We had our English competitive Tuesday, April 26. Both were plenty "tough."

Our 4-H Club Rally Day was Saturday, April 23. There were over 700 present. We had a picture show in the morning and we played games in the afternoon. Everyone had an enjoyable time.

The eighth grade visited the Graphic office last week and watched the Graphic force assemble the paper. This visit was made in connection with our citizenship work. We were accompanied by Mrs. Gilliland. We found much of interest to us and we wish to thank Mr. Murchison and his assistants for their interest in our behalf.

Annella Steelman wishes to publicly correct an error in her article last week relative to the seventh and eighth grade party. She regrets that the names of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Flynn, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Agee, and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Connell were omitted from the list of guests and chaperones. We hope these patrons will accept her apology.

Music — The picture "Carnegie Hall" is

being talked and stressed in each grade through elementary school. The picture is the greatest music picture of all time. Such artists as Artur Rubinstein, Lily Pons, Risc Stevens, and others are in this picture.

We have been listening in our rooms to Artur Rubinstein playing the piano.

Last week the second grade went to Mrs. Harward's music room at the high school for their "Musicals". The program featured Janet Crichtfield and Mary Eleanor Karnazes at the piano.

The 3rd grade also had a "Musical" featuring the following at the piano: Evalyn Smith, Thelma Burroughs, Linda Tomlinson and Thalia Alston.

Monday of this week was the day for musicales in grades 4 and 5. Those appearing on the program for the 4th grade were Barbara Alston, Penelope Carmack, and Gloria Olds. Four boys were picked to do a dance as they listened to "Watermelon Pickaninies" played on the piano by Barbara Alston. Penelope Carmack played "America" and all the group sang.

The singers on the program were Eva Beasley, Lynn Hudson, Harold Burroughs and Paul Jackson.

The fifth grade sections met together for their musicales. The following played the piano for the program: Tommy McDearman, Buna Smith, Vanda Davis, Joyce Harrell, Betty Olds, Carolyn McCorkle, Gwila Ozment

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The 6th grade presented their musicales for the 4th grade. The following took part on the program: Betty Jacobs, Helen Cherry, Glenda Scott, Iona Brasher, Mildred Campbell, Gracie Yarbrough, Lucinda Alsbrook, and Jimmie Smith.

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Mrs. Mary Ferguson of Memphis is visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Jones for a few days this week.

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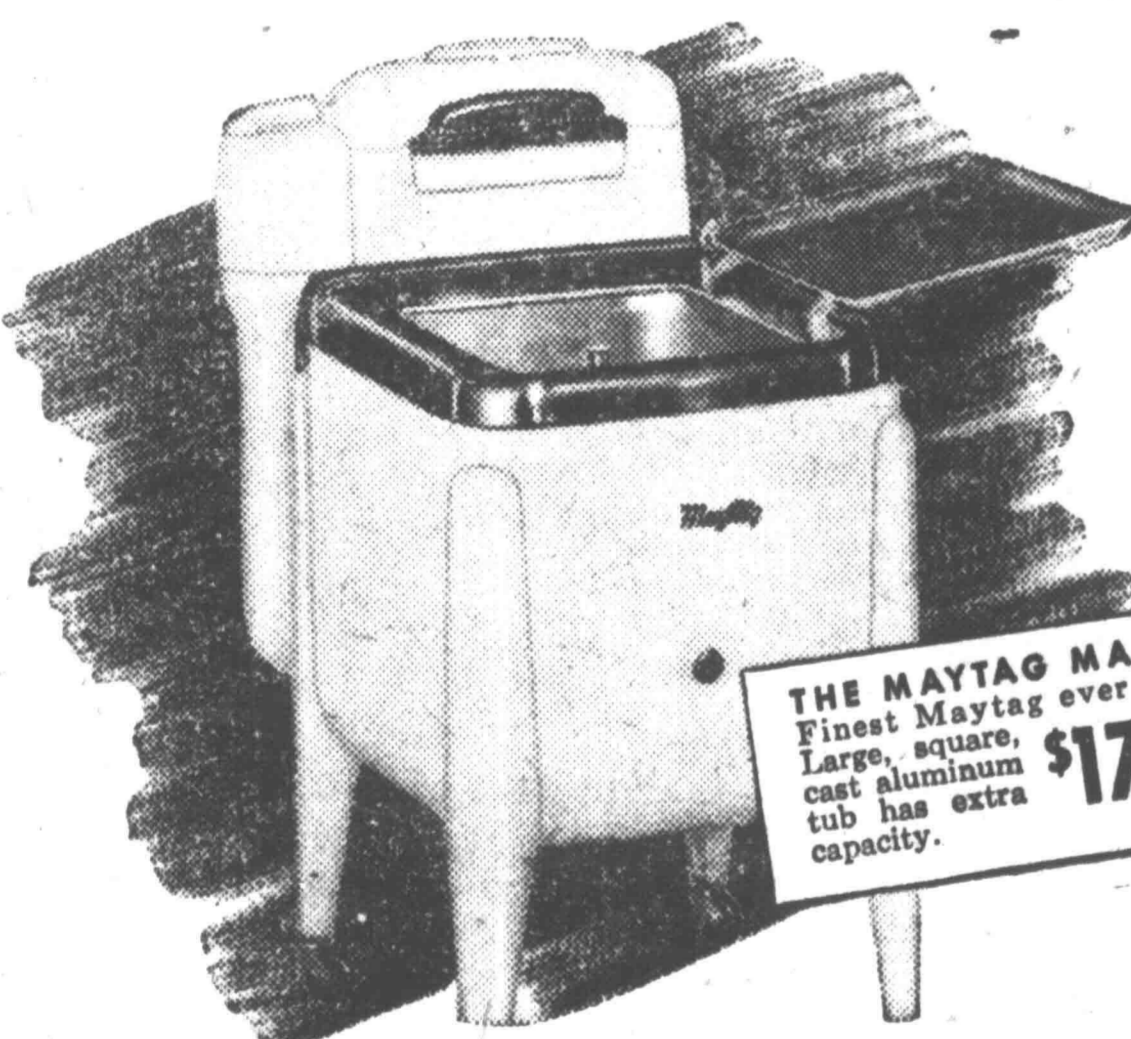
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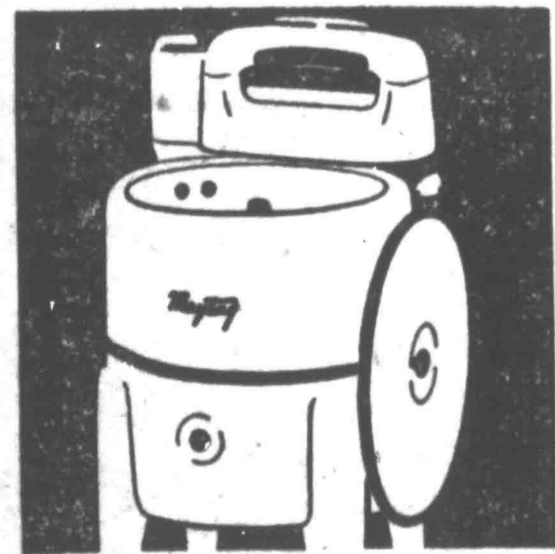


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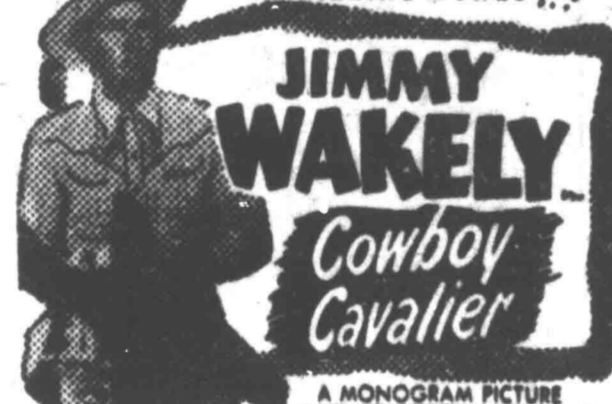
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