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Longtime Bank Employee Retires

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An institution came to an end in Halls last Friday, February 28. Dave Soward, highly respected colored citizen of Halls, retired as janitor of Bank of Halls after serving almost continuously with the bank since Mr. I. B. Tigrett opened its doors as its first cashier in October, 1899.

Dave — already in the employ of the Tigrett family when the bank was founded — remained with the bank as its janitor thru its early years and then moved to Jackson with Mr. Tigrett, remaining four years. He has served almost continuously since returning here. Now past his 70th birthday, Dave has had many other activities but has primary business has steadfastly remained "janitor of the bank" from its start in the rear of a business until the present modern structure.

Starting with the Tigrett family on the farm, Dave has been yard boy, cemetery caretaker for 8 years, janitor for both the Baptist and Methodist Churches, in the employ of the late D. C. Warren—but always he has been the "janitor."

In private life, Dave has been a steward of Cleaves Temple M. E. Church for more than 20 years, has been in the funeral home business.

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FIRE DRILL AT SCHOOL VERY SUCCESSFUL

Staged by Principal Hubert Jones and Fire Chief W. H. Woodley an unexpected fire drill was held at Halls Jr. High School on Tuesday morning with very pleasing results. With the fire whistle going off without warning the fire truck and ten fire fighters were at the building ready to fight the fire in 1 minute and 42 seconds and the building was cleared of all children in a total of 50 seconds. Neither the firemen nor the school had any advance warning about the drill.

The fire department has answered three calls during the past week, two grass fires and an out-house at the home of Paul Jordan. Mr. Jordan lost an outboard motor, a boat, nets and other fishing equipment.

Henderson Wins In Region 8 Tourney

Henderson, displaying one of the best balanced sextets we have seen in some years, knocked Halls out of the Region 8 tourney Friday night with a 55-37 semi-final game victory and then went on to defeat Covington Saturday night, 52-36, to win the championship and gain the right to represent Region 8 in the state tournament during the week of March 17.

In the consolation finals Saturday night Halls girls lost their eye for the basket and were the victims of Scotts Hill, 47-30, to finish in fourth place in the tournament. Covington had edged Scotts Hill, 45-44, Friday night.

In first round games, Halls defeated Adamsville, Henderson beat Munford, Scotts Hill licked Michie and Covington licked Lexington.

Kay McGarrity, senior forward on the Halls team, was one of those named to the tournament all-star squad.



RICHARD T. MOORE

Newbern Attorney Is Senate Candidate

Richard T. Moore, Ripley attorney, announced today that he is a candidate for State Senator from the Twenty-Ninth Senatorial District representing Dyer, Crockett, and Lauderdale Counties in the Tennessee State Legislature subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 7, 1958.

Mr. Moore is the son of Kirby E. Moore and Linnie Lee Raney Moore of Newbern. He is married and has three sons.

He has served the past three terms as direct representative from Dyer county in the Tennessee State Legislature and is now a member of the Tennessee Legislative Council.

Mr. Moore is a steward in the Newbern First Methodist Church. He is a member of the Masons, Knights Templar, Shriners, VFW and Rotary Club. He is past commander of the Newbern American Legion and Grand Chef de Train of the Forty and Eight of the American Legion.

Mr. Moore is specially qualified for the post he seeks. He was graduated from Vanderbilt University in 1942 with a BA degree and in 1950 received his LLB degree there. He was graduated from the Harvard Business School in 1947 with an MBA degree.

In making his announcement Mr. Moore states, "If I am elected your senator I will try to find out the true facts on controversial issues and then honestly and sincerely take a stand which fairly and impartially represents the best interests of all the people of Dyer, Crockett and Lauderdale Counties."

ABERNATHY TO HEAD RED CROSS FUND DRIVE

Hermon T. Abernathy, retired rural mail carrier, will head the annual Red Cross Fund Drive in Halls this year according to an announcement by Axford Pickens, chapter chairman. Mr. Abernathy is now mapping out the drive and enlisting workers with the actual drive to start next Monday. Mr. Pickens said the local quota is approximately \$900.

MEDICAL AUXILIARY TO HAVE FASHION SHOW

The Lauderdale-Tipton Medical Auxiliary will sponsor a Fashion Show to be held at Ripley High School tonight, Friday, March 7, at 7:45. Fashions will be furnished by Joe L. Levy & Son and Ripley Specialty Stores. Ripley and Halls girls will model the fashions.

Civic Club To Hear Industrial Plans

H. E. Pentecost, president of Halls Civic Club, again this week urged every interested person to attend the meeting of Halls Civic Club next Monday night to hear Col. Bob Barker discuss his intentions concerning the advertising of industrial possibilities for Halls. The meeting will be at 6:30 at the school cafeteria.

Col. Barker, representing Barker Associates, Real Estate Auctioneers, of Hopkinsville, Ky., along with another representative of the firm will outline their proposition to mail more than 10,000 brochures to selected industries and to otherwise advertise Halls and its industrial potential.

Mr. Pentecost insisted that every one whether he is a member of the club or not should be interested and attend this meeting. In addition those attending will be served a fine meal. Tickets may be obtained from the Civic Club attendance committee composed of D. R. Nunn, W. R. Tanner, Charles Moore and James Peery.

JUNIORS TO SPONSOR ROCK 'N ROLL DANCE

Mickey Gilley and his rock 'n roll band, The Flames, will appear at the Halls High School gymnasium on Friday night, March 14, from 8 until 12. Admission will be \$1.00 per person. The public is invited.

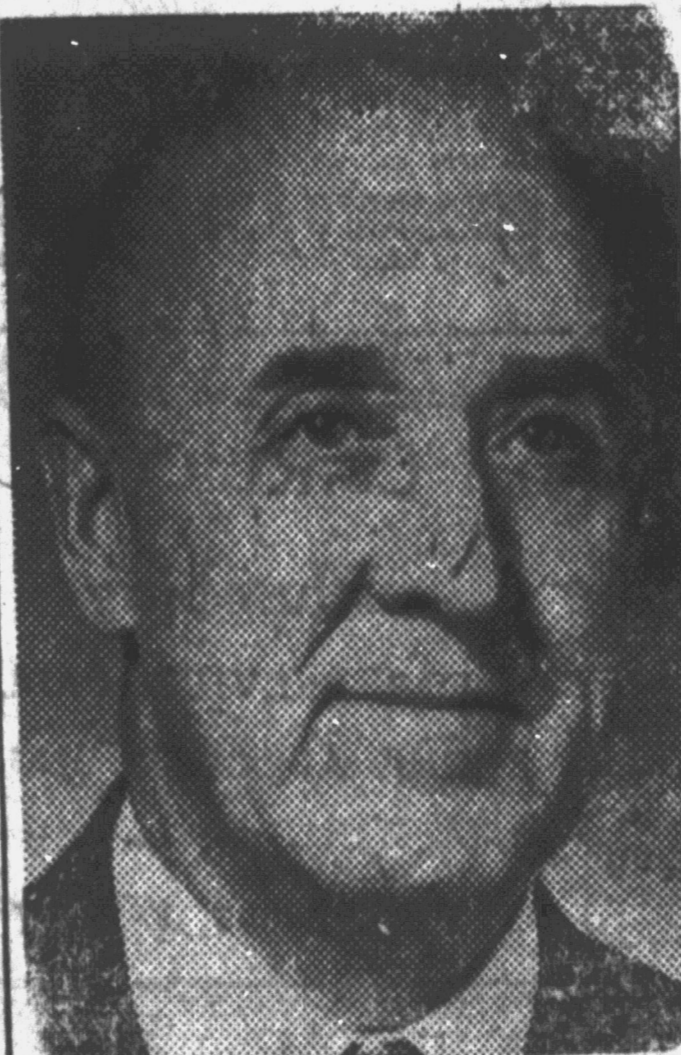
The appearance is sponsored by the Junior Class and proceeds will be used to finance the junior-senior prom.

Baptists Plan For Missions Drive

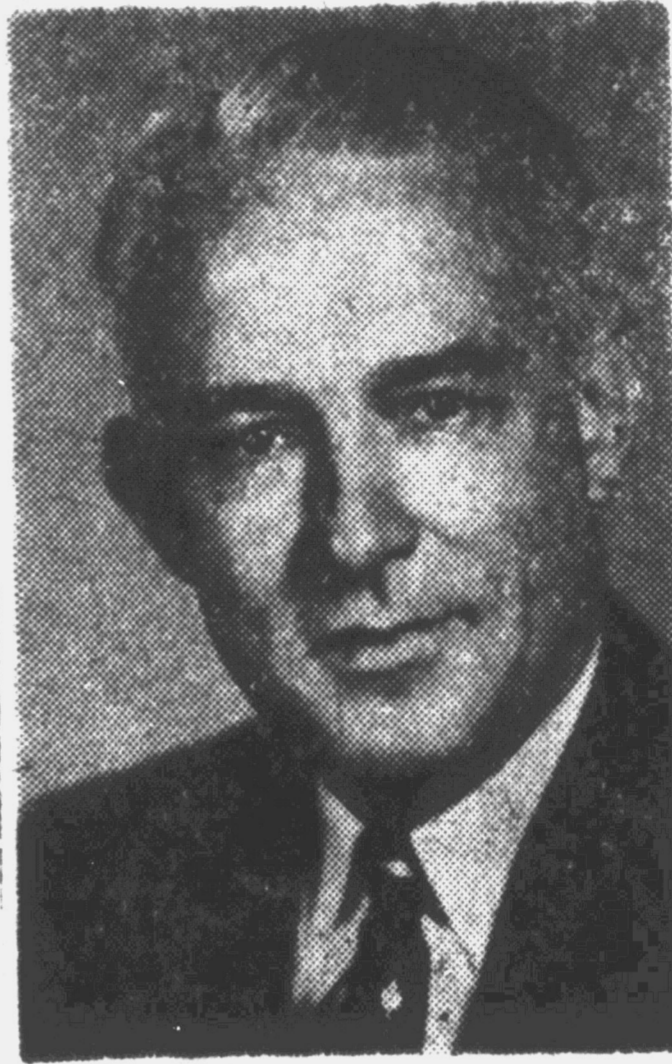
Among fourteen missionaries who will be speaking in Baptist churches in this area March 16-21 is Rev. George A. Bowdler, Sr. emeritus missionary to Argentina. Rev. Bowdler will be telling about the mission work Southern Baptists are carrying on in Argentina, and thirteen other missionaries will tell about mission work carried on in other parts of the world, both home and foreign, during these Schools of Missions.

Rev. Bowdler is a native of Santiago, Chile, but came to the United States and received his Master of Arts degree from the University of Chicago, and his Master of Theology degree from Southern Baptist Theological Seminary at Louisville, Kentucky.

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REV. GEORGE BOWDLER, SR.



DR. JAMES S. SCOTT

Dr. Scott Announces For County Judge

Dr. James S. Scott, mayor of Ripley for the past 12 years, has informed the Halls Graphic that he is a candidate for the office of County Judge of Lauderdale County in the county elections on August 7, 1958.

Dr. Scott is a native of Fayette County but has resided in Ripley since 1935 where he is a practicing chiropractor. He received his AB degree at Lambuth College in Jackson and graduated from Palmer School at Davenport, Iowa.

He is married to the former Miss Sue Partee of Ripley and they are the parents of three children, the oldest a senior in Ripley High School this year.

While serving as Mayor, Dr. Scott has made an outstanding record. He stated that he will make a more formal announcement within the near future.

DARING BURGLAR ENTERS CONNELL'S

Perhaps one of the most brazen burglaries to occur in Halls in several years took place Sunday when an intruder broke the glass out of the front door of Connell Drug Co. to gain entry and rifle one of the cash registers, securing approximately \$11 in cash but overlooking another cash register and a box containing a considerable sum in sales tax money. The burglary was discovered when some children leaving the picture show a little after 10 p. m., saw the broken door, told Billy Joe Daniels and he notified Mr. Connell. Apparently entry was made with several persons on the street and just after Night Marshal J. K. Goodson had left Main street to go to the city office on Front street. No one has been found who heard the crash of the glass nor has any trace of the burglar been found.

JUNIOR HIGH TOURNEY STARTS MONDAY

Opening games of the Halls Jr. High Invitational Tourney will be played Monday night with other games to be played Tuesday night and finals set for Thursday night. At 7:15 Monday night Halls girls will play Alamo girls followed by Trimble boys facing Ridgely boys. On Tuesday night Halls boys will face Alamo boys and Trimble girls will play Ridgely girls. Winners will play for the championship on Thursday night.

Let us know the news. Call AD 4-7898 or AD 4-7540.

Livestock Experts To Address Assn.

F. H. Paschal
County Agent

Ed Synar and Bob Morford, livestock buyers for Wilson & Co., Memphis, will be the featured speakers at the livestock producers dinner at Ripley High cafeteria at 7:00 o'clock on next Friday night, March 14, sponsored by the Lauderdale County Livestock Assn.

These experienced livestock will explain the market possibilities for hogs and cattle for producers in this area. We have a wonderful soil here which will produce feed and pastures at low cost for the production of livestock on a profitable basis, provided we are willing to produce the type of hogs and the type of and grade and weight of cattle that will bring the highest prices at the market.

Bill Harland and Walter Partain heard these men speak at the Livestock Producers School at Memphis and they wanted more livestock producers to get the information they brought to the meeting they attended.

Set Strawberries Soon

We could grow and harvest a million dollars worth of strawberries and still grow all the other crops and livestock we now produce, if we kept our berry acreage per farm small but considered them important and really worked during the picking season in April and May.

There are evidently too many "ifs" in the sentence above, because we are growing less than half as many acres in strawberries as we had in the forties, but we still need the income we could get from more strawberries.

Virus free Blakemore plants are available in Ripley now at about \$6.00 per thousand. It takes about 4500 plants to set an acre and they ought to be set by March 15 for best yields next year.

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Boys Face Morris Chapel Tonight

The Halls Tigers will start a long trek toward a coveted goal — the state tournament — tonight (Thursday) when they face Morris Chapel in their first game in the Region 8 tournament.

Given a good chance to do well in Region 8 play the Tigers will have their work cut out for them as they must win over a fine Morris Chapel quintet and then defeat either Henderson or Bartlett, both highly rated, to reach the finals. Victories in the first two games will put the Tigers in the State Tournament but they are shooting to take it all with perhaps their strongest test in their opening game.

In games Wednesday night Rammer smacked Bolton, 58-48, and Jackson South Side mauled Grand Junction, 49-30. In the opening game tonight Henderson and Bartlett will tangle with the game rated as virtually a tossup.

Semi-finals will be played Friday night and finals Saturday. The tournament is being played at Memphis State gymnasium starting at 7:30 each night. Referees are Norman Smith and Jim Murdaugh.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR CIRCUIT COURT CLERK LEE—The Graphic is authorized to announce Mrs. Jewell Coffman Lee as a candidate for election as Circuit Court Clerk in the General Election on August 7, 1958.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE LEWIS—The Graphic is authorized to announce Dr. J. R. Lewis as a candidate for re-election as County Judge in the General Election on August 7, 1958.

FFA - SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT PROGRAM

by Earl R. West
In 1957 the Soil Conservation District Supervisor and FFA boys started working on a program to get good conservation practices established on the soil. The FFA boys can win points for their chapter by working out an annual program of work featuring FFA Chapter Objectives and Activities in Soil Conservation. Some of these activities are: Showing of movie films featuring Soil Conservation, Neighborhood or Community Meetings featuring Soil Conservation, Community tours, local contests featuring Soil Conservation such as: land judging posters, essays, conservation jingles and speeches.

Harry Wright Writes Essay On Conservation Farming
Mr. Harry Wright, Jr. a senior at Halls High School, wrote this essay on Conservation Farming: "We are creatures of the world of sunlight, soil and water, in which we, like the plants and animals, must live.

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Tommy McGarrity (left) and Josh Nunn, only seniors on the Halls High School boys' basketball squad grin happily as Ripley's "Tiny" Knee, dean of West Tennessee coaches, present them with the District 30 championship trophy which the team had just won by defeating Grand Junction, 78-45, in the finals. Josh had 22 of those points and Tommy had 18. Immediately after this picture was taken the boys almost lost the trophy as Miss Hazel Griffin, HHS teacher and supporter, attempted to claim it as her own. Miss Griffin maintains that all athletic trophies at HHS belong to her. — Photo by Buddy Murchison

mals, but as a rule they fit into nature's picture better than we do.

Resemble Locusts
When an army of locusts eat everything in their path until they run out, they die, leaving their path dead and empty. We Americans have acted like locusts in many respects, altho we have not completely exhausted our supply of resources. We have cut down the forests, burned the cut-over land, plowed up the plains, pumped out the underground water supply, speeded up floods, poisoned the rivers with sewage, until today, one-half of the United States' original fertility is gone forever.

We are still the best-fed nation in the world but at this rate it won't last very long. Mr. Morris L. Cooke, former chairman of the National Resources Committee, gives us one more century before reaching the famine condition provided something isn't done.

If you want to see what happens to people and countries that follow the path of the locust, then look at the desert sands blowing in China, Asia, and North Africa. Look at our own dust bowl in Texas, Colorado, Kansas and Oklahoma where more than a hundred thousand people have fled because the resources are exhausted.

The last census reveals that there are one hundred and seventy-three million people in the United States. At least fifty million of these are able bodied men who are working or wanting to work. If the government would hire 10 percent of these men to work on conservation of the resources our problem would be solved.

People are slowly realizing that the land is our living. Complete soil conservation is the answer. Soil Conservation means putting every acre to the use for which it is best suited.

Various organization such as the ASC and Soil Conservation Service supported by the federal government are available to help anyone interested in soil conserving practices. Farmers interested in conservation practices should contact their county agent or local vo-ag teacher for information on available help."

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

YOUNG FARMERS, HOME MAKERS CLUB IS RE - ORGANIZED

The Lauderdale County Young Farmers and Homemakers Club was re-organized Thursday night of last week in a meeting at the Ripley Grammer School to which several young people were invited. Everyone present seemed very interested and all joined.

The meeting opened with Miss LaQuinta Matthews reading a short passage from the Bible followed by the Lord's Prayer being repeated in unison. Mrs. Gayle Matthews led the group in singing two familiar songs.

Election of officers was held and the following were elected to serve for the year: Mrs. Charles Griggs, president; Milton Gaines, vice-president; Mrs. Leland Jennings, secretary; Mrs. Charles Morris, asst. secretary; Charles Griggs, treasurer; Miss Rita Hamby, reporter; Charles Peal, parliamentarian; Charles Morris, Sgt.-at-Arms; Sam Williams and Leland Jennings were elected to serve as members-at-large on the Executive Committee.

Mrs. Gayle Matthews reported on the District YF & H Meeting held recently at Brunswick, Tenn. at which some 100 young people

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were present. Representing Lauderdale County with her, she stated, were: Gayle Matthews, Miss LaQuinta Matthews, Miss Charmaine Robinson, and Miss Rita Hamby. She gave an account which was given of progress being made at the district camp near Camden and explained to the group that the camp is being developed by West Tennessee YF & H Clubs. She mentioned several suggestions that were made concerning how county clubs can raise money for the completion of this camp.

Always be sure to call us at AD 4-7898 or AD 4-7540 and tell us all the news about you or your family or your friends. We'll greatly appreciate it.

Recreation in the form of quiet and musical games under the direction of Charles Peal and Jerry Ammons were enjoyed by everyone. Refreshments consisted of cokes and cookies.

Charles Peal, Asst. County Agent, and Jerry Ammons, Senior 4-H member, gave an interesting demonstration on rope making as the educational feature of the local meeting.

During the business session the group voted to meet once a month on the fourth Thursday night.

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DAVE SOWARD

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ness both for himself and at the present as an active partner with the Garner Funeral Home for Colored here, served his church as treasurer and had many other activities.

He is the father of one son, Isaac Soward, of Chicago, by his first wife who died many years ago and is now married to Birdie Soward, who recently retired after many years as teacher in the Halls Colored School.

Dave may have retired as "janitor" but there are many to whom he will always remain synonymous with the Bank and you may depend on it—he will continue busy.

Cub Scouts Honor Parents, Leaders

The Halls Cub Scout Pack 67 had its Blue and Gold Banquet on Tuesday night, March 4, with a spaghetti supper.

The tables were decorated with blue and gold streamers the length of each den. The center pieces were each of each den's choice.

We had as our guests Mr. Perry Green of Trenton as speaker and Mr. Geron Brown, of Dyersburg, with color slides of the Boy Scout Jamboree at Valley Forge. Mr. Greene presented Mrs. E. M. Steelman, Jr., the Committee Chairman, with the Pack Charter and Frank Eaton with his Cubmaster card.

The Cubmaster presented the pack committee, R. V. Agee, Jr.,

CALENDAR FOR COMMODITY FOOD DISTRIBUTION IS ANNOUNCED

Eugene Robeson, County Surplus Commodity Food clerk, today listed the following dates for eligible persons to call for food at the Commodity Warehouse in Ripley.

Monday, March 10 — Second District.

Tuesday, March 11 — Districts 1, 3 and 12.

Wednesday, March 12 — Districts 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10.

Thursday, March 13 — Districts 11, 14, 15, 16 and 17.

All persons are cautioned to come only on the dates indicated for the district they reside in and that proper identification papers must be presented. Also because a complete month's supply of the foods will be distributed each person should bring a big, strong sack since there will be considerable weight and bulk.

Earl Crihfield, Roy Jones, and E. M. Steelman, Jr. and Den mothers, Mrs. Frank Eaton, Mrs. E. M. Steelman, Jr., Mrs. Roy Broadstone and Mrs. Roy Jones with their cards.

Cubmaster Eaton presented badges of promotions to the following boys:

Lucky Humphreys, Bear and 1 silver arrow point.

Philip Crihfield, Bear and 1 gold arrow point.

Bobby Hart, Wolf and 1 gold arrow and 2 silver arrow points.

Andy Pugh, Wolf

Tommy Eaton, Wolf and 1 gold arrow and 2 silver arrow points.

The following received Bobcat



Dave Soward, janitor for Bank of Halls almost continually since its opening in 1899, retired last week, but it wasn't soon enough to get out of sweeping some of the recent snow from the steps by the bank. (Story on page 1.)

sion was held. After the meeting refreshments of pie with coffee and ice cream were served.

Baptist WMU Has Program

The WMU of the Gates Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Thurland Brasfield Monday evening, March 3, for the Annie Armstrong Mission Week of Prayer. Mrs. Oakley Pickard, president, called the meeting to order with Mrs. Will Williams leading the opening prayer. Mrs. Thurland Brasfield, program chairman, presented an inspiring program based on Home Missions entitled "Faith Working Through Love". Those helping with the program were Mrs. Lois Brasfield, Mrs. Hazel Scoggins, Mrs. Forrest Shearon, Mrs. L. B. Jones, Mrs. Arthur Bentley, Mrs. Will Williams, Mrs. Oakley Pickard, Mrs. Mervin Luttrell and Mrs. Phil Garrett. A special offering was taken for the Annie Armstrong Fund. During the social hour the hostess served delicious dessert plates of cake and ice cream with cold drinks.

Nankipoo News

Mrs. Fleetwood Cates

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Collins and son, Butch, spent most of last week in Benton, Mo. with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cates.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Harrell and Mrs. Bobby Kirby are spending a few days in Hammond, Indiana, with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Crews of Jackson visited Mr. and Mrs. Troy Olds recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Belton spent Sunday in Memphis with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Harrell spent one day last week in Memphis with his sister, Mrs. Lester Newman, and Mr. Newman.

Newt Pike is suffering from injuries sustained in a fall from a load of hay. He has been in the Dyersburg hospital for several days. He is reported as resting some better.

Mrs. Fleetwood Cates has been ill for two weeks with a bronchial trouble.

Mrs. Marvin Pennigton continues to slowly improve. She is still confined to her bed.

MRS. MABEL GARRETT

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Mabel Mitchell Garrett at her home in Colton, Calif., of a heart attack. She was 72. Mrs. Garrett is the sister of Mrs. Will Garrett of Halls. Two sons and a daughter also survive.

HALLS GARDEN CLUB TO MEET MARCH 13

The Halls Garden Club will meet in the home of Mrs. Morris Stallings on March 13 at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Stewart Nunn, of Ripley, who has made a recent trip to Japan, will be the guest speaker.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of E. G. Parker, Deceased
Notice is hereby given that on the 3rd day of March, 1958, Letters of Administration in respect of the estate of E. G. Parker 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 said estate are required to file the same with the Clerk of the above named Court within nine months from the date of first publication of this notice, otherwise their claims will be forever barred.

This the 3rd day of March, 1958.

E. G. PARKER, JR.
Adm. Estate of E. G. Parker, Deceased.
ROSS W. DYER, Atty.

badges: Paul Eaton, Bobby Hart, Wayne Broadstone, Dwayne Agee, Andy Pugh and Tommy Eaton.

We had 100 percent attendance with about 70 persons present.

I would like to thank the Den mothers and mothers of Cubs for the fine work that they did in preparing the supper. I am sure everyone enjoyed it very much.

— Frank Eaton

News from Gates

Mrs. Finis Hardy

Mrs. Doyle Cree and children of Chicago are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gilliland.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Pennington and family of Memphis spent a few days with parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Pennington.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Puckett of Fulton, Ky., were weekend guests in the N. A. Sloan home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Langham of Mayfield, Ky. visited the Finis

Hardy Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brasfield and son and Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Stark and family of Maury City were dinner guests in the Vernon Gilliland home Sunday.

Mrs. Lewis Paige spent Monday in Memphis.

Mary Virginia Sullivan of Jackson spent the weekend in the Talmadge Heathcott home.

Mrs. Glen Inman and son of Indiana were recent guests of Mrs. G. T. Halliburton and Miss Gulnaire Halliburton.

Marvin Robison of Ripley was the dinner guest Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Robison.

Miss Byrd Sloan spent the later part of the week at home and returned to Union City Sunday where she has been working for several weeks.

Methodist Board Meeting

The Official Board of the Gates Methodist Church met in the home of Talmadge Heathcott with ten members and two visitors present.

Vernon Gilliland opened the meeting with prayer. A business ses-



Forward Letricia Vaden of Halls (center, black uniform) pleads with Anne Younger to let her have the ball as Anne seems to hold it away from her. Consoling Letricia with a pat on the back is May McGarrity (81) while guards Rankin, Cox and Watkins of Henderson watch with a wish that they might get into the act. Halls got the ball and two points which didn't help as the Region 8 winner banished Halls from contention with a 55-37 victory.

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Brevities

Mrs. T. H. Simmons spent Monday in Memphis.

Ray Daniels of Memphis spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Chester Spry, and Mr. Spry.

Will Cherry has been absent from his job at Connell Drug Co. this week due to a severe virus infection but is much improved.

Mrs. Rebecca Cherry, Mrs. Buford Cherry, Jr. and son, Randy, visited Mrs. Harry Carter in Maury City Wednesday.

Roy Patton is reported as resting well at Baptist Hospital in Memphis after having suffered a heart attack about noon Tuesday.

Mrs. Bill Jones and son, Kenny, and Mr. Settlemire of Los Angeles, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Perry of Dyersburg were dinner guests of Miss Lyde Rayles and Ms. S. F. Young Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren R. Tanner were in Memphis Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Myers and Miss Melba Smith of Dyersburg were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Buford Cherry, Jr. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Crihfield and son, Jerry, and Miss Jane Cheshier returned Tuesday after spending from last Thursday at San Antonio, Texas, where they visited the Crihfield's son, Mark, Jr., who is stationed at an Air Field there.

Mrs. Floyd Hurt is reported as ill this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Shannon of Martin visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Shannon, during the weekend.

Dr. Hutson McCorkle left Sunday to resume his work at Brevard, N. C. after a visit with his mother, Mrs. H. G. McCorkle. Miss Carolyn McCorkle of Martin visited Mrs. McCorkle Saturday and Sunday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe McCarthy Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Kelso and sons, Wayne and Larry, of Tupelo, Miss. and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Taylor and son, Steve, of New Albany, Miss.

Mrs. Wymond Hurt was in Memphis Monday.

Mrs. H. G. McCorkle, Mrs. Gailon Smith and son, Eddie, were in Martin Monday night where they attended Cornicus at UT, MB in which Mrs. McCorkle's daughter, Miss Carolyn McCorkle, participated. Attending Cornicus from here Tuesday night were Mrs. McCorkle, Miss Alice Faye Jennings, Miss JoAnn Hurt Miss Thelma Louise Burroughs.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Avery and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Avery of Gates were in Memphis Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wymond Hurt and Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Lilley of Gates visited in Munford Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Hubert Spry of Chestnut Bluff spent Thursday of last week with Mrs. Doyle Hawkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Langham of Mayfield, Ky. visited Mrs. Irma Cole Saturday.

Mrs. Bessie Majors and Mrs. Hilda Craig of Ripley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. Moody Jaynes are in Gary, Ind., where they are attending the bedside of their daughter, Mrs. Charles Jackson, is recovering from recent surgery.

Mrs. R. S. Bell and Mrs. Pinkney Meacham of Ripley were in Dyersburg Sunday to visit Dr. and Mrs. John Talley and daughter, Laura. Laura has been quite ill with measles.

Mrs. Roy Kirby, Mrs. Ike Palmore and Mrs. Joe Clyde Escue were in Dyersburg Wednesday.

W. E. Lacey and H. E. Lacey of Memphis spent Saturday with their sister, Mrs. A. L. Freeman, and Mr. Freeman.

Mrs. Chester Spry, Mrs. Rena McClendon and Miss Sadie Utley were in Memphis Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Hawkins of Friendship visited Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hawkins Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hopkins spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives in Cape Girardeau, Mo.

Mrs. W. M. Shires and daughter, Martha, and Mrs. Frances Preston and son, Steve, of Jackson visited Miss Reba Jones Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. L. L. Shephard of Dyersburg was the guest of Mrs. Bernard Higdon Monday afternoon.

Little Renee Meadows, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Meadows, has been sick. Her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Haggerty, of Brownsville, visited the Meadows during the weekend.

Mrs. Jim White and Mrs. Frank Baldrige and daughter, Amy, were in Dyersburg Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Freeman and daughter spent Sunday in Friendship with Mr. and Mrs. Wade Vickers.

TO BEGIN PRACTICE TEACHING MONDAY

Miss Nancy Connell, who is a senior at the University of Mississippi at Oxford, spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Connell. Friday Miss Connell will go from Oxford to Clarksdale, Miss. where she will begin nine weeks of practice teaching. She will teach history in a Clarksdale Junior High School.

ENLISTS IN AIR FORCE RECENTLY

Donald Voss, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Voss of Gates, left Feb. 26 for San Antonio, Texas, to report for service with the United States Air Force after having enlisted on Feb. 24. Mr. Voss, who has only recently been discharged after three years in the U. S. Army, will be given a ten-day orientation course and then assigned to a school for training.

CARD OF THANKS

Dear Friends,
I would like to say Thank You for the many cards, calls and gifts and words of sympathy since my accident.

Freddie Lee Ward

GREAT - GRANDSON

Mrs. May Cherry called this week to happily inform us that she is a great-grandmother for the second time. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thompson, Jr. of Memphis announce the birth of a second son on Saturday, March 1. Mr. Thompson's mother is the former Maereba Cherry, daughter of Mrs. Cherry, and sister to Will Cherry, both of Halls.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to express my appreciations and thanks to friends and relatives for the blood donors, flowers, cards, phone calls, and visits while in the hospital and since coming home. It all meant so much to me. Again may I say thank you.

Harry L. Wilson

INTERMEDIATE GA'S HAVE MEETING

The Intermediate GA's held their regular meeting on March 5 at the Baptist Church.

The program, based on prayer, was led by Miss Patricia Baker. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting to the following members present: Misses Patricia Baker, Lynn Stallings, Rita Williams, Patricia Hnes, Marietta Griffin, Beverly Cannon, Mrs. Jesse Newton and Mrs. Wymond Hurt.

— Rita Williams, Reporter

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation of the many kindnesses shown us during our recent bereavement.

The Family of R. H. Jordan

JO ANN HURT IS BETTY CROCKER HOMEMAKER

The Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow in Halls High School is Jo Ann Hurt.

She received the highest score in a written examination on homemaking knowledge and attitudes, administered Dec. 8, to senior girls in the graduating class. Her examination paper will be entered in competition to name this state's candidate for the title of All-American Homemaker of Tomorrow and will also be considered for the runnerup award in the state. For her achievement, she will receive an award pin designed by Trifari of New York.

The national winner in the 4th annual Betty Crocker Search conducted among 327,000 young women in 11,800 of the nation's public, private and parochial high schools will be named April 17 at a banquet in the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel in New York City.

General Mills is sponsor of the program designed to assist schools

in education for home and family living. This year's huge entry, brings the four-year participation over the million mark. A total of 1,071,000 girls has enrolled in this national homemaking project since it was launched in 1955. A total of \$108,000 in scholarships will be awarded this year.

Each State Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow will receive a \$1,500 scholarship and an educational trip with her school advisor to Washington, D. C., colonial Williamsburg, Va. and New York City. A \$500 scholarship will be awarded the second ranking girl in each state. The school of the state winner will receive a set of the Encyclopedia Britannica.

The scholarship of the young woman named All-American Homemaker of Tomorrow will be increased to \$5,000. Girls who rank second, third and fourth in the national will receive \$4,000, \$3,000 and \$2,000 scholarships, respectively.

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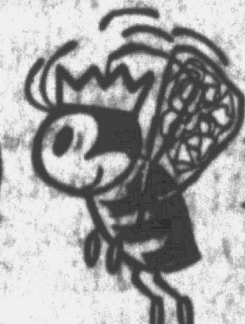
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4-H Swine Show, Sale Big Success

Charles Peal
The 1958 spring 4-H Swine Show and Sale was a huge success this past Saturday. In the morning 20 boys showed some 60 head of Hampshires, Chester Whites, Durocs and a very outstanding group of Poland China gilts and sows. In the afternoon 40 lots of sows, bred gilts, open gilts and boars were sold all of which brought an excellent price.

Jerry Ammons showed the grand champion Poland China sow and boar. J. W. Hilliard showed the champion Chester White sow, Larry Carter the grand champion Hampshire sow, and Kenneth Belew showed the grand champion Duroc sow.

Showmanship honors were won by Dennis McCaslin, Halespoint, who worked with his Duroc gilt to the best advantage. For this he received a two-foot hog trough as an award.

The Danish system of awards was used in that all hogs in each class were placed in the blue, red and white groups. The blue group

hogs were then ranked according to the American system in order to determine the first, second, and third place individuals. The groups and places are as follows: Aged Sows, Blue, Junior Sinclair; Jerry Ammons, (2), Robert Smith; red, Jerry Moore, Larry McMahan. First place winner was Jerry Ammons; second, Robert Smith; and third, Junior Sinclair.

Mature Sows: Blue, Robert Smith; red, Geary Riley; white, Donald Brasfield; first place, Robert Smith. Junior Yearling Sows: Blue, Ronnie Floyd (2), Jerry Ammons; red, Jimmy Criner; white, Jerry Moore (2); 1st place, Floyd; second, Ammons, and third, Floyd.

Senior Champion Sow (on age-gilt): Jerry Ammons; Senior Gilt: Blue and red, Jerry Ammons and first place, Ammons. Senior Fall Gilts: Blue, Jerry Ammons; red, Jerry Moore, Larry Kiestler, and Jerry Ammons; white, Jerry Moore and Larry Kiestler; first place, Ammons.

Fall Gilts: Blue, Ronnie Floyd and Jerry Ammons; red, Ronnie Floyd and Jerry Ammons; first place, Ammons; second place, Floyd. Junior Champion Sow (on age-gilt): Jerry Ammons. Mature Boars: Blue, Jerry Moore and Jerry Ammons; first place, Moore and second, Moore.

Senior Fall Boar: Red, Jerry Moore; and white, Jerry Moore. Junior Yearling Boar: Ronnie Floyd; first place, Floyd. Fall from this type of demonstration.

We wish to express our appreciation to all persons who helped make this show possible and especially to Mr. Wiley Daniels for the use of his building.

4-H Boys Purchase Purebred Swine

Louis Jennings, Henning, Junior Sinclair, Arp, James Trueblood, Arp, Don Brasfield, Gates, Jimmy Griner, Gates, Mike Chipman, Halls, and Jerry Ammons, Arp, purchased purebred swine in the sale Saturday for use in their swine program. Most of these boys are new in the business and we wish them the best of success in their swine program.

SALVATION ARMY TRUCK COMING WEDNESDAY

The Salvation Army truck will be in Halls next Wednesday, March 12, to pick up donations to the charity organization. Anyone having used furniture, clothing, magazines, newspapers, other usable or repairable items may notify Mrs. Charles Alsbrook at City Hall and she will have the truck call at your home.

Patronize Our Advertisers and read about them in the Graphic each week. Trade in Halls and make Halls grow.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of W. C. Patton, Deceased
Notice is hereby given that on the 20th day of February, 1958. Letters of Administration in respect of the estate of W. C. Patton were issued to the undersigned by the County Court of Lauderdale County, Tennessee.

All persons, resident or non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against said 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 20th day of February, 1958.

MRS. ETTA PATTON
Adm. Estate of W. C. Patton,
Deceased
J. M. BOYD, JR.
ROSS W. DYER,
Attorneys

NOTICE OF SALE

Whereas, on the 28th day of September, 1957, by deed of trust recorded in the Register's Office at Ripley, Tennessee, in Trust Record Book 19, page 89-90, Leonard A. Lyons and Margaret V. Lyons conveyed to D. R. Nunn, Trustee the hereinafter described real estate to secure 2 notes as follows: Note No. 1 in amount of \$682.82 and Note No. 2 in amount of \$1150.00.

Whereas default having been made in the payment of both notes and other provisions of the said deed of trust violated, and the said Forcum-Lannon, Inc., the true and lawful holder of both notes have declared the entire indebtedness due and payable as provided in said deed of trust and the trustee having been directed to foreclose the deed of trust in accordance with the terms thereof, the public is hereby notified that the undersigned trustee will sell the hereinafter described real estate at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash, in front of the north door of the Bank of Halls in Halls, Tennessee on March 21, 1958, at 10:00 A. M. said property to be sold in bar of the equity of redemption and subject to all special assessments against it.

The real estate to be sold is located in the Town of Halls, 12th Civil District of Lauderdale County, Tennessee and described as follows:

Being a house and lot known as the Maybell Bostic homeplace bounded on the north by Lonnie Laurison, on the west by Highway 51, on the east by Bradford and Sales; on the south by Love. This 28th day of February, 1958.
D. R. NUNN, Trustee

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under berries before they are set will prove to be a good investment.

After newly set berries have been worked out and hoed once, they can be kept clean for a month by the application of a new weed control chemical which costs about \$4.00 an acre. Using this chemical three times a month apart will take the berries to the runner stage at much less cost than hoeing. Many families can profitably set an acre of berries this month.

Disaster Loans Being Made

Farmers Home Administration representatives under the supervision of W. R. McIntosh are making disaster loans in the office in the basement of the Post-office Bldg. in Ripley and Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10:00 A. M. to 5:00 P. M.

In order to be eligible for one of these loans a producer must

have suffered loss because of the unusual weather last year and he must not be able to get his 1958 operations financed adequately by the same lending agency which financed him in 1957. Loans are due on Oct. 15 and made on a 3 percent annual interest rate.

Landlords are not required to release their rent but they are required to sign a subordinate agreement which allows the FHA first claim on the proceeds of the borrower's share of his crop. If the borrower owns machinery which is subject to foreclosure, the mortgage holder on machinery is required to sign an agreement that he will not foreclose and repossess the machinery until after this year's crop is made.

Not Too Late To Mulch Berries
Lawrence Hamil of Henning has this week been applying cotton hulls as a mulch to his strawberries, which were set last year, in order that he will have cleaner berries for the fresh market in early May.

Cotton hulls which have been restricted at gins because of the soybean cyst nematode have now been released at some gins so that strawberry producers can use the hulls that are not rotten as mulch for strawberries to prevent dirt spattering upon the berries during the harvest season.

Mulch should be applied by the time the berries start growing, but we still have another week, it now appears.

The first application of Toxaphene or Captan mixed with Chlordane and DDT should be applied to berries by March 15 with another application to come ten days later. These two applications usually control strawber-

ry weevils and crown borers, but Captan to prevent berries from rotting should be applied every ten days until right up to berry picking time, using 35 lbs. of 10 percent dust per acre.

BAPTIST MISSION DRIVE

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Before he was appointed a missionary to Argentina, he was pastor of churches in Tennessee, Minnesota and Iowa.

The missionaries will occupy the pulpits of fourteen Baptist

churches in this area beginning Sunday morning, March 16, and will be in the different churches each night that week. On Sunday afternoon, March 16, a mass rally is planned at Halls First Baptist Church, at 2:00 P. M. to get the Schools of Missions underway.

The churches in this area taking part in the week of Schools of Missions are Halls, Gates, Curve, Beech Grove, Mary's Chapel, Woodville, Zion Hill, Elon, Enon, Macedonia, Mt. Vernon, Hales Point, William's Chapel, and New Mitchell Grove.

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FOR SALE — Farmall B 2-row tractor with cultivators, discs and plows. Priced to sell. Also mule drawn farm equipment. See at Railroad Salvage Store, Phone AD 4-7504, Halls. 3-14

FOR SALE — 5-room house in Halls, Tenn. Call Mrs. Warren and bath, heated by gas, located R. Tanner, Phone Office: AD 4-9216, Residence AD 4-7764, Halls, Tenn.

FOR SALE — Tractor post-hole digger, also sideboards for Chevrolet pickup truck. Chas M. Love, Phone AD 4-7005.

FOR SALE — Good jap hay. Call Hollis Scroggins, Phone AD 4-7163.

FOR SALE — 7-room house and bath, gas heat, located in Halls. Phone Mrs. Warren R. Tanner, AD 4-9216 or 4-7764.

FOR SALE — Two (2) repossessed Singer Electric Console Sewing Machines. Two payments past due on each. Pay back payments and assume balance. Call or write, Singer Sewing Machine Co., Phone ATwater 5-7151, 320 South Main, Dyersburg.

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WANTED — Reliable person to supply customers with Rawleigh Products in West Dyer County. See G. H. Simmons, Rt. 3, Newbern, or write Rawleigh's, Dept. TNB440-127, Memphis, Tenn. 3-21

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LOST — Set of car keys, name on chain. Bob Ingles. Please return to Graphic office.

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FOR RENT — 5-room house, bath. See Mrs. Warren R. Tanner, Day Phone AD 4-9216 or Night AD 4-7764., Halls.

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Civic Club Hears Industry Plans

Some sixty-seven men, including a number of visitors, heard Col. T. G. Jones, of Barker Associates, real estate auctioneers and industrial promoters, of Hopkinsville, Ky., tell how the firm intends to push the drive to bring one or more factories to Halls.

Barker Associates have contracted with George Edler to sell his industrial property on the Air Base and at the same time the firm will use every effort to bring a worthwhile industry to Halls, said Col. Jones. He, along with Col. Bob Barker, another member of the firm, attended the meeting of Halls Civic Club held Monday night at the school cafeteria in the invitation of H. E. Pentecost, club president.

Other guests of the club included Mayor E. T. Palmer of Dyersburg and Dr. Russell Moore, Dyersburg alderman; C. C. Stockard, representing Prest Lumber Co., who have recently located on the Air Base; H. G. Caldwell, W. G. Neely and Sidney Carmack, members of the Board of Directors of Forked Deer Electric Cooperative; and a number of local business men.

Col. Jones announced to the club that mailing of 10,000 brochures telling of the industrial potential of Halls will begin immediately along with other advertising designed to bring a maximum number of industrialists to Halls on May 14 to attend the sale of the Edler property. Civic Club officials as well as the Barker firm believe the drive is virtually certain to result in the locating of a worthwhile industry in Halls.

INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERS TO SURVEY PROPERTY

Mayor Jerre Jordan Wednesday told the Halls Graphic that the Town of Halls has contracted with a St. Louis, Mo. industrial engineering firm to survey the building which Custom-Craft, Inc. is vacating with the idea of locating a clothing manufacturer in the building. Custom-Craft expects to complete their move to their new location within the next few days according to Howard Peters, manager of the firm. Mr. Peters has said that he plans to hold open house some time after their move is completed. The firm manufactures sewing machine cabinets and expects to increase the size of its operation.

PTA TO MEET NEXT THURSDAY AFTERNOON

Mrs. Raybon Chambers, president, has announced that the March meeting of the Halls Parent Teacher Association will be held Thursday afternoon, March 20, at 3:15 at the high school building. A music and art program will be presented under the direction of Mrs. James Voss and Mrs. Roy Patton. A business session will also be presented on the program.

TO RECEIVE ENGINEERING DEGREE AT UT SATURDAY

Tommy Escue, of the Forked Deer community, will be presented his BS degree in Engineering in graduation ceremonies at the University of Tennessee at Knoxville Saturday of this week. Mr. Escue is the husband of the former Peggy Norman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Norman of Halls.

FINALS OF JUNIOR HIGH TOURNEY TONIGHT

Halls girls will face Trimble girls and Halls boys will play the Trimble boys in the finals of the Halls Junior High Invitational Basketball tournament tonight (Thursday) in the Junior High gymnasium. The girls game will start at 7:15 with the boys game to start at 8:30. Halls boys and girls advanced to the finals with victories over Alamo while Trimble teams won over teams from Ridgely. Opening games of the tournament were played Monday and Tuesday nights.

Paul C. Thurmond Died At Covington

COVINGTON — Services were held at First Methodist Church in Covington Sunday afternoon for Paul C. Thurmond, native of Lauderdale County and son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Thurmond of Halls. Burial was at Covington. He was 52.

Mr. Thurmond died at his home in Covington Saturday following a heart attack. He had been Tipton County tax assessor for the past six years and formerly had served as a state game warden and a city policeman in Covington.

In addition to his father and mother, he leaves his wife; two daughters, Miss Idanna Thurmond, a student at Blue Mountain College, Miss Lila Thurmond, a student at Byars-Hall High School, Covington; one son, Paul Erwin, also a student at Byars-Hall; four sisters, Miss Louise Thurmond and Mrs. Teddy Webb, both of Halls, Mrs. John Rossmeyer, Yazoo City, Miss. and Mrs. Odie B. Wilcox of Rockford, Ill.; four brothers, J. B. Thurmond of Covington, Frank Thurmond of Halls, C. T. Thurmond of Maury City and W. T. Thurmond of Rockford.

WILSON VIAR NAMED TO SBA BOARD

Wilson Viar, of Ripley, has been notified that he has been named to the Small Business Administration Board for West Tennessee. The SBA will offer low interest emergency loans for West Tennessee firms which suffered business losses because of the excessive rainfall last year.

BROTHER OF LOCAL RESIDENT DIES

Word has been received here of the death of William C. Ragland, former Brownsville resident and brother of F. B. Ragland of Halls, in a Cincinnati Nursing Home. He was 79. Funeral services will be in Brownsville Friday morning. Two daughters, two other brothers and three sisters also survive.

THREE CAR COLLISION ON HIGHWAY 51

Three cars were damaged but no one severely injured in a three-car collision late Saturday at the intersection of Highway 51 and the Poplar Grove road. One car, driven by Mrs. Helen Lucas, was struck from behind by a car driven by a Memphis salesman, driving the Lucas car into a car driven by Mrs. Zane Hill of Brighton. Mrs. Hill, the former Joy Watts, had just turned into the Poplar Grove road off of Highway 51 as the accident occurred.

Tigers Lose In Semi-Finals, 40-38

Two little points — which the Tigers didn't get — knocked the Halls High Tigers out of the Region 8 semi-finals and cost them a trip to the State Tournament in Nashville this week. Henderson, with a 10-point lead going into the fourth quarter, managed to hold on and take a 40-38 victory although the Tigers had a shot and missed with only 12 seconds left in the game.

Saturday night Henderson edged Ramer, 63-60, to take the Region 8 championship but lost on Tuesday night to Nashville Cohn, 61-47, in their opening round with Ramer losing to Murfreesboro, 75-67, Wednesday in their first game.

The Tigers reached the semi-finals of the Regional Tourney with a 55-54 win over Morris Chapel with Morris Chapel almost catching the Tigers after trailing as much as 12 points in the third quarter. Saturday night in the consolation finals the Tigers in overtime eked out a 56-52 victory over Jackson Southside. Southside had lost to Ramer in the other semi-final game.

The Tigers were not at their best against Henderson, largely due to an automobile accident Friday afternoon when Tommy McGarrity, high scoring Halls forward, struck a bridge railing on Highway 88 near his home, overturning the McGarrity car into a creek. Tommy, going home to get ready to go to the game, skidded on the wet pavement. He suffered only slight bruises but was badly upset by the accident and played far below his usual ability because of the shock. Larry McBride, Tiger guard, witnessed the accident, and also was badly upset. With McGarrity not up to par Henderson was able to double team Josh Nunn much of the time and the Tigers trailed 34-24 at the three quarter mark. The Tigers put on a desperate last quarter attempt to win, holding Henderson without a field goal but were never able to gain the lead.

Scoring for the Tigers in the tournament was as follows: McGarrity, 53; Nunn, 45; Ward, 23; McBride, 15; Voss, 8; Tatum, 5.

DELAYED !!

Several cuts, including pictures of the Region 8 basketball tourney, the recent Cub Scout banquet, and the Civic Club meeting had not reached here at press time and, of course, had to be omitted. Most of them will be included in next week's issue of the Graphic.

BUNA SMITH MEMBER OF UT PEP ORGANIZATION

A University of Tennessee coed from Halls, Miss Buna Smith, is one of 27 students recently accepted into the Adawayhi Club, the official pep organization on the campus.

Adawayhi is devoted to promoting school spirit. Limited to an overall membership of 65, it holds screenings each quarter to fill openings.

The new members will be conditional pledges for one quarter before they can attain active membership.

Miss Smith, a member of Alpha Omicron Sorority, was the 1956 Dream Girl of the Delta Sigma Phi Fraternity at UT.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gailon Smith of Halls.



MRS. R. A. JACOB

Baptists To Hold Mission Schools

Mrs. R. A. Jacob will be one of fourteen Southern Baptist Missionaries speaking in Baptist churches in this area beginning Sunday morning, March 16, and ending Friday night, March 21. Each of the fourteen churches will have a different missionary speaker each night.

At 2:00 p. m. Sunday, March 16, a mass rally is planned at Halls Baptist Church to get the School of Missions underway. Everyone is invited to attend this meeting and the meetings each night in the different churches.

Mrs. Jacob served as a missionary in China from 1922 until 1940, being principal of Laiyang Girls' School in Shantung, and a general evangelistic worker in P. ngtu.

Cotton Situation Is Meeting Subject

The various factors of the current cotton situation will be discussed at an open meeting called by Tennessee Farm Bureau in Jackson March 13. The meeting will be held at Ellis Chapel, Union University, beginning at 7:30 p. m.

Planning to attend from Lauderdale County are W. M. Paris, Clifford Sweat, Sidney Carmack, and F. H. Paschal.

Considerable interest has developed around the many proposals concerning cotton legislation and markets. The meeting is being held to discuss these matters and bring county leaders up-to-date on the current cotton situation, said Arthur Thompson, president of Lauderdale County Farm Bureau.

Cotton producer Farm Bureau members and leaders, leaders in agricultural agencies, ginners, bankers and PCA leaders, and others interested in cotton are invited.

Field representatives of the National Cotton Council will present an analysis of the situation under the heading, "Cotton Takes The Offensive." The presentation will be in three parts; Where We Are, by Charlie McDaniel; What's Being Done, by Bill Perkins; and Where We're Going, by Clifton Kirkpatrick.

Tom J. Hitch, president of Tennessee Farm Bureau, will make a brief statement and then lead an open discussion.

Renew Your Subscription.

Senate Refuses To Increase Acreage

F. H. Paschal
County Agent

The U. S. Senate showed an unfavorable mood this week toward the proposed 30 percent increase in 1958 cotton allotments by refusing to allow it to be voted on as an amendment to an appropriation bill which includes \$250,000,000 additional for payment of acreage to be taken out of production under provisions of the Soil Bank.

The Secretary of Agriculture this week extended to March 28 the period during which producers may take acreage out of the Soil Bank. In this extra period producers may reduce the acreage they have agreed to put in the Soil Bank or change the location of the reserve acres on their farms.

Lauderdale County farmers have put 3970 acres of cotton in the acreage reserve for 1958 for which they will receive \$348,000 in payments. This leaves them 31,700 acres of cotton to be grown out of their allotment of 35,683. In 1957 they grew 32,908 acres of cotton and made more than 33,600 bales. On this 3970 acres in the Soil Bank they could have grown 4500 bales in 1958 which would have brought \$787,000.

Lauderdale County producers have put 3262 acres of corn in the Soil Bank for which they will receive \$108,000. If corn averaged 40 bushels per acre and sold for \$1.20 a bushel it would have been sold for \$157,000 gross.

Cotton producers who do not put any acreage in the Soil Bank may grow as much corn as they like in 1958, although they would not be eligible for the highest price support if they grow beyond the allotted corn acreage.

Storage Bins Loans Attractive
A normal grain crop will face a tighter public storage situation in July of this year, but five-year loans for the purchase or construction of grain storage bins or houses on farms are available again this year at a low interest rate.

These grain bins may be depreciated over a five-year period for income tax purposes. These (Please Turn to Page 6)

Sister Of Mrs. Guy Lucas Died Sat.

TRENTON — Mrs. Beulos Frazier Coleman of Trenton died at 1 Saturday afternoon at her home. She was 66.

Services were at 2 Sunday afternoon at Holmes Funeral Home with the Rev. J. R. Lewis, of Gates, her brother-in-law, officiating.

Mrs. Lewis, who was born in Perry County, Tenn., had resided in Gibson County for 50 years. She was the sister of Mrs. Guy Lucas, teacher in Halls Elementary School, and Mrs. Lewis. She was a member of Brazil Methodist Church.

Others surviving include her husband, William T. Coleman of Trenton; a daughter, Mrs. Eugene Williams of Ardmore, Okla.; two brothers, Dr. John Frazier of Chattanooga, and Sheffield Frazier of Memphis; and two other sisters, Mrs. Henry Vaughn and Mrs. Robert L. Pinkley, both of Trenton.

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of the State Association of Soil Conservation Districts, will be the speaker for the Soil Conservation-District - Cooperator Banquet to be held at Ripley High School Cafeteria on Friday night, March 21st, at 7 o'clock.

Mr. Wilder attended the University Martin Branch, University of Tennessee at Knoxville and the Memphis School of Law. He is President of the Tennessee Association of Soil Conservation Districts, past President of the Tennessee Ginners' Association, Secretary of the Tennessee Agricultural Council, member of the Louisville Area Methodist Church Public Relations Commission, and Charge Lay Leader of the Braden and Mason Charge.

Other highlights of the evening will be talks by one member of the FFA Chapters from Halls and Ripley High Schools. The winner of the 4-H Club Speaking Contest from Lauderdale County will give his speech on Conservation.

Entertainment will be furnished by the Southerners Quartette and Miss Patty Williams of Halls. Members of the Quartet are: Don Paris, Bill Scott, Mike Butler, Tommy Garner and Bobby Holcomb. Miss Williams will be accompanied by Mrs. Wymond Hurt.

Tickets are now on sale for the Banquet. FFA boys from Ripley and Halls High Schools and the Home Economics girls from Ripley High School have tickets for sale. Tickets can also be purchased from Reid Dunavant, Lynwood Grammer, Francis Thompson, Joe Beard, W. C. Viar, Alfred Owen and Earl West.

Farmers Missing S. S. Benefits

Many farm workers lost valuable social security benefits because their earnings are not reported for social security purposes, Joe P. Tipton, Social Security manager, said today. Farm workers who are paid \$150 or more in cash by one farmer during the year get the social security protection. Also covered are those who work at least 20 days on a time basis

(payment by the hour, week, month, etc.).

Mr. Tipton advised all farmers to keep accurate records of the wages paid their workers since these wages must be reported to the Internal Revenue Service at the end of each year. A special form which can be obtained from the Internal Revenue Service is provided for making this report. The tax rate is 2 1/4 percent for the employer and 2 1/4 percent for the employee on wages up to \$4200 per year.

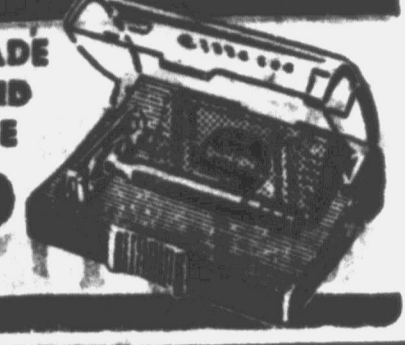
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News from Gates

Mrs. Finis Hardy
Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Voss spent the later part of the week in Memphis with Mr. and Mrs. Aldo Robison.

Mrs. J. K. Yarbro and son, Johnny, of Decaturville, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hardy.

Hal Pennington underwent a tonsilectomy at Parkview Hospital in Dyersburg Tuesday. He was able to return home Wednesday and is doing nicely.

Will Hartman is a patient in Lauderdale County Hospital at Ripley.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gardner and son of Memphis were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Hope Griffin of Indiana were recent guests of his sister, Miss Hazel Griffin.

Mrs. Thomas Hill and son of Ripley were weekend visitors of Mrs. Grady Kelly.

Mrs. E. G. Parker is visiting in Dyersburg with her daughter, Mrs. W. P. Alexander.

Miss Lula Davis and Mrs. Nell Butts of Woodville visited Mrs. Jim Garrett.

Mrs. Blanche Thurmond and Mrs. Clyde Jackson visited Lynn Turner in the Brownsville Hospital Sunday.

Miss Byrd Sloan was home several days last week and returned to Union City Sunday.

Mrs. Wallace Weathers has returned to Birmingham after being with her mother, Mrs. Ruth Lee, while she was in the hospital.

Mrs. Gene Patton and daughter of Memphis spent last week in the Finis Garrett home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Baker and son, Butch, visited friends in Brownsville Sunday.

Elliot Lawrence of Greenwood, Miss., spent Saturday with Mrs. E. G. Parker. Mrs. Lawrence and daughter, who had been with Mrs. Parker, Mrs. Lawrence's mother, returned home with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hays, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Pennington of Memphis, Buddy Thurmond and Miss Lois Gamble were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hal Pennington for a fish dinner Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Sellers and Mrs. Doyle Cree of Chicago, Ill., spent Saturday night in the Vernon Gilliland home. Mrs. Cree and children have returned home af-

ter a two weeks visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Estol Wood and Mrs. Finis Hardy visited Mrs. Preston Kizer and daughter in West Memphis, Ark., Monday.

FILE EARLY FOR QUICK REFUNDS

While the Internal Revenue Service expects the majority of Federal income taxpayers who are due refunds to file early in the current tax collecting season, it would appreciate the cooperation by similar early filing of those taxpayers who owe little or nothing in additional tax over what they may have already paid through withholding deductions.

This plea for taxpayer help to his office was made today by Internal Revenue Agent Orville W. Guinn, who reminded taxpayers that all returns should be sent to the District Director of Internal Revenue, Nashville, Tenn., and any checks for additional tax owed should be made payable to the Internal Revenue Service.

Any taxpayers who need more information than they feel is provided by the form and accompanying instruction booklet were urged by Mr. Guinn to call AT 5-7542 in Dyersburg and ask for taxpayer assistance. Such calls made early in the filing period can be quickly answered and the taxpayer given a full and accurate rundown on his problem.

"As is suggested by our in-

struction booklet,' Mr. Guinn said, "we would like again to urge taxpayers who have incurred during 1957 expenses of a deductible character to compute their tax status both ways, that is by deduction basis and by itemizing authorized deductions to find which method will be most beneficial financially to them.

"Early filing that follows this method enables the taxpayer to be more certain of his seasonal or annual budget. It helps us by enabling us to receive and process our thousands of returns more systematically and more efficiently, a form of taxpayer cooperation which our Government thoroughly appreciates."

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank the people who have been so kind to us during our recent illness. The cards, telephone calls, visits, flowers, and food were greatly appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Thurmond

Mrs. L. C. Hardin left last Thursday to join her husband in St. Paul, Minnesota, where they are making their home. She has been here for the past weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Thurmond. They have been ill but are feeling some better now.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of E. G. Parker, Deceased
Notice is hereby given that on the 3rd day of March, 1958, Letters of Administration in respect of the estate of E. G. Parker 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 said estate are required to file the same with the Clerk of the above named Court within nine months from the date of first publication of this notice, otherwise their claims will be forever barred.

This the 3rd day of March, 1958.

E. G. PARKER, JR.
Adm. Estate of E. G. Parker, Deceased.
ROSS W. DYER, Atty.

NOTICE OF SALE

Whereas, on the 28th day of September, 1957, by deed of trust recorded in the Register's Office at Ripley, Tennessee, in Trust Record Book 19, page 89-90, Leonard A. Lyons and Margaret V. Lyons conveyed to D. R. Nunn, Trustee the hereinafter described real estate to secure 2 notes as follows: Note No. 1 in amount of \$682.82 and Note No. 2 in amount of \$1150.00.

Whereas default having been made in the payment of both notes and other provisions of the said deed of trust violated, and the said Forcum-Lannon, Inc., the true and lawful holder of both notes have declared the entire indebtedness due and payable as provided in said deed of trust and the trustee having been directed to foreclose the deed of trust in accordance with the terms thereof, the public is hereby notified that the undersigned trustee will sell the hereinafter described real estate at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash, in front of the north door of the Bank of Halls in Halls, Tennessee on March 21, 1958, at 10:00 A. M. said property to be sold in bar of the equity of redemption and subject to all special assessments against it.

The real estate to be sold is located in the Town of Halls, 12th Civil District of Lauderdale County, Tennessee and described as follows:

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Sunday School Lesson
 By Walter C. Davis, D. D., Tennessee School of Religion, Nashville, Tennessee

Lesson for Sunday, March 16
 (Mark 5:18-20; Luke 10:1-2; I Thessalonians 1:6-10)

"The Church and Local Community"

This lesson challenges every church to earnestly consider its obligation to the people who live around it. The only gospel which many will hear will be heard in your church. If they should hear it elsewhere, it would be only on rare occasions. Your message to them begins when they are young, when they are forming ideals and making plans for their future. It will be the time when they are choosing life's companions, the time of courtship and marriage. You will guide them through the difficult years in training and rearing the family. You will stand by them when death invades, when sickness and misfortune try them. Your church alone will bring comfort on the difficult downward way of age, and on to the very end of the way. Their only hope of eternal salvation is that which they gain from your church.

You are dealing with people who are deeply involved with life and death, time and eternity. It is awesome to contemplate the mysterious nature of man. At the top of his mind, as Dr. John Baillie suggests, he may be a believer, but at the bottom of his heart an atheist. There may be bitter conflicts between his mind and his heart. The word of God is a call to such broken and divided persons swaying on the edge of life. It is a call to both mind and heart, both of which must be won.

Then what is evangelism? Many definitions have been offered, none of which are entirely satisfactory. Preaching is meant to win a response to the gospel. It wants to bring men to surrender their whole being to the will of God. Our natural instinct is to

vindicate our present condition. The word of God calls us to choose a way of life we would not choose for ourselves.

So the church in your community stands for God and for life. It is the only church many ever will know. It is fitting that spires should point upward to Another, and to another existence. The people of your community will not be saved unless your church brings them into the way of life.

From the practical standpoint your evangelistic efforts will determine the very life and continuity of your church. Large churches sometimes say that the first 75 members won do not count. Only those above that determine growth. Removals by death, by change of address and through backslidings reach as many as 75 a year, and only the number above these expected losses may be counted. In its own self defense the local church MUST be interested in evangelism.

The Lord sent out 70, two by two. We still follow that method of organization. It is interesting how the man who had been possessed with demons wanted to go along with Jesus, perhaps as an apostle (Mark 5:18). Jesus did not allow it, sending him home to tell others how much the Lord had done for him. They marveled at his story and we learn from it that there can be no greater evangelism work than that which grows out of a personal experience with Christ.

Local evangelism is not so easy. Some may proclaim they believe in "brotherhood" and yet not show brotherliness toward those around them. It is easier to send missionaries to Africa to convert the heathen than it is to speak to our next-door neighbor about accepting Christ. But if we overcome timidity, our words reach far into their lives. There is more loneliness in the world about us than we realize. Only love can provide the ultimate need for these lonely souls. A quiet retiring man who had become cashier of a bank, when urged by a friend to become a Christian, replied in passionate tones, "You are the first man who ever spoke to me about my soul."

JIMMY KIRKPATRICK WINS POLAND CHINA GILT

Charles T. Peal
 Asst. County Agent

Jimmy Kirkpatrick, Arp, was certainly a surprised boy at the end of the hog sale Saturday inasmuch as he was the lucky winner of the Poland China gilt presented by Bill Thompson to the 4-H Show exhibitor who drew the lucky number. The pig that Mr. Thompson purchased for this drawing was from Robert Smith and out of the grand champion sow in the 1957 swine show. Jimmy's thrill at drawing this pig was made greater by the fact that earlier in the day he had expressed a keen desire to get a Poland China gilt. Now, thanks to Mr. Thompson and a lucky number, he has just what he wants.

The swine sale was successful because certain people worked hard to make it so. Bill Thompson helped get prospective buyers to the sale and then really worked hard and effectively in selling the hogs. The boys felt that he really did his very best to get them the highest possible prices.

Bill Harlan assisted in the ring as did J. T. Guill of Jackson. Ira Sellers and Mrs. Lynn Ammons clerked the sale while Ronnie Floyd and Elmer Rossiger had the responsibility of seeing that the hogs were ready for the ring. Cooperation and teamwork is one thing that 4-H is striving for and it was really evident at our show and sale. The 4-H boys in Lauderdale County are fortunate to have a friend with the interest in the program that Mr. Thompson does.

Public Speakers Via In District Event Saturday
 Delaine Hamby and Jerry Ammons, senior winners in the county Public Speaking Contest, will

compete against other county winners in the District contest this Saturday in Jackson as will Martha Hughes and Edwin Best, winners of the county junior contest.

Medals are the awards to these boys and girls for their achievement in the county. District winners in the Senior Division receive a trip to 4-H Congress at Nashville where they compete against the other District winners. The state champion gets a trip to National 4-H Congress. District winners in the Junior contest receive trips to 4-H Camp this June.

We think that our speakers are good and should make a creditable showing in the District speaking program.



Down on the Farm

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Agricultural Agent, Illinois Central Railroad

It's good business to take a farm inventory each year. No time is better than the early part of each year. You can more accurately account for your expenses, losses, gains, etc. This will help a lot in filing your income tax return. There is also another good reason why each farmer should inventory his resources. By that, I mean to know what your soil resources are. Any successful crop depends largely upon adequate, balanced supplies of nutrients in the soil. A lack of only one of the plant nutrients might make the difference in profit and loss in a crop.

The only sure way to know your soil needs is through testing the soil. With this method you know what your situation is with regard to lime, phosphate, potassium and organic matter. Make yourself a map of your farm and lay off each field as it actually is and take your soil samples from each field. You cannot safely use a "composite" sample of your soil and determine your needs accurately. Samples from individual fields will give you an accu-

rate picture of conditions as they are.

There are few practices that can do more for you this year than to do an accurate and thorough job of soil testing on your farm. It will surprise you to find out that one field adjoining another will vary as much in requirements as they will.

There are many sources to get soils tested accurately. Most states have a central soil testing laboratory; many fertilizer manufacturers now offer this service and are many private soil testing laboratories. The Illinois Central Agricultural Department has offered this service for years. The job of getting tests made is simple. Why not follow such recommended procedures and compare results with the haphazard method

used by so many?

CARD OF THANKS

We sincerely appreciate the kindness and sympathy extended us by our many friends and neighbors during our recent bereavement. May God bless you.

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Brevities

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Gooch and little daughter, Cynthia Renee, of Memphis spent Saturday with relatives.

Tommy Canada, son of Mrs. Dona Canada, is a patient in Lauderdale County Hospital at Ripley.

Mrs. Jim White and Mrs. Frank Baldridge and daughter, Amy, were in Memphis Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ings of Hayti, Mo. visited their aunt, Mrs. Will Higdon, Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Burk and children of Memphis spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Keltner, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Keltner of Memphis spent Sunday with the W. H. Keltners.

Mr. and Mrs. Oneil Weaver and son, Mr. and Mrs. Pinkney Meacham of Ripley and Mrs. R. S. Bell attended the Holiday On Ice performance at Ellis Auditorium in Memphis Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Maclin of Memphis are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Rena McClendon, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Elford Baker is spending this week in Memphis with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Smith, and Mr. Smith.

Little Mike Moore of Memphis is spending this week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Turnage.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Linson and son of Whitehaven spent the weekend with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Watts of Poplar Grove visited Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Freeman Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Harry Farmer of Bowling Green, Ky. spent Saturday night with Mrs. Etta Young.

Mrs. S. F. Young joined friends in Memphis Friday afternoon for a trip to Mobile, Ala. where they visited Bellingrath Gardens, and other points of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Freeman and daughter, Janice, of Memphis spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Freeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Wymond Hurt, Jr., and son, Fletcher, of Memphis spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Wymond Hurt. Mrs. Hurt and little son remained over to spend this week with the Hurts.

Mrs. T. G. Avery entered St. Joseph Hospital Saturday for examinations and treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Meadows and daughter spent Saturday night and Sunday in Brownsville. They were accompanied home by Miss Reva Simmons who is spending the week with them.

Mrs. Chester Archer of Maury City spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Garrett.

Gloria Jean Meeks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Meeks and a student in the 7th grade of Halls Elementary School, underwent an appendectomy at the Parkview Hospital in Dyersburg Wednesday afternoon. She is doing nicely. Her room number is 304.

Mrs. Bess Jordan and son, Ernest, returned home last Thursday night after spending the past two months in St. Louis with Mr. and Mrs. Prichard Jordan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jackson of Memphis were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Garrett on Sunday night.

Cadet John G. Olds, Jr., of Castle Heights Military Academy, Lebanon, Tenn., is spending Spring Vacation week with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. John G. Olds.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Espey were in Memphis Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Nunn spent part of this week in Memphis where Mr. Nunn attended a series of cotton ginners meetings and an exhibition of new gin machinery.

Mrs. Mary Starks of Maury City spent Wednesday with Mrs. Etta Young.

Mrs. Lamar Barksdale of Memphis spent the first of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Smith.

Dr. Sara Murray returned on Thursday of last week after having spent several weeks in Anniston and Birmingham, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Garrett and son, Phil, of Dyersburg, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oeil Garrett.

INJURED IN COLLISION

Vernon Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Van Jones, of the Double Bridges community, suffered broken bones in his left wrist as a result of a two-car collision Sunday night. The accident occurred near Bonicord when the car driven by Jones topped a hill and hit a car attempting to make a left

turn from the rear. The occupants of the other car, a Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins of Bonicord, were not injured. Reports say that no arrests were made since the accident was more or less unavoidable.

ATTENDED MOTHER OF THE YEAR CEREMONY

Mrs. E. B. Wiley, 1957 Tennessee Mother, attended the Citation Ceremony in Nashville Thursday of Mrs. H. E. Christenberry, 1958 Mother. Past Tennessee Mothers and 1958 candidates who composed the guest group later attended a luncheon at the Noel Hotel. Mrs. Wiley was in charge of the devotional program which closed the meeting.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of W. C. Patton, Deceased
Notice is hereby given that on the 20th day of February, 1958. Letters of Administration in respect of the estate of W. C. Patton were issued to the undersigned by the County Court of Lauderdale County, Tennessee.

All persons, resident or non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against said 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 20th day of February, 1958.

MRS. ETTA PATTON
Adm. Estate of W. C. Patton, Deceased
J. M. BOYD, JR.
ROSS W. DYER,
Attorneys

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special provisions should encourage more farmers to provide storage space for more grain and seeds on their farms.

Farmers who continually buy a high proportion of their seeds are paying a lot of storage and transportation costs and extra profits to other people which might be saved by having more storage space.

Dinner To Be Well Attended
First replies indicate that the

livestock producers dinner to be addressed by Ed Synar and Bob Morford at Ripley High School Cafeteria on Friday night, March 14, at 7:00 o'clock will be well attended.

Producers of cattle, hogs, and sheep need to maintain a strong organization and work together for more efficient production to meet the demands of an expanding market in the years ahead.

Farm Bureau Women To Attend Meeting

Mrs. Walter Lazure, chairman of Lauderdale County Farm Bureau Women; Mrs. P. M. Parker, chairman for District 1; Mrs. W. M. Paris, chairman for District 2; Mrs. C. M. Arwood, chairman for Districts 8 and 9; Mrs. C. U. Roberson, chairman for District 11; Mrs. Elvis Cannon, chairman for District 12; will attend a district meeting for Farm Bureau Women at Jackson on March 14.

According to Mrs. Lazure, main purpose of the meeting is to discuss and develop ideas for carrying out the women's program of work in the counties and communities during the year.

In order to better carry out their theme, "Farm Bureau—Ev-

ery Member Participating," the women will study major issues confronting farm people and will talk on citizenship. Lonnie Farm Bureau's position on these issues. This will help prepare them to take part in community and neighborhood meetings where members will gather to talk over these and other subjects.

"We look forward to the district meeting each year as a business session where our county leaders may become better informed and qualified to carry out their local programs," Mrs. Lazure stated.

Speakers at the meeting will

include Tom J. Hitch, president of Tennessee Farm Bureau, who will talk on citizenship. Lonnie Safley, assistant to the president, will discuss Farm Bureau resolutions for 1958.

Also speaking at the meeting will be one of the four women who served on last year's State Farm Bureau resolutions committee. They are Mrs. Ralph Carson from Washington County; Mrs. Glen Moore, Franklin County; Mrs. Clyde Bradford, Lincoln County; and Mrs. Sam Rollins, Gibson County. They will give their impressions of serving on

the committee.

Mrs. D. W. Bond of Jackson is state chairman of Farm Bureau Women and will have a leading part of the program.

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7:00 P. M.

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Telephone Talk

by
ROGER GANIER

Your Telephone Manager



MARCH IS THE MONTH and the annual Red Cross Drive is under way here in the Halls Chapter and throughout the nation. We telephone folks think a lot of the Red Cross for we have seen it in action during emergency conditions. We in the Halls area should be thankful that there is a Red Cross as we have had our share of tornadoes and windstorms and relief has been provided promptly.

The next time you read of a disaster striking a community you can count on us being there just as you can count on the Red Cross Disaster Service. So give generously to your Halls Chapter of the American Red Cross — It needs your support!

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Then she telephoned home—just look at her now!*



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RIGHT ARM: Reference books are mighty handy when you want to know something—say like what's the biggest mountain in Canada. Well, there are all kinds of reference books, and one of the most valuable is one you use every day—the telephone directory. Its white pages save you time by avoiding wrong numbers... the yellow pages are an easy shopping guide of places to buy things. And the introductory pages give helpful information on how to get the most out of your telephone service. So, remember to keep your directory nearby when you phone—it's so handy.

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TURNER'S ICE MILK, 1/2 gallon 49c		

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Halls Highers To Be On Dance Party

Seventeen couples from Halls High School will be the guests of Memphis TV Station WHBQ and Master of Ceremonies Wink Martindale Saturday evening on the television program, Top Ten Dance Party. The program is shown over Channel 13 beginning at 5 o'clock and continuing until 6:30. Ripley High School was presented on the program last Saturday night.

The couples, selected by out-of-town judges at a dance at the Youth Center Tuesday night, are Senior High School students.

They are: Paul Woodley and Ann Dew; Lindell Baker and Linda Grady; Gene Cates and Evelyn Smith; Sterling Queen and Gracie Long;

Carmen Belton and Pamela Rhodes; Franklin Alley and Betty Hill; Jerry Smith and Ann Robison; Bobby Lowrey and Martha Barnett; Donald Harrell and Shirley Gooch;

Raymond Belton and Nancy Heathcott; Bobby Stanley and Judy Wright; Robert Meeks and Alice Jennings; Josh Nunn and Linda Tomlinson;

Larry Voss and JoAnn Hurt; Danny Grady and Carolyn Ward; Jerry Jordan and Rose Cannon; David Hurt and Ann Younger.

Pam Rhodes Named Library Club Officer

Miss Pamela Rhodes, sophomore at Halls High School, was elected vice-president of the West Tennessee Student Library Assistants Association at a meeting of that organization held on the University of Tennessee campus at Martin on Wednesday, March 19.

Pamela's candidacy was sponsored by the Library Club of Halls High School. Other members of the club who went to Martin for the convention were Misses Evelyn Smith, Nancy Harrell, Ann Robison, Mital Garrett, Betty Arwood and Alice Jennings.

More than five hundred delegates from schools from this section of the state attended the meeting.

HALLS GIRLS, TRIMBLE BOYS ARE CHAMPS

Halls Junior High Girls defeated Ridgely, 41-39, and Trimble boys defeated Halls boys, 39-21, in the finals of the Junior High Basketball Tournament held here Thursday night of last week. The girls game was close all the way but Halls boys trailed all the way and were never in the game as Trimble maintained a 15 to 20-point lead most of the game.

HOME FROM TEXAS

Mrs. Beulah Murchison returned home Sunday after spending the past three months in Houston, Texas, as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. B. Baker, and Mr. Baker and at Tylar, Texas, where she visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. C. M. Jenkins, and Mr. Jenkins. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Murchison and daughter, Anne, of Dyersburg, drove to Memphis to meet her.

Tommy Canada, son of Mrs. Dona Canada, was able to return home Sunday after spending the past week in Lauderdale County Hospital in Ripley.

NAMED TO ALL-WEST TENNESSEE TEAM



TOMMY MCGARRITY

McGarrity Named To All-Westate

Tommy McGarrity, 6'3" Halls High forward, received two outstanding honors last week as he was named to the Jackson Sun All-West Tennessee basketball team and received honorable mention on the All-State team. Josh Nunn, HHS center, received honorable mention on the All-West Tennessee team as did Kay McGarrity on the Girls' All-West Tennessee team.

Tommy, in making the All-West Tennessee team, compiled an average of approximately 20 points in 33 games and scored more than 600 points for the season. In receiving honorable mention on the All-State team he was the only boy from District 30 to receive such an honor and (Please Turn To Page 6)

COMMUNITY CLUB TO MAKE POLIO DRIVE

Members of the Halls Community Club will sponsor the Polio Drive in Halls according to an announcement by Mrs. Jerry Puckett, club president. Mrs. Puckett said that members of the club will make a house to house canvass Tuesday night, March 25, seeking donations to the National Polio Foundation.

UTMB TO HOST WESTATE SENIORS

MARTIN — Open House Day for high school seniors and school officials of West Tennessee will be held at the University of Tennessee, Martin Branch, Thursday, April 3.

UTMB department heads will be available to counsel students during this period on the various curricula offered by the University of Tennessee.

HENDERSON GIRLS RATE WELL IN TOURNEY

The Henderson sextet, Region 8 champions, rate well in the state tournament which opened in Nashville today with some sports writers favoring them to take the championship. The other Westate entry, Hornbeak, also, is expected to give a good account of itself.

New Mail Service To Start Saturday

Postmaster E. J. Shannon this week announced an addition to the mail service in Halls which is expected to improve service considerably.

Mr. Shannon stated that each afternoon at 5 P. M. a truck will leave here for the Dyersburg post office carrying mail which will be dispatched from Dyersburg that same night both north and south thus speeding up mail service here by, in some cases, 24 hours.

Mail must be in the post office not later than 4:45 each afternoon to be handled on the 5 o'clock dispatch. This service will begin Saturday, March 22, and will be in effect daily except Sunday.

Mother Of Mrs. Bill McGarrity Died

FRIENDSHIP — Mrs. Tennessee Harber, mother of Mrs. Bill McGarrity of Halls, died Sunday afternoon at Parkview Hospital in Dyersburg. She was 87.

Funeral services were at 2:30 Monday at Bethesda Cumberland Presbyterian Church with the Rev. Carl Davis officiating. Burial was in Bethesda Cemetery.

A longtime resident of Crockett County, Mrs. Harber, Crockett County landowner, who died in 1956.

BROKEN HIP

Mrs. Clara Meeks, mother of Mrs. L. E. Cribfield, Jr. of Halls, was carried to the Methodist Hospital in Memphis Tuesday night suffering from a broken hip which she suffered in a fall at her home in the Antioch Church community.

DR. HENDERSON TO OPEN DENTAL OFFICES HERE

Dr. Robert Owen Henderson, son of Mrs. P. H. Henderson and the late Mr. Henderson of Halls, will open dental offices here the later part of this week in the offices formerly occupied by Dr. P. E. Barrow. Dr. Henderson has recently been released from the U. S. Navy after service with the U. S. Marine Corps at Parris Island. Dr. Henderson, Mrs. Henderson (the former Ellen Cheshier) and their two children have moved into the former Cecil Sumrow home on the corner of Park and Hazel streets.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Palazolla of Dyersburg visited Mr. and Mrs. O. L. White Tuesday afternoon.



Pictured are some of the men spearheading the drive to bring more industry to Halls along with several visitors at a recent Halls Civic Club meeting at which plans for a more intensified drive for industry were formulated. From left to right around the table, they are: George Edler, member of the Industrial Committee; David R. Nunn, committee vice-chairman; Col. T. G. Jones, of Barker Associates, principal speaker at the meeting; Halls Mayor Jerre Jordan; H. E. Pentecost, Civic Club president; Dr. Russell Moore, Dyersburg alderman; Mayor E. T. Palmer of Dyersburg; C. C. Stockard, of Prest Lumber Co.; and Col. Bob Barker, of Barker Associates.

Early Planting Of Corn Is Urged

F. H. Paschal
County Agent

"Plant corn first" is the urgent advice of experienced farmers for upland areas in cotton sections such as ours where cotton holds first place in our minds for spring planting.

We grow more than 40,000 acres of corn in Lauderdale County and it is still our most profitable crop, next to cotton. Many farmers can make more total profit from corn, because they can make use of more land and equipment with less labor and capital than is required for cotton. This is especially true when corn is fertilized right, planted early and cultivated shallow.

We can plant corn on our high lands on April 12 with much better chance of getting stands than we would have on cotton planted on April 19, even though April 20 is the recommended earliest safe planting date for both crops. Certainly 1957 showed us the importance of early planting of corn.

Corn vs. Sorghum Grains

Grain sorghum has caught the imagination of many farmers, but the highest yielding hybrid grain sorghums in our tests at Springfield last year, DeKalb D50A, made 50.5 bushels of grain at 50 lbs. per bushel besides US523-W corn which yielded 70.3 bushels per acre at 56 lbs. of grain per bushel. In the test at Springhill where the crops were irrigated, grain sorghum made 106 bushels per acre while the corn made 135 bushels. The test plots at both locations were planted between June 12 and June 14.

Other high yielding varieties of grain sorghums include Frontier 400, Early Hegari, and Texas 620.

It is possible that grain sorghums will make more pounds of grain per acre when it is planted extremely late or when planted on land which does not hold water very well, but most farmers will make more profit with corn. Hybrid corn varieties have increased our yield possibilities, but until we put at least 80 lbs. of actual nitrogen per acre under and around our corn and quit plowing it up every time we cultivate it, we do not know what profits we can make from corn production. To get this 80 lbs. of actual nitrogen per acre it is necessary to apply 100 lbs. of anhydrous ammonia or 240 lbs. of ammonium (Please Turn To Page 6)

Ike Milam Died At Dyersburg

DYERSBURG — Isaac Finis Milam, Dyersburg carpenter, died Sunday morning at his home here. He was 58.

Funeral services were at 2 p. m. Sunday afternoon at the East Dyersburg Methodist Church, with the Rev. Merle Thomas officiating. Burial was in the Fairview Cemetery.

Mr. Milam was employed by the Forum-Lannon Lumber Co. He was a Methodist.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Lottie Milam; two sons, Thomas Milam and Walter Milam of Memphis; a daughter, Mrs. Lucy Moore of Nederland, Texas; and three sisters, Mrs. Glenn Inman of Indianapolis, Ind., Mrs. Roger Pryor of Sheridan, Ind. and Mrs. R. L. Jones of Dyersburg.

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FOR COUNTY JUDGE LEWIS—The Graphic is authorized to announce Dr. J. R. Lewis as a candidate for re-election as County Judge in the General Election on August 7, 1958.

SCOTT—The Graphic is authorized to announce Dr. James S. Scott as a candidate for election as County Judge in the General Election on August 7, 1958.

WANT ADS

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FOR SALE — My home, six rooms and bath, outhouses, on Love street. V. D. Ponder, Phone 884, Ripley. 4-4-58

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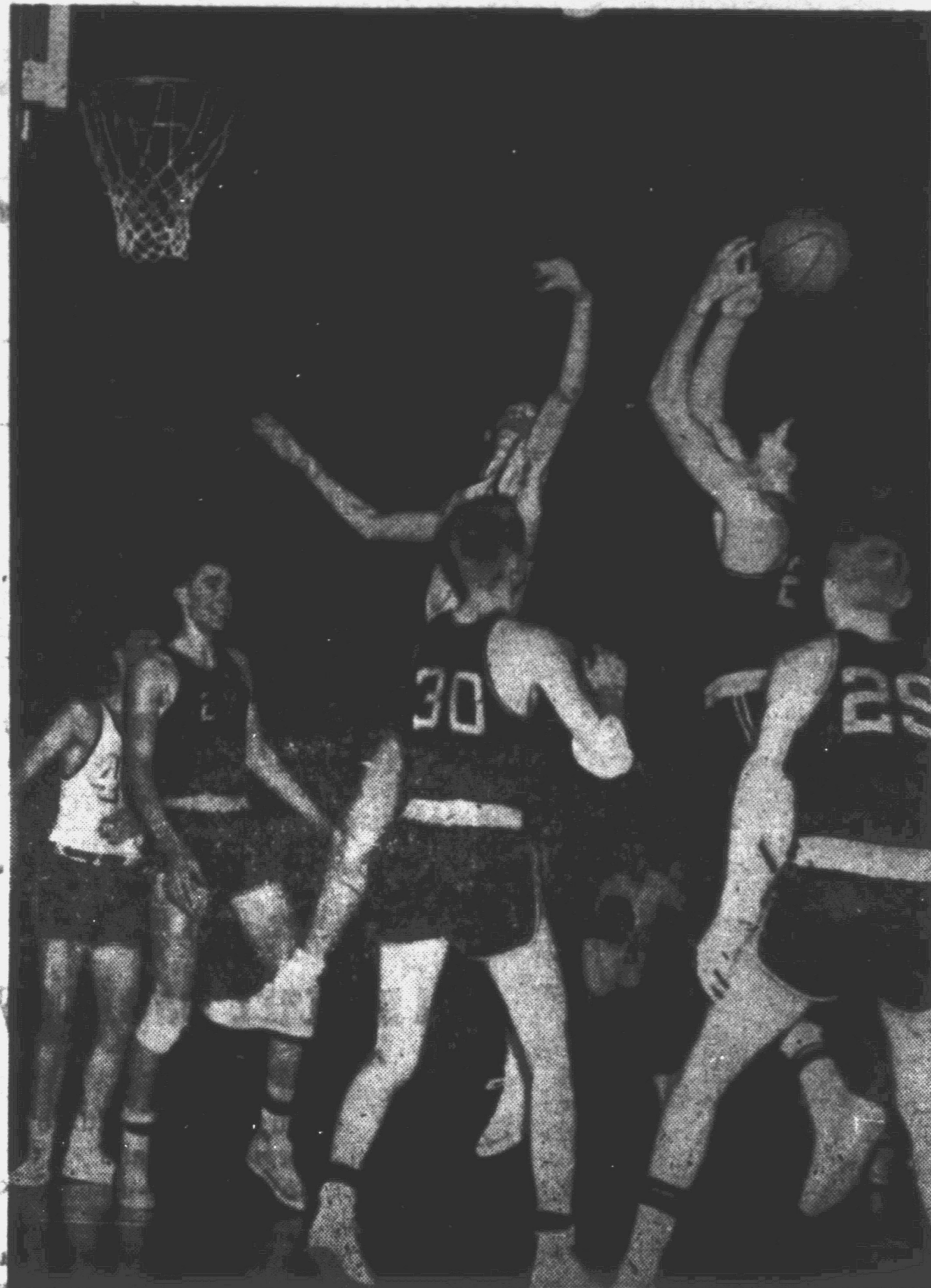
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All-West Tennessee selection Tommy McGarrity comes down with a rebound after Josh Nunn (27) had missed with a jump shot. Larry McBride (30) and Bill Tatum (29) wait for Tommy to come down out of the clouds. Reaching and grabbing air is Jimmy Cupples of Henderson and behind Josh is Colston of Henderson. The Eagles upset the Tigers 40-38 in the semi-finals and went on to take the Region 8 title the following night.

IN LOUISVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Viar, Jr. have returned home after being in Louisville, Ky. where Mr. Viar attended a Production Credit Association Conference. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Leon Brower of Memphis.

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A plan carried through in this gardening project will give the Mrs. L. L. McDearman and family many more vegetables and Mrs. A. G. Hargett are spending in addition will utilize the ground a few days in Memphis.

Tennessee Topics

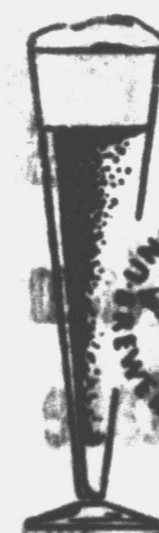


Buried Gold on Big Clear Creek?

In 1949 a resident of Wartburg went to California and made a rich gold strike. He brought his fortune in saggats back to Morgan County, but after a short stay decided to return to California. Afraid he might be robbed on the way, he buried the gold on the bluffs of Big Clear Creek.

Illness befell him on the return trip to California. Before his death, the prospector sent word of the buried treasure to a relative, who failed to find it. As far as anyone knows, the treasure is still there . . . so the story goes.

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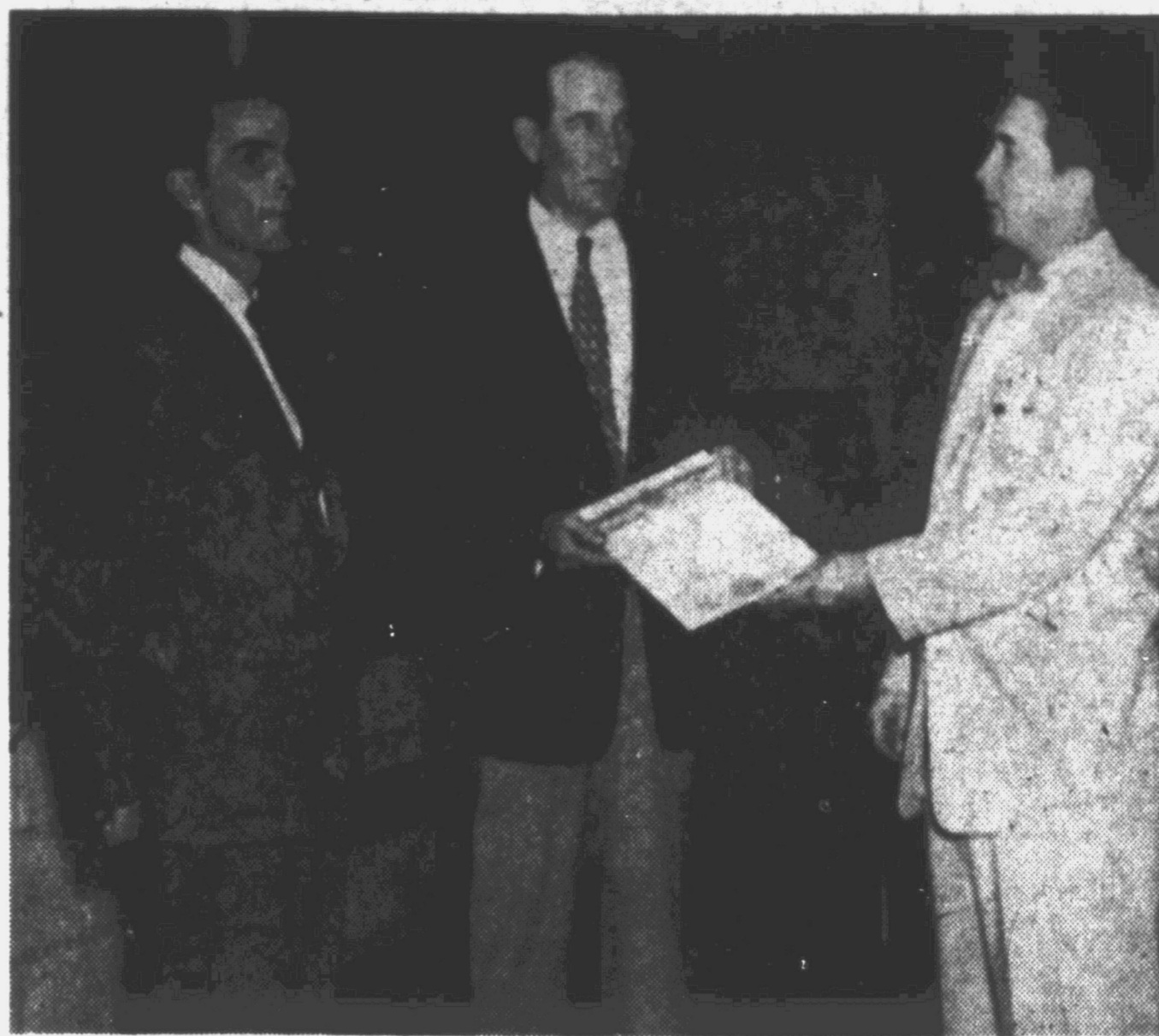
Mrs. Finis Hardy

Mrs. Quinton Young has visited her brother, Willie Witt, and Mrs. Witt in Covington.

Mrs. Nina Rose Johnson and mother were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Escue last week.

Mrs. Frank Garrett and Miss Ola Johnson spent Sunday with Mrs. Garrett's daughter, Miss Inez Escue.

Those attending the WSCS Lenten Day Apart service in Ripley Methodist Church were: Mrs. Cecil Baker, Mrs. John Lewis, Mrs. Nina Rose Johnson, Mrs. R. V. Lilley, and Mrs. Finis Hardy.



Cub Scout Pack Committee Chairman E. M. Steelman, Jr. (center) receives Pack 67's 1958 charter from Scout Field Representative Perry Greene of Trenton as Cubmaster Ben Eaton looks on. The charter was presented at the Cub banquet held in the school cafeteria recently.

Mrs. W. L. Burkes is improving in the Methodist Hospital in Memphis after undergoing surgery last week.

Lt. and Mrs. Carl Holley of Biloxi, Miss. were weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Pickard.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Voss and E. M. Voss spent Friday in Memphis with Mrs. W. L. Burkes who is in the hospital there.

Ivan Ball is in the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Hospital in Memphis after undergoing surgery Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bates Sullivan and son and Mary Virginia Sullivan of Fulton, Tenn. were Sunday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Talmadge Heathcott.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Gray of Covington have recently visited in the Raymond Brantley home.

Mr. Henry Lee has been moved to John Gaston Hospital in Memphis due to injuries received in a fall several days ago.

Attend Training School

Those attending the Methodist Training School in Ripley were Talmadge Heathcott, Rev. John Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Voss and Mrs. Cecil Baker Sunday afternoon.

WSCS Meeting

The Methodist WSCS met in the home of Mrs. L. E. Wood on Monday evening at 7:30 with co-hostesses, Mrs. Finis Hardy, Mrs. Paul Avery, and Mrs. E. M. Voss. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Cecil Baker. The devotional was given from The Upper Room and after the devotional a business session was held. Mrs. G. B. Baker, program leader, presented the program with the subject being "March of Missions In Healing". Talks were given by Mrs. Vallie Robison, Mrs. Ike Childress, Miss Lois Gamble, Mrs. E. M. Voss, Mrs. Vernon Gilliland, and Mrs. Talmadge Heathcott. Mrs. Rose Johnson closed the program with prayer. After the close of the meeting a social hour was enjoyed with the hostesses serving a party plate with frosted drinks. We were glad to have Mrs. Burnell Savage of Halls to visit with us.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank our many friends and neighbors for the wonderful way they have shown their kindness through our mother's illness with cards, visits, gifts, prayers and in many other ways.
Mrs. R. L. Beard
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PAULA HIPPI SELECTED AS 4-H CONTEST WINNER

Charles Peal
Asst. County Agent
Paula Hipp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tucker Hipp of Ashport was chosen Saturday as one of three district winners in the 4-H Cooperative Educational Activity. These winners received as an award a trip to the American Institute of Cooperation at State College, Pennsylvania, August 24-27.

In scoring the highest number of points in the district Paula showed, by presenting a demonstration on Farm Credit, one of the things she learned in working in this activity. This demonstration plus her record book gave her a high score.

This new 4-H activity is designed to teach boys and girls about the businesses that the farmers deal with in order to produce their crops and livestock. These businesses include cooperatives, private enterprises, partnerships, and corporations. Paula was the winner from the Ripley Senior 4-H Club and as a result represented this county in the district. **Public Speakers Compete At Jackson**

Jerry Ammons competed successfully in the district Public Speaking Contest Saturday in that he placed among the five top speakers which were rated with a blue ribbon award. Delaine Hamby, the Senior girl representative, placed in the red ribbon group. The two Junior county representatives, Edwin Best and Marsha Hughes, each placed in the white ribbon group.

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MISS SALLY CRIHFIELD

ANNOUNCE PLANS FOR APRIL WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. William Franklin Crihfield of Dermott, Arkansas, announce the engagement of their daughter, Martha (Sally), to Mr. Hunter LaGrand Shepherd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elgie LaGrand Shepherd, of Marianna, Arkansas.

Miss Crihfield is the granddaughter of Mrs. Edgar Levi Crihfield and the late Mr. Crihfield, of Halls, Tennessee. She attended Arkansas State Teachers College, Conway, Arkansas; Arkansas A & M College, Monticello, Arkansas; and the University of Tennessee Medical Branch, Memphis, Tennessee. Mr. Shepherd attended the University of Arkansas where he was a member of Lambda Chi Alpha social fraternity, and was graduated from Arkansas A & M College, Monticello, Arkansas. Mr. Shepherd will begin studies at the University of Tennessee Dental School in July.

The Dermott, Arkansas, wedding will take place in late April.

Go to Church Sunday

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER HONORS RECENT BRIDE

A miscellaneous shower was given March 13th in honor of Mrs. Bobbie Jones, of Dyersburg, the former Miss Janice Daniels, in the home of Mrs. Buck White in the Hellen's-Bluff community.

In the receiving line were the bride, the bride's mother, Mrs. Bulah Daniels, and Mrs. White.

In the large dining room and kitchen where two tables were overlaid with lace cloths guests were invited to register in the bride's book and were served punch, open-faced sandwiches and cookies. Presiding in the dining room were Mrs. R. N. Harris, Mrs. Bernard Mayo, Miss Joyce Davis and Miss Helen Young.

The bride received many lovely gifts which included pieces of her chosen pattern of silver and china.

A six scrambled word contest which contained musical instruments and flowers was won by Mrs. Peck Young.

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ENGAGEMENT, WEDDING PLANS ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Beane of Jackson, Mississippi, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Nancy Ruth Beane, to Dr. Hutson Edwin McCorkle, of Halls, Tennessee, son of Mrs. Henry Grady McCorkle of Halls, and the late Mr. McCorkle.

The wedding will be solemnized in the home of the bride-elect on Saturday, the fifth of April.

Miss Beane was graduated from the School of Dental Hygiene, University of Tennessee College of Dentistry on March the seventeenth. Dr. McCorkle graduated from UT Dental College last August and is now associated with the State Public Health program of North Carolina.

PATTY WILLIAMS HOSTESS TO GA MEETING

The Girls' Auxiliary met Wednesday night, March 19, at the home of Patty Williams. Lynn Stallings was in charge of the program.

Those attending were: Mrs. Jesse Newton, Patty Williams, Alix Hallman, Beverly Cannon, Jo Alice Phillips, Rita Williams, Sylvia Mathis, Lynn Stallings, Marietta Griffin, Patricia Baker, and Patricia Hines.

The next meeting will be held at the church.

Jo Alice Phillips, Reporter

CALDWELL HEADS OIL MARKETERS

Fred L. Caldwell of Ripley was elected chairman of the Lauderdale County Oil Marketers and E. L. Figg of Ripley, vice-chairman, at a meeting held March 12 at a dutch luncheon at the Blue and White Cafe in Ripley to discuss matters of concern to local oilmen and their customers.

Problems connected with Tennessee's accelerating highway program, were highlighted at the gathering, which was told that diversion of road tax revenue to non-highway purposes may threaten Tennessee's ability to meet Federal Highway Aid matching

requirements.

Bill Haga, executive secretary of the Volunteer State Oil Marketers, pointed out to the group that approximately \$10 million a year in highway user taxes is siphoned off for non-road spending, according to the U. S. Bureau of Public Roads.

"With the average Tennessee motorist already paying over \$145 per year in state and federal automotive taxes," Mr. Haga said, "it is high time they started getting a dollar's worth of road for every tax-dollar they surrender."

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Personals

Mrs. Hal Wallace of Jackson, and daughter, Mrs. James L. Cannon, Jr. and little daughter, Lisa, of Baxley, Ga. visited with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hurt Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carmen Belton returned home Thursday after spending the early part of the week in Gatlinburg where they attended the meeting of the Eastern Star Grand Chapter.

Miss Nancy Connell, who doing practice teaching at Clarksdale, Miss., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Connell.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Tanner were in Memphis Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Gooch spent Saturday night and Sunday in Selmer with Mr. and Mrs. Tull. Mr. Tull is ill.

Mrs. Arthur Haynes of Memphis, a niece of Mrs. Fred Hurt, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hurt.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ward and family of Memphis spent Sunday with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Belton.

Mrs. Milton Williams visited her mother, Mrs. Oscar Griggs, at Lauderdale County Hospital Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carmack McDonald and daughter, Sue, and Miss Gail Hartlien of Sikeston, Mo. spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ocle Garrett.

Mrs. Fred Hurt, Mrs. David Hurt and Katliou, Mrs. Marvin Hansford, Jimmy and Judy were in Memphis Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Meadows attended funeral services for Mrs. Meadows' grandmother, Mrs. Edna Hagerty, at Brownsville Friday.

Mrs. Frank Baldrige has been sick with influenza.



George Edler (center), head of the Shawnee Manufacturing Co., discusses with Col. Bob Barker (left) and Col. T. G. Jones (right) plans for auction of the former Shawnee building on May 14. Col. Barker and Col. Jones are members of the firm of Barker Associates, real estate auctioneers and industrial promoters of Hopkinsville, Ky. They point out to Mr. Edler some of the advantages of the Halls industrial sites as outlined in the recently published Town of Halls brochure.

Mrs. R. S. Bell spent Wednesday and Thursday in Dyersburg with Dr. and Mrs. John Talley. Mr. and Mrs. Neil Keltner and children spent Sunday in Memphis with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Burk.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hayes and daughters of Bruceton spent the weekend with Mrs. Hayes' parents Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Carnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Smith and daughter, Marilyn, of Nashville spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ike Palmore.

Major George Smercheck has returned to Little Rock, Ark. after visiting here during the weekend. He was accompanied by Mrs. Smercheck, who had been visiting her mother, Mrs. Floyd Hurt.

Mr. and Mrs. James Elmore and son, Mike, of Chestnut Bluff were guests of Mrs. Irma Cole Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Baker and daughter, who have been making their home in Ripley, have moved to Clarksville, Tenn. where Mr. Baker is connected with Radio Station WDXN.

Mrs. H. G. McCorkle and Miss Hazel Griffin were in Memphis Monday night to attend the graduation exercises of University of Tennessee Dental College where Miss Nancy Beane received her degree as a dental hygienist.

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Dr. and Mrs. Bernard Simmons and daughters of Obion spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. T. H. Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wright have been sick with influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Barber and two daughters of Kerville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Garrett Sunday.

Mrs. Bell Gilliland has returned home after spending two weeks in Memphis with her grandchildren and friends.

Miss Buna Smith has returned to Knoxville where she attends the University of Tennessee after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gailon Smith.

Miss Carmon Garrett spent the weekend with her brother, J. L. Garrett, and family near Maury City.

Mrs. C. M. Walker, Mrs. John Rawles and Miss Lillian Rawles of Dyersburg were guests of Miss Lyde Rawles and Mrs. S. F. Young Sunday afternoon.

Miss Blanche Nunn has returned to Knoxville where she attends the University of Tennessee after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Nunn.

Mrs. T. G. Avery returned home Thursday from St. Joseph Hospital in Memphis. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Avery drove to Memphis to accompany Mrs. Avery home.

Becky Viar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Viar, underwent a tonsilectomy at Baptist Hospital in Memphis.

Larry White, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jake White, is doing nicely after undergoing surgery at Baptist Hospital in Memphis early this week.

Miss Carolyn McCorkle has returned to Martin where she attends UTMB after spending the between quarters holidays with her mother, Mrs. H. G. McCorkle. Mrs. McCorkle and Miss McCorkle spent Saturday in Memphis with Dr. Hutson McCorkle.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Baker and daughter of Memphis spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baker.

Mrs. Pinkney Meacham of Ripley and Mrs. R. S. Bell visited Mrs. Henry White at Concord Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Escue and children of Elkhart, Ind. are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Escue.

BALFOUR AWARD WINNER



KAY MCGARRITY
Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill McGarrity of Halls, has been named to receive the Balfour Faculty Award according to an announcement by James C. Peery, HHS principal. Each year a senior is selected by the faculty to receive this award with the selection based on Scholarship, Personality, and a number of other points.

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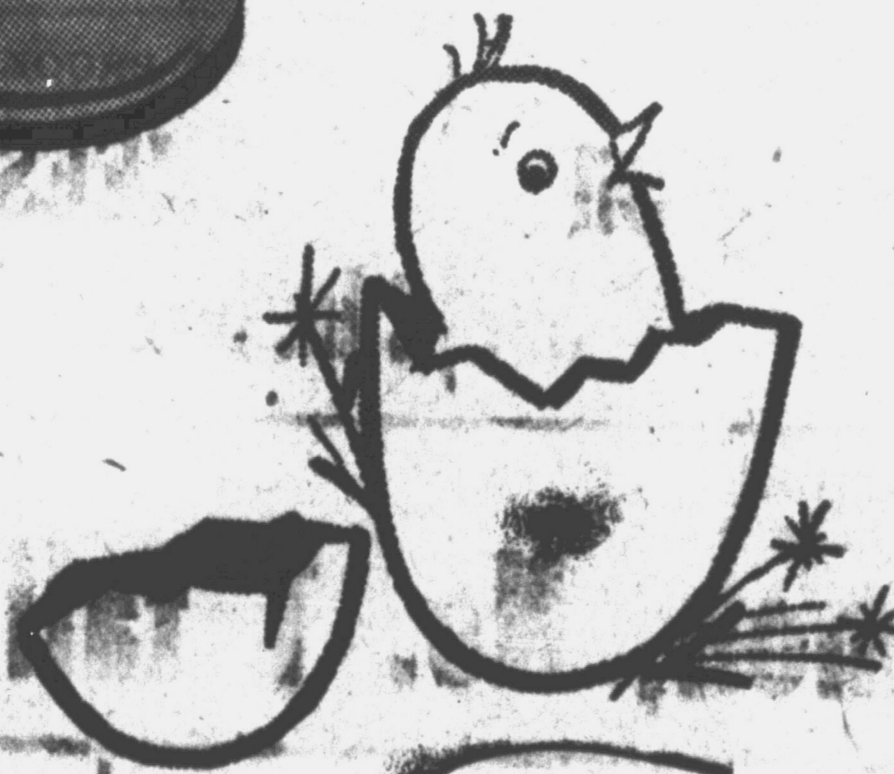
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TOMMY McGARRITY

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he was also the only District 30 player to make the All-West Tennessee team.

Others on the All-West Tennessee team included: Bill Carey of Rutheford, also the only Weststate boy to be named to the All-State team; Jimmy McClain of Trezevant; George Prichett of Martin;

Bobby Huffstutler of Obion; Ken Sikeston, Missouri announce the engagement of their daughter, Davis of Savannah; Johnny May of Mason Hall; Jimmy Cupples of Henderson; Bill Pitt of Milan; and James Horton of Ramer.

Others from District 30 receiving honorable mention to the All-West Tennessee team included: Jim Viers and Bobby Williams, of Brownsville; James Maugham of Munford; James Blackmon, of Brighton.

MISS HARTLIEN ENGAGED TO KENNETH GARRETT

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Hartlien of

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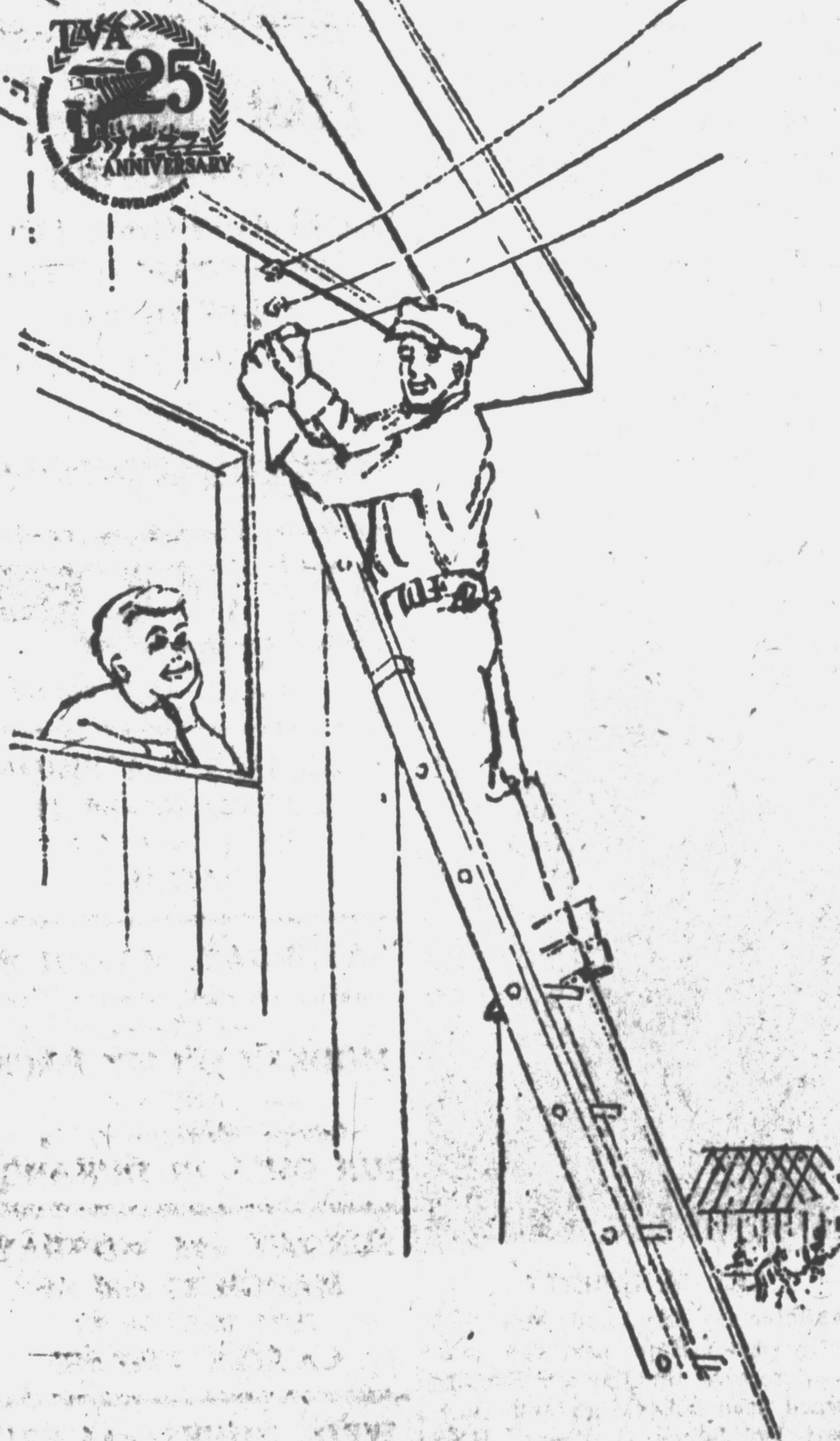
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Confidential Corner

Unfortunate

It was unfortunate that the fire truck developed starter motor trouble and had to be pushed off Sunday night before it could answer the call to the home of Mrs. Sarah Cherry. However, since several years ago we had quite a bit to say about running the fire truck every day in order to avoid such troubles, we inquired to see if the truck is being run daily. We find that it is and, of course, mechanical troubles can develop without warning. We must commend Fire Chief Woodley for seeing that the trouble was repaired Sunday night so that the same trouble would not occur if other fire calls came in. We have been informed that the Cherry home was well ablaze before discovered and probably most of the damage would have been done even if the fire truck had reached the scene without delay. Chief Woodley reported a 4-minute delay because of the starter trouble.

— Help Halls Grow —

Some Interesting Figures

Thursday we were given some interesting figures which have been compiled by the Tennessee Industrial & Development Commission. Due to lack of time we were unable to give the figures sufficient study in time for this week's Graphic but the figures will be broken down next week. Just a few of the figures are: Just 100 new factory workers would mean \$590,000 more personal income; \$270,000 more bank deposits; 296 more people; 174 more workers employed. These figures, more than anything we have seen, reveal just why it is so vital that Halls secure additional industry if the town is to grow and prosper. We are indebted to Mr. P. W. Crittendon, member of the West Tennessee Industrial Association, for the pamphlet containing these figures.

TO ATTEND 4-H CLUB CONGRESS IN NASHVILLE

Charles Peal
Asst. County Agent

Delegates To Attend 4-H Congress

Marion Buffalo, Gates; Larry Kiestler, Curve; Ranny Carmack, Dry Hill; and Betty Aitken, Ripley, are four of the 500 boys and girls from 95 Tennessee counties who will be wearing the 4-H emblems when they assemble in the War Memorial Auditorium, Nashville, Sunday evening, March 30, to open their Eleventh Tennessee 4-H Congress.

While in Nashville for the 3-day meeting, delegates grouped as Senators and Representatives, will tour the city; be guests of various sponsors, nominate, campaign for, and elect a slate of 1959 officers; and mix recreation along with business sessions.

ATHLETIC BANQUET SET FOR TONIGHT

The annual Halls High School Athletic Banquet will be held tonight (Friday) at the school cafeteria. Letters and awards will be presented at the banquet with the boys and girls to go to the Youth Center following the banquet. Parents of HHS athletes will be guests of the Athletic Association at the banquet.

PRACTICE FOOTBALL GAME TUESDAY

The Halls Tigers football squad will go to Tiptonville next Tuesday afternoon for a spring practice game. Coach Pete Meadows has had the boys in uniform for the past two weeks but bad weather has hindered practice. Some twenty-five boys have reported and been issued equipment.

Dixielanders Play At Memphis

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Bridges of Double Bridges community, along with Mrs. Bridges' sister, Mrs. Mazie Hudson of Memphis, attended a band concert at Treadwell High School in Memphis on Monday night where the Dixielanders, a rock and roll band composed of boys from the Tennessee School for the Blind at Nashville, performed. Their son, Ronald Bridges, plays the trumpet in the band.

The Dixielanders, winners of the Mid-South Fair youth talent contest last September, were in Memphis to play for directors and advisors of the Fair at the Claridge Hotel at noon Monday and for the band concert Monday night. They were also guests on the WHBQ Television Show, Jr. High Time, Monday night.

The Dixielanders were the entertaining band at the Forked Deer Electric Coop membership meeting last August and during the past year have won many honors. All of the members of the band are either totally blind or very nearly so. They expected to perform in New York City, probably on TV, some time during the month of May.

FORMER 4-H'ER TAKES EXTENSION SERVICE JOB

L. B. Marshall, Jr. of near Ripley, has accepted a position in Cherokee County, North Carolina as an Assistant County Agent. His duties will that of working with 4-H members and farmers.

L. B. was an active and outstanding 4-H Club member in this county. This should give him a good background for his work. He is a recent graduate of the University of Tennessee Martin Branch where he majored in general agriculture. We wish him the best of success in his Extension work.

Pre-School Clinic Set For Thursday

Hubert Jones, principal of Halls Junior High and Elementary School, has announced that the annual Pre-School Clinic for all children who will enter school for the first time next September will be held next Thursday, April 3, at the Halls School.

In addition to students who plan to attend Halls, students for Gates, Double Bridges and Nankipoo Schools are to come to the pre-school clinic here.

Gates School students will be due here at 9 a. m.; Double Bridges students are to come at 10; and Nankipoo students are to be here at 11. W. A. Grimes, County Attendance Officer, has announced that school buses will pick up the students and their parents at 8:45 at Gates, 9:45 at Double Bridges, and 10:45 at Nankipoo. The buses will also carry them back to their various schools.

Halls students are to be at the pre-school clinic from 1:00 to 3:00 p. m. Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Grimes warned that the pre-school clinic is required and that failure to bring your child to the clinic means that he will have to be carried to the family physician for the required shots and examination. No student will be admitted to a school who has not met the requirements.

D. E. CLASS WINS DISTRICT HONORS

The Halls High Distribution Education Class and their advisor, Mrs. Ruth Hallman, attended the West Tennessee District Meeting at Jackson on Tuesday, March 25, 1958. The meeting was held in Collin Chapel at Union University.

The class had four visitors, three of whom are planning to take D. E. next year, to go along, also Linda Tomlinson, a former DE'er.

We arrived in Jackson and registered, then we were seated in the chapel for a session of business. We had one contest, the Selling Contest in the morning and then the meeting was adjourned for lunch. Since we were in different cars we all scattered for lunch. We learned a little about the town until 1:30.

The afternoon session consisted of more contests. They were: Par-

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REV. JAMES P. IRION

Pastor of First Methodist Church at Paris, Tenn., will bring the messages for a series of Pre-Easter Services at Halls First Methodist Church according to an announcement by the Rev. J. K. Stuart, Halls pastor. The series will begin Sunday, March 30, and continue through Friday, April 4, with services twice daily at 7:15 a. m. and 1:15 p. m. Special music will be presented each evening. Among Rev. Irion's subjects will be, "The Land of Tomorrow," "The Glory of the Cross," "When Christ Came To Calvary."

Fires Damage Two Houses This Week

Two fires, both causing heavy damage, struck Halls on successive nights early this week.

Shortly before midnight Sunday night the fire alarm was turned in when a neighbor discovered the home of Mrs. Sarah Cherry on West Main street to be in flames. Starter trouble with the fire truck delayed reaching the fire for a few minutes and the home was a total loss. Mrs. Cherry was at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wayne Vaden, and there was no one in the house. The fire was well along when discovered.

Shortly after midnight Monday night the home of Pat Dixon, colored, on Pearl street was badly damaged by fire. Once again no one was at home and the fire was discovered by neighbors.

Fire Chief W. H. Woodley reported that the fire truck was started and run Sunday but the starter motor went bad. It was replaced Sunday night so that no further difficulty would be encountered.

INSURANCE AGENT WINS CONVENTION TRIP

Mr. Ulas N. Williams, of Dyersburg, agent here for the Life and Casualty Insurance Co., has been notified that he has qualified for the Company's annual convention to be held at The Shamrock-Hilton Hotel in Houston, Texas, April 9-12.

The expense-free trip is awarded to top sales leaders as a result of their production results for 1957.

Mr. Williams' record also qualified his wife who will accompany him on the trip.

GARDEN CLUB TO MEET WITH MRS. SANFORD

The Halls Garden Club will meet next Thursday, April 3, at 2:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. John Sanford at 180 Lake Drive in Ripley. All members are urged to attend.

New Cotton Variety Shows Good Yields

F. H. Paschal
County Agent

The new Pope variety of cotton which made 827 lbs. of lint per acre average in 48 plots at six locations over Tennessee in 1957 as compared to 747 lbs. for Empire and 696 lbs. for Deltapine 15 also performed well for J. J. Ayers of Porters Gap community.

Mr. Ayers had 3 3-4 acres of Pope and three-fourths of an acre of Deltapine 15 on 4 1-2 acres. He put 800 lbs. of 6-12-12 and 1000 lbs. of ammonium nitrate six inches deep under the cotton before it was planted on April 28. The DPL had to be replanted on May 8. Farmers interested in early cotton will be interested to know that Mr. Ayers picked five bales from this 4 1-2 acres weighing a total of 2684 lbs. in September, two bales weighing 1188 lbs. plus 520 lbs. of seed cotton in October and then pulled 880 lbs. of cotton in December and January for a total of 3.6 bales of 500 lbs. average from the 4 1-2 acres.

Four of these bales sold at 35c and three sold at 36c. The Pope cotton was not more than waist high, but the later planted DPL was almost a foot taller. Mr. Ayers did not poison for boll weevil and did not have much weevil damage. He attributes this to the fact that he hoed all this cotton himself and killed the first boll weevils he found by hand.

Market Hog Pool April 15

Hog producers have been hearing a lot in the last two years about meat type hogs. An auction sale of graded hogs will be held at Trenton livestock barn on April 15. Hogs will be received from 8:00 to 11:00 a. m. Hogs will be graded and then sold beginning at 1:00 o'clock.

All West Tennessee hog producers are invited to enter hogs in this sale and get a better understanding of the grades and the way they affect prices.

Plant Cotton By Soil Warmth

A new method of determining when to plant cotton has been used successfully by quite a number of producers during the last two years. The plan is to take the temperature of the soil 3 inches down at about 6:00 to 7:00 o'clock each morning and record it. When the soil temperature is 60 degrees or above for three

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To Discuss Cotton Insect Control

Farmers and landowners are urged to attend a meeting at Halls High School next Tuesday night, April 1, at 7:30 to hear a discussion on "Cotton Insect Control."

Mr. R. P. Mullett, Agricultural Extension Service Entomologist, of Knoxville, will address the meeting. Mr. Mullett, who is state entomologist, is highly informed on the subject and is being brought here at the request of numerous farmers concerning information on insect control.

The meeting will be held in the high school assembly hall under the sponsorship of the Agriculture Department and the County Agent's Office, Local Agriculture Advisors H. G. Conley and Jasper Taylor urge farmers to hear Mr. Mullett.



Receiving the girls' championship trophy for the Halls girls in the Junior High Invitational Tournament held in the Halls Junior High gym recently are, left to right: Melody Meeks, Kay Tillman, Maxine Burrough, Glenda Belton, and Elizabeth Alsbrook. Not pictured is Judy Brandon, remaining starter on the team. All the girls are ninth graders.

— Photo by Chuck Murchison

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HALLS, TENNESSEE

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NEW DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. James Elmer Street, of Halls, Route 2, announce the birth of a daughter on Sunday, March 23. The young lady has been named Judy Elaine.

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We want to thank our friends and neighbors for the kindness shown us in the bereavement and loss of our mother and grandmother, Mrs. Jennie Harber. The cards, telephone calls, flowers and visits are deeply appreciated. May God bless each of you. Mr. and Mrs. Bill McGarrity And Children

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SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS

by Earl R. West

The Lauderdale County Soil Conservation District had its first annual District Cooperators banquet on March 21st at 7 o'clock P. M. at the Ripley High School Cafeteria.

The banquet was attended by one hundred and fifty landowners, businessmen and other people interested in the conservation

of soil and water.

Entertainment was furnished by the Southerners Quartet from Ripley and Miss Patty Williams of Halls. Miss Williams was accompanied by Mrs. Wymond Hurt.

Interesting talks were given by Jerry Ammons, 4-H Club boy, and Bobby Hathcock, FFA boy, from Ripley High School.

Mr. John Sheldon Wilder, president of the State Association of Soil Conservation District, talked about watersheds and watershed

development.

Several landowners living in the Cane Creek watershed have shown an interest in developing a watershed project on the creek. Supervisors of the Soil Conservation District are interested in getting a watershed project started in Lauderdale County.

The watershed protection and flood prevention act, Public Law 566, authorizes the Secretary of Agriculture to give technical and financial aid to local organizations in planning and carrying out watershed projects.

One of the first steps to be taken in setting up a project is to get a petition signed by 20 percent of the landowners owning 25 percent of the land in a given watershed.

An application has already been received from the State Watershed Committee for Cane Creek. The Lauderdale Soil Conservation District Supervisors have been working on the application.

The Supervisors want to thank the editors of the Lauderdale County Enterprise and the Halls Graphic, radio station WTRB, the FFA chapters from Ripley and Halls, and local businessmen for helping make the banquet a success.

Supper. This is due no doubt to the fact that would-be theologians have tried to read too much into them, instead of keeping them simple for trusting believers as Jesus intended. Jesus nowhere makes the way of salvation a complicated affair, involving particular manner of doing things or an exclusive system of thought. He emphasized trusting faith like that of a little child.

We ought to be glad the way of life is open, not to theologians only, but to everyone. Jesus never placed the test of true religion in the realm of the mind. He placed the true qualities of His followers in the heart. "Now if any man have not the Spirit of Christ he is none of His."

In the truest sense Baptism and the Lord's Supper are pictures of realities that lie behind them. Both present to us what Christ had done for our salvation. Jesus never instituted baptism until after His death and resurrection. That night in the upper room when He instructed the Lord's Supper He said, "What I am doing you do not know now, but after ward you will understand." All the acts of that evening would be cleared up by the sacrificial death and the victorious resurrection.

If we could transport ourselves back into that upper room on "the night in which He was betrayed," we could see the profound simplicity of it all. He had announced His death and the manner of it. He was going back to the Father. Their hearts were heavy. Three days later one of the believers said, "We had hope that he was the One to redeem Israel." It was as much as to say, "We had hoped; we no longer hope." So in the presence of the troubled group Jesus took bread, broke it, gave it to them saying, "This is my body given for you." Then the cup: "This cup is the new covenant in my blood." Here was a picture showing the meaning of His death.

Christian baptism as practiced by the early church came to mean more than the baptism of John which was a "baptism of repentance for the remission of sins." Christian baptism brought the saving grace of Christ. By it persons were incorporated into the Church. It was baptism into Christ. Paul gives it a two-fold meaning. We are "baptized into His death . . . buried with Him into death." Which signifies that the man of sin is to die by daily sorrow and repentance. But that is not all. We are baptized into life. "That as Christ was raised up from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might walk in newness of life."

Some Church Fathers have called the sacraments a "seal" of His saving grace. The central figure in them is the Lord Jesus Christ, not ourselves nor what we do. It is what He does that counts. He has redeemed us. That is an accomplished fact. But the sacrament is more than a commemoration of a past event. Every single time a sacrament is celebrated, God takes action. Not only did He give himself on Calvary; His love follows us. He is assuring us, "You are mine, you are bought with a price." He is pressing His claims, assuring us of His continued grace, telling us we can rely upon it absolutely. He is saying to us, "Never, never will I leave you, never, never will I forsake you."

Sunday School Lesson

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

Lesson for Sunday, March 30

(Romans 6:3-4; I Corinthians 10:14-20)

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PROTESTS PLANS OFFERED TO INCREASE BUSINESS

Following is a copy of a letter which David H. Hurt, member of the firm of Farmers Implement & Seed Co. here, has recently mailed to President Eisenhower, members of the Congress and to other newspapers. Since the business lag has been of major importance we believe that the contents of the letter will be of interest locally. The letter follows:

March 17, 1958
President of the United States
Mr. Dwight D. Eisenhower
The White House
Washington, D. C.
Dear Mr. President,

Isn't it high time some of our leaders got some good old common horse sense? Don't we all know that the very policies that are being advocated are the ones that are responsible for the lay-off and unemployment?

Any government spending spree or stimulant to labor will tend to increase the price of the product, such as automobiles, tractors, etc. This will price it farther out of reach of the majority of the buying public, and will also tend to lessen the confidence of the people. Which in turn will keep the ones that are able from spending their money. Doesn't the very same rule apply that your Mr. Benson advocates in regard to cotton and other farm products, "Get the price down to where they will move on the market"? It appears to us that the government in place of doing anything to encourage a rise in the price of manufactured products should apply their efforts in getting the price down level with the purchasing power. Then the products will sell, the manufacturer can produce, and the workers can go back to work.

And another thing, it is high time that the politicians quit representing the beggars, both little and big, and begin representing the American People.

We hope that this will be given some sober thought, and sincerely believe that what is advocated here (with the exception of the pressure groups) is in agreement with the vast majority of Americans.

Sincerely Yours,
Farmers Imp. & Seed Co.
by David H. Hurt

ENTERTAINED WITH FISH SUPPER

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cook, Sr., had as their guests for a Fish Supper Tuesday night: Mr. and Mrs. Leon Hargett and daughter, Mary Ellen of Ripley, Mr. and Mrs. Eutran Cook of Central, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Burks of Poplar Grove, and Mrs. Fred Mynett and children.

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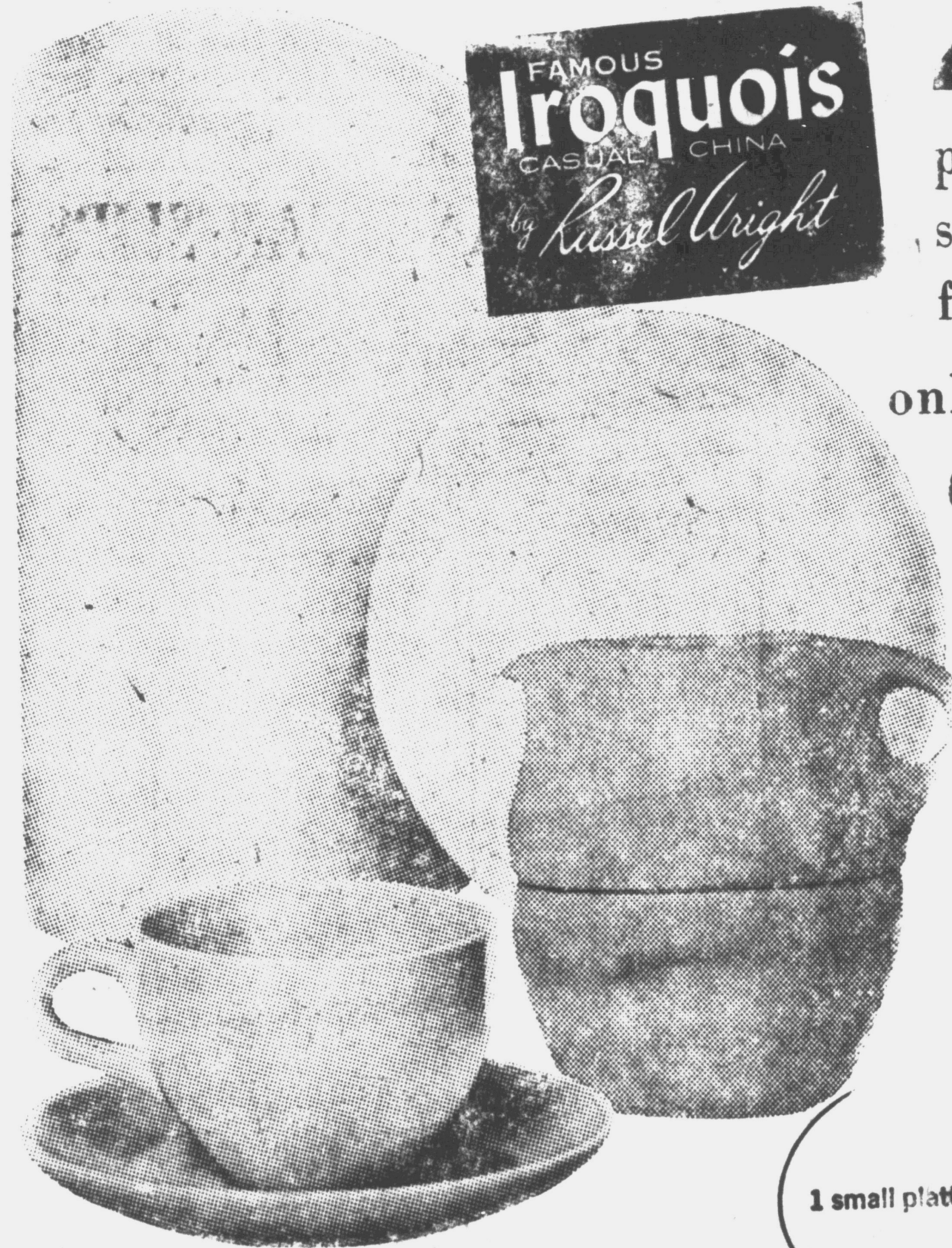
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- 1 sugar
- 1 open round vegetable dish
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Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Bell of Memphis spent last Saturday morning with his grandmother, Mrs. A. B. Witt.

Jimmy Chaney of Moultrie, Ga. visited his mother, Mrs. J. J. Chaney, during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Norment of Whiteville spent Sunday with Mrs. T. H. Simmons.

Tommy Simmons and Raybon Chambers are in Nashville where they are attending a meeting of the Grand Masonic Lodge.

Miss Reba Jones spent Thursday of last week in Memphis with her brother, Eula Jones and Mrs. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hass left Saturday to make their home in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Espey were in Memphis Thursday of last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Hubert Jones and family have moved to the former Outler house east of Halls which is owned by R. V. Agee.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. David Nunn and son, Warren, and Mrs. L. L. McDearman spent Monday afternoon in Blytheville, Ark.

Rev. Robert Johnson of McKenzie, pastor of the Poplar Grove Presbyterian Church, visited Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Freeman Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Tanner and Mrs. A. C. Smith were in Okolona, Miss. Friday and Saturday where they attended funeral services for Mrs. Smith's sister-in-law, Mrs. Claiborne Quinn, Saturday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Smith's daughter, Mrs. R. G. Rainwater, of Atlanta, Ga., who also attended the funeral. Mrs. Rainwater left Wednesday to return to her home in Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. McDearman, Jr., were in Memphis Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Dyer and son, Tommy, returned Monday after spending the weekend with Mrs. Dyer's mother, Mrs. L. T. Ross, at Gallatin.

Dr. Sara Murray has been called to Birmingham, Ala. to attend the bedside of her nephew, Paul Cooper, who is a patient in a hospital there. Mrs. Cooper is en route home by boat after a visit with their daughter in Paris, France.

Jim Hathaway of Memphis spent one day last week in the M. G. Pierce home.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Ross of Memphis spent the weekend with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Paige.

Bob Burnett and little grandson, Jimmy Burnett, of Ripley, have returned after spending a few days at Pensacola, Fla. They were accompanied home by Mr. Burnett's mother of Covington, who had spent the winter months in Pensacola.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harwell of Friendship visited Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hawkins Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hurt of Dyersburg visited Mrs. Floyd Hurt Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Millo Hurt have returned home after an extended visit with their daughter, Mrs. Richard Byrne and Mr. Byrne in Evansville, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Cherry, Jr. and son, Randy, spent Saturday night with Mrs. Cherry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, at Dyersburg.

B. F. Chambers of Tigrett visited friends here one day this week.

Lee Simmons has returned to Memphis where he attends University of Tennessee Dental College after spending several days with his mother, Mrs. T. H. Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Gooch and baby of Memphis spent the weekend with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McGarrity visited Mrs. McGarrity's sisters at Friendship Sunday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. P. H. Wiley of Memphis and Mrs. E. B. Wiley attended the funeral of Colie Bass, nephew of Mrs. E. B. Wiley, at Munford Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Connell are spending this week at Valdosta, Ga. with Dr. and Mrs. Donald Connell and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Meadows and daughter, Renee, and Mrs. Bernard Higdon and daughter, Carla, were in Memphis Wednesday night.

Mrs. Jim Harris of Alamo is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hawkins.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Stallings had as guests last weekend Mrs. J. L. Clark of Woodville, Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Scates of Louisville, Ky., Mr. and Mrs. Bedford Calhoun and daughter of Whitehaven.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Ira Hardy and son of Dunbar, West Virginia spent the weekend here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Sumrow and Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Hardy. They left Tuesday to visit her parents in Louisiana and will return here next weekend.

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Mrs. Preston Kiezer and daughter of West Memphis, Ark. and Miss Peggy Wood of Memphis were weekend guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wood.

Mrs. H. F. Middlecoff of Memphis was the recent guest of her mother, Mrs. G. T. Halliburton, and sister, Miss Gulnaire Halliburton.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Sloan spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Puckett of Fulton, Ky.

Mrs. Finis Hardy, Mrs. Pickard Ball and Mrs. L. E. Wood spent Monday in Memphis.

Mrs. Willette Fisher spent the first part of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCool in Rosemark.

Mr. and Mrs. John Frazier Lewis and family of Memphis spent Friday night with Rev. and Mrs. John Lewis.

Mrs. Hattie Parker visited last week with her daughter, Mrs. J. F. Harwell, and family in Nashville.

Mrs. Leroy Harris and boys spent the weekend in Memphis.

Miss Juanita Gilliland who is attending UT at Martin, was at home for the weekend.

Mrs. Finis Garrett visited Mrs. Gene Patton and daughter in Memphis over the weekend.

Mrs. L. S. McCage and Mrs. Grady Kelly are on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Coffman and son of Jackson spent Sunday with Mrs. Alice Conyers and the Coffmans.

Mrs. Alice Conyers of Brownsville spent one night with Mrs. G. T. Halliburton and Miss Gulnaire Halliburton.

Mrs. Glen Inman of Indianapolis, Ind., visited with Misses Mattie and Lillian Lee last week.

Mrs. Warren Garrett and Erma Ozment of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. Lomas Garrett for the weekend.

Mrs. Dixie Jackson had the following visitors over the weekend: Mr. and Mrs. Raynor Sorrell and family of Olive Branch, Miss., Mr. and Mrs. Nesbitt Jackson and family of Ripley, Mrs. Bessie Woodard and James Woodard of Memphis, and Raymond Jackson of Edith.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Escue of St. Louis, Mo., visited Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Escue several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Furr of Woodville and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Baker of Memphis were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Voss.

Donald Voss has been spending a ten-day leave at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Voss. He was enroute from San Antonio, Texas, to Omaha, Nebraska, where he will report for duty at an Air Force Base.

WOOL INCENTIVE PROGRAM DETAILED

The 1958 wool incentive program recently announced by the U. S. Department of Agriculture will be similar to the program in effect during the current marketing year.

As announced earlier, the shorn wool incentive price in 1958 will be 62 cents per pound, as during the past three years. The payment rate for shorn wool will be the percentage required to bring the national average price received by all producers for sales during the 1958 marketing year up to the 62-cent incentive level. The payment rate for the 1956 marketing year was 40 percent.

Producers who market wool during the 1958 marketing year

will be eligible for a payment which be an amount equal to the percentage rate times the proceeds from the sale of their wool. Payments will be made on the 1958 wool in the summer of 1959, when the tabulation of producer returns is completed.

Wool producers are urged to get the best possible price for selling their wool. This is important to the grower, because under the percentage method of payment, the higher the price the individual producer gets for his wool in the market, the larger his incentive payment is. This method, is designed to encourage producers to do the best possible job of marketing their wool.

The payment method on lambs under the 1958 program will also be the same as under the current 1957 program. Each producer who owns lambs for 80 days or more and sells the lambs unshorn will be eligible for a payment. The payment will be made on the weight increase of the lambs during the period of each producer's ownership.

Payments to producers who buy unshorn lambs and then shear them will be subject to a downward adjustment in any shorn wool incentive payment they ap-

ply for. The payments on unshorn lambs will be a fixed rate per hundredweight of live lambs old. For 1956 marketings, the payment rate on lambs was 71 cents per hundredweight. This price was calculated on the basis of the average shorn wool incentive payment, the average weight of wool per hundred pounds of lamb, and the value of lamb wool in relation to shorn wool.

Wool growers are again reminded "to keep all sales records in a safe place". The accounts of

sale must have the information needed to support the producer's payment application.

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BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Forked Deer Electric Cooperative, Inc., Halls, Tennessee, that in the passing of our Attorney, Mr. W. C. Patton, the Forked Deer Electric Cooperative, Inc., has suffered the loss of a friend.

the Forked Deer Electric and had continued as the Attorney for the Cooperative since its birth in the year 1941.

His personal friendliness will be missed by the Employees of the Cooperative.

RESOLVE: That to his family and loved ones, the Directors and Employees of the Forked Deer Electric Coop., Inc., express their

profound sympathy in sharing with them our great loss.

BE IT RESOLVED: That a copy of this resolution be sent to his family, a copy be published in the Counsel, in the Halls Graphic, the Lauderdale County Enterprise, the State Gazette, and that a copy be written within the minutes of the February meeting of the Board of Trustees.

Signed:

Charles Price, President
Robin Coffman,
Secretary-Treasurer
H. E. Pentecost,
Manager

"A relaxed and unhurried approach to this task is a big help to both neatness and accuracy," Mr. Guinn declared. "Further, if the taxpayer owes nothing, or just a few dollars, filing now will get behind him what usually becomes later a pressing and worrisome task. It'll help his spring budget planning, too."

"The high error factor in tax returns — in some areas as high as one in every four — is expensive to us as a tax collecting agency, and, in the ultimate analysis to the taxpayer himself. We ask thorough and careful checking, with the taxpayer keeping in mind that both facts and figures have

to add up. We don't like to send bills for additional tax, with interest and possibly penalties, any more than the taxpayer likes to receive them."

"Checking and re-checking will usually avoid that."

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Down on the Farm

With ED JONES

Agricultural Agent, Illinois Central Railroad

I spent all of last week at Purdue University. This is always one week that I look forward to with much interest and enthusiasm. It is one of the highlights of the year in our work.

There were a number of agricultural workers from various railroads all over the United States who also attended, as well as State Marketing Officials, USDA workers and others interested in handling perishable agricultural commodities.

This was the twelfth Conference held at Purdue on Handling Perishable Agricultural Commodities. The very best authorities on agriculture, research, traffic authorities, engineers and claims people are among those who instruct classes at the Conference. The purpose of the Conference is to bring together those interested in losses of perishables that they may study, discuss and demonstrate new methods and practices that will reduce losses. Also to bring to the attention of producers, shippers, processors, distributors, transportation personnel and educational and research agencies the loss and damage problems involved in handling of fruits and vegetables. It is also designed to foster research in order that damage and loss may be reduced between the farm and the consumer.

Many of the new developments in food preservation were discussed and ways and means presented to reduce losses now occurring through negligence and carelessness in handling and processing perishables. It was pointed out that many old type markets that have handled much of the vegetable and fruits consumed in the past are now giving way to newer methods and means of handling and distributing.

It was pointed out by one speaker that 85 percent of the 70 billion pounds of vegetables consumed and over 50 percent of the 30 billion pounds of fruit consumed here in the U. S. is in the fresh state.

The Conference was under the supervision of Dr. N. K. Ellis, head of the Horticultural Department of Purdue University.

CAREFULLY CHECK YOUR RETURN SAYS INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE

One of the most important duties of the Federal income taxpayer, according to Orville W. Guinn of the Internal Revenue Service, is checking and double-checking his return before mailing it in, to insure accuracy of facts and figures.

While time still remains in the current filing season, Mr. Guinn said, taxpayers can give themselves and the revenue service a break by starting now to collect all financial records from last year, together with a copy of last year's return as a helpful guide, and begin preparation of the 1957

turn.

Garbage Pickup

Thursday and Friday
April 3 and 4,

Please have your trash and garbage on the side of the street ready to pick up.

Telephone Talk

by
ROGER GANIER

Your Telephone Manager



SPRINGTIME COLORS: It's the season for the buds on some of the trees and bushes around here to begin to show their colors. Right in tune with Nature are the new extension phones in delicate pastel shades: aqua blue, rose pink, light beige, light gray, and white. (We still have cherry red, yellow, moss green, and ivory, too!) They're all pretty as they are practical. Even the cords match! And since a lot of you will be painting and papering come spring, why not select extension phones in lovely springtime shades to match or contrast with your new decorating colors. For further details, just call our Business Office.

HANDWRITING EXPERT: Seems like everywhere you look today machines are getting almost smarter than people. Right now at Bell Laboratories they're developing a little machine—"bout as big as a portable typewriter—that can read and identify handwritten numbers. One day we'll be using it right here in our telephone office to record Long Distance numbers automatically. That'll mean saving a lot of extra work and cutting down costs. It's nice to know little machines like this are constantly being developed by telephone folks to help keep costs down and speed up service. It's one way we help keep your telephone the big bargain it is today.

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very first time. Whether you're going on two or half past forty, your telephone brings a heap of pleasure and satisfaction. (There's even something exciting about its ring!) For fun, for friendship, and for more good livin' than you can shake a stick at—just reach for your phone.



F. H. Paschal

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 days in succession, begin planting cotton, if the weather is otherwise suitable. Of course, it might be raining.

In this area these soil temperatures are usually obtained between April 20 and May 10, but it will vary from farm to farm. The temperature should not be taken at a spot where the soil is wetter or drier than the average for the field. Soil thermometers can be purchased at a cost of \$1.50 to \$3.00, and we hope a number of farmers over the county will try this method of determining when to plant cotton to get good stands, as far as time is concerned. A firm seedbed is also necessary to certain stands.

Plant To Prosper Attractive
 More than \$6,000 in prizes is offered to landowners and tenants in the Mid-South area for doing a good job of farming for their own benefit in 1958 through the Plant to Prosper program sponsored by the Commercial Appeal, the Memphis Chamber of Commerce, the Agricultural Extension Service, and the Farmers Home Administration.

The judging is based on 50 percent for efficient farm planning and improvement, 40 percent for efficient home planning and improvement, and 10 percent for participation in community life. Walter Durham, a native of

Lauderdale County, is in charge of this program and would like to see a lot of farm families from this county enter the program this year. Write or telephone the County Agent's Office to enter the program.

D. E. CLASS WINS

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 liamentary Procedure, Spelling, Scrapbook, Manual, and Speech. Then we were free to do some shopping for about three hours.

That evening we had dinner in the Gold Room at the New Southern Hotel. We had a delicious meal and then it was time for the winners of the contests to be announced.

Halls was proud to bring back three ribbons. We won the third place ribbon for Scrapbook, second place for the Selling Demonstration and first for Parliamentary Procedure.

Everyone had a lovely time, but was very tired and ready to come home. Mr. James Peery, Halls High principal, attended the banquet.

Ann Robison, Reporter

EXPLORER SCOUTS TO RE-NEW CHARTER

Halls Explorer Post 67 has completed and filed its application for its 1958 charter. Our Post is sponsored by Halls Civic Club, Mr. H. E. Pentecost, president.

The Institutional Representative Boards of Review and one Court of Honor.

Three to five outdoor camping trips are planned and three safety projects are to be carried out. Community service activities are to be coordinated with the activities of the Halls Civic Club. Membership is expected to double in the coming year.

Members registered are Senior Crew Leader Eugene Pugh, Crew Leader Pat Younger, Crew Leader Jimmy Walpole, Scribe Thomas Ellis, Buddy Murchison, Chuck Murchison and Auford Pickens.

The Post will have two crews and a quarterly planned program. Other goals include every Explorer advancing a rank in the coming year. There should be three

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