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Halls Jr. High Students Win Science Awards

Halls Junior High School students swept honors in the Lauderdale County Science Fair held last week in the Junior High auditorium.

Awarded first place in the All Competitions Division was the Biological Entry, "Presence of Bacteria" prepared by Patricia Archer of Halls 9th grade. Placing second was "Body Systems" entered by Dennis Odell, 7th grade, Halls; and third place went to Tommy Daniels, 7th grade, Ripley, with his exhibit, also in the Biological Division, of the "Heart."

Prize ribbons in the various divisions went as follows: Biological Division: Grade 1-3: Group, 2nd grade, Ripley; Group, 1st grade, Ripley; Group, grades 1, 2, 3, Nankipoo; Honorable Mention, Anita Arwood, 1st grade, Halls.

Intermediate Grades: 4-6: Mary Ellen Hargett, 6th grade, Ripley Group, 4th grade, Ripley; Sandra Grammer, 4th grade, Arp; Honorable Mention, Cherry Agee, Diane Hayes, 5th grade, Halls; Bill Hendrix, 5th grade, Ripley.

Grades 7-9: Patricia Archer, 9th grade, Halls; Dennis Odell, 7th grade, Halls; Johnny Webb, Tommy Daniels, 7th grade, Ripley; Honorable Mention, Warren Grammer, 8th grade, Ripley; Bobby Marshall, Larry Monday and Mary Love Winn, 7th grade, Henning.

Senior High, Grades 10-12: Patricia Grady, 10th grade, Ripley; Grady Garrison, Jody Walker, 10th grade, Ripley; Barbara Griggs, Dianne Underwood, 10th grade, Ripley; Honorable Mention, Lynn Caldwell, 10th grade, Ripley; Ronnie Conrad, Freddie Chipman, Robert Conrad, 10th grade, Ripley.

Physical, grades 1-3: Group, 2nd grade, Ripley; Group, 3rd grade, Ripley; Group, 1st grade, Ripley; Honorable Mention Group 3rd grade, Ashport.

Intermediate Grades: 4-6 Craig Fitzhugh, 5th grade, Ripley; Leonard Crowder, 5th grade, Ripley; Tommy Martin, Douglas Baker, grade 6, Halls; Honorable Mention Joe Lawson, Jerry Lewis, grade 5, Curve; 5th grade, Ashport.

Upper Grades, grades 7-8: Jubba Warren, Henry Swanner, grade 9, Halls; Rodney Emerson, Ronnie Ashworth, 8th Gr, Ripley; Group, 8th Gr, Ashport; Jimmy Sauer, grade 7, Halls; Lynda Maness, grade 8, Arp.

Senior High, grades 10-12: James Vaden, Halls; June Dawson, Halls; Henry Swanner, Halls; Frankie Williams, Halls; Danny Garrett, Halls.

Work Progressing on Swimming Pool

Work on the swimming pool has been progressing at a good pace despite the bad weather.

Pouring of the concrete was expected to start either Thursday afternoon or Friday if the weather permitted. Some of the forms have already been set and the steel has been tied awaiting suitable weather.

A drive to raise funds has already been inaugurated with donations sought from all interested persons. Anyone who is willing to make a donation and has not been contacted should see either Mrs. Ross Yeager or Mrs. J. W. Warren who head the fund raising drive.

Funds are needed immediately since according to information given the Graphic the concrete must be paid for as delivered.

Ronald Bridges 2nd In State Wrestling

Ronald Bridges, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Bridges of Route 2, Halls, went to the State Championship Finals in the state high school wrestling tournament at Red Bank High in Chattanooga last month. Ronald, a junior at the Tennessee School for the Blind at Donelson, Tenn., placed 2nd in the 130 lb. class.

In the semi-finals Bridges pinned Gary Steffy of Red Banks but in the finals he was outpointed by Jim Eldridge of City High of Chattanooga.

The Best Wrestler Award went to another TSB student, sophomore Mitchell Cole, who has been pinned only once in 51 meets. TSB had one first place, one second place and one third place in the meet.

Home Economics Students To Attend F.H.A. Convention

Miss Carolyn McCorkle will accompany six of her home economics students to Nashville to the state F.H.A. Convention this weekend. The girls worked for points to be selected to attend, and the winners are: Donna Lou Roberts, Brenda Cannon, Sylvia Mathis, Julia Peters, and Carolyn Nolen. Kay Tillman will be a special member of this group because she will be recognized for receiving her state degree. She is the second young lady from Halls to receive this honor.

County Court Names Tax Equalization Board

RIPLEY — Lauderdale County quarterly court Monday accepted four of five nominations by county tax assessor Bill Smith for seats on the board of tax equalization, which will sit in review on his extensive revaluations in one of the county's most thorough tax overhauls for many years.

Reid Dumavant of Henning, in the third district, was the single incumbent retained, in preference to A. Y. Johnson Sr., nominated by Mr. Smith.

The four successful Smith nominees were Byron Escue Sr., from the first district; James W. Porter, from the second district; Sidney Carmack, from the seventh district, and Charles Alsbrook, from the twelfth district.

They will replace Roy Carrington, Will Chipman, Richard Lesure and Vernon Peters. The board serves for two years.

Junior High Setup To Be Discarded

James E. McKee, principal of Halls High School has informed the Halls Graphic that the decision has been reached to change Halls Schools from the present 9-3-3 plan (6 years elementary, 3 years junior high school, and 3 years senior high school) to the plan followed until a few years ago, that is eight years in the elementary school and four years in the high school.

The State Department of Education has informed school authorities that this is the last year they will approve students changing from one school building to another. This would mean that Home Economics, Agriculture and Latin could not be offered in the 9th grade if Halls continues the junior high school program. This is the chief reason for the decision for the change.

Although there will be a loss in number of teachers it is felt that the 8-4 plan is better for this community.

Mr. McKee said that the change will be effective next September at the beginning of the 1961-62 school year.

Anyone wishing additional information, may contact the high school office.

Hepatitis Cases Not Considered Epidemic

A Halls physician said Tuesday that the cases of hepatitis reported in the Halls Schools and in this area is not yet considered as of epidemic proportions but made a few suggestions. He said that any child with fever should be kept at home from school or sent home from school and should see a physician as soon as possible. Only members of the immediate family need to take shots should a case of hepatitis develop in the family, he further said.

Mrs. Robbie Cleek Died Thursday

Services for Mrs. Robbie Cleek, widow of Abbie Thomas Cleek, cotton farmer of near Halls, were held at 2 Friday afternoon at Halls Funeral Home with the Rev. Enos Thurmond and the Rev. Joe Summers officiating. Burial was in Floyd's Chapel Cemetery near Maury City, with Halls Funeral Home in charge.

Mrs. Cleek, who was 67, died at 11:30 a.m. Thursday in St. Joseph's Hospital in Memphis, which she entered that morning. She had been a semi-invalid 10 years.

Born in Gibson County, near Yorkville, she lived in Lauderdale and Crockett counties before moving to Memphis three years ago. She was a member of Poplar Grove Cumberland Presbyterian Church near Halls. Her husband died in 1951. She leaves a brother, W. E. Wiley, of Halls, and a sister, Mrs. A. V. Roberts of Halls. Another sister, Mrs. Bessie Hammers, died last Friday in St. Joseph's Hospital.

J. B. Vaden Rites

Services for J. B. Vaden, truck driver for the Knob Creek Farm near here, were held at 2:30 Monday afternoon at Concord Methodist Church near Gates. The Rev. J. C. Vineyard officiated. Burial was in the church cemetery with Garner's Ripley Funeral Home in charge.

Mr. Vaden, who was 52, died at 10:30 a.m. Saturday en route to Lauderdale County Hospital after a heart attack. Born in Lauderdale County 12 years ago. He leaves his wife, Mrs. Wilma Barnett Vaden.

County Agent Notes

with F. R. PASCHAL

R. G. Evans, Jr., President Lauderdale County Livestock Association, stated this week that 54 calves have been signed up for the Feeder Calf Sale to be held in Brownsville next Wed., April 12th.

Producers may still enter calves in the sale by calling Mr. Evans and getting them inspected by Monday, April 10th.

This sale to be held at the Mid-South Livestock Center, will begin at 4 p.m. Calves will be delivered from 6:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Previous sales have started at an earlier hour.

Sprayer Demonstration
Farmers who have not had experience in checking tractor sprayers to determine the amount of liquid they put out per acre as they will be operated in applying pre-emergence sprays for cotton, corn, and soy beans may get help by attending a demonstration to be held on the lot adjoining Stallings Implement Company in Halls next Wed., afternoon, April 12th, beginning at 1:30.

There are several good methods of calibrating sprayers. Every operator should learn one good method. The speed of the tractor, the pressure, the size of nozzles, and the number of nozzles per row, all effect the amount of liquid that will be applied per acre. When this liquid costs money, it is most important to know exactly how much is being applied per acre.

Alfalfa Needs Potash
Three tons of alfalfa hay contains 135 pounds of actual potash. In order to maintain satisfactory stands and yields of alfalfa, it is necessary to make annual applications of at least 200 pounds per acre of 60% potash and 20 pounds of borax.

Alfalfa makes no response to nitrogen fertilizer, after it is well established, but potash is needed every year.

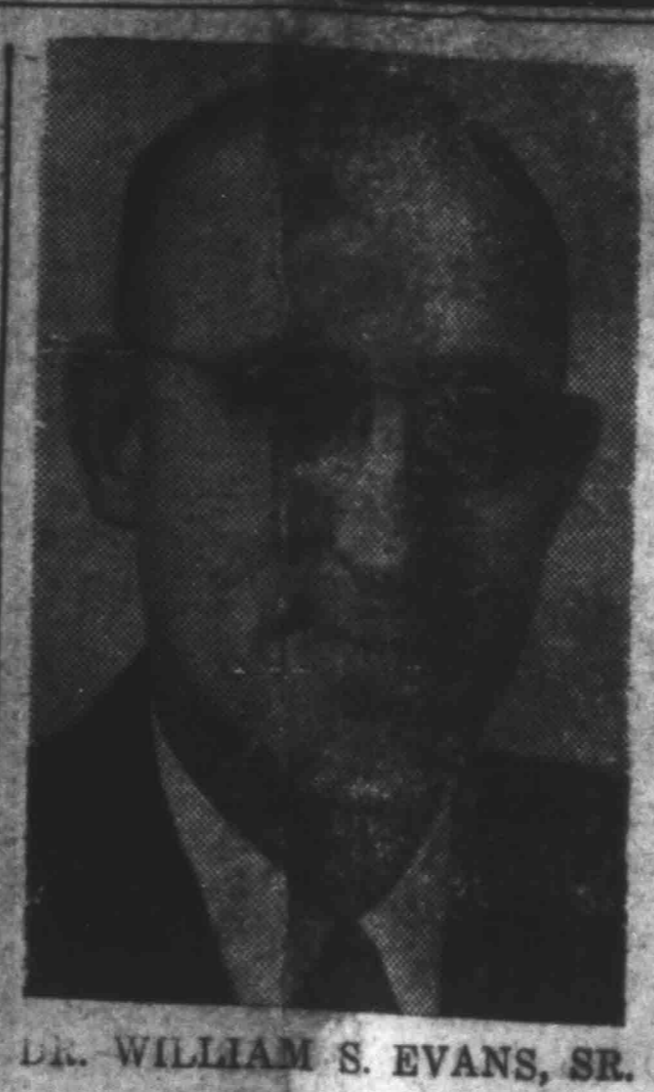
Mrs. Knee Speaker At TB Seminar

The Tennessee Tuberculosis Association last week held a two-day seminar in Nashville. One of the speakers at the seminar was Mrs. Irvin Knee, Executive Secretary of the Haywood-Lauderdale-Tipton District Tuberculosis Association. Mrs. Knee spoke on the school Press Project and tuberculosis testing in schools. She spoke of the relation of this health education to health education in the community, and of the tuberculosis test as a valuable case detection tool.

What To Do After A Traffic Accident

F. W. Hurt, local insurance agent has recently made the following suggestions to motorists who are involved in traffic accidents.

1. Because most drivers believe accidents only happen to the other fellow, they are unprepared to do everything the law requires when they are involved in traffic mishaps. By observing a few simple rules, a motorist may save considerable time and trouble, and may even save a life.
2. He recommends the following steps:
1. Turn off ignition immediately and prohibit smoking to avoid danger of fire if gasoline has been spilled.
2. Notify city police or Highway Patrol, even for a minor accident, and complete necessary police reports.
3. If a serious accident, phone or wire your insurance agent or company.
4. Make a written memo of the other, car, name, address, driver's license, names and address of witnesses and occupants of the car.



DR. WILLIAM S. EVANS, SR.

Methodist Revival Starts April 16

Dr. William S. Evans, Sr. is to be the evangelist at our Halls Methodist Church from April 16 through April 21.

Dr. Evans is the District Superintendent of the South Memphis District. Under his leadership of the past several years a number of new churches have been organized and built. Dr. Evans was formerly the pastor of Broadway Methodist Church of Paducah. He has been elected as a delegate to the General Conference for the past 16 years.

The sermons as planned by Dr. Evans are as follows:
Sunday, April 16, 11 a.m. "The Knowable God"
Sunday, April 16, 7:30 p.m. "Sin"
Monday, April 17, 7:30 p.m. "The Cross"
Tuesday, April 18, 7:30 p.m. "Repentance"
Wednesday, April 19, 7:30 p.m. "Forgiveness"
Thursday, April 20, 7:30 p.m. "The New Birth"
Friday, April 21, 7:30 p.m. "Christian Assurance"

Services will be held twice daily at 7 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

WOW To Meet at Jackson, 9-11

S. A. Vaughn, 227 S. College, will be the delegate to the Tennessee Head Camp convention of Woodmen of the World Life Insurance Society, April 9-11, in the Southern Hotel, Jackson, it was announced today by S. A. Vaughn, secretary of the local Woodmen Camp.

More than 140 delegates and officers, representing some 17, 700 Tennessee members, will attend, according to Clyde M. Reeves, the head consul, of Lexington.

Speakers will include Woodmen President J. E. Sims and Treasurer William H. Martin, both of Omaha, Neb.; H. C. Fabian, Atlanta, Ga., a Woodmen national director; John R. Long, state insurance and banking commissioner; Circuit Judge Andrew T. Taylor, and Jackson Mayor Quinton Edmonds.

A highlight of the program will be "Operation Scrapbook", a contest between the Woodmen camps and courts of the state for telling the best story of their fraternal, social and civic activities. The first prize is \$250; second prize, \$100; third prize, \$50.

The winning scrapbook will be entered in a national contest. The winning camp or court in the national competition will select a member to receive an all-expense trip to the Woodmen national convention. The winner of the national contest also will receive an additional \$100 and the field representative assigned to this unit, a \$50 prize.

THANKS GRAPHIC FOR EASTER SEAL AD
Dear Sir:
It is with profound gratitude that we of the Ripley Exchange Club use your columns to say thank you for the assistance the Halls Graphic gave to the 1961 Easter Seal Campaign.

Salvation Army Truck Coming

The Salvation Army truck will be in Halls next Monday, April 10, to pick up any items which Halls citizens may wish to donate to this worthy organization. Notify Mrs. Charles Alsbrook at the Mayor's Office if you wish the truck to call at your home.

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On the Farm

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real estate value have been climbing while the number of farms has been declining. Farm buildings accounted for about 22 percent of the total value of farm real estate. About half of this was accounted for by dwellings of farm operators. Nationally, the average value of farm real estate amounted to about \$111 per acre. The USDA points out that the calculated rate of return on current market values of farm real estate—after other costs had been paid—was below the mortgage rate of interest.

Even with modern equipment and techniques, farmers put in a long workday, compared to many of us. The Agricultural Marketing Service notes the workday for farmers across the nation averages ten point six hours during the month of June, and its length isn't changing much. What's more, the farmer puts in a longer day than his hired hand. The average workday for hired workers in June totals nine point three hours. You may get an argument on this, but the figures show that in June, farmers in the North Central states work longer hours—

eleven point three—than anywhere else. Wisconsin farmers top the list, working twelve point two hours. Their counterparts in Fla. and Nevada average nine point one hours. The Florida farmhand knocks off after eight point four hours, while the North Dakota hired worker puts in an average of ten point six hours in June—longest day of any.

Phone Users Pay \$14.23 In Excise Taxes Annually

Southern Bell customers in Tennessee paid an average of \$14.23 each in Federal excise taxes on telephone service in 1960. The total excise tax bill for Southern Bell's customers in the state was 9 1/2-million dollars, according to Roger Ganier, Telephone Company manager here.

The 10 percent tax is levied on both local and long distance telephone service. Excise taxes are also placed by the Federal government on luxury items, such as jewelry, liquor and furs, but telephone service is the only household utility that is so taxed, Mr. Ganier said.

The excise tax on telephone service was enacted as a wartime emergency measure to raise revenue and to cut down on non-military use of telephone facilities.

"It was supposed to be a temporary measure," Mr. Ganier said, "but it is still in effect."

Removal of the tax would directly benefit all telephone customers, he said. "The tax is added to our customers' bills each month and the telephone company merely collects the tax and passes it along to the Federal government," he explained.

The tax on local telephone service was scheduled to expire last June 30, but Congress extended it until June 30, 1961.

Club Congress April 9-10 in Nashville.

The four county representatives are selected on the basis of their performance in club work and ability to use information and skills gained at this event to further aid the county and local 4-H program.

The state event is organized similar to the national congress and many of the events and activities follow this theme. Larry is one of the two senators and Gus one of the representatives. They attended banquets, tours, citizenship and leadership programs, participate in recreation and other interesting events. They heard talks by National and State officials in government. Our four representatives were among 600 representing over 133,000 club members from the entire state.

STATE LAWS
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know exactly what to do in the event of an accident? Do you remember what is required as standard equipment on your car? Or, for what reasons your driver's license can be revoked? It is a simple matter to obtain this valuable booklet, which is free to the public, by writing to your state capital.

The Tennessee State Automobile Association suggests that you obtain a copy of this handbook, study it through again, and then keep it available in the glove compartment of your car. Ignorance of the law is no excuse. Be forewarned by being forewarned.

Crippled Children Donations Sought

It isn't too late to do your share in Lauderdale County's fight against crippling.

W. A. Grimes, chairman of the 1961 Easter Seal Campaign, urges all who have not made their con-

tributions to the annual appeal to do so.

"Contributions so far total \$487.00, and the fund goal is \$1260.00," Grimes reported.

"Funds available currently can provide service for only a small fraction of crippled persons in this county who need care," he said.

Campaign funds provide wheel chairs, walkers, braces, and medical and dental treatment for needy disabled persons. The funds also enable crippled children from across the state to have summer enjoyment at the Easter Seal Camp for Crippled Children on Old Hickory Lake in Wilson County.

Grimes said contributions may be sent to him directly at Office of County School Superintendent, Public Square, Ripley, Tennessee.

LABEL IMPORTANT ON FOOD PACKAGES

There are two "stories" to every can of food. The "outside story" is the Key to the "inside story." That is the way U-T Consumer Information and Marketing Agents call attention to the importance of labels on food packages.

Some food shoppers are inclined to think that labels are just some more advertising. They buy food with little more than a glance at the label. To know the "inside story" of packaged foods, shoppers should pay careful attention to the label on the food package.

There are laws which govern some of the information on the food label, agents explain. These laws are designed to safeguard you from unwholesome food, adulterated food and misleading information. They also help determine quality of food inside the package.

Perhaps you have noticed that some packages have a list of ingredients printed on the label. The order is important. They are listed in the order of their pre-

sence in the food. The most important are named first.

Some products have standards set for them by the U.S. food and drug administration. Ingredients are not printed on these packages as ingredients and the proportions in which they may be used are fixed.

SS Reports Due By April 15

Many self-employed farmers who have not yet filed their Federal tax returns for 1960 will be doing so before the deadline date of April 15, 1961. While in some cases no income tax may be due, the self-employment earnings, if \$400 or more, should be reported and the social security tax paid, according to N. Far-

ris Vaden, Manager of the Dyersburg District Social Security Office.

The term "self-employed farmer" also includes the person who operates a farm owned by another on a crop share of remuneration.

A Schedule F listing the detailed items of income and expenses of the farm operation should accompany the regular Form 1040.

The self-employment tax for 1960 is 3 1/2 percent of net earnings. If the farmer also operated some other business enterprise, such as a filling station or store, that activity should be reported on a separate Schedule C. The maximum to be reported for social security is \$4800.

Read the ads in the Halls Graphic and save money!

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HALLS

Friday and Saturday
April 14 and 15

DOUBLE FEATURE PROGRAM

Starts Friday 7:00 and 9:41 — Starts Saturday 12:00, 2:41, 5:22 and 8:03

Martin West in **"FRECKLES"**

— AND —

Also Starts Friday 8:41 — Starts Saturday 1:41, 4:22, 7:03, 9:44

Willard Parker, Joyce Meadows in **"WALK TALL"**

Sunday and Monday
April 16 and 17

Starts Sunday 1:30, 3:45, 5:00, 9:15 — Starts Monday 7:00, 9:15

Doris Day, Rex Harrison, John Gavin in **"MIDNIGHT LACE"**

4-H Club Members Attend Congress

Assistant County Agent Gus Hargett, Jr. and Larry Carter, Senior 4-H members of the Ripley and Halls Senior 4-H Clubs along with the two girl delegates represented Lauderdale County at the annual State 4-H

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1861-1961

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Military people call the war of the North and South the first modern war, the first in which men and munitions moved en masse by rail. The first battle of Bull Run shifted from defeat to victory for the South when trains rolled up decisive reinforcements.

Those were youthful years for Mid-America and for this railroad... the seed years of today's prosperous land of farms, factories, mines and forests. North and South have grown as one land, laced together by the lines of the Illinois Central. That's why we enjoy being called the Main Line of Mid-America.

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MCCORMICK'S

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SNIDER'S
CATSUP, 20 oz. bottle ... 27c

OLD JUDGE INSTANT
COFFEE, 10 oz. jar ... 99c

GIANT SIZE
FAB, box ... 59c

OLD PLANTATION
BISCUITS, 6 cans ... 49c

BLUE PLATE
MAYONNAISE, qt. ... 59c

VITA-GRO
DOG FOOD, Can ... 5c

PILLSBURY'S BEST

FLOUR, 25 lb. bag \$1.59

TURNER'S SOUTHERN MAID
ICE CREAM, 1/2-gallon ... 49c

RED
POTATOES, 25 lb. bag ... 89c

BANANAS, lb. ... 9 1/2c

LETTUCE, Head ... 10c

April 21, 1961

Not available

April 21, 1961

Not available

Confidential Corner

Time Is Short

The time to make up your mind about whom you plan to support for city officers is at hand with the election coming next Thursday.

Dogs Being Poisoned

Reports have reached this office that a number of dogs have been poisoned in Halls during the past few weeks.

Graphic Is Honored

The Halls Graphic along with a number of other newspapers throughout the state has been honored for its efforts to cut down traffic accidents in Tennessee.

Seeks Support in Mayor's Race

Paul W. Crittendon, candidate for the office of Mayor of the Town of Halls, has issued the following statement:

"As you know I am a candidate for the office of Mayor of our fine town, and I am taking this means of asking for your vote and influence in the election next Thursday.

"I have previously served you in the capacity of Mayor and also as a member of the Board of Aldermen so that I feel that you know that I am for the progress and growth of Halls and will do all within my power to see that it does grow and progress.

"If you should see fit to honor me with this office, I will endeavor in every way possible to bring additional industry here and to serve you in the best possible way."

Mother of Mrs. Vaden Dies

Funeral services for Mrs. Queen Elizabeth Hawkins, widow of Monroe Hawkins, Crockett County farmer, were held at 2:30 Sunday afternoon at Halls Funeral Home Chapel with E. E. Burns, Church of Christ minister, officiating.

Mrs. Hawkins died at 1:45 Friday afternoon at Parkview Hospital in Dyersburg. Mrs. Hawkins, who was 80, entered the hospital two months ago after suffering a broken hip. She had been in ill health for the past six years.

She leaves a daughter, Mrs. Judson Vaden, of Halls; a sister, Mrs. Dicke Johnson of Campbell, Mo. and seven grandchildren.

Former Banker Dies at Maury City

ALAMO — Services for Rufus Lawrence Eason, a retired bank employe and landowner of Maury City, were held at 3 p.m. Tuesday at Maury City, Methodist Church with the Rev. E. F. Blankenship officiating.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Lera Eason, two sisters, Mrs. A. L. Futrell of Alamo and Mrs. Joe E. Tyler of Billing, Mont.

Town of Halls Progress Report

We take this opportunity of submitting a general resume of the town's financial condition and some of the progressive steps that have been taken over the past six years.

The present administration, along with some civic-minded citizens, cooperated in establishing Custom-Craft Mfg. Company. This fine company employs one hundred and fifteen men and women. They plan to increase the number employed in the event employe-management relations warrant.

My opponent has served as Mayor for six years and has been chairman of the Lauderdale County Industrial Committee without having achieved any industrial gain. In our town we have a member of the Tennessee Industrial Committee and here again no industrial gain has been brought forth.

For many years Halls has been burdened with old debts and interest. As you know, all General

Obligation debts are secured by your property. These obligations were brought about by the building of sewers, streets, sidewalks, etc. This administration has paid all of this indebtedness except \$20,000.00 against the Air Base and we have the money on hand when this note comes due. In doing this we have not found it necessary to raise your taxes.

We have increased our gas system from \$139,006.00 to nearly \$200,000.00 in worth without borrowing for the expansion. In doing this no rates have increased and none are anticipated. The final bonds are set up to be paid in 1972.

We have maintained two water plants without raising water rates. It became necessary to construct a new well in Halls last summer in order to keep the overhead tank full. This was brought about because of the pressure loss due to the size of the water mains and the distance of the base wells.

We would like to bring out here

that the Custom-Craft Company is paying for this tank at the rate of \$2,000.00 each year with the town being the owner. It has been our privilege to build water and sewer mains to areas that had never had this service before.

In 1960 we had our books audited. The information concerning all funds is available to you and each fund is separately explained in a booklet that you may check conveniently at the Town Hall.

In May of this year a new housing project will be established in Halls. The cost of this project is some \$450,000.00 that will be paid back over a forty year period in rentals. These homes will be pretty brick structures that will be well kept and an asset to the town.

Respectfully submitted, Jerre Jordan, Mayor

Mrs. Hurt Victim of Heart Attack

Services for Mrs. Elrene Hurt, widow of Floyd C. Hurt, Halls contractor, were held at 4 p.m. Monday at First Methodist Church here with the Rev. Enos Thurmond and the Rev. Joe Summers officiating.

Born in Oklahoma Territory, she moved to Lauderdale County in 1907. She was a Methodist.

She leaves two sons, Joe H. Hurt of Halls and Clayton Hurt of Dyersburg; two daughters, Mrs. Douglas Hurt of Halls and Mrs. George Smerbeck of Grand Forks, N. D., a brother, W. E. Clayton of Admore, Okla.; a sister, Mrs. Gwoner C. Wood of Breckenwood, Texas; five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

City Election Is Next Thursday

Voters of Halls will go to the polls next Thursday, May 4, to select a Mayor and Board of Aldermen for the next two years.

In the Mayor's race the incumbent, Jerre Jordan, is opposed by former Mayor Paul W. Crittendon. Both Mr. Jordan and Mr. Crittendon have served 3 terms each.

Eleven men are in the race for the six spots on the Board. Seeking re-election are the present members of the Board, J. L. Carnell, L. E. Critchfield, Jr., Paul Henderson, Jr., Grover Smith, Lynn Vaden and D. E. Walker.

Others seeking elections to the Board are Elford Baker, E. O. Dew, Jr., Joe McCarthy, Bill Viar and W. H. Woodley.

TO PRESENT PUPILS IN MUSIC RECITALS

Mrs. Wymond Hurt will present her music pupils in recitals during next week. On Tuesday night, May 2, beginning at 7:30 she will present pupils of Grades 1 through 6.

Isn't it peculiar that middle age always starts a few years earlier for the other fellow;



LINDA TATUM Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Eatum, will represent Lauderdale County in the Mid-South Spelling at Hotel Peabody in Memphis tonight.

Viar Asks Voters for Support

"I am a candidate for election as a member of the Board of Aldermen in the city election next Thursday. I am unable to leave my business long enough to see and talk to each of you so I am taking this means of asking for your support.

"If I am elected I shall serve to the best of my ability and always keeping in mind the welfare of the people of our community. I firmly believe that we need additional industry in Halls and will make every effort to aid in bringing more employment to Halls.

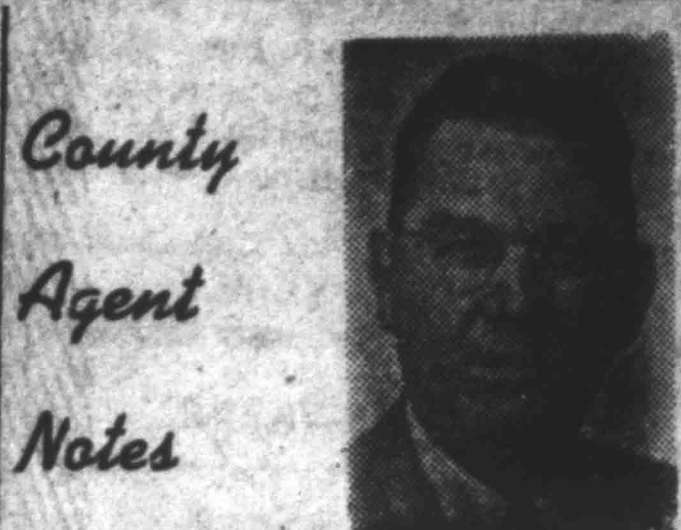
"I would like to see and talk to each of you but this is impossible so please believe that I will appreciate your vote and every effort in my behalf."

BILL VIAR

LOCAL BOWLER WINS WOMEN'S TITLE

Mrs. Earl Critchfield won the singles title in the Dyersburg Women's Bowling Association Sunday afternoon and received a trophy as the 1961 woman champion.

The Halls Men's Bowling Team won again Monday night, maintaining a one-half game lead in their league with next Monday night closing the season.



with F. H. PASCHAL

People in Lauderdale County can enjoy choice, rare vegetables and fruits in the next few weeks which are grown on our wonderful soils by some of the best farmers in the world.

Viar Bros. of Knob Creek are harvesting 40 acres of three-year asparagus which was ready for harvesting three weeks ahead of any asparagus in this whole area.

Most of this asparagus which will yield from two to four tons per acre will go to the processing plant at Bells, but it can be available through our stores in this area while it is fresh and at its very best flavor and taste.

Strawberries will be harvested from more than 300 acres over the county beginning this week and continuing about three weeks. Earliest berries will be of Blakemore and Dixieland varieties, noted for superior flavor and taste.

We ought to eat and enjoy some of the very best we produce, rather than selling all of the best.

Treat Some Cottonseed Cotton producers in Arkansas and Mississippi are this year trying the new seed treatments which are mixed with the cottonseed just before it is planted at the rate of three lbs. of dust for the amount of seed being planted on an acre.

The dust which gave best results in tests last year is a mixture of 10% Captain and 10% PCNB which sells at about 35c a pound. We hope some farmers will try this dust on a few acres this year to see whether it improves stands.

Several farmers in Arkansas and Louisiana last year added a quart of xaphene liquid per acre to the pre-emergence weed chemical to control cutworms and thrips on cold land.

Those who did not have to re-

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Debbie Henderson, Chris Larson Win in Junior Revue

Debbie Henderson, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Robert O. Henderson, was chosen 1961 Junior Queen, and Chris Larson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Merle Larson, was chosen Junior King at the Junior Revue held at Halls Junior High auditorium Monday night of this week.

Attendants to Queen Debbie and King Chris are: Anita Arwood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Poston Arwood, First Maid; Tony Sellers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Sellers, First Page; Vicky Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Campbell, Second Maid; Stan Paige, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Paige, Second Page; Kathy White, daughter of Mrs. Opal Lorene White, Alternate Maid; Ronnie Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Roberts, Alternate Page.

The King and Queen and their attendants will represent Halls at the Humboldt Strawberry Festival in May.

Mrs. Dora Smith Rites Tuesday

Mrs. Dora B. Smith of Forked Deer Community, widow of G. E. Smith, farmer, died at 5:15 a.m. Monday at Baptist Hospital where she had been a patient nine days.

She had eight children, one of whom, D. F. Smith of Memphis preceded her in death. She was a member of Eureka Methodist Church at Forked Deer.

She leaves three sons, E. N. Smith of Memphis, Leon Smith of Ramer, Tenn., and J. W. Smith of Post Gibson, Miss.; four daughters, Mrs. Leon Percival of Memphis, Mrs. Clayton Glass of Vicksburg, Miss., Mrs. A. T. McKinnon of Gates, Tenn., and Mrs. Wiley T. Daniels of Ripley, Tenn.; two sisters, Mrs. Paul Stevens of Memphis and Mrs. John Fortz of Brownsville, Tenn.; 23 grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild.

Services at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday at Eureka Church. Burial in Woodville Cemetery also near Ripley. Garner's Ripley Funeral Home in charge.

Funeral Rites for Mrs. Hilliard

Services for Mrs. Katie L. Hilliard, widow of J. R. Hilliard, were held Sunday at Elton Church near Halls. The Rev. Paul Burns officiated. Burial was in Halls Cemetery with Halls Funeral Home in charge.

Mrs. Hilliard, who was 53, died Friday night at her home in Unionville community near here. She had been ill two weeks. Death followed a heart attack.

Born in Dyer County, she moved to Lauderdale County 28 years ago. She was a member of Poplar Grove Baptist Church. She leaves two sons, Eugene Hilliard and J. W. Hilliard, and a daughter, Mrs. Hazel Phillips, all of Unionville; three sisters, Mrs. Oma Williams and Mrs. George Cothran, both of Dukeston, and Mrs. Martha Permenter of Union City; three grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

Funeral Rites for O'Neal Davis

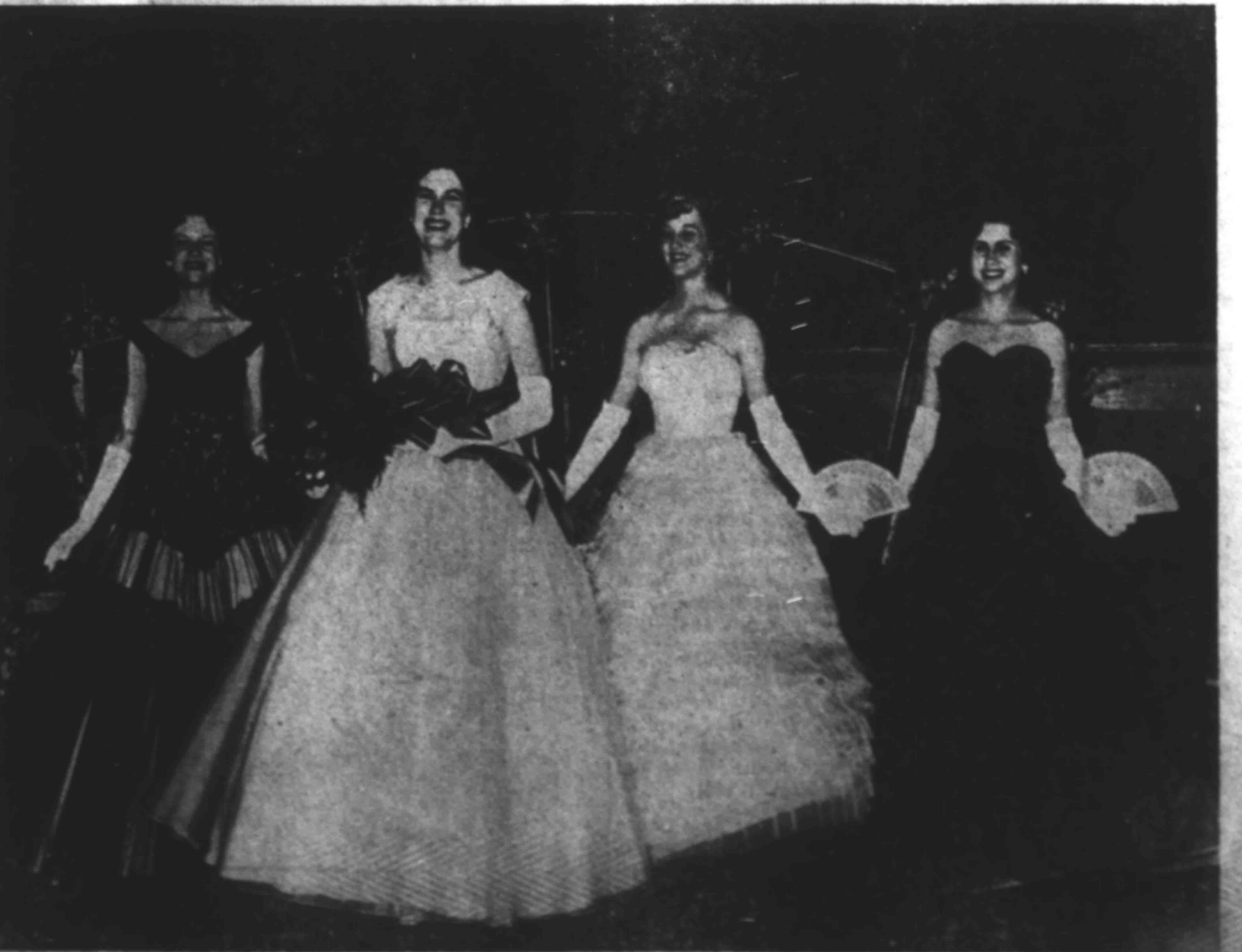
Services for O'Neal Davis, cotton farmer of Knob Creek community were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday afternoon at Macedonia Baptist Church at Edith. The Rev. Carl Vinard officiated. Burial was in Enon Cemetery, Halls Funeral Home in charge.

Mr. Davis, who was 80, died at 3 p.m. Monday, at home, after six weeks illness.

Born in Weakley County, he moved to Lauderdale County 40 years ago. His wife, Mrs. Molly Floyd Davis, died in 1946. He leaves four sons, Richard Davis of Edith; Dennis Davis of Gates; O'Neal Davis Jr., and Rayb Davis, both of Chicago, Ill.; three daughters, Mrs. Moody Jenney of Halls; Mrs. Charles and Mrs. Billy Archer of Edith; two sisters, Mrs. Willie Jaynes of Union City and Mrs. Leona Durham of Waverly 22 grandchildren, and 39 great-grandchildren.

SCHOOL CLOSING CALENDAR

May 1 — Freshman Orientation and Field Day
May 4 & 5 — F.F.A. Convention, Nashville
May 9 — P.T.A. Dance Recital
May 14 — Baccalaureate
May 19 — Commencement



Miss Pat Warren, second from left, 17-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Warren, was chosen "Miss Halls of 1961" at the annual Beauty Revue Thursday night of last week. Chosen as her attendants were, left, Miss Elizabeth Alsobrook, daughter of Mr. and

Mrs. Charles Alsobrook, First Maid; second from right, Miss Sharon Olds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Manuel, Second Maid; and right, Miss Gloria Meeks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Meeks, Alternate Maid. —Photo by Chuck Muchison.

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SAVINGS BANK TOTALS ANNOUNCED

March sales of U. S. Savings Bonds in Lauderdale County...

NOTICE

Application has been made by BOBBY RAY GRAY for beer permit at Gray's Place...

Lauderdale County Board Clifford Sweat, Chairman

WANT ADS

FOR SALE

FOR SALE — It's his time at Hall's Iris Gardens...

FOR SALE — 56-acre farm, located west miles west of Halls...

FOR SALE — House and lot located near East End Garage...

FOR SALE — Long white evening gown like new...

PIANO SALE — Save on new and used piano...

FOR SALE — Building lot in Halls, 105x210 ft.

FOR SALE — Dwelling, 8 rooms and bath...

FOR SALE — 6-room house on North Kellner...

FOR SALE — Lion Service Station equipment and stock...

WANTED — Sewing to do in my home...

HELP WANTED

WANTED — Baby sitter to care for 2 year old boy...

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of Robert D. Beeson, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that on the 15 day of April, 1961...

All persons, resident and non-resident...

WALKER — The Halls Graphic is authorized to announce D. E. Walker...

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News from Gates

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Hartman and daughter, Mary Ella...

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Baker visited Mr. and Mrs. William Gardner...

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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children of Memphis visited Mrs. Blanche Thurmond over the weekend.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hand Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Heath and children...

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FOR SUMTER'S FALL STIRRED SECESSION SENTIMENT IN STATE

The Confederate gun which fired on Fort Sumter in Charleston harbor 100 years ago this week sent echoes rumbling throughout the State of Tennessee.

STATE FLOWER TIME

It's that time again "folks" for our State Flower, the Iris, to bloom in all its glory.

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BREAKS HIP

Max. Neil Fugh has the misfortune to fall and break a hip at her home on West Tipton St. Wednesday night...

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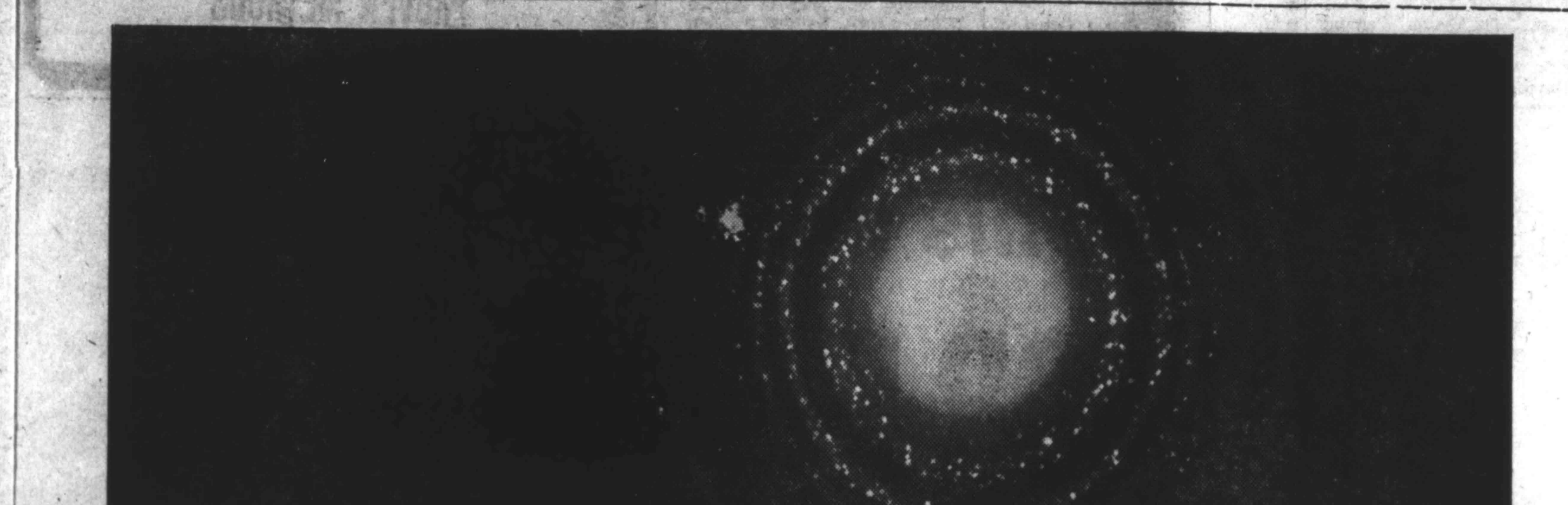
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Weird electron "pictures" help Shell scientists develop improved TCP for today's Super Shell — to give your car top performance.

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FARM EQUIPMENT CAN BE RENTED. Farmers who use and manage their equipment in the average way can probably pay up to 20 percent of the price of new equipment annually in rentals.

NOTICE Municipal Election Call. WE, the Undersigned Commissioners of Elections for Lauderdale County, do hereby give notice that the regular biennial municipal election for the Town of Halls, Tennessee, will be opened and held at the regular voting precincts in and for said Town of Halls, Tennessee, on Thursday, May 4, 1961.

Test Super Shell for yourself. Try Super Shell next time you fill up. You'll soon feel and hear a difference in the way your engine runs. That difference is top performance.

SHELL. A BULLETIN FROM SHELL RESEARCH—where 1,907 scientists are working to make your car go better and better.

Sunday School Lesson

By Walter C. Davis, D. D., Tennessee School of Religion, University of Tennessee
Lessons for Sunday, April 30
Job 42: 1-12

Is Change-of-Life Making You Only Half a Woman?



Special women's medicine can relieve "hot flashes", weakness, nervousness... then you can enjoy life fully again!

Job did not answer to the query, "Why do I, a righteous man, suffer?" Instead, he was confronted with the glory and majesty of God.

Nankipoo News

Mrs. Fleetwood Cates, P.O. Box AD 4-1988
Word has been received of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. William Sasser of Kenton, Tenn.

J. E. Screen of Friendship and Fleetwood Cates were in Memphis, Monday.

FARMERS SHOULD REPORT EARNINGS
Do you believe in throwing money away? Apparently many farmers do!

Crop Protection at Alsobrook Pesticides

CHARLES ALSOBROOK
Day AD 4-9348 — PHONES — Night AD 4-7773
IN PROCESSING PLANT BUILDING.
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Brevities

Mrs. Paul Griffin and Mrs. E. V. Lilley of Gates attended funeral services for Mrs. Dora Smith at Forked Deer Tuesday.

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STEAKS, TENNESSEE RIVER CAT FISH and SOUTHERN FRIED CHICKEN

VISITOR HONORED WITH COFFEE

A Memphis visitor, Mrs. David Hallman, was the inspiration for a coffee given by Mrs. W. A. Smith, Jr. at her home Saturday afternoon.

GARDEN CLUB MEETING DATE CHANGED

The Halls Garden Club will meet on Friday, May 4, at the home of Mrs. Marvin Hansonford at 2:30 p.m.

ATTENDED HURT FUNERAL RITES

Among those attending funeral services for Mrs. F. C. Hurt Monday were: Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Smith, McMinnville; Mr. and Mrs. Dan Smerchek, Goodlettsville; Mrs. Grace Smith, McMinnville; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hurt, Mrs. Ed Scott, Memphis; Mrs. Garland Geans and Miss Barbara Hudgens, Hummelok, Ark.; Mrs. N. C. Mumma, Harry Wilson, San Antonio, Texas; Mrs. Paul McBride, Mrs. Luther Mc Bride, Ripley; Mrs. Wayne White, Mrs. Paul Morris, Mrs. Henderson Baker, Mrs. and Mrs. Shelton Walker and daughter, Mrs. Elwood Hurt, Mrs. Robert Wilson and Mrs. Jim Wadsworth, Dyersburg.

CARD OF THANKS

Since it would be impossible for me to see and personally thank every one for their kindness, may I use this means of expressing my sincere appreciation for the kindness shown at the time of the death of my father, O'Neal Davis. I sincerely appreciated the flowers, the words of sympathy and every considerate act.

Swanner and daughter, Linda were in Dyersburg Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wright, Jr. of Martin spent the weekend at home. Harry Jr. is attending U. T. M. B.

BOB HARRIS HEADS PRAT PLEDGES

Bob Harris, Route 1, Halls, has been elected pledge class president of Delta Sigma Pi business fraternity at Memphis State University.

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Delta Sigma Pi is an international professional fraternity which encourages scholarship and association of students majoring in business.

A junior, Mr. Harris is one of 16 spring semester pledges of the fraternity. He is majoring in business management.

Remember when you used to go to bed with the curfew? Today they just blow it to wake you up. Paradise is not a locality—it's a state of mind.

GOOD YEAR This week! Money Saving DEAL FOR EVERY WHEEL ON YOUR FARM

Down to earth prices — silo high trade allowances
SURE-GRIP REARS We're offering up to... \$100.00 for a pair of compact tractor tires when you buy a pair of Sure-Grip!

Great Value Triple-Rib NOW NYLON FRONTS! \$12.65
Great price for the easier steering, and better flotation of Goodyear's Triple-Rib fronts.

WAGON TIRE BUYS! NYLON Farm Service \$19.88
Specially built for free-rolling implements of all types. Switch to the tire that's got the strength and stamina to last through all kinds of rugged farm service.

USED WAGON TIRES \$3.00 AND UP
GREAT TIRE BUYS FOR TRUCK and AUTO
RIB HI-MILER \$19.95 All-Weather \$12.95
15 MONTH GUARANTEE

FREE INSTALLATION ON ALL TIRES
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GOODYEAR MORE FARMERS PREFER GOODYEAR FARM TIRES THAN ANY OTHER KIND

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2 for 1- plus a penny!
Rexall 1-SALE
MONDAY through SATURDAY
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As advertised on Rexall's TV series, MON-TV's "National Velvet" Sunday Evening 8:00-9:00 PM. See Our Ads in THIS WEEK MAGAZINE, PHARMA NEWS WEEKLY, and SUNDAY FAMILY PAPERS.

GIANT AEROSOL SHAVE CREAMS 2 for 99c
REXALL RUBBING ALCOHOL 2 for 80c

43¢ ADHESIVE TAPE 2 for .44
89¢ LATEX GLOVES 2 for .80
69¢ RAZOR BLADES 2 for .70
10¢ HAIR NETS Big choice 2 for .11

RO-BALL DEODORANT 2 for 70c
BOXED STATIONERY 2 for 1.01

Save Today on TOILETRIES
Garden Party FRAGRANCES
\$1.50 MIST COLGONE 2 for 1.51
\$2.00 DUSTING POWDER 2 for 2.01

SURPRISE BUYS
POOL SET \$59.95
FLASH BULBS \$1.14

STATIONERY
25¢ ELITE LINEN TABLETS 2 for .25
\$1.50 BROAD STATIONERY 2 for 1.51

VITAMIN VALUES
\$2.75 BEARITE TONIC 2 for 2.80
\$2.00 POLYVITAMIN 2 for 3.90

Lauderdale County Tax Equalization Board
Will Meet
Mon. Tues. Wed.
May 1, 2 and 3
9 a. m. to 3 p. m.

in the Court Room of the Courthouse at Ripley. This is a public meeting for the benefit of the taxpayers.

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PORK CHOPS LB. 49c
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FAT BACK For Cooking, lb. 9c
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CLUB STEAK U. S. Good, lb. 59c
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PURNELL PRIDE GRADE A
BARBECUE Hot Pork Pit, lb. \$1.49
BACON Fresh, No Salt, lb. 39c
PIES Moon or Jumbo, box 39c
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(Continued from Page 1) plant reported good results against thrips. This treatment would cost an extra dollar per acre.

Livestock Leaders Meet

Directors of Lauderdale County Livestock Assn. will meet next Tues. night, May 2, at the County Agents Office at 7:30 to get a full report on the recent Feeder Calf and Feeder Pig Sales and to plan further activities.

Archie Sanford of Henning, Director of the county livestock association, is definitely planning toward putting some calves in the fall sale this year. He says he is convinced that this is one of the very best methods of marketing cattle available in this area. Archie is also planning to feed out some cattle this coming fall and winter in order to make the best possible use of the good corn silage, alfalfa hay and corn he is producing.

Hunt Morris has fed 90 head of cattle this winter and has kept definite monthly weight records on each individual calf as well as definite feed records on each group of calves so that he will know exactly how he comes out on the operation.

We have all the good pasture land and can produce all the necessary feed to grow and feed out the very highest quality beef animals in this area. Much less labor is required for many livestock operations than for crops.

It is important that we keep learning the newest methods of producing livestock on a profitable basis.

Mrs. Dovie Griffin Died Last Week

RIPLBY — Funeral services for Mrs. Dovie Griffin, widow of Harry L. Griffin, Lauderdale County farmer, were held at 11

a.m. Wednesday, April 18, at Enon Baptist Church in Nankipoo community with the Rev. Gordon Crocker and the Rev. Nathan Pillow officiating. Burial was in Enon cemetery.

Mrs. Griffin, who was 75, died at 3 p.m. Monday in Lauderdale County Hospital here, which she entered 10 days ago. She had been ill two weeks.

She spent most of her life in Lauderdale County. She was a member of Enon Baptist Church. Her husband died two years ago.

She leaves a son, Van Griffin of Ripley; four daughters, Mrs. J. C. Smith of Ripley, Mrs. J. H. Brown of Halls, Mrs. M. E. Ashmore of Wichita, Kan. two brothers, Marvin Hamby of Arp and Cal Hamby of Memphis; a sister, Mrs. R. V. Horton of Hanolph, Miss., and 13 grandchildren.

Starts Traffic Safety Drive

"Safety In May and Everyday." In those words Safety Commissioner Greg O'Rear today urged all motorists to support the Safety In May program of the Tennessee Highway Patrol. This pro-

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April 28 and 29

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Stanley Baker, John Crawford in

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Sunday and Monday

April 30 & May 1

Starts Sunday 1:00, 3:22, 7:00, 9:24 — Starts Monday 7:00, 9:24

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"OCEAN'S 11"

gram is being conducted in cooperation with the newspapers, radio, and TV stations of Tennessee.

"To stay safe in traffic, the driver must be keenly aware that he's not the only one on the road," Commissioner O'Rear said. "He's just one of many drivers, so he must keep in step with the others and share the road with them."

The Commissioner said this involves, first of all, a willingness to share, and then the skill and judgment to do the right thing at the right time.

He gave the following rules as a guide to drivers to help them fit their driving to the pattern of traffic around them.

1. Keep alert. Develop defensive driving. Study the road ahead for accident situations. The higher the speed, the farther ahead your attention must be fixed.

2. Think ahead. Plan emergency measures. Know your own car's capabilities. If the car ahead should suddenly block your lane, could you stop? Could you swerve to avoid an accident?

3. Be adaptable. Get the "feel" of changing traffic, road and weather conditions. Adjust your speed immediately.

4. Pace yourself by the traffic around you. This includes noting traffic behind through constant use of your rear-view mirror. Don't race. Don't lag. Don't ride the bumper of the car ahead.

5. Take only your share of the road . . . in the proper place. Keep in the proper lane. Pass only when you see you have ample time and space to avoid cutting out and in too sharply. Signal all turns and lane changes.

6. Obey to the letter all traffic laws, signs, signals and the dictates of common sense and courtesy. If you make a mistake, don't lose your head. Don't jeopardize yourself and others by hasty, foolishly sudden moves.

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Farmers Signing For Grain Program

by W. B. Hall

The signing of farmers in the 1961 feed grain program is now well under way in Lauderdale County. The program provides

grain producers who divert a portion of the acreage formerly planted to these crops to an approved conservation use.

The average county rate is \$24.80 per acre for reducing such acreage a minimum of 20 percent below the base 1959-60 average. Individual farm rates may be higher or lower, depending on the farm's productivity in relation to the county average.

A higher rate will apply for reducing corn and grain sorghum acreage from 20 to 40 percent below the base.

Corn and grain sorghum producers must cooperate in the 1961 feed grain program in order to be eligible for price support

on the normal production of this year's corn and grain sorghum acreage, as well as for support on any of their other 1961 feed crops — barley, oats, and rye.

Acreage diverted under the feed grain program must be put to an approved conservation use, and it must represent an additional amount over the farm's average acreage devoted to a conservation use in 1959 and 1960. Where applications are made in advance and program funds are still available, farmers may receive ACP cost-share assistance in installing the conservation-use practice on the land.

Corn and grain sorghum producers who are interested in tak-

ing part in the feed grain program are urged to get in touch with the County ASC Office not later than May 26, 1961.

Pre-school registration for all students entering Halls school in the first grade next year has been set for May 1. All parents and children will meet in the gym at 9:00 A. M. for directions to be given for the morning. Lunch will be served to all parents and children that will enter school next year. A short program has been planned to familiarize parents and children with the school. Present first grade children will not come to school on this day.

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