

**Too Tight**  
Patient: "My wife objects to my sleeping with my mouth open. What can I do about it?"  
Examining Doctor: "Nothing, I am sorry to say. Your skin is too tight; when you close your eyes it pulls your mouth open."

**Clever Idea!**  
The city girl had been asking the farmer a lot of foolish questions. Finally she asked: "Why are you running that steamroller thing over that field?"  
"I'm raising mashed potatoes this year," replied the farmer.

**Struck Wrong Key**  
When, on the death of President McKinley, Theodore Roosevelt succeeded to the highest office, a New York editor desired to contrast the event with a recent coronation in Europe. But the printer, coming to the word "oath" in the manuscript, struck a wrong key on the linotype and the sentence appeared: "For sheer democratic dignity, nothing could exceed the moment when, surrounded by the Cabinet, Mr. Roosevelt took his simple bath as President of the United States."

**Satisfactory Results**  
An Irish soldier in France, during the war of 1914-18, received a letter from his wife, saying there wasn't an able-bodied man left, and how was she going to plant the potatoes.  
Pat wrote at the beginning of his next letter, "Bridget, please don't dig in the garden; that's where I buried our treasure."

The letter was duly censored, and in a short time a truckload of soldiers arrived to dig the garden from end to end.  
Bridget wrote to Pat in desperation, saying that she didn't know what to do, as the soldiers had got the garden dug up, every bit of it.  
Pat's reply was short, and to the point:  
"Put in the spuds."

## A LITTLE FUN Jokes to Make You Laugh

**Prospective**  
She—But can you support me properly?  
He—Darling, with your salary and my prospective salary we'll be sitting on top of the world.

**Stretching the Point**  
A railroad agent in Africa had been "bawled out" for doing things without orders from headquarters. One day his boss received the following startling telegram:  
"Maneating-tiger on station platform attacking waiting passengers. Wire instructions."

**Ed Wynn Joke**  
Graham Mac'aree—Just what do you mean by modern dances?  
Ed Wynn—Well, at the old-fashioned dances a man used to say: "May I have the next waltz?" . . . But at these modern dances a girl goes over to a fellow and says: "Come on, worm—let's wriggle."

**Plays a Tune on 'Em**  
Rastus, from Boston, was trying to impress his Southern cousin with the speed of Northern trains.  
"When dat ol' Montreal Express gits to hummin', Mose," he solemnly asserted, "de telegraph poles look like slats on a chicken fence."  
"Dat's nuffin," sniffed Moses, "when de Pan-American steps out fo' New Orleans, it makes dem mile posts look like a fine comb."

**Diplomatic**  
Mrs. Snapp—If I were to die, Scipio, would you marry again?  
Scipio—That isn't a fair question, dear.  
Mrs. Snapp—Why isn't it a fair question?  
Scipio—Well, if I were to say "Yes," you wouldn't like it, and to say "No" wouldn't sound nice, either.

**Correction**  
A school teacher, after examination of the pupils in her class by the school nurse, wrote the following note to the parents of a certain little boy:  
"Your boy, Charles, shows signs of astigmatism. Will you please investigate, and take steps to correct it?"  
The next morning she received a reply from the boy's father, who wrote: "I don't exactly understand what Charles has done, but I have walloped him tonight, and you can wallop him tomorrow. That ought to help some."

**Too Many Signs**  
"Can't you see that sign, 'No Smoking'?"  
"Sure, it's plain enough, but there are so many dippy signs here. One says, 'Wear Nemo Corsets.' So I ain't paying no attention to any of 'em."

**Every Man for Himself**  
Risking the perils of death a valiant knight had rescued the fair maiden and now was holding her in his arms.  
"Listen, big boy," said the maiden, "are you holding me for ransom?"  
"Not me, fair one," responded Sir Knight, "let Ransom hold his own women."

**Railroad Complaint**  
Railroad Agent—"Here's another farmer who is suing us on account of cows."  
Official—"One of our trains has killed them, I suppose?"  
Agent—"No, he claims our trains go so slow that the passengers milk his cows along the right-of-way."

**Plowing to the Mark**  
Pat was new at plowing, and the first attempt was anything but successful.  
"Look here," said the farmer, "that kind of thing won't do. The corn will be dizzy that grows in a furrow as crooked as that. Fix your eye on something across the field and head straight for it. That bull there by the gate is right opposite us. Aim at him, and you'll do pretty well."  
"All right, sir," said Pat, and just then the farmer was called away to the barn. Ten minutes later he returned and was horrified to see that the plow had been wandering in a zigzag course all over the field.  
"Hold on there!" he shouted. "Hold on! What are you up to?"  
"I did what you told me, sir," said Pat. "I headed straight for that bull, but before I got half way he headed straight for me."

**Bob Burns**  
In the spring, the river used to come up so high that our yard at Van Buren would be in three feet of water. Me and my brother, Farrar, used to make a raft out of pieces of bridges that were washed out and we'd pole our way all over town. That's where I learned to sing, "My Bonnie Lies Over the Ocean."  
I remembered one flood we had down there. A man came floatin' down the river on the roof of his house. There

## SOUTHWEST "MAKIN'S" SMOKERS KNOWN FOR ROLLING TALENT!

They'll tell you this rich, full-bodied "makin's" tobacco shapes up quick, neat

WHERE you find men extra handy at rolling "makin's," like as not they're usin' P. A. Due to the "crimp cut," Prince Albert lays right—doesn't spill or blow away. Rolls up fast, smooth, firm. That "crimp cut" also does a lot for easy drawing and cool, slow-burning smoking. But the big P. A. feature is the "no-bite" process. Takes out harshness. Yet Prince Albert's got RICH TASTE—and FULL BODY. Pipe-smokers, too, say Prince Albert is great!



P. A. IS THE FAVORITE 'MAKIN'S' TOBACCO AROUND HERE. ROLLS EASIER, NEATER—SMOKES MILD AND TASTY!



"SAY, brother, P. A. sure rescued me from 'tongue-bite.' I can't get over how mild it is. It's no wonder you see so many fellows rollin' this swell tobacco."

"YES—and don't forget, Prince Albert has that grand taste and good body everyone goes for. Boy, there's a lot of satisfaction in Prince Albert as 'makin's'!"

## PRINCE ALBERT THE NATIONAL JOY SMOKE

70 fine roll-your-own cigarettes in every 2-oz. tin of Prince Albert  
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## Poultry News

### Maintaining Egg Quality in Summer

Many flock owners find difficulty during the summer time in maintaining the quality of their eggs, and consequently suffer a loss in price received for the eggs of reduced quality. Much of the difficulty comes in not keeping the eggs at a low enough temperature between the time they are produced and the time they are marketed. Experiments recently carried on Kansas State Agricultural College show that eggs held in an ordinary room deteriorated in value 78 cents more per case than did eggs held in a humid cellar with a temperature below 70 degrees.  
A practical recommendation that can be made as a result of these experiments that will considerably improve the quality of eggs and reduce the loss of market value per case to a minimum is to produce infertile eggs, gather them twice daily in wire baskets, keep them in a cool, humid cellar overnight before placing them in egg cases, and selling them twice a week throughout the summer months.

### Summer Sanitation

It is just as necessary to maintain sanitary conditions in the flock in the summer time as it is

in the fall and winter. Where both young and old birds are plenty in the summer sun getting plenty of exercise, picking up green food, pebbles, and bugs, they are less under control than when they are kept confined in houses during the fall and winter. Wet spots, either on range or in the layers' yards, should either be filled in or drained off. Dump heaps or refuse piles should be eliminated, so that chickens will not pick up undesirable materials, and high grass or extremely dense thickets should be thinned out.

### Fighting Coccidiosis

Cleanliness is just as important in fighting coccidiosis as it is in preventing it. Should there be any indication or suspicion of the presence of this disease in the flock as indicated by droopy birds, ruffled feathers, pale head parts, and bloody droppings (not always present), the first job is to give the house a thorough cleaning and disinfection. Frequent removal of the litter, as for example, every other day is a great help in fighting this disease, as is also spraying the litter and floor with material that may be obtained especially for this purpose. Where frequent removal of litter is practiced, it is only necessary to put in barely enough litter to cover the floor each time. In this program of cleanliness that should be followed, it is a good plan to keep all visitors off the growing range.

# THE TRAP AT SUICIDE ROCK OR HOW MELVIN PURVIS FOILED A SINISTER PLOT

**MELVIN PURVIS FORMER ACE G-MAN**  
WANTS YOU TO JOIN HIS NEW 1937 CORPS OF SECRET OPERATORS

MELVIN PURVIS is the young lawyer who became America's Ace G-Man. He directed the capture of Dillinger, "Pretty Boy" Floyd, "Baby Face" Nelson, and many other public enemies.  
Now Melvin Purvis, who was the founder of the Junior G-Man Corps, has formed a great new organization called Melvin Purvis' Law and Order Patrol. Members are Secret Operators. They have special codes, passwords, and special equipment. Here is one of the many adventures, taken from the confidential Secret Operators' Files and published to prove that CRIME DOES NOT PAY!

MELVIN PURVIS RECEIVES A LETTER FROM ONE OF HIS SECRET OPERATORS...  
East Orange, N.J. Feb 24, 1937  
Dear Mr. Purvis:  
Our squad of Secret Operators here in East Orange is practicing tracking suspects. Can you tell us some of the tricks a tracked man will use to cover his tracks—such as walking on a stream, jumping from rock to rock, walking on a fence, or any other things we ought to watch out for.  
Yours truly,  
Johnny Jones,  
Secret Operator, Law and Order Patrol

SO SECRET OPERATOR JONES WANTS TO KNOW HOW TO PICK UP A LOST TRAIL, EH? WELL, THERE ARE LOTS OF WAYS A FUGITIVE CAN COVER UP HIS TRACKS. HERE'S ONE OF THE CLEVEREST RUSES I EVER CAME UP AGAINST...  
OH, TELL US, MR. PURVIS! WHILE YOU'RE DOING IT WE'LL HAVE SOME MORE POST TOASTIES AND CREAM!

"We heard that Fargo, the bank robber, had boarded a train at a coast town... but when we were about to seize him he opened a window while the train was crossing an embankment..."  
HE'S ESCAPED!

"We quickly stopped the train and picked up Fargo's trail. He was heading for Suicide Rock, a great cliff that juts out into the ocean. We figured he didn't have a chance to escape us up there..."  
I GUESS THIS IS THE END OF THE TRAIL, CHIEF--HE MUST HAVE JUMPED OFF SUICIDE ROCK TO DEATH IN THOSE BREAKERS BELOW.  
WAIT A MINUTE! THERE'S SOMETHING FUNNY HERE!  
I NOTICED THAT THE TOE OF EVERY FOOTPRINT WAS DEEPER THAN THE HEEL... AND I KNEW THAT WHEN A MAN WALKS FORWARD, THE HEEL PRINT IS DEEPER THAN THE TOE BUT WHEN HE WALKS BACKWARD, THE TOE PRINT IS DEEPER. IMMEDIATELY I FIGURED THAT FARGO HAD WALKED BACKWARD IN HIS OWN FOOTPRINTS--I SENSED DANGER, AND JUST IN TIME...  
WALKING FORWARD WALKING BACKWARD

JUMP BACK, FOR YOUR LIVES!  
CRASH!

Boys and Girls!  
BE A SECRET OPERATOR IN MY NEW LAW-AND-ORDER PATROL! GET MY NEW SECRET OPERATOR'S SHIELD AND MY SECRET OPERATOR'S MANUAL CONTAINING SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS... CODES AND PASSWORDS... SECRETS OF CRIME DETECTION... HOW TO WIN PROMOTION TO HIGHER RANKS... ALSO PICTURES OF ALL MY WONDERFUL FREE PRIZES! TO BE A SECRET OPERATOR, JUST SEND ME THE COUPON BELOW WITH TWO RED POST TOASTIES PACKAGE-TOPS.

STICK 'EM UP, FARGO! YOUR PLOT HAS FAILED!  
MELVIN PURVIS! AN' I THOUGHT I HAD YOU TRAPPED!  
THAT STORY POINTS OUT A FACT ALL SECRET OPERATORS MUST KNOW... WHEN A TRAIL SUDDENLY ENDS, BEWARE OF AN AMBUSH! WELL, WELL, I SEE YOU SECRET OPERATORS HAVE EATEN UP THOSE POST TOASTIES--HOW WERE THEY?  
SWELL, MR. PURVIS! THEY'RE THE BEST THING EVER, ANYTIME!  
MICKY MOUSE TOYS ON EVERY BOX

A CRISP, DELICIOUS BREAKFAST TREAT!  
MILLIONS of boys and girls call Post Toasties "the better corn flakes"... For Post Toasties are made only from the sweet, tender little hearts of the corn, where most of the flavor is stored. And these tasty, golden-brown flakes are toasted double-crisp, so they will keep their crunchy goodness longer in milk or cream.  
For a special breakfast treat--try Post Toasties with fruit or berries--it's a wonderful combination!  
Get Post Toasties at your grocer's the first chance you get... the price is low. A Post Cereal--made by General Foods.  
ORDER POST TOASTIES IN HOTELS, RESTAURANTS AND DINING CARS, TOO

BOYS' SHIELD (at 10¢), GIRLS' SHIELD (above). Both of polished gold bronze, semi-enamel finish. SECRET OPERATOR'S MANUAL at right. Manual and Shield FREE for 2 Post Toasties package-tops.  
A SPECIAL MESSAGE TO ALL BOYS AND GIRLS WHO JOINED MY JUNIOR G-MAN CORPS LAST YEAR: I particularly want members of my Junior G-Man Corps to become Secret Operators in my new Law-and-Order Patrol. The training you have received as members of the Junior G-Man Corps will fit you for quick advancement to higher ranks as Secret Operators.  
Melvin Purvis

Free Prizes FOR SECRET OPERATORS (Many others shown in Manual)  
Illustrations of prizes: a watch, a pocket knife, a flashlight, a pen, a pencil, a ruler, a compass, a protractor, a set square, a pair of glasses, a pair of shoes, a pair of socks, a pair of gloves, a pair of mittens, a pair of slippers, a pair of shoes, a pair of socks, a pair of gloves, a pair of mittens, a pair of slippers.



TRAIL DUST  
By DOUGLAS MEADOR



One of the principal faults of... is that it has so many...

Emptied of its golden thread... the year's pool becomes motionless...

Should not wish to possess too... a house, lest my friends... it contain a secret vault...

Without being conscious of an... until it has been gratified... the annual appearance of a...

Beyond the end of the rocky... where the old light-house... stood, the sea was serene...

ish... the masts.

ish... must become discouraged...

ish... level of silver mist hid the... face of night and soficred...

ish... men are credited with...

ish... a wonder more good cattle...

ish... here...

ish... here...

ish... here...

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## Cold Wave Hits Texas Panhandle

### Temperature Sags To Lowest Levels During Season

Buffeting winds whisked the worst cold wave of the new winter across the Texas Panhandle Monday to bring the thermometer to an unofficial 14 degrees above zero in Matador early Tuesday morning. Official weather reports from Lubbock showed the thermometer to register 5.8 above zero there at the same time. Stock warnings were made to cattlemen in the upper Panhandle and no damage from the low temperature has been reported. Newspaper reports declare the blizzard to hold most of the nation in its grasp with the exception of the Pacific coast, with freezing weather as far south as San Antonio.

### Snow In North States

Snow ranged up to twenty inches in some northern states while at least a dozen deaths were attributed to wind, cold and slippery highways in the Great Lakes section. The lowest temperature reported in the nation was a minimum of 37 below zero at Warroad, Minn.

While the temperature dropped rapidly here yesterday another blizzard was reported to be forming in northern Canada with indications that it might follow the path of the icy winds which swept the country late Monday.

Much hope was held for snow here late Tuesday as a cold east wind sent residents to firesides and shelter except for brief intervals. However, the favorable east wind shifted to the west yesterday and continued throughout the day while farmers and cattlemen sought another peg on which to hang their hopes for badly needed moisture.

The cold wave Monday exceeded the blizzard of November 21, when the temperature dropped to 19 above zero here.

## MATADOR IS MECCA DURING YULETIDE

Quite a number of former Matador residents returned here during the week-end to spend Christmas day and the subsequent holidays with relatives and friends. Among those who were here during the week, were the following:

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wason of Springer, N. M., who visited his mother, Mrs. Mollie Wason, and other relatives.

Miss Irene Knight, district Case Supervisor, of Dalhart, who visited her mother, Mrs. P. E. Knight.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Calhoun, arriving here Thursday from Alexandria, La., to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Fryar.

Miss Allie Traweck, music teacher in the Goose Creek high school, who visited her parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Traweck.

Coach Jake Edwards, with Mrs. Edwards, of Tyler, who visited here with his parents Mayor and Mrs. George Edwards, and at Whiteflat with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Keltz.

In the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Moore for the week-end, were their daughters and their families, from Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Guy and sons, Mike, Dorrance and George, and Dr. and Mrs. Sam G. Dunn and children, Sammy, Velma Lou and Bobby.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bradshaw and small son Jackie, visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Russell and other relatives Mr. Bradshaw's father, John Bradshaw and family of Paducah, former Matador residents, were also visitors here during Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Graham and sons, Burleson and Billy of Tulla, who visited with Mrs. Graham's mother, Mrs. A. D. Burleson, and other relatives.

With Mrs. Margaret Newman for the holidays, were her daughter and family, Col. and Mrs. O. G. Pitz and children, Peter and Peggy, of Galveston, who were accompanied by Col. Pitz's sister, Miss Lillie Pitz.

## JUST A WORD OF CAUTION!



## Floyd County Man Killed In Car Wreck

### Tragedy At Blanco Canyon Saturday

Sam Beard, 48, long-time resident of Floydada, died about 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon of injuries suffered when his automobile struck a concrete culvert in Blanco canyon less than two hours earlier.

After his car, a light, old-model coach, crashed into the culvert, it toppled into the water in White river about six miles southwest of Floydada.

Arriving on the scene of the accident shortly after it occurred were Jack Bradshaw, former Matador resident, now of Post where he is Administrative Assistant, and the County Agent of Garza County, who assisted other passing motorists to extricate the victim from the water and wreckage. Beard died enroute to Floydada, while Bradshaw and his companion were rushing him to a hospital.

Lubbock Party On Scene  
When found by motorists, Beard was lying in the water. Among the first to arrive at the scene of the accident was Dr. Sam G. Dunn, Lubbock physician, who assisted in dragging him from the water. He had been a resident of Floydada approximately 30 years, and this fall had been employed at a gin.

He is survived by his widow, two sons, Eugene Beard, of Lubbock and Fred Beard of Floydada; and a daughter, Mrs. H. Race Owens of Plainview.

Witnesses said the car driven by Beard was demolished.

## TOM BURNETT OF IOWA PARK DEAD

Iowa Park—Tom Burnett, 66 years old, prominent wealthy rancher and oil field owner, died at his home here Monday.

## CHRISTMAS AT BLAND GAIT HERE

Matador observed a quiet Christmas. Following the pre-holiday automobile accidents, one of which proved fatal to resident engineer, W. C. Hagan, Matador and surrounding communities observed an uneventful Christmas, according to sheriff L. A. Carlisle. Local peace officers made but few arrests over the two-day holiday and no fires were reported as residents opened their Christmas packages, visited relatives and friends or entertained relations from other points. Of scores of people interviewed, this reply was the same without exception, "Best Christmas I have ever known."

A number of Matador merchants declared that their sales far exceeded their expectations when the goers were finally closed late Christmas Eve. A change in the trend of buying was observed by a number of merchants who declared that the sales were good throughout the month instead of the usual Christmas rush a few days before the holiday.

Business has been at a low ebb in Matador this week following the usual after-holiday lethargy while many are away or continue visiting or entertaining friends and relatives through Christmas week.

Many business establishments have taken advantage of quiet week and have started inventory of their stocks and in some cases the inventories have been completed.

Business houses closed all day Monday with the exception of drug stores, cafes and filling stations. One observer declared that the streets were almost devoid of automobiles during a period in the afternoon.

Traffic on the two major highways in the county has been heavy during the holidays and the motor bus system has carried capacity loads most of the time.

## Residents Called To Littlefield

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Fryar left Tuesday night for Littlefield, where they were called due to the serious condition of Mrs. Fryar's brother, Luther Ragsdale.

They were accompanied by another brother, Chas. Ragsdale, of Dickens county.

Mr. and Mrs. Fryar's daughter, Mrs. F. F. Calhoun, with Mr. Calhoun, left Wednesday morning to join the family at Littlefield.

## Many Return For Holiday Visits Here

Numbered among the holiday visitors here with relatives, during the past week, were Mrs. Rowe Sams and small daughter, Julia Marie, of Waco, who visited from Thursday until Saturday with Mrs. Sams' mother, Mrs. Leonora Luckett. Others who visited with Mrs. Luckett during the week-end were her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Godfrey of Spur, and her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Luckett Jr., of Roaring Springs, who were here Sunday.

Visiting her sisters Mrs. R. P. Moore, and Mrs. Homer Sheets, during the week-end, was Mrs. L. F. Davis of Lubbock, formerly of Matador, who was joined here Sunday by her son and daughter, Donald and Lena Mae, also of Lubbock.

Rosee McWilliams arrived in Matador Friday evening to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McWilliams of Whiteflat. He is connected with the A. A. A. extension department in Kansas City, Missouri.

Rebecca and Jimmie Fulkerson, who have been employed at Berger, are spending the holidays here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Fulkerson.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Pipkin and young son of Paducah, visited here Sunday with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Pipkin.

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## Mrs. Blackshear Is Reported Improved

Mrs. Tede Blackshear of Turkey, who is a patient in the Carrel Girard clinic in Dallas, will probably be sufficiently improved to walk again in about three weeks, according to word received here by Mr. Blackshear's sisters, Mrs. George Birchfield and Mrs. R. A. Day.

Mrs. Blackshear has been confined in a cast since the 13 of April, when she was injured in an automobile accident in which both legs and a hip bone were broken.

## RETURNS HOME

Judge W. R. Cammack returned home Tuesday from Dallas, where he spent the Christmas week-end holidays with relatives. He was accompanied here for the day by his daughter and husband, Dr. and Mrs. Frank Colg of Galveston, and by his youngest daughter, Mrs. P. J. Baron of McCamey, who will remain for a few days visit.

## Injuries Fatal To Highway Engineer

### GIRL FINED FOR BATHING NUDE

San Diego, Calif.—Lorine Bond Nolan, 23-year-old San Francisco model, was freed from the San Diego county jail after paying a \$50 fine assessed by a justice of the peace for bathing au naturel in the surf at Solano beach.

Miss Nolan said a naughty wave caused all the trouble when it washed off her suit after a shoulder strap broke while she was cavorting in the breakers.

The pretty model said friends in New York telegraphed her the necessary \$50—after she spent thirty-six hours in jail.

## Final Rites Held For Campbell Hagan At Vernon Friday

William Campbell Hagan, 47, resident engineer for the Texas Highway Department, who was seriously injured in an automobile accident eleven miles east of Matador on December 20 succumbed at the Traweck hospital early Friday morning.

Mr. Hagan's automobile left the highway and plowed into the borrow-ditch when the machine failed to negotiate a curve about one mile southeast of Teepee Creek. Mr. Hagan was brought to Matador for treatment where it was discovered that his injuries were extremely serious. It is declared that he suffered a broken leg, severe chest injuries and concussion of the brain.

### Funeral At Vernon

Funeral services were held at the Underwood chapel in Vernon at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon with Rev. J. Albert Steele officiating. The body was forwarded to Elysian Fields for interment at 10 o'clock Saturday morning.

Mr. Hagan is survived by his widow and step-daughter, Jewel McCoy; five sisters, Misses Mary and Ruth Hagan of Marshall, Miss Susan Hagan of Dallas, Mrs. James Furrh of Elysian Fields and Mrs. Esther Joaber of Dallas, and four brothers James Hagan of Electra, John and F. M. Hagan of Wichita Falls and George Hagan of Dallas.

Mr. Hagan moved to Vernon with his parents, the late Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Hagan, in 1907 and continued his residence in that city until a few years ago. He became associated with the state highway department in 1928.

He was a member of the U. S. Army engineering corps in France during the World War and was a member of the Masonic lodge. He had been associated with highway work here for a number of years.

## MOUNTAIN HIDES \$80,000 IN GOLD

Mineral Wells, Texas—Will R. Jones, a civil engineer seeking the buried treasure of Sam Bass, Texas outlaw a half century ago, agreed that he might have to move all of East mountain to find the \$80,000 in gold double eagles that Bass was believed to have buried in a cave.

Jones had dug down thirty feet and all that he had encountered so far was a thick layer of shale strata.

"The only ones cashing in on this treasure hunt are the post-office department and filing station operators," Jones said.

Hundreds of spectators crowded around the hole giving suggestions and making unappreciated wisecracks. Jones said that he had given up trying to open all his mail.

"There was one fellow in Springfield, Mo., who wanted to sell me a new doodle bug, and another about a thousand miles from here called me up and offered the services of a clairvoyant whom he said never fails," Jones said.

Jones tried one "doodle bug" an instrument that is supposed to find buried metal, and was about ready to try out the clairvoyant, or give up digging in one spot and try to move the mountain.

The legend in the Palo Pinto hills is that Bass buried \$20,000 in gold stolen in a trap robbery, in a cave on East mountain. The mouth of the cave was supposed to have been covered by a landslide after Bass was shot by rangers in 1878.

## Cotton Report

Census report shows that 13,502 bales of cotton were ginned in Motley County, Texas, from the crop of 1938 prior to December 13, as compared with 20,960 bales for the crop of 1937, according to H. J. Marler, Special Agent.

Mrs. Lottie Patton of Lubbock, spent the week-end holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carter, and small son, Dean.

Rev. and Mrs. H. M. Weldon and daughters, Donna Ann and Kay left Sunday afternoon for Abilene to spend the remainder of the holiday week with relatives.



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NOVEMBER IS BANNER TEXAS SAFETY MONTH

Austin.—Texas scored its banner safety month in November when the lives of 83 pedestrians and motorists were saved, compared with the records of the corresponding month of 1937. State police said the record shattering figures, which showed that 137 persons were killed in traffic crashes last month, made "wrong guessers" out of safety statisticians who had predicted a toll of 165 for that football-fanned period. Safety Director Homer Garrison, Jr., referred to the sharp decrease as "the biggest encouragement state officers have had in many months."

Faced with the prospect of unfavorable weather, heavily trafficked roads and shortened periods of clear visibility, highway patrolmen, Director Garrison said, strengthened their vigilance along death "corridors" in November and worked many extra hours in their efforts to discourage speeding and reckless driving. Even the Thanksgiving holiday death record was halved, he said.

With 36 pedestrian deaths listed on the November crash reports, 19 less than that month last year, the safety director declared that the education of those who walk on streets and highways is the most likely way to make headway in pedestrian safety work.

"With nearly 40 pedestrians killed each month in Texas," Director Garrison said, "there is ever need for increased vigilance on their part. Motorists, contrary to many opinions, are rarely at fault when a pedestrian is struck down by a vehicle."

Selective enforcement, the safety department's remedy for decreasing serious and fatal vehicle collisions, will be continued "more intensely than ever before," Director Garrison continued. He said necessity for a strict and impartial program of that type had been proved in the general 22 percent death drop maintained in Texas this year.

Physical Exams Advised By State Health Department

Austin.—At this season of the year business men are balancing their accounts for 1938 and pre-

T. C. U. "Maid"



Miss Frances Buster, junior of Fort Worth, has been named T. C. U. "Maid of Honor" for the Sugar Bowl ball in New Orleans, Jan. 1, 1939. Miss Buster was recently named one of 16 "Popularity" girls on the Horned Frog campus for the third consecutive year. The boy friend? None other than the one and only Davey O'Brien!

paring budgets for 1939. Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, asks that everyone look into their health account and see if it is in balance. No doubt most persons have overdrawn their health accounts in many ways and as a result must retrench if their bodies are to escape health bankruptcy.

The best thing to do is go to your family physician and have him give you a thorough examination. Diabetes, Bright's disease, heart trouble, tuberculosis, anemia, internal tumors and syphilis are among the diseases sometimes discovered in examinations of supposedly well persons.

After such an audit your doctor will assist you in making a health budget. This should include plenty of rest, fresh air, exercise, proper food, and moderation in the items used to excess in the past. If this is done you will not only add years more worth living and enjoyable.

Great strides have been made by health agencies in lengthening man's span of life. There is much yet to be done but the health departments need the cooperation of everyone and each citizen should become acutely interested in his own health. The State appropriates five cents for each person's health. This must be tripled and health made a personal matter before Texas can say that it is the healthiest State in the Union.

Northfield News

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Wilcoxson were hosts on Christmas to their children with their families, all being present with the exception of one son who resides in Lake-side, Arizona. Those who were home for the occasion were, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Wilcoxson and family of Thoreau, N. M.; Mrs. Mack Archer of Cuervo, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Russell and son, Mr. and Mrs. John Allen and family and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Allen and Percy Sisk, all of Turkey. Others present were Miss Margaret Hill of Childress, and R. C. Byrd, of this community.

Misses Bessie and Nina Kin-canon, and Woodrow Kinanon, accompanied by Bernice and R. G. Wilcoxson were in Childress one day last week.

W. M. Wells and daughter Maxine, are visiting relatives in Altus, Oklahoma this week-end.

C. C. Chance of Flagg, Texas, visited here with his daughter, Mrs. Reford Vaughan, and accompanied her to A. J., Oklahoma for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Ashford and Dale, accompanied by R. C. Byrd, were in Matador Saturday.

R. C. Cozby is spending Christmas holidays with relatives in Spur this week.

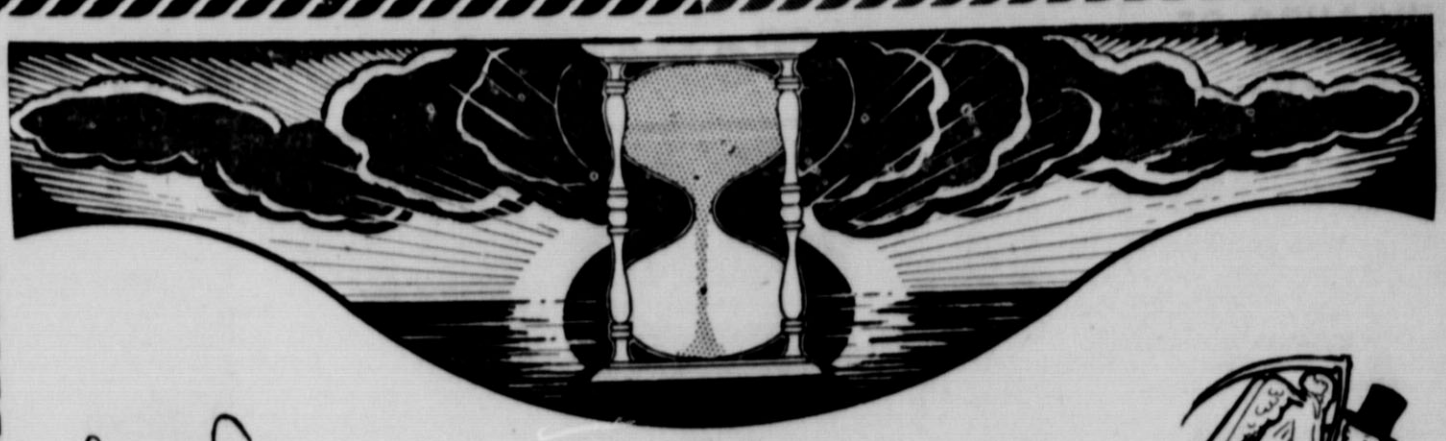
Mr. D. G. Wilcoxson and son were in Matador Friday.

Miss Margaret Hill of Childress spent the week-end with Mrs. Wilcoxson.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Etheredge spent Sunday with Mrs. Ether-edge's mother, Mrs. G. W. Seigler at Seigler ranch.

Mrs. Mollie Brown and grand-daughter, Rheta Tate of Childress spent the week-end with relatives here.

Out-of-town visitors to the New York World's Fair 1939 will number 15,000,000, it is estimated. Conveyances they will use and to what extent has been figured thus: By rail, 7,860,000; by automobile,



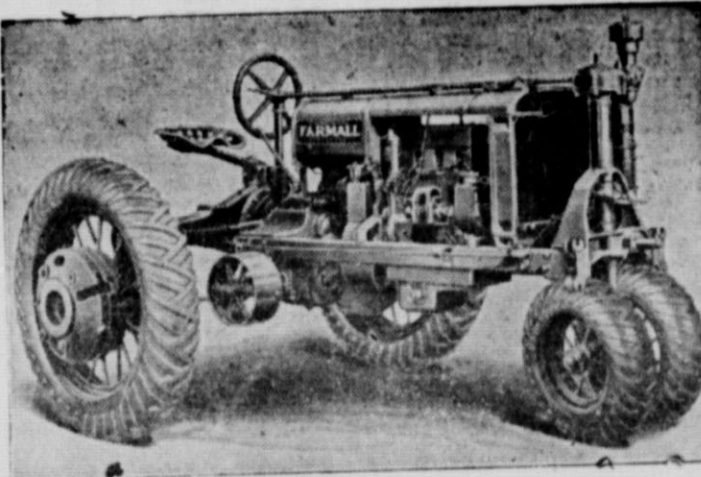
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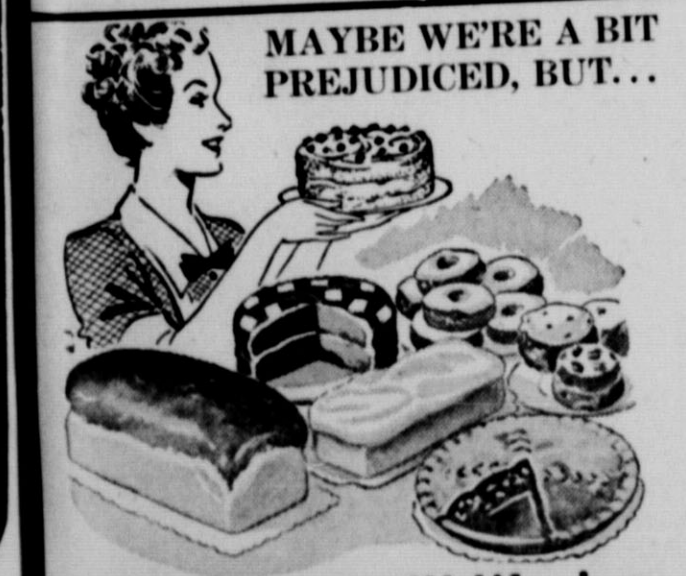
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**Roaring Springs News**

**Pageant Attended By Large Number**

A large and appreciative audience attended the Christmas pageant which was presented in the Roaring Springs high school auditorium Thursday evening, declaring it a success.

Gifts which were brought and placed on the tree for the original purpose of being sent to the Orphan's home, were distributed among a few families in the community, who were not expecting Santa Claus. The change in plans was made by those in charge who felt that since there were not enough gifts to send to the home, the few which were brought could be better given at home.

**Miss Lytle Goes To Littlefield**

Miss Ovel Lytle, who formerly taught home economics in the Roaring Springs high school, has accepted a position in the Littlefield school, and will assume duties after the Christmas holidays. Miss Lytle has been teaching at Spring Lake, in Lamb county since September.

This information was contained in a letter received this week

by the Tribune, from Rev. E. L. Naugle, former Methodist pastor of Roaring Springs, now of Peacock, Texas. Rev. Naugle writes—"we are liking our new home very much—just thought the people at Roaring Springs would be interested in this bit of news concerning Miss Lytle."

**LEAGUE PARTY**

The Epworth League enjoyed a Christmas party and tree in the home of Mrs. Homer Kingery, sponsor, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Godfrey and children spent Christmas holidays in the home of the son, Mr. Berl Godfrey, of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Campbell visited relatives in Lawn, Texas, Christmas.

Miss Wanda Cornell was at home in Paducah, Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Murphy visited her mother in Lubbock, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Moss and family of Lubbock, visited in Roaring Springs Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Henderson spent Christmas afternoon in Plainview.

Those home from Tech for Christmas are: Rosalind Mitchell, Clarice Hughes, Joe Bruce King,

Nell Green, El Wanda Godfrey, Billy Keahey, Gug Cooper, and Frank Norris Mitchell.

Miss Ina Mae Long of Flomot, is at home this week.

Mr. Junior Sherwood is home from S. M. U. Dallas, for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Hill and Mrs. Kelly of Roscoe, were Roaring Springs visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Quana Maxey of Post, visited in Roaring Springs Sunday.

Jess Roberts of Priddy, Texas, and George Morrison of Carlin, Texas, visited Mr. and Mrs. Garland Murphy Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. Socrates Walker is spending Christmas holidays in Cross Plains.

Coach Paddock is spending Christmas in Fort Worth.

Miss Barbara Green is at home in New Mexico, during the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. L. A. Cottingham and daughter, Agnes, of Quitaque, are visiting here with Mrs. Cottingham's mother, Mrs. J. R. Thacker.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Morris are the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Less Jameson of Goree and Miss Oma May Jameson of Amarillo spent Christmas here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. James Holaday of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Edwards of Tyler, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Campbell of Matador spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Keltz, parents of Mesdames Holaday, Edwards and

Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Y. Jameson visited relatives in Olton over the week-end.

Those home from college during the holidays are Boyd Perkins and Rhenard McCary, from Tech, Lubbock, and Tom Tilson, Jr., from McMurry College, Abilene.

Miss Cleo Smelser, who teaches near Midland, came home for the holidays.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Chas Nelson on December 21, a daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McWilliams left Tuesday for Dallas, for a week's visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hutson were called to the bedside of their daughter in Oklahoma Thursday, she having been seriously injured in a car wreck.

**WHITEFLAT NEWS**

Mrs. Maud Dean of Spur came up Tuesday to look after business affairs.

Mrs. and Mrs. N. H. Humphries of Littlefield were holiday visitors here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Wilson of Crosbyton visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Morris over the week-end.

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Tuesday afternoon ladies Bible class, 3:30 to 4:30 p. m. Wednesday night song drill and study of the life of Christ, 7:00 to 8:00 p. m.

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**AN INEVITABLE COMPARISON**

Uxmal, Yucatan, like Chichen Itza, is a glorious reminder of a great people who flourished here hundreds of years before Columbus ever set foot on our shores. The deserted city of Uxmal is accessible and very much nearer to Yucatan's capital, Merida, than its great rival, Chichen Itza. For richness of architectural embellishment, the palm must be awarded to Uxmal. The ruins one sees there are all concentrated in a comparatively small area and are for the most part, of major importance.

My arrival at Uxmal began with a mental irritation on account of an attempted swindle. After registering my name and address in a very soiled book that was handed me, and just as I was about to proceed with my chauffeur into the ruined archaeological area, the young native tried to sell me what purported to be a guide of the ruins at Uxmal. I glanced at it and saw instantly it was a guide book of Chichen Itza and did not contain one word about the ruins here.

With that I waved him aside with an imperious gesture, gave him a 'dirty' look, and walked away from him. I was not as angry as I pretended to be but I wanted to show him that although a 'gringo' from the 'States' I was not as 'green' as I looked.

The first object that greeted my eye on entering the ruined area was a very steep and high pyramidal mound of earth and rubble surmounted by two small temples in ruins. Then as my glance swept over the place one could see in an instant that Uxmal had hardly been restored at all, whereas Chichen Itza at first glance gave a refurbished look like an old deserted hotel that had been repaired, cleaned and painted, an almost as good-as-new look about it. And this was my first impression of Uxmal, which in the Mayan tongue means

'thrice destroyed,' impressive, very rich in embellishments, and hardly touched by the hand of restoration. Uxmal, by the way, is pronounced 'Oos-mahl'.

The 'Lion' of Uxmal— Before inspecting the ruins I saw at the entrance, I left them for the last, I saw in the distance the 'Lion' of the place the "House of the Lion" or "Palace of the Governor." It drew me like a magnet and no remains unexcelled in my mind when I think of the Mayan ruins in Yucatan. As an example of magnificent ponderous mass of architecture superbly embellished with an upper frieze of 20,000 carved stones, it stands without a peer.

The Triple Terraces— From the floor of the jungle to the summit on which this glorious ruin stands is thirty-five feet. The first terrace is 5 ft. high and covers an area of seven acres. The other two terraces are each 15 feet high. I scrambled up a narrow treaded stairway, pushed from behind by my chauffeur who at other times, would proceed me and help me by extending his hand. It was not exactly a graceful climb; 'leaping from crag' rather I might say it was more like a hippopotamus trying to scale the heights. Finally I arrived at the summit of the topmost terrace and started to breathe once more.

I never breathe when I climb, and my breath was coming in short pants. But all the effort expended was worth the sight I now beheld close at hand, the glorious ruin of the Palace of the Governor.

Then I picked my way among the grass, rocks and rubble always craning my neck for a view of the great frieze of carved stones I saw in the upper half of the building. At one place I saw a fine specimen of the noted Mayan arch. Here I whipped out some sheets of paper and with a lead pencil proceeded to make a rough sketch of the scene before me, of the arch and the surrounding surface of the highly decorated frieze in greekue and many other designs.

From the summit of this triple terrace I saw the green flatness and immensity of the jungle sweeping all about and extending to the far horizon. These stone ruins stand forth like grey islands in this sea of verdure. Nearby I saw a small 'Temple of the Turtles' so called, because it had a frieze of these turtles applied like a band about its upper reaches. What the original purpose of this building was is left to conjecture.

The Palace of the Governor— The so-called "Palace of the Governor," if one must resort to dry statistics, is a little more than 300 feet long, about 40 feet wide

and about 25 feet high. The lower half of the building is left plain and unadorned but the upper half is extremely rich and ornate with a carved frieze that runs about 700 feet about the building.

The structure is in three divisions, formerly perhaps entirely separated, but now connected with an arched way containing some small chambers.

The center unit, in all probability served as the living quarters for the original inhabitants, where they lounged, ate and slept. The wings were perhaps, used by the help or by persons of a minor social standing. Who lived here? How Many? How Long? Its all a rebus. To me, above all, this huge magnificent structure was a monument to unbelievable toil, intelligence, artistry that all but staggers the imagination of the beholder. And all this colossal toil took place in the depths of a hot, humid jungle teeming with animal life, buzzing with countless insects, where jaegers stalked through the underbrush, where millions of snakes slithered thru the jungle fastness. And when one contemplates these ruins somehow the saying flashes through our mind, "There were giants in those days."

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Currently enrolled in WPA literacy classes are 15,439 students, Huser said. More than 33,000 men and women, unable to read and write upon being admitted to WPA classes, have completed literacy courses.

These adults who have spent their evenings studying under WPA teachers are now able to read newspapers and are competent to perform the scores of normal every-day tasks which require the ability to read and write.

Altho emphasizing their efforts to diminish illiteracy in Texas, WPA officials pointed out that the adult education program in this state includes numerous other types of training. Courses are taught in homemaking education, vocational education, general adult training which ranges into early college level studies, and education in leisure time activities.

Huser stated that the major purpose of the education program is to provide useful work for needy and competent teachers and that there are now 1,116 teachers employed by WPA. Practically all of these instructors hold classes at night in schools and other public buildings as the majority of the 54,890 persons enrolled in WPA classes are men and women

55,000 Texans Attend WPA Adult Education Classes



Typical students in a rural East Texas adult education class are the members of the Patterson family, residents of Hardin Co. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Patterson and their children have all attended

WPA classes. (1) Mrs. Patterson, a native Texan, has had time after her household duties to attend classes regularly. The instructor declares that her progress has been re-

markable in a class where all of the students are eager students. (2) Horace, an oil field worker and oldest of the Patterson children, Mickey Patterson, a nephew, and Mrs. Patterson listen atten-

tively to the instructions of Mrs. Henrietta Marshall, WPA teacher. Mrs. Patterson's married daughter also attends WPA classes and three younger children of the family are in public school at

Kountze. (3) Jack Patterson, head of the family and veteran of eleven months service in France during the World War, also attends WPA classes for his work cutting rail-

road ties and red oak staves in the East Texas woods. Members of the Patterson family walk two miles daily from their home to the adult education classes which is held in Kountze.

whose daylight hours are spent in earning a livelihood. Also conducted in connection with the education program are 37 nursery school units in which 2,392 pre-school age children from low income families receive daily care.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cudd and children, who spent Christmas in Hobbs and Roswell, N. M., have as their guests this week, Mrs. Cudd's sisters, Mrs. W. T. Blakely and daughter, Maxine, of Hobbs, and Mrs. W. A. Cowan, of Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Mitchell and daughter Eleanor, of Lubbock, formerly of Matador, visited friends here a short while Saturday as they were enroute to Paducah to spend the holidays.

Paul Eubank left Sunday morning for Lubbock to join his parents from Dallas, in visiting during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Groves spent Christmas with her parents at Levelland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Whitworth returned home Wednesday even-

ing from Bullard and Dallas, where they spent the week-end holidays with relatives.

George Gabriel of Spur, attended to business in Matador Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stearns and daughter, Frances, visited relatives in Abilene Sunday and Monday.

Miss Luille Meador visited friends in Lubbock Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burleson spent the Christmas week-end with relatives in Wichita Falls.

Odis Crowell, coach in the Roby high school, who is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Crowell at Flomot, visited with friends in Matador Saturday.

TO START the New Year off right, start with better foods at lower prices. Eat at Jesse's Cafe.

Mrs. Al Kendall, accompanying her daughter and children, all of Houston, but residents of Matador a number of years ago, visited friends here a short while Friday as they were enroute to Canyon to spend the holidays.

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Bobby Gilmer, who is employed in Amarillo, visited here during the week-end holiday with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs.

Frank A. Buckley. Miss Adele Burleson visited with friends in Lubbock during the week-end.

Pat Sheridan and son Patsy, spent the Christmas holidays with his mother, Mrs. J. H. Sheridan, and sisters at Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. McCaughren of Quitaque, former Matador residents, visited here during the holidays this week, with Mrs. McCaughren's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Renfro.

Mrs. J. L. Holden of Childress, spent Christmas here in the home of her sister, Mrs. C. P. Waybourn and family.

Supt. B. F. Tunnell and son Billy, returned home Wednesday evening, after a visit since Monday with his father at Van, Texas.

Miss Pauline Hall of Winters, Texas, spent the holidays here in the home of her aunt, Mrs. W. W. Carpenter, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Watson had as their guest during the week-end, her nephew, Wayne Freeman, of Childress, who also visited with other relatives while here.

Mrs. J. A. Groves, daughter Ruth and son Donald, also her granddaughters Chloe and Alice Mae Fulfer, visited at Plaska, Sunday, in the home of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Howell.

Mrs. Leonora Luckett and Miss Thessia Godfrey visited in Spur from Monday until Wednesday afternoon, with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Godfrey.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bartlett had as holiday visitors, Mr. Bartlett's parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs.

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MANY RETURN...

(Continued From Page One) Week-end visitors at the Bird ranch, were Mr. Bird's brother, J. Bird, his wife and son Richard, of Post, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Bird and family of Spur.

Visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Patton, during Christmas, were Tom Patton of Hale Center, Frank Patton and son Billy Frank, of Austin, and Buck Patton and family, of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bishop and sons, of Dalhart, visited here Sunday with Mrs. Bishop's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Williams and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Cammack's two daughters, Mrs. Jack Barton of Spur, and Mrs. W. W. McDowell of Goodnight, with their husbands, spent the week-end here, with Mrs. McDowell remaining for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rod White and son James, of Hobbs, N. M., visited here during the week-end with Mrs. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Groves.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Nally of Austin were holiday visitors here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Patton, and other relatives.

Miss Nancy Reeves, who teaches school in Dallas, is spending the holidays here with her mother, Mrs. W. E. Reeves, and other relatives.

Miss Kathryn Sheats dietitian at S. M. U. Dallas, visited here

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