

3-AA ALL DISTRICT

Olton, Littlefield Dominate Honor Team

TURNER NAMED TO FOUR POSITIONS

Olton champion Olton and runner-up Littlefield completely dominated the 3-AA All District as they combined for 20 of the 28 spots.

Olton's do everything player, Bill Turner, was named to the elite team in four positions, including three starting choices. Turner made the team as a running back, safety, kicker and punter.

Other Wildcat player to earn an All District position was Steve Cruz who was named as a running back

and as a linebacker.

Other Wildcats to make the team include Larry McDonald as an offensive lineman, Jimmy Durham as a corner back, Rick Hopping at a defensive lineman position and Randy Hall at a defensive line position.

All the Wildcat players to make the team are seniors.

Olton players on the star-studded team include Jimmy Parker at quarterback, Glen Johnson at running back and linebacker, Michael Franks and

Mark Stroebel at ends with Stroebel also listed as a safety, J. D. Caudle and Kent Pittillo at offensive linemen positions, Kevin Workman at a corner back position and Ray Rodriguez at a defensive linemen position.

All of Olton's selections are also seniors.

Friona and Dimmitt had three members each make the team while Morton had two.

The entire District 3-AA All District Teams is listed on page 10 of this issue.



STEVE CRUZ
OFFENSE AND DEFENSE



JIMMY DURHAM
DEFENSE



RANDY HALL
DEFENSE



RICK HOPPING
DEFENSE



LARRY McDONALD
OFFENSE



BILL TURNER
FOUR POSITIONS

GUSTS TO 60 MPH

Wind Damage Reported Over Area

Winds played havoc Saturday, blowing down street signs and Christmas decorations blown down by the score were reported. Winds fanned a small burr over the Olton Farmers Co-op Gin out of control and for a time fire threatened and an unknown number of cotton trailers on the fire started early in the day

and units were still on the scene at midnight. The burrs were still on fire and a possible hazzard through Monday.

At Sudan Saturday morning winds caused so much damage that there were false reports that a tornado had hit the area. Tin from barns was stripped off, trees were toppled over, and trailers were overturned. To the east of this area numerous counties were put under a

tornado watch.

At Amherst, tin was torn off the drive-in theatre and scattered over Highway 37.

An unknown amount of damage was done to the unharvested cotton. Blowing tumble weeds and high winds blew cotton out of the burrs, and cotton not blown out was filled with dirt which will lower the grade considerably.

LAMB COUNTY

LEADER NEWS

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LITTLEFIELD, LAMB COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, DEC. 4, 1975

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BRICKLAYING ceremonies were held last week for the new home of the Tri-County Savings and Loan Association to be located at the corner of 7th and XIT in Littlefield. Numerous local businessmen and civic leaders attended the event

with (left to right) Lyndell Murray, member of the board of directors, Mayor J.E. Chisholm, Don Harmon, Association president, Ed Stevens, Architect, and Claude Martin, contractor, shovelling the first loads of dirt. (Staff Photo)

Area Cotton Crop At Halfway Point

Cotton harvest is approximately 50 percent complete -- and is making just about half of what area farmers had expected earlier that their crops would be ready.

Reports Friday that as much as half of the crop had been ginned and the bale count was just about what they had hoped to gin.

Minor turnout is blamed on the weather and various weather conditions throughout the growing season.

Marketing has progressed rapidly under the weather conditions. Current prices were \$7.50 to \$10.00 per ton during the week ending

November 28, according to Paul R. Dickson, in charge of the Lubbock Cotton Classing Office. They sold mixed new crop lots of mostly grades 32 and 42; staples 30 and 31; mike 2.7 through 2.9 for about 37.00 cents per pound. Mixed lots of mostly grades 41, 51 and 42; staples 30 through 32; mikes 3.0 through 3.4 brought about 43.50 cents.

The USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service reported trading was moderate and growers offered small lots of new crop cotton in light volume.

Demand was good, Dickson said. Prices paid growers for cottonseed ranged from 75 - 95 dollars per ton, mostly 75 to 85 dollars.

Grades 41, 32 and 42 were predominate quantities in this week's classings. Grade 41 was 22 percent, grade 32 - 12 percent and grade 42 - 37 percent. Bark reductions were assigned to 18 percent of the samples classed.

Staples 29, 30 and 31 were predominate lengths. Staple 29 was 25 percent, staple 30 - 35 percent and staple 31 was 19 percent.

Mike readings 3.5 through 4.9 amounted to 13 percent of the total. Mike group 3.3 through 3.4 accounted for 11 percent, 3.0 through 3.2 range 34 percent, mike 2.7 through 2.9 was 27 percent, and 2.6 and below was 10 percent.

About 98,000 samples were classed by the Lubbock Classing Office during the week ending November 28. This seasons total stands at 266,000 samples compared to 6,600 on the same date a year ago.

Council To Meet

The Littlefield City Council will meet at 7 Thursday night to consider the following agenda: award bids for three 1976 automobiles, discuss the use of mailer sets for utility billing, consider the continued employment of an over-aged employee as required by Section 12 of the Personnel Rules and Regulations, discuss use of IMCA Management Orientation Program for City Internal Training, discuss City Engineer drawing plans and specifications for water line extension to Littlefield Plaza and discuss the water and sewer extension policy.

The Council will also continue the discussion on the drilling permit requested by Texaco. No decision was reached Monday night at the public hearing.

Babes In Toyland Pageant Unfurls Friday Night

The "Babes In Toyland" pageant for little girls will be tomorrow, Friday, Dec. 5, in the High School Auditorium at 7:30 p.m. Admission will be \$1.50 for adults and 75 cents for children under 12.

The pageant is being sponsored by We, The Women with Pat Marcum serving as chairman.

Contestants in the 3 and 4 year-old age groups are: Jennifer Dillen, 3, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Dillen; Kristy Friday, 3, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Friday; Rebecca Denton, 3, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Don Denton; Dana Stuart, 3, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Danny Stuart; Shelly Coffey, 4, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coffey; Shannon Renee Warren, 4, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Warren; Misty Maxfield, 4, daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Maxfield; Monica Patterson, 4, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carrell Patterson; Jennifer Jones, 4, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Jones; Kelli Kloiber, 4, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kim Kloiber; and Cheryl Serratt, 4, daughter of Mrs. Carol Serratt.

Contestants in the 5 and 6 year-old age groups are: Staci Birkelbach, 5, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Birkelbach; Letitia Trimmer, 5, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Trimmer; Angie Stueart, 5, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Danny Stueart; Mitzi McLelland, 6, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McLelland; Tammy Reed, 6, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Reed; Melissa Kelton, 6, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Kelton; Shannon Crews, 6, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Crews; and Carrie Lynn Sawyer, 5, daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. Chet Sawyer.

In the 7 and 8 year-old category contestants entered are: Leslie Ann Warren, 7, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Warren; Dawnna Denton, 7, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Don Denton; Michelle Jones, 7, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Jones; Teresa Baily, 8, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bailey, and Shawnda Masten, 8, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Danny Masten.

Presenting the 1975-76 winners will be last year's winners, Tiffany Page Simpson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arlen Simpson and Deanna Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Jones.

Contestants are rehearsing tonight at 7 o'clock.

See photos of the contestants in this issue of the paper.

'Cats Capture Another Win

The Littlefield Wildcats remained undefeated for the '75-'76 basketball season Tuesday night as they defeated the Class AAA Muleshoe Mules, 62-53.

Lonnie Twitty and Richard Rogers led the 'Cats in scoring as they each tossed in 14 points.

David Davis scored 11 for Littlefield and Narva Simington had 10.

Other scorers for Littlefield include Ralph Mendez with 6, Rudy Ayala with 5 and Kip Elms had 2.

The Wildcats will be out to extend their winning streak this weekend as they participate in the Kress Tourney. They are scheduled to play Hale Center, Thursday at 12:30 p.m. in opening action.

Commenting about the 'Cats fifth straight win, coach Dee Blevins stated that "once again this win was a great team effort. We had 8 or 9 players do an outstanding job and much of our success this year can be attributed to the fact that we've got good bench strength. Rogers played an outstanding game both in scoring and in rebounding and Elms and Doug Perrin both came off the bench to do good jobs for us."

The varsity girls defeated Muleshoe, 54-48.

Monica Phillips scored 33 big points in the victory and had scoring help from Pennie Sexton with 12 points, Rhonda Hollingshead with 5 and Carol Sexton tossed in 4.

The girls will be in the Kress Tourney this weekend also and they are



LONGIE TWITTY gets high off the floor to battle for the rebound in Littlefield's victory over Muleshoe Tuesday night. Twitty scored 14 points in the contest as did Richard Rogers to lead the 'Cats to the 62-53 win. It was Littlefield's fifth win of the season against no losses. Other Wildcats in double figures Tuesday include David Davis with 11 and Narva Simington with 10. Varsity teams will be in action this weekend in the Kress Tournament. (Staff Photo)

AS Annual Convo December 10

Newly elected Community ASC members will hold their Annual Convention in the Lamb County ASC room nine o'clock in the morning on Dec. 10, 1975. A public meeting to elect or re-elect members to the County ASC will be held at 7:30 p.m.

Federation Dance Slated

Saturday, Dec. 6, the Lubbock Area Square and Round Dance Federation will hold their regularly scheduled monthly dance in the Fair Park Coliseum. Jon Jones from Arlington will be the featured caller for the evening. Requested round dancing will

begin at 7:30 p.m. and the Grand March will be "Stepped Off" at 8 p.m.

Jon Jones, a national caller, is an exceptionally talented singing caller. He was introduced to square dancing in 1954 at a country centennial where he was taught by an old time caller and two years later he began his career. He calls and teaches lessons regularly in his own city, plus he calls festivals and weekend long institutes from Florida to Canada, all over Texas and the states in between. Jon records on both the Square L and Kalox Labels.

Jon and his wife, Shirley, believes square dancing is a great hobby and a truly fine family recreation. Their letter form proclaims "Square dancing, An Expression Of Joy!". Host club for this month's dance will be the Swinging Teens Square Dance Club. Donna and Larry Kirkpatrick will direct the round dancing. Their club is the Dancing Shadows Round Dance Club from Plainview. The emcee will be Rodney Parker.

Gene Weldon of Brownfield is caller for the Circle Eight Square Dance tonight.

All area square dancers are invited. Spectators welcome.

For information concerning square dancing lessons to be taught in Littlefield in January, contact Gloria Jackson at 385-4938.

Jan Heller Honored

AMHERST—Miss Jan Heller, bride-elect of Stanley Miller was given a bridal shower in Mrs. Harvie Messamore's home Saturday afternoon, two to five o'clock. Mrs. Gail Messamore registered callers in the bride's book.

The refreshment table was laid with a handmade crocheted cloth. The decoration was in red and white flowers, the honoree's chosen colors for her wedding. Hostesses alternated in serving punch, mints, nuts and assorted home made cookies from a silver service.

The many useful gifts on display included an electric vacuum cleaner with attachments and decorations for their Christmas tree.

Hostesses were Mmes. David Harmon, Pearl Blanchard, Gene Campbell, Jomeryl Harmon, Agnes Phelps, Virgil Hinds, Jim Gage, R. J. Cook, George Harmon, Robert Dysart, D. Yantis, Gail Messamore, Aubrey Jones, Tess Gilliland, Clyde Brownlow, W. P. Stone, Charlene Blume, W. P. Holland, W. P. Holland, Jr., Leroy Maxfield, V. R. Stagner, Lamar Kelly, Jo Ann Phillips and Harvie Messamore.

The honoree's mother, Mrs. Harold Heller of Littlefield, attended.



"SUNSHINE" CREW TAKES A BOW—Crew behind the scenes of "The Sunshine Boys," a presentation of the South Plains College drama division, included Glynis Hall (foreground), of Littlefield, stage manager; Carol Cozby of Floydada, technical director; and Monty Roberts of Levelland, voice of the TV director. The Neil Simon comedy was presented Tuesday night.

Tonya Pickrell Has Gift Coffee

A gift coffee honoring Tonya Pickrell, bride-elect of Mitch Abbott was given Saturday morning, Nov. 15, in the home of Mrs. Billy Tom Grant.

Special guests attending were the honoree's mother and grandmothers, Mrs. Shirley Pickrell of Lubbock, Mrs. Lois Smith of Fort Stockton, Mrs. Dennis Jones of Littlefield, also the groom's mother, Mrs. Bill Abbott of White Deer and his grandmothers, Mrs. Abbott of

Canyon and Mrs. Dittburner of White Deer.

From the serving table laid with a white cloth and appointments of crystal and silver, the hostesses served sausage balls, ham and pineapple sticks, assortments of lemon, pumpkin and banana-nut bread, along with coffee and spiced tea.

The hostesses presented the

honoree with a harvest gold Sun-Beam Mixmaster. They were Mrs. Jerry Blakely, Mrs. Rod Hench, Mrs. Dick Hopping, Mrs. Tom Sawyer, Mrs. Gilbert

Lemon, Mrs. Kenneth Johnson, Mrs. Dee Blevins, Mrs. Fred Owens, Mrs. Bill Carlisle, Mrs. John McAnally, Mrs. John Guy Terry, and Mrs. Billy Grant.

Baby Shower For Mrs. Lance

SUDAN—A lullaby coffee honored Mrs. Mark Hanna recently in the home of Mrs. R. A. Lance. Guests were greeted by Mrs. Lance, Mrs. Hanna and Mrs. Billy Chester, mother of the honoree.

The table was laid with a white cloth and featured an arrangement of white daisies and mums tinted blue enhanced with baby's breath. Blue and white dishes highlighted the table. Serving refreshments of breads, fruit, coffee and spice tea to approximately 65 guests were Miss Deanna Phillip and Miss Cecie Bandy.

The hostesses presented Mrs. Hanna with a high chair. It was on display along with other gifts. Hostesses were Mrs. Bobby Jack Markham, Kenneth Noles,

Waymon Heller, Pete Phillips, Steve Edwards, Raymond Harper, Buddy Pickett, A. Lance and Mrs. Phillips.

Out of town guests included Earl Chester, Mrs. Glover, Mrs. Glover, Mrs. Raymond, Mrs. W. F. Harper, Mrs. Raymond, Mrs. Morton, Mrs. Morton and Mrs. Susan and Sharron.

Other special guests included great-grandmother, Chester and her mother-in-law, Mrs. Chester and Mrs. Dale.

Mrs. Bryson Shower Honored

Mrs. Dean Bryson was honored with a bridal shower Tuesday, Nov. 25 in the Lions Club Building. The serving table was laid with a floor length white eyelet cloth. The skirt was ruffled with a scalloped overlay.

Each scallop had a green on yellow ribbon in it. The table was centered with a white opened umbrella which contained yellow daisies with baby's breath. A bride doll was on the table. Milk glass appointments were used. Yellow punch with an ice ring in which were yellow rose buds was used as were cookies with yellow centers. Mints consisting of rose leaves, wedding bells and hearts were also served.

Patty Trip and Steve served the guests. The table was covered with cloth. It held the bride which the guests regaled.

The bride, her mother, Polly Bryson presented with corsage special guests were Blackard, the bride's mother, Minnie Bryson, groom's grandmother.

The hostesses gift chrome electric mixer hostesses were Johnny Hood, Esta Shirley Grant, Patty Barbara Grant, Gladys Bettye Stafford, Jimmie and Avis Marrow.

City Policemen Give Program

The Littlefield 4-H Club held its regular meeting Monday, Dec. 1, in the new Agriculture Building.

A very interesting program was presented to the club by Officer Gayle Morgan of the Littlefield Police Department on "Law Enforcement." He stressed the fact that policemen are our friends and help to protect our rights as citizens. He demonstrated some of the equipment that he uses in his job. Officer Johnny Arroyos brought a patrol car to the meeting and demonstrated how all the equipment works.

They were also honored with a short visit from Chief James Cox of the Littlefield Police Department. Mrs. Gayle

Morgan was also a guest. Recreation was led by Smith and Darryl.

Refreshments were served by Lynette Spencer, Kim and Debbie Spencer.

The next meeting will be Monday, Jan. 5, at 7:30 p.m. in the Lamb County Agriculture Center. The program will be "Fire Prevention."

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THURSDAY, DEC. 11 7:00 PM

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BOOKMOBILE SCHEDULE

The High Plains Bookmobile will be in this area on the following dates.

Wednesday, Dec. 10: Circleback, 8:45-9:45; Bula #1, 10:10-11:15; Enochs 11:45-1:00.

Thursday, Dec. 11: Amherst, 9:15-10:15; Springlake #1, 11:00-11:45; Springlake #2, 12:00-1:00; Earth, 1:15-3:45.

Friday, Dec. 12: Pleasant Valley, 10:00-11:00; Sudan, #1, 12:00-1:00; Sudan, #2, 1:00-3:45.

Tuesday, Dec. 9: Morton, 9:30-11:45.

Couple To Be Wed In Baird

SUDAN—Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Gillit of Baird announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Donna Ann, to Bo Lance, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Lance of Sudan.

The couple plans a Jan. 3rd wedding at 7 p.m. in the First Baptist Church of Baird.

Miss Gillit graduated from Baird High School and is a recent graduate of Texas Tech University with a degree in microbiology. She is currently employed with Investors Inc. in Lubbock.

Lance graduated from Sudan High School and is a candidate for graduation in May from Tech with a degree in physical education. He also farms in the Sudan area.

Sudan YH Have Cooking Demo

SUDAN—The Sudan Young Homemakers met for their November meeting in the Homemaking Cottage. Mrs. Gail Spivey, representing Pioneer Natural Gas Company, gave a presentation on preparing various Mexican food dishes.

Those members attending the meeting were Kay Wiseman, Jan Smith, Sharon Thornton, Jeannie Bartley, Mary Powell, Beverly Thurman, Rita Conley, Cynthia King, Dorothy Powell, Lou Boyles, Barbara Bond, Jo Ann Gaston, Charis Ann Williams, Norma Burnett, Ann Carson, Geneva Newman, Nell Ingle, Kay Morton and Dyanne Humphreys.

Dr. Testerman Church Pastor

The Colorado Baptist Convention messengers meeting at the Calvary Baptist Church, Colorado Springs, Colorado, Nov. 11-13, adopted a record budget and elected a new president, Dr. Otis B. Testerman, pastor, Bookcliff Baptist Church, Grand Junction, Colorado. Dr. Testerman pastored several churches in Texas and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Testerman of Littlefield.

OLTON NEWS

LEE McLAURY, father of Mrs. Kathleen Rose, is in the hospital in Amarillo with a slipped disc.

MR. AND MRS. Gene Reynolds have moved from Santa Fe, N.M. to Olton to make their home. They have purchased several lots located on Fourth St. and are in the process of building a new home there.

MR. AND MRS. George R. Hansen of Bristow, Okla., spent the Thanksgiving holidays visiting in the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Lokey.

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Sale 2.39
Reg. \$2.99. Boys' sportshirt. Tailored style with contrast stitching. Polyester/cotton solids. 8-18. Pre-school 3-7. Reg. 2.49. Sale 1.99

Sale 2.80. Reg. 3.50. Ruffie trim smock. Polyester in solid print for girls. 3-6x.

Sale 5.60
Reg. 6.50. Girls' tailored shirt. Nylon in scenic prints. 7 to 14. Super Denim® jean. Regular and slim. 7 to 14. Reg. \$7. Sale 5.60

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Reg. \$9. Women's proportioned slacks. Polyester in T(10 to 20) A(8 to 20).

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Sale 5.60
Reg. \$7. Men's dress shirt. Polyester/cotton broadcloth in solid colors. 14 1/2 to 17. Short sleeve style. Reg. \$6. Sale 4.80

3.50 each
Men's ties. Polyester in fashionable 4 1/2" width.

Sale \$12
Reg. \$15. Men's dress slacks. Polyester double knit. In solids and patterns. 30-42

Sale 16.80
Reg. \$21. Boys' leisure suit. Polyester knit with contrast stitching. Solid colors. 8-12. Pre-school 4-7. Reg. \$17. Sale 13.60.

Boys' size 14-20
Reg. \$27,
Sale \$21.60

Sale 5.60
Reg. \$7. Men's long pajamas. Polyester/cotton in solids or prints. Men's sizes

EDITORIAL

The American's Creed

EDITORIAL: This is the third in a series of articles on Americanism, compliments of Ladies Auxiliary to V.F.W. Post 4854, Littlefield.

THE AMERICAN'S CREED

I believe in the United States of America as a government of the people, by the people, for the people, whose just powers are derived from the consent of the governed; a democracy in a republic; a sovereign Nation of many sovereign States; a perfect Union, one and inseparable, established upon those principles of freedom, equality, justice, and humanity for which American patriots sacrificed their lives and fortunes.

I therefore believe it is my duty to my country to love it; to support its Constitution; to obey its laws; to respect its flag; and to defend it against all enemies.

Why It Was Written

Half the world was aflame with war in 1916. It grew more evident daily that the United States would be drawn into the conflict. The thought occurred to many Americans that our people should consider more seriously than ever before the great importance of emphasizing—United States citizenship. They declared that it was important lest we forget the rights and privileges of American citizenship—and lest our obligations as loyal citizens be overlooked.

The urgency of the day and what to do about it were developed at a large gathering of authors, artists and editors in New York City early in 1917. As consequence of their concern a nationwide contest was proposed to promote the creation of a credo which would set forth faith in American freedom principles—something that would reflect our cherished traditions and loyalty.

The press and many magazines publicized and lauded the contest idea. Patriotic individuals offered cash awards for the best. In March 1917 the city of Baltimore, home of the "Star Spangled Banner," offered a \$1,000 award for the winning creed.

Who Composed It

About 3,000 statements were submitted. They came from every state in the Union. The one by William Tyler Page, clerk of the U.S. House of Representatives, was selected as the winner. His "creed" was expressed in 109 words.

The William Tyler Page "American's Creed" is remarkably comprehensive. It reflects American ideals, history and tradition. The words are not Page's. They are the words of America's greatest statesmen and authors.

How He Wrote It

What Page did in a masterful and intelligent way was to select and arrange the most pertinent thoughts and expressions from several historic sources. These included the words of George Washington, Daniel Webster, James Madison, Everett Hale and Abraham Lincoln. Also they came from our Declaration of Independence, Constitution, Great Seal, National Anthem, Oath of Allegiance and from federal statutes. These were set forth in the eight phrases of the American's Creed.

It is interesting to note the original thoughts were chosen and arranged by Page. Here they are—and where they originated:

From Many Sources

"I Believe in the United States of America"—from the preamble to the Constitution of the United States.

"A Government of the People, By The People, For The People"—from the preamble to the Constitution of the United States, Daniel Webster's speech in the Senate of January 26, 1830, and Abraham Lincoln's Gettysburg speech.

"Whose Just Powers Are Derived From The Consent Of The Governed"—from the Declaration of Independence.

"A Democracy In A Republic"—in substance from No. 10 of the Federalist, by Madison, and Article X of the amendments to the Constitution of the United States.

"A Sovereign Nation Of Many Sovereign States"—from "E pluribus unum," the great seal of the United States, and Article IV of the Constitution of the United States.

"A Perfect Union"—goes back to the preamble to the Constitution.

"One And Inseparable"—Webster's speech in the Senate of January 26, 1830.

"Established Upon Those Principles Of Freedom, Equality, Justice, And Humanity"—from the Declaration of Independence.

"For Which American Patriots Sacrificed Their Lives And Fortunes"—from the Declaration of Independence, and Lincoln's Gettysburg Address.

"I Therefore Believe It Is My Duty To My Country To Love It"—in substance from "The Man Without a Country," by Edward Everett Hale.

"To Support Its Constitution"—from the oath of allegiance, section 1757 of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

"To Respect Its Flag"—the national anthem, The Star-Spangled Banner; Army and Navy Regulations; War Department circular on Flag Etiquette, April 14, 1917.

"And To Defend It Against All Enemies"—from the oath of allegiance, section 1757 of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

STAR-SPANGLED HISTORY

HISTORICAL DRAWINGS BY JOSEPH BOGGS BEALE (1841-1926)



"BOSTON TEA PARTY"

The Boston Tea Party took place on the evening of December 16, 1773, in Boston harbor. A group of 40 to 50 men dressed like Indians climbed aboard three unguarded ships and tossed a total of 340 crates of tea into the harbor. The group, led by Samuel Adams, was protesting the already high prices of tea from India, and the fear that those prices would go even higher. From the collection of American National Insurance Company, Galveston, Texas.

CLIPS & TIPS

By JOELLA LOVORN

ENTERTAINING, holiday or otherwise, calls for delicious foods. But not foods that require constant kitchen attention. What hostess wants to miss the conversation of her guests?

What's especially nice about this company dish? There's no last-minute fussing. Your complete main course—chicken breasts, sweet potatoes, and apples—bakes in one dish, minimizing cleanup, and was sent to us by the Campbell Soup Company.

Cinnamon, nutmeg, and a sprinkling of brown sugar add the perfect flavors to complement poultry, potatoes, and fruit. The sauce, made with rich canned chicken gravy, bakes right along, too. With this convenience product, there's no worry about creating a smooth, flavorful sauce at serving time. It's all done for you!

Another plus point: Chicken Chesapeake uses seasonal foods that should be available now at reasonable prices. And today any saving at the supermarket is appreciated.

You can entertain easily, economically too, when you serve Chicken Chesapeake. But don't save the recipe for special occasions only, this oven dish is a good one for family mealtimes, also.

CHICKEN CHESAPEAKE

2 pounds sweet potatoes, cut in chunks
2 cans (10 1/2 ozs. each) Chicken Gravy

1/2 tsp. ground cinnamon
1/8 tsp. ground nutmeg
3 chicken breasts (about 2 lbs), split
2 Tbsps. butter or margarine, melted
Paprika

3 medium apples, cut in 1/4-inch slices
1 Tbsp. brown sugar

In shallow baking pan, arrange sweet potatoes. Combine gravy and spices. Pour 1/2 cup gravy mixture over potatoes. Place chicken skin-side up on potatoes. Pour butter over chicken; sprinkle with paprika. Bake at 400 degree F. for 30 minutes.

Six Pioneer Gas Employees Cited

Six Littlefield residents were honored Tuesday night at Pioneer Corporation's annual service award dinner for employees in its natural gas division.

Littlefield employees of Pioneer Natural Gas Company receiving the honor were Bobby Walbrick, Betty Hollingshead, Cleo Rangel, S. A. Palmer, Kenneth J. Evins, and Joyce Ann Albus.

Heading the list for long-term service is Walbrick, a 15-year veteran, who serves as a meter inspector. Betty Hollingshead, an employee for 10 years, is senior distribution office clerk. Five year awards went to Ms. Albus, distribution office clerk; Evins, an engineering assistant; Palmer, senior general plant operator, and Ms. Rangel, distribution plant clerk.

K. Bert "Tex" Watson, president of Pioneer, presented the awards at a banquet at the Lubbock Country Club. A total of 187 awards, representing 2390 years of combined total service are being presented this week throughout Pioneer's system.

Arrange apples on chicken. Pour remaining gravy over all; sprinkle with sugar. Bake 30 minutes more or until done. Makes 6 servings.

ENLIVEN THOSE TURKEY leftovers with It's-The-Berries Gravy: In saucepan, combine 1 can (10 1/2 ozs.) Chicken Giblet Gravy, 1/2 cup whole berry cranberry sauce and 1/2 teaspoon grated orange rind. Heat; stir occasionally. Makes about 1 1/2 cups.

SERVE AN APPLE-DAPPLE Turkey Sandwich for sassy second-day feasting: In saucepan, cook 1/4 cup chopped onion with 1/8 teaspoon butter or margarine until tender; add 1 can (10 1/2 ozs.) Chicken Giblet Gravy. Heat; stir occasionally. Meanwhile, arrange 1 slice apple on each of 4 toasted English muffin halves; top each with a serving of hot sliced cooked turkey or chicken. Pour sauce over all. Makes 4 open-face sandwiches.

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UP WITH HOT TURKEY sandwiches topped with a rich tasty gravy: In saucepan, combine 1 can (10 1/2 ozs.) Chicken or Chicken Giblet Gravy and 1/8 teaspoon poultry seasoning. Heat; stir occasionally. Makes about 1 1/4 cups.

OBITUARY

EDNA NIXON

Services for Mrs. Edna Nixon, 87, of Portales, were at 2 p.m. Saturday in the First United Methodist Church of Portales, N.M.

Methodist ministers, the Rev. Charles Spooner of Floyd, N.M., and the Rev. David Shaw of Portales, and the Rev. Jim Green, pastor of the Emmanuel Baptist Church of Portales, officiated. Burial was in the Portales Cemetery under direction of Wheeler Mortuary.

Mrs. Nixon, who had lived in Portales since 1941, died Thursday afternoon following a lengthy illness. Her husband, Charles Nixon, died in 1972.

Survivors are four daughters, Mrs. Jewel Walker of Brownfield, Mrs. Ruby Ingle of Sudan, Mrs. Naomi Brewster of Burk Burnett, and Mrs. Laura Johnson of Portales, N.M.; five sons, Roy of Long Beach, Calif., Carl of Huntington Beach, Calif., Claude of Hermleigh, Walter of Portales, N.M., and Alfred of Floyd, N.M.; 23 grandchildren; and 33 great-grandchildren.

THE ABUNDANT LIFE

A Strong Family

A HAPPY FAMILY, in which there is mutual love and kindness, is "a strong family". If any member of a family is cranky, sullen, etc., there will be loss for everybody concerned.

If we do permit ourselves to be unhappy, letting our words be unkind, our replies harsh, being quick with the rebuff, and seldom expressing appreciation and gratitude; we weaken our family.

ONE MEMBER OF A FAMILY, the father for example, by being unkind, harsh and rigid can kill the family spirit in much the same way the frost kills the plant, and blights the blossom. Such ugliness in a family turns everything from the vigor and strength of life to the gloom and sadness of death.

IN THE FAMILY, the cranky, unpleasant, and sometimes "hard-nosed" attitude will do more to destroy "personal joy" and "peace of mind" than anything else we know about. There is nothing commendable about such perverse behavior, and it will completely dissipate the family strength.

AS THE ALIENATION of the members of a family increases, the strength decreases. It will be difficult for loved ones to get away from the "hard-nosed" member of the family, but the alienation is real; and estrangement will come.

SAD, BUT TRUE, some persons who are "cranky" and "unpleasant" in a family are very nearly models of good behavior elsewhere. With other people, they are considerate, polite, and un-

derstanding, but not with their own family. How sad! How tragic! How important than making one's best of all segments of association.

IF ANYONE IN THE FAMILY is harsh and hard, it will make the man (the husband/father). So, it will usually be the distorted view of his role as the household; and, because of he carries, he usually feels he is the head of the family, but justification for such harmful and actions.

OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS not talk, and act just exactly because none of us are perfect not sufficient reason, however, ugliness. We do not correct by more unkindness; we vanquish unpleasantness by pleasantness; and "hard-nosed" attitudes and behavior corrected by more "hard-nosed" attitudes and behavior.

PERVERSE ATTITUDES will kill every good life element so necessary to "a strong situation. The condition becomes increasingly worse, and the detour progresses daily. Eventually, families collapse.

Love, kindness, consideration, understanding are essential to a strong family.

HONEY GRITS

By CORNBALL BLETZ

GUESS LAST SATURDAY'S sandstorm will do until we can afford something better? Kind of reminded me of the "Good Ol' Days" when the sand got up in the air, it didn't fool around about it. We haven't seen one like that in a good while.

But then and if you don't mind, I suppose we can manage to do without them, even if we don't have another for a good while. We'd better hope that we can get some moisture in order that our farmers can get their topsoil under control or we may be seen' more of those things than we like.

ONE FELLOW VOLUNTEERED this statement: "They're not all bad - that's the one thing that keeps this country from bein' over-populated!"

statement: "For awhile, there's we'd have to cut the city loose from mainland and tow it out to sea, they'd qualify for foreign aid!"

Well, I reckon when you begin parin' the thing to our foreign aid it begins to lose some of its appeal. But then, on the other hand, OUR money, Bub!!

SEEMS THE CHINESE are in for Mr. Ford to realize the dang playin' tootsies with the Ramones should know, we've come out second best on every deal we've with them.

Now, if someone could come that being too friendly with the Reds would end up the same perhaps we could attend to business.

THEY HAVE STARTED heading about "Only — shopping Christmas!" Oh well, if you don't blow any more on Christmas than there's still plenty of time. It don't long to spend four bucks!

However, if you're rememberin' Row at that time — may I suggest deodorant and cologn'?

Police Blotters Say Quiet Holiday

Activity at the police and sheriff's office was on the quiet side for the Thanksgiving weekend holiday. At the sheriff's office only four were arrested over the 4-day holiday. A

Lubbock man was charged with and a companion was charged being drunk. Two New Mexico men jailed on drunk charges.

The only offense reported to authorities was the theft of a trailer reported by Kenneth northwest of Anton. The Big 11 trailer was valued at \$1,200.

At the sheriff's office, Troy reported the theft of a \$150 camera taken from his car parked in front of house at 917 W. 5th.

Mary Martinez reported the two stereo record players with tape players taken from her residence 111 S. Lake.

Doris Scott of 303 Galveston reported 22 semi-automatic rifle valued was missing.

During the past week city jailed five for violation of the public ordinance, charged one drunk in public, driving, and others for being drunk in public.

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Clerks In Austin For Conference

District Clerk Ray Lynn and County Clerk Mary Beth Wiley are in Austin this week to attend the District Clerks' conference and statistics. Registration begins this afternoon and the conference is Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

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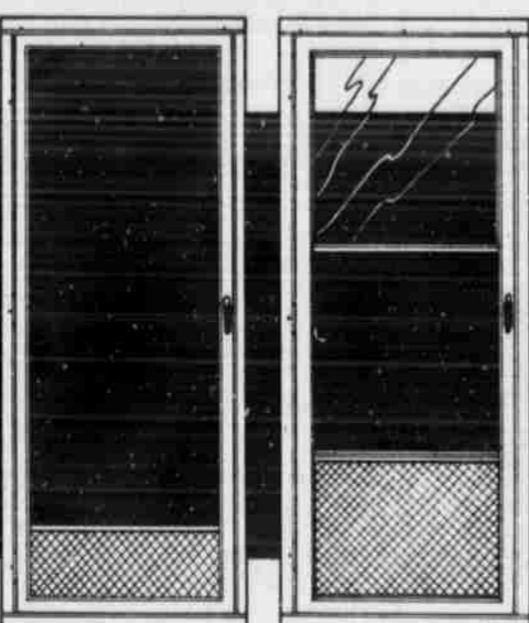
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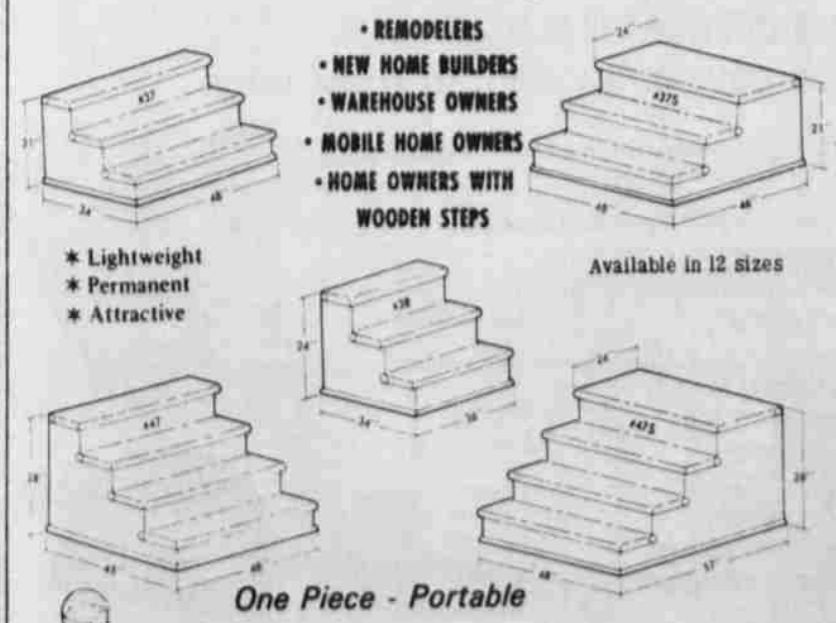
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SPECIAL: Christmas picture with Santa at Photography by Oecia. Sat., 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. 409 W. 2nd. 12-4-P

WORKING PEOPLE can shop on Thurs. nights until 9 p.m. for gift selections and costume jewelry at Clara's Beauty and Gift Shop, 1216 Monticello. Liquid silver necklace prices start at \$3.00. Phone 385-4264. 12-21-C

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WHITHARRAL NEWS

JOHN DAVID DUKATNIK underwent surgery Friday at University Hospital in Lubbock. CARL REED, a former Whitharral resident, underwent major surgery at Methodist Hospital.

AZALLE MARTIN has been in Midland visiting her daughter and family. She also visited in Big Springs with her sister and husband who is very ill.

THE DISTRICT FFA Banquet was held in Muleshoe Thursday, Nov. 20. Miss Susan Corkery represented the Whitharral FFA as their sweetheart in the sweetheart contest. She was in the top five in the selection. Attending from Whitharral were Mr. Max Hyatt, Vo. Ag. Instructor, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Corkery and Karen, Mr. and Mrs. Louis McCormack, FFA Plowgirl Miss Rhonda Bryant, FFA members Bob Ed Tapp, Walter Kristinek, Bobby Avery, Roger Reding, Mitch Grant, Joey Cleveenger and Brent Gage.

WHITHARRAL JUNIOR High School Honor Roll First Quarter. Jr. High "A" Suzanne Farabee, Dana Grant and Kristin Corkery. Jr. High "B" Paul Hoelscher, Joy Pelfrey, Brian Kay, Margie Lopez and Suzy Polk. High School "A" Bob Edd Tapp, Marcia Anderson, Karen Corkery, Cheri Hisaw, Lana Dukatnik, Mary Jo Hoelscher, and Janet Kristinek. High School "B" Cindy Doshier, Charlotte Bryant, Jodie Doshier, Bobby Avery, Rhonda Bryant, Walter Kristinek, Susan Corkery, Billie Dockery, Kim White, Mitch Grant, Frances Fagan, Mike Hewitt, and Martin Anderson.

SECOND SIX WEEKS Honor Roll Elementary School: first grade - Jesse Barrera, Chad Pendergrass; second - Lauren Corkery and Hilda Fuentes; third - Britt Eslinger and Joye Mills; fourth - Bart Harlan; fifth - Angela Polk and Roger Cardenas; and six - Kenneth Mills. MR. AND MRS. Omar Tripp and Bonnie spent the holidays in Richland Springs. They went home a day early to attend funeral services for Joe Ellis' brother who was killed in an accident. The Ellis' are former residents of Whitharral.

ROGER WHITE is beginning to show improvement. He is undergoing extensive therapy at this writing.



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SUDAN NEWS

By BILLYE DOTY

MRS. B. A. NARRAMORE was in Duncanville recently to visit her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Narramore, Stacy and Stephanie. The girls returned home with her for a weeks visit before their parents came to get them. Others visiting the Narramores were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Duty, Donetta, Debbie Baker and Jerry Ward, all of Lubbock.

MR. AND MRS. B. A. Narramore and children of Duncanville visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie A. Narramore.

LEONARD PIERCE returned home from the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock where he was a surgical patient for several days following a mishap on the farm.

WEEKEND VISITORS in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bud

Provence and Darren were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Lybskey and Bradley Wade of Lubbock, his nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Provence and son of Las Vegas, N.M.

WEEKEND VISITORS in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Churchman and Scott were their daughters and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ethridge and Kay Lynn of Dimmitt and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Schweppe of Lubbock.

MR. AND MRS. Glen Card well were in Greenville during the weekend to help his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cardwell, move back to Lubbock.

R.L. (BOB) GUNN, formerly of Sudan, who now resides at South Hills Manor Nursing Home, Dimmitt, was honored recently with a dinner. The occasion was his 90th birthday. The dinner was in the home of his son, Hurschel Dunn of Dimmitt. His other children, Mrs. Dail Burnett, Sudan and Mrs. R. E. Bradshaw of Ardmore, Okla., helped host the dinner. Some 43 persons attended.

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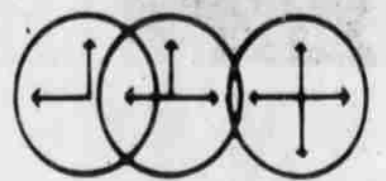
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A man I know who had a wayward son said to me, "I'd give my right arm for my boy." The father's right arm would mean nothing to the careless lad. Material things like that are worthless in the face of a spiritual need.

That's what the people of ancient Israel asked Micah the prophet: "Shall I give Him my firstborn for my transgressions?"—as if their spiritual needs could be met by some material offering, no matter how goulsh it might be. Don't laugh! Ancient man often offered human sacrifices to appease his gods.

God says there are three things that will make Him happy with us:

He wants us to do justly, love mercy and walk humbly with Him. (Micah 6:8 paraphrase)

He wants us to walk in obedient humility with Him, enjoying His friendship, fellowship and mercy.

He wants us to love others enough to show them mercy, even as we receive His mercy. And He wants us to think, speak and act from hearts that are free of evil and justified by faith in His blessed Son.

The wayward boy doesn't need an arm, severed from his father's body. He needs a father whose life is severed from injustice, harshness and spiritual disobedience. Dad, offer your son that, and see how fast he returns to your side!

—Paul M. Stevens



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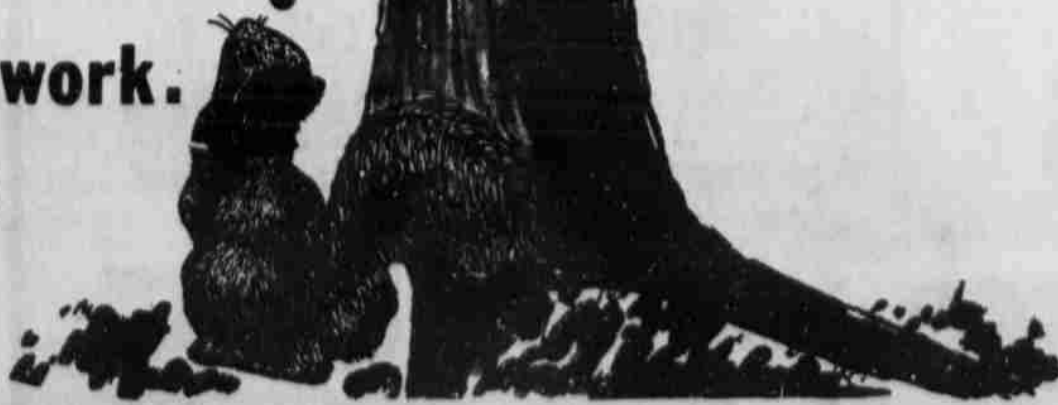
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OFFENSE					
Position	Name	School	Class	Height	Weight
QB	Jimmy Parker*	Olton	Sr.	6'2"	180
FB	Tony Washington*	Dimmitt	Jr.	5'10"	190
RB	Glenn Johnson*	Olton	Sr.	5'11"	185
RB	Bill Turner*	Littlefield	Sr.	6'	185
RB	Steve Cruz	Littlefield	Sr.	5'10"	170
End	Michael Franks*	Olton	Sr.	6'1"	190
End	Mark Stroebel*	Olton	Sr.	6'3"	160
Line	J. D. Caudle*	Olton	Sr.	5'9"	160
Line	Larry McDonald*	Littlefield	Sr.	5'11"	175
Line	David Malone*	Dimmitt	Jr.	6'1"	190
Line	Kent Pittillo	Olton	Sr.	5'10"	155
Line	Kenny Stowers	Friona	Sr.	6'3"	218
Kicker	Bill Turner	Littlefield	Sr.	6'	185
DEFENSE					
Safety	Bill Turner*	Littlefield	Sr.	6'	185
Safety	Ronnie Lawson	Dimmitt	Sr.	6'	170
Safety	Mark Stroebel	Olton	Sr.	6'3"	160
Corner	Kevin Workman	Olton	Sr.	6'	150
Corner	Jimmy Durham	Littlefield	Sr.	6'	175
LB	Glenn Johnson*	Olton	Sr.	5'11"	185
LB	Tom Cribbs*	Morton	Jr.	5'11"	170
LB	Davy Carthel*	Friona	Sr.	5'11"	200
LB	Steve Cruz	Littlefield	Sr.	5'10"	170
Line	Rick Hopping*	Littlefield	Sr.	6'1"	220
Line	Richard Anderson*	Friona	Sr.	6'3"	185
Line	Ray Rodriguez	Olton	Sr.	5'8"	219
Line	Randy Hall	Littlefield	Sr.	5'11"	180
Line	Arnold Bautista	Morton	Sr.	5'10"	215
Punter	Bill Turner	Littlefield	Sr.	6'	185

MR. AND MRS. Clarence Black and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Huckabee of Vallecito, Colo., visited their parents here and the Huckabees in Olton for Thanksgiving weekend.

MRS. R. H. CAMPBELL is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ruth Haladay in Canyon for a few days. She accompanied her granddaughter, Kaye Campbell, as she returned to college in Oklahoma Sunday.

MR. AND MRS. Bob Ivey of Harrison, Ark., are visiting Floyd Ivey and relatives in Littlefield.

MR. AND MRS. Gary Pryor of Arlington were here with their parents, the D. L. Yantis and Lloyd Pryors for the Thanksgiving weekend.

EDDIE DUVAL was home from Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, for the Thanksgiving holidays. They all had Thanksgiving dinner with Mrs. Duvall's parents, the J. E. Williams at Earth.

MRS. DELVA HARMON left Sunday for Phoenix, Ariz. Her nephew, Robert Kemp, came for her.

MR. AND MRS. Vernon (Mut) Houk spent Thanksgiving with their son, Gary, and family in Hereford.

MR. AND MRS. A. J. Mote and Cassie were in Stanton for Thanksgiving with the Mike Slates.

MRS. MARIE PAYNE spent Thanksgiving Day in Seagraves with her son, Bob and family.

MRS. KAREN RICH and Travis visited her parents, the Engrams in Sudan.

VISITING THEIR parents, the Harry Brantleys, during the Thanksgiving holidays were their daughter and family of Fort Worth and son and family of Albuquerque.

HAVING THANKSGIVING with their father, Raymond Cantrell were Mrs. Gene Hughes and children, Mr. and Mrs. Hudson Cantrell and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sebring of Littlefield. Mrs. Lucy Cantrell,

Raymond's mother, was with them.

MR. AND MRS. Homer Harper and Chloe Harris returned home Sunday from a weeks visit with relatives in Houston.

MR. AND MRS. Don Minyard and Jeff of Big Spring visited her mother, Mrs. Erma Jeffrey during the Thanksgiving holidays.

REV. AND MRS. Norman Patton and children returned Sunday from a week spent in Sweetwater, Abilene and that area with relatives on business.

Mrs. Patton and Jeff were ill while they were away and since their return.

MR. AND MRS. H. H. Robinson received word that "Sunny" Kellum, 54, died in an Abilene rest home. Burial was in Snyder Monday. He was the son of Cliff Kellum, an early day cowboy in this area.

REV. AND MRS. Michael Robinson and two children of Sylvester, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Robinson Friday.

SUNDAY GUESTS in the H. H. Robinson home were Wendell McDonald and his sister and children of Lubbock.

MR. AND MRS. Jeff Brantley, Steven and Sharla and Dana Rose of Albuquerque returned home Sunday after a holiday visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Holland.

GUESTS in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Downing for Thanksgiving were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Scruggs, Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Moutos, Jimmy and Susan, Mrs. Shirley Sikes, and Amy and Clark Wood of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Carter and Jimmy of Welch, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Billy Carter

Anton Wins SPC Class B Tourney

ANTON-The Anton Bulldogs defeated the Ropes Eagles 65-56 to win the Rotary Invitational Class-B tournament held in the South Plains College Dome Saturday night.

To reach the finals the boys defeated Smyer 64-37, and Meadow 67-57.

Selected for the All-Tournament team were Greg Couch and Rex Jones. The individual scoring totals for the three games was Greg Couch, 61; Rex Jones, 59; Zane Butler, 18, and Timmy Belcher, 11.

The Dogettes were victorious in the consolation bracket by defeating Bledsoe 45-42. They lost to Smyer in the first round

of Shawnee, Okla. Also, Mr. and Mrs. Don Priddy, Richie, Pam, Melinda and Duane of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Taylor of Littlefield, Mrs. Pete Gotsis, Aneisa, Violetta, Petie and Tom Paul of Lubbock.

MRS. LESTER LaGRANGE and Mrs. Walton Macmanus were Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mrs. Laura Hay in Sudan and her guests Mrs. Elizabeth Howell, her sister, of Jackson, Miss., and her son, Jack Simrall of Reseda, Calif., and her granddaughters, Phyllis Ryan of Anchorage, Alaska (she attends college in Fort Collins, Colo.) and Charisse Richarz of Austin and Mrs. W. V. Terry of Sudan.

THANKSGIVING DINNER guests in the W. P. Holland home were the Jeff Brantleys of Albuquerque, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Holland Jr., Pam and Craig of Earth, Debbie of Ennis, Mr. and Mrs. James Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Vase and Paul Holland of Lubbock.

MIKE AND RHONDA Lynn of Jeddike of El Paso spent Wednesday with Sunday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.

40-33. Then they won over Whiteface 36-34.

In the individual scoring for the three games, Kondra Bishop has 41 points, Nancy Herrin, 31, and Brenda Bishop, 26.

The coach of the two teams is Harlan White. His assistant is James Shannon.

NUMBER TWO AT 75

Malignant tumors of the prostate are second to lung cancer as cancer killers among men over 75 years of age, the American Cancer Society reports. The ACS recommends that all men over 40 have a prostate examination once a year as part of their annual checkup.

The meeting was presided by Mmes. Naomi G. Linnie Campbell, were Mmes. May St. Pinson, Lester O. K. Giles, C.E. Sleg Adams, Jack Allen, bright, Melton, Car Estes and Schreier.

Henry Brown. Others who were with them for Thanksgiving were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Moherman, Crystal and Benji Brownfield, Mr. and Mrs. Max Hower of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Brown and Shayne of Littlefield, Mrs. Lucy Dickson, Jack, John and Debbie of Olton, Mr. and Mrs. Oris Dickson of Earth and Mrs. C. A. Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Kuykendall and Joe of Wichita Falls.

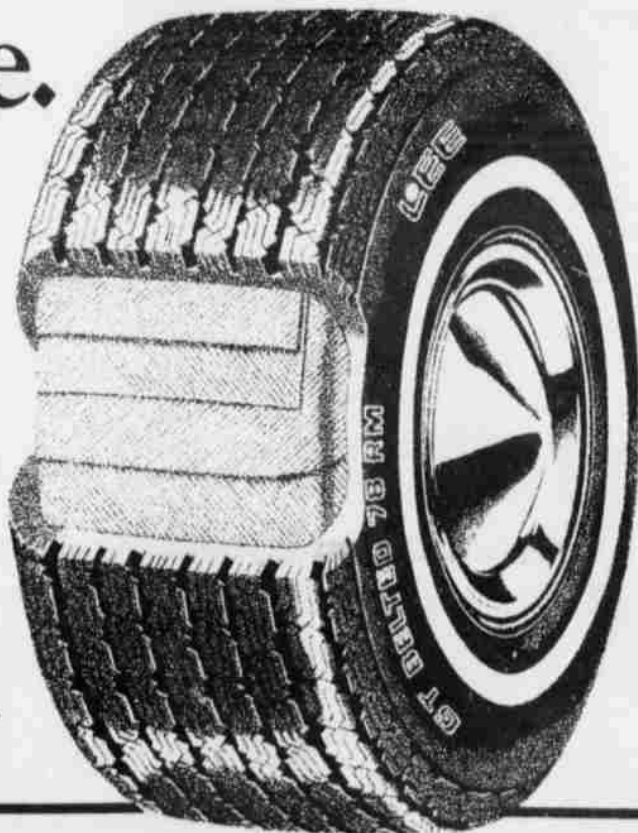
MR. AND MRS. H. T. Kuykendall and his sister, Mrs. C. A. Thomas visited Plainview relatives Friday.

MR. AND MRS. Jedd Blessing and children of Fort Worth returned home Sunday after a visit here and in Littlefield with relatives.

MR. AND MRS. H. G. Kuykendall and Joe of Wichita Falls visited his sisters, Mrs. C. A. Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brown for the Thanksgiving holidays.

REV. AND MRS. Gene Louder and Monte of Welch spent Friday with her mother, Mrs. Lester LaGrange and aunt, Mrs. Walton Macmanus.

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