

Whittlin'

By Dolph Moten

What could be more appropriate than a turkey story to begin this post-Thanksgiving column? Here it is:

Warren Morton, school superintendent, says turkey has been on the school cafeteria menu three times this school year and the school now has enough turkey left to serve 12 more times.

That's a lot of turkey. As a matter of fact, there won't be enough holidays to justify serving turkey 12 more times this year.

Reason for having so much of the big fowl meat is that it's obtained through the government supported State Department of Public Welfare, Commodity Distribution Division. There seems to be a surplus of turkey this year and it shows up on the menu in the school cafeteria. Which is, of course, fine, if you like turkey or if Texas could have 14 Thanksgivings and one Christmas instead of just two Thanksgivings and one Christmas.

Does anyone know how many years it will be before November again has five Thursdays and Texas two Thanksgivings?

And speaking of Thanksgivings, football for the past six years has played a bigger part in my Thanksgiving Day than has turkey, dressing, etc. Two of those days in that six year period have been very pleasant.

In 1951, the first in the series, the Texas Aggies racked the Texas Longhorns 22-21 at Kyle Field in College Station. That, I feel, was the best football game, from a thrill standpoint, I've ever witnessed.

Then just last Thursday, the Aggies again laid the 'Sips low by a score of 34-21. This time, however, the game was played in Memorial Stadium in Austin, where Texas A&M had never been victorious. But win the Aggies did. The game wasn't as exciting as the '51 event, but it was every bit, if not more, satisfying.

Too, it made my prediction of last week come true. And it's always nice for a columnist moral when he makes a prediction that comes true.

Had the prediction been wrong, though, I possibly would have given up the idea completely. This, I'm sure, would have been the best bet in the long run. Such was not the case, of course, and I again have faith in my ability to make true predictions.

The comment was made in Bovina a few days ago that since A&M's victory Thursday, the Blade would be full of football stories for weeks to come.

The fellow who made such a statement has, undoubtedly, made me more conscious of football comments that I will make. Therefore, probably won't do as much bragging as I would have otherwise.

Have a Farwell football fan friend who says that having the Steers lose to Stinnett by a top-heavy score last week in the regional playoff was bad enough, but having so many Bovina people present at the game made it even worse.

However, I'm sure that Bovina fans were in sympathy with their Parmer County friends from Farwell. Think possibly the situation could be compared to a fight between brothers. Two brothers may fight among themselves something awful, but when an outsider joins the battle, he has two to fight. Same goes for Farwell and Bovina. No rivalry is keener between the two. But one is usually for the other; when one of the teams is playing an "outsider." That is as it should be.

Understand that Mabel and Buck Ellison and Ike Quickel had some New Mexico game warden trouble recently. Kinda brought it on themselves, too, the way I hear it.

Seems the three of them were hunting big game in our neighboring state to the west. Each tagged his deer he killed with a bear tag. This mistake in tagging, Quickel says, was really a mistake. The funny thing about it is: why would three people make the same mistake?

Nonetheless, a deputy game warden spotted the irregularity and was taking the three to court. Fast talking and the influence of another game warden saved the local hunters from the embarrassment of appearing in court and possibly a stiff fine.

As it turned out, the incident made a nice story and no more. But for a while it seemed serious enough to those involved.

I'd venture to say all will be certain of the kind of tag they put on their game in the future.

Basketball Game Here

Bovina and Friona High School basketball teams split three games Tuesday night in Williford Gym in Bovina, with Bovina coming out on the short. Friona was victorious in the "A" boys game, 39-35. The girls game also showed Friona on top, 47-40. Bovina won the "B" boys game, 38-32.

Neil Smith, though he played on the losing team, was the "A" boys scoring leader as he ducked in 19 points.

Inexperience showed on both sides of the contest as the Chiefs overcame an early first quarter lead and managed to stay ahead the remainder of the way. They led 8-6 at the first turn. At the half it was 17-12. At the close of three periods, Friona led 27-25.

Other Mustangs scoring were Young with 10 and Brito with six. Weatherly and Barnett led the Chiefs in scoring. Weatherly racked up 11 and Barnett accounted for 10. They were followed by Johnson, eight; Sanders, seven; Dickson, two; and Fairchild, one.

Friona's girls trailed during the first half, caught up in the third period and added the killing blow in the final stanza in their game which preceded the boys affair. The score by quarters was Bovina 16-Friona 12; Bovina 26-Friona 24; and Bovina 31-Friona 35.

Friona's Dean was high scorer. She poured in 30 points. Hand made 12, Boggess four, and Magness one. Richards led the Fillies with 17. Ezell made 10, Cumpton and Moody four each, and Leake and Berry two each.

Caldwell and Springs led the Mustang Bees in their win. They had 13 and 11 points respectively. Roden and Rhodes were high scorers for Friona. Roden tossed in 14 and Rhodes made eight.

In Adams Home

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Roberts of Fieldton were Thanksgiving dinner guests in the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Adams and children. Also present for the day were Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Williford.

Mae Hopingardner Wins Largest Drawing Prize

Script totaling \$30 was given to Mrs. Mae Hopingardner Saturday afternoon when her name was called for the largest prize to be awarded yet at a Bovina Jaycee-merchant-sponsored drawing.

Wyndol Davies and Sid Killough were given \$10 each in earlier drawings. The pots had "built up" from the week before because two winners were not present at that drawing.

Three names were drawn and three winners were present Saturday.

This week's drawing will be for \$15, \$10, and \$5. It will be at 4:30 in the heart of downtown Bovina.



ARSON REWARD—Six copies of the framed city of Bovina arson reward pictured here were placed around Bovina Monday. This is a part of the program started several weeks ago to lower Bovina's fire insurance key rate. J. E. Sherrill, Jr., mayor, is explaining the reward to Mrs. Kathryn Johnston. Copies like the above were placed in the post office, school, ABC Drug, Paul Jones Service Station, city hall, and Cicero Smith Lumber Company. The reward says, "The City of Bovina, Texas hereby offers a reward of one hundred dollars (\$100) for any person or persons found guilty of committing the crime of Arson within the incorporated limits of said city of Bovina, Texas. This is a standing offer, and shall be paid out of the general fund of the City of Bovina, Texas."

In Two Meetings—

American Legion Is Re-Organized

After being dormant for some four years, the Bovina American Legion was re-organized and back in action after two meetings in five days.

The first meeting was held Thursday night in American Legion Hall. Only 11 interested persons attended and they agreed to meet again Monday night and attempt to get a larger group together.

At the Monday meeting, which was also in the Legion Hall, 34 old

members and prospective members were in attendance.

They agreed to start the Legion ball rolling again. Meetings, it was decided, will be held the first and third Mondays of each month at 7:30 p. m. in the Legion Hall.

Also, plans for the future were discussed. An operating program will be established at the next meeting. Plans call for the program to be set up with the establishing of a community service

Jackie Adams Is Out Of Traction

Jackie Adams, three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Adams, was taken to Lubbock Tuesday of last week for final x-rays and a check-up on his left leg. Mrs. Adams says he is now out of traction but will have to stay in bed for about 10 more days.

He broke his left leg about seven weeks ago in a fall and has been in traction since that time.

Mrs. R. N. Williford accompanied the family to Lubbock.

Wayland Hodges Dies November 26

Wayland Hodges passed away in Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona after suffering a heart attack. Hodges, 36, lived on his farm about five miles east of Bovina. He is survived by his wife and a 10-year-old son.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon in Muleshoe. The family has lived here for 19 months.

David Everett On Concert Tour In West Germany

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Everett have been advised that their son, Pfc. David E. Everett, who is stationed in Germany with the Third Armored Division, is on a concert tour of western Germany with the Soldiers' Special Service Symphonic Orchestra.

The tour will last 120 days. At the end of that time, Everett will be eligible for another 120 days.

He is a member of the Seventh Army Band and was attending classes at Frankfurt University in Frankfurt, Germany, before leaving on the concert tour.

Date to Be Announced—

Jaycees To Sponsor "Atoms for Peace" Mobile Exhibit Here

Bovina Jaycees voted in a regular meeting Saturday in Bovina Restaurant to sponsor "Atoms for Peace," a mobile exhibit presented by United States Atomic Energy Commission. The van contains exhibits showing peaceful uses of atomic energy.

Local Jaycees will be notified as to what date the van will be in Bovina. However, it will be available for showing by Jaycee chapters in Texas after January 20. The Bovina chapter requested the van be here Saturday, January 26 "or the first available Saturday."

In July of this year, the board of directors of the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce adopted a national program called "Atoms for Peace." In carrying out the program, this exhibit was

made available. The van is presently touring Oklahoma. It is self-contained in a van prepared by the American Museum of Atomic Energy, a division of the famous Oak Ridge Institute of Nuclear Studies.

According to advance literature, the local club will be responsible for co-ordination with the exhibit representative when he arrives, promoting public interest and attendance at the exhibit, and encouraging secondary schools to make use of the exhibit.

"This exhibit is," the literature goes on, "of tremendous educational value to the public in a new and exciting field—another part of man's progress in controlling and using for humanitarian purposes the physical elements. It is an excellent builder of good public relations for your Jaycee chapter as well as a beneficial and educational feature for the citizens of your community."

More information concerning the showing will be sent to the local chapter soon.

Bovina Teachers Will Entertain County Group

Bovina teachers will be hosts Wednesday, December 12, to Parmer County Teachers Association. The meeting and dinner will be in the local school cafeteria.

A program with a Christmas theme will be presented. W. Wayne Stevens, music instructor, is program chairman.

About 200 persons are expected to attend, Warren Morton, superintendent, says. Teachers and school board members from Bovina, Farwell, Friona, and Lazbuddie will be in attendance.

This is one of four meetings of the Association each year. Each school is host for one of the meetings.

City Board Talks Paving In Bovina

Ralph W. Douglas, professional engineer of Ralph W. Douglas Consulting Engineers of Littlefield, met with Bovina city commission Monday night in the city hall to discuss paving possibilities.

Following the discussion with Douglas, the commissioners considered making every property owner in the city to tie onto the sewer or pay the regular rate for those who are tied on. Again no decision was made.

A bid by M. A. Walker of Sudan to repair the roof of the city hall was deferred until the next meeting.

The commissioners agreed to pipe water to Caldwell and Sudderth property across Highway 60 as soon as the property is officially annexed to the city. There is a possibility that sewer lines will also be extended to the property. However, only the water is definite.

17.6 Miles New Farm-To-Market Road In Hopper

More links in Parmer County's farm-to-market paved road system have been announced by the State Highway Department in its new two-year plan for Texas.

A total of 17.6 miles is scheduled for three projects, including the following:

From F. M. 2290 three miles east of the New Mexico state line, south to U. S. 60, a distance of approximately seven miles. That would link the Farwell trade area to a point on Highway 60 about three and one-half miles northeast of town. The new road will tie in with the one running west from Bovina, commonly referred to as the "80-foot road."

Also from F. M. 299 near Friona, east, south, and east to road intersection, a distance of approximately 7.6 miles. This is the eastern

road long sought by Friona people, and it will tap the trade territory commonly referred to as Lazbuddie.

Also from the end of F. M. 1172 north of Lazbuddie, northeast a distance of approximately three miles. The road would take up just north of the Lazbuddie School.

Cost for the construction is estimated at \$233,000, says E. H. Thornton Jr., chairman of the Texas Highway Commission, and funds will be derived from the Federal Highway Act of 1956 in which state and federal funds are matched on a dollar-for-dollar basis.

S. C. McCarty, district engineer at Lubbock, says that this year the commission has authorized the development of some area roads which will serve the dual purpose of service to the adjacent land as well as aiding in the development of the state's system.

It was announced that work will begin as soon as final planning is completed and right-of-way (which the county will pay for) is secured. Rhea Bradley, resident engineer at Littlefield, will be in charge of the work in this area.

After Inspection—

Bovina School Retains Fully Accredited Rate

(Editor's Note: Bovina School retained its rating as a fully accredited school system after a visit by an inspection team from Texas Education Agency November 22. W. R. Cafe, assistant director of the division of school accreditation, and Miss Esther Sorenson made the inspection. One of the primary reasons for the inspection was to point out weaknesses in the system. Below is published the report the inspectors made to Warren Morton, local superintendent. The report, as a whole, points out the school system's weaknesses. However, Morton says the visitors made more favorable comments during their visits. For instance, they praised the school board for handling its business on the highest order. They were also impressed by the creative teaching being done in grade school. Here's the report.)

The Bovina Independent School District covers 207 square miles of producing agricultural lands, much of it irrigated. For district school tax purposes, property valuation is \$11,000,000. The tax rate is \$.92, of which \$.37 is for bond payments and \$.55 for maintenance. One integrated twelve-grade school is operated for 324 elementary students and 86 high school students. School population has increased steadily for the past decade. The increase is expected to continue

and school facilities have been provided to handle the expected increase.

Instruction is carried on in a new school plant now in its second year of use. The new plant was built to replace buildings destroyed by fire in September, 1953. It is excellent by any recognized standard, as are classroom furniture and similar built-in equipment of permanent nature. Other details concerning school facilities and operation are described below:

1. Twenty classroom teachers are employed, including two for vocational courses in Agriculture and Homemaking. A half-time staff member is employed for testing, guidance, and counseling of students and a school nurse spends approximately one-third time in the school. Except for easily corrected minor deficiencies, all members of the instructional staff meet accreditation standards.

2. Graduation requirements and the school curriculum are basically of traditional nature and are of sound quality. In addition to courses in two specific vocational areas, additional courses of vocational nature are offered in typing, bookkeeping, and secretarial practice. Four years of instruction is offered in English, three in mathematics, and three in science (general science, biology, and chemistry). There is an all-grade music program. There is an active

student council.

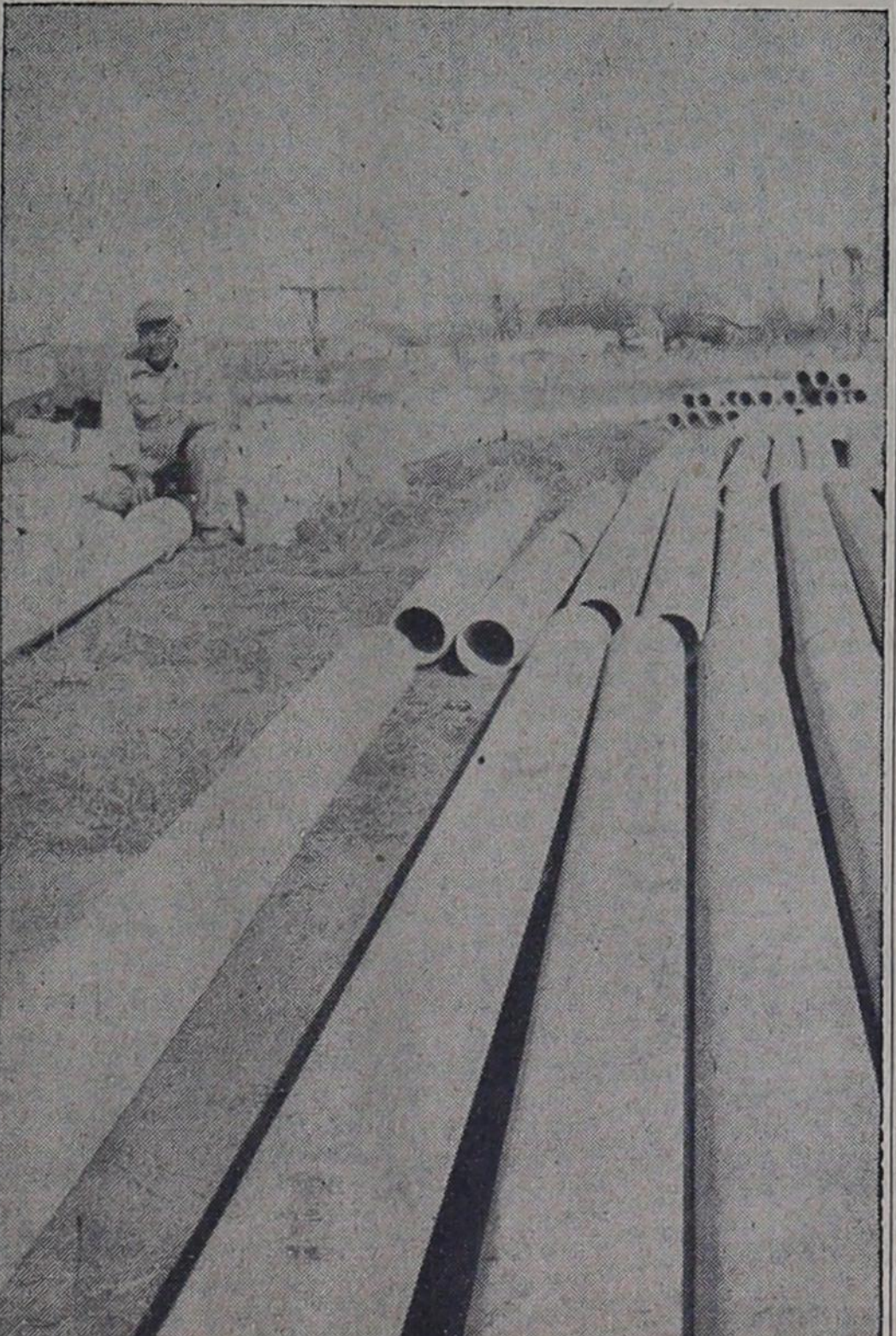
3. Administrative records and student personnel records are generally satisfactory. However, some individual student records are incomplete, particularly for years preceding the 1953 fire. Additional work is needed to put such records in the best possible condition.

4. The central school library is below accreditation standards. In the school plan for rebuilding its library following the 1953 fire, slightly over \$2000 was spent during the 1955-56 school year and \$800 is budgeted for the current year. In addition to carrying out plans for rebuilding library contents, a detailed plan for more efficient use of library books and periodicals is needed.

5. The school program of physical education and health instruction is not well defined as an integrated program. Plans should be prepared in detail for improvement of this area of instruction.

6. Furnishings in the Homemaking cottage are incomplete. They should be provided at the earliest opportunity.

Recommendation
The Bovina Independent School District is worthy of commendation for the calibre of school facilities and instruction offered. It is recommended that it be continued in the listing of fully accredited school systems.



CEMETERY WATER PIPE LINE—The 1216 feet of six inch transite pipe will be installed in the next few days to pipe city water to Bovina Cemetery and other parts of Southwest Bovina. John Wilson, water superintendent, is shown at the left of the picture.



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Bridal Shower for James Tidenberg Is Held Monday

Mr. and Mrs. James Tidenberg of Abilene were honored with a wedding shower Monday afternoon, November 26, in the annex of First Baptist Church.

The bride, the groom's mother, Mrs. H. L. Tidenberg; and his grandmother, Mrs. John Stagner of Clovis; were presented with corsages.

The serving table was laid with an imported cloth of lace and cutwork. Centering the table was an arrangement of white mums and greenery in a crystal bowl, sprayed with silver glitter.

On either side of the flowers were double crystal candelabra with tall white tapers. Crystal and silver appointments were used with white napkins, with "Jamie and Parilee" inscribed in silver.

The cake was decorated in white with pink at the base. Pink roses and silver wedding bells graced the top of the cake. It was served

to the guests by Mrs. Bobby Englant. Mrs. J. D. Kelley presided at the silver tea service.

The program followed the pattern of the Arthur Godfrey "Talent Show." Mrs. Reagan Looney was mistress of ceremonies and Mrs. John Wilson was the first scout. She presented as her talent, Miss Kay Leake, who sang "True Love."

The second scout was Mrs. E. H. Moody and her talent was Mrs. Arnold Hromas who gave a musical reading of "I Love You Truly" and another, "Our Home."

Mrs. R. N. Williford was the last scout on the program and she presented Mr. and Mrs. Tidenberg, the honorees. She gave some long forgotten incidents of their childhood and, when they were proclaimed the winners, presented them with a pair of scissors to open their many gifts.

The groom's mother assisted in the opening of the gifts.

Hostesses for the shower were Mrs. Clarence Jones, Mrs. Charles Ross, Mrs. Hubert Ellison, Mrs. Reagan Looney, Mrs. Henry Minter, Mrs. Von Bowen, Mrs. T. F.

Taylor and Mrs. Giles Williams; Also, Mrs. Joe Wilson, Mrs. J. P. Macon, Mrs. Frank Truitt, Mrs. Amos Steelman, Mrs. Homer Kelley, Mrs. R. N. Williford, Mrs. E. H. Moody, Mrs. Earl Ware and Mrs. P. A. Adams;

Also, Mrs. Bobby Englant, Mrs. H. D. Bradshaw, Mrs. Travis Lloyd, Mrs. Emmett Tabor and Mrs. Vernon Ward. They gave individual gifts.

Mrs. Hubert Ellison presided at the guest book. Approximately 30 guests were registered. Out of town guests included Mrs. C. C. Morgan of Texico, Mrs. Ted Wallace, Mrs. John Stagner, Mrs. Clinton Tidenberg and Cherylann, and Mrs. Lawrence Starr, all of Clovis; and Mrs. Alice Bots of California.

The couple make their home in Abilene, where he is attending Hardin-Simmons University.

In Charles Home

Members of the family of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Charles met in their home Thursday evening for a Thanksgiving dinner. Following the meal, the group spent the evening visiting and playing table games. Those attending the family party were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Charles and children, Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Charles and children, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Estes and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Charles and Miss Ellen Remnsnider.

From Hereford

Visiting Sunday, November 25, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jones were Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Smith and children of Hereford. The guests and the local couple are former neighbors, living near each other many years ago at Edinburg.

Farmerettes Have Thanksgiving Supper

Members of the Farmerettes and their husbands met Friday night, November 23, at Bovina Restaurant for their annual Thanksgiving supper. Mrs. Wendol Christian was toastmistress. After the meal, the group went to the Christian home for an evening of visiting and "42".

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Leon Grissom, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Christian, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Meeks, Mr. and Mrs. James Roach, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bolton, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Doshier, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Sudderth, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Foster and Mr. and Mrs. Wendol Christian.

Guests for the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson and Miss Jenny Lynn Bolton of Redmond, Washington.

The Farmerette Club is an organization of the younger women of the Oklahoma Lane Community. The ladies meet once a month in the homes of the members for a day of visiting and working on something for the hostess.

In Farwell

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Foster and Mr. and Mrs. Donald F. Christian were Thursday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Kent of Farwell. Mrs. Foster and Mrs. Christian, sisters, are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Kent.

To Mineral Wells

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hawkins and daughter returned Sunday from Mineral Wells, where they had visited in the home of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Vaughn. They also made a trip to Fort Worth, where they were guests in the homes of other relatives.

To Visit Sons

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Gunn left last week for an extended visit with their sons and other relatives. They went to Hutchinson, Kansas, where they were guests in the home of their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Gunn. They then drove to Waco, where they are visiting with another son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Gunn.

The head on a sphinx is that of a woman.

Barrett Families Visit In Lockney

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Barrett and Mr. and Mrs. Monty Barrett visited Thursday in the home of the men's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Barrett of Lockney. They were dinner guests in the home of another brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barrett, also of Lockney. Friday, the local couples spent the day visiting with the women's parents. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Barrett visited with her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. George of Florent and the Monty Barretts spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Harrison, also of Lockney.

Rainbows Plan Christmas Social

Members of Bovina Order of Rainbow for Girls met Monday evening in the Masonic Hall for a regular meeting. Miss Fern Tipton, Worthy Advisor, was in charge of the meeting.

During the meeting, further plans were made for the annual Rainbow Christmas party. The party will be in the form of a banquet and will be held in Bovina Restaurant Friday evening, December 21. Joy Redden and Har-

rietta Lou Charles are in charge of the program for the evening.

Also during the business meeting, balloting was held and plans were made for the initiation of three new members at the next regular meeting. This will be Monday night, December 17, Mrs. Clifford Leake, Mother Advisor, urges all members to attend this important meeting.

Those present for the meeting were Sue Estes, Mary Hartsell, Harriette Lou Charles, Carole Hammonds, Patsy Richards, Kay Leake, Betty Mae Stevens and Janice Leake;

Also, Celia Berry, Sandra Rhinehart, Sandra Martin and one guest, Billie Burgess of Farwell.

Adults present were Mrs. Leake and Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Rhinehart.

To Andrews

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. McCutchan went to Andrews last week to visit with her sister. They were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Fleming for the three day visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ware and son, Tom, visited Thursday and Friday of last week in the home of his mother, Mrs. Violet Ware of Mobeetie.

Ex-Students Gather In Ellison Home

Candy, cookies, coffee and "con-fab" was the rule of the day Thursday afternoon when several young people met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aubra Ellison. Their daughter, Sue Hoffer, was hostess when the young people, home from college for the Thanksgiving holidays, gathered for an afternoon of visiting and comparing colleges and activities.

Among those present were Darrel Read, Billy Richards, Janie Alverston, Jerry Loflin, Julius Bradshaw, Donna Jean Hobby and Gayle Purnell. Miss Purnell, from Amarillo, a cousin of the hostess, was a guest in the Ellison home for

several days last week.

Other college students none for the Thanksgiving holidays were Evelyn Joyce Steelman, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Gayle Steelman, Dyathia Bradshaw, Ted Walling, Sandra Patton, Sandra Jefferson and Glendon Sudderth.

To Roswell

Three couples from Bovina spent Thursday in Roswell. They were Thanksgiving dinner guests in the home of Major and Mrs. Byron Work and children. Those going to Roswell for the day were Mrs. Work's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Morot; Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Berggren and Mr. and Mrs. Reagan Looney.

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Tests Are Complete For Hybrid Sorghum

Extensive testing of the new hybrid grain sorghums with common varieties under identical conditions has been accomplished in Parmer County this year, and the results of the tests have just been compiled by County Agent Joe Jones, who directed them.

In each case, all of the varieties grown were produced under identical conditions in order that a true comparison could be made. "Our aim was one of comparison only and we did not seek maximum yields," Jones says. "The main thing was to see how hybrids and other varieties yield under identical conditions."

Even though maximum yields were not the goal of the tests, many good reports were turned in. One plot of Texas 660 in Lazbuddie yielded over 7300 pounds for Edd Steinbock.

All representative soil types of the county were included in the scattered tests, from sandy to the tight clays. Planting dates, fertilization, and water applied varied widely, which helped give a good cross-section for the project.

Seed for the tests was obtained from the experiment station at Lubbock explicitly for these purposes. The DeKalb seed used in the experiments was furnished partly by Jones and partly by area seed dealers.

ers. "You can draw your own conclusions from the results," comments the agent. "All the crops were either interplanted or planted side-by-side with testing varieties."

Here are the results: T. E. LOVETT—north of Friona. Planted June 9. All bloomed August 8 except Martin's, which bloomed July 25. All harvested October 8. Texas 610 yielded 3110; 620, 3520; 660, 3520; and Martin's, 2780.

No fertilizer was used. The land was pre-watered, and the crop was watered twice after it came up.

EDD STEINBOCK—east of Lazbuddie. Planted June 9. Texas hybrid 590, bloomed August 10, harvested October 12, yielded 6185. Texas 610 bloomed August 6, harvested October 12, yielded 5042. Texas 620, bloomed August 14, harvested November 5, yielded 5728. Texas 660, bloomed August 28, harvested November 5, yielded 7357. Redlan Kafir, planted May 8, bloomed August 5, harvested October 12, yielded 6105.

Steinbock also had 33 acres of 620 which yielded 5889. All sorghums watered five times and fertilized by side dressing with 80 pounds anhydrous ammonia after crop was up.

GILBERT KALTWASSER—northwest Lariat. Planted May 11. Texas 590, bloomed July 15, harvested September 20, yielded 3450, moisture 13.02. Texas 6610, bloomed July 10, harvested September 20, yielded 4175, moisture 12.07. Texas 620, bloomed July 23, harvested September 20, yielded 4600, moisture 18.08. Texas 660, bloomed July 28, harvested October 25, yielded 3840. DeKalb F-62, bloomed July 25, harvested September 20, yielded 3950, moisture 17.04. DeKalb E-56, bloomed July 20, harvested September 20, yielded 3950, moisture 14.04. Martin's, bloomed July 15,

harvested September 20, yielded 4505, moisture 21. Caprock, bloomed July 28, harvested October 25, yielded 3540.

Check plots were planted eight rows hybrid, eight rows of the checking variety, alternating all the way across the plot. The land had 200 pounds of 20 per cent phosphate and 60 pounds of anhydrous ammonia applied prior to planting. All sorghums watered four times.

LEON LANGFORD—seven miles north Farwell. Planted May 13. Harvested September 24. Texas hybrid 590, bloomed July 13, yielded 2875. Texas 610, bloomed July 13, yielded 3075. Texas 620, bloomed July 17, yielded 3060. Texas 660, bloomed July 28, yielded 3575. DeKalb D-50, bloomed July 10, yielded 3100. Caprock, bloomed July 30, yielded 4000.

Hybrids planted side by side and Caprock used as check crop, planted to each side of the hybrids. Not interplanted. Used 80 pounds of anhydrous ammonia. Watered 590, 610, and D-50 three times — remainder four times.

RENE SNEAD — Hub. Planted May 9. Texas 590, bloomed July 15, harvested September 21, yielded 5166, moisture 11.15. Texas 611, bloomed July 20, harvested September 21, yielded 4545, moisture 11.12. Texas 620, bloomed July 19, harvested October 1, yielded 5376, moisture 11.38. Texas 660, bloomed July 23, harvested October 6, yielded 6427, moisture 11.49.

DeKalb E-56, bloomed July 23, harvested September 25, yielded 5250, moisture 12.44. DeKalb F-62, bloomed July 23, harvested September 25, yielded 5436, moisture 12.56. Martin's, bloomed July 18, harvested September 13, yielded 4680, moisture 12.44. Caprock, bloomed August 1, harvested October 6, yielded 5510, moisture 11. Hybrids planted eight rows and check variety eight rows all across 15-acre block. Two varieties used as check varieties. Caprock planted beside 660, Martin's interplanted between all other varieties.

All land had 66 pounds 82 per cent anhydrous ammonia. All pre-watered. Martin's had three irrigations, all other four irrigations.

CECIL WINEGART—Oklahoma Lane. Planted June 15. Texas 610, bloomed July 20, harvested September 3, yielded 4052, moisture 12. Texas 620, bloomed July 30, harvested October 11, yielded 3412, moisture 13. Texas 660, bloomed August 15, harvested October 11, yielded 3625, moisture 17. Martin's, bloomed July 30, harvested September 20, yielded 3200, moisture 13. Land was pre-watered once. Sorghums watered three times after up. No fertilizer used.

BRUCE PARR — Black. Texas 610, planted June 15, harvested October 25, yielded 6222, moisture 18.64. Texas 620, planted June 15, harvested November 13, yielded 6353. Texas 660, planted June 15, harvested November 13, yielded 7192, moisture 13.75.

Westland, planted June 15, harvested November 13, yielded 5431. Combine Hegari, planted June 15, harvested October 25, yielded 6700, moisture 19. Martin's, planted June 15, harvested October 25, yielded 5716, moisture 14.08. Caprock, planted June 2, harvested November 13, yielded 5861, moisture 12.01. Plainsman, planted June 2, harvested Nov. 13, yielded 5640.

Land received 100 pounds anhydrous ammonia per acre and was pre-watered. Grain sorghum watered four times after it was up.

ARLIN HARTZOG—southwest of Bovina. Planted June 20. Texas 610, 4492; 620, 5305; 660, 4846. Martin's 3705. One pre-watering and two waterings after crop was up. No fertilizer.

Hartzog also had 38 acres certified hybrid seed, Texas 620. Male sterile yielded 3734 and female 3761.

The world's record bluegill was caught in Alabama in 1950. Weight: 4 pounds 12 ounces.—Sports Afield

Cotton Allotment Increased in County

Parmer County cotton farmers have received a 1452-acre increase in 1957 cotton allotments, according to Prentice Mills, office manager of the county ASC. The increase boosts the number of acres to 43,298 compared with last year's 41,846.

Allotments were mailed out to 1054 cotton farmers in the county last Friday.

In determining the individual acreage allotments the county ASC committee used the "history" method, which is based on the amount of cotton grown by each farmer during the past three years, Mills says.

It was pointed out that no farmer who grew cotton last year received a smaller allotment than in 1956, and some of them received an increase.

Of the old cotton growers, no one received fewer than 15 acres, and those who have grown cotton in the past at all, did not receive fewer than 10 acres, the ASC manager says.

To be placed in the county reserve, being held back for new grower applicants, is 450 acres. This is considerably less than last year when 1013 acres were placed in reserve. It was estimated that 50 or 60 farmers in Parmer County will be eligible for new acreage this year.

eligible growers (who comply with their allotments) will be available at 50 percent of parity.

"In either case, acreage allotments will continue in effect for 1957 cotton crop as a means of determining eligibility for price supports," Magness says.

The chairman pointed out that the secretary of agriculture is directed to proclaim marketing quotas for the next upland cotton crop when the cotton supply exceeds normal. Quotas are not put into operation, however, unless they are approved by at least two-thirds of the growers voting in a referendum on the question.

SCD News

The Parmer County Soil Conservation District supervisors held their regular meeting for the month of November in Farwell last week. The meeting was called to order at 2 p. m.

Supervisors present were A. L. Black, chairman; Joe Blair, secretary and treasurer; Matt Jesko, member; and Carl Schlenker, member. Others present were Steve Messenger, clerk; Joe Jones, county agent; and J. D. Sanders of the Soil Conservation Service.

The schedule of business included presentation of the annual audit report which was reviewed and approved by the board.

A discussion was held on equipment rental rates and it was voted to set gross seeder price at a price of 30c per acre or minimum of \$5 a day.

Eight basic soil and water conservation plans were approved by the supervisors. They were on the C. E. Warner, Mrs. F. T. Schlenker, Sam Aldridge, John Armstrong, Gasky King, E. O. Johnston, George Haskins, and J. P. Miller farms.

Supervisors election for Zone 3 is to be held when cotton harvest slows down. The meeting adjourned at 3:30.

Many farmers in the district are in the process of preparing land for next year's crop. This consists mostly of shredding crop residues and mulching them into the soil surface.

Now is a good time to apply a nitrogen type fertilizer to speed up the decomposition of these plant residues. By so doing they will be in the form of organic matter or humus by planting time next spring.

When moldboarding, care should be taken not to completely cover residues and destroy the protection they afford.

Peak years for grouse hunting are those ending in 1 and 2, and the bad years are those ending in 6 and 7.—Sports Afield

Voting Tuesday

Cotton growers have an important decision to make on Tuesday, December 11, Joe Magness, chairman of the Parmer County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation committee, reminds farmers.

On that day, growers will vote on a referendum to decide whether marketing quotas will be in effect for their 1957 upland cotton crop. All farmers who engaged in the production of upland cotton in 1956 will be eligible to vote in the referendum.

"If at least two-thirds of the growers voting approve the quotas, marketing quotas will be in effect on all farms growing upland cotton in 1957, penalties will apply on excess cotton, and price supports to those growers who comply with their cotton acreage allotments will be available at the full level of effective supports," Magness explains.

Under current legislation, this support will be between 75 and 90 percent of parity, the minimum level within this range depending upon the supply situation at the time the determination is made.

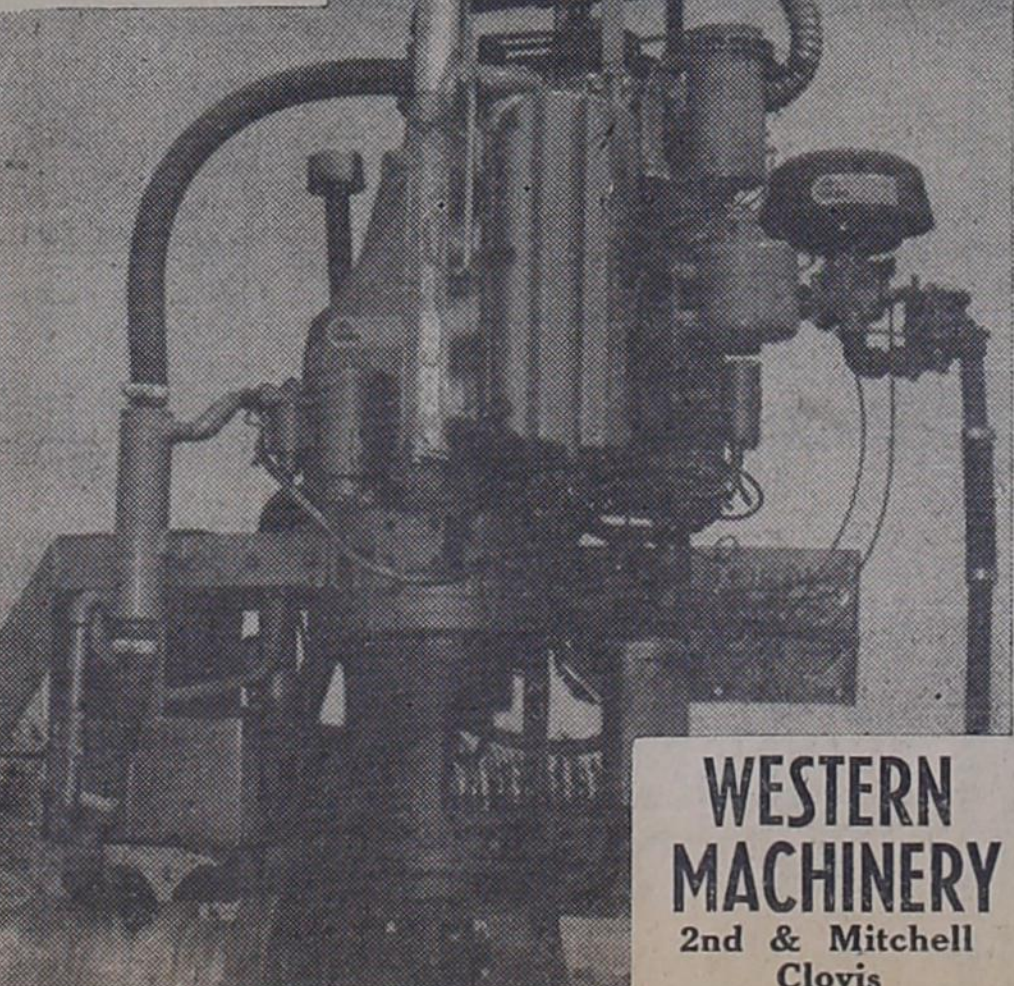
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Probably destined to become one of the most popular "wall pieces" on the Plains is a just-published map of the High Plains area from the Water District.

It occupies the center spread of "The Cross Section," a monthly publication of the District. In three colors, this map shows more vividly than any yet published just where the underground water on the Plains is in storage.

Varying thicknesses of the water-bearing formation (the Ogallala) are indicated by contrasting hues, and although the map is actually no more than a rehash of what has been published by the District, this presentation in color imparts a new perspective to the entire irrigation picture on the Plains.

The most obvious, and most gratifying, part about the map is that it shows conclusively, and in tones that anyone with half an eye can spot across the room, that Parmer County has more water in storage than any other spot on the entire irrigated Plains area.

Conspicuous by their lack of color are two Plains counties—Hale and Swisher—that have chosen to remain outside our water district, and consequently, their resources are not shown.

It is possible, however, to theorize on the contents of these counties by mental projection of the surrounding counties' formations into an approximation of their contents.

Hale could not possibly have the big deposits of sand over 400 feet in thickness that the map credits to Parmer County, except by geologic freak, which is very unlikely. The area around Hale and Swisher counties seems to indicate that the average thickness is more likely to be between 200 and 300 feet.

These maps will make exciting displays on the walls of real estate men and others interested in the market value of our natural resources. These maps show more clearly than anything ever published that the western High Plains of which Parmer County is the heart, contain the lion's share of underground water deposits.

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We have an order in now for 1000 reprints of this fine map.

Ginning estimates for Texas this year have been upped to over 3,000,000 bales. That is twice as much as any other state. Mississippi is second with 1,508,000, and Arkansas expects 1,258,000.

If farmers aren't scared of high-priced labor, they had better get that way. No doubt you can remember when a loaf of bread sold for 11 cents. What do you pay today? About twice that much?

Wheat, the essential ingredient for bread, is practically the same price it was when bread was selling for 11 cents a loaf. The main reason that the price has almost doubled is increased costs in hauling and getting it transported and sold, and these costs boil down to one thing: labor.

If the price of wheat dropped to zero, a loaf of bread would still cost more than 15 cents!

4-H News

FARWELL 4-H NOTES

JOE HUGHES, REPORTER

The Farwell Night Hawks 4-H Club met Tuesday night, November 27, to elect new officers and take up some new business.

New officers elected were: President, Johnny McCuan; vice-president, Truman McKillip; secretary, Johnny Armstrong; reporter, Joe Hughes; and pledge leader, Kenneth Krieger.

Johnny McCuan was elected delegate to the county 4-H council. A committee composed of Johnny Armstrong, Frankie Coffman, and Joe Hughes was elected to make laws and by-laws for the club.

Joe Hughes was elected to serve on the committee for the closing ceremony for the 4-H achievement event and party to be held on January 5 at Bovina.

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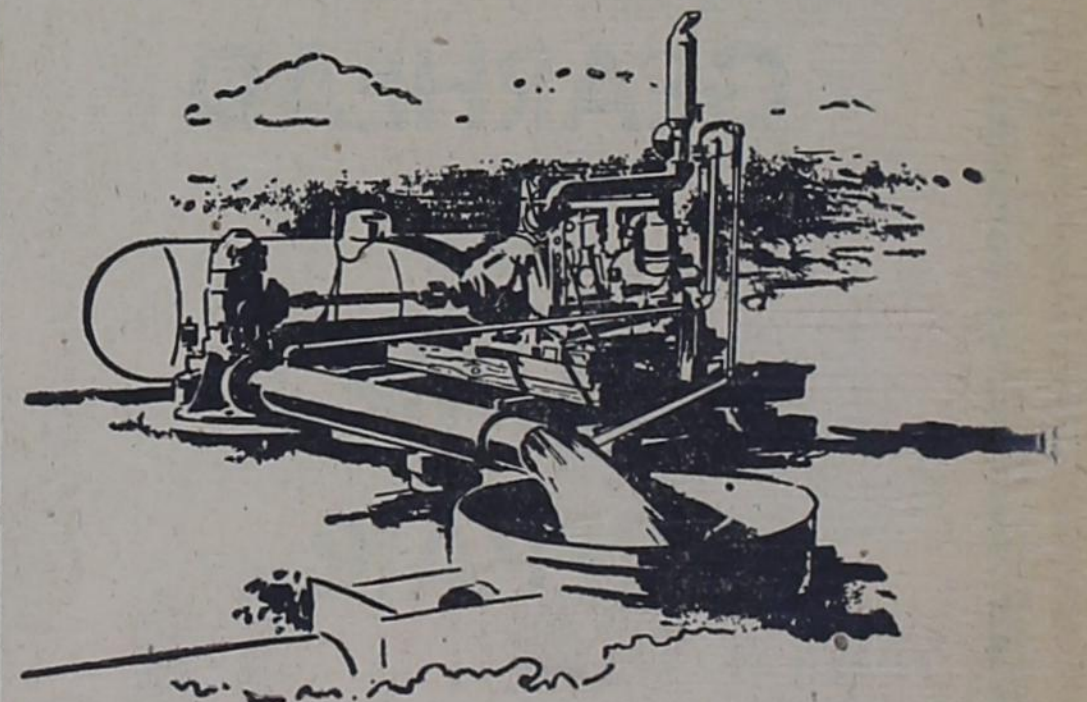
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PCG Backs Changes In Cotton Classing

Woodrow Fleming, Friona, and A. L. Hartzog, Bovina, county directors of the Plains Cotton Growers, announced this week that the PCG was backing the eight changes recently recommended for improving of cotton classing for South Plains farmers.

The directors explained the eight recommendations were made unanimously at a meeting held in Lubbock November 29 attended by representatives of the PCG, the South Plains Farmer-Ginner committee, South Plains Ginner Association, Farm Bureau, Farmers Union, and businesses.

The eight specific recommendations the group listed as favoring the improvement of the cotton classing were:

1. Establishment of uniform humidity equipment in all classing offices in this area, whether it be the Lubbock office or other newly established offices, and that cotton be allowed to condition 12 to 24 hours before classing is done.

2. Multiple classing offices be considered for this area. W. O. Fortenberry, president of PCG, appointed a committee to study this program and report later.

3. Samples of bales taken at both gins and compresses were discussed and the group voted for more uniform samples regardless of where taken and also recommended that the ultimate goal be the taking of automatic samples from gins.

4. Recommended the return to use of the class or "pink" sheet by the classing office and that

each classer be given a code number and it be placed on the sheet.

5. Establishment of a classing review board composed of one qualified classer each to represent the farmer, the cotton trade and the government, and the grade given by this board be a final grade.

6. The date entered on the green card be the date the sample was received at the cotton classing office instead of the date the cotton was actually classed.

7. The Commodity Credit Corporation recognize and set a value for light spotted cotton in the government loan.

8. This group as a body opposes any proposed change of the average grade and staple from 7/8 inch to 1 inch in the government cotton program.

The group also discussed a meeting next spring or summer in Lubbock to which USDA classing officials from Washington would be invited to discuss rules and regulations which will govern classing of cotton for the next season.

The cotton representatives also went on record as endorsing the Smith-Doxey program and pointed out the recommendations made were done so only with an eye towards improving the program and not as a criticism.

Lazbuddie 4-H Boys To Have Tour

Lazbuddie 4-H Club boys will go on a tour of their community Saturday, visiting projects of local clubs. A committee steering the tour is led by Glendale King, chairman, and Steven Young, Gary Mac Brown and Odie Bradshaw.

Clay's Corner will be the starting place, at 1:15 p.m.

Boys will see a club calf of Billy Hardage, trees at the King farm, swine of Gary and Gerald Foster, also swine of Bradshaw and Robert White, calves of Cooper and Steven Young, also calves of Richard Chitwood and Gary and James Brown, and the lambs of John Agee Jr. and Richard Gordon.

THE HAPPY HOMEMAKER

Since the holiday season is just around the corner and it is later than most of us think, perhaps it would be a good idea for us to get out our favorite recipes and turn our kitchens into gift making shops for an evening or two or three.

Candies, cookies, puddings, and cakes make very nice gifts for just about anyone on your list. Any of them would be especially appreciated for the brothers, sons, nephews, or friends who are in Uncle Sam's services and will not get holiday leaves. Of course, it is too late for overseas mailing, but there is still time to mail packages inside the U. S.

Candy making isn't one of the things we do well, but we do have several recipes that are absolutely fool proof. One is for peanut brittle.

Mix 2 cups sugar, 3/4 cup corn syrup, 1/4 cup water and a few grains of salt in a heavy saucepan and cook until sugar melts. Then add 2 cups raw peanuts and cook without stirring until mixture reaches hard crack stage. Remove from heat and stir in 4 teaspoons soda quickly mixing well so candy will puff up. Pour onto buttered platter and break into pieces when cold.

Refrigerator fudge is another kind which always turns out just right. Combine 3/4 cups undiluted evaporated milk and 2 1/2 cups sugar in heavy saucepan. Cook over medium heat, stirring constantly until mixture boils. Turn heat low, cook 10 minutes, stirring constantly to prevent scorching. Remove from heat, immediately add 12 oz. chocolate chips, 1/3 cup Karo syrup, 2 tablespoons butter, and 1 teaspoon vanilla. Stir until chocolate chips melt and fudge is smooth and creamy. Stir in nuts and mix well. Pour into buttered 8x8x2 pan and chill in refrigerator 1 to 2 hours. Cut into desired shapes. This recipe makes about 2 1/2 pounds.

If you have a very special chair, bench or stool that you hesitate to dispose of that needs a new bottom, here is an idea you might use. Discarded nylon hose may be laced and woven together to make a substantial bottom. After being padded and upholstered, the bottom is not visible.

buddie. Graef outlined the program which includes the national president of Farmers Union, James G. Patton of Denver; John C. White, state commissioner of agriculture; G. G. Gibson, director Extension Service, Texas A&M College; and Jerry Holleman, executive secretary, Texas Federation of Labor, as well as a number of congressmen, state senators and representatives who plan to address or greet the convention delegates and visitors.

Graef stressed that the convention is open to all farmers and ranchers and to the general public.

"Farmers Union was the only national farm organization in this country that did not back flexible sliding scale price supports in the last session of congress," he says. "Farmers Union has stood unalterably behind 100% price supports on all farm commodities produced on family type farms in America."

NEWS FROM THE FARM BUREAU

By RAYMOND EULER

If you have wanted an opportunity to help someone who needed food and clothing desperately, here it is: You can give through at least three different agencies that we know of, namely, The American Red Cross, CARE, and CROP. Gifts to the Red Cross and CARE can be addressed simply to the Postmaster. Gifts to CROP should be addressed to 504 West 24th Street, Austin 5, Texas. CARE and CROP are agencies that use your contributions to ship surplus milk and other food products to needy areas of foreign countries.

All three agencies are presently directing emergency aid to Hungary, Austria and other countries so recently overrun by war over which they had no control. CROP welcomes used, but useable clothing of all kinds, to be shipped to needy areas. If you should have gifts of this nature, we would be glad to assist you in preparing and shipping them.

Cotton exports from the United States are expected to be about 6.5 million bales, compared to 2.2 million exported last year. This results partly because of accelerated export effort through use of Public Law 480, a Farm Bureau accomplishment.

Some advisors advise holding cotton for probable higher markets accelerated by international unrest and the Eastern war situation. This advice would hold for other agricultural products, too.

So far as we have been able to determine, the party from Parmer County planning on attending the American Farm Bureau Convention in Miami next week consists of the following: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Anthony and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Anthony Sr., who left Monday by automobile, and Raymond Euler who is scheduled to leave Amarillo Saturday night by air. Among other things the men of the party plan a trip to Cuba while in the Miami vicinity.

Consider this: The rod and reproof give wisdom; but a child left to himself bringeth his mother to shame. Proverbs 29:15.

Rental Equipm't Available

Farmers can rent equipment from the Parmer County Soil Conservation district that will be useful in many soil conservation practices, it was revealed this week.

Fifteen pieces of equipment are scattered through the county, and put needed items within easy reach of most farmers interested in renting them.

The list includes a Hancock grass seeder and a Hancock legume seeder at the Ronald Berggren farm west of Bovina. The grass seeder rents for 30 cents per acre or a \$5 minimum; the legume seeder rents for 25 cents per acre.

At Bovina Farm Chemical, there is a 7-foot land plane available for \$7.50 per day, and from Roy Crawford at Bovina may be obtained a weed poison sprayer for \$4 daily.

A 9-foot land plane and a weed poison spreader rent for \$10 and \$4 per day, respectively, and may be found on the C. L. Callaway farm 12 miles west of Friona.

The Friona FFA is keeping a 9-foot land plane that also rents for \$10 a day, and A. L. Black has an identical piece of equipment at the same rent, plus a Hancock legume seeder for 25 cents per acre, an Engler scraper for \$4 a day, and a weed poison spreader also for \$4 per day. Black lives four miles east of Hub.

Joe Blair at Farwell has a 9-foot land plane for \$10 a day, and a Hancock legume seeder for 25 cents per acre. The Lazbuddie FFA has a Hancock grass seeder for 50 cents per acre or a \$5 minimum, plus a 9-foot land plane for \$10 per day.

Graef Is President Of Lazbuddie FU

Clayton Graef has been elected president of the Lazbuddie local of Farmers Union. James Welch serves with him as vice-president and Wyle M. Bullock is secretary-treasurer.

At a recent meeting of the group, Luther Ham was named legislative director, Harold Wilson, recreation director; Pete Mimms, co-op director; Demp Foster, junior leader; Buster Jones, education director; Wesley Barnes, head of organization; and T. O. Lesly heads publicity.

The 30 members present examined the state resolutions and formed some of their own, although most of the state planks were accepted with minor changes. Among the resolutions is one calling for 100 percent of parity, and one opposing any state sales tax.

Fertilizer Research Planned at Station

"The purpose of the proposed fertilizer research program at the High Plains Station of Texas Research Foundation is to obtain information required for economic usage of fertilizers on High Plains irrigated soils. "Economic usage" means maximum returns per dollar spent for fertilizer," says Dr. T. C. Longnecker, chief soil scientist of the station.

Due to tremendous increase in irrigation during the past 10 years and subsequent high production of crops, soils of the High Plains are decreasing in fertility to the extent that fertilizer is becoming important for maximum economic production.

The experiments proposed at the research farm will be designed to answer questions such as: How much and what kind to apply, when to apply, how deep should the fertilizer be put and what is the best method of application? In addition to the test plots at

Halfway, test areas in other locations over the High Plains will be established. These test areas will give the answers to the fertilizer question in those localities.

"It is in the interest of every farmer during this period when he is feeling such an economic squeeze that he produce maximum net returns from each acre. The fertilizer research program at the High Plains station will produce the information needed to get this maximum net return through wise use of fertilizer," says Dr. Longnecker.

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Six Area Men To FU Meeting
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—P C I C N—
Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Foster, Pattijohn, Mrs. J. T. Gee and our mother spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Fort Worth and Dallas. The Fosters visited their daughter in Dallas and did some shopping for Foster's Dry Goods and Mr. Foster, Mrs. Gee, and our mother attended the Methodist convocation in Fort Worth. Approximately 2000 Texas Methodists were present at the convocation.

—P C I C N—
If your irrigation motor needs a repair job come in and see Ben Woody, shop foreman at the Parmer County Implement Company. We have some special winter rates on now and will pick up your motor, work it over while you aren't using it and return it to your farm before spring watering time. Call 2091 or 2201 now and make a date for your repair jobs.

—P C I C N—
Two men were duck hunting and though they had been shooting at ducks for hours, they hadn't bagged a single one. "It's getting late, one of them finally said. "Let's miss two more and go home."

—P C I C N—
Mrs. Francis Watkins spent the holidays in Longview with her parents. Donald Watkins, that's her husband, and Dempsey Watkins, that's Donald's brother, did the cooking and dishwashing while Francis was gone. The Watkinses teach in the Friona Schools.

Two recruits were talking. One said, "I feel like punching that sergeant in the nose again." The other exclaimed, "Again?" "Yes, I felt like it yesterday, too."

—P C I C N—
There will soon be some fences on the hospital grounds. They may not be so beautiful but are necessary to keep cars parked where they should be and to keep folks from driving where they should not.

—P C I C N—
Texas is the only state in the union where even mules have the earache (you guess why), where the marriage ceremony says "Love, honor, and talk about Texas," where the people blow harder than the wind does, where whether religious or steeped in sin, everyone's proud of the state he's in.

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—P C I C N—
A Texas preacher was hearing confession. In the middle of it he stopped the young sinner, saying, "Young man, you ain't confessin'. You're bragging."

—P C I C N—
Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bates and family spent the Thanksgiving holidays here with her family, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Watson. Mr. and Mrs. Bates are teaching at Sunray. They are former Friona teachers. Mr. Bates was also basketball coach and took his team to state finals three straight years. In 1946 Mr. Bates had a high scoring team. They averaged 32 points per game or one point per minute.

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Have you deposited your Christmas card money to the hospital fund? Don't just keep putting it off. Deposit the money you would usually spend for Christmas cards sent to friends who live in your own town. The real Christmas spirit!

—P C I C N—
Texas may be proud and loud, but then Texas has more to be proud about than any other state because—like the white horses eating more than the black horses—there is more of Texas than any other state—more volunteers in World War II in proportion to population than any other state—more commissioned officers in the army from Texas A&M than from any other institution—a hundred Texas generals, including General Ike Eisenhower. Texas loud? Why just suppose a Californian had half as much to talk about.

A lady from the East who was visiting in Texas for a time, noticed some animals that had been freshly branded and she exclaimed, "Look at those monogrammed cattle."

—P C I C N—
America is more than ever a nation on wheels. Seventy-three percent of American families own automobiles, compared with little more than fifty percent in 1940. And more people ride on Good-year tires than on any other kind.

Pastor Leads Bible Study For WMU

Members of the Women's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday afternoon in the church annex for a Bible study. The study was led by Rev. Virgil Goodwin, who spoke on "Solomon's Prayer for the Temple."

Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Dick Sparks and Mrs. J. A. Taylor. They served open-faced sandwiches, pie and coffee to Mrs. Alva Hudson, Mrs. Roy Fuller, Mrs. Eddie Ray Hutto, Mrs. Leslie McCain, Mrs. Don Murphy, Mrs. W. W. Wilcox, Rev. and Mrs. Goodwin and Mrs. Bobby Englant.

To Liberal

Mrs. Mabel Newberry and her brother, Lee Hopingardner, visited recently in Liberal, Kansas, with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Kent and children. The local people went to Kansas Tuesday, November 20, and returned home the following Monday.

Marzie Lynn Circle Concludes Study

Members of the Marzie Lynn Circle of the Methodist Church met Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the church for their regular weekly meeting. The meeting, with Mrs. Jimmie Charles in charge, was the conclusion of the study which they have been working on for some time, "Southeast Asia." The litany was led by Mrs. Charles and the group sang for the day was "Oh Master of the Waking World."

Mrs. Charles opened the lesson with a talk on the last chapters of the book they have been studying. The theme of the chapters was "The Pattern of Things to Come

in Southeast Asia." She then showed a film, "The Christian Roots in Southeast Asia," which explained the work and accomplishments of missionaries of Christianity in those countries.

From the outgrowth of the study, an offering was taken from the members to go toward the work being done by the Wesley Village in Hong Kong.

Those present for the meeting were Mrs. Rouel Barron, Mrs. C. F. Hastings, Mrs. O. H. Jones, Mrs. Wilbur Charles, Mrs. Warren Morton, Mrs. Billie Sudderth, Mrs. Jimmie Charles and Mrs. E. M. Ware.

Thrifty Club With Mrs. Williams

Bovina Thrifty Club met Wednesday of last week in the home of Mrs. Giles Williams for an afternoon of visiting and handwork for the hostess. They made quilt blocks for Mrs. Williams.

She served refreshments of cake and coffee to Mrs. George Turner, Mrs. Earl Ware, Mrs. Elmer Lowrie, Mrs. Floyd Dunavant, Mrs. Vernon Campbell, Mrs. Dick Sparks, Mrs. Glen Welsh, Mrs. J. D. Stevens, Mrs. J. T. Jones and Mrs. G. A. Bandy.

During the meeting, the group discussed plans for their annual Christmas party. It was decided that the party will be held in the home of Mrs. Dick Sparks, Wednesday, December 12. Mrs. Glen Welsh will be hostess and Mrs. Sparks will assist her. Mrs. Jones, reporter for the club, urges all members to attend this Christmas party, as the names of "secret pals" will be revealed at that time.

Byron Turner of Odessa visited three days of last week in the home of his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ayres. He arrived Tuesday and returned to Odessa Thursday evening.

To Farwell

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Beauchamp and children were Thanksgiving dinner guests in the home of his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Roberson of Farwell. The dinner was also a family gathering with several members of the Roberson family present. Mr. and Mrs. Ovid Lawlis and sons were also guests for the day.

From California

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hulse and son, Mike, of Los Angeles, Calif., visited recently in the home of his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Bradshaw and family.

In Burnett Home

Visiting several days last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Burnett, were their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Burnett and daughter, Sharon, of Denver City. The guests arrived Wednesday evening and returned home Sunday afternoon.

With Parents

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kirkpatrick and family spent several days of last week in Petersburg where they were guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Kirkpatrick.

From Japan

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jones received word Thursday of last week that his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jones and son, Bill, would return from Japan Saturday, December 1. The family has been living in Japan for the last two years. He is an instructor with the navy. The Bob Jones' will visit for some time here with his brother and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Sisk and children of Lamesa visited Thursday and Friday in Bovina. They were guests in the home of his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Rhinehart.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our appreciation for the kindness and help extended to us by our neighbors and friends at the time of our loss.

The McLean Family 24-1tc

Home Demonstration Club Plans Party

Bovina Good Neighbor Home Demonstration Club will hold its annual Christmas party Friday, December 7, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Stevens. The party will be a covered dish supper and social afterwards. It will begin at 7:30 p. m. and the families of members will be guests for the evening. Mrs. Stevens urges all members to be present for the social, as the names of the secret pals for the past year will be revealed.

Visited Here

Mr. and Mrs. Bob McMeans and sons of Amarillo visited over the weekend with relatives here. They were guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reagan Looney, and also visited with her brothers and families, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Looney and children and Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Looney and family.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Jones spent Thanksgiving day in Hereford. They were guests in the home of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Martin and family.

Visiting over the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Jones and family were Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Blank and family of Borger.

Returns Home

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Johnson of Redmond, Washington, left Saturday morning. They have been visiting for the past two weeks with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Johnson and with her relatives, all of the Oklahoma Lane community.

Bridal Shower Planned

A bridal shower, honoring Miss Beverly Roberts will be held Friday, December 7, in the Woman's Study Club house. The shower will begin at 2:30 p. m. Miss Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roberts, will marry Wayne McCutchan December 14.

From Denver City

Mrs. Bob Blalock and children of Denver City visited last week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hopingardner. Also visiting was another daughter and family, Mrs. Bud Buster and children of Littlefield. Mrs. Blalock, the former Dortha Hopingardner, and family arrived Thursday and her sister, Mildred, arrived Wednesday.

With Parents

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Brandon spent the weekend visiting relatives. They went to Matador and were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stevens and then to Roaring Springs where they were guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brandon.

Thanksgiving Day dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Looney were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dean Boyd and children.

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In Grissom Home

The home of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Grissom was the site Sunday of a family dinner and a day of visiting. Those present were their sons

and families, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Grissom and children of Shallowater; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Grissom and children of Taiban, N. M.; and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Grissom and children.

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| Sudderth '66' Ser. | Cicero Smith Lumber |
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Lee H. Sudderth Suffers Stroke

Lee H. Sudderth was taken to Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona Monday morning after he had suffered a stroke. He was placed under an oxygen tent and his condition is improved. A Tuesday report from relatives was that the oxygen tent had been removed and he is improving steadily.

Rev. Kersey Is Back In Pulpit

Rev. A. T. Kersey was again in charge of services Sunday night in Pentecostal Holiness Church. Rev. Kersey has been confined to his home since returning from the hospital about three weeks ago. He broke his leg September 25 in a tractor accident.

Friendly Circle Has Social

Friendly Circle Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church held a social Tuesday evening of last week in the church annex. Mrs. Johnnie Horn was in charge of the program for the evening. She gave a review of the book, "I Saw Your Sons at War," by Billy Graham. Refreshments of pie and coffee were served to the group by the hostesses, Mrs. J. D. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Eddie Ray Hutto and Mrs. Wayne Garth. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Don Murphy, J. D. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Dick Sparks, Mrs. Horn, Mrs. Charles Don Smith, Mrs. Billy Ray Horton and Mrs. Charles Embrey.

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BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Virgil Goodwin, Pastor

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; morning worship, 10:50 a. m.; training union, 6:30 p. m.; and evening worship, 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday, 7:00 p. m., auxiliaries: 8:00 p. m., choir rehearsal. Last Sunday, there were 171 in Sunday School and 78 in Training Union.

The Baptist Brotherhood met at the church Monday evening with J. D. Kirkpatrick, president, presiding. The program was given by the men present. Talks were given by Virgil Goodwin, Leslie McCain, P. A. Adams, Don Murphy and Earl Roberts.

The subject of the program was "The Christian Layman and his Vocation."

Other men present were Charles Hawkins, Alva Hudson, Hodge Rigdon and one visitor, W. D. Kirkpatrick of Petersburg.

With Relatives In Childress

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Lloyd and children and Mr. and Mrs. Rouel Barron spent the weekend visiting in Childress. The Lloyds were guests in the homes of her brothers and families, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kelley and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kelley. Mr. and Mrs. Barron visited with her sister and husband, the J. E. Kelleys.

Also visiting with the Childress families were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kelley and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Kelley. They went to Childress Friday and returned home Monday.

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To Kansas

Mrs. Clifford Leake and daughter, Janice, and Mrs. John Wilson went to Wichita, Kansas, last week. They were guests in the home of Mrs. Leake's daughter and husband, S/Sgt. and Mrs. Jack Owens. Mrs. Wilson also visited with her husband's sister, Mrs. Ray Carter, also of Wichita and with other relatives.

In White Home

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gosner and daughter of Clovis visited Sunday evening in the home of his cousin, A. G. White. Also arriving Sunday to visit with White was another cousin, Oscar White, of Woodward, Okla.

In Jones Home

Four generations gathered Thursday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones for Thanksgiving celebration. Those present were Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Callaway; her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Callaway. The Robert Callaways' son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Callaway and son, Billy Wayne, were also present.

Mrs. Potts Is Improving

Mrs. Sallie Potts, who is now staying in the home of her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Potts of Farwell, is reported to be improving. Friends report that she is now out of bed part of each day. Mrs. Potts was released from Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona about two weeks ago.

In Combs Home

Mr. and Mrs. Woody Combs and children of Denver City spent Thanksgiving in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Combs. Also visiting for the day was another son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Combs and family of Amarillo.

To Ballinger

Mr. and Mrs. Don Murphy and children visited several days of last week in Ballinger. They were guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Patton, and also visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Murphy. When the local family returned home, they brought their five-year-old son, Rodney, with them. Rodney has been in Ballinger for the past three weeks visiting with his grandparents.

To Muleshoe

Spending Thanksgiving in Muleshoe Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Elton Venable and children, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Langer and Joe Langer. They were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lawrence Langer and children.

With Brother

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnson and daughter, Linda, visited Thanksgiving in the home of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Shelley of Lubbock. Linda stayed with the Shelleys until Sunday when they brought her home.

To Booker

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Brito spent Thanksgiving in Booker, visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fidel Baca. Also accompanying the Britos were her brothers, Sonny and George.

BOVINA METHODIST NEWS
Rev. W. R. Beard, Pastor

Church School, 9:45 a. m.; public worship, 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; group discussion, Sunday, 6:30 p. m.; official board, Monday, 7:30 p. m.; W.S.C.S., Tuesday, 2:30 p. m.; choir practice, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

Attend the church of your choice next Sunday morning and night. It is important to you!

Christmas Cantata Dec. 16

The choir of the Methodist Church will render a Christmas Cantata Sunday, December 16 at 5:00 p. m. Mrs. E. B. Caldwell is the director and Mrs. John Wilson is the pianist. A complete program will appear in the paper next



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week. Watch for it and make your plans to attend this service.

Thanksgiving Services
The Thanksgiving service at the Methodist Church was a good one. A large group attended and the spirit of the service was excellent. Rev. Virgil Goodwin, pastor of the First Baptist Church, delivered the sermon and Rev. W. R. Beard, Methodist Church pastor, presided at the services.

This type of service will be held each year in the community. Next Thanksgiving, it will be at the Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wright and son were Thanksgiving day guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Davies and children.

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