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WIN DISTRICT CONTEST—Pictured here are five boys who are members of the Lockney Future Farmer Chapter and who made up a team

which won first place in the Junior Farm Demonstration Contest at the District FFA meeting at Tullia recently. They are, left to right, Johnny

Dorman, Gene Applewhite, Bill Sherman, Joe Taylor, Aubrey Cox.

—Photo by H. M. Baggary.

## One More Week Will Complete Cotton Harvest

Local ginners are of the opinion that one more week will complete the cotton harvest in this part of Floyd County, providing the present fair weather prevails.

The three Lockney gins had ginned around 5400 bales up to Wednesday afternoon and the gin yards were crowded with trailers and trucks waiting to be emptied. Farmers have been running their strippers the past week and have been gathering the cotton much faster than the gins could handle it.

However, one more week will see all the cotton in and then when the gins clear their yards the ginning season will be over.

A report from Fred Bell, Bureau of the Census, shows that Floyd County ginned 2849 bales up to November 1 this year as compared with 6217 bales a year ago at the same time.

## Lions Governor Coming



DR. MARSHALL HARVEY

Dr. Marshall Harvey, governor of District 27-1, Lions International, will make his official visit to the Lockney Lions Club on Monday night of next week, December 4, it was announced this week.

Dr. Harvey is a resident of Lubbock and is a doctor of Chiropractic. He has been a member of the Lions Club since 1933 and has a perfect attendance record. He has several honors awarded him because of his outstanding work with the organization.

Lion President Claude Hammond and other members of the local club are seeking a 100 percent attendance during the visit of the governor.

## Perkins Boys Finish Training

Dwight and Terry Perkins, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Perkins of Lockney, have completed their recruit training at the Naval Training Center, San Diego, Calif. Terry boarded ship last Saturday for Japan where he will be assigned to duty. Dwight is scheduled to be shipped to the Philippines at any time, Mrs. Perkins said this week.

## 19 Men In New Induction Call

Nineteen men were included in the latest induction call for men for the armed forces from Selective Service Board No. 45, comprising Floyd, Hale, Motley and Swisher counties. None of the men are from Lockney but one is from Sterley and two from Floydada. They are:

- Daniel Webster Norvell, Route 3, Floydada, Texas
- Jim Garland Wilson, Rt. 1, Floydada, Texas
- John Grady Coe Jr., Box 481, Tullia, Texas
- Ronald Leon Glover, Sterley, Texas
- Howard Warren Davenport, Hart, Texas
- Ross Eugene White, Star Route, Hale Center, Texas
- Julian Burr Carruth, Box 836, Tullia, Texas
- Jack Edgar Wheeler, Tullia, Texas
- Willie Joe Blair, Box 433, Abernathy, Texas
- Arthur Lee Stokes, Route 2, Hale Center, Texas
- Billy Jess Street, Route 1, Kress, Texas
- James Kenneth McCaslin, Rt. 2, Tullia, Texas
- Johnny Cleo Vineyard, Rt. 2, Abernathy, Texas
- Carlton Wayne Timmons, Northfield, Texas
- Frank E. G. Reed, Rt. 1, Box 57, Quitaque, Texas
- Felix Ramirez, Box 133, Roaring Springs, Texas
- J. E. Myers, Rt. 2, Plainview, Texas
- Edward Harold Attebury, Rt. 1, Abernathy, Texas
- William Haskell Shelton, Rt. S, Tullia, Texas.

Attending the services from Lockney were: Ray, Joe and Jim Pinner, Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Rexrode, Mrs. Clyde Sloan, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. McClure, Mr. and Mrs. T. V. McClure, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McClure, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Brown, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Glover, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Tomme, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Tomme, Charlie Tomme, Mrs. J. W. Tomme, Joe Handley, Roy Handley, Murray Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Olin Poteet.

Funeral services were held in the Ralls Church of Christ Tuesday afternoon at 2:30, conducted by H. Hall, minister. Burial was in the Ralls cemetery.

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—Engraving courtesy Plainview Herald-News.

## DR. K. O. CRUM SECURED TO HEAD HOSPITAL

Dr. Kenneth O. Crum of Leonard, Texas, last week signed a contract with directors of the Floyd County Co-operative Hospital here to come to Lockney not later than December 15 to head the staff of the hospital. The local hospital has been without a head physician since the resignation of Dr. R. Foster several weeks ago.

Dr. Crum has been practicing at Leonard the past four years. He is a graduate of Rawlins, Wyoming, high school, Colorado A. & M. College with a bachelor of science degree in Chemistry, a graduate of Baylor Medical School at Dallas in 1943, interned at Denver General Hospital, Denver, Colo., and served 30 months in the Army Medical Corps, all of that time in a general hospital. He was stationed most of that time in France.

Dr. Crum is a member of the American Legion, at present is surgeon for the MK&T railway, is public health officer at Leonard, a member and past-president of the Leonard Lions Club.

Dr. and Mrs. Crum have a 3 1/2 year old son, Kenneth Michael. Dr. Crum is a steward in the Leonard Methodist Church, Mrs. Crum is also a Methodist and is a native of Algonac, Mich.

Dr. Crum told directors of the hospital that he would move here not later than December 10 and would be ready to go to work on December 15. The family will occupy the Ridgeway house on East First Street.

## Leslie Tomme Is Killed In Gin Accident Sunday

Leslie Tomme was killed instantly early Sunday morning when he was drawn into a set of gin blades at a cotton gin near his home at Cone. Mr. Tomme was a former Crosby County commissioner and prominent man in his community.

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## MARKETS

Poultry	
Heavy Hens, 4 lbs. & over	20c
Light Hens, under 4 lbs.	17c
2 pound Fryers, lb.	24c
Cocks, pound	8c
Eggs, No. 1 dozen	43c
Cream	
Butterfat, No. 1, pound	55c
Butterfat, No. 2, pound	53c
Hides	
Hides, No. 1, pound	14c
Grain	
Wheat, per bushel	\$2.00
Milo, per cwt	\$1.60
Cotton	
Spot cotton, Dallas market	42.5
Cotton Seed, 100 grade per ton	\$105.00

## Paper Currency Exhibit At Local Bank Dec. 4-7

A collection of paper currency of the United States dating from colonial times until the present will be on display at the First National Bank in Lockney December 4 through the 7th. M. W. Wiley, president, announced this week.

The exhibit belongs to the Federal Reserve Bank at Dallas and is being loaned to various banks over the area for exhibit purposes.

Included in the exhibit will be Colonial and Continental notes, obsolete bank notes, Treasury notes of the Republic of Texas, Notes of the Confederate States of America, Texas Treasury Warrants (Civil War issue), Postage and fractional currency, United States notes and Treasury notes, Coin notes (payable in coin), Silver certificates, Federal Reserve notes, Federal Reserve bank notes, national bank notes.

The exhibit will be placed in a conspicuous place in the local bank and everyone is welcome to come in and view it. Mr. Wiley said.

Dr. and Mrs. D. R. Foster moved Tuesday of this week to Hale Center where Dr. Foster is working with the hospital.

## Local Masons Are Attending Waco Meeting—School

Kelly Webster, high priest of Lockney Chapter No. 379, Royal Arch Masons, Herman King, secretary and C. L. Anderson left Saturday for Waco where they will attend the Grand School and the Grand Chapter meeting. The men expect to be gone about two weeks.

## B&PW Sponsors Xmas Decoration Contest Here

The Lockney Business & Professional Women's Club announced this week that it would sponsor a Christmas decoration contest for homes in Lockney. The club is offering a first prize of \$15.00 in the contest, second prize of \$10 and \$5.00 for the third prize.

Judges will be out-of-town people, members of the club said, and the various entries will be judged probably about four days before Christmas.

Houses will be judged on the basis of originality, beauty and attractiveness, and the purpose is to offer Lockney people more incentive to decorate their homes for the Christmas season this year.

Entries may be made with Mrs. Estelle Powers.

## Lions To Hold Auction Saturday

The Lockney Lions Club will hold a rummage and auction sale on the lot just south of the Mesa Theatre Saturday. Club officials said this week.

Everything from tooth-picks to a bath tub will be offered for sale, it was said. The rummage sale will start at 9 a. m. and the auction will be held at 2 p. m.

At the close of the sale four guineas with a one dollar bill tied to each fowl's leg will be turned loose. The one who catches the guinea will be allowed to keep both.

Many people are contributing items to be sold Saturday, officials said. Anyone who has an item of value that will contribute to this sale is asked to bring it to Hammond & Company or call 25 and it will be picked up. Proceeds from the sale will be used by the Lions to buy Christmas baskets to help Old Santa fill his orders.

## Large Crowd See New 1951 Ford

Probably 600 people crowded into the "Whitey" Bacus Motor Co. show rooms here Friday and Saturday to view the 1951 Ford on display for the first time.

Doughnuts and coffee were served by the local Ford dealers.

## Patterson Gin Co. Gets Safety Award



Pictured here is Roy E. Patterson of the Patterson Grain Co., Lockney, receiving a Safety Trophy for an outstanding safety record over a three-year period at the company's elevator and two gins here. The trophy was presented on November 27 by W. A. Black of Lubbock, district manager of the Texas Employers' Insurance Association. Others in the background of the picture include, left to right David L. Cox Jr., district safety engineer of the insurance company, Gilbert Bean, a member of Patterson Grain Company, Inc., and

Troy M. Price of Lubbock, also with the insurance company. The organization worked approximately 112,000 man hours during this period with only one lost time injury. This gives them an accident frequency rating of 8.9 (lost time accident per million man hours). The six days A. Black of Lubbock, district manager of the Texas Employers' Insurance Association. Others in the background of the picture include, left to right David L. Cox Jr., district safety engineer of the insurance company, Gilbert Bean, a member of Patterson Grain Company, Inc., and

maintaining tools and equipment in a safe condition, elimination of physical hazards, alert supervisors, are all contributing factors to the safety record, Mr. Patterson thinks. However, he believes that the most important factor has been the attitude of all employees to "get the job done" without recklessness or needless excitement.

Mr. Patterson is president of the company and Mr. Bean is secretary-treasurer.

—Photo by Ash Studio. —Engraving courtesy Plainview Herald-News.

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**Out Officials**  
**Named At District**  
**Meeting Tuesday**

Tinnin of Ralls officially over the duties of district South Plains Council, Boy Scouts of America Tuesday night district meeting held at Ralls Inn, Ralls. New officers for the year 1951 are Tinnin, O. Kemp, Lorenzo, vice-chairman; Joe Long, Spur, vice-chairman; James F. Potts, Floyd, district commissioner and E. Martin, Petersburg, Cub Scout Commissioner.

Tinnin announced men who have been chosen to serve on the district and council operating committees. Among those chosen for committee work were Joe Long, Finance; Dee Copeland, Organization and Extension; C. Crapster, Health and Safety; Ernest P. Sherman, Finance; H. R. Sherman, Organization and Extension were chosen from South Plains.

R. Postma, council executive of Lubbock, explained the present financial campaign being held throughout the twenty counties of the council. "In this year each community of the council is given a chance to help support the council," he said. Postma also told of the Scouters' camp which is to be held at Post December 2nd and 3rd. This is a one day training camp for all scoutmasters, assistants as well as any other leaders. He urged all scouters to attend this camp and to come prepared to rough it. Four scouters from the council, who just recently finished the "Woodcraft" course at Philmont Scout camp in New Mexico will serve as instructors.

There was a discussion of a district master's and cubmaster's meeting to be held once a month on the second Thursday of each month. The first of these meetings will be held at Crosby on the 14th of December. At the meeting of these scouters and cubbers it will be decided where the course will be held the following month.

Jimmy Wilson, retiring district chairman and present council president, made the presentation of lapel pins to each scout present at the meeting.

Towns represented were: Ralls, Floydada, Silvertown, Crosbyton, R. Lorenzo, Petersburg, Dickson, and Lubbock.

The next district meeting will be held in Floydada on the 11th of January, 1951.

**B. Watkins Speaks**  
**At High School PTA**

The Lockney High School Parent-Teacher Association met Monday night, November 27.

A. B. Watkins of Lubbock gave a very interesting talk on "Does Religion Make A Difference?" Mr. Watkins is known quite well around this part of the state and has won several awards as a speaker. He is also assistant manager of Dunlaps in Lubbock.

Mr. Reeves made a talk on consolidation and plans for the December 14 program were discussed. The program will be to raise money for stage remodeling in the City Auditorium.

There were 25 members present.

**Pick Up Canned Goods At Cannery**

Mrs. Sallie Griffith asked The Beacon this week to relay a request to patrons of the local cannery to pick up their canned food which they have left there. Many people have canned their food and left the cans stored at the cannery and some of it is in the way. Mrs. Griffith asked that it be picked up soon.

**Hospital News**

J. C. Howell was admitted November 28 for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mooney are the parents of a baby daughter born November 25.

Barbara Green, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orval Green was admitted November 28 for medical treatment.

Mrs. D. D. Tate received medical treatment November 29.

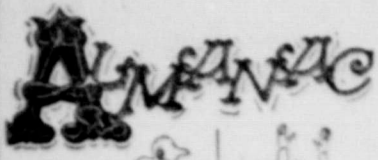
H. C. Reeves was admitted for medical treatment November 28 and dismissed November 29.

Jaunita Flories, baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. Flories is still receiving treatment.



Face powder has brought an end to more single men than gun powder.

A man who serves two masters doesn't necessarily have two employers.



DECEMBER

- Illinois admitted to Union, 1818. Washington's farewell to officers, 1783. Martin Van Buren born, 1792. Irish Free State created, 1921. Japs bomb Pearl Harbor, 1941. Washington crosses the Delaware river, 1776. Birthdays of King Gustavus II of Sweden, John Milton.

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Providence News

By Delores Sammann

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Koese and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kelm of Cameron, Texas were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Boedeker over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Johnson and Ronnie and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mathis and Linda went to White City over the week end, also enjoyed going through Carlsbad Caverns while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shoppa and children of Aiken visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sammann and family on Thursday evening, Canasta was enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Quebe visited friends in Mineral Wells over the week end. Mr. Quebe also attended the Farm Bureau meeting while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Boedeker Mr. and Mrs. Leo Boedeker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Koese and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kelm of Cameron, enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kelm.

Rosa Lee Matthews continues to improve from her recent illness.

Miss Clara Sammann from Seguin College visited with friends and relatives over the week end, returning to Seguin on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Collins of Borger visited in the Providence community last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Johnson and Ronnie, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold McLaughlin and girls visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mathis and Linda on

Saturday evening. Games of Canasta were enjoyed.

Willard Pierce and children of Lockney visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sammann and girls on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Greenbergs and family of Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. E. Karlov's and girls were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Rosentals and girls on Sunday.

Mrs. Walter Sammann and girls visited with Mr. and Mrs. K. Sammann on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Boedeker and Michael of Plainview and Mrs. Vogelvang of Cameron, Texas were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Boedeker last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Boedeker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sammann and family and Miss Clara Sammann of Seguin College all enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner in the home of Mrs. Henry Sammann.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Scheele spent the past week at McGregor and Waco, visiting with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Koese, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kelm of Cameron and Mrs. Albert Kelm, and Mrs. Walter Boedeker were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Boedeker on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sammann and girls spent the week end visiting relatives and friends at Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McLaughlin and family spent Thanksgiving with relatives in Pampa.

Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Anderson and David enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. K. Sammann of Plainview. Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Maeker and boys of Wilson visited with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sammann on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McLaughlin and girls visited with friends in the Whitfield community on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner visited friends in Fort Worth the past week.

Marie Scheele spent the week end as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Faver near Plainview.

Trinity Lutheran Church H. L. Anderson, Pastor L. B. Brandes, S. S. Supt. Albert Scheele, Choir Dir. Mrs. Jack Faver, Organist Saturday, December 2nd: Confirmation instructions at 9 a. m. Sunday, December 3rd: Sunday School at 10 a. m. Worship at 11 a. m. Holy Communion will also be observed.

December 3rd: The Candle Circle will meet this afternoon at 3 p. m. in the Educational Unit with Mrs. Otto Schrieber as hostess. Visitors are always welcome.

Junior Mission Band Meets The Junior Mission Band of Trinity Lutheran Church met for their regular monthly meeting on Saturday, November 25th.

Meeting opened with prayer by Mrs. H. L. Anderson. After the reading of minutes, plans were made by the group of children and teacher to make baskets and fill them with food and other Christmas goodies, and give them to the Salvation Army on Christmas eve, to bring joy to the hearts of them who are in need. Plans were also made to have a Christmas party. This will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sammann on Thursday, December 21 at 7:30 p. m. The group also finished the map of Japan. Members present

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were Barbara Ann Sammann, Focine Boedeker, Delores, Carolyn and Valera Sammann, Eugene Boedeker, Elbert and Jess Wayne Sammann, David Anderson, Debra Jan Brandes, Linda and David Scheele, Arline and Gladys Matthews and Sponsors Mrs. H. L. Anderson and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner.

Quote illustration of a parrot.

"The new fashions are a bare minimum of dress designed to show a bare maximum of girl." —London Opinion.

"Let's have some austerity in government too!" — Claude A. Putnam, NAM president.

"A married couple, is two people who sit in the balcony at a movie because they want to smoke." —Singer Kay Armen.

"The job of keeping business reasonably free—so it can perform the way Americans expect it to perform—is actually part of the war job." — Craig R. Sheaffer, pres., Sheaffer Pen Co.

"I'm not getting married to avoid the draft." —Joseph Zeitler, 80, at his wedding in Chicago.

In your search for riches don't lose the things that money can't buy.

A midwest newspaper heads births, marriages and divorces "Hatched, Matched and Detached."

Insect Damage In Texas More Than 100 Million—Report

Bryan.—Insect damage to the 1950 cotton crop in Texas amounted to approximately \$107,035,000, destroying 11 per cent of the total harvest, according to an unofficial preliminary estimate compiled by the National Cotton Council, George G. Chance, chairman of the Texas unit of the Council, said here today.

"Insects kept approximately 456,000 bales of cotton and an estimated 187,000 tons of cottonseed off the market this year. Based on average prices, this lint would have brought Texas farmers some \$91,119,000 and the seed would have meant an additional profit of \$15,916,000," the Council spokesman said.

"Throughout the Cotton Belt," Mr. Chance said, "an estimated 16.5 per cent of the crop, valued at approximately \$598,565,000 was destroyed. In dollars and cents, losses in 1950 were second highest on record, exceeded only by 1949 when damage amounted to more than \$617 million."

Chairman Chance announced that the National Cotton Council will hold the fourth annual Cotton Insect Control Conference in Memphis, December 7-8, to discuss insect damage in Texas and

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other Cotton Belt states. This conference at the Hotel Peabody will bring together state and federal entomologists, representatives of the insecticide industry, agricultural education workers, and cotton industry leaders to plan an integrated program of cotton insect control for 1951.

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 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday  
 after the expiration of 42 days  
 from the date of issuance of this  
 writ, the same being Monday  
 the 11th day of January, A. D.  
 1951, at or before 10 o'clock A.  
 M. in the Honorable District  
 Court of Floyd County, Texas,  
 at the House in Floydada, Texas.  
 The plaintiff's petition was  
 filed on the 22nd day of Novem-  
 ber, 1950.  
 The file number of said suit  
 is No. 3922.  
 The names of the parties in  
 said suit are: Adda Laura So-  
 as Plaintiff, and Edward  
 Bryant and wife, Minnie N.  
 Bryant, and Minnie M. Bryant,  
 their legal repre-  
 sentatives, as Defendants.  
 The nature of said suit being  
 essentially as follows, to wit:  
 To try title by plain-  
 tiff against defendants and for  
 fees on Section 24, Block  
 Certificate No. 4/531, GO&SF  
 Co., Floyd County, Texas,  
 containing 666.1 acres of  
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 This Citation is not served  
 in 90 days after the date of  
 issuance, it shall be returned  
 and this the 22nd day of  
 November A. D., 1950.  
 I, \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk of  
 said Court, at office in  
 Floydada, Texas, this the 22nd  
 day of November A. D., 1950.  
 My L. McPherson, Clerk, Dis-  
 trict Court, Floyd County, Texas,  
 13-4tc.

### Sterley News

by Mrs. M. A. Boone

(Delayed from last week)  
Mrs. L. A. Claborn is visiting this week in Boulder, Colorado with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Claborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bert Bobbitt attended a football game in Abilene Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Allen moved this week from Hart to Sterley. He will be employed on the F. W. and Denver railroad.

Miss Bonita Glover of Plainview visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Glover Sunday.

Mrs. J. H. Ginn of Floydada is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Johnston.

Amos Nelson who formerly lived at Sterley lost nearly all of his right hand in a gin accident Friday at Anton.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Howell accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Boone carried Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Nelson to the Littlefield hospital Friday night to be at the bedside of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson returned home Sunday and they reported that their son was doing as well as could be expected.

The Sterley Home Demonstration Club met in its regular meeting Thursday with Mrs. Joe Reeves and Huey Davidson as hostesses. Miss Petty gave a demonstration on milk deserts. Refreshments were served to fifteen members and Miss Petty.

Visitors in the W. B. Mitchell home over the week end were E. L. Mitchell and family of Shamrock.

Elmo Reeves and family visited in the J. W. Foster home Sunday night.

Lester Rivers of Parnell is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Divers this week.

Mrs. A. S. Martin and son, Albert of Quanah visited friends in Sterley Thursday.

If you keep your promises and pay your bills as due, you're just as good a financial risk as the millionaire.



Distinctive new styling of both front and rear of the new 1951 Fords is shown in this photo of the Convertible and the Custom Club Coupe. The dual-spinner grille and longer, wrap-around bumpers give the front end a wider, more massive appearance and additional chrome and wider tail lights add to the rear end appearance. The 1951 models feature Fordomatic Drive, the new automatic transmission, as optional equipment.

### Dairyman's Short Course Dec. 7-8

College Station. —Texas dairymen who are interested in helping build up the dairy industry of the state will find it profitable to attend the annual Dairyman's Short Course scheduled for December 7 and 8 at College Station.

All meetings in connection with the short course will be held in the new Memorial Student Center building. The dairy husbandry department of the Texas A. & M. College System is sponsoring the short course.

R. E. Burleson, associate extension dairy husbandman, says the subjects listed for discussion on the program are all of practical value to the dairyman.

They include such topics as "How Much Dividends Did Each Cow Pay You on Her Feed Last Year"; "The Value of Parasite Control in Dairy Cattle"; "A Milking Procedure and a Mastitis Control Program"; "Forage Production Program for the Dairy Herd"; "Roughage or the Principal Meal for the Dairy Cow"; and other subjects.

Doctors are so busy nowadays that lots of people get well before the date of the appointment arrives.

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### Twenty-Five Techsans Named On Who's Who

Lubbock. — Twenty-five students at Texas Technological College have been named for inclusion in Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities. Qualifications include scholar-

ship, character, leadership and contribution to student life. Among the honored Techsans are Charles Beedy, senior agriculture major from South Plains.

### TECH FOURTH IN ENROLLMENT

Lubbock.—Figures just released show that Texas Technological College is the fourth largest

college in Texas.

Ahead of 35 other colleges, Texas Tech follows Texas University, the University of Houston and Texas A. & M. in that order.

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The Commission on Reorganization found that red tape designed to prevent political dismissals makes it extremely difficult to fire an incompetent or superfluous worker under Federal employment. Too many head bureaucrats believe that their pay and prestige will be cut if their staffs are reduced, and visa versa. Hence they resort to what is commonly called "empire building".

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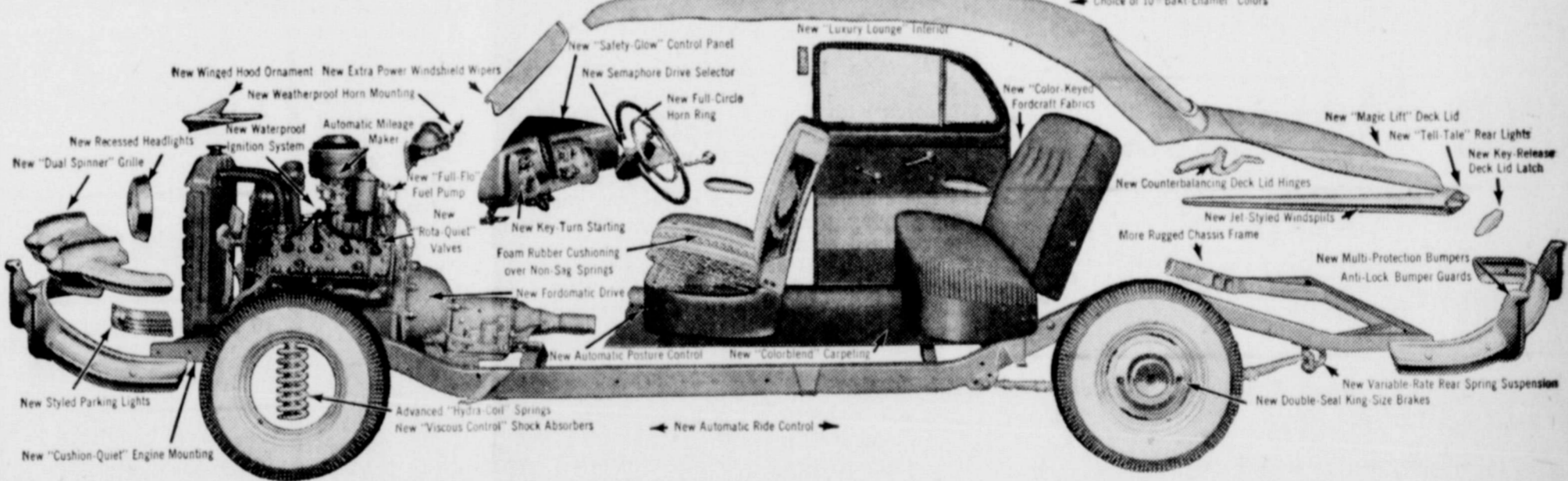
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# Society News

## Gordon McAda And Mrs. Lewis Harston Honored With Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. McAda entertained Sunday with a Birthday dinner honoring their son, Gordon Derrell, and his aunt, Mrs. Lewis Harston.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Arnes, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Arnes and son, John Carl of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Brand and Larry, Mr. and Mrs. Aldine Williams and daughter, Linda, and Miss Delois Huckabee of Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Sanders and children, Joe and Eulalia, Mr. and Mrs. Hansel Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Huckabee and Judy, James Huckabee and Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Reeves, Shirley and Douglas of South Plains, Mr. Alfred Gordon, Edd Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Foster, Jeanne, Lewis and J. D. of Sterley.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Morris and Wesley of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Harston, Bobby Gene and Patsy Sue, Mr. and Mrs. Hurshel Wayne Harston of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Johnston, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Clint and Bobby Griffith of Lockney.

## B&PW Club Has Thanksgiving Dinner

The Business and Professional Women's Club met Tuesday November 21 in the Hotel dining room for a Thanksgiving Dinner.

The Finance Committee was in charge of the decorations and program. The table was decorated with a money tree and the place cards were checks payable to each member.

The club voted to sponsor a Christmas Decoration Contest for the homes in Lockney, and three cash prizes will be awarded. The club also discussed sponsoring a Girl Scout Troop in Lockney and to do some investigating on the organization of different troops. The ladies who were named to serve on this committee are Mrs. Ellen Wiley, Mrs. LaVerna Brunner and Mrs. Edell Sams.

Mrs. Ada Bailey gave an interesting report on the District Convention held in Hereford.

Members present were: Wilma Brown, Wanda Baker, Ada Bailey, June Bybee, Tandy Hargis, Frances O'Hearn, Estelle Powers, Edell Sams, Lena Faye Sweatt, and Ellen Wiley.

## Fairview Ladies Organize Club

The Fairview Home Demonstration Club was organized Tuesday afternoon of last week at the home of Mrs. E. W. Walls. The following officers were elected to serve for the coming year: President, Mrs. E. W. Walls; Vice president, Mrs. Galen Holland; Secretary, Mrs. Walton Wilson. Also elected were Mrs. Truman Perry, Council Delegate; and Mrs. C. W. Payne, reporter. Miss Leila Petty, County Home Demonstration Agent, assisted with the organization.

It was decided to meet the second and fourth Monday of each month. A meeting will be held at 2:30 on Monday afternoon, December 11, at the home of Mrs. J. Wilson. Miss Petty will give a demonstration. Others interested are invited to attend this meeting.

After the organization of the club, Miss Petty showed slide pictures of yards over the county.

The hostess served refreshments to the following: Mmes. Joe Wilson, Clifford Helms, Gene Hopper, Walton Wilson, F. C. Fawver, Edell DuBois, Galen Holland, C. W. Payne, Lee W. Burton, S. D. Kinnibrugh, S. W. Irwin, T. L. Perry, Clyde Bagwell and Miss Petty.

## B. Wayne Webster Has Birthday Party

Mrs. R. V. Webster honored her little son, Bobby Wayne on his second birthday Wednesday afternoon, November 22, with a birthday party.

Games were played and cake and ice cream were served to the following children: Gail Johnston, Vickie Teuton, Oran Watson, Elaine Mosley, Larry Mitchell, Trudy Jarrett, Carol Davis, and Mike Childers.

## Mrs. McClain Hostess To Priscella Class

The Priscella Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church met for their business and social meeting Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Wayne McClain.

The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mrs. E. J. Cobb. The group was entertained by Mrs. G. C. Applegate who gave two readings.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. Tom Moore Arthur Jolly, Thurman Thomas, N. M. Caldwell, Frances Rich, Wayne McClain, Weldon Cumbie, Don Murphy, John Parker, E. J. Cobb, Thomas Marr, Rhea Mitchell, G. C. Applegate, J. C. Thomas Jr. and Horace Jones.

## Donna Lyn Record Honored On Birthday

Donna Lyn Record, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Record, was honored with a party on her fourth birthday in the home of Mrs. Delbur Rose Saturday morning, November 25.

The children spent the morning playing games and listening to recorded stories.

The table was decorated with a centerpiece of Santa Claus and his reindeer. The cake was decorated with plastic reindeer.

Those present were: Linda Nell Weather, Janie Rhodes, Diana Allison, Lynn and Dub Goodwin, Clare Schacht, Bobby and Kenneth Holt, Randy Bacus, Joe Dean Hammond, Richard and Larry Cook, and Jane Rose.

Mothers present were: Mmes. Newton Goodwin, Tommie Weathers, Kenneth Cook, C. H. Rose, Delbert Rose and Charles L. Record.

Those sending gifts were: Jerry Rose, Cheri Crapster, Paul Barker, Bob and Paulette Kropp, Polly Sue Gilbert, Lynda Gayle Harris, Mrs. W. E. Sims, Mrs. G. C. Fairry, and Mrs. A. W. Waeker.



**TWO-IN-ONE**  
This smart, tailored cotton raincoat is a two-in-one fashion, reversing to become a coat of a different color. The cotton fabric is Zelan treated to give protection from rain and snow, the National Lotion Council reports.

## M. Y. F. A. Elects New Officers

The M. Y. F. A. Youth Organization of the Lockney Methodist Church met last Sunday and elected new officers for the coming year. The organization plans to do helpful work in the community and spread the Christmas spirit. They also plan to learn more about the Bible and the doctrines of the church. Recreation will be stressed and regular socials will be held.

Officers elected were: President, Norton Baker; Vice President, Phil Daniel; Secretary, June Wiley; Chairman of Community Service, Joe Taylor; Chairman of Missions, Jayne Alldredge; Chairman of Recreation, Alfred Smith; Chairman of Worship, Harleen Workman; and Reporter, Patsy Pierce.

## Aiken WMS Meets With Mrs. Ooley

The W. M. S. of the First Baptist Church of Aiken, met in the home of Mrs. Clyce Ooley, Wednesday afternoon, November 15.

The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mrs. Ooley. Mrs. J. M. Tye presided over the business discussion at which time Mrs. L. T. Cox was appointed as Bible Study Leader.

Mrs. L. T. Cox gave the Bible Study from the eighth chapter of Genesis through the twenty-eighth chapter of Exodus. The meeting adjourned with the group singing "Jesus Is Mine."

Refreshments were served to: Mmes. W. J. Lee, R. C. Rogers, La Due Glenn, Tommy Duval, L. T. Cox, O. J. Welch, J. M. Tye, Henry Moore, Vernon Campbell and the hostess Clyce Ooley.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. J. M. Tye on December 13. The program will be "The Lottie Moon Christmas program."

## Thanksgiving Dinner At Aiken Church

The members of the Aiken Baptist Church were entertained with a Thanksgiving Buffet Dinner, Tuesday night, November 21, in the recreation room of the church. The Thanksgiving theme was carried out in the table decorations. The Horn of Plenty and floral arrangements centered the main table.

Following the dinner, Reverend O. J. Welch read the one hundredth Psalm and gave a short talk on Being Thankful.

Approximately one hundred guests attended.

## Music Students Of Mrs. Record Will Present Program

Music students of Mrs. Charles L. Record will present a musical program Tuesday night, December 5 at 7:30 in the City Auditorium. The program will include piano, piano accordion, and vocal numbers.

Students who will appear on the program are: Patsy Ashton, Patsy Mae Anderson, Darla Allison, Ann Brown, Frances Dunavant, Peggy and Mary Kathryn Ford, Carol Ann Foster, Patsy Fortenberry, Joan Harris, Lynda Gayle Harris, David Hartman, Evelyn Hooten, David Howell, Rita Sue Johnson, Nita Kellison, Paulette Kropp, Patsy Martin, Sandra Sue Myers, Loretta Peugh, Melvin Peugh, Charlotte Ann Ragle, Jane Karen Rhodes, Oddie Maye Rogers, Sandra Smith, Jimmie Dee Smith, Jovonne Taylor, Sid B. Thomas, Nell Wells, Patty Jo Wilkes and Janice Widener.

## Cox Reunion Held In Martin Home

The E. C. Cox family held a reunion Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pepper Martin of Hart.

Those attending were: E. C. Cox of San Bernando, California, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Cox of Santa Rosa, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Schwartz and Peggy of Winters, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Cox,

Ray, Doyle and Elaine of Hereford, Loyilla Cox of Tullia, Mr. and Mrs. Johns Cox, Nova and Wanda of Lockney, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Whitful and Judy of Edmondson, Mr. and Mrs. Byrd Cox of Hart, Marlin Anderson of Lockney and Tom Davis of Tullia.

Afternoon visitors were: Mr. and Mrs. Arno Cox and Nancy of Hobbs, New Mexico.

One daughter, Mrs. Tom Davis of Tullia was unable to be present.

## Mary Martha Class Has Party At Mrs. Jones

Mrs. Horace Jones entertained the girls of her Sunday School class, the Mary Martha Class, of the First Baptist Church with a party Tuesday evening, November 28.

Games were played and refreshments were enjoyed. Those present were: Roylene Dunavant, Bettye Vernon, Lawana Hamilton, Jonnie Mac Bonner, Mary Griffith, Pat Poteet and the hostess, Mrs. Horace Jones and Tarry Lynn.

## Mrs. McGhee Leader Of Health Program

Mrs. Ben McGhee was leader of a program on "Health" at a meeting of the La Ventana Study Club at the home of Mrs. C. H. Huffman Tuesday afternoon, Mrs.

Cloris King assisted on the program discussing "You are more important than you think."

Mrs. A. H. Suiter brought federation news and Mrs. Bob Smith brought a "Bit of Christmas" showing colored slide pictures of her children.

There were nine members present.

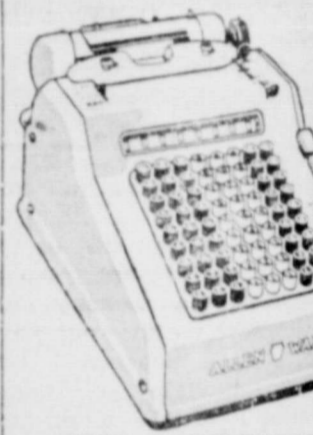
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**Cause Of Sinus Given By Cox**

Austin—Among the most frequent causes of sinus trouble are infections of the nose and throat like the common cold, influenza, measles, scarlet fever, whooping cough, and diphtheria, says Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. Exposure and chilling of the skin, poor diet, fatigue, allergies, infected teeth or tonsils, enlarged adenoids or other nasal obstructions also may cause sinus infection.

Blowing the nose violently, diving or swimming with the nose under water may force infectious material into the sinuses. Frequent use of sprays, oils and antiseptics in the nose may injure the mucous membrane and bring on sinus infection.

General resistance to sinus infection can be built up by observing the rules for good physical and mental health. Get plenty of rest, good food and exercise. Protect your body from sudden changes in temperature and from exposure to extreme cold or heat. Don't expose yourself to infections, since colds and other infections of nose, throat and chest are often forerunners of sinus trouble.

Rest in bed and medical care for respiratory ailments are wise precautions against complications.

A stuffy nose is not necessarily a symptom of sinus infection; he may give you medicines to relieve the situation. But you should use nose drops, inhalants and salves only if your doctor recommends them.

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**Improvement Of Pasture Pays**

College Station. — Profitable returns is the idea being stressed in the pasture improvement investigations that are now being conducted by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, says Dr. R. C. Potts, associate professor of agronomy in charge of forage investigations.

Recent experiments show that pastures produce as much livestock feed per acre as high yielding corn or sorghums on comparable land, according to Dr. Potts. He says that improved pastures produce total digestible nutrients equal to a 75 or 80 bushels per acre corn crop. On irrigated land, as far as cash income is concerned, pastures compare favorably with cotton.

Studies of comparative costs show that the cost of 100 pounds of digestible nutrients from pastures is \$1.26; from hay, \$1.74; from silage, \$2.07; and from concentrates, \$4.23. Dr. Potts points out also that the return per man hour of labor is much higher than from cultivated crops—six times as much as from corn and nine times as much as from oats.

Dr. Potts states that success in today's improved pasture programs depends upon the use of correct pasture plants. The new deeprooted grasses and legumes recently selected show much promise. Madrid clover, one of the most important of these, is valuable for fall to spring grazing in Texas if it is combined with oats.

Bur-clovers, crimson clover, white clover, perennial lespedeza, and new introductions such as coastal Bermuda hold special promise for pastures in Texas. Even Johnson grass, traditional scourge of the cotton fields, is a good pasture plant when combined with certain legumes and properly fertilized and managed.

Planting shotgun mixtures of 15 to 20 grasses and legumes at high seeding rates, hoping to obtain a stand of the suitable plants, is a poor practice, says Dr. Potts. He says that simple mixtures, usually one grass and one legume, are all that are necessary to do the job. Specific information regarding suitable pasture mixtures are available through the local county agent's office and other farm agencies.

Dr. Potts adds that plenty of fertilizer is another must for productive pastures. Large initial applications may be necessary to insure good stands of the desirable pasture plants. Additional applications will also be needed after the pasture is established to replace nutrients removed from the soil.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Nigh visited last week in Brownwood, Austin, San Antonio and other points in South Texas.

Watch your expiration date.

**SERIOUSLY ILL**

J. M. Jeffcoat is very seriously ill at his home here and it is not expected that he will survive long. Relatives from East Texas and other places have been here visiting him.

**NEW ARRIVAL**

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Spears are announcing the arrival of a daughter November 24th at the Hale County Co-operative Hospital in Hale Center. The young lady has been named Janis Diane and weighed seven pounds and 14 ounces. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Spears of Lockney.

**CARD OF THANKS**

I wish to express my sincere thanks to all my friends and acquaintances for the flowers, cards and all the nice things they did for me during my illness.

Mrs. Sula Julian.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Eiland the past week end included Mrs. Florence Hastings of Artesia, Mrs. Ida Clayton of Melrose, N. M., Mrs. May Cooper and Eugene of Stratford, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Messimer, Clarence and Ledell Colvin visited Mr. and Mrs. Gene Reynolds in Rotan, Texas Sunday. Charlene Messimer returned home with her parents after a short visit in the Reynolds' home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Eiland left this week for an extended visit with relatives at Corpus Christi.

Mrs. R. E. L. Stutts visited this week with relatives at Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Ellison and Mrs. Lois Brooks of Killeen visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Spence last week.

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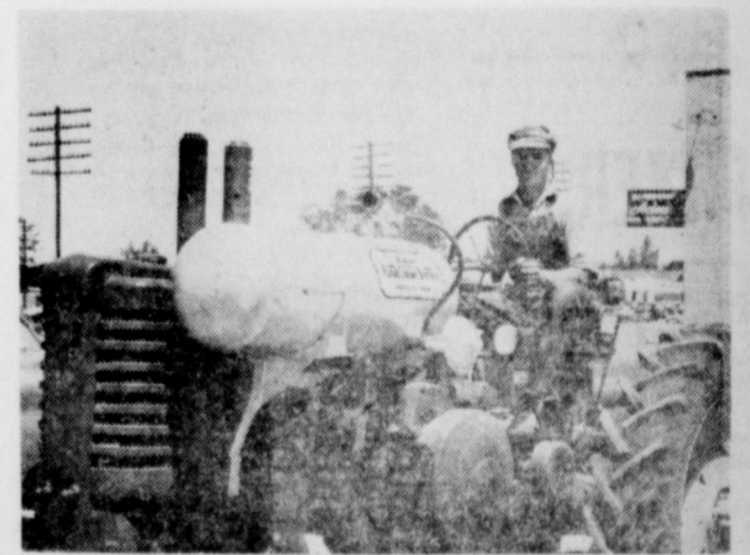
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### EDITORIALS

Though I speak with the tongues of men and angels and have not charity, I am become as sounding brass or a tinkling cymbal.—I Cor. 13-1.

The act of walking out at the United Nations meetings by the Russian representatives whenever some matter is presented to which they hold contrary views is consistent with all of Russia's other acts. Russia not only holds that it is impossible for her to ever be in the wrong, but also that she is unwilling to hear the truth for fear it might show up

the fallacy of her position. Nothing is ever accomplished by turning the back and walking away from the truth.

A garden authority says that parsnips should be left in the ground until spring. A local man who doesn't like parsnips insists that the period in the sentence should be moved back two words.

Draft the women and if necessary teach them to shoot, a feminist urges. Our reading of the news reports fails to disclose any necessity for instructions in shooting. Every few days we read of the irate blond who put five holes through her boy friends solar plexus, after everything turned black. If some way could be devised to keep them from blacking out there is no telling what the shooting score would be. One always shoots better when he can see what he is shooting at.

A local girl paid a fortune teller a quarter to learn that one of her girl friends she trusts is trying to steal her man. The girl says the fortune teller doesn't know what she is talking about, since when it comes to her boy friends she has no girl friends she trusts.

You may have trouble hitting the driveway at home at eight miles to the hour but every day some one hits the pearly gates while doing eighty miles an hour.

Everyone who succeeds in this world has to have a certain amount of discipline. If they don't get it at home when they are young they have to get it after they are grown up and get out in the world. The fact that parents fail to exact discipline it does not follow that the boy or girl will escape it. They will get it later when the getting is much harder.

### PUNCTURING THE BALLOON



before the Wright brothers' invention.—Trail Dust in Matador Tribune.

### PASTOR VOTES "YES!"

Back from a world tour during which he saw with his own eyes countless evidences of Communist aggression against this country, the Rev. Dr. W. A. Criswell, pastor of the First Baptist church of Dallas, surprised his congregation last Sunday by coming out, aggressively, in favor of Universal Military Training.

Pointing out that his present position in regard to UMT is "a complete reversal of a lifetime opposition" to all militarism, Doctor Criswell told his audience of 4,000 that "America has no other choice than to arm herself against the enemies who seek her blood and the destruction of her life."

The pastor of one of the world's largest churches (membership, 9,000), Doctor Criswell minced no words. He outlined the world-wide assault against American freedom by Russia and cooperating Communist groups and countries. His sermon was such a complete departure from Doctor Criswell's former stand, as well as that of many other prominent churchmen, that the Dallas News reported his remarks on its front page and at column-length.

Doctor Criswell's change of opinion is as important as it was surprising to Dallas press and public. Furthermore, it is reassuring. It proves that even those who have opposed American preparedness in the past are realizing that failure to set up the strongest defenses possible can result only in an invitation to an aggressor to take us over.

We salute Doctor Criswell for his courage in publicly outlining his change of opinion and for explaining it clearly and without equivocation. As will many others, we respect his clear thinking, commend his sincerity of purpose. With him we hope others, too, will see the light. As Doctor Criswell put it, we have no other choice than to be strong.—Lubbock Avalanche.

Some of our politicians have discovered that they built their fences so high they can't get over them.

### With Our EXCHANGES

#### MAY NOT LIKE IT

The Russians plan to use the Chinese mainland as a base for aggression and China's 400,000,000 people as tools of aggression, according to President Chiang Kaishek, who says that large numbers of Russians have taken control of harbors, airfields, railways and mines in China.

No one with an eye to the future can deny that the possible result of Soviet-Chinese cooperation might be what the Nationalist leaders says. Certainly, if the Communists manage to acquire control of China, they can enslave most of the population and draw millions of the able-bodied men into the army for fighting or for use as laborers.

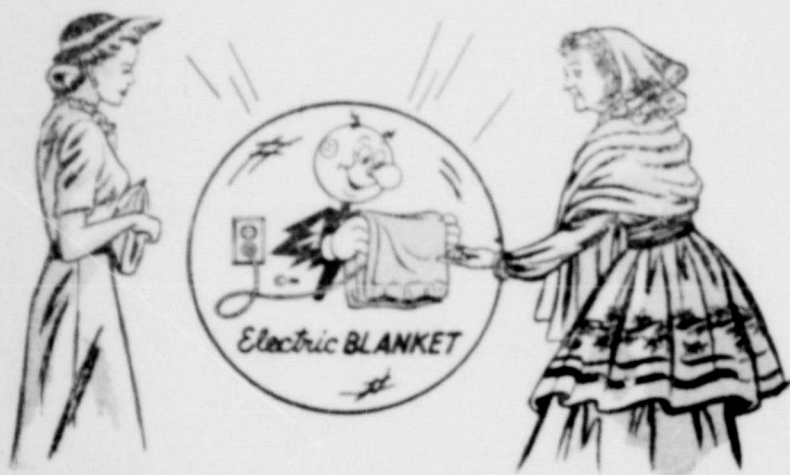
While recognizing that this possibility exists and that the low standard of living makes it easy for the Chinese people to be victimized by propaganda, there is no present need for great excitement.

One must recall, in order to get a balanced view of the world situation, that there is a deep-seated enmity between the Chinese people and the Russians. The steady encroachment of Russia in Manchuria, Mongolia and other areas creates an issue that develops bad feeling between the two peoples. The possibility exists that this will be a deciding factor in the degree of cooperation that may develop.—Hereford Brand.

### COURTESY PAYS

There is something pathetic about a passenger train crawling through the hills beneath the shadow of a speeding plane. It is like the soul of a giant leaving the still-living body. Monarchs of the railroad empires lost sight of a mighty and precious commodity when they ignored the natural, human desire for courtesy. The air lines must value it second only to speed and are constantly seeking new ways to bring comfort and convenience to their customers. It is common practice for air lines to secure hotel accommodations for passengers, to serve gratis meals aloft and to remove the nuisance of tipping. Sunday afternoon a friend in Laredo asked the airport ticket agent to notify his wife by airline teletype that he would arrive in Houston on the scheduled plane and to meet him. The service was rendered graciously and without charge. The railroads lost more than speed to air travel, they lost courtesy; a proven success long

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T. Z. Reed made the rounds in Motley Co. last week. Crops are good and prospects fine in the country below, he says.

At the close of ginning Tuesday evening 506 bales of cotton had been ginned.

T. S. Thagard returned Wednesday from Clarendon where he had been visiting C. W. Thagard and family for about two weeks.

Homer Howard is preparing to make marked improvements in the post office, among which will be sixty new lock boxes.

Misses Mary Dial and Vivian Norris, of Lockney visited Miss Ethel Holmes Sunday and returned home the same day.

E. M. Randolph and Henry Thagard, last week went down into Dickens county and hunted

quail. They killed plenty of the feathery creatures, and can relate some mighty scary tales about being lost and shooting up a Mexican camp, though they don't swear to it all.

January 31, 1915

John Levesay has been mustered out of service and returned to Lockney. John has been fighting for the government.

V. N. Dillard left the first of the week for the Ranger oil fields.

Mrs. T. D. H. Whitaker left last Saturday for Jackson county in response to a message stating that her brother was seriously ill with pneumonia.

M. J. M. Watson received painful injuries Tuesday afternoon at the Lockney Coal and Grain Elevator when he got one of his hands caught in a belt. The finger nails on the hand were mashed off and the fingers otherwise bruised and injured.

Roy Turner has been mustered out of service and is back home. He trained at Kelley Field in the Aviation.

Lee Wofford left this week for Wichita Falls where he will engage in oil work.

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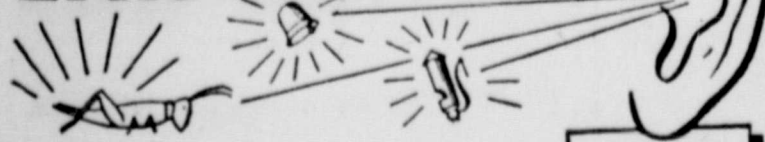
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Austin. — Quail hunters in most of the state may look forward to improved quail hunting this fall, states the Executive Secretary of the Game, Fish and Oyster Commission.

The quail hunting season for the state is from December 1 through January 16, both days inclusive, with a bag limit of twelve per day or thirty-six per week. However, in the twenty-eight county area of the Panhandle, only ten birds per day may be taken with a possession limit of twenty. West of the Pecos the season is open only during December and the daily bag limit is twelve, with not more than twenty-four in possession. There is no open season on Mearns quail.

The Executive Secretary explains that many countries have special quail laws and urges hunters to check the local regulations before they go hunting.

Wildlife biologists of the Game Department are conducting studies of quail populations through examination of quail wings again this year. The Executive Secretary requests hunters to cooperate in this work by sending one wing from each bird they kill to the Game, Fish and Oyster Commission at Austin. A study of quail wings will show the percent of young birds and indicate the production and survival for the year.

To facilitate mailing of wing collections, the Game Commission will supply special business reply envelopes on request. These provide space for recording pertinent data and require no postage from the hunter. The active help of hunting clubs and other groups is being solicited.

It is essential that wings from cocks and hens be placed in separate envelopes but any number of wings from birds of the same sex may be placed together. Only one wing from each bird should be saved. Date and county of collection are also necessary. If official envelopes are not at hand, any kind of paper sack will suffice if properly labeled.

One further bit of information is requested. In order to compare quail populations in different parts of the state, a place on the wing envelopes will be shown for recording the number of coverts found per day of hunting. The Executive Secretary states that this will also add to the picture of the state quail situation.

**Don't Overdo Cotton  
Planting — Merrill**

Fort Worth.—Louis P. Merrill, regional head of the Soil Conservation Service, has some timely suggestions for farmers who are considering expansion of their cotton acreage in 1951. Merrill fears that some farmers, with the lifting of government cotton restrictions, may undo much of the good conservation work they have accomplished unless they choose their cotton land wisely and take steps to protect it.

Here are Merrill's recommendations for the farmer planning to increase his cotton acreage. First, put cotton only on land that is suited to cotton. Cotton land should be productive enough for a profitable yield and not easily eroded. Second, think it over before plowing up good stands of grass. Farmers often net more from grass than from cotton, especially when they make full use of opportunities for grazing and seed harvesting.

In most areas, information on land suited to cotton is available, Merrill said. Landowners can make use of the help that soil conservation districts can give them in deciding what land can produce cotton profitably and without damage. In the Plains areas of Texas and Oklahoma, nearly 5 million acres of land now being cultivated are too shallow or unstable for cotton, a crop offering almost no resistance to the forces of erosion.

It is seldom wise to follow cotton with another crop of cotton, Merrill pointed out. However, when it is done, a legume cover between crops of cotton will help to control erosion, increase productivity and reduce cotton root rot.

Farmers have been getting more grass-conscious in recent years, the regional director said. More than 250,000 acres have been put in native grasses alone in Oklahoma and Texas during the last two years and still additional acreage is introduced grasses. On nearly all of this land grass for livestock is the

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safest and most profitable use, and to plow up such plantings with the questionable prospect of a high cotton yield would be poor business, Merrill added.

Several grasses fit in well with rotations that include cotton, Merrill said. Some of these grasses are blue panicum, weeping and sand lovegrass and King Ranch bluestem.

Merrill also urges that farmers keep in mind the other practices that are useful in conservation farming. Planting cotton in alternate strips with tall-growing crops such as grain sorghums is essential in helping to control wind erosion in sandy lands. Stubble mulching, contour cultivation and terracing help conserve moisture and prevent erosion.

Soil conservation districts can help farmers needing assistance in making decisions on what lands to plant to cotton and on how to use these lands to best advantage, Merrill said.

Next time misfortune strikes, remember that the dog who lost his tail has one consolation. He holds no fear of tin cans.

Then there's the young bride who asked if she should buy the gravy from the grocer or the butcher.

There is no advantage in waiting until tomorrow, because there will be no more time tomorrow than there is today.

**Bluestem Good Grass  
For Dry Areas**

College Station.—King Ranch bluestem grass stands droughty conditions well because it is a deep rooted plant. This is the conclusion arrived at by Felix Meier of Gillespie county.

C. A. Stone, county agent of Gillespie county, reports that Meier planted K. R. bluestem on his ranch three years ago. He scattered the seed by hand on open ground, along diversion terraces, and down in draws. A few of the seed sprouted and the plants made seed the following summer.

In September of this year, lots of small seedlings could be found in the seeded areas, and

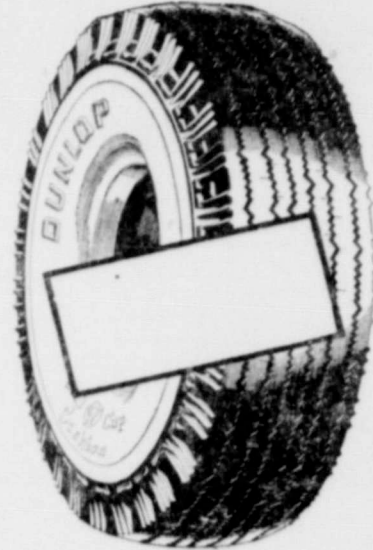
several of the old plants were in full seed. Meier says he also found that K. R. bluestem produces seed three times a year.

Many of the plants on Meier's ranch produced their seed with the seed stalk flat on the ground, because cattle, deer and sheep kept nibbling on the green forage all during the spring and summer. A. H. Walker, range specialist for the Texas A. & M. Extension Service, says that this is characteristic of K. R. bluestem. It will produce seed under very heavy grazing conditions.

However, Walker points out that K. R. bluestem, like all grasses, does better when it is not continuously and closely grazed.

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**Polio Care Prospects Prompt Texas Thanks**

Austin. — Texans, noted for their traditional ability to make their own way, got a new challenge this week along with their Thanksgiving greetings.

A Texas woman brought home word from an Eastern meeting stating, in effect, that hope for finding means of avoiding polio and for curing victims hinges on public support of current research.

The woman, Mrs. R. O. Pearson of Abilene, also relayed the cheering news from a March of Dimes organization meeting in New York City, that better diagnosis and treatment of polio has cut down distortions so that "terrific wrecks of children" rarely are seen today.

Mrs. Pearson, who is State Advisor on Women's Activities for the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, said the most promising development in polio research is the possibility of a preventive vaccine.

"Such a vaccine has been used successfully on experimental animals," said Mrs. Pearson.

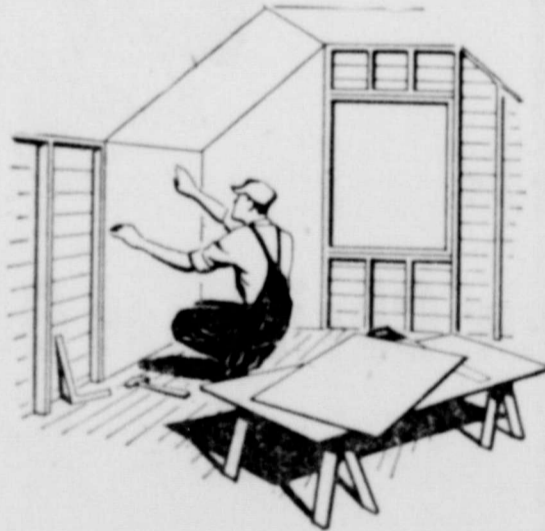
"but it remains to be discovered just how many types of polio virus there are and which persons are not already immune and need to be immunized."

The Texas woman predicted the answer would be found "in the long run," but emphasized the outcome depends in part on the willingness of Texans to face their research financing obligations. Texas, one of the hard hit states from a polio viewpoint, has had to depend greatly on National Foundation funds and equipment because of a poor state financial showing.

The great need for support of patient care and research projects will be explained first hand to Texans December 11 when Basil O'Connor of New York City, president of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, addresses a state conference in Austin. The rally will emphasize the 1951 March of Dimes January 15 to 31.

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Most American Cartridges get the main portion of their name from the bore diameter of the barrel given in hundredths of an inch. For example, we have the various .25, .30 and .35 calibers, such as the .25 Remington, .35 Winchester and so on. Within the past 30 years there has been a growing tendency to follow the English system and use Thousandths of an inch, which gives us the .270 and the .250. In black powder days it was the fashion to name cartridges by giving the bore diameter followed by the number of grains of powder as a second figure and sometimes by the weight of the bullet as a third. Thus we have the 32-40 or 32-40-165; the 45-70-405 cartridges which were developed in the early days of smokeless powder often followed that system—the 30-30, 25-35, 30-40.

Continental cartridges are named for the Millimeter system, and one millimeter is equal to .0394 inch. Thus the 6.5 MM is a .256, and the 7.62 a .30, and the 9 MM a .35. The 7 MM is about a .28 and the 8 MM approximately a .32. Sometimes the Europeans, to distinguish various cartridges, add the case length such as 7x57, the common "Spanish" 7 MM Mauser as loaded in this country. Some cartridges are named not for their bore diameter but for their groove diameter. The .257 Roberts is a conventional .25 calibre, but was given the name .257 so it would not be confused with the .25 Remington 250-300, and so on. The .348 Winchester is a .34. Some cartridges—don't ask why—are deliberately misnamed. The whole line of .38 pistol and revolver cartridges are really .35's with a groove diameter of .357. The .357 S and W magnum is the only .38 that sails under its

true colors. Further to distinguish them, some cartridges have various names and data added. The 3000 on the name of the Savage 250-3000 means that the original 87-grain bullet traveled at 3000 foot seconds. The Roberts on the .257 Roberts means the cartridge was developed by N. H. Roberts. The 06 on 30-06 means the cartridge was adopted in 1906. The 30-40 is called at various times the .30 Army, the 30 U. S. as well as the 30-40. Most .22's run in bore diameter from .216

to .219, but the only ones that are named from the bore diameter are the 218 Bee and the .219 Zipper—and that because of the many high speed .22's floating around.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Griffith and Reverend and Mrs. Marvin Brotherton of Matador spent Thanksgiving in Greenville with Mrs. Adelle Bickley and Mr. and Mrs. John Bickley and in Greggton with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brotherton and family.



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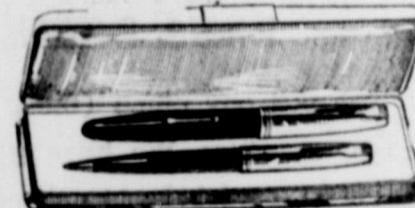
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**Lone Star News**  
By Mrs. Harold Griffith

School was resumed Monday after two days of Thanksgiving vacation. The honor roll for the past six weeks is as follows: 1st grade, Johnny Belt, Nita Jo Readhimer, Jackie Lou Frizzell and Sharon Watkins; 2nd grade, Louann Ward, Jane Carol Phillips, Mickey Mosley; 4th grade, Duane Griffith; 5th grade, Donald Farish, Sandra Lawson, Jarry Jarrett; 6th grade, David Frizzell.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert King were in Silvertown Monday night visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ben O. King.

L. M. Readhimer and Glenda Ann attended the Cotton Bowl game between S. M. U. and Baylor last week end.

Mrs. Donald Johnson entertained for her daughter, Linda last Tuesday afternoon with a party on her third birthday. Those enjoying the occasion were: Mark Wade Merrell, Donald and Randy Henderson, Delinda and Derrell Phillips, Gary Don Tiner, Ronnie Belt, Dick Perry, Bobby Woods, Harry and Kay Davis, Martha and John David Pigg, Wayne and Janet Johnson. The mothers present were Mrs. Bob Murrell, Mrs. Conrad Henderson, Mrs. D. J. Phillips, Mrs. Bob Tiner, Mrs. Gene Belt, Mrs. Perry, Mrs. Woods, Mrs. Edd Davis, Mrs. Jewell Rexrode, Mrs. R. S. Johnson and Mrs. Donald Johnson.

Mrs. Stanley Marvell of Sopa, Okla. is spending a few days this week in the Bert Whitfield home.

Mrs. R. S. Johnson spent last week in the Donald Johnson home.

Mrs. Albert King was in Lubbock a few days last week on business.

L. M. Readhimer returned Wednesday from visiting with his parents at McAllen, Texas and deer hunting enroute home.

Those enjoying a pre-Thanksgiving dinner in the Harold Griffith home last Tuesday night were Mrs. L. M. Readhimer, Nita Jo and Glenda, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Farish, Donald and Susie, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Watkins

and Sharon, Mr. and Mrs. Reed Lawson and Sandra, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mosley, Terry and Mickey, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Frizzell, David, Sissy and Mary Amber, C. B. Smart, Pat Frizzell and the Harold Griffiths.

Mrs. James Wigginton was honored with a pink and blue shower last Tuesday afternoon in the club room and lunch room at the school house. The rooms were decorated in pink and blue with pot flowers spaced at different points throughout the entertaining rooms. Mrs. Troy Ray played several numbers and sang two beautiful selections for the guests. Refreshments were served from a crystal punch service arranged on a table covered with a white damask cloth. Hostesses were Mmes. J. E. Stover, M. A. Martin, Clarence Strickland, D. J. Phillips, Jewell Rexrode, Ira Graves, Tom Word, Donald Johnson, Bob Merrell and Harold Griffith.

Others registering and sending gifts were Mrs. B. R. Phillips, Mrs. G. B. Johnston, Sr., Mrs. Hubert Frizzell and Tony, Mrs. G. B. Johnston Jr., Mrs. Bob Tiner, Mrs. Gene Belt, Mrs. Conrad Henderson, Mrs. J. S. Lovern, Mrs. J. B. Rape, Mrs. W. D. Nance, Mrs. J. B. Nance, Mrs. T. V. McClure, Leona and Cleona Graves, Velma McClure, Lavern Word, Mrs. Troy Ray, Mrs. Charlie Merrick, Mrs. Clyde Farish, Mrs. Howard Mosley, Mrs. A. E. Frizzell, Mrs. J. C. Cummings, Mrs. Jack Frizzell, Mrs. J. B. Wigginton, Mrs. Sol Barclay, Mrs. Ross Cooper, Mrs. Olin Beauchamp, Mrs. Tom Fortenberry, Mrs. Robert Crawford, Mrs. Ross Harmonson, Mrs. J. B. Whitfield and the honoree, Mrs. James Wigginton and the hostesses for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Henderson and La Juan were in Clovis, New Mexico last Wednesday shopping and attending to business.

Mrs. Herman King and Ben Richard visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Workman and in the Harley Workman home last Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Griffith and children visited in the Harold Griffith home last Wednesday night.

Mrs. Walter Griffith of Lubbock spent from Wednesday un-

til Sunday in the Harold Griffith home. Others there Wednesday night and Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Griffith and girls of Lubbock and Joy B. and Mark Harbin of Whitharrel.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Farish were in Lubbock last Wednesday shopping.

Mrs. Lowell Jarrett was in the Plainview Sanitarium from Thursday until Saturday afternoon receiving treatment for a lung infection.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Readhimer, Glenda and Jo with Dan Rowell of Plainview spent from Thursday until Saturday in Sulphur Springs with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Holder. They spent Saturday night in Fort Worth as guests of her sister and husband, Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Peacock.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed Lawson and Sandra visited from Thursday until Sunday in Ardmore, Okla. with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Renick. They also visited in Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. Van Brooker.

Mrs. L. M. Readhimer visited in Plainview Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Almada Rowell who was in the Plainview Sanitarium receiving treatment.

Miss Edith Johnston of Lubbock spent the Thanksgiving holidays in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Johnston and in the Hubert Frizzell and G. B. Johnston Jr. homes.

Norma Jo Teepie of W. T. S. spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Teepie.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Griffith and girls spent Thursday night in the Tom Wells home.

Dinner guests in the Raymond Teepie home Thursday night were Wiley D. Nance, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Teepie and baby, Norma Jo and Mrs. Raymond Teepie.

Those enjoying a Thanksgiving supper in the Jack Frizzell home Thursday night were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Farish, Donald and Susie, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mosley, Mickey and Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Griffith and Duane, Lowell Jarrett and Larry, Pat Frizzell and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Frizzell and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mosley and sons were dinner guests Thursday in Plainview in the Elmer Mosley home.

Dinner guests Friday night in the Howard Mosley home were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Watkins and Sharon, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Farish and Donald, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Frizzell and children, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Griffith, Dean and Duane, Lowell Jarrett and the Mosleys.

Raymond Teepie spent last week in Waco on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Nance, J. D. and Betty Ann spent Thanksgiving day in Plainview as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Olin Grant and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Barrett and sons visited in the J. B. Nance home last Tuesday night week.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd W. Jackson and Betty entertained Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Leaverton and son with a farwell party last Friday night. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Honea, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dorman, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Sams, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Rhodes and Janie, Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Powers, Juanita and Maryetta Thompson.

Those enjoying a Thanksgiving dinner in the W. D. Nance home on Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Henderson and La Juan, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Henderson and sons and Mamie Lou Nance of Amarillo who spent the holidays with her parents and brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Cooper were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Cooper in Lockney on Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd W. Jackson and Betty spent Thanksgiving in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Sams of Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Graves were dinner guests last Thursday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Wigginton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Foster, Wilma and Barbara spent Thanksgiving day in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. David Williams and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Phillips were dinner guests in the Harley Workman home last Thursday night. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Workman.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Whitfield were week end visitors in the Whitfield home.

Rev. and Mrs. Ross Harmonson spent last Wednesday night in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Patterson and Patsy of Lubbock. On Thursday they all attended a family reunion in Midland. They returned home early Saturday morning.

There is a Sunday School Enlargement campaign at the church every night this week. Rev. Emmitt Brooks of Ballinger is spending this week in the Harmonson home and assisting Rev. Harmonson in this work.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Phillips and children with Mrs. Herman King and Ben Richard were dinner guests in the W. H. Workman home Sunday. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harley Workman and children.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Frizzell at-

tended a family reunion and Thanksgiving dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gains of Floydada Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Baxter and girls were dinner guests of Mrs. John Baxter and Mrs. Lena Brotherton in Lockney Sunday. Mrs. Walter Griffith was a guest also.

Mary and Norrin Inman of Kress spent the Thanksgiving holidays in the Charlie Merrick home.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Applewhite of Canadian with Myna Applewhite of Waco spent the Thanksgiving holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Applewhite and Louise. Myna returned to her school by way of Dallas where she met several of her friends and they all attended a Russian Ballet before going on to school.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jackson and Betty spent Sunday in Floydada with Mrs. Marvin Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stover with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Stover and baby visited in Petersburg Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Lane and Mrs. Stovers mother, Mrs. Nettie E. White.

Mr. and Mrs. Eb Warren and family of Floydada visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. V. McClure and family Sunday.

Visitors in the Tom Word home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Dietrich of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Brasher and Arnold Dietrich.

Reed Lawson attended the football game in Norman, Okla. last week between Oklahoma University and Nebraska.

Mamie Lou Nance, Wiley D. Nance and J. B. Barrett were dinner guests in the J. B. Nance home Sunday honoring J. D. Nance on his birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Penick of Ardmore, Okla. are spending a few days in the Reed Lawson home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Readhimer and family visited in Plainview with Mrs. Almada Rowell Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Rodgers and children of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Henderson and boys and Nita Kellison and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Nance were dinner guests in the Bailey Henderson home on Sunday. In the afternoon they visited friends in Silvertown.

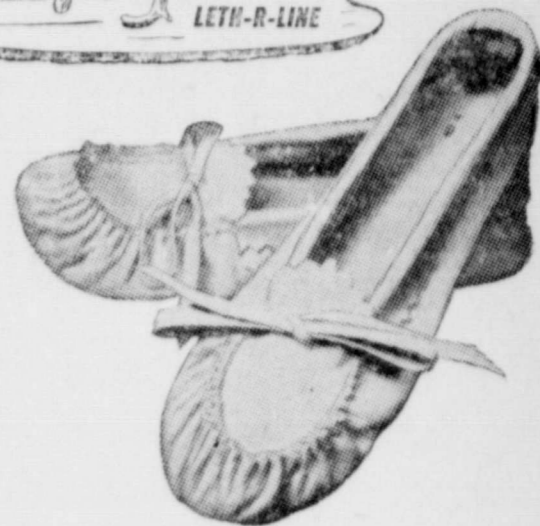
Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Rankin and children spent from Wednesday until Monday in Pottsville, Arkansas visiting their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. T. V. McClure

and family visited Mrs. C. T. Warren in Floydada Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Capers and family visited relatives in Lubbock Sunday.

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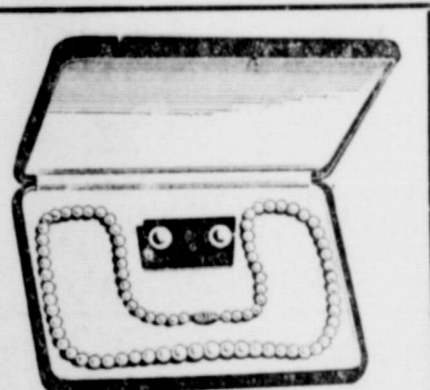
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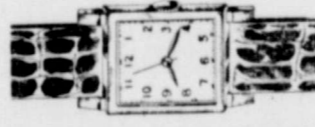
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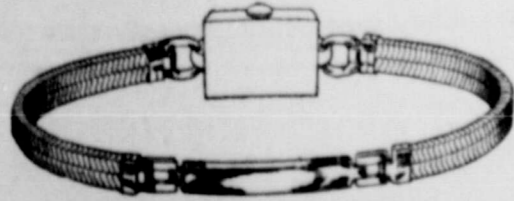
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bone was shattered in one finger. However it is not expected that he will lose either finger if complications do not develop.

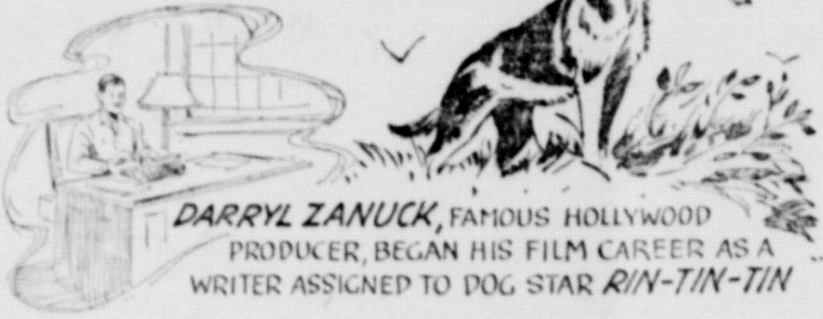
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**Methodist Notes**

There are so many things to be thankful for. How good God has been to us. He is so mindful of our every need. Sunday morning, November 26, we started a Thanksgiving offering in our church to show our appreciation to God for his many blessings. Over a thousand dollars was raised. We would like for all who will to join in this offering. Part will be used to enlarge two of our Sunday School rooms, part will go into our building fund, and the rest will go for missions.

Our church had a splendid report at District Conference last week at Silverton. Let each of us work to make our report even better this next six months. Those attending District Conference from our church were: F. L. Brown, Art Barker Jr., Mrs. W. L. McCustion, W. J. Griffith, Lavon Johnson, Marvin Sams, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Harris, Mrs. W. L. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Rose and Donna Lynn, Mrs. Frank Dodson, Mrs. D. O. Aldridge, Mr. J. J. Harris and the pastor. Come to Church Sunday.

Newton Daniel, Pastor.

Joe S. Toney Jr. of the U. S. S. Helena visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johns Cox, Nova and Wanda, Friday.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

**High Plains Men Warn Against New Water Bill**

Littlefield. — Official spokesmen for the High Plains Water Conservation and Users Association charged today that the preliminary report of the Texas Water Code Committee, if adopted, would in effect "throw out the present underground water conservation law and vest control in the state."

W. O. Fortenberry of Monroe, president of the organization of irrigation farmers and other well users in 14 High Plains counties, said the association would do everything in its power to head off adoption of those portions of the Code Committee's recommendations which will affect underground water use.

The association sent out a call to all of its members to mobilize county organizations "with men and money to protect our present private ownership of ground water." Members throughout the High Plains were urged to contact their county associations for instructions.

"If we can head off adoption of these recommendations, we may save ourselves a bigger fight later on," Fortenberry said.

The well users' group will be represented, he said, at the Code Committee's public hearing in Austin Dec. 11, which the committee has scheduled before making its final report to the governor and 52nd Legislature.

In Littlefield, Arthur P. Duggan, Jr., chief attorney for the High Plains association, declared that "this committee was originally created to study surface water laws and their revision exclusively, but their preliminary report issued Nov. 1 deals with 'all water resources' of the State of Texas."

"From start to finish, this report deals with all water resources of the State of Texas—it sets forth the objectives of conducting an inventory of all water resources, of reorganizing the administrative agency and vesting in it broader powers of regulation and control of all water resources; prevention of waste of all water resources, and so on."

The key paragraph cited by Duggan is a proposed constitutional amendment which is a revision of one introduced in the last session of the legislature. The original amendment dealt with surface water only. The revision brings in all water resources.

The newly-added subsection in the amendment reads:

"For the purpose of aiding and providing for the conservation and distribution for beneficial uses of the water resources of the state, including all waters of streams constituting a part of the state's boundaries, the Legislature shall be authorized to provide for the collection of use fees for the diversion or use of flowing fresh water by persons, by corporations both public and private, and by political subdivisions."

Duggan charged it would amount to a tax on ground water use to finance building of river dams and other surface water projects.

"In effect," the attorney de-

clared, "it would destroy all the work we have done in the past three years."

He referred to the successful mobilization of High Plains farmers three years ago when they defeated a bill in the state legislature to give title and control of underground water to the state; and to subsequent passage in 1949 of House Bill 162, "The Underground Water Conservation Law," which incorporated all the farmers' ideas about title and control to the groundwater.

The present law hinges on two points. First, it declares that the water under his land belongs to the individual owner and its use cannot be allocated or taken away.

Second, the law lays the framework for organization of underground water conservation districts, run by locally-elected boards, and assigns districts the powers of conserving, preserving, protecting and re-charging the underground water in reservoirs over which they have jurisdiction.

Some progress has been made towards organization of districts on the High Plains. But since August, when the important first step of designating reservoir boundaries was taken under advisement by the State Board of Water Engineers, no further action has been possible.

"We'd be holding elections to create districts right now if we knew what the boundaries of our districts are," Duggan said. In fairness to the Board, he pointed out that they lack funds to obtain maps needed to complete their survey on ground water resources.

In its report the Code Committee recommended that the jurisdiction for creation of ground water districts be conferred solely on the State Board of Water Engineers, deleting the powers of the county commissioners' courts.

Under the present law, the commissioners courts may call elections to create one-county districts, while the State Board has jurisdiction over elections creating multi-county districts.

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"What we really need," Duggan said, "is an amendment to allow us to create districts along county lines instead of following the lines of the underground water reservoirs. If it was a function of the commissioner's court,

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Mrs. M. S. Johnson left Monday, November 27 for Willis Point to visit with her sister, Mrs. Jack Spears, who is sick.

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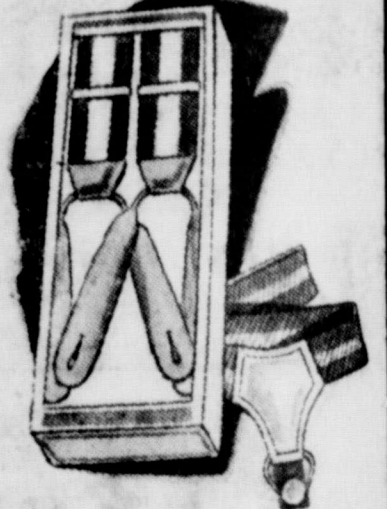
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<b>Sugar</b>	10 Pound Bag	<b>89c</b>	<b>VEL</b>	Large	<b>25c</b>
<b>Oleo</b>	Meadolake Pound	<b>35c</b>	<b>TOKAY GRAPES</b>	Pound	<b>15c</b>
CHOCOLATE COVERED CHERRIES					
<b>Candy</b>	Pound Box	<b>53c</b>	<b>POTATOES</b>	Red or White 10 Pounds	<b>35c</b>
ARMOUR'S STAR					
<b>Bacon</b>	Slab Pound	<b>49c</b>	<b>TEXAS ORANGES</b>	5 Pound Bag	<b>39c</b>
<b>Cauliflower</b>	Nice Heads Each	<b>25c</b>			
<b>Old Dutch</b>	2 cans with holder for	<b>25c</b>			
<b>JELLO</b>	Any Flavor	<b>5c</b>			

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