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3 Committeemen For Water Dist. To Be Elected

Three county committeemen representing Floyd County in the High Plains Water Conservation District will be named early in January, according to T. B. Mitchell of Lockney, who is also a county committee member. The three new members will join the two hold-over members, Mr. Mitchell and Sid Thomas, in forming the 5-man county committee. Four nominees will be presented to the farmers of the area with three to be elected. The nominees, as suggested by the nominating committee are Ed Whitfill and Harmon Handley of Lockney, L. L. Jones of Floydada and Marvin Shurbet of Petersburg.

Formerly the committee was made up of only three members with Mr. Shurbet serving with Mitchell and Thomas. However the Directors of the water district recently passed a resolution increasing the number to five.

The county committee will handle such controversial subjects as well spacing it was said and it seemed best to have a larger committee.

Exact time of the election has not been set, according to Jack Taylor, local director, but it will be in early January.

Basketball Team Starts Training

The Lockney Longhorns and the Longhornettes have started basketball practice in earnest now getting ready for district play which begins early in January.

The boys completed their football season last Friday night and began basketball practice Monday. Only one regular from last year's team will be available for play this year that being Bill Sherman, Bill underwent a knee operation in the local hospital last Saturday but is expected to be able to play basketball before district play starts in January. Other letter men from last year's team who will play this year include Orland Gilbert, Joe Taylor, Teddy Carthel. About 25 candidates in all have reported to Coach Curtis Kelley, he said Tuesday.

The girls team is in much better shape as far as experienced players go, with five starters from last year's team back. These are June Wiley, Mary Jo Bonner, Elizabeth Handley, Pat Poteet and Audrene Rhine. In addition Nell Cunyus, a freshman player last year, Ann Cooper, who saw a lot of action, and Nancy and Patsy Holland, who were ineligible last year because they had just moved here, Rosemary McDonald, Patsy Adams, Betty Johnson and Margaret Holt are all out for the team and Kelley said Tuesday that it was very indefinite who would be starters this year. The girls are looking good and have been practicing most of the school year.

About 25 freshmen girls are also working out.

First game of the season will be played here December 9 when the Floydada teams, boys A and B and girls, all come here for games. On December 16 the local teams return the games at Floydada.

The teams will enter a tournament at Matador on Dec. 11, 12 and 13 in which both boys and girls will play Quitaque teams on the first games.

They will enter another tournament on December 18, 19 and 20 at New Deal with the girls playing Abernathy in the first game and the boys playing Mulshoe in their first game.

Mr. and Mrs. Gavin Marr and children of West Lake, La., are here visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Marr and Dorothy, Mrs. Howard Cooper, his sister and family and the Thomas Marr family.

Farm House Burns Early Thursday

A farm house on a farm belonging to Hall Ferguson in the Irick community, burned to the ground early last Thursday morning. Cause of the fire was unknown. Workmen had been working in the house installing new plumbing and remodeling the interior.

The house, located one mile west and a quarter mile north of the old Irick schoolhouse, was on a farm just recently purchased by Ferguson. It was occupied the past year by Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Lewis. Mr. Ferguson was remodeling the house to provide living quarters for a renter.

Mr. Ferguson lost some bath fixtures and some lumber in building as it burned. He estimated his loss at least \$5,000 with only a small part covered by insurance.

Floydada Plays Phillips Friday

The Floydada Whirlwinds, champions of District 2-AA will play the Phillips Blackhawks, champions of District 1-AA in a bi-district game at Amarillo High school stadium Friday of this week at 2 p. m. No plans had been made for a special train to Amarillo from Floydada Monday as far as The Beacon could ascertain, but a large number of fans will make the trip in private automobiles, it was reported.

The Whirlwinds are having some injury and illness trouble but hope to be near top strength by Friday. Dane Clark, big fullback, has been out with a back injury and may not see action this week. Chapman, an end, and Baxter, a regular tackle have been ill but will probably be back in the line up Friday.

The Blackhawks have won 10 straight games allowing only one touchdown during the entire season. They have scored 356 points against opponents. The Blackhawks have likewise won 10 games and have scored some 400 points while allowing 76 to their opponents.

Abernathy At Denver City Thursday

The Abernathy Antelopes, champions of District 3-A will play the Denver City Mustangs at Denver City Thursday afternoon in a bi-district game. The Mustangs are coached by Wilson Head, former Lockney coach and have made an impressive record in winning the title in 4-A. In conference play Abernathy scored 193 points to 60 for the opponents while the Denver City lads scored 250 points to 31 for their opponents.

Olton, champions of District 2-A, meets Lefors, champion of District 1-A at Olton at 2:30 p. m. Thursday.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.



Wayland College's colorful International Choir will sing at the First Baptist Church here next Tuesday night, December 2. The choir appeared here in the spring and received a very enthusiastic response. The choir is directed by Shelby Collier, and will appear here in the costumes

Burglars Raid Local Stores

Burglars have been active here the past week with two break-ins and other minor thefts reported to local officers.

Biggest loss was at Brown's Cleaners & Clothiers Monday night of this week when thieves carried off 12 to 15 new men's suits. Proprietor Claude Brown said that the culprits forced open a rear door into a rest room and then forced their way into the store. Nothing was molested in the cleaning department but the men, who apparently had visited the store the day previous, went directly to the stock of new suits in the men's clothing department and carried off several of the large size suits.

Officers were on the trail of a suspect Tuesday and felt that they had a very good lead, it was reported.

Last Thursday night burglars forced open a side door at Brunner Lumber Company here and attempted to open the safe but were unsuccessful. The only thing missing as far as he could tell was a hammer, G. M. (Bud) Brunner, proprietor, said.

Sheriff Leland Hart and City Officer Olan Poteet investigated the break-in.

A 1949 Chevrolet truck belonging to Shirley Race of the Pleasant Valley community was stolen from the Patterson Gin lot Friday night but was found Sunday morning down in the Sandhill community apparently unharmed. The cotton was ginned off the truck late Friday afternoon and it disappeared during the night. Joe Handley of Lockney came upon the truck Sunday morning and notified the owner.

L. M. Readhimer and R. H. Ford, both of this community have recently lost some tires and wheels, local officers reported.

Bill Sherman Has Knee Operation

Bill Sherman, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Sherman, underwent an operation on his left knee last Saturday morning at the Lockney General Hospital for the removal of a loose cartilage. Bill had injured his knee recently in playing football and the operation is expected to put it back in good shape.

Members of the hospital staff said that he would probably leave the hospital Wednesday and if the knee heals as it should he will be able to play basketball within 30 or 40 days, it was reported.

Mrs. W. D. Reese and four children from O'Donnell were here Sunday visiting Mr. Reese who is doing some electrical work on the new Methodist Church building. The Reese family is planning to make their home here and are looking for a three bedroom house to rent.

Two Fugitives Arrested Here

Robert Martindale, 23, and J. R. Eaves Jr., 21, both of Henrietta, Texas, were arrested here last Thursday by Deputy Sheriff Pat Murphy on request of the Clay County Sheriff. The two men were charged with raising the value of a check.

The Clay County sheriff came and picked them up Friday.

Moisture Here Totals Half Inch

The moisture which fell here Monday and Tuesday totaled only a half inch, according to Joe Holt, local weather observer. Mr. Holt reported that 24 of rain fell Monday and 25 inch fell Tuesday with a small amount of unmeasurable snow to fill in.

The skies cleared here Tuesday morning but more moisture was predicted for the area. The temperature hit a low of 22 Monday night and forecasts were for much lower on Tuesday night.

The total moisture for the year here now stands at 13.3 inches, Mr. Holt said against an average rainfall of around 21 inches for the year.

The moisture which fell here is insufficient to be of much benefit to wheat. However the rain and cold spell caused a great many of the transient field hands in this area to leave for South Texas.

Mrs. George Long Is Buried Friday

Funeral services for Mrs. George Long of the Aiken community were held Friday afternoon of last week at the First Methodist Church in Plainview. Dr. J. O. Haymes, pastor of the church, officiated and burial was in Memorial Park cemetery.

Mrs. Long died at the Lockney General Hospital at 12:30 Thursday afternoon. She had been ill since last January.

She was born May 25, 1901, at Grosvenor, Texas. She and George W. Long were married January 15, 1920 at Crosscut. The family moved to Idalou from Crosscut in 1923 and from Idalou to a farm three miles east of Plainview. In 1934 they moved to the Aiken community where they have resided since.

Mrs. Long was a member of the Plainview First Methodist Church.

Survivors are the husband, Mrs. Long's mother, Mrs. S. M. Keeler, Zephyr; five brothers, Alton, Delmar and S. D. Keeler, all of Zephyr; Errell Keeler, Hale Center, and Date Keeler, Lubbock, and a sister, Mrs. T. C. Hightower, Texline.

OFFICE SUPPLIES at The Beacon Office.

One Killed, 13 Injured In Auto Accidents

Five Injured In Tuesday Wreck

Auto accidents continued to take a toll of injured in Floyd County this week as five people were injured, some of them seriously but not critically, in an auto collision on the Providence farm-to-market road No. 788 about three miles north of Aiken.

The accident occurred about 4 p. m. Tuesday. Investigating officers reported that it appeared that an old model Mercury driven by L. P. Shugart of Plainview had driven out onto the paved road in front of a 1950 Plymouth driven by Buck Fowler, local farmer.

Fowler and four members of the Shugart family are in the Lockney General Hospital for treatment.

Most seriously injured is the two-year-old boy, Lloyd Wayne Shugart, who has a skull fracture, according to the attending physician. Mrs. Shugart has a fractured back and pelvis. A 10-month-old baby, Donnie Mac, has cuts and bruises but apparently isn't seriously injured. The driver, L. P. Shugart is also suffering from bruises but apparently isn't badly hurt.

Mr. Fowler, suffering from severe facial cuts which required more than 40 stitches to close, apparently is not seriously hurt but his injuries were very painful, it was said. He also has a bruised shoulder.

Has Broken Hand

Floyd Barber Sr. was treated at the local hospital Monday night for a broken hand and cuts received late Monday afternoon when a pick-up he was driving was struck in the rear by another pick-up driven by Marion Cross, local high school student. Mr. Barber had pulled off the road and stopped to let a man out of his truck and had started back onto the road when the collision came, it was reported. No one else was hurt to any extent but the GMC pick-up driven by Cross was damaged.

Firms Close For Thanksgiving

The following firms will close on Thanksgiving Day, according to a survey made by The Beacon this week:

Southwestern Public Service Co., Dykes Electric, Baker Hardware Co., Baker Dry Goods, First National Bank, Lockney Variety, Knox Grocery & Market, Parker Furniture, Truett Variety, Plains Barber Shop, Scott Barber Shop, Lockney Drug, Byrd Pharmacy, Lady Fair Shop, Lockney Auto Co., Pennington Motor Co., Hammond & Co., Brown's Cleaners, Rhodes Grocery, Johnson & Johnson, Higginbotham-Bartlett Co., City ofices, K. W. Cook, Lockney Frozen Foods, Pinner Insurance, Frank Perkins Agency, Lockney Dry Goods, Master Cleaners, Taylor Laundry, Lockney Implement Company, Bilbrey Motor Co., U & I Laundry, "Whitey" Baccus, Modern Radio, Lockney Lumber & Supply, Baxter & Smith Grain Co., Brunner Lumber Company, Patterson Grain Co., Plains Floral Shop, The Lockney Beacon, White Auto Store, and possibly some other places The Beacon was unable to contact.

The local schools will dismiss at 2 p. m. Wednesday and no school will be held either Thursday or Friday.

This being a national holiday the local post office will be closed and rural routes will not run.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Floyd will observe their 42nd wedding anniversary on Thanksgiving day.

Funeral For W. A. Cates Wednesday

Funeral services for W. A. Cates of Floydada, killed in an automobile collision late Sunday afternoon, will be held at the First Baptist Church in Floydada Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Officiating will be Rev. R. C. Tennyson of San Saba and Rev. R. Earl Allen, pastor at Floydada. Interment will be in the Floydada cemetery.

Mr. Cates, father of Mrs. Austin Heard of Lockney, was killed and eight others injured in the accident which happened one mile southeast of Muncy on Highway 70. Among the injured are six members of the J. C. Willis family, who live three and a half miles north of Lockney, and two other members of the Cates family.

Mr. Cates was 88 years of age and had been a resident of the South Plains since 1907. He and his son, W. C. (Clo) Cates and wife were going to the bedside of another son, E. O. Cates, who is seriously ill. With W. C. Cates driving, the Cates car turned off the highway to the left apparently not seeing the Willis car which was traveling toward Floydada. The Willis car, a 1951 Ford, driven by J. C. Willis, struck the 1947 Pontiac driven by Cates at an angle. Both cars were described as "total losses" by investigating officers.

Cause of Mr. Cates' death was described as "severe head injury." Injured were W. C. (Clo) Cates, scalp wound; Mrs. Clo Cates, broken teeth; Jean Willis, 19, severe facial cuts; Clea Willis, 15, minor injuries; Sue and Johnny Willis, 5 and 9 respectively, cuts and bruises; J. C. Willis, 42, father of the children, chest and knee injuries; and Janie Willis, 12, broken teeth. Two of the children, Clea and Sue, were released from the Peoples Hospital at Floydada Tuesday afternoon. Other members of the Willis family are still in the hospital but may be released the latter part of the week if they continue to improve, it was reported. Jean Willis is probably the most severely injured.

The Willis family live on the Paul Cooper place north of Lockney and he is employed by Mr. Cooper.

The elder Mr. Cates moved from Hale County to Floyd county in 1919 where he farmed until retirement several years ago. He was born November 11, 1874 in Tennessee and had been a member of a Baptist church since his early childhood.

Survivors include his wife, three sons, E. O. Cates of Floydada, W. C. Cates of Cisco, and B. S. Cates of Floydada; four daughters, Mrs. O. M. Fowler of Happy, Mrs. A. C. Smith of Louisville, Mrs. A. C. Eubanks of Floydada, and Mrs. Austin Heard of Lockney and many grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Keeter of Canton, Ga., have been here the past few days visiting their sons, Claude and Walter Keeter.

CASH MARKETS

Poultry	
Heavy Hens, 4 lbs. and over	18c
Light Hens, under 4 lbs.	16c
Cocks, pound	6c
Eggs, No. 1 dozen	50c
Geese, pound	12c
Ducks, pound	12c
Young Tom Turkeys	28c
Young Tom Hens	32c
Cream	
Butterfat, No. 1, pound	65c
Hides	
Hides, No. 1, pound	6c
Grain	
Wheat, per bushel	\$2.19
Milo, per cwt.	\$2.65

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Preventing Accidents Up To Individual

Austin. — "The only way to avoid the useless waste of life due to traffic accidents is to prevent the accident," reads a warning issued by Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

"It is not a question of who is right and who is wrong after the accident has occurred," he said, "and automobile accidents never happen merely because of 'bad luck.' — there is a definite cause for everyone of them, although it is not possible to determine the precise origin of every mishap.

"Leaders of the safety movement agree that the most fundamental approach to the solution of our national accident problem lies in the education and training of the individual. Safety education includes the training of individuals to avoid accidents to themselves and to prevent accidents to others. It involves the acquisition of a certain fund of information, the ability to apply this information to concrete situations, and the building up of habits which will make the application of knowledge to situation automatic.

"The dangerous curves and intersections on the highways of this State are distinctly marked, and automobile drivers can assist greatly in the reduction of deaths from automobile accidents by carefully observing these warning signs.

"Many accidents could be avoided if motorists would drive below the legal speed limits when tired, sleepy, in rainy weather, or when ice conditions exist. One should adhere closely to the law regarding the dimming of lights for approaching cars. It is an old saying, but true, that those who drink should not drive.

"The consequences of an automobile accident are so disastrous that only when we have done everything in our power to avoid such accidents, can we consider

GOOD HEALTH



Answer to Question No. 1:

1. One way to increase the supply of nurses is to improve nursing education. Recently in Louisiana, Minnesota, and Michigan better schools were developed through combining the facilities of several. Student recruitment was greatly stimulated.

Answer to Question No. 2:

2. Malaria has been reduced almost to the vanishing point, but cannot be considered wiped out in the United States. To keep it under control is the object of the National Malaria Eradication Program, in which 13 states have participated. Most cases now are brought in from other countries as, for example, by demobilized service men.

ourselves, or expect others to consider us, blameless in the case of an accident.

"When each individual does all that he is able to do toward avoiding an accident of any kind, then, and then only, will our traffic accidents be reduced."

In Paraguay there is a firefly called the railway beetle which flashes a red light at the ends of its body and a green light along the sides.

Answer to Question No. 3:

3. Despite the current saying, "I need that like I need a hole in the head," there are actual cases where people have been given holes in the head by a medical technique known as "trephining," in order to remove tumors or to loosen adhesions. In ancient days the cavemen drilled holes in the heads of epileptics and sufferers from headaches in order to "let the devils out." From skeletons, it has been determined that these patients did not all die as a result of the operations, but from other causes.

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Wet litter in the poultry house is a disease hazard and adds to the possibilities for parasite troubles. On the other hand, a good litter makes for comfort in the poultry house and is a big aid in the production of clean eggs and healthy chickens.

Jack Carroll has returned from a two weeks visit with John O'Keefe and family of Newton, Kansas.



IT'S THE LAW in Texas

Minors Legally Responsible For Negligent Acts

When a person suffers injury due to some negligent act on the part of a minor, his usual reaction is to seek out the minor's parents to press a claim for damages, leaving them to deal with their offspring in their own way.

It may therefore come as a surprise to many to learn that the minor himself may be held legally accountable. It is a well settled principle of law in the State of Texas that a minor, who by his negligent acts injures another, is liable in damages to the injured party.

Upon proper proof being presented to the court, a judgment for the damages inflicted by the minor may be secured in behalf of the injured party. In cases where a minor is thus sued for his negligent acts, it is necessary that the judge appoint a special guardian for the minor, known as a Guardian Ad Litem. The duty of this person is to see that the minor's rights are properly protected, and that he is adequately represented on the trial of the case.

A judgment secured in such cases against the minor is a valid and binding judgment which may be satisfied by levying execution upon any property which the minor may own which is legally subject to execution.

Should the minor have no property upon which execution can be levied, and satisfaction made, then steps should be taken to keep the judgment alive. There are means of keeping such judgments alive for many years. By doing this, and by keeping track of the minor, it is possible to make the judgment follow him until he eventually does acquire property subject to execution.

Of course, there are practical considerations in a lawsuit against a minor. The most frequent stumbling block is naturally the situation of a minor having absolutely no property to satisfy any judgment which may be secured.

However, this lack of property in no way affects the right of the injured party to his judgment, which, as mentioned above, may eventually pay off after the minor reaches majority and accumulates enough property to satisfy the judgment.

Now, however uncertain this means of gaining redress for injuries may seem, in many cases it may prove to be the ONLY method of collecting damages. For, when the chips are down, your chances of FORCING payment from the parents are usually very slim. From a legal standpoint, there is nothing in the parent-child relationship which automatically renders parents liable for the negligent acts of their children.

In order to be personally liable, the parent must himself be implicated in some way. The rules which apply here are similar to those regulating the liability of an employer for the negligent acts of his employee.

Thus, although the law takes an extremely protective attitude toward minors and their contractual liabilities, allowing them many privileges not accorded mature persons, no substantial distinction is made with regard to liability for negligence.

(This column, based on Texas law, is written to inform — not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who knows the facts, because the facts may change the application of the law.)

Fires are unknown in the forests of the Amazon region because the wood is hard, living, wet and green and therefore does not burn easily.

Theodore Roosevelt, at 42, was the youngest president ever inaugurated.

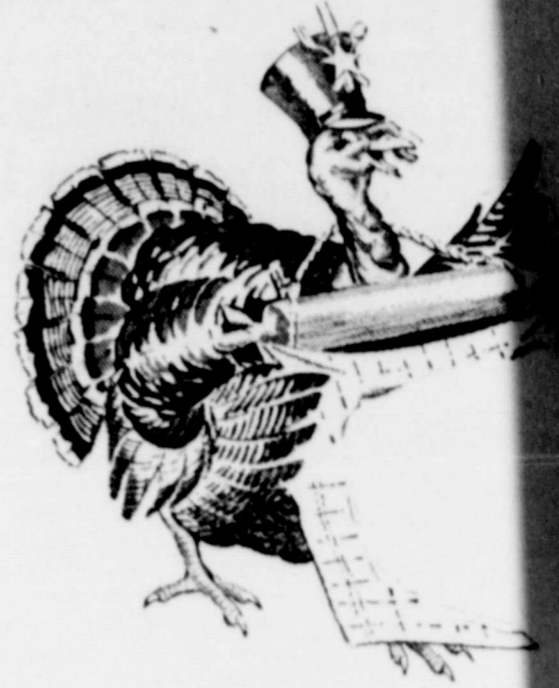
William Harrison, at 68, was the oldest president ever inaugurated.

Mabel Walker Willebrandt served the government as assistant attorney general, in charge of all cases in the United States arising out of the Federal tax laws and prohibition. She also supervised the Bureau of Federal Prisons.

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Edel Sams, Bookkeeper
Juanita Tinsley, Bookkeeper
Mary Johnson, Bookkeeper

L. A. Cooper, Chairman of the Board
Oliver Savage, Director
Jack Dollar, Director
L. M. Readhimer, Director
Grigsby Milton, Director
Edwin H. Boedeker, Director



Let us all pause at this happy time of the year and give Thanks for the many blessings that have come our way.

We all have much to be thankful for. Among the things we are grateful for is your patronage. We will strive to continue to serve you in the very best way possible.

LOCKNEY GIN

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... on a five-acre pasture experiment give strong evidence that a mixture of alfalfa and Perennial Rye and should be the best grass mixture for the area.

... of agricultural director of the leading farm in the area, said that the 171 days of the yearling test on four test plots of mixed grasses the first plot had a yield of 20 pounds of Perennial Rye, three and 20 pounds of Plot II, three and 20 pounds of Plot III, three and 10 pounds each of Perennial Rye, five pounds each of Perennial Rye, Or-

chard Grass, and Kentucky Fescue, and one-half pound Blue Panic.

Plot I produced 411 pounds of beef per acre; Plot II, 461 pounds; Plot III, 833 pounds; and Plot IV, 401 pounds. If the cattle had been marketed Oct. 21, Dean Stangel said they would have brought a minimum of \$25 per hundred pounds, which would have given each acre in Plot I a dollar-production of \$102.75; Plot II, \$115.25; Plot III, \$208.25; and Plot IV, \$100.25.

"The results obtained during the preceding five years and this year's clearly indicate that grazing of irrigated pastures in this area, where irrigation is available, definitely have a potential in a diversified farm program, which should be encouraged if our area continues to be agriculturally productive," Dean Stangel stated.

Hornless cattle can be fed and housed in less space and with less danger of injury. Horns have no place in the dairy herd.

Rat Control Is Year Round Job

College Station. — Rats are mighty expensive rodents to have around the farm. It is estimated that each will actually eat \$2 worth of food but the big loss comes in what is wasted and destroyed — about \$20 worth. In addition, says J. E. Poore, assistant district leader, U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service, rats are known to be carriers of some 27 different diseases including typhus fever and bubonic plague.

With the coming of cooler weather, Poore says these undesirable tenants will be moving into their winter quarters especially into grain bins, feed stacks and buildings where the winter's feed supplies are stored. The first step in a successful rat control program is a farm clean-up.

Pile posts and lumber on supports at least two feet above the ground and scrap lumber, not worth saving, and junk should be destroyed or removed from the farm. Stack bottoms, other feed waste and manure piles should be scattered in the field so they will not provide hiding places for rats. Tall weeds also make fine rat hideouts if left standing.

Clean up, poison and then rat-proof farm buildings is Poore's advice. Farm buildings in a good state of repair aren't likely to be infested with rats. Check to see that walls are tight, and foundations and floors are in good shape.

A strip of galvanized metal, three feet high, placed around the building will keep rats out, says Poore, provided they can't get in through the floor. If a new granary is being built, set it in piers at least two feet above the ground, and then construct it so rats can't get in.

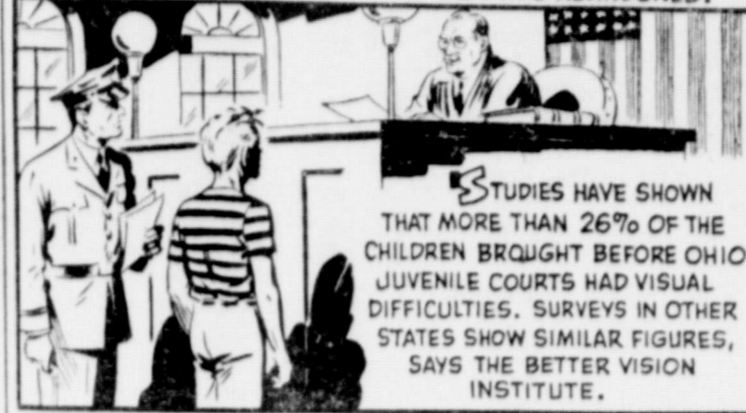
Poore recommends following the farm clean up with a poisoning program. Last year, in a campaign which he supervised, 11,898 rats were killed at a cost of about four cents per rat. Warfarin bait was used and the amount needed to kill a rat averaged a little less than one quarter of a pound.

Warfarin, says Poore, has worked very well. It is relatively safe to use because a single dose is not fatal and it acts as an anti-blood coagulant, causing internal bleeding which so weakens the rats until they die. Bait

Seeing is Believing



OPPORTUNITY SMASHED!
SMOKED GLASSES WERE PROVIDED FOR A MONKEY IN A ZOO, WHO WAS DISTURBED BY BRIGHT LIGHT. BUT HE BROKE SEVERAL PAIRS IN INSPECTING THEM CURIOSLY, SO THE IDEA WAS ABANDONED.



STUDIES HAVE SHOWN THAT MORE THAN 26% OF THE CHILDREN BROUGHT BEFORE OHIO JUVENILE COURTS HAD VISUAL DIFFICULTIES. SURVEYS IN OTHER STATES SHOW SIMILAR FIGURES, SAYS THE BETTER VISION INSTITUTE.



Some TOYS
HELP A CHILD DEVELOP VISUALLY — FOR INSTANCE, TOYS WHERE ONE BLOCK FITS INTO ANOTHER.

Did You Know?
SINCE 1940, CLOTHING PRICES HAVE GONE UP 105%

...WHILE EYE-CARE CHARGES HAVE GONE UP ONLY 32%



usually must be taken for some five days before death results. In some cases, other types of poison must be used to completely rid a farm of rats, says Poore. Other effective poisons are available but many must be used with extreme caution, he adds, because they are deadly poisons. He suggests before using these poisons that a Rodent Control Service fieldman or the

local county agent be contacted for advice.

After a complete program has been carried out on a farm, don't let re-infestation occur, says Poore. Watching for signs and getting new arrivals before they have a chance to become established will keep the farm relatively clear of rats. With feed supplies short in most sections of

the state, Poore says farmers just can't afford to feed rats. The \$22 per head they eat and waste will go a long ways toward taking care of the feed needs of the farm livestock, especially if the rat population on the farm is high.

The word veto means "I forbid."

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The Volstead Act became law on October 28, 1919, over the president's veto. Companies of militia organized at the time of the Revolution were called the Minute Men.

SOCIETY

Freshmen Class Enjoys Tacky Party

Members of the Freshmen class of Lockney high school enjoyed a tacky party given by their mothers at the school gymnasium on Thursday night. About fifty freshmen and twenty mothers were present. Mrs. Elsie Williams, Mrs. Jack Nix, and Mrs. M. D. Arterburn had charge of a scavenger hunt and other games.

Cokes and popcorn balls were served.

La Ventana Members Attend Luncheon

The Women's Federated Club of Plainview honored Mrs. Van Hook Stubbs of Wortham, State President of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs on Friday, November 21 with a luncheon at the Hilton Hotel.

Those attending from La Ventana Study Club of Lone Star community were Mrs. Raymond Teeple, Mrs. C. L. King and Mrs. Charley Merrick.

Deputy Matron To Visit Local O. E. S.

Deputy Grand Matron Winnie Dunn of District Two will meet with the Lockney O. E. S. Monday night, December 1. A sandwich supper will be served at 6:30 and the regular scheduled meeting will begin at 7:30. This is the Deputy Grand Matron's annual official visit.

Norvel Raper Named Birthday Honoree

A group of thirty-two friends and relatives greeted Mr. Norvel Raper Sunday as he returned home from church. The surprise gathering was in honor of Mr. Raper's birthday and the guests brought many expressions of best wishes including a bountiful birthday dinner.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Young and family of Tullia; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lindeman and family, Tullia; Mr. and Mrs. Wade Lovvorn of Kress; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Newland and family, Kress; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Newman and family, Kress; Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Raper of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. W. T. McDaniel and family of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Ran Newman and family of McGregor, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Norvel Raper.

Mrs. Terry's Sixth Grade Honor Mothers

A delightful surprise was in store for the mothers of the pupils in Mrs. Evelyn Terry's sixth grade room when they were called together Friday afternoon. They were escorted to the luncheon room which was beautifully decorated in the fall and Thanksgiving motif with a horn of plenty as the table centerpiece. Place cards portrayed a pilgrim girl offering thanks. An Indian doll, corn stalks and other fruits of the harvest were placed at vantage points.

The program began with piano music by Peggy Ford and Patsy Horston. Rev. N. S. Daniel led in a prayer, Rita Sue Johnson gave the welcome followed by a song led by Janice Hays and a reading, "A Sensible Boy" by James Hall Ferguson. Orella Davis played an accordion solo and the following pupils took part in a very clever play entitled "Bookworms Don't Have to Bite." Lawauna Taylor, Gary Cloyd, Janice Hays, Nancy Bollman, Virginia Golden, Kay Lynn Phillips, Richard Duvall, Layne Poteet, Linda Baxter, Sara Dye and Barbara Rigby. Rev. Daniel gave a talk on "Our Mothers."

Refreshments of pie and coffee were served to a large group of mothers and the members of the class.

A football player, playing a game of four full quarters, will lose from eight to 10 pounds in weight.

W. M. S. To Have Missionary Program

December 1-5 has been set aside by Southern Baptist Woman's Missionary Society as the annual Week of Prayer for Foreign Missions. The women of the Lockney W. M. S. will meet each morning of that week at the following hours: Monday at 3, Tuesday at 9 a. m., Wednesday at 9, Friday at 10 a. m. A covered dish luncheon will be served Friday noon.

"Lovest Thou Me?" — Feed My Sheep" as the theme of the programs. The goal for Texas Baptists is \$1,250,000, a quarter of a million more than the goal last year. The offering through the local church last year was \$3,242.22.

Each woman in the church is urged to come each morning for an hour, December 1-5.

Jolly Stitchers Club Meets Thursday

The Jolly Stitchers Club met Thursday, November 20 at the home of Mrs. Buck Kellison. Those present enjoyed an afternoon of textile painting.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Wallace Allen, Ray Hillman, W. A. Jolly, Glen Kinard, Melvin Potts, E. T. Pigg, Fred Duvall, Calvin Williams, Hunter Stuart, Aubrey Holt, Miss Anna Schacht and the hostess.

Mrs. Wallace Allen will be hostess to the club for the December 18 meeting when a Christmas party will be held. Each member is urged to be present and bring a gift for the Christmas tree.

Temperatures Must Be Kept Moderate Indoors, Cox Says

Austin. — It is an illogical fact that many people complain about the heat of Texas summers and yet sit indoors during the winter months in a temperature about as high as that about which they complained in the summer season, is the view of Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

"If the average person would realize the definite hazard in developing and maintaining an indoor temperature about 70 degrees, or at most 72 degrees, when the outside thermometer registers around freezing," he said, "there would be fewer colds, less bronchial conditions, and less pneumonia than there are today."

"Fresh air is one of the body's basic needs and no amount of luxury or artificial pleasure can be substituted for it. It may be a comfortable feeling to be warm, especially with the consciousness of the tough weather outdoors, but it is quite another matter to achieve this comfort at the probable cost of health."

"Winters in the Temperate Zone are sufficiently trying upon the human system with their sudden and sharp temperature changes, without adding to the burden by making a hothouse of one's home. Of course, colds and other respiratory affections can be acquired in many different ways, but one of the easiest methods of becoming victims of

such hazards house. "To become perspire, though it may not in this softening the cold winter a thoroughly with health. "The wise before will check heat problem solve to keep within safe limits."

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This Thanksgiving, more than ever, we can be thankful that we are living in a great free nation, where we are privileged to worship as we please. This **THANKSGIVING** . . . let's all give thanks to God for the blessings he has bestowed upon us and our country.

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THANKSGIVING

On this glorious American holiday we all pause from our daily activities to render our appreciation for the many blessings He has delivered us, for the freedoms we enjoy, for the richness of our fields and factories, for the promising future we face together. The "Thanks" we offer are indeed from deep in all our hearts.

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THANKSGIVING!

The Pilgrims of old set a example for all America to follow that memorable day many years when they paused in the midst of hardship to give thanks unto God.

Let us all follow that worthy example by pausing at this busy time to express our thanks to God and to each other. We are thankful for your friendship and the privilege of serving you.

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THANKSGIVING!

WE HAVE A THOUSAND THINGS to be thankful for at this glad season in 1952. Little do we realize the hardships and suffering of those of other parts of the world.

LET US ALL be truly grateful to God and to each other for the many blessings that have been ours.

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2:00 to 4:00 p. m.
7:00 to 8:30 p. m.

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Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hammond and son, Joe Dean, spent last week in central Texas on business and also visited relatives at Dallas. Mr. Hammond's sister, Mrs. Lois Odum of Dallas returned home with them for a visit.

Mrs. Leslie Floyd and Mrs. Arch Crager spent Friday in Amarillo.

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AT THANKSGIVING TIME...
It is appropriate that we should pause in our many duties at this time of the year to express our thanks. We are indeed mindful of our many blessings, among which is the privilege we have of serving you. We hope that our pleasant relationships may continue for many years and that your blessings might be as many as ours.

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Give Thanks For Health, Cox Says

Austin — A primary reason for the institution of Thanksgiving Day was health. The Pilgrims, the few of them left after that terrible first year of death and disease, wanted to publicly thank God for all his mercies. And so was born the tradition of Thanksgiving.

We have come a long way since that time in the matter of health said Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. Today few people think of Thanksgiving in connection with the health they enjoy. We are so accustomed to good health that we hardly give it a thought — until illness strikes.

The Texas State Department of Health, city and county health organizations have labored for years to secure the measure of health protection that the public now enjoys. Their thanks are to medical science for the strides it has made in preventive medicine, enabling thousands of lives to be saved annually.

Since that first Thanksgiving, the mode of transmission of many diseases has been discovered and the known preventives of diseases have become common knowledge. Yellow fever, plague, and cholera have almost ceased to exist. Smallpox, diphtheria and typhoid fever can be eliminated as a cause of death if a person takes advan-

tage of immunization. Malaria and other diseases can be controlled if the public demand for their control, as a part of every day activities of the government, be insistent enough.

We have much more to be thankful for, in the matter of health, than did our Pilgrim forefathers, so let us in our individual Thanksgiving be reminded of the strides preventive medicine is making in improving health conditions in Texas.

Association football, or soccer, occupies the same position in Argentina that baseball does in the United States.

President Warren G. Harding was Honorary President of the National Horseshoe Pitchers' Association.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

Mrs. O. J. Huggins left last week end for an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Lung at Roseville, California and her son, Assemblyman Francis Lindsey at Loomis, California. She plans to return after the Christmas holidays.

Watch your expiration date.

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Thanksgiving
And we are thankful for your friendship and patronage. You have helped to make our Thanksgiving a happy one and we hope that we may continue to serve you for many years.

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THURSDAY and FRIDAY
November 27 and 28

"Mr. Jim McLain"
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A go-get-em for the USA — on a terrific trail that leads half a world away — a high tension story that is told against the tropic wonders of an island paradise.
Also CARTOON

SATURDAY MATINEE and NIGHT
November 29

"Cry Danger"
with Dick Powell and Rhonda Fleming

Life is violent — and death is cheap when you play the world's most dangerous game — double-double crossing. Here's adventure, intrigue and terrific excitement.
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LATE SHOW SATURDAY
Starting at 10:45

"Beware Of Spooks"
with Joe E. Brown and Mary Carlisle.
Thrills! Chills!

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SUNDAY and MONDAY
Nov. 30 — Dec. 1

"The Raiders"
with Richard Conte, Viveca Lindfors, Hugh O'Brien.
Action and adventure aplenty in this picture.
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TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY
December 2 and 3

"The Fighter"
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THURSDAY and FRIDAY
November 27 and 28

"The Noose Hangs High"
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Gals, gags and gangsters in this mirthsome show.
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SATURDAY NIGHT ONLY
November 29

"Warpath"
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SUNDAY and MONDAY
Nov. 30 — Dec. 1

"Bonzo Goes To College"
with Maureen O'Sullivan, Edmund Gwenn, Charles Drake and Bonzo

Ever see a chimpanzee play college football? It's a riot—more surprises per minute than you can count. More laughs per foot of film than you can stand.
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TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY
December 2 and 3

"To Have And To Have Not"
with Humphrey Bogart and Lauren Bacall

Action and adventure in this picture. One of the outstanding stories of the year.
Also CARTOON

Pedestrians Have The Right-Of-Way

Austin. — Ever get caught in the middle of the street when the traffic light turned red? Lots of pedestrians have, and there's always been a question who has the right-of-way in that case. The question was recently presented to the U. S. Court of Appeals in a case involving an accident in the State of Louisiana.

About dusk on a rainy afternoon, a man undertook to cross from the east to the west side of Scenic Highway at a point where there were traffic signal lights. He started across on a green light, but as he reached the center of the street the light turned amber and when he was a few feet from the west side it changed red against him. He was struck by a taxi. He filed suit against the company insuring the taxicab and secured a judgment in his favor. The defendant insurance company appealed. The Court of

Appeals sustained the judgment holding that he continued to have the right of way over opposing traffic until he had a reasonable opportunity to reach the opposite curb. So if you're caught in the middle, you still have the right to cross the street, even though the traffic light turns red against you while you're crossing. But the Texas Division of the American Automobile Association warns that having the right to cross doesn't necessarily mean you're safe. The drivers of the cars against you may not be aware of this most recent court decision. Watch your step even when you're in the right, the AAA safety experts advise.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

"Hand traffic" marks on your bannisters can be avoided by first washing with warm sudsy water, then applying a light coating of wax.

President Garfield's term of office was completed by Chester A. Arthur.

Providence News

By Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner

Today is Thanksgiving. Have you given thanks to God for your many blessings?

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Scheele left Monday for an extended trip through Texas and Arkansas. Making the trip with them were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Faver and daughter of Plainview.

The following attended the dedication of the new Lutheran Church at Slaton, Texas Sunday, November 23: Mr. and Mrs. Albert Scheete and family, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Scheele, Marie Scheele, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brandes, Mrs. Ben Quebe, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sammann and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brandes and Debra were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sammann.

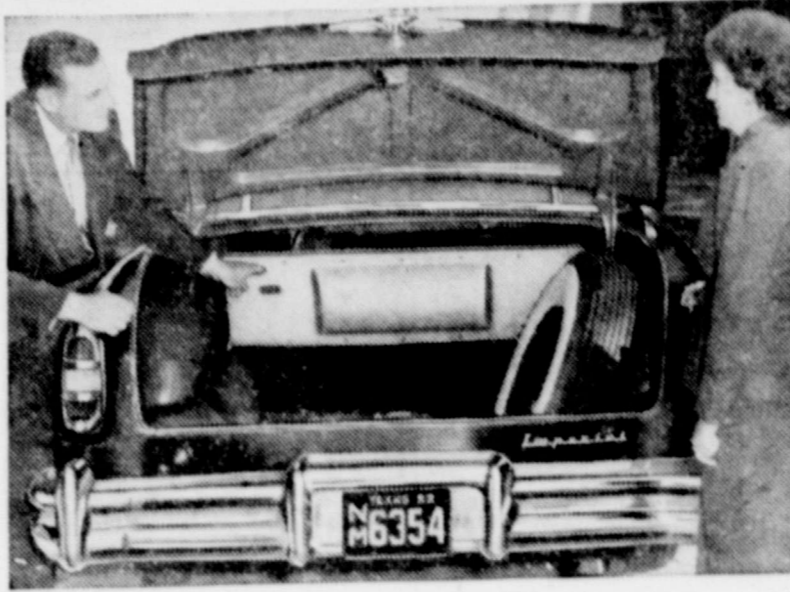
Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner presided at a tea at the Hilton Hotel in Plainview Saturday afternoon honoring the 19th District president of American Legion Auxiliary. Sunday afternoon at a business meeting Mrs. Stoerner gave the welcome address.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Newman and Helen this week were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Knesehke and Sandra Kay, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Newman from Bryan, Texas.

Mrs. Albert Kelm honored her grandson with a Christening dinner Sunday. Those attending were his sponsors, Mrs. Nadine Foster and Donald Kelm. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Kelm, Skay Foster and son, Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Anderson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kelm.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Stoerner who are patients at Abells Hospital Clinic Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Stoerner and sons of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brandes, Mrs. Ben Quebe, Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schultz, Edgar Shultz, Mr. and Mrs. John Ganza of Littlefield, Texas.

FIRST AIR CONDITIONED CHRYSLER DELIVERED



The first Chrysler equipped with Chrysler Corporation's newly developed automobile air conditioning unit has been delivered to a Houston, Texas, buyer. The new unit—the highest capacity air conditioning system yet developed for use in passenger automobiles and the first in the industry to be quantity produced—is a result of 13 years of research. Drawing 25 percent of its air supply from outside the car, this fresh air system gives the fastest cool-down time of any unit yet developed. The picture shows J. H. Horn, sales manager of Judd-Munroe Motors of Houston, Texas, explaining the unit's operation to Mrs. Arden B. Judd, the first buyer of a car so equipped.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Boedecker and son of Cameron, Texas are visiting in the home of J. D.'s parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Boedecker.

Those calling in the Walter Boedecker home last week visiting J. D., Minnie and Marie, were Mr. and Mrs. Helmut Quebe and family, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart McCallip, Mr. and Mrs. Skay Foster and Don.

Mr. and Mrs. Klyce Ooley and family were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Elam and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Payne are hosts for annual dinner of Providence H. D. Club.

At the lovely re-decorated home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Payne the members of the Providence Home Demonstration Club met last Thursday evening. The linen covered table was centered with a fruit filled horn of plenty flanked by red lighted tapers. Arrangements of pharceuthia and pines decorated the entertaining rooms.

The Thanksgiving menu included baked chicken, dressing, baked candied sweet potatoes, assorted jelled salads, green beans, hot french bread with garlic salt, pie and coffee. Mrs. H. L. Anderson gave a reading, "The Pilgrims Thanksgiving," followed by an appropriate prayer of Thanksgiving. Mrs. Anderson gave a clever monologue entitled "The Typical Housewife and mother."

The evening was spent playing progressive 42. Winners included Mr. Klyce Ooley, L. B. Brandes, Rev. Anderson, Mrs. Sam Jones and Mrs. L. B. Brandes.

Those enjoying our annual Thanksgiving supper were Mrs. Ben Quebe, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brandes, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Tye and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brandes, Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Anderson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Boedecker and Janice, Mr. and Mrs. Helmut Quebe and family, Mr. and Mrs. Klyce Ooley and family, Mr. and

Mrs. Marvin Scheele, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Quebe and Johnnie, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Quebe and Janie, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones and family and Miss Lelia Petty. The committees for this festive party were, menu, Mrs. Robert Payne, Mrs. Sam Jones, Mrs. L. B. Brandes, Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner; entertainment, Mrs. H. L. Anderson, Mrs. Marvin Scheele, Mrs. Ben Brandes.

Trinity Lutheran Church
H. L. Anderson, Pastor
Sunday, November 23 Rev. H. L. Anderson delivered an inspiring sermon based on 1st Thess. 4:16-18 "The Life to Come." This memorial service was dedicated to those of our congregation who have departed this life in their faith.

Sunday evening a colored film "Kelgi of Zerzor," a Missionary film was shown.
November 27th Thanksgiving service 10:30 a. m. Everyone is welcomed to come and give thanks. The church will be decorated with the fruits of the harvest.

November 29th. No Confirmation or Junior Mission band.
November 30th. Sunday School 10 a. m. Divine Worship 11 a. m. with Holy Communion.
Candle Light Circle meets at 2:30 p. m.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS
The demand for gas-fired space heaters more than doubled between 1940 and 1950 in the United States, according to the Gas Appliance Manufacturers Association. For that extra room or attic that's had to heat, investigate the various types and styles that are available in space heaters.

Virginia Clemm was the wife of Edgar Allan Poe.

DDT Spray Protects

College Station. — A spray treatment with 5 percent DDT solution will protect your rugs and carpets from damage by moths and beetles.

Since wool rugs and attract clothes moths and et beetles throughout it is well to realize the insects recognize no well-heated home. J. C. Gaines, extension Texas Agricultural Service says with this treatment the United States Department of Agriculture laboratory at Georgia, have proved full. Results, the specialists show the 5 per cent DDT spray will protect carpets from damage and carpet beetles for a year.

To protect your rug specialist says, apply a 5 per cent DDT oil spray over both top and bottom faces, sufficient to make fibers. You can buy a household spray under a label of trade names, but label describing the brand for the 5 per cent DDT oil tents.

Mr. Gaines says a hand er does a good job of applying the spray to the rug and etc. "Be sure to mist uniformly on the top and tom to get longer lasting of the 5 per cent DDT oil he adds.

Elizabeth Seaman made around the world in 72 hours and 11 minutes, to the record of the character ated by Jules Verne.

USED CARS

NOW we have several good late model used cars on hand, both Chrysler and Plymouth. If you are in the market for a used car it will pay you to come in and see these. They are good ones.

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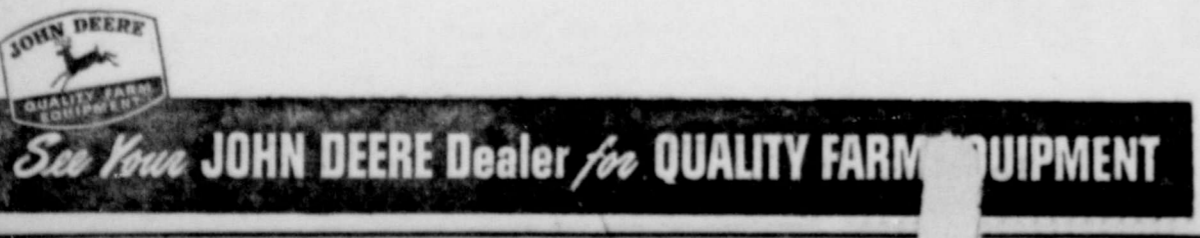
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We have a fine line of merchandise that will make ideal Christmas Gifts for the lady and the gentleman. Come in and see. Here's a few suggestions:

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 Fishing Tackle of all kinds
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 Coleman Lanterns
 Outboard Motors
 Sunbeam Electric Razors

GIFTS FOR HER

Sunbeam Mixmasters both with and without Juicers
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November 19th.

Bob Gibson, County Agent, gave an excellent demonstration November 19th on boning a turkey and making turkey steaks. Mrs. S. H. Tackett of the Fairview community, Floyd County, furnished a turkey for the demonstration and after the steaks were made she fried them and served them — so everyone present found out just how delicious they really are. This is a nice way to store some turkey in the food freezer.

Among those attending this demonstration were: Mrs. Tommy Byrd and Mrs. Charlie Ellerd of Petersburg; Mrs. Charlie Watson, Mrs. S. H. Tackett, Mrs. C. W. Payne, Mrs. Floyd Fuqua, Mrs. E. L. Turner, Mrs. L. L. Jones, Mrs. John A. Lloyd, Mrs. D. T. Mayo, Mrs. Harmon Roberts of Floydada communities and Mrs. Aiton Noland and Joyce Lanelle of Lockney community.

Wiley Rogers is in the Pitts Hospital with "flu."

Noland and Eunice Arney spent Sunday with the J. D. Wellborn's.

Thursday night, November 20th, the employees and their families and the Board of Directors and their families had their Thanksgiving dinner at the Co-op Kitchen. Turkey and all the trimmings were served.

Among those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Covington, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Hickerson and Pat, Opal Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Morckel, Mrs. J. H. Buchanan,

Mr. and Mrs. Corkey Guffee, Jimmie Hill, Wayne Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Weathersbee and Tommy, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Henry, Pat, Gaynelle and Niekey, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Rogers and Cecilia, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Neff and Vivian, Mr. and Mrs. Red Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Duke, Dale Smalley, Johnny Stutts, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Womack Jr. and Lane, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Noland Arney, Wayne Lee, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Grimes and Bert, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rushing, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Burton, Mr. and Mrs. Carriek Snodgrass, Mr. and Mrs. John Smitherman, P. M. Smitherman, Mr. and Mrs. Herman King and Ben Richard, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Harmel and sons.

The program was a film giving the highlights of the Southwest Conference football games in 1951.

The sewing machine demonstration given by Ray Tilson of Amarillo was well attended. Approximately 100 persons were in attendance.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all the people of this community for all that you have done for me and my family and sincerely hope that I may be in position to help you should you ever need it.

W. H. Weir.

OFFICE SUPPLIES at The Beacon Office.

Harmel Plugged And Abandoned

Lawless No. 1 Harmel, 12 miles south of Plainview, has been plugged and abandoned as dry at a total depth of 6,815, according to Jake Lawless, president of the Lawless Drilling Co., Odessa. This firm drilled the test on a farm out from Ray Allbaugh, Midland independent operator, who holds large lease acreage in that vicinity.

Lawless said the test was drilled all the way down with only surface casing.

He said that there was no oil shows worth running pipe on. Three drill stem tests were run and an electric log was made this week end by Schulumberger.

Lawless has folded his jackknife rig, awaiting another contract for it.

NEW ARRIVAL

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor a son who has been named Kenneth James. The young fellow made his appearance Thursday, November 20 at the McCarthy Medical Center in Plainview. He weighed exactly 8 pounds. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Taylor of Lockney.

Martha McChesney Berry was a Georgia philanthropist who founded a group of schools for the children of mountaineers of her native state.

Alaska has a longer ocean coastline than the United States. Alaska is known as "Seward's Folly." Alaska's easternmost point is 600 miles west of San Francisco.



WE'RE THANKFUL for many, many things, not the least among them being your generous patronage and friendship of the past year. May you and yours have a happy Thanksgiving.

LOCKNEY FROZEN FOODS

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THANKSGIVING

THANKSGIVING TIME has come again and we pause to express our thanks for your patronage, friendship and loyalty during the past year. It has been a great pleasure to serve you and we want to continue to serve you in the best way we know how. Please come in and visit with us at any time.

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A Day of Thanksgiving



For 330 years, since the first year after the original colonists landed at Plymouth Rock, Americans have paused following the harvest season to offer Thanksgiving for the benefits that have been theirs.

There have been lean years as well as those that were bountiful. Peace — the credo of all Christian men — has in some years been replaced by warfare and strife. But on every Thanksgiving occasion there has been much for which we — and our forefathers — could give thanks.

At this Thanksgiving season there will be those of us who will discount the riches and blessings that have been our lot. But now — as never before in history — humanity looks to the United States for Thanksgiving. And all our people can be thankful that we share our bounty with the peoples of other lands in the cause of a permanent peace.

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Dykes' Formal Opening Dec. 5-6

Dykes Electric of Lockney will hold formal opening on Friday and Saturday, December 5 and 6 and during these days a number of visitors at the store will be given some free merchandise including a new Frigidaire electric range, according to announcement this week.

The local electrical appliance firm will send small keys through the mail to everyone in this territory and some of the keys will fit a "Treasure Chest"

at the firm's store here. If the key fits then the visitor receives a gift of electrical merchandise. If not then he may register for the electric range which will be given away Saturday, December 6.

Dewey Dykes of Dimmitt and his father, D. A. Dykes of Hale Center, bought out the Plains Electric store here in September and since have remodeled the interior of the building and have received a large quantity of Frigidaire appliances as well as other electrical supplies. They are now holding their formal opening and are hoping to get better acquainted with the people of the community.

Record Number—

(Continued from Page 1)
 Fred Clark, Hart, Texas.
 John D. Jamison, Plainview.
 Harland L. Cansler, Amarillo.
 Jesse J. Flowers, Amarillo.
 Leroy A. Sims, Plainview.
 Lloyd W. Armstrong, Plainview, Texas.
 Horace M. Donley, South Plains, Texas.
 Don M. Stout, Plainview, Tex.
 Billy G. Turner, Lockney, Tex.
 Elmer L. Parks, Roaring Springs, Texas.
 Basil D. Huguley, Hale Center, Texas.
 C. B. Lewis, Tulia, Texas.
 Barry R. Thompson, Lockney.
 The following listed registrants have been transferred to this board and will be examined with the above group:
 Bitsy A. Miller, Tulia, Texas.
 Atanacio Lbarra, Lockney.
 Kenneth L. Beam, Plainview.
 Reynaldo Hernandez, Mission.
 Noe de Leon, Pharr, Texas.
 George O. Fike, Edinburg, Tex.
 Ruben D. Solis, Hargill, Tex.
 Hampton Polk, Bennington.
 Manuel Tovar, Odem, Texas.
 Julio M. Ambriz, Ben Arnold.
 Victoriane H. Jiron, Tulia.
 Curtis G. Harvey, Petersburg.
 Alfonso L. Urbano, Weslaco.

Hospital News

Patients in hospital:
 Mrs. Ella Marr, medical.
 Juan Garcia, medical.
 Grace Marshall, medical.
 George Wilson is receiving treatment for injuries received in a gin accident Nov. 22.
 Floyd Barber Sr. is receiving treatment for injuries received in a car accident Nov. 24.
 Bill Sherman underwent major surgery Nov. 22.
 Mrs. Pat Adams and baby.
 Mrs. Eustolio Gonzales and baby.
Dismissed:
 Joe Rodriguez.
 Mrs. Viola Ferguson.
 Manuel Ibarra.
 J. H. Fowler.
 Paula Rochoa.
 Rosa Marie Rodriguez.
 Mary Margaret Guidry.
 Mrs. M. L. Brewer.
 Rafael Silvegra.
 Mrs. Juan Mercado and baby.
 Mrs. Ester Felon and baby.
 Mrs. W. B. Mullins.
New Arrivals:
 Mr. and Mrs. Pat Adams are parents of a daughter born Nov. 23. She weighed 6 lbs., 8 ounces and has been named Vicky Lynn.
 Mr. and Mrs. Tony Felon are parents of a son born Nov. 24. He weighed 7 pounds and has been named Roberto.
 Mr. and Mrs. Juan Mercado are parents of a son born Nov. 23. He has been named Victor.
 Mr. and Mrs. Eustolio Gonzales are parents of a son born November 24. He weighed 6 lbs., 3 ounces and was named Isaac.

CAREER GIRL CHIC



Stark white corduroy outlined neatly in black, a matching black skirt and a red cotton diekey—all add up to a dream of a career girl outfit. Designed by Stanley Wyllins of Beacon Hill, each piece may be used in other combinations for economy in wardrobe planning. Business papers, cosmetics, even overnight duds go in the plaid cotton swag bag!

Floydada Soldier Sent To Alaska

Big Delta, Alaska. — Pvt. Warner D. Goen, whose wife, Jo, lives at 707 N. Lincoln, Amarillo, Texas, has been assigned to the Army's Arctic Center at Big Delta, Alaska.
 Located deep in the Alaskan mountains, the Arctic Center is the Army's cold-weather testing and training station.
 Goen, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Goen, Floydada, previously was stationed at Fort Bliss, Texas.
 He entered the Army in May of this year.

Doctrinal Meeting At Floydada Church

The Brotherhood of the Floyd County Baptist Association and the Brotherhood of the First Baptist Church of Floydada are jointly sponsoring "Baptist Doctrinal Week" at the First Baptist Church, Floydada December 1-4. It was announced this week. The meetings will begin at 7 p. m. each evening.
 Dr. H. L. Fickett, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Galveston, will speak on "What Baptists Believe Doctrinally" and Dr. A. A. Davis will speak on "What Baptists Believe Historically."
 The public is invited to attend.

6-County Singing Convention To Meet

The Six-County Singing Convention will meet at the High School Auditorium in Floydada Sunday, it was announced this week by B. R. Bassell of Plainview, project.
 The singing will begin at 1:30 and everyone is invited to attend, Mr. Bassell said. Other officers are C. M. Lyles, vice president and Mrs. Earl Raper, secretary.

Lockney High Band In Plainview Parade

The Lockney High School Band took part in the Wayland Homecoming parade in Plainview Saturday morning at ten o'clock. The new nylon flags recently purchased made the performance very attractive. They were invited to attend a barbecue, however most of the members had to return home before the event took place.

Van Buren was the first U. S. President born a citizen of this country.

Illiteracy runs 25 per cent of the population of the South American republics.

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Urges Support Of Library Drive

(Editor's note: The following article dealing with the Floyd County Library project has been submitted by a member of the library committee and is worthy of your reading. Consider its content and you will be understood the entire project.)

OUR LIBRARY

At last one of the many dreams of the people of Floyd County is to be fulfilled — that of having a Free Public Library. This week and next have been set aside for us to make our donations to this worthy cause. Perhaps among us are those who wish to remember some beloved one by donating books or funds in his memory. What greater memorial can we offer that to create a library which may be regarded as the solemn chamber in which a man may take counsel with all who have been wise, and great, and good, and glorious among the men that have gone before him. When we consider even the smallest chosen library, we find that a company of the wisest and wittiest man that could be picked out of all civil countries, in a thousand years, have set in order the results of their learning and wisdom. A library contains the diary of the human race! Next to acquiring good friends, the best acquisition is that of good books. Therefore, when a worker calls on you for your donation to your library, ask him about this Memorial Shelf. Don't let him leave empty handed.

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A HAPPY THANKSGIVING

We wish for everyone of you a happy Thanksgiving. Most of us have things to be happy about on this Thanksgiving Day in 1952 and we should take time to express our thanks.

To our faithful friends and members we extend our thanks for patronage and goodwill. You have us many happy Thanksgivings and we sincerely appreciate it.

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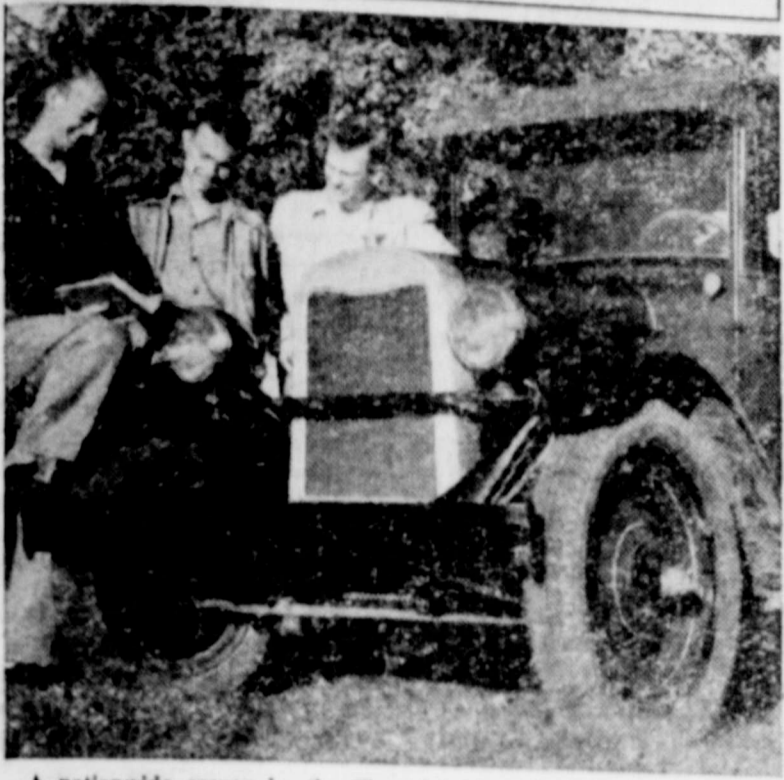
This great National Holiday has endured for 300 years because of its very fitting purpose — that to give thanks for blessings from God. Let us all pause at this time to express our thanks to Him.

And we also wish to thank you for your many favors to us. We hope that we may be permitted to serve you for many years yet.

Baxter & Smith Grain Co.

Lockney

Ancient Car Aids Education



A nationwide survey by the Chevrolet Motor Division of old cars on college campuses credits this 1926, four-cylinder coupe with being "most useful." The ancient vehicle is almost literally putting (l. to r.) Keith, Wayne and Norman Brown through school. It is their link between their farm home near Ames, Ia. and the educational facilities of Iowa State University. Week-ends the 26-year-old Chevrolet is employed on farm chores.

Tom Thumb's real name was America's first billionaire was Charles Sherwood Stratton. John D. Rockefeller.

Longhorns Close Season With Win

The Lockney Longhorns closed their 1952 season with a win last Friday night, defeating New Deal in a district game 27 to 13. The game was an offensive battle from the start with both teams gaining almost at will.

First downs were Longhorns 13 and New Deal 18. However yardage gained was about even and the Longhorns' long runs counted for more scores for the locals although making fewer first downs.

Offensive star of the game was C. B. Smart, Longhorn half-back Smart, playing his usual good game, was an elusive runner and hard to stop. The New Deal boys almost had to hem him up to stop him. Bill Sherman, although playing with an injured knee again proved to be the defensive star for the Longhorns, along with Denny Quisenberry, tackle, Joe Taylor and Orland Gilbert, guards, and several other Longhorns.

Norton Baker, fullback, and Jimmy Williams at quarterback, gained consistently against the big New Deal line and Williams completed four passes out of seven attempts, one of them for a touchdown.

The Lions completed seven of 10 pass attempts for a good percentage. Penalties were Lockney 25 yards, New Deal 35 yards. Breaks were about even with the Longhorns intercepting one New Deal pass and the Lions recovering one Longhorn fumble.

The Longhorns scored quickly with Bill Sherman intercepting a New Deal pass on the first series of downs by the Lions and returning it for a touchdown for the Longhorns, Sherman also kicked the point to make the score 7-0.

The Lions weren't to be denied, however and immediately started a drive after taking the kick off back to their own 32. They made first downs on the 44, on the Longhorn 41, on the 23, on the 7 and then drove over for the score. They passed for the point and the score was 7-7.

The Longhorns received and Teddy Carthel returned the ball to the Lockney 46. The local lads made first downs on the New Deal 43, 30 and then a pass interference was called on New Deal giving the Longhorns a first down on the 4. However a 15 yard penalty appeared to dim their chances to score here but Smart took the ball, started around end, cut back and went over standing up. Sherman again kicked the point and the score was 14-7.

The Lions started another drive from their own 34 but Allen Ray Pinner, defensive half-back, broke through to toss the ball carrier for a 10 yard loss and the Longhorns took over on their own 35.

A long pass from Williams to Smart was good for a first down on New Deal 26 but a fumble here gave the Lions the ball on their own 15.

New Flags For Band
The Longhorn Band came out on the field at the half time with new flags, recently presented to the band by the Band Mothers Club. The two new flags, the American flag and the School flag, added a great deal to the appearance of the band. The band members formed a NDH for New Deal High in front of the east stands and then an LH in front of the west stands.

The Longhorns received starting the third period returning the ball to the Lockney 43. Smart drove to a first down on the New Deal 24, and a pass from Williams to Smart was good for a first down on the New Deal 7. Smart carried over on the third play of the series to make the score 20-7. Try for point failed.

The Lions immediately tried to score. On the kick-off the Lion ball carrier carried back to his own 44 and was stopped by the last man who had a chance to get him, Bill Sherman. The Lions continued their drive making first downs on the Longhorn 36, on the 25, were penalized 15 but a pass gave them a first down on the 2 yard line. They drove over in three plays, made the point and the score was 20-14.

Carthel again took the kick getting back to his own 41. The Longhorns made first downs on the New Deal 46, 33, 17 and then Williams passed to Carthel for the touchdown. Sherman kicked the point and the score was 27-14.

The Lions started another drive, mixing passes up with running plays and driving to a first down on the Lockney 7. Here a 15 yard penalty set them back but they still drove back to the Lockney 2 yard line before the ball went to the Longhorns.

The Longhorns drove out, with this series revealing some new plays the boys had been taught wherein Joe Taylor and Orland Gilbert, guards made eligible to carry the ball and did a creditable job of it too. Teddy Carthel, end, also got into the ball carrying business. The drive stalled on the New Deal 40 and the Lions came right back with their passes clicking making a first down on the Longhorn 6. An attempted pass was not good and a fumble on second down lost 15 yards for the Lions as the game ended.

Playing their last game for the Longhorns Friday night were Teddy Carthel, Aubrey Cox and Roger Conner, ends; Kenneth Williams, Johnny B. Griffin and Elmo Fortenberry, tackles; Joe Taylor and Orland Gilbert, guards; John Alvin Dorman, center; Bill Sherman, Norton Baker, C. B. Smart and Lewis Foster, backs.

Early fresh apples usually have so much flavor of their own that sauce made from them needs no extra seasoning.

Woodrow Wilson said the hardest job of a president was to keep his temper.

A Latin American mestizo is a half-breed, a cross between Indian and white.

The proper time for Easter was settled upon in the year 325.



TURKEY DAY!

And it's time to pause and review the good things that have come to us the past year. We especially appreciate your friendship and patronage and we trust our pleasant associations may continue.

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THANKSGIVING DAY

Who has more to be thankful for than we who live in America? Who has been blessed more than the people of this nation? Let us all pause at this Thanksgiving time to express our thanks for every good thing.

And we extend our thanks to you for your favors of the past.

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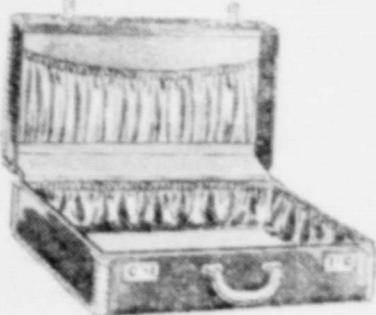
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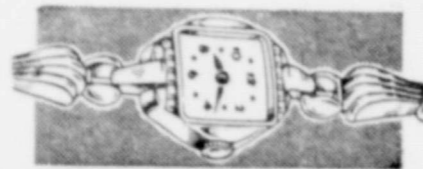
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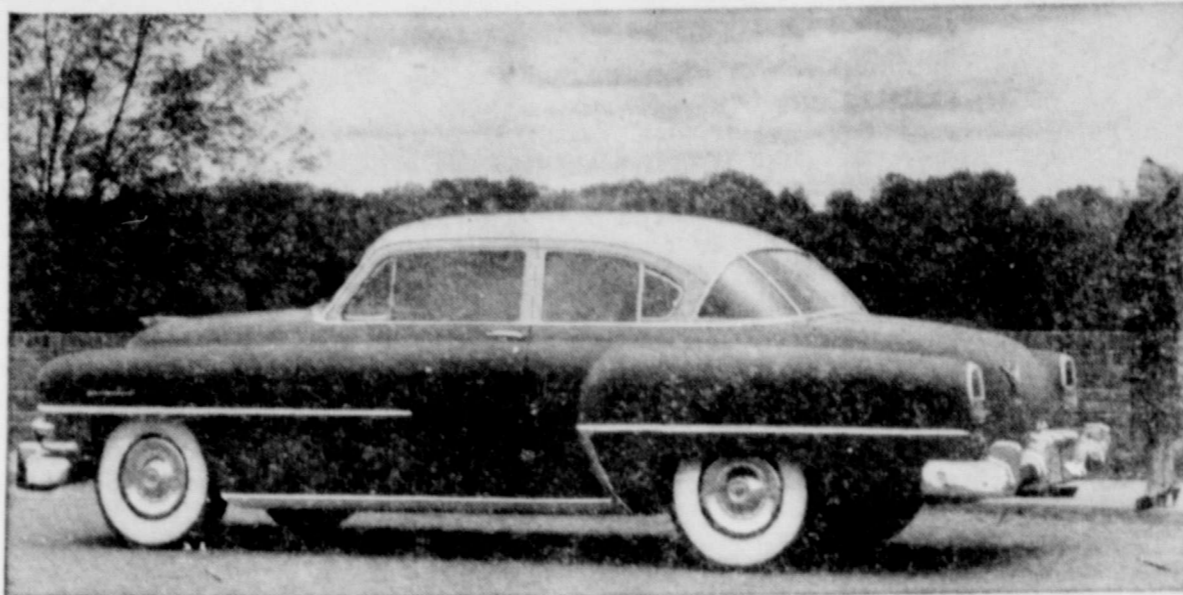


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1953 CHRYSLER NEW YORKER CLUB COUPE



Smart new lines mark the 1953 Chrysler New Yorker club coupe. New Yorker models are offered in a choice of 6-passenger sedan, club coupe, special Newport club coupe, Town and Country wagon and 8-passenger sedan on a wheelbase of 125 1/2 inches. Powered by the Chrysler 180-horsepower FirePower V-8 engine, they feature power brakes and Oriflow shock absorbers as standard equipment. They are available with full-time power steering as optional equipment.

Prices Announced For 1953 Chrysler

Detroit. — Chrysler Division of Chrysler Corporation today announced prices of its new 1953 Chrysler passenger cars.

Prices on some new 1953 eight-cylinder models, are lower than on 1952 models, while prices on the 1953 six-cylinder models have been moderately increased.

The 1953 Chrysler line includes for the first time a New Yorker Deluxe series as well as a New Yorker series which was in the 1952 line, and also a new Custom Imperial series in two body styles. It does not include the Saratoga which was offered in 1952.

In the 1953 line the New Yorker six-passenger sedan has a factory retail price at factory, Detroit, Michigan (exclusive of taxes and delivery and handling charges) of \$3124.00 and the 1953 New Yorker Deluxe six-passenger sedan is priced at \$3274.00. The 1952 New Yorker six-passenger sedan was priced at \$3278.96.

The 1953 New Yorker Newport

is priced at \$3512.00 and the New Yorker Deluxe Newport at \$3662.00. The 1952 New Yorker Newport was \$3687.39.

The New Yorker Deluxe convertible coupe in the 1953 line is priced at \$3738.00. The 1952 New Yorker convertible coupe was \$3802.11.

New this year in the 1953 New Yorker series are the club coupe priced at \$3097.00, the eight-passenger sedan at \$4053.00 and the Town & Country Wagon at \$3787.00.

The two models in the new 1953 Custom Imperial series are a six-passenger sedan priced at \$3925.00 and a town limousine at \$4425.00.

Prices of the Crown Imperial eight-passenger sedan and the Crown Imperial limousine will be announced later.

Factory retail prices of the six-cylinder Windsor and Windsor Deluxe cars for 1953 at factory, Detroit, Michigan, are increased an average of \$73.35 or 2.92 per cent above the 1952 prices.

Driver and passenger visibility has been considerably improved and a feeling of lightness in the top design in the new Chrysler is achieved by the more extensive use of glass. The

total glass area has been increased from 23.3 to 25.0 square feet, and includes a new one-piece wrap-around curved windshield.

The new Chryslers are one inch lower than the previous models, measuring 62 1/2 inches in height. Despite the lower over-all height, head room has been slightly increased.

The gasoline filler pipe has been relocated below the lower left-hand corner of the rear deck opening, permitting a cleaner rear fender appearance and easier fueling of the car.

The interiors of the new Chryslers are completely new with beautiful styling to match the new exterior design. The ledge between the top of the dash and the windshield is now covered with a non-reflecting vinyl material which cuts down glare and reflection. All instruments are grouped above the speedometer and directly in front of the wheel to provide visibility and permit safer driving.

Chrysler for 1953 is offered in fifteen solid colors and in seven two-tone color combinations. New upholstery materials are available in thirty-five different

fabrics and leathers.

An important contribution to night-time safety on the highway is made by the new combination of lighting switch and circuit breaker. Failures of the lighting circuit due to a "short" affect only a part of the entire lighting system, and the car is not plunged into total darkness. As some lights continue to burn, protection is afforded against the inability of another driver to see the car on the highway.

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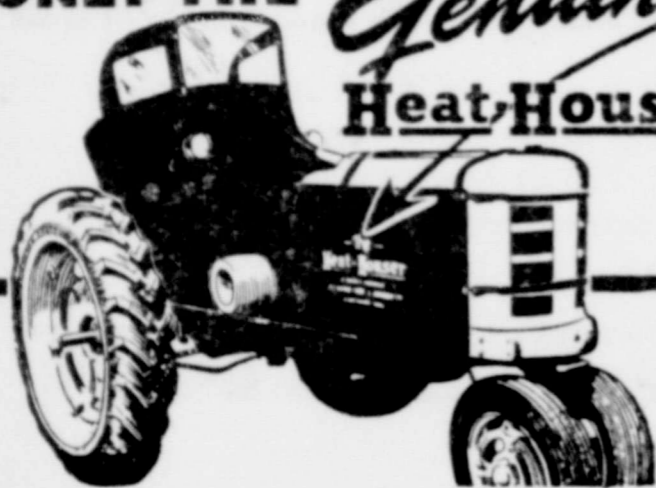
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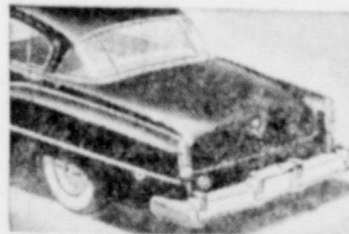
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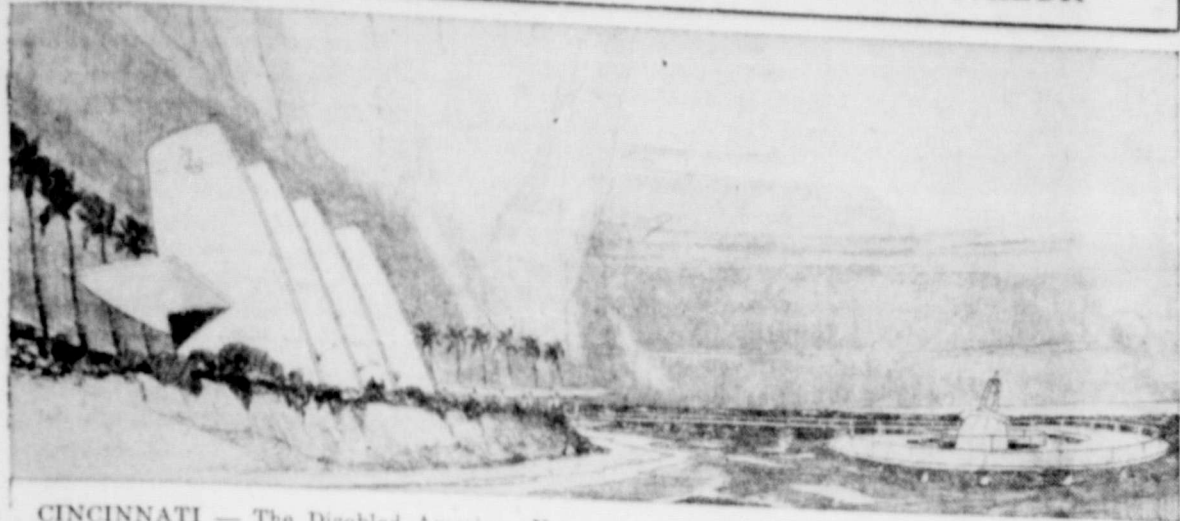
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PROPOSED DAV MEMORIAL TO UNKNOWN SAILOR



CINCINNATI — The Disabled American Veterans in cooperation with the Department of Defense, will construct the Grave of the Unknown Sailor at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, as a fitting tribute to the heroic Navy dead, comparable to the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier in Arlington. At its recent national convention in Boston the DAV voted to underwrite the estimated \$75,000 cost among its membership. The memorial, designed by Paul R. Williams, who helped design the United Nations building in Paris, will have four circular pylons, 35 feet high, with a curved ramp running out into the water and circling a buoy on which will be a dedicatory plaque. Three rooms in the land structure will be used as chapels. DAV officials hope to break ground for the memorial in the near future.

Kitchen And Field News

from Floyd County Rural Electric Cooperative, Inc. by Nancy Morckel and Claude Weathersbee, Electrification Advisers

November is here—this means Thanksgiving is coming soon. Humbly before God and proudly before man we give thanks. I'm sure we all agree with Virginia Catherine Oliver — she said, "Thanksgiving is a time for remembering, and what memories are ours! We who dwell in a land where freedom prevails and where honor and righteousness is our code remember the solid foundation upon which our nation is built. As a people we stand united in an effort to preserve that which is our heritage. For the opportunities and privileges which have benefited us as individuals and as a nation, and for the blessings which have been bestowed upon us. We are grateful. In our hearts we give thanks that we can say to all the world, I AM AN AMERICAN!"

W. H. Bunch and Roy Fawver, both of the Lakeview Community, Floyd County, have connected irrigation wells this past week. John Hoffman of Route 4, Floydada, says they like their new television set. He asked us to come out some evening and enjoy it with them. Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hickerson and Pat; and L. A. Sargent, visited in Lubbock Sunday. The Hickersons visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Curry. Mr. Curry, who was in an accident last July is still under the care of a bone specialist in Fort Worth. He is im-

proving but plans to return to Fort Worth again this week for treatment. Mr. Sargent visited with his sister, Mrs. Ed Corcoran.

Red Gregory and Arthur Womack, Jr., are back from the meter school they attended at A & M. College last week. They feel that they got a lot of worth while information that will be helpful every day in their work.

John Nay left Thursday for Phoenix, Arizona, where he will make his home. We regretted very much losing John from our Co-op family. He had been bookkeeper since August 1951. He did an excellent job and we will miss him. The Co-op personnel and the directors wish for John and Mrs. Nay much happiness.

Talked with H. W. Schacht in Lockney Saturday afternoon — was so glad to learn that their son, Henry Neil is home from Korea, where he had been for the past year. Henry Neil did outstanding work as a 4-H Club boy in Floyd County.

Leslie Ferguson, County Chairman for CROP (Christian Rural Overseas Program) in Floyd County said Saturday that he didn't have a report from over the county but the trailer he had placed had approximately a bale and a half of cotton in it at that time. Let's not forget this worthy cause.

Ernest Lee Thomas, J. R. Holmes, C. C. Burns, Melvin Henry, Raymond Irby, Lewis Day, D. M. Moore, E. R. Melton, Roe Jones, C. W. Denison, John Shipley, H. G. Watts, J. H. Buchanan, L. T. Hickerson, D. D. Turner, and

Mrs. V. D. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Matsler, D. M. Moore, Dona Covington and Opal Rogers, all of Floydada and vicinity; Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Marble of South Plains; Mrs. E. C. Watson and Mrs. Alva Boren of Petersburg; Mrs. Jack Stansell, Mrs. Claude Hammitt and Mrs. R. G. Dunlap of Lockney; Mrs. Sid Hastings and Mrs. Claude Watson of Matador; Mrs. Bertram Jack and Mrs. L. D. Chiles of Friona; Mrs. Doris Moore of Childress; Mrs. Loyd Watts of Plainview and Mrs. Bennie McEwin of San Antonio.

Plans are being made for the turkey steak demonstration on Wednesday, November 19th by Bob Gibson, County Agent, and for the sewing machine demonstration by Ray Tilson of Amarillo on November 21st, Friday morning and afternoon. Looking forward to seeing any who are interested in these demonstrations.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Try something tasty — take two thin patties of hamburgers, place between them a well-seasoned bread dressing, pinch edges together and pan-fry on the top burner of your range.

OPS Raises Ceiling Price On Cigarettes

Dallas. — The Office of Price Stabilization has issued an order, effective November 8, which will have the effect of slightly raising cigarette ceiling prices from one to three cents a carton.

Frank C. Tomlinson, OPS regional restaurant and foods chief, announced in Dallas that his agency did not expect the authorized ceiling price adjustment to have any effect on the price of an individual pack of cigarettes.

Mr. Tomlinson declared that a recently completed OPS survey indicates it is necessary for cigarette distributors to include the November, 1951 excise tax increase as part of their cost if they are to realize their "customary percentage margins" as required by the Herlong amendment to the Defense Production Act.

Accordingly, the OPS action allows wholesale and retail cigarette distributors to include all the Federal excise tax as part of their cost in applying customary percentage markups to determine their ceiling prices.

Under the new order, distributors will now be permitted to include the ten-cent a carton increase in the Federal excise tax which went into effect November 1, 1951, they have been permitted merely to tack on the exact amount of this increase after the markups were computed.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

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- One 1950 model G John Deere Tractor, butane equipped and 4 row equipment.
- One 1948 model A John Deere Tractor, butane equipped and 4 row equipment.
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- One 1952 model Crust Buster.
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- Two 4 section John Deere Harrows.
- One 2 section John Deere Harrow.
- One 16 foot Spring Tooth Harrow.
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- One 10 ft. West State Land Leveller, 1952 model.
- One 8 row Farmmore Cotton Spray, 1951 model.
- One 16-10 John Deere Van Brunt Grain Drill, 1949 model.
- One John Deere heavy duty Side Delivery Rake.
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- One set of John Deere Rotary Fenders.
- Two Butane Tractor Filler Hose.
- One set of 4 Row Markers.
- One Tractor Guide.
- One B Drag Type Ditcher.

- One 9 bale Cotton Trailer (Built this year).
- One 5 bale Cotton Trailer (Built this year).
- One 4 bale Cotton Trailer (Built this year).
- One 2 wheel Trailer, 8 ft. bed and truck tires.
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- One 2 wheel Steel Army Trailer.
- One 12 foot Stock Trailer.
- One 4 wheel, model T runnings gear, good for feed Trailer.
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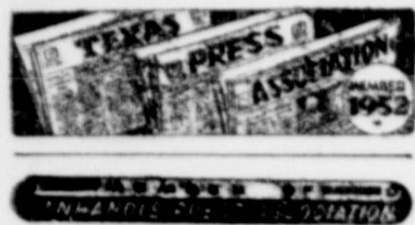
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EDITORIAL

Enter into his gates with thanksgiving and into his courts with praise; be thankful unto him and bless his name. — Psalm 100:4.

American people are noted for abusing holidays. Most of us completely forget the real significance of the day, whatever it is, and concentrate on what we can make it mean to us as to pleasure and profit. On the Fourth of July very few people stop to realize the real meaning of the holiday. Of course, all of us realize, in a vague way that it is Independence Day but do we stop to think what it could mean to us if we had never had our independence or if we should lose it?

At Christmas time, we spend the day or days in revelry and overeating and some even in drinking and debauchery when the event is really to celebrate the birth of the Saviour of the World who certainly doesn't approve of most of the things we do on His birthday. We completely miss the significance of the day.

So it is with Thanksgiving. The Pilgrims of old set aside the

day to give thanks for blessings but very few of America's children use the day for such. Most use it as a day for amusement and visiting with no thought for giving thanks. Surely some time during the day all of us could pause long enough to give thanks for our blessings, for our friends, for the many things we have that others do not have. That's what the day is for.

The drive is on this week to raise money to inaugurate the Floyd County library. The ladies who make this drive should get a cordially reception and a worthy response from the people they contact. This library is a worthwhile undertaking and one that will be of great benefit to every school student who will take advantage of it. Not only will Lockney and Floydada have branches of the library but the rural schools as well, according to plans laid down last week by the library committee. It appears that the library committee, appointed last week by the Commissioners Court, plans to make the project a real county-wide institution and that is as it should be. So when you are asked to contribute to a fund to get the library started be as generous as you feel you can be — and remember the ladies are working for the benefit of your child — and they get no pay for their work.

As we understand the situation, the \$4800 per year appropriated by the Court will be sufficient to operate on but it isn't enough to stock the library and get it into operation, hence the drive for an extra \$5,000 to get it started. Let's all give a push.

It has been called to our attention by a lady of this area that some are dumping trash and rubbish in bar ditches and lakes with no thought of the results of their carelessness. Certainly it is a careless thing to dump trash by the side of the road or into a lake belonging to your neighbor. It is unsightly, unsanitary and unneighborly. If we have pride in our county and our community we will go to the extra trouble of carrying rubbish to the junk yard where it belongs and keep our fields and roadsides clean. If a community is careless in little things it is also careless in big things. Let's watch the little things.

Our story last week concerning raising of land values may have misled you concerning tax on irrigation wells. What it should have said was that a valuation for tax purposes of \$300 on 6-inch wells, \$500 on 8-



With Our EXCHANGES

SCHOOL TEACHING DEMOCRACY CANNOT BE WHOLLY OBJECTIVE

Educators are still debating the big question of how much "Americanism" should be taught in the country's schools in the interest of good citizenship. A good many believe as does Dr. William F. Russell, president of Teachers College at Columbia University, who said recently: "The best way to beat a Communist is to face him with citizens who know and love their country, who both understand and revere its ideals, and who can recognize these ideals and apply them in the ordinary situations of everyday life."

Such teachers feel it is the school's job to create this kind of understanding, and that consequently they must develop programs to promote study of U. S. ideals and principles.

Others say the function of any school system is above all to remain neutral and objective, to steer clear of political turmoil, to take no sides in any phase of life. That's the way

inch wells, and \$750.00 on 10-inch wells had been levied by the Commissioners Court. This means that the tax on wells will actually amount to only a few dollars.

cut our own system. There is a many European countries have it.

The goal of objectivity is wholly commendable. But there seems to be good reason why it cannot be adhered to perfectly in teaching young Americans about their government.

Long ago we made a subjective decision — as a people — to have a democratic form of government. To work well, such a system pre-supposes a well-informed, educated populace. Education for all is thus an indispensable element in democracy. How else can you get sound popular choices?

That education ought to include a highly critical look at the very system we live by. We should be able to examine honestly all the faults of democracy in practice. And we should be able to study all other systems of government coolly, noting strong points and weaknesses.

Communism, today the most powerful rival system, unquestionably should be on every teaching agenda in America. But that does not mean that teachers should be allowed to advocate communism, to under-

huge difference between explaining and promoting.

But, by the same token, we should not hold our teachers to simply explaining the American approach to government. For we want our budding citizens to go forth not as scholars in comparative government but as defenders of a faith, champions of the free system we have. And most educators are agreed we cannot do that if we stay strictly neutral. In this one fundamental field, at least, we must promote.

To do so may violate the notion of pure scholastic objectivity. But we're not now and never have been living in a world where one can afford to be neutral about his own kind of government. And nobody has suggested so far that any agency of our society is better equipped than the school to do the job. — Wichita Falls Record News.

RESENTED AND FEARED

I keep hearing lately that a general sales tax bill will be introduced in the next session of Congress. There has been also no little talk of an income tax law that will prohibit such tax from exceeding 25 per cent of the income taxed. Both of which measures would be directed toward the lifting of the tax burden from those eminently able to pay and shifting it to the very poorest of the land. A tax on liquor to the economic maximum I enjoy; a tax on amusements I favor; a tax on gambling I am in favor of, but the taxation of the necessities of life — the scantest of food and the meanest of clothing — is a thing to be presented and feared by all thoughtful people. — You Be the Judge in Crosbyton Review.

MAN'S WEAKNESSES

Each time I am prompted to hold some man in contempt, I am reminded of my own weakness, my obvious inadequacies and the long window of failures which trace the course of my life. Therefore I am prone to seek, instead, his friendship and profound peace of mind. — Trail Dust in Matador Tribune.

Warren G. Harding is the only President of the United States ever to visit Alaska. He did so in 1923.

Long Ago In Lockney

Items of interest from the files of The Lockney Beacon.

July 3, 1914
W. L. Vaughn, Superintendent of schools at Lockney, was in Plainview yesterday. Mr. Vaughn says that the outlook for crops around Lockney is fine. Everybody is happy and money is beginning to circulate freely.

Lockney Public School employs ten teachers. Prof. E. C. Nix, Dean of Wayland was in Lockney schools before going to Plainview.

Threshing is now underway in Floyd County. The yield of wheat and oats will be fine.

The year and half old child of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Norris drank gasoline Sunday evening and came near dying.

Zeb Reed left Tuesday for Dallas to attend a conference of Ball workers.

Judge J. N. Stalbird went to Plainview Wednesday on business.

February 2, 1923
E. Guthrie has been made president of the community Chamber of Commerce; secretary is W. W. Angel. Goal for membership has been set at 500 active paying members and 500 ladies as honorary members.

Names of those who drew premiums Wednesday at the final trade's day event included: Mrs. F. F. Hendrix, \$25; Mrs. J. W. Poe, \$15; Mrs. J. B. Harper, \$10; Floyd Ashworth, \$5; Mrs. Donnie Watson, \$5; Bert Bobbit, \$5 and several others.

The last trades day for Lockney drew immense crowds to town.

Captain C. S. Musbaum is in a large measure responsible for the organization of the Lockney Community Commerce. He is doing a fine work.

Lonnie Morgan, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Stalcup died January 26 near Runningwater of pneumonia and was buried

in Lockney afternoon. He was age. Elder Chas. Sandhill conducted

Frank L. M. Verdine Snodgrass and wife were married afternoon at 4 Baptist parsonage. Horton performed

Mr. and Mrs. entertained friends at a sumptuous dinner. Those attending son and family, and family, Joe family, A. B. B. ily.

Wednesday at bride's parents, L. L. Whitt, Miss Whitt and Dr. C. were united in Liff Sanders offic

July 9,
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Robert Luther died at the Plainview Sunday night operation for appendicitis survived by his wife Linnie King and also his parents, T. F. Casey; the Johns and Hilbur Roseland commu Casey; four sisters Cox, Mrs. W. L. C. H. Rose, Mrs. G.

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BAPTIST BULLETIN

First Baptist Church

LOCKNEY, TEXAS

J. R. NAYLOR, Pastor GERALD JOHNSON, Music and Ed. Dir.

WAYLAND INTERNATIONAL CHOIR . . .

Coming December 2. Those of you who heard this choir last spring will rejoice to know that they are coming again. The offering taken at the intermission will go into the Wayland College Girls Dormitory Fund.

CHARLES WRIGHT . . .

licensed to the Ministry last Wednesday. Pray for this young couple who have enrolled in Decatur Baptist College.

TWO BIG OFFERINGS COMING UP . . .

December 7th is the day set aside to receive an offering to erase our church debt of \$8,000.00, redecorate our building and to purchase an organ. On December 21st we will receive our annual Lottie Moon Foreign Mission Offering. This offering was just a little over thirty-three hundred dollars last year. Is it too much to expect such an offering again?

EVERY WOMAN OF THE CHURCH . . .

is urged to attend the Week of Prayer for Foreign Missions Program each morning, Monday through Friday at 9:30, of the week of December 1-5. The climax of the week is the Friday program beginning at 10:30 with a covered dish luncheon, a season of prayer and the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering in the afternoon. The theme of the programs are: Lovest Thou Me? . . . Feed My Sheep. The programs are informative, inspirational, and will prove a blessing to all who will attend.

LAST SUNDAY

Department	Bible School	T. U.
Adult	90	67
Young People	29	22
Intermediates	40	25
Juniors	46	32
Primarys	38	16
Beginner	23	8
Nursery	28	12
Total	294	182

Additions:
Mrs. Marie Clarrie, by letter.

Offering . . . \$352.62

PASTOR'S GUESTS LAST SUNDAY . . .

was the Junior Department. Bro. LaRue Glenn is the Supt. The Juniors have 79 enrolled and had 46 present, with a grade of 60. Next Sunday morning the pastor will have as his special guests the Primary Department. Mrs. J. B. Allen is the Superintendent.

TITHING IS THE TEST OF LOVE
"If ye love me, keep my commandments" (John 14:15); "Bring ye all the tithes into the storehouse" (Mal. 3:10).

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Frank Berry and Floydada spent with her mother, Mr. High...

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Mitchell took their son, Larry to Dallas Thursday for a second medical treatment. They returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Harvey Cash and Mrs. O. J. Lass of Plainview visited Mrs. Lula Woodburn Friday.



HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

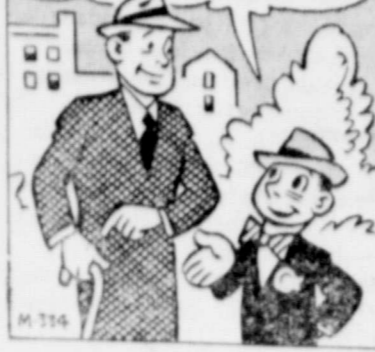
WISH for everyone of you a happy Thanksgiving Day and trust that you are much to be thankful for. Be thankful, among other things, for the blessings that have been ours and the opportunity to serve and the hope that we may continue to have such opportunity for many years. Thank you for your patronage.

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HOME FOR THANKSGIVING

Miss Myra Applewhite arrived Friday to spend the Thanksgiving holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Applewhite at Lone Star. Myra is a student at Southwestern Baptist Seminary, Fort Worth. Her sister, Felicia, student at Baylor University, Waco plans to accompany Mr. and Mrs. Sid B. Thomas, also Baylor students, home Wednesday night. Felicia will remain here until the spring semester. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas will return to Waco after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Thomas Sr., here and with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Jones in Amarillo. Stanley Conner, another Baylor student will also be home to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Conner.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Foster, Eddie Joe and Betty Jean plan to spend the Thanksgiving holidays visiting in El Paso, Texas, Ruidoso, N. M. and Juarez, Mexico and in Artesia, N. M. with Mrs. Foster's mother. They will return home Sunday.

Visitors in the Ira Cox home from Wednesday until Saturday were Mrs. Cox's brothers, Pamerson and Oscar Owens from Farmersville, Texas. They also visited in the James Cox home in Plainview.

Mrs. W. S. Rexrode spent several days last week in Crowell visiting friends.

Baptist Notes

MONEY TALKS BACK
They do me an injustice who say that I am the cause of all the woes in the world.

I am an obedient servant, running on your errands, I am sent. I am always under orders. Give me an opportunity, and I will build the highways of peace to which humanity may enter the kingdom of God.

Loose me and let me go, and I will carry healing to the suffering victims of hate and malice around the world.

Open the doors for me, and I will build hospitals, train nurses, care for little children, comfort the aged, and provide food for the hungry.

I know no color lines, I serve all men with equal fidelity. Give me the chance and I will train youth in the highest and holiest ideals of Christian democracy.

Just a little of me is necessary to establish and maintain institutions that build character. Much of me is necessary if invested in police courts and penal institutions.

Make me an ally of righteousness, and I will do much to bring in the kingdom of God. I am power.

I am waiting to serve the Lord.—First Baptist Messenger, Little Rock.

J. R. Naylor, Pastor

ATTEND P. T. A. CONVENTION

Mrs. E. J. Foster, president of the Lockney Parent-Teacher Association, Mrs. Hershel Carthel, district officer and Mrs. J. R. Belt spent from Tuesday until Friday of last week in Wichita Falls attending the annual P. T. A. Convention. The ladies report that the meeting was one of the most inspirational and informative as well as the best attended convention they had ever attended. A crowd of 1500 were in attendance. Mrs. Paul Tolliver of Plainview accompanied the local women on the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stapleton and family of Floydada visited Mrs. Lula Woodburn Sunday.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.



We all have much to be THANKFUL for on this Thanksgiving Day, 1952, and we join with you in extending our thanks for a thousand blessings not enjoyed by other peoples of the earth. And thank you for your friendship and good will.

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1,000 Attend State Farm Bureau Meet

San Antonio. — Declaring that "our primary concern is to find the way to prosperity based on peace and sound economics rather than war and inflation," delegates to the 19th annual convention of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation went on record this week in favor of economy in government and a national farm policy formulated at the "grass roots."

More than 1,000 Farm Bureau members, including 415 voting delegates from 124 counties, attended the three-day sessions which ended Wednesday at the Plaza Hotel.

Speakers at the convention included Sen. George D. Aiken (Rep.) of Vermont who is slated to assume the chairmanship of the Senate Committee on Agriculture and Forestry; Congressman Clark W. Thompson (Dem.) of Galveston; and Romeo Short, vice-president of the American Farm Bureau Federation.

The Texas farm organization, considered the most powerful lobby at the last legislative session in Austin, also adopted resolutions calling for acreage control to keep production in line with demand and a flexible price support system "that permits freedom of action by the farmer with a minimum of cost to the government." These supports would start at 100 per cent of parity when supplies are normal, to exceed when a crop is short, and lowered when there is an excess of supply.

This resolution, unique among proposals made by state Farm

Bureaus, is a reaffirmation of one first adopted in 1949 by the Texas Farm Bureau.

Towards solving the number one problem confronting agriculture in the state—water—the convention recommended that sufficient funds be appropriated by the state legislature "to promote the vitally needed research on the water situation."

To rid the state of the dread pink bollworm menace, the delegates recommended that the cotton stalk destruction deadline be strictly adhered to except for extension granted due to weather or when a definite area-wide shortage of pickers exists.

The Texas Farm Bureau also went on record favoring an increase in the appropriation for the present farm-to-market road program, an increase in the per diem pay of State legislators, more agricultural research to increase the productivity of the farm, vigorous support to revision of the Texas seed laws governing the purity and germination and proper tagging of planting seeds sold in Texas to protect growers against loss, and a national Farm Holiday to be designated for the second Saturday in October each year.

The convention delegates also voted to expand the rural telephone service through the facilities of REA where private industry has not furnished this service. The resolution on REA read: "We recognize the need for adequate generation facilities and transmission lines to serve rural areas. Where these services are not available at a reasonable rate, we insist on the continuation through the facilities of the REA the right to furnish this service to farmers and ranchers."

The convention opposed price controls, efforts to socialize medicine, business or agriculture, and the practice of government agencies using any facilities of that agency to promote political aspirations or dissension among members of farm organizations.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

President-Elect Buys Christmas Seals



President-elect Dwight D. Eisenhower sets an example for the nation in the fight against tuberculosis by buying Christmas Seals from the National Tuberculosis Association's President-elect Mark H. Harrington (left). In Texas the control and prevention programs of 99 voluntary

county tuberculosis associations and the statewide work of the Texas TB Association next year depend on the proceeds of the sale which began November 17 and will end December 25. They are affiliated with 3,000 other like associations through the NTA.

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TO: CHARLES E. WETZEL and the Unknown Heirs of Charles E. Wetzel, deceased, their heirs and legal representatives. GREETING:

You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 22nd day of December, A. D., 1952, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Floyd County, at the Court House in Floydada, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 5th day of November, 1952.

The file number of said suit being No. 4077:

The names of the parties in said suit are: A. L. Wylie, Jr., and wife, Mildred R. Wylie, as Plaintiffs, and Charles E. Wetzel and the Unknown Heirs of Charles E. Wetzel, deceased, their heirs and legal representatives, Town of Floydada (Floyd City), Floyd County, Texas, as shown by the plat of such town of record in Vol. 2-F, page 294, Deed Records of Floyd County, Texas, plaintiffs alleging that they were lawfully seized and

as Defendants. The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Suit by plaintiffs against above-named defendants in trespass to try title involving Lot No. 4, in Block No. 91, in the Original possessed of such premises, own-

ing same in fee simple, on November 1, 1932, and that afterwards on November 2, 1952, defendants unlawfully ejected plaintiffs therefrom to plaintiffs' damage in the sum of \$1,000.00, the reasonable rental value of the premises being \$100.00 per annum; plaintiffs further alleging that they and those under whom they hold and claim have, claiming same under deeds duly registered, had peaceable, continuous and adverse possession of the land and premises above described, using and enjoying the same, and paying all taxes as same become due thereon, for a period of more than five years next before the filing of plaintiffs' petition in this suit; plaintiffs praying for judgment for title and possession of the premises, for damages, costs, Writ of Restitution and general relief, as is more fully shown by plaintiffs' petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs. If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this 5th day of November, 1952.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Floydada, Texas, this 5th day of November, A. D., 1952.

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MEDITATION

INSIDE OR OUT?

We often hear people make the statement that we cannot agree on what the Bible says. This is the reason given for there being so many churches in the religious world today. Friends, I sincerely believe that we can agree, to a great extent at least, about what the Bible says. The trouble comes on what the Bible does NOT say. For instance: I am sure that all will agree that the Bible gives us the example: "Upon the first day of the week when the disciples came together to break bread . . ." I am also sure that none will disagree when the statement is made that it is all right to partake of the Lord's Supper each Lord's day. The disagreement comes when some one says, "I believe that it would be all right to partake of the Lord's Supper only once a month." Did that come from the Bible or did that come from outside the Bible? Where then is the disagreement? On what the Bible says or on what the Bible does not say.

Again, I am sure that all will agree that the Bible says, ". . . teaching and admonishing one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing with grace in your hearts to the Lord." I am also sure that all will agree that VOCAL music is acceptable to God. That we would not have to use some mechanical instrument of music to render acceptable music to the Lord. The disagreement comes when someone says, "I believe that an instrument would be better." Did this come from the Bible or did it come from outside the Bible?

Heb. 5:9 ". . . he (Christ) became the author of eternal salvation unto all them that obey him." Can't we all agree that the Bible says that he is the "Author of eternal salvation to all that obey him?" The trouble comes when someone says, "I don't believe that man has to do anything to be saved, because then he would be trying to save himself." Now does this statement agree with what the writer of the Hebrew letter said? Did it come from the Bible or from outside the Bible?

Friends, we could go on and on. This is the thing to which it all "boils" down to. Shall we take what the Bible says and what the Bible says alone, or shall we take the ideas and opinions of man? If we take the ideas and opinions of men then where is the stopping place? The person that has the "right" to bring in the use of instrumental music in the worship, in the same action, grants to the Catholic the "right" to bring in the use of idols, the right to pray with beads, the right to approach God through an earthly priest: if not, why not? One is just as much in the Bible as the other.

Is the Bible then the sole guide in this life? If it is, then we MUST follow it. If it isn't, then why spend so much time trying to preach it to the world? The only place for us to meet on common ground is taking what the Book says.

We invite you to come to all the services of the Church of Christ. We would be glad to discuss with you any question that you might have. We do not want to put upon you our ideas or opinions but only what the Word of God teaches. Not just portions of it and what they seem to teach when separated from other passages of scripture, but the teachings of the entirety of the Law of the Spirit.

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Oct. 15-Dec. 15 Is Bulb Planting Time

College Station. — October 15th through December 15th is bulb planting time in Texas. Sadie Hatfield, homestead improvement specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service says October is considered the best month for planting most bulbs which can exist in cold weather.

The hardest bulbs are the narcissi or daffodils, jonquils, graye - hyacinth, snowflakes, snowdrops and most of the early blooming bulbs. The specialist recommends waiting until later to plant those with roots or bulbs that frozen soil would destroy. Gladiolus grow from tender corms and dahlia from tender tubers, so these bulb like plants are not planted until hard freezing weather is past. In much of Texas they can be planted in January and February.

Most bulbs grow best in fertile soil which is moist but well drained. The specialist says most bulbs will grow better in full sun, however many of them grow in the shade.

Prepare the soil by fertilizing with 5-10-5 for the sandy and light soil, and 16-20-0 for black land and potash-rich soils in West Texas. The specialist recommends one-half cup to each 25 square feet of soil. Add a tablespoon of bone meal and a cup of sand one or two inches beneath each bulb when placed in the soil.

The depth of planting depends on the size of the bulb. A large narcissus bulb may be planted seven to nine inches deep. Tulips are usually planted about seven inches, and bulbs of Dutch iris are smaller and planted four or five inches deep. Grape-hyacinth is still smaller and planted two to four inches deep. Iris which grow from rhizomes, are planted almost on top of the ground barely covered with soil. The crocus is planted only three inches deep. Place lilies which root at the base of the bulb five inches deep in the soil.

Lone Star Baptist Church

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Training Union 7:30 p. m.
Preaching Service 8:30 p. m. —
Wednesday
Prayer Service 8:00 p. m.

F. P. GRAHAM, Pastor

The famous liberty bell was cracked while tolling for the death of John Marshall, Chief Justice of the United States, who died in 1835.

DAV SWEETHEART -- VA NURSE



BOSTON—Pretty Laura Power, a Veterans Administration nurse, has been selected as the DAV Sweetheart of the year by the Disabled American Veterans. The selection was made by the organization to express the disabled veteran's gratitude to VA nurses for their unselfish devotion to the care of the wounded and disabled in the VA hospitals throughout the country.

(Note to Editors: The above feature is available in one or two column mats. Please check postcard indicating size you wish.)

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The rates on the Amarillo Daily News are \$13.00 for the daily and Sunday and \$10.00

per year for the daily only. The Lubbock Morning Avalanche rates are \$12.95 per year for daily and Sunday and the daily is \$11.00 per year. The Beacon can also accept subscriptions for the Abilene

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South Plains
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Rev. Joe Surret who is a senior at Wayland College in Plainview filled the pulpit at the South Plains church on Sunday morning and for the evening services. There was a good crowd at both services in spite of the cold weather. Mrs. Surret and children were visitors here for the evening service.

Mrs. Carl Daniels was visiting friends and relatives here during her short stay the past week end. Her father, Mr. Kirkland has been ill and she has been visiting him. Mrs. Daniels has already returned to her home in Sedalia, Missouri.

Bradford and Dolores Beedy arrived on Saturday evening to spend the night and Sunday with Bradford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beedy and Eugene. Dolores Beedy is still not strong after her recent illness.

Tommy McCown, from Texas Tech at Lubbock spent the past week end here with his relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wood and Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Wood and children.

Mrs. Ernest Smitherman entered the Plainview Hospital on Tuesday evening of last week and on Wednesday morning, November 19, she was admitted to surgery for a major operation. She is convalescing now, and although she suffered nose bleed on Saturday and was weak, she will be allowed to come home the first of this week. Her sister, Mrs. Homer Campbell, from Haskell is coming to be with her for a few days.

Mrs. R. T. Foster and mother, who reside in Oklahoma City, Okla., were all day guests on Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beedy.

Tuesday night Rev. Chas. Joiner was an over night guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Julian and boys, and on Wednesday Early Joiner was a luncheon guest at noon.

Mrs. H. L. Marble and June, accompanied by Mrs. Gilbert Bean of Lockney spent all day Tuesday in Lubbock doing some shopping and June had an appointment with her dentist.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thames and children spent the week end in Plainview attending the Wayland Homecoming festivities. They especially enjoyed meeting old friends and they arrived home in time for church on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wood were pleasantly surprised when on arriving home from church on Sunday they found Mrs. Wood's cousins awaiting them. Mr. and Mrs. Gene Long from Silverton and Mr. and Mrs. Fletch Pinchart from Blackell, Texas, had dinner with them and spent the afternoon visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Young, Mrs. Seymour Brannon, Mrs. Fred Brannon and Mrs. Don Shurbet all went to Lubbock on

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Tuesday and spent the day shopping and visiting with Mrs. J. C. Pitts and her family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beedy and Eugene, Glen Wood, Travis and Donnie Young were among those who attended the football game in Canyon Friday night.

On Wednesday Rev. Chas. Joiner was an overnight guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby Milton and girls.

Among those shopping in Plainview on Friday of this past week were Mrs. Jiggs Taylor and small daughter, Mrs. Francis and small son, Danny, and Mr. and Mrs. Murray Julian.

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Sanders are going to Denton Tuesday to bring Martha Lee home for the Thanksgiving holidays. She will not have to be back at school until Monday of next week.

Mrs. Fred Cox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Smitherman arrived from Edmonton, Alberta, Canada Saturday evening for a visit with her parents.

Rev. Joe Surret was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Brian Karr for Sunday dinner and Rev. Chas. Joiner joined them for dinner also. On Sunday evening Mrs. Surret and children came out from Plainview and they all had Sunday supper with Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby Milton and girls.

James A. Higginbotham has come down with a severe case of the chicken pox, the first in our community to have them this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Arby Mulder's children, Nathan and Catherine will enter Pitts Hospital on Tuesday morning, November 25 for tonsillectomy operations. They will have the Thanksgiving week end vacation at home to recuperate in and be able to go back to school next week.

The South Plains 4-H Club met on November 17 at the South Plains school house to elect officers for the coming year. The officers elected are as follows: President, Eugene Beedy; Vice-president, Roy Hart-

man; Secretary, Larry Smitherman; Reporter, Don Deavenport. Mr. Gibson was with the group and gave a talk about the safety of the tractor.

W. M. S. met on Wednesday, November 19 at the South Plains Baptist Church for an hour of Royal Service under the direction of Mrs. Bryan Karr and they studied about awakened Nigeria in Africa. Present at the meeting were Mmes. Dock Jones, Brian Karr, H. L. Marble and Grigsby Milton.

Mrs. P. M. Smitherman went back to the hospital in Lubbock for another check up Thursday, November 20 and she came home on Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. John Smitherman helped take Mrs. Smitherman to and from the hospital.

Don Shurbet and Deral Young are now in Fort Hood, Texas, which is down near Waco.

Guests on Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Weast were Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Weast of Silverton and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Marble. During the evening Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Montague and son and Mrs. J. C. McManley of Clovis, N. M. called and spent the evening with the Weasts. Mrs. Weast is steadily improving and she and Mr. Weast are planning to go to Amarillo on Tuesday evening to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with their daughter, Mrs. E. T. Evans and family.

Mrs. John Key West is in the hospital at Floydada. She was taken ill suddenly Sunday afternoon and it is thought she has a form of influenza that is going around. We hope she can be well soon.

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