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COUNTY GINNINGS PASS 90,000 BALES, EXPECT 2,500 MORE

Floyd County ginnings passed the 90,000 bale mark this week and ginnermen are expecting the final total to approximate 93,000 bales according to a survey made by the county newspapers.

In northwest Floyd County a survey by The Beacon Wednesday morning showed total ginnings of 44,688 bales and ginnermen expected another 1,000 bales to be ginned. A survey by The Hesperian Tuesday showed a total of 45,920 bales ginned in other parts of the county up to that time with ginnermen expecting 1500 more bales to be ginned.

The total of the two figures show total ginnings to be 90,608 bales with 2,500 more expected to bring the season's total to slightly more than 93,000 bales.

Probably the highest per acre yield in the history of the county is indicated by the total ginnings. The county has already produced more than a bale per acre for the first time in history as far as The Beacon can determine. The actual planted acres of cotton in this county during 1956 was around 88,000 according to figures released by Tom Hutchins, ASC office manager of Floydada. This includes all cotton acreage, both irrigated and dry land. The county's acreage quota was 93,138 acres but some cotton acreage was put into the soil bank and some was never planted due to the drought. Thus the 93,000 bale yield will amount to almost 1.06 bales per acre for the entire county.

In Lockney proper the four gins have turned out a total of 16,652 bales. The totals in the northwest part of the county includes gins at Lockney, Lone Star, Aiken, Sterley and Providence. Ginnings at Barwise and South Plains are included in the Floydada total.

Another record probably is the time the crop will be completely harvested. Very few crops in this area have been as near completion on December 1st as this one. A trip through the area will show only a few fields still having cotton. Some cotton fields have the stalks cut and the ground plowed. Most all cotton coming in now is being stripped.

Cub Scouts To Meet Thursday

A pack meeting of Cub Scouts will be held Thursday evening at 7:30 at the Scout Hut. It was announced this week by Thurman Davis, Cubmaster. A movie film on Puerto Rico will be shown by Weldon Dodson. All Cub Scouts and parents are urged to attend.

Latimer Joins Parker Furniture

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. (Buck) Latimer and two children have moved to Lockney and he is connected with Parker Furniture here as bookkeeper-accountant and assistant manager, Herschel Swepston, manager, said this week. They came here from Dallas.

Mrs. Latimer is the daughter of Chub Smith of Lockney.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

Washington Baby Is Found Dead

Mickey Roger, 2 months-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Washington of the Sterley community, was found dead in his bed last Thursday morning. Death was believed due to strangulation, attending physicians said.

Mrs. Washington had fed the baby at 3:30 a. m. and it had gone back to sleep on its stomach. It is believed that the baby choked upon its milk and strangulation occurred during the early morning.

Funeral services were held at the Flomot Methodist Church Friday with Rev. Rex Newkirk, Sterley Methodist pastor officiating. Burial was in the Flomot cemetery.

Orland Gilbert To Student Conference

Orland Gilbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Gilbert of Lockney and a senior student at McMurry College, Abilene, was one of the two students selected from McMurry to attend the annual Student Conference on National Affairs to be held at A&M College, College Station, December 12-16.

Fifty colleges in the southern part of the nation will be represented at the conference. Speakers will include Chester Bowles, former ambassador to India, Phillip Graham, publisher of the Washington Post, and Richard Rubottom, assistant Secretary of State.

The purpose of the conference is to hear a series of informative and stimulating discussions on the role of the United States in world affairs.

Orland is president of the student council at McMurry and has been very active in student affairs.

Basement Is Added To Jack & June Shop

A large basement room under the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. office here is being remodeled and will be added to the floor space at the Jack & June Shop. A spacious stairway will connect the dress shop and the lower floor, Mrs. Floyd Jackson, proprietor, said.

To be called "The Green Room" the lower floor will be used for a baby bar, better dresses and cosmetics. Dressing rooms are being provided, the room will be beautifully decorated and its addition will almost double the floor space now being used by the ready-to-wear store.

The new addition will be ready within a week, Mrs. Jackson said. Robert McDonald and H. R. (Jim) Brown are doing the work.

HAS MAJOR SURGERY

Mrs. Alvin Wilson underwent major surgery in Plainview Hospital and Clinic Wednesday morning of this week. She came through the operation fine. Her relatives report, however the road to recovery is expected to be rather long.

County Cotton Acreage Upped By 5,000 Acres

Floyd County received a 5,147 acre increase in its allotted cotton acreage for 1957 according to figures given The Beacon by County ASC Office Manager Thomas Hutchins Wednesday morning. The county 1957 allotment is set at 98,284.8 acres, an increase of around six percent over the 1956 allotment of 93,138 acres.

Individual allotments were put in the mail Monday and most farmers had received them by Tuesday. Most cotton farmers received an increase in their allotment but some didn't, Mr. Hutchins said. This is due, in part, to the figuring of the allotted wheat acreage in with the farmers cotton allotment, he said.

Mr. Hutchins explained the formula for determining the individual allotment as follows: Take the total cropland, deduct the planted wheat acreage for 1956, multiply the remainder of the crop land by the county factor of 28.62. Then the committee, out of its surplus acreage tries to favor the farmer who does not have or who has little wheat acreage. If a farmer has no wheat acreage he is given an additional 17% of his three year acreage average, providing the total does not run higher than the higher of his 1955 or 1956 cotton allotment. For every 5% of his cropland in wheat, 1% is deducted from the 17% added to his base cotton acreage. Wheat acres in the soil bank can affect the cotton allotment to a slight degree also but does not affect people of this part of the county to any extent.

Mr. Hutchins said that in any case where a farmer received a decrease in his 1957 cotton allotment from 1956 it was due to his wheat acreage. Hale County received 165,787 acres, an increase of a little more than 7,000 acres over 1956. Lubbock County's 1957 quota is 232,264 acres, an increase of around 6,000 acres over 1956.

Crosby County received slightly less than in 1956, their 1957 acreage allotment being 122,281, down around 650 acres. Briscoe county received 26,605 acres about 900 acres more than 1956.

Mrs. C. L. Calloway Home From Hospital

Mrs. C. L. Calloway is recuperating at her home after returning Saturday of last week from Northwest Texas Hospital, Amarillo. Mrs. Calloway was transferred from Crum Hospital to a bone specialist after she suffered a severely broken arm and fractured knee cap. She is able to be up part of the time on crutches. Her arm cast has to stay on six weeks but the cast on her leg will be removed in two weeks, Mrs. Calloway says. She expresses her sincere thanks and appreciation to all those who have remembered her with cards, flowers and visits. She extends special thanks to Dr. Crum and his staff for their kindnesses.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

Pay Telephones To Go To 10c Here

Southwestern Bell pay telephones will require 10 cents to operate effective December 11, Manager J. C. Oakley said this week. The phones have been operating on 5 cents for many years.

Treasure Hunt Friday, Santa Will Be Here

Cotton Vote Set Tuesday

Farmers of the county will vote next Tuesday in the national cotton marketing quotas. Three boxes will be set up in the county. The place of the voting and those holding the election has been announced as follows:

Lockney, Lockney Beacon office, Hershel Carthel, Milton Ashton, Alvin Wilson.

Floydada, ASC office Joe Dunn, Malvin Jarboe and Greer Christian.

Cedar Hill, Cedar Store, R. G. Dunlap, Lee Burton, Carl Smith.

At least two thirds of the cotton producers voting in the referendum must favor the marketing quotas if they are to be effective on the 1957 crops. Whether quotas are approved or disapproved, 1957 cotton acreage allotments will remain in effect as a condition of eligibility of price supports, ASC officials said.

The marketing quota program will operate next year if two thirds of the voting cotton growers favor the program. In that case price support for the 1957 crop of upland cotton will be available at a level between 75 and 90 percent of parity and quota penalties will apply on any "excess" cotton. If more than a third of the votes are cast against quotas, there would be no quota penalties but the support price to eligible growers would drop to 50 percent of parity.

All farmers who engage in producing upland cotton in 1956 are eligible to vote in the referendum. This includes growers who participated in the 1956 Cotton Acreage Reserve of the Soil Bank.

The referendum will be held between the hours of 8 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Infant Buried Sunday Afternoon

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eulan Bradshaw of the South Plains community was buried Sunday afternoon in Lockney Cemetery after graveside services. The baby was stillborn early Sunday morning at the Lockney General hospital.

Rev. Dale Setliff of Plainview conducted the services. The Bradshaws have two small sons, Tommy and David, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Bradshaw are the grandparents.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

UNITED CHEST WORKERS GET INSTRUCTIONS AND SUPPLIES

Community workers for the Floyd County United Chest annual fund drive in north Floyd County received instructions and supplies in a meeting here Monday morning in the Plains Hotel dining room. Chest President N. W. Williams attended the meeting and led the discussion of the drive. He was assisted by Co-chairman Claude Holley and Ewald Quebe for this area.

Some 15 workers from various communities in North Floyd County met with Williams, Holley and Quebe and received envelopes and cards with which to list the donors. Mr. Williams urged the workers to contact every individual and give them the opportunity of giving to the Chest. Pointing out that volunteer workers for fund drives were difficult to secure, he stressed the fact that this drive was for the purpose of providing funds for different organizations, namely the Red Cross, the Heart Fund, The Boy Scouts, the Salvation Army and the USO.

He said that the donor may designate his money to certain organizations within the Chest if he so desires.

Some of the workers in this part of the county will begin their solicitation Friday of this week and some will begin

Methodist Revival To Close Sunday

The revival meeting in progress at the Lockney Methodist Church will close Sunday evening. Services are being held at 10 a. m. and 7 p. m. during the week and on Sunday the services will be at 10:55 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.

Dr. Luther R. Kirk, district superintendent of Plainview is doing the preaching. The song service is in charge of Rev. Oran Smith, pastor at Groom and former pastor of the Aiken Methodist Church. Good crowds are attending, it was reported.

The public is cordially invited to attend every service, Rev. H. B. Coggins, the pastor said.

HD Bazaar Will Be Held Here

Home Demonstration Club members of a number of clubs in north Floyd County will donate a wide variety of household items, made by their own hands, to be sold at the Home Demonstration Club bazaar to be held in the Lockney Auto showrooms here Saturday of this week.

Included in the items to be offered for sale will be such items as aprons, pillow cases, cup towels, and also home-canned foods of various kinds. The members donate the merchandise for sale and the money derived from the sale goes to the Floyd County Home Demonstration Council to finance its work for the year.

Home Demonstration Clubs at Lockney, Lone Star, Providence, Pleasant Valley and Sterley are participating in the bazaar here. Other clubs in the county held a similar event at Floydada Tuesday.

The bazaar will open at 9:30 a. m. Saturday and will continue through the day. The public is invited to come by and inspect the many items offered for sale and to select such items as they may want.

Aiken Neighbors Help Ill Farmer

R. M. Harden of the Providence community has some mighty good neighbors, he thinks. And it must be true because 17 men and 11 tractors came to his place Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, stripped 40 acres of cotton and plowed his land for him because Mr. Harden is ill and unable to work at present. He underwent an operation recently.

The neighborly deed was organized and carried out by the men's Sunday School class of the Aiken Baptist Church.

Those helping with the work were: Lonnie Scott, tractor and hand; Connie O'Brien, tractor and hand; Horace Seago, tractor and hand; Tom Duval, tractor; J. R. Turner, tractor and hand; Oscar Lucas; Truett McCarty and tractor; Pete Adams and tractor; Clyde Bebee, Klyce Ooley and tractor; Wilbur Adams and tractor; C. O. Haille, Johnnie Lee and tractor; Henry Harden and tractor.

Cedar Hill — Jack Stansell. Muncy — Mrs. Elmer Biggs. Irick — Jack Dollar.

Pleasant Valley — Raymond Rucker.

Aiken — John Powell and Charlie Andrews.

Providence — Mrs. Albert Schaefer and Mrs. Helmut Quebe.

Lone Star — Claude Jarrett. Prairie Chapel — Mrs. Joe Foster.

Sterley — Horton Howell and Mrs. Hilburn Casey.

South Plains — Mrs. Billy Staniforth Jr.

Lockney's second annual Treasure Hunt will be held Friday afternoon and a large crowd of people is expected to be here to participate in the hunt and greet Old Santa Claus who will make his appearance here at the same time.

Santa Claus will really be playing his part since he will be instrumental in the giving away of more than \$300 worth of valuable gifts by Lockney merchants. The jolly old man will appear here at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon and will hand out several thousand small numbered tickets, some of which will be good for valuable gifts.

Listed elsewhere in this issue of The Beacon are some 40 Lockney merchants and the gifts they are giving away. The merchants will be assigned a certain number for each gift they are giving. Those who receive the small ticket from Old Santa with a number to correspond with that of the merchants will receive his gift. The merchants numbers will be posted on their windows or in a prominent place in the store.

The tickets will be distributed freely and there is no obligation to buy anything in order to receive one. Men, women, boys and girls and even the babies will be given tickets. Everyone is invited to be present and participate in the Treasure Hunt. Those receiving the properly numbered tickets have until December 20 to claim their gift. Recipients of the tickets are urged to check every participating store against their ticket numbers to find their gift.

Old Santa will hand out the tickets from 3 to 5 p. m. Friday. The Treasure Hunt will begin immediately and merchants will be prepared to give their gifts at that time if they are claimed.

Santa Claus will not only hand out the tickets but will also take in letters from the boys and girls of the area. All boys and girls who wish to write Old Santa a letter telling what they want for Christmas will have the opportunity of handing it to him in person Friday.

Actually the affair is planned as a "Christmas opening" day and all merchants plan to have their stores decorated and their Christmas merchandise on display for the convenience of customers. Planned by a Chamber of Commerce committee, the Treasure Hunt is sponsored by Lockney merchants in appreciation of past patronage and is their way of inviting the people of the area to do their Christmas shopping in Lockney.

Shed Destroyed By Fire Monday

A shed at the home of Jesse Argona in northeast Lockney was destroyed by fire Monday morning. Four goats penned in the shed were also destroyed by the fire. Argona was away from home at the time and did not know how the fire started. The Lockney Volunteer Fire Department quickly squelched the blaze and prevented its spread to nearby buildings.



THIS 1957 CHEVROLET is being furnished Lockney High School for its driver education program by the Lockney Auto Company. Only cost to the school is insurance and upkeep. The car was turned over to the school soon after the 1957 Chevrolet showing. Pictured here is Arthur Barker Jr., left, local Chevrolet dealer and Henry Ford Jr., right, local teacher of the driver education course. —Photo by Jay Ed Parsons

Ed Carter Is Home From Hospital

Ed Carter, local undertaker, is home after spending a week in the Lockney General Hospital. Members of the family report that Ed is getting mighty healthy and they are having trouble keeping him under control. He is improving right along, they say.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Williams and son, Jimmy of Dallas, spent the Thanksgiving holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Smith.

Research Station Fund Drive Is On in Hale County

Frank Moore of Plainview, fund drive chairman, announces that community chairmen and campaign workers in the Hale County fund drive for the High Plains Station of the Texas Research Foundation will meet Thursday, December 7, in the auditorium of the Plainview Production Credit Association.

In addition to the fund drive reports, Dr. Lonknecker and Dr. Davis will give a visual description of the location of test plots, general farming and production areas. An outline of the proposed research will be started January 1st will also be presented.

Among the people presenting reports in the fund campaign are: R. V. Payne, Plainview; Ed Gifts; and the following community chairmen: H. D. Lamey and Clay Henry, Plainview; Ellis Turner, Elbert; and Rudolph Struve, Abilene; I. E. Rankin, Bell; L. C. Eiring, East Mound; Melvin Glantz and W. A. Pinkerton, Edmonson; R. L. Burgess and J. I. Bomlin, Hale Center; J. L. Givens and Ward Pinkerton, Halfway; Price McWilliams, Happy Union; Luke Miller, Liberty; Gordon H. Brantley, Mt. Vernon; S. W. Williams and Homer Robertson, Petersburg; Albert Sammann and Marvin Stovall, Plainview; Jack McCarr, Snider; M. M. Scott and Herman Stowe, Giffitts.

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Minute Editorials

For Thou, Lord, wilt bless the righteous; with favor wilt Thou compass him as with a shield. —Psalm 5:12

FLOYD COUNTY CITIZENS will have an opportunity to show a real Christmas spirit this week or next when the United Chest worker calls on you for a donation. Remember that the person who contacts you is giving his time without pay in service not only to the organizations represented in the Chest but also to the citizenship of the county. It behooves us all to treat that worker with courtesy, respect and consideration. It also behooves us to take up as little of his time as possible, to be ready to make our donation generously, cheerfully and quickly so that he may complete his work and get back to his own duties. Let's help the workers get this Chest job done in a hurry. It will be better for everyone. Remember — you may designate your money to one or more certain organizations if you desire.

SPEAKING OF GIVING, the matter of giving to churches came in for some discussion in

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DO IT RIGHT
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THE POLITICAL SITUATION
 Governor Shivers and Governor elect Daniel have had quite a time of it staying out of each other's hair for several years, since their school days, in fact. There was to have been a mighty tussel between them for the governorship. The untimely death of Governor Jester put Mr. Shivers in the driver's seat. Mr. Daniel had to be content and bide his time. Finally they have arrived at a time that, while their ambitions do not cross, their plans for doing things are at cross-purposes. Principal reason, the governor that is is using the

CROSS ROADS REPORT

December 6, 1956.
 Dear Editor:
 I see where a doctor claims that rock and roll sounds such as put out by Elvis Presley and others are good medicine for folks in mental institutions.
 But my music-loving neighbor says only doctors with a wide streak of cruelty in their makeup could ever prescribe such harsh treatment, no matter how effective it might be.
 Like castor oil, I guess, which some doctors used to give to their helpless patients by the teaspoonful, apparently because it made you so sick there was no way you could possibly get except better.
 D. E. SCOTT
 Crossroads, U. S. A.

governor that is to be as a whipping boy. He is lashing Senator Johnson and Speaker Rayburn, who set out to depose Mr. Shivers politically. Mr. Shivers lost one battle, won the war. —Floyd County Hesperian.

MR. KEFAUVER
 Jack Knox, the brilliant editorial page artist of the Nashville Banner, stopped off in town the other day while on a vacation with Mrs. Knox.
 Since Jack has had a long (more than 20 years) background in Volunteer State politics, I asked the natural question: "How come normally Democratic Tennessee to go for Eisenhower with a native son, Sen. Estes Kefauver, on the Democratic ticket?"
 Mr. Knox said there was no mystery about it. He said Senator Kefauver hasn't been personally or politically popular in Tennessee for several years now, and the ticket—with him on it—would have had tough sledding in any event.
 But the straw that broke the camel's back, Mr. Knox continued, was the bungling of the pre-election handling of the racial situation in Tennessee—and especially at Clinton, where troops were called out to force school integration.

Long Ago In Lockney

December 8, 1944
 Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Kelley have received word their son, Virgil, was seriously wounded in action Nov. 10. Extent of his injuries are not known. He was in an infantry company with the Third Army.
 Lee Floyd, former resident of Floyd County, died suddenly at his home in Meadow, Texas, last Saturday morning. A heart attack was the cause of his death. He is a former Floyd County resident. His wife is the former Ethel Weathers, whom he married in 1910.
 James E. Whorton received a commission as Second Lieutenant in the Army Air Force last Saturday, Dec. 2 in services at the Midland Army Air Field.
 Bond sales during the Sixth War Loan drive in Floyd County totaled only \$108,000.00 the middle of this week. The county quota is \$165,000 in E bonds and \$145,000 in other bonds.
 Dr. Joe Alexander, who established an office here some time ago, has moved to Archer City where he purchased an interest in a hospital.
 Pharmacist Mate Robert Willard McCollum, who has spent almost two years in the South west Pacific is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McCollum.

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LIKES ELECTRICITY
 Mrs. Henry describes her home as an electric one and she says, "We are all proud of our electric appliances which make living more enjoyable."

Christmas is coming and Mrs. Henry has turned her love for baking fruit cakes into a profitable business during the holiday season. Last year she baked over 500 pounds of fruit cake in two weeks... a tribute to the exactness and accuracy which electric baking gives

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E. L. Woodburn visited son, Pat at Ft. Morgan, during the Thanksgiving holidays. She accompanied Richard Patterson family to spend the holidays in Denton. They returned home Monday.

Misses Harleen Workman and Eldora Boone of Denton spent Thanksgiving holidays here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Workman and Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Boone.

SHORT CUT

Put washed dishes in a drainer, scald with hot water, cover with clean towel, and allow to air-dry. A real time-saver for the working wife!

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

Providence

By Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner

Thanksgiving was observed in the usual fashion in the Providence community. Divine services were held and the chancel of the church was decorated with the fruits of the harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brandes and girls went to Mason, Texas, where they enjoyed the company of friends there. L. B. bagged his first deer.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Quebe and son went to Ft. Worth over the Thanksgiving holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Quebe and daughter went to Dallas over the Thanksgiving holiday.

Rev. and Mrs. Treptow and family visited Rev. and Mrs. Windecker and daughter Monday evening enjoying supper with the Windeckers.

Thanksgiving dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Scheele were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Scheele and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Faver and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Collins and son, Rev. and Mrs. Arnold Windecker and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Albert Linderman and daughter Thanksgiving Day.

Those attending Grandma Clements 96th birthday celebration Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brandes, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner and daughter, Cynthia Ann.

HD Club Meets

Providence Home Demonstration Club met at the lovely home of Mrs. J. E. Turner Tuesday afternoon.

Bible call was answered with "What My Religion Means to Me." Meeting was called to order by Mrs. Sam Jones the president.

Mrs. Ted Boedecker council chairman, reported the Christmas council party will be held December 15th. Mrs. Brunnet gave a demonstration on making a feather Christmas tree. Bazaar for the clubs around Lockney will be held the second Saturday in December in the Lockney Auto showroom.

Mrs. Sam Jones and Mrs. J. R. Turner attended the recreation school, Mrs. H. F. Quebe and Mrs. Sam Jones attended a school on home management. Christmas party will be held December 18th at the church.

Decorations committee is composed of Mrs. H. F. Quebe, Mrs. L. B. Brandes, Mrs. J. R. Turner. Each adult will bring gifts to be exchanged. Each parent bring a gift for their own child.

Mrs. Scott of the Harmony Club gave an outstanding report on the national convention at San Antonio.

Mrs. Ben Quebe gave a demonstration and served an oven breakfast. Mrs. Sam Jones explained points in buying an electric frying pan.

Mrs. E. M. Quebe gave the poem "You Go To Your Church and I'll Go to Mine."

The hostesses served delicious refreshments together with the oven breakfast including biscuits, hot spiced tea, coffee, apricots, and oatmeal cookies.

Present were Mmes. Scott, Ben Brandes, Ben Quebe, Wilfred Stoerner, E. M. Quebe, H. F. Quebe, J. R. Turner, L. B. Brandes, Ted Boedecker, Kenneth Moody, and Sam Jones.

During the holiday season make your guests a delicious cranberry upside-down cake. Prepare basic Upside-Down batter. For the topping, melt 2 tablespoons butter in 8 by 8 by 2-inch pan. Add 6 tablespoons sugar and 1 tablespoon grated orange rind; mix well. Sprinkle 1 1/2 cups fresh cranberries, cut in halves, over sugar mixture.

Normally, says G. O. Hoffman, extension range specialist, enough rain falls on Texas to cover the state to a depth of 30 inches with water. Unfortunately, he adds, only about 14 percent of this 30 inches is utilized, the other 86 percent is lost to evaporation or runoff. Hold water where it falls for maximum benefit, he says.

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Texas Farm Bureau Sends 6 Delegates To Nat'l Meeting

Waco. — Texas will send six official voting delegates to the American Farm Bureau Federation's 38th convention which meets Dec. 9-13 in Miami Beach, Fla. This is the largest voting delegation ever to represent the Lone Star state at the annual policy-making session of the world's largest general farm organization.

The six are: TFB President, J. Walter Hammond, Tye; Vice-President J. H. West, Bishop; and Directors C. H. DeVaney, Coahoma; R. A. Fuchs, Brenham; S. W. McClaren, Cameron; and Edwin Sanderson, Fort Worth.

National Farm Bureau policies for next year will be adopted Dec. 13, final day of the convention. Each state Farm Bureau makes recommendations to the national convention.

The Texas Farm Bureau is making recommendations on many important national issues including: foreign trade, soil bank, wheat, rice, cotton, peanuts, water, labor, federal land ownership, property rights, livestock, poultry and taxes.

For a national farm program, Texas is recommending that the soil bank continue as a voluntary program. Texas delegates will press for 90 per cent price supports on basic commodities as long as supplies are in line with demand. However, if supply exceeds demand to the extent that the Secretary of Agriculture deems it necessary to reduce the support price, the Texas Farm Bureau thinks that the incentive

payment for participation in the soil bank should be increased to the extent that it will assure active participation in the soil bank program. This should assure the highest possible net farm income under present economic conditions, according to TFB President Hammond.

Post Office To Help USDA Survey Stock

Nearly 40,000 cards will be left at random in rural mail boxes throughout the state this week.

When filled out by farmers and ranchers and returned, these cards will help V. C. Childs, Texas Statistician, Agricultural Marketing Service, determine how many livestock are on Texas farms and ranches.

Mr. Childs lauded the U. S. Post Office and rural mail carriers for their cooperation in making this annual survey.

"With this help, we're able to get an accurate picture of our state livestock holdings," Mr. Childs said.

Every farmer or rancher who gets a card is urged to fill it out as accurately as possible and return it promptly.

"The more reports we get, the more reliable our estimates will be," Mr. Childs pointed out.

This survey is the basis for the state and national inventories of livestock and poultry on farms as of the first of the year. It includes cattle, calves, milk cows, hogs, sheep, goats, horses, mules, chickens and turkeys.

Also, the survey provides the basic data for the estimates of pigs and sows farrowed during

the June-December period and intentions to breed for January-June farrowings in 1957. Snakes sleep with their eyes open because they have no eyelids.

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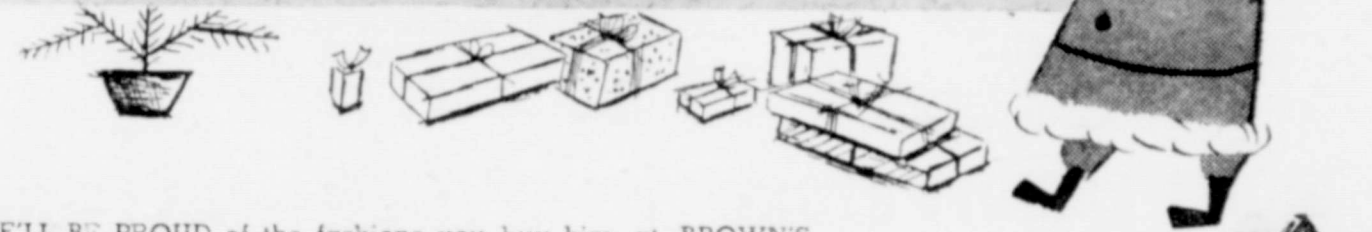
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Mrs. Pearl Prickett spent the past two weeks visiting her daughter, Mrs. O. A. Casity in Borger. Mrs. Prickett and the Casitys were joined on Thanksgiving by Mrs. Prickett's son, Buck Prickett and family of Odessa. The son accompanied Mrs. Prickett to her home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Cunningham and daughters, Nelda and Carolyn spent Thanksgiving holidays in Enid, Oklahoma, with their son and brother, Udell Cunningham and family. Udell is in the Air Force.

Society

Holiday Visitors In John Carthel Home

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Carthel for Thanksgiving holidays were their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Leonard and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mantani and children, Toni II and Franchesca from Midland, Texas. Walter Mantani is conductor of the Midland Symphony Orchestra of which Mrs. Mantani and Mrs. Leonard are members. Mr. Leonard is a member of the Symphony Board of Directors. The next concert of the orchestra is a presentation of December 8 of "The Messiah" by G. F. Handel.

The Mantanis are native New Yorkers and this was their first visit to a Texas farm. They have been in Texas about three years. Toni II is 4 years old and Franchesca is 11 months. Their deepest impression of the farm was the "peaceful quiet."

Also visiting in the Carthel home was their son, James, who is a Senior in Texas Tech, Lubbock.



BETROTHED — Mr. and Mrs. K. H. Schultz of Amarillo announce the engagement of their daughter, Carl Marie, to James Thomas Carthel, son of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Carthel of Lockney. The San Jacinto Methodist Church in Amarillo will be the scene of the wedding on December 22. The bride-elect and her fiance are both music majors at Texas Tech.

Roger Poage Weds Bo Dean Pate

First Baptist Church of Floydada was the scene at 8 p. m. Saturday of the wedding of Miss Bo Dean Pate, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Pate of Floydada, and Roger Poage, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Poage of Olton, former Lockney residents.

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 Floydada, Texas

in points over the hands, the fitted lace bodice terminated in a deep point at the center front waistline. The skirt was design with alternating tiers of scalloped lace and shirred tulle. Her veil of French silk illusion was attached to a lace pillbox hat embroidered with iridescent sequins and seed pearls. She carried crescent shaped bouquet of red rosebuds.

Mrs. Harland Weaver attended her sister as matron of honor. She wore a street length dress of cherry red peau de sole. The fitted bodice was fashioned with three quarter length sleeves. Her skirt was fully gored and gathered, and featured a shirred cummerbund. She carried a nosegay of baby white chrysanthemums.

Attending as bridesmaids, Miss Pat Helms and Barbara McNeill wore dresses identical to that worn by the matron of honor and carried nosegays of white baby chrysanthemums. Jimmy Collins served the bridegroom as best man. Candelights were Miss Verna Dell Pate, sister of the bride, and Larry Poage, brother of the bridegroom.

Ushers were Gary Carthel, Harland Weaver, Keith Marble and Ray Ferguson.

The church parlor was the scene of the wedding reception. Miss Brenda Shipman of Abernathy and Miss Doris Campbell served the bride's three tiered cake from a table laid with a white cutwork cloth and centered with the attendant's bouquets. Miss Ann Finley presided at the guest register. Also assisting in hospitalities were Mrs. Wilson Edwards, Mrs. E. M. Jackson, Mrs. John Fowler, Mrs. M. J. McNeill and Mrs. B. P. Sandefur, all of Floydada, and Mrs. Furman Shipman of Abernathy.

For a wedding trip through New Mexico, the bride chose a brown fitted suit. She wore brown and white accessories and a corsage of red sweet-heart roses.

A 1955 graduate of Floydada of Floydada High School attended Hardin-Simmons High School. Mrs. Poage is employed as clerk with the Bell Telephone Company in Floydada. Poage is also a graduate of Hardin-Simmons University. He is employed as bookkeeper at the Bohanna Gin Co. of Floydada.

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- Ties and Stretchy Sox for him
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- Mechanical Toys of all kinds
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- Boy Scouts of America
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- American Heart Association

Our combined goal for all: **\$11,000.00.**

This drive deserves the support of all Floyd County citizens because these organizations deserve your support. They all operate for the benefit of mankind and must have good support to continue their good work. Give generously!

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- Irick — Jack Dollar
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- Aiken — John Powell and Charlie Andrews
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- Lone Star — Claude Jarrett
- Prairie Chapel — Mrs. Joe Foster
- Sterley — Horton Howell and Mrs. Hilburn Casey
- South Plains — Mrs. Billy Staniforth Jr.
- Lockney — R. L. Knox Jr., Bob Miller, Claude Brown, Dwight Jackson, Joe Parrish, J. H. Cooper, Dick Whiteley, J. D. Wood.

Handy Helps for Christmas giving

IT'S TIME TO make those Christmas Gift selections and we are all ready to help you. Come in soon and see our large selection of Christmas items.

BE SURE to be present Friday, 3 to 5 p. m. for Santa Claus' visit and the Big Treasure Hunt!

- Westbend Automatic Coffee Maker**
 Copperton, 8-cup size—
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- GE Electric Skillet**
 Plain or copper, your choice —
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- CAMERAS and SUPPLIES**
 See the Hawkeye Flash Camera Set **\$14.35**
 GE Triple-Whip Food Mixer **\$39.95**
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 Musical Powder Boxes **\$2.98 up**
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 All new.
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 All kinds.
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 See the 12-inch bowl for **\$4.30**
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- 7-Drawer Spice Set**
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- Many other gift items for all the Family!**

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**Mc. F. L. Marble
In Army School**

Fort Meade, Md.— PFC Fredrick L. Marble, whose wife, Mary, lives in Media, Pa., recently was graduated from the Commissioned Officer Leadership School at Fort Geo. G. Meade, Md.
Marble received instruction in leadership of units, map reading and other military subjects.
Marble, regularly stationed in the 176th Antiaircraft Artillery Battalion's Battery C in village Green basic training at Fort Bliss, Texas.
He is a 1951 graduate of Floydada (Tex.) High School. Marble is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace L. Marble, South Plains, Tex.

**CROSS ROADS
REPORT**

December 6, 1956

Dear Editor:
My agricultural neighbor says he notes that the government brass is still sold on the beneficial effect it will have on farmers to sell their products at 60 per cent of parity.

But he thinks it is unfair to let farmers hog all of the blessings of this miracle system. More people, like factory workers, editors, and congressmen had ought to be let in on the happy privilege of working for less money.

He says even the government ought to take advantage of this new plan for financial salvation by having us pay only 60 per cent of our income tax.

D. E. SCOTT
Crossroads, U. S. A.

TANGY APPETIZERS

Nothing could be easier for a pre-dinner than this: Cut Swiss cheese into cubes. Wrap each with an anchovy. Dip in grated Parmesan cheese and spear with toothpicks. Add to this snack another made of raw carrot sticks that have been marinated in juice from a jar of dill pickles. Delicious combination of flavors.

A lobster-in-the-shell dinner calls for lots of hot water on your range — and a little fingerbowl of hot water for each diner. To really cleanse buttery fingers and remove the fishy odor, add a little soap suds to each bowl. At family meals it is proper to provide paper napkins for wiping, but the guests should have linen napkins at formal dinners.

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**Wayland Queens To
Appear On "Texas
In Review" Soon**

Plainview. — Wayland College's Hutcherson Flying Queens became movie queens on the night of Dec. 6 when they play the Texarkana Junior College team in Plainview because Humble Oil Company's "Texas in Review" television photographer will be taking on the scene movies of the three-time National AAU Women's Basketball team.

Tickets for this game, which will be played at 8:30 p. m., and the Wayland Pioneers' game with St. Michael's of Santa Fe which precedes it are now on sale. Season tickets are good for the game but those who wish to see a "Texas in Review" program filmed may purchase single tickets, according to Coach Harley J. Redin.

The photographer will be spending three days on the campus to film the queens, how they live, their training, their diet, social activities, their classes, their ever mounting number of trophies and sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hutcherson, Plainview, who fly them to their games in all parts of the United States and Mexico so they can compete with the outstanding women's teams.

The Wayland queens, all bona fide college students, are set to try for a fourth national championship and to acquire one of the few remaining unbroken records. This record of 102 consecutive wins is held by the fabulous Hanes Hosiery team which the Wayland Queens chopped off to begin their climb to three national championships. If they win 27 consecutive games this year, they have this record as they have already won 76 games.

The Flying Queens, with their 15 players, hope this will be their lucky year, although eight of these have had dimitted tournament play. Seniors, Rita Alexander, Loco, Okla., two-time All American, and Alice Barron, Georgetown, Texas, are co-captains. Juniors are: Dorothy Cannon, Cotton Center, Texas; Kaye Garm, Kingfisher, Okla., one-time All American; and Louise Short, Gallatin, one-time All American, with the seniors are mainstays of the team.

Sophomores are: Judy Bugh, Lexington, Okla.; Joyce Kite, Craig, Mo.; Margaret Odum, Lammitt, Texas; Mona Poff, Elk City, Okla.; and Kay Williams, Parhandle, Texas. Three freshmen were added to the squad this year: Carolyn Miller, Palestine, Texas; Faisy Neal, Elberton, Ga.; and Belva Ramsey, Morton, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Seaman and sons spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents at Mineral Wells. The two men went deer hunting in Palo Pinto county but failed to get a deer.

In the painting of Washington Crossing the Delaware, a soldier is shown holding the American flag, though it had not been designed at that time.

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CHRISTMAS
Treasure Hunt
MORE THAN 60 VALUABLE GIFTS WILL BE
GIVEN AWAY BY LOCKNEY MERCHANTS
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 7th**



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Old Santa Claus will visit Lockney between 3 and 5 p. m. and will hand out numbered tickets to everyone present.

If your number matches one of the numbers on the store windows the gift is yours—no strings attached

BE SURE TO BE PRESENT FRIDAY AFTERNOON TO GET YOUR FREE TICKET!

You may claim your gift anytime up until December 20th, 1956

REMEMBER THE DATE—FRIDAY, DECEMBER 7th, 3 to 5 p. m.

Every merchant participating will have his number or numbers posted in his window or in a prominent place. Check every store window to see if your number corresponds with the one posted.

Not all numbers given out will be good for a gift. But more than 60 of them will be good for gifts ranging in value from \$2.00 to \$17.50. Be sure and check every window.

LOCKNEY MERCHANTS are sponsoring this big Treasure Hunt in appreciation of your past patronage and inviting you to do your Christmas shopping in Lockney. They will have a fine array of Christmas gift items on display Friday. They invite you to visit every store.

Here are the merchants and the gifts they are offering you FREE:

- Darnell Grocery — \$5.00 in merchandise
- Webster Service Station — \$5.00 in merchandise
- "Whitey" Baccus Motor Co.
2 gallons Permanent Anti-freeze
One Wash and Grease job
- Barnett Gulf Service—Wash and Grease job
- J. C. Jones Co. — One Yukon Bay Blanket, 72x81
- Whites Auto Store—\$6.95 Texas Ranger Wagon
- Brown's Department Store
Boys' Tie, Belt and Handkerchief Set
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Ladies' Nylon Slip
Little Girls' Blouse
- Reecer's Master Cleaners — \$5.00 in Cleaning
- Jackson Tire Co. — \$5.00 worth of Merchandise
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- Johnson & Johnson — Flashlight
- Lockney Food Market—25 lbs. paper shell Pecans
- Brown's Cleaners — \$5.00 in cleaning
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- Jack & June Shop — \$5.00 in merchandise
- Byrd Pharmacy—Fully automatic Coffee Maker
- Lockney Drug Co.
Electric Bean Pot with four dishes
- Oliver Jewelry—\$5.00 in merchandise
- Truett Variety Store — Set of Boudoir Lamps
- Parker Furniture — Clothes Hamper
- Consumers Fuel Association
50 foot plastic Garden Hose
- Cooper Service Station—\$3.95 Pocket Knife
- Modern Radio & TV—Perfume and Antenna
- Knox Grocery — Dressed Turkey
2 lb. stick Peppermint Candy
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Nancy Morckel 2-lb. Fruit Cake
- Lockney Variety — One Table Lamp
One Planter
One Doll
One Toy Guitar
One Teeter Tray
- Pylant Grocery & Market
\$5.00 basket Groceries
\$6.95 Doll
\$25.00 in Pylant Trading Stamps
- Baker Mercantile — \$3.00 worth of Merchandise
- Faggard Dry Goods—One \$7.50 piece of Luggage
- Frank Perkins — \$2.00 in cash
- Rhodes Super Market—\$16.95 Table Lamp
1 book (\$120.00) S&H Green Stamps
One 12-lb. Cudahy's Tenderized Ham
- Plains Theater — Book of Theatre Tickets
- Baker Hardware Company
\$17.50 Samsonite Luggage
- Lena Fae Store — \$5.00 in merchandise
\$2.50 in merchandise
- Baxter & Smith Grain Co.
10 lb. Purina New Dog Chow
10 lb. Purina New Dog Chow
- Brunnier Lumber Company
1 gallon Outside White Paint
- Patterson Grain Company—100 lb. sack of Feed
- Barbers Farm Store — Sack 16-20-0 Yard Fertilizer
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Society News

Mrs. Dee Copeland Is Club Hostess

Mrs. Dee Copeland was hostess for a meeting of El Progreso Study Club in her home Wednesday, November 28 at 3:45.

Roll call was answered with "a favorite scripture." Rev. H. B. Coggin spoke to the group on "Traveling Through Books."

Refreshments were served to Mrs. B. A. Simmons, C. J. Taylor, L. M. Honea, A. O. Wines, Henry Hodel, T. B. Mitchell, Clyde Briley, Barry Barker, Bill Hodel, Henry Schacht, E. M. Quebe, Charles Duran, Milton Ashton, Hershel Carthel, Chester Mitchell, Rev. and Mrs. Coggin, and the hostess.

Engagement Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Smith of Lockney are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Clara Lee to Richard C. (Dickie) Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. (Dick) Smith of McCoy. The wedding is set for Sunday, December 23, at two o'clock at the First Methodist Church here. Clara Lee is a student at West Texas State College, Canyon, and Dickie is a student at A&M College.

Music Pupils Of Miss Sanders To Present Recital

Miss Martha Sanders will present her music pupils in a recital Tuesday night, December 11 at 7:30 at The First Baptist Church. The program will include piano, accordion and organ numbers.

Those appearing on the program will be Linda Hodel, David Mitchell, Mary Johnson, Vernon Ray White, Lupe Garza, Judy Smith, Johnnie Hancock, Gay Hancock, Jonita Ferguson, Gerald Cox, Janice Boedecker, Marie Harris, June Caldwell, Ann Brown, Louise Bollman, Virginia Caldwell, Debra Ferguson, Janice Hays.

The public is invited to attend.

HD Christmas Party Set For Thursday

Members of Lockney Home Demonstration Club will meet Thursday, December 6 at 3 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Fred Cooper for the annual Christmas party.

This is guest day and each member is to bring a guest. The women are to bring a gift to exchange and also one for a patient in an Abilene hospital.

Nancy Holland Is Bride Of Don Marble

Miss Nancy Jean Holland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Holland, Lockney, became the bride of Donley Horace Marble of South Plains Saturday, December 1 at 12 noon.

The double ring ceremony was read in the Central Baptist Church in Clovis, New Mexico with the pastor officiating.

The bride was attractive in a blue wool jersey dress with a pleated neckline accented with a rhinestone brooch and roll collar. The sleeves were three-quarter length and the skirt was full pleated featuring a cummerbund type belt fastened with satin covered buttons matching other trim on the dress. She wore a white satin hat trimmed with pearls and rhinestones, and gloves of white. Her corsage was white carnations. She wore the traditional blue garter and a penny in her shoe.

Mrs. Mac Smitherman of South Plains attended the bride as matron of honor. Her dress was Deiro blue silk and her accessories were white. She wore a corsage of pink carnations.

Mac Smitherman served as best man.

Following the ceremony the couple left for Ruidoso, New Mexico, El Paso, Juarez, Mexico, San Antonio and Houston. They plan to return Saturday and make their home at present in Floydada. For going away the bride chose a two-piece wool jersey suit in beige and gold. Her accessories were gold and corsage was of white carnations.

The bride graduated in 1953 and has been employed for some time at Byrd Pharmacy, Lockney. The bridegroom is a graduate of Floydada High School and spent nearly two years in Alaska with the armed services. He is engaged in farming in the South Plains community.

Doylene Harrison Is Shower Honoree

Miss Doylene Harrison, bride-elect of J. W. Dipprey, was named honoree at a bridal shower in the home of Mrs. Hershel Carthel Saturday, Dec. 1. Calling hours were 2 to 4 p. m.

Mrs. Hershel Carthel received the guests at the door and presented them to the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Doyle Harrison and Mrs. J. W. Dipprey mother of the prospective bride.

Betty June Jackson and Odie Mae Rogers secured names for the register.

The dining table was laid with a white hand embroidered linen cloth and centered with a bride doll under an umbrella surrounded by blue carnations and fern. Flanking the centerpiece were double candelabra holding blue tapers. Table appointments were silver and crystal with a milk glass punch service.

Assisting with serving were Clara Lee Smith, Clydene Terrell, Nell Cunyus, Sandra Sams, LaDora Ayres, Peggy Epperson, and Betty Mae Sams.

In the gift room were Mrs. Floyd Jackson, Charley Smith and Woodson Terrell.

Hostesses included Mrs. Clyde Hill, Hershel Carthel, Buster Epperson, Floyd Jackson, Connie O'Brien, Kenneth Wofford, Durwood Jack, Warren Mathis, Mac Hickerson, Donnie Bybee, Roger Conner, Charlie Smith, Buck Kellison, Lloyd Wofford, Joe Rogers, J. D. Wood, Robt. Ayres, Geo. Myers, Garland Sams, Gerald Sams, Woodson Terrell, M. D. Arterburn, Floyd Dorman, C. B. Smart and Miss Emma Stalbird.

Approximately 90 guests called or sent gifts.

Busy Mothers Has Luncheon

The home of Mrs. Bernice Miller was the scene for a covered dish luncheon Wednesday at 11:00 a. m. Mrs. Miller was entertaining for her mother, Mrs. Gilbert Huls. Guests were members of the Busy Mothers Class of the Methodist Church.

Mrs. Lucy Thomas brought a devotional which was the Christmas story from the book of Luke.

Visitor was Mrs. Frank Dodson. Class members present included Mrs. Gilbert Huls, Aunt Fannie Brown, Hop Weathers, Lucy Thomas, W. H. Fields, Les Floyd, R. E. L. Stutts and Hugh Counts.

DELUXE PORK AND BEANS

Pour canned pork and beans into a casserole or brown bean pot. Cover the top with thin-sliced onions and sprinkle liberally with brown sugar. Bake in a hot oven about 30 minutes.

The fall planting of roses is generally preferred in Texas. Start with No. 1 grade plants; have the soil prepared before the plants arrive and make sure the roots are never exposed to sunlight or drying winds before planting.

Cheves, and the football queen, Janice Boedecker.

Places were laid for approximately 75 guests.

The program began with an invocation as the group repeated in unison the Lord's Prayer. A quartet of girls, Glenda Harden, Carolyn Harris, Carolyn Merrell and Janice Boedecker, sang "Bless This House."

Jerry Chesshir presented Coach Ike Dodson with a gift certificate from the team, "Moments to Remember" was sung by Janice Boedecker and Glenda Harden. Co-captains Wayne Cooper and Jerry Chesshir placed the crown on the queen and Wayne then presented her with a gift.

Mothers of the football boys prepared the banquet and Home Economics girls served.

Jr. High Football Banquet Held Tues.

Marking the close of the 1956 season members of the Junior High football team and their dates were honored along with their football queen at a delightful banquet at the high school cafeteria Tuesday evening at 7:30. Highlighting the program was the crowning of the queen, Miss Janice Boedecker.

Laid with white the center banquet table was accented with a white Christmas tree under which lay packages with winning scores for the 1957 season. Flanking the tree were hurricane lamps surrounded by Christmas balls and bells. The hurricane lamps were repeated along the side tables and were connected with Christmas greenery. At the speakers table was an arrangement of white mums displaying a football player and the football queen.

Hanging from the ceiling was a circular mobile fixture wrapped in tinsel and featuring colorful balls and bells. Maroon and white streamers hung with icicles extended to the walls from the center fixture.

Special guests included Mr. and Mrs. Owen Thornton, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Dodson, Mr. C. H.

Rebekah Lodge Elects New Officers

The Rebekah Lodge met Monday night at the hall for initiation and election of officers.

New officers are Noble Grand, Essie Conner; Vice Grand, Flois Reed; Recording Secretary, Syble Childers; Financial Secretary, Laverne McCarty; Treasurer, Jean Strickland; Lodge Deputy, Dimple McGavock.

Mrs. Mayme McGhee and Jo Ann Duvall were initiated.

Pictures of the lodge members dressed identical were taken by Jay Ed Parsons.

Refreshments of doughnuts and coffee were served.

ENJOY HUNTING TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brandes and daughters were hunting guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Grote and sons of Floydada on the Grote Ranch near Mason, Texas, during the Thanksgiving holidays. Mr. Grote is a Farm Bureau Field Representative for this area. Mr. Brandes had the pleasure of killing his first deer.

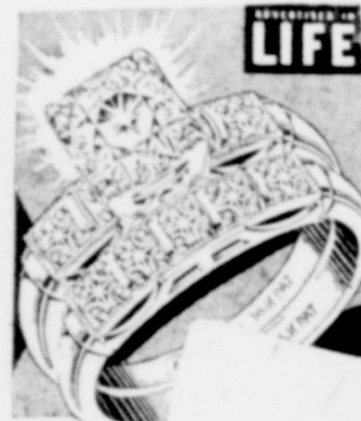
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Postmaster Explains Christmas Mailing

Postmaster Jeff M. Griffith said today that while the Post Office still has a tremendous job ahead of it, efforts are being redoubled to deliver all mail on time and in good condition by Christmas Eve. She points out that by taking a little extra care with your Christmas mailing now, you'll avoid disappointing friends and loved ones at Christmas time.

He asks for your special cooperation to sure that your return address are plainly typed or written on all labels and Christmas cards. Use zone numbers, and it's a good idea to include an extra label inside your packages. Parcel Post size and weight limitations vary according to destination. Ask about them when you go to the Post Office to buy stamps.

Speaking about stamps, the Postmaster said, "Use three-cent postage on all your Christmas cards. This way they will be delivered promptly, and forwarded or returned, if necessary, providing you include your name and address on your Christmas card envelopes." First-Class postage on your Christmas cards enables you to include handwritten messages, thus making your Christmas greetings more personal. By including your name and address on each Christmas card envelope, both you and your friends can keep your mailing lists up-to-date.

The Postmaster urges that you mail all of your out-of-town Christmas cards and packages immediately, and certainly not later than December 10th. Christmas mail for local addresses should be started on its way at least a week before Christmas.

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Society

A-Squad Longhorns Honored At Dinner

Members of the "A" Squad Longhorn Football team and their dates were honored at a dinner party at Lone Star Community Center Monday night beginning at 7:30. On the center table was an arrangement of white chrysanthemums flanked by goal posts, one tied with streamers in Lockney's school colors and the other in the colors of a rival team. At the foot of the goal posts were balloons in the school colors bearing the score of each team according to the 1956 record. Back of the center table was a 3-foot football player kicking a goal. Wall decorations included maroon and white streamers, footballs and helmets.

The dinner was served buffet style and guests were seated at tables in the recreation room. While seated the guests were entertained with the history of the 1956 football season told by Mrs. G. C. Applewhite and pantomimed by the pep squad girls. Games of ping pong and dart games concluded the delightful affair.

Approximately 75 guests attended. Mothers of the football boys made the arrangements for the party. They served a menu of turkey and dressing with all the trimmings.

Mrs. J. A. Dorman Is Shower Honoree

Mrs. John Alvin Dorman was named honoree for a layette shower given Tuesday morning at the home of Mrs. Buck Sams. Calling hours were 9:30 to 11:00 o'clock.

A color scheme of pink and blue was carried out in the table and room decorations. The refreshment table was covered with a white imported Maderia cloth centered with a blue styrofoam baby carriage filled with pink carnations being pushed by a stork. Tall blue tapers in silver holders flanked the centerpiece. Favors were pink and blue candy dolls in a basket. Silver appointments completed the table decor. Mmes. Rex Jackson and Marvin Sams poured coffee and Mmes. Raymond Rhodes and Joe Foster served cinnamon balls and pineapple tidbits. Mrs. Buck Sams and Mrs. E. A. Bonner met guests at the door and Mrs. Jack Nix secured names for the register.

Library News

Changing swiftly or remaining unchanged, Mexico is always one of the world's most fascinating lands, and Edna Ferguson has known how to present equally well the change and the unchanging in her book "Mexico Revisited." She drove 20,000 Mexican miles, touching all sorts of life and conditions in preparation for the writing of Mexico Revisited. Here in Mexico, a country that...

Hostesses for the occasion were Mmes. Joe Phillips, Eddie Holcomb, Tommy Montandon, Floyd Jackson, L. L. Rhodes, E. A. Bonner, Payton Powers, Joe Foster, Jack Nix, Marvin Sams, Lena Fae Sweatt, Raymond Rhodes, Dorsey Baker, Bobby McCormick, Buck Sams. Approximately 45 guests called.

as Edna Ferguson shows, dazzles the eye, stirs the mind, and above all touches the heart. For good biography, read "Miracle in the Mountains," by Harnett T. Kane. This is the life of Martha Berry, born to plantation wealth, but refused to ignore those thousands of forgotten Americans who lived in the southern mountains. The story of how Martha Berry, a small pretty southern woman, built the Berry Schools is told in this absorbing and inspiring biography. It is filled with warmth and human understanding which Harnett T. Kane brings to all his books. For a guide to Christian growth, read "Meeting Life on Higher Levels" by Suter Beckelthynner. Mr. Beckelthynner shows that the first requirement toward meeting life on a higher level is self-acceptance.

Memorial Books
Given in memory of Mrs. T. D. Wilson by Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Tye and family; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tye and family; Mr. and Mrs. Keith Tye and family; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tye and family.
Given in memory of Mr. R. L. Nichols by Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Williams.
Given in memory of Mr. W. N. Crompton by Room 2B, Andrews Ward School; Dr. and Mrs. Geo. Smith; Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ginn.
Given in memory of Mrs. Jewel Thagard by Dr. and Mrs. Geo. Smith; Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ginn.
Given in memory of Mr. Robert A. Garrett by Mr. and Mrs. Hollis R. Bond; Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Fawver; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tye; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beedy.
Other Gifts
Books by Mrs. Shaw; Magazines by Judge Rutledge.
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Linda Sue Folsom of Amarillo is visiting in the Hershel Carthel home this week.

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South Plains

By Mrs. Murray Julian

Guests over the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Cummings and children were her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Hall and Kerry from Adrien who spent Saturday and the night with them, leaving Sunday morning for home and another sister, Mr. and Mrs. James Preston, Janice and Debby of Austin, who came Friday to stay until Sunday morning.

Mrs. Frank McClure, WMU president, was hostess in her home for the annual Lottie Moon Week of Prayer program for foreign missions all day Monday. Mrs. Snodgrass was program chairman. "Hallowed Be Thy Name," was the theme. Beginning at 10 o'clock in the morning the group studied until lunch and a covered dish dinner was enjoyed. Present were Mmes. John Smitherman, Larry Faus, Grigsby Milton, L. N. Johnson, Sylvan Kinnibrugh, J. P. Taylor, Murray Julian, Bryan Karr, H. S. Calahan Jr. Paul Snodgrass and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Ursel Taylor and children spent Thanksgiving Day near Flomot with her people, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jacobs. Friday visitors in Lubbock were Mr. and Mrs. Arby Mulder. Arby went for a medical check up.

Mr. and Mrs. George Weast left Tuesday morning for their cabin in Ruidoso, N. M. Joining them for Thanksgiving Day dinner and the weekend were their children, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Evans and children of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Smith and children of Sterley, Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pearson went to Ruidoso to visit with the Weasts.

Mr. and Mrs. Holt Bishop, Mrs. Shirley Piggan and small daughter, Chris from Mt. Blanco visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. McClure Sunday afternoon.

School children enjoyed Thanksgiving parties in their school rooms Wednesday afternoon and at lunch time Mrs. A. L. Stewart served a delicious turkey dinner with all that goes with it to the faculty and the school children. PTA will have a group singing of Christmas carols on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 16, 3:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby Milton, Barbara, Donita and Darla spent Saturday in Amarillo visiting his mother and other relatives. Donnie Young was a Friday night guest in their home and accompanied them to Amarillo. Friday night the Miltons visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Julian.

Rev. and Mrs. Larry Faus and Vassie Beth left Friday morning for Wichita Falls and the State Training Union Convention, returning Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Karr and Yvonne left Wednesday at noon for Fort Worth to spend Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Karr. His mother has not been very well.

Monday night at 7:30 at the home of Mrs. I. H. Parks, Mrs. Rene Yeary presented the younger pupils of her music classes in a recital. Next Monday night, Dec. 10 at 7:30 Mrs. Yeary will present her older pupils in their recital at the home of Mrs. Early Pritchett. Pupils participating will be Bill Bled-

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Thanksgiving Day guests for a turkey dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Julian and their boys were their pastor, Rev. and Mrs. Larry Faus, Vassie Beth and Bobby, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure. The day was also celebrated by Vassie Beth with a big cake made by her mother for her third birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Calahan Jr. and Diane accompanied by Elton Karr left Thursday morning for Wichita Falls where they stayed until Saturday attending the State Training Union Convention. We are proud to announce Diane, primary pupil, a state winner in the story telling contest at Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fortenberry spent Sunday with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Robin Fortenberry of Cedar Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wood and their grandson, Tommy McCown of Texas Tech at Lubbock were Thanksgiving day dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Wood and Juanel.

A Thanksgiving supper was held at the Sterley Club room for the community Tuesday night sponsored by Sterley Methodist Church. A Thanksgiving program by the children was enjoyed. About 70 were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Washington's three month old son was buried at Flomot Friday afternoon, the victim of strangulation Thursday. We offer our sympathy to the sorrowing parents who recently moved in the Sterley community. Going from here for the funeral services were Mr. and Mrs. Hansel Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fortenberry and Mrs. Lewis Harston and Patsy, Rev. Rex Newkirk preached the funeral.

Miss Virginia Taylor was hostess at an 8 o'clock supper Thanksgiving Day in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Taylor to a group of young people from Floydada, Silverton and South Plains. Each guest brought a dish to be served with the big turkey baked by Mrs. Taylor and Virginia. Enjoying the supper were Juanel Wood and James Teague, Marisue Burleson and Eugene Beedy, June Marble and Charles Wallace, Kay Garrison and Tommy Respondek, Donita Milton and Tommy Autrey, Bonnie Upton, Virginia Taylor and Deleath Peugh.

Terry Julian came home Wednesday night to have Thanksgiving with his folks. Gene Ledbetter and several others from Amarillo came down Saturday morning and accompanied a group to Wich-

ita Falls for the West Texas-Midwestern football game, 41-14 in favor of West Texas was the score. Bonnie Upton also spent the week end here and Sunday afternoon they all returned to Canyon. Lonnie Jarrett from West Texas College is now at Floydada doing his student teaching at the high school assisting Mrs. I. T. Graves in the speech classes.

Graveside services were held at the Lockney Cemetery Sunday afternoon for the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eulan Bradshaw, who was born Sunday morning, December 2. Bro. Dale Setliff of Plainview conducted the services. Many neighbors and friends from here were present. We send sincere sympathy to the par-

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ents and grandparents here, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Bradshaw. The Eulan Bradshaws have two small sons, Tommy and David.

Miss Nancy Holland, bride-elect of Don Marble was honored with a miscellaneous shower Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. John Smitherman. Mrs. Smitherman greeted the guests and presented them to Miss Holland, her mother, Mrs. R. L. Holland, and to the prospective bridegroom's mother, Mrs. H. L. Marble. From a table laid with a gray linen cloth, Mrs. Mac Smitherman and Mrs. Rex Smitherman served coffee, cakes, and nuts from beautiful silver appoint-

ments. A pink and gray table arrangement, centered with pink blossoms, surrounded with the crystal and silver service completed the decorations. Mrs. Raymond Reeves presided at the brides book. Most of the neighborhood called or sent gifts. Hostesses for the occasion were Mmes. John Smitherman, Sim Reeves, Frank McClure, Harry Hartman, L. T. Wood, Mac Smitherman, Gilbert Bean, George Weast, Raymond Reeves and Rex Smitherman.

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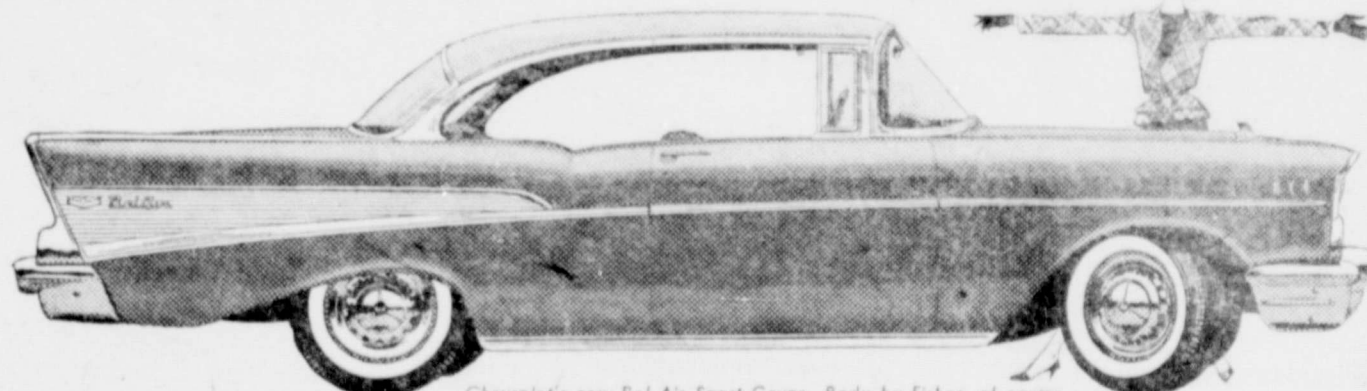
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Time To Write Letters To Santa

The Lockney Beacon is again the receiving station for letters to Santa Claus and we have already received several. All good little boys and girls who want to tell Santa about their desires for Christmas should sit down soon and drop him a letter in care of The Beacon.

Here are some letters we have already received and forwarded on to the North Pole headquarters of Old Santa:

Beatrice, Nov. 30, 1956
Box 763.

Dear Santa Claus:

I've been a good girl to my family, and my brother and sisters too.

I want a walking and Talking doll to. Oh and something else to a buggy for the doll. I want it for Christmas. I want a new tricycle to, and a little suitcase to, and some clothes for the doll and some dishes to, and a record player and some new records, and a little refrigerator to, and some sticks of candy, ironing board and an electric iron and some jewelry for me and my little sister.

Have a good time. Bring them to Lockney, Texas.

To Santa Claus from Beatrice Sanchez.

Good bye.

Route 2
Lockney, Texas
Nov. 25, 1956.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little girl 8 years of age. My name is Linda Frances Abbott. I live on Route 2, Southwest of Lockney, Texas. I have been very good this year. I go to Sunday School, Training Union, Sunbeams, sing in the Church Choir at First Baptist Church at Lockney, Texas. I am in the third grade at school and make good grades. I am also studying piano music from Mrs. Omer Kirk at Floydada, Texas.

Would you please bring me a little vacuum cleaner, a Pogo Stick, a Mickey Mouse watch, a Record Player with a little case to carry my records in. I would like a bicycle too, and a little refrigerator.

Please remember my brothers, Stanley, Barton and Larry and all the other little boys and girls.

Love,
Linda Abbott.

Nov. 26, 1956
Lockney, Texas.

Dear Santa Claus:

First, I would like to thank you for the good Christmas I had last year. I have enjoyed all my gifts this year.

Santa, I have tried to be a good girl and have done what my mama and daddy have told me. Would you please bring me a walking doll, bed wagon, and little bicycle. My bigger sister has been good too so please don't forget her. I have two big brothers at home. They would like for you to come see them. Also Corine and Mary Rose would like a new dress. They've been good girls and haven't fussed too much. Also don't forget Loye who is in the Navy and Eva who is in Ft. Worth. I sure do hope they can be home with us. And Santa Claus, please bring my mama and papa something extra nice. They sure have been good this year.

Don't forget all the other boys and girls.

Mury Christmas to all.

Love,

Malinda.

P. S. I'll leave you a donut and coffee at the cafe.

November 25, 1956.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little boy 5 years of age. My name is Barton Abbott. I live about two miles Southwest of Lockney, Texas. I love my daddy and like to go with him. I go to Sunday School.

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Love,
Barton.

Dear Santa:
Well here it is another year and Xmas draws near. I've been about as good as usual, and that's pretty fair. Have you had a nice year?

I would like to have a "Toodles" doll, a large doll buggy, a vanity dresser, just any size and anything else you would like to leave. Don't forget all the other boys and girls.

Love you,
Vikkke Hammit.

HOLIDAY VISITORS

Mr and Mrs. F. M. Payne of Caddo Mills visited his brother, F. U. Payne and Mrs. Payne during Thanksgiving holidays. Other visitors included her brother, E. B. Miles of Hereford and sisters, Mrs. John Berry and Mr. Berry, Greenville, Mrs. L. Bowen and Mr. Bowen, Dallas. Sunday visitors in the Payne home were Mr. and Mrs. Clay Mercer of South Plains.

Mr and Mrs. Dave Jackson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Jackson and children, all of Moberg, Arizona visited with the women's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Cottrell last week. The Cottrells accompanied the Jacksons to Arizona Sunday.

the invocation was given by Miss Elaine Cooper, the music teacher. The menu: ham and cheese sandwiches, fritos, orange juice and home-made cookies in shape of pumpkins and turkeys. Favors were bags of corn candies and an apple designed as a Pilgrim or Indian.

Present were: Bruce Baccus, Carolyn Byrd, Monty Cook, Glenda Cooper, Audy Duvall, Freddie Elliott, Shawna Gilly, Johnny Hodel, Jay Jester, Gary Mangold, Cathie McDonald, Debbie Miller, Johnny D. Patterson, Cindy Rankin, Darlene Reed, Susan Simmons, Kathy Thornton, Kay Wiley, Brenda Wisdom, Steven Wisdom, Paul Wisdom, teachers, Mrs. Derrell Wood, Elaine Cooper and the November mothers.

CARD OF THANKS

To my many friends and loved ones who were so nice to send cards and to visit me, to the untiring doctors and nurses who were so patient and kind, a great big "Thank You" to

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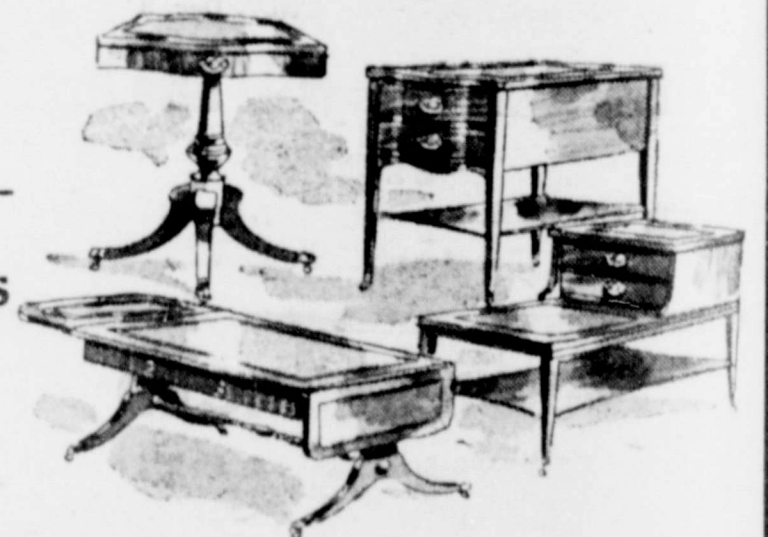


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HAS BRAIN CONCUSSION

Robert Wayne Workman, 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Workman, suffered a brain concussion Thanksgiving Day when a playmate accidentally struck him on the head with a shovel handle. Robert Wayne has had to miss school this week but he is thought to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fox of Kress were in Lockney Monday on business and visited friends. They are former residents of Lockney.

Mahon Urges Loan On Light Spot Cotton

Lubbock. — Rep. George Mahon has wired Secretary Benson, urging him to immediately set in motion plans which will guarantee a loan basis on light spot cotton for the 1957 crop year.

This action followed a meeting in Lubbock of representative farmers from approximately 30 West Texas counties on November 28. At the meeting a resolution to include a specific loan on light spot cotton in the government loan program.

Attending the meeting were representatives of the Plains Cotton Growers Association, Farm Bureau, and Farmers Union. Other industry and producer groups were also represented.

In his message to Secretary Benson, Mahon pointed out that the nation's cotton growers were losing millions of dollars annually by reason of the refusal of the Department to grant a special loan on light spot cotton.

Mahon pointed out that over a period of years he had joined with other West Texans in seeking a special loan on light spot cotton. This year such a loan was endorsed by the House Committee on Agriculture in a report made to Congress, and a Congressional hearing was held in Greenville, Texas, in October at which time the Department of Agriculture was condemned for its failure to provide for a special loan on light spot cotton for the 1956 crop.

Mahon expressed belief that the united front which has now been presented by all farm groups should mean a great deal in the campaign for a government loan basis on light spot cotton for 1957.

SMITHS HAVE BABY

Rev. and Mrs. Oran D. Smith of Groom have a new baby boy at their house. The young fellow was born November 19th and came to live with the Smiths on November 24th, by adoption. He has been named Jon Oran. Rev. Smith is a former pastor of the Alken Methodist Church and is now pastor at Groom. He is leading the singing at the revival in progress this week at the Lockney Methodist Church. Mrs. Smith taught music here for several years.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

CROSS ROADS REPORT

December 6, 1956

Dear Editor:
I see where a school teacher wrote up a long article in a magazine here a while back, about how hard she has to work trying to straighten out kids who are equipped with parents.

Seems that every day there is somebody else taking a poke at parents, and pointing out how Nature goofed when she put same in charge of children.

But my family-style neighbor says he wonders if there hasn't been maybe at least one or two cases where it wasn't the child nor the parents but the teacher who was misadjusted.

D. E. SCOTT
Crossroads, U. S. A.

Paymaster Wins In Grain Show

An exhibit of Rebbind 60 from Paymaster Farms won the championship award in the grain sorghum division of the International Livestock Exposition at Chicago Tuesday.

The exhibit, prepared by Bob Gibson, farm superintendent, and Carlton Robinson, assistant agronomist at the Paymaster Farm, was from a field that yielded more than 4,000 pounds to the acre, Robinson said. The variety is rather popular among grain sorghum producers on the Plains.

The second place award in the grain sorghum display went to Roberts Seed Co. of Farwell, according to an Associated Press report.

OFFICE SUPPLIES at The BEACON OFFICE.

Deep Oil Test Is Slated Near Flomot

Matador. — A deep oil test is under way three miles northeast of Flomot in the extreme northwestern section of Motley County.

It is West Texas Central Drilling Company, et al of Abilene, No. 1 W. T. Ross, located 660 feet from the north and west lines of Section 57, Block 4 T&P survey.

The test is scheduled to production, granite or 10,000 feet. There is no production in that vicinity.

IN CALIFORNIA

Mrs. Della Dagley writes The Beacon from Long Beach, Calif., that she is enjoying the pretty, sunny warm weather in California but she misses The Lockney Beacon and wants us to send it to her. She says that the temperature there is 84 and 85 most of the time.

DIRT-FREE, GERM FREE FLOORS

A bathroom tile floor needs to be suds-scoured once a week. Thereafter a quick daily going-over with a mop squeezed from hot soap or detergent suds should keep this surface clean and fresh. If the bathroom floor is linoleum or wood, wash with suds and sponge with clear warm water. Use water sparingly so it won't seep under floor coverings or between boards. Let the floor dry well before replacing rugs.

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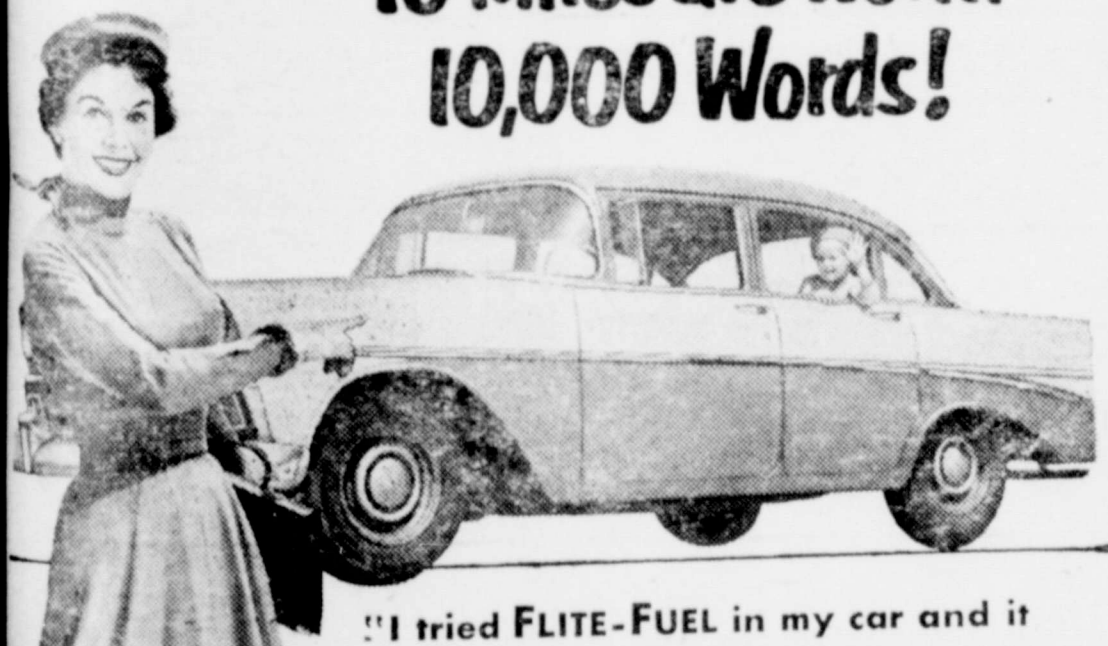
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Research Station To Study Fertilizer

The purpose of the proposed Fertilizer Research Program at the High Plains Station of Texas Research Foundation is to obtain information required for economic usage of fertilizers on High Plains irrigated soils. "Economic usage" means maximum returns per dollar spent for fertilizer.

Due to tremendous increase in irrigation during the past 10 years and subsequent high production of crops, soils of the High Plains are decreasing in fertility to the extent that fertilizer is becoming important for maximum economic production. The experiments proposed at the Research Farm located at Halfway will be designed to answer questions such as: How much and what kind to apply, when to apply, how deep should the fertilizer be put and what is the best method of application?

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

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

TO DALLAS

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Frizzell and son, Tony, went to Dallas Monday where Tony underwent an examination of a specialist at Baylor Hospital. Reports were good and Tony will probably be back in school by Friday. He became ill at school last week.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.



DEMONSTRATION OF PIPE in New York City which can be laid quickly over rough terrain to carry water for fire fighting, city water supply or to pump out flooded areas. This flexible-coupled pipe is stored by the Federal Civil Defense Administration in warehouses throughout the nation for use in emergencies. New couplings allow pipe to be laid without leveling it.

flushing the entire system. All drain plugs should be removed and the pump operated for a few minutes. Open all valves while the pump is running to release any trapped water and remove and place all valve balls in oil. Grease and turn shafts to distribute the grease on shafts and bearings and hang hose so all water drains out.

Give all machinery a good cleaning; pack bearings to seal out moisture; remove belts and canvases and store in a dry, rodent-proof container and apply a rust inhibitor to all polished surfaces such as plow moldboards and sieves. While this job is being done, Ulich suggests a close inspection of

all machinery for broken, bent or worn parts. Repairs or replacements can be made during the winter.

Winterizing farm machinery and equipment can save valuable time and money in addition to adding years to the serviceable life of the equipment.

CARD OF THANKS

Thanks very much for the cards, flowers and the other remembrances during the time I was in the hospital. Also thanks to the hospital staff for their kindness. I also appreciate the slack trousers given to me.

E. A. Carter

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

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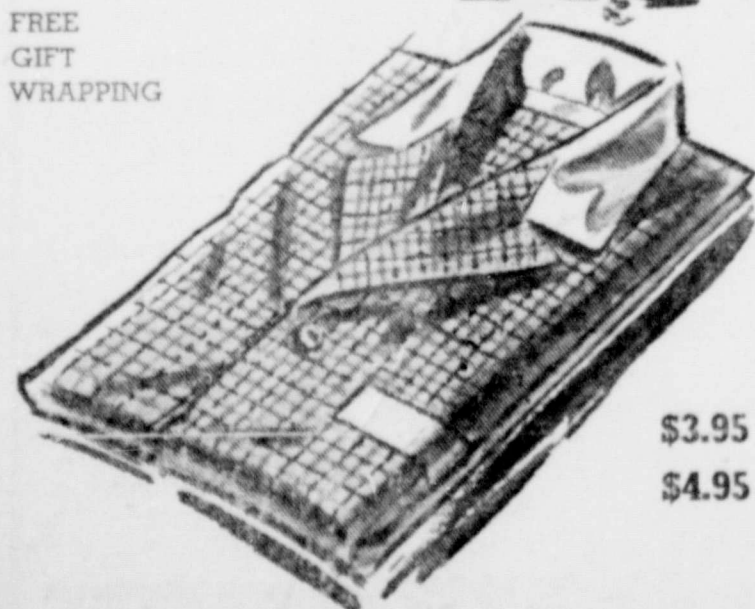
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Lockney General Hospital News

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Mrs. Zeb Reed continues to receive medical care. Alvin Bostone continues to receive medical care.

Frank Roberson was dismissed 12-5 following medical care.

Ed Carter was dismissed 11-30 following medical care.

Mrs. Clinton Miller was dismissed 11-30 following medical care.

Mrs. S. L. Powell was dismissed 11-28 following medical care.

Joe Michael Amaya was dismissed 11-30 following medical care.

E. J. Duncan was dismissed 11-30 following medical care.

Mrs. Juan Guerra was dismissed 12-1 following surgical care.

Billy Jack Darden was dismissed 11-29 following surgical care.

Charles Alford was admitted 11-30 for minor surgery and was dismissed 12-1.

Barbara Taylor was admitted 11-30 for minor surgery and was dismissed 12-1.

Herman Dimas was admitted 11-30 for medical care and was dismissed 12-1.

Mrs. John Gilkeyson was admitted 11-30 for medical care and was dismissed 12-3.

Bobby Webster was admitted 12-1 for minor surgery and was dismissed 12-1.

Mrs. H. E. Bradshaw was admitted for medical care 12-1 and was dismissed 12-5.

G. C. Tiner was admitted for medical care 12-2 and was dismissed 12-4.

Tony Frizzell was admitted 12-2 for medical care and was dismissed 12-3.

Ronnie Christian was admitted 12-3 for medical care and was dismissed 12-4.

Mrs. Juaguina Albarado was admitted 12-3 for medical care and was dismissed 12-4.

Carla Bean was admitted for medical care 12-3.

Julia Nance was admitted for medical care 12-4.

Ester Gonzales was admitted 12-4 for medical care.

Coyle Gallington was admitted 12-4 for medical care.

Franklin Youngquist was admitted 12-5 for medical care.

Thomas Fletcher was admitted 12-5 for medical care.

New Arrivals
Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Arellano are the parents of a baby girl born 11-28. She weighed 8 lbs., 4 ozs. and was named Ofelia.

Mr. and Mrs. Minard King Jr. are the parents of twins born 11-29. Baby girl King weighed 7 lbs., 5 ozs. and was named Connie Fay. Baby boy King weighed 6 lbs., 7 ozs. and was named Donnie Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Latimer are the parents of a baby girl born 11-30. She weighed 6 lbs., 13 ozs. and was named Karen Elaine.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Ray White are the parents of a baby girl born 11-30. She weighed 6 lbs. and was named Dee Lena Fae.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Soto are the parents of a baby girl born 11-30. She weighed 6 lbs., 6 ozs. and was named Norma Linda.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Soto are the parents of a baby boy born 11-30. He weighed 6 lbs., 8 ozs. and was named Tony Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Domingo Sosa are the parents of a baby boy born 11-30. He weighed 6 lbs., 7 ozs. and was named Domingo Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wington are the parents of a baby boy born 12-4. He weighed 9 lbs., 6 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Anderson and Mrs. C. P. McPherson returned Tuesday after a visit with relatives at Dallas, McKinney, Greenville and Alvarado.

OFFICE SUPPLIES at The BEACON OFFICE.

Post Office At Pylant's Closed

The contract post office substitution at Pylant Grocery has been closed for the season. Mrs. Jeffie M. Griffith said. The contract office was operated during the fall rush season and while the post office was occupying cramped quarters after the fire.

"The sub-station was a lot of help to us and came at a time when we really needed help," Mrs. Griffith said. "We certainly do thank the Pylants for their help during this time."

The contract office was closed effective December 1, Mrs. Griffith said.

MOVING TO PLAINVIEW

Claude and Theron Spence will move Friday of this week to their new home in Plainview. They have rented the Spence house here to Mr. and Mrs. Buck Latimer.

Mrs. Hershel Carthel and daughter, Mrs. Warren Mathis visited Mrs. Carthel's brother who is critically ill in Littlefield Tuesday.

Winterizing Farm Machinery Advised

College Station. — A hard freeze can play havoc with auxiliary motors, tractor engines and sprayers unless they have been properly winterized, says W. L. Ulich, extension agriculture engineer.

Auxiliary motors should be cleaned; the crankcase drained and refilled with new oil and the motor run for a few minutes to coat all surfaces with oil. The radiator should be drained and flushed with a reliable radiator cleaner and then flushed again with clear water.

Remove the spark plugs. Give them a good cleaning and adjust and oil before replacing them, says Ulich. The upper cylinder walls should be lubricated while the plugs are out. Drain the fuel tank and allow to air dry. Cover the end of the exhaust and breather pipes to prevent moisture from entering the motor. Clean and change the battery and store it where it will not freeze.

To winterize spray equipment, the engineer advises



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| BAKERITE | 3 Lb. Can | 75c | |
| Cut Corn | Libby's Frozen 10 oz. Pkg. | 15c | |
| PEARS | Libby's Halves No. 303 Can | 25c | |
| LIBBY PLAIN CHILI, 16 oz. can | | 35c | 9 1/2 OZ. GOBLET WITH 10c COUPON — BIG TOP |
| SELECT SHELLLED — NEW CROP PECANS, Full 1 lb. pkg. | | 98c | PEANUT BUTTER 35c |
| IDAHO RUSSETS SPUDS, 10 lbs. | | 49c | DRESSED GRADE A FRYERS, Each 75c |
| SUNKIST NAVELS ORANGES, lb. | | 15c | SWIFTS PREMIUM BACON, lb. 55c |
| LIBBY'S FROZEN—TWO 6 OZ. CANS ORANGE JUICE | | 29c | RIBS, Fresh Pork, lb. 39c |
| TOMATO JUICE | Libby 45 oz. | 29c | FRANKS, 2 lb. pkg. 59c |

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