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PLANTS CLOSE FOR HOURS ELECTRIC WIND LASHES AREA

Wind and dust storm Tuesday morning closed down the area for several hours. The wind was on a 45 mile wind and dirt were bad until 10 o'clock when the elements cleared. The barometer promised more of the same today. The day the gins of the area were closed down again. No fires were in the area in Floydada. There was a gin yard in the area of 13 bales of cotton, four of them were destroyed. The gin said there was a fire in the gin yard and the trailers and truck were unable to save the cotton. The gin said it did not know all who destroyed property as it had a thorough check of the area.

DO IT NOW



Time is flying. Fifteen—count them—15 shopping days 'til Christmas.

Graves Shows Financial Side Football Year

The high school football financial report for the season just closed made by Superintendent I. T. Graves reveals the year has been a good one for financing the high school athletic department, despite the fact that a large amount of equipment was destroyed last year in a fire along with the athletic club room. At this time the fund owes a balance to W. A. Holt athletic equipment dealer, of \$1228.24, representing the only outstanding obligation of the athletic department.

Sommer Resigning January 1 as Quannah Ry. President

Rude Winds Whip Decorations; Can't Whip Christmas Spirit

Have you noticed nearly every year, just as the boys from the City Hall get all the Christmas decorations up across the streets, down town, there is a terrific wind storm and just about ruin the decorations? Well, another day like Tuesday, and some repairs on the decorations and the Christmas tree in the court house yard will have to be in order.

Winds from the south bringing gust of dirt began to blow again on Wednesday shortly after noon, but were not so fierce as Tuesday. Folks are beginning to get the "Christmas Spirit". They are buying Christmas trees, which, by the way are being trucked in from East Texas, two parked now in front of the Hesperian office. Stores and offices are being decorated. Brown Holmes have a pretty office decoration, both with Santa and the Christmas tree. The show windows at the different stores are showing off ideas for Santa. After all, you know, there is just "15 more shopping days till Xmas."

Baptists to Hear El Paso Minister Monday Evening

Dr. W. Herschel Ford, pastor of the First Baptist church in El Paso, will be guest speaker at the meeting of the Baptist Men's brother-



DR. W. HERSCHEL FORD

hood Monday evening next. The meeting hour is 7 o'clock in the meeting place the basement of the church, where a fine dinner is to be prepared by a committee composed of Clarence Guffee, chairman, Leonard Mastler, Henry G. Barber and Norman Hamilton. All the men of the church are invited to attend and hear Dr. Ford.

College Basketball, Clarendon Jr. Vs. WTS, Here Monday Night

What ought to be a whale of a basketball game for Graves gymnasium in Floydada Monday night will be the West Texas State college freshmen against the Clarendon College Bulldogs.

The two college clubs will appear here under the auspices of the Quarterback club, of which J. M. Willson, Jr., is president, and Carl L. Minor, Jr., is vice-president. It will be a benefit game and a campaign for sale of tickets is being carried on under auspices of the projects committee of John W. Kimble, other members of which are D. T. Mayo, Walton Hale, Ralph Cogdill, Fred Cardinal and Carl Jarrett.

Coach Gus Miller of the Canyon school always has an interesting lot of youngsters coming on and Floydada fans thus are assured of seeing some of the future stars of the school in action. The Clarendon Junior college team is made up principally of players from the home state of Texas, with a few from the neighboring counties. For instance, Don Dorman, of Samnorwood; Jerry English, season high point man last year with 311 points in 24 games, all-regional in last year's tournament at Amarillo; Vesley Farr, Clarendon, hook shot artist; Jimmy Gowdy, Memphis, good rebounder always good for six to eight points; Kenneth Sams, Lakeview, guard and defensive player per game average last year 33.3.

was not available to The Hesperian yesterday.

Whirlwinds, Petersburg Game
The admission prices will be \$1 for adults, 50 cents for students. The college game whistle will blow at 8 o'clock. Proceeding the college game will be a game between the senior Whirlwind squad and the Petersburg cagers. This game is scheduled to start at 6:30. There will be no extra charge.

Funds obtained from attendance at these games will be spent helping defray the expense of the electric scoreboard. Incidentally coach Fate Gresham said this week that a new fuse will be installed for the two-amp fuse that went out last week. Amateur athletic events such as this scheduled for Monday night are no longer required to pay a federal tax.

Veterans Meet Here Saturday

As one of the highlights of the meeting of Veterans of Foreign Wars here Saturday and Sunday Justin Morrow, as the department speaker, will address the veterans Sunday afternoon in their business session. J. W. Harrison Post is making preparations to entertain visitors from 13 posts embraced in the district in their new home on North Second street, just now in the last stages of completion. Rex R. Brown, commander of the post, expressed belief that places would be found for the visitors in Floydada Saturday night.

Registrations begin Saturday afternoon at 2:30. A lunch at 6 o'clock will be followed by a dance Saturday night in the new auditorium. Sunday morning a joint session of the post and the auxiliary will be held, the business session beginning at 2:30 Sunday afternoon. Official welcome to the visitors will be extended by J. M. Willson, sr.

John F. Nixon, Retired Farmer Succumbs at 81

J. F. Nixon, 81, Floyd County retired farmer, passed away at his home on West Houston street Monday morning at 11:30 o'clock after a long illness. Mr. Nixon had suffered two strokes. He had rallied up to about ten days ago, when he suffered another stroke from which he did not recover.

The funeral service for Mr. Nixon was held Wednesday at 2 p.m. in the East Side Primitive Baptist church with Elder Charlie Jarrett in charge of the service. Interment was made at Lakeview cemetery. Pallbearers were his grandsons James M. Nixon, of Brownfield, Leslie L. Nixon, jr., of Biggs Air base, El Paso, Fred Nixon, Olan Lee Lawrence, Jr., and Kennon L. Gregory, all of Floydada, and 1st Sgt. Roy D. Gregory of Sulzburg, Austria. Honorary pallbearers were W. J. Weller, Luther Holmes, W. F. Hinkle, W. C. Wright, H. A. Patterson, Tom Porter and George Birch.

John Frederick Nixon was born February 13, 1870 at Frederickburg, Texas. He was married to Leona V. Barton on October 9, 1892 at Hickory Creek, Blanco county. Mr. Nixon had been a farmer in Floyd county for 30 years, until his health caused his retirement from the farm. For the last several years he has made his home with his daughter, Mrs. Lois Gregory on Houston street. Mr. Nixon was a devoted member of the Primitive Baptist church and was faithful in his attendance until his health failed. Survivors are two sons, Leslie L. Nixon of Floydada and Tim W. Nixon of Fresno, California, and three daughters, Mesdames Lois Gregory and O. L. Lawrence of Floydada, and Mrs. Verna Propps of Colton, California. Also surviving the deceased are 18 grandchildren, 14 great grandchildren and one great great grandchild.

Mrs. Nixon and three children preceded Mr. Nixon in death. Mrs. Nixon is also buried in the Lakeview cemetery. Mr. Nixon and his family formerly lived in the Lakeview and Starkey communities.

Elder T. A. Dunn Pioneer Minister Died Last Friday

Funeral rites for Elder T. A. Dunn, a pioneer Primitive Baptist preacher of Crosbyton, who passed away at Crosbyton in the hospital there last Friday, was held in the Primitive Baptist church there Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Elder Eldridge Norman of Wellington had charge of the service.

Elder Dunn is survived by his wife, Mrs. T. A. Dunn of Crosbyton and five daughters: Mesdames Elzie Roberts, Tillman Reeves, D. Collier, Earnest Robertson, Griffin Odum all of Crosbyton, and one son, John A. Dunn of Littlefield, and nine grandchildren.

Attending the rites from Floydada were the following: Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Dunn, a brother of the deceased and Mrs. Maurice Fred, a niece, and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Dunn, a nephew, and Messrs. and Misses E. L. Norman, F. C. Harmon, Tilford Taylor, Calvin Poteet, W. C. Wright, A. V. Adams Noah Wright, Mesdames R. F. Hall, J. A. Jameson, L. Y. Woolsey, A. Elza, and Leslie Nixon.

LIBRARY MEETING MONDAY
The Library Committee will meet Monday, December 10, in the library room in the court house at 3:30 p.m. All the new members of the committee are urged to be present. Mrs. Howard Drysdale, secretary reporting.

Jaycee Turkey Shoot Coming Up Dec. 15-16

Floydada Junior Chamber of Commerce is offering some more of the same to hungry shooters of the area who haven't made the grade for a Christmas turkey as yet. This week they have been making big plans, involving the turkey market, setting up the distance markers and getting ready for the turkey shoot they are announcing for Saturday afternoon and Sunday afternoon, December 15 and 16. That's next week-end. They expect a lot of business and with good reason. The news has got around that the boys delivered nearly 30 Thanksgiving day turkeys to marksmen of the area.

A shot at a good turkey for only a dollar when he's worth \$6 to \$10 at the market sounds like a bargain, especially if a fellow has been to the wars and knows the ways of a rifle when it's zeroed in. Use your own rifle, if it's a .22 calibre, field grade. Shells furnished.

W. H. Tanner, president of the Jaycees, says the range will be at the same location—on the south side of Blanco canyon and to the left just as you top the hill. The range is 100 yards long. There are young and fat turkeys. If you nick him and make the blood come. Also, if the turkey shoot shows any profit it'll go right back into something for the community.

Xmas Lighting Contest Rules

You won't have any trouble observing the simple rules which will govern the Junior Chamber of Commerce Christmas lighting contest. About the only thing to trip you up being the deadline set for entries, which has been set for the night of December 17. Even that shouldn't bother too much, since you will surely have made up your mind about decorating your premises on or before that date.

The Jaycees are going to pay two sets of identical prizes in the home lighting contest for Christmas. Two firsts of \$25, two seconds \$15 and two thirds of \$10, each, in the City of Floydada and in rural Floyd county.

Mrs. Burleson in Baylor Hospital

Mrs. W. E. Burleson who is in Baylor hospital in Dallas following major surgery there last week, is recovering and it is planned to return to her home here within the next few days.

Mrs. Burleson was in a car wreck over a year ago and has since that time been in casts and on crutches.

Lions Governor to Pay Official Visit to Floydada December 13

Yesterday President Parnell Powell of Floydada Lions club announced their club activities next week will be enlivened by the presence of District 2-T-1 Governor Boyd Meador, of McLean, who will be on his official visit with the club and will address the organization at their noon-day session. The meeting date is December 13.

New Jersey, who will be honored at a district-wide meeting in the state fair grounds in Amarillo tonight. A western-style barbecue is being planned. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnson and District Governor Jones and Mrs. Jones will attend from the Floydada club. Mr. Jones has been designated to present a gift from the Lions of the district to the international president at the barbecue.

Today's Markets

Hens	12c
4 pounds and up, 22c	
under 4 pounds, 19c	
Cream	70c
1 lb.	
Butter	70c
1 lb.	
Chickens, killed, No. 1, 40c	
2-3	35c
4-5	30c
6-7	25c
8-9	20c
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FOR SALE—3 bedroom house Location perfect and no better house in town. Contact E. C. King, 311 West California, Floydada, Texas, Phone 373-J. 45 2tc

BARGAIN—Two bedroom home, 911 South Main, Floydada. Call Ralph Glover at 99 in Silvertown, or 7-J after 5 o'clock. 41 t/c


FOR SALE—4 bedroom brick and stucco residence, bath and half-bath, double garage, wash house, store room; on corner lots, 100 foot front, paved one side. Priced to sell. J. G. Wood. 41 t/c

FOR SALE — Nice two bedroom home, near Andrews Ward school. Phone 577. John R. Gray. 41 t/c

FOR SALE—6 room house to be moved. Automatic dish washer, automatic washing machine; automatic air conditioner. Modern kitchen and bath. See Edwin Hammonds, Route 4, Phone 723-J-2. Floydada. 41 6tp

STUCCO HOUSE—4 rooms, bath, modern, to be moved. See W. H. Bethel at Bethel Tire Store. 45 4tp

MUST SELL Apartment house consisting of 8 apartments. Rented for \$500 a month. Phone owner 8104 or apply 2609 2nd street, Lubbock.



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1950 Plymouth Special Delux 4-dr.—New tires


1949 Chevrolet Fleetline, 2dr. white side Tires, New Ring job, Extra clean.

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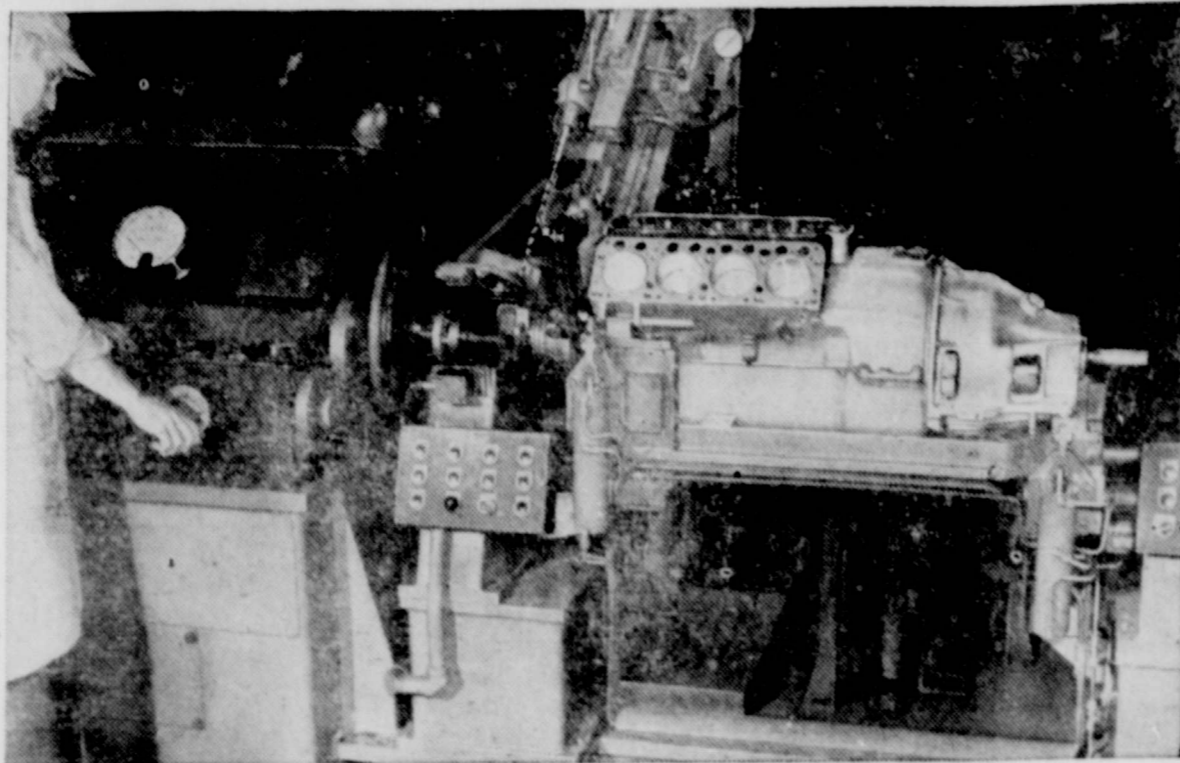
1948 Chevrolet 1/2 ton Pickup Radio, Heater Overload springs clean.

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ELECTRONIC "BRAIN" BALANCES CHRYSLER ENGINES



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NEW INTERNATIONAL L-160 Truck 172" Wheel Base;—New DeSoto Protocols; Truck flaps; Used Frigidaire Parts for all makes of Cars, Trucks & Tractors. Prestone Antifreeze now available. Used Frigidaire Refrigerator—

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Enough "WAPARIN" to make 5 pounds Rat and Mice bait for \$1.75. Phone 307, Fuqua-Barber Farm Supply. 52 t/c

MONUMENTS FOR SALE—by Mrs. W. D. Newell, successor to the late S. B. McCleskey, representing Southeast Granite and Marble Co., Headstones, Phone 455-W or visit 323 West Tennessee Street. 40 t/c

TIMKIN BEARINGS—Near complete stock. Spears Auto Co 44 t/c

ARROW HEAD Trailers—Johnson power lift go-devils, Farmore and Century sprayers, Goodyear irrigation tubes. Floydada Implement Co., Massey-Harris sales service. 10 t/c

IRRIGATION dams, sticks, tubes. S. J. Latta Implement co. 11 t/c



1948-Willis Pick Up 1/2 ton 4 wheel drive Heater A-1 condition

1947 Pontiac Convertible Coupe, Radio, Heater, Good tires.

46-1/2 ton Ford Pick Up.

1947-Ford 2 dr. Heater.

1950 Mercury, Radio, heater and over drive;

1939 Mercury, 4-door.

40-Ford Tudor

BISHOP MOTOR COMPANY 45 2tp

Land for Sale

FLOYD COUNTY farm, 320 acres, well improved, on pavement, J. G. Wood bank building. 26 t/c

Lost and Found

LOST — Nov 12 dark red billfold belonging to Joy Day. Call No. 82. 44 2tc

LOST—Pekingese female dog, 13 months old, reddish brown in color. Answers to name of Penny. Reward offered. Call 174 or 213. See F. C. Harmon. 44 t/c

Farms for Sale

730 ACRES, 450 in cultivation, rest in grass, good improvements, one good irrigation well. Priced right with good terms. Might take some trade. For particulars phone 373-J or see E. C. King, 311 West California st. 42 t/c

FARMS, RANCHES, BUSINESS & RESIDENCE PROPERTY IF YOU WOULD BUY, SEE WOOD IF YOU WOULD SELL SEE WOOD J. G. WOOD, Room 5, Bank Bldg. Phone 238, residence No. 444-W.

SEE ME for Homes, Farms and ranches in Texas, Arkansas, Colorado and South Dakota, also oil leases and Royalties in Floyd County. G. C. Tubbs, room 208 Bishop Bldg. Phone 418, and 804-J. 12 t/c

FOR SALE—320 A. On pavement, good improvements, good irrigation well; at an exceptionally low price. Some terms;

250 A. dry land on pavement; new improvements; priced to sell;

Other listings; if interested contact E. C. King, 311 West California street, phone 373-J, Floydada, Texas. 40 t/c

FOR SALE—327 acres—210 in cultivation. Two pastures, 4 room modern house, REA line, school route, mail route, and milk route all by this place. 100 acres minerals. \$50.-00 an acre.

See C. W. Blackman
Pep, New Mexico 44 2tp

FOR SALE—Fresh milk cows Phone 723-W-2. C. P. Fulkerson. 45 3tp

FOR SALE—to be moved, frame building, 18 ft. x 20 ft. L. G. Withers. 45 1tc

Live Stock

FOR SALE—Three short horn Durham bulls. W. F. Hinkle. Phone 748-J-2. 44 3tp

FOR SALE—Sows with pigs, 2 weeks old, shoats and weaner pigs. Bruce Johnson, Phone 772-J-4. 44 2tc

FOR SALE—Sheep. Dorsey Baker, Lockney. 31 t/c

SHEEP—Bred ewes, good ages to smooth mouth. Contact E. C. King, phone 373-J. 311 West California st. 39 t/c

For Rent

FOR RENT—Two room furnished apartment. 301 West Georgia. Garage for car if wanted. 44 2tp

FOR RENT—Bedroom. 322 W. Missouri. 43 t/c

FOR RENT—Used refrigerators. See L. D. Britton at Oden Appliance Co. 17 t/c

HOUSES FOR SALE AND RENT—Brown - Holmes Co. 24 t/c

MODERN offices for rent; brand new, air-conditioned, phone connection in each office. Plenty parking space. Phone 256. 22 t/c

OFFICE SPACE for rent. Inquire at Bishop Motor company. 27 t/c

FURNISHED apartments. 102 East Houston. 4 t/c

Answers to Classified Quizzes

★ Here are the answers to the Classified Quizzes about months, appearing on Page 1.

1. January.
2. May.
3. August.
4. October.
5. February.

The center of a standard baseball is a piece of cork the size of a marble which has been aged for 15 years.

Baseball's National League was founded in 1876.

Wanted

WANTED—To rent 3 bedroom home with option to buy. Ph. 533. Dr. E. G. McCarthy. 37 t/c

WANTED—Entries for Jaycee Christmas Lighting Contest, both rural and City. Write Jaycee Xmas Lighting Contest Or Phone 254, Floydada 45 2tc

WANTED TO RENT—House at the edge or near town. Phone 860-J. 44 3tp

WANTED—Girl for permanent work. Call at Arwine Drug. 44 t/c

WANTED—Will do ironing in my home. 114 Mississippi Street 44 2tp

WANTED—To loan out a good Jersey bull. Homer Steen. 45 dh

WANTED—To rent a farm for 1952, or will take farm work for salary and part of crop. Call 772-J4. Bruce Johnson. 45 t/c

WANTED — Neat lady with good references to give Fuller Brush cosmetic parties in Floydada. Call No. 8. 45 2tp

WANTED—Lamb pasture, wheat or would like wheat with stalk. I will fence. Joe Ashley, Plainview, Ph. 1685-W. 45 3tp

WANTED—White lady to stay with children. Call 396-W. 45 t/c

Farm Machinery

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Shoulder and arm pains sometimes are due to the presence of an extra rib near the neck, according to Dr. Alfred W. Adson senior neurosurgeon at the Mayo Clinic Rochester, Minn.

Dr. Adson, speaking at the 16th annual assembly of the United States and Canadian chapters of the International College of Surgeon in the Chicago Palmer House, said cervical ribs, as they are called, are found in six of every 1,000 patients.

Horse races in which he entered before they are called futurities.

Fifty-five percent of these bony structures are discovered incidentally by radiologists in examinations for complaints other than those produced by the rib.

Surplus ribs occur twice as often in females as they do in males. In all instances, this is a severance of the scapula which help raise the first and second ribs. In other cases this que, called scalenotomy, is done with a partial reval of the p

In some cases the extra rib pain as a result of pressure on the shoulder, arm and neck of course be caused by more conditions as well.

Pain, which may be sharp is the most common symptom the super numerary, rib. Often a pulsating mass can be felt above the collarbone sound or murmur also may be that the presence of the extra rib in the same area.

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Technological College Librarian Addresses Achievement Day Meet

Floyd county women's achievement clubs were represented in the Achievement day meet Saturday at Sand Hill. Seventy-five and visitors registered. Mrs. W. M. Knight, president of the club, served at the time of the arrangement. Under the general supervision of Mrs. Tom Porter, who talked on libraries and especially county libraries. The Home Demonstration club of Floyd county is sponsoring a county free library with Mrs. J. H. Barnard as chairman of the project and Mrs. Drysdale as secretary.

of the school, where Mrs. Everett Miller accompanied by Mrs. M. D. Ramsey, led in a sing song. Also Carolyn Williams led the group in a sing song which was enjoyed. Mrs. Edith Holmes welcomed the guests with Mrs. Ruth Daniel, chairman of the Floyd County Council, responding.

Tech Librarian Is Speaker
Mrs. Howard Drysdale, introduced the guest speaker, R. C. Janeway, Librarian, at Texas Tech college, who talked on libraries and especially county libraries.

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After the talk by Mr. Janeway, a pageant was directed by Mrs. W. R. Daniel, County recreation leader, who acted as narrator with Mrs. Blanche Williams as soloist and Mrs. M. D. Ramsey as pianist.

The pageant, "The Wheel of Progress," depicting the 25 years of the work of the home demonstration club progress in Texas, was given by members of the Homebuilders club, representing the six spokes of the wheel. State, district and county officials were recognized at the close of the pageant.

Clothes Are Modeled
A dress review followed the pageant, with the following modeling the clothes: Mrs. W. R. Daniel, in an all wool gabaerdine navy blue dress; Mrs. C. L. King, a black and white suiting, with black velvet trim; Mrs. D. T. Mayo a beige nylon tailored dress; Mrs. Vernon Gross, a cotton corded red dress and Carol Cooper, blue coat with hood, lined in solid blue; and James Lewis Norrell, green corduroy coat with tan trousers. Mrs. J. M. Rutherford modeled a shepherd check coat, Mrs. A. H. Kries a brown wool short coat, Mrs. Zant Scott a gold wool fleece coat, and Mrs. Henry Bollman, an aqua wool coat. All the clothes were made by the women who modeled them.

Among the visitors present were Commissioner and Mrs. Hugh Counts of Lockney, Mrs. W. S. Poole, of Dougherty, Mrs. J. H. Barnard of Barwise, and Mrs. J. B. Turner, of Floydada.

After adjournment the group visited the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gross near Sand Hill.

Shows Centerpieces
The centerpieces depicting various motifs were displayed by the following clubs: Fairview, Lockney, Dougherty, Sand Hill, Star Homebuilders, Pleasant Valley, Lakeview, and the Dougherty club. The most attractive as was the centerpiece on the noon table arranged by the Starkey and Lakeview clubs.

A lunch was served in the room with the following in charge: Miss C. B. Carter, Mrs. W. B. Lloyd, Mrs. T. C. Hollums, and Mrs. Allen.

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C. H. Wise, Jr., of Dallas spent from Friday until Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wise, Sr.

The Home Demonstration club will have their Christmas tree and party at the home of Mrs. L. B. Cozby at 2 o'clock Monday, December 10. All members are urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Walls visited Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Tate of near Lockney Sunday afternoon.

A good program for the Lottie Moon Christmas offering for foreign missions was put on at the church at both morning and evening service by the W.M.S. and other members of the church. A nice size offering was taken.

Rev. Joe Wilson returned home Sunday night from Silverton where he had been for a week-end revival.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Wilson went to Lubbock Saturday where they visited their son and daughter, who are students at Tech and all attended the H-S-U. and Tech football game Saturday afternoon.

W. M. S. meets at the church Thursday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. The president, Mrs. Jim Stewart, urges all members to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Smith of Plainview visited Tuesday afternoon

with her niece, Mrs. Lee W. Burton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stewart and Jim Dan were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walton Wilson.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee W. Burton were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Myrick of South Plains and her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Huckabee and Sandra Kay of Center.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mrs. W. B. Wilson were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Tye and children of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ginn, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mize of Cedar Hill. Mrs. Wilson had as her week-end guests, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Foster and family of Oklahoma City. Mrs. Wilson accompanied the Fosters home for an indefinite visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Payne and C. J. Spent the week-end at Wichita Falls visiting their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Truitt Payne and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rushing visited in Floydada Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bethel.

Week-end visitors in the Irwin home were Corporal Sherman Irwin, who is now stationed at Chanute field, Illinois and Luella Irwin, student of W. T. S. C. at Canyon.

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Legislature Texas Has Been Generous

AUSTIN, Texas.—The people of Texas have a reputation of being generous, but this liberality throughout many years has been maintained by the generosity of the state legislature in spite of the fact that the state government is ranked at the top rank in support of education, social security, etc. Back in 1933 when this rate jumped to \$17.50, with the state government at \$17.50, with Senator Walter Woodward, sponsoring the bill, declaring, "This is the maximum permanent rate." At present the school appropriation, meaning the per capita apportionment for nearly 4,000,000 students, stands at \$62.00. The state government is now spending for the public schools and vocational training \$176,000,000 annually and to this must be added \$240,000,000 a year for state supported colleges. Texas has 40 supported colleges, more than any other state. Texas has 21 eleemosynary institutions, more than any other state. Texas has 5,700 elementary schools, more than any other state. Texas has 1,538 high schools, more than any other state. Texas has nearly twice the population of any other state. Texas has 4,711 elementary schools and 637 high schools. Old Age Pensions. The official figures on old age assistance. Back in 1933 Texas had 117,000 on the rolls. Federal officials became so concerned they demanded a reduction in the number of recipients. Texas then had 90,000 on the rolls. Texas at present has 222,000 on old age assistance, exceeding every other state except California. While Colorado shows the highest average monthly pension, \$76, it must be remembered that Colorado has only 46,000 on the rolls. If that state had the number of old age pensioners that Texas has it would be paying them only \$15 a month, so Texas in fact makes a much better showing than Colorado. Even New York has only 113,000 on old age assistance rolls. Both California and Colorado have a general sales tax. But this is only a portion of legislative liberality. Of the \$28,000,000 collected annually in automobile license fees by the state, one-half of the amount is given back to the counties. Again, by legislative act \$22,000,000 a year is refunded to gasoline purchasers who use the fuel for non-highway purposes. What is more, Texas is paying out more than \$15,000,000 yearly in unemployment insurance. The state government now is paying about 42,000 employees and officials \$60,000,000 in salaries, which few states can equal. Texas is generous to the federal government, too, contributing to it nowadays more than \$2,000,000,000 annually in income and excise taxes. And yet Washington would like to seize our tidelands.

Bigger Chickens



The politicians can't promise a better chicken than this, for here is visual and scientific proof that medical science's "wonder drugs" can bring about increased growth in poultry. Dr. J. Russell Couch, of Texas A & M College, displays two 10-week-old chicks. The one in his left hand weighs 2 1/4 pounds, the other 3 1/4 pounds. These chicks received identical care and feed, except that the larger one received an aureomycin-vitamin B12 supplement in its feed. The remarkable growth-aiding properties of aureomycin, which is used against a wide variety of human diseases, have also been proved in turkeys, hogs and calves.

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Net a Niggardly Record
Nobody can complain that the Texas legislature has been anything but liberal through the years. Back in 1903 the cost of our state government was \$5,000,000 annually, and there were some public protests regarding extravagance. But this jumped up to \$33,498,000 in 1920, while the expense of state govern-

ment in 1921 was \$67,223,000 and folks said it was unprecedented. Yet in 1928 the cost went up to \$84,478,558 a year. Liberality went much farther in 1934 when the cost was placed at \$111,866,000. But this was all together too little so in 1937 the legislature fixed the annual cost at \$144,770,000. In 1939 it arose to \$164,323,000 in 1942 to \$305,701,000. Still small. So in 1946 the cost of state government was fixed at \$233,516,000. This went up to \$319,398,000 in 1947, to \$493,953,000 in 1948, to \$433,770,000 in 1949, to \$527,252,000 in 1950 and now isn't much under \$900,000,000 a year. The record is certainly far from niggardly.

The state, though the legislature, has been very generous with travel expenses of officials and employees, to such that extent that this bill now costs the taxpayers more than \$3,000,000 a year. But back in 1937 a survey showed this travel cost totaled \$1,200,000 and there was some alarm. A senate committee headed by Senator Albert Stone did a lot of checking and Stone issued a statement it would be no more lump sum appropriations for this purpose. But it didn't stop and the lump appropriations for travel continue. Liberally.

The same survey showed that in 12 years the legislature created 22 new boards, bureaus and commissions. Candidates declared on the stump it would have to be stopped. Since then one or two more states agencies have been established at every session. Who pays for all of it? The Texas taxpayers. They contributed every cent. So how some folks get any satisfaction out of saying "Texas is a backward state in support of education, social security and good government is a mystery. They are giving Texas an unjustified black eye. They overlook a lot of facts and figures."

Not Profitable to Crowd Hens

COLLEGE STATION—Too many hens in the laying house can cause plenty of trouble during the winter season. Ventilation systems may be ineffective when the house is overpopulated and result in too much moisture in the air, damp litter, wet walls and generally unheated conditions. The poultryman who sells the extra pullets rather than overcrowds the laying house will be money ahead, says W. J. Moore, Extension poultry husbandman of Texas A & M College. There is a definite relationship, he says between the floor space provided and the potential egg production of the hens. From three to four feet of floor space should be allowed for each bird in the well equipped poultry house. Where there is overcrowding, sufficient feeding space—at least six inches per hen—will be available and hens that don't get all the feed they need cannot produce at maximum levels. The well equipped poultry house should contain at least one nest for each five hens, says Moore. Too many hens using the same nest will break more than enough eggs to pay for the extra nests, he adds. Be sure there is a supply of fresh, clean drinking water before the hens at all times. When the weather is cold, it is a good idea to warm the water, says Moore, before it is given to the hens. About five to eight gallons of water is needed each day for 100 hens and it will pay to put out fresh water at least twice per day. Moore says it's the taking care of little items in poultry management that helps keep egg production up during the season when egg prices are highest and this extra production may be the difference between financial success or failure for the poultryman.

News of Harmony
(By Mrs. Roy Hollums)
HARMONY, Dec. 4.—Well, guess we can all agree that today is the first bad dust storm we have had this fall and we are thankful that as much of the cotton crop is out before much of this weather starts. Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Turner spent Sunday in Levelland visiting Mr. Turner's niece, Mrs. Dale Self, and his sister, Mrs. Cora Croft, who suffered a stroke several weeks ago at her home in Colorado. As soon as she was able she was moved to her daughter's home in Levelland. She is convalescing satisfactorily is not paralyzed but very weak. Mr. and Mrs. Big Kirk and daughter Charlotte visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Kirk Saturday. Mrs. Buckie Jefferies had a Stanley party at her home last Tuesday afternoon. Ten ladies were present several games were played. Each lady received a prize with some winning two or more prizes. Mrs. Jeffress served delicious refreshments of date loaf and pop. Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Foster and son, Melvin, of near Brownfield visited in the Roy Hollums home a short while Monday evening. They were on their way home after spending the week-end in Dallas and Bowie. Miss Jean Hollums spent Friday night with Miss Marjane Hollums. Allen Gross took Sunday night supper with Kenneth Hollums. The Carrs Chapel Women's Society of Christian service will meet with Mrs. Sherwood Ramsey this afternoon. Mrs. Ramsey will also direct the program. Mrs. Wesley Carr will have charge of the devotional at the Thursday night prayer service this week. There were 27 out for prayer service and choir practice last Thursday night. Don't forget to tune in over KFLD radio station every Wednesday morning at 11:30 o'clock. Brother Horace G. Krebs, pastor of the Cone and Carrs Chapel churches, will bring the devotional. Miss Iva Elmore Smith of Stratford and Miss Janet Highsmith of Wichita Falls visited Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Smith over the week-end. Thanksgiving guests in the Chas. Smith home during the holidays were Miss Iva Elmore Smith, of Str-

Youth Groups Are Sponsoring Week-End Revival

(A. B. Dickerman, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene)
The youth groups of the Nazarene church are sponsoring a week-end revival this week-end. There will be services at 7:30 each night.



EDDIE EUBANK will preach for the Nazarene youth revival here this week-end.

Friday thru Sunday and on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. A group of youth from Bethany-Pentecol college near Oklahoma City will be in charge of the four services. Eddie Eubank will be speaker and Alvis Dickerman, pianist. Other youth from the college will give special music and readings. Special features will be nightly as well as at the Sunday school hour at 10 a. m. and during the N.Y.P.S. at 6:45 p. m. Sunday. Mrs. Lurene Gee and Miss Aneta Worsham are the local presidents of the youth groups sponsoring the revival. In preparation for the meeting the young people have raised funds and purchased sixty new hymnals. People of all ages are invited to share the inspiration of this youth revival at the church of the Nazarene at Tennessee and Fourth streets, city.

atford. Mr. and Mrs. John Will Vance of Coleman, John K. Watson of Dallas and Stratford Trowbridge of Lake Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tucker spent Sunday November 25 with Bill's mother in Brownfield. The Harmony community meeting will be held Friday night of this week at the community center. Horace Carr is chairman of the program committee for this month. You are welcome. Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Worsham, and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Gary went to Quanah, Texas, Wednesday morning to attend the funeral service for the father of Mrs. George Worsham. The funeral rites were read at 10:30 a. m.

Boyce House— I Give You Texas
Champ Clark, the Missouri statesman who just missed being President, said, "Many men know many things in a dim, hazy sort of way. Few know anything accurately." Clark, in his autobiography, gives many interesting bits of information about happenings in Congress—such as the time that the scholarly Edward Everett closed a speech with a long passage from Tacitus in the original; and a member from the West rose and made a speech—in Choctaw! The delegate from Wyoming (this was of course before statehood) delivered a two-hour speech in blank verse! And when the speech appeared in the Congressional Record, it was accompanied by the line, "Copyrighted, all rights reserved," which created quite a stir among the Congressmen. Did you know that a Senator drew a pistol on another in the Senate? Clark tells about it. Foote of Mississippi drew the weapon on Benton of Missouri. And a man was elected to Congress who admitted having three wives. This was in the 1890's and the man was a Mormon. Gen. James Shields, a Democrat, served in the Senate from three different States—six years from Illinois, one year from Minnesota and 39 days from Missouri. Shields, by the way, was quite an individual. He was born in Ireland. He challenged Lincoln to a duel. Abe accepted and the principals and seconds started for the field of honor but friends patched it up. The challenge was the result of some letters which appeared in the newspapers and which were written by the future Mrs. Lincoln. Shields was shot through the lungs and body by grape-shot at Cerro Gordo in the War with Mexico. He used his wounds as the basis of his plea for office, pretty much as old Sam Houston used to limp on that "San Jacinto leg." When Shields defeated one Sydney Breeze for the United States Senate, a wag remarked that a curious thing was that he missed the clear through Shields without permanently injuring him but proved fatal, politically, to Breeze, 2000 miles away! Clever remarks sometimes lose their savor because of changing customs. For instance, the wisecrack of an editor after General Hancock, running for President, said that the tariff was "a local issue." The editor commented, "General Hancock ought to return to the original goose the quill which wrote that statement." But the young generation may not know that, 75 years ago, men wrote with goosequill pens. Talleyrand, the French diplomat said, "There is one person who is wiser than Anybody and that is Everybody."

Eight Floydada Women Finish In First Aid

Eight women earned certificates in the first aid course recently taught in Floydada by Mrs. Roy Wilkes of Pleasant Valley. Others attended classes at various times but did not complete the work required for a certificate. Receiving certificates are Mmes. John Shipley of Starkey; Monroe Shultz; and Roy Hale of Harmony; Claude Hammett of Pleasant Valley; C. W. Denison of Sunnyside; J. H. Tackett and T. C. Goodman of Fairview; and L. T. Wood of South Plains. Giving artificial respiration and transportation of the injured were of greatest interest to her students, Mrs. Wilkes reported. The whole course was of special interest to Mrs. Goodman who will leave soon with her two children to join her husband in Germany. The first aid and home nursing courses taught by Mrs. Wilkes in October and November are a part of the Civil Defense program sponsored by the Floyd County Home Demonstration Council. Mrs. John Hoffman of Harmony is chairman of this committee which also sponsored blood typing. Mrs. Wilkes plans to have other classes in home nursing in first aid in 1952 if there is enough interest to justify it.

Diabetes Took 887-Life Toll In Past Year
AUSTIN, Texas.—Diabetes, a disease for which modern medicine can do much, took a toll of 887 lives in Texas during the past year, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. "While the communicable diseases such as typhoid fever, malaria, diphtheria and smallpox are causing a decreasing number of deaths each year in this State, diabetes is now taking an appalling number of human lives, especially in the middle-aged group," Dr. Cox said. "Until recent years diabetes was not noted as a major health problem but it became accepted as such in direct ratio to the development of medical laboratory procedures, which made the disease more easily diagnosed. "Diabetes is generally recognized as a class disease. It seems to attack the white collar class of indoor men and women much more frequently than it does the outdoor person whose work is more vigorous and calls for more exercise. Whatever the actual cause of the disease may be, vocational and economic conditions are factors, since it seems a fact that those who do not indulge in luxurious living and whose occupation calls for manual labor are not frequently affected. Simple living, wholesome diets, sufficient exercise and sleep are factors in the prevention of diabetes. An annual physical examination, with a blood or urine analysis, is important to determine whether or not the disease is present in the middle age group."

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MISS MARILYN GRUBE . . . Became the wife of Dr. Bill C. Wester in a ceremony said at the Little-Chapel-in-the-Woods at Denton Sunday evening.

Wedding Vows Said in 'Little Chapel in the Woods' by Marilyn Grube, Dr. Bill Wester Sunday

In the Little Chapel-in-the-Woods, at the Texas State College for Women in Denton, on December 6 at 6:30 in the evening, Miss Marilyn Grube and Dr. Bill C. Wester of Floydada were united in marriage with the Reverend Joseph J. Copeland officiating at the double ring rites.

The chapel was decorated with baskets of white gladioli, ferns and palms with white candles in cathedral candelabra.

Mrs. L. A. Nelson, organist rendered pre-nuptial music and accompanied Mrs. B. Billman as she sang, "Thru the Years" and "I Love Thee." During the ceremony The Lords Prayer was rendered.

Miss Mary Ann Speer of Dallas, a class mate of the bride, was the maid of honor. She wore a gown of forget-me-not blue moire taffeta, ballerina length dress with matching hat and shoes, and carried a colonial bouquet of blue and gold flowers. Miss Evelyn Grube, Denton, sister of the bride, and Miss Joyce Grey, of Sherman were bridesmaids. They wore matching gowns of sunset gold moire taffeta, ballerina length dresses with matching hat and shoes, with colonial bouquets of gold and blue.

The bride, entering on the arm of her father, who gave her in marriage, wore a ballerina length white moire taffeta, gown made with a fitted jacket, long sleeves and Queen Ann collar with seed

pearl embroidery. Her veil was fingertip French illusion with a French bonnet, outlined with seed pearls. She carried a bouquet consisting of a purple throated white orchid surrounded by stepanotis. Her only ornament was a heirloom strand of pearls.

Dr. Burdette A. Reed of Dallas acted as best man and the ushers were Dr. T. A. White and Dr. Wm. C. Watson, both of Dallas.

For her daughter's wedding, the bride's mother wore a blue tissue faille dress with white hat and wore an orchid.

The bridegroom's mother wore a navy crepe dress with blue and white hat, blue accessories, with an orchid corsage.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in Hubbard hall, with members of the house party, Misses Martha White and Marinell Glenn of Dallas, Mrs. Bill D. Teague of Fort Worth and Mrs. C. A. Grube, Jr. of Denton, assisting the bridal couple and their parents in receiving the 125 guests.

A four-tiered wedding bell decorated cake was served from a table covered with cutwork cloth, the flower arrangement being of white and gold, flanked by tall gold candelas.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Grube of Denton. She was secretary for Magnolia Petroleum company in Dallas at the time of her marriage. She is a

graduate of North Texas State college at Denton, where she was a member of the Delta Chi Delta sorority, Green Jackets and Alpha Chi.

Dr. Wester is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wester of Floydada. He is a graduate of North Texas State college in Denton and Baylor University college of Dentistry. Dr. Wester is a member of the Pi Phi Pi at NTSC and Psi Omega at Baylor.

Dr. and Mrs. Wester left for a trip to Arkansas, the bride wearing an exposition blue gabardine suit, white jeweled blouse and hat which an orchid corsage.

The couple will make their home in Lubbock, where he is associated with the Dr. I. W. Hicks Dental office at 1620 Ave. O.

Attending the wedding from Floydada were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wester and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wester. An uncle, S. H. Wester of Dallas, was present.

MRS. FUQUA HOSTESS FOR BLUE BONNET NEEDLE CLUB

The Bluebonnet Needle club met with Mrs. Floyd Fuqua November 29, at 3:30 p.m.

Plans for the Christmas party were discussed. The party will be December 13 at 7:30 p.m. in the music room at Andrews Ward school. A turkey dinner will be served to the group with their husbands as honor guests.

Lucky winners of an unique game were Mmes. Pete Kendricks and J. N. Scrivner.

Members present for the afternoon were Mesdames Pete Kendrick, Wayne Finley, W. B. Eakin, Greer Christian, Ernie Widener, Bill Baker, J. N. Scrivner, Poynor Roberts, Everett Collier, and Mrs. Fuqua.

Afternoon Party Compliment to Mrs. Bethel Wednesday

Last Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Mal Jarboe, a lovely afternoon party was enjoyed by friends and former neighbors of Mrs. W. H. Bethel, who was honored with a shower during the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bethel have recently moved to Floydada from the Campbell community where they have lived since 1951. The friends gathered to honor Lucy who had been a member of their club community and church life all these years. They shared all the joys, the sorrows, the hard times and the prosperous times and a bond of friendship and love exists in the hearts of all the friends present.

Mrs. Jarboe had arranged a lovely Christmas table centerpiece on the dining table with a companion piece on the buffet. It was made of a small log, with greenery from the yard, sprayed with white, and held red candles and red and silver Christmas ornaments. Other Christmas decorations were thruout the house.

A number of Christmas games were played. Lovely refreshments were served. The napkins used were imprinted "Campbell Friends."

Friends present were Mesdames R. M. Stovall, F. O. Conner, E. B. Chesnut, Lee Rushing, George Stiles, E. L. Judy, C. B. Lyles, E. W. Dunavant, E. J. Womack, Cecil Baxter, Foster Amburn, A. H. Kreis, C. W. Jones, Malvin Jarboe, Bryan Robertson, W. T. Robertson, V. L. McNeill, Fay Hart, L. D. Woodward, Floyd Lyles, Joe Dunn, M. J. McNeill, H. P. Pratt, J. H. Farmer, R. L.

Neil, Billy Hinkle, David Hinkle, W. F. Hinkle, J. A. Baxter, S. A. Guffee, Ray H. Smith, R. H. Ashton and Clarence Ashton, Floyd Fuqua, E. J. Barker, Sam Green, Leon Landers, C. M. Lyles, Maurice Campbell, and S. J. McIntosh and Mrs. R. L. Powell of Lockney, Mrs. Roy L. Horn of Crosbyton, and Lucy Pettitt and Vicky Jarboe and Carolyn Franklin.

Community Shower Honor Newly-Weds

Mr. and Mrs. Emile Cardinal were named honorees at a shower in Baker Community center on Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Hosts were Mesdames R. L. N. ell, Floyd Bradford, Claud Fawver, Ham Smith sr., R. A. Colston, J. B. Colston, Curtis Siner, John E. Smith, Jim Owens, Sam Green, Hershel Green, J. F. Patterson and Messrs. and Mmes. George Fawver, J. H. Farmer and B. A. Colston.

Lovely refreshments were served and the honor guests received many nice gifts. The couple are at home in the Baker community, where Mr. Cardinal is engaged in farming with his father, T. J. Cardinal.

Present and sending gifts were Messrs. and Mmes. Tate Jones, Ralph Fowler, Bill McNeill, S. L. West, J. H. Kincheloe, Fred Cardinal, Burl Holt, Frank Jones, Cecil Baxter, W. B. Jones, Jew Harkins of Crosbyton, Johnny Baxter.

Mesdames W. C. Willis, R. T. Jones and children, W. S. Poole, C. A. Caffee, Stella May, Bill Norris, Dee Adams and Messrs. T. J. Cardinal, George Reid May, Ham Smith, Wilton and Bobby Green, R. A. Colston, Gilbert L. Fawver, Ham Smith, J. H. Farmer, Jr., H. L. Farmer, R. W. Smith, Floyd Bradford, Claud Fawver, Jake Colston, and Misses Kay West, Marcella Green and Carolyn Franklin, and Master Rickey Field and Gene Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Jones have returned from a two weeks stay at Hot Springs, New Mexico, where Mr. Jones took a course of baths.

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FAMILY RUSHES SEASON WITH YULETIDE GATHERING

One of the first family gatherings of the current Christmas season was that of the family of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Steen Saturday and Sunday when children and grandchildren met at the parental home for a turkey dinner. It was an early "Christmas" for Lt. Maurice Steen of the Air force, who is enroute this week to an assignment in Japan. He and Mrs. Steen had been home several days from Chanute field, Illinois.

Others here for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nabors and family of Amarillo, and Lt. and Mrs. Phil Steen and daughter Becky, of Fort Worth, from Carswell Air Force base.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar L. Judy, jr. of College Station, Mr. and Mrs. Hegwood and son of Houston, and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Newman of White Deer, Texas, were guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Judy.

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Donnie Carol Young is recuperating from an appendectomy on Thursday morning, at Floydada. She has had several attacks in the past. Donnie is getting along nicely, and will soon be back in school.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harper returned Mrs. Harper's mother, Mrs. Julian, to her home in Lockney Wednesday. Nadine accompanied them home on Thursday morning. Mrs. Julian stayed in Carlsbad the past two weeks with the Harpers. Mr. and Mrs. Harper are leaving there they will spend the coming winter. Nadine will stay in Carlsbad, with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Harper, who will keep the Harper home during the winter.

The adult Sunday school class of the Baptist church had their Thanksgiving banquet on Thursday evening. Those who were unable to come missed a wonderful dinner and good time. Rev. C. A. Jinner gave such a splendid speech, and Rev. John Allen as master of ceremonies, kept the assemblage in smiles. Mrs. Allen gave a beautiful accordion selection. There were about 50 adults at the banquet, and bouquets go to Mrs. Gilbert Bean, Mrs. Sim Reeves, and Mrs. B. Higginbotham, for all their work. Along with many other women who worked untiringly on the beautiful tables, and on the delicious food which was served.

J. L. King, Mrs. Pierce King, Randall and Leora, and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. King, from Floydada, were all dinner guests and afternoon visitors at the home of J. L. King's daughter Mrs. H. L. Marble and family, Sunday.

Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Goldston, from Roswell, and Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Thornton, from Lockney, were supper guests in the West home. The Goldstons were former residents of this community, and they are welcomed by their old friends who seldom get to see them.

Mrs. J. E. Leslie, from Lubbock, was an overnight visitor Saturday, and spent Sunday also, with her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Thames, and family. We were glad to welcome Mrs. Leslie at church on Sunday morning.

Everyone remember the Community Club party at the school house on Friday night, December 7. Come and bring your tables, dominoes, and a package of doughnuts. This is the Christmas doughnuts party.

Mrs. Leo Brown went to Haskell on this past Thursday to bring her daughters home. Peggy and Patsy have been visiting Grandfather Pearsey during the Thanksgiving holidays. Peggy's husband, Perry Pearsey is still in Virginia, and likes the army fine. He reports he has gained a great many pounds.

Rev. and Mrs. John Allen and Arlene Houkema went home with Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby Milton and daughters, Sunday, after church. They all enjoyed dinner with the Miltons, and spent the afternoon visiting together.

The Christmas party for the Home Demonstration Club will be held at the home of Mrs. George West Tuesday, December 11. This is a sundown party for the ladies. So please club members, try to come. This will be your only meeting during December.

Tuesday, Rev. and Mrs. John Allen and Arlene visited in several homes of the community. Among those were the Murray Julian and the Gilbert Bean homes.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Davis

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with Mr. and Mrs. George West. They had dinner and spent the afternoon visiting with them.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Davis and Rev. and Mrs. Howard Stubblefield, from Silverton, came home with Mr. and Mrs. George West. They had dinner and spent the afternoon visiting with them.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smitherman and Mrs. R. N. Nutt and Katy Jo went to Lubbock on a shopping trip Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George West visited with their daughter, Mrs. Robt. Smither and family, Saturday in the Sterley community.

Mac Smitherman and Dick Guest spent the week-end in Juarze, Old Mexico. They went down Friday and returned Sunday. They went to the bull fights in Juarze Sunday, and really had a wonderful trip.

Home Demonstration Club meets at Mrs. Cummings

The South Plains Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday, November 28, at the home of Mrs. Oma Cummings, with Mrs. June Calahan as co-hostess. Mrs. Ruth Smitherman presided over the business meeting, and our Home Demonstration agent, Miss Leila Petty showed how to make starch from gelatin, and a perfectly ironed blouse testified as to the merits of the starch. A spot remover was shown, that is really easy to use. Miss Petty showed the pressing pillow which she had made, one which everyone copied. A hat was cleaned with the use of art gum, and there were many interest-

the padded shoulders of a coat was shown, and other hints given on care of clothing.

Mrs. L. T. Woods was in charge of the games, and Miss Petty gave an interesting game also.

Delicious refreshments of ice cream and date cake and coffee were served to the following members, Meses, Arby Mulder, Carl Daniels, Horace Marble, Harry Hartman, Albert Stewart, Ernest Smitherman, H. S. Calahan, sr., Arthur Brown, L. T. Wood, Murray Julian, Grigsby Milton, jr., Sim Reeves, John West, Miss Petty and the hostesses, Zach Cummings, and H. S. Calahan, jr.

The Christmas club meeting will be held at Mrs. Wests, with Mrs. Ruth Smitherman as co-hostess. Bring a gift of a dollar value, and names will be drawn after the guests arrive. This sundown party is Tuesday, December 11.

Catherine and her brother, Nathan Mulder, spent the night, Thursday, and all day Friday with their grandmother, Mrs. Sippie Mulder, in Floydada.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Morris, from San Marcos, arrived to visit Mrs. Morris' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Childress. They left for San Marcos Sunday, as Mr. and Mrs. Childress are going to spend the holidays with their children, Mr. and Mrs. Morris, and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Childress, in New Braunfels. June Childress, from Columbus, Georgia, will arrive on Christmas, too, to spend the Christmas holidays with all the folks there at San Marcos, and New Braunfels. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Childress will not be back

SECOND SUNDAY SINGING

The regular second Sunday singing at the First Baptist church, from

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Golden, from Amarillo, arrived Saturday afternoon to visit the Gene Edmonds over Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Early Joiner and Gordon left for Hereford, Friday evening, where they spent the night with Mrs. Joiner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Brumley. Saturday, the Joiners and Mr. Brumley left for Fairplay, Colorado, on a business trip. They plan to be home Monday evening.

The PTA met at 3:45 November 30th. There were a good group of ladies present, and many things were discussed. The Christmas program will be held Friday night that school dismisses for the Christmas holidays, which will be December 21. The Community Club is going

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PTA give the Christmas party. Mrs. Year's music pupils are going to participate in the program at the school house. The next PTA meeting will be held December 28.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fortenberry took Sunday dinner with the Fred Fortenberrys, and spent the afternoon visiting with them.

Mrs. George West left for Amarillo Sunday afternoon. She will spend the next few days visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. T. Evans and family, and do her Christmas shopping. Mrs. West will be home Wednesday.

There are several people putting down irrigation wells in our community. Oscar Hewitt has a fine new well, and so does John Smitherman. Cliff Gilly is drilling a well on his place at this time.

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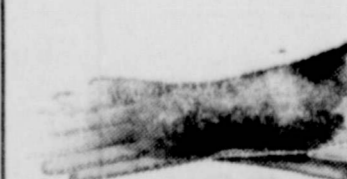
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Youth Revival This Week-End

The week-end revival of the First Baptist church, which will be directed by the young people of the church, begins tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock, and continues through the Sunday night services, announced Pastor R. Earl Allen of the church, this week.

Buckner Fanning, student of Southwestern seminary at this time, will preach for the congregation during the meeting and Bob Lewis, senior student at Wayland college, will direct the music. Lewis is a product of the plains country.

Fanning conducts a radio program that is heard on some Texas stations and is broadcast by short wave throughout the world through a Quito, Ecuador, short wave station.

Youth committee chairmen named to serve during the revival include Brooks Chapman, of the ushers; All Weiborn of invitation and visitation; Carolyn McDonald of music; Fern Patterson, of hospitality; Nancy Golightly, of promotion; and Gary Oden of fellowship.



BUCKNER FANNING—Who will preach for the youth revival at the First Baptist church this week-end, has preached in many youth revivals in the past few years. A graduate of Baylor University, he is now studying in Southwestern seminary in Fort Worth.



BOB LEWIS—Plains singer, graduating this year from Wayland, will direct the music during the youth revival at the First Baptist church beginning Friday night at 7:30 o'clock.

City Hall News

City employees will probably have a Christmas holiday from Saturday noon until Wednesday morning as well as the county court house employees.

The new city fire truck, which was purchased in June has as yet not arrived in Floydada. It is very badly needed and was to have been delivered in 110 working days, or on November 10, according to Fire Chief Carl Rodgers. No news has been received as to when it will be delivered, Mr. Rodgers, who was interviewed on Wednesday at the City Hall.

Mr. Rodgers is recuperating from a recent serious illness and said he would like to regain 35 pounds he lost and "a few more muscles are needed."

No further development has been publicized on the telephone rate since the last meeting of the Southwestern Telephone company officials had with the city dads.

Mrs. Clyde Smith of El Cerrita, California is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lovell, in east Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Ewing and son, Roy of Floydada, spent Sunday evening in Plainview visiting their other son and daughter, Bennie and Lou Ola.

First New Gym Games Are Won By Whirlwinds

A good augury for the season was seen by the basketball squad and students of Floydada high last Friday night when their teams won three games, one each.

Playing their second interscholastic engagement against the Paducah Dragons the A squad won 38 to 12, the B squad 42, to 13, and the girls team 24 to 22.

High point man for the 'Winds was Franklin Stovall who racked up 16 points. Teague, next in line, had seven points. Paducah's high pointer was Northcutt with seven, and Kenney netted three.

In the B squad contest Ashton was the hot player for Floydada, racking up 17 points. Barber was credited with six points. Long was high for Paducah with five points, Hutchinson second with four.

10 First Year Lettermen

Coach Gresham has 10 first year lettermen to begin his season, four "B" squadmen and four who have had no previous experience. On his first string are five seniors—Jackie Hutchinson, 6 feet, 6 inches; Don McGuire, 5 feet, 9 inches; Hubert Ring, 6 feet, 2 inches; Roy Teague, 6 feet, 1 inch; and Dennis Wilks, 5 feet, 9 inches.

With the five seniors are five juniors, all of about the same experience as the seniors. They are Connie Bearden, 5 feet, 11 inches; Bill Carmack, 5 feet, 8 inches; Brooks Chapman, 5 feet, 10 inches; Adrian Helms, 5 feet, 8 inches; and Franklin Stovall, 5 feet, 11 inches.

On his B squad Gresham has six good prospects in four sophomores and two juniors. The juniors are Charles Hartman, 6 feet, 1 inch, and Melvin McPeak, 5 feet, 7 inches. The sophomores are Don Barber, 5 feet, 10 inches; Jimmie Dunn, 6 feet, 1 inch; Jerry Bob Harrison, 5 feet, 10 inches; and Bobby Ashton, 6 feet, 2 inches. The Whirlwinds have four prospects with no experience in Gerald Hall, a senior, 6 feet, 1 inch; W. J. Hartline, a junior, 5 feet, 10 inches; Norman Muncy, a sophomore, 5 feet, 10 inches; and Glen Parkey, a junior, also 5 feet 10 inches.

Games Coming Up

Tomorrow night A and B squads and the girls team journey to Paducah for a game each. Tuesday night of next week the A and B squads go to Ralls; and Friday night of next week they go to Brownfield, all out of town games.

Big home game scheduled as of this date for the home fans to see at Graves gym next week is the college freshman game between West Texas State and Clarendon Junior college teams. They play Monday night under the auspices of the Quarterback

the gym scoreboard.

Boys Win From Kress

Tuesday night the first string cagers of Floydada high won from the Kress High team 45 to 25, with Stovall and Teague still the hot shots, racking up 15 and 10 points respectively. Borden and Young for Kress scored 8 points each.

The senior girls were not so lucky against the Kress girls, losing 24 to 46 to superior play and generalship.

Junior High Wins Tournament

First team of Floydada High's cagers to bring home a trophy is the junior high girls' sextette, which won their division in the Ralls invitation tournament. Both junior and senior girls were entered, with Crosbyton, Ralls and Petersburg the other schools participating. Floydada junior high won from Ralls 13 to 8 and from Petersburg 12 to 10. Charlotte Johnson was the high scorer in both games.

In the tournament at Ralls the senior high girls lost their first game to Crosbyton 30 to 24, and lost their consolation try to Petersburg 39 to 31, despite a half-time lead of 21 to 12. Patsy Patterson was the sensation of both these games. Against Crosbyton she scored 15 and against Petersburg her basket aim was so good she made 29 of the 31 points for her team.

Conservation District News

Soil Conservation technicians assigned to the Floyd County Soil Conservation District set a well location for Joe Dunn on his Lakeview farm. An initial conservation agreement was also worked up which he signed.

James Davis had a well location set on the Gilly farm. He expects to get a long time lease on the farm if an irrigation well is developed. Some improved pasture grasses will be planted.

W. W. Edwards, a cooperator farming Southwest of Floydada, had some bench leveling done about a year ago which he states made a

Lighting Contest

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entries was made necessary for home owners in the rural areas of the country because the committee won't know who and where unless they are told. Also they must have a little more time for judging than if the houses were all on one or two sections of land like in a town.

Dr. John W. Kimble, John W. Reue and J. A. Patterson head the committee which will conduct the contest. They hope there will be many homes lighted to add to the gaiety of the Christmas season. Here are the rules announced:

1. Prizes will be awarded to City of Floydada homes and to rural Floyd county homes. First prize in each division \$25, second prize in each division \$15, and third prize in each division \$10.

2. Decision of judges will be final.

3. Deadline for entries will be December 17, and rural entries should give location of the home entered.

4. Homes of members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce will not be eligible to compete for prizes.

Commissioners Meet Monday

The County Commissioners will hold their regular meeting on Monday, December 10 in the Commissioners Court room in the court house. Judge Frank Moore who has been confined to his home for the past week with a virus, hopes to be able to be in the meeting. Regular routine business is on the agenda for the day.

INVESTMENT SERVICE

Girl scout troop II met in the music room at Andrews Ward school and had their investment service. They received their pins.

Those present were Judy Martin, Patricia Hill, Gayle and Gayle Ross, Janis Roberts, Norma Martin, La Nell Tardy, Margaret Whitfill, Gloria Carthel, Loretta Scriviner, Carolyn Williams, Patsy Graham, leader, Mrs. Scriviner and co-leader, Mrs. Carthel.



BOYD MEADOR... Lions governor of District 2-T-1 will pay an official visit to Floydada Lions Thursday.

good crop this year with just one watering. He thinks that he can make a crop now on half the water that it took before it was leveled. This is due to the fact that he now holds all the rain water where it falls instead of a great percent of it running off to lakes as it formerly did.

P. F. Bertrand, who lives in the Lakeview community and is an old cooperator with the District, had two well locations set recently. One well will be on the farm where he lives and the other on another farm which he has recently applied for District assistance on.

A well location was set for W. F. Ferguson, an old cooperator farming South of Floydada.

Diamonds, sapphires, emeralds, rubies and opals are the five recognized precious stones.

At a social function, the U. S. president enters the room ahead of his wife.

HOSPITAL FOLLOWING FALL

Mrs. I. C. Surginer received a letter last week from Roy L. Haynes of Dallas, formerly of Floydada, stating that his mother, Mrs. Edna Haynes had had a bad fall in hospital in Dallas.

Mrs. Haynes is a former Floyd resident and old friend and member of the Surginer family. She was on Missouri street, when Mr. Haynes, now deceased, owned and managed the A. V. Haynes gin. They had moved from Floydada several years ago, following Mr. Haynes' death.

O'NEALS BACK AT HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Hays O'Neal, children and Mrs. J. R. Maden in Lamesa, have returned to Floydada to make their home at South Main street. Mr. O'Neal, manager and part owner of Floydada Drug company, recently purchased from W. U. White.

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HUNT'S, TOMATO JUICE 46-oz. 27c
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RINSO Large Box 30c
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Mrs. Ershel Mathews and children of Corpus Christi are here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Collins, while Mr. Mathews is in Lubbock grading cotton. They will probably be here until after Christmas.

Mrs. Bill Wason and baby, Brenda Margaret of Matador, who have been here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lewis for the past two weeks, left Sunday for their home.

E. Lee Ozbirn of Oklahoma City was here last week looking after his farm interests in Floyd County.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gibson visited in Lubbock last week with their parents Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Gibson and Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Gibson.

Deed Records

Lee Elder et ux to Lonnie Pope, 160 acres out of the northeast part of survey 31, block G.

A. W. Arnold et ux to City of Floydada, north one half of lots 27, 28 and 29, block 49, Floydada.

Noah Benton Duncan et ux to H. E. Whitaker, 20 acres of survey 93, block one Floydada.

Annie E. McKinnon to Mary N. Kirchner, south 90 feet of lot 14, block 64, Floydada.

Mary N. Kirchner et vir to C. W. Burton, south 90 feet, lot 14, block 64, Floydada.

Stella J. Simmons et al to C. W. Burton lots 15, 16 and 17, block 64, Floydada.

L. B. Fawver et al to Jack C. Barnett lots 1, 2 and 3, block 3, West Side Heights, Floydada.

Paul Newberry et ux to Amos Turner, lots 1, 2 and 3, block 4, Bartley Heights, Floydada.

Iris L. Colston to G. W. Smith, 316 acres of west one half of survey 79, block 1, A. B. & M.

Mrs. David Graham and children, of Tulla, were in Floydada last mid-week, guests of Mrs. Graham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Warren.

Mrs. J. D. Edmondson and daughter, Gay Lynn of Borger spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Battey.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Hall and children of Tulla were here for the week-end, visiting his mother, Mrs. Grady Hall.

Floyd County Hesperian, Floydada, Texas, Thursday, December 6, 1951

SECOND SUNDAY SINGING

The regular second Sunday singing will be held at the Nazarene church next Sunday, December 8, at 2:00 p.m.

A good time is expected and everyone is invited.

Miss Hope McIntosh of Lawton, Oklahoma, was a week-end guest of her brothers, Dr. Tommy McIntosh and Mrs. McIntosh and S. J. McIntosh and family.

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train, the 1952 Pontiac models, now on display in dealer showrooms throughout the country, feature a number of important styling changes and refinements. There are new colors available both for interiors and exteriors of all models. The newest Silver Streak models are offered with six and eight cylinder high compression engines, each series having five standard and five deluxe models, and one super deluxe, the Catalina.

The highlight among new Pontiac features is the Dual-Range Hydra-Matic Drive. The owner of the new 1952 model is provided with two completely optional driving ranges, each having individual characteristics which make it suitable for two different classes of driving conditions.

One of these systems provides the usual first, second, third and fourth gear speed range permitting smooth, economical performance for country and boulevard driving. The second is a new first, second and third gear range particularly adapted for driving in congested traffic or mountainous territory.

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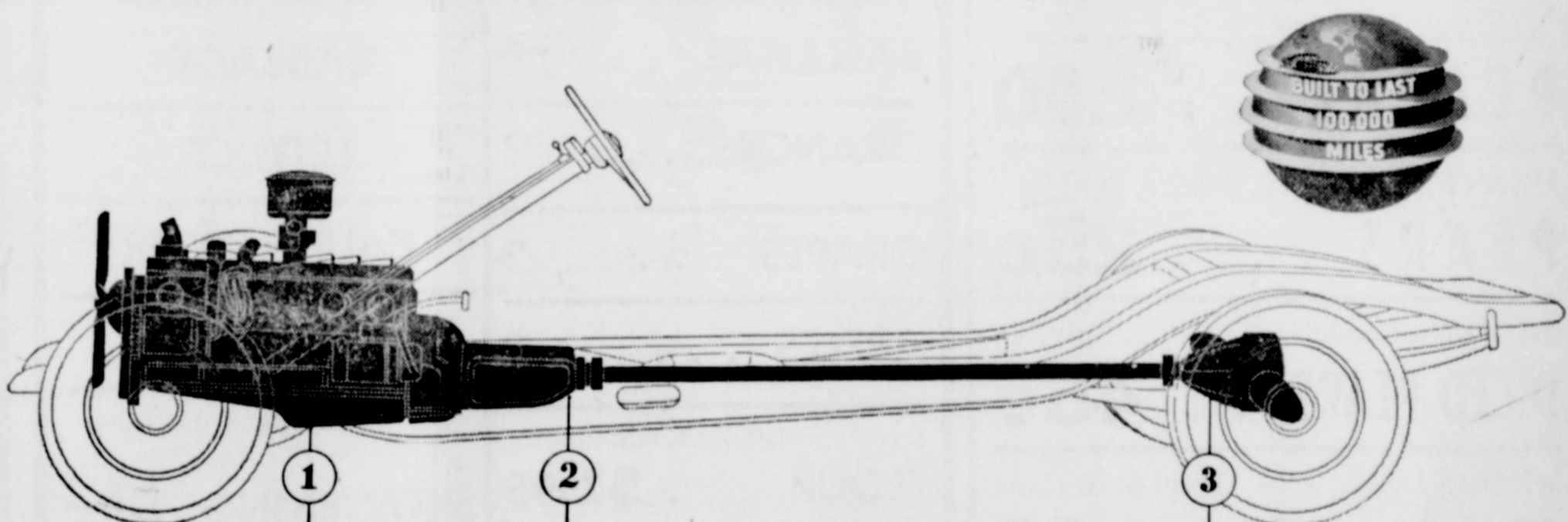
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SPINACH . . . 25c

WHITE SWAN, 2 -lb. Jar
Apple Butter . 25c

Can
SPAM 50c
Mission Sugar, Size 303 Can
PEAS . 15c
Wolf, No. 2 Can
CHILI . 69c
Diamond, White-Yellow No. 2 Can
Hominy 10c

RECIPE OF THE WEEK
BY MARY LEE TAYLOR

Wreath Salad

- Mash with fork 3-oz. pkg. white cream cheese
- Stir in gradually 2 tablespoons Pet Milk
- Then stir in 1 tablespoon lemon juice
1/2 teaspoon salt
- Drain well 4 slices canned pineapple
- Spread each slice with a tablesp. of cheese mixture.
- Cover with 1 1/2 cups canned fruit cocktail, drained
- Chill until serving time.
- Stir slowly into rest of 2 tablespoons salad oil
cheese mixture 1 tablespoon lemon juice
1/2 teaspoon salt
- Beat in gradually, then chill 2 tablespoons Pet Milk
1 tablespoon lemon juice
1/2 teaspoon salt
- Arrange slices on 4 lettuce leaves
- Serve with the dressing. Makes 4 servings.

You Will Need:
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possibility of similar payments in future years will continue to depend upon the results attained in those years." Mr. Hughes added: "We are happy that the company is able to recognize associates' efforts in this special, substantial manner in addition to the regular company provisions for associates' benefit, which include the sick benefit plan, the gratuitous death and dismemberment benefit plan, the thrift and profit-sharing retirement plan and others."

Review News

Mrs. Warner Johnson) REVIEW, December 3. — Mr. Roy Pawver returned Saturday afternoon from his vacation in the Consequences, New Mexico. Mrs. L. D. Gollightly and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pawver visited Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Pawver and Mrs. L. D. Gollightly on Saturday night. Mrs. W. C. Wright visited Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Pawver and Mrs. L. D. Gollightly on Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore visited with Mr. and Mrs. Fred and Mrs. Roy Pawver were dinner guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Pawver and Mrs. L. D. Gollightly on Monday night. Mrs. W. C. Wright visited Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Pawver and Mrs. L. D. Gollightly on Tuesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore visited with Mr. and Mrs. Fred and Mrs. Roy Pawver were dinner guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Pawver and Mrs. L. D. Gollightly on Wednesday night. Mrs. W. C. Wright visited Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Pawver and Mrs. L. D. Gollightly on Thursday night. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore visited with Mr. and Mrs. Fred and Mrs. Roy Pawver were dinner guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Pawver and Mrs. L. D. Gollightly on Friday night. Mrs. W. C. Wright visited Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Pawver and Mrs. L. D. Gollightly on Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore visited with Mr. and Mrs. Fred and Mrs. Roy Pawver were dinner guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Pawver and Mrs. L. D. Gollightly on Sunday night.

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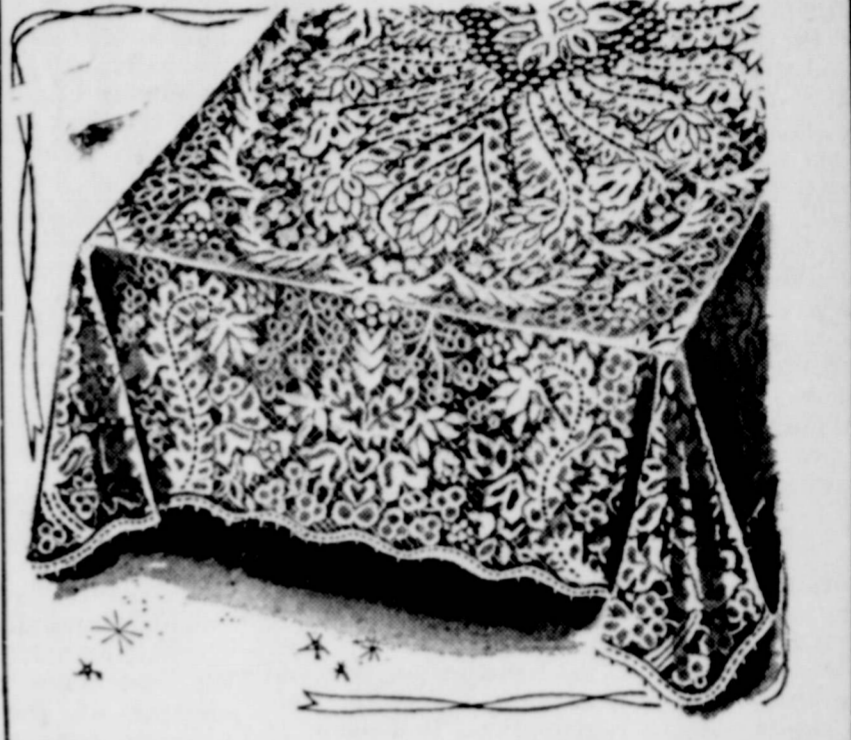
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Views and Comment

One of the probabilities of the next 12 months is that Texas motorists will be introduced to a new type of installment payments on damage bills incurred on the highway. This seems to be provided for and anticipated by the enforcing division of the State Department of Public Safety. A legal agreement providing for installment payment of claims to those you have damaged on the highways is one of the processes set up, assuming that you are not insured. One of the developments definitely pointed to under the new law, too, is that the Department of Public Safety is going to be swamped with the details of the job the legislature has delegated to them. Weeks and months may elapse between the time an accident occurs and the date on which final adjustments are made. Department officials are said to be making desperate efforts to get machinery set up to meet their responsibilities under the new law. Another prediction which seems safe to make is that the dockets of the courts will definitely swell as a result of the new law. For the motorist involved in an accident after January 1, this is a good thing to remember, that you definitely are in "trouble" when the accident occurs and the first and most important things you can do is to undertake to meet the requirements, whether or not you are insured.

A good thing for somebody has been the reorganization of the public liability law. It has made several printers somewhere a job around the clock for the past several weeks. New time saving forms have been in the mill for automobile registration, et cetera. Part of the law as to registrations is already in effect in theory but the officials say frankly they cannot begin enforcement before the printer gets them some forms ready. This does not have to do with the motor vehicle responsibility law however, which goes into effect January 1.

The first inclination is to believe that the new regulations requiring a certificate from an authorized station that an automobile has good brakes, lights, etc., before the owner can register it and get new license plates—the first inclination is to believe that this law will follow the dodo and old light testing law. Not so, say many. Public safety and the welfare of the motoring public demand this inspection certificate, and many places of business having to do with motor vehicle repair are already making the testing installations. Also many meetings are being held by these groups in an effort to familiarize the repair stations with the requirements for carrying on an inspection service that will meet the requirements for enforcement. Apparently considerably involved, the pattern may work

out smoothly in the course of time between now and the deadline in April for registration and new plates.

How wrong events can make forecasts and pre-judgments be is one of the things told by the cotton market this year. We recall than many, including ourselves, foresaw the "tail end" of the cotton crop in Floyd county selling on a 29-cent market whereas it has been planted on a 45-cent expense level, with the market glutted and most all of the staple going "into the loan." Dry weather and insects are credited with the report that the crop instead of being 17 million or long of that, is going to be much, much less. The staple offered has been selling on a market considerably above 40 cents in the last few weeks. In Floyd county, fortunately, the crop has the best staple and is getting to the gin in the best condition in decades. It has all worked out very nicely, exactly the opposite of the gloomy forecasts.

It is interesting to note that the list of "commodities" has shown a consistent decline on the markets of the United States, and that despite this prices continue to try to advance and many keep complaining that it costs them more to live. Which brings us to ponder how can living costs go up when the basic things people have to have to live—wheat, cotton, coffee, sugar, lard, hogs, cattle, cocoa, wool and the others—all are down from six to eight months ago. The increase is being made somewhere between the commodity producer and the consumer. The producer is not getting more, although he may be getting his just share. What he sells ought to be cheaper on the market, though, for the ultimate consumer. Are people in industry going to attempt to ride the good horse down once more—the manufacturer, the distributor, the freight hauler—like they have done time and time again before? It seems to be human nature to do that, and one generation does not take a lesson from the generation before it. What we mean is that while commodity markets are leveling off on a lower level than the highs of the past year the people in industry continue to cry for more wages and better working conditions, more "fringe" benefits. The fact is that most all of us could use and enjoy greater wealth, the more abundant life, the better things, but always somebody must pay the freight for these things.

There is no spectacle on earth more appealing than that of a beautiful woman in the act of cooking dinner for someone she loves. **Thomas Wolfe**

Happiness is a perfume. You cannot pour it on others without getting a few drops on yourself. **—Emerson**

Jr. Dairymen Make Progress

COLLEGE STATION—Results of the 1951 Junior Dairy Production Program, sponsored by the Texas Jersey Cattle Club, have been announced by A. M. Meekma, associate Extension dairy husbandman of Texas A. & M. College, who supervises the program.

The winners are: Tommie Jack Stewart, Fisher county, first and second place; Arthur L. Smith, Johnson county, third; Gerald V. Post, Jr., Hopkins county, fourth and eighth; Roland Reese, McLennan county, fifth; Marion Cooper, Johnson county, sixth; T. G. Herring, Jr., Crosby county, seventh and ninth and Robert L. Joyner, Falls county, tenth. All are 4-H members except Smith and Reese.

Stuart's winning entry, Lad Pretty Vera, was seven years and ten months of age at the beginning of the 305 day test period. She produced, on two times milking mature equivalent, 12,701 pounds of milk and 635 pounds of butterfat. This marks the first time that a winning entry has produced in excess of 600 pounds of fat.

According to Meekma, eight out of the ten winning entries produced more than 500 pounds butterfat, mature equivalent. Production average for the 10 winning entries was 9,908 pounds of milk and 535 pounds of butterfat, mature equivalent. The average dairy cow in Texas, Meekma says produces slightly over 3,100 pounds of milk and 137 pounds of butter fat per lactation period. These 1951 records, he adds, prove that junior dairymen in Texas are doing a very creditable job with their dairy animals.

In 1949 only seven records were submitted in the first contest. Fourteen complete records were judged in the 1950 program and this year 45 entered with 29 completing. Up to the present, 50 entries have been received for the 1952 program, says Meekma. Teachers of vocational agriculture and county agents supervise the production program in the FFA chapters and local 4-H clubs.

MRS. O. C. VINSON HOSTESS FOR CENTER H. D. CLUB

The Center home demonstration met Friday, November 30, in the home of Mrs. O. C. Vinson. Mrs. Vinson acted in the absence of the president. Roll call was answered with what I want for Christmas.

Miss Petty gave an interesting demonstration on starching dark prints and removing soil spots from clothing.

Lovely refreshments were served from a beautifully decorated dining table of the holiday Christmas season.

Members present were Mesdames W. J. Rhoades, M. J. McNeill, Tom Noland, Woodrow Wilson, A. J. Harrell, W. B. Jordan, H. B. Mankins, Earl Huckabee, and a visitor, Mrs. Abbott.

Next meeting will be December 14 in the home of Mrs. Oliver Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Gibson of Paris, Texas, were here Thursday and Friday of last week visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Spears. Mrs. Gibson is a sister of Mrs. Spears.

Mrs. Allen H. Leach, Jr. and son, Michael, of Berger, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Newton of Dougherty. Mr. Leach was in Fort Worth.

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Greeting cards sent as third class matter without writing enclosed are chargeable with 2c postage.

Patrons having a number of greeting cards to mail are asked to tie them in bundles with addresses all facing one way.

Greeting cards bearing particles of glass, metal, mica, tinsel must be enclosed in tightly sealed envelopes with postage prepaid as first class rate in order to be acceptable for mailing.

Packing and wrapping—Pack articles carefully and tightly in strong durable containers. Wrap and tie parcels securely with good quality paper and cord. Do not seal unless parcel bears sticker. "This parcel may be opened for postal inspection." Name of addressee must be in upper left corner. Address parcels on one side only. Parcel wrapped in tissue paper or light Christmas paper is not acceptable.

To encourage early mailing, senders are permitted to mark parcels "Do not open until Christmas." If you want your parcels and cards to be delivered before Christmas Day, mail early.

The manner in which requests for such co-operation have been responded to in the past has been gratifying indeed and deeply appreciated by Floydada POST OFFICE, said Mrs. Smith.

No change in postal rates until after Christmas, will be welcome news, too.

Successful Year For Boteler Team

The Lovington Wildcats captured the Class B Football championship of New Mexico on Thanksgiving Day by trouncing the Fort Sumner Poses 40 to 0 in Fort Sumner. The Wildcats' conference record was four wins, no losses and one tie. The Wildcats defeated Alamogordo 7 to 0; Eunice 19 to 6; Jal 14 to 12, and tied Los Alamos 19 to 19.

The coach for this team is Virgil Boteler, son of Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Boteler, of Floydada.

INFANT DAUGHTER DIES

Mrs. Henry Edwards returned home Monday night from Portales, New Mexico, where she had been at the bedside of her niece, Mrs. Parker Woodul, since Friday. Mrs. Woodul's condition was considered quite serious, but was improved when Mrs. Edwards left late Monday.

Graveside services were held for the infant daughter, born on Friday, to Mr. and Mrs. Parker Woodul, Sunday afternoon in the Portales cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn White have moved to Santa Monica, California, where Glenn is working in the Douglas Aircraft factory. Mr. and Mrs. White lived on the west coast during the last war and Glenn worked there then. They plan to remain throughout the winter.

Mrs. Austa Hinds and Mrs. Minnie Carter of Amarillo spent from Friday until Sunday afternoon visiting Mrs. R. E. L. Muncy, J. R. Pinkley, son of Mrs. Muncy and Homer Morris, both of Amarillo, visited with Mrs. Muncy last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hunter and daughter of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ashton and children and Floyd Fuqua and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Scott of Amarillo spent the week-end with their parents. Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Fuqua.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Raydean Whitmire Smith, sometimes known as Raydean Whitmire Pool; William Ray Smith, Sr., if living, and if dead the unknown heirs and devisees of William Ray Smith, Sr., deceased; the unknown heirs of William Ray Smith, Jr., deceased, who is also known as Billy Smith, Billy Pool and William Ray Pool, Defendants, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable 110th District Court of Floyd County, Texas, at the Court House thereof in Floydada, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday next after the expiration of 42 days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 24th day of December, A. D. 1951, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court on the 1 day of November, A. D. 1951, in this cause numbered 4001 on the docket of said Court and styled Betty Lou Looney, Plaintiff, vs. Garland R. Looney, et al, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: This suit is brought by Betty Lou Looney as Plaintiff against Garland R. Looney as substitute trustee under the Last Will and Testament of Charlotte Pool Shropshire, deceased, and as representative of the unborn children of Betty Lou Looney and their heirs and devisees, if any, David Dial Shropshire, J. E. Shropshire, Lou Ada Shropshire, Elizabeth Harrison Salyer, Oleta Salyer Wilson and her husband Trustet Wilson, Leo M. Salyer, O. B. Salyer, Norma Jean Salyer, Raydean Whitmire Smith, sometimes known as Raydean Whitmire Pool, Annie Chatman Salyer, Isa Salyer Glover and her husband H. F. Glover, William Ray Smith, Sr., if living and the unknown heirs of William Ray Smith, Jr., deceased, who was sometimes known as Billy Smith, Billy Pool and William Ray Pool. This suit is to construe the will of Charlotte Pool Shropshire, deceased, and the provisions of the trust therein established and to invoke the equity powers of the district court for the purpose of compelling Garland R. Looney to execute an oil and gas lease affecting certain real property lying and being situated in Floyd County, Texas, and being 320 acres of land described as all of the South one-half (S/2) of Section 12 in Block T, located by virtue of Certificate No. 7 issued to the ACH & B Railway Co., Abstracts No. 1848, 2287 and 2283 in the County of Floyd, State of Texas. Plaintiff alleges that as a beneficiary of the trust impressed upon the above described land, of which trust Garland R. Looney is the trustee, that she is entitled to compel the trustee to execute and deliver an oil and gas and other minerals lease for a proper consideration upon the described land, because such trustee was authorized to do so by the terms of the will of Charlotte Pool Shropshire, deceased, and because the opportunity to execute such lease is of a fleeting and transitory nature, said lands being located far distant from lands producing oil, gas and other minerals; and that unless such lease is executed, that the Plaintiff will lose the benefits of the consideration for such lease to which she is entitled, by reason of her being such beneficiary. Plaintiff further alleges that the defendant Raydean Whitmire Smith, a feme sole, and William Ray Smith, Sr., if living and if dead the unknown heirs of William Ray Smith, Sr., and

the unknown heirs of William Ray Smith, Jr., are each and all claiming some interest in the land described herein, but that none of such persons named or unnamed have any interest in said land; that the exact nature of such interest is unknown to Plaintiff but well known to each and all of said defendants, but Plaintiff alleges that such defendants have no right, title, claim or interest in and to said land of any kind or character. Plaintiff prays that on final hearing of the cause, all of the defendants named in the petition, excepting Garland R. Looney and David Dial Shropshire, be declared to have no right, title, interest or claim of any kind or character to the land described in the petition, that the will of Charlotte Pool Shropshire be construed as authorizing Garland R. Looney as substitute trustee to make and execute an oil, gas and other minerals lease upon the land, and that in the exercise of its equity powers, the court authorize and order Garland R. Looney as substitute trustee to make, execute and deliver such a lease upon fair and equitable terms, and that all costs be adjudged against Garland R. Looney as trustee.

As is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit. If this Citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

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EDITORIAL

THE MEANING OF SCHOOL

To many pupils, school is just something they have to attend and get out of one way or another. Students try to coast along and "get by" with the least possible work. The saying goes that one gets about as much out of something as he puts into it. School is a place to prepare boys and girls for later life. It not only teaches facts; it goes farther to build character and personalities. The teachers have a tremendous responsibility, but they need the pupils help. The students that try to "get by" is cheating no one but himself. He will regret not using his free opportunities to better himself. Now is a good time to make use of your opportunities. See what you can do with your present time and your future life.

Enemy—"I have never met a man who has given me as much trouble as myself."
 —Dwight Moody.

COMING EVENTS

- December 7 Basketball game at Paducah.
- December 11 Basketball game at Ralls.
- December 14 Basketball game with Brownfield.
- December 15 Football Banquet.
- December 17 Basketball game with Lockney. (here)
- December 18 Basketball with Ralls (here).
- December 21 Schools close for Christmas Holidays.
- December 21 Basketball with Brownfield (here).
- December 28 Basketball at Abernathy.
- January 2 School begins again.

IMPORTANT!!!

NOTICE: Democratic Ideal Attack-
 ed by Student Body.

The rule of a few selects top ten tunes of the week in Floydada High School of Floydada, Texas, U. S. A.:

1. Sin
2. Shrimp Boats
3. Down Yonder
4. Smoke Gets in Your Eyes
5. Kisses Sweeter Than Wine
6. Loveliest Night of the Year
7. Ang So to Sleep Again
8. Velvet Lips
9. Can't Help Loving that Man
10. Mr. Moon

You save democracy in P.H.S.!!!
 Cast your ballot for your favorite song and take part in all other activities of the school as well.

Classified Ads

WANTED:—People to put suggestions in the suggestion box. More gossip for the Snooper. Ways of making money. If you have any ideas, see the president of the Senior Class.

Two girls to work in the cafeteria. If interested contact Mr. Baker or Mrs. Parrish.

LOST:—One heart, sentimental value. Reward—A kiss!

FOUND:—One diamond ring on Peggy Jones' left hand.

FOR SALE:—One used football uniform, No. 61. See Hubert Ring.

One beat up love affair. See Virginia Presley.

One good Ukele. If you are interested in buying this Ukele contact Smitty (Grover Smith) at High School, at the Radio Station, or at his home in Floydada.

REMEMBER: It pays to advertise. If you have lost, found, or want to sell or buy something notify any member of the Hesperette Staff. We guarantee results. (Well, maybe...!)

Cleanliness:—What this country needs is dirtier fingernails and clearer minds."
 —Will Rogers

Room Two oh Eight

This week we are off again to browse through Mrs. Johnson's English III class. English should prove educational or something.

It all starts with a good deal of noise, but it soon dies after a few reminders from the teacher. The roll is checked after the last straggler has made his grand entrance. Of course, some bright child has opened the windows as far as possible. (He is probably from California!) After several boys have shown their muscles, the windows are closed and the class settles down to the task at hand.

Mrs. Johnson now gets the day's lesson underway with the study of gerunds. After a lengthy discussion and explanations with everything and pictures, she begins to quiz the students to see how much they have absorbed. Several blank faces later, Mrs. Johnson again goes over the rules and what-not. A little written test is now executed and half the pupils look as though they have been. When the papers are graded and grades taken, it is apparent that some of the students have cotton between their ears.

What the bell? Oh, blessed relief! Mrs. Johnson squares her shoulders and with head high prepares to meet the challenge of another body of students. Here's wishing her luck.

"When a woman doesn't know what to say, often she simply keeps talking until something occurs to her."
 —G. Norman Collie.

What would High School be like if everyone were as:
 SWEET as Jo Day
 GUTE as Natha Burleson
 INTELLIGENT as Donald Smith
 FRIENDLY as James Freeman
 SHORT as Carolyn Tye
 Pretty as Shirley Womack
 VERSATILE as Dorothy Holmes
 UNDERSTANDING as Frances Ashton
 MISCHIEVOUS as Bert Grimes
 ATHELETIC as Roy Teague
 SERIOUS as Nancy Gollightly
 CAREFREE as Jackie Hutchinson

Did You Know?

The bite of the coral snake is more dangerous than that of a rattlesnake. This is true because the poison of the coral snake works on the nerves and brain instead of the blood and the heart.

The popular song "Loveliest Night of the Year" is just a modernized version of the sixty year old waltz, "Over the Waves."

The present senior class is one of the smallest in the history of P.H.S. The queen's race was won by less than \$30. Proves that a little can go a long way.

When Henry Ford brought out the v-type engine the experts said it would never be a success. Now almost every major company has started using it.

F. H. A. News

The following program was presented from KPLD November 28. The first number was the P.H.A. prayer song. The "Creed" was given by Sammie Copeland. The Carolettes under the direction of Mrs. Carl Muench presented two songs, "You'll Never Walk Alone" and "The Prayer Perfect." The Carolettes include Beth Walker, Dot Holmes, Ann Welborn, Fern Patterson, Carolyn McDonald, and Jo Day.

Shirley Womack gave the following report on activities and purposes of the club. The purposes are; to promote a growing appreciation of the joys and satisfaction of homemaking; to encourage democracy in home and community life; to work for good home and family life for all to promote international good will; to foster the development of creative leadership in home and community life; and to provide wholesome individual and group recreation and further interest in home economics.

A few of the studies of our local home economics department are food, clothing, child care, child development, home nursing, first aid, housing equipment and its care, recreation, and family relations.

The national P.H.A. week which was the first week of November, was observed by attending church in a group and wearing the P.H.A. colors of red and white on Tuesday of that week. A gift to a shut-in and a package for a Korean child were mailed. A P.H.A. assembly program for the

school was also presented.

This next week, Mrs. Zimmerman is to give us a demonstration of wrapping Christmas packages. Plans are also being made for a Christmas party. This promises to be a very busy year for the local P.H.A. chapter.

NANCY NUTTS

Dear Nancy,
 How do fishermen make their nets?

Questionally,
 Pat

Dear Pat,
 They take a bunch of holes and tie them together.

Smartly,
 Nancy

Dear Nancy,
 What was the most wonderful accomplishment of the Romans?

Wonderingly,
 Lorraine

Dear Lorraine,
 Learning Latin.

Surely,
 Nancy

Dear Nancy,
 How did you find the weather while you were away?

Courisly,
 Beth

Dear Beth,
 Oh, we just went outside, and there it was!

Brightly,
 Nancy

Dear Nancy,
 Do you think we should pay our taxes with a smile?

Doubtfully,
 Adrian

Dear Adrian,
 I'm sure we would all love to, but they insist on cash.

Definitely,
 Nancy

Dear Nancy,
 What is an example of a family circle?

Thoughtfully,
 Judy

Dear Judy,
 The ring around the bath tub.

Knowitall,
 Nancy

GOSSIP'S END
 by Richard Armour

When gossips die, as mortals must,
 And leave their earthly home,
 Their punishment will be, I trust,
 Eternally to roam.

Down dismal paths and darkened pits
 And empty halls of hell,
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Longhorns Topple Whirlwinds 47-19

Lockney pulled away from Floydada early in the second half to rout the Whirlwinds Monday in Lockney. The Whirlwinds matched Lockney's scoring during the first quarter. However, in the second quarter Lockney took a 16-11 lead over the Whirlwinds and were never in serious danger again.

Doug Merritweather scored 15 pts. to lead the Longhorns to their first victory of the season. Roy Teague and Franklin Stovall both scored 4 pts. to lead Floydada's scoring. Lockney's girls' basketball team proved too much also for the Whirlwinds girls. Lockney took a early lead and were never behind winning 53-28. Patsy Patterson scored 21 pts. for Floydada.

Floydada's "B" Squad won the only game for Floydada. Led by Bobby Ashton who scored 19 pts., the "B" squad won handily 38-27.

Whirlwinds Rout Dragons 38-12
 Floydada scored 3 victories over Paducah in their first home game at Graves Gym, Friday Nite. In the "A" squad game, the Whirlwinds played ragged basketball through the first half. Bad passing and poor shooting found the Whirlwinds ahead only 13-3 at the half. However, the Winds became red hot in the second half to win easily 38-12.

Frank Stovall scored 16 pts. to lead the "Winds" Roy Teague was next in the scoring with 8.

The girls sextette won easily over Paducah 34-22 in the second game. Patsy Patterson scored 18 pts.

The "B" squad also won handily over the Paducah "B" squad. Bobby Ashton led the winners with 17 pts.

SNOOPER

Are Glen W. and Winnie H. going steady? From what I gather here and there—they are!!!

Was Nancy Smith with Joe Hopper Saturday night??? Nancy, I thought you were going steady? What goes???

Virgil W. you and Doris J. are still going pretty good from what I see and hear. Well here's to ya'.

Cecilia, how are you and Jack doing? Pretty good aren't you!! But aren't you leaving Kent out?? Huh. Who could Don G. have been talking to in the library?? Couldn't have been a girl by the name of M. J. could it. What about this, Marylynn?

Glen King and Glynnis Sparks are still doing all the good in American History from all appearances. What say, Glen???

Myrna what were you doing riding around with Billy Charles Wednesday at noon???

Well, Well, it looks like Curtis M. and Juanell W. are still going strong. Could it be because Leroy G. and Barbara P. are still doing all right!!!

Seems as if Ronnie Evans and DeLores Gee have a lot of fun in JBT lately!!!!

Darlene B. I hear a certain boy wants to go with you. Come on and give the boy a chance!!!

Aurie Belle and James still o.k.? Fine.

What about Don Mc and Betty B.? What happened to Donna and Earl? She doesn't wear his ring anymore. Come on kids it is not that

oad surely.
 What is this I hear about Billy Mae P. and Joe Beth M. making eyes at each other in Study Hall. Could be a new romance???

Billy Carmack—Frances Allen!!!

What's the deal—may I be dealt a hand also?

Pete and Ruthie sure did have fun Friday night so I heard. You had best keep an eye on them Kenneth.

Werg Edwin L. and L. G. really discussing business the other day in the hall???

Well looks like that's all for this

time. Now kids, if you want to read a good column contribute your news. Lets get on the ball and have the gossip can full next week. See ya' then.

Orchids and Onions

ORCHIDS to Mr. Graves for being so understanding.

ORCHIDS to Betty M. for being so nice.

ONIONS to teachers who give assignments over holidays.

ORCHIDS to Barbara P. for being so sweet and friendly.

ONIONS to the few unfriendly people in our school!

ORCHIDS to Miss Jones for being so "happy-go-lucky."

ORCHIDS to the annual and perpetre staffs for working so hard with our assemblies.

ORCHIDS to all the girls who have gotten new rings (diamonds).

ONIONS to students who disrupt classes.

TURKEY SHOOT

SATURDAY 1:30 P. M.

SUNDAY 1:30 P. M.

DECEMBER 15 - 16

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LARGE BOX,

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LARGE BOX,

LUX FLAKES . . 32c

LARGE BOX,

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TUXEDO, Can,

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BABY FOOD . . 27c

SKINNER'S, Box,

Raisin Wheat . 17c

QUART BOTTLE,

CLOROX 19c

SKINNERS, Box,

MACARONI . . 12c

ARMOURS, Can,

TREET 51c

SALMON 39c
Honey Boy
No. 1 Tall Can

DEL MONTE, Fruit, No. 303,

COCKTAIL . . . 26c

DEL MONTE, 14-oz.

CATSUP 23c

DIAMOND, 80 Count,

NAPKINS 15c

RANCH STYLE, Can,

BEANS 13c

BLUE ROSE, 2-lb.,

RICE 32c

LIBBY, Can,

VIENNAS 22c

DINTY MOORE, Can,

BEEF STEW . . 59c

LIBBY, 22-oz., Sour,

PICKLES 37c

AUNT JEMIMA, Large Box,

Pan Cake Mix . 34c

PLANTERS, Jar,

Peanut Butter . 33c

FRESH SHELLED, Pound,

PECAN S 99c

PET, Tall Can,

MILK 14c

O'CEDAR, 4-oz. Bottle,

POLISH 25c

JOLLY CORN, Can,

POPCORN . . . 20c

BATH SIZE BAR,

LIFE BUOY . . . 13c

LUX Regular Bar,

TOILET SOAP . . 9c

FRESH FRUITS & VEGETABLES

STALK,

CELERY 23c

FRESH BUNCH,

RADISHES . . . 7 1/2 c

SNOW WHITE, lb.,

CAULIFLOWER 17c

FRESH BUNCH,

GREEN ONIONS 10c

SEEDLESS, Pound,

Grapefruit . . . 13c

FANCY-DELICIOUS, Pound,

APPLES 19c

DIAMOND, Pound,

WALNUTS . . . 49c

U. S. GRADED QUALITY MEATS

SHOULDER CUT,

PORK ROAST lb. 59c

PABSTETT
CHEESE lb. 46c

PINKNEY, Sack,
SAUSAGE lb. 37c

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DOUBLE
GREEN STAMPS
EVERY TUES.

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Provisions Of New Motor Law Are Explained

AUSTIN, December 6. — Public Safety Director Homer Garrison, Jr., emphasized in a statement today that the state's new Motor Vehicle Safety Responsibility law does not give his department the slightest judicial authority to determine questions of fault before applying the law's full requirements to motorists who are involved in severe traffic accidents.

"The saddest mistake a motorist can make," Director Garrison said, "is to think the state cannot compel

him to furnish proof of his ability to meet damage claims and suspend all of his motoring privileges if he fails to do so, because he is quite sure he was not to blame. Those imagine they can postpone meeting the new law's security requirements until a court decides the issue will find that they are wrong.

"This does not mean that any motorist will be required to pay for damages he did not cause, or that he does not have full recourse to the courts if he feels that any order issued under the new law violates his rights. It does mean, however, that pending a final court decree on a question of liability, the involved owner or operator must satisfy the Texas Department of Public Safety that he is prepared to meet damage claims for which he is apparently responsible.

"Here are the circumstances that will prevail when the new law becomes effective on January 1:

"If you are involved in an accident resulting in death or injury to a person, or property damage exceed-

ing \$100 to any one person, including yourself, you must file a complete report with the department not later than 10 days after the accident. If the report shows that you were properly insured at the time of the accident, you are not subject to the safety responsibility law because it recognizes insurance as proof of ability to meet damage claims up to \$15,000.

"If you were not insured, the department will determine the extent of damages for which you may be held liable, ranging from a minimum of \$101 to a maximum of \$15,000. You must then furnish the department with satisfactory proof that you will be able to respond in the fixed amount, either by depositing collateral or posting a bond. You will not be required to furnish any security, however, if you have all other persons involved in the accident release you from liability, obtain a final court decree of non-liability, or execute a legal agreement providing for installment payment of claims. Neither will security be required if you show that your car was legally parked or being operated without your permission, or that all injuries and damages were confined solely to yourself.

"The law allows you a maximum of 70 days, however, in which to satisfy it in any one of these manners—10 days to file your safety responsibility report and 60 days thereafter to satisfy the security requirements. If within the stated period you have not satisfied the law, regardless of how innocent you think you may be, the Texas Department of Public Safety has no alternative but to suspend your operator's license and the registration plates for all cars owned by you.

"Should you later meet one of the security requirements, obtain a final court decree of non-liability, or if a year elapses without court action for damages being filed, the suspension will be lifted immediately; or if security was deposited, it will be returned. In the meantime, however, others involved in the accident have

Finds Alfalfa in Rotation Works Wonders as Soil Improving Crop

(by Ray Grace Agricultural Engineer, Soil Conservation Service)

H. R. Patterson, Floydada, Texas, has ample proof that alfalfa works wonders as a soil improving crop.

In 1948 Patterson plowed a field of four year alfalfa and planted it to milo. Under irrigation the crop produced 6640 pounds of grain per acre. This is considered an extraordinary yield when contrasted with yields of 3000 to 5000 pounds which are common in the surrounding area.

The land was cropped to grain sorghum and wheat for the next two years. Patterson says that while he kept no accurate records of yields, he would estimate that production on the field was from one-third to one-half more than adjacent land that had not previously been cropped to alfalfa. He points out that there was considerably less insect damage to wheat grown on the land in rotation than on other land where no alfalfa had been grown.

This year, cotton was planted on the former alfalfa land and also on adjacent land where no alfalfa had been grown. There is a remarkable contrast between the plantings. Most of the cotton has been harvested but difference in stalk-growth is very noticeable. So is the yield, Patterson says; the area that was once in alfalfa is yielding nearly two bales per acre while the adjoining land is making approximately one bale per acre.

H. R. thinks so much of alfalfa as a soil improving crop that he has contracted for another irrigation well which will allow him to expand his alfalfa acreage. This in turn will

mean bringing more land into crop rotation. He expects to seed about 50 acres more alfalfa in the fall of 1952.

Besides the increased production he has been getting from the land in rotation, Patterson thinks it plows much easier and takes irrigation water better than the land that is not rotated.

"When I hit that alfalfa land there is so much difference in the way it plows that it's possible to shift the tractor into a higher gear," he said.

Patterson has been interested in soil conservation for many years and was one of the first cooperators with the Floyd County Soil Conservation District. Since becoming a cooperator he has terraced some 300 acres of land. In addition he has bench leveled 50 acres of steep land in order to have a more efficient irrigation system and conserve soil and rainfall.

Patterson's farming interests are varied and balanced. They include dryland farming, irrigation farming and raising livestock.

Aside from his financial interest in improving the soil on his farm, Patterson has an interest which sums up in this manner, "I enjoy building up the soil; it always gives me a 'kick' to take hold of something that is rundown and rebuild it."—and he is going just that.

COUSINS ARE HOUSE GUESTS OF THE C. B. DICKERMAN

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Vandenburg and Mr. and Mrs. Dee Vandenburg of Rockford, Illinois visited in the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Dickerman last Thursday for a while.

They had been visiting relatives in Fort Sumner, New Mexico, and went to Carlsbad, New Mexico, to see the caverns. They were on their return trip to Illinois. They are cousins of Rev. Dickerman and had not seen him for about 30 years.

Oklahoma is the only state whose capital, Oklahoma City, bears the state name.

Floyd County 14 Years Ago

(Taken from the files of the Hesperian issue dated December 9, 1937)

Construction of a modern dairy barn that will accommodate 30 cows was begun last week, by Harry Morckel, at his place recently bought southwest of Floydada, formerly owned by V. M. Manning.

J. C. Gilliam was given judgment against Floyd County for \$1,150 by the Court of Civil Appeals in a judgment handed down last Tuesday, for land and damages in providing right-of-way for Highway 207 in southwest Floydada.

A community Christmas tree and carol singing will be held on the

night of December 23, on the court house lawn. The study clubs and the Lions and Rotary clubs have been working on plans for several weeks for the occasion. Mayor Glad Snodgrass will be master of ceremonies. The stores and shops will enter the contest for prizes in the lighting of show windows of their stores.

Final estimate of number of bales this year, made by the government was well over 18 million, the largest cotton crop in the history of the county. Floyd county's yield was near 30,000 bales, despite the cold rainy weather.

A candle light service will be held at the Methodist church on Sunday night December 19 at 7 o'clock to which the entire congregation is invited.

With the cotton harvest just about finished in almost all areas of Floyd county, many who see themselves out of work within the next 30 or 40 days are calling the Floyd County Welfare agency, on the chance that they can find work by that means. Dot Slough, in charge of the office, said this week. Most all these men are residents of Floyd county and several of them have managed to stay off the relief rolls up to now, said Miss Slough.

One of the social affairs of the past week was the bridal shower which a group of ladies gave in the home of Mrs. George Smith, honoring Mrs. Herwin Strickland, the former Suzanne Eldridge, on Friday evening.

In honor of the tenth birthday of her son, Johnny, Mrs. J. I. Hammonds entertained his little friends with a party at the home on last Friday afternoon. Sixteen were present for the party.

Joint hostesses entertained last Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. C. P. Looper, honoring Miss Mabel Moore with a pre-nuptial shower. Miss Moore and Edgar Duncan will be married on December 25.

Miss Sude Miller, teacher in the Floydada High school is in the Plainview hospital convalescing from an appendectomy on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fry and Mrs. Lula Slaughter are making plans to spend the Christmas holidays with relatives in California. They will leave in two weeks for Long Beach California and other points to visit.

Floyd Simpson of Brown's Household supply spent a few days in Amarillo at a Kelvinator dealer conference.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Heard left this week for a two month visit with relatives in Georgia and Tennessee.

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