

BURDELL NICHOLS TEST SHOWS GAS, OIL

Yesterday at noon operators for Burdell Oil Company did not know whether or not they had a producing oil well on the R. L. Nichols No. 1, M. F. Hagar survey.

Of 46 feet of lime formation penetrated in six days of probing, 27 feet was too hard for gas or oil production. Favorable indication was found in the last 10 feet of drilling before noon Wednesday when the formation at 7,807 feet began to loosen up and show gas and oil stains. Total depth at that hour was 7,817 feet.

Formation in the well is running full 160 feet low compared with the Minnie Adams discovery, which the test offsets. Geophysics pictures had been interpreted to indicate the test might find the pay about 60 feet low.

Over the week-end the test was looked on as a sure shot for a producer. A lime formation was topped at 7,758 feet shortly after noon Wednesday of last week and as porosity became more pronounced 5 1/2 inch oil pipe was set at 7,771 feet. Electric tests showed good gas and oil possibilities.

However, when the tool was put back in the hole to drill out the plug and go into the formation the pipe had 2,500 feet of concrete that had to be drilled out. Using a four and three-fourths inch bit the hole was cleaned out three or four feet into the pay formation and a test made.

R. S. Wiggins, the contractor, said on the test there was only a slight blow and show of gas.

Through Monday prospects brightened but Tuesday at about 7,800 feet a hard formation was encountered that the light bit would not bite into successfully. Late Tuesday night at 7,807 feet the tool was brought out of the well and Wednesday morning drilling resumed with a diamond bit. The last 10 feet had begun to show porosity, gas and oil stains.

The hole will be carried on down, according to report yesterday at 2 o'clock, in further probing of the formation. Unless the bit continues to find porosity and oil and gas show there seems no probability the well can be developed commercially.

Officials of Burdell Oil Company, including President Rice, a Dallas man, Garland Smith, geologist, and Elmer Cook, production man, of Snyder, have been here most of the time since Sunday. Standard of Texas and Magnolia Petroleum Company, who are interested with Burdell, also have had observers on the ground.

18 Shopping Days



This week-end and the first of next week will be the best time to do your Christmas buying, local retailers declare.

You'll have more leisure, more time to think, do a better job of selecting. Floydada stores are full of good ideas and the sales people are alert to help you.

If you want to be, or need to be, practical in your shopping the Dollar Day advertisements have some extremely good suggestions.

Cotton Ginning Figures Mount

As frost-burned cotton dried out last week and the machine harvesters went into high throughout the county's wide domain, cotton piled higher and higher in gin yards and the gins were in the heavy run which they had expected to have 30 days earlier. All the gins in the county are on a 24-hour operating schedule. Showers today slowed the harvest.

With no bale reports attempted and no official figures available it is known that the harvest has passed considerably beyond the half way mark and that ginnings are much above 50,000 bales.

At the same time the highway traffic indicates that a sizeable proportion of the cotton is dropping off the hill to gins which do not have heavy home-stand runs. Farmers thus are keeping the number of cotton trailers to a minimum that are tied up in the gin yards. It is not an unexpected condition since the avalanche of cotton began to move.

All the cotton men talked to by representatives of The Hesperian this week said their machine harvested cotton is representing quite a bit more profit than the portion of the crop they gathered by hand. The grade and staple also is practically the same as for the hand-gathered staple. In instances the difference in favor of the grower is running above \$30 per bale.

Some fields still are too green to harvest and the growers are exercising rare patience in refraining from going into the crops. Others are "getting the cotton while they can" and taking the loss in waste and down-grade. Most fields are ready and waiting.

Doctor Domm New Practitioner Here

Bill M. Domm, M. D. is opening offices for the general practice of medicine and surgery in the clinic of People's hospital.

Dr. Domm was born in Parker county, Texas, finished high school at Mineral Wells, and received the degree of bachelor of science at Texas Wesleyan college in Fort Worth.

After three years in the army in World War II, including two and one-half years overseas, he entered Southwestern Medical School in Dallas, from which he graduated in 1951, at which time he received a commission as medical officer in the Navy. He interned at U. S. Marine hospital in Detroit, and after service as medical officer in the U. S. Coast Guard, became a member of the medical staff of Hi-Plains hospital at Hale Center in March 1953, where he practiced until moving to Floydada.

Dr. Domm is married and is the father of two daughters, Kay, age 3, Sheryl Ann, age 5.

Teachers Banquet At F.H.S. Cafeteria

The Floyd county unit of T.S.T.A. will meet tonight at a banquet table to get acquainted with each other. The teachers banquet is being held at the Floydada high school cafeteria and the time is 7 o'clock, not 7:30 as was announced last week.

J. H. Lovelady, assistant director of field service of T.S.T.A. with headquarters in Austin, will be guest speaker. A musical program is also planned by local talent.

All teachers and their wives or husbands are urged to come.

Football Squad To Banquet on Saturday Night

The Quarterback club is sponsoring the annual football banquet at which the football squad of Floydada high school will feast. The banquet is to be Saturday night, December 5, at 7:30 o'clock in the cafeteria of high school.

The hall will be beautifully decorated in the Christmas theme. Approximately 125 persons will attend.

The program is as follows: Invocation by I. T. Graves; Coronation of the queen by Coach Preston Watson; Toast to Whirlwinds by Richard Stovall;

Response by Don Barber; Drum Solo by John Horn; Introduction of speaker, Jack Meredith;

Address by Dr. John Kimble; Solo by Dot Holmes;

Tribute to Coaches by Jimmy Dunn and Ronnie Upton; Announcement of 1954 Captains, Coach Watson;

Announcement of 1954 Cheerleaders by Pat Robertson;

School song by audience. The menu for the event will read like this: One half Rudolf, Reindeer food, Sleigh bells, Holly, Santa's Pack, ABC Blocks, Santa Claus, Sugar Plums, Christmas Cheer.

Members of the high school pep squad will prepare the food under the direction of Mrs. Willis Cooper, home making teacher, and also will arrange the table and decorate the hall for the evening.

Mrs. Cooper said the girls of the 8th grade at Andrews ward school will be invited to serve the banquet for the football honorees.

Seven-Co. Singers Elect Earl Raper

The seven-county singing convention met Saturday and Sunday at the Floydada high school auditorium.

The Saturday night crowd was very good with all counties represented. There were quartets from Levelland and Lubbock to sing.

The Sunday session slacked off slightly due to a conflicting singing convention in Lubbock. But all counties were still represented and a nice crowd was had.

Officers were elected for the coming year at this meeting. They are:

Earl Raper of Plainview, president; Joe Reeves of Lockney, vice-president; and Mrs. Earl Raper was retained as secretary-treasurer.

The next meeting will be held in Matador on the fifth Sunday of January.

Campaign Report \$976 for 'Army'

With slightly more than half of the campaign envelopes yet to be returned, Charles H. Bedford, treasurer of the Salvation Army unit here said yesterday the campaign had netted \$976 to date.

The committees, headed by Harry Morckel, were given an estimate of the need at \$1,500 for 1954 and set the goal for their campaign at that figure.

W. E. Grimes, unit chairman, yesterday was highly complimentary of the work done by the canvassers to date, in view of the unusually busy season.

Community workers which have not had time to work as yet are expected to report as their time will permit.

State Sunday School Leader Will Address Area S. S. Workers Here

R. H. Dilday, president of the State Baptist Sunday School Convention, will lead the First Baptist church of Floydada and the Baptist churches of the Floyd association in a three-day training clinic on December 7-8-9.

Announcement of the forthcoming area event in Baptist Sunday school circles was made this week by Dr. Earl Allen, pastor of the First church.

Mr. Dilday, while educational director, Wichita Falls, led the south in the enrolling of adults in Sunday school. He has been in great demand as a Sunday school speaker. Recently he has gone to Dallas as the associate in the state Sunday school office. He was elected president of the convention while in Wichita Falls.

Many Area Representatives Representatives from churches in a five-county area are expected to attend the three-day clinic here. The meeting will be held in the auditorium of the First church at 7 o'clock each evening. The nursery will be open.

The Sunday school of the First Baptist church continues to show progress in attendance. For September, October and November of last year the average attendance was 500. This compares with an av-

FFA Sweetheart



NORMA SELF

Norma Self, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oran Self, was named the Sweetheart of the Future Farmers of America of this district when the Future Farmers had their meeting here late in November.

Presented by the Floydada chapter of FFA, Norma was declared winner by a committee representing all the clubs in the district.

Norma is a member of the senior class of FHS.



Chosen Floydada high school band sweetheart.

Karen Buchanan Band Sweetheart

Miss Karen Buchanan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Buchanan, was elected Band Sweetheart for the year 1953-54 by the members of the Whirlwind band. Miss Buchanan has been a member of the band for three years.

Karen was presented at the Tahoma football game by Band Director John Horn while the band formed a huge W and played "On You Whirlwind."

The Band Sweetheart will be crowned at the annual band banquet in February.

Railway Express Moved to Station

The Railway Express Agency in Floydada is now located at the Santa Fe depot. Effective Tuesday morning the express is now being handled by L. H. Christensen, Santa Fe agent.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Warren who have operated the express office at 108 W. Missouri for the past 10 years announced that the office was being closed here and in many other small cities due to lack of business. This information was given to them by G. K. Jackson, district supervisor.

The Warrens' plans for the future are still uncertain.

DISASTER RELIEF FEED APPLICATIONS BEING TAKEN

Applications for drought disaster relief feeds - cottonseed pellets and meal, corn and oats - are being received at the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation office this week.

Distribution of relief feeds for foundation herds was resumed in the county 10 days ago when Floyd was re-placed on the drought relief list, after being taken off for nearly two months.

When enough applications are received to make up shipments the feed will be requisitioned, it was said at the ASC office.

Barber Choice For All-State Football Center

Don Barber, Whirlwind center and line backer, was named to the Star Telegram's all state class AA football team in their Wednesday paper this week. Herb Owens sports writer of the Fort Worth paper made the selections based on information he had gathered from their state coverage of football.

Barber was well known in west Texas football circles, having made all-district last year and again this season. Only Tuesday of this week he had been named as one of the two outstanding class AA players of this area by Art Gats and Bill Hart of the Lubbock Avalanche Journal.

Don is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Barber of Floydada. He is a senior in high school here, six feet tall and weighs 190 pounds. Don said his college plans were not complete at present, but did state that he would like to play college football and liked the southwest conference and Texas Tech.

Class AA All-State First Team

Table with 3 columns: Pos., Player, School. Lists players like Dalton Hicks, Earl Wayne Miller, John Boles, etc.

Others named from this area were Charles Shelly of Olton as second team end, Jay Sharp of Childress second string center, Chester Lindsey of Spur third string center and honorable mention went to Curtis Brail of Spur, Jerry Reynolds of Slaton and Archie Souter of Olton.

Alfred Ray Rites Sunday Afternoon

Funeral service was held here Sunday for Alfred Ray, 69, who died November 28 in West Texas hospital, Lubbock, several days following major surgery. Mr. Ray was born August 31, 1884, in Arkansas. He settled on a farm in Floyd county near Floydada in 1936.

The last rites were said in the First Baptist church with Dr. R. Earl Allen, officiating. Interment was in Floydada cemetery using the Odd Fellows' graveside service.

Palbearers were P. L. Hart, Carl Mipor, Tom Hopper, Foster Amburn, Claude Pawver and Harry Reeves.

Mr. Ray is survived by his wife, Pernie; 6 brothers, T. A. Eber, and Clint all of Stephenville; New Vera, Oscar of Lovington, New Mexico and Mont of Tulsa and three sisters, Mrs. C. J. Pack and Mrs. Zola Rogers of Stephenville, and Mrs. Roy Foster of Petersburg.

ND, SANTA CLAUS CROWD BIG CHRISTMAS OPENING

Only event not planned had to do with old Santa Claus himself. He got surrounded by the crowds and the parade ran off and left him for a brief time. He had to be rescued and restored to his place in the parade by Sheriff Cooper and his aides. Santa's new red velvet suit was a "present" of the Jaycees, spokesmen for whom said they thought the flowing beard should have this added adornment for a background. The old boy's rotund figure was gaily resplendent.

In the parade, not as big nor as long as some parades, but a quality parade at that, had the marching bands of Floydada high school and Lockney high school in the line, the Shetlands, civic floats and others.

Shetland Pony Winners

Winners in the various classes of the Shetland show, together with the parade winners were as follows: Class 1, 42 Inch toy or Midget 1 Anthony Whitfill, Floydada; 2 and 3 Ken Robertson, Petersburg;

4 Doris Marie Pawver, Floydada; 5 and 6 Pat McLaughlin, Lockney;

7 Jan Stansell, Floydada; 8 Max Cox, Floydada; 9 Danny Watts, Rt. 4, Floydada; 10 Mrs. T. B. Barton, O'Donnel.

Class 2, 48 Inch Shetland

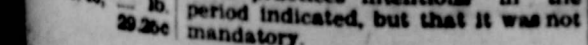
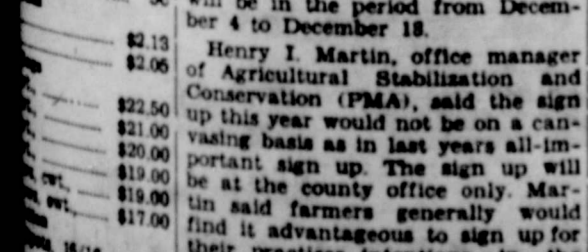
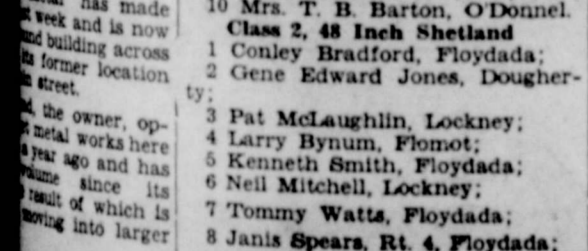
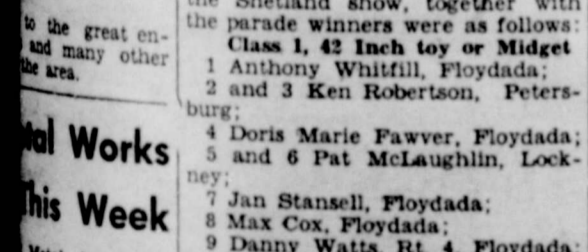
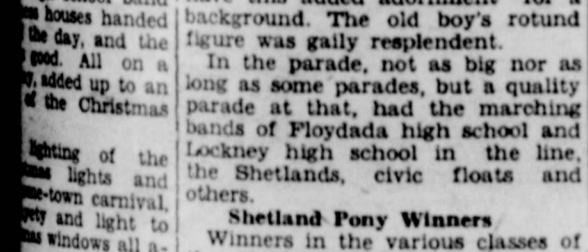
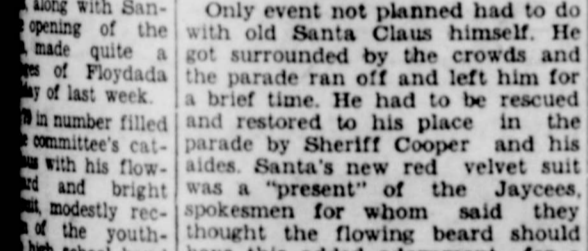
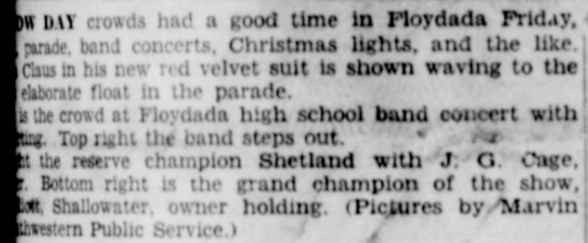
1 Conley Bradford, Floydada; 2 Gene Edward Jones, Dougherty;

3 Pat McLaughlin, Lockney; 4 Larry Hynum, Fiomot; 5 Kenneth Smith, Floydada; 6 Neil Mitchell, Lockney; 7 Tommy Watts, Floydada; 8 Janis Spears, Rt. 4, Floydada; (See Shetland Show, back page)

Practices Sign Up December 4 to 18

Sign up for farmers of Floyd county to indicate their 1954 soil conservation practices intentions will be in the period from December 4 to December 18.

Henry I. Martin, office manager of Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation (PMA), said the sign up this year would not be on a canvassing basis as in last years all-important sign up. The sign up will be at the county office only. Martin said farmers generally would find it advantageous to sign up for their practices intentions in the period indicated, but that it was not mandatory.



Subscription Prices: Outside Floyd, and adjoining counties — one year \$2.50; six months \$1.25; four months 90c in advance.

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VIEWS AND COMMENT

If a fellow had a way of getting all the cotton together that has been wasted in Floyd county this season, he'd be pretty well off, a comfortable balance in the bank after buying himself a batch of bonds and stocks against old age. Perhaps nobody with cotton to gin has done differently to what you or we would have done. The fact remains that hundreds of bales of cotton, even up two or three notches into the thousands, have been pulled so wet the gins couldn't handle it, even with all their heaters and dryers and beating and bating the seed cotton around to make it gin-able.

The Shetland pony idea has caught on among the area kids. They're registering by the hundreds into the thousands of times, the business people of Floydada report. If the right youngster gets the little pony, it will be a great thing for the pony and the new owner. Friday was a hard day for the miniature horse while the show was on. He was patted and petted and rubbed a many a time, but he took it all with good humor, as though it were a part of the job of getting along with human beings.

Deer to Spare. Protection of wild life in Texas has begun to bear fruit in bounty. From a modest beginning a quarter of a century ago the wild life commission, or as it is called in Texas, the Game and Fish commission, has grown up to a man-size organization, the expense of which is borne by the sportsmen themselves largely—fishers and hunters licenses and the like. With this growth has come the re-appearance on the Texas scene of deer, wild turkey, quail, and other game that on the turn of the century, it was assumed, would soon be extinct. Even antelope are coming back in considerable numbers. Not in this part of the world but in sections having a large percentage of the land in grass, deer in particular have become plentiful. In several counties there is even an open season this year for does, which opened this week. And the period of the deer hunting season has been extended over a longer period than formerly. In some counties deer are even more evident than are cattle.

A hard year 1953 has been on any kind of an animal in most of the wild game country that depends on grazing for a living. Deer country land owners report many hundreds of deer carcasses around that can be accounted for only by the fact that the rains didn't come and the grass didn't grow.

Texas Attorney General John Ben Shepperd doesn't usually fight windmills nor battle with straw men, and Texans will assume that he has something in his charges that Communism is rampant in the management of some of the unions that are operating in port cities of Texas, particularly oil ports. Trouble with unionism is not unionism. A union that conducts its affairs with due regard to the rights of others but with the definite purpose of protecting working people is a necessity in most of the business world. Trouble is the good men in a union local "get tired" of the wrangling and interminable meetings and turn the affairs (including the voting) over to the other element. In some of the CIO unions in south Texas, the attorney general alleges, this "other element" now includes at top levels men who are Communists. The Communist's idea is not the kind of a country and government like we have. He would over throw the present order, by violence if need be. The attorney general is going to bat to prevent these kind of "union men" from getting control.

The Santa Fe agricultural reporter is usually so right in his crop report that we "lift" his statement of condition on the December wheat crop verbatim for the benefit of our readers who live at a distance and would like to have the real low-down: "In the high plains of Texas (that includes Floyd county) farmers are more optimistic regarding their wheat crop than they have been in several years. While additional moisture will be needed through the winter, practically all of the wheat is up to a stand and much of the acreage is providing pasture." There you have it in two sentences, neither of them very long.

The American Legion has resolved that it is going to try to make November 11 "all veterans' day" in Texas by act of the legislature. We hope the vets do not make the grade. Three holidays in a row in the busiest time of the year, all in six weeks, we think is more than would be good for the little city, the little business man. Much more sensible to try to get general observance of some such day as Memorial day (in the spring) and let that be the "all veterans day" like the Civil War vets did. We would, in fact, like for the congress or whoever did it, to undo November 11 as a holiday for such institutions as the post office and the federal offices for the reason the holiday no longer serves the purpose for which it was intended.

Social Security Claims Process In Four Weeks

"If you have made a claim for old-age and survivors insurance benefits recently but haven't heard from it yet, don't be concerned," John G. Hutton, manager of the Lubbock social security office, said today. Hutton said that heavy work loads in virtually all social security offices have increased the time required for handling claims for benefits. He said that the total time elapsing between the filing of a claim and the receipt of the first check now averages about 3 1/2 weeks. "Although we are doing everything possible to speed up the payment of claims, it is inevitable that delays will occur now and then," Hutton declared. "If you're ready to file a claim for old-age and survivors insurance," he said, "Here's how you can help us to start paying benefits to you more promptly." "First, file your claim as soon as possible after you become eligible. "Second, obtain all necessary evidence, such as proof of age, proof of marriage, etc., and submit it to

the social security office as soon as you can.

"If possible, find out in advance what evidence is needed, and have it with you when you come to the Lubbock social security office to file your claim, or when you meet the representative, from the Lubbock office when he calls in your area."

A representative of the Lubbock office will be in Floydada on December 9 at 9:00 a.m. at the Post Office.

MRS. SALLIE BARNETT PASSES

LOCKNEY. — Mrs. Sallie Barnett, mother of Audvie Barnett and Mrs. Roy Rolling of Lockney, passed away November 29, at 11 o'clock at her home in Blue Ridge, Texas. She had been ill for several years. Funeral service was held November 23, at 2:30 p.m. at Blue Ridge. The Barnett and Rolling families attended the service.

Mrs. Barnett is survived by her husband and nine children.

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JAMIE KAY JAMES

MATADOR. — Mr. and Mrs. Rajdo James of Dougherty, are announcing the arrival of a girl, Jamie Kay, who was born at Stanley clinic, November 11. She weighed 6 1/2 pounds.

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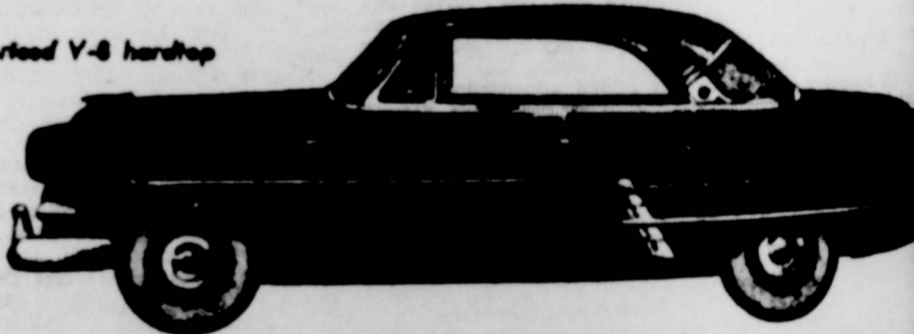


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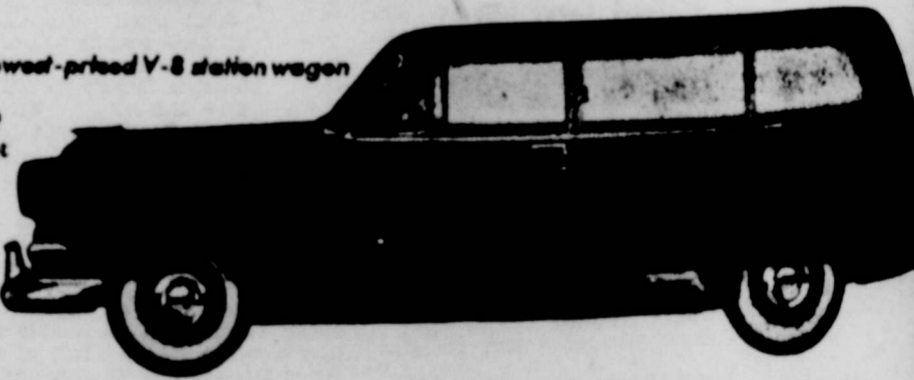
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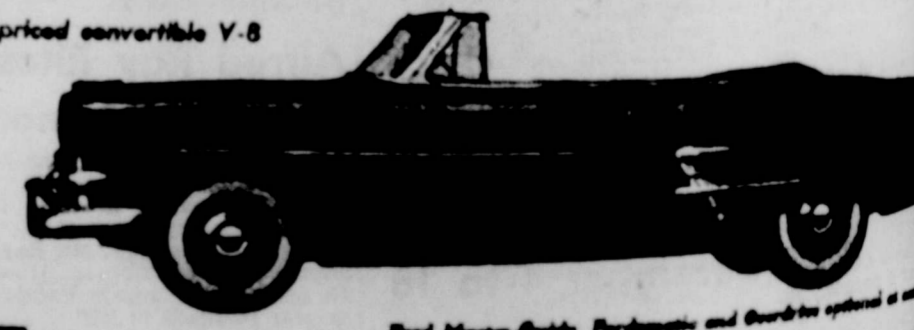
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Funny how that word has a way of stirring up activity.

People who manufacture things, for example, prickly all over when they think about competition. They sit up evenings fretting about it, and spend millions to improve their products. The result, of course, is high quality at lowest possible cost. And the winner of a contest like that has to be the public.

People are tempted sometimes to wonder what life would be like without competition. For a clue, they might note the shabby fall in living standards in countries where clumsy fingers of state monopoly have strangled competition.

Over 3,000 manufacturing firms in America share in the electrical business. We can name offhand 20 sizable firms that compete at giving the public better refrigerators. There are more than 200 rivals in the making of electric motors. At least 37 in electric irons; 53 in home freezers; 25 turn out vacuum cleaners. And so on down the list.

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Parties Held By Groups at Thanksgiving

A group of friends, ex-students of Floydada high school and 1934 senior students of the school, held a series of parties during the Thanksgiving holidays, when the group gathered for a good time. Miss Carolyn Tye entertained the group Friday night, following a homecoming exes dance at the VFW Hall, with a slumber party at her home. The group included Misses Beverly Thomas, Jo Day, Myrna Wilson, Dot Holmes, Betty Martin, Barara Perry, Ann Welborn, Roy Nell Irby, Karen Buchanan and the hostess.

cones and feathers, surrounded by red berries. Two tall red candles flanked the centerpiece. The morning was spent in visiting and conversation. Present at the coffee were Misses Karen Buchanan, Ann Welborn, Myrna Wilson, Dot Holmes, Carolyn Tye, Barbara Perry, Betty Martin, Jo Day, Shirley Teague and Ray Nell Irby and the hostess.

Chatter and Get Together
A coke party was given by Shirley (Mrs. Roy) Teague at her home on Saturday morning for the girls for chatter and get-together. Mints, cookies and cokes were served by the hostess. Attending the coke party were Ann Welborn, Dot Holmes, Karen Buchanan, Betty Martin, Carolyn Tye, Myrna Wilson, Beverly Thomas, Jo Day, Barbara Perry and Ray Nell Irby and Shirley.

The Misses Thomas and Wilson have returned to their studies at Texas Tech. Misses Ann Welborn to Baylor University at Waco, Jo Day to Brownwood to Howard-Payne and Ray Nell Irby to Canyon to West Texas State; and Betty Martin, Karen Buchanan, Carolyn Tye, Barbara Perry and Dot Holmes to their studies as seniors at Floydada high school.

Mrs. Bob Copeland 1930 Club Hostess

Mrs. Bob Copeland was hostess for the 1930 Study Club Tuesday night. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Gene Collins, Jr.

Mrs. Jimmy Tye resigned from the club and Mrs. Brac Biggers was voted in as a new member. The club voted for each member to bring a Christmas gift to the next meeting for the Wichita Falls mental hospital patients.

Mrs. Jim Simpson and Mrs. Maurice Steen gave interesting programs on Indian tradition and folklore.

Refreshments of cream puffs with chocolate icing and coffee were served to the following members: Mesdames Bill Greer, W. J. Adams, Jr., Lane Decker, Edward Wester, Hollis McLain, Ham Smith, Jr., Gene Probasco, Jack Coffman, Lyndell Roberts, Tom Snead, James Wester, Arthur Womack, Jr., Claude Weathersbee, David Kirk, Gene Collins, Jr., Maurice Steen, Watson Jones, Jim Simpson, W. H. Simpson, Jr., and the hostess.

The next meeting will be a Christmas party on December 13 at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Johnnie Collins with Mrs. W. H. Simpson, Jr. and Mrs. Gene Probasco as hostesses.

OES Meeting Held Thanksgiving Eve

The Floydada chapter of the OES held their regular meeting Thanksgiving evening with a large number present. Mrs. Flora McNeill and Mrs. Winnie Dyson gave a detailed account of their visit to grand chieftan which met in Fort Worth the first week in November.

Mrs. McNeill as Worthy Matron of this chapter, was privileged to take part in some spectacular drills eliciting a high multi-colored jewel. J. M. McNeill accompanied the two ladies to Fort Worth.

The next meeting of the grand chapter will be in Houston in October of 1934.

A family Christmas dinner is planned for the meeting on December 10th. The refreshment committee composed of Mesdames Annie Green, Virginia Cage, Velma Berry, Opal Morrison, Bess Rutherford and Doris Huckabay will prepare the turkey and dressing. The other members are requested to bring a salad dish and a pie along with their families.

Recent visitors to our chapter were Mr. and Mrs. G. A. McMillan of Yakima, Washington, who are parents of Mrs. Doris Huckabay.

Mothers Honored By Rainbow Girls

The Floydada Rainbow girls honored their mothers with a Thanksgiving tea in the home of Mrs. J. G. Martin and daughter, Betty.

The guests were registered by LaFau Ballard after which they were served in the dining room. The table was laid with a white linen cloth. The centerpiece was a Horn of Plenty filled with fruit and mahonia leaves surrounding it. On both sides were two artificial turkeys representing the Thanksgiving theme.

The guests were served spiced tea, pecan cookies and yellow mints by Joan Harris and Barbara Perry. Guests present were LaFau Ballard, Mrs. Everett Perry and Barbara, Mrs. Wayne A. Russell and Wandell, Mrs. Bill McNeill and Barbara, Mrs. Annie Green and Marcelita, Joan Harris, Mrs. Raymond Rucker, Gayle and Katie, Mrs. Helen Darden and Sherrie, Dora Day, Mrs. W. J. Wilks and Mary, Mrs. L. J. Welborn, Sue Baker, Norma Dunn, Ann Deakins, Mrs. R. A. Dyson and the hostesses Mrs. G. M. Martin and Betty.

CANDY DEMONSTRATION FRIDAY AT STARKEY CLUB

Mrs. J. W. Day, Jr., president of the Starkey home demonstration club announces that Friday at 2 o'clock Mrs. Nancy Morekel will be the guest of the club at their meeting and will give a candy making demonstration. All interested parties, whether members of the club or not are invited to attend the demonstration. Mrs. Day urges all members to be present at the meeting.

Birthday Parties Honor Mrs. Finley and Mrs. Cockrell

A birthday party honoring Mrs. J. H. Cockrell and Mrs. W. H. Finley was given at the home of Mrs. Finley and Mrs. Lila Callum Saturday night. The evening was spent visiting and opening presents.

Refreshments of soft drinks and cookies were served to the following: Mesdames G. M. Bullard, J. T. Perry, J. I. Connelley, M. C. Fuqua, W. A. Amburn, Miss Alma D. Crump and Janice and Kenneth Cockrell; Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Benthall and Wanda of Denver City, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dickson and family of Monument, New Mexico, Mrs. Marie Tally and Staniece of Sunset.

The honorees received many nice and useful gifts. **Family Gathered Sunday**
Mrs. W. H. Finley had a happy 75th birthday Sunday when she was surprised by the arrival of 27 children, grandchildren and great grandchildren. A bountiful dinner of turkey with all the trimmings plus a birthday cake was enjoyed by all. The afternoon was pleasantly spent in visiting and making pictures.

Don Turner, husband of the former Audine Finley, a well-known amateur photographer in Amarillo, made pictures of the day's events. Those present were Mrs. Maple Ritchie, Lamesa; Mr. and Mrs. John Finley, Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Finley, Jr., and Wills Faye, Floydada; Mrs. Marie Tally and Staniece, Sunset; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dulin and family, Denver City; Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Benthall and Wanda, Denver City; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dickson and family, Monument, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Don Turner and family, Amarillo; and Mrs. Lila Callum, Mrs. Florence Boothe was a guest in the afternoon.

Lyndell Roberts' Bridge Club Hosts

Mr. and Mrs. Lyndell Roberts were hosts to their bridge club Tuesday evening November 24, at 8 o'clock. Prizes were awarded to Mr. and Mrs. Lane Decker and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wester.

Refreshments of custard and cookies with coffee were served to the following members:

Mr. and Mrs. David Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. Lane Decker, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin; and guests, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wester and Mr. and Mrs. Brac Biggers.

The next regular meeting night will be on Thursday, December 10 at 8 o'clock. The club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Collins at that time.

COUPLE WED AS BIBLE CLASS ARE WITNESSES

A highlight in the Ladies' Bible class at the City Park church of Christ, Tuesday, November 24, was the wedding of Mrs. Della Dagley and Mr. Charlie Lee Allen, both of Lockney.

Gordon L. Downing, minister, read the single ring ceremony in the presence of the class. The couple will make their home in Lockney after visiting relatives in Oklahoma.

ROGERS-NELSON NUPTIALS

Isaiou Rogers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Rogers of Cedar Hill became the bride of Loyd Nelson of Floydada in a quiet ceremony at Clovis, New Mexico, on Saturday evening, November 21, Mr. Nelson's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nelson, accompanied the couple to Clovis and were their attendants at the ceremony.

After a short honeymoon in New Mexico the couple are making their home near Floydada and engaged in farming.

DANCE FOR FHS EXES

A large crowd of exes of the Floydada high school were honored on Friday night with a homecoming dance at the VFW hall.

The hall was decorated with varied colored balloons, hanging from the ceiling. At the east end of the hall a large sign, made of silver letters, read, "Welcome Home exes." Blue lights were used, making a colorful background.

Mrs. L. H. Blum visited in Lubbock with her mother, Mrs. B. T. Lucado, on Sunday.

Fairview News

(by Mrs. Clyde Bagwell)

FAIRVIEW, December 1 — The late wheat is coming up to a good stand and looking nice. It will need some winter snow or rain to keep it going. Weather has been nice the past few days.

Rev. and Mrs. Larry Faus are the proud parents of a baby girl born Sunday morning in a Plainview hospital. Mother and baby are doing fine. She has been named Vassie Elizabeth for her two grandmothers. Her weight is 8 pounds and 6 ounces. Mrs. Faus' mother, Mrs. Lloyd G. Fincher of Lamesa, spent Saturday night here.

Andrews Ward PTA Meets December 9

Andrews Ward P-TA will hold their meeting Wednesday, December 9, in the music room.

"Let's Decorate for Christmas" will be the theme and will be presented by Mrs. Jack Lackey with Miss Molly June French assisting.

A special invitation is given to everyone interested to attend including those who are not members of P-TA. It would be advisable to bring paper and pencil because there will be many ideas given.

The talent hour will be conducted during P-TA, so be sure and bring the children.

MRS. ZIMMERMAN HAS MOTHER AS GUEST FOR THE HOLIDAYS

Mrs. Letta Jenssen of Bergen, Norway, arrived in Floydada two weeks ago to visit her daughter, Mrs. Fred Zimmerman, Sr., and Mrs. Zimmerman. Mrs. Jenssen will be here until after Christmas.

Mrs. Zimmerman entertained with an informal coffee for her mother on Monday morning.

HAS SURGERY AT TEMPLE

Little Miss Frances, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Van Wickel, is doing nicely this week at Scott & White sanitarium, Temple, where she underwent surgery Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jenkins, grandparents of the little girl, and Mr. Van Wickel, her father, are expected to return home this weekend, while Mrs. Van Wickel remains at Temple with the daughter.

THANKS EXPRESSED

Words cannot express my thanks for all the kindness and thoughtfulness during my illness.

I appreciate the kind words, visits and many cards, letters and beautiful flowers and gifts while I was in the hospital and at home.

Thanks to all of my friends.
Viola Gollightly.

Your kind expression of love and sympathy shown us by the lovely flowers and the delicious foods prepared by the many friends in our sorrow is greatly appreciated by all the W. W. Anderson family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Soderstrom returned from Ft. Sill, Oklahoma where they had a reunion with her son, H. W. Wilson, and Mrs. Wilson. Mr. Wilson has just returned from duty in Korea.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Berry visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buster Allmon in Hereford on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eimo Schaffer and family of Slaton were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Starks Green and family.

Starks Green, Elmo Schaffer and Rex Brown attended the Texas Tech-Hardin Simmons football game Saturday afternoon.

Miss Carolyn McDonald, of Howard Payne college at Brownwood, spent the holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clem McDonald.

Miss Nancy Gollightly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gollightly, visited here during the holiday. Miss Gollightly is a student at Howard Payne college in Brownwood.

Miss Ann Welborn of Baylor University at Waco, Texas, spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Welborn. Mrs. W. I. Cannaday was a guest for dinner on Thursday.

Mrs. R. C. Day and children visited in Kansas from Thursday until Sunday with a daughter. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ford of Wichita-Kansas. They reported a wonderful trip by car.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilks Cooper and sons visited Mrs. Cooper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Green of Lubbock on Sunday when the Green children were at home for Thanksgiving dinner.

with her daughter and went to Plainview with Rev. and Mrs. Faus Sunday morning.

Rev. Leon McBeth of Plainview came down Sunday morning and preached in Rev. Faus place. Rev. Faus did the preaching Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Chil McClure and Dr. Wade visited Mr. and Mrs. E. Dean Dallis Monday night.

Thanksgiving guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Cross were Mrs. Roy L. Kelly and daughters of Oklahoma City, Mrs. Martha L. Cross of Lamesa, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Fite and James of Plainview, Mrs. L. J. Cross, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Baxie and Leland, Mrs. and Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. and Mrs. L. Locaney, Mrs. D. D. Tate, Mrs. and Mrs. V. C. Cross, Mrs. and Mrs. Doyle Cross and Mrs. Dean Cross. Those from Oklahoma returned home Sunday, after a visit with all their relatives in this vicinity.

Sunday afternoon visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Deana and daughters were Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Kinnaburg and daughters of South Plains, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Perry and Jan and Mr. and Mrs. Chil McClure and Del Wade.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Nicholas of Ingewood, California, arrived Saturday night to spend a week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Payne. They will also visit many friends while here. Miss Jean Porter of Starkey was a dinner guest Sunday in the C. W. Payne home with June and Harvey.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Wilson went to Lubbock last Wednesday to get their daughter, Mary Ann, who spent the holidays here. She was accompanied back to Tech Sunday afternoon by her parents and Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Walls.

Mrs. C. W. Payne and Mrs. Harvey Nicholas visited with Mrs. Clyde Bagwell Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Walton Wilson, Mary Ann and Judy visited Saturday at South Plains with Mrs. Sim Reeves and Mrs. E. C. Austin. Mrs. Austin has been ill for some time.

Mrs. Lee Burgett left Thanksgiving for Skellytown where she will spend a week with her daughter, Mrs. Merle Mercer and family. The Mercers have a son Pat who arrived on November 25.

Word has come to us of the death on November 23 of Mrs. Nest Howard who was living in Skellytown.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Day observed Thanksgiving with a dinner on Sunday. With them for the dinner were their daughter, Miss Jo Day of Howard Payne college; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Carmickle and Paula and Sandra of Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Culpepper and Kay of Lubbock; and R. C. Day and son Robert of Floydada.

She formerly lived in this community. She was Retta Cook before her marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Foster and Tony, Jr., of Oklahoma City spent the week-end here as guests of Mrs. W. B. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stewart and Jim Dan spent Thanksgiving day in Plainview at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Horton. Jim Dan remained in Plainview until Saturday night when Mr. and Mrs. Welch came down and brought him home. They stayed overnight in the Jim Stewart home.

Thanksgiving day dinner guests in the Walton Wilson home were Mrs. W. B. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mize, Mrs. Geo. Mize, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beedy and Eugene, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beedy and Randy of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tye and children, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Cotton Wilson and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rushing went to Canyon on Thanksgiving day where a large group of relatives met for the day.

Several from here attended the memorial service Sunday afternoon for Sgt. Omer L. Anderson at the City Park church of Christ in Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud DuBois and family of Lamesa spent Wednesday night and Thursday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edell DuBois. Mr. and Mrs. Bill DuBois of Odessa came on Friday night and stayed with their parents, the Edell DuBois here and the Lackeys of

Cedar Hill. Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Lubbock spent Thanksgiving here with Mr. and Mrs. Irwin and family. Student of W.T.S.C. spent from Wednesday day at home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Anna family of Pampa spent night with his sister, Wilson and family. Jim Stewart also spent Thursday night in the son home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dallis and Mrs. Dallis Thursday night.

Mrs. Dean Walls spent Thursday night with her parents, Mangum in Plainview and her parents reunion in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Prudence family of Fortwell spent the holidays here. Mrs. L. B. G. home with them for Mr. Conroy will go to company his wife last week.

L. B. Conroy, Jr., visited home Gary had been Thursday when his parents, Mrs. Grady Reeves and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stewart, were in the afternoon with Mrs. Conroy and the new baby.

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Candy Ideas at Meeting

A home demonstration of the Lakeview school November 19. There were present and seven members of children. The meeting was assisted by J. H. Buchanan of the demonstration on the peanut butter besides showing the making of candy. Christmas gifts were answered by the showing of wrap-papers.

Mrs. and Mrs. W. J. Williams, Sr. and Mrs. Williams, Jr. were hostesses.

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News

December 2 — Mr. and Mrs. Schula and family were in Lubbock for their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Schula.

Birthday

Hearts honored her third birthday with a birthday party with games and prizes.

Mrs. and Mrs. H. P. Jackson visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Billington Sunday night.

Mrs. and Mrs. Johnny Miller were the dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sneed Thanksgiving day.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Johnny Miller on our sick list this week.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. J. C. Cates over the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cates and family of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cates and family of Levelland, Bennie McChristian of Big Spring and James Mangus of Seguin.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Womack over the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Bud Cochran and daughter of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Womack, Jr. of Floydada.

Visiting in the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Womack are Donna and Mike Womack from Fort Worth. They are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Womack and will visit until Christmas.

Mrs. Weldon McClure visited with Mrs. Garnet Jones in Crosbyton last Friday.

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Supper visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hinkston Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Elders, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Elders, Granddad Womack, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Womack and family and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Teague.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Schulz were the Sunday dinner guests in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Anderson in Providence.

Mrs. Monroe Schulz and Donna were in Lubbock Monday visiting Mrs. Schulz parents.

Everette Mickey of Plainview held services at the church of Christ Sunday. There was a good attendance.

Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orton Miller were Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Miller and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tate and sons of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Everette Mickey of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Poy Smith of Levelland, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith and family of Dougherty, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Dunavant and family of Floydada and Joyce Pope. Cager Pope called in the afternoon.

Those enjoying Thanksgiving dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Miller and family were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith.

Week-end visitors in the Lynn Miller home were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tate and family from Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Rafe Ferguson had as their guests this week, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Day of Burkburnett.

The Sand Hill club will sell pies and sandwiches at the auction sale at the Pennington farm in the Barwick community, December 15. Each member is asked to bring two pies to the school house in the morning.

Mt. Blanco News

(Too late for last week)

(by Mrs. Weldon McClure)

MT. BLANCO. — Mr. and Mrs. Holt Bishop visited in Lubbock Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Howard and family.

Sunday afternoon visitors in the M. C. Money home were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Harrow of Oilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Holcomb and girls and Margaret McClure visited in Roaring Springs Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Taylor and Tommy are in Oklahoma City this week where Tommy is undergoing treatment at the Balyea clinic.

Sunday dinner guests in the Frank Moore home were Mr. and Mrs. Al Galloway and sons of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McClure and John Taylor. Afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Ola Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Rathel and Leroy, Ronald Hardin, Teddy Givins, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hill and sons. The occasion was Frank Moore's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Easterday and baby and Mrs. Clayton Watkins, Sr., visited in the Clayton Watkins home Sunday.

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MT. BLANCO, December 2 — There were 74 in Sunday school Sunday morning.

Shirley Bishop of W.T.S.C. spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Holt Bishop.

Catherine Appling of Wayland spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Appling and Joe.

Jerry McClure of Texas tech spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McClure and Margaret.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Norman and JoAnn of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McClure over the holidays.

Mrs. Robert Moss and son, Jerry of Memphis spent Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McClure.

Bro. and Mrs. Alvin Hamm and children of Wellman visited in the community Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hill and sons visited her mother in Oklahoma over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Money and daughters spent Thanksgiving in Pampa with relatives.

Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McClure were Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Norman and JoAnn, Mr. and Mrs. Brice Allen and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McClure, Jerry and Margaret, Mrs. Dennis Taylor, Tom and Joe, Mrs. Robert Moss and Jerry and Mrs. Hoyt McClure, Mrs. Horace Cager and Ella Mae and Mr. and Mrs. M. Harrison.

Bro. and Mrs. Hamm were Thursday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Martin and children of Cone visited in the Delmar Fergus home Sunday afternoon.

Sunday afternoon visitors in the Anthony Latta home were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wood and Carl McPherson and his mother of Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Norman of Floydada were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Appling.

Mr. and Mrs. Brice Allen and daughters visited in Lockney Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Allen.

Visitors in the R. E. Spurgin home through the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Dean and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Payne and sons all of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McGowan and daughters.

Don Spurgin spent Friday and Saturday in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Leon Payne and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph McCurdy and sons spent Sunday in Lubbock with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore and sons spent Sunday in Lubbock with her parents, Bro. and Mrs. C. E. Dick.

The home demonstration club will meet at the club house next Thursday afternoon, December 10, at 2 p.m. We will plan for the Christmas party at this meeting. All members please be present.

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Dougherty News

(by Mrs. W. J. Ross)

DOUGHERTY, December 2. — Although school closed Thursday and Friday and a few families made trips or entertained guests, for most of our community it was work as usual with everyone taking advantage of the lovely weather.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Tiner visited relatives at Midland from Wednesday to Sunday.

Thanksgiving guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Warren for dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Elvize Warren and family of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Warren and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Warren of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Meredith of Hillcrest.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Jones, Jr. and children spent the Thanksgiving and holidays visiting relatives and friends in Coryell county and Waco.

Mrs. R. T. Jones and children visited relatives in Lockney Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Newton visited their daughter, Mrs. Allen H. Leach in Borger during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Poole and Mrs. Alice Walker of Oklahoma City were guests in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Warren Poole of Lubbock, Thanksgiving. Mrs. Walker is the mother of Mrs. Warren Poole.

Mrs. Bill Norman left by plane Monday for a brief visit in the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Lt. and Mrs. Fred Kinnier of Virginia. Lt. Kinnier is due to embark for service in Labrador. Mrs. Kinnier and son are to return to Dougherty with Mrs. Norman.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kreis and baby of Knoxville, Tennessee, are house guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Kreis.

Jimmy Powell, college student at El Paso spent the Thanksgiving holidays in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Powell. Thanksgiving dinner guests in the Powell home were Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Wester and son of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Johnson and children.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Powell and Jim were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Johnson.

Bessie Mae Morrison, a student nurse in Dallas, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Morrison last week. Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Morrison returned Bessie Mae to Dallas and went to Waco to attend the Masonic convention.

Harold Woodson is also attending the Masonic convention.

Messrs. and Mesdames J. T. and Kenneth Poole and Lance were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Norris.

Mrs. Laura Graham, Sam and Carmen and Mrs. Carl Boutwell were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ring. Mrs. Corkey Marshall and son of Plainview are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Scott.

Gene Phillips and family of Wichita Falls spent the week-end in the home of his parents.

Dr. and Mrs. O. R. McIntosh and Mr. and Mrs. Welms Norman were Sunday dinner guests in the home

Lakeview News

(by Mrs. Warner Johnson)

LAKEVIEW, December 2. — A good crowd came out for the Thanksgiving supper Thursday night. Enos T. Jones made a talk which was enjoyed by everyone.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Nichols and children of Boulder City, Nevada, arrived Friday morning to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Nichols and her parents at Lockney. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Nichols carried Mrs. Claud Nichols and children to Amarillo Tuesday to catch a plane back home. Claud will remain for a longer visit.

Billy Clyde Nichols returned to his home last week at Harold, South Dakota, after spending a month with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wyers and sons of Muleshoe spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Johnson.

Farce Gregory of Hollis, Oklahoma, spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Johnson.

Tom Raso of Gruver is here visiting his aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Johnson and Charles.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Johnson were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Reid of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Wheelless and son of Crosbyton, Tom Raso from Gruver, F. K. Gregory of Hollis, Mrs. R. L. Johnson and Charles, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Warner Johnson and family.

Joe Bunch of Portales spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Verlon Wright and family.

Mrs. Verlon Wright and family and Joe Bunch visited their mother in Dallas from Friday till Sunday. The Verlon Wrights visited Mrs. Jim Owens and family Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Verlon Wright and children were Tuesday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Goightly and family.

Joe Bunch visited with Slim Packett in Fort Worth over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Reid of Lubbock spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Johnson. They were on their way to Fort Worth.

Mrs. George Davis and Pat of Crowell visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Hammonds and

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worst thing of the trip was that no one wore warm clothing and they all got mighty cold at the game Saturday night. All had a fine time.

The members of the band have enjoyed the band activities this year and hope to make more appearances during the coming months before the present school term ends in May. This is 30 from Karen Buchanan for now.

GUESTS HERE FROM MIDLAND

Miss Dwina Glassmoyer of Midland spent the week-end of November 22, here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ott Glassmoyer.

Miss Glassmoyer had as guests in her parents' home, Misses Carolyn Rose Reed, Curlee McElhatten and Sarah English McDonald, all of Midland.

The four young women are employees of the Humble Oil and Refining company in Midland.

VISIT IN CROSBYTON

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Conner visited Sunday in Crosbyton with Mrs. Conner's parents' Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Potter.

Sunday night Mr. Conner returned to Lubbock where he has been for the past three weeks. He is staying with his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Haught and children. The Haughts are building on to their home and Mr. Conner is helping out.

Mrs. W. M. Jackson had her children and their families in her home from Wednesday until Sunday. They are Mr. and Mrs. Orvin Carroll and children of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Neal Wright and son of Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Cooper of Canyon, Texas, spent the week-end with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. David Kirk. On Sunday Mrs. Kirk's sister and family visited. They are Mr. and Mrs. George Moore and family of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Steen and son, Brad, and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Steen visited during the Thanksgiving holiday in Austin, Texas, with Mr. and Mrs. Phil Steen and daughter Becky. Phil is a student at the University of Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Lyles had their daughter and her family with them Thanksgiving day. They are Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Boteler and daughters of Artesia, New Mexico. Also guests of the Lyles for dinner were Mr. and Mrs. John Hopper.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Snodgrass and Mrs. Maud Morris visited Sunday afternoon in Jericho, Texas, with Mrs. Will Reeves.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Harry of Amarillo spent last week with Mrs. Harry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Patton.

FHS Band News

(by Karen Buchanan)

The Floydada High school band, in their new grey and green uniforms, made a fine showing and added color to the Christmas parade Friday morning. Prior to the parade, the band gave a concert on the court house lawn, which was enjoyed by the huge crowd present at the Santa Clause parade. Included in the concert at 1:15 o'clock were marches and popular numbers.

The band members are grateful to our band director, John Jay Horn for his remaining in Floydada over the Thanksgiving holiday to enable us to assist with the parade and we appreciate his thoughtfulness, in remaining in town so as to enable the town people and visitors to see and hear the band in the parade.

On November 20, the band gave a concert to the large crowd gathered at the opening of the new addition to the City Light plant, in the afternoon, at 5 o'clock. Many compliments were heard on the fine appearance the band made and the good music it was the first time that many of the home town folks had had a chance to see and hear the band since the new uniforms were received and they enjoyed the concert.

The band travelled to Wichita Falls in October to the homecoming of Mid-Western University and made a good showing for the Wichita Falls people. The group were accompanied by two band mothers, Mrs. Earl Crawford and Mrs. John W. Buchanan, and left Floydada at 3 a.m. Saturday morning by chartered bus returning home Sunday afternoon.

The group registered at the Holt hotel in Wichita and were guests at a fine barbeque at the college. The



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Allotments To Slash '54 Crop By One-Third

COLLEGE STATION, December.—When the 1954 cotton crop moves to market, growers will compete with an 8.4 million bale carry over, the largest of any postwar year.

Furthermore, while an approval to marketing quotas will assure growers a 90 percent parity support price, John G. McHaney, assistant extension economist, says cotton acreage allotments will reduce the state's crop next year by one-third.

Tentative national marketing quotas call for the production of 10 million bales of upland cotton and 20 thousand bales of extra long staple. Acreage allotments should tend to boost the price, but will cut the total cash receipts from cotton, McHaney explains. Allotment quotas must be approved in a national referendum vote by two-thirds of the growers.

The current crop of upland cotton is about 25 percent larger than normal and approximately twice the extra long staple is in supply. Including the 1954 crop, the carry over from last year and a few imports, this country now has 21 million bales. Domestic consumption

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Edwin G. Crausbay Died Last Week At Mineral Wells

CROSBYTON.—Edwin G. Crausbay, 57, resident of Crosby county since 1910, died at 4 a.m. Tuesday, November 24, in a Mineral Wells hospital following a heart attack. He had gone to Mineral Wells last Saturday to take the baths and was found unconscious in his hotel room Monday.

The body was brought to Crosbyton Tuesday night by King ambulance, but funeral arrangements were still pending this morning.

Mr. Crausbay was born April 27, 1896, at Beaulieu, Texas. He came to Crosby county with his parents in 1910, and had farmed extensively on the East Plains for many years.

Survivors include the wife, Doris; two sons, Don Crausbay of New Orleans and Allen of Crosbyton; two brothers, Howard and Charley, both of Crosbyton; two sisters, Mrs. Elsie East of Austin and Mrs. Dillie Justus of Port Collins, Colorado; his mother, Mrs. Roxie Crausbay of Austin, and three grandchildren.

ARM CAUGHT IN COTTON BOLL PULLER AMPUTATED

LOOKNEY. — Raymond Martin, a farmer of the Prairie Chapel community, northwest of Lockney, had his right arm amputated midway between the elbow and shoulder Sunday night, November 22, in St. Mary's hospital, Lubbock, after getting it mutilated in a boll puller the previous Thursday about noon.

Attending physicians attempted to save the arm but danger of infection brought the decision to amputate at midnight Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Price and Dan spent Thanksgiving in Silverton with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mercer.

Lotspeich Brother Rites at Mineral Wells November 18

L. B. Lotspeich, 76, died in Russellville, Arkansas, on November 15 of a heart attack. He had lived in Russellville for the past 6 years. His funeral was held in Mineral Wells, Texas, on November 18 when he was interred in Woodlawn cemetery in Mineral Wells. Rev. D. Cates of Fort Worth officiated at the ceremonies.

Mr. Lotspeich was born in Arkansas but made his home in Floyd county from 1924 to 1930. He was also a longtime resident of Palo Pinto county and Hale county.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Icie L. Lotspeich; four sons, Roy of Seadrift, Louis of Houston, Pat of Henderson and Ben of Tucson, Arizona; five daughters, Mesdames Mattie Scott, Roswell, New Mexico, Virgie Studer of Robstown, Ida Belle Cates of Oton, Ruth Brook of Shreveport, Louisiana, and Mrs. Fred Gross of Sand Hill community; 23 grandchildren and 9 great-grandchildren; a brother, R. W. Lotspeich of Floydada, a sister, Mrs. Lula Peterson of Fort Worth, and three half sisters, Mrs. Mattie Carriker of Mineral Wells, Mrs. O. J. Burris of Mineral Wells and Miss Hattie Bozell of Fort Worth.

Those from here who attended the services in Mineral Wells were Mrs. Fred Gross, Dan, Jerry, Thacker and Pat Gross; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hinton, Mrs. R. W. Lotspeich and her daughters and their husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Payne and Mr. and Mrs. Oren Hatley.

ENLISTS IN WAVES

LOCKNEY. — Betty Nance, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Nance of Lone Star and a 1952 graduate of Lockney high school, has joined the WAVES and left November 22, for Bainbridge, Maryland, where she will take 10 weeks training.

The WAVES is a women's auxiliary of the United States navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Bloodworth, of Rankin, were here for the Thanksgiving week-end, guests of Mr. Bloodworth's brother, Henry, and his mother, Mrs. W. J. Rhodes and Mr. Rhodes.

Jimmy Powell of Texas Western college in El Paso, Texas, spent the Thanksgiving holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Powell of Dougherty. Jimmy returned to school on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wester had their children present on Sunday when the family had their Thanksgiving day dinner. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Wester and son, Todd; Dr. and Mrs. James Wester, Vicki and Jimmy; and Mr. and Mrs. Watson S. Jones. Also present was Oliver Dudley.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bain had in their home Sunday afternoon a sister of Mrs. Bain, Mrs. Will Smith and husband of Silverton.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Powell and Jimmy visited with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth D. Johnson and children in Petersburg Sunday. The Powells took Jimmy to Lubbock to ride the bus to El Paso to return to school.

Tuberculosis Still a Killer

NEW YORK, November 26 — Mrs. Oveta Culp Hobby, second woman in U.S. history and the first from Texas to hold a post in the president's cabinet, has urged each American to do his share in stamping out tuberculosis.

"No one is safe from tuberculosis," declared Mrs. Hobby, a Houston newspaper executive who became the first Secretary of the Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

Commenting on the 47th annual Christmas Seal Sale of the national Tuberculosis Association the secretary continued, "Even today when we know that tuberculosis can be prevented, it is still first among disease killers that are preventable."

"It is still the leading cause of non-accidental deaths in persons between 15 and 35."

"Because TB is a problem of all the people, citizens in all parts of the United States are working together to wipe it out. Single-handed

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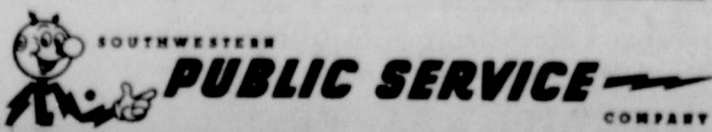
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and Mrs. Bill Beedy on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tye and family from Floydada, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beedy and Randy from Amarillo. During the afternoon guests in the Beedy home were Mrs. W. B. Wilson from Fairview and Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Foster and Mrs. W. B. Wilson from Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

WMS Met

On November 24, Tuesday, at the home of Mrs. John Smitherman the WMS of South Plains gathered for an all day meeting to study the mission book, "Let's Listen." Mrs. R. G. Guest from Levelland was the guest speaker. The ladies brought covered dishes which were served at a noon luncheon and afterwards the book was finished.

Mrs. Guest gave such an interesting report and made the book alive for the listeners. Those present at the all day meeting were Mesdames Grigsby Milton, Shelby Calahan, Bryan Karr, Murray Julian, W. S. Spearman, H. S. Calahan, Jr., Dock Jones, Ernest Smitherman, Paul Snodgrass and hostess Mrs. John Smitherman.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure arrived home from Grand Prairie, Texas, on Friday. They have been undergoing treatments from a physician for several weeks. On their arrival home they were called to Crosbyton, where his mother, Mrs. T. J. McClure lay gravely ill. Saturday evening Mrs. McClure passed away and was laid to rest on Monday, November 30, with services at the First Baptist church in Crosbyton, Tex. and Mrs. W. S. Spearman attended the services from here. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Otho Sanders and Mrs. J. B. Smitherman. We extend sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. McClure in their time of sorrow.

Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Guest of Friendship church near Levelland, were house guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Smitherman on last Monday night.

Mrs. H. L. Marble helped Mrs. F. L. Marble celebrate her birthday at her home near Lockney, last Thursday, November 24. Mrs. Marble's Sunday school class from the First Baptist church in Lockney were guests at the celebration.

Kendis Julian, James Higginbotham and Lynn Jackson of the Floydada future farmer chapter, entered the district contest at the Floydada high school last Saturday morning. In the junior chapter P.F.A. quiz, they won first place in the 14 schools that were entered in the contest. The area contest will be held next Saturday at Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stewart went to Amarillo on Thanksgiving day to celebrate the day with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Burns and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Young had most of their children home for the Thanksgiving day dinner. Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Pitts and boys from Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Brannon and sons from Silverton and Mrs. Don Shurbet were all home. Mrs. Shurbet's husband Don is now stationed at Warrensburg, Germany. Mrs. Carl Daniels from Sedalia, Missouri, visited friends here in the home of Mrs. George Weast last Wednesday. Mrs. Daniels has been staying the past few weeks in Amarillo with her mother, Mrs. Rose Kirkland, who is gravely ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvian Kinnibrugh, Beth and Marilyn, went to Truscott Texas, on Wednesday afternoon to spend the holidays with her mother Mrs. J. R. Spivey. They visited there until Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby Milton went to Plainview on Wednesday morning to meet his mother and sister, Mrs. Milton and Linnie from Amarillo who came to spend Thanksgiving in their home here. On Friday they visited in the Essley Yeary home. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Yeary drove them back to their home in Amarillo, after they visited many of their friends in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Davis and children from Hereford were guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dock Jones and family in South Plains on Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Bishop and son, Shannon, from Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Campbell from Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Childress and Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Smitherman were all day guests and enjoyed a delicious dinner at noon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smitherman and Larry, last Sunday.

Guests for Thanksgiving dinner in the H. L. Marble home were Mrs. F. L. Marble and Leon and Mrs. Pierce King, Randle and Leora from Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hinsley were Thanksgiving day guests along

with many relatives in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Hinsley of Liberty community.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smitherman, from Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smitherman and P. M. Smitherman were all together, visiting in the John Smitherman home on Sunday evening.

Among those who attended the Hardin-Simmons Texas-tech football game at Jones stadium in Lubbock on Saturday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Horn, Mr. and Mrs. Early Joiner, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Julian and sons and Tommy and Jimmy McCown. Terry Julian was in the half time performance of the Cow Boy Band of Hardin-Simmons.

Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Calahan and son of Lockney were Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Karr and family, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Upton and family and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown and Karen.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Poteet of McCoy are fast erecting a beautiful new home on their land, which lies directly east of the Silverton highway on the Flomot road. We are glad to welcome new neighbors in our community.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Higginbotham and sons had as their guests at dinner for a visit on Friday her father, O. G. Cypert from Amarillo, and her brother, Warren Cypert, and three girls from Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thames, Jr., and children went to Lubbock on Friday evening to attend a house warming in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Morrow. They have moved into a new home in the James addition in southeast Lubbock. The Thames were Thanksgiving hosts here to their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thames, Sr., of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Leslie of Lubbock.

The South Plains P-TA met at the school house for its regular meeting on November 30 at 3:30. Fifteen members attended this meeting. Mrs. Shelby Calahan presided over the business meeting and the business matters which arose. The Christmas program was planned, and J. B. Thames and Mrs. O. T. Hewitt have announced December 18 for that program.

Mrs. J. P. Taylor and children were dinner guests after church on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby Milton and family.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Weast on Monday were Mrs. Don Burson and Mrs. Tom Bomer, both of Silverton. Mrs. Edna Sheaffer of Kingsville, Arizona, was with them. She enroute home to Arizona.

Guests in the Murray Julian home for Thanksgiving day and evening were his cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Early Joiner, and Gordon of Floydada and Terry Julian, home

for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Sanders and family were hosts at a Friday luncheon in their home for Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Claborn of Sterley, and G. E. Patterson from Alesia, Oregon, who is visiting friends here. He lived in Sterley before moving to Oregon.

Christine Fortenberry from Hereford has been visiting relatives in Cedar Hill. This Monday she arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fortenberry where she will visit for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. George Weast visited on Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Weast in Silverton, where their niece, Mrs. Bill Jones from Tampa, Florida, is visiting. She is leaving this week for her home in Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Sanders had as their guests at a Sunday dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fortenberry.

Elmo Reeves returned home with a nice deer when he went on his hunting trip last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bartlett from Floydada spent Thursday evening visiting their daughter, Mrs. Otho Sanders and family. Martha Lee Sanders spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Austin with a friend. She is a student at North Texas state in Denton and will graduate in the spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beedy and Eugene were Monday night guests for an evening of television in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby Milton and daughters.

The Cub scouts of South Plains with their parents went to Silverton on Monday at 7:30 to attend a pack meeting. The scouts took cookies they had made and the theme of the meeting was a county fair. Mrs. I. H. Parks and Mrs. Owen

are the Den mothers of our cub scouts.

Home Demonstration Club

The South Plains home demonstration club met on Wednesday, November 25, at the home of Mrs. George Weast on the Silverton Highway with co-hostess, Mrs. A. L. Stewart.

Mrs. H. L. Marble with the other officers presided for the last time this year as new officers will take their places next meeting.

Roll Call was answered with Thanksgiving thoughts. Mrs. Grigsby Milton, Jr., gave a detailed council report, and the Christmas party was discussed and menus given out. Each guest is to bring her family and plate service for them. Each member is to bring a gift for the Abilene patient, and gifts for a lady and a gentleman.

The party is to be in the home of Mrs. J. P. Taylor, with supper at 6:30 and the Christmas tree and games to follow. Miss Petty was present at the club meeting and gave a meat demonstration. She baked a delicious liver loaf, which was served with the refreshment plate.

Mrs. W. M. Stanforth, from the library board was a guest of the club, and she presented many new books, and gave many interesting details about the county library. Recreation was led by Mrs. L. T. Wood and Mrs. Grigsby Milton, Jr.

Delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Weast and Mrs. Stewart to the guests, Mrs. W. M. Stanforth, Jr., Mrs. Carl Daniels, Mrs. Grigsby Milton, Sr., and Linnie Milton, Mrs. George Beedy and Miss Petty. Members present were Mesdames Grigsby Milton, Fred Fortenberry, H. L. Marble, Arby Mulder, J. K. West, L. T. Wood, Bill Beedy, Raymond Upton, R. E. Young, J. B.

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Miss Fern Patterson of Howard Payne college at Brownwood visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peit Patterson over the holidays.

Miscellaneous

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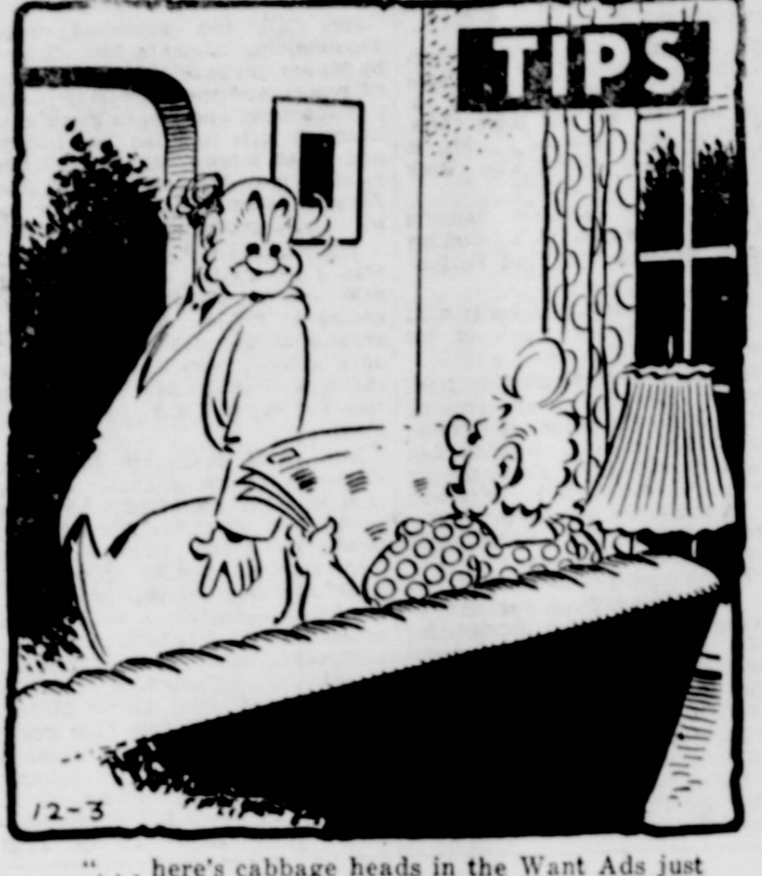
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Stamford - Black-Hawk Game at Jones Stadium

Jones stadium in Lubbock will be site of the Phillips-Stamford regional football game Saturday, and 2 p.m. will be kick-off time.

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LIBRARY NEWS
 (by Rosita Hollar, librarian)
 The Shetland Pony show and the parade brought us a very busy day. We were pleased two steady borrowers from Lockney — members of the Longhorn band — in to explore the Central Library. Visiting both locations gives one an overview of our total holdings and an idea for requests. In spite of a lot of visitors who turned in books and went off to meet Santa Claus thus not checking out for this one time we put out a total of sixty-three books in the central library.

CHRISTMAS BALL
 The 1953 Cowboy's Ball of "Larry" Chittenden and a square dance at Anson in 1885 Pioneer Hall, Dec. 12, 8:00 p.m.
 will be in effect that costumes of the full skirts, ruffles, overskirts, basque, feminine attire must not wear slacks or slacks on the masculine side with red bands, etc. Boots are not worn.

Clubs Visited
 November 6 - Friendship club, Mrs. A. H. Kreis president, Mrs. J. M. Daniel in Floydada and Mrs. J. H. Barnard represented the library.
 November 6 - Starkey club, Mrs. J. W. Day, jr., President, Mrs. G. H. Day, hostess; Mrs. Roy Hollar represented the library.
 November 10 - Pleasant Valley, Mrs. L. K. Sherman, Lockney, president, Mrs. Weldon Smith hostess, Mrs. J. H. Barnard, librarian representative.
 November 11 - Sand Hill club, Mrs. James Jeffress, president; Mrs. Wayne Billington hostess, Mrs. Roy Hollar for the library.
 November 12 - Lockney club, Mrs. Thos. Marr president, Mrs. J. E. Tierce hostess, Mrs. Dee Copeland representing the Floyd county library.
 November 12 - Harmony club, Mrs. Carrick Snodgrass president; Mrs. C. A. Williams hostess, Mrs. J. H. Barnard for the library.
 November 13 - Center club, Mrs. M. J. McNeil president; Mrs. C. W. Burton hostess, Mrs. Roy Hollar for the library.
 November 13 - Homebuilders club, Mrs. J. P. Moss, president, Mrs. P. F. Bertrand hostess, Mrs. W. R.

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 AUSTIN, Texas. — Measles in Texas is reaching a mild epidemic stage at present, with outbreaks following closely the main lines of travel across the State, according to information made public today by Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. The number of cases reported to the State Health Department last week are much above the average.

November 17 - Lone Star club Mrs. W. D. Nance, president, Mrs. Bailey Henderson hostess, Mrs. Roy Hollar for the library.
 November 18 - Dougherty, Mrs. Howard Drysdale, president, Mrs. W. O. Jones, jr., hostess, Mrs. Drysdale for the library.
 November 19 - Sterley club, Mrs. R. H. Tinsley president, and hostess, Mrs. Drysdale for the library.
 November 20 - Sunnyside club, Mrs. D. W. Burke president, Mrs. W. O. Tye hostess, Mrs. Roy Hollar for the library.
 November 23 - Fairview club, Mrs. C. W. Payne president, Mrs. Thurman Perry hostess, Mrs. Billy Stanforth, jr., for the library.
 November 25 - South Plains Mrs. H. L. Marble president, Mrs. George Weast hostess, Mrs. Billy Stanforth jr., for the library.
 November 30 - Lakeview club, Mrs. B. T. Neff president, Mrs. Verlon Wright hostess, Mrs. Howard Drysdale for the library.

Gifts of books have this week been received from Miss Margaret Collier, Mrs. Howard Drysdale and Mr. A. H. Kreis.
 Story Hour was enjoyable. A good group began singing about Rudolph the Red-Nosed reindeer. Mrs. Ivy Pearl Heber told a splendid story. Mrs. R. C. Henry furnished refreshments. Linda Rucker was a new comer and Janice Trapp brought some Christmas songs to be used with the recorder. Cutest crack of the week: "We were not sick, we had to go to Plainview and we couldn't get to Story Hour" from a group of old timers.
 Some of the program records furnished by Dr. Per Stensland of Texas Tech will be presented over KFLD in the near future. Some of these are from the "Ways of Mankind" and we think you will find them interesting.

PUBLISH WATER LEVEL MEASUREMENTS IN FLOYD
 Record of water-level measurements in 98 wells in Floyd county have been published by the Texas Board of Water Engineers in cooperation with the U. S. Geological Survey as Bulletin 5304. H. A. Beck with chairman of the Texas Board of Water Engineers announced today.
 The bulletin containing water-level records as early as 1913 is available for free distribution at the Austin office at 302 West 15th Street.
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'Winds to Play On Home Court Tuesday Night

The Floydada Whirlwind basketballers will take on their first opponent on the home court Tuesday night December 8 when they play host to the Crosbyton teams. The evening of basketball will include three games and will get underway at 6:30. Playing will be the girls team and the boys A and B squads.

All home games will be at Graves gym and price of admission is set at 25c and 50c.

A December 4 date scheduled with Paducah to be played here was moved to December 14 and will be played in the gym at that time.

Tonight (Thursday) the girls and the B team boys will enter a tournament at Petersburg, and on December 10, 11 and 12 the girls and the boys A team will play in the Abernathy tournament.

Couches Paul Huntington and Jack Meredith are in their second week working with their boys teams and have nearly 90 candidates out for practice sessions. Plans have been made to schedule as many games as possible for the freshman and sophomore teams and a full slate of games are already on tap for the A and B squads.

Reporting for the practice sessions so far have been Jack Womack, George Chapman, Cloyd Stephens, Norman Atkins, Glad Norman, Bobby Ashton, Stanley Vickers, Wilton Green, Cranston Ogden, Bill Walker, Gordon Joiner, W. R. Cantrell, Don Barber, Jerry Bob Harri-son, Barry Fyffe, and Jackie Jarrett for the A squad.

Others working out, some of which may be moved up as the season progresses, are Max Crawford, Kenneth Robertson, Dale Redd, Gene Swanner, Larry White, J. E. Waller, Robert Stovall, Leon Anderson, Marvin Rucker, Jim Womack, Ruddy Watts, Bobby Carmack, Stan Burleson, Elmer Williams, Donald Colley, Aubrey Terrell, Johnny Tinnin, C. O. Woody, and

Tommy O'Neil, Bill Smith, David Mount, Rex Jones, Norman Brints, Gene Ferguson, Bill Day, Laron Fulton, Jay Johnson, Victor Bond.

Lockney Plays Here Too
Basketball fans will have an added treat this season as the Lockney teams will be playing their home games here for a while, their gymnasium being under construction and the old gym having been redone to add space to other departments of the school plant.

Lockney is playing in the Petersburg tournament which is now in progress but will have a game here Saturday night against Ralls unless the tournament schedule prevents it.

Tuesday night Scores
Girls Games: Kress 40- Lockney 31; Paducah 39 - Floydada 29;

Boys Games: Lockney 42 - Kress 32; Floydada 58 - Paducah 21.

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7 Orville Martin, Petersburg;
8 Judy Williams, Floydada;
9 Wayne Cage, Rt. 5, Floydada;
10 Leadell Luckett, Matador.

Class 4 Stallions, size 52 inches and under
1 Earl E. Elliott Shallowater;
2 J. G. Cage, Rt. 4, Floydada;
3 Pat McLaughlin, Lockney;
4 Mike Shurbet, Petersburg;
5 Janis Spears, Rt. 4, Floydada;
6 Billy Thomas, Rt. 2, Floydada;
7 M M Pony Ranch, Olton;
8 Pat McLaughlin, Lockney;
9 Anthony Whitfill, Floydada;
10 Frank Stafford, Matador.

Class 5, Grand champion, Earl E. Elliott, Shallowater; Reserve champion, J. G. Cage, Floydada.
Parade Winners Named
Most Beautiful Sheiland, 1 Earl E. Elliott, Shallowater; 2 Curtis Jester, Ropesville; 3 Randy Lee Pritchard, Anton.

Best dressed girl rider, 1 Cheryl Ray Tilson, Rt. 2, Crosbyton; 2 Janis Spears, Rt. 4, Floydada; 3 Pat McLaughlin, Lockney;
Best dressed boy rider 1 Conley Bradford, Floydada; 2 Curtis Jester, Ropesville; 3 Randy Lee Pritchard, Anton;

Smallest adult Sheiland, T. B. Barton, O'Donnell;
Best Club Float, 1 Sand Hill Home Dem. Club; 2 Floydada Garden Club; 3 Andrews Ward School; P. T. A.
First Commercial Float, Mead's Fine Bread, Lubbock.

Attending Grand Lodge of AF & AM

B. A. Robertson, worshipful master of Floydada lodge, A.F.&A.M., together with several other members of the lodge, have been in Waco this week, where they are attending a convention of the Texas grand lodge and a school in the esoteric work of the order.

Among the members at the meeting are Harold Woodson of Dougherty; J. T. Huckabay, J. M. Willson, Jr., and Gerald Lackey. They are expected home this week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Doak and children of Portales, New Mexico, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Willis Cooper and sons during the holidays On Thursday they all had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Day of Roaring Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ott Glassmoyer spent from Friday until Sunday in Amarillo, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hart, formerly of Floydada.

Floydada Jaycees KITCHEN AND *** FIELD NEWS

to Aid Santa With Letter Service

Floydada Jaycees are planning service to area children that will speed their letters to Santa who will also answer all those which have a complete return address.
A Santa letter box will be placed by the Christmas tree on the southwest corner of the courthouse lawn where all boys and girls may drop their letters to Santa. These letters will be picked up daily and speed on their way courtesy of the Jaycees, no postage required. In a few days they will be answered by old Santa himself on his own gaily printed stationery.

The Santa letter box will be by the Christmas tree from Monday morning, December 7, to Monday afternoon, December 21, and all boys and girls are urged to write early and bring their letters to the Santa letter box in Floydada.

JUDGE CHAPMAN ATTENDS SESSION OF ROTARY INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE

Judge Alton B. Chapman returned Wednesday from Chicago after spending Monday and Tuesday in that city at a session of the constitution and by-laws committee of Rotary International, of which he is a member.

The committee screens proposed changes in the organization's basic law that are presented for consideration at the annual convention.

SANTA CLAUS LETTERS

A custom that dates back for many, many years — publishing Santa Claus letters — will be followed again this year by The Hesperian.

Elders can tell their youngsters the letters will appear in the issue that comes out the morning of December 24 — hours and hours before Christmas Eve, and plenty of time for a fast work like Santa.

There'll be a deadline, which is Saturday, December 19. Please tell the youngsters they'll have to write that letter and get it in the mails or to the office in person without delay!

Mr. and Mrs. John Jay Horn and son, Jimmy, of Abilene visited from Thursday night until Sunday morning with their son, John J. Horn. The son is bandmaster in the Floydada schools.

Mrs. Paul Williams and daughters, Brenda and Sharon, of Plainview visited Mrs. Williams' sister, Mrs. J. O. Warren, last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rogers of Lubbock visited over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Warren and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Terry of Post, and Mr. and Mrs. Reece Bivens and son of Slaton spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Weathersbee and Tommy. Mr. and Mrs. Terry are Mrs. Weathersbee's parents and Mrs. Bivens is her sister.

Mrs. Wiley Rogers underwent minor surgery at Pitts hospital last week. She is doing nicely and plans to go home in a day or so.

Melvin Henry and Herman King were in Austin first of week attending to some co-op business.

Mr. and Mrs. Red Gregory ate Sunday night supper with Mr. and Mrs. Buck Marrice.

Wayne Collins attended the ball game in Plainview Thursday afternoon and the game in Lubbock Saturday afternoon.

Johnny Bryant of Lovington, New Mexico, was home for the Thanksgiving holidays, visiting with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bryant and children and other relatives.

Mrs. Pauline Williams and daughter of Lorenzo spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Red Gregory.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Duke spent Sunday with Carl and Ina Lewis. Claude Weathersbee attended the ball game at Plainview Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Marrice spent Thanksgiving in Littlefield with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Todd and son. Mrs. Todd is Buck's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Neff and Aubrey Lynn visited Mr. and Mrs. Thurmon Davis and family of Dougherty on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Duke spent Thanksgiving with her parents.

Mrs. John Nay of Phoenix, Arizona, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her husband John Nay in Floydada. John is the bookkeeper at the co-op. They went through Carlsbad Caverns on Saturday morning.

Mike and Donna Womack of Dallas, nephew and niece of Jr. Womack and son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Womack, are visiting relatives in Floydada until the

Christmas Holidays

Junior and Jimmie Womack and sons ate Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Tinnin and family.

Guests in the Bud Turner home for Thanksgiving dinner were the V. D. Turner's, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Burns and children, and Mrs. W. H. Ford and three children of Agra, Oklahoma.

Billy Baker of Lubbock spent Thursday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Baker and his sister Sue.

Mr. and Mrs. Corkey Guffee and Larry visited in Umbarger with D. B. Leach, Mrs. Guffee's grandfather.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Kinchele ate Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Reamer Rainer and children.

Almeda and Kathey Woodward of Lamesa; Mrs. Woodward of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Cope of Lockney; Mrs. John Gray; and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Sargent were guests in the Pete Hickerson home on Thanksgiving.

Billy Clyde Nichols of Herald, S. Dakota, spent Thanksgiving with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Moore.

Troy Watson, of Lubbock, field representative of Texas Job and Safety training program sponsored by Texas A&M college, held his regular safety meeting at the cooperative office on Monday morning.

Candy demonstrations were given Monday afternoon at the Harmony community center and on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. M. Dorsey in the Pleasant Valley community.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Day, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Day and son visited recently over the week-end in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Nolan and family. The Messrs. Day are brothers of Mrs. Nolan.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Baker and children visited from Wednesday until Sunday in Kerrville, Texas. They were guests of Mrs. Baker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Osborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill DuBois of Odessa visited over the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lackey and Mr. and Mrs. Edell DuBois.

GUESTS DEPART FOR HOME

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Saunderson of Denver, Colorado, returned to their home yesterday after a two weeks visit with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Zimmerman, Jr.

Also visiting in the Zimmerman home recently were Mr. Zimmerman's mother, Mrs. N. R. Stephens and Mr. Stephens of Tubac, Arizona.

Last week-end visitors in the A. B. Blount home were an elder sister of Mrs. Blount, Mrs. Sallie Abel of Waco, who was here in company with four of her daughters and a son-in-law. They were Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Sewell, Mrs. Mattie Nugent and Mrs. Cordie Ray of Waco, and Mrs. Ruby Vicky of Clifton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Huckabay and children of Floydada and their daughter, Miss Joanne Huckabay, of Plainview, spent Thanksgiving day in Amarillo. They were guests in the home of Mr. Huckabay's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Huckabay. They all attended the Lubbock-Amarillo football game.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Snell had as their guests for Thanksgiving dinner their son, B. W. Snell and family of Lubbock, and their daughter Mrs. Roy L. Hale and family of Harmony.

Mrs. W. E. Sims and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Blaine were guests of the Rev. Harris family at Lockney for Thanksgiving. Mrs. Harris is Mrs. Sims' daughter and Mr. Blaine's sister.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Blum and daughter Alice on Friday was Mrs. Blum's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lucado and children, of McCamey, Texas.

Mrs. Harry Record and daughter from Dumas visited in the home of Mrs. J. E. Horton Thanksgiving. Mrs. Record is a niece of Mrs. Horton.

The Frank McClures have returned from Grand Prairie where they had been at Millings Sanatorium for four or five weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Graham and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Noland attended the Texas Tech and Hardin-Simmons football game Saturday afternoon in Lubbock.

Guests of Dr. and Mrs. Guhrle over the city of Texas and friends, Kerney, San Sington, and son of Plainview Sue Brown from Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. family accompanied by their mother, Mrs. G. New Mexico, last The McMillsans were their home in Yalmar after a two weeks visit.

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DOLES		
PINEAPPLE JUICE		37c
46 oz. Can		
Fresh Pack Frozen Strawberries		
Shurfine Orange Juice		
Broccoli		
Blackeyes		
Breaded OYSTERS		

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\$1.79



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APRICOTS		17c
SHURFINE	2 Cans	
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SHURFINE	303 Can	
HOMINY		10c
SWANSONS	5 oz.	
BONED TURKEY		45c
MORTON HOUSE — BROWN GRAVY &	16 oz.	
SLICED BEEF		49c
PURASNOW	10 lbs.	
FLOUR		79c
SWANSDOWN — NEW WHITE	PKG.	
CAKE MIX		39c
SHURFINE	1 lb.	
PITTED DATES		39c
	3 Pkgs.	
JELLO		25c
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COFFEE		89c

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NAPKINS		25c
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- Pork & Beans . 10c**
- PILLSBURY, 2 1/2 lb. Box
- Pan Cake Mix . 35c**

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- Can
- Food . 9c**
- Can
- as . 10c**
- Can
- T . . 16c**
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- LOTION 50c** Plus Tax
- CUT RITE, Roll
- Wax Paper . 27c**
- RED HEART, Can
- Dog Food . 16c**
- WOLF, Can
- Tamales . . 28c**
- SNOW CROP, 10 oz. Package
- DEL MAIZ, 12 oz. Can
- Mexicorn . 22c**
- NORTHERN, Roll
- Paper Towels 20c**
- DARI CRAFT, Tall Can
- MILK 13c**

- CANS 83c**
- 80 Ct.
- NS 15c**
- 24 oz. Sour
- ES . 35c**
- 2 lb.
- NS . 37c**
- FRANCO-AMERICAN, Can
- SPAGHETTI 15c**
- PINT BOTTLE
- Wesson Oil 36c**
- WHITE HOUSE, 2 lb. Jar
- Apple Jelly 38c**



- GREEN PEAS 13c**
- MARSHALL, Golden, 300 Can
- HOMINY 10c**
- WHITE HOUSE, Quart
- APPLE JUICE . . 31c**
- HUNTS, 300 Can
- New Potatoes . 13c**
- SNOW CROP, Cut, 10 oz. Pkg.
- BROCCOLI . . . 19c**
- FRESH PACT, 10 oz. Pkg.
- STRAWBERRIES 25c**
- SNOW CROP, 10 oz. Pkg.
- CALUIFLOWER 25c**

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- GOOD & LEAN
- Cuttlet Steak lb. 89c**
- FRESH
- Spare Ribs . lb. 63c**
- OGNA Wilsons, LB. 39c**

- 5 Pound Bag
- TEXAS ORANGES . . . 49c**
- FIRM HEAD, Pound
- LETTUCE 12 1/2c**
- GREEN STALK
- CELERY 19c**
- SUNKIST, Pound
- LEMONS 15c**
- CALIFORNIA, Pound
- BELL PEPPER . . . 19c**
- MARYLAND SWEET, Pound
- YAMS 10c**
- SNOW WHITE, Pound
- CAULIFLOWER . . : 17c**
- 2 BUNCHES
- Green Onions . . 15c**
- 2 BUNCHES
- RADISHES 15c**

- Dressing . 21c**
- HUNT'S, 46 oz. Can
- Tomato Juice . . 31c**
- PLANTERS COCKTAIL, Can
- PEANUTS 35c**
- Meat 9c



Youthful Groom of Floydada Girl Was a Virginian

Clyde Conley Bowers, the youthful worker, who with his Floydada bride of 30 days met death by accidental asphyxiation in Liberal, Kansas, last week, was a native Virginia boy, born March 7, 1929, who had moved west from Baltimore and lived in this area less than a year. He met his future wife after he moved to Floydada in mid-summer of this year.

Most of his childhood days were spent in Bath county, Virginia, where he was born, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Cye Bowers. At the age of 14 years he moved to Baltimore, Maryland, with his mother, where he finished his education.

In December, 1941, Clyde's mother moved to her present home in Texhoma, Oklahoma, while he remained in Baltimore to live with his eldest sister, Evelyn. He became a member of the Presbyterian church there.

Clyde left Baltimore in June of this year, and moved to Texhoma, living in the home of his mother and step-father, Mr. and Mrs. Mike White. Shortly thereafter he moved here and lived with his sister, Mrs. Robert Serale and family. He met his future wife, Patay Ruth Gilliland, during his stay here.

After the marriage of the couple

at Clayton, New Mexico, on October 20, they moved to Liberal, Kansas, where he had employment. They were living in an apartment connected with the company office there when death claimed them. They had been married a month and a day.

Members of his family who were here Wednesday of last week for the rites included his mother and step-father, two sisters, Mrs. Evelyn Heine, of Huntingdon, Pennsylvania, Mrs. Robert Serale and Mr. Serale of Elkhart, Kansas.

One brother, Donald Bowers, of Clifton Forge, Virginia, was not here.

The rites, said jointly for the youthful couple, were held at 10 o'clock a.m. November 25, at the First Baptist church, Dr. R. Earl Allen officiated.

Interment of the young worker and his bride, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Burch Gilliland, was made in one grave in Floydada cemetery.

Relatives of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Gilliland who attended the funeral from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gilliland and family, Mrs. Bryne Colwell and son, Glenn Shade and wife and Rev. Verne Fuqua all of Springtown; Mr. and Mrs. Morris Hutcheson of Bluff Dale;

Mrs. J. M. Hick, Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Hick and family, Mrs. Oma Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Winifred Erwin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hall and family and Charlie Erwin all of Jacksboro; Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Eldridge, Mrs. Woody Wilkerson, Nedra, Sanda and Donna Kay and Junior Brooks all of McLean; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Erwin and family of Denton; Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Huber of Clovia, New Mexico and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Thornhill of Crosbyton.

Mrs. P. Q. Haney is improving a little and also sitting up some, but Mr. Haney reports that she will have to remain in the hospital for the next week or two.

Mrs. Haney received first degree burns on her arms, shoulders and face in an accident at her home on Friday, November 20. She is at the Potts hospital.

Mother of Frank McClure Succumbs

Funeral service was held in the First Baptist church in Crosbyton Monday afternoon for Mrs. Annie May McClure, 62, mother of Frank McClure of the Fairview community.

Mrs. McClure died at her home Saturday in Crosbyton after an illness of several months.

Reverend Carl Grissom, pastor of the church officiated at the service and interment was in the Crosbyton cemetery.

Mrs. McClure had been a resident of Crosby county since 1922. She was born February 14, 1881, in Erath county.

Survivors include her husband, T. J. McClure, Crosbyton and four daughters, Mesdames J. B. Lott, Port Worth, Florence Hendricks, Dallas, C. R. Givens, Lubbock and M. H. Henxon, Muleshoe; two sons, Frank McClure, Floydada and Marvin McClure of Sutherlin, Oregon. Also 17 grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren, four sisters and six brothers.

News of Harmony

(by Mrs. Mather Carr)

HARMONY, December 1 — The Zant Scott family and Hal and Wright Scott attended church services at the Nazarene church at Petersburg Sunday week. Zant's nephew, Bobby Hal Scott of California preached. He is the son of Price Scott who lived here at one time. Relatives from Plainview and Floydada also attended the services. The group had dinner in the Charlie Ellard home. Mrs. Ellard is a sister to Bobby Hal. Mrs. Scott also accompanied him.

Club met Monday instead of Thursday because of Thanksgiving. Mrs. Chas. B. Smith was hostess. Mrs. Harry Morok of Floydada gave a candy demonstration. After everyone had had a taste of the candy, it was voted to send the remainder to our servicemen. We have four and they are Captains Vernon and Welborn Edwards, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edwards, Billie Dave Scott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Zant Scott and Joe Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Smith. After Linda Williams gave a twirling exhibition refreshments were served.

Choral practice met as usual Monday night at the center with Mrs. Everett Miller directing and Mrs. M. D. Ramsey at the piano. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Holmes came out and made some recordings for a Thanksgiving program.

Mr. and Mrs. Mather Carr and Horace attended the Masonic Thanksgiving supper at the legion hall in Petersburg Tuesday night. The crowd was slim at the mid-week services. Wesley Carr brought the devotional with a Thanksgiving service.

Those at the Mather Carr home for Thanksgiving dinner were their

children and grandchildren.

There was a Thanksgiving dinner Thursday night at the community center. Some of the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ham Smith from the Baker community, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Krause of Kansas and Rev. Krebs and family of Cone.

Quarterly conference was held Sunday at Carrs chapel. Rev. Boyd preached the services and then led the conference. Visitors present were Mr. and Mrs. Travis, Mr. and Mrs. Cub Parrish, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Davis and children, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Assiter and son, Floyd Dunn and Mr. Barnhart of Cone, Mrs. Rueben Rutherford of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. John Cox and son, Mrs. Paul Turner of Petersburg and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Rev. of Bellview.

Rev. J. T. Howell and wife of Lubbock were guests in the Mather Carr home Sunday evening. Rev. Howell was pastor here in 1940 and 1941.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. B. Smith spent Thanksgiving in Lubbock with their son, Joe and wife. Mr. and Mrs. Riley Holmes and children were guests of Mr. Holme's brother and family, Leonard Holme of Amarillo.

The E. W. Turners had their children for Thanksgiving dinner. They are Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Pierce of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Loyce Turner and son.

DALLAS AND FORT WORTH GUESTS WEEK-END HERE

Miss Frances Mitchell and her mother, Mrs. Ona Mitchell had as their week-end guests, Misses Ruth Teel of Dallas and Pauline Sinclair of Fort Worth.

Miss Teel is a niece of Mrs. Mitchell and Miss Sinclair a long-time friend.

The two guests accompanied Miss Mitchell and her mother on their tour of Canada and northwest United States this past summer and also accompanied Miss Mitchell on her trip to Cuba last summer.

Miss Ruby Lee Beville, of Wichita Falls, former music director of the Floydada schools, was an overnight guest on Wednesday of Miss Frances Mitchell. Miss Beville was enroute to Fortales, New Mexico, where she spent the Thanksgiving holidays with a sister, Mrs. Jack Mears and family.

Mrs. Lee Pearson, who has been suffering with a dislocated shoulder and complications for the past few weeks is recuperating at her home in South Plains. However she is still receiving treatments from her doctor.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Cline had as Thanksgiving guests, their daughter, Mrs. Glen White of Lamesa and son Bobby Cline. The latter is a senior student at University of Texas in Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Daniel have returned home from a visit in Kerrville and in Austin. In the latter city, they were guests of their son, Wendell, who is a student in University of Texas.

Tulia Banqueters To Hear Johnson

At their annual banquet tonight members of the Tulia Chamber of Commerce will hear Senator Lyndon B. Johnson of Texas in an address.

President Clement B. McDonald of the Floydada chamber, in company with Mrs. McDonald and C. of C. Manager O. M. Watson, Jr., and Mrs. Watson, will attend from Floydada.

A coincidence in connection with the visit of the Floydada chamber of commerce president to the Tulia meeting, is that his brother, LeRoy McDonald, will be installed as the president of the Tulia organization for the ensuing year.

THANKSGIVING IN AMARILLO

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. McNeill and Janice Ann spent Thanksgiving day in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. Frank McNeill. They all attended the Lubbock - Amarillo football game.

On Saturday the M. J. McNeill's and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Day attended the Texas Tech-HardinSimmons football game.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Hall and children, Tommy and Carol Ann, visited friends in Tulia Sunday afternoon.

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PEARS 2 No. 2 1/2 Cans **67c**

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the peculiar glory of heroes like Sgt. Anderson that they fought not for themselves alone. They were struggling for the future, battling for a heritage for generations yet unborn."

Must Keep Faith
 "We must keep faith with those who have lived and those who have died for freedom's holy light. Therein lies the greatness of the world, the safety and security of the United States of America," he concluded.

Present for the memorial service along with many friends were his father, W. W. Anderson, Floydada; his brother, J. C. Anderson, Amarillo; his five sisters, Mrs. Earl Baker, Floydada, Mrs. Roy Langley, Ennis, Mrs. Homer Rusk, Grand Prairie, Mrs. Elmo Leatherman, Mineral Wells, and Mrs. L. C. Burgett of Garland, and other relatives.

The actual date of the death of Sgt. Anderson from privation and malnutrition is not known. However, the army has taken the last possible day on which he could have been alive and set February 23, 1951 as the "official date of his demise."

An infantryman of the 24th division Sgt. Anderson was one of many missing in action when their units were enveloped by the advancing North Koreans in the early days of the Korean action. His bravery and devotion to duty were praised in a citation forwarded to the boy's father here last year.

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As A Farm Woman Thinks

(by Nellie Witt Spikes)

OCTOBER, SOUTH
 By Mary Elizabeth Counselman.
 The wind, that busy farmer of the sky,
 Is gathering his cotton crop today —
 Picking fat puffs of cloud, or passing by
 Others too thin and weevily to pay.

Then, piling all his crop into a cart —
 I've heard its wheels arumbling as it rolled —
 He hauls his clouds to where the setting sun,
 In honest trade, will turn them into gold.

Altho the calendar says October has gone for the year of 1953, that November is about to give way to December, we find the wind-farmer still trading clouds for gold at the end of the day. Such a bargain he gets, and how lovely is the display. We stand in awe at the beauty of the Plains sunsets and marvel at the gold.

All thoughts are on Christmas, I mean the thoughts of the young, the women and the merchants. The farmers are still thinking of the crop to be gathered or the crop that was not even made. Fruit cakes are making the kitchen smell wondrously good and eyes are scanning the magazines for ideas for decorations and for recipes.

Well, what do you know? The other day I heard a television announcer saying "receipt" just like my grandma and mother did when I was young. And well do I remember how the younger generation learned that "receipt" was the proper way to say the word and how embarrassed they were to hear their older members of the family cling to the old pronunciation. And how hard it was for them to change. And now do we have to go back and begin this all over again?

The streets east of us were carefully smoothed, the caliche lay like a white blanket, the big old dirty asphalt wagon went along and spewed black liquid all over the snowy-white. Like a black river it looked but trucks came after and rolled out tiny white gravel, big heavy rollers pressed it tight to the black river and now it is a smooth white pavement, ready for travel. And still some folks do not believe in "magic."

Gathered in the week's reading. From the Saturday Evening Post. "More children would take after their parents, if they knew which way they went." Cartoon in same magazine. "If nature had intended you to have a fur coat," the man is saying to his wife, "She'd have given you one."

These are such fine mornings, the warm covers on the bed are hard to push off, but the sunrise amply pays for it. How far south the sun is now.

No night so wild but brings the constant sun.
 With love and power untold;
 No time so dark but through its woof there run
 Some blessed threads of gold.
 The sun moves always west;
 The road one treas to labor
 Will lead one home to rest
 And that will be the best.
 So the poets sang and one told of the "silver apples of the moon, and the golden apples of the Sun." I

pull back the heavy draperies on the east window early so as I prepare breakfast I can watch the sun as it comes up, giving light as soon as it rises.

Minutes are precious as one gets older, we hold each one to our heart as a child with a coin to spend. As I watch the sun rise I count the years ahead. They glimmered and allured as the mirage lures the thirsty traveller. They came all too quickly, and are spent. Now I am trying to live in the present, which lesson I should have learned long ago and each day is a new adventure, not to be spent as a miser does but freely, gladly in service to others.

There are so many nice things that can happen in a day. A knock at the door and a friend or loved one comes in, the telephone rings and oftentimes some one surprises you. A letter or note in the mail such as came to me from Mildred Wicks makes my heart glow and I read and reread it to get the sweetness of it over and over. A neighbor, such as Mrs. Lester Bownds comes across the street to talk a few minutes and tell me she loves us. Or having good words said about you as Tim Lisle said about a Farm Woman's Column. And as pretty a lady as Mrs. Tom Gillon to bring a jar of delicious pear preserves she had made.

Do you wonder as I look at the sun which has smiled on me all these years comes up to greet me and shine for another day, that life has taken on a fuller meaning and each minute is precious, even the oftentimes pain and sorrow come too.

God bless and keep you, these words come to me as I close this week's column.

Center News

(by Mrs. J. E. Green)

CENTER, December 1 — We are having beautiful weather for this time of year.

Bro. and Mrs. Hodges and Elma McVay were Sunday dinner guests in the Ross home.

Thanksgiving holidays have come and gone. Home for the season was Don Clark Green of Big Spring. Also a week-end guest in the Green home was Doc Ryman of Bay City. Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Meredith were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Frizzell. Mr. Meredith attended church services here with Mr. Frizzell. Other dinner guests in the home were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Carpenter and four children of Grand Prairie. Dale formerly lived in Center community and is a nephew of Mrs. Frizzell. They visited other relatives in Floydada during the holidays.

Visiting in the J. R. Robertson home over the Thanksgiving holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Robertson of Lawton, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Robertson of Stanton; Mr. and Mrs. James Robertson and three children of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Lois Brunson and children from Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Adams and baby from Lawton, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Chil McClure and Del Wade visited Friday night in the Robertson home.

Patsy Robertson spent Wednesday night with Barbara McAda and

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spent Thanksgiving day in Lubbock with the family. She spent Friday night with Barbara.

We were glad to have in church services Sunday night, Mrs. Billy Morris and daughter, Barbara. They have recently come to spend some time with Billy's parents while Billy is in the service.

The Greens and Doc Ryman visited the Victor Greens in Plainview Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Bolding visited the Greens Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dunn and children went to Alva, Oklahoma, to spend Thanksgiving.

Imogene Noland of Wayland college spent the holidays at home. T. M. Noland dined Sunday in the T. R. Noland home. Other visitors in the afternoon were Bro. and Mrs. Hodges and Miss Elma McVay, Mr. and Mrs. Collis Roland of Floydada and his mother and sister and family, Mrs. Lou Ella Roland and Mr. and Mrs. George Kizzio of Los Angeles.

Mrs. T. R. Noland and Imogene visited Monday in the Lee Golightly home with Nancy Golightly who was home for the holidays with Mrs. Golightly and her mother, Mrs. Rude. Mrs. Rude who broke her arm with other injuries in a fall a few weeks ago is still confined to her room most of the time.

Little Carol Dennison of Brownfield spent from Wednesday till Sunday with her grandparents, the C. W. Denisons, while the rest of the family, the C. W. Denisons, Jr., spent the holidays in Colorado. The grandparents took Carol Jean home Sunday and returned Monday.

Sandra Huckabee is able to be out again after being on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Huckabee and Sandra ate Thanksgiving dinner with the Lee Burton family at Fairview.

The club dinner Tuesday at the Agriculture kitchen was enjoyed by all the ten women present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gilliam of Eastland were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Minor, sr., The Gilliams are former Floydada residents.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Carroll and William of near Kress. Mr. Carroll children visited with friends in Estelline on Saturday. On Sunday they visited Mr. Carroll's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Carroll and away.



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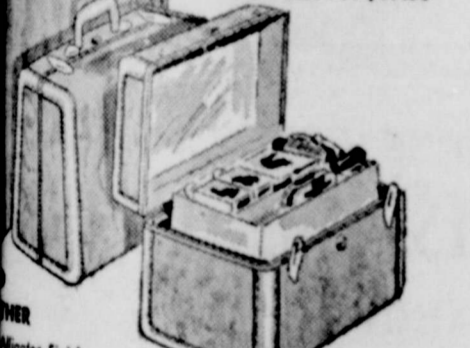
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6 Whirlwinds Named to All-District

Coaches from the six schools of district 5AA met in Slaton Tuesday night November 24 and made their selections for the "All District" team. The coaches picked a defensive team and an offensive team. Whirlwinds named to the mythical squad were Stanley Vickers, Gordon Joiner, Jimmie Dunn, Jack Womack and Don Barber. The latter was named in both the offensive and defensive line-up.

District champion spur placed men in 7 positions as did the Whirlwinds. Tahoka placed four, Abernathy 3, Slaton 3 and Post 1. The complete list included:

Offensive Team

Ends: Chester Lindsey, Spur, and

Jack Womack, Floydada. Honorable mention: Bonnie Beard, Abernathy, and Derrell Wiley, Slaton.

Tackles: Fred Wyatt, Spur, and tie between Jimmie Dunn, Floydada, and Billy Lewis, Abernathy. Honorable mention: Ralph Gibson, Spur, and Loren Gilliland, Slaton.

Guards: Don McGinity, Spur and Garland Huddleston, Tahoka. Honorable mention: Gordon Joiner, Floydada, and David Collins, Slaton.

Center: Don Barber, Floydada. Honorable mention: Wayne Ray, Abernathy.

Backs: Tommy Malouf, Post; Jerry Reynolds, Slaton; Curtis Blair, Spur; and J. B. Ables, Tahoka; Honorable mention: Cloyd Stephens, Floydada; Tom Hightower, Spur; Geronimo Ramos, Abernathy; Joe Sparkman, Slaton; Jerry Bob Harrison, Floydada; and Gordon Smith, Tahoka.

The Defensive Team

Ends: Bobby Lehman, Tahoka,

and Gordon Joiner, Floydada. Honorable mention: Bonnie Beard, Abernathy; Waymon Muse, Slaton; J. C. Shedd, Post.

Tackles: Stanley Vickers, Floydada; and Fred Wyatt, Spur. Honorable mention: Billy Lewis, Abernathy; Ralph Gibson, Spur; James George, Slaton.

Guards: Jimmy Williams, Tahoka; and Harold Trout, Slaton. Honorable mention: Marvin Rucker, Floydada.

Linebackers: Don Barber, Floydada; Chester Lindsey, Spur; and Chester Fondy, Slaton. Honorable mention: Garland Huddleston, Tahoka, I. V. J. Melton, Tahoka, Jerry Williams, Tahoka; and Novis Pinnell, Post.

Backs: Curtis Blair, Spur; Ramos, Abernathy; and Cloyd Stephens, Floydada. Honorable mention: T. Hightower, Spur; Freddy Apperson, Abernathy, and Jerry Reynolds, Slaton.

VISITS DOWN STATE

Mrs. S. E. Thurman has returned home from a visit in Ruston, Louisiana, with Mrs. A. M. Ponder and Mr. and Mrs. John Thurman. In Longview, Mrs. Thurman visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thurman and in Marshall she visited with a brother, Charlie Mitchell of Paris who was ill in the T&P Hospital at Marshall.

Mrs. Thurman also visited relatives in Fort Worth and Frankston before returning home.

Mrs. E. P. Stovall is spending this week in Abilene as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Hart Shoemaker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Graves visited from Wednesday until Sunday in Coleman with Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Graves and family.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to our neighbors and friends for their sympathy and kindness in our bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Gilliland and Family.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Switzer attended the Texas Tech-Hardin Simmons football game in Lubbock on Saturday, courtesy of the Holson Bakery, with which Mr. Switzer is employed. He received the coveted tickets from the company as an award in increasing business on the route which G. W. works. Mr. and Mrs. Orvil Newberry accompanied them to the game.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Bain, Jr. and son and daughter of Plainview, spent Thanksgiving day with Mrs. Bain's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Fowler.

Visitors in the Alva Sparks home over the week-end were their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sparks and Pam, Mrs. Jack Chaney and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Sparks and children and Mrs. Dial, all of Lubbock. They also and Mrs. John... Mrs. W. H. Childress visited. J. Rose Bell for



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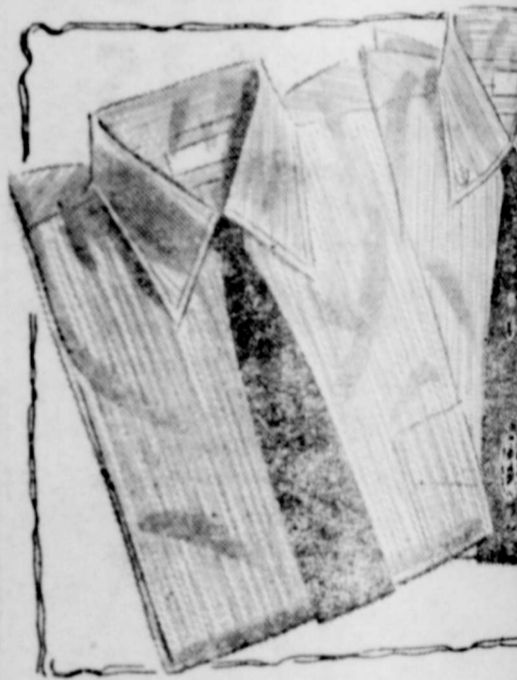
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