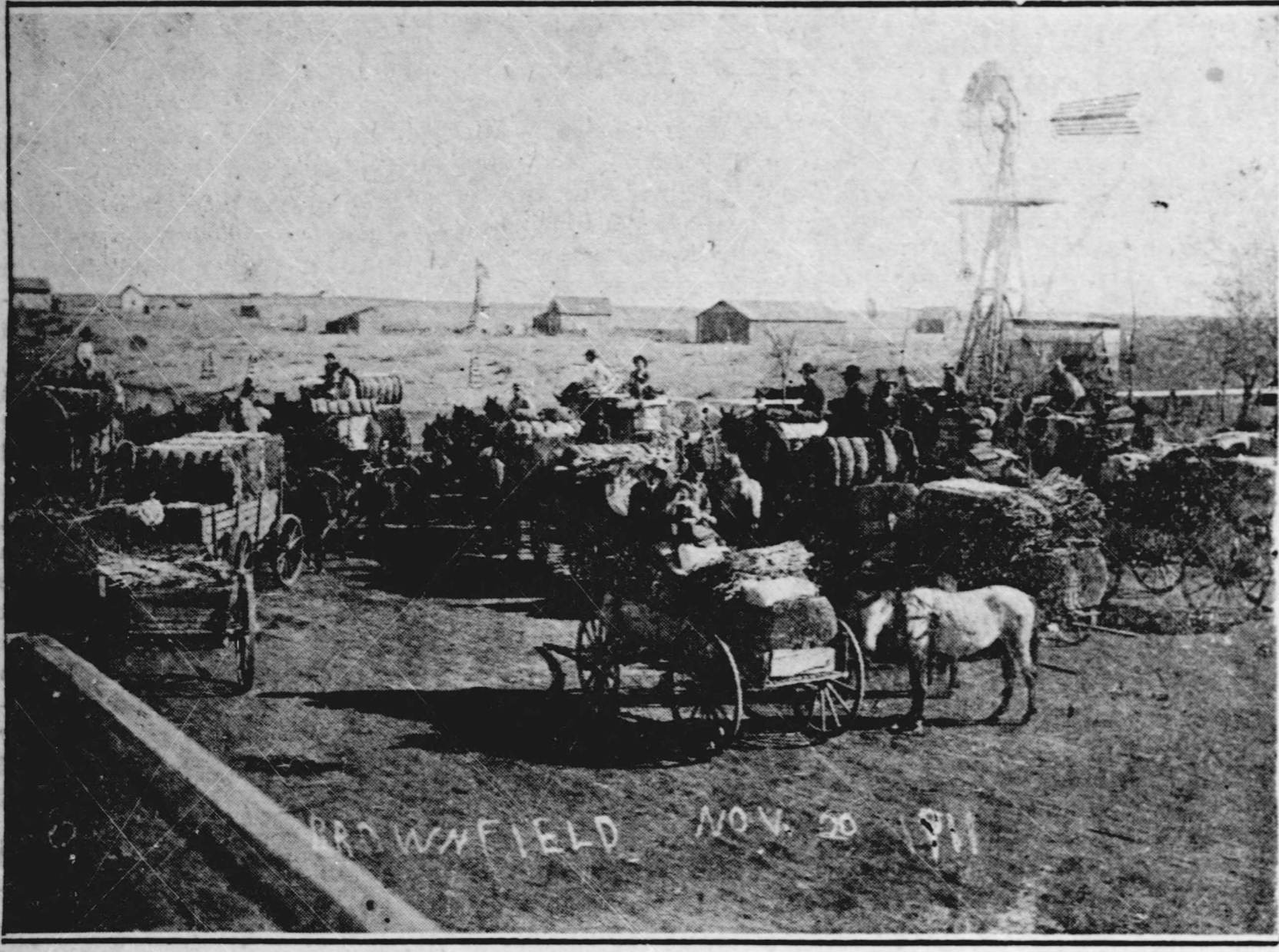








### CITY'S GROWTH FINALLY MADE HIM MOVE HIS RESIDENCE



Geo. W. Neill, residing on the same lots, one block east of the court house square for 38 years, last week succumbed to the city's rapid business expansion, sold the realty and is moving his dwelling house to 503 East Broadway.

The Neills built their first, a three room dwelling and moved into it, about Nov. 1st, 1907, when their second child, Herbert, was three weeks old. Lillian, the mother of Neill Burnett, former Cub football player, was then three years old. Three of their five children, Dora Dean, Jim, and Mary Jo, and six of their eight grandchildren were born on this lot, including Marjorie, who four

weeks ago met such a tragic death. Most of the trees around it are 37 years old, and are being cut down. It has been home to two generations, and the move was not made without tears.

The house has been added to and rebuilt during the years, to the present 8-room structure. Old neighbors claim they could always tell when the Neills were "expecting" as he would build another side room.

They have resided continuously on the same homestead for a longer time than any other family in the city, except A. M. Brownfield, with Pappy John Powell a close second.

Noise of increasing traffic, and a valuable consideration prompted the change.

The purchasers are E. A. Bowman, who operated a food store on the south side four years ago, and his son, J. T. Bowman, recently discharged from the army. They have procured sales agency of the Oldsmobile and will as soon as material can be obtained, begin construction of a modern sales room and garage on the property, 90x150 feet.

In the above picture, taken in November, 1911, primarily to show first cotton ginned in Terry county, the camera was placed on up stairs porch on an old building

where Alexander's Drug store now stands. The view is to the southeast. The dwelling with windmill in middle background is the Neill's four-year-old dwelling. The old barn to it's right is the first garage - storage built in Brownfield, long since removed, now occupied by the Chevrolet building. The object in far background is the A. M. Brownfield home, then and now, except a much larger home now. The judge, with 4-year-old Herbert can be seen on one of the wagons.

The Old He has to add just a little postscript to what GWN has to say: Do you see a guy right between you and the northeast post of the windmill, sitting on a bale of cotton? That was the Young He—not generally regarded as the Old He—at the age of 31. The building you see with end sticking out in the upper left of the picture was a pioneer lumber yard about where Mrs. C. R. Rambo's residence is now located, run by Tom May, then a single guy. The little 2-room house nearby was the Methodist parsonage, where Grandma J. O. Brown's residence now stands. Keep this picture, and in a few weeks we aim to run one as it now looks across the same view, but you won't be able to see what you see in this view. Note for instance the large American elm in the corner of the courtyard. In 1911, you'll note, it was just a bush, located between you and the garage.

Grapes should be pruned soon after the first killing frost.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hord and boys spent the Thanksgiving holiday with Mrs. Hord's family in Lubbock.

Wanda Jean Tyler, who is a student of Wayland college, was home for the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Tyler.

Miss Geneva Stewart, on Union, spent Thanksgiving in Midland with relatives.

Chester L. Kerrick wrote his mother, Mrs. Ora Kerrick, that he was in Buckley Field, Colo., getting his discharge papers and thought he would be home in two weeks. He was a Corporal in the Air Corps and was stationed in Brazil. His length of service was four years and one month.

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Jane Randolph  
John O'Malley  
—In—  
**"Sporting Chance"**

### The Republic Gains Recognition in Europe But Fails in Mexico

(Sixth in the series of articles by Dr. Eugene C Barker, Professor of American History, University of Texas).

While annexation was lagging in the United States, progress was made in Europe. President Houston sent J. Pinkney Henderson to London and Paris in 1837 to gain recognition and treaties of commerce. Henderson had already begun a distinguished career in Texas, as though he was then only thirty years of age. He was born in North Carolina and came to Texas after a short residence in Mississippi. He arrived in Texas in June, 1836, and was commissioned a Major General to enlist volunteers in the United States in preparation for the renewed invasion by Mexico, which was then expected. Houston made him Attorney General of Texas, and after the death of Austin, Secretary of State. Later he represented Texas as a special commissioner, with Isaac Van Zandt, in negotiating the treaty of annexation with the United States, was the first governor of the state of Texas, major general in the Mexican War, and United States senator, succeeding Thomas J. Rusk. He negotiated an unsatisfactory trading arrangement with England in 1838, without recognition, of Texan independence and, in 1839, signed a treaty of commerce and recognition with France.

President Lamar appointed Jas. Hamilton of South Carolina to cooperate with Henderson, and more particularly to negotiate a five million dollar loan. After the conclusion of the French treaty, Henderson returned to Texas and Hamilton assumed the general diplomatic mission. Hamilton had served South Carolina as legislator, congressman and governor. He had been a successful banker, planter, and railroad director; had made a large fortune and lost much of it, but retained enough to make generous loans to Texas. He did not succeed in securing the five million dollar loan for Texas, fortunately perhaps; but he concluded treaties of commerce and recognition with England, Holland, and

Belgium. He became a citizen of Texas in 1855. Two years later, sailing from New Orleans to Galveston, his ship was wrecked in a collision in the Gulf and he was lost after giving his life belt to a woman and child.

President Houston's policy during his first administration was to ignore Mexico, knowing that the government was unable to send another army to Texas. Lamar, characteristically, was more active, even aggressive. During 1839-1841, he made three efforts to negotiate with Mexico. Barnard E. Bee, early in 1839, and James Webb, Texas Secretary of State, in 1841, were not allowed by the government to land. James Treat, of New York, was received and spent nine or ten months in Mexico with some encouragement, but, in the end, accomplished nothing.

Treat deserves well of Texas, but our knowledge of him is very limited. The nearest approach to a sketch of his relations with Texas can be drawn from Dr. Joseph Schmitz's "Texan Statecraft", Naylor, 1941. He first appears in connection with a New York company interested in Texas land. He had spent much of his life in South America and in Mexico, where he had lived seven years. He was educated, cultured, and experienced and seems to have worked for Texas intelligently and unselfishly. He was actually received by the British minister in Mexico City. He was prepared to assume part of Mexico's foreign debt in return for Mexico's recognition of independence. It seems evident now that the Mexicans were merely trying to divert Texas from alliance with rebels in northern Mexico. In the end, Treat became certain that the only terms to be obtained would be the return of Texas to Mexico as a state of the federal union. He was suffering from tuberculosis, and during his last few months in Mexico was critically ill. He sailed for Galveston on the Texan warship San Antonio in November, 1839, and died on board.

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Mrs. Ora Kerrick returned Saturday from a visit, of several weeks with her daughter in Marietta, Okla.

Mrs. Shorty Brown met her husband in El Paso Friday, and they were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Ambler.

Mrs. R. L. Bandy and son, Tommy, came in last Saturday to make their home here while S2/c Bandy is on duty in the Pacific.

Mr. and Mrs. Ulee McPherson, of Artesia came in Wednesday to celebrate the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. McPherson. Ulee didn't have much of a celebration though as he was in bed with flu and strep throat infection from Thursday till Sunday.

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S2/c Leon Lewis, who has just finished boot camp in San Diego, was home on a weeks leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lewis.

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**Society**

**WMU MET IN THEIR MONTHLY BUSINESS SESSION**

The Women's Missionary Union of the Baptist church met Monday afternoon for their monthly business meeting.

The meeting opened with the song "Our Best," followed by the devotional, given by Mrs. J. T. Auburg. Her scripture was John 17:4, 18, 26. Minutes of the last monthly meeting were read and approved and reports were given by the secretaries of the circles and the general chairman.

Programs for the week of prayer for foreign missions which will be next week, were handed out at the conclusion of the meeting.

**CEN-TEX HARMONY CLUB**

The Cen-Tex Harmony club had its first meeting, after being disbanded throughout the summer, at the home of Mrs. J. M. Teague, Monday evening. The meeting was entirely business and the members voted to give the Christmas Carol program again this year. It will be given at one of the churches the latter part of December. Every second and fourth Monday at 7:30 was set for the time of meeting.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Joe Price and all who are interested in this activity and would like to join are welcome. Mrs. Teague or Mrs. W. H. Dallas can be contacted for details.

Open faced sandwiches, cookies and spiced tea were served to Mesdames Joe Price, W. H. Dallas, D. P. Carter, Homer Newman and Mr. John S. Powell.

Donald Bynum is visiting in Kerrville, Texas, for several days.

Loonie Miller spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Miller, in Rotan.

Mr. Tom Bowers of Lorenzo, brother of R. L. Bowers, underwent surgery at Lubbock General Hospital, Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McGowan and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bowers were in Lubbock, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Muller, of Texhoma, spent the Thanksgiving holiday and weekend here visiting Mrs. L. C. Wines and daughters.

**PLEASANT VALLEY H. D. CLUB NOTES**

The Pleasant Valley Home Demonstration club met Friday afternoon with Mrs. Delbert Davis. Nine members were present. Parliamentary rules were discussed. The club decided to make things suitable so sell as Christmas gifts. Each member should have their gifts made and taken to Mrs. Hubert Henson by December 13th.

On Wednesday, Dec. 19th the club will have a covered dish luncheon and Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Richards.

Refreshments of chicken sandwiches, cake and cocoa were served. Sunshine gifts were exchanged.

**CARD OF THANKS**

May Heaven's richest blessings be showered upon each and every one of you for your many deeds of kindness in this, the saddest hours of our lives, in the death of our beloved husband and father. Words cannot express our appreciation for the food, and the beautiful floral offerings, many kind words of comfort, and many other things you did. We shall always remember you kindly.

Mrs. T. B. Montgomery and family.

George L. (Rusty) Jenkins was Cpl. Jenkins until his discharge from the army Nov. 20th. He is in Tyler visiting his sister now.

Miss Willie Bartlett, of Clovis, spent the latter part of the week here as a guest of her sister, Mrs. W. M. Harrold.

Mesdames Bill Settles, W. G. McDonald and L. M. Lang were guests at a pink and blue shower for Mrs. Jack Thomas at the tea room on Tech campus, Monday of last week.

Mr. Mon Telford has been confined to his bed with the flu. Nearly every one in Brownfield is either just getting up from it or just going down with it.

**PLAINS NEWS**

S1/c Jodie McDonnell of San Diego is home visiting his mother, Mrs. S. McDonnell.

The Methodist church members gave their pastor and wife a pounding shower Wednesday night at the church. A large crowd attended and a lot of nice food was given.

The young people of the Baptist church gave a Thanksgiving program Thursday night at the church. After the program coffee and sandwiches were served, and a shower was given the pastor, Rev. Jackson, and family.

Billy Blankenship of Brownfield spent the holidays here with Dale Bookout.

Mr. and Mrs. Whicker and daughter of Anson visited her sister, Mrs. Minta Turner, Thursday.

Editor Hale's son who has been in the south Pacific is visiting in Plains this week.

Glad to know that Mrs. Lynn is able to be out and attending church, on her crutches.

Mrs. D. B. Lamace of Odessa spent last week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Morris.

Mrs. Ed Kim is visiting her daughters in Seagraves this week.

Mrs. W. H. Hague has returned home from Dallas where she has been purchasing goods for the store. Her daughter, Ruth Yarbough, returned home with her for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Kit Morris of Daltart were here last weekend. Kit has his discharge from the army.

Miss Virgie Strawn and Lloyd Richerson spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Trent.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Elliott were

Mr. and Mrs. Burley Tyler spent the latter part of last week in Abilene visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Peoples, of Idalou, were here Saturday on business, and visited friends that evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jenkins and Mrs. Harvey Gage spent Thanksgiving in Rotan with Mrs. Jenkins relatives.

in Sylvester over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Jones and daughter of Tulsa, Okla., visited last Saturday in the home of his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Copeland are in Big Spring taking treatments.

Mrs. Frances Copeland who is in Tech was here last weekend visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. McCargo.

Leslie McLaren of Lubbock spent last week here with his sister, Mrs. Jim Story.

Mrs. Warner Hayhurst and children visited her parents in Okla. last week.

Otis Lusk of San Angelo spent the holidays here with his wife and children.

Among those attending the Shiner's convention in Amarillo Wednesday and Thursday were: Messers and Mesdames Clovis Kendrick, Troy Noel, Everett Mathews, Dick Fallis and Mr. Tom May.

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# SIDELIGHTS From Washington

By George Mahon

Hearings by the joint House and Senate Committee on the Pearl Harbor disaster are in full swing. It is doubtful that the whole truth of this tragedy will ever be known. The effectiveness of the hearing is being jeopardized by the partisan wrangling of certain members of the committee.

The people are entitled to know all the facts about Pearl Harbor, but they will not have time and opportunity to read the voluminous testimony now being taken. Yet, the Press and radio are doing their best to cover hearings and make pertinent information available to the public.

I dropped in on the hearings to listen briefly to some of the testimony of Admiral Richardson. There were one hundred newspaper and radio reporters in attendance, and three motion picture cameras were in operation.

Texas has been unusually honored in the nomination by the President of General Dwight D. Eisenhower for the top position in the Army and Admiral Chester W. Nimitz for the top position in the Navy. Both are Texas born; General Eisenhower was born in Denison, and Admiral Nimitz in Fredericksburg.

General Eisenhower, the new Chief of Staff of the Army, is perhaps the most popular military leader in the world. He has accepted his honors with modesty and good taste. His experiences as Supreme Commander of Allied Forces in Europe should be of great value to him as the chief military officer of the War department.

The appointment of Admiral Nimitz is also an excellent choice. The Admiral is a warm-hearted, friendly Texan, whose experience, ability and personality fit him for the job of Admiral of the U. S. Fleet and Chief of Naval Operations.

The appointment of Admiral Nimitz may not promote the cause of unification of the Armed Forces. He has declared himself in opposition to the plan, and some of his statements in regard to the victory in the Pacific have rankled Army

officials who are sponsoring the proposal.

Shall the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard—all our fighting forces—be merged under one single unified command by an act of Congress? That question has not reached the show-down stage, but hearings on the subject are now being held by a Congressional Committee.

Last week, following the testimony of General Jimmie Doolittle before the Committee in which he accused opponents of the idea of being hypocritical, Secretary of Navy Forrestal wrote a letter of protest to Secretary of War Patterson, bringing out into the open the intense jealousy which exists between certain members of the Army and Navy high command. The Army favors the merger; the Navy high command, generally speaking, opposes it. The prevailing thought in Washington is that the majority of the people favor the merger.

It is admitted that good arguments can be offered on both sides of the question. Advocates of the idea, however, contend that we will gain more by unification of

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the services than we stand to lose. There is no doubt that closer cooperation among the services in the future would be in the public interest. The merger should not obliterate the identity of the various branches, and we should not lose the wholesome traditions of the fighting forces.



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**SHOWER GIVEN MR. AND MRS. AUBURG**

Rev. and Mrs. R. J. Kelly were hosts to a group of friends of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Auburg's Tuesday evening of last week, the occasion being a shower as they have just recently been married.

An evening of entertainment was furnished by each guests telling how he proposed or was proposed to. Games of Fruit Basket Turn Over and Coo Coo were also enjoyed. The many gifts were presented the couple by Stanley Kelly and Betty Lorene Carter.

Cake and hot chocolate were served to Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Carter, parents of the bride, Zack Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Carter, Mrs. F. D. Auburg, mother of the groom, Mr. J. T. Auburg, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Dean, Joe Auburg, Mrs. Euel Bryant, Ethelyne Alsop, Mrs. Lamenda Hardy, Mrs. Rubin Norrell, Mrs. Emmitt Alsop, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wilson, Mrs. Rosa B. Norris, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Norris, Miss Ila Merle Norris and Mrs. Gill Batton.

Those sending gifts who were not able to be present were: Miss Wanda Carver, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Dial, Mrs. Sam Hill, Mrs. Elbert Bradley, Mrs. Snyder, Mrs. Rivers, Mrs. Frank West and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Neuton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Laird of Westlaco, Texas, are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Thompson.

Capt. D. A. Thompson, wife and baby are here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Thompson. He has just recently returned from France, and will soon get his discharge.

**THANKSGIVING PROGRAM BY KINDERGARTEN CHILDREN**

A Thanksgiving program was given at the home of Mrs. L. D. Spradling Wednesday by her class of kindergarten pupils. The program was as follows:

Song, "America," by group. Reading, "I Love My Flag," by Mary Jane Brownfield. "Why We Celebrate Thanksgiving," by Linda Jane Heflin. Song, "Thanksgiving Time," by group. Showing of pictures drawn by class, Frances Green. Pictures of the Pilgrim children's dress, Bobbie Nell Richardson. Play, "The First Year at Plymouth," by Danny Powers, Buddy Harris, Jerry Gant, Rex Winford, Jackie Shewmake, Tommy Crawford, Betsy Cason, Genie McClure, Janette Heflin, Patricia Whaley, Bobbie Nell Richardson, Linda Heflin, Mary Jane Brownfield and Frances Green.

**MEADOW STUDY CLUB**

The Meadow Study club met Tuesday, Nov. 20th, at the home of Mrs. Roland Evans, with Mrs. Guy Nowlin as hostess. Roll Call was answered with "Music News." Mrs. C. W. Avery gave the "Story of the National Anthem" and Mrs. F. C. Copeland told of "The Value of Music in the Home."

Pie and coffee were served to eleven members.

Tommy Zorns, the lucky scamp, got the first 1946 Ford sold in Brownfield, and won't even talk about trading it for a fine 1940 Chevy. Well, it is the aim of car dealers to sell ex-service men first, and Mr. Portwood is standing by his guns that way, which is nothing but fair and right.

**GASTONS CELEBRATE THEIR 60th WEDDING ANNIVERSARY**

There was a Laddie who lived in McCool, Miss. One day this Laddie met a Bonnie Lassie who was pleasing to his eye. This Laddie said to the Lassie, "Nancy Ann will you be my bride." The Lassie blushing replied that, "I will, Jeff." This was 60 years ago Nov. 24, 1885.

The Bride and Groom, children and grandchildren celebrated their 60th anniversary Sunday, Nov. 25, 1945, at the Gaston home southwest of Gomez.

The children present were: Mrs. Ida Bruton and Charlie Lou of Brownfield, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Robinson, and son Kit, Jr. and daughter and husband Mr. and Mrs. John Dumas, Mr. and Mrs. Fancher Gaston and daughters Ann and Tommie, son-in-law Mr.

**WALTERS CELEBRATE THANKSGIVING**

Thanksgiving was celebrated Sunday, Nov. 25, with a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Walters. The surprise of the day came when Mrs. Walters presented an early Christmas gift of \$100 to each of his ten children.

Those present for the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Smith, Hereford; C. L. Dickson, Lubbock; H. B. Howell, Tahoka; G. B. Snodgrass, Carlsbad, N. Mex.; Oran Short, Tahoka; Grandchildren present were Capt. Samuel W. Howell, who has just returned from thirty months service in the European theater, Mr. and Mrs. Bill (Jr.) Smith of Vega, Texas, Mrs. Howard Turner of Hereford, Mr. Wilson Dickson of Tahoka, Miss Bettye and Marcia Nelle of Carlsbad.

Mr. and Mrs. Aggie Thornton of Midland visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tittle, Sunday afternoon.

Leon Morgan. Some of the children were unable to attend.

**ALPHA OMEGA CLUB**

Mrs. Truett Flache entertained members of the Alpha Omega study club at the home of her mother, Mrs. A. A. Sawyer, Tuesday afternoon. Preceding the program a business session was held under the direction of Mrs. P. R. Cates, president of the club. Mrs. Walter Hord, as program chairman, announced the following and their subjects, Mesdames W. L. Auvenshine, Clarence Lackey, P. R. Cates, and Martin Kirschner. All talked on different phases of the topic, "Education Today—Hope of Tomorrow."

A sandwich plate and hot tea was served to Mesdames P. R. Cates, W. L. Auvenshine, Martin Kirschner, Walter Hord, J. L. O'Dell, Arlie Lowrimore, Lee Brownfield, Jake Gore, Grady Goodpasture, Jack Ellie, V. L. Patterson, Homer Newman, Clarence Lackey, and Virgil Crawford.

Weekend guests in the Looie Miller home were: Miss Ann Robason, of Brownwood, and Harold Robason and Ruth Michael, who are students in Tech.

**W. S. C. S. HAVE COVERED DISH LUNCHEON**

The Women's Society of Christian Service met in Fellowship Hall Monday noon for a covered dish luncheon with Mesdames House and Ward as hostesses. The high-spot of the meeting was at the luncheon table when Mrs. W. B. Downing was presented with a life membership from the society. Mrs. Roy Herod made the presentation.

During the business session, presided over by Mrs. House, the following names were submitted by Mrs. Harris, chairman of the nominating committee: President, Mrs. J. H. Carpenter; Vice-Pres., Mrs. W. B. Downing; Cor.-Sec., Mrs. G. S. Webber; Recording Sec., Mrs. M. R. Frazier; Treas., Mrs. N. T. House; Christian Social Relations, Mrs. R. N. Huckabee; Supt. of Study, Mrs. Glen Harris; Supt. of Student work, Mrs. W. H. Culver; Supt. of Youth work, Mrs. Sam Montgomery; Supt. of children's work, Mrs. A. J. Loyd; Supt. of literature, Mrs. H. O. Longbrake; Supt. of publicity, Mrs. Ed Tharp; and Supt. of supplies, Mrs. Ward.

Mrs. Hallie Bissett of Santa Anna left for Lubbock Wednesday to visit a daughter before returning home.

S/Sgt. James C. Robinson arrived home Tuesday morning. He has just returned from the south Pacific and after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Robinson, will return to his former home in Shreveport, La.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sydoski and children spent Thursday of last week in Crosbyton with relatives.

Plans were made for a group to attend the Harvest Day program at the First Methodist church in Lubbock, Tuesday of next week. Because of that meeting there will not be one at the church here Monday.

A program from the Outlook magazine titled "I Am The Door" was given with Mrs. Longbrake as chairman. Mesdames House, Webber and Carpenter talked on "Techniques in Building Good Will." The program closed with Mrs. Longbrake reading a prayer.

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- Rosedale, sliced, No. 2 1/2 ..... 27c
- Libby's, sliced, No. 2 1/2 ..... 33c
- Tri-Valley, sliced, No. 2 1/2 ..... 28c
- Libby's, whole, No. 2 1/2 ..... 28c
- Tri-Valley, whole, No. 2 1/2 ..... 28c
- Sun Pak, Heavy Syrup, can ..... 32c
- Peaches, Concho, 2 1/2 can ..... 28c
- Palmdale, "Choice" 2 1/2 can ..... 31c

Oregon Harvest No. 2 Can  
**Peas 12c**

- \$1.00 Jergens Lotion ..... 79c
- 50c Phillips Milk Magnesia ..... 39c
- 75c Pond's Cold Cream ..... 57c
- 50c Barbasol Shave Cream ..... 39c
- 60c Drene Shampoo ..... 49c
- 75c Modart Fluff Shampoo ..... 59c
- Razor Blades, Star, Single or Double Edge
- 60c Alka Seltzer ..... 49c
- \$1.50 Lydia E. Pinkham Tonic ..... \$1.09
- \$1.25 Absorbine Jr. .... 98c

Rolling West Peas, No. 2 can ..... 17c  
Peas, Quick Meal, No. 2 can ..... 12c

**PEARS**

- Tri-Valley, halves, No. 2 1/2 ..... 33c
- Libby's halves, No. 2 1/2 ..... 36c
- Granny's mix pieces, No. 2 1/2 ..... 31c

**FRUIT COCKTAIL**

Drew, 2 1/2 can ..... 35c

**TUNA FISH**

- Ocean Chief ..... 30c
- Paragon ..... 44c
- Panaco ..... 35c

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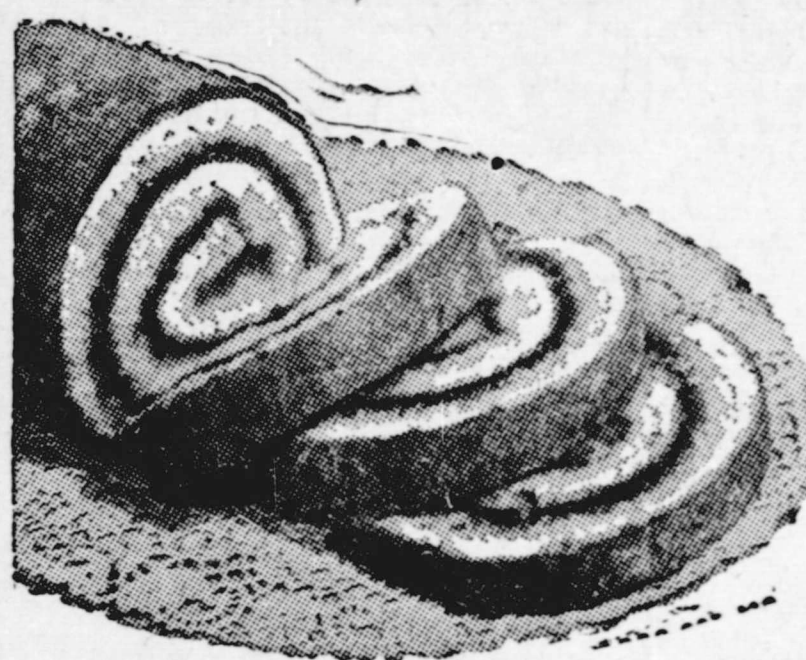
- 5 lb. .... 29c
- 10 lb. .... 54c
- 25 lb. .... \$1.22
- 50 lb. .... \$2.35

- Beets, Libby's, No. 2 can ..... 13c
- Preserves, Ma Brown, Apricot, 2 lbs. .... 63c
- Bliss, Apricot, 1 lb. .... 34c
- Worldover Apple Jelly, 2 lb. .... 39c

**Tomato Soup**  
**CAMPBELLS**  
per can **9c**

- Malt-O-Meal, pkg. .... 22c
- Libby's 2 1/2 Apricots ..... 33c
- Prune Juice, Sun Sweet ..... 32c

**CAKES**



- Jelly Rolls ..... 25c
- Angel Food, small ..... 40c
- Angel Food, large ..... 75c
- Cherry, Pecan, Pineapple, Strawberry, 1 lb. .... 39c
- Cherry, Pecan, Pineapple, Strawberry, 10 ozs. .... 26c
- Salt Rising Bread ..... 15c

Sunshine **Crackers**  
**2 lb. 35c**

**Clorox** Pint ..... 15c  
Quart ..... 23c  
Jar

**ASPARAGUS** Sun Pak No. 2 can ..... **40c**

**TOMATOES** Bestex, No. 2 ..... **10c**

**FURR FOOD** Super Markets

**FOODS FOR HEALTH FOR TASTE FOR SAVINGS**

**Green Beans** Stokely's, Whole No. 2 can ..... **21c**

**Sugar** Pure Cane  
5 lb. .... 33c  
10 lb. .... **65c**

**Kraut** Quart Jar ..... 28c  
Sylvias, 1 lb. jar ..... **18c**

**Butter** Furr's, Qt., lb. .... 53c  
Solid, lb. .... 52c

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**CHEESE**  
Longhorn, lb. .... **36c**

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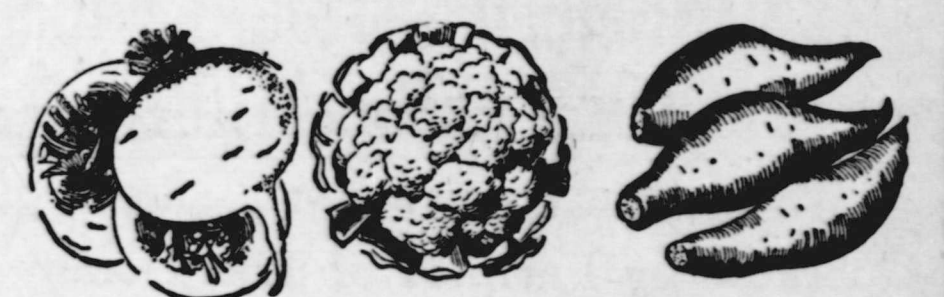
**Pork Steak or Roast lb. 32c**

- STEAK or ROAST, Chuck, lb. .... 28c
- Pure Pork SAUSAGE, bags, lb. .... 37c
- FRYERS, dressed ..... 60c
- LUNCH MEAT, Assorted, lb. .... 35c
- Pure Hog LARD, lb. .... 19c
- HENS, full dressed ..... 50c

**Pork SAUSAGE Link lb. 46c**

Pork SAUSAGE, bulk, lb. .... 29c **PLENTY OF FISH AND OYSTERS**

- Bleach "33", Qt. .... 12 1/2c
- Linit Starch, box ..... 9c
- KIX, pkg. .... 12c
- Sunkist Lemons, lb. .... 13c



- Turnips & Tops, Collards, Green Onions, Okra, Carrots, Yellow Squash, White Squash, Cucumbers.
- Sweet Potatoes lb. .... 7c
- Lettuce, lb. .... 12c
- Cabbage, lb. .... 5c
- Grapefruit, Pink, lb. .... 9c
- Grapefruit, white, lb. .... 8c
- Grapes, lb. .... 15c
- Texas Oranges, lb. .... 10c

GOOD FUTURE FOR FARM PRODUCE

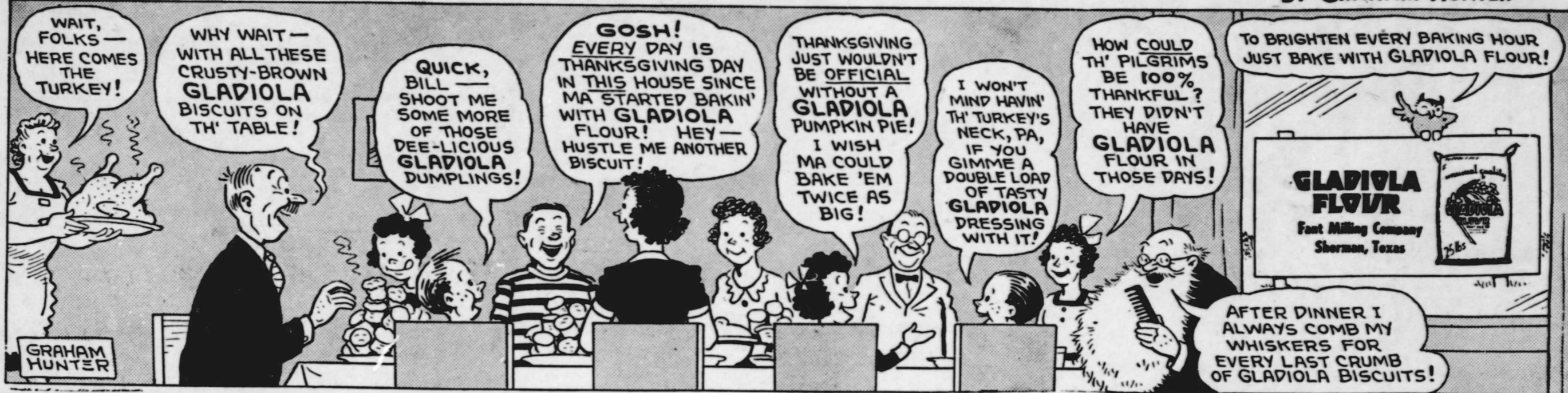
Schenectady—There should be a good future demand for farm products...

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Jones in Meadow Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jones...

Phm 3/c Robert Lee Craig left Sunday to report to Dallas after a 30 day leave here with his parents...

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Craig and son, Herbie, of Artesia were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. McPherson...

POSSUM FLATS... THANKSGIVING TABLE TALK



BY GRAHAM HUNTER

The Low Down From Hickory Grove

Not knowing on which side of the fence the readers of my essay may be and being kind of an independent geezer...

Like socialism, collective bargaining sounds good—during the talkin' stage. But today, in actual practice...

Yours with the low down, JO SERRA

The Woman Listener

By Sally Welles

THE BEVERLY HILLS Telephone Company doesn't need to include Ralph Edwards when they ask people to limit their outgoing calls...



Ralph Edwards

consequence, Ralph is losing his hair over the telephone situation, and looks forward to the day he can get another phone for his outgoing calls.

Charlotte Manson, promising young radio actress, is gradually winning herself the reputation of "most versatile"...

Papa David, played by Ralph Locke on "Life Can Be Beautiful", has a little sensible analysis for Chichi, when she weeps over a boner she has pulled...

Lon Clark's Mother may not have intended to "show a child the way he should go", but she did—and most effectively. When he was a

Need Of Fats And Oils Still Accute

New York—Confusion and destruction in the Philippines as the main cause of scarcity of industrial fats and oils is pictured by Kenneth B. Day...

Mr. Day, who has recently returned to this country after three years of internment by the Japanese, points out that until the coconut oil of the Philippines is again coming into this country...

"The whole inter-island transportation system, those small boats by which copra was picked up from the outlying districts, has been shot to pieces..."

Destruction doesn't even stop there, according to Mr. Day, who

explains that processing mills and refineries in the Philippines are first-class ruins. "From a distance, I saw the flames of one of our own mills burning, so I know of what I speak..."

"Our own bombs did a lot of damage and the retreating Japanese burned all they could. We can rebuild our mills, but we must first be able to get machinery, supplies and men. And even if they were in working condition, up to now we can't get any electric power in Manila to run the mills."

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Miss Mary Helen Marchbanks, of Lubbock, is here this week with her mother, Mrs. N. R. Marchbanks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hunter of Roswell were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Primm, last week.

Mesdames T. Betenbough and J. T. Gentry, of Tatum, and Mrs. A. E. Maroney of California, who is visiting Mrs. Gentry, were guests of Mrs. J. D. Bailey, Monday.

Guests in Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ferguson's home are her mother, Mrs. Myrtle Gerst, on San Benito, Texas, and her brother, Jimmy Gerst, who has just returned from military service in India

Mrs. Jake Gore spent the latter part of last week in Decatur with her father.

Alfred Mangum left Monday for El Paso to take his physical for military service.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Smith, of Denver, Colo., came in Wednesday to visit his mother, Mrs. D. B. Smith. He has just been discharged from the Air Corps.

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Lipton Tea, 1/4 lb. **27c**  
Pumpkin, Rosedale, No. 2 1/2 **14c**

Sunbrite Cleanser, can **5c**  
Bon Ami Powder, can **12 1/2c**  
Bab-O, can **11c**  
Hooker Lye, can **8c**  
Satina, 2 pkgs. **15c**  
Limit Starch, pkg. **10c**  
Zero Cleanser, qt. **19c**  
Clorox, qt. **23c**  
Scot Towels, roll **10c**  
Purex, qt. **15c**

Kraft Malted Milk, lb. jar **30c**  
Ovaltine, Reg. **38c**  
Folgers Coffee, 2 lb. **67c**

**G. E. MAZDA**  
**--LAMPS--**  
25-40-60 Watt **10c**  
100 Watt **15c**  
150 Watt **20c**  
200 Watt **27c**  
3 Way **55c**  
Plus Tax

Niblets Pepper Corn **18c**  
Corn, Nation Pride, No. 2 **15c**  
Catsup, Stokely's, 14 oz. **19c**  
Beets, Libby's, No. 2 **13c**

**ICE CREAM**  
Swift's Quality  
Vanilla - Cherry - Lemon  
Pints **20c**

Peas, Happy Vale, No. 2 **14c**  
Peas, Libby's Jumbo, No. 2 **19c**  
Sweet Potatoes, No. 2 1/2 **22c**

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**Soup** CAMPBELL'S TOMATO Can **9c**

**DRIED PRUNES** Large Size 2 lb. bag **32c**

**Sugar** PURE CANE Cloth Bag, 5 Lb. **34c**

**POP CORN** JOHNNY BOY Can **18c**

**MACKREL** VAL VITA Lb. Can **19c**

NEW CROP Lb. Pkg.  
**DRIED PEACHES** **32c**

**NIBLETS Corn** Can **16c**

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**SWEET POTATOES**, lb. **8c**  
**ORANGES**, Texas Juicy, lb. **10c**  
Pink Seedless  
**GRAPEFRUIT**, lb. **9c**

California Iceberg **LETTUCE**, lb. **12c**  
Paseal or Bleached **CELERY**, lb. **15c**  
South Texas **GREEN BEANS**, lb. **15c**  
Washington Delicious **APPLES** lb. **15c**  
**POTATOES**, No. 1 Idaho, lb. **5c**  
Fresh Onions... Radish... Cabbage  
Carrots... Turnips... Tomatoes  
Egg Plant... Squash... Cucumber  
Spinach... Beets... Peppers

Cherriots, pkg. **12c**  
Raisin Bran, pkg. **10c**  
Post Toasties, pkg. **9c**  
National  
Shredded Wheat, pkg. **12c**  
Wheaties, pkg. **11c**  
3-Minute Oats, large **27c**  
Malt-O-Meal, pkg. **22c**  
Ralston Cereal, pkg. **21c**

Crackers, Krispy, 1 lb. **19c**  
Catsup, Gal. Size **89c**

**Delmonico**  
Spagetti Dinner, pkg. **29c**  
Van Camp  
Tenderoni, pkg. **10c**  
Quaker Egg Noodles, pkg. **9c**  
Kraft Dinner, pkg. **10c**  
Skinner Spagetti, pkg. **8c**

Waldrof Tissue, roll **5c**  
Ginger Bread Mix, Duff's, pkg. **22c**  
Sun-Maid Raisins, Seedless **16c**

**PIGGLY WIGGLY**

What-A-Man' Griffin Hubs A Big Stump

A few weeks ago in these more or less read columns, we praised mail man Hayden Griffin to the skies—anyway pretty highly, and we meant it. We had come to the conclusion that there was few things that would stump Hayden. But there is or was.

He had a big Chinese elm out in front that was making such rapid growth that it began to raise his sidewalks, so he undertook to grub up that tree, part of which was under the sidewalk. Now a tree some two feet thick at the butt is no laughing matter to fell, especially if you take it up by the roots.

So-o-o, Hayden called in his farmer the next day to finish the job.

HANSBURGERS LEAVE FOR OHIO VIA DEEP SOUTH

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hansburger and son, Charles, of Millersport, Ohio, left late last week for their home after several days here looking after their property interests in the Johnson community, and "just visiting Brownfield."

If all the folks in Ohio are like the Hansburgers, that is a fine state to visit, when you are touring the country. They left via New Orleans and the deep south, before returning home. Come again good folks.

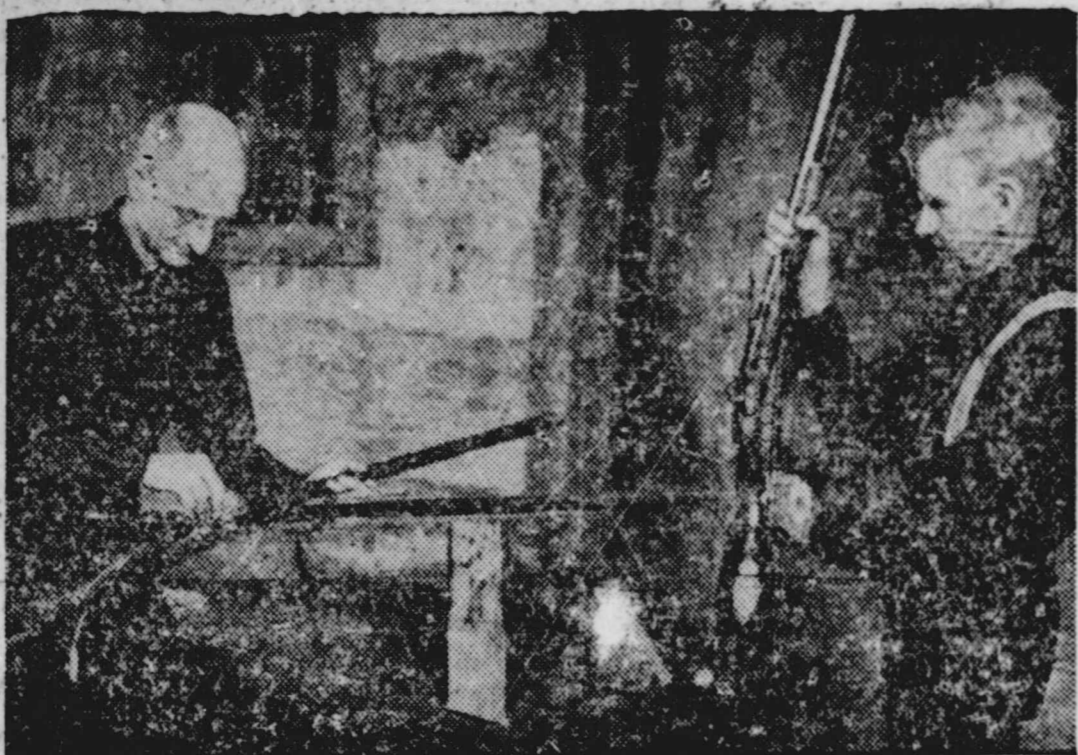
Mrs. Jack Walker left Tuesday to visit her husband who is with the Air Corps in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Holgate visited Mr. and Mrs. Barney Holgate in Amarillo last week.

Sgt. R. P. Turner, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Turner of Meadow, is home on a 70-day furlough. He has been in the army since Oct. 1940 and served 18 months in the U. S. I. theater of operations.

Murphy May is visiting in California before reopening his wholesale Magnolia business in Seagraves.

Dee Hartman was in town over the weekend visiting friends before going to San Antonio for his discharge papers from the army.



MUZZLE LOADING RIFLE ENTHUSIASTS PREDICT BRIGHT FUTURE FOR PIONEER "SHOOTIN' IRON"

Shades of our pioneers! Dann O. Taber, Columbus, Ohio, secretary of the Ohio Development Commission, is claiming a world's championship in the revival of an ancient art as an aid in the reconversion period.

With what? With muzzle-loading rifles! But wait a moment before you snicker! This revived industry, tucked in the famous Ohio hill country known the world over for its scenic caves, has steadily grown to an international organization of more than 6000 members from Norway to Ceylon, with its own national magazine. Every state in the country has a sizable membership. In interest it rivals the "big guns" literally and figuratively.

And that's not all. The group has its own shooting range and it is nearing time for the annual turkey-shoot which will attract thousands of addicts.

The germ was incubated by E. M. Farris, of Portsmouth, Ohio, who has served as secretary since the charter members first plunked down their fifty cents apiece. He says, "our servicemen love to think

Clyde Faulkner, son of Mr. T. J. Faulkner of Meadow, is home with his discharge papers from the navy. He enlisted in December of 1943 and served in the south Pacific.

Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Graves, Mr. and Mrs. Slim Schilling and Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Davis and children were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Money Price, Thanksgiving.

The family that doesn't keep electric extension cords, plugs and fixtures in good shape is in for a rude shock.

about getting back and picking up the old smoke-pole and burning the evil-smelling charcoal-salt petre-sulphur concoction.

"Pages of our publication," says Secretary Farris, "are open to the lowly groundhog hunter or the chap who can knock off a buck and they are doing it. The match-shooters share their experiences in our columns.

"Our first invitation proved the old firelocks had some grouping ability and has an appeal not found in the cartridge arms. The "roll-your-own" load does something to a guy—he becomes a 'critter' possessed."

Gunsmiths are being helped back into their shops to repair and recondition the frontier guns. It is expected that fine mechanics who will soon be out of uniform will go back into small shops all over the nation. Many new persons are anxious to try their hand at one or more type of gunsmithing.

Yes, whether it's styles or muskets, long skirts or short dresses, big hats or little ones, or peg-top pants, the old always returns.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred B. Smith of Oakland, Calif., are the parents of a baby girl, born Nov. 19. She was named Sharon Janelle. Alfred, recently discharged from the navy, plans to return to Brownfield in December.

Mrs. Cleo Barnett, who has been in Hamlin the past several weeks, returned Monday.

When raindrops hit the ground running they pick up a load of topsoil. Slow them down to a walk by farming on the contour.

Behind The Scenes In American Business

New York—There will be plenty of turkey and fixin's for Thanksgiving and Christmas and in some instances at least the price will be below ceilings. That it the story which chain stores get from its field buying offices, and it offers a sharp contrast to conditions which have prevailed for the past three years. For those who like statistics, the reports indicate that some 44,150,000 turkeys will be produced this year, which is 22 per cent more than were available last year and 44 per cent more than the 10-year average. With every possibility of an oversupply, retail prices for the first time since price control was instituted and trade sources believe that the price may drop even more if large numbers of birds are offered on a market that now has all it can absorb. As for fixin's, the second largest white potato crop on record is forecast, as well as a more than average amount of cranberries and nut meats, plenty of onions, squash, citrus fruits, sweet potatoes, celery and pumpkins.

Things to come—Chicago's first postwar apartment house, now under construction will have 80 electrical home freezer units in the basement for the use of tenants—a cheese concern will build a factory of stainless steel, inside and out, and additional ones, if they like it . . . London to New York in nine hours, or coast to coast in six hours. That's the time Pan American Airways expects to make with its new fleet of clippers . . . Long distance phone calls to be made by dialing rather than talking to an operator. That is the ultimate aim of American Telephone . . . Moving pictures with less flicker and clearer outlines. It involves duplicate films with shutters timed differently with the result that the screen is lighted continuously, even between boxes . . . Adhesives for postage stamps, envelope flaps and photomounts may be made from peanuts. A new glue made from them has characteristics which prevent it from becoming sticky in damp weather and prevent it from curling the paper.

Bits o' Business — Freight car shortages are almost as bad as last winter's. Wheat, corn and soybeans are moving slower than desired to markets. This grain car shortage exists while total carloadings are dropping from week to week . . . West coast lumber supplies are at their lowest, but outlook is good. It is largely a labor problem with C. I. O. and A. F. of L. demands differing . . . Agriculture officials believe cotton prices have about reached their peak and the Commodity Credit Corp., it is expected, will begin to sell stocks when the price goes to 25 points above parity.

The condition of Charlotte Don Rhyne who was stricken with Polio Oct. 27th seems to be improving. She was transferred Monday from Parkland Hospital to Scottish Rite in Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rhyne, the parents, have returned to Brownfield from Dallas where they have been staying since they carried Charlotte Don there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bowman and Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Gore and Alfred were in Memphis, Texas, the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bynum and children of Pecos, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Bynum.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Yantis of Lubbock were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Key, Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Redford and Sue were dinner guests of Mrs. Redford's aunt in Lubbock, Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Mason of Matador, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. McClain, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Cotton exports from the U. S. last season totaled two million bales as compared with 1.1 to 1.5 for the preceding four years.

A strong demand is in prospect for the record 1945 turkey crop of more than 44 million birds.

If you owe an ancient bill and your conscience won't be still, and your neighbors bear ill will—forget it.

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REVELATION 50c TOOTH POWDER (Limit 1) 33c

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