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THANKSGIVING



A Word of Appreciation

At this season when everyone pauses, bows his head, and gives thanks for his many blessings in spiritual life, food, clothing, shelter and a happy family life, we wish to add our thanks to the many friends who have helped our institution grow and be of better service to our community.

We are thankful for the continued patronage of our old customers and for the many new accounts that have been opened in recent months and years.

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DUFFAU

By Mrs. Pascal Brown

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Cooper and children of Sweetwater spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Land.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Childress of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Wash Childress of Stephenville visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Festal Elkins and family, and Mr. W. D. Elkins Saturday.

Mrs. Edwin Boucher and children of San Angelo are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Stringer and Jerry.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman (Preacher) Bowie and family are visiting in Florida and Georgia and will return here Nov. 30 to visit in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bowie.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Dicks of Louisville and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Ratliff of Grand Prairie visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Bowie the past week end.

Mrs. Carey Noble of Olin was visiting old friends in Duffau Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Rogers and daughters of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rogers and children of Bryan spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Burgan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Giesecke and sons spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Ash and son Dale of Stephenville spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Brown and family.

Glen Owen of Abilene preached at the Church of Christ Sunday and was a dinner guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Giesecke.

Paul Gillentine and Chris Nachtigall Jr. of Knox City spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Nachtigall and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roswell Martin and daughter of Stephenville Sunday with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Roach.

Bobby Ray Britton of Austin visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Britton and family the past week.

Mrs. J. D. Hutson, Mrs. Louis Hutson and Mrs. O. M. Evans were Christmas shopping in Waco Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sessom spent Sunday in Dublin at the bedside of their aunt, Mrs. Waldon, who is suffering following a stroke.

Several in the community have already installed their phones and are now in use.

Trena Engler of Bluff Dale is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Nachtigall.

Mrs. Alfred Thompson of California visited part of last week with her brother and Mr. and Mrs. Huel Lindsey and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Lindsey and sons Eugene and Galen of McGregor.

Mr. Fred Blackburn returned from Houston the past week where he had been a patient in the hospital there for a check up.

Wesley Jones of Lanham preached at the Methodist Church Sunday. He was accompanied by Mrs. Jones and children. They were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Festal Elkins and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Stringer visited in Fort Worth Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sumrall and baby.

Mr. C. V. Holt returned home Thursday from Pochontas, Ark., where he had spent the past week visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams of Clairette visited in the home of Mr. W. D. Elkins and family Sunday.

Don Lindsey entertained his Training Union Class of the Baptist Church Thursday night with a wiener roast at the gym.

Billie Bob Power is absent from school, ill with a virus infection.

Hico Church of Christ

J. B. TOMLINSON, Minister

A cordial invitation is extended to you at all times to attend the services of this church.

Schedule on Lord's Day:
Bible School, 10:00 a. m.
Preaching and Communion 10:45 a. m.

Young People's Service, 6:30 p. m.
Evening Worship, 7:00 p. m.
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Other services: Ladies' Bible class meets at 3:00 p. m. each Tuesday. Mid-week Bible study and Prayer service at 7:00 p. m. Wednesday.



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This Thanksgiving and every day let us give thanks, each in his own way, for the many gifts which many of us in rich America take for granted.

So that our staff may spend Thanksgiving with their families we will be closed throughout the day.



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Thanks...**

This week, in the spirit of the first Thanksgiving, let us give thanks to the Creator for all the blessings we have received . . . both as individuals and as Americans . . . a free people, living without fear in a free country. Like the Pilgrim Fathers, let us humbly acknowledge our debt to Divine Providence for all that we are and may hope to become. Like them, let us bow our heads in a prayer of gratitude to the Giver of "every good and perfect gift."

Barnes & McCullough
"Everything to Build Anything"
HICO, TEXAS

CARLTON

By Mrs. Fred Geye

Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Bingham celebrated their 60th Wedding Anniversary Sunday afternoon from 2 until 4 in the annex building at the Baptist Church. They received many nice and useful gifts. Out of town guests attending were Mr. and Mrs. Truett Jones, Mrs. Ralph W. Allen, Mrs. Laura Holloway, all of Dallas; Rev. and Mrs. Hugh Blair, Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bingham, Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Bingham, Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bingham and Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Bollier, Mrs. Fannie Sanders, all of Hamilton; Rev. and Mrs. E. E. Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wright, Hico; Mr. and Mrs. Claud Gibson, Dublin, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bingham of Cleburne.

Mrs. Eddie Welch of Dublin visited Saturday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. Mack Ellison.

Dow Self and family were Sunday afternoon visitors in Clairette with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Self.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Proffitt and daughter, Mrs. Layman Smith and two sons visited in Comanche Sunday with their son and brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Proffitt and Connie.

Mrs. John H. Clark and daughter, Mrs. Wilson of Cleburne visited Tuesday afternoon with her husband's uncle and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Nell Clark.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

CRANFILLS GAP, TEXAS
Norman Warren, Minister
Sunday morning Bible Study conducted at 10 a.m.
Preaching and Communion at 1 a.m.
Sunday night services conducted at 8 p.m.
Mid-week Bible Study is conducted at 8 p.m. on Wednesday.

Unity Baptist Church

Hico, Texas
BRO. HAROLD HITT, Pastor
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.
Preaching Service, 11:00 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.
The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

CONGREGATIONAL METHODIST CHURCH

RANCE FORSON, Pastor
CHURCH SCHEDULE
Sunday School—10 a. m.
Preaching Service—11:00 a. m.
Evening Services—7:00 p.m.
Prayer Meeting—7:00 p. m. Thursday.

DUFFAU CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday—
10:00 a. m. Bible Study.
11:00 a. m. Worship & Communion.
1:00 p. m. Herald of Truth, WBAP.
6:30 p. m. Young People's Class.
7:00 p. m. Evening Worship.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank the kind doctors and also the nurses that were so good and kind to me while I was in the Hico Hospital, and also the visitors that came to see me while there. Here is hoping for all a happy Thanksgiving. A Friend,
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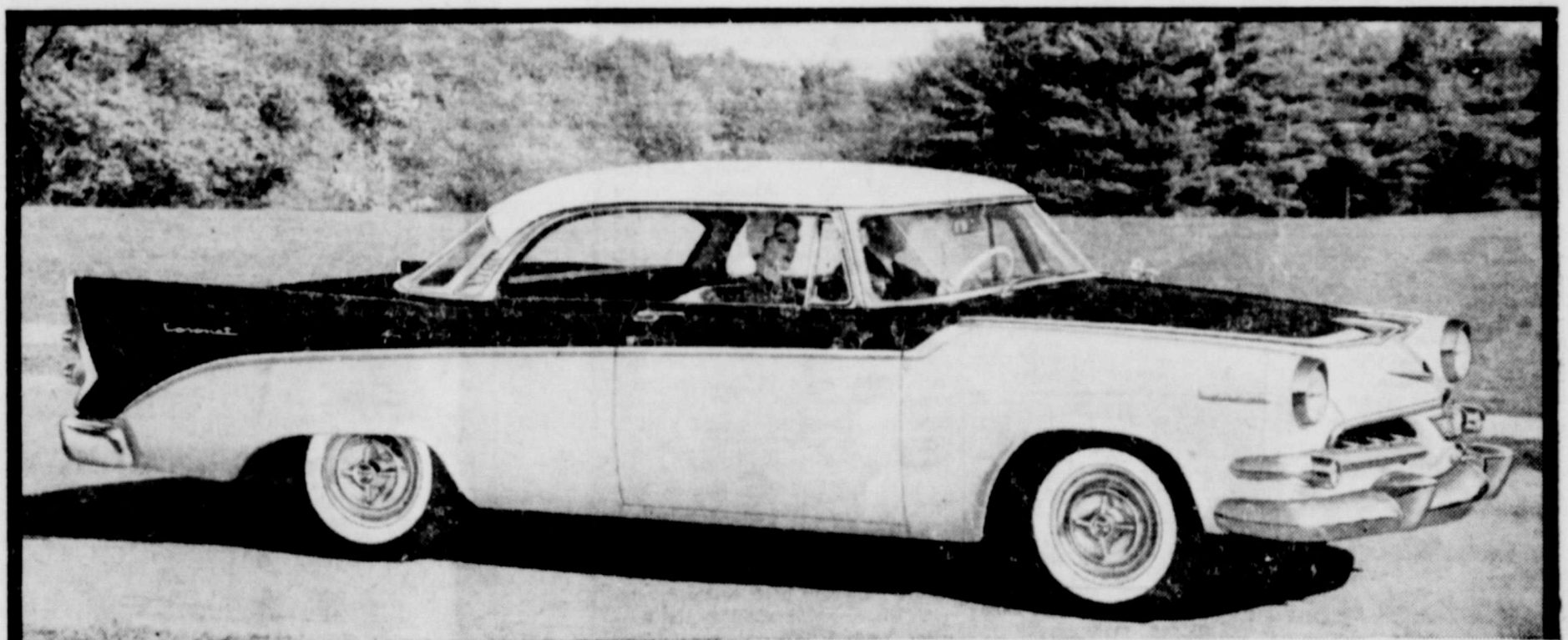
We are especially grateful to you, our patrons, for your support which has meant so much toward our success.

We wish you, every one, the happiest Thanksgiving ever, and pledge a continuance of our efforts to please you.



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CLUB and SOCIETY PAGE

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MR. & MRS. WILLIAM ROBERT JACKSON

Church Ceremony Unites Miss Mueller-Mr. Jackson

The First Baptist Church of Hico was the lovely setting Saturday evening, November 19, for the wedding of Miss Magdalena Mueller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Mueller of Gernindon, Germany, and Mr. William Robert Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Jackson of Hico.

The double ring candlelight ceremony was performed by Rev. Joe B. Taylor, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Hico, before the decorative setting of white chrysanthemums and greenery with tiered candelabra holding the cathedral tapers garlanded with greenery.

Pre-nuptial music was presented by Miss Oran Jo Pool of Odessa, organist, who also played the traditional wedding marches, Miss Thoma Rodgers, as vocalist, sang "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer."

Lighting the candles were Miss Linda Little of Gatesville and Sue Jackson of McCamey, both cousins of the groom. Their dresses were of coral tulle lace over taffeta, designed with strapless fitted bodice and lace boleros. The full skirts were waist-length.

Mrs. W. R. Orndorf of Dallas was the bride's only attendant. She wore a formal of aqua tulle over taffeta having a strapless bodice. Sequins accented her full skirt. Her headdress was of nylon braid with a half veil of tulle sprinkled with sequins. She carried a colonial bouquet of white chrysanthemums.

Leroy Brooks of Austin served

as best man. Groomsmen were Bill Orndorf of Dallas, Carter Parks of Snyder, and Ollie Little of Gatesville.

Given in marriage by the bridegroom's father, the bride wore a gown of Candlelight Chantilly lace featuring a portrait neckline and long fitted tapered sleeves. The moulded bodice extended to a scalloped effect at the waist. The extremely full skirt of lace over taffeta swept into a wide fan-shaped chapel train and was overlaid with inserts of pleated nylon.

The fingertip veil of imported illusion fell from a cap of lace and tiny seed pearls. She carried a bouquet of white carnations and stephanotis.

For her sons wedding, Mrs. Jackson chose a champagne colored faille with matching formal gloves and brown and bronze accessories. She wore a corsage of feathered bronze chrysanthemums.

A reception followed at the home of Miss Thoma Rodgers. In the receiving line were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jackson, the bride and groom, Mrs. W. R. Orndorf, and Leroy Brooks.

The bride's table held white chrysanthemums and greenery, and a three-tiered wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom beneath a wedding bell. The cake was surrounded by tiny white mums. The serving table was laid with white lace over white satin and appointed with crystal. The cake was served by Mrs. Ollie Little of Gatesville, aunt of the groom. Presiding at the crystal

Bride-Elect and Fiance Complimented At Rehearsal Supper

Mrs. Grady Hooper, Mrs. Maude Appleby and Mrs. Louise Angell complimented Miss Magdalena Mueller and her fiance, Billy Jackson, with a wedding rehearsal supper Friday evening at the Bluebonnet Country Club.

Guests were served buffet style from a table laid with a linen cut-work cloth and centered with an arrangement of yellow chrysanthemums, China and chrysalis appointed the serving table.

Guests were appointed individual tables by place cards. The table for the wedding party was decorated with place cards, a lovely arrangement of white chrysanthemums, and a colonial bouquet corsage for the bride-elect and a boutonniere for her fiance.

Turkey, congealed cranberry salad, potatoes with parsley, asparagus tips with french dressing, stuffed celery, olives, pickles, hot rolls, peach cheesecake, and coffee was served to the honorees, Miss Mueller and Mr. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Orndorf of Dallas, Misses Sue Jackson of McCamey and Linda Little and Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Little of Gatesville, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Brooks of Austin, Carter Parks of Snyder, Miss Thoma Rodgers, Mrs. Wayne Rutledge, Rev. and Mrs. Joe B. Taylor, Mrs. George Kornegay, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jackson, and the hostesses.

Linda Duncan Honored On 8th Birthday With Party, Saturday

Little Miss Linda Duncan celebrated her eighth birthday Saturday afternoon from two to four o'clock at her home with a birthday party. Games of various sorts were played, with candy bars given for prizes to the winners.

Refreshments of bottled drinks and chocolate cake were served with balloons, suckers and bubble gum as plate favors.

Those present were Kay Tooley, Steve Knudson, Denise Willis, Donna Kay and Juanita Faye Morgan, Sandena Hicks, Barbara Casey, Claudia Hafer, Margo Wolfe, Glenda Ogle, and little Miss Mittie Clair Garretson of Austin, and the hostess, Linda Duncan.

service was Mrs. Joe B. Taylor, Mrs. W. C. Howard was at the guest book.

For their wedding trip to San Antonio and South Texas, the bride chose a moss green taffeta tailored dress with black purse, shoes and hat, and white gloves. She wore a white corsage from her bouquet. Upon their return the couple will live in Midland.

The bridegroom, a graduate of Hico High School and Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, served four years in the U. S. Air Force. He was stationed 18 months at Furstenfeldbruck, Germany, where he met his bride. The bride, a professional seamstress who attended a trade school in Munich, Germany, three years, after completion of her high school education, arrived in this country Nov. 7.

Hico Review Club Met At Home of Mrs. Truman Roberts

The Review Club met Thursday, Nov. 17, at the home of Mrs. Truman Roberts. A Thanksgiving theme using artistic Fall arrangement, was the beautiful setting.

Delicious refreshments were served to a good representation of members.

Bible Day was observed with an inspiring message from Rev. Joe B. Taylor, who displayed various Bibles. They included the Hebrew, Greek, Standard American, Revised Standard, and King James types.

A brief history of the Bible began in Egypt in 400 or 500 A.D. Outstanding men who contributed to the early development of the Bible were John Wycliff, English version in 1380; William Tindale, an Oxford student, in 1525; and Miles Cloverdale in 1560.

Rev. Taylor gave three methods used in reading the Bible. In a "Santa Claus" method, the reader looks for the surprise. Reading a verse here and there is called the "Jig-Saw Puzzle" type. The historical method or study is the best type. In conclusion the speaker reminded the listeners that our understanding of the Bible determines our religion and gives nations of earth the hope of peace.

Mrs. Odie Petsick presided at the business meeting. On Dec. 1, the meeting will be with Mrs. Ellis Randals.

REPORTER.

Italian Spaghetti Supper Enjoyed by Members Of Country Club

Thirty members and guests of the Hico Bluebonnet Country Club met for an Italian spaghetti supper Thursday night at the club house. Games followed the dinner.

Hostesses were Mrs. W. C. Howard, Mrs. Jimmie Ramage, Mrs. E. V. Meador and Mrs. M. I. Knudson.

Mrs. Odie Petsick To Direct Study on 'Peace' For WSCS

A four-week study course entitled "To Combine Our Efforts for a Lasting Peace" was begun Tuesday afternoon by members of the Women's Society of Christian Service at the Hico Methodist Church under the direction of Mrs. Odie Petsick.

Mrs. Hord Randals, Mrs. Lusk Randals, Mrs. R. L. French and Mrs. J. T. Hale conducted a panel discussion, and Mrs. Edgar Elliott led the devotional.

Mrs. Marvin Marshall spoke on "What the United Nations Has Done to Establish Peace" at a meeting of the group Tuesday, and a United Nations film was shown.

Proceeds of \$30 from a rummage sale conducted last Saturday by the WSCS will be used for renovations at the parsonage.

Mmes. Mayfield And Havens Hostesses at Eastern Star Meeting

Mrs. Henry Mayfield and Mrs. Zona Havens, hostesses at a meeting of the Hico chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star at Masonic Hall Thursday night, served refreshments at a table centered with Thanksgiving decorations.

The group made plans for the official visit of the new district deputy matron, Mrs. Nina Jones of Hamilton, in January.

Mr. & Mrs. Hub Wolfe Will Observe 50th Anniversary, Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Hub Wolfe of Route 3, Hico, will celebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary at their home Sunday, November 27. Open house will be held from 2 until 5 p.m. They cordially invite their friends to attend.

Clairette H. D. Club Met Friday In Home of Mrs. Self

The Clairette Home Demonstration Club met Friday afternoon, Nov. 18 in the home of Mrs. Hassell Self. Roll call was answered by suggestions for handmade gifts for Christmas, with members bringing samples of handwork.

Mrs. Marvin Rush was in charge of the program, "How to Wrap Attractive Gifts."

Plans were made for a Thanksgiving dinner Tuesday night, Nov. 22 at the Clairette Community Center, for H. D. Club members and their families.

Refreshments of coffee and punch and cookies were served to 8 regular members and 3 visitors.



Enjoy Thanksgiving Dinner in our homey atmosphere. Feast your eyes on our savory menu. Come, feast the family!

TURKEY AND DRESSING
WALDORF SALAD CRANBERRY SAUCE
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PUMPKIN PIE
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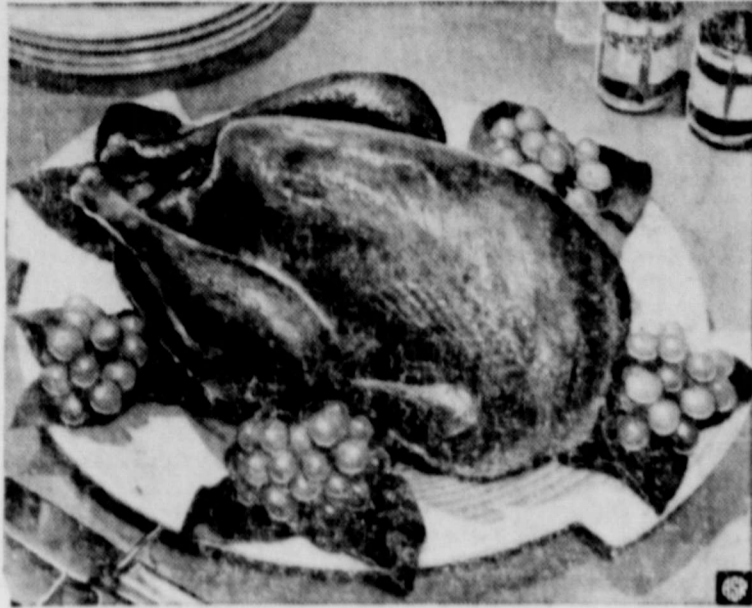
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Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday—

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"THREE FOR
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Junior Turkeys—Country Baked By Marie Gifford



"Old-fashioned cooking is still the best." You'll agree with this familiar saying when you roast your Junior turkeys as Grandmother used to—by Country Baking them.

Broad-breasted, meaty Junior turkeys weigh only 4 to 9 pounds when they're just right for eating, so they make a perfect choice for the average family. To determine the size to buy, allow about a pound, dressed weight, per person for each serving.

You may purchase these turkeys fresh-iced or quick-frozen, fully dressed, ready to stuff, truss and pop into the oven. To stuff these birds in a hurry, use the new already prepared herb-seasoned stuffing found in cellophane packages on your grocery shelf.

Because these birds have all white feathers, there are no troublesome dark pin feathers to remove. The semi-covered Country Bake method keeps the meat moist and protects the very thin skin of this special breed of birds from becoming dry and hard.

To Country Bake your turkey, place the already stuffed bird breast up on a rack in a roasting pan. Brush with 1/2 cup melted butter or margarine. Brown in a preheated (500°F.) oven for 20 minutes or until lightly browned. Baste turkey with the drippings. Cover with the lid of your roasting pan or with a piece of heavy duty aluminum foil crimped tightly to the edges of the pan. Turn the oven down to 325°F. to finish baking, allowing approximately the time indicated below.

Turkey Baking Chart

4 to 6 pounds . . . approximately 1 3/4 to 2 1/2 hours
7 to 9 pounds . . . approximately 2 3/4 to 3 1/4 hours

One half hour before the end of cooking time, carefully remove the cover, cut string to free legs, baste, cover and finish baking. Turkey will be done when leg moves easily and breast is fork tender.

CLAIRETTE

By Mrs. Lucile Mayfield

Mr. and Mrs. John Golightly attended conference at the First Methodist Church in Stephenville last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Landis and children of Denver City came for Mrs. Landis' mother, Mrs. Jessie Lee, who has been visiting relatives and friends for two weeks. The Busy Bee Club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Maida

Christian. Other than the members, there was one visitor present, Mrs. Cecil Hicks and babies of Hico. Next meeting will be with Mrs. Arvy Dowdy.

Mrs. Iva Golightly attended a safety association meeting at the Roosevelt Hotel in Waco last Friday. Valli Thompson of Fort Worth is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stidham of Fort Worth visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Golightly Saturday night.

Mrs. Zenith Johnson, Mrs. Jossie Alexander and Mrs. Nelda Bratton attended the H. D. Council meeting Wednesday afternoon at Stephenville.

John and Hub Alexander and Mrs. Zena Havens of Claiborne and Mrs. May McChristal of Stephenville visited recently in Waco with their brother, Grear, who is ill.

Mrs. Reba Carter visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Edwards in Dublin recently.

Zeph Carter and H. K. Self went deer hunting last week with several men from Dublin, Stephenville and other places, to South Texas. Mr. Self went along as cook for the group.

Mrs. Andy Duncan and Roger spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mayfield.

George Coats of McMurry College of Abilene and Rev. and Mrs. Weldon Thomas took supper Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Artie Thompson. Mr. Coats preached at the Methodist Church Saturday night.

Mrs. Iva Golightly, Mrs. Beulah Huckabee and Mrs. Zenith Johnson attended a teachers meeting at the First Methodist Church in Stephenville Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Ranceburger of Coleman visited recently at Thompsons station. The Ranceburgers used to own the old Head place and lived here. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Rush now own the place.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Cranfill of Burnet visited a few days recently with Mr. and Mrs. Ruff Christian.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Christian and family visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Smart of Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Sloan and daughter of De Leon visited Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Martin Sunday.

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LUTEFISK AND ROAST TURKEY DINNER

Friday night, Dec. 9 will be the annual Lutefisk and Roast Turkey Dinner at St. Olaf Lutheran Church in Cranfills Gap. Serving will begin at 5 p.m. and will be family style. Because they would

like everyone to enjoy this festive Scandinavian meal, they are charging only \$1.25 for adults and 75c for children under 12. No advance tickets are needed. Also lovely hand work for sale. St. Olaf Ladies Aid welcomes you. Remember the date—FRIDAY NIGHT, DECEMBER 9th.

Thanksgiving Greetings . . . To All . . .



This Thanksgiving we have much to be thankful for . . . principally for the friendship and patronage of 'the finest people in the world—our customers.'

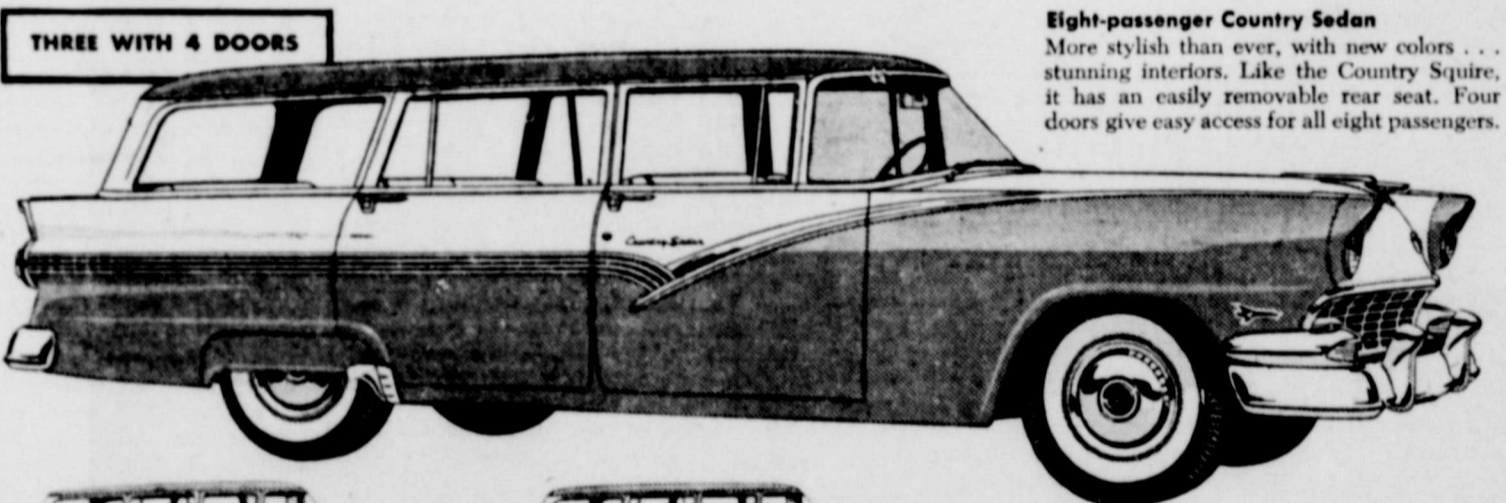
It is our desire to let you know of our deep appreciation and gratitude to those of you who have made our business a success.

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Eight-passenger Country Sedan
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Six-passenger Country Sedan
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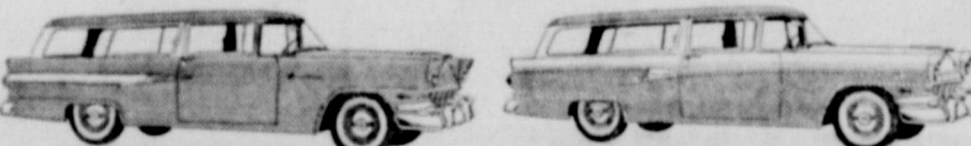
Country Squire
A queen among station wagons. Mahogany-finished steel panels give woodlike beauty to this luxurious, 8-passenger dreamboat.

There's more than meets the eye as to why Ford Station Wagons sell more than the two runners-up combined! Their Thunderbird beauty is apparent in all six models. But underneath that beauty there's a heart of "GO"—for the Thunderbird Y-8 engine is the standard eight in all Ford Station Wagons, at no extra cost. If you need any more reasons why Ford is your soundest station wagon buy—look into new Lifeguard Design which was designed for your protection . . . is found only in the '56 Ford.



THREE WITH 2 DOORS

Parklane
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A 6-passenger beauty that converts in a split jiffy from luxury liner to a super-spacious cargo carrier. Easy-to-clean interior can take it.

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IREDELL ITEMS

by Miss Stella Jones, Local Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Cotton Litch and son of Fort Worth spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Lela Tidwell.

Miss Reta Seely of Dallas spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Raymond Thompson.

Mrs. Nellie Davis of Sanatorium visited her mother, Mrs. Stella Davis this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wayne and son of Dallas spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. C. A. Mitchell and family.

Mr. L. C. Gosdin of Lubbock visited relatives here this week. He is the brother of the late W. R. Gosdin.

Rev. and Mrs. Bill Hamilton and children of Colorado City were recent guests of her parents, Mr.

and children of Belton visited her grandmother, Mrs. Stella Davis on Wednesday night.

Russell Luck of Dallas and Stanley and Chester Anderson of Wichita Falls came this week and enjoyed hunting. But never got anything.

The WSCS is sponsoring a Bazaar Saturday, Dec. 3, in the education building. The proceeds goes to the Methodist Church. Everyone come and buy something.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Anderson of Wichita Falls spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Patterson of Clifton visited his brother and wife the past Sunday.

Mr. Wince Perkins left Sunday for Houston to spend the winter with his children.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Koehler and baby of Lubbock spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Allen.

Mrs. Nola Wingron and her brother, Paul Patterson and Michael Wayne Wilson of Dallas spent the week end with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson and Mrs. Lorena Wilson.

The former Mildred and Mary Fass of Dallas and Fort Worth visited friends here Sunday. All were glad to see them.

Mr. and Mrs. Big Blue of Wauwate, Okla., visited his sister, Mrs. Lucious Golden this week.

Mrs. Hollon's obituary will be in next week's news.

and some close friends attended the wedding. Her father gave her in marriage. The bride wore a white chantilly lace gown made over white satin. Her illusion fingertip veil fell from a crown of pearls. She wore a pearl necklace, a gift from the groom. Her sister, Mrs. Harris, was matron of honor. Her husband was best man. A reception was at the home of her parents. All were enjoying it very much.

The happy couple were ready to leave when someone knocked on the door. A woman was there with her little girl, age 5. They were poorly dressed and were cold. The maid told them to go around to the back. "I am very hungry. My man went off last night. We drank some milk and this morning had coffee and toast." Ernie heard them talking and went in. She told him, "He got her and her child in a car and took them to a cafe. He gave the waitress a 5-dollar bill. "Keep the rest of it," he told her. He gave her a twenty dollar bill.

The bride wore wool gabardine suit of blue with blue hat, shoes and purse. The happy couple left amid showers of rice and good wishes from their many friends.

Ernie had a place in the largest bank there. In 10 days they were back home. When they came back their fathers presented them with a beautiful home. Some of the rooms were already furnished with 5 rooms and a bath. The next day the couple bought some other things. It was fun.

A young married couple told them they had been married 2 weeks and was without work. Ernie and Ola hired them to work for them. Their names were Corz and Charles Brown. Ola had quilts and bed linens at her home. They soon had their beds fixed. The hired help furnished their room.

His uncle, Mr. Brock, and family lived on a farm. He gave them a fine registered cow and a 6-week old calf and 2 dozen laying hens. The hired man tended to them. The couple were sitting in their living room enjoying themselves when someone knocked. A large crowd was there. Someone had went in a back room and left them a beautiful shower of gifts. They had a few games. The many beautiful gifts were brought in. Coffee and home-baked cakes were served. They were proud of them. Someone put an electric sewing machine in there. Got all kinds of electrical appliances.

Next day was a very busy day for them putting things away. His mother was there to dictate to them. Her mother and her sister were there also. They didn't dictate to them. They let them fix everything like they wanted them.

Mrs. Smith and child, who went to the home, returned home. She had a good gas heater. She bought some groceries with the money Ernie gave her. Her husband came in next morning. "I went off with some men and had a big time," he told her.

Mr. Hanson came over and offered him a job in his store. "I will sure take it," the man replied. That day he went to work. She will remember Thanksgiving day was a great blessing to them.

Mr. and Mrs. Brock were teachers in the Sunday School and enjoyed it.

Hope all will enjoy this story as much as I did in writing it. All try to make someone happy on Thanksgiving. All should be thankful for their many blessings and may all the readers enjoy the day.

(The End.)

THANKSGIVING STORY

By Stella Jones

Mr. and Mrs. John and Agnes Brock and their only son lived in a prosperous city in Texas. They came from another state a few years before the story opens.

Ernie, their only child, was well educated. He went through college. His parents were well to do people. His father had a store of general merchandise and was doing well. Ernie met a young lady and fell in love with her. Her name was Ola Hanson. She was well educated and was loved by all. Her parents were well to do. He also had a big store.

The parents had two other children. Mrs. Harris and Nolan, Ola's twin brother. He was in Japan.

One morning just a few days before Thanksgiving, while the family was at breakfast, Ernie said, "Ola and I are going to marry on Thanksgiving." His mother knew Ola but she didn't like the idea of him leaving. She was a woman who tried to boss her son. Ernie was past 21. She asked her son, "Do you really love her?" "Sure I do." His father looked up from his morning paper and said "Sure he loves her. It is not puppy love." His father said, "Son I give you my blessing."

Ernie and Ola were happy, he thought. When he gets away from home his mother would not be meddling with his affairs. Wait and see how she does.

Thanksgiving day was a bright day but was cold. The wedding was at the home of her parents at 5 p.m. Dr. Brooks, their Methodist pastor, read the ceremony. The parents and other relatives



THANKSGIVING

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Sunday, November 27.—
10:00 a.m. Sunday School Session.
11:00 a.m. Divine Services with Holy Communion.
2:30 p.m. Rock Church Communion Services.
7:00 p.m. Junior Luther League.
Wednesday, November 30.—
7:00 p.m. Choir rehearsal.

IT HAPPENED—

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school teacher. Inquiry revealed that the good man was accused of trying to run the church any time that he offered a suggestion as to the affairs of the church. In theory every person in the church has equal rights, but let a retired minister offer a suggestion and he is instantly accused of trying to run things.

Now I am a Baptist and have said this about my own people whom I love, but I most assuredly do not subscribe to that sort of democracy that denies a man of his equal rights with all others of the church.

If we believe in democracy, let's practice it wherever we are.