

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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HICO, TEXAS

CARLTON

By MRS. FRED GEYE

Sid Fine underwent surgery last Tuesday at the Medical Arts Building in Dallas for the removal of a cataract from his eye. He is doing fine and expected to be home this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Thompson and daughter Angela of Hamlin spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hob Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Sharp.

Week-end visitors with her mother, Mrs. Lilla Byrd, were her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Moss and children, Carla and Terry of Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lunford and children moved last week from the George Williams farm to the residence near the school building formerly owned by Mrs. Eunice Daniel.

Mrs. P. W. Jones returned Thursday to her home in Quannah after a visit with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Vick.

Mrs. Sid Fine and children of San Angelo are staying with her husband's grandmother, Mrs. S. W. Fine while the later's son and wife are in Dallas.

Mrs. Tull Thompson returned home Saturday from the Dublin Hospital where she had been a patient for several days. A daughter, Mrs. Bruce Hobbs of Hale Center, returned to her home Monday after caring for her mother the past week. Another daughter, Mrs. Cecil Norris of Lubbock is with her parents this week helping with her mother, Mr. Norris was a visitor in the Thompson home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Young and children of Lupe were week end visitors with her parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Mercer and Cecil Mercer and family.

Mrs. Leo Chambers visited at Dublin last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tull Stroud. Thurman Thompson of Fort Worth spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tull Thompson and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Warren and daughters of Dublin were week-end visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geye.

Connie Mack Self visited over the week end at Huckabay with Hueyln Duvall.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Welch of Dublin were dinner guests Thurs-

day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Ellison.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Taylor of Lamkin were visitors Saturday with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geye.

Mr. and Mrs. Fern Jordan and Gary had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Simmons and Eugene of Dallas, Miss Karen Adair of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Lambert of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jordan Sr., Carlton and Mrs. Fern Gene Jordan of Abilene and Davis Simmons of Cleburne.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hopson and Carole Jean of Dallas spent Friday with her parents and brother, Mrs. Marie Turner and Sam Jr. Last Sunday they attended the funeral of their cousin, Sid Dickerson in Hico.

CRANFILLS GAP GIRL NAMED CANDLE EDITOR AT NTC
Denton, Nov. 25—Karen Rohne of Cranfills Gap has been named Candle editor of Phi Upsilon Omicron, national honorary home economics fraternity, at North Texas State College.

Miss Rohne, a 1954 graduate of Cranfills Gap High School, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest J. Rohne of Route 3, Hico. She is a senior home economics major and is also a member of the Ellen H. Richards Club.

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DAY OF FAMILY GET-TO-GETHERS, FUN AND THANKSGIVING



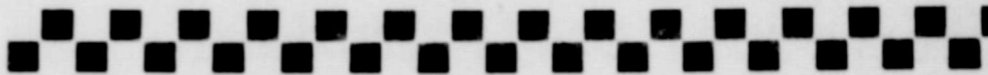
Yes, Thanksgiving is a day for family-get-togethers, good fun and reverence. Although they had little by comparison, the little band of Pilgrims attended divine worship and gave thanks before sitting down to the first Thanksgiving meal with their Indian friends.

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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A SPIRIT OF



IN THE SPIRIT OF THANKSGIVING LET US GIVE THANKS FOR ALL GOOD THINGS THAT IT HAS BEEN OUR PRIVILEGE TO ENJOY IN THE PAST YEAR

AS INDIVIDUALS, WE ALSO FIND THAT MANY FAVORS HAVE COME OUR WAY!

So it is at this season that we join in extending thanks to all of our good friends and customers for their kind patronage. We have enjoyed serving you and sincerely hope you will continue to give us your support in the future.

MAY YOU AND YOUR LOVED ONES ENJOY THIS SEASON OF THANKSGIVING!

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GULF NO-NOX
the "high-value" gasoline

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HICO, TEXAS

FAIRY

By MRS. EUNICE DANIEL

We have had cooler temperature the past few days with ice in evidence Monday morning.

We were very sorry to learn of the passing of Mr. R. D. Hedgpeth of the Liberty Ohio community south of Hamilton who died Saturday morning at his home following several months illness. Funeral services were held at the Sardin Baptist Church in Hamilton Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock with burial in the Liveoak Cemetery. It will be remembered by many that Mr. Hedgpeth's son, Armo Hedgpeth and also his daughter, Gladys were former members of the Fairy school faculty. The Hedgpeth family have many friends here who extend sympathy to the family in this time of sorrow.

Mrs. Frank Driver was bitten on the right arm by a poisonous spider some time Monday of last week. She was very sick Monday night and was conveyed to the Clifton hospital Tuesday morning where she remained until Friday afternoon for treatment. Glad to report her able to be up. The Driver's daughter, Mrs. Calvin Anderson of Grand Prairie came down and stayed with her father during Mrs. Driver's absence, as he hasn't fully recovered from recent major surgery.

The writer and daughter, Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers spent last Wednesday in Dublin visiting in the

home of our daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Allison and to also visit with our granddaughter and niece, Mrs. Wayne Pittman of Mesquite who was visiting in the home of her parents.

Cabert Daniel spent Monday night in Fort Worth in the home of his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Marty Haire and to be with his son, Billy, who left for induction into the service Tuesday. Billy made his home with the Haires.

We forgot to make mention in last week's news that we had received a donation of \$5.00 for the benefit of the Fairy Cemetery, accompanied by an unsigned note: "In memory of Uncle Bob." We extend thanks to the donor.

Some observed last Thursday as Thanksgiving while some are observing Thursday of this week. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Allison were looking forward to having several of their children and families home for Thanksgiving this week.

The writer attended singing Sunday afternoon at the Assembly of God Church in Hamilton and after singing hours visited at the rest home with Mrs. Minnie McCarty. Glad to report her almost recovered from a rash which she had been suffering for several weeks. Mrs. McCarty has been bed-ridden for almost eleven years due to a broken hip and also a stroke, but she bears her affliction with patience. We enjoyed our short visit with her and glad to report her so jolly. We also stopped at the Frank Driver home a few minutes on our return home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers and the writer spent last Friday in Waco Christmas shopping.

Yes, Christmas is just around the corner. We note Christmas shopping is beginning early this

year, which is a good policy. If preparations are made early Christmas will be a pleasure and not a dread as it so many times is.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Driver of Grand Prairie spent the week end visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Driver and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Wolfe.

Mr. and Mrs. Clancy Blue of Hamilton were visitors Sunday in the home of Mr and Mrs Frank Driver and to be with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Driver.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Sowell spent last Sunday week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Thornton and family. Mrs. Sowell is the former Miss Francis Thornton. She and Sidney are graduates of Fairy high school. The Sowells formerly resided at Albuquerque, N. M. but have recently moved to Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Hammitt of Fort Worth visited here recently with relatives and friends. Mrs. Hammitt is the former Miss Barbara Lewis, also a graduate of Fairy high school.

Some of our farmers have been busy tilling the soil the past week and some have been sowing grain. We are needing rain again and it is doubtful if there is sufficient moisture to bring up the late sown grain.

Mrs. Myrtle Dickerson and son, Mr. Cox of New Mexico visited a short while last Wednesday with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Brittie Little. Mrs. Dickerson is making arrangements to visit a while in the home of her son.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Leonard are rejoicing over the arrival of a little daughter, who made her arrival at the Hico Hospital Monday at 8:30 p.m. She has been christened Melody Gay. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Leonard of the Lanham community. The maternal grandmother is Mrs. M. E. Parks of Fairy. Mrs. Leonard is the former Miss Elsie Parks of Fairy.

A very good crowd attended the Junior play here last Saturday night.

The writer attended funeral services at Hico Saturday afternoon for Luther Hall. Mr. Hall had been working at the Daniel produce at Hico since our husband opened the business about a year ago. Although he was unable to do strenuous work he seemed to enjoy helping with what he could at the market. During our husband's vacation last August we worked at the market and it was our privilege to talk with Luther concerning life, its many obstacles and the here-after. He seemed to realize that his days were limited and very uncertain, and in our conversations with him he seemed prepared to go. He had always been reliable in every way with

us and will be greatly missed at the market and otherwise. Our deepest sympathy is extended to his dear aged mother, brothers, sisters, and families in this time of sorrow.

We wish for all who are happy, a happy Thanksgiving. To those in sorrow may we say, God bless you and may you look forward to brighter days ahead.

Mrs. Bill Lackey visited a while last Friday night in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Don Beck of Stephenville.

On our return home from Waco last Friday we stopped for a short while at the Clifton hospital where we visited Mrs. H. R. Brummett, who has been hospitalized there since being injured in a car wreck early in October. She hopes to be able to return home soon. Mr. Brummett, who was less seriously injured is able to be up and about, but is still unable to lift his right arm without aid.

ALEXANDER

By MRS. ALICE WILSON

Rev. E. E. Dawson of Hico preached here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Austin of Breckenridge spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Truett Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenard Chaney visited Mr. and Mrs. Billie Sherrard and son Buck at Stephenville. Buck has been ill several days in the Stephenville Hospital.

The WMU met Tuesday evening at the Baptist Church and quilled.

Rev. and Mrs. Carol Johnson are the proud parents of a son, born Sunday at the Dublin Hospital.

Mrs. Edna Monroe spent several days with relatives at Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Driver and daughters spent the Thanksgiving holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ramey of Eunice, New Mex.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Inabnet and daughter, Lola Mae Mitchell spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Billie Jack Caraway and daughter at El Paso.



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And all the many other things which constitute America . . . Freedom of Opportunity for every person to enter the work of his choice . . . that is America. For this America we give our heartfelt thanks.

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SYMPTOMS AT ONE TIME...
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PROVEN COLDS MEDICINE

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\$7.00 per 100 lbs.

BUYING WILL START AT HAMILTON DEC. 3rd. Henry Drueckhammer, Buyer.

Buying should last until about December 15th

Do not gather when wet. Do not gather without berries. Do not stack over two feet deep unless you have decks and bring only fresh mistletoe that has been gathered less than a day.

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It's Thanksgiving Time Again . . .



Whether you observed the national or the Texas Thanksgiving, we join with you and your family in giving thanks in this great country where there is so much to be thankful for.

We Will Be Closed All Day, Thursday, November 29

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To Be Given Away On The Following Dates ---

Saturday December 15

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Saturday December 22

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\$400 to \$500 to be Given Away FREE During These Four Days

Watch Paper for Participating Merchants. Tickets will be given away starting Sat., December 1st

Thanksgiving Meditations . . .

By J. B. TOMLINSON

Minister, Hico Church of Christ

It is well and good that man, from time to time, should pause in his earthly course and thankfully consider the blessings that attend his way. Someone has said that ingratitude is the number one sin of the human race. Unquestionably it is a tremendous sin. It is not a single act of wrongdoing, but a compound offense against a just and benevolent God.

Not all God's blessings are measured in three dimensions. If there has been some instance

of sorrow and grief in our recent experiences, let us thank God that hereby we have learned to be more appreciative of life when the travelling is smooth; and let us thank Him for comforting us in our mourning.

If we have suffered in any way because we pursued a course of integrity, because we determined that we would not violate our consciences, let us thank God for the good that has resulted to our souls thereby.

If we have seen others in need of our help and encouragement, and we have responded to such need, let us thank God for this opportunity we have had to show mercy, knowing that we are ever in need of His mercy.

If we have been instrumental in re-establishing a state of friendship between those who had become estranged, let us thank God we had this opportunity to be of help to our fellowman.

And, finally, of course: For every blessing, material and spiritual, temporal and eternal, let us now praise and thank Him from Whom all blessings flow!

Two-Year Secondary Road Program Is Inaugurated In Texas

The Texas Highway Commission has taken the first step to inaugurate a new two-year Secondary Road Program for Texas. E. H. Thornton Jr., Chairman of the Highway Commission, stated that the funds for this 1957 and 1958 program derived from federal-aid highway funds, matched with state highway funds on a dollar-for-dollar basis.

Thomas C. Collier, District Engineer of the Texas Highway Department at Waco, has stated that the following road in this area is scheduled for work under this program:

From F. M. 221 East of Shive, South to U. S. 84 West of Evant, a distance of approximately 8.9 miles.

Mr. Collier stated that the Commission has authorized the development of some area roads which will serve the dual purpose of providing service to the adjacent land as well as aiding in the development of the entire state.

Resident Engineer Bruce R. Morton will be in charge of the work in this area.

Hico Theatre

NOTICE

Show Starts 7:00 P.M.

1:00 P. M. — Sunday Matinee

Friday & Saturday—



Also



Sat. Midnight, Sun. & Mon.—

"AWAY ALL BOATS"

Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday:

"AUTUMN LEAVES"

LETTERS from Readers

To the voters:

Why will people mis-represent and discount the truth? People, don't let this group who are for the bond issue make you believe the things they are telling. It is just to get your vote. Our taxes will be one-third more. One of the leaders for the bond issue told me so himself. They have it already figured out.

You farmers are going to be the hardest hit. They want to take money from your blue jeans and put it in their grey flannel pockets. Why don't they tell the people what their taxes will be. Taxes is the issue. Not what they are telling and talking about. God's all seeing eye sees all things and his judgments are swift and sure. You will meet in the judgment the things you have done and said the last few weeks. I've been in our local hospital at Hamilton three times the last two or three years and Blue Cross has paid off promptly every time. They do every patient the same way, regardless of what is being told. If you vote for this bond issue, this will be the last time you will have any say whatsoever. The commissioners court will have the say then. Of course they will be controlled by this clique.

There is a rumor that Hamilton County has money they haven't said anything about. Why don't they pay the heavy county and city debt that is hanging over our county and city. Last year we found out we owed a large payment on our court house too. Everyone can talk to his or her neighbors and get people more interested. You can take people to the polls to vote. You can counteract the false things that are being said. Let us try to undo some of the cruelty that is being done by the group who are for the bond. If they build this hospital it will be closed in a few years. It will be a white elephant to pay taxes on.

Work voters to defeat this bond issue. Gatesville Hospital has a rich man who helps them out when they get in a tight.

HERTIE GRISHAM,
Hamilton, Texas.

National Safety Awards Earned By Lone Star Gas Co.

Transmission division employees of the Lone Star Gas Company have earned two National Safety Council top awards for highway safety and safe practices in gasoline plant operations. The awards, received by A. W. Breehan, assistant director of personnel in charge of safety, hang in the Dallas office of J. M. Kindle, superintendent of operations for the transmission division, and C. R. Rogers, superintendent of the gasoline department.

The National Fleet Safety Contest Award presented to Mr. Kindle is the fourth consecutive award of its standing to be earned by Transmission employees since 1953, when they won second place. In 1954 Transmission employees bested all comers for top honors. This year and last year they were second place winners. The contest runs from July 1 through June 1 of each succeeding year.

For Lone Star Transmission fleet drivers, the contest represents some 600 to 700 fleet units operating an estimated nine million miles with an accident frequency second lowest in the nation in the Gas Industry, Gas Transmission System Group.

The award to the Gas Department, presented for "Achievement in reducing the frequency of disabling injuries," represents a 47 per cent reduction in lost time injuries for this department during the contest year of 1955.

Texas-A & M Game Will Be TV Feature Thanksgiving Day

Probably one of Texas' largest football audiences will see and hear Humble Oil & Refining Company's broadcast and telecast of the Texas-Texas A & M game Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 29.

More than twenty television stations and 65 radio stations will carry the game.

Kern Tips and Alec Chesser will describe the color and action over the television network beginning at 1:45 p.m. over several area stations.

Ves Box will describe the play-by-play action and Eddie Barker will furnish the commentary on the colorful highlights over radio stations in this area.

The broadcast of three Southwest Conference football games this Saturday will conclude Humble Oil & Refining Co.'s football coverage for 1956.

The Baylor-Rice game will be broadcast from Waco, with Ves Box and Eddie Barker covering the play-by-play and color action.

The SMU-TCU game will be played in the Cotton Bowl in Dallas with Kern Tips and Alec Chesser on hand to provide the descriptive details of play-by-play action and color highlights.

The Texas Tech-Hardin Simmons game will be broadcast from Abilene, with Bob Walker and Jerry Doggett announcing.

HAPPY
Thanksgiving
TO ALL!

We invite you to eat your Thanksgiving dinner with us, Thursday, Nov. 29.

M E N U

Turkey and Dressing
Cranberry Sauce Giblet Gravy
Green Beans Candied Yams
Stuffed Celery
Hot Rolls Butter
Pumpkin Pie
Choice of Drink

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SELLER REMAINS LIABLE WHEN BUYER ASSUMES MORTGAGE

Henry Jones decided to sell his home for \$15,000 and when a buyer was found, the question arose as to how the buyer should finance the purchase.

Henry had a mortgage on his house, with a balance of \$10,000, and the buyer suggested that Henry permit him to take over the mortgage payments, paying Henry the difference of \$5,000 in cash. This, argued the buyer, would save him the trouble and expense of getting a new loan himself and so Henry agreed.

Several years after the deal was closed, Henry received a letter from his bank advising that the payments on the mortgage were far in arrears and that he would have to pay or a lawsuit would be filed.

Henry was surprised to learn that he was still liable on the original obligation, and that if the property could not be sold at foreclosure to bring enough money to pay the mortgage balance and the costs, he would have to pay the difference.

Of course, Henry might have sued his buyer for his loss, but the chances would be that the buyer is insolvent and "judgment-proof," so that Henry could not collect a judgment against him.

When a mortgage is assumed by a purchaser of real estate, the financial institution still holds the original note which was signed by the seller. If Henry had contacted his bank and obtained a release of liability, Henry would, of course, have been cleared of all further responsibility of the obligation.

Henry's bank, however, would have no reason to release Henry and might be reluctant to do so unless the bank's investigation disclosed that the buyer was at least as credit-worthy as Henry. The bank may also have had additional problems concerning releasing Henry from the obligation if the loan was of the FHA or GI type.

The danger of permitting an assumption of your mortgage loan may, therefore, be considerable.

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Hico, Texas, Friday, Nov. 30, 1956

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 business 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.

And our thanks would not be genuine and complete without thanking the Almighty for the blessing of freedom and religious worship and speech. May all of us enjoy this privilege forever.

THREE REGISTERED PHARMACISTS ON DUTY

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THANKSGIVING

Greetings

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25 LBS. BETSY ROSS	Flour	\$1.69	RUBY RED	Grapefruit	3/25¢
1 LB. PKG. DROMEDARY	Pitted Dates	35¢	FRESH DRESSED	Hens	lb. 36¢
SCOTT	Tissue	9/\$1.00	SLAB SLICED	Bacon	lb. 43¢
NO. 2 CAN WOLFE	Chili	49¢	PRESSED	Ham	lb. 39¢
1 LB. BOX SUPREME	Crackers	25¢	AMERICAN	Cheese	lb. 49¢
NO. 2 CAN LUCKY LEAF	Pie Apples	25¢	CLUB	Steak	lb. 49¢
3/4 OZ. ARMOURS	Potted Meat	2/15¢	- Dietetic Foods -		
12 OZ. STRAWBERRY	Preserves	27¢	303 CAN	Tomatoes	26¢
303 GURDIAN	Dog Food	can 10¢	9 1/2 OZ. DIETETIC	Peanut Butter	43¢
303 CAN MAYFIELD	Corn	2/25¢	CHOCOLATE & VANILLA DIETETIC	Pudding	25¢
2 1/2 OZ. BOTTLE MARASHINO	Cherries	10¢	303 CAN DIETETIC	Fruit Cocktail	36¢
5 LB. BAG	Oranges	29¢	PINT BOTTLE SUGAR FREE	Beverage	15¢
			303 CAN DIETETIC	Green Beans	34¢

HERRINGTON'S

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IREDELL ITEMS

By MRS. C. A. MITCHELL

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wiseman and family of Atlanta, Kansas visited her sister, Mrs. John Tidwell, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Burns and son Rickie, of Irving visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Burns Sr. this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Clark of Fort Worth are visiting her mother, Mrs. Zella Manness and sister, Mrs. Verna Musick this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Allison

and son of Fort Worth spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gosdin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Echols of Waco spent the week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Auther McElroy and Mrs. Mammie Echols.

Mrs. R. Y. Patterson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Nola Wingren and son Paul, in Dallas. Paul is ill.

A miscellaneous shower honoring Miss Doris Norine Fillingim, bride-elect, of Charles Eugene

Blakley, was given Saturday at the Iredell Baptist Church. Sixty guests registered. She received a lot of nice gifts of which she was proud. The Baptist and Methodist ladies were hostesses. Out of town guests were Mrs. J. B. Woodard, Mrs. Derel Fillingim, Mrs. A. J. Clark and Mrs. Don Ross from Hico; Mrs. O. E. Whitson and Mrs. L. F. Bonner of Fairy; Mrs. Francis Blakley and Mrs. Wayne Allison of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Zella Manness, who worked in Dallas has returned home. Mrs. Minnie Falls of Waco spent the week end here.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles Wade are visiting their son and new grandchild in Houston.

Mr. R. J. Williams and Mr. S. Sims and Charlie Mitchell of Dallas spent the week end here deer hunting.

Mr. Rex Mitchell of Houston spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Cora Mitchell.

Mrs. H. G. Carter, Mrs. A. W. Brown Sr. and son Andy of Dallas and Mrs. Maggie Addie of Brownwood visited the C. A. Mitchell family Sunday.

Mrs. Katherine Casey and Mrs. Maggie Addie of Brownwood visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Betsy Phillips and Mrs. Pauline Hanshaw spent the week end in Sterling City with their husbands.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williamson of Beaumont visited friends and relatives here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Wagner, Cynthia and Don Ray of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kirkland and Doris and James Sunday.

NAVY ENLISTMENT QUOTAS FOR THIS AREA INCREASED

The quota for enlistments in the Navy from this area is increased for the months of November and December, Chief W. W. Wells, the local Navy recruiter announced.

Increased requirements for Naval operating forces has caused an urgent need for more ships and men in the U. S. Navy.

Inquiries as to how one may enlist in the Navy and help supply this needed manpower should be addressed to the local Navy Recruiting Station or visit the local recruiter in the Hill building at 8th and Franklin in Waco.

Chief Wells will be in Hico each Thursday at the Post Office from 11:00 to 12:00 noon.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my appreciation for the many kindnesses extended me during my recent hospitalization. I especially want to thank the doctors and the staff at the Hico Hospital and all of my friends for the many cards and lovely flowers. May God's richest blessings rest on each of you.

MRS. JOHN HAINES.

NOTICE

Annual family style dinner, St. Olaf Lutheran Church, Cranfills Gap. Lutefish, Home-made bread, melted butter, cream sauce, roast turkey, dressing, potatoes, gravy, buttered green beans, cranberries, fresh fruit salad, assorted pies, coffee. Friday, Dec. 7, beginning at 5:00 p.m. Lovely hand work for sale. Adults, \$1.25; children, 75c. 30-21c.



THANKSGIVING

• Another Thanksgiving has come, and we again have the privilege of giving thanks to our many friends and customers.

We are not only thankful to our friends, but we are thankful that we live in a community filled with such friendly, congenial people—and in a nation that is still free and blessed by the graces of an Almighty Father.

— We Will Be Closed Thanksgiving Day —

BAKER POLAR BEAR

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Baker



Commemorating the first harvest celebration of the Pilgrims we give our thanks for the blessing of living in this country today, and take this opportunity to express our deep appreciation for the loyalty of our friends and neighbors.

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Could be HALF A MILLION DOLLARS OR MORE. You, Mr. Taxpayer, and YOU, Mr. and Mrs. Shopper of Hamilton County. Increased taxes on your home; your merchants and suppliers will have to increase the price of groceries, clothes, etc. to pay you. The farmers, ranchers, wage earners, and pensioners—PAY & PAY!

INDUCEMENT FOR INDUSTRY & New Business?

NO. High taxes and renditions are no inducement to attract business.

DO YOU WANT--

Your Property rendition increased? NO! With privilege of unlimited taxes, doubling your rendition is possible. Too late to do anything about it!

FREE HOSPITAL CARE?

Will you or can you take a Pauper's Oath? If so, you have become eligible for County's Pauper Care. For your health or your funeral.

GOVERNMENT AID?

Is it worthwhile—and definitely not free? Who furnishes money to the Government? You do; so, therefore, more taxes. Certain specifications must be compiled with. These cost more money and more taxes.

WILL YOU MORTGAGE?

Or Increase the MORTGAGE on Your Property? Unless you receive something in return, it's foolish. You are doing just this for an indefinite number of years—probably your lifetime and that of your children and grandchildren. You CAN'T ever pay this one off.

THE \$64,000 QUESTION?

What, Where, How, and for what is the money to be used? A County Hospital, or will it be a POOR FARM for the over-burdened TAXPAYERS? The PROMOTERS haven't told you what to expect—Now, have they?

If you do NOT want to be a Co-Signer of Mortgage and the BLANK CHECK for your lifetime, you had better VOTE AGAINST IT. Get your neighbors and friends to do the same.

IF YOU DO NOT VOTE, IT IS A VOTE FOR IT

