

# STERLING CITY NEWS-RECORD

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## BALLAST

BY BABBLER

Kerrville, Texas

Clarence and I made Fredericksburg in time for City Cafe's famous catfish dinner. Exactly a year ago we were at the same place, eating the same thing. And there is no better eating. These fish are stall fed, fresh killed and properly cooked. There is all you will want in a forty cent order. We always order double.

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In Legion the father is resting nicely, definitely improved and making a big hit with the nurses. We've always regretted that we never inherited his winning way with the women.

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In Kerrville Game Warden J. J. Dent is hard to find. Boys are killing does and J. J. is meteing out justice. J. J. isn't hard; in fact he is liberal and kind, but he enforces the Game laws.

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Bob Mogford, and his kid brother John show us over the Bear Creek Ranch. This is Texas Pride Dude Ranch and Sportsmens Paradise. Deer from practically all points of the globe, and all description of water fowls and rare animals are running loose, but fairly tame.

Some day we shall write a book giving details of the club house and stables. We looked at a \$15,000 horse; fearing to touch him lest he vanish. Saw several other blue ribbon horses that far out classed anything that ever before paraded before these boss loring eyes.

Finding Marvin Keys house locked we fancifully forced a lock and entered, but were unable to get away. Just as Clarence finished washing his feet and shaving Marvin arrived. Caught red handed, we waived hearing and served an arbitrary sentence; spending the night and next day. Melvin had gone deer hunting but the meat he fed us tasted strangely of pork. Maybe there are wild hogs in that country too.

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Alexander Woolcott gives this English lesson in Readers Digest: Never address a minister as "Reverend So and So." Always preface that with article the.

Thanks, Alex old boy, that wins for us our first matrimonial matching of mind with inatter word war to you.

## '39 THANKSGIVING INTO HISTORY

Thanksgiving for the season of 1939 has past into history.

The future historian will inform the generations to come, that in the year A. D. 1939, there were two days set aside and proclaimed as Thanksgiving days, to wit; November 23 and November 30.

It didn't make any difference if you celebrated one or the other, or both, just so you gave thanks to Almighty God for the blessings you and your country were permitted to have and enjoy during the past year.

You may have observed both days and if you gave thanks you had a double Thanksgiving. In fact every day in the year should be a Thanksgiving day with us all, if the spirit of gratitude has a throne in our souls.

The blessings of peace and plenty in all our land, should remind us ever of Him, who wills it so. Gratitude in the human soul is one of God's choicest attributes. —Uncle Bill.

## Month of Miracles



(WNU SERVICE)

## High School Girl Died Saturday

Lillian Collins 17, member of the Sterling City high school died at a hospital in San Angelo last Saturday and was buried at the Montvale Cemetery in the afternoon of the following day.

Funeral services were conducted last Sunday afternoon by C. B. Stovall, local Baptist pastor, and Dr. W. B. Everitt.

Six of her boy schoolmates served as pallbearers as follows: Billy Chesney, Billy Burnas, Fred Currie, Ira Lee Langford, Joe Allen Mathis and Dan Dearen. Her girl classmats served as flower girls.

She is survived by her mother, Mrs. Regan Sprinkles and one sister Miss Bonnie Lee Collins.

Deceased was a sweet girl whose untimely death is mourned by all who knew her.

## Sterling County Sends In Red Cross Quota

Mrs. Ruth Allen, chief official of the Red Cross of Sterling County reports that with the aid of Miss Bob Hooker, she has collected \$100 for Sterling County's quota of the Red Cross movement. Mrs. Allen authorizes us to thank everybody for their liberal donations to a worthy as well as a vital cause, especially Miss Hooker, who worked so hard for the success of the undertaking.

You can't go wrong when you contribute your mite to the foster mother of suffering humanity. The Red Cross follows the wakes of storms, calamities and disasters that may come unawares to unsuspecting human beings, and like a tender mother gives relief and comfort to the suffering.

Among those who attended the big football game at the A & M College last week were: N. H. Reed and wife, W. W. Durham and wife, H. P. Malloy and wife, C. A. Bowen and wife, Lee Reed and wife and Roy T. Foster. On their return, the party was accompanied by Jean Durham and Royal Thomas Foster who spent the week end visiting the folks at home. They returned last Sunday to resume their studies at A&M.

## BUSINESS PLUS PLEASURE EQUALS SLIM FIGURE



Cecelia Parker decided that business and pleasure well mixed equal a slim figure. Miss Parker finds working on the vertical bars aids in strengthening the back muscles, and is a general toning up tonic.

## Collegians Home For Thanksgiving

Misses Cecil Irene Reed of A.C.C. Orella Hodges of Texas Tech, Georgina Demere of the T. U., Clydean Everitt, Willma Hudson and Joy Mills of Angelo, Mildred Atkinson of T. S. C. W., Claudia Ligon and Annie Lee Miller of San Marcos, Lucille Hodges, Violet Carper and Colbert Littlefield of John Tarleton and Roger Williams of T. U. include the collegians who spent the Thanksgiving season with the home folks in Sterling City. Also Don, Phyllis and Gloridel Bowen were at home with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bowen at their ranch home in Coke County.

Pug Garrett who is a student in a business college at Abilene was a last week end guest of his parents Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Garrett.

## Pink Boll Worm In Sterling County

Additional infestation of the pink bollworm of cotton have been found in new localities in Texas, in the vicinity of San Angelo and at other points in the surrounding area, the U. S. Department of Agriculture has announced. The Federal quarantine regulations were accordingly extended effective November 20 to include the Texas counties of Concho, Irion, Mitchell, Sterling and that part of Coke County lying southwest of and including the right-of-way of Highway No. 87. The regulated area is now comprised 49 Texas counties and parts of 3 others in that State; 6 entire counties and part of another in Arizona, and 12 in New Mexico.

## Mesdames Reed and Foster Hostesses to Their Clubs

Members of the Tuesday and Friday Bridge Clubs and guests were included when Mrs. Rufus Foster and Mrs. W. N. Reed were hostesses on Tuesday of last week at the Foster home.

High score award in the Tuesday club went to Mrs. Hal Knight, in the Friday club to Mrs. Jim Atkinson, and guest prize to Mrs. Carley Barker.

Others present were Mesdames S. A. Mahaffey, V. E. Davis, Pat Kellis, H. M. Carter, W. L. Foster, Fowler McEntire, James McEntire, W. E. Allen, Rogers Hefley, E. B. Butler, John Cole, Herbert Cope, Sterling Foster, J. I. Cope, Herman Everitt, Roy Foster, Clyde Everitt, Lester Foster, John Reed, H. L. Hildebrand, W. S. Nelson, J. Eddie Wyckoff, Earl Bailey, R. L. Lowe, R. P. Brown, Thad Munn, and David Green of San Angelo; and Misses Ethel Foster and Mary Frances Foster.

The Sterling Board of Education decided Monday Dec. 4th to dismiss school for Christmas holidays on Wednesday afternoon Dec. 20th, until Tuesday January 2, 1940

## Young-Hunt Wedding Date Made Known

One of the loveliest social affairs of the season was the tea given Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Cloud Rowden to announce the betrothal of Miss Doyeta Young to Stencil Hunt, December 24th was the revealed date. The mantle in the living room before guests were received was decorated in gold mums and these were also used at vantage points around the room. In the dining room the table was colorful in gold mums and lighted by green tapers. Tea, coffee, sandwiches, cookies and candies were served. Pouring from three to four were Miss Stoddard and Mrs. Malone, while Mesdames Cronkrites and Ross presided the next hour. Miss Martha Beyant in a flowered crepe formal dress, presented the guests with white bags and on the ribbon ties the news was written.

The bride elect wore a white crepe formal dress, with accoring pleated blouse and a gold girdle. Her accessories were gold and corsage was of red rose buds.

Assisting Mrs. Rowden who was attired in navy taffeta and whose corsage was yellow chrysanthemums were: Mesdames Ben Powell in white accoring pleated dinner dress with jacket of gold sequins; Veva Hendricks in gold chiffon with sequins and Kenzie Turner in navy taffeta with American beauty bolero jacket.

The bride elect is the only child of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Young of Farmerville, Texas. Mr. Young is connected with the Federal Government.

Mr. Hunt is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hunt of Sterling Texas. The Hunts are in the ranching business. Mr. Hunt has one brother D. L. Hunt of Sterling City and a sister Mrs. Homer Haggerty of Midland Texas. Miss Young is the teacher of Home Ec. in the Fabens School and received her education at the East Texas State Teachers College at Commerce Texas.

Mr. Hunt is the owner of the Modern Cleaners Shop and attended college at A. and M. College and also Baylor.—Valley Independents

## Ropes A Sheep Killer

A strange varmint had been killing sheep in W. N. Reed's and other pastures in that vicinity during the last few months. Hunts had been made by ranchers for the killer, but without success.

Last Sunday another drive was made, but the hunters had failed to "jump" the varmint. They had given up the chase and were waiting for Fred Mitchell, a boy cowpuncher, to come in.

Presently Fred came in, dragging the varmint at the end of his rope. He came upon the animal and roped it and dragged it in. It proved to be a hybrid between a coyote and a dog. It was more destructive to sheep than either a coyote or a dog. It had the cunning of a coyote and the courage of a dog, which enabled it to evade the hunters.

Born: On the 3rd to Grandpa and Grandma George H. McEntire Sr. a grandson. The parents of the youngster are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilkinson of Midland.

Mrs. Fleam E. Harris of Brownwood visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hunt and family last week-end.

**Sterling City News-Record**

**W. F. Kellis,**  
Editor and Owner

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**FAIR PLAY**

The proposition to hogtie Governor Lee O'Daniel and keep him tied until the legislature met and passed a tax law to provide for old age pensions appealed to me as unfair, im practical unlawful.

While I have never torn my neither garment for Governor Lee O yet he is my governor and as such I want to see him fairly treated. This proposed treatment of the Governor is not in my code of ethics. I don't think he would appreciate it little bit, and I know all fair minded people would feel that Texas would be disgraced if such a shyster trick were restored to in order to carry out the plot of designing politicians.

If the Governor had committed a crime deserving impeachment, it would be right and just for the legislature to meet and look after it as it did in the case of Jim Ferguson. But as long as the Governor is going on and attending to business, I believe in letting him alone.

I don't believe "whipping the devil around the stump". Old age pensions should not be obtained by this method. I don't believe in doing a good thing in a bad way.— Uncle Bill

**UGHT TO FREEZE**

"Mr. Snooter Knows," chief of the Stanton Reporter says: A fellow who'd go to a football game in Vermont ought to freeze.

While I quite agree with friend "Snooter Knows" but how about a young couple, together with a bunch of kinfolks coming all the way from Connecticut to the Spade Ranch to get married?

This was done last week and the climax ocured within 18 miles of Sterling City. The wedding was consummated in true West Texas ranch style with a big feed and a four section dance.

Some folks may think this romantic young couple were foolish but I think they were wise to select a wild beauty spot in the (to them) far west as an altar on which to seal their nuptial vows

At least it beats going to frosty old Vermont to see a football game because they didn't have to sit on a fence and nearly freeze while the preacher was leading up to: "I pronounce you man and wife".

They chose the Renderbrook Ranch in West Texas to take the second step in human life. These youngsters were wise in selecting the place of their nuptial altar.—Uncle Bill

George McEntire has two one-dollar bills one he calls, Republican and the other Democratic money.

The Republican bill is one of the old fashion saddle blanket one-dollar silver certificates. The owner of this bill is informed, "this is to certify that one dollar has been deposited" & C.

The Democratic Bill is a modern sized silver certificate with the same assurance that there is deposited one silver dollar.

**Guardian of Life and Health**



A reserve of 44,000 Red Cross registered nurses stands ready to aid in preserving the life and health of the nation. Typical activity of Red Cross nurses is shown, working in clinic under doctor's supervision. Red Cross nurses are nation's reserve for Army, Navy and Government hospital service, and also to serve civilians in epidemic or disaster. The Red Cross Nursing Service is supported by members who join the Red Cross during Roll Call, November 11 to 30.

Last Saturday was the last trades day of the season as sponsored by the Lions Club. Lots of people came to town and enjoyed the programs. Trades Day in Sterling for the last two months, records of transaction show that more than \$25 000 was spent here for groceries, medicines, dry goods and other things during the period of Trades Day. This movement brought lots of people together from every point of the trade range of Sterling City. It is not unreasonable to predict that it will again be repeated in the near future.

No Christmas gift would be more appropriate than sending the News Record to your friend or relative living far away.

Here are some bargain combinations:

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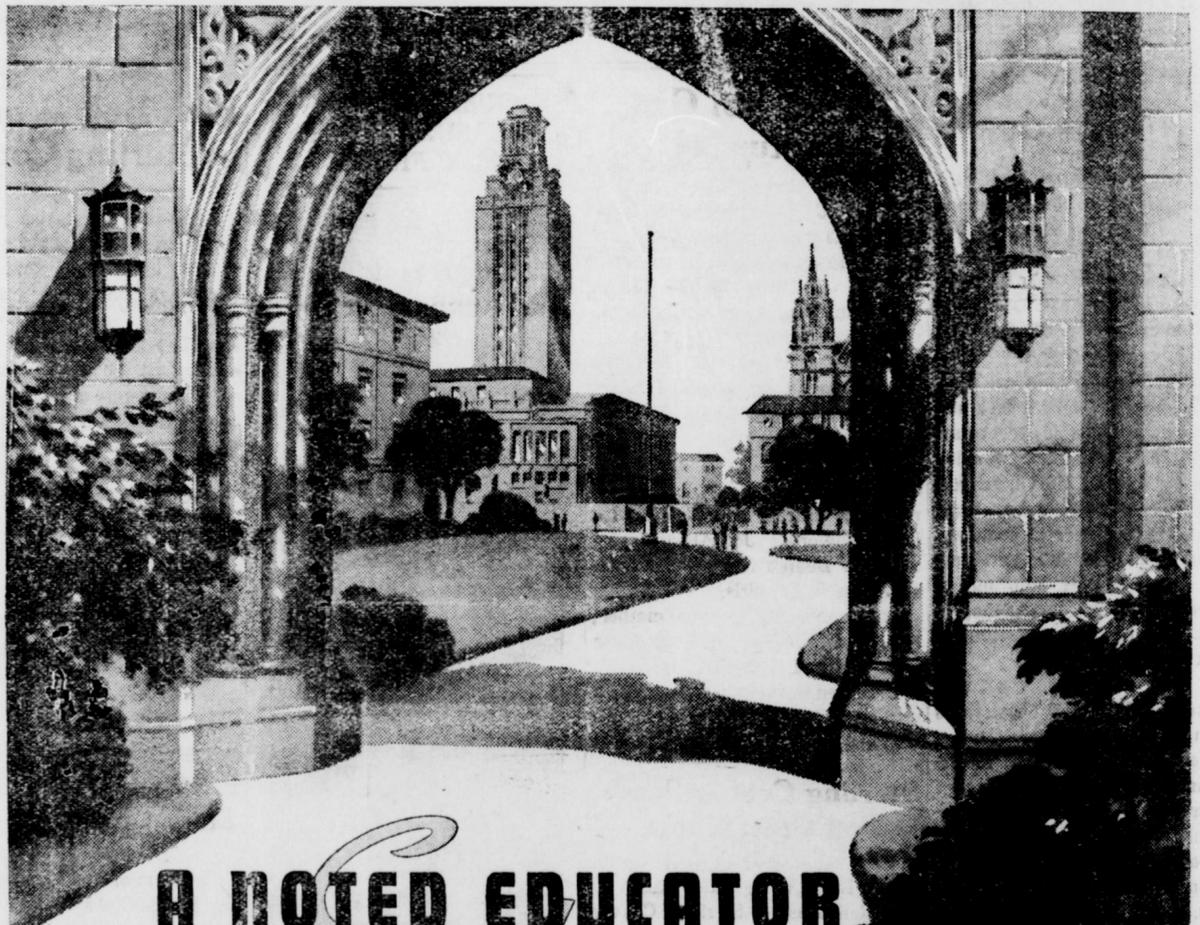
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"A program of industrial development centers around the manufacture of raw materials into finished products."

"American industry is moving closer to its raw material sources. We in Texas can capitalize on this movement if the opportunity is grasped."

"Our great highway development, coupled with industrial progress, will greatly aid the Texas farmer in his marketing problem."

"The best measure of the importance of an enterprise is the employment it creates and the income it produces."

"Our need for increased employment requires the keenest intelligence in solving the problem. Our boys and girls must be trained in highly efficient schools to meet the growing needs of farm and business."

"Our Universities are dedicated to a program of scientific training and research which will create employment and build industry to use our raw materials at home."

"Repeated failures did not stop our hardy pioneers in the building of our present empire. The same spirit must prevail for a successful future."

The Texas oil industry recognizes the soundness of these broad principles. They underlie present employment and provide for expanded future employment for our Texas people. The vital part oil plays today in putting these principles into actual practice will be portrayed in a series of advertisements to follow in this publication.

This advertisement paid for by various units of the industry and sponsored by

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## Local Items

See or phone Mrs. Rufus Foster for flowers.

Miss Mary Cummins of Taft, Texas visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Lowe spent last week end at Iraan visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Dearen of Colorado City visited Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Dearen last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Glass and children of San Angelo visited friends and relatives here last Saturday.

Phone Mrs. J. A. Revell for all kinds of flowers, bulbs or pot plants from Walker Morgan Floral Shop

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hart spent Thanksgiving season with friends and relatives at Abilene and Breckenridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Burnett of Sonora visited Mrs. Burnett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hodges last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Stovall of Stanton were last week end guests of Mr. Stovall's parents Rev and Mrs. C. B. Stovall.

For flowers phone Mrs. D. C. Durham, or see Mrs. J. A. Revell. The Baptist W. M. S. will appreciate your patronage

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Conger of Roscoe visited Mr. Conger's mother, Mrs. G. W. Conger and other relatives here during Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Rufus Foster can fill any sort of flower order promptly. The W. M. S. of the Methodist Church will appreciate your patronage.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Emery of Weslaco, visited Mr. Emery's mother Mrs. W. L. Emery and other relatives here the latter part of last week.

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The News Record family is indebted to Lestet Foster and sons William and Bubba for some fine venison steaks which served to grace the dinner table last Sunday. This venison was the fruits of a father and son deer hunt in the Davis Mountains last week. Each of the two boys brought down a fine blacktail buck while the father killed a bear. Lestet, his two boys and his good wife are mighty fine people to have for neighbors.

### Notice to Cotton Growers

All farmers who plauted cotton in 1939, be sure to vote on Saturday Dec. 9th on the Cotton Referendum Voting box in Courthouse will be open from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

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11:00 Devotional in song  
11:30 Sermon  
P.M.  
6:30 B. T. U. Training service  
7:30 Evening worship  
Monday  
3:30 P.M. W. M. U.  
Wednesday  
P.M.  
7:00 Evening devotion  
7:30 Choir practice  
We welcome you.  
Claude Stovall, pastor

### Church of Christ

R. D. Smith, minister  
You are invited to attend the services at the Church of Christ. You will always be welcome and your presence will be appreciated.  
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Preaching at 11:00 a. m., followed by Communion Services.  
Preaching at 7:15, p. m.  
Prayer meeting at 7:15 Wednesday evening.  
A very cordial welcome.

### Methodist Church

Bruce M. Cox, Pastor  
Church school 10 a. m.  
Morning worship, 11 o'clock  
Young People's Service 6:30 p. m.  
Evening worship, 7:00 o'clock

### Presbyterian Church

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Church Worship 11:00 a. m.  
Evening Worship 7:00 p. m.

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## Honor Roll For 2nd Six Weeks

First Grade  
 LaVerna King 94  
 Fern Garrett 93  
 Carolyn Bengle 93  
 Frank Bomar 90  
 Billy Sam Mathis 91  
 Billy Sam Kellis 90  
 Tommy D. Glass 94  
 Billy Ralph Bynum 90

Second Grade  
 Dick Bailey 94  
 Trinabeth Reed 92x  
 Charles Mercer 92  
 Margaret Ritter 91x  
 Billie Mills 91x  
 Bruce Cox 90x

Third Grade  
 Carlene Ballou 93  
 Jacqueline Everitt 92  
 Carolyn Foster 92  
 Peggy Lou Glass 91  
 R. T. Smith 90

Fourth Grade  
 Bonnie Ruth King 90  
 Billy Gene Rav 90  
 Joe David Crossno 90

Fifth Grade  
 Peggy Jean Henshaw 95  
 Ernestine Cole 92  
 Ruby Langford 91  
 Geraldine Mills 91  
 Joan Cole 91

Sixth Grade  
 Iris Dorsett 95  
 Dixie Knight 94  
 Ansel Reed 92  
 Annie Lou Knight 90

Seventh Grade  
 Mary Earl Welch 91

High School  
 11th Grade  
 Lillian Miller 91.75  
 Sue Knight 91.75  
 Audrey Gregston 91.94  
 R. D. Garrett 91.25  
 Sam Augustine 91.5

10th Grade  
 Mary Lou Foster 91.2  
 Louise Littlefield 91

9th Grade  
 Sammie Lee Cunniff 94.10

8th Grade  
 Mozelle Mills 93.5  
 Joe Conger 91.38

## Society Notes

Teachers visited the following places: Misses Roach was in Abilene, Smith was at Lubbock and Brownfield, Ferrell ate turkey in Garden City, Roberts and Reiser were in Angelo, Ball attended State Teachers meeting and was in Abilene, Crawford was at her home in Haskell, Allen went to Goree, Hutchins went to the State Teachers Meeting at San Antonio, Mrs. Nelson was in Throckmorton and Abilene and Mr. Sullivan visited in Barstow.  
 Sue Knight went to Denton and Fort Worth.  
 Geraldine was in Bronte.  
 H. W. went to Breckenridge and Abilene.  
 Jack went San Angelo.  
 The seventh grade has a new pupil. His name is Troy Fisher.

## WE WONDER

Why Billy enjoyed the show so much Friday night?  
 Why Garland isn't in the movies?  
 Who Fred (Stooge) Curry will take to the banquet?  
 If Joe likes caramels?  
 If Charlene and Fred (Carew) wouldn't make a cute couple?  
 If many boys will go to the leap year party?  
 What handsome boy goes by the name of Flash?  
 Which can run the faster, Flash Reflash?  
 Who the singing cowgirl is?  
 What three girls represent the Boswell sisters.  
 What Ewing is giving a certain 7th grade girl for Christmas?

## WHAT IF

Scooter was a bus instead of a car.  
 Lloyd was dull instead of Sharp.  
 Marylene was a poem instead of a Story.  
 Garland was a gun instead of a Cannon.  
 Mitzi was a mop instead of a Broome.  
 Mozelle was a queen instead of a King.  
 H. W. was lung instead of a Hart.  
 Benny was red instead of Green.  
 Lillian was a ginner instead of a Miller.  
 Mozelle were factories instead of Mills.

## Jokes

Mr. Burnett: Mozelle what is 1/5 of one tenth.  
 Mozelle: I don't know but I am sure it isn't enough to worry about.  
 L. B.: Richard how do you teach a girl to swim?  
 Richard: Well, first you compliment her on her bathing suit, then take her hand and—  
 L. B. Oh! Gosh, its my sister.  
 Richard: Oh! Well just push her off the dock.

## First Grade

La Verne Kings name was omitted from the Honor Roll List last week.  
 Christmas is so near that the first graders think it is time to write to Santa Claus.  
 Billy Sam Kellis was a San Angelo visitor Saturday.

## LETTERS TO SANTA CLAUS

Dear Santa Claus:  
 I want a black board and an Uncle Wiggle game and a tractor and some tools.

Bring the other children some toys.  
 Frank Bomar

Dear Santa Claus:  
 Please bring me many toys.  
 Billy Sam Kellis

Dear Santa Claus:  
 Please come see me. Please bring me some toys. Be sure and do not forget the other children.  
 From  
 Helen Lawson

Dear Santa Claus:  
 Please bring me a play farm. Please bring my little sister a doll.  
 From  
 Darrel Wetsel

Dear Santa Claus;  
 Be sure and bring the poor children some toys. I want a doll in a suit case and a doll buggy.  
 Bring my friends in the first grade plenty of toys.  
 Your friend,  
 Fern Garrett

Dear Santa Claus:  
 Santa, I want a machine gun and a cowboy suit. Do not forget the children.  
 Tommy D. Glass

## Second Grade

The pupils have reported a nice Thanksgiving. Most all of them went some place.  
 Helen and Wanda Carpenter, Estella Beadle, Don House and Wanda Pearl Cook visited relatives in San Angelo.  
 Margaret Ritter spent the holidays with her grandmother at Eldorado.  
 Donald Smith went to Rockwood.  
 Bruce Cox visited her grandmother at Mason.  
 Perry Davis went to Loranine to see a cousin.  
 Trinabeth Reed visited relatives at Bronte.  
 H. W. Gregston visited his aunt at San Antonio.  
 Trinabeth Reed had a birthday last Tuesday and her mother served us with refreshments. Mesdames Jimmy House, Seth Bailey and Dan Ritter have also served us at various times.  
 We have some new library books and enjoy them a lot.

## Thrid Grade

We are very proud of our new cabinet. The P. T. A. bought the material for it, Mr. Glass made it for us and Mr. Ballou delived it. We want them to know that we appreciate everything they did.  
 Our new library books are interesting and we enjoy reading them.

## Fourth Grade

The Citizenship Club met last Wednesday. Darrell Rhoden had charge of the Safety-first program. Aaron Carpenter will have charge of the program this week.

We enjoyed the candy Mrs. Crossno made for us last week. It is nice for our mothers to come to visit with us.

# BARGAIN DAYS

## FORT WORTH

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