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Everybody's Talking About...



The Great New FERGUSON 35 with 4-WAY WORK CONTROL

J. E. "DOC" MINYARD

## Topics For Discussion

The construction crews who are doing the curbing and paving on highway 86 through Silverton have been catching it pretty rough. There has been rain the past three week-ends, which has delayed and caused more work.

The rain however should convince some who live off the pavement that they should get their blocks paved.

We notice where our neighbor, Quitaque, is finishing up on 30 blocks of paving. Congratulations to them.

Hereford, Clarendon, Memphis are some of the towns who are now in the process, or recently have completed a number of blocks of paving, and Hale Center just keeps right on with their paving program.

Wanted: a couple of good doctors, for the purpose of eliminating various and numerous bad colds, headaches, "billy aches" and etc.

We read about a town recently where people were prosperous enough that they had started paying their doctor bills on time.

Thursday night at Lions, Teacher Guest Night, we saw some examples of why Johnnie can't read, but there is no excuse why Johnnie can't draw.

If we should gain all the money or all the knowledge in the world, and have no plan or purpose for it. It would do neither us nor the world any good.

It is also astonishing how much of both pass through our minds and pockets and never leaves a trace.

Paying cash in a neighboring town, charging what you get from your local merchants, hurts in two ways. It is like shooting both barrels at the same duck.

We really have one of the best towns with a most promising future, but I believe we will always be able to find room for improvement.

The point is, lets have a purpose for our community.

## Business Men To Meet Friday Noon

The Silvertown Business men will meet Friday noon at Mrs. Newman's Kitchen. A committee composed of Shellie Tomlin and Ralph Glover are to make their report since contacting local business firms on the You All Come Day Program.

## Youth For Christ Will Meet Tonight

The Youth For Christ Young People's Organization, a non denominational group, will meet Thursday night at 7:30 at the First Baptist Church. All young people are cordially invited to attend this meeting, an inspirational and fellowship meeting.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT ANSWERED CALL

The Silvertown Fire Department answered an alarm to the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Whitfield on South Main Monday afternoon. Smoldering wood particles and saw dust around the furnace caused the dwelling to fill with smoke. There was no damage to the home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lindeman and Freddie spent Saturday and Sunday in the home of Mrs. Lindeman's father, Mr. and Mrs. A. Amburn.

## Silvertown and Happy to Battle Friday Night

### Wheeler Wins

The Silvertown Owls came out on the little end of the score in their second conference game of the year Friday night.

The Silvertown boys who have been plagued by serious injuries faced the heavier team on the Wheeler field. Coach Buddy Travis, who started the year with 13 lettermen and only 15 men with experience; has had from three to five of his experienced men out in each game. Now he faces the remaining game with one of his most reliable backs out for the season and another who will more than likely be unable to play any more ball this season.

The Wheeler Mustangs were able to make five touchdowns and score 1 extra point, with Jim Porter of the Mustangs giving the Owls their most trouble.

Bill Stephens of the Owls was able to carry the ball over for a TD and an extra point to account for the Silvertown scoring.

C. L. Dunn accounted for much of Silvertown's ground gaining as he stepped off several running gains. Buz Bailey who appeared for the first time on the gridiron, filled in at the quarter back slot and received a lot of praise. There was a plucky team on the field and a lot of individual praise is due the boys.

A crippled and re-hashed Owl team will face the Happy Cow-boys here Friday night.

Injuries have been one of the hardest battles that coach Buddy Travis and the Owls have had to face.

Brad Wilson, quarterback, is out for the rest of the season, and Keith Whitfield, one of the Co-Captains may not see any more action this season.

The Happy team who were rated to finish first in District 2-A at the first of the season were mainly given this position because Dimmitt moved up to Class 2-AA.

Happy took a licking from one class B team this season, losing to Kress by a decisive score.

Lets not count the Owls out just yet, if they can keep from fumbling this week, we say the score is going to be mighty close, because we all have noticed the fight and spunk those boys have shown in every game.

With a lot of encouragement this week, and all hands in the cheering section Friday night, those Owls will do their best.

A new one who saw action for the first time last week was Buz Bailey. Bailey working in the quarterback position will probably see some more action Friday night, along with W. D. Peugh, C. L. Dunn, W. D. Rowell, Robert Hill and Bill Stephens in the backfield. Those in the line who will probably see most of the action will be Jimmy Marshall, Sammy Turner, James Alexander Troy Chitty, Norman Chitty, John Whitfield, Jimmy Whitfill and Bill Baird.



BRAD WILSON Out For Remaining Of Season



JIMMY MARSHALL Second Year Letterman Plays Tackle

## P.T.A. Training Institute To Be October 10th.

Mrs. Ellen Dell Bieler, field worker for the National Congress of Parents and Teachers, will be featured speaker in a leadership training institute on the campus of West Texas State College on Monday, October 10. The institute is a cooperative effort of educators and Parent-Teachers Association in the area. All PTA units in District 8 and 19 (formerly District 8) are urged to send delegations to the meeting, which will be held in the Branding Iron Theater.

The day's activities will open with registration from 9:30 to 10 o'clock. Mrs. Bieler will speak at 10 on "The Philosophy, Object, Policies, and Program of the Parent-Teacher Movement." Her address will be followed by buzz sections at 10:45, and a question answer period will occupy the rest of the morning.

Luncheon will be served in the Blue Room of the college cafeteria from 12:15-1:15. The afternoon's activities include a school of instructions from 1:30-2:30 and a panel discussion on cooperation between home, school, and community from 2:30 to 3:45. Panel members will be Mrs. Crews Henry, Mrs. Margaret Harper, Miss Louise Orr, Dr. Charles Nester, and Mr. Bill Baxter.

When Mrs. Bieler joined the staff of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers, she had acquired a rich background of Parent-Teacher experience as an active member and leader in local units. Always interested in human relations, Mrs. Bieler majored in psychology and philosophy at Teachers College, Columbia University, and received a master's degree in human development at the University of Chicago. She is experienced in teaching and as a counselor in children's camps. In her home town, Western Springs, Ill., she has been active in civic affairs and has served as a member of the library board and the recreation commission.

Among other things the book tells of the organization of Briscoe County on March 15, 1892. It was originally a part of Jack County for judicial purposes until Donley county was organized, then it was annexed to Donley County until Briscoe County was organized in 1892.

Silvertown and Los Lingus were in the race for being chosen as the county seat. Silvertown won and the town section was paid for by the settlers. T. J. Braidfoot filed on the land and it was awarded to him by the State. He reserved 40 acres for his services in filing on the land. This is called the Braidfoot reservation and is located in the northwest part of the town section.

The first settler was Chas. Goodnight, who established the old "F" ranch on Quitaque Creek. He and L. R. Dyer brought a bunch of cattle from Raton Mountain in N. M. and settled on Quitaque Creek, in 1877. The ranch was bought by Chas. Goodnight and John D. Adair, later owner of the famous J. A. Ranch.

Much of the book is made up of Legends and Letters told and preserved by the people of this county.

Mr and Mrs Vernon Garrison and family, of Tulia, spent Sunday afternoon with her parents, Mr and Mrs T J Hodges.

## Jr. High Ties Matador Here

The Junior High Owls played the Matador Junior High Matadors to a 7 to 7 tie. The game was played on the local field on Wednesday night of last week instead of Thursday, as previously scheduled.

The Junior High team will go to Estelline tonight, Oct. 6, where they will face the Estelline Jr. Bear Cubs.

The Jr. High team is in a 5 game schedule and now have a win over Turkey and a tie with Matador and leaves Quitaque and Lakeview games to be played after tonights tussell.

## Rain Total This Week Is 2.55 In.

Rain totalling 2.55 inches fell this week beginning Saturday night and continuing until late Tuesday. The total rainfall for last October was 42 in., and a six months total from Sept. through March was less than the rainfall which fell this week. No heavy showers fell, and every bit of the good rain was able to go into the ground.

The sun was shining bright delight of the farmers, whose feed and cotton fared none too well during the rainy days.

Mrs. W. N. Weast, who suffered several heart attacks and other complications a few weeks ago, and has been in Slaton at the home of her daughter and family, Mr and Mrs Kenneth Jones, had another heart attack on Monday morning. Her daughter, Mrs. Dock Wallace, left for Slaton immediately.

## New Masthead At Top Of Page 1

At the top of Page One you will see some new art work which includes a bale of cotton, replacing one of the white face steers, since cotton is taking its place along with wheat and cattle in Briscoe County. The Head which ran on previous issues has been in use for seven or eight years. The new head is through the courtesy of Tomlin-Fleming Gin Company.

## MRS. W. N. WEAST GROWING WEAKER

Mrs. W. N. Weast, who suffered several heart attacks and other complications a few weeks ago, and has been in Slaton at the home of her daughter and family, Mr and Mrs Kenneth Jones, had another heart attack on Monday morning. Her daughter, Mrs. Dock Wallace, left for Slaton immediately.

Mrs. Weast was taken to a Slaton hospital and placed under an oxygen tent. She was growing weaker Tuesday morning.

Mr and Mrs Ollie Nalle, of Quitaque, visited Mrs. Dean Alford Saturday afternoon. The ladies are cousins.

## Joe Smith Missed \$25.00 Award Sat.

Mr. Joe H. Smith, with a ticket from Farmers "66" Station missed the \$25.00 award in Saturday's You All Come Day Program sponsored by the businessmen of Silvertown.

Mrs. T. C. Bomar, with a ticket from Nance's Food Store, received the \$15.00 award.

Mrs. Winnie Wimberly, with a ticket from Ray Thompson Implement Company, was present to receive the \$10.00 award. Robert McPherson, with a ticket from City Grocery, was not present to receive this award.

First award will be at \$50.00 next week.

## Teachers, Wives Guests Of Lions

Amidst a setting of little-red-school house and slates, the Lions and their guests — their wives, and the school faculty — enjoyed an evening of fellowship at the Methodist Church on Thursday evening.

Appropriate numbers were rendered by the band in their first appearance of the year, and by members of the Junior Girls trio. These groups are directed by Mr. Lafayette Lamb and Mrs. Fred Mercer.

Decorations at the head table included a worm protraying the role of teacher. Someone was heard to say, "I wonder if they are intimating that teachers are worms."

Supt. M. G. Moreland introduced the faculty members who were present. Moreland was also in charge of the program. With easel and crayons, and a bit of jib-jab, he very cleverly gave the group an unforgettable art appreciation lecture.

Guests, other than the wives and members, were Mr. and Mrs. Handley, of Lockney. Hugh Nance, Club president, directed the evening's entertainment. Members of the senior class prepared and served the meal, assisted by their mothers.

## Ellos A. Rowell Dies After Short Illness

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church of Silvertown at 2:30 p. m. Friday, for Ellos A. Rowell, whose death came at Baylor Hospital in Dallas after a short illness.

Mr. Rowell was born on February 16, 1914 at Hanley, Texas. He moved with his family to Silvertown in 1929 and was graduated from Silvertown High School in 1933. He was a devoted Christian and a member of the Baptist Church, where he sought to promote missions and evangelism.

Ellos was married to Miss Lila Fae Flick on July 2, 1939. Three children are among survivors: Gary, Keith and Judy Ann Rowell. Other survivors include, his mother, Mrs. W. A. Rowell, six sisters and brothers: L. A. Rowell, of Guyton, Oklahoma; A. B. Rowell, Silvertown; A. J. Rowell, Silvertown; Lorene Voyles, Lubbock; Nettie V. Baldwin, Silvertown; and Mrs. LaVerne Mercer, Silvertown. Many friends and other relatives mourn his passing. Mr. Rowell and his family had lived at Wheeler where they owned a ranch for the past three years.

Funeral Services were conducted by Rev. Leonard Fields of Mobeetie, assisted by Rev. G. A. Elrod and Rev. H. L. Willborn of Stephenville. Douglas Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements. Interment was in the Silvertown Cemetery.

## F F A Welcome Greenhands

At the regular monthly FFA meeting on Monday the following Greenhands were officially welcomed: Mike Baird, Jerry Bingham, Don Deavenport, Gordon Durham, Richard Gragg, Richard Jarnagin, Dyrle Maples, John Mercer, Wade Miller, Jerry McWilliams, Howard Newberry, J. E. Patton, Charles Rowell, Jerry Reynolds, John Schott, Troy Stout Tom Thompson, Royce Thornton and Mike Edens.

Benny Valentine of the Curtis Magazine Company was present. He discussed plans for the annual magazine subscription drive featuring Holiday, Saturday Evening Post, Ladies Home Journal and over 100 other publications. If you wish to subscribe to a magazine you may do so by contacting one of the FFA members.

The Dallas Fair trip was set for Friday, October 14, when two TNM & O buses will be chartered to carry 66 FFA and FFA members to the State Fair.

## G. M. Cloud In Hawaii

25th Div., Hawaii — Army Specialists Third Class Benjamin F. Cloud, 22, son of M. G. Cloud, Quitaque, Texas recently took part in battalion training tests held by the 25th Infantry Division on the island of Hawaii.

The two day test was divided into three phases — defense, night withdrawal and attack. The island is about 200 miles from the unit's home station at Schofield Barracks on Oahu.

Cloud, a rifleman in Company A of the division's 14th Regiment, was stationed in Korea before his arrival in Hawaii. He entered the Army in 1953.

## ATTENDING CLASS

Several Silvertown folks are attending night classes in Amarillo Center. Those attending classes included Miss Anna Lee Anderson, Mmes. O. C. Rampley, James Davis, Glynn H. Bunch and Betty Nan Penn and Messrs. Billy Ellis and Sam Lusk.

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## Veterans Questions And Answers

Q — I am planning to go to school this fall under the Korean GI Bill. If I get a part-time job to supplement my GI training pay, will my monthly allowance be cut?

A — No. Outside earnings have no bearing whatsoever on your GI education allowance. Veterans in school will receive the full rate of allowance regardless of how much they earn. In fact, they need not even report earnings to the VA.

Q — I want to apply for disability, but I do not live near enough to a VA office to pick up the right form. Could I apply by a letter to the VA?

A — Yes. Your letter will be considered an "informal application" if you specifically mention the benefit you are applying for. VA will send you a formal application to be filled out. So long as you return it within one year, the effective date of your application will be the date of your letter, rather than the date of the form itself.

Q — In my GI insurance policy, I have specified that payments be made to my beneficiary in monthly installments. If she wants, would she have the right

to ask VA for a lump sum payment instead?

A — No. A beneficiary does not have the right to elect lump sum payment, if the veteran has specified on the installment plan.

Q — If a Korean veteran uses his GI training, would he still be entitled to use his GI loan benefit?

A — Yes. Use of one benefit does not deny a veteran his right to use the other.

## JIM HARPER ESCAPES SERIOUS INJURY

Mr. Jim Harper, of Plainview, who is working as a carpenter in the construction of the Hugh Nance building now going up here came near having a serious accident last Saturday morning. A fellow worker who was working over head dropped a two by four which struck Mr. Harper on the leg as it went down and the edge of the board struck him on the head, breaking lens from his glasses and causing his nose to bleed.

He says he was knocked out for a few minutes but soon recovered and drove home. He was very thankful not to be hurt worse than having a badly bruised leg and thinks he is fortunate that he did not get glass into his eyes. He was back at work Monday but returned to Plainview in the afternoon to get a new lens in his glasses.

Mr and Mrs Lyndon Stephens and children, of Portales, New Mexico, spent the week end here with his parents, Mr and Mrs W A Stephens, and Grandma Vaughan.

Mr. and Mrs Durward Brown and family, of Plainview, were Sunday dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs H Roy Brown.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our many friends and our wonderful good neighbors for the food and lovely flowers and other courtesies extended to us during the recent death of our father and grandfather.

Especially do we thank the men who were the neighborhood boys during the years he led an active life on the ranch. The kindnesses of Rev. G. A. Elrod and of Earl I. Cantwell, Ministers, were greatly appreciated.

The children and grandchildren of W. E. Bureson.

## WHEAT LAND SOWED

Mrs. Ruby Elliston, of Fort Worth, returned to her home on Friday of last week after having visited her mother, Mrs. T. L. Anderson, and sister, Miss Anna Lee Anderson, for two weeks. Mrs. Elliston got her wheat land plowed and planted while she was here and went home feeling good over our recent rains.

## VISITED IN LUBBOCK

Mr and Mrs Milton Dudley and Connie visited with Mr and Mrs Norland Dudley and daughters, in Petersburg, Sunday afternoon. The ladies drove over to Lubbock for a short visit with Mr and Mrs Carol Davis.

The Milton Dudleys are parents of Mrs Davis and of Norland Dudley.

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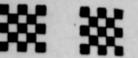
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# Retirement Benefits

Retirement benefits under the Social Security Act, and survivors payments where the worker is deceased, are based on the total earnings posted to the worker's account. This account is set up under the number on the individual worker's social security card.

No earning, whether from wages or from self-employment, can be posted to a worker's account unless his correct social security number is given. Wages or self-employment income reported without a number, or under an incorrect number, can never be posted unless the correct number is obtained.

John R. Sanderson, Manager of the Amarillo Social Security Office, urges that employers examine each new employee's social security card when he goes to work, copying the employee's name and number exactly as they are shown on his card. Getting this information correctly before the tax return is made will save the employer's time in answering correspondence and personal contacts to try to get the information later. Employees who are not asked for this information should volunteer it when they go to work for a new employer, Sanderson says.

As a final reminder, Sanderson urges employers who receive correspondence from the Social Security

## Inspired By Knights Of Yore



It's a long call from King Arthur's Round-Table Knights to today's mechanical products, but the similarity between them is more than just coincidence. That's the opinion of Brooks Stevens, noted industrial stylist, who here points out the evolutionary design linking a modern outboard motor with the helmet worn by armored knights. "Medieval artisans were experts in functional design," Stevens explains, "and this styling is being recaptured in today's industrial motifs. A typical example is Johnson's new thirty h.p. outboard, a chrome-trimmed custom-styled unit which, appropriately enough in view of its design origin, is called the 'Javelin'." "We call it 'advanced' styling—but it's a modern adaptation of the art of the ancient craftsmen." The Javelin is one of nine 1956 models in which the manufacturer places emphasis on style and color.

urity Accounting Division concerning missing or incorrect social security numbers to answer the correspondence promptly. A prompt reply to such correspondence, he says, will save the expense of follow-up correspondence and personal contacts by his office.

### PARENTS OF BABY SON

Dr. and Mrs. W A Sedgwick have been notified of the birth of their first great grandson. The parents are Mr and Mrs Asa Casteel, of Long Beach, California.

The mother will be remembered as Carolyn Sedgwick, formerly of Tullia. The baby was born in Long Beach on Saturday, October 1st, and weighed 6 pounds and 7 ounces; he had not been given a name when the Sedgwicks were called by phone on Saturday. The baby's grandmother, Mrs Eugene Sedgwick, lives in Lubbock.

Visitors with Mr and Mrs Bob Dickerson on Thursday afternoon of last week were Mrs J N Smithee, of Ropesville, Mrs G W Lee, Sr., of Lubbock, and Dr. and Mrs. W A Sedgwick. Mrs. Smithee is a sister-in-law to Mmes. Dickerson and Sedgwick.

Mrs. Cassie Baxter, of Fort Worth, arrived here on Sunday for a visit with her niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lightsey, and nephew, Mr. Spencer Long.

Mrs Della Wallace and Billy Jones spent the week-end with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. George Jones, near Childress.

### TO MAKE HOME HERE

Mr and Mrs J W Smith and children, of Arkansas City, Kansas, have moved to Silverton to make their home. Mrs Smith, the former Ruth Mercer, and the children returned home with her parents, Mr and Mrs H C Mercer on Wednesday of last week; they had spent several days in Arkansas City.

### SUNDAY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs Stanley Sedgwick and Lisa, of Lubbock, were Sunday guests of his grand parents, Dr. and Mrs M A Sedgwick. They were accompanied here by Mrs Cook, of Dallas, mother of Mrs Stanley Sedgwick.

Mr and Mrs Wade Stephenson, of Tullia and Mr and Mrs Howard Stephenson, of Happy, spent last Thursday here with their sister, Mrs. Florence Fogerson, and her son and family, Mr. and Mrs Ware Fogerson, Diane and Stanley.

Mr and Mrs Johnny Cagle and Rhonda, of Sunray, spent the week-end here with her sister and family, Mr and Mrs Glen McWilliams and children. Mrs. H E Curtis, mother of Mrs Cagle, returned home with them.

Messrs. and Mmes. J W Brannon, Jr, Edwin Dickerson and George Long attended the football game at WTSC, in Canyon Saturday night.

Mr. Bob McDaniel, of Ulysses, Kansas, spent last week here and at Plainview visiting friends and relatives and transacting business.

Miss Valetta Weaver, Messrs. Gene Hardin and Sid Marshall, students at Tech, Lubbock spent the week-end here with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Hill, Sylvia and Ralph spent the week end in Abilene with Mrs. Hill's mother, Mrs. T. L. Hamilton.

Mr Ray Hyatt, of Denver City, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr and Mrs W J Hyatt, Sr.

Mr and Mrs W J Hyatt, Sr., were in Tullia on Monday, transacting business and visiting relatives.

### ENJOY FISHING

Mrs. J. H. May, Mr and Mrs Elmer May and Mike visited Mr. and Mrs Bill Womack and children in Baird from Friday until Sunday afternoon. The men enjoyed fishing.

Mrs. J H May is the mother of Elmer May and of Mrs. Womack.

### RECENT GUESTS

Mrs. Roy Lemons, of Lehigh, Iowa, was a guest of Mrs. J. H. May and Miss Virginia May two or three days early last week.

Mrs. Lemons is the mother of Mrs. Dean H. Humphreys, of Quitaque, editor of the Quitaque Post.

### ARRIVED HERE FRIDAY

Mr. and Mrs W C Womack, of Gordonville, arrived here on Friday of last week for a few days visit with their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Womack. They were afraid to start home early this week due to reports of high water down state.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Smithee and their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs Bob Barrett went to Dell City on Saturday to spend a visit with Mrs. Smithee's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs Clayton Wood and Jan.

Mrs. Wylie Bomar, Sr. returned home on Friday of last week after having spent two weeks with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Massey at Delta, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. K N Sharp and children spent Sunday in Amarillo with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sharp and children.

### RETURNED HOME

Mrs. E. E. Tomlin, mother of Mr Shelley Tomlin returned home on Saturday after having spent two months in Oakland, California, with her son and family, Mr and Mrs G C Tomlin and a daughter and family, Mr and Mrs C E Ivey.

### ATTEND FAIR AT LUBBOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dudley, Connie and Rita Brown attended the Fair in Lubbock last Friday evening. They were over night guests of Mr and Mrs Carol Davis. Mrs Davis is a daughter to the Dudleys. Rita Brown is Mrs Dudley's niece.

### VISIT NEW GRANDSON

Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Elrod and Mr and Mrs H P Rampley visited the Rampley's new grandson, Douglas Barrie, and his mother, Mrs. George Wayne Rampley, in the Tullia hospital Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ragland, of Lockney, visited her mother, Mrs. Elmer Vaughan, Sunday afternoon; they called on his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Yancey, Sunday evening.

Mrs. Jack Zimmell and Jacques Joe, of Dial, were recent week-end guests of Mrs Zimmell's parents, Mr and Mrs Joe H. Smith, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Crow returned home on Thursday of last week after having spent a couple of weeks with relatives in Oklahoma, Virginia and Georgia.

Messrs and Mmes Leo Comer and J D McGavock were in Amarillo on Monday.

### FORMER QUEEN

Mrs. J. N. Jennings and children went to Brownfield on Wednesday of last week to visit her parents, Mr and Mrs R O Black. She attended the Harvest Festival in Brownfield and rode a float in the parade on Thursday morning, having been a former queen of the Festival.

Messrs. R G Alexander and Will Smithee were in Amarillo on Monday. They attended the sale at the cattle ring.

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**Girl Scout Troop No. 1**

The Girl Scout Troop No. 1 met Wednesday with 30 members present. We are beginning work on several new badges. We have sixteen girls working towards their First Class Badge, thirteen finishing up their Tenderfoot Requirements and one is working toward her Curved Bar badge. Mrs. Carver Monroe and Mrs. Frank Hunt met with us.

**JURED IN CAR WRECK**

Mrs. James Stevenson has been in the hospital since September 25 with her brother, Casey Meeks, of near Amarillo. Mr. Meeks and two other men were involved in a wreck there on Saturday night, September 24th. They were driving in a blinding storm and their car struck a signboard. Mr. Meeks was physically injured but was held in his own early this week.

**SITING HERE**

Mrs. Jake Saddler, of Dallas, has been a guest of Mrs. Falba Guest since Thursday of last week. Mrs. B C Wade, of San Angelo, and Mr. Garner Guest, son, Bill, of Lubbock, arrived here Monday afternoon to spend a few days with Mrs. Falba Guest and Saddler. Mrs. Falba Guest is the mother of Mrs. Saddler and Mr. Guest is the sister of Mrs. Wade.

**Tex Happy To Be Back**



The broad grin that spreads across the face of big "Tex," the 52-foot cowboy figure that is a fixture at the State Fair of Texas, indicates how happy the giant cowpoke is to be back for the 1955 State Fair, Oct. 7-23. Big Tex is the symbol of the size and scope of the Fair, the nation's largest annual exposition. This year's spectacle will run for 16 days and 17 nights, opening its gates at 5 p.m. Friday, Oct. 7.

**From The Owl's Notebook**

Our school pictures arrived the first of the week — not everyone was pleased, and we heard some complaining. Guess the pictures just looked too much like themselves.

All of our odd period classes came today, and the events tomorrow. After the circus which some attended Tuesday night and others Wednesday night, we can't think of anything but animals and clowns. Have mercy teachers!

The annual staff has lighted a fire under the pot and work has begun on the 1955-56 annual. Mrs. Jackie Mercer is our sponsor, so we are expecting a very artistic and attractive annual.

Ghosts, goblins, and Halloween in general is gradually creeping into our minds these days since October is here. We are looking forward!

Overheard in the science room. Teacher: "Johnny, why are hurricanes named female names?" Johnny: "Well, teacher did you ever hear of a heicane?"

**WATSON DOUGLAS IMPROVING**

Mr. Watson Douglas is improving since his recent illness. He is sitting up some but his having company is still a major problem as he wants everyone to stay too long and insists on doing most of the talking.

**HEAD OF MATERNITY WARD**

Misses Gloria June Stevenson, R N and Ernestine Mark, R N, recent graduates of the school of nursing, Methodist Hospital, Lubbock, visited Gloria June's mother, Mrs. A G Stevenson, from Tuesday until Thursday of last week. The girls moved to Midland early last week and were to assume their duties there on Saturday. Miss Stevenson will be head of the Maternity ward in the Midland hospital.

**Sponsor Rummage Sale Oct. 22**

The senior class is sponsoring a rummage sale on Saturday, October 22. Anyone who has old clothes on hand that they would like to donate to the senior class, are urged to contact a member of the class. They will be glad to pick them up.

Mrs. Tony Burson is doing fine since her recent attack of encephalitis but the doctors at the Plainview Foundation and Clinic, where she is a patient, think it is best that she remain there for at least a few more days before coming to her home.

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Mrs. Charlie Holt, of Amarillo, spent last week with her daughter and family, Mr and Mrs Norman Strange and children. Mr. Holt has been working in Silverton for some time.

Mrs. R E Lytle spent the week end here with her daughter and family, Mr and Mrs Homer Stephens.

Mrs. Elbert Stephens and granddaughter, Rhonda Sue Thornton, went to San Angelo on Thursday of last week to visit Mrs. Stephens mother, Mrs. J. N. Woodfin, who was ill; they had not returned home early this week.

Life Insurance, Real Estate, and Farm Loans, See Roy Teeter.

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Bacon No. 1 Slab	lb.	53c
Whole Cured Hams	lb.	59c
Club Steak	lb.	45c
T-Bone or Loin	lb.	55c
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**WENT FISHING**

Mr and Mrs J B Mercer spent the week-end in Amarillo with Mr and Mrs Ted Roussin, former Silverton residents. Messrs. Mercer and Roussin went to Tres Rito fishing. Said they didn't have rain there but cloudy weather and fog didn't help their fishing too much.



**SEDAN IN THREE SERIES**—The four-door sedan, traditional American family car, is offered in three series by Ford for 1956—Fairlane, Customline and Mainline. Above is the Customline four-door in one of the 21 two-tone paint combinations offered on models which will be displayed by dealers Friday, September 23. A lower roof line, restyled grille and parking lamps, a new design of body side moldings are among 1956 Ford appearance changes. Thunderbird Y-8 engines in Fairlane models develop 202 horsepower for Fordomatic drive, or 200 hp for overdrive or conventional drive. In the Customline and Mainline, Y-8 engines produce 176 hp for Fordomatic, or 173 hp for overdrive or conventional drive. The 137 hp Ford I-Block six also is available in all models with all transmission types.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Stephens and children, and her brother, Roy Younger, left Sunday afternoon to visit Mrs. Stephens and Roys relatives in Harlton, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. C A Coffee, of Dougherty, were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Smith, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Norland Dudley and daughters, of Petersburg, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr and Mrs Milton Dudley and Connie.

Mr. Willie Amel Smithee and Willie Clyde, of Memphis, visited Mrs. Will Smithee for a short time on Monday.

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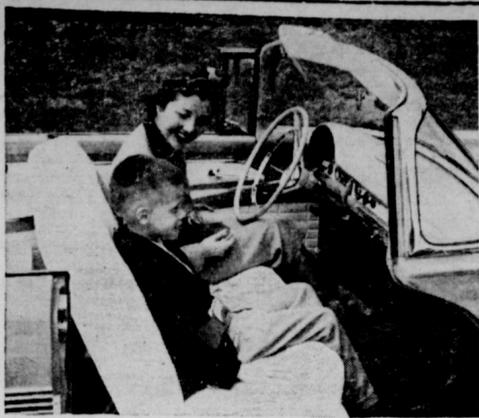
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### Francis Reunion Held At Plainview

The annual Francis reunion was held Sunday, October 2 at the Community house of the South Park in Plainview. A delicious basket dinner was served at the noon hour.

Those attending the reunion were: Mr and Mrs Cecil Franks and daughters of Amarillo; Mr and Mrs Johnny Watkins and sons, and Mrs R E Bell of Lubbock; Mr and Mrs Boland Bell of Littlefield; Mr and Mrs. Louie Kitchens and Joe, Mr and Mrs Wade Steele, Mr and Mrs John Lee Francis and Joe Dale, Mr and Mrs Garland Francis, Mr and Mrs John Gill and Cris, Mr and Mrs Hollie F. Francis, Jimmy and Marty, Mr and Mrs Chas. L. Francis, Sharla and Gary, Mr and Mrs John Thomas Francis, Mr and Mrs Wm Alvie Francis, Mr and Mrs L W Francis, Mr and Mrs Milton Frizzell, Jerry, Carolyn and Lynn, Mr and Mrs J. L. West, Mary Jane and Larry, Mr and Mrs Nuke May, Monty and Barbara of Silverton; Mr and Mrs Claude Jarrett and daughters of Lone Star; Danny Mae Francis of South Plains, Miss



**LIFEGUARD DESIGN**—A mother makes sure that her son is securely seated in a 1956 Ford Sunliner. The new Fords, which will be shown to the public Friday (September 23) incorporate five safety features in a "lifeguard design" intended to reduce chances of accidental injury. On all new Fords, safety-designed steering wheels, door latches and rear view mirrors are standard equipment. Wheels are designed to absorb force if the driver is thrown forward, reducing the chance his chest might strike the steering column hub. Safety door latches (lower left) will resist crash impact, and help keep passengers inside the car where they are twice as safe, according to research figures. Mirrors have a special backing to help prevent shattering. Optional seat belts will withstand up to 4,000 pounds of force. Optional crash cushions for instrument panels and sun visors will provide added protection if a passenger is thrown forward.

### Garden Club Coffee Held Tuesday

The Silverton Garden Club held a Coffee Tuesday morning at the Methodist Church for club members and flower exhibitors.

Mrs. Conrad Alexander led a round table discussion on comments, rules and regulations of the flower show recently sponsored by the club.

Plans are being made for a school to be held in January on the growing and arrangement of flowers. This school will be open to the public as well as Garden Club members. If you are interested see Mrs. Conrad Alexander or Mrs. Marvin Montague.

The Garden Club would like to thank every one who helped to make the show a success, and to offer their apologies for the many mistakes. They are looking forward to a bigger and better show, with the help and cooperation of the people of this area.

Mr and Mrs Ray Teeple transacted business in Plainview Monday afternoon.

### Philip Marc Born Oct. 2

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Smitherman are the new parents of a baby son, Philip Marc Smitherman, who was born Sunday afternoon at 6:10 at the Lockney Hospital. He weighed 7 lbs. 12 oz.

Grandparents are Mr and Mrs J K Bean, Silverton; and Mr and Mrs E P Smitherman, South Plains. Great grandparents are Mr P M Smitherman of South Plains, and Mrs H E Bean, Brownwood.

Mrs. Smitherman is the former Mildred Bean of Silverton.

Mrs Otto Bearden and Mr. and Mrs Wayne Bearden, of Lamesa, spent a short week-end with Mr and Mrs Glynn H. Bunch and family. Mrs. Otto Bearden is the mother of Mr. Wayne Bearden.

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### WEEK-END GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs James Henderson and daughter were recent week end guests of her cousin, Mr and Mrs James Micklejohn, in Raton, New Mexico. They were met there by Mrs Dan Montague, Silverton, and her sisters and brothers, the Misses Bryant and Mr Bryant, of Denver, Colorado. Mrs. Montague had spent three weeks in Denver with the Bryants; she returned home with her daughter and family, the Hendersons.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Isbell and children spent the week-end in Truth or Consequences, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. R L Brown and children, of Sudan, visited his parents, Mr and Mrs S P Brown, on Saturday.

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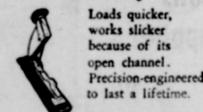
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### Amner Cloyce, Silverton.

Guests were Mr and Mrs Ursel Taylor, Kay, Ray and Rita of South Plains. Terry Don West of Silverton.

Absent from the gathering were Mr and Mrs James Bell, Mr and Mrs Edd Loftiss and daughters of Amarillo.

The next family reunion will be held at the Plainview City Park, on the first Sunday in October, 1956, with Mr and Mrs John Lee Francis as host and hostess. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lovvorn were host and hostess for the 1955 gathering.

### SUNDAY GUESTS

Mr and Mrs H Roy Brown were Sunday guests of her sister and husband, Mr and Mrs Monroe Smith, in Lockney. Sunday afternoon the entire party went to Floydada for a visit with the ladies niece, Mrs Mary Lee Dilard.

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### Hy-Lands Club Met Sept. 27

The Hy-Lands Study Club held their regular meeting Tuesday, September 27, in the Club Room, with 17 members present answering roll call by Flag etiquette. Mrs. Bill Edwards, president, conducted a short business meeting in which the club voted "Improving and beautifying the city park" as their project for this year.

Mrs. Don Garrison, hostess, led the group in saluting the flag. Mrs. Robert London gave an interesting paper on "They Came First (Indians)." Mrs. Hugh Nance gave a talk on "Our Heritage from Foreign Land", which made us proud and happy we live in America today.

Mrs. C. L. Wilson gave a very personal and enjoyable talk on "The American's Creed", by Wm. Tyler Page.

Those present were: Mmes. Arthur Arnold, J. K. Bean, Onar Cornett, Milton Dudley, Bryant Eddleman, Bill Edwards, Don Garrison, Winston Hamilton, Bertton Hughes, Robert London, J. E. Minyard, Hugh Nance, E. Posey, E. S. Stephens, H R Stephens, Arnold Turner, and C. L. Wilson.

### ATTEND SEVENTH DISTRICT STUDY CLUB MEETING

Mmes. W. Coffee, D. T Northcutt, A H Jackson, Robert Ledbetter and Ray Teeple attended a Seventh District Federated Study Club meeting in Amarillo last Thursday. Mmes. Coffee and Jackson represented the local 1925 Study Club; Mrs. Northcutt represented the March of Time Study Club; Mrs. Ledbetter represented the Century of Progress Study Club; Mrs. Teeple represented the 1952 Study Club.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our gratitude and appreciation for the nice flowers, cards, and visits during our recent illness, while in the hospital and since returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vaughan

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank every one for every act of kindness that was extended to us during the illness and death of our loved one. May the Lord bless each of you.

Mrs. Ellos A Rowell, Gary, Keith and Judy.  
Mrs. W. A. Rowell  
Mrs Lorene Voyles and family  
Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Rowell and family  
Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Rowell and family  
Mr and Mrs Virgil Baldwin and family  
Mr and Mrs Frank Mercer and family  
Mr and Mrs A. J. Rowell and family

Cecil Franks, of Amarillo, is spending this week with her grandparents, Mr and Mrs John Lee Francis and Dale. She came especially to attend the circus in Plainview Wednesday evening.

Mr and Mrs A L Phillips and Karen, of Lockney, were Sunday dinner guests of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. B A Thomas and family.

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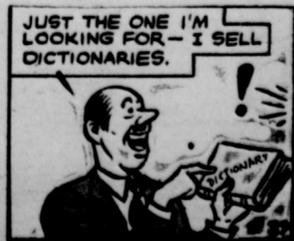


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By 1960 it is being prophesied that the college enrollments will about double. Our people are being educated for what? Just

to earn a better livelihood and enjoy more luxuries, raise the nation's installment buying; attend more ballgames and car races, take more vacations, and spend more money. Are we just seeking education in order to provide for ourselves more man-made amusements. Can't we use our new found appreciations to enjoy leisurely reading, and appreciation of the finer arts that are in abundance.

I personally am proud of a Christian college who places restrictions on the conduct of its student body, trying as best they can to exclude the activities which will not build-up morally its young people. I believe we are much too lax in our ways of living today, and I wholeheartedly indorse the policy of this school.

You know I'm glad that there is a Heavenly judge — one who knows all things, and who has only one set of standards of right and wrong; a Judge who not only sets the policies, but declares the punishment and the dividends. But in what little my mind can comprehend, I can't keep from wondering over a situation where a country noted for its literacy, avoiding to such a great extent the studying of the Book of Book — whose teachings lift the soul of man to its highest. Though rain continues to fall on the just and unjust, we are promised blessings beyond our deepest imaginations or expectations, if we will but "follow Him".

Our country may continue to progress under the lax conduct of our people, but aren't many of us like Esau, thinking only of the "mess of pottage". There is a tomorrow you know, and there is a mighty judge.

We have wonderful schools in our country, and many many young people are taking advantage of the learning offered there, and beyond; but why will we then take for granted that education is only to learn how to make a living, and leave out education for making a life. It's a sad, sad day in every life, when the rays of the blessed assurance of God's presence and pleasure, can't hallow life. We are created for what? — Pleasure?

**WEEK-END GUESTS**

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brownfield of Raymondville, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Wheelock and children of Canyon were week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wheelock.

Mrs. Brownfield, is a sister to Mr. Wheelock. Mr. Brownfield is County Clerk of Willacy County, a position he has held for sixteen years.

Miss Mattie Burleson and Mrs. Nan Kellum have returned to their home in Bastrop; they have visited their niece, Mrs. Roy McMurtry, and other relatives in this area, since the death and funeral of their brother, the late W. E. Burleson.

Miss Jeniece Harlan, teacher of the sixth grade in the Silverton School, is undergoing treatment of an inner ear trouble in the Northwest Texas Hospital, in Amarillo, this week.

Mrs. Marvin Watkins and Gail of Amarillo, visited Mrs. Watkins parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Mc-Minn, from Tuesday through Friday of last week.

**Changes For 1956 Ford Engines**

Better performance has been the objective in design changes developed for 1956 Ford engines. Ford engineers have improved "breathing" in the new power plants, by means of larger passages in heads and intake manifolds which will admit more fuel-air mixture when it is needed. In addition, higher compression ratios mean greater power output.

Precision molding of exhaust valves permits use of an improved steel alloy. Valve stem lubrication is better, due to introduction of a deeper cupped "umbrella" which fits over the valve stems.

Cam shafts, also of a new special alloy, are smaller in dia-

meter with higher-lift lobes than on previous models.

Engine fuel pumps have larger porous fiber filters for better fuel cleaning with less restriction of flow. The pump is located toward the front of the engine so it will remain cooler, reducing the chance of vapor lock. A gas tank strainer provides additional protection from dirt which might clog fuel lines.

"Automatic Power Pilot," a Ford-developed system for controlling carburetor-ignition-combustion functions, also is improved in 1956 models. A single vacuum chamber attached to the distributor controls ignition timing in engines with single — or two-barrel carburetors. In four-barrel engines, the system is improved by addition of a second vacuum chamber on the distributor. This provides more responsive spark control when the driver needs rapid variations in engine power.

Mr. Marlin Jarnagin entered the Veterans Hospital in Amarillo on Tuesday of last week for examination, treatment and possibly surgery.

Mr. J. C. Burleson, visited his sister, Mrs. Roy McMurtry, one day last week.

Don Ledbetter, a student at W. T. S. C., Canyon spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ledbetter, and Ronald.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Tate and Jackie Carol were in Tulsa Saturday morning.

Mr. J. H. Dowdy of Dallas, spent last Friday night with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Newberry, and sons.

Mrs. Clayton Henderson and Kathy, of Dallas, visited her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Stone, recently.

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# A Serious Injury to Accident

Russell Elswick, 86, and his wife, Mrs. Elswick, and their three month old son, were very fortunate to escape major injuries in a convertible in a riding accident when it was struck by a gravel dump-truck 86 east of town. Elswick is undergoing surgery for stomach ulcers at the Plains Hospital in Lubbock on Thursday of last week. He was recuperating satisfactorily early this week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Rampley and sons visited her father, Mr. Davis, and other relatives in Lubbock on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Davis and children and Mr. and Mrs. James Davis and children spent Sunday in Lubbock with the men's father and other relatives.

**VISIT SON AND FAMILY**  
Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Childress and grandson, Terry Alan, of Austin, arrived here on Friday of last week for several days visit with their son and family. Mr. and Mrs. Vance Childress and Linda Kay, and other relatives; they lived in Silverton many years before going to Austin a few year ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Zeigler, of Mineral Wells, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Long from Friday until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Essary, of Amarillo, spent one night last week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Morris and Mike.

### PARENTS OF BABY SON

Mr. and Mrs. George Wayne Rampley are the parents of a baby son, Douglas Barrie, weight 7 pounds and 4 ounces, born Friday morning, September 30th, in the Tulla hospital. The Rampleys have a daughter, Shanna, who is very proud of her brother. Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Rampley and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mallow are the baby's grandparents.

Mrs. J. B. Lanham Silverton and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Mallow, Plainview, are the great grandparents.

### MRS. W. N. WEAST SLOWLY IMPROVING

Mr. W. N. Weast was in Silverton on Saturday. He stated that Mrs. Weast is slowly improving since her recent serious illness. She is recuperating at the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Jones and children in Slaton. Mrs. Weast is still resting quietly in bed and will continue to do so for some time.

### MRS. GID MAYFIELD DOING FINE

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Minyard and daughters were in Plainview Sunday afternoon to visit Mrs. Gid Mayfield at the Foundation and Clinic. Mrs. Mayfield is doing fine so she says and hopes to come home within a few days. She recently fell and broke her leg just below the hip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cowart, of Plainview, and his daughters, Mmes. Van Pelt and Thomas, of Delmar, California, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Cowart on Tuesday afternoon of last week. The men are brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Dickerson and Mrs. Bryant Eddleman and Leila Jo McPherson were in Plainview on Wednesday afternoon of last week. Mrs. Dickerson went over for a physical examination.

### ORDINANCE

On this 16th day of Sept., 1955 at a special meeting held by the City Council, an Ordinance was passed that the citizens of the City of Silverton will have to get a permit from the City Hall, before they can put any kind of crossing in a ditch. After they receive the permit, the Street commissioner will look at the location crossing is to be put in, and determine what size culvert or how low crossing should be to keep water from going across road.

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### VISITED IN LUBBOCK

Mrs. E. A. Bellinger and Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Northcutt visited their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Northcutt, students at Texas Tech, Lubbock, on Tuesday evening of last week. They also called on Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Bomar, former Silverton folks, and found him improving from the broken leg which he suffered some time ago.

The entire party attended "Holliday on Ice."

Mmes. R. G. Alexander, O. T. Bundy, R. M. Hill, D. T. Northcutt, True Burson, Troy Burson and Rex Dickerson attended a Flower Show in Tulla on Wednesday afternoon of last week.

### Dr. Lynn McCarly

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Riley Yates took his father, Mr. L. C. Yates, to Tulla on Saturday to see a doctor. He has been ill for quite a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Beavers and Sherrie, of Adrian, spent last Friday here with his parents, Mr. O. Bomar, former Silverton folks, and Mrs. Dewey Beavers.

Mrs. Avis Cowart, of Amarillo, transacted business here last Friday.

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**Pickled Pineapple**  
2 No. 2 cans sliced pineapple 2 teaspoons whole cloves  
1 No. 2 can pineapple chunks 2 teaspoons whole allspice berries  
1/4 cup white vinegar 2 3-inch sticks cinnamon  
1 cup sugar Green food coloring

Drain syrup from cans of pineapple into large saucepan. Add vinegar, sugar, cloves, allspice and cinnamon. Boil 5 minutes. Add pineapple slices and simmer 5 minutes. Put slices in a refrigerator dish and cover with spiced syrup. Chill. Add enough green food coloring to remaining syrup in saucepan to make a bright green color. Add pineapple chunks and simmer 5 minutes. Chill in refrigerator.

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