

Swine Carcass Clinic Nov. 12-13

Sherman County Swine Growers Association will sponsor a swine clinic and carcass cut out contest next Thursday and Friday, November 12-13. Starting at 8:30 a. m.

All farmers in the county and adjoining area are encouraged to attend. Those present will have an opportunity to demonstrate their skill in classifying meat type hogs in market classes; participate in back fat probing demonstration and later see these carcasses in a cut out demonstration to show the meaty cuts which are demanded by the housewife in the market.

On Friday, John McHaney, economist, Texas Extension Service, College Station, will discuss the outlook for hog industry.

J. D. Tanksley Jr., swine specialist of the Extension Service, College Station, will discuss selecting the most profitable kind of hog and later on the program point out desirable breeding characteristics in a class of guilts. He will also discuss feeding and management of hogs.

Roy Snyder, Extension Service meat specialist and manager of Texas A. & M. College meats laboratory, will evaluate barrows in the classes and conduct carcass cut out contest to demonstrate difference in quality.

Charles Smallwood in charge of boar testing station at West Texas State College at Canyon will discuss work he is doing for the local Swine Growers at the station. Friday morning Mr. Snyder will show and discuss results of carcass cut out contest.

Mr. Tanksley will explain use of carcass information in a selection program.

The Sherman County Swine Association has secured the co-operation of the local frozen food locker and a number of local hog breeders and some from out of the county in order to give our people the information and valuable training offered in this type of clinic. They will serve lunch at the exhibit building Thursday for those in attendance. They feel this is an opportunity seldom enjoyed by our local people to have this group of specialists conduct a clinic here. These specialists will present the latest information available on swine industry and demonstrate the latest technique and skills in swine production.

Seniors Gross \$2,555.40 On Class Carnival

J. D. Plunk and Ann Burgess, both seniors, were crowned king and queen of the record breaking annual senior carnival at the school house Saturday night which grossed \$2,555.40.

Charlotte Eller and Duane Pittman, both members of the eighth grade class, won crowns as queen and king of the elementary school.

In the class stunt contests in the elementary school division, Mrs. Peterson's second grade room won \$5.00 for first place, Mrs. Teague's sixth grade won \$2.50 for second place, and Mrs. Corley's first grade won \$1.00 for third place.

In the high school division among those competing in the stunt events, the Junior class won \$5.00 for first place, the Sophomores won \$2.50 for second place, and the seventh grade won \$1.00 for third place.

Caution plus courtesy, plus common sense, equals safety, drive safely.

Stratford P-TA Will Meet Monday

Stratford Parent-Teacher Association will meet Monday, November 9, at 7:30 p. m. in the school auditorium. The theme for the program is: "Education: Whose responsibility?"

There are four parts to the program. Mrs. W. O. Bryant will speak on "The home responsibility." Rev. Raymond T. Dyess will talk on the subject, "Church and community." Administration is the subject of a talk to be delivered by H. T. Galloway. Bill Pendleton will speak on "School board responsibility."

A chorus composed of sixth grade students will sing for the group.

Mrs. Jewel Peterson will explain the work of local artists which will be on display in the hall of the school building.

An executive board meeting will be held at 7:00 p. m.

Stratford Elks Grow Antlers

Stratford Elks grew their antlers Friday night in the football game with Spearman to win a moral victory although they lost the game by a score of 12 to 6.

As one Spearman fan described the game, "It looks like a junior high team going up against a college team and the Elks are outplaying them all over the field." At the time the comment was made the Elks were moving down the field to an almost certain second touchdown which would have either tied the game or would have won the game for the Elks.

Spearman Lynx moved down the field for a touchdown in the first quarter and the Elks tallied with a touchdown when they obtained possession of the ball. In the second quarter Spearman scored a second touchdown.

In the last half the teams moved back and forth across the field with the Elks reaching the Lynx six yard line, and losing the ball after a five-yard penalty.

Jerry Adams made the touchdown for the Elks by carrying the ball for six yards. New strength appeared in the Elk line as the light weight boys started learning the science of balance and leverage to start upsetting heavy Lynx linemen.

Funeral Friday For Mrs. Winn

Mrs. W. H. Winn of Pleasanton, mother of Mrs. T. L. Taylor, passed away Wednesday about 9:00 p. m. Funeral services and burial will be in Pleasanton Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor have been with her the past week.

APPRECIATION

On behalf of the senior class and myself I would like to express our sincere appreciation to our class sponsors, the people of the community, faculty, students and school administration for their help, cooperation and consideration, preceding and during our carnival. Thanks a million to all of you from all of us. We won't forget.

Jerry Galloway
President, Senior Class

Biggest Roping Contest Booms Tiny N. M. Cow Town

CLAYTON, N. M. — The taut swish of lariats — the first sound it ever heard — will bring fame this month to this mile-high northeastern New Mexico cowtown.

Here, world's championships in steer and team roping will be decided Nov. 13-14, as well as in girl's barrel racing.

The surest ropers of all, the top 15 in each specialty as rated in Rodeo Cowboys Association standings, are to unlimber their loops for \$14,500 in prizes. More than 12,000 people are expected to watch, or three times the population of the place.

Officially, the first annual National Finals Roping is sponsored by the Town Council and the Clayton Roping Club. But when publisher Paul Payton of the weekly Union County Leader was asked how many citizens are helping prepare for the contests, he replied as though the question was foolish.

"Everybody," he said. More than 100 wrote out checks for the fund which guarantees the financial stability of the two-day cowboy "world series." A tidy-up-the-town drive is underway, and a new 6,000 seat grandstand ready.

There hasn't been so much excitement here — if of a different sort — since 1901 when they hanged Black Jack Ketchum for robbing trains.

This is roping country, if any is. Clayton began as a wide place on the cattle trails, fattened around stock-loading sidings on the railroads and still figures its biggest business on the hoof. It was a local rancher and roper, Billy Harlan, who put Clayton's name in the big hat for the first Finals. He interested hotel keeper Boots Harlan (they are no kin) and between them they interested everyone else. Their town won out over a half-dozen other sites which sought the competition.

Clayton thought it was all kind of natural.

1959 Stratford Football Queen Is Honor Student



Miss Natacha Morris

Miss Natacha Morris, an honor student of the junior class, received her crown as football queen of the current season at the opening of the Stratford-Spearman game here Friday night. Her attendants were Donna Boner, Sandra Diehl, Sharon Gamble and Ruthie Kendrick, all worthy candidates for the honor.

Miss Morris is 16 years of age and has served as a pep squad cheer leader for the past two years. She and her attendants reigned over the homecoming dance held in the American Legion Hall after the football game.

The 1959 Stratford football queen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Morris. This year her course of study includes plane geometry, English III, typing I, American History, Homemaking III, and physical education. She has an average of 90 in her studies and is practicing to play her third year on the girls basketball team.

A "tight-nut" at the end of a steering wheel isn't a safety device. Drive safely.

Methodist To Have Enlistment For Christ Mission

In keeping with the theme and emphasis of the Church program for the year, the Methodist Church of Stratford will have an "Enlistment Mission", beginning November 15, and continuing through November 18.

The services will be at 7:00 p. m. each night, with Rev. Raymond Dyess doing the preaching. The week preceding these special services, there will be prayer services each morning at the church Monday through Thursday. The schedule is as follows: Monday 7 to 8 a. m. Youth prayer groups; Tuesday 7 to 8 a. m. Methodist men's prayer groups; Wednesday 9:30 a. m. Women's prayer groups; Thursday 7 to 8 a. m. Young adult classes. The church will be open for these groups and there will be a worship center and meditation music for the prayer groups. Anyone may come at any time and leave when they wish. There will be no preaching or formal service during these hours, just a few moments of prayer for the Enlistment Mission.

Boat Owners Must Register Their Crafts

Texas owners of boats and all those who use boats on lakes in the state of Texas are required by law to register their boats on or before March 1, 1960.

Tax Assessor Collector John Kidwell has received all necessary blanks for registration of boats. Each boat will be issued a certificate number and the number must be placed on each side of the boat in figures at least two inches high to enable identification.

In the event of an accident, accident reports must be filed in much the same manner as traffic accidents are filed.

Census Head Needs Three Enumerators

Crew leader Kendall Mullin of the Farm Census, wants to hire three enumerators to help him with the work in Sherman County. He will be at the office of County Agent E. Goule Friday afternoon. Those desiring employment may contact either Mr. Mullin or Mr. Goule. The work will last 2½ or three weeks, and will begin November 18.

Mr. Mullin makes his home in Dalhart.

Horner Land Sold For \$128.50 An Acre Tuesday

The Horner estate land located 18 miles south and 1 mile west of Stratford sold for \$128.50 an acre at public auction Tuesday morning. Bill Pendleton auctioned the land and Brown Ross handled the business arrangements. Assisting attorneys were E. E. Coons and Homer A. Davis.

Hauling Vehicles Should Be Free Of Other Grain

Texas grain sorghum producers and shippers in the Texas Plains are cautioned by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service to be sure vehicles hauling grain are free of any seed other than grain sorghum.

A number of truck loads and carlots being shipped from Texas to Western states have been denied entry after a few cottonseeds were found mixed with the grain.

Shippers are being required to fumigate these contaminated shipments — at a cost varying from \$50 to \$100 a load — before crossing the state line, reports D. M. McEachern of the Bureau of Plant Pest Control at San Antonio.

The states have regulations affecting import of cottonseed and other agricultural products.

Indications are that the grain sorghum possibly was contaminated while still on the farm, due mainly to use of the same vehicles for hauling both cotton and grain sorghum.

St. Joseph Altar Society Elects Officers

The newly organized St. Joseph Altar Society met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Joe Flores. The meeting was opened with a prayer. Officers elected are: Mrs. Joe Flores, president; Mrs. Joe Walsh, vice president; Mrs. J. H. Miller, secretary; Mrs. D. D. Dettle, treasurer; and Mrs. Buddy Miller, parliamentarian.

Committees include: Ways and means, Mrs. Buddy Miller, Mrs. Joe Walsh, Mrs. Reznik, Mrs. Joe Engelbrecht; dinner, Mrs. D. D. Dettle, Mrs. Ray Doerfler, Mrs. J. H. Miller, and Mrs. Joe Flores; visiting, Mrs. Alvin Engelbrecht, Mrs. Ted Irbeck, and Mrs. John Pilch.

The ways and means committee announced a bake sale Saturday, November 21.

Eleven members were present. The meeting was closed with a prayer. Coffee and cake were served.

Will Madgen Funeral Rites In Temple

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pendleton and Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Finch of Dalhart returned Tuesday from Temple, Texas where they attended the funeral of Will Madgen, a 78-year old brother-in-law of Mrs. Finch and Mr. Pendleton.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon in the First Baptist Church at Temple where burial was made.

Mr. Madgen died Friday morning in the Kings Daughters Hospital where he had been over two and a half months. He had been in ill health for several years.

Mr. Madgen had lived at Troy for many years where he was in the banking business and had extensive farming interests in that area. Several years ago he consolidated his banking interests with the Temple National Bank of which he was vice president.

Survivors include his wife, Bernice, one step-daughter, two grandchildren; two brothers and three sisters.

Veterans Gifts On Display In Public Service Co.

Gifts collected by ladies of the American Legion Auxiliary were placed on display in the Southwestern Public Service Co. office today. Additional contributions may be made to the gift box until November 14 when it will be taken to the Veterans Hospital in Amarillo.

Veterans in the hospital who do not have funds to secure Christmas gifts for loved-ones will have an opportunity to make their selections from these gifts. Ladies at the hospital will gift wrap and address the presents for the sick or disabled veterans.

Benny Biddy Enlists In U. S. Army

Benny R. Biddy will leave Monday of next week for a tour of duty in the U. S. Army. He will report to Amarillo for a transfer to Oklahoma City.

Prospectus Study Club To Meet Friday With Mrs. Pendleton

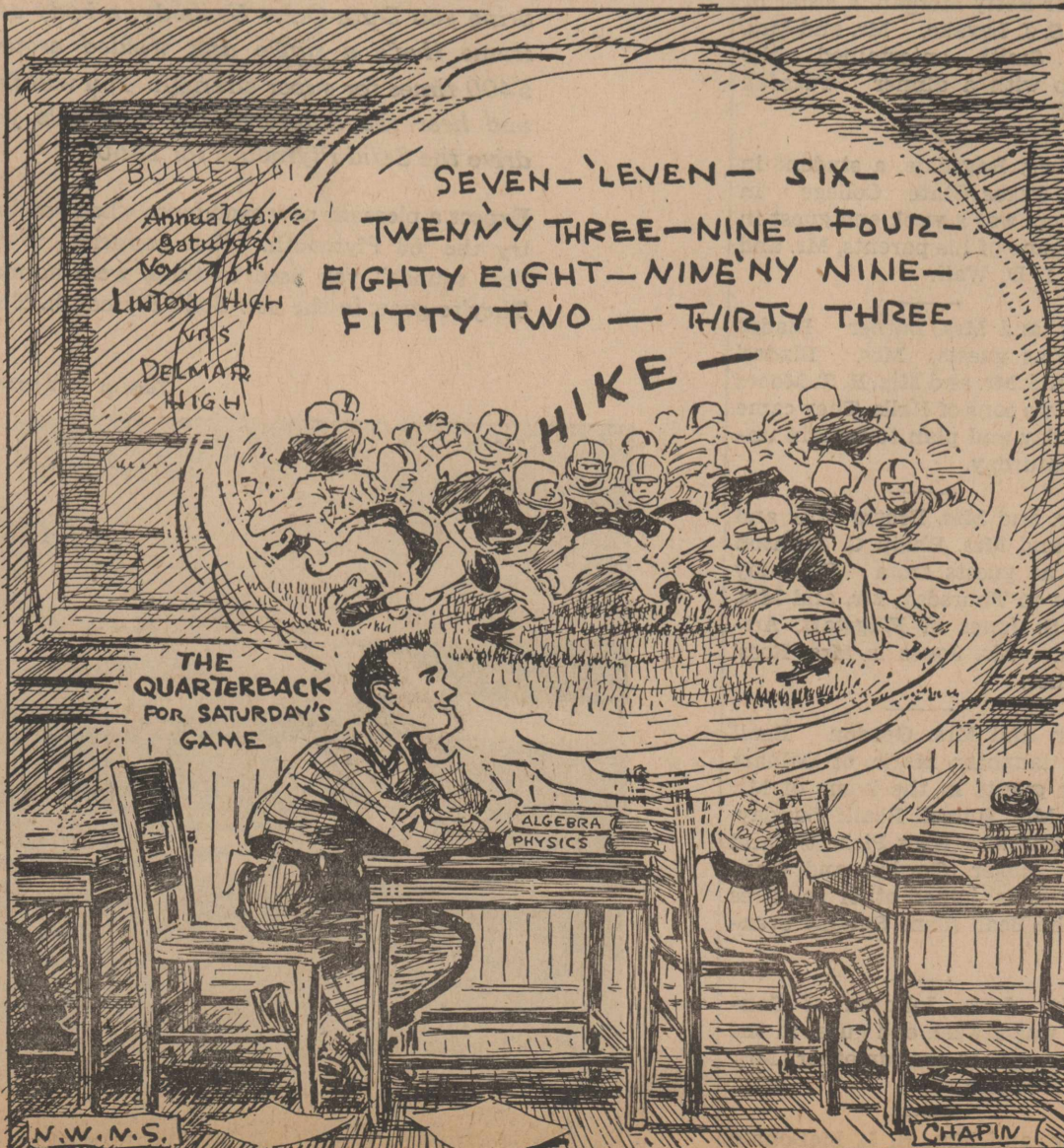
The Prospectus Study Club will meet Friday, November 6, at 3:00 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Bill Pendleton, with Mrs. Bill Allen as co-hostess.

Mrs. Jack Heil will have charge of the program, which will be color slides and text from the National Gallery of Art. The cultural heritage from the last 800 years is shown in masterpieces, including works in ceramics, painting, sculpturing and tapestry.

Embroidery Club To Meet November 12 With Mrs. M. Dortch

Embroidery Club members will meet Thursday, November 12, at 12:30 noon in the home of Mrs. M. Dortch for a covered dish luncheon.

MODERN EDUCATION, HIGHER MATHEMATICS



LAFF OF THE WEEK



"Large can of mustache wax, please."

Knight and Mr. and Mrs. John Knight were visitors in Guymon Sunday afternoon.

Gene Stinson has been ill with influenza this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Taylor of Portales, New Mexico spent the week end visiting in the home of Mrs. G. L. Taylor. Mr. Taylor at one time held the position of superintendent of the Stratford schools for two years.

Carroll Wisdom, Gene Irsick, Miss Virginia Wisdom and Mrs. C. H. Wisdom of Wichita, Kansas were week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wisdom.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cummings and Mr. and Mrs. Edd C. Garoutte were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Billbrey in Amarillo.

Mrs. Vergil Hawkins of Melrose, New Mexico is a guest in the home of her sisters, Mrs. Ben Biddy and Mrs. Wayne Harding. She visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Summerour last week.

Harry B. Horner and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sexauer of Des Moines, Iowa were business visitors here Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Hilma Cleveland, Amarillo, was a guest in the home of Mrs. C. V. Collins over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sidey of Greenfield, Iowa spent the week end visiting friends in Stratford.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Preston of Los Angeles, California are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Granvil Preston.

C. C. Plunk, E. J. Massie, Donald Moon and Junior Underwood returned home Sunday from a fishing trip in Mexico.

Paul Chessmer went to Halstead, Kansas Monday for a medical examination.

Mrs. Ruby Palmer was a guest in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hooley in Amarillo from Thursday to Monday.

Lt. and Mrs. Bill Riffe of Winslow, Arizona were here last week for a brief visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Riffe.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy E. Williams of Dumas and Mr. and Mrs. George Jeffcoat returned today from Dallas, where they attended market this week.

Mrs. Zelda Dunlap returned home Monday from Clovis, New Mexico, where she had been visiting the past week in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Art Outhier and son, Ronnie.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith of National City, California arrived Tuesday to spend a month visiting in the home of his father, Earl Smith. Mrs. Smith is the former Betty Morgan, a sister of Mrs. S. J. Lavake. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith entertained the group with a dinner Tuesday night.

Robert Ragsdale, a student in West Texas State College in Canyon, was a week end guest in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Wall.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Blades have as guests, Mrs. Blades' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Moore and two sons of Ralls. They came Tuesday and plan to remain until Saturday.

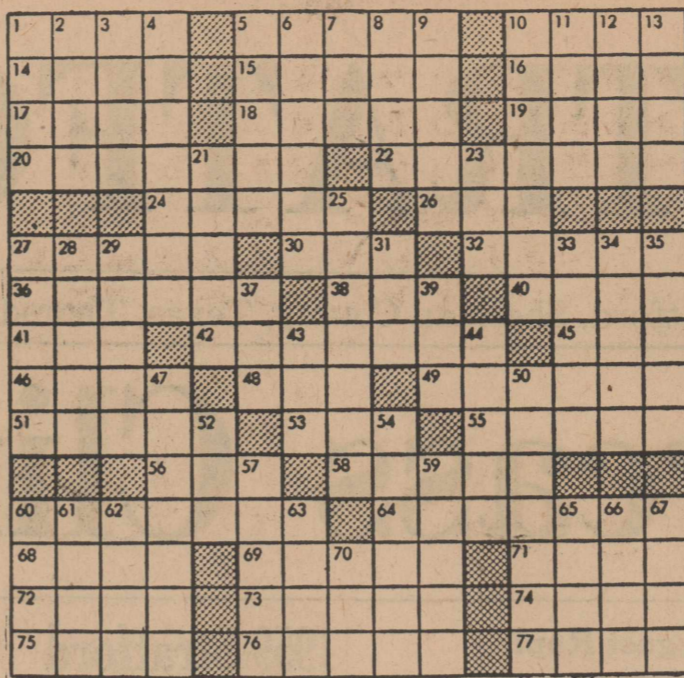
Mr. and Mrs. Brown Ross and Mr. and Mrs. Phillip C. Johnson had as guests from Saturday night to Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Joe S. Jones of Flagstaff, Arizona. Mr. Jones is Mrs. Ross' brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Beall and daughter, Marie, of Dalhart were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Beall Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Pickett and sons, Roger, Gordon and Gary of Dumas, joined other relatives in the Beall home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Jerry Johnson of Canyon was a week end guest in the home of her grandmother, Mrs. G. L. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. McDonald spent last week end in Tyrone,

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



PUZZLE No. 875

ACROSS
 1 Summon
 5 Stays
 10 Inclined walk
 14 Extent of land
 15 City in Florida
 16 Lamb's pen name
 17 Demeanor
 18 Mountain nymph
 19 Loose raveling
 20 French chemist
 22 Tails
 24 Go in
 26 Juice of plant
 27 Judicial decision
 30 River of England
 32 Former Russian ruler
 36 Pennant
 38 Period of time
 40 Ireland
 41 Philippine island negro
 42 Language of a particular area
 45 Topaz humming bird
 46 Fabric
 48 Fourth call
 49 A merchant
 51 Negotiate
 53 Emmet
 55 Egg-shaped

DOWN
 1 Summer recreational center
 2 Tune
 3 Dregs
 4 Portable lamp
 5 Strong
 6 Covered with pitch
 7 Core for fastening hollow metal objects
 8 To box
 9 Hell
 10 To backslide
 11 Came to earth
 12 Excavation for one
 13 Strokes lightly

ANSWERS TO PUZZLE No. 874
 1. FINISHED
 2. BURMESE
 3. DEMON
 4. STAIRING
 5. TOWARD
 6. LIQUID
 7. OLD WOMANISH
 8. BEFORE
 9. FLOWED
 10. HOLD
 11. ATTENTIONS
 12. ARABIA
 13. WORK WITH
 14. PAINFUL EFFORT
 15. DONATED
 16. SHORT FOR
 17. GENTLEMAN
 18. SNAKES
 19. FISH
 20. ITALIAN TOWN
 21. SUMMER RECREATIONAL CENTER
 22. TUNE
 23. DREGS
 24. PORTABLE LAMP
 25. STRONG
 26. COVERED WITH PITCH
 27. CORE FOR FASTENING HOLLOW METAL OBJECTS
 28. TO BOX
 29. HELL
 30. TO BACKSLIDE
 31. CAME TO EARTH
 32. EXCAVATION FOR ONE
 33. STROKES LIGHTLY
 34. ORNAMENTS
 35. MEAN
 36. ALSO
 37. GO FROM ONE PLACE TO ANOTHER
 38. OBSTACLES
 39. CATKIN
 40. TIBETAN
 41. MAN'S NAME
 42. CUT IN ONE STROKE
 43. SVELTE
 44. OLD ROMAN DATE
 45. COIN
 46. POKER STAKE
 47. I HAVE (cont.)

Town Talk

Mrs. Leah Boney and Mrs. Bessie Hodges visited in the homes of Mrs. Bertha Hill and daughter in Dodge City, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Kirkpatrick and children in Liberal, Kansas last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Riffe spent the week end visiting their daughter, Linda, a student in SMU in Dallas.

Mrs. Frankie J. Byrd and daughter, Lee Ann, returned Saturday to their home in Fort

Sumner, New Mexico after a visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Wall.

Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Emerson of Stinnett were guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Blades.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Davis of Conlen were guests in the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Preston Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Jackson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dale

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Among the Sick

Mrs. Willis Naugle who had been a medical patient in Dumas Memorial Hospital was brought home Sunday.

Melvin Phillips was brought home Thursday of last week from Oklahoma visiting in the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Shives.

Northwest Texas Hospital where he was a medical patient.

Mrs. Virgie Mathews is a medical patient in Northwest Texas Hospital.

Mrs. Randy McAdams of Dumas underwent surgery in Dumas Memorial Hospital Wednesday morning.

A minute for safety beats a month for repairs.

Cultivate a respect for safety rather than a fear of accidents. Think twice, once for yourself and once for the other fellow.

Dr. Guy D. Clayton

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New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Coffman became parents of their third and fourth sons, when twins were born to them Friday night, October 30, in the Stratford Clinic. Ward Dale who was born at 10:32 p. m. weighed five pounds four ounces and Wade Dean, who was born at 10:40, weighed five pounds eight ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Palmer became parents of a 6 pound 14 ounce son, Raymond Rex, at 11:45 p. m. Tuesday. The little newcomer was born in Dumas Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Greenwood are announcing the arrival of a seven pound nine ounce daughter who was born in Dumas Memorial Hospital at 1:00 a. m. today (Thursday).

Sorority Area Council Meets

Beta Sigma Phi area council was held in Dumas October 25. Members from Stratford attending were Mesdames Helen Buckles, Corinne Eller, Flo Hudson, Joan Bell, Gaynelle Riffe, Ronnie Dettle, Gerre Hell, Dorless Wells, Alice Jeffcoat, Geneta Miller, Terry Flores, Ida Gaylord, Vida Gaylord, Elizabeth Zimmer and Margaret Reed.

A get-acquainted coffee was held in the morning. After the coffee, members were dismissed so they could attend church services. A luncheon was held at 12:30. It was in a Hawaiian theme. The program consisted of slides on Hawaii, a hula dancer and a hypnotist. After the program, forums on different phases of sorority activity were conducted.

A farewell tea was held after the forums.

Surprise Flores Family With Housewarming

Mr. and Mrs. Joe P. Flores were surprised recently with a housewarming. Games were played throughout the evening, and refreshments of pie, coffee and nuts were served to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vincent, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Brannan, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Walsh, Mr. and Mrs. Sam R. Lasley, Mr. and Mrs. Verne Foreman, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. Cone Donelson, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Vincent, Mr. and Mrs. Demus Eller, Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Smith, and the honored couple, Mr. and Mrs. Flores.

Hosts and hostesses for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Buckles, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Miller and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Miller.

Mesdames Pruet Adkins, Beauchamp, Joe Brown, E. W. Butler, Mike Burgess, Howard Haffey, Ollie Davis, V. M. King, W. E. Pleyer, W. L. Hankey, E. Ellison, W. D. Ellis and Mrs. Cone Donelson, the W. M. U. president.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following members:

Promote safety and prevent sorrow. Drive safely.

Mrs. Beauchamp Is Marjorie Stephens Circle Hostess

The Marjorie Stephens Circle of the First Baptist Church met Wednesday of last week in the home of Mrs. H. Beauchamp with Mrs. John Lavake as hostess.

The Stratford Star

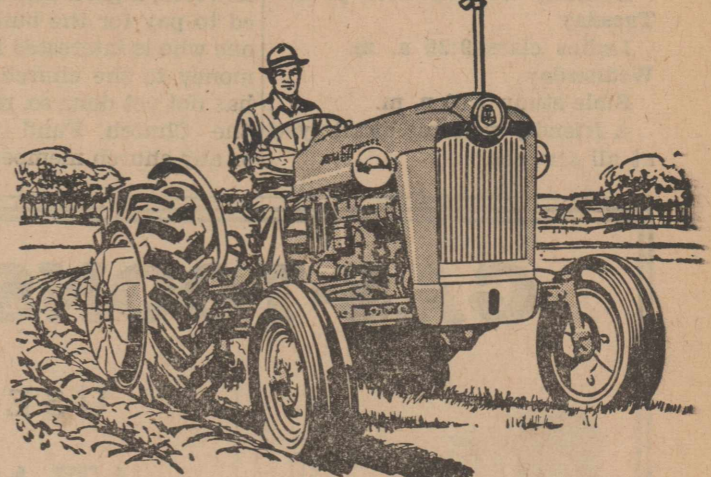
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CLAYTON, N. M., NOV. 13-14, 1959

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Nu Betas Have Hallowe'en Party

The Nu Beta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi held a Hallowe'en party at 7:30 on October 29 in the county barn. The barn was attractively decorated in a Treasure Island theme. Judges awarded the prize for the best costumed member to Ruby Davis. The prize for the best costume among the guests was won by Bettye Lasley. After all members and guests arrived they divided into groups of four. Each group was given a clue to finding the treasure. The group who found the treasure chest consisted of Lela Moon, Helen Buckles, Sue Hensley, and Pauline Martin. After all the groups returned from the treasure hunt, they were served a sack lunch and coffee after which games were played. Members present were: Joan Bell, Hattie Chessmer, Terry Flores, Ida Gaylord, Vida Gaylord, Sue Hensley, Aline Judd, Pauline Martin, Geneta Miller, Charline Oquin, Gaynelle Riffe, Maxine Stinson, Sisty Vincent, Virgie Biddy and Ruby Davis. Members of the exemplar chapter, who were present as guests were: Mesdames Alice Jeffcoat, Lela Moon, Corinne Eller, Gerre Hell, Zola Brannan, Helen Buckles, Bettye Lasley and Johnny Vincent.

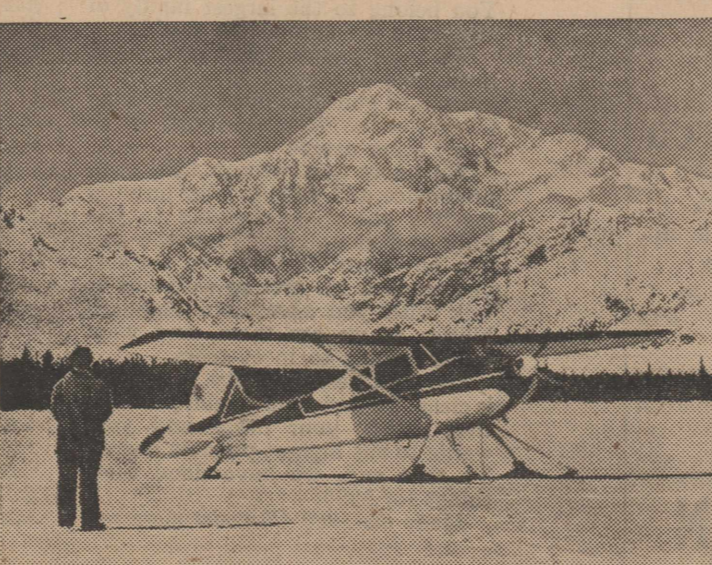
Star Club Has Covered Dish Luncheon

The Star Home Demonstration Club met in the County Exhibit Building at 11:30 a. m. Tuesday for a covered dish luncheon with Mrs. Alfred Pronger as hostess. Members present included: Mrs. Roscoe Dyess, Mrs. Harold Bennett, Mrs. P. J. Pronger Jr., Mrs. Donald Torrey, Mrs. Kenneth Borth, Mrs. J. W. Smith, Mrs. Leroy Judd, Mrs. Pruet Adkins, one new member, Mrs. J. O. Brown, Mrs. Arthur Judd, a former member who attended as a guest, and the hostess, Mrs. Alfred Pronger.

Mrs. Kenneth Borth and Mrs. Donald Torrey gave a demonstration on "Decorative pillows for the home." Mrs. Leroy Judd and Mrs. Harold Bennett gave a program on "Stuffed toys." Plans were made for the Star Club members to meet at the home of Mrs. Harold Bennett Tuesday, November 10, at 11:00 a. m. to go to Texhoma to accept the invitation to a luncheon given by the Lone Star Club.

The club adjourned to meet December 15 at 11:30 a. m. for a covered dish luncheon and the exchange of Christmas gifts in the home of Mrs. J. W. Smith.

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 Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
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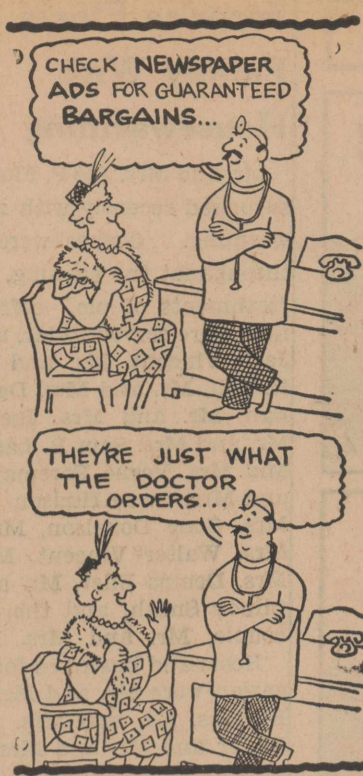
Church of Christ

(Vernon Williams, Minister)
Sunday Services
 Bible Study 10:00 a. m.
 Worship 10:55 a. m.
 Evening Worship 6:00 p. m.
Tuesday
 Ladies class 9:30 a. m.
Wednesday
 Bible study 7:00 p. m.
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Catholic Chapel

(Rev. James W. Sonderman, Mission Pastor, Phone Dalhart, CH9-4128)
Sundays
 Confession 7:15 a. m.
 Mass 8:00 a. m.
 Altar Society Tuesday 7:30 p. m.
 Dalhart meeting Wednesday 8:00 p. m.

The fund raising meeting held Monday night seems to at least guarantee us a place to sit in our new church. There is, however, a good deal more needed to pay for the building. Anyone who is interested in donating money to the church fund, and has not yet done so, may contact the Church Fund Committee, or any church member. They will



be happy to come and pick up your donation, no matter how large or small.

Methodist Church

(Rev. Raymond T. Dyess, Pastor)
 Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
 Morning worship 11:00 a. m.
 M.Y.F. 6:00 p. m.
 Intermediate Fellowship 6:00 p. m.
 Junior additional session 6:00 p. m.
 Evening worship 7:00 p. m.
 Wesleyan Guild meets second Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p. m.
 Choir practice: First and third Wednesday of each month, 7:30 p. m.
 Official board meetings and all commissions second Wednesday of each month, 7:30 p. m. at the church.
 W.S.C.S. Meetings: Third Wednesday of each month at the church at 2:30 p. m.
 Circles meet the first Wednesday of each month; Mary Ethel Circle at 9:30 a. m., Flora Foreman Circle at 2:30 p. m., Florence Mullins Circle at 9:30 a. m.
 Methodist Men meet the fourth Wednesday night of each month at 7:00 p. m.
 MYF council meetings: First Sunday of every third month at 5:00 p. m.

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SECOND CHANCE

By Orlan Jones

"I HOPE you won't be mad about this," Grady said when Helen came to the door. She was a wonderfully pretty wisp of a girl. And as she stepped out onto the porch, Grady made note of the fact that she looked especially good at seven-thirty in the morning.

"I didn't believe it," she said, "when mother told me Grady Yates was at the front door. Isn't this the day you were supposed to leave for the army?" "Yeh. They made us all report down there at the Federal Building at six-thirty, and then when we got there they told us that we were on our own until ten o'clock on account of the train schedule is fouled up."

"Oh," she said. "I coulda gone back home, I guess." She looked up quickly. "I'm glad you came," she said. Then they stood looking at each other for a minute. Finally, he spoke.

"How soon do you have to go to work?" "Ten 'til. But I'm all ready." Grady took off his coat and put it around her. He said, "Helen, I'm glad the trains were fouled up this morning. It's sorta like gettin' a second chance. I shouldn't have tried to go without saying anything to you."

"You didn't call or anything for two weeks." "I know. I shouldn't have." "Why did you, Grady? Why did you?" she asked. "You were gettin' to mean too much to me. I knew I was goin' to be drafted. I just didn't want to let you get under my skin."

"You should have told me," she said. He clutched her to him for just a brief second, and then he looked down at her and said, "I wasn't sure you felt the same way."

"You could have asked, silly."

Then he pushed her to the end of his arms, and his tone changed. "Helen, I'm only nineteen. I'm leaving for the army today. I got no future that I know about. If I get back at all, I don't know what I'll do. I worked for Mr. Griffin at the Implement Company, but I didn't get to stay long enough to learn a trade."

"What are you trying to say?" she asked. "It's just that I haven't got the right to ask you to marry me, or even to wait for me, I have nothin' to offer."

"Oh, Grady," she said, leaning against him again. "Do you think you have to ask me to wait?" "Do you mean that?" "Certainly."

"I haven't even got the price of an engagement ring. I can't make any promises." "Don't talk about it now," she said. "We can work those things out in our letters."

Their kiss was warm and lingering. They clung to each other impetuously for many seconds and then they broke apart. "I'll go on now," he said. "I don't want to make you late to work. It's better this way."

He looked back at her when he reached the street, and then he turned and walked briskly away. When he rounded the corner and was out of sight, he leaped up and hit the side of a building with his hand and said, "Hot dog."

Then he looked at his watch. It was ten minutes to eight. Without a moment's hesitation, he broke into a run.

He didn't stop for four blocks. Then he raced up on the front porch of a large white house and knocked on the door. His watch showed five minutes to eight. When the door opened, he looked into the face of a beautiful young girl and said:

"I hope you won't be mad about this, Blanche."

Reasonable speed allows more time to act.

Earl Goodwin, a Providence, R. I. taxi driver, claims the title of the biggest taxi driver in the world. He weighs 562 pounds.

The Amazon River's discharge is greater than that of the world's three next largest rivers combined. The Amazon freshens Atlantic waters 100 miles offshore.

There are 75 dams in Washington State, with Grand Coulee Dam dominating all others. Second in size is the Chief Joseph Dam, also on the Columbia River.

If you have plans for tomorrow, be careful today.

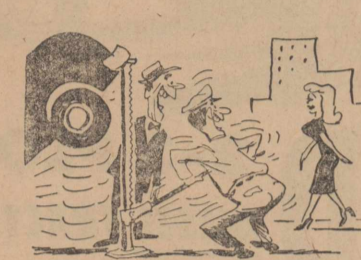
Asked how long the huge heads of Mount Rushmore would last, sculptor Gutzon Borglum replied, "When I learned that this granite erodes perhaps an inch in 100,000 years, I added a foot to Washington's nose. Nobody could tell the difference, and it will give him another million years!" "Myriad" literally means ten thousand.

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Rev. Godwin Is Guest Speaker At Baptist Church

Rev. L. E. Godwin of Amarillo was a guest speaker at the First Baptist Church Sunday at the morning and evening services. Rev. M. E. Upchurch was away attending the State Convention in Corpus Christi.

Life is not so short that there is not time for courtesy. Drive safely.

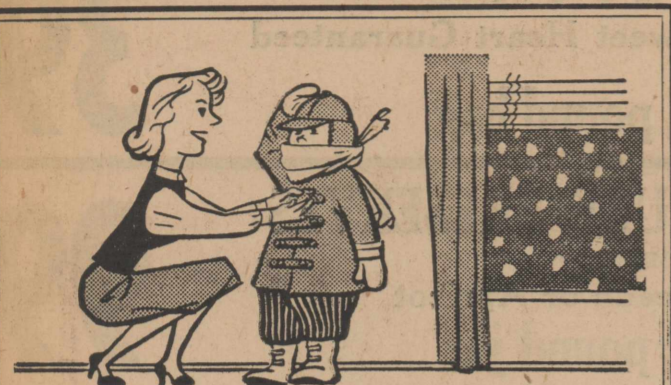
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FOR AND ABOUT TEENAGERS

Girl Who Demands Respect Can Get It

By C. D. Smith



PROBLEM OF THE WEEK: "I am a young girl of 15. There is this certain boy I like very much. He's kind and considerate, generous, a lot of fun, and he has a good personality, although he's what you call an 'octopus,' if I spelled it right. That's a guy who's fresh on dates. He's all arms. But I have a way of handling him—so far, that is... he still has the tendency. What should I do? Tell him I can't go out with him any more unless he changes his ways? Or, just say 'no' when he asks me out. I think too much of him to hurt his feelings. He's 19 and swell, but there's this one thing which puts him in the lower bracket. He respects me, but it doesn't look that way to you, does it? What can I do? How can I go about doing it?"

In meeting a situation of this kind, the wise young lady will not wait until she reaches the bridge before crossing them. If she likes

the boy and intends to go out with him again, she should tell him emphatically, at the start, that there will be no monkey-shines or making like an octopus. If the boy respects her, he will respect her wishes.

We have no doubt that the boy in question does have respect for the young lady. But we also know that he could lose it very easily if she didn't tell him to straighten up and fly right when he began to get out of line. He has respect for her because she has shown that she has respect for herself, that she is a lady. When she ceases to act like one, he will lose that respect gradually, then completely.

In order to give a guy "the word," a lady doesn't have to shout and stamp her feet. If she speaks quietly, with determination, he will "get the message." If he doesn't read it loud and clear, he is no gentleman and should be sent—far, far away.

If you have a teenage problem you want to discuss, or an observation to make, address your letter to FOR AND ABOUT TEENAGERS, NATIONAL WEEKLY NEWSPAPER SERVICE, FRANKFORT, KY.

State Capital Highlights

(By Vern Sanford)

Should all Texas public school teachers receive a raise, or should higher pay be a reward for being a better teacher?

This is one of the questions being debated as teachers flood Gov. Price Daniel's office with letters asking for a special session of the Legislature next year to hike their salaries.

Other points of controversy: (1) How would you decide which are "better" teachers, (2) How do teachers' salaries compare with those of other college graduates?

Texas State Teachers Association is asking for a \$405 per year boost in the present \$3,204 minimum annual salary.

R. W. Byram, State Board of Education member, has suggested giving teachers examinations to determine which should receive raises on the basis of merit. A bachelor's degree, Byram noted, is not a mark of "exceptional learning" in these days.

Choice, in Byram's view, is either better pay for the more competent teachers or a uniform scale pegged at a lower level.

Byram declared that teachers' salaries in the larger Texas cities which pay more than the statewide minimum already compare well with those of other professions. He said a beginning teacher in Houston gets \$444 a month, while a new geologist or petroleum engineer may start from \$375 to \$425 with the necessity of living "where the job is."

A University of Texas job placement official challenged Byram's figures. Joe L. Bruns contended the Houston school pay is tops, not typical, for the state and reminded that teacher pay is for only nine months a year.

On a 12-months basis, said Bruns, most Texas teachers average \$267 a month. He said UT's engineering graduates last year started at an average of \$490 per month.

In Austin, he said, the average starting teacher has about \$220 a month take-home pay, not enough "to lure an able young man, particularly a married man."

Burglary Without Consent
If a burglar breaks into a house, the owner of the burglarized property must, if he testifies in court, state that he did not give the thief permission to enter the premises.

Court of Criminal Appeals has now reversed three convictions because property owner did not testify that he had not given consent for the defendant to take property from the site.

In one case the defendant confessed that he cut a hole in the ceiling of an office and stole a safe. However, in the appeals court opinion, it must be proven that the defendant was going against the wishes of the property owner.

Stop For School Bus
Texas motorists are being urged to observe the law to the letter when they encounter a school bus on the streets or highways.

Ten children have been killed and 86 injured in school bus accidents since September 1, the Department of Public Safety reports.

Texas law requires that a car must come to a full stop when

W. J. Lowe Is Recovering From Heart Attack

W. J. Lowe is recovering from a heart attack in Coon Memorial Hospital in Dalhart. Mrs. Lowe took her husband to the hospital Friday at noon. Physicians have stated that he will need two weeks of hospital rest and four weeks of bed rest after he returns home. Mr. Lowe became ill Thursday night, and at 6:00 a. m. Friday he called to his wife to tell her of his condition. He had suffered a previous heart attack but had not told relatives of his illness.

Correction

One paragraph relating to a fund raising program which appeared in the Assembly of God Church notes last week, should have appeared under the Catholic Chapel announcements. The paragraph is published this week in its proper location.

Holidays To Increase Social Security Numbers

"The Amarillo Social Security Office is prepared to handle the increase in applications for social security cards due to the coming holiday employment," said Hal Geldon, Manager of that office.

"Many youngsters will be working at their very first job over this holiday season; and many women will be working as extras for the first time since they have married," Geldon stated. He pointed out that there would also be people working for the first time in several years. "It is very important," he continued, "for these youngsters to contact their social security office to apply for a social security account number; and for women who are working for the first time since marriage to contact the office in order to get their social security account changed over to their new names."

Geldon said, "That unless youngsters had a social security number, and unless married women had their social security account changed over to their new names, incorrect or no posting of the wages paid the individual could result. Persons who have not worked for several years may have lost or misplaced their social security cards. They can get a new card bearing the same number by also contacting the Amarillo Social Security Office."

The Palouse Hills country in Washington state is the highest producing wheatland in the nation.

Every hour about four Americans die and about 150 are injured in traffic accidents.

A good look beats good luck in the job of safe driving.

approaching from either direction a school bus that is taking on or letting off passengers. After a complete stop, the motorist may pass the bus at not more than 10 miles per hour.

Penalties for violation range up to a \$200 fine. "But the real penalty," said Highway Patrol Captain E. K. Browning Jr. "is the possibility of killing or hurting a child."



MISS JUAN LES PINS... Autumn leaves better not fall in this case, because they make up the costume of Lilia N'Guien, Miss Juan Les Pins for 1959.

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SPORTS CORNER



USING HIS HEAD... Water polo goalie A. Grosjean stops the ball with his kisser during a match in Toronto, Canada. In spite of his heroics, his New York team lost to the Toronto stars, 12-8.

Here N' There

One of the biggest sports topics in some sections of the country revolves around the question of where the "best" football is played. Bernie Shively, athletic director at the University of Kentucky, added fuel to the flame recently when he told a Memphis audience that he was convinced Southeastern Conference football was the best in the nation. Shively played guard for the University of Illinois during his college days... Frank Reagan, who resigned recently as head coach of the Villanova football team, had a 11-36 record with the Wildcats. Four straight losses with a team he expected to be his best ever reportedly caused him to resign... The Cincinnati Reds bought outfielder Joe Gaines and pitchers Marv Fodor and Dave Stenhouse from their farm club at Seattle of the Pacific Coast League... The Milwaukee Braves sold pitcher Bob Trowbridge to the Kansas City Athletics.

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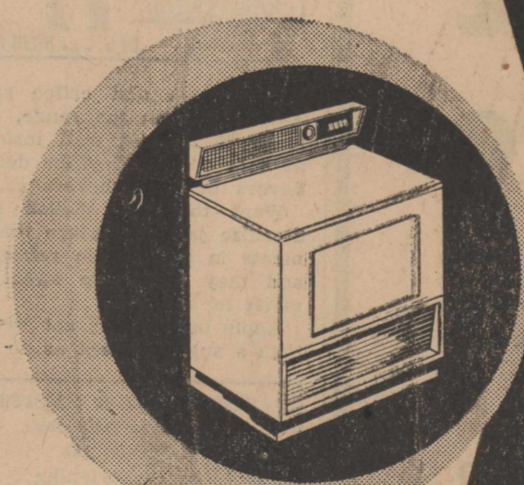
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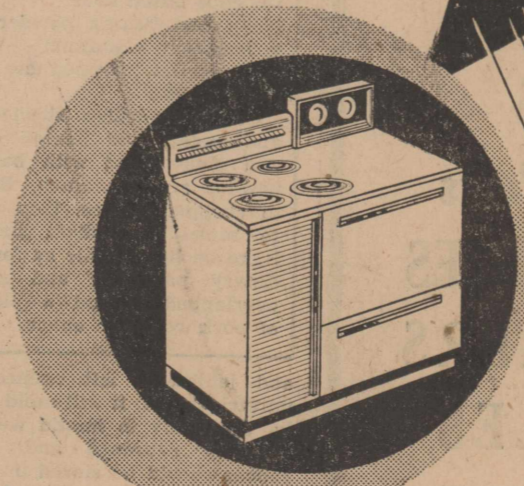
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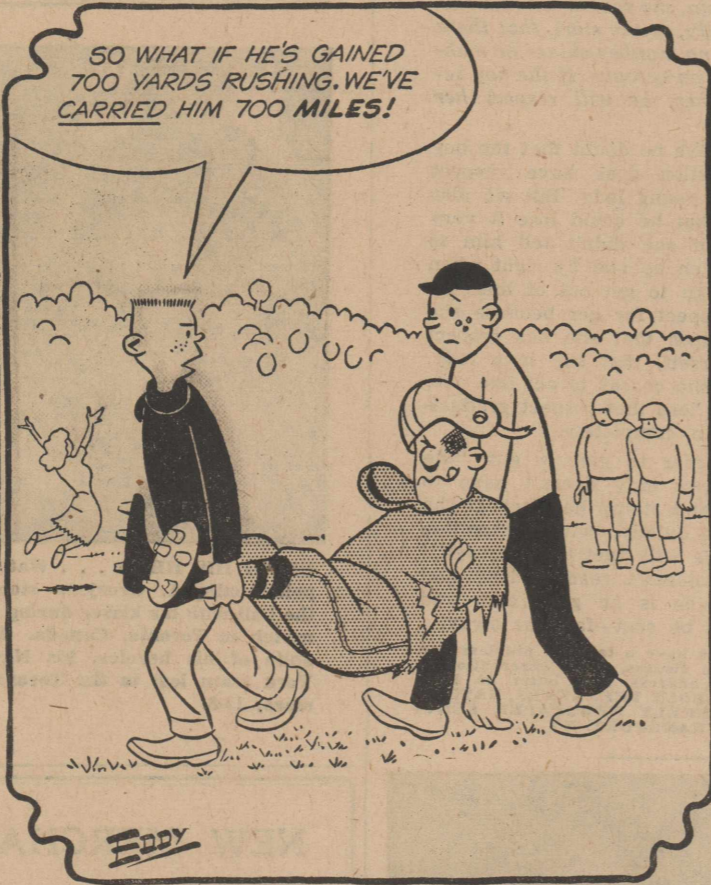
Mullin To Head Farm Census Taking Crew

Appointment of Kendall Mullin of Dalhart as a crew leader for the 1959 Census of Agriculture was announced today by Field Director James W. Stroud of the Census Bureau's regional office at Dallas.

Mr. Mullin will direct a force of census takers who will canvass all farms in Dallam, Sherman, Hartley and Moore Counties. Before assuming his post, he will go to Lubbock where he will receive five days of training by a member of the Census Bureau's staff. Topics to be covered include procedures for recruiting of census takers, census taker training, canvassing methods, preparation and submission of reports, and the supervision of census takers to insure a complete and accurate count.

The crew leader is one of the key people in the field operations of the Census of Agriculture. It is his responsibility to recruit and train the census takers and supervise their work; plan and allocate work assignments; review the work of the census takers and take remedial action where necessary, and to conduct difficult interviews. After completing his training, Mr. Mullin will return to his district where he will spend several weeks recruiting census takers, and training them in preparation for the start of the field canvass on November 18.

HALF-PAST TEEN



APPRECIATION

The members of the City Council wish to express their thanks to the various committees and others who helped in making the Hallowe'en dance and picture show a success. We also thank the young people for their cooperation and the American Legion for the use of the hall.

W. O. Bryant, Mayor

THE ELK

Mrs. Teague's Sixth Grade (By Vickie Ellison)

Friday afternoon at 3:00 we had our hallowe'en party. For refreshments we had pop corn balls and cakes. They gave us little wax cats and pumpkins.

Saturday night our stunt, "Toothpaste", won second place. The people that were in the stunt were Charles Plunk, Sammy Clark and Ted Bouldin.

For our prince and princess, we took in \$35.35, in both sixth grades together.

We have a new student in the sixth grade. He is Eddie Myers from Memphis, Texas.

Meditation Of A Principal

Would like to take this opportunity to thank the City Council, the Fire Department, the various committees that helped to make our Hallowe'en Home-Come and Bon Fire a success. A lot of people, students included, did much work to make this possible. I might add a good job well done by all. Many thanks to all of you from this person.

P.S.: If you loaned something and it has not been returned, let us know.

H. T. Galloway



KEEP tea and coffee stored away from the range, especially if it's not well insulated as heat will destroy the delicate flavors of these beverages.

Want to store shelled nuts? Sterilize jars and place the nuts in them, then refrigerate and they will keep sweet and moist for months.

Apple butter does not have as high a sugar content as do jams

THIS WEEK'S RECIPE

Apple Flapjacks (Makes 16)
 1 tablespoon shortening
 1 tablespoon sugar
 2 eggs
 1½ cups sifted flour
 1 teaspoon baking powder
 ½ teaspoon cinnamon
 1 cup apples, chopped fine
 1 cup milk
 Cream together shortening and sugar, add beaten eggs and flour sifted with baking powder and cinnamon. Blend in chopped apples, then milk to make a medium batter. Bake on hot griddle as for ordinary pancakes and serve overlapped around a platter of pork roast or chops.

and jellies. If left opened and unrefrigerated, it will mold readily, especially in humid weather. Highly seasoned and spiced sauces should be stored in a cool place. Keep them away from a source of light.

Have bacon and eggs left over from breakfast? They can always be crumbled after refrigeration and used as an addition to oil-vinegar salad dressing.

If honey has crystallized, it's best to liquefy it by placing in a pan of water brought to 140°F. Let it stand there until the honey melts.

Bacon 85
 SUN-RAY HICKORY SMOKED
 2 pound package

SAUSAGE 79
 Pinkney Country Style
 4 pound bag

Pork Chops 49
 LEAN — Pound

BEEF ROAST 45
 U. S. D. A. GOOD
 Or **BABY BEEF**
 Chuck — pound

Biscuits 79
 GLADIOLA
 12 cans for

OLEO 25
PARKAY
 Colored Quarters
 POUND

FROZEN FOOD 19
STRAWBERRIES
 10 oz. package

POT PIES 19
 SPARE TIME
 8 oz. package

CUT OKRA, CORN 19
GREEN BEANS
 And **PEAS**
 BIRDS EYE
 10 oz. package

LEMONADE 11
 Minute Maid
 6 oz. tin

CATSUP \$1
 SNIDER'S HOT
 Bottle — 17¢
 6 bottles for

Tuna 15
 HI-NOTE

CHILI 59
 WOLF
 NO. 2 TIN

TAMALES 89
 WILSON
 No. 300 Tin — 23¢
 4 cans for

DOG FOOD \$1
 KIM — 9¢
 12 cans for

BUY THE BEST FOR LESS

Sugar 98
 PURE CANE
 10 pound bag

FLOUR 39
 Sweet Heart Guaranteed
 5 pound bag

PURE PRESERVES 99
 KIMBELL'S
 Peach or Apricot
 4 pound jar

WAFFLE SYRUP 23
 Kimbell's
 12 oz. bottle

Coffee 69
FOLGER'S
 POUND

PEACHES \$1
 HUNT'S
 No. 2½ Tin — 26¢
 4 cans for

PINEAPPLE 85
 DIAMOND SLICED
 No. 2 Tin — 29¢
 3 cans for

BLACKBERRIES \$1
 CONCHO
 No. 303 Tin — 21¢
 5 cans for

SPAGHETTI \$1
 DIAMOND
 No. 300 Tin — 13¢
 8 cans for

GREEN BEANS \$1
 KIMBELL'S WHOLE
 No. 303 Tin — 21¢
 5 cans for

PRODUCE 39
SPUDS—No. 1 Reds
 10 pound bag

ONIONS 5
 No. 1 Yellow
 POUND

GRAPEFRUIT 25
 RUBY REDS
 LARGE SIZE
 3 for

Cranberries 23
 1 pound package

Will Be Closed Mondays

BEGINNING MONDAY, NOV. 9

PIONEER BARBER SHOP

TURNER BARBER SHOP

Wheat Pasture

SUPPLIES

STOCK TANKS

BARB WIRE

FENCE CHARGERS

BATTERIES

INSULATORS

Electric Steel Fence Posts

ELECTRIC FENCE GATES

WIRE STRETCHERS

FENCE STAPLES

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