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### This And That About

their subscription list this week, der of Eastern Star celebrated with J. T. Persons, on the highway west the dust blizzard which blew in I. G. Grundy of Quitaque received have to tell about ours also, even and the force at The Post is trying | birthday party last Thursday night | of town, was the scene last Thurs- | Saturday night in lieu of the ex- | a promotion on December 1, which | though it did not amount to much hard to get all the renewals mark- and entertained a number of vised up and the new names on the list. This is quite a job and rethe publishers will be very grateful

Two renewals were received this week which are Christmas gifts, one from Mrs. Daisy Bedwell to Mrs. L L. Morrison at Casa Grande, Ariz., and the other from Mrs. V. T. Hall for her daughter Mrs B L. Manire at Wichita, Kans. A new subscription goes to Mrs. James W. McBee of East Stanwood, Wash., from Mrs. J. W. Kimbell, also a Christmas gift.

We're still getting a few cake and candy recipes to publish, and we're glad since the Christmas season calls for sweets aplenty. Many told us they used Mrs. Benson's orange cake recipe with a great deal of satisfaction, and here's another of Mrs. Benson's Green at the piano. cake recipes. We'll vouch for its being delicious.

#### MOIST BANANA CAKE

- Mrs. F. C. Benson 3 cups flour 3/4 cup butter ½ cup sour milk 1 1/3 cups sugar ½ teaspoon soda 1 teaspoon baking powder 1 cup mashed bananas

1 cup ground pecans Cream butter and sugar togeth. Add eggs one at a time, beatto the milk and baking powder to the flour, then add the two mixtures alternately to the butter and MR. BRITTAIN ILL sugar mixture. Beginning and ending with the flour. Add the mashed bananas and nuts. Bake in layers in a moderate oven (about 350 degrees). Use your favorite icing.

Building has slowed up considerably and the only new construction we've heard of lately is the nice bath which was added to the his building at the west end of Main street. Mr. Hawkins plans to enclose the service station part of the building with plate glass, which will make a very attractive show room.

Kiddies-Don't forget those letters to Santa. They will be published in the issue just before Christmas Day, but bring them in soonjust as soon as you get them ready.

Billy B. Hutcheson and Shug were down from Amarillo Sunday for some bird hunting.

Children 9c Adults 35s All children occupying seats must pay.

Dec. 9-10 Thursday-Friday

Good Sam Gary Cooper, Ann Sheridan Also selected short subjects Pathe News

Saturday Mat. and Night Dec 11 Whirlwind Raiders Chas. Starrett, Smiley Burnett Short: WHO'S WHO

Dec. 12-13 Sunday-Monday "Rachael And The Stranger"

Loretta Young, Robert Mitchum William Holden Also Selected Short Subjects

Tuesday-Wednesday Dec. 14-15 "The Adventures of

Robin Hood" In Color

Errol Flynn, Basil Rathbone Olivia de Haviland Also selected short subject

Dec. 16-17 Thursday-Friday All My Sons Edward G Robinson, Arlene Francis Seleced Shorts Subjects Pathe News

Quitaque Chapter OES One Thing and Another Has Birthday Party

The Methodist Women turned in | The Quitaque chapter of the Oritors from neighboring chapters.

The hall was attractively decorquires a strenuous bit of work, and ated for the occasion, emphasing a color scheme of red and white. for your consideration. Again we Paper streamers behind the roswant to express our appreciation trum formed a background for for the generous response to the floral arrangements of red and white carnations and other greenery. A profusion of cedar and Christmas greens and other seasonable ornaments were used.

> Appropriate readings and music presented an enjoyable program. A song composed especially for the chapter by Mrs. Joe Graham of Amarillo, a former member, was sung by Mrs. A. E. Gragson and Mrs. John T. Rogers accompanied by Mrs. Frank Gillespie. Small Mary Jo Bailey gave two readings, followed by group singing, and Mrs. Jim Baird gave a reading.

Some visitors from Turkey, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Green and daughter Anita Kay, favored the group with a delightful musical number, Mr. Green with the trumpet, the daughter with the violin and Mrs.

The pretty birthday cake decorated with four candles was brought in for the group to admire, and then was cut and served with sandwiches, coffee and mints.

Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Green and daughter, Mrs. U. F. Coker, Mrs. C. W. Parmenter, Mrs Inza Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Smith, Mrs. George Setliff, Mrs. Roy Cooper, Mrs. Carl Gilmore and Mr. and Mrs. John Adamson, all of ing after each addition. Add soda Turkey, and Mrs. R. H. Tanner of the Crowell chapter OES.

W. F. Brittain has been ill the past week, and has not been able ker Okla., and attended the Oklato be in his shoe shop. Mr. Brittain homa schools. He spent five years to get a basketball story this week, was very sick Monday night, and in the army during the war, ser- as the squads are busy playing in Wednesday his daughters, Mrs. Bill ving as an officer in Gen. Patton's another tournament at Matador.) Clutter of Hereford and Mrs. Glen army, and participated in the drive Downs of Panhandle came to see across Europe into Germany. He is him, and Mrs. Clutter, who is a re- engaged in farming and also has gistered nurse, took her father recently entered business in Guyhome with her to Hereford where man. F. T Lee home. Also W P. Hawkins he could be close to his physician is doing some extensive improving and under her care. Mr. and Mrs. NEW BOGAN Pat Brittain of Turkey also have been here with his father.

### NOLIE HOLLIS DIES

Relatives here were notified Tuesday night that Nolie Hollis had passed away at the veterans hospital in Sherman. His daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hunt and little girl left immediately for Sherman, and other relatives from Amarillo went there for the last rites. Mr. Hollis succumbed dren. following a long and painful ill-

SCHOOLS CLOSE DEC. 23

Supt. Cross announced today that Quitaque schools would dismiss Thursday afternoon, December 23, until Monday, Jan. 3., for the Christmas holidays.

Bride Is Complimented Saturday's Duster With Lovely Shower

The spacious new home of Mrs. milk, nee Miss Billye Tibbetts. Hos- ed this section with dust and sand, tesses with Mrs. Persons were Mrs. John Garner, Mrs. Eloise Weast

ted to the bedoom where the beau-

and the crystal punch bowl. Mrs. abouts. Weast presided at the refreshment table and served dainty individual ting with the punch. Favors were 'Billye and Jack."

Registering from out-of-town Bomar of Silveron, and the bride's and what-not up the highway. mother-in-law Mrs. D. C. Howell of Chillicothe.

#### FRANCIS YOUNG AND **GUYMON MAN WED**

ON Monday, November 22, Mrs. Frances Young (the former Miss Frances Graham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Graham of Amarillo) and Mr. Carl Moore of Guyman, honeymoon in Colorado, they returned to Guyman where they will make their home.

Quitaque and is well known here.

Mr. Moore was reared near Hoo-

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Gardiner drove down to Denton Sunday afternoon and returned home Monday, making the trip to welcome a new granddaughter. The little girl was born on her grandmother's birthday, Sunday night, to Mr. and Mrs. Barney Bogan. Mrs. Lockett Payne went with the Gardiners to remain with the Bogans and look after little Carolyn until Mrs. Bogan is able to look after the chil-

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gowin drove to Amarillo Friday and returned home her parents Mr. and Ms. J. E. Montgomery who had been visiting here. They brought back with them Miss Ima Lee Morris and a friend who visited home folks over the

### Slows Down Ginning

This area shared generously in J. A. Grundy, son of Mr. and Mrs. day afternoon of a bridal shower pected cold weather, which failed places him in the "two car" brack- after all. complimenting Mrs. Jack Louder- to arrive. A real old-timer blanketand cut visibility down to nil.

About 9 o'clock Saturday night, and Mrs Clyde Tunnell of Silver- the fire alarm threw those who ton, Mrs. Frank Hawkins and Miss heard it into a real scare and the truck and fire boys made a run out After registering in the pretty to Jim Baird's Northwest of town. bride's book, the guests were direc- A small blaze there had developed from a trash fire earlier in the tiful array of gifts were displayed. evening which was lighted when In the dining room a lovely ar- there were no symptoms of the big rangement of red roses and other blow to come later in the evening. flowers was placed on the buffet, The fire destroyed some feed bins and the table was laid with a lace and out houses, which Mr. Baird cloth, tall candles in crystal holders stated were valued at \$50, or there-

Out on the hill at Marvin Tracy's place, the chickens lost their house cakes with green and yellow fros- for the second time this Fall. Marvin gathered up the pieces of his small peppermint canes with cards chicken house after the last big attached on which were printed blow and put it back together, and now he has it to do again. The Saturday night scattered scantwere Mrs. Jim Shy and Mrs. Jim lings and planks, chicken roosts

The big tent which June Settle erected south of his parent's home, to use as a store room, was blown from its foundation and torn to

The school bus, carrying the basketball players home from the Flomot tournament, made it in without incident, but driving was slow and precarious. Several other cars Okla., were married in a simple which had carried fans and playceremony before a few witnesses at ers to the Flomot tourney also ex-Clayton, N. M. After a few days perienced difficulty. Supt. Cross said that though he drove very slowly, and he on one side and a girl on the other kept constant The bride was born and reared at watch on the highway, he drove off the road once or twice. (The Quitaque A boys won the Flomot tourney, but we have not been able

The most deplorable damage, however, is in the fields. Many week just about closes the season. sible of the Pioneer Days. reported this (Thursday) morning some to present at the meeting. 4770 bales.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hickey and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Brigham Young and children, Mrs. Frank Monzingo and daughter, and Johnnie Sue Brown all of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Eddleman and children, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Eddleman and children, Mr. and Mrs. Reg Cushenberry and Layne, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Morrison and boys, spent Sunday with their parents. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Eddleman.

Miss Ineatha Chandler spent the first of the week attending to business and visiting relatives at Lub-

#### Jack Grundy Now In Higher Bracket

et. Jack has been associated for about 8 years with the Reed Roller a wreck this week was to C R Bad-Bit Co., headquarters at Houston. gett's car, when it smashed into a

A vacancy was created when a member of the firm resigned to enter business for himself and Savage was driving. We did not Grundy was promoted to a position of dual responsibility, in dent, except that the car was badcharge of manufacturing and materials. He is directly in supervision of about 50 employes, but with the Miss Fairy Morrison was struck by respondibility of purchasing and production he is responsible for operation of the plant which employs several thousand men.

The promotion carries a substantial advance in salary as well as responsibility, and the company furnishes him a car.

Jack is a graduate of the Quitaque school and attended Texas Tech where he received his degree with a major in mechanical engineering.

#### OLD TIMERS TO BE INTERVIEWED FOR BOOK

their guests last week his mother, ing very slowly and when it pass-Mrs. T. E. Trostle of Shamrock, ed we darted out, thinking the and her sister, Mrs. J. M. Porter of road was clear, but we dashed Wheeler They attended the WSCS right into the trailer, rolled under Harvest Day Program at Memphis it, and the driver of the car stopand came from there to spend ped immediately, assisted us over Thursday night in Quitaque.

periences and early romantic pio- perience. neer days.

While here Mrs. Porter interviewed Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hawkins and Mr. and Mrs. W. O. McFall. ed last Friday from Dallas where They related some thrilling experiences dating back to the early 80's. It was decided that some time suffered the loss of a limb by an farmers who planned to sled their in January we will have an "Old putation during the summer a late cotton will not even gather Settlers Reunion" for the benefit this trip was for further surp it. The report from the gins this of getting together all history pos- Their small children stayed

Ginners estimate that only 100 or Everyone interested, please start absence, the youngest son, 150 more bales will be ginned this jotting down all that you or any five months old, staying season. The two gins at Quitaque one can remember, so we can have

#### BUSY BEE CLUB TACKY PARTY FURNISHES LOTS OF FUN

The Busy Bee Club met with Miss Ina Bradshaw on Dec. 3 with a "tacky" party. It was in reality a surprise "pink and blue"shower for Mrs. James Reed who was unanimously chosen as the "tacikest." The costumes ranged all the way from the "bobby sox" type to the 'gay nineties" and some of them looked like just plain "hit or miss"

There were eleven members present, and three guests, Miss Euna Bradshaw, Mrs. N. V. Hamilton and Mrs. E. A Puckett from Quitaque. Each one brought a dish and together with the chicken and dressing and other "fixin's" the hostess prepared, we had a deli-

cious meal served buffet style. During the afternoon we pieced on a quilt for which Mrs. Ike Reed had given the print, the club furnishing the white material.

We drew names for Christmas | Short: and will exchange gifts when we meet with Mrs. W. M. Tracy on Dec. 17.

We took pictures of the tacky group and we also decided to give Boy's Ranch a quilt.

Secretary-Reporter

### UNDERGOES SURGERY

A card from R. H. McAdams, received Tuesday evening stated that Mrs. McAdams had undergone surgery Monday afternoon at Clovis for the removal of gall stones. She was in the operating room four hours, and when the card was written, she was not fully from under the influence of the anesthetic, however had stood the operation well. Her address is Mrs. R. H. McAdams, Room 218, Clovis Memorial Hosp., Clovis, NM.

Cecil Bays and Dick Gullion of Fort Worth spent the week end with M. E. Smith and family at the Cap Rock Station. Mr. Bays is a nephew of Mr. Smith. Mr. Gullion s general foreman and Mr. Bays assistant foreman at Consolidated Bomber Plant at Fort Worth.

#### SOME FOLKS DON'T LOOK WHERE THEY'RE GOING

Well, if we report a couple of other wrecks we heard about, we'll

The greatest damage caused by concrete culvert on East Main street Monday night, while Ray learn any particulars of the accily damaged.

Wednesday evening about dusk a light colored coupe, when she started to cross the street from the Quitaque Cafe. She was knocked down and bruised and stunned and received a cut on the left arm -but the car sped on and she did not know who was driving it, or to whom it belonged.

This reporter limped around town for a couple of days after rolling under a trailer about 6 o'clock Monday evening. Watching a car approaching from the east we did not see the trailer behind the slow moving car coming from the west. It was a trailer bed with Rev. and Mrs. Trostle had as out side pieces, the car was travelto the sidewalk, leaned us against Mrs. Porter has written one book a post, and left us to decide whethof the History of the Texas Pan- er or not we were injured. We had handle, centered around Wheeler just come from the beauty parlor County and Old Fort Elliott, and is with a new hairdo and manicure now gathering material for a more so we decided we were not hurt too extensive history of the Panhandle badly to attend the party we'd and South Plains. She is especially started to. And considering our interested in this section of the years, we made a very rapid recovcountry because of its rich ex- ery from a very frightening ex-

### TO DALLAS FOR OPERATION

Mr. and Mrs H. M. Helms return-Mrs. Helms had undergone treatment at the hospital. Mrs. Helm relatives and friends during Otis Purcell home, where royally welcomed.

Amarillo visitors Mo Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Lo Purcell and Mrs. I They were accompan Mrs. Glen Cooper at Teddy Bob from Teddy Bob was inter "man on the street" Quitaque friends enjo radio audition.

# All children occupying

Thursday-Friday **Four Faces West** Joel McCrea, Francis Dee Charels Bickford

must pay.

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Saturday Mat. and Night Dec 11 The Wild Frontier

Allan "Rocky" Lane And His Stallion Black Jack Jack Holt, Eddy Waller 2-Reel Short—All Negro Cast TOOT THAT TRUMPET Chapter 11 of TEX GRANGER

Dec. 12-13 Sunday-Monday Easter Parade Technicolor Judy Garland, Fred Astaire

Peter Lawford, Ann Miller Short: TRAP HAPPY Tuesday-Wednesday Dec. 14-15

Kit Carson Jon Hall, Lynn Bari, Dana Andrews Short: HECTOR'S HECTIC LIFE

Thursday-Friday Intrigue George Raft, June Havoc Helena Carter Short: SUPER LU-LU





Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin of Mrs. Martin is the former Miss young people are teachers in Flo-Flomot, who were married Wed- Trula Gilbert, daughter of Mr. and mot high school, and are making nesday, November 24, at Vernon. Mrs. H. S. Gilbert of Flomot. Both their home at Flomot.

W. R. SCOTT Owner and Publisher

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#### LOCALS

Quite a few from Quitague went to Plainview last Friday to see the Santa Claus parade and the fireworks that evening. Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hamilton were among the number, also Misses Betty June and Margaret Owens accompanied their brother Gaston, and spent the night with their sister Mrs. Bill

AVON GIFTS SETS make lovely Christmas presents. Avon representative Mrs. G. H. Wagnon. Phone 48-W.

Venus Gillespie was in town Tuesday from Crobyston where he has bought a bakery, for a visit with his family.

LOST-Whiteface steer, weight Quitaque.-A. B. Ramsey.

her small new granddaughter.

FOR SALE—A few fat geese. \$4.00 to \$108.00. Presentation of the tidy graphed, the bills were removed beeach. Mrs. Leonard Crowell, Flo- sum was made in a very unique fore the picture was made, but the

46-2c manner. Mrs. Watson Douglas of

ARE

HOMES'

Pictured above is Alvin Lee | the Douglas Flower shop concocted about 800-lbs; possibly strayed James, the young fellow who was a replica of the new clinic, which from Hawkins place south of the first baby to arrive at the new was decorated with pink and white 47-1 Briscoe County clinic at Silverton. carnations, plumosa fern and tulle, Mrs. C. R. Badgett returned Business and professional men of and the windows, doors and enhome Sunday evening from several | Silverton presented Alvin Lee with | trances were covered with five, ten weeks visit with her daughters in a premium for being the first baby and twenty dollar bills, and one Washington, DC., and Virginia, and delivered by the stork in the new fifty bill waved over the front door. hospital, the premium amounting Since money cannot be photo-

Lumber and Hardware Company
"Where Most People Trade"

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kinard and daughter of Lubbock were here over the week end visiting her sisters Mmes. Mort and Frank Hawkins and families.

above picture shows the baby lying in front of the pretty and unusual

arrangement of flowers and

Mr. and Mrs. Lin Baggerly of Beaver, Okla., were here the first of the week visiting her sister, Mrs. Joe Bedwell and other relatives. FOR SALE-Farms west of Quitaque, city residences, 1941 Ford pickup, good 2-wheel stock trailer,

1 electric cream separator.—R. B. Persons, Quitaque. Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Clark and her mother made a business trip Tuesday to Amarillo. They returned Miss Rinky Holcomb there and she has resumed her studies at busi-

FOR SALE—Several used gas heaters, and some other furniture. See Garner, phone 36-M, Quita- appointment?" me at Quitaque Saturday morning. que.

parents, Rev. and Mrs. Ray Riley, family at Dumas. accompanying him to Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Persons spent the week end visiting with their children and grandchildren in Amarillo

FOR SALE-All white enamel coal range. See Mrs. A. L. Scott at Edgin section house. Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McSpadden of Lubbock visited Sunday with his

sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Brittain. Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Scheid and Mark Stacy visited with friends in

Amarillo over the week end. LOST-A gold Locket and chain on the highway between my home and town. If found please return to Mildred Foster or leave at the

Quitaque Post. Mrs. J. W. Shoemaker of Watrous, NM., and Mrs. Dan Craig and infant daughter Linda Kay,, of Las Vegas, visited last week in the home of Mr and Mrs Bert Hawkins. Mrs. Shoemaker is the daughter and Mrs. Craig a daughter-in-law

of Mrs. Hawkins. LOST-Tire and rim, 7.50x17. Probably between Quitaque and south of town.-John Pigg.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Monk and small daughter Linda Louise, of Hanford, Cal., came in Saturday for a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Carter and other relatives and friends.

FOR SALE—Two butane bottles, double regulator; nice used dining room suit-Locket Payne at Quitaque Trading Post.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. V Barker of Sadler were here over the week end looking after business interests. The Barkers are former Quitaque residents and own some land northeast of town.

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### Cherrios

7-oz. box—2 for \_\_\_\_ 35c

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10-oz. bag \_\_\_\_\_ 19c

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Snow Top 3 for \_\_\_\_\_ 35c

### Pecans

Paper Shell — tb \_\_\_\_\_ 29c

### Honey

**Burleson's Creamed** 

### Grapef't Juice

### Chili

con Carne — (Whitsons) 1-lb can \_\_\_\_\_ 53c

# Bring Us Your Cream & Eggs

FOR SALE—WC Allis-Chalmers | Business After Pleasure tractor, good condition, cheap; al- | Salesman: I've been trying to see so 1946 boys bicycle, cheap. John you all week. When may I make an

47-1 Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gillespie secretary. Harold Riley returned last Fri- and Linda Kay visited Sunday with

Manager: Make a date with my

Salesman: I did, and we had a have said "threw". day to Baylor College at Waco, his her sister Mrs. U .S. Bolton and swell time, but I still want to see

Janet had an ice cream cone. When the ice cream was gone she threw away the cone saying, "I throwed away the cone."

Auntie corrected her. You should

"Oh yes. I was thru. Then I throwed it away.'

# This Is Really Headquarters For Christmas Shopping



We have the most complete and the most beautiful selection of Christmas Gifts we have ever stocked—you will be sure to find what you would like for everyone on your list. We can mention only a few items as suggestions, but we invite you to come in. Look over the display on our counters, and when you have made your choice, we will gift wrap them free of charge.

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### The Pallas Morning News

NEW METHOD DEVELOPED FOR DISCOVERING OIL

the bleak region near the South Institute, held a press conference. Pole during the Byrd Expedition of the early '30s, set off a train of events which today gave promise of making the search for oil in charges in the explosive pattern Briscoe County quicker and cheap-

The explosion was set off during the Byrd Antarctic Expedition of 1933-1935 by Dr. Thomas C. Poulter, second in command and scientific advisor of the expedition, as part of some seimic measurement experiments.

Dr. Poulter, nationally known scientist who now is the associate director of Stanford Research Institute. Palo Alto, Calif., last year presented his new method of seismic exploration to the Institute of Inventive Research, San Antonio. Dr. Poulter then was on the staff of the Armour Research Institute, Chicago.

The Institute of Inventive Research is a non-profit public service organization endowed by Tom Slick. Texas oil producer and rancher, to provide aid for inventors. The Institute agreed to underwrite further research on Dr. Poulter's new development, provided he would conduct the experimentation.

On Thursday, Nov. 4, at Essar Ranch near San Antonio, the new

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uniform furrow walls.

their advantages.

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ditions. Ask us to show you these bases and to explain

way of making seismic tests for oil was unveiled. Dr. Poulter and Dr. A charge of dynamite, set off in Harold Vagtborg, president of the

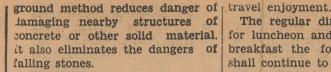
> Then newspaper men were taken into the mesquite brush on the ranch for a demonstration. Light were set up on stakes above the ground, spread around the area to be tested, and all were exploded together.

The new method contrasts with the present system of firing a single, large charge in a hole of considerable depth. The Institute staff sees the principal advantages of the Poulter method over those currently in use as being the elimination of shot holes and their attendant costs, and the greater speed with which areas may be mapped.

Seismic recording equipment identical with that now generally in use is employed by the new method. Tests have shown, Dr. Vagtborg said, that the above-

in their findings a formula called XII-16, en tested by physicians and clinics and nieved remarkable results in relieving the of rheumatism, arthritis, backache and s. Ru-Tel Tablets are pleasant to take, upset the stomach—give quick soothing sometimes overwight. Now Ru-Tel Tablets allable through all-druggists, First bottle belo or your money refunded.

BURGESS PHARMACY



method have been filed.

#### BUFFET SERVICE ON ZEPHYR ADDS TRAVEL ENJOYMENT

Announcement of an afternoon buffet service in the Texas Zephyr dining-lounge cars between Dallas-Fort Worth and Denver, Colorado, has been made by Burlington Lines headquarters at Fort Worth.

This service, to extend all afternoon, offers a very comprehensive the train for a late lunch or find occasion to enjoy afternoon refreshments enroute.

The beautifully appointed Texas Zephyr dining-lounge cars lend derstand the nature of the people every inducement to travelers to enjoy afternoon refreshments in and thus, acquire a feeling of air-cooled comfort while enroute in friendship toward them. either direction between Texas and Colorado. The Zephyr schedules provide afternoon departures from the other end of the run, and now provide passengers with this added ey, git along Sleepy, Silly, Nutty,

The regular dining car service concrete or other solid material. for luncheon and dinner, and for breakfast the following morning, shall continue to be provided the Applications for patents on the buffet service is an added feature on the Burlington Lines' Texas Zephyrs operating in Colorado service.

#### MUSIC PACIFIES

If the people of the world will do more singing, they won't be as apt to start fighting another war.

That is the belief of Mrs. Beatrice Perham Krone, University of Southern California music education professor, who has been consnack menu for those who board ducting a symposium at the University of Texas.

She and her husband write books of songs and urge music teachers to help their students unwhose folk songs they sing in class

### Name Themselves

The mistress of a Mississippi Dallas-Fort Worth and from Den- plantation, inspecting the farm lady, "it looks like you've thought ver, with early morning arrivals at one day, heard the herder urge: "Git along Stumbly, git along Pok- of these 30 or 40 cows."

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Jimmy Sue Phillips, 10, of Houston, a patient at Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation, visited Governor Beauford H. Jester's office as the chief executive signed a proclamation designating the period from Thanksgiving to Christmas as "Gonzales Warm Springs Month."

Grande to the Panhandle this tion. week girded for a statewide drive to strike back against poliomyelistricken more than 1,600 persons in more than 150 counties.

Gov. Beauford H. Jester proclaimed the period from Thanksgiving Day to Christmas as Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation Month as a statewide organization, headed by Dana X. Bible, University of Texas director of athletics, swung into action to secure financial support for the institution which cares for young children stricken by polio and other crippling diseases.

Chairmen in key counties thruout Texas are assisting Mr. Bible in bringing the story of the Ganzales Warm Springs Foundation to the people of the state, says Ross patients in 1941.

Gonzales-Texans from the Rio Boothe, president of the founda-

Equipped to care for 110 crippled children, the Gonzales Warm tis which thus far in 1948 has Springs Foundation uses the water from warm natural springs and modern medical facilities and trained technicians to assist those who have been crippled to regain their health. It is supported largely by the contributions of Texas citizens, says Boothe, and any child suffering from a crippling disease may obtain admission and treatment, he declared.

A number of statewide organizations are cooperating in the statewide campaign for financial support, Boothe reported.

More than 500 persons have received treatment at Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation since the institution started receiving

Items of Interest From the SCS Office

Soil Conservation technicians made topographic maps this past week for Eual Newman, a cooperator in the Hay Lake Group, and H. Roy Brown, a cooperator in the North Silverton Group. Topographic maps are used in planning an irrigation system.

Diversion ditches November 30, 1948, by the Soil Conservation technicians for C. M. Flowers. Mr. Flowers is a coopera-

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tor in the North Tule Group. The local district office in Silverton urges any one who plans to terrace contact them as soon as

possible. This will enable District

Technicians to make necessary arrangements to get the lines run. Terrace and diversion ditch lines were run by Soil Conservation technicians, last week on Grady Wimberly's farm in the Gregg were laid out Group. Construction is to begin on these terraces and diversions this

week. A high point for an irrigation PAGE FOUR

THE QUITAQUE (TEXAS) POST THURSDAY DECEMBER 9,

well was located on H. S. Crow's | MERCHANTS IN AREA ARE farm 6 miles southeast of Silver- WARNED OF CHECK FORGE ton, Texas by Soil Conservation technicians.

Conservation technicians on Roy area to be on the lookout for 3. Brown's farm 2 miles northeast alleged forger and swindler of Silverton. Mr. Brown plans to "took" four of the largest busin chisel soon to conserve moisture and prevent as much blowing as possible.

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Sheriff Hill says the man i notorious ex-convict who has se ed three or four terms at Hun ville and three terms at McAlesi Okla., penitentiary. He identif himself to merchants here by ing his driver's license to ca various sized checks on a lo bank. He also said he was a fari er "on Route 3" but the merchar never thought of that.

Taps and Sunrise

The West Point cadets are n the only ones who find taps ar the sunrise guns annoying. Th wife of an officer there secured maid from a New York agenc and, from all appearances, the gi was well pleased with her work.

To the mistress' amazement, Sal ly appeared the fourth mornin and said she was going to leav her job right away.

"Why I thought you liked you work, Sally. What's the matter?"

Replied Sally: Miss Lizzie, I like you, I like the children. I like the colonel and I like the work. But 1 must leave. I can't work in a place where I'm drummed to bed at night and shot out of bed in the morning.

#### All Right for Summer

A pair of very thin gloves was found, and the lady of the house decided her cleaning woman must be the owner. Returning them to her, she remarked: "These don't really seem heavy enough to wear on these chilly days."

"No, ma'am", agreed the woman on by the day. "They sure keep my

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speak. I suppose now he thinks I'm to Heaven.' not his equal."

tainly are his equal."

### Signs of the Times

In an American Army Hospital in Germany a list of the men to she had the cow jumping over the receive hypodermics was headed: "Targets for Tonight."

New York's Cafe Midtown displays a doorway sign: "Spending Room Only.

In a New York State orchard is Husband: I saw Jack Davis down the sign: "Steal These Apples and town today and he didn't even Go to Hell; Pay for Them and Go

Sign on U.S. Highway 50 near Wife: Why that stupid, brainless, St. Louih, Missouri: "Drive Right conceited little moron! You cer- So More People Will Live to Drive



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CHRISTMAS CARDS—At my home on highway, east of Blankenships. Phone 57-J. -Mrs. May Gilles-

Rev. E. B. Thompson of Follett stopped by Thursday for a brief visit with friends in Quitaque, enroute home from a business trip to Lubbock and the South Plains. FOR SALE-Ladies used small wrist watch. \$12.00.—See it at The

Quitaque Post.

Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Hamilton went to Amarillo Wednesday, returning home Thursday evening. NOTICE, PLEASE—After this week our helpy-selfy service will not be open on Saturday afternoons. Please arrange for your laundry on other week days, or Sat. mornings. We will be closed Christmas Eve and Christmas Day.—Davidson Home Laundry.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McDonald and son arrived in Quitaque this week to attend to their business interests in this area—and the bird season may have had something to

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#### INFANT MORTALITY RATES IN TEXAS LOWEST IN HISTORY

Infant and mortality rates in Texas are at their lowest level in the history of the state, according to figures released by the Bureau of Vital statistics of the State Health Department. Infant mortality has reached a low of 41.2 deaths for every 1000 live births.

Compared to the figures for 1940, this represents a reduction of more than 39 per cent. In that year there were 197,023 live births and 8.685 deaths. But despite these gains, Texas still has the sixth highest infant mortality rate in the United States, with forty-two states reporting lower rates.

Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, attributes the reduction to the increase in public response to the educational efforts of the Texas State Department of Health.

'We have reason for pride in our reduced infant and maternal mortality when it is realized that the reduction means in excess of 5000 babies are being saved annually which have otherwise died, Dr. Cox said. In addition, the birth rate is higher than the 1940 figure by more than 71,000.

The comparison between the live births figures for 1940 and 1947, shows white births up 22,707; Latin American births up 7,186; and Negro births up 3,297.

The report also shows maternal mortality has been reduced over 65 per cent. In 1940, the rate was 4.6 for every 100 live births as compared to 1.6 for 1947.

### THE TABLES ARE TURNED

STUDENTS ASK THE QUESTIONS Students may be asking the professors the questions if an experiment under way at Texas Christian University catches on.

Dr. Newton Gaines has discovered that physics students do just as much thinking, and disclose just about the same extent of their knowledge, in devising a first-class examination as in taking one.

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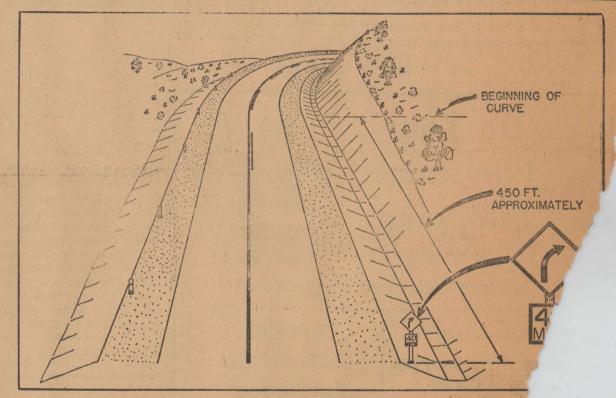
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turn. Highway drivers will try ea creasing speeds un mum is determined The Governor's Conference held this mended that the I ment institute a prog zoning and marking safe speeds, and the ne

with its aged occupants, mobile driver gallantly of lead the horse past the autor

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Friendship will be held. After a period of fellowship, refreshments will be served.

ing services has been reversed. who would not appreciate any you Preaching from 6:30 to 7:30. Young have to "throw away." people's program from 7:30 to 8:30. Fellowship and refreshments until CARD OF THANKS 9 o'clock. Come! for we are having a good time.

We wish to thank our church members and friends for the lovely combination coat-suit for Mrs. Trostle, the nice suit for Bro.

Trostle, and the "boundeful pound--Bro. Trostle ing" that was left on our table

We also enjoyed the nice fresh meat from the Gerald Smiths. Re-A short Christmas program will member, the preacher is a good be presented and a discussion of hand to help butcher, if he can get there on time.

And if any one has gotton tired of your "old" meat and just has to All local young people are wel- throw some away to make room in your locker for "fresh" meat, just throw it toward the parsonage. I Remember the order of our even- do not know any preacher in town

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Last Rites At Turkey For Uncle Dave Lane

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Interment was in Dreamland cemetery under direction of Stewart Funeral Home.

Pall bearers were all grandsons of his: Olen Lane, Harold Lane. Dean Lane, Jess Lee Meacham, Jewel Meacham and Milton Cotton. Flowerbearers were all grand-

daughters of his: Barbara Christian, Linda Ferguson, Bonnie Sue Hill, Beatrice Russell, Geraldine Russell, Mrs. J. D. Gafford, and Mrs. Marion Sumners.

David Campbell Lane was born February 16, 1857 at McMinville, Tenn. He was converted and became a member of the Methodist church in early childhood. He remained a faithful and devout member of the church until death. He was a charter member of the Turkey Methodist church, which was organized in 1891.

He moved to Texas in 1886, and on August 25, 1888 he married Miss Betty Cooper. To this union the following children were born:

Garland, deceased; Mrs. Lizzie Cotton, Mrs. Lura Meacham, Mrs. Ollie Meacham, Homer Lane, Mrs. Goldie Russell, Mrs. Mabel Christian, Luke and Mark Lane. All of the children live in this community at the present time. Numbered with his children are 23 grandchildren and 22 great grandchildren. His wife preceded him in death

on September 27, 1941. The family moved to Hall County in 1890 and Uncle Dave was identified with every worthwhile movement that has taken place in this community, even before it became known as "Turkey". He was an influence that brought many people to know Christ as their Saviour. When the Lord called Uncle Dave home to rest, this community lost a pioneer and a Christian gentleman who was dearly loved and respected by everyone with whom he had contact through the long and fruitful years of his life.

#### CEMETERY ASS'N. NEEDS YOUR PROMPT RENEWALS

Again we are asked to remind that Quitaque Cemetery assn. dues are due, and the money is badly needed to take care of outstanding bills. Please send your checks directly to Quitaque Cemetery Assn., or Miss Jane Hughes, treasurer; or leave the money with Alton Johnson at the Willson & Son Hdw. Annual dues are \$5.00.

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### **Agricultural Briefs**

"Burn down your cities and leave our farms, and your cities will spring up again as if by magic; but destroy our farms and the grass will grow in the streets of every city in the country," William Jennings Bryan once said.

This is the time of year to treat your cattle for grubs—This is grub season. They cause a big loss in meat, milk and leather. Ask the county agent about cattle grub

Nine out of ten home fires are preventable. It's up to you to find the fire hazards in your home and eliminate them.

It's not too early to start thinking about your 1948 income tax re-

Roofs of any type-shingle, slate or tile-should be inspected for broken or loose pieces before cold, wet winter months set in.

The "X" disease of cattle is found in more than 30 states, including Texas. This disease strikes hardest during the late winter and early spring months and seems to hit the younger animals harder than the older ones.

IF YOU HAVE a small tract of good land, 80 to 160 acres, modern improvements, near Quitaque or Turkey, please contact C L. Franks, Tulia, Texas, office phone 328, residence phone 374-J.



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Wednesday Night: 7:00 - 8:30 - 10:00

Thursday Night; Ladies free if escorted: 7:00 - 8:30 - 10:00

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