

Lamesa

THE "O'DONNELL INDEX"

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DONNELL STORES CLOSE THURSDAY

Business Houses Close At 9:30 A. M.

The proprietors and managers of each store may enjoy some day at home with their families make a holiday trip to O'Donnell. All business houses in O'Donnell are closed on Thursday of this year at 9:30 A. M.

The stores and drug stores will be closed until that hour for the convenience of the cafes and other customers who may need last minute necessities. Drygoods stores will be closed whether or not they will be all day, but last reports they would not open. In emergency cases, both drug stores have a pharmacist on duty and there are several cases of illness. The drug stores will be closed immediately after the football game between the O'Donnell Eagles and the Morton Indians, which begins at two o'clock. After the game will naturally need coca-colas and their papers, and they have kindly agreed to open for such customers.

Phase Shop Wednesday
No inconvenience may be caused by the closing of stores. O'Donnell stores are closed personally to ask that the public in the matter, that their customers make as many purchases as possible on Wednesday. Thoroughly enough, a merchant should holiday and the privilege granted acquainted with the situation as such as even our own, and if each customer comes personally to ask that the stores be opened for just a minute. All stores open and business work on Sunday or a holiday like they were Mondays.

CONTRIBUTIONS MADE TO ROBERTS FUND

Contributions of local people have been acknowledged to the Will Rogers Fund, and others will likely be made. Mr. Jim Weatherhead, chairman, recently appointed an O'Donnell agent to this fund. We take this opportunity to thank everyone who has made a contribution so far. It will be a matter of how small. It will be used to establish a fund for the great hummer, which should be termed a friend to all. Just what form the memoranda has not yet been decided. It will be a worthwhile one in every way.

Contributions to the Will Rogers Fund and the Index office.

E. E. Fleming of Moran, who was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Fleming, for several days, returned last week. The ladies are of various ages, and their visits were much enjoyed. This visit was somewhat saddened because Mrs. Woods' illness due to a cold was sustained in a fall of 1935.

ARM FOR SALE

For sale January 1. Acres, three and half miles North of O'Donnell. Price \$1290.00. and assumption of debt. Interest on and accrued taxes paid to Jan. 1, 1936. Present owner, State Bank, Sunday, Texas. Liquidation, Paul, Special Agent

HEAD-ON COLLISION WRECKS TWO CARS HERE WEDNESDAY

A head-on collision between two swiftly moving cars shortly before midnight Wednesday of last week resulted in two ruined cars, several lost teeth, and considerable loss of blood and skin on the part of drivers and passengers of the vehicles. Fortunately no one was seriously injured.

According to data secured by night-watcher, Bill Brown, who was among the first on the scene and who took charge of affairs, a Model A Ford sedan carrying Miss Lorene Blair and Grady Wright of Lamesa, with Rex Duke of Lamesa as driver, was coming down the highway from the north. Young Duke stated that something had happened to one of the lights of his car, so that he was driving with only one headlight burning. The other car, a Model T Ford with Delbert Wilcher as driver, accompanied by Miss Ora Mae Pylon, was going north, also with only one headlight. The Model A, however, was on the wrong side of the road. With the situation further complicated by the headlights, the collision was the result.

Local people attracted to the scene by the noise of the crash, took the injured persons to the office of an O'Donnell physician for first aid treatment. Miss Pylon, who is a sister of Mrs. Shorty Knowles, sustained an angry gash on the throat and a number of bruises; Miss Blair had a deep cut on her forehead and several bruises on the right knee; while the men were bruised and cut and one of two had suffered the loss of several teeth.

Mr. Brown stated that charges of negligence driving had been filed against the Lamesa man in Justice D. E. Estabrook's court. The opinion that a compromise would be reached.

POSTMASTER RECEIVES NOTICE OF ROUTE EXTENSION

Postmaster Hal Singleton last week received official notice from the post office department at Washington of the extension of rural route 2 out of O'Donnell, the extension being approximately four miles. This change will go into effect on December 16th.

Application for this change was made last year, assistant postmaster Sam Singleton said Friday, but funds were not available to pay the additional expense. This year, however, application was made earlier, and the money was granted.

As we understand the route, it has been changed primarily for the convenience of patrons served by Mr. Womack. Presently mail has been carried in boxes more than a mile from their residences, and in other instances it has been necessary for the route to detour because of sandy roads.

The change is expected to be much more satisfactory in every manner, and will also bring about small increase in salary for the carrier, H. R. Womack. The new route will bring route 2 up to 36 miles in length.

POSTAL RECEIPTS SHOW INCREASE DECIDED

A check of receipts at the post office here Friday morning showed a marked increase in all departments over this period last year. Assistant postmaster Sam Singleton said Friday, comparing with actual figures for comparison.

This fall, from October 1st to November 15, \$10,741.00 worth of money orders have been sold. The high point was reached one Saturday, about a month ago, when 141 money orders were written. Mr. Singleton states that they totalled around \$1200. Since then, Saturdays and Mondays have continued to be the best days for money orders, gradually falling off to 100 or less for Saturday, and around 50 on Mondays.

In contrast, for the entire period from October 1 to December 31 of 1934 only \$7,471.50 of money orders were written. During that entire period, only \$1205 worth of stamps were sold, while from October 1st to November 15 this year, \$2664.00 were sold.

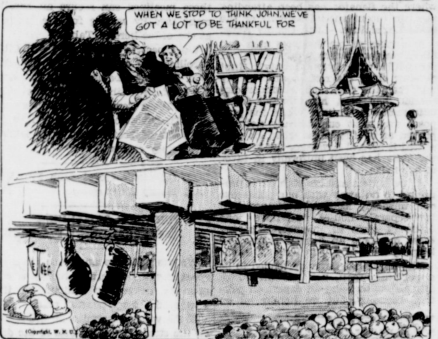
A decided increase in box rentals has been noted also, states Mr. Singleton.

SEPTO-SIV AIDS CLUB WOMAN IN MANY WAYS

"A septo-siv is just fine for so many uses," said Mrs. G. M. Reid of the Tahoka Club. "I have used it to make apple sauce, apple butter, chow-chow and tomato juice.

"Tomato juice is not at all difficult to make with a septo-siv. I have canned this juice to use in making cream of tomato soup, as well as served as a drink," continued Mrs. Reid.

Thanksgiving



PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS TO HAVE HOLIDAY

At the regular meeting of the Board of Education Thursday evening of last week, it was decided that classes will be dismissed on Wednesday, and that students and teachers may have that period from then until next Monday morning as a Thanksgiving holiday.

This was the first meeting to be held in the newly equipped and arranged office on the bank building.

Supt. E. E. Gilbreath states that some of the teachers will probably attend the annual State Teacher's Association, which meets this year at San Antonio. We understand that a full and interesting program has been planned, and the place of meeting is unusually appropriate, introducing the Texas Centennial next year.

NEW PASTOR GREETS O'DONNELL CHURGE

Rev. and Mrs. M. R. Pike and their four charming children arrived in O'Donnell last week, and have been busy engaged getting themselves settled and being welcomed by members of the church. Rev. Pike was named pastor of the Methodist church at annual conference at Plainview week before last.

Of interest to a number of church members was the fact that Mrs. Pike was a college friend having been Nola Scudder before her marriage, and a student at old Texas Woman's College when Miss Christine Millwee, Mrs. Charles Hoffman, and Mrs. Farrington were students there also. Naturally the ladies have done much talking and comparing of notes on their various interests and careers since the days of 1922-23.

As we go to press a day early (Tuesday) plans are nearing completion for an informal reception honoring the new family. The four children are Albert Willard, 7; David Erskine, 5; Morris Russell, 2; and baby LaJuana Joy, 7 months.

FIRE DAMAGES JAL THEATRE; RED PUGH BADLY BURNED

C. C. Caldwell of the Rex Theatre was called to Jal, New Mexico Sunday by news that a fire in the projection room of his moving picture theatre had resulted in a badly burned operator.

Red Pugh has been operator at the Jal Theatre since the opening.

Mr. Caldwell left immediately to see that Pugh had the proper medical attention and care, and took Melvin Proffor over to run the show until Pugh recovers. Late reports were that both hands were severely burned, so that he is helpless even to dress or feed himself.

We understand that equipment suffered very little damage as a result of the fire, but that only the quickness of thought and unshattering efforts in spite of his own pain and injuries, by Mr. Pugh, prevented considerable damage.

Miss Lorene Beach, who has been confined to her room for almost three weeks following a car accident, was able to be at her duties in her father's office Friday last week. She had been sadly missed by the regular group of office and store workers, all of whom were indeed glad to see her back in town.

Eagles to Play Thursday for District Championship

EAGLES' SCREAMS

Published Weekly by Students of the O'Donnell High School

Seniors Receive Class Rings
Members of the senior class have at last been rewarded for their patience and have received their class rings. Of course they are more than thrilled. To add to their pleasure they were able to make their class sponsor, Miss Gilbert, a gift in the form of an American Queen bracelet with the class emblem. The gift was a surprise to her, and her face was the picture of astonishment and pleasure when Doc Kyle, president of the class handed her the package.

We are sorry that Theo Warren has dropped out of the class, but are very glad to welcome Daphne Lamb in her place.

The annual Senior class play has been selected, but the cast of characters is not ready for publication. "Wild Flower of the Hill" is the title of the play, which is said to be a very dramatic one. Definite date for presentation will be announced later.

The class had charge of assembly this week, and will present a one-act play entitled "The King's English". Special musical numbers and other features will also be a part of the program.

Junior Play Meets With Approval
A fairly large audience was present Friday evening at the staging of the Junior Class play, "Beds on a String". Proceeds, which amounted to \$1215 will be used to defray expenses of the Junior-Senior banquet next spring. Of course this sum will not cover the entire cost, but the class plans to stage the play somewhere else in the near future. Those in the cast of characters were A. C. Hamilton, Earl Tune, W. M. Waldrip, Zhel Fritz, Mildred Goddard, Evelyn Kirkland, Dorothy Nell McCurtrey and Bobbie Carroll.

District Championship Game Here
The O'Donnell Eagles play the Morton Indians for district championship. Class C, here Thursday afternoon of this week. By defeating Meadows several days ago the Eagles were named champions of the southern half of the district, and Morton has defeated everything in the northern half. Coach Johnson and the boys ask the cooperation and support of football fans and friends of the school for this important game.

On Thursday afternoon of last week the Eagles played the B string of the Lamesa Tornados, or rather, those boys who will be eligible to play next year. A few of the regular string for this year were used also. In view of the fact that many of these boys have had considerable work with the regular Tornado string and coach, the Eagles were proud of the 0-0 score, and enjoyed the tilt in every respect.

With no serious injuries, the Eagles began work-outs this week. Showing high spirits and plenty of pep, the boys have put in a full week's work. They figure to be in top condition, physically and mentally by game time Thursday. Coach Johnson has been drilling them in old plays and perfecting a few new ones to be used in the Morton game.

The starting whistle will blow promptly at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon. Admission will be 15c and 25c.

Peppercuts High Lights
Plans for the annual pep squad-football banquet are in full swing this week. Each committee is working over time to make its part of the job perfect.

Discussion of style of letters for the squad girls has been rife this week, but so far they have not settled on the kind.

Several new formations are being worked out this week for the Thanksgiving game, different in every respect from those which have been used previously. Because of this, we believe that Thursday's performance will be one of the best any pep squad has ever staged here, and one which will help the boys

Morton Here for Game; Kick-Off at 2:00 P. M.

Football fans and patrons of the school of every age and set are enthusiastically awaiting Thursday's game when the O'Donnell Eagles and the strong Morton Indians will meet on Johnson field to play for district championship. Class C.

Morton has lost but two games this season, one of them by only one point, to the Lovington squad. The average weight and experience of the visitors fully equals that of the Eagles, and both teams will be in there from the starting whistle, fighting hard for district honors.

The game will be called promptly at 2:00 o'clock, immediately after you have finished that turkey dinner. A special pie has been made by coach Johnson and the Athletic Association that all O'Donnell folks make an effort to attend the game. Expense of bringing the visitors here and paying officials have been unusually heavy, and it will be a pull to make ends meet. So let that after-dinner nap wait until after the game, and be there ready to cheer for the Eagles.

To Award Trophy
District Chairman J. C. Potter will be here for the game, and will award the championship trophy immediately after honors are decided. This will be one of the most impressive ceremonies ever held under the auspices of the local school and it would never do for the Eagles to receive the honor without a host of admiring friends there to applaud.

This will be the final game of the season, as interscholastic league rules prohibit the playing of another game after the district championship has been decided. This will be the last opportunity the public will have to see the 1935 Eagles in action, and this is an opportunity which should not be missed.

Be there for the game Thursday afternoon, ready to boost the boys over the line; even the best of players are all the better when the homefoks are there yelling for them. The Eagles have played hard and well this year, and if they have not held the undefeated tradition right up to mark it, it may be the fault of the fans instead of the players. Let's all be there on Thursday afternoon at 2:00, ready to help the best and grittiest bunch of boys who ever donned football togs.

Mrs. Mansell Seriously Ill With Pneumonia

As we go to press, family and friends are anxiously waiting news from the sickroom at the C. H. Mansell residence, where Mrs. Mansell is dangerously ill with pneumonia. An operation has been in use since Saturday noon, and she is being attended by a trained nurse as well as her physicians.

All members of the family have been here since Saturday, and no care or attention is being spared. Mrs. Mansell was suffering from a heavy cold on Saturday and became much worse on Monday. Her illness was not until Wednesday afternoon, however, that her condition was pronounced dangerous, and by Thursday little hope for her recovery was offered.

Only expert nursing and medical attention, and the help of a higher power, have kept her here so far, state those in attendance. The Index joins with the community in the sincere hope that we may be able to publish more favorable news next week.

win their championship game.

Editor: We feel that often the pep squad fails to receive the credit and praise which is really due the girls. We are glad to have this opportunity to express our own appreciation of the splendid work they have done this year and to assure them that football fans as well as the players, know that they have had a great deal to do with the winning of games this year.

We Wish for Each of our Customers
A JOYOUS THANKSGIVING DAY
with sincere appreciation for their patronage and friendship.
DAVIS DRUG STORE

**MRS. MIDDLETON'S FATHER
DIES AT ABILENE FRIDAY**

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Middleton and family were called to Abilene Friday of last week by the sad news of the death of her father, J. T. Howard.

As we go to press, the family has not returned from Abilene, and we are unable to give any details, other than that his death was very sudden. We understand that funeral services were conducted at Abilene Saturday.

The Index joins with the community in extending sympathy to the bereaved family.

**RETURNED MISSIONARY
TELLS EXPERIENCES**

A crowded auditorium Sunday morning at the First Baptist Church greeted Rev. Roy Ray, a missionary recently returned from the field in China. Rev. Ray had charge of the morning service and his address was a most interesting

and thrilling one. His description of his captivity at the hands of Chinese bandits and his almost miraculous escape held the huge audience enthralled. Rev. Ray was accompanied by Rev. Bost, district missionary, who also made a brief talk.

**PACKAGE IS SENT TO
BUCKNERS' ORPHANS HOME**

Ladies of the W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church packed and sent a box of clothing to Buckners' Orphans Home last week.

Articles of wearing apparel, valued at \$50, comprised the contents of the package. The ladies usually send three or four boxes to this institution during the year, toys at Christmas, cookies, and clothing at other times.

**SENATOR NELSON HOME
FROM FIRST SESSION**

Senator and Mrs. G. H. Nelson and children returned Monday from Austin where the Senator has been attending the two recent special sessions of the State Legislature—Lynn County News. A number of our business men and other residents have seen and talked personally with Lynn county's first Senator since his return, and we are told that the chief subject under discussion has been his proposal for a unicameral legislature. While the proposal was most emphatically not approved of by the house when he presented it several days ago, the press of the state has been uniformly in favor of the move.

As we understand his plan, he is proposing to do away with our ponderous and unwieldy legislature composed of two separate houses, and have one house of some 42 members, paying these members an annual salary and keeping them in Austin the entire time. The Index has never pretended to be a political organ, nor has the editor any claims to being an expert on political economy, but we hereby go on

record as believing this is one of the few reasonable propositions which has been offered in the past several years.

**CLUB CALF GAINS AVERAGE
OF 2.6 POUNDS PER DAY**

Floyd Heck, 4-H Club member of the Wilson community has made excellent gains on a club calf he is feeding. This calf gained 240 pounds during a 92 day feeding period, or an average daily gain of 2.6 pounds. It cost approximately \$8.00 to produce this gain, not counting the expense of the nurse cow. This calf will be exhibited with the other Lynn county calves at the Fat stock show in Lubbock next Spring.

**ENROLLMENT TO START
IN 4-H CLUB WORK**

Enrollment in 4-H Club work for the coming year will start in the county within the next few days. We hope to contact most of the eligible club boys at meetings in the rural schools of the county. Any boy who is not at one of these meetings can secure an enrollment card by writing for one, or call at the office here in Tatoka.

We expect to have a boys 4-H Club enrollment of at least 150 for the year 1936. Plans are being worked out now for livestock feeding projects to exhibit at the Texas Centennial at Dallas next fall. The livestock projects will be in the form of beef calves, hogs, lambs, and Jersey calves.

LOST: Masonic Royal Arch Pin. Reward. Notify Index office. 1tp

**PENSION CLUB ORGANIZER
TO SPEAK HERE SATURDAY**

We are asked to announce that a speaker will be here Saturday afternoon to deliver an address on the Townsend old age pension plan.

If the weather permits, he will speak on the street at two o'clock. If the day is stormy or cold, the meeting will be held in the City Hall.

We were unable to secure his name, but were told that he is in charge of organization of these clubs in this district.

**Lubbock
Sanitarium & Clinic**

Dr. J. T. Krueger
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Dr. J. T. Hutchinson
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Dr. M. C. Overton
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Dr. J. P. Lattimore
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Dr. F. B. Malone
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Dr. J. H. Stiles
Surgery
Dr. H. C. Maxwell
General Medicine
Dr. Olan Key
Obstetrics
Dr. J. S. Stanley
Urology and General Medicine
Dr. J. P. Medlam
X-Ray and Laboratory

C. E. Hunt J. H. Felton
Superintendent Business Mgr.

A chartered training school for nurses is conducted in connection with the sanitarium.

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J. A. ELLIS
* Watchmaker and *
* Jeweler *
* Davis Drug Store *
* O'Donnell, Texas *
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Rev. and Mrs. M. F. Pike and family arrived Thursday to take up their duties as the pastoral family for the local Methodist church this year. A welcoming group of friends and members of the church made it a point to be on hand to greet them.

Mmes. S. D. Allen and J. C. McCarley and O. L. Hall were in Lubbock Sunday on business connected with the store.

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Palmer Imp.

A Joyous Thanksgiving

Is our sincere wish for each of our patrons and friends. Your friendship has helped make our Thanksgiving a happy one.

Rex Theatre

**AT THE
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O'Donnell's Finest Theatre
Home of Good Pictures**

Saturday
NOVEMBER 30

Again the golden voice of Gene Autry will lead you along the
"Melody Trail"
With Buck the wonder dog

Sat. Nite Owl Show
Tim McCoy, defying death, against the hobbers of the range will be
"Riding Wild"

Sunday - Monday
DECEMBER 1-2

A new and different kind of motion picture, filmed in the beautiful natural surroundings of the famous Painted Desert.

"Stormy"
with Noah Beery Jr.

Tues. - Wednesday
DECEMBER 3-4

Were you ever among strangers, a strange place, no friends, and wanted to be with your dear ones. Just how good it would be to be
"Welcomed Home"
with James Dunn, Arline Judge.

Thursday - Friday
DECEMBER 5-6

The most spectacular picture ever filmed. A period of the early Roman empire.

"The Last Days of Pompeii"
with Preston Foster, Dorothy Wilson.

MAY YOUR THANKSGIVING

Be a Happy One

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**Economy
Dry Goods**

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With all the joys of a bountiful year, is our wish for our patrons.

We have appreciated your cooperation during the year, and assure you that we will continue to spare no effort to give you the best of service.

**UNITED STATES POST OFFICE,
O'DONNELL**

Postmaster and Mrs. Hal Singleton

Samuel F. Singleton

Walter Minton

H. R. Womack

S. M. Minton

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Thanksgiving Day

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Joys**

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NO NAME AS YET FOR THE
 The Macedonia Baptist Church, col-
 ored, has secured some outside help for
 the finance campaign. Rev. W. W.
 Johnson of Baton Rouge, La., will be
 here for some time. He will conduct
 regular services at the colored church,
 located just north of the L. E. Robin-
 son gin. The public is invited to hear
 him; he has the goods to deliver.
 Come over into Macedonia and help
 us.
 —Deacon W. D. Mathews.
 W. L. Palmer made a business trip to
 Lamesa Tuesday.

PRESCRIPTION ROOM
IS ENLARGED MONDAY
 By moving a partition, building ex-
 tra shelving space, and other minor
 changes, the prescription room at Da-
 vis Drug was considerably enlarged
 Monday. In fact, actual measurements
 show that the room is approximately
 twice as large as it has been in the past.
 Extra shelves add to the convenience
 and comfort of this department, giving
 a great deal more storage space.

SISTERS ARE MARRIED
IN CEREMONY SATURDAY
 An event of unusual interest to local
 people and old time residents of the
 territory took place Saturday evening
 at the home of Justice-of-the-peace
 and Mrs. D. M. Estes, when a double
 wedding was performed.
 Contracting parties were Mr. Jim
 Gillispie and Miss Ottila LeMond, Mr.
 John Ritchey and Miss Ruby LeMond.
 Both couples are well-known through-
 out the territory. The young ladies are
 sisters, charming and accomplished in
 every way, and fully fitted to make real
 homes. The grooms have lived near O-
 Donnell for a number of years. Mr.
 Donnell the greater part of his life,
 and both are respected and esteemed
 for their many excellent qualities.
 The Index joins with other friends
 in extending congratulations and best
 wishes to both couples.

With Best Wishes For
A Happy
Thanksgiving
 To Each of Our Customers
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A Joyous
Thanksgiving Day
Modern Cleaners
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and
THANKSGIVING
 Are always associated together in
 our minds and in our memories. And
 as the Thanksgiving season is upon us,
 we take this opportunity to assure you
 of our sincere appreciation to our cus-
 tomers and friends for the pleasant
 associations during this year. May your
 Thanksgiving Day be a happy
 one.
City Grocery and
Market

JUST ARRIVED, large stock of wall
 paper at Cicero Smith Lumber Co.
JOHNSON TRIAL ENDS
IN HUNG JURY
 Jurors in the trial of Deputy Sheriff
 John Johnson on a charge of murder in
 connection with the death of B. O.
 Best more than two years ago could not
 reach an agreement in district court
 at Big Spring last week, and were dis-
 missed by the judge late Saturday, ac-
 cording to information given us.
 A number of O'Donnell people were
 present for the proceedings each day.

NOW IS THE TIME to repair and pa-
 per your house. Cicero Smith Lumber
 Company has a nice stock of paper to
 select from and prices are reasonable.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Huff returned
 Thursday evening from a visit and
 business trip to Comanche.
 Miss Mamie Lou Parr, who was
 superintendent of the public school
 here back in the days when the fac-
 ulty was comprised of some four or five
 teachers, was here Wednesday of last
 week, enjoying a brief visit with a
 number of her former pupils and pa-
 trons.

Friends of Mrs. A. R. Hill, who will
 be remembered here as Miss Idell Heb-
 isen, will be grieved to know of the
 death of her father-in-law, C. R. Hill,
 who passed away a few days ago in
 Dallas.
 Mrs. Harry Oliver of Big Spring was
 the week end visitor of her sister, Mrs.
 Hal Singleton, Jr., and other relatives
 and friends.
 Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Cutler spent Sun-
 day in Big Spring with their son, Earl
 Cutler.

Miss Sylvia Robb, county home dem-
 onstration agent, was here on business
 Tuesday.
 Mr. Ervin Sumrow, one of our old-
 time subscribers, hailed us Thursday
 in the office of the head of the family
 and said up his subscription for an-
 other year. Mr. Sumrow has been hav-
 ing a lot of trouble recently with his
 right eye, suffering from an infection
 caused by bad tonsils. We are sorry to
 say that the ailment seems very serious.
 Messrs. T. J. Yandell and Tom Brewer
 were in Lamesa on business Wed-
 nesday of last week.

E. M. Heblsen returned Thursday
 from a visit with relatives and friends
 at Emory and other East Texas points.
 Mrs. Joe McLaurin came in Monday
 afternoon to renew their subscription
 to the Index, and also to make a con-
 tribution to the Will Rogers Memorial
 Fund. Thank you, ma'am.
 Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mansell and fam-
 ily are here this week, at the bedside of
 Mrs. C. H. Mansell.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Coff of the
 Tredway community were in town on
 business Monday.
 Mrs. John Schooler of Goldthwaithe
 has been visiting in the home of Mrs.
 R. H. Schooler for several days. We are
 glad to report that Mother Schooler is
 very much improved in health this
 week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stokes and chil-
 dren, Elizabeth and Gerald of Slaton
 were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs.
 J. W. McDonald.

Misses Bernice Dean, Marie McDon-
 ald, and Beverly Wells were in Lamesa
 Sunday afternoon.
 Kenneth Askew was down from Tech
 over the week end, visiting his parents,
 Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Askew.

Carey Shook made a business trip to
 Lamesa Saturday morning.
 T. L. Higginbotham, Jr., dropped by
 the office Monday morning and re-
 newed their Index subscription, also
 using one of our club offers for a daily


Miss Ruby Saylor arrived from Mem-
 phis Saturday for an indefinite stay
 with Dr. and Mrs. Ferrell Farrington
 and family.
 Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lee of Lamesa
 were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. B.
 J. Boyd.

SEE CICERO SMITH Lumber Co. for
 wall paper. They have a large stock
 and prices are right.

THANKING YOU.....
 We could not permit the Thanksgiving
 season to pass without expressing to each
 of our patrons and friends our sincere ap-
 preciation of your friendship and your
 business. In All heartiness we say thank
 you and
HAPPY THANKSGIVING DAY
C. E. Ray Tailor Shop

NATURAL GAS HEAT
 The comfort, convenience, and economy of a gas heater will make
 it a welcome addition to your home. Hundreds of satisfied cus-
 tomers praise the benefits of this desirable method of home heat-
 ing. Its carefree cozy warmth will make you glad that you have
 such a heater in your home.
 See Your Gas Appliance Dealer Or Your Gas Company
West Texas Gas Co.
 Good Gas With Dependable Service

The Happiest
-- HOLIDAY
 TO US, THANKSGIVING DAY HAS A
 MEANING AND RICHNESS ALL ITS OWN,
 FOR OF ALL HOLIDAYS, IT IS THE MOST
 PURELY AMERICAN, AND IT HAS AL-
 WAYS MARKED THE HOMECOMING TIME
 WHEN ALL THE FAMILY IS TOGETHER.
 BECAUSE OF THIS ADDED SIGNIFI-
 CANEC AND BECAUSE EACH OF YOU HAS
 CONTRIBUTED TO OUR WELL-BEING AND
 HAPPINESS DURING THE YEAR, WE EX-
 TEND TO EACH OF OUR CUSTOMERS THE
 ASSURANCE OF OUR SINCERE APPRECI-
 ATION, AND THE WISH FOR
A JOYOUS THANKSGIVING DAY
B & O Cash Store

See This New Lamp
at Our Show Room

1 Wide opening at the top of the shade throws light to ceiling and eliminates shadows.
2 Glass reflector softens light, prevents glare.
3 Wide shade gives ample light over your work.
4 Shade lining is white to reflect more light.
5 Lamp is high enough to light a large working area.
 How much easier it is to study when there is plenty of glareless light! How much better it is for young eyes to have the good lighting that comes from properly designed lamps! How much happier are parents who know they are helping to conserve the priceless eyesight of their children! Young eyes deserve good lighting... old eyes demand it.
PHONE US FOR A FREE SURVEY OF THE LIGHTING IN YOUR HOME
 Buy Approved I. E. S. Lamps from Your Dealer or
TEXAS ELECTRIC SERVICE COMPANY
 C. E. CAMERON, Manager

IMPORTANT — Be sure to look for the authorized certification tag on the lamp you buy. If it isn't an I. E. S. Better Sight Lamp if it doesn't have this tag.
Floor Lamps - \$9.95 up
Lounge Lamps \$6.45 up

**Helps Babies Rest
Ends Colic Pains
Aids Digestion**

When your baby tosses about, cries in pain and cannot sleep, why not get at the cause with McGee's Baby Elixir. It neutralizes indigestion acid, ends gas cramps and colic pains and then helps them become cheerful again. They sleep better. McGee's Baby Elixir is made of the purest medicinal extracts and syrups. It cannot harm. Years of use has proven that. Simple directions tell exactly how to use it. Tastes good. Give relief promptly. Two sizes: 25c, 50c. (ads)
DAVIS DRUG STORE
O'Donnell, Texas

Mrs. C. C. Betty returned home from Jal last week, where she has been with Mr. Betty for several days.

B. M. HAYMES

Real Estate and Insurance

First National Bank Bldg.

O'Donnell, Texas

**BAD LUCK CONTINUES
FOR KILGORE FAMILY**

Misfortune and grief have been the lot of the Charlie Kilgore family, residents of the O'Donnell territory for several years.

Several days ago Mr. and Mrs. Kilgore were called to Haskell by news of the death of their ten-year old grandson, killed when a car struck him as he was on his way home. Scarcely had they reached home again, accompanied by the boy's grief-stricken parents, until a message called them to Bullard, saying that Mrs. Kilgore's brother, Wheeler Moody, had dropped dead of a heart ailment.

Mr. and Mrs. Kilgore left Wednesday of last week for Bullard to be present at the funeral service.

And now they and their neighbors are wondering from what quarter misfortune will strike next.

**FARM AGENTS PLAN
DECEMBER MEETING**

Much to our regret, we were absent last Wednesday when Miss Sylvia Robb our county home demonstration agent, and the district agent, Miss Lida Cooper, were in O'Donnell for a brief time. This was, we believe, the first time Miss Cooper has ever visited O'Donnell.

Miss Robb tells us that a special meeting of county farm agents and home demonstration agents is being planned for December 16-17-18, to be held in Lubbock.

A banquet is to be staged for the opening program, and a number of interesting and vital subjects will be discussed during the three day session.

**LOCAL PEOPLE ATTENDING
QUARTERLY ASSOCIATIONAL**

As we go to press (Tuesday) a number of our folks from the First Baptist Church are attending the quarterly meeting of the Brownfield Association W. M. U. at Ropesville.

Mrs. Edwin May, publicity chairman, sent us a notice last week, but it arrived just one day too late for publication.

Rev. Weaver Lovelace is to conduct the devotional today. Officers will dis-

cuss the program for the year's work, and a missionary sermon is to be preached at 11:30. Luncheon will be served by the Ropesville, W. M. U. and in the afternoon several special musical numbers and the study of the 1936 yearbooks will be the main feature of the program.

Harvey Jordan made a business trip to Lubbock Friday afternoon.

Mrs. J. P. Bowlin phoned down this week and renewed her Index subscription, also using one of our club offers. Thank you, ma'am.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Sutton of Lubbock have been here for several days at the bedside of their sister-in-law, Mrs. C. H. Mansell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Wright mess. were here a short time evening.

DR. FERRELL FARRING

DENTIST

Office Hours, 9 to 6

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O'Donnell, Texas

Stomach Gas
One dose of ADLERIKA quickly relieves any bloating, cramps, gas, heartburn, and lower bowels, allows you to eat and sleep peacefully and enjoy active life.
ADLERIKA
Corner Drug Store

**Thanksgiving
Day**

It is truly one of our dearest holidays for it is the time when families and friends unite to make the occasion a happy one.

We take this opportunity of expressing our appreciation to our friends for their patronage during the year, and wishing for each of you a

HAPPY THANKSGIVING SEASON

**Thornhill's
Variety & Dry Goods**



**Higginbotham
Funeral
Home**
Lamesa, Texas
AMBULANCE SERVICE
Phone 75
NIGHT PHONE
Clyde Branon 223
Geo. D. Norman 51

**Happy
Thanksgiving
To You**

MAY YOUR THANKSGIVING DAY BE AS HAPPY AS YOUR FRIENDSHIP AND PATRONAGE DURING THE YEAR HAVE MADE US. EACH MARK OF YOUR TRUST AND CONFIDENCE HAS BEEN APPRECIATED, ADDING TO THE PLEASURE OF OUR OWN THANKSGIVING SEASON.

C. C. Dry Goods Store



Thanksgiving is HERE

Stores Will Close Thanksgiving Day

Mindful of the fact that Thanksgiving Day has been an American holiday for almost 300 years, and grateful to the Almighty for His goodness in allowing us health, happiness, freedom, and a certain measure of comfort and security, we, the undersigned business men of O'Donnell, hereby agree to observe the President's

Thanksgiving Proclamation by closing our places of business from 9:30 A. M., Thursday, November 28, and celebrating the day in a suitable manner.

A pharmacist will be on duty at each drug store throughout the day, so that patients in this territory need not suffer. Drug stores will also open immediately after the football game, so that customers may have their papers, etc.

SEE THE FOOTBALL GAME

The undersigned merchants take this opportunity to assure the Eagles that O'Donnell is boosting them to win the district championship. We believe in our football team and in the ability of the Eagles to win this game.

OUR THANKSGIVING WISH TO YOU

To each of our customers we extend a hearty wish for a happy Thanksgiving Day and assure you of our appreciation for your friendship and you patronage.

Corner Drug
O'Donnell Index
City Grocery and Market
Thornhill's Variety & Drygoods
C. C. Dry Goods

U. S. Post Office, O'Donnell
Self Serving Grocery
Mansell Bros. Grocery
McCarley Variety & Drygoods
B & O Cash Store

Economy Dry Goods
C. E. Ray Tailor Shop
J. N. Line & Sons
Bakery
Eiland-Whitsett

Davis Drug Store
Palmer Implement Co.
Cicero Smith Lumber Co.
Higginbotham-Bartlett Co.