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## Observance Of Thanksgiving Is Order Of Local Business Houses

### CLARENDON FIRMS WILL CLOSE ALL DAY THURSDAY

#### POSTOFFICE TO REMAIN OPEN AS BANKS AND BUSINESS TAKE HOLIDAY

Clarendon business firms will close all day Thursday in observance of Thanksgiving Day, it was announced this morning by City Marshall, T. F. Brown who polled the business district today.

The Clarendon postoffice, following the President's proclamation, observed November 23 as the official holiday and will remain open Thursday, postmaster Forest Taylor advised. The three banks will close for their second Thanksgiving Thursday and will not open for business.

All schools were dismissed this afternoon and will not reopen until next Monday. The school observance was set in order to allow teachers to attend the annual state Teachers Association meeting in San Antonio.

### RED CROSS ROLL CALL QUOTA TO BE SHORT

Although a complete report of the Donley County's annual Red Cross Roll Call membership will not be available for at least two weeks, Mrs. A. T. Jefferies said this morning she believed the enrollment would not fall far short of the \$400 quota.

Approximately \$200 has been subscribed by local business while committees working in the residential district report around \$80. Workers in the Hedley and Ashtola communities will need another week or two to complete their drive which should net the chapter from \$50 to \$100 she said.

### CLARENDON TO GET ANNUAL HOLIDAY DRESS SHORTLY

Clarendon will again receive its annual Christmas dress within the next few days when multicolored lights are strung at street intersections, store windows take on the full pattern of the Yule Tide and residences hail the season with glowing trees, porch and roof decorations.

This year there will be the usual competition for the cups presented for the best show-window decoration in the business district and the best home display in the residential district. The cups are presented at the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet held late in January.

Last year the cup for the most artistic lighting in the residential section was presented to Mrs. George Ryan for her unique arrangement of the Three Wise Men mounted on camels following the Star of Bethlehem.

Mellinger and Rosenwasser won the cup for the best show-window decoration in the business section.

### Assistant Farm Agent Moved To Lipscomb County

Harold Leach, administrative assistant of the Donley County A. C. A. was notified this week of his transfer to Lipscomb County, Leach, who has been with the Donley County Agent's office for the past nine months will leave Clarendon this weekend, he said.

Lawrence, Neece, Lipscomb County A. C. A. secretary, will assume Leach's duties here, December 1, it was announced.

In a statement to the News yesterday, Leach said he wished to thank the local county committee and farmers for their cooperation with his office during his stay here.

### REA TO RECEIVE BIDS FOR LINES IN SECTION

Contract for construction of 150 miles of rural electric lines in Collingsworth, Donley, and Armstrong counties, under the Greenbelt Electric Cooperatives Corporation, will be let Saturday, December 9, Orval Couch, project superintendent of Wellington, announced.

The lines will be provided by an allotment of \$100,000 from the REA, Washington, and will serve approximately 350 customers.

Couch said that officials of the Greenbelt Electric Cooperative Corp. believed actual construction of the lines could be started by January 1, 1940.

The line in Donley County will run from Hedley west to Goodnight.

### 4-H BOYS EXPECT MANY WINNERS IN SPRING SHOWS

#### YOUTHS HAVE TWENTY-SIX CALVES—ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-TWO PIGS

Donley County 4-H Club beef calves, being prepared for spring stock shows, are "without doubt the best that has ever been fed under my supervision," County Agent H. M. Breedlove, declared this morning.

"The boys with swine demonstrations have some of the best pigs I have ever seen," the agent continued.

Twenty-six beef calves and 182 pigs are now on feed for the spring shows and should they continue developing 4-H Club boys should win many honors, the agent believes.

In 1939 4-H boys fed the first place junior calf at Amarillo which was also the best

### UNION CHURCH SERVICE TO BE HELD WEDNESDAY NIGHT AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

With the Rev. E. W. Henshaw, Rector of the St. John Episcopal Church at Clarendon delivering the principal address, the annual union Thanksgiving service will be held at the First Presbyterian Church tonight.

The service will open at 7 o'clock with Mayor T. F. Connally giving the Thanksgiving proclamation.

The service is sponsored by the Clarendon Ministerial Association which invites everyone to attend.

### FARM CHECKS ARE EXPECTED HERE IN FEW WEEKS

The first of more than \$200,000 in federal farm money which will be received here by Donley County farmers for participating in the 1939 soil conservation program, is expected here within the near future, Harold Leach, A. C. A. Secretary said Monday.

Approximately 200 applications have been okayed by the state department and payments should be forwarded shortly, the secretary declared. However, the bulk of the payments will probably not arrive before late next month, it was learned.

All farmers in the county who have complied with the provisions of the 1939 farm program will receive a soil conservation check. The payments are for reforestation and soil building practices.

Panhandle calf at the show. It was owned by Johnny Leathers of Lella Lake. Floyd Lewis, another 4-H Club boy, also took first in his division at the American Royal Livestock Show in Kansas City.

### Influence Of Parent Upon His Son Theme Of Rev. Miller's Address At Father - Son Banquet Thursday

Bringing home forcefully the influence a parent has upon his son, the Rev. M. M. Miller as principal speaker at the Father-Son banquet here Thursday night told approximately 160 interested listeners, the principal foundations of a child's life are heredity, training and environment.

Miller, pastor of the First Christian Church, clarifying his three point talk, outlined the subjects with similes.

Stressing the importance of heredity, Miller cited the fine work being done in Donley County with registered stock, saying if such fine results could be accomplished with animals, surely the same would apply to human beings.

His talk on training was, in substance, "train a child in the way he should go and when he becomes old, he will not depart from it." On environment he said simply, "Birds of a feather flock together."

Dr. B. L. Jenkins, founder of the organization eighteen years ago, acted as toastmaster.

Verna Lusk, Clarendon lum-

berman, was selected president of the association in a short business meeting conducted by Jack Reeves, president for 1939. Vice president selected was Junior Spier and the board of directors chosen were L. E. Thompson, C. J. Douglas, John Burton and Jimmy Gene Thompson.

The program opened with musical selections by the Clarendon High School band. The Rev. J. Perry King gave the benediction which was followed by group singing of "Hail, Hall, the Gang's All Here," and "America."

Junior Spier toasted the fathers in a short address and was followed by R. E. Drennan who spoke to the sons on behalf of the fathers. Other entertainment on the program included a trumpet and piano duet by Basil Kirtly and Billy Thornberry.

W. B. Sims and Hugh Brown were honored as being the oldest fathers present. George Wayne Estlack the youngest father present and G. D. Shelly, with six sons, was the father with the most children present.

A. T. and O. F. Russell were selected as being the oldest father and son present.

### Local Men Attend Business Dinner In Amarillo

J. R. Gillham, Isadore Mellinger and Ralph Andis attended the banquet, sponsored jointly by the American Business Club and the Chamber of Commerce, at the Amarillo Hotel, Amarillo, Friday night.

Approximately 400 delegates from the Panhandle and New Mexico attended.

Clinton Heater of Washington, D. C., administrator of the Civil Aeronautics Authority, and the principal speaker, brought the Panhandle a message pertaining to the airways of the future, in which he said that no municipality can expect complete airport financial aid from the government "if and when these federal funds are voted." Other speakers were Rep. Marvia Jones and Charles F. Horner, president of the National Aeronautics Association.

### DONLEY GROUP TO ATTEND HIGHWAY DINNER

#### HIGHWAY COMMISSION TO BE HONORED AT CHILDRESS TUESDAY EVENING

A delegation of Donley County citizens will attend the banquet at Childress, December 5th, honoring the members of the State Highway Commission. Chairman Brady Gentry of the commission will attend the meeting and it will be his first official trip into Panhandle territory. The entire commissioners court and a number of Clarendonites, along with delegates from Hall, Gray, Roberts, and Ochiltree counties will have a short session with the commission with reference to Highway 18.

G. G. Reeves, R. Y. King, John Hermesmyer, Claude Nash, and Marvin Hall will represent the commissioners court. Sam Braswell, Odos Caraway, J. R. Gillham, J. T. Patman, Homer Mulkey, J. R. Miller, and a number of others are expected to represent Clarendon at the meet.

### Hedley 4-H Club Starts Training

County Agent, H. M. Breedlove said this morning that the Hedley 4-H Club boys will start leather tanning demonstrations next week. Breedlove will conduct a class with the 4-H Club members at Hedley on the tanning of leather. This leather will be used by the boys for various repairing on the farm. Breedlove says he expects to start this demonstration around the middle of next week. After the leather has been tanned, members of the club will make bridles, halters and various other useful articles to be used on a farm.

### ASHTOLA CURTAIN CLUB PRESENTS PLAY DEC. 8

#### "GRANDPA'S TWIN SISTER" TO BE GIVEN AT SCHOOL, DECEMBER 7TH AND 8TH

"Grandpa's Twin Sister," a play, will be presented by the Ashtola Curtain Club Thursday and Friday nights, December 7 and 8, at the Ashtola School auditorium.

This play is similar to the one, "Aunt Jerushy on the Warpath," produced at Goldston a few years ago with such success.

The cast of "Grandpa's Twin Sister" will be as follows: Grandpa, a cantankerous old man, Ralph Stewart; Louise, his grand niece, Pat Morris; Betty, his granddaughter, Christine Knox; Clara Hatcher, a bossy wife, Oleta Marshall; Edgar Hatcher, Clara's hen-pecked husband, Redell Henson; Maggie, Grandpa's Irish Cook, Margaret Hill; Adam McPherson, Maggie's Scotch husband, Russell Morris; Dr. Wyatt, a young doctor, D. W. Tomlinson; Henry Collins, a young lawyer, Keith Swinburne.

Admission will be ten cents and visitors are urged to attend Friday night.

Miss Eula Joyce Burleson shopped in Amarillo Saturday.

### BARTLETT IS NEW HEAD METHODIST STEWARDS

Organization of the new board of stewards of the First Methodist Church was effected Monday evening at the church, with retiring chairman, J. R. Porter presiding.

In the elections J. Roy Bartlett was named as chairman of the board, and J. T. Patman was elected secretary - treasurer. J. H. Hurn was named vice-chairman.

Mr. Bartlett succeeds J. R. Porter, who has been chairman for the past five years, and Mr. Patman follows E. Paul Shelton, who has been secretary-treasurer for the same period.

A budget committee of J. R. Porter, Sam M. Braswell and J. H. Hurn was named and will bring in a suggested budget for consideration of the board in the first regular meeting next Monday evening at the church.

The chairman also named a building committee, consisting of G. G. Reeves, Lee Holland, and John Gillham.

According to a statement made by Chairman Bartlett, it will be the purpose of the board to make every effort to pay all bills as they come due during the present year.

### READINGS AND SONGS ENLIVEN LIONS LUNCHEON

#### THANKSGIVING WEEK PROGRAM ONE OF THE BEST LIONS HAVE HAD

Celebrating Thanksgiving week the Clarendon Lions Club enjoyed a music and reading program of high merit Tuesday, when the committee with Lion T. H. Stewart, presiding, presented Mrs. John Knorrp in a group of readings, and Mrs. Frank Heath in vocal solo. Mrs. Allen Bryan accompanied Mrs. Heath.

Mrs. Knorrp's representation of a bashful boy with his "First Girl" brought a storm of applause, as did Mrs. Heath's rendering of "That's Why Dorkies Were Born" and "South of the Border, Down Mexico Way." The club sang the refrain to "Old Kentucky Home" with Mrs. Heath as she did the verses. As a closing number in memory of Thanksgiving the club sang, "America, the Beautiful."

W. H. Bolton of Amarillo was a guest for the day. After Lion Braswell had announced the Union Thanksgiving Service at the Presbyterian Church for Wednesday evening, the club adjourned.

### Officers Break Hi-jacking Ring In Solving Armed Burglary Of Clarendon Filling Station

Officers of Donley, Carson and Gray counties working with state highway patrolmen last night broke Panhandle-wide hijacking cases and solved the recent armed robbery of the Phillips 66 service station in Clarendon.

In a coup that netted the arrest of persons wanted in connection with at least six cases, Hubert Lee Sisco, 22, Skellytown, signed a volunteer statement before Donley County Sheriff Guy Pierce and Gray County Sheriff Cal Rose, admitting the filling station burglary here and named two other men and a 16-year-old girl as accomplices.

In his statement, Sisco said it was he who held a gun on Paul Huckins during the Clarendon holdup the night of November 4th when the station was robbed of approximately \$30. Part of the loot was Huckins' personal money.

Others charged in the Clarendon holdup are Frank Agee, and Lois Oliver, White Deer, and Carlyle Skelton, Skellytown. A watch taken from Huckins was found at the home of Skelton.

Lois Oliver, visiting in Odessa, was arrested there this morning in connection with the case. She

will be returned to Pampa by Sheriff Rose and Pierce. Sisco, Shelton and Ray Reems, wanted in connection with other robberies, are in the county jail in Pampa.

A loose muffler on the car, used for the Clarendon highjacking, brought about the arrest of the five. Before stopping here the bandits drove through McLean, Shamrock, and were enroute to Wellington when they were stopped by highway patrolmen Penjoe and Gardner. The state troopers remembered the automobile when Huckins told officers that the car used in the local holdup had a leaking exhaust. The car's ownership was traced to Frank Agee at White Deer.

Sheriff Pierce and County Attorney John Knorrp aided in the investigation last night which included questioning of several persons and searching of several houses in Pampa, White Deer and Skellytown.

Sisco, Agee, Shelton and Oliver will be formally charged here with robbery. Reem will be included in charges against the other highjackings in this section.



SANTA WRITES  
A LETTER TO  
DONLEY COUNTY  
CHILDREN

### CHRISTMAS PARTY SET HERE FOR DECEMBER 21

#### PLANS IN MAKING FOR ANNUAL COMMUNITY AFFAIR OUT-DOOR

The MacDowell Club in cooperation with the Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a community Christmas program on the courthouse lawn on Thanks court house lawn on Thursday, December 21, at 6:30 p. m.

There will be a large Christmas tree beautifully decorated and those who come will bring a gift to the tree instead of receiving one. These gifts of food, clothing, toys, fruit or candy will be turned over to the Good-fellows to fill baskets.

Christmas carols and pageantry will make up the program.

Mrs. Elvis Burch is chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements and other members of the committee are Mrs. Edd Dishman, Mrs. U. Z. Patterson, and Mrs. W. S. Word.

Miss Isabel Wright returned Sunday from Abilene where she has been visiting her sister.

Dear Boys and Girls:

Although I visit you only once each year I believe we are great friends, so I wish to ask a favor of you.

The factories of Elfland, up at the North Pole, have been running day and night for the past several months but my little workers and myself find that we are terribly behind in our orders.

Would you be very, very nice and sit down right now and write me a letter telling what you want me to bring you for Christmas? The sooner we get your letter the more time we will have to work on your gifts, and this really helps a lot.

Just address your letter to Santa Claus, care of The Clarendon News, Clarendon, Texas. They will print all of the letters for me in a special edition, December 14.

Thanking you, and will see you Christmas,

Your friend,  
**Santa Claus.**



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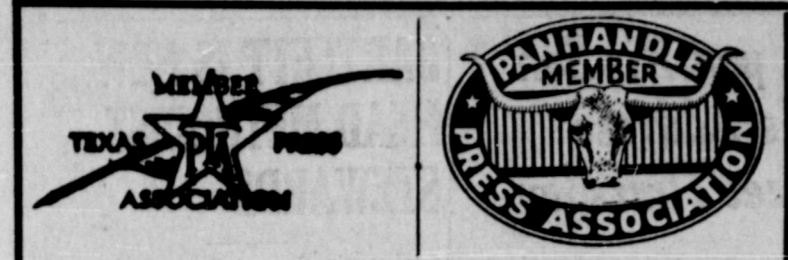
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## HAPPY SANITY AT THANKSGIVING TIME

It appears to The News that a happy sanity would make Thanksgiving 1939 one of the most notable for citizens of America, Texas, and Donley. The sane evaluation of our situation brings us to the definite conclusion that of all the peoples of the earth, we are favored—favored far in excess of our human deserts.

With this in view, it behooves all good citizens to come to the holiday with sincere thankfulness for the benefits and privileges we enjoy at the hands of a beneficent Father, and to Him we should offer the glad tributes of grateful hearts, mindful of our sins, blunders and short-comings.

Give us that happy sanity; let us truly evaluate our favorable position at this Thanksgiving Season, and let us unite in praise and gratitude to the Father that doeth all things Well.

## CELEBRATE CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS WITH LIGHTS

In a few days Clarendon will blaze with bright, Yuletide color, as Christmas decorations appear over the city, and thousands of gay lighting effects dominate homes and stores.

Somehow, our community life is quickened, and we go about our duties with more light-hearted happiness when the colors and lights herald the coming of the joyful Christmas Season—and it ought to be that way.

In years past Clarendon has been among the most colorful cities of this Panhandle area along about Christmas time, and The News hopes of 1939 will bring a fuller and more general expression of the spirit of gaiety that marks the Season.

Let's celebrate early and late Christmas holidays in Clarendon this 1939 Season. As the lights show forth our intentions to be joyfully generous, let us light up our daily contacts with cheering word and inviting smile so that we may long remember Christmas 1939 as the happiest we have known since childhood.

It is an effort truly worth-while.

## NOT SO HAPPY THANKSGIVING ITEM

Among the enumeration of civic blessings we recount at this period of 1939, there is one item for Clarendon still conspicuous by its total absence. We speak of the federal postoffice building authorized by Congress and promised with "previsos" by our Congressman.

Is it possible that Hon. Marvin Jones is going to be promoted out of his representative capacity before he gets that postoffice for Clarendon? Or, maybe, we should not mention the postoffice prospect so long blacked-out at this glad Thanksgiving period.

Maybe the not so happy Thanksgiving item mentioned above, should be talked about along about Santa Claus time.

## POLITICAL BUFFOONRY CONTINUES

Political buffoonry still continues in Texas. The most recent example has been the preposterous proposal from Rep. Bailey Ragsdale of Crockett to suspend Governor O'Daniel, convene a special session of the legislature and take up the financing of social security—with no more chance of getting anything done than appeared at the recent called session.

The people of Texas resent this insult to Governor O'Daniel and

## THANK GOD, WE'RE AMERICANS!



## JUST HUMANS

By GENE CARH



"Hey, Shoot Me Some Gas!"  
"Go Get th' Eyedropper, Eddy!"

will likely show it in a most substantial form when the time comes. Texas needs fewer clowns and more sincere, honest work for the public welfare among those who represent her at Austin.

## BRAIN PABULUM

Kipling envisioned a time of rest "when earth's last picture is painted and the tubes are twisted and dried." He observed that it might last "an eon or two."

In that period of rest some philosopher will tell the new world that in 1939 a picture was taken on a battlefield by a snap of an instrument and on the same day we saw it in our evening newspapers.

The late Charles Francis Jenkins demonstrated television a few years ago and produced a picture in Washington in 20 minutes. And Jenkins invented the projection machine for motion picture cameras.

Photo cameras, the magic lanterns, stereopticon views, and other ways of making pictures followed the discovery of Scott Archer of coating glass plates with a film of collodium—a process that required "posing" for minutes. That was in 1851.

In those times Harper's and other publications were printing engravings by Currier and Ives that were the pictures in commercial half-tones. Chromos were enjoying boom days.

Great artists had for centuries painted masterpieces, with brushes and paints that have never been excelled in our times.

In the Sistene Chapel at Rome and in the great art galleries of Europe and the United States these old pictures are hung. The greatest of them illustrate the Bible stories. These Bible pictures moved the feeling of ancient people. Greatest of all were the ones that showed the Christ-Jesus, son of a Virgin.

At last, said the people in rapture, a perfect man is born—one who will rule by the Spirit, one who will not be an oppressor, one who will not wage cruel wars and make us slaves of the conquered citizens.

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## NOBODY'S BUSINESS

By J. T. PATMAN & SON

AUSTIN — Prospects of a special session of the 46th Legislature to finance social security have become so remote, as a result there will be none before Spring is virtual certainty. Failure of House members, numbering 81, who endorsed "in principle" an omnibus tax bill, to impress Gov. O'Daniel with the prospect of a successful special session apparently gave O'Daniel a thoroughly sound political alibi for not calling a session. The fantastic proposal of Rep. Bailey Ragsdale, of Crockett, that the House convene itself, either by petition of the members or on call of the speaker, and vote impeachment of O'Daniel, then pass a tax bill, and rescind its impeachment action, thus restoring the Governor to office, was regarded as so unsound that observers here did not seriously consider it. Under the statutes, the governor is automatically suspended from office when impeachment is voted by a majority of the House. Ragsdale's plan would require cooperation of the Speaker, the Lieutenant Governor, and a majority of the Senate. Both the speaker and the Lieutenant governor have indicated pretty plainly that they favor the plan of writing a sales tax into the Constitution, putting a ceiling on taxation of natural resources, and writing in a top constitution of \$20,000,000 for social security, the plan favored by O'Daniel. And most important of all, a majority of the Senate has indicated on numerous occasions that it sympathizes wholeheartedly with the constitutional sales tax plan, so ardently favored by the governor and the oil, sulphur and utility companies. So, Ragsdale's wild scheme would hit a snag in the Senate, if it ever got that far, and nobody here believes the House would go for it.

People Apathetic The truth is the people of Texas generally are apparently as little concerned about the social security program as they are with the state of the weather in Alaska, except for minority pressure groups. O'Daniel seems to have sensed this, and social security financing is certain to be the principal issue again in a gubernatorial campaign next year. Closest observers here think O'Daniel will win re-election, unless the situation changes radically from what it is today. If the campaign develops opposition which O'Daniel thinks might jeopardize his chance for re-election, he undoubtedly will call a special session for political purposes, and since the governor has done so much better job of politicking than the leadership in the Legislature has so far, students of the situation in Austin think whenever he calls a special session, it is pretty

sure to do nothing, and will find itself further behind the political eight-ball than the Governor has it already.

The truth of the matter is that inspired and able leadership is necessary to consolidate the wide-spread sentiment against O'Daniel and his sales-tax scheme. And so far that leadership has not appeared. Whether it will appear before the primaries next July is a question only time can answer.

Tax Remission The spectacle of Harris County, largest and richest in Texas, so menaced by floods that it constitutes a public calamity justifying the remission by the state of State ad valorem taxes, outlined by the Harris tax remission bill, didn't impress Attorney General Gerald Mann very strongly. He got out his copy of the State Constitution, read it, and handed down a ruling that the tax remission bill will not stand up. A court test probably will follow. . . . Meanwhile

in Dallas County, where a court test of Mann's opinion declaring void the general county tax remission bill was started, District Judge John Rawlins, ruled in favor of the county, and the case will go at once to the Fifth Court of Appeals. Mann intervened to defend his ruling. The appeals court will certify questions to the Supreme Court, in order to hasten a final decision on the matter. . . . Final chapter in the State's anti-trust suit was written when two additional San Antonio cement factories paid \$50,000 penalties each, and agreed to an injunction restraining them from further violations of the law. Previously, four other concerns paid in \$100,000 each. . . . The first of the year will bring cold weather and formal announcements of the various candidates for State office. Hot contests for governor, railroad commissioner (Lon Smith's post) and probably State Treasurer and State School Superintendent are already in prospect, with possible other contests to develop later.

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COZY THEATRE

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Saturday Only  
December 2  
CHARLES STARRETT—In

"Stranger  
From Texas"  
CHAPTER 11 OF  
"Overland With  
Kit Carson"  
with Bill Elliott.  
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## Nod Goes To Perryton Rangers In Region One Football Scramble

The mighty Perryton Rangers, from so far up in the Texas Panhandle that one of their long passes could almost reach the Oklahoma "strip", seem destined to roll off of the high plains with enough speed and power to carry them to a regional championship.

Region 1 includes districts 1-A, 2-A, 3-A and 4-A, represented respectively by Tulla, Shamrock, Lockney (although Lockney has a mathematical chance to be tied for its title) and Perryton.

As if to banish any doubt of their potency, the Rangers clubbed Panhandle 34 to 0 Nov. 17, to cop the 2-A flag. The Panhandle victory alone could almost set the Perryton club up as a direct region threat but the Rangers can point at a spotless record for further proof. Boasting the heaviest class A outfit in the section coupled with plenty of speed and deception, the outlook now is that if the Rangers fall, they will have to defeat themselves. This trick has been accomplished before through overconfidence or bungles.

On their march to the crown the first objective for the Rangers will be the stout Tulla Hornets who Friday tucked away the 1-A flag with a 31-3 victory over the Canyon Eagles. Even though the Hornets have a record of nine straight wins for the '39 season, the experts must give Perryton the nod.

Also materially against the Hornets' chances was the decision Saturday to play the district one and two championship game in Perryton.

The Shamrock Irishmen, with the 3-A bunting packed in mothballs for three weeks, are likely to beat the Lockney Longhorns with faster football. The well drilled Irish are fast and smart and if they maintain their timing, which pulled them through the tough league schedule, they should manage a touchdown or two on the 4-A champions. Lockney, of course, can't be brushed aside after its nice record in the lower loop.

No matter, however, whether Shamrock or Lockney meets the Rangers the final outcome looks the same. Constant dripping of water may wear away a stone but hardly in 60 minutes and it

seems unlikely that the raps of either of the smaller ball clubs will have too terribly much effect on the Ranger battering ram.

### MARTIN

(By Billie Ruth Bulman)

There were 63 present for Sunday School Sunday. Come on folks we're getting higher. Let's don't let it fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hatley and baby spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hartzog.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Marshall and family spent Sunday in Ash-tola community.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Rumpy and family spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. O. Rumpy of Chamberlain.

Melba Christie and Wilma Putman spent Sunday with Lillian Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Marrow and sons, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Kavanaugh Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Christie and children spent Sunday afternoon in Hudgins community.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Peabody and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Jordan.

George, Jr., and Gene Bulman spent Saturday night with Billy Frank Moreland of Midway.

Those visiting in George Bulman's home last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cannon, Mrs. Linnie Cauthen, Mrs. Frio Walling, Mr. and Mrs. U. Z. Paterson and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peabody and daughter, all of Clarendon. Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Moreland and family of Midway, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cannon and family and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Owens and daughter, and Mr. Sam Cannon of Vernon, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cannon, Frank Cannon and Mrs. J. A. Pool.

Honor Roll  
Second Grade: Wanda Helen Swint, 88.  
Third Grade: Gracie Louise Veazy, 89 1-2.

Fourth Grade: Billie Jack Jordan.  
Fifth Grade: Mary Lois Swint, Imogene Brinson.

Stamp Pad Ink at The News.

## BROTHER OF LOCAL MEN SUCCUMBS IN PAMPA HOSPITAL

L. C. McMURTRY FIRST DEATH IN FAMILY OF TWELVE CHILDREN

Death claimed the first member of the W. J. McMurry family Saturday afternoon when Lawrence Carroll McMurry, 54, died in a Pampa hospital. He was the brother of C. T. and J. L. McMurry of Clarendon and Mrs. Glenn White of Shamrock.

McMurtry, a Gray County resident for 35 years, had been ill three weeks. He was taken to a Pampa hospital two weeks before he died but failed to rally.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McMurry and eleven surviving children were in Pampa for the funeral services, held Sunday afternoon.

It was the fall of 1904 that Mr. McMurry moved to Alanreed where he taught school. A year later he moved to LeFors and taught school until becoming deputy sheriff and tax collector for Gray county in 1907. In 1911 Mr. McMurry moved to Pampa to become connected with the Pampa Grain company. A year later he joined Dave Osborne in opening the McMurry Grain Company here.

Mr. McMurry was president of the Panhandle Grain Dealers association and president of the Texas Grain Dealers association. He was a member of the Pampa school board for many years and was one of the leaders in building the present Pampa high school, in 1919. He was also a city councillor.

Mr. McMurry was a civic leader during Pampa's rapid growth. He was active in chamber of commerce work and was a booster for good roads. Five years ago he retired from active business.

He was a member of the Masonic lodge, a charter member of the Shrine at Amarillo, and a member of the Scottish Rite at Dallas.

Surviving Mr. McMurry are a son, Larry McMurry, Pampa, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McMurry, Windthrop, three sisters, Mrs. C. M. Carpenter, McLean, Mrs. R. E. Hilburn, Wichita Falls, and Mrs. Glen White, Shamrock, eight brothers, C. T., J. H., J. L., all of Clarendon, E. D. of Vico Park, R. L. of Amarillo, A. L. of Silverton, J. S. of Muleshoe, and W. J., of Windthrop, and two uncles, J. E. Williams of Pampa and Joe Williams of Amarillo.

Services were held at Pampa, Sunday afternoon at the First Christian church with Rev. B. A. Norris, pastor, officiating. Burial was in the Fairview cemetery. Pallbearers were W. M. Craven, Lee McDonnell, George Thut, C. P. Buckler, A. H. Doucette, Clyde Fatheree.

A. V. Hendricks Is Honored At McMurry College

A. V. Hendricks, son of Rev. and Mrs. A. V. Hendricks of Turkey, and formerly a Clarendon Junior College student, was honored last week when he was elected by the student body of McMurry College as an outstanding student.

This honor was an encore to the one awarded him by the faculty when they elected him to "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities."

Hendricks was presented with eleven other Outstanding Students during the coronation of Chief McMurry last week.

PLAINVIEW TURKEY SHOW EXPECTED TO BE LARGE

PLAINVIEW, Nov. 28. —More exhibitors will bring a larger number of birds to the sixth annual Southwestern Dressed Turkey Show here December 6 and 7 than have been on hand at any previous show. W. A. Painter, president of the Hi-Plains Turkey Improvement Association, said he believed. The president of the organization of turkey raisers that sponsors the annual show said preparations were ready.

Show catalogues may be secured by writing the Plainview Chamber of Commerce and arrangements for placing birds on cold storage to await the show dates, in case exhibitors wish to send entries early, can be made through that office.

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## DIPHTHERIA TESTS TO TELL SECRETS OF DISEASE

"Nature has revealed priceless secrets to students of medical science, and the Schick test is the key to one of these," declared Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. "It determines whether children are susceptible or immune to diphtheria. The medicine used consists of a highly diluted form of diphtheria toxin, a few drops of which are carefully introduced between the outer layers of the skin, on the inner surface of the forearm.

"This test to determine whether or not a child might have diphtheria is entirely harmless. Fifty times the amount used for a child would be necessary to injure a small animal such as a mouse or guinea pig. The red area produced by the test is nature's danger signal, because such a child, if exposed to diphtheria, might acquire the disease.

"Seventy five to ninety per cent of children under twelve are naturally susceptible to diphtheria. This information has been gained through Schick tests carried out on thousands of children throughout the United States. Young children should receive immunizing treatments against the disease without a preliminary Schick test. Such a test should, however, be carried out six months after preventive treatments, to make certain that immunity has been established. In older children and adults a test is advisable, since immunity may already be present.

"During the past year about 250 Texas children died, and 2,500 were ill of diphtheria. Nature has revealed the secret of susceptibility through the Schick test. With this knowledge diphtheria could be reduced to the vanishing point if parents would have their family physician protect their children."

Miss Dorothy Headrick and her fiancé, S. L. Caytes, both of Amarillo, visited Jean Bourland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Oswalt of Vernon were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Buel Sanford last weekend.



Richard Greene surpasses his triumph in "Kentucky" in his first starring role the gripping 20th Century-Fox drama now at the Pastime Theatre, "Here I Am A Stranger," in which he meets romance with lovely Brenda Joyce, sensational discovery of "The Rains Came."

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GRAPE FRUIT JUICE No. 2 - 3 for 25c

FRUIT COCKTAIL, No. 2 - 2 for 25c

PEAS, Brimful - 2 for ----- 25c

BEANS, ranch style - 3 for ----- 25c

LARD - 8-lb carton ----- 89c

LARD - 4-lb carton ----- 45c

PICKLES - quart jar ----- 15c

GRAPE FRUIT - dozen ----- 25c

CANDY, cherry centers - 1-lb box 25c

HOMINY, No. 2 - 3 for ----- 20c

TOMATOES, No. 2 3 for ----- 25c

FRUIT CAKE - 1-lb each ----- 25c

B. E. PEAS Pecan Valley - 3 for -- 25c

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MATCHES, Diamond - 6 for ---- 23c



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**FOR SALE**—Registered Duroc pigs and bred sills. See Bert Mayfield. 45-tfc

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See me for used lumber and paints, also 2 built-in bath tubs, lavatories, kitchen sinks, pipe, etc. I can save you money. One good Monitor Windmill, 8 ft., \$15.00—J. S. Morgan, Phone 495-J 45-tfc.

**FARM FOR RENT:**—80 acre farm for rent, one hundred dollars cash rent. Located at Quail, Texas. Write Richard Finch, Maple, Texas. 48-3tp.

Two colored ladies want work, cooking or house work. Well-experienced and satisfactory references. Call at Felix Jones' house for Estella Jones, or Addie Lewis. 48-1tpd.

### FORMER PIONEER WOMAN BURIED HERE SUNDAY

Burial services were held here Sunday afternoon for Mrs. W. E. Lyons, pioneer Clarendon resident who died in Quitaque Saturday.

Funeral services were held at Quitaque Sunday afternoon and the body was brought overland for burial in the Citizen's Cemetery.

The Lyons were residents of Clarendon for many years.

Bond Papers at The News.

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**FOR SALE:** 1 team black horses, 1 team bay mares, all six years old; 1 colt eight months old.—O. R. Tingley, Good-night, Texas. 42-2tpd

**FOUND:**—At Smith Bros. Gin, White Gold Wedding Ring, initialed: L. H. J. to N. B. P. Dated 11-11-23. Owner can get same by paying for this ad. 45-tfc.

**STRAYED:** Two young Jerseys. Light gray and fawn, marked with crop and slit in right ear. Reward for return or information leading to their return. Call 930-C. 48-tfc

## MEETINGS LISTED FOR COUNTY-WIDE COTTON CONCLAVE

### DECEMBER 9TH VOTE ON MARKETING QUOTA TO FEATHER GATHERINGS

The schedule for the county-wide meetings to be held in connection with the 1940 Federal Farm program was released this week by County Agent H. M. Breedlove. The gatherings will be held to discuss the program and stress the importance of the cotton quota referendum which is to be held December 9.

The December 9 voting will be the purpose of determining whether or not the cotton marketing quota will be maintained in 1940. A two-thirds majority vote will be necessary to continue the quota.

Schedule of meetings (unless otherwise stated, meeting will be held in the community's school house.)

Clarendon, County Agent's office.

Midway, Hudgins, Whitefish, Skillett, Goldston; Bray and McNight, McNight school, Lelia Lake, lumber yards office; Giles, Ashtola, Martin, Hedley, City Hall.

### SONS OF AMERICAN LEGION TO RE-ORGANIZE TUESDAY

An effort to re-organize the Sons of the American Legion club in Clarendon is going forward and a meeting will be held at the Legion Hall Tuesday night, December 5, the organization committee announced today.

All boys whose fathers are members of the Aubyn E. Clark, Post No. 126 are urged to be present to aid in re-organizing the chapter.

Stamp Pad Ink at The News. Bond Papers at The News.

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## Random Reflections

By DICK COOKE

The county commissioners' failure to purchase short wave radios for law enforcement officers in Clarendon, at a special meeting Saturday, drew fire from County Judge R. Y. King who in a bristling statement late morning charged the court was "exceedingly lax."

Although the court had previously voted to buy the equipment, King's ire was raised from what he believed was procrastination on the part of the commissioners. The judge charged that competitive bids had been received from both local and outside radio firms and he could see no excuse for the delay.

Meanwhile courtman G. G. Reeves told this department that "there is no doubt as to the court purchasing the radios, but from purely a business standpoint they must await satisfactory bids."

The sheriff's department petitioned the legislative body for radios for two automobiles and one for the jail and one for the courthouse. Working in connection with the Panhandle wide police radio in Amarillo, much money can be saved in long distance telephone calls, they said.

By way of explanation, Sheriff Guy Pierce pointed out that should a law violation occur here, a call to Amarillo would immediately put all officers on the section on guard. Formerly long distance calls have had to be made to each county seat in the territory.

One of the most amusing true stories of children we have heard recently goes like this: A mother of a six-year-old first grader discovered that all the pages in the first part of his reader were torn away. Upon being questioned, the infant replied: "Yes I tore them out, I have already read them."

With our Thanksgiving occurring tomorrow one of our most thankful thoughts is that after tomorrow there should be no more Thanksgiving jokes. The best way to really enjoy Thanksgiving is to work so hard to get in a position not to work that you can have fun just relaxing and thinking about going back to work the next day.

But don't forget the Union Church service at the First Presbyterian Church tonight. The Rev. E. W. Henshaw, rector of the St. John Episcopal Church, will deliver the sermon. All donations will go to the Adair Hospital fund.

Members of the Clarendon Park Board are meeting this afternoon to devise a plan to build a public swimming pool this summer. One member advanced the plan of a city taxation similar to the banal tax plan which was defeated at the polls last spring. Although the construction cost would largely be financed through a WPA program, sponsors of a federal project must pay a percentage of the amount.

### TRACTOR DEMONSTRATION TO BE HELD DECEMBER 5

Three Minneapolis Moline tractors will be demonstrated by Cleo Woods, local agent, Tuesday afternoon at 1:30, it was announced today. Assisting Woods will be C. J. Dorris and John Semard of the branch office in Amarillo.

Included in the demonstration, which will be held one mile west of Clarendon on Highway 370, will be a Universal "U", Universal "Z" and a Universal "R", with cab.

Woods also announced the Minneapolis - Moline company will give a natural color picture show here in January, details will be announced later.

### P.-T. A. SHOW NETS SPONSORS \$115 FRIDAY

The Seven Dwarfs, Little Black Sambo, and the Three Bears highspotted a program filled with enjoyable characterizations of "Ferdinand the Bull," reported Mrs. McHenry Lane, co-director of the production which played to a capacity crowd, Friday night.

The show, for the benefit of the P.-T. A. fund, netted its sponsors about \$115. The fund last year was used for playground repairs, a duplicator, magazines, and a sum set aside for each room to use for school supplies for those who were unable to buy them. The money this year will be put to similar uses as the need arises.

## LOCALS

James Bartlett, University of Texas student, arrived Friday to spend Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bartlett.

Miss Anna Moores Swift is home from Denton for the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mrs. Merlin Heuer, formerly Miss Julia Weidman, is here from Yoder, Wyoming, to stay through the Christmas holidays.

Alfred McMurtry left Thursday for Waco, San Antonio and Austin, where he will spend the holidays with his sister, La Verne, in school at the University of Texas.

Miss Phoebe Ann Buntin will be home tonight from Denton to spend the holidays with her family.

Miss Jo Ellen Kennedy will arrive late Wednesday night from Norman, Okla., to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Ruth Kennedy.

Sammie Jo Lowe, who has been reported critically ill for some days at the home of her parents, was taken to Dallas Tuesday. Visiting in the Lowe home last week were Mrs. W. J. Aiken and Elton Aiken of Lipan, and John Aiken, and Miss Lucy Aiken of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Taylor went to Pampa Sunday because of the illness of their daughter-in-law, Mrs. George Taylor. Mrs. Taylor reports that her daughter-in-law is feeling better.

Mr. Jim Patman and Mrs. Wm. Patman visited Sunday in Pampa and White Deer.

Dr. and Mrs. Mark L. Stricklin are leaving Thursday morning to spend Thanksgiving at Altus, Okla.

Miss Margaret Korbow and Miss Lois Waggoner were Memphis visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Leathers and baby of Dallas visited here last week-end.

Miss Lois Waggoner and Miss Mildred Martin spent the week-end in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Taylor announce the arrival of a son, Donald, born November 27.

District Superintendent G. T. Palmer is visiting this week-end with his son, George, Jr., in Dallas.

Mrs. Claude McGowen spent the weekend with her daughter, Sarah Virginia, at Twitty.

### College Sophs In Grid Win Over Freshmen

Lightning Led Jay was the toast of the Clarendon Junior College sophomores Friday afternoon when he intercepted a freshman pass and galloped 49 yards for a touchdown which gave the upper classmen a 6 to 0 win in an intermural football game.

### COACHES GLOOMY OVER McLEAN'S 1940 PROSPECTS

McLEAN, Nov. 28.—Coaches Cricket Christian and Dick Dunlap were somewhat gloomy today over the prospects of next year's Tiger football team.

Nine of the first string men of this year will either be ineligible or will graduate next spring. Loss of Bond and Mantooh will probably mean that next year's team will turn to passing and other dipsey-doodle tactics to score, for at this time no backfield prospect will weigh over 150 pounds, and power doesn't come from such small men.

Regulars of this year who won't return are Mantooh, Bond, Doolen, Windom, Jones, Gleen, Bonner, Braxton, and Steadman.

### 6 "EXTRA" HELPS quickly relieve DISTRESS OF CHILDREN'S COUGHS DUE TO COLDS

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## Howard Re-enters Stock Industry

G. W. Howard of Hedley, who almost quit the registered cattle breeding industry several months ago, is back in the field in full force. Howard produces the Syble Strain cattle and last month took second place ribbons at the Quail fair with a producing heifer, cow, heifer calf and bull, respectively. When Howard seriously thought of leaving the cattle business he included in his sales, a trade with Jim Baker whereby he swapped thirteen head of registered animals in a deal for the Baker farm near Martin. He re-purchased three of the bulls when he decided to restock.

Howard raises the animals on three stock farms in the Martin community. The average price for a Syble bred heifer averages approximately \$100, Howard says.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Stewart, Jr., will leave Wednesday night for Lubbock, where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hitt and family, and for Hobbs, New Mexico, where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Stewart and family.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Powell last week end were Mary Francis Powell of Quanah, Miss Wilma McLean of Dallas, John McLean of Hereford, and Mrs. Maude McClung and daughter, Mary Beth, of Amarillo.

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# SOCIETY

## MOTHER'S CLUB HONORS HUSBANDS WITH DINNER

The husbands of the Mother's Study Club members were entertained with a dinner at the club room last night, November 28. White chrysanthemums provided the decorative note for the annual Thanksgiving affair. After the dinner was over, games of forty-two were played. Mrs. Carl Peabody won high score prize for the ladies, and Mr. J. H. Howze, high for the men. Hostesses for the dinner were Mesdames J. E. Burch, Walter Clifford, Will McDonald, Bill Brumley, Alfred Estlack, Reagan Bryan, Tom Murphy, George Norwood, Frank Hommel, C. B. Morris, and Ralph Decker.

The guests numbered about 55 persons.

## PATHFINDER CLUB MEETS FRIDAY AFTERNOON

The Pathfinder Club met in the club room Friday afternoon, November 24, with Mrs. Edd Dishman presiding. By a vote of the request of Mrs. Paul Shelton that she be placed on the associate roll was granted.

Mrs. Charlie Bairfield, delegate to the State Federation meeting at Wichita Falls, gave most interestingly the high lights of the convention.

In the absence of the leader, Mrs. W. H. Patrick, for the afternoon, Mrs. C. A. Burton had charge of the program. Mrs. L. N. Cox gave excerpts from the book which was a best seller for many months during the past year, "With Malice Toward Some" by Margaret Halsey. The piquant, original comments of an American woman on the peculiarities of our English cousins were very laughable and interesting.

The other side of the question then came in an article by the English author, Stephen Leacock, entitled "Americans Are Queer," read by the leader. We then decided that "all the world art queer except me and thee."

The hostesses, Mesdames T. H. Ellis and Frank Brown, assisted by Mrs. R. L. Bigger, served refreshments to twenty-seven members and one guest, Mrs. Joe McMurtry.

## MRS. STOCKING ENTERTAINS FRIENDSHIP CLUB

The Friendship Club held its meeting Tuesday at the home of Mrs. J. D. Stocking.

The meeting was called to order by repeating the Lord's Prayer. Fancy work and conversation provided the entertainment of the afternoon.

Mrs. Stocking's home was decorated with white chrysanthemums. Refreshments were served to Mesdames C. R. Skinner, Aileen Skinner, H. Tyree, M. E. Thornton, L. Ballew, G. J. Teal, Eva Womack, Claude Lindsey, J. E. Mongole, members, and to Mrs. J. C. Jackson and Mrs. W. C. McConnell of Panhandle. Mrs. A. L. Chase, Mrs. W. G. Ebey and Emily Ann Smith, guests.

## MRS. EDYTHE MAHER IS BRIDGE PARTY HOSTESS

Mrs. Edythe Maher entertained the Wednesday Bridge Club at her home this afternoon.

The Thanksgiving motif was carried out in the decorations and chrysanthemums were used through the rooms.

Members present were Mesdames H. M. Breedlove, George Norwood, Paul Slaton, W. M. Noblett, Floyd Lumpkin, Walter Knorpp, and H. F. Harter, and one guest, Mrs. Carroll Knorpp.

## LA VERNE SPURGEON AND JOHN HOPKINS MARRY SATURDAY

Miss La Verne Spurgeon daughter of J. I. Spurgeon of Clarendon became the bride of John L. Hopkins of Dallas Saturday evening at 6:30 o'clock at the home of the Rev. J. Perry King.

Rev. King officiated at the single ring ceremony.

The bride wore black with black accessories and a corsage of white gardenias.

Those attending the wedding were the brother of the bride, Norris Spurgeon, Miss Opal Brown of Goodnight and Miss Mable Johnson of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins will be at home in Dallas where he is associated with the Fancy Food Products.

## F. F. A. ENTERTAINS HOME-MAKING MEMBERS

Approximately forty members of the homemaking department were guests of the F. F. A. members Wednesday night at their regular meeting.

The girls joined with the forty five F. F. A. members in the many games provided for their entertainment for two hours of fun and frolic. Following the games, a short meeting was held and musical and vocal numbers were rendered by the boys.

The event was climaxed with each F. F. A. member providing the means for a homemaking girl to attend "Mr. Smith Goes to Washington."

The meeting was the first of a series of joint meetings and entertainments to be held by the F. F. A. and F. F. A. members. Each spring the boys entertain the girls with a picnic, but this is the first time a joint meeting has been held.

## MRS. BRYAN PRESENTS PIANO PUPILS IN RECITAL

Mrs. Allen Bryan presented her South Ward and Junior High School piano pupils in a recital at the club room at 7:30 Monday evening.

Those appearing on the program were Ada Smith, Guida Myrl Miller, Patty Molesworth, Dorothy Ann Castleberry, Vondell Hommel, Ochinata Heath, Dorothy Ann Kennedy, Mary Ellen Christie, Joy Pierce, Ermogene Spencer, Imogene Spencer, Edith Joy McCrary, Marilyn Bartlett, Beverly Gray Stricklin, Helen Rister, Dick Kennedy, Jimmy Frank Heath, Manly Bryan and Jimmy Douglas, clarinet pupils of Ray Robbins, were also presented.

## LELIA LAKE HOMEMAKERS ENTERTAIN WITH DINNER

The Homemaking Club of Lelia Lake entertained their parents and friends with a Thanksgiving dinner on Tuesday, Nov. 28, in the Homemaking Department of the school.

The guests were received at the door by two members of the club dressed as a Pilgrim man and maid. The men were presented collars, cuffs, and hats and the women were given aprons, handkerchiefs, and bonnets so that they might attire themselves as Pilgrims.

The Thanksgiving motif was carried out in the decorations. Autumn leaves were scattered the length of the table and miniature turkeys served as the centerpiece.

After the dinner the forty guests were taken to the gymnasium for games and the presentation of a play, "Home Sweet Home," by the Homemaking Department.

## LELIA LAKE FACULTY IS HONORED WITH DINNER

In honor of the faculty of the Lelia Lake School a Thanksgiving dinner was given Sunday night at the school house by members of the school board and other patrons of the school.

The table in a T-shape was decorated with table cloth and napkins bearing the Thanksgiving motif.

A center piece of various size pumpkins in the form of a little girl holding ribbons leading to small turkeys which she herded, was used in the table decorations.

Approximately 65 persons were present. After the dinner the company went to the gym for games and contests, with the losing side to entertain the winners with a party February 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Eagle of White Deer visited here last week-end. Mrs. Eagle was formerly Miss Edna Thomas.

## PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN SPONSOR BAZAAR

The Women's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church is sponsoring a bazaar Monday, December 11, in the Church basement.

They will exhibit and sell handmade articles, linen, fancy handwork. There will be a food mart where preserves, cakes, and other foods will be sold. Tea and coffee will be sold at the exhibit.

## PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN MEET WEDNESDAY

The Women's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church met Wednesday at the church with Mrs. Ruth Kennedy and Mrs. Harry Ruddell as hostesses.

At the business session it was decided that the meeting for this week would be dispensed with to give the members that time for visiting shut-ins.

## MISS FAYE SIDES WEDS JIMMY WATTERS

The Wedding of Miss Faye Sides of Kirkwell, and Jimmy Watters, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Watters of this city, was solemnized at the home of his parents Friday evening.

Mr. Claude C. Smith, minister of the Church of Christ, officiated at the ceremony.

The bride wore purple with black accessories.

Only the family and Maurice Lane were present.

Mrs. Watters attended school at Childress and Clarendon Junior College. Mr. Watters is a graduate of Clarendon High School.

## CHARLIE MURPHY PLEDGES TRI TAU FRATERNITY

Charlie Murphy, student of West Texas State College, Canyon, last week pledged Tri Tau fraternity, social organization.

At the formal initiation, held in the Red Room of Cousins Hall, five other boys became members of the fraternity.

## MRS. GENTRY ENTERTAINS TUESDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. P. B. Gentry entertained the Tuesday Bridge Club at their regular meeting Tuesday afternoon.

High score winner was Mrs. Sam Dyer.

Refreshments were served to members, Mesdames Forest Taylor, Sam Dyer, Carroll Knorpp, John Knorpp, Meredith Gentry, and Miss Charlotte Molesworth; and the guests, Mrs. Walter Knorpp, and Mrs. H. M. Breedlove.

## MARTIN GARDEN CLUB HOLDS BANQUET

The Martin Garden Club members held a banquet at the school house on Friday, November 24.

After a short program the club members drew names for the Christmas party and tree to be at the home of Mrs. Sam Rundell on December 20 at 2:30.

Those present for the supper, were one guest, Kitty Bailly and members Mesdames Claude Easterling, Joe Green, Guy Sibley, J. T. Easterling, Jack Jennings, Claude Primrose, A. T. Tolbert, A. N. Riley, J. H. Easterling, Fred Easterling, V. R. Jordan, Sam Rundell, A. M. Peabody, Edwin Bailey, J. M. Acord, Berk Debord, H. B. Hartzog and J. H. Hellin.

## KILL KARE KNEEDLE CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. DAWKINS

The Kill Kare Kneedle Club met Thursday at the home of Mrs. R. R. Dawkins for an afternoon of sewing and conversation.

Decorations through the rooms were potted plants.

Refreshments were served to guests, Mrs. M. C. Reid and Mrs. Frank Whitlock, and to members, Mesdames J. R. Bartlett, Eva Draffen, E. W. Brumley, J. P. King, Cap Lane, J. H. Harris, Buel Sanford, W. A. Land, W. H. Massey, W. B. Sims, Homery Mulkey, Misses Ida and Etta Harned, and the hostess.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Frank White on December 14, and will be a Christmas party.

## FANS OFFERED SPECIAL TRAIN FOR CHILDRESS ELECTRA GRID GAME

CHILDRESS, Nov. 28.—Civic clubs of Childress are sponsoring a special train to the Childress-Electra Thanksgiving Day district championship football game at Electra. The train will leave Childress at 11 a. m. arriving in Electra at 1:15; leaving Electra 45 minutes after the game. The fare will be \$1.20 for the round trip.

## WARDLOW-BRAMBLET

The marriage of Miss Thelma Bramblet and Joe Wardlow of Clarendon was solemnized at the home of Rev. J. Perry King Sunday afternoon at three o'clock, with Rev. King officiating.

## SENIOR BEAUX ARTS CLUB POSTPONES MEETING

The Senior Beaux Art Club, scheduled to meet Friday, December 1, will postpone its meeting until Thursday, December 7, and will meet with the Junior Beaux Arts Club. The Senior club will meet at its regular time, 2:30 o'clock for a business session and the Junior Club will join them for the program at 4:00.

## ALTAR GUILD HOLDS FIRST MEETING

The Altar Guild of the Episcopal Church held their first meeting of the year Friday at the home of Miss Charlotte Molesworth.

The Guild will hold monthly meetings. Present at the combined social and business meeting were Mrs. J. B. McClelland, the Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Henshaw, Berkley Ryan, Madelyn Kelly, Mrs. P. B. Gentry, Mrs. A. T. Jeffries, Geraldine Pratt, and the hostess.

## BOBBY LEATHERS MEMBER OF N. T. S. T. C. A CAPELLA CHOIR

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Leathers and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bryan were in Vernon Sunday afternoon for the concert given by the A Capella Choir of the North Texas State Teachers College, Denton, of which Bobby Leathers, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Leathers, is a member.

The choir is conducting a 1,900-mile tour which will culminate at the State Teachers Association meeting in San Antonio this week-end. Eighteen concerts in fifteen counties were included in their itinerary.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleoro Turpin entertained the ranch boys with a dance at the Rowe camp Friday night.

## MRS. MILLER ENTERTAINS FRIDAY CONTRACT CLUB

Mrs. J. H. Miller was hostess to the Friday Contract Club in her home last week.

Mrs. B. F. Kirtley took the honors for high score.

Refreshments were served to one guest, Mrs. W. W. Noblett, and members, Mesdames Forrest Taylor, B. F. Kirtley, Simmons Powell, George Norwood and the hostess.

## GAMMA KAPPA CHAPTER INITIATES NEW MEMBERS

Gamma Kappa Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma Society held an initiation banquet at the Memphis Hotel, Nov. 16.

The following were initiated: Miss Edgar Mae Mongole, Clarendon; Misses Tila Mae Armstrong, Mable Gene Campbell, Lula Candell, and Mrs. L. B. Ezell, Childress; Miss Mary Lou Hawkins, Hedley; Mrs. L. O. Cummings, Wellington; and Miss Alice Strawn, Quail.

## Dorothy Baker Is Elected S. T. S. C. Favorite Girl

Miss Dorothy Nell Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sloan Baker, former residents of Clarendon, has been elected Gallardian, title of the college's most favorite girl, by the student body of the Southwest Texas State Teachers College in San Marcos.

Miss Baker is a sophomore in the STSTC. The Bakers are now living in San Marcos. Mr. Baker was formerly county superintendent of schools here.

Miss Myrtle Reeves, who has been in the hospital at Amarillo, was returned Monday to the home of Mrs. U. J. Boston in Clarendon.

## CLARENDON CIRCUIT

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2nd Sunday Morning and Night - McKnight.

3rd Sunday Morning and Night - Goldston.

4th Sunday Morning and Night - Lelia Lake.

5th Sunday Morning and Night - Open.

This is the schedule we will follow till otherwise notified. Sunday, November 26th, we spent at Lelia Lake and had a nice service morning and evening. Although the congregation was small it was of a great spiritual blessing to us. We hope and pray that more will come out on our next day there. Let all the Christian people work in that field this next month. Being appointed to this charge we hope that we may be of service to you at any time, don't fail to call on us.

Your pastor and friend,  
A. S. Forch.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilson spent Sunday in Amarillo visiting with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Settle and family. Mr. and Mrs. Settle are the parents of a nice service morning and evening baby girl, born November 23, named Sandra Jo.

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### THANKSGIVING MEMOIRS

There are stories that never grow old — even though they are familiar to everyone they always bear retelling because they are humanly interesting and because they touch the hearts of all those who hear them.

The story of the first Thanksgiving is one of these stories. Perhaps every schoolboy knows the story of the first Thanksgiving, yet at Thanksgiving time it is always pleasant to hear it again.

Historians differ upon the date of the celebration of the first Thanksgiving. Some say the English, others the Dutch, began Thanksgiving. The first American Thanksgiving was celebrated with the landing of the Puritans at Plymouth.

During the first winter the Pilgrims suffered untold hardships. Many died and crops were stunted. However the second year proved to be different. The Indians helped settlers—more land was cultivated, and when fall came the crops were bountiful. Game was plentiful, and the Indians were friendly. Therefore Gov. Bradford proclaimed a day of Thanksgiving. Thus began the background for our Thanksgiving of today. Strangely enough Feb. 22 was the date chosen for the first Thanksgiving — the birthday-to-be of General Washington.

Thanksgiving Celebration fell into disuse after this until some time during the Revolutionary

### IN OUR LIBRARY

We have just received two more new novels which are already well on their way to fame.

Escape, by Ethel Vance is a tense and exciting story of Emmy Ritter, a woman who lies in a present day German prison camp where she is recovering from an emergency appendicitis operation. In a week, she is to be executed for treason. With no hope of escape, she writes a note to her American artist son. The result makes an unforgettable, pertinent novel. Escape is the "Book of the Month," October.

Moment in Peking, a Chinese novel by Lin Yutang, is a colorful novel of China today by the author of that famous best seller, The Importance of Living. It promises to be one of the most widely read novels of the year, and it will take permanent and high rank in world literature. It is "Book of the Month," December.

### F. A. NOTES

The chapter has decided to hold a parent's meeting on December seventh. The parents are welcome to all the meetings, but the next meeting is to be dedicated especially to them. After all, they are responsible in a great way for the importance of the chapter.

War when it was again revived for a short period.

We do not see much of the celebration of Thanksgiving after this until the time of the Civil War when Abraham Lincoln proclaimed a day of Thanksgiving to celebrate the victories of the North. On the following year Lincoln proclaimed the traditional last Thursday in November as Thanksgiving Day.

We today are celebrating the last Thursday as Thanksgiving. Let us look about us and see our blessings, and surely each of us will be able to find something for which to be thankful. So I end with a wish that each of us may have a happy Thanksgiving.

### STUDENTS OPINION OF THANKSGIVING

JUNE MELTON: says Thanksgiving means to her a time to go and have fun.

COLEY HUFFMAN says it's a time to eat, go somewhere, and a holiday from school.

CLYDE PEABODY says Thanksgiving is a time to eat, sleep, and do what you please.

NAOMI MORRIS says Thanksgiving is a time to sleep, eat, and do what you please — only she adds she doesn't always get to.

J. J. GOLDSTON says Thanksgiving means to him a time to eat a lot, go somewhere, and reserved as a day of really Thanksgiving.

MARY DELL HEATHINGTON: says Thanksgiving means to her a time or a day set aside for misery at the end of the day.

CORDELIA PATE says to her it means to go somewhere, have turkey and give thanks.

ROBBIE ZOE MORELAND says Thanksgiving means to her only to get out of school and to eat turkey.

SUE STONE says Thanksgiving is a time for her to catch up on her thinking—also don't forget the eats.

### WHO'S WHO IN JR. HIGH

Name: Kenneth Taylor  
 Age: 16  
 Height: 5 ft. 9 in.  
 Weight: 133  
 Hair: Black  
 Eyes: Brown  
 Pet Peeves: H. C. Shaw  
 Hobby: To find a hobby  
 Favorite Song: Spanish Two Step  
 Ambition: Safety First.

Name: Loretta Cowen  
 Age: 14  
 Height: 5 ft. 6 in.  
 Hair: Blonde  
 Eyes: Blue  
 Pet Peeve: Billy Frank Davis  
 Hobby: Hiking  
 Favorite Song: Four Little Fishes.  
 Ambition: Housewife

Mrs. White is leaving Thursday for Waxahachie.

### THANKSGIVING

Pat Grady announces that she will spend her Thanksgiving with the turkey.

Baell Kirtley says he will spend his everywhere but at school or studies.

Margaret Wadsworth seems to be getting lazy, she is going to spend her's in bed unless she gets a chance to go somewhere.

Sue Burton is the only industrious person in school. She is going to spend her time washing windows.

Billie Andis says he refuses to eat turkey. He prefers cheese and bread. (Betty Ann bread and Craft cheese.)

### THE COLLEGE FOOTBALL GAME

There were many things that happened in the College football game Friday which brought hearty chuckles to the spectators.

Both teams were amusing as they struggled through the crazy conflict. The quarterbacks were almost mad when the game was over. Everytime a signal was called in the huddle, ten men wanted to know what to do and they expected him to tell them.

Since the highlights of the game are numberless, I shall discuss only a few of them. Each and every spectator remarked that it was the fastest, most thrilling, and by far the best ball game which they had been privileged to see this season.

They also said that the fish were hopelessly outclassed by the magnificent Soph eleven, who took possession of the field immediately after the first whistle.

The first thrill of the game came when the fish covered a Soph fumble on the kickoff. There was a penalty on the play however, and the poor fish had to kick again.

The second and greatest thrill came when Led "Mastdon" Jay intercepted a pass and galloped thirty yards to caper in paydirt. Jack Reeves and Neil Wright were so excited that they could not get the proper connections; therefore the flashy Sophs missed the extra point. There were no scores after this, but the merciful Sophs made several major threats. J. D. Swift led one of the drives by ramming the line several times, and he convinced the fish that his head was plenty hard.

The greatest fish threats were Earnest Evans known as the "Lakeview Flash" and Weldon "Dude" Warren. Earnest caught one pass for a long gain, but Weldon couldn't seem to hold the ball when it was thrown to him. "Dude" wants to know if the girls admired his manly form while clad in football togs.

We want to know if it was H. L. Lane who wanted to borrow a comb during the half. We also want to compliment Pat Morris on her vigorous cheerin' for Calvin Reed, Millard Miller and John Jay report that Forester Adamson can slug like a Joe Louis sparring partner. What fish were seen dunking tobacco juice so often in the line? H. R. King says that he had much rather neck a pretty girl than to tote the old pigskin thru Soph line. Frances help the poor boy out and give him a helping hand. The Sophs want to compliment their coach on his successful season. Bull McWhorter was the soph coach and he really put his team in real shape. Collie Huffman was the fish coach.

Well so long until the College party. We are expecting the fish to give a good one as a confession of their ignominious defeat.

### "WE THE JUNIORS"

The Juniors have just completed their six weeks tests, and most of them are very well pleased with their grades. They are settling down more each six weeks to do better work. They are all looking forward to the Thanksgiving holidays, and are going to work harder after they are over.

### BAND PERSONALITIES

Dan Boston is one of the outstanding members of the Band. He is 16 years of age, has brown hair, blue eyes, and a sunny smile. He plays a Clarinet and has been playing this instrument for about six years. He is now playing first chair Clarinet.

Neta Jane Cornell has been a member of the Band a little more than a year. She is 15 years of age has green eyes, brown hair and a pleasing smile. She now plays a French horn and has been playing this instrument for six months. Before she began on the French horn she played a Cornet.

Mr. Larrimer will spend his holidays with homefolks in Denton.

### "SO THE ARMY GOES"

The following is said to have been a letter received by the War Department during the World War in reference to a soldier's allotment for dependents:

Dear Mr. Headquarters: U. S. Army.  
 My husband was induced into the surface long months ago, and I ain't received no pay from him sense he was gone.

Please send me my elopement as I have a four month's old baby and he is my only support and kneed it every day to buy food and keep us inclosed. I am a poor woman and all I have is at the front.

Both sides of my parents are very old. My husband is in charge of a spittoon. Do I get any more that I'm going to get? Please send me a letter and tell me if my husband made application for a wife and child and please send me a wife's form to fill out. I have already written to Mr. Wilson and get no answer and if I don't hear from you I will write Uncle Sam about you and him.

Very truly,  
 Mrs. Paul Jones.  
 P. S. — My husband says he sets in the Y. M. C. A. every night with the piano playing in his uniform. I think you can find him there.

### EL CLUB DE ESPANOL

Las Tejanitas (The Texans Club) met November 24, in room sixteen. We had eight visitors: Emogene Mayo, Rowena Smith, Maxine Robertson, Jo Beth Ramsey, Wanda Craft, Charlie Ruth Risley, Pauline Grisham, and Hazel Bingham.

The president, Iva Ruth Gibbs, called the house to order. The secretary, Clyde Douglas read the minutes of the last meeting. The resignation of Lewis Chamberlain as reporter was accepted and Freida Putman was elected. The president appointed a new program committee which will serve the next month.

The group was entertained with a short program followed by games. The program opened with the group singing. The Spanish quartet consisted of Rowena Crutchfield, Louise Butler, Juanita Bingham, and the song leader, Leona Pearl McCraw entertained with a song "Juanita." Lewis Chamberlain read his Spanish theme "El Futbol." The games were played by the members and the visitors.

### WE WONDER

Why Lewis Chamberlain is stuck-up?

What Nelda Sue would do without her Sir Galahad?

What the pep squad would do without Fred?

Who got the idea June Melton was boy crazy?

How Joe Williams will spend this week?

Who got L. D. Lummus over his shyness or is he over it?

What Estelle Thornberry would do without her chewing gum?

What Dorothy Rhodes would do without John M. Bass to bring her to school?

If Marilyn Sawyer and Tooter are really that way?

Who Frankie Hommell really likes? Earnest or James Earl?

Who Victor Smith waits on every day to walk to school with?

Where Bailey Estes had a flat Saturday night?

Why Clyde Benton and Iva Ruth are always last to leave Spanish?

Why Claudine Haley has nothing more to say?

Why Jo Word is called Ross?

Why H. R. King can't make up his mind, if you know what I mean.

If Calvin Reed and Marie Morris are really that way?

If Glen Bruce and Allen Morton are really that way, too?

### BAND NEWS

During the past week the Band has done very little. A few members of the Band played at the Father - Son Banquet, Thursday night and at the P-T A. play Friday night.

After Thanksgiving sides will be chosen in the Band for a Practice Contest. The winning side will be entertained by the losing side with a picnic.

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### JUST STUDENTS

Use your imagination and you may get some sense out of this — We hope!

"Adamson" got in the "Karr" and went to the "Barbee" ranch. Much "Speed" was made going down the "Caraway." He met "Smith" in the "Lane" and "Tucker" with him. Over the bumpy "Rhoades" they finally came to the ranch. There the "Bell" boys and the "Porter" came out to meet them. They went through the "Hall" where the "Butler" met them. When they asked for "Boston" the "Goodman" told them that "Davis" just gone over the "Green" "Hill" to the "Thornberry" patch with the "Blackman" to gather "Berry's."

If they weren't there they would be at the "Garden." They left the house and "Thompson" took them past the "Barnes" where the "Hay" was and on to the "Warren." The "King" living with "Warden" in a "Hutto" on the "Jordan" with "Stewart," the "Rector," and the "Cooksey" fixed a dinner for the "Huffman." "Pate" with the aid of "Peabody" gave the "Miller" a "Payne" by giving him a rotten "Hamm." The "Hillman" took them to the river "Shannon" where the "White" "Jay" lived. The "Sawyer" had a "Hartzog" (another name for heart-attack.) The frogs were saying "Gillham" "Gillham" "Gillham!" Finally after getting stuck in the "Heremismire" and getting out they went down the "Lane" and home. My "Word" whatta story!

### ASSEMBLY

Assembly began with songs by the student body. The Reverend Palmer, Presiding Elder of the Methodist Church was the speaker. He advised the young people to try God for a change. He will never fail you. Rev. Palmer compared life to a football game for which we must prepare.

Mr. Burton made an announcement about the first aid course being conducted by Mr. Rhiney and recommended it to everyone.

Bond Papers at The News.

### SOUTH WARD NEWS

Miss Pope's room is entertaining Mrs. Headrick's room with a Thanksgiving program. They are going to serve cookies and apples.

Mrs. Prewitt has a new pupil, Kenneth Karr from Liberal, Kansas. Her pupils are very interested in the "Oz" books.

### RADIO MANNERS

If she wants a date, meter; If she comes to call, receiver; If she wants an escort, conductor

If she wants to be an angel, transformer;

If she proves your fears are wrong, compensator;

If she gets up in the air, condenser;

If she wants chocolate, feeder. Dalhart "Hi Times."

### THANKSGIVING STROLLS

Betty Jo Caraway is spending her holidays in Dallas. Mrs. Goodner will spend Thanksgiving in Dallas with her mother.

Louise Russel will visit in McLean.

Among those visiting in Amarillo will be John B. King, Millard Miller, Miss Howren, Billie R. Andis and Wanda Craft. La Verne Goodman will attend the game.

Miss Hall is spending her vacation in Okla City. The Wardens are vacationing in Canyon.

Mr. Stewart is going to Lubbock and to Hobbs, N. M. Louise Brittain will spend the holidays in Jacksonville.

Edna Earle Alexander will go to Wellington.

Mr. Hutto is going to Canyon. Miss Cope is going home to Parnell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Swift, and Miss Anna Moores were guests at the wedding of Miss Harriet Lee Chisolm and David B. Brown at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Amarillo, Wednesday night.

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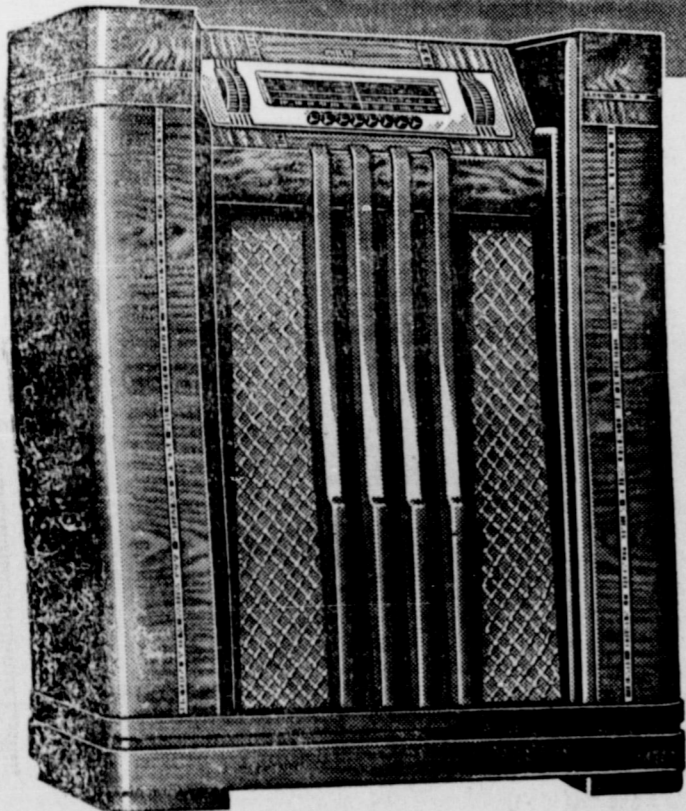
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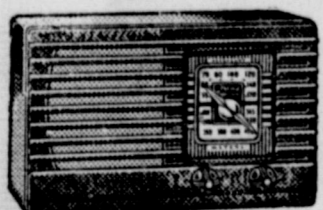
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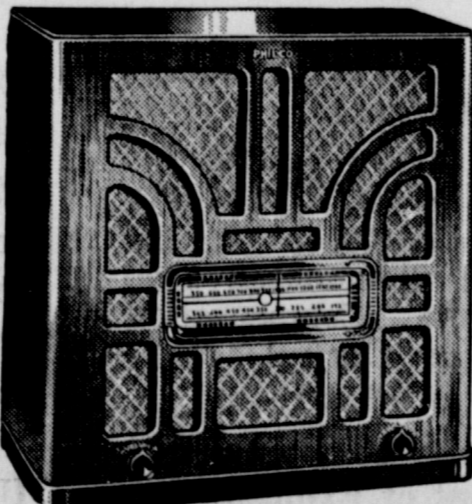


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### EXPERT WARNS OF THE DANGERS OF UNLOADED GUNS

#### SAFETY RULES POINTED OUT FOR HUNTSMAN DURING HUNTING SEASON

AUSTIN — With the hunting season in full swing in Texas, the Executive Secretary of the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission has issued an appeal to every sportsman to treat every gun as if it were loaded, and has set out a series of rules, which if observed, would do much to lessen the tragedies of accidents in fields and woods.

"It is the 'unloaded' gun which does the most damage," the game chief pointed out. "And if the following rules are observed there will be more sportsmen to

take the fields another day." Carry only empty guns, take down or with the actions open, into your automobile, camp or home.

Always be sure the barrel and action are clear of obstructions.

Always carry your gun so that you can control the direction of the muzzle, even if you stumble.

Never point a gun at anything you do not want to shoot.

Be sure of your target before you pull the trigger.

Never leave a loaded gun unattended.

Never climb a tree or fence with a loaded gun.

Never shoot at a flat, hard surface, or at the surface of water.

Always remember alcohol and gunpowder should not be mixed.

Miss Mildred Martin of El Reno, Okla., arrived Friday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Patman.

### Celebrated Actress In "The Master Builder" At Amarillo



Eva LaGallienne, the world-famous Ibsen interpreter, is bringing an all-New York Company to Amarillo next Saturday night, December 2, for a performance of "The Master Builder."

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### Farmers Urged To Vote On Cotton Marketing Quota December 9th

COLLEGE STATION — If you produced cotton in 1939, you are eligible to vote in the 1940 cotton marketing quota referendum December 9, George Slaughter, chairman of the state Agricultural Conservation Association committee, announced at a state committee meeting this week. Slaughter pointed to the instructions for holding marketing quota referendums which set out that landlords, tenants, and sharecroppers are all eligible to vote if they produced cotton in 1939.

"They are not only eligible to vote but are urged to vote," Slaughter declared. "The important thing is to get as many of the eligible voters as possible to the polls, so the results will be really representative of the cotton farmers' wishes."

"Any cotton farmer who fails to vote on cotton marketing quotas is not interested in his own business as he should be. The outcome of the referendum means a lot to individual farmers as well as farmers as a whole, and each vote will have its effect on the result."

For cotton marketing quotas to be in effect in 1940, he pointed out, two-thirds of all farmers voting must favor them.

Since marketing quotas are not

applicable to cotton with a staple length of 1½ inches or more, farmers raising such long staple cotton will not be eligible to vote, the chairman said. Each farmer, whether landlord, tenant, sharecropper, partnership, corporation, association or firm will be entitled to one vote only.

The county ACA committee will be in charge of all arrangements for the referendum in the county, and the voting will be carried out just like any regular election. The committee will choose three local farmers to serve as election officers in each community and see that a ballot box is provided at the voting place.

Voting will be by secret ballot, Slaughter said, with each farmer marking his ballot privately and casting it in customary manner used in secret voting.

Although urging all cotton farmers to vote in their home communities, votes will be accepted at the polls in any community, county or state, Slaughter said. Eligibility of all voters will be checked in their home counties.

### Texans Buy More Expensive Cars During October

Austin — Reflecting easier money, Texans bought more expensive cars during October than during the like month a year ago, the University of Texas business research bureau has reported.

Sales of the four makes of cars comprising the highest price bracket jumped 151.8 per cent. The lowest price bracket showed an increase of 61.1 per cent, compared to 116.8 per cent and 28 per cent in the middle brackets. Total new passenger car sales climbed 69.7 per cent.

Commercial car registrations almost doubled those of a year ago, totalling 909 compared to 475 in October, 1938.

Mill consumption of cotton is expected to decrease in belligerent European countries in 1940, according to the Bureau of Agricultural Economics publication, "Cotton Outlook."

### PRODUCTION UP IN CREAMERY AND ICE CREAM BUSINESS

#### CHEESE PRODUCTION DROPS SLIGHTLY DURING MONTH OF OCTOBER

Creameries and ice cream factories of Texas speeded up production during October over October a year ago, but cheese plants slowed down somewhat, the University of Texas business research bureau announced today.

On the basis of reports of 32

creameries supplying operations data to the University bureau last month, estimated actual production of butter was 2,881,000 pounds, compared to 2,710,000 pounds in October last year.

Twenty-one cheese plants reported a drop in production, on which the bureau based its estimates of total state production of 1,197,000 pounds, compared to 1,317,000 pounds, last Oct.

Colder weather reduced ice cream production 36.7 per cent from September, but factories still turned out 4.6 per cent more of this delicacy than in October a year ago, total state production being estimated at 675,000 gallons.

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### SERVICES FOR SAM SILVERS ARE HELD HERE WEDNESDAY

CLARENDON RESIDENT SINCE 1917 DIES HERE EARLY TUESDAY MORNING

Funeral services for Sam Silvers, 79, were held at the Church of Christ here this afternoon at 2 o'clock with Claude C. Smith, local minister, officiating. Mr. Silvers, a resident of Donley County for 22 years, had been in ill health for several months. Death came early Tuesday morning. Born in Missouri, July 22,

1860, he was married to Miss Laura Eplen, December 6, 1885, and to this union 16 children were born. He was a member of the Church of Christ for 32 years.

He is survived by his wife, six sons; John, Glen Rose; Willie, Lefors; Raymond, Ft. Worth; Garden, Amarillo, Lloyd, Amarillo and Clarence, Lefors; six daughters, Mrs. Ollie Veazey Friona, Mrs. Lillian Davis, Lefors, Mrs. Maudie Adams, Clarendon, Mrs. Ida King, Oklahoma City, Mrs. Vivian Moore, Amarillo, and Mrs. Gladys Paxton, Pecos; Twelve grand-children and three great-grand children.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Chun of Mt. Belvieu, who have been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Braswell, returned home Monday.

### FUNERAL SERVICES PIONEER LAWYER IN WELLINGTON

WELLINGTON, Nov. 28.—Funeral services for Judge Robert H. Templeton, 70, 40-year resident of the Panhandle, were held Wednesday afternoon at the First Methodist Church.

Judge Templeton gained renown as a criminal lawyer, newspaper publisher editor, mayor, county attorney and county judge in Wellington. He also lived at Childress and Santa Rosa, N. M.

He was a native of Tennessee and had been a resident of Collingsworth County since 1904. Survivors include Mrs. Templeton, four sons, Robert, R. L. and Pat Neff Templeton, and two daughters, Mrs. Joe Minter and Mrs. Lyle Scott.

### DONLEY COTTON CROP IS DOWN 1,522 BALES

Six thousand three hundred and fifty-five bales of cotton were ginned in Donley County prior to November 14, it was announced today by the Department of Commerce, Washington. The figure is approximately 1,522 bales short for the same period last year when 7,877 bales had been produced by November 14.

Claude McGowan, student at Texas A. & M. College, is to be home for the Thanksgiving holidays.

### DONLEY INCLUDED IN WPA DROUTH RELIEF WORK

TEMPORARY EMPLOYMENT TO BE GIVEN TO 8,000 MEN IN TEXAS

SAN ANTONIO, Nov. 28.—Donley County will be included in Texas' special drouth relief employment quota of 8,000 workers of WPA projects, it was announced by State Work Projects Administrator H. P. Drought.

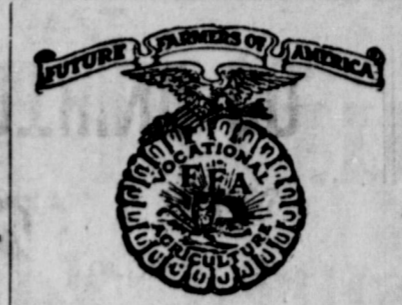
This special group of workers will receive two months of employment. Authorization for the employment is in addition to the normal Texas WPA employment quota, which for the month of November, was 78,100 workers. Assignments will be made from among farmers and other agricultural workers, formerly on the WPA rolls, who are being forced to return to the rolls because of the drouth. Also those from among new cases of drouth stricken farmers, referred to W. P. A. by the Farm Security Administration will be chosen. Those who receive employment in the temporary program must comply with all WPA employment regulations, including the execution of an affidavit of citizenship.

Other nearby counties scheduled for the relief employment are Armstrong, Briscoe, Carson, Castro, Childress, Collinsworth, Dallam, Deaf Smith, Gray, Hall, Hansford, Hartley, Hemphill, Hutchinson, Liscomb, Moore, Ochiltree, Oldham, Palmer, Potter, Randall, Roberts, Sherman, Swisher and Wheeler.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH Sunday, December the third, being not only the first Sunday in the month, but also the first Sunday in Advent, there will be a Celebration of Holy Communion, at the Episcopal Church of St. John the Baptist, at eleven o'clock in the morning.

As the opening of the Advent Season turns our minds to the One who came as a babe in Bethlehem and upon whom the whole structure of the Christian Church rests, the Rev. Edgar Henshaw, Minister to the Church has chosen as the subject for his sermon "The conflict between the Church and the Totalitarian State."

Last Sunday and Monday the Minister of the Episcopal Church in this field visited and conducted services at Childress and Quanah. A splendid interest was manifested in both places and the congregations are increasing. At Quanah plans were made for revival of a branch of the Womans Auxiliary shortly after the first of the year. It is expected that at the inauguration of the Womans Auxiliary there a number of the members of the Auxiliary from Clarendon will make a friendly visit and assist in the installation of officers. The Womans Auxiliary of the Church of St. John the Baptist in Clarendon, which meets each Wed-



The week ending Wednesday, November 29th, was observed as Home Improvement and fire prevention week by each of the members of the F. F. A. chapter. Each member performed some job of home improvement during the week. The majority of the jobs performed by the members was the improvement of the various home conveniences. In addition to the job completed this week, all members will complete one or more jobs on home beautification during the year. Setting out lawns, trees, building rock walks, and flower beds are the most popular types of home convenience that will be engaged in by the members.

Fire prevention lanes were built by a number of the members; fire hazards were removed and destroyed, and various other phases of fire prevention were carried out during the week. Clearing fence rows was one of the most common types of jobs carried out by the students.

Parent Night Local F. F. A. members have set the night of December 7th as "parent night" at which time they will entertain their parents at their regular meeting.

The youths will hold a regular meeting in addition to providing entertainment for their parents so that the parents may understand more of the workings and programs of the chapter members. The meeting will be held at the chapter room and will open at 6:30 p. m. Brother Henshaw has been asked to speak to group.

Chapter Projects Cooperative group projects are being carried on this year by the future farmer members for the purpose of creating better cooperation and to provide a means of raising funds for the local chapter. Two hampshire pigs were recently purchased by the chapter and have been placed under the supervision of a committee for fitting for the spring show. The pigs will be fed a balanced ration and sold immediately following the spring shows.

In addition to the swine project the chapter members are also caring for three registered Jersey bulls and five registered boars as cooperative projects for nesday afternoon, is one of the strongest in the entire District of North Texas. In the United Thank Offering, which is the Woman's Missionary giving in the Episcopal Church, the Clarendon Auxiliary leads the entire District. All services of the Episcopal Church are open to any who wish to attend and a cordial invitation is extended to all who are not associated or actively affiliated with any Christian body to be present.

the purpose of improving the quality of livestock in Donley county.

Community Poultry Work Over 1500 birds have been vaccinated for roup by members of the Clarendon F. F. A. chapter during the past month, and an equal number of young hens have been treated for intestinal worms. The youths have found an unusually large epidemic of roup and colds among poultry in this section and have vaccinated large numbers of poultry for patrons as well as themselves.

In addition to treating the birds for roup and intestinal worms, the youths have culled over 1,000 hens for egg production for their parents and other

### Buck Russell Rites Set For Quitaque

Funeral services for J. B. Buck Russell, 65, pioneer cattleman, banker, business man and land owner, were conducted here Wednesday afternoon.

Russell died Monday night of a heart attack at his ranch home near Quitaque.

school patrons. Members of the vocational agriculture classes under the direction of their instructor welcome opportunities to do community services of this type when it does not conflict too seriously with their school work.

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**SUGAR - 10-lb. cloth bag ..... 59c**

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**PECANS, large paper shell - lb. .... 20c**

**APPLES, Rome Beautys - 10 lbs. .... 30c**

**MEAL - Corn Dodger - 20 lbs. .... 49c**

**PRUNES, Italian - gallon ..... 29c**

**PINEAPPLE, crushed Doles - gallon ..... 65c**

**SHORTENING, K. B. or Crustine - 8-lb. carton . 85c**

**TOMATOES, No. 2 - 3 for ..... 25c**

**CATSUP, - gallon can .. 49c**

**SALMON, Pinks, tall cans - ..... 15c**

**SALMON, Del Monte Red - can ..... 25c**

**SARDINES, large oval -each ..... 10c**

**PECANS, halves, new crop - lb. .... 55c**

**PEACHES, - gallon can ..... 39c**

**CRANBERRIES, - quart. .... 18c; 2 for ..... 35c**

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## Observance Of Thanksgiving Is Order Of Local Business Houses

### CLARENDON FIRMS WILL CLOSE ALL DAY THURSDAY

**POSTOFFICE TO REMAIN OPEN AS BANKS AND BUSINESS TAKE HOLIDAY**

Clarendon business firms will close all day Thursday in observance of Thanksgiving Day, it was announced this morning by City Marshall, T. F. Brown who polled the business district today.

The Clarendon postoffice, following the President's proclamation, observed November 23 as the official holiday and will remain open Thursday, postmaster Forest Taylor advised. The three banks will close for their second Thanksgiving Thursday and will not open for business.

All schools were dismissed this afternoon and will not reopen until next Monday. The school observance was set in order to allow teachers to attend the annual state Teachers Association meeting in San Antonio.

### RED CROSS ROLL CALL QUOTA TO BE SHORT

Although a complete report of the Donley County's annual Red Cross Roll Call membership will not be available for at least two weeks, Mrs. A. T. Jefferies said this morning she believed the enrollment would not fall far short of the \$400 quota.

Approximately \$260 has been subscribed by local business while committees working in the residential district report around \$80. Workers in the Hedley and Ashtola communities will need another week or two to complete their drive which should net the chapter from \$50 to \$100 she said.

### CLARENDON TO GET ANNUAL HOLIDAY DRESS SHORTLY

Clarendon will again receive its annual Christmas dress within the next few days when multicolored lights are strung at street intersections, store windows take on the full pattern of the Yule Tide and residences hall the season with glowing trees, porch and roof decorations.

This year there will be the usual competition for the cups presented for the best show-window decoration in the business district and the best home display in the residential district. The cups are presented at the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet held late in January.

Last year the cup for the most artistic lighting in the residential section was presented to Mrs. George Ryan for her unique arrangement of the Three Wise Men mounted on camels following the Star of Bethlehem.

Mellinger and Rosenwasser won the cup for the best show-window decoration in the business section.

### Assistant Farm Agent Moved To Lipscomb County

Harold Leach, administrative assistant of the Donley County A. C. A. was notified this week of his transfer to Lipscomb County. Leach, who has been with the Donley County Agent's office for the past nine months will leave Clarendon this week-end, he said.

Lawrence Neese, Lipscomb County A. C. A. secretary, will assume Leach's duties here, December 1, it was announced.

In a statement to the News yesterday, Leach said he wished to thank the local county committee and farmers for their cooperation with his office during his stay here.

### REA TO RECEIVE BIDS FOR LINES IN SECTION

Contract for construction of 150 miles of rural electric lines in Collingsworth, Donley, and Armstrong counties, under the Greenbelt Electric Cooperatives Corporation, will be let Saturday, December 9, Orval Couch, project superintendent of Wellington, announced.

The lines will be provided by an allotment of \$100,000 from the REA, Washington, and will serve approximately 350 customers.

Couch said that officials of the Greenbelt Electric Cooperative Corp. believed actual construction of the lines could be started by January 1, 1940.

The line in Donley County will run from Hedley west to Goodnight.

### 4-H BOYS EXPECT MANY WINNERS IN SPRING SHOWS

Donley County 4-H Club beef calves, being prepared for spring stock shows, are "without doubt the best that has ever been fed under my supervision," County Agent H. M. Breedlove, declared this morning.

"The boys with swine demonstrations have some of the best pigs I have ever seen," the agent continued.

Twenty-six beef calves and 132 pigs are now on feed for the spring shows and should they continue developing 4-H Club boys should win many honors, the agent believes.

In 1939 4-H boys fed the first place junior calf at Amarillo which was also the best

### UNION CHURCH SERVICE TO BE HELD WEDNESDAY NIGHT AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

With the Rev. E. W. Henshaw, Rector of the St. John Episcopal Church at Clarendon delivering the principal address, the annual union Thanksgiving service will be held at the First Presbyterian Church tonight.

The service will open at 7 o'clock with Mayor T. F. Connally giving the Thanksgiving proclamation.

The service is sponsored by the Clarendon Ministerial Association which invites everyone to attend.

### FARM CHECKS ARE EXPECTED HERE IN FEW WEEKS

The first of more than \$200,000 in federal farm money which will be received here by Donley County farmers for participating in the 1939 soil conservation program, is expected here within the near future, Harold Leach, A. C. A. Secretary said Monday.

Approximately 260 applications have been okayed by the state department and payments should be forwarded shortly, the secretary declared. However, the bulk of the payments will probably not arrive before late next month, it was learned.

All farmers in the county who have complied with the provisions of the 1939 farm program will receive a soil conservation check. The payments are for reduction and soil building practices.

Panhandle calf at the show. It was owned by Johnny Leathers of Lella Lake. Floyd Lewis, another 4-H Club boy, also took first in his division at the American Royal Livestock Show in Kansas City.

### Influence Of Parent Upon His Son Theme Of Rev. Miller's Address At Father - Son Banquet Thursday

Bringing home forcefully the influence a parent has upon his son, the Rev. M. M. Miller as principal speaker at the Father-Son banquet here Thursday night told approximately 160 interested listeners, the principal foundations of a child's life are heredity, training and environment.

Miller, pastor of the First Christian Church, clarifying his three point talk, outlined the subjects with smiles.

Stressing the importance of heredity, Miller cited the fine work being done in Donley County with registered stock, saying if such fine results could be accomplished with animals, surely the same would apply to human beings.

His talk on training was, in substance, "train a child in the way he should go and when he becomes old, he will not depart from it." On environment he said simply, "Birds of a feather flock together."

Dr. B. L. Jenkins, founder of the organization eighteen years ago, acted as toastmaster.

Verna Lusk, Clarendon lum-

berman, was selected president of the association in a short business meeting conducted by Jack Reeves, president for 1939. Vice president selected was Junior Spier and the board of directors chosen were L. E. Thompson, C. J. Douglas, John Burton and Jimmy Gene Thompson.

The program opened with musical selections by the Clarendon High School band. The Rev. J. Perry King gave the benediction which was followed by group singing of "Hail, Hail, the Gang's All Here," and "America."

Junior Spier toasted the fathers in a short address and was followed by R. E. Drennan who spoke to the sons on behalf of the fathers. Other entertainment on the program included a trumpet and piano duet by Basil Kirtly and Billy Thornberry.

W. B. Sims and Hugh Brown were honored as being the oldest fathers present. George Wayne Estlack the youngest father present and G. D. Shelly, with six sons, was the father with the most children present.

A. T. and O. F. Russell were selected as being the oldest father and son present.

### BARTLETT IS NEW HEAD METHODIST STEWARDS

Organization of the new board of stewards of the First Methodist Church was effected Monday evening at the church, with retiring chairman, J. R. Porter presiding.

In the elections J. Roy Bartlett was named as chairman of the board, and J. T. Patman was elected secretary-treasurer. J. H. Hurn was named vice-chairman.

Mr. Bartlett succeeds J. R. Porter, who has been chairman for the past five years, and Mr. Patman follows E. Paul Shelton, who has been secretary-treasurer for the same period.

A budget committee of J. R. Porter, Sam M. Braswell and J. H. Hurn was named and will bring in a suggested budget for consideration of the board in the first regular meeting next Monday evening at the church.

The chairman also named a building committee consisting of G. G. Reeves, Lee Holland, and John Gillham.

According to a statement made by Chairman Bartlett, it will be the purpose of the board to make every effort to pay all bills as they come due during the present year.

### Local Men Attend Business Dinner In Amarillo

J. R. Gillham, Isadore Mellinger and Ralph Andis attended the banquet, sponsored jointly by the American Business Club and the Chamber of Commerce, at the Amarillo Hotel, Amarillo, Friday night.

Approximately 400 delegates from the Panhandle and New Mexico attended.

Clinton Hester of Washington, D. C., administrator of the Civil Aeronautics Authority, and the principal speaker, brought the Panhandle a message pertaining to the airways of the future, in which he said that no municipality can expect corporate support, financial aid from the government "if and when these federal funds are voted." Other speakers were Rep. Marvin Jones and Charles F. Horner, president of the National Aeronautics Association.

### ASHTOLA CURTAIN CLUB PRESENTS PLAY DEC. 8

"GRANDPA'S TWIN SISTER" TO BE GIVEN AT SCHOOL, DECEMBER 7TH AND 8TH

"Grandpa's Twin Sister," a play, will be presented by the Ashtola Curtain Club Thursday and Friday nights, December 7 and 8, at the Ashtola School auditorium.

This play is similar to the one, "Aunt Jerushy on The Warpath," produced at Goldston a few years ago with such success.

The cast of "Grandpa's Twin Sister" will be as follows: Grandpa, a cantankerous old man, Ralph Stewart; Louise, his grand niece, Pat Morris; Betty, his granddaughter, Christine Knox; Clara Hatcher, a bossy wife, Oleta Marshall; Edgar Hatcher, Clara's hen-pecked husband, Redell Henson; Maggie, Grandpa's Irish Cook, Margaret Hill; Adam McPherson, Maggie's Scotch husband, Russell Morris; Dr. Wyatt, a young doctor, D. W. Tomlinson; Henry Collis, a young lawyer, Keith Swinburne.

Admission will be ten cents and visitors are urged to attend Friday night.

Miss Eula Joyce Burselen shopped in Amarillo Saturday.

### READINGS AND SONGS ENLIVEN LIONS LUNCHEON

THANKSGIVING WEEK PROGRAM ONE OF THE BEST LIONS HAVE HAD

Celebrating Thanksgiving week the Clarendon Lions Club enjoyed a music and reading program of high merit Tuesday, when the committee with Lion T. H. Stewart, presiding, presented Mrs. John Knorrp in a group of readings, and Mrs. Frank Heath in vocal solo. Mrs. Allen Bryan accompanied Mrs. Heath.

Mrs. Knorrp's representation of a bashful boy with his "First Girl" brought a storm of applause, as did Mrs. Heath's rendering of "That's Why Dorkies Were Born" and "South of the Border, Down Mexico Way." The club sang the refrain to "Old Kentucky Home" with Mrs. Heath as she did the verses. As a closing number in memory of Thanksgiving the club sang, "America, the Beautiful."

W. H. Bolton of Amarillo was a guest for the day.

After Lion Braswell had announced the Union Thanksgiving Service at the Presbyterian Church for Wednesday evening, the club adjourned.

### DONLEY GROUP TO ATTEND HIGHWAY DINNER

HIGHWAY COMMISSION TO BE HONORED AT CHILDRESS TUESDAY EVENING

A delegation of Donley County citizens will attend the banquet at Childress, December 5th, honoring the members of the State Highway Commission. Chairman Brady Gentry of the commission will attend the meeting and it will be his first official trip into Panhandle territory. The entire commissioners court and a number of Clarendonites, along with delegates from Hall, Gray, Roberts and Ochiltree counties will have a short session with the commission with reference to Highway 18.

G. G. Reeves, R. Y. King, John Hermsmyer, Claude Nash, and Marvin Hall will represent the commissioners court. Sam Braswell, Odos Caraway, J. R. Gillham, J. T. Patman, Homer Mulkey, J. R. Miller, and a number of others are expected to represent Clarendon at the meet.

### Hedley 4-H Club Starts Training

County Agent, H. M. Breedlove said this morning that the Hedley 4-H Club boys will start leather tanning demonstrations next week. Breedlove will conduct a class with the 4-H Club members at Hedley on the tanning of leather. This leather will be used by the boys for various repairing on the farm. Breedlove says he expects to start this demonstration around the middle of next week. After the leather has been tanned, members of the club will make bridles, halters and various other useful articles to be used on a farm.

### Officers Break Hi-jacking Ring In Solving Armed Burglary Of Clarendon Filling Station

Officers of Donley, Carson and Gray counties working with state highway patrolmen last night broke Panhandle-wide hi-jacking cases and solved the recent armed robbery of the Phillips 66 service station in Clarendon.

In a coup that netted the arrest of persons wanted in connection with at least six cases, Hubert Lee Sisco, 22, Skellytown, signed a volunteer statement before Donley County Sheriff Guy Pierce and Gray County Sheriff Cal Rose, admitting the filling station burglary here and named two other men and a 16-year-old girl as accomplices.

In his statement, Sisco said it was he who held a gun on Paul Huckins during the Clarendon holdup the night of November 4th when the station was robbed of approximately \$30. Part of the loot was Huckins' personal money.

Others charged in the Clarendon holdup are Frank Agee, and Lois Oliver, White Deer, and Carlyle Skelton, Skellytown. A watch taken from Huckins was found at the home of Skelton.

Lois Oliver, visiting in Odessa, was arrested there this morning in connection with the case. She will be returned to Pampa by Sheriffs Rose and Pierce. Sisco, Shelton and Ray Reems, wanted in connection with other robberies, are in the county jail in Pampa.

A loose muffler on the car, used for the Clarendon highjacking, brought about the arrest of the five. Before stopping here the bandits drove through McLean, Shamrock, and when enroute to Wellington when they were stopped by highway patrolmen Penjoe and Gardner. The state troopers remembered the automobile when Huckins told officers that the car used in the local holdup had a leaking exhaust. The car's ownership was traced to Frank Agee at White Deer.

Sheriff Pierce and County Attorney John Knorrp aided in the investigation last night which included questioning of several persons and searching of several houses in Pampa, White Deer and Skellytown.

Sisco, Agee, Shelton and Oliver will be formally charged here with robbery. Reem will be included in charges against the highjackings in this section.



SANTA WRITES A LETTER TO DONLEY COUNTY CHILDREN

### CHRISTMAS PARTY SET HERE FOR DECEMBER 21

PLANS IN MAKING FOR ANNUAL COMMUNITY AFFAIR OUT-DOOR

The MacDowell Club in cooperation with the Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a community Christmas program on the courthouse lawn on Thursday, December 21, at 6:30 p. m.

There will be a large Christmas tree beautifully decorated and those who come will bring a gift to the tree instead of receiving one. These gifts of food, clothing, toys, fruit or candy will be turned over to the Goodfellows to fill baskets.

Christmas carols and pageantry will make up the program.

Mrs. Elvis Burch is chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements and other members of the committee are Mrs. Edd Dishman, Mrs. U. Z. Patterson, and Mrs. W. S. Word.

Miss Isabel Wright returned Sunday from Abilene where she has been visiting her sister.

Dear Boys and Girls:

Although I visit you only once each year I believe we are great friends, so I wish to ask a favor of you.

The factories of Elfland, up at the North Pole, have been running day and night for the past several months but my little workers and myself find that we are terribly behind in our orders.

Would you be very, very nice and sit down right now and write me a letter telling what you want me to bring you for Christmas? The sooner we get your letter the more time we will have to work on your gifts, and this really helps a lot.

Just address your letter to Santa Claus, care of The Clarendon News, Clarendon, Texas. They will print all of the letters for me in a special edition, December 14.

Thanking you, and will see you Christmas,

Your friend,  
**Santa Claus.**



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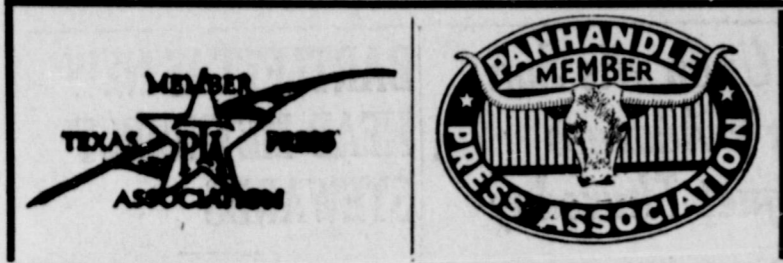
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## HAPPY SANITY AT THANKSGIVING TIME

It appears to The News that a happy sanity would make Thanksgiving 1939 one of the most notable for citizens of America, Texas, and Donley. The sane evaluation of our situation brings us to the definite conclusion that of all the peoples of the earth, we are favored—favored far in excess of our human deserts.

With this in view, it behooves all good citizens to come to the holiday with sincere thankfulness for the benefits and privileges we enjoy at the hands of a beneficent Father, and to Him we should offer the glad tributes of grateful hearts, mindful of our sins, blunders and short-comings.

Give us that happy sanity; let us truly evaluate our favorable position at this Thanksgiving Season, and let us unite in praise and gratitude to the Father that doeth all things Well.

## CELEBRATE CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS WITH LIGHTS

In a few days Clarendon will blaze with bright, Yuletide color, as Christmas decorations appear over the city, and thousands of gay lighting effects dominate homes and stores.

Somehow, our community life is quickened, and we go about our duties with more light-hearted happiness when the colors and lights herald the coming of the joyful Christmas Season—and it ought to be that way.

In years past Clarendon has been among the most colorful cities of this Panhandle area along about Christmas time, and The News hopes that 1939 will bring a fuller and more general expression of the spirit of gaiety that marks the Season.

Let's celebrate early and late Christmas holidays in Clarendon this 1939 Season. As the lights show forth our intentions to be joyfully generous, let us light up our daily contacts with cheering word and inviting smile so that we may long remember Christmas 1939 as the happiest we have known since childhood.

It is an effort truly worth-while.

## NOT SO HAPPY THANKSGIVING ITEM

Among the enumeration of civic blessings we recount at this period of 1939, there is one item for Clarendon still conspicuous by its total absence. We speak of the federal postoffice building authorized by Congress and promised with "previsos" by our Congressman.

Is it possible that Hon. Marvin Jones is going to be promoted out of his representative capacity before he gets that postoffice for Clarendon? Or, maybe, we should not mention the postoffice prospect so long blacked-out at this glad Thanksgiving period.

Maybe the not so happy Thanksgiving item mentioned above, should be talked about along about Santa Claus time.

## POLITICAL BUFFOONRY CONTINUES

Political buffoonry still continues in Texas. The most recent example has been the preposterous proposal from Rep. Bailey Ragsdale of Crockett to suspend Governor O'Daniel, convene a special session of the legislature and take up the financing of social security—with no more chance of getting anything done than appeared at the recent called session.

The people of Texas resent this insult to Governor O'Daniel and

## THANK GOD, WE'RE AMERICANS!



## JUST HUMANS

By GENE GARR



"Hey, Shoot Me Some Gas!"  
"Go Get th' Eyedropper, Eddy!"

will likely show it in a most substantial form when the time comes. Texas needs fewer clowns and more sincere, honest work for the public welfare among those who represent her at Austin.

## BRAIN PABULUM

Kipling envisioned a time of rest "when earth's last picture is painted and the tubes are twisted and dried." He observed that it might last "an eon or two."

In that period of rest some philosopher will tell the new world that in 1939 a picture was taken on a battlefield by a snap of an instrument and on the same day we saw it in our evening newspapers.

The late Charles Francis Jenkins demonstrated television a few year ago and produced a picture in Washington in 20 minutes. And Jenkins invented the projection machine for motion picture cameras.

Photo cameras, the magic lanterns, stereopticon views, and other ways of making pictures followed the discovery of Scott Archer of coating glass plates with a film of collodium—a process that required "posing" for minutes. That was in 1851.

In those times Harper's and other publications were printing engravings by Currier and Ives that were the pictures in commercial half-tones. Chromos were enjoying boom days.

Great artists had for centuries painted masterpieces, with brushes and paints that have never been excelled in our times.

In the Sistene Chapel at Rome and in the great art galleries of Europe and the United States these old pictures are hung. The greatest of them illustrate the Bible stories. These Bible pictures moved the feeling of ancient people. Greatest of all were the ones that showed the Christ-Jesus, son of a Virgin.

At last, said the people in rapture, a perfect man is born—one who will rule by the Spirit, one who will not be an oppressor, one who will not wage cruel wars and make us slaves of the conquered citizens.

Those were the first pictures to move the hearts of the people. It was the birth of Christianity, and it was recorded in the pictures of Mary and Jesus.

## NOBODY'S BUSINESS

By JULIAN CAPERS JR.

AUSTIN — Prospects of a special session of the 46th Legislature to finance social security have become so remote, as a result there will be none before Spring is virtual certainty. Failure of House members, numbering \$1, who endorsed "in principle" an omnibus tax bill, to impress Gov. O'Daniel with the prospect of a successful special session apparently gave O'Daniel a thoroughly sound political alibi for not calling a session.

The fantastic proposal of Rep. Bailey Ragsdale, of Crockett, that the House convene itself, either by petition of the members or on call of the speaker, and vote impeachment of O'Daniel, then pass a tax bill, and rescind its impeachment action, thus restoring the Governor to office, was regarded as so unsound that observers here did not seriously consider it. Under the statutes, the governor is automatically suspended from office when impeachment is voted by a majority of the House. Ragsdale's plan would require cooperation of the Speaker, the Lieutenant Governor, and a majority of the Senate. Both the speaker and the lieutenant governor have indicated pretty plainly that they favor the plan of writing a sales tax into the Constitution, putting a ceiling on taxation of natural resources, and writing in a top constitution of \$20,000,000 for social security, the plan favored by O'Daniel. And most important of all, a majority of the Senate has indicated on numerous occasions that it sympathizes wholeheartedly with the constitutional sales tax plan, so ardently favored by the governor and the oil, sulphur and utility companies. So, Ragsdale's wild scheme would hit a snag in the Senate, if it ever got that far, and nobody here believes the House would go for it.

People Apathetic  
The truth is the people of Texas generally are apparently as little concerned about the social security program as they are with the state of the weather in Alaska, except for minority pressure groups. O'Daniel seems to have sensed this, and social security financing is certain to be the principal issue again in a gubernatorial campaign next year. Closest observers here think O'Daniel will win re-election, unless the situation changes radically from what it is today. If the campaign develops opposition which O'Daniel thinks might jeopardize his chance for re-election, he undoubtedly will call a special session for political purposes, and since the governor has done so much better job of politicking than the leadership in the Legislature has so far, students of the situation in Austin think whenever he calls a special session, it is pretty

sure to do nothing, and will find itself further behind the political eight-ball than the Governor has it already.

The truth of the matter is that inspired and able leadership is necessary to consolidate the wide-spread sentiment against O'Daniel and his sales-tax scheme. And so far that leadership has not appeared. Whether it will appear before the primaries next July is a question only time can answer.

## Tax Remission

The spectacle of Harris County, largest and richest in Texas, so menaced by floods that it constitutes a public calamity justifying the remission by the state of State ad valorem taxes, outlined by the legislature in the preamble to the Harris tax remission bill, didn't impress Attorney General Gerald Mann very strongly. He got out his copy of the State Constitution, read it, and handed down a ruling that the tax remission bill will not stand up. A court test probably will follow . . . Meanwhile

in Dallas County, where a court test of Mann's opinion declaring void the general county tax remission bill was started, District Judge John Rawlins, ruled in favor of the county, and the case will go at once to the Fifth Court of Appeals. Mann intervened to defend his ruling. The appeals court will certify questions to the Supreme Court, in order to hasten a final decision on the matter . . . Final chapter in the State's anti-trust suit was written when two additional San Antonio cement factories paid \$50,000 penalties each, and agreed to an injunction restraining them from further violations of the law. Previously, four other concerns paid in \$100,000 each . . . The first of the year will bring cold weather and formal announcements of the various candidates for state office. Hot contests for governor, railroad commissioner (Lon Smith's post) and probably State Treasurer and State School Superintendent are already in prospect, with possible other contests to develop later.

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## Nod Goes To Perryton Rangers In Region One Football Scramble

The mighty Perryton Rangers from so far up in the Texas Panhandle that one of their long passes could almost reach the Oklahoma 'strip', seem destined to roll off of the high plains with enough speed and power to carry them to a regional championship.

Region 1 includes districts 1-A, 2-A, 3-A and 4-A, represented respectively by Tulla, Shamrock, Lockney (although Lockney has a mathematical chance to be tied for its title) and Perryton.

As if to banish any doubt of their potency, the Rangers clubbed Panhandle 34 to 0 Nov. 17, to cap the 2-A flag. The Panhandle victory alone could almost set the Perryton club up as a direct region threat but the Rangers can point at a spotless record for further proof. Boasting the heaviest class A outfit in the section coupled with plenty of speed and deception, the outlook now is that if the Rangers fall, they will have to defeat themselves. This trick has been accomplished before through overconfidence or bungles.

On their march to the crown the first objective for the Rangers will be the stout Tulla Hornets who Friday tucked away the 1-A flag with a 31-3 victory over the Canyon Eagles. Even though the Hornets have a record of nine straight wins for the '39 season, the experts must give Perryton the nod.

Also materially against the Hornets' chances was the decision Saturday to play the district one and two championship game in Perryton.

The Shamrock Irishmen, with the 3-A bunting packed in moths for three weeks, are likely to beat the Lockney Longhorns with faster football. The well drilled Irish are fast and smart and if they maintain their timing, which pulled them through the tough league schedule, they should manage a touchdown or two on the 4-A champions. Lockney, of course, can't be brushed aside after its nice record in the lower loop.

No matter, however, whether Shamrock or Lockney meets the Rangers the final outcome looks the same. Constant dripping of water may wear away a stone but hardly in 60 minutes and it

seems unlikely that the raps of either of the smaller ball clubs will have too terribly much effect on the Ranger battering ram.

### MARTIN

(By Billie Ruth Bulman)

There were 63 present for Sunday School Sunday. Come on folks we're getting higher. Let's don't let it fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bailey and baby spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hartzog.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Marshall and family spent Sunday in Ash-tolia community.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Rampy and family spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. O. Rampy of Chamberlain.

Meiba Christie and Wilma Putman spent Sunday with Lillian Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Marrow and sons, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Kavanaugh Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Christie and children spent Sunday afternoon in Hudgins community.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Peabody and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Jordan.

George, Jr. and Gene Bulman spent Saturday night with Billy Frank Moreland of Midway.

Those visiting in George Bulman's home last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cannon, Mrs. Linnie Cauthen, Mrs. Frio Walling, Mr. and Mrs. U. Z. Patterson and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peabody and daughter, all of Clarendon. Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Moreland and family of Midway, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cannon and family and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Owens and daughter, and Mr. Sam Cannon of Vernon, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cannon, Frank Cannon and Mrs. J. A. Pool.

### Honor Roll

Second Grade: Wanda Helen Swint, 88.

Third Grade: Gracie Louise Veazy, 89 1-2.

Fourth Grade: Billie Jack Jordan.

Fifth Grade: Mary Lois Swint, Imogene Brinson.

Stamp Pad Ink at The News.

## BROTHER OF LOCAL MEN SUCCUMBS IN PAMPA HOSPITAL

L. C. McMURTRY FIRST DEATH IN FAMILY OF TWELVE CHILDREN

Death claimed the first member of the W. J. McMurry family Saturday afternoon when Lawrence Carroll McMurry, 54, died in a Pampa hospital. He was the brother of C. T. and J. L. McMurry of Clarendon and Mrs. Glenn White of Shamrock. McMurry, a Gray County resident for 35 years, had been ill three weeks. He was taken to a Pampa hospital two weeks before he died but failed to rally.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McMurry and eleven surviving children were in Pampa for the funeral services, held Sunday afternoon. It was the fall of 1904 that Mr. McMurry moved to Alanreed where he taught school. A year later he moved to LeFors and taught school until becoming deputy sheriff and tax collector for Gray county in 1907. In 1911 Mr. McMurry moved to Pampa to become connected with the Pampa Grain company. A year later he joined Dave Osborne in opening the McMurry Grain Company here.

Mr. McMurry was president of the Panhandle Grain Dealers' association and president of the Texas Grain Dealers' association. He was a member of the Pampa school board for many years and was one of the leaders in building the present Pampa high school, in 1919. He was also a city councilor.

Mr. McMurry was a civic leader during Pampa's rapid growth. He was active in chamber of commerce work and was a booster for good roads. Five years ago he retired from active business.

He was a member of the Masonic lodge, a charter member of the Shrine at Amarillo, and a member of the Scottish Rite at Dallas.

Surviving Mr. McMurry are a son, Larry McMurry, Pampa, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McMurry, Windthrop, three sisters, Mrs. C. M. Carpenter, McLean, Mrs. R. E. Hilburn, Wichita Falls, and Mrs. Glen White, Shamrock, eight brothers, C. T., J. H., J. L., all of Clarendon, E. D. of Vico Park, R. L. of Amarillo, A. L. of Silverton, J. S. of Muleshoe, and W. J., of Windthrop, and two uncles, J. E. Williams of Pampa and Joe Williams of Amarillo.

Services were held at Pampa, Sunday afternoon at the First Christian church with Rev. B. A. Norris, pastor, officiating. Burial was in the Fairview cemetery. Pallbearers were W. M. Craven, Lee McDonnell, George Thut, C. P. Buckler, A. H. Doucette, Clyde Fatheree.

### A. V. Hendricks Is Honored At McMurry College

A. V. Hendricks, son of Rev. and Mrs. A. V. Hendricks of Turkey, and formerly a Clarendon Junior College student, was honored last week when he was elected by the student body of McMurry College as an outstanding student.

This honor was an encore to the one awarded him by the faculty when they elected him to "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities."

Hendricks was presented with eleven other Outstanding Students during the coronation of Chief McMurry last week.

### PLAINVIEW TURKEY SHOW EXPECTED TO BE LARGE

PLAINVIEW, Nov. 28. —More exhibitors will bring a larger number of birds to the sixth annual Southwestern Dressed Turkey Show here December 6 and 7 than have been on hand at any previous show. W. A. Painter, president of the Hi-Plains Turkey Improvement Association, said he believed. The president of the organization of turkey raisers that sponsors the annual show said preparations were ready.

Show catalogues may be secured by writing the Plainview Chamber of Commerce and arrangements for placing birds on cold storage to await the show dates, in case exhibitors wish to send entries early, can be made through that office.

### PATRONIZE

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## DIPHTHERIA TESTS TO TELL SECRETS OF DISEASE

"Nature has revealed priceless secrets to students of medical science, and the Schick test is the key to one of these," declared Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. "It determines whether children are susceptible or immune to diphtheria. The medicine used consists of a highly diluted form of diphtheria toxin, a few drops of which are carefully introduced between the outer layers of the skin, on the inner surface of the forearm.

"This test to determine whether or not a child might have diphtheria is entirely harmless. Fifty times the amount used for a child would be necessary to injure a small animal such as a mouse or guinea pig. The red area produced by the test is nature's danger signal, because such a child, if exposed to diphtheria, might acquire the disease.

"Seventy five to ninety per cent of children under twelve are naturally susceptible to diphtheria. This information has been gained through Schick tests carried out on thousands of children throughout the United States. Young children should receive immunizing treatments against the disease without a preliminary Schick test. Such a test should, however, be carried out six months after preventive treatments, to make certain that immunity has been established. In older children and adults a test is advisable, since immunity may already be present.

"During the past year about 250 Texas children died, and 2,500 were ill of diphtheria. Nature has revealed the secret of susceptibility through the Schick test. With this knowledge diphtheria could be reduced to the vanishing point if parents would have their family physician protect their children."

Miss Dorothy Headrick and her fiancé, S. L. Caytes, both of Amarillo, visited Jean Bourland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Oswalt of Vernon were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Buel Sanford last week-end.



Richard Greene surpasses his triumph in "Kentucky" in his first starring role the gripping 20th Century-Fox drama now at the Pastime Theatre, "Here I Am A Stranger," in which he meets romance with lovely Brenda Joyce, sensational discovery of "The Rains Came."

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GRAPE FRUIT JUICE No. 2 - 3 for 25c

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PEAS, Brimful - 2 for . . . . . 25c

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LARD - 8-lb carton . . . . . 89c

LARD - 4-lb carton . . . . . 45c

PICKLES - quart jar . . . . . 15c

GRAPE FRUIT - dozen . . . . . 25c

CANDY, cherry centers - 1-lb box 25c

HOMINY, No. 2 - 3 for . . . . . 20c

TOMATOES, No. 2 3 for . . . . . 25c

FRUIT CAKE - 1-lb each . . . . . 25c

B. E. PEAS Pecan Valley - 3 for . . . 25c

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**FOUND:** Yale key. Numbered 16F43. Owner may have same by calling at News office and paying for this ad. 41-tfc.

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**FOR SALE:**—at a bargain. One John Deere tractor; one three-disk plow. Call E. M. Ozler 44-3tc.

**FOR SALE:**—Two 6-gallon iron ink pails suitable for slop buckets, 75c each.—Come to the News office.

**NEW AND USED LUMBER**  
See me for used lumber and paints, also 3 built-in bath tubs, lavatories, kitchen sinks, pipe, etc. I can save you money. One good Monitor Windmill, 8 ft., \$15.00.—J. S. Morgan, Phone 405-J 45-tfc.

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Two colored ladies want work, cooking or house work. Well-experienced and satisfactory references. Call at Felix Jones' house for Estella Jones, or Addie Lewis. 48-1tpd.

**FORMER PIONEER WOMAN BURIED HERE SUNDAY**  
Burial services were held here Sunday afternoon for Mrs. W. E. Lyons, pioneer Clarendon resident who died in Quitaque Saturday.

Funeral services were held at Quitaque Sunday afternoon and the body was brought overland for burial in the Citizen's Cemetery.

The Lyons were residents of Clarendon for many years.

Bond Papers at The News.

**KILL RATS WITHOUT POISON**  
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## Random Reflections

By DICK COOKE

The county commissioners' failure to purchase short wave radios for law enforcement officers in Clarendon, at a special meeting Saturday, drew fire from County Judge R. Y. King who in a blistering statement this morning charged the court was "exceedingly lax."

Although the court had previously voted to buy the equipment, King's ire was raised from what he believed was procrastination on the part of the commissioners. The judge charged that competitive bids had been received from both local and outside radio firms and he could see no excuse for the delay.

Meanwhile courtman G. G. Reeves told this department that "there is no doubt as to the court purchasing the radios, but from purely a business standpoint they must await satisfactory bids."

The sheriff's department petitioned the legislative body for radios for two automobiles and one for the jail and one for the courthouse. Working in connection with the Panhandle wide police radio in Amarillo, much money can be saved in long distance telephone calls, they said.

By way of explanation, Sheriff Guy Pierce pointed out that should a law violation occur here, a call to Amarillo would immediately put all officers over the section on guard. Formerly long distance calls have had to be made to each county seat in the territory.

One of the most amusing true stories of children we have heard recently goes like this: A mother of a six-year-old first grader discovered that all the pages in the first part of his reader were torn away. Upon being questioned, the infant replied: "Yes I tore them out, I have already read them."

With our Thanksgiving occurring tomorrow one of our most thankful thoughts is that after tomorrow there should be no more Thanksgiving jokes. The best way to really enjoy Thanksgiving is to work so hard to get in a position not to work that you can have fun just relaxing and thinking about going back to work the next day.

But don't forget the Union Church service at the First Presbyterian Church tonight. The Rev. E. W. Henshaw, rector of the St. John Episcopal Church, will deliver the sermon. All donations will go to the Adair Hospital fund.

Members of the Clarendon Park Board are meeting this afternoon to devise a plan to build a public swimming pool this summer. One member advanced the plan of a city taxation similar to the bond tax plan which was defeated at the polls last spring. Although the construction cost would largely be financed through a WPA program, sponsors of a federal project must pay a percentage of the amount.

**TRACTOR DEMONSTRATION TO BE HELD DECEMBER 5**

Three Minneapolis Moline tractors will be demonstrated by Cleo Woods, local agent, Tuesday afternoon at 1:30. It was announced today. Assisting Woods will be C. J. Dorris and John Semard of the branch office in Amarillo.

Included in the demonstration, which will be held one mile west of Clarendon on Highway 370, will be a Universal "U", Universal "Z" and a Universal "R", with cab.

Woods also announced the Minneapolis - Moline company will give a natural color picture show here in January, details will be announced later.

**P.-T. A. SHOW NETS SPONSORS \$115 FRIDAY**

The Seven Dwarfs, Little Black Sambo, and the Three Bears highspotted a program filled with enjoyable characterizations of "Ferdinand the Bull," reported Mrs. McHenry Lane, co-director of the production which played to a capacity crowd, Friday night.

## LOCALS

James Bartlett, University of Texas student, arrived Friday to spend Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bartlett.

Miss Anna Moores Swift is home from Denton for the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mrs. Merlin Heuer, formerly Miss Julia Weidman, is here from Yoder, Wyoming, to stay through the Christmas holidays.

Alfred McMurry left Thursday for Waco, San Antonio and Austin, where he will spend the holidays with his sister, La Verne, in school at the University of Texas.

Miss Phoebe Ann Buntin will be home tonight from Denton to spend the holidays with her family.

Miss Jo Ellen Kennedy will arrive late Wednesday night from Norman, Okla., to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Ruth Kennedy.

Sammie Jo Lowe, who has been reported critically ill for some days at the home of her parents, was taken to Dallas Tuesday. Visiting in the Lowe home last week were Mrs. W. J. Aiken and Elton Aiken of Lipan, and John Aiken, and Miss Lucy Aiken of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Taylor went to Pampa Sunday because of the illness of their daughter-in-law, Mrs. George Taylor. Mrs. Taylor reports that her daughter-in-law is feeling better.

Mr. Jim Patman and Mrs. Wm. Patman visited Sunday in Pampa and White Deer.

Dr. and Mrs. Mark L. Stricklin are leaving Thursday morning to spend Thanksgiving at Altus, Okla.

Miss Margaret Kerbow and Miss Lois Waggoner were Memphis visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Leathers and baby of Dallas visited here last week-end.

Miss Lois Waggoner and Miss Mildred Martin spent the week-end in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Taylor announce the arrival of a son, Donald, born November 27.

District Superintendent G. T. Palmer is visiting this week-end with his son, George, Jr., in Dallas.

Mrs. Claude McGowen spent the weekend with her daughter, Sarah Virginia, at Twitty.

**College Sophs In Grid Win Over Freshmen**

Lightning Led Jay was the toast of the Clarendon Junior College sophomores Friday afternoon when he intercepted a freshman pass and galloped 40 yards for a touchdown which gave the upper classmen a 6 to 0 win in an intermural football game.

**COACHES GLOOMY OVER McLEAN'S 1940 PROSPECTS**

McLEAN, Nov. 28. —Coaches Cricket Christian and Dick Dunlap were somewhat gloomy today over the prospects of next year's Tiger football team.

One of the first string men of this year will either be ineligible or will graduate next spring. Loss of Bond and Mantooh will probably mean that next year's team will turn to passing and other dipsey-doodle tactics to score, for at this time no backfield prospect will weigh over 150 pounds, and power doesn't come from such small men.

Regulars of this year who won't return are Mantooh, Bond, Doolen, Windom, Jones, Gleen, Bonner, Braxton, and Steadman.

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## Howard Re-enters Stock Industry

G. W. Howard of Hedley, who almost quit the registered cattle breeding industry several months ago, is back in the field in full force. Howard produces the Syble Strain cattle and last month took second place ribbons at the Quail fair with a producing heifer, cow, heifer calf and bull, respectively. When Howard seriously thought of leaving the cattle business, he included in his sales, a trade with Jim Baker whereby he swapped thirteen head of registered animals in a deal for the Baker farm near Martin. He re-purchased three of the bulls when he decided to restock.

Howard raises the animals on three stock farms in the Martin community. The average price for a Syble bred heifer averages approximately \$100, Howard says.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Stewart, Jr., will leave Wednesday night for Lubbock, where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hitt and family, and for Hobbs, New Mexico, where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Stewart and family.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Powell last week end were Mary Francis Powell of Quanah, Miss Wilma McLean of Dallas, John McLean of Hereford, and Mrs. Maude McClung and daughter, Mary Beth, of Amarillo.

## AUCTION SALE

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# SOCIETY

## MOTHER'S CLUB HONORS HUSBANDS WITH DINNER

The husbands of the Mother's Study Club members were entertained with a dinner at the club room last night, November 28.

White chrysanthemums provided the decorative note for the annual Thanksgiving affair. After the dinner was over, games of forty-two were played. Mrs. Carl Peabody won high score prize for the ladies, and Mr. J. H. Howze, high for the men.

Hostesses for the dinner were Mesdames J. E. Burch, Walter Clifford, Will McDonald, Bill Brumley, Alfred Esdack, Reagan Bryan, Tom Murphy, George Norwood, Frank Hommel, C. B. Morris, and Ralph Decker.

The guests numbered about 55 persons.

## FATHINDER CLUB MEETS FRIDAY AFTERNOON

The Pathfinder Club met in the club room Friday afternoon, November 24, with Mrs. Edd Dishman presiding. By a vote of the request of Mrs. Paul Shelton that she be placed on the associate roll was granted.

Mrs. Charlie Bairfield, delegate to the State Federation meeting at Wichita Falls, gave most interestingly the high lights of the convention.

In the absence of the leader, Mrs. W. H. Patrick, for the afternoon, Mrs. C. A. Burton had charge of the program. Mrs. L. N. Cox gave excerpts from the book which was a best seller for many months during the past year, "With Malice Toward Some" by Margaret Halsey. The piquant, original comments of an American woman on the peculiarities of our English cousins were very laughable and interesting.

The other side of the question then came in an article by the English author, Stephen Leacock, entitled "Americans Are Queer," read by the leader. We then decided that "all the world are queer except me and thee."

The hostesses, Mesdames T. H. Ellis and Frank Brown, assisted by Mrs. R. L. Bigger, served refreshments to twenty-seven members and one guest, Mrs. Joe McMurry.

## MRS. STOCKING ENTERTAINS FRIENDSHIP CLUB

The Friendship Club held its meeting Tuesday at the home of Mrs. J. D. Stocking.

The meeting was called to order by repeating the Lord's Prayer. Fancy work and conversation provided the entertainment of the afternoon.

Mrs. Stocking's home was decorated with white chrysanthemums. Refreshments were served to Mesdames C. R. Skinner, Aileen Skinner, H. Tyree, M. E. Thornton, L. Ballew, G. J. Teal, Eva Womack, Claude Lindsey, J. E. Mongole, members, and to Mrs. J. C. Jackson and Mrs. W. C. McConnell of Panhandle. Mrs. A. L. Chase, Mrs. W. G. Ebey and Emily Ann Smith, guests.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Aileen Skinner on December 12.

## MRS. EDYTHE MAHER IS BRIDGE PARTY HOSTESS

Mrs. Edythe Maher entertained the Wednesday Bridge Club at her home this afternoon.

The Thanksgiving motif was carried out in the decorations and chrysanthemums were used through the rooms.

Members present were Mesdames H. M. Breedlove, George Norwood, Paul Slaton, W. M. Noblett, Floyd Lumpkin, Walter Knorpp, and H. F. Harter, and one guest, Mrs. Carroll Knorpp.

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## LA VERNE SPURGEON AND JOHN HOPKINS MARRY SATURDAY

Miss La Verne Spurgeon daughter of J. I. Spurgeon of Clarendon became the bride of John L. Hopkins of Dallas Saturday evening at 6:30 o'clock at the home of the Rev. J. Perry King.

Rev. King officiated at the single ring ceremony.

The bride wore black with black accessories and a corsage of white gardenias.

Those attending the wedding were the brother of the bride, Norris Spurgeon, Miss Opal Brown of Goodnight and Miss Mable Johnson of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins will be at home in Dallas where he is associated with the Fancy Food Products.

## F. F. A. ENTERTAINS HOME-MAKING MEMBERS

Approximately forty members of the homemaking department were guests of the F. F. A. members Wednesday night at their regular meeting.

The girls joined with the forty five F. F. A. members in the many games provided for their entertainment for two hours of fun and frolic. Following the games, a short meeting was held and musical and vocal numbers were rendered by the boys.

The event was climaxed with each F. F. A. member providing the means for a homemaking girl to attend "Mr. Smith Goes to Washington."

The meeting was the first of a series of joint meetings and entertainments to be held by the F. F. A. and F. F. A. members. Each spring the boys entertain the girls with a picnic, but this is the first time a joint meeting has been held.

## MRS. BRYAN PRESENTS PIANO PUPILS IN RECITAL

Mrs. Allen Bryan presented her South Ward and Junior High School piano pupils in a recital at the club room at 7:30 Monday evening.

Those appearing on the program were Ada Smith, Guida Myrl Miller, Patty Molesworth, Dorothy Ann Castleberry, Vondell Hommel, Ochinata Heath, Dorothy Ann Kennedy, Mary Ellen Christie, Joy Pierce, Ermagene Spencer, Imogene Spencer, Edith Joy McCrary, Marilyn Bartlett, Beverly Gray Stricklin, Helen Rister, Dick Kennedy, Jimmy Frank Heath, Manly Bryan and Jimmy Douglas, clarinet pupils of Ray Robbins, were also presented.

About sixty-five guests were present.

## LELIA LAKE HOMEMAKERS ENTERTAIN DINNER

The Homemaking Club of Lelia Lake entertained their parents and friends with a Thanksgiving dinner on Tuesday, Nov. 28, in the Homemaking Department of the school.

The guests were received at the door by two members of the club dressed as a Pilgrim man and maid. The men were presented collars, cuffs, and hats and the women were given aprons, handkerchiefs, and bonnets so that they might attire themselves as Pilgrims.

The Thanksgiving motif was carried out in the decorations. Autumn leaves were scattered the length of the table and miniature turkeys served as the centerpiece.

After the dinner the forty guests were taken to the gymnasium for games and the presentation of a play, "Home Sweet Home," by the Homemaking Department.

## LELIA LAKE FACULTY IS HONORED WITH DINNER

In honor of the faculty of the Lelia Lake School a Thanksgiving dinner was given Sunday night at the school house by members of the school board and other patrons of the school.

The table in a T-shape was decorated with table cloth and napkins bearing the Thanksgiving motif.

A center piece of various size pumpkins in the form of a little girl holding ribbons leading to small turkeys which she herded, was used in the table decorations.

Approximately 65 persons were present. After the dinner the company went to the gym for games and contests, with the losing side to entertain the winners with a party February 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Eagle of White Deer visited here last week-end. Mrs. Eagle was formerly Miss Edna Thomas.

## FANS OFFERED SPECIAL TRAIN FOR CHILDRESS ELECTRA GRID GAME

CHILDRESS, Nov. 28.—Civic clubs of Childress are sponsoring a special train to the Childress-Electra Thanksgiving Day district championship football game at Electra. The train will leave Childress at 11 a. m. arriving in Electra at 1:15; leaving Electra 45 minutes after the game. The fare will be \$1.20 for the round trip.

## WARDLOW-BRAMBLET

The marriage of Miss Thelma Bramblet and Joe Wardlow of Clarendon was solemnized at the home of Rev. J. Perry King Sunday afternoon at three o'clock, with Rev. King officiating.

## PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN SPONSOR BAZAAR

The Women's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church is sponsoring a bazaar Monday, December 11, in the Church basement.

They will exhibit and sell handmade articles, linen, fancy handwork. There will be a food mart where preserves, cakes, and other foods will be sold. Tea and coffee will be sold at the exhibit.

## PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN MEET WEDNESDAY

The Women's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church met Wednesday at the church with Mrs. Ruth Kennedy and Mrs. Harry Russell as hostesses.

At the business session it was decided that the meeting for this week would be dispensed with to give the members that time for visiting shut-ins.

## MISS FAYE SIDES WEDS JIMMY WATTERS

The wedding of Miss Faye Sides of Kirkwell, and Jimmy Watters, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Watters of this city, was solemnized at the home of his parents Friday evening.

Mr. Claude C. Smith, minister of the Church of Christ, officiated at the ceremony.

The bride wore purple with black accessories.

Only the family and Maurice Lane were present.

Mrs. Watters attended school at Childress and Clarendon Junior College. Mr. Watters is a graduate of Clarendon High School.

## CHARLIE MURPHY PLEDGES TRI TAU FRATERNITY

Charlie Murphy, student of West Texas State College, Canyon, last week pledged Tri Tau fraternity, social organization.

At the formal initiation, held in the Red Room of Cousins Hall, five other boys became members of the fraternity.

## MRS. GENTRY ENTERTAINS TUESDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. P. B. Gentry entertained the Tuesday Bridge Club at their regular meeting Tuesday afternoon.

High score winner was Mrs. Sam Dyer.

Refreshments were served to members, Mesdames Forest Taylor, Sam Dyer, Carroll Knorpp, John Knorpp, Meredith Gentry, and Miss Charlotte Molesworth; and the guests, Mrs. Walter Knorpp, and Mrs. H. M. Breedlove.

## MARTIN GARDEN CLUB HOLDS BANQUET

The Martin Garden Club members held a banquet at the school house on Friday, November 24.

After a short program the club members drew names for the Christmas party and tree to be at the home of Mrs. Sam Rundell on December 20 at 2:30.

Those present for the supper were one guest, Kitty Bailey and members Mesdames Claude Easterling, Joe Green, Guy Sibley, J. T. Easterling, Jack Tolbert, Claude Primrose, A. T. Tolbert, A. N. Riley, J. H. Easterling, Fred Easterling, V. R. Jordan, Sam Rundell, A. M. Peabody, Edwin Bailey, J. M. Acord, Berk Debord, H. B. Hartzog and J. H. Hellin.

## KILL KARE KNEEDLE CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. DAWKINS

The Kill Kare Needle Club met Thursday at the home of Mrs. R. R. Dawkins for an afternoon of sewing and conversation.

Decorations through the rooms were potted plants.

Refreshments were served to guests, Mrs. M. C. Reid and Mrs. Frank Whitlock, and to members, Mesdames J. R. Bartlett, Eva Draffen, E. W. Brumley, J. P. King, Cap Lane, J. H. Harris, Buel Sanford, W. A. Land, W. H. Massey, W. B. Sims, Homery Mulkey, Misses Ida and Etta Harned, and the hostess.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Frank White on December 14, and will be a Christmas party.

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## SENIOR BEAUX ARTS CLUB POSTPONES MEETING

The Senior Beaux Art Club, scheduled to meet Friday, December 1, will postpone its meeting until Thursday, December 7, and will meet with the Junior Beaux Arts Club. The Senior club will meet at its regular time, 3:30 o'clock for a business session and the Junior Club will join them for the program at 4:00.

## ALTAR GUILD HOLDS FIRST MEETING

The Altar Guild of the Episcopal Church held their first meeting of the year Friday at the home of Miss Charlotte Molesworth.

The Guild will hold monthly meetings. Present at the combined social and business meeting were Mrs. J. B. McClelland, the Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Henshaw, Berkley Ryan, Madelyn Kelly, Mrs. P. B. Gentry, Mrs. A. T. Jeffries, Geraldine Pratt, and the hostess.

## BOBBY LEATHERS MEMBER OF N. T. S. T. C. A CAPELLA CHOIR

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Leathers and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bryan were in Vernon Sunday afternoon for the concert given by the A Capella Choir of the North Texas State Teachers College, Denton, of which Bobby Leathers, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Leathers, is a member.

The choir is conducting a 1,900-mile tour which will culminate at the State Teachers Association meeting in San Antonio this week-end. Eighteen concerts in fifteen counties were included in their itinerary.

Mr. and Mrs. Cicero Turpin entertained the ranch boys with a dance at the Rowe camp Friday night.

## MRS. MILLER ENTERTAINS FRIDAY CONTRACT CLUB

Mrs. J. H. Miller was hostess to the Friday Contract Club in her home last week.

Mrs. B. F. Kirtley took the honors for high score.

Refreshments were served to one guest, Mrs. W. W. Noblett, and members, Mesdames Forrest Taylor, B. F. Kirtley, Simmons Powell, George Norwood and the hostess.

## GAMMA KAPPA CHAPTER INITIATES NEW MEMBERS

Gamma Kappa Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma Society held an initiation banquet at the Memphis Hotel, Nov. 16.

The following were initiated: Miss Edgar Mae Mongole, Clarendon; Misses Tila Mae Armstrong, Mable Gene Campbell, Lula Candell, and Mrs. L. B. Ezzell, Childress; Miss Mary Lou Hawkins, Hedley; Mrs. L. O. Cummings, Wellington; and Miss Alice Strawn, Quail.

## Dorothy Baker Is Elected S. T. S. C. Favorite Girl

Miss Dorothy Nell Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sloan Baker, former residents of Clarendon, has been elected Gaillardian, title of the college's most favorite girl, by the student body of the Southwest Texas State Teachers College in San Marcos.

Miss Baker is a sophomore in the STSTC. The Bakers are now living in San Marcos. Mr. Baker was formerly county superintendent of schools here.

Miss Myrtle Reeves, who has been in the hospital at Amarillo, was returned Monday to the home of Mrs. U. J. Boston in Clarendon.

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4th Sunday Morning and Night—Lelia Lake.  
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This is the schedule we will follow till otherwise notified. Sunday, November 26th, we spent at Lelia Lake and had a nice service morning and evening. Although the congregation was small it was of a great spiritual blessing to us. We hope and pray that more will come out on our next day there. Let all the Christian people work in that field this next month. Being appointed to this charge we hope that we may be of service to you at any time, don't fail to call on us.

Your pastor and friend,  
A. S. Forch.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilson spent Sunday in Amarillo visiting with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Settle and family. Mr. and Mrs. Settle are the parents of a baby girl, born November 23, named Sandra Jo.

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**THANKSGIVING MEMOIRS**

There are stories that never grow old — even though they are familiar to everyone they always bear retelling because they are humanly interesting and because they touch the hearts of all those who hear them.

The story of the first Thanksgiving is one of these stories. Perhaps every schoolboy knows the story of the first Thanksgiving, yet at Thanksgiving time it is always pleasant to hear it again.

Historians differ upon the date of the celebration of the first Thanksgiving. Some say the English, others the Dutch, began Thanksgiving. The first American Thanksgiving was celebrated with the landing of the Puritans at Plymouth.

During the first winter the Pilgrims suffered untold hardships. Many died and crops were stunted. However the second year proved to be different. The Indians helped settlers—more land was cultivated, and when fall came the crops were bountiful. Game was plentiful, and the Indians were friendly. Therefore Gov. Bradford proclaimed a day of Thanksgiving. Thus began the background for our Thanksgiving of today. Strangely enough Feb. 22 was the date chosen for the first Thanksgiving — the birthday-to-be of General Washington.

Thanksgiving Celebration fell into disuse after this until some time during the Revolutionary

**IN OUR LIBRARY**

We have just received two more new novels which are already well on their way to fame.

Escape, by Ethel Vance is a tense and exciting story of Emmy Ritter, a woman who lies in a present day German prison camp where she is recovering from an emergency appendicitis operation. In a week, she is to be executed for treason. With no hope of escape, she writes a note to her American artist son. The result makes an unforgettable, pertinent novel. Escape is the "Book of the Month," October.

Moment in Peking, a Chinese novel by Lin Yutang, is a colorful novel of China today by the author of that famous best seller, The Importance of Living. It promises to be one of the most widely read novels of the year, and it will take permanent and high rank in world literature. It is "Book of the Month," December.

**F. F. A. NOTES**

The chapter has decided to hold a parent's meeting on December seventh. The parents are welcome to all the meetings, but the next meeting is to be dedicated especially to them. After all, they are responsible in a great way for the importance of the chapter.

War when it was again revived for a short period.

We do not see much of the celebration of Thanksgiving after this until the time of the Civil War when Abraham Lincoln proclaimed a day of Thanksgiving to celebrate the victories of the North. On the following year Lincoln proclaimed the traditional last Thursday in November as Thanksgiving Day.

We today are celebrating the last Thursday as Thanksgiving. Let us look about us and see our blessings, and surely each of us will be able to find something for which to be thankful. So I end with a wish that each of us may have a happy Thanksgiving.

**STUDENTS OPINION OF THANKSGIVING**

**JUNE MELTON:** says Thanksgiving means to her a time to go and have fun.

**COLEY HUFFMAN** says it's a time to eat, go somewhere, and a holiday from school.

**CLYDE PEABODY** says Thanksgiving is a time to eat, sleep, and do what you please. **NAOMI MORRIS** says Thanksgiving is a time to sleep, eat, and do what you please — only she adds she doesn't always get to.

**J. J. GOLDSTON** says Thanksgiving means to him a time to eat a lot, go somewhere, and reserved as a day of really Thanksgiving.

**MARY DELL HEATHINGTON:** says Thanksgiving means to her a time or a day set aside for misery at the end of the day.

**CORDELIA PATE** says to her it means to go somewhere, have turkey and give thanks.

**ROBBIE ZOE MORELAND** says Thanksgiving means to her only to get out of school and to eat turkey.

**SUE STONE** says Thanksgiving is a time for her to catch up on her thinking—also don't forget the eats.

**WHO'S WHO IN JR. HIGH**

Name: Kenneth Taylor  
 Age: 16  
 Height: 5 ft. 9 in.  
 Weight: 133  
 Hair: Black  
 Eyes: Brown  
 Pet Peeves: H. C. Shaw  
 Hobby: To find a hobby  
 Favorite Song: Spanish Two Step  
 Ambition: Safety First.

Name: Loretta Cowen  
 Age: 14  
 Height: 5 ft. 6 in.  
 Hair: Blonde  
 Eyes: Blue  
 Pet Peeve: Billy Frank Davis  
 Hobby: Hiking  
 Favorite Song: Four Little Fishes.  
 Ambition: Housewife

Mrs. White is leaving Thursday for Waxahachie.

**THANKSGIVING**

Pat Grady announces that she will spend her Thanksgiving with the turkey.

Baell Kirtley says he will spend his everywhere but at school or studies.

Margaret Wadsworth seems to be getting lazy, she is going to spend her's in bed unless she gets a chance to go somewhere.

Sue Burton is the only industrious person in school. She is going to spend her time washing windows.

Billie Andis says he refuses to eat turkey. He prefers cheese and bread. (Betty Ann bread and Craft cheese.)

**THE COLLEGE FOOTBALL GAME**

There were many things that happened in the College football game Friday which brought hearty chuckles to the spectators. Both teams were amusing as they struggled through the crazy conflict. The quarterbacks were almost mad when the game was over. Everytime a signal was called in the huddle, ten men wanted to know what to do and they expected him to tell them.

Since the highlights of the game are numberless, I shall discuss only a few of them. Each and every spectator remarked that it was the fastest, most thrilling, and by far the best ball game which they had been privileged to see this season. They also said that the fish were hopelessly outclassed by the magnificent Soph eleven, who took possession of the field immediately after the first whistle.

The first thrill of the game came when the fish covered a Soph fumble on the kickoff. There was a penalty on the play however, and the poor fish had to kick again.

The second and greatest thrill came when Led "Mastdon" Jay intercepted a pass and galloped thirty yards to caper in paydirt. Jack Reeves and Nell Wright were so excited that they could not get the proper connections; therefore the flashy Sophs missed the extra point. There were no scores after this, but the merciful Sophs made several major threats. J. D. Swift led one of the drives by ramming the line several times, and he convinced the fish that his head was plenty hard.

The greatest fish threats were Earnest Evans known as the "Lakeview Flash" and Weldon "Dude" Warren. Earnest caught one pass for a long gain, but Weldon couldn't seem to hold the ball when it was thrown to him. "Dude" wants to know if the girls admired his manly form while clad in football togs.

We want to know if it was H. L. Lane who wanted to borrow a comb during the half. We also want to compliment Pat Morris on her vigorous cheerin' for Calvin Reed. Millard Miller and John Jay report that Forrest Adamson can slug like a Joe Louis sparring partner. What fish were seen dunking tobacco juice so often in the line? H. R. King says that he had much rather neck a pretty girl than to tote the old pigskin thru Soph line. Frances help the poor boy out and give him a helping hand. The Sophs want to compliment their coach on his successful season. Bull McWhorter was the soph coach and he really put his team in real shape. Coley Huffman was the fish coach.

Well so long until the College party. We are expecting the fish to give a good one as a confession of their ignominious defeat.

**"WE THE JUNIORS"**

The Juniors have just completed their six weeks tests, and most of them are very well pleased with their grades. They are settling down more each six weeks to do better work. They are all looking forward to the Thanksgiving holidays, and are going to work harder after they are over.

**BAND PERSONALITIES**

Dan Boston is one of the outstanding members of the Band. He is 16 years of age, has brown hair, blue eyes, and a sunny smile. He plays a Clarinet and has been playing this instrument for about six years. He is now playing first chair Clarinet.

Neta Jane Cornell has been a member of the Band a little more than a year. She is 15 years of age has green eyes, brown hair and a pleasing smile. She now plays a French horn and has been playing this instrument for six months. Before she began on the French horn she played a Cornet.

Mr. Larrimer will spend his holidays with homefolks in Denton.

**"SO THE ARMY GOES"**

The following is said to have been a letter received by the War Department during the World War in reference to a soldier's allotment for dependents: Dear Mr. Headquarters: U. S. Army.

My husband was induced into the surface long months ago, and I ain't received no pay from him sense he was gone.

Please send me my elopement as I have a four month's old baby and he is my only support and kneed it every day to buy food and keep us inclosed. I am a poor woman and all I have is at the front.

Both sides of my parents are very old. My husband is in charge of a spittoon. Do I get any more that I'm going to get? Please send me a letter and tell me if my husband made application for a wife and child and please send me a wife's form to fill out. I have already written to Mr. Wilson and get no answer and if I don't hear from you I will write Uncle Sam about you and him.

Very truly,  
 Mrs. Paul Jones.

P. S. — My husband says he sets in the Y. M. C. A. every night with the piano playing in his uniform. I think you can find him there.

**EL CLUB DE ESPANOL**

Las Tejanitas (The Texans Club) met November 24, in room sixteen. We had eight visitors; Emogene Mayo, Rowena Smith, Maxine Robertson, Jo Beth Ramsey, Wanda Craft, Charlie Ruth Riskey, Pauline Grisham, and Hazel Bingham.

The president, Iva Ruth Gibbs, called the house to order. The secretary, Clyde Douglas read the minutes of the last meeting. The resignation of Lewis Chamberlain as reporter was accepted and Freida Putman was elected. The president appointed a new program committee which will serve the next month.

The group was entertained with a short program followed by games. The program opened with the group singing. The Spanish quartet consisted of Rowena Crutchfield, Louise Butler, Juanita Bingham, and the song leader, Leona Pearl McCraw entertained with a song "Juanita." Lewis Chamberlain read his Spanish theme "El Futbol." The games were played by the members and the visitors.

**WE WONDER**

Why Lewis Chamberlain is stuck-up?

What Nelda Sue would do without her Sir Galahad?

What the pep squad would do without Fred?

Who got the idea June Melton was boy crazy?

How Joe Williams will spend this week?

Who got L. D. Lummus over his shyness or is he over it?

What Estelle Thornberry would do without her chewing gum?

What Dorothy Rhodes would do without John M. Bass to bring her to school?

If Marilyn Sawyer and Tooter are really that way?

Who Frankie Hommel really likes? Earnest or James Earl?

Who Victor Smith waits on every day to walk to school with?

Where Bailey Estes had a flat Saturday night?

Why Clyde Benton and Iva Ruth are always last to leave Spanish?

Why Claudine Haley has nothing more to say?

Why Jo Word is called Ross?

Why H. R. King can't make up his mind, if you know what I mean.

If Calvin Reed and Marie Morris are really that way?

If Glen Bruce and Aillen Morton are really that way, too?

**BAND NEWS**

During the past week the Band has done very little. A few members of the Band played at the Father-Son Banquet, Thursday night and at the P.-T. A. play Friday night.

After Thanksgiving sides will be chosen in the Band for a Practice Contest. The winning side will be entertained by the losing side with a picnic.

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**JUST STUDENTS**

Use your imagination and you may get some sense out of this — We hope!

"Adamson" got in the "Karr" and went to the "Barbee" ranch. Much "Speed" was made going down the "Caraway." He met "Smith" in the "Lane" and "Tucker" with him. Over the bumper "Rhoades" they finally came to the ranch. There the "Bell" boys and the "Porter" came out to meet them. They went through the "Hall" where the "Butler" met them. When they asked for "Boston" the "Goodman" told them that "Davis" had gone over to the "Green" "Hill" to the "Thornberry" patch with the "Blackman" to gather "Berry's." If they weren't there they would be at the "Garden." They left the house and "Thompson" took them past the "Barnes" where the "Hay" was and on to the "Warren." The "King" living with the "Warden" in a "Hutto" on the "Jordan" with "Stewart," the "Rector," and the "Cooksey" fixed a dinner for the "Huffman," "Pate" with the aid of "Peabody" by giving him a rotten "Hamm." The "Hillman" took them to the river "Shannon" where the "White" "Jay" lived. The "Sawyer" had a "Hartzog" (another name for heart-attack.) The frogs were saying "Gillham" "Gillham" "Gillham!" Finally after getting stuck in the "Hermsmire" and getting out they went down the "Lane" and home. My "Word" whatta story!

**ASSEMBLY**

Assembly began with songs by the student body. The Reverend Palmer, Presiding Elder of the Methodist Church was the speaker. He advised the young people to try God for a change. He will never fail you. Rev. Palmer compared life to a football game for which we must prepare.

Mr. Burton made an announcement about the first aid course being conducted by Mr. Rhiney and recommended it to everyone.

Bond Papers at The News.

**SOUTH WARD NEWS**

Miss Pope's room is entertaining Mrs. Headrick's room with a Thanksgiving program. They are going to serve cookies and apples.

Mrs. Prewitt has a new pupil, Kenneth Karr from Liberal, Kansas. Her pupils are very interested in the "Oz" books.

**RADIO MANNERS**

If she wants a date, meter; If she comes to call, receiver; If she wants an escort, conductor

If she wants to be an angel, transformer; If she proves your fears are wrong, compensator; If she gets up in the air, condenser; If she wants chocolate, feeder.

Dalhart "Hi Times."

**THANKSGIVING STROLLS**

Betty Jo Caraway is spending her holidays in Dallas. Mrs. Goodner will spend Thanksgiving in Dallas with her mother.

Louise Russel will visit in McLean.

Among those visiting in Amarillo will be John B. King, Millard Miller, Miss Howren, Billie R. Andis and Wanda Craft. La Verne Goodman will attend the game.

Miss Hall is spending her vacation in Okla City.

The Wardens are vacationing in Canyon.

Mr. Stewart is going to Lubbock and to Hobbs, N. M.

Louise Brittain will spend the holidays in Jacksonville.

Edna Earle Alexander will go to Wellington.

Mr. Hutto is going to Canyon.

Miss Cope is going home to Parnell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Swift, and Miss Anna Moores were guests at the wedding of Miss Harriet Lee Chisolm and David B. Brown at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Amarillo, Wednesday night.

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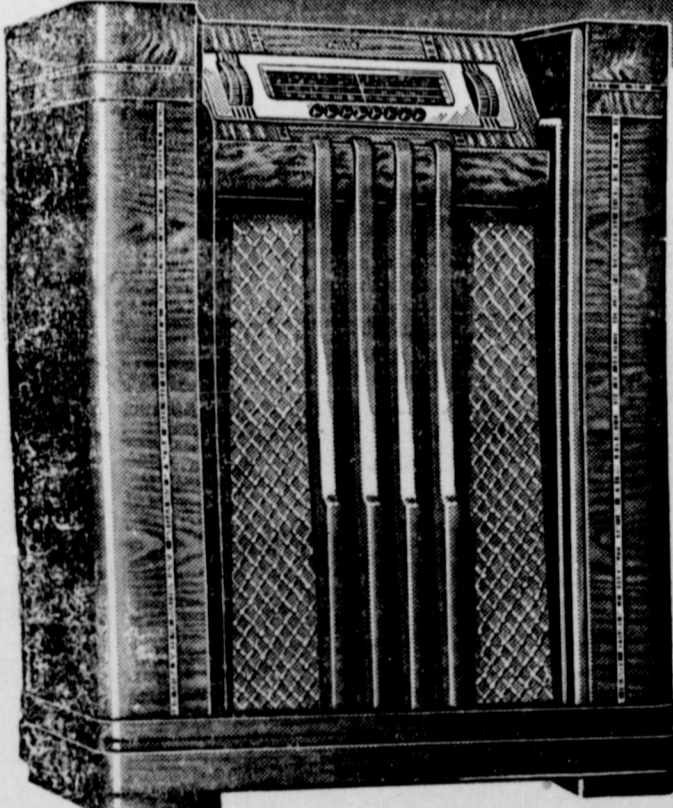
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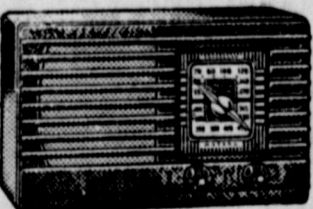
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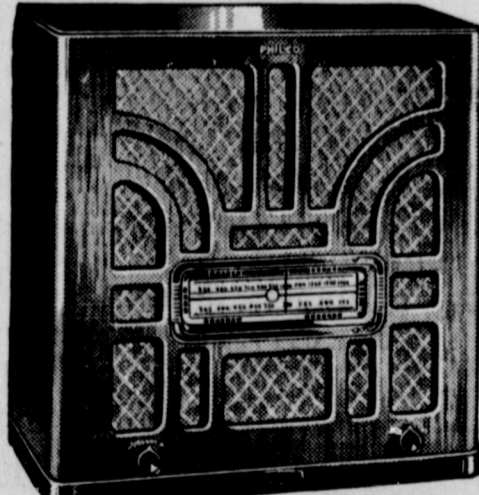


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**SAFETY RULES POINTED OUT FOR HUNTSMAN DURING HUNTING SEASON**

AUSTIN — With the hunting season in full swing in Texas, the Executive Secretary of the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission has issued an appeal to every sportsman to treat every gun as if it were loaded, and has set out a series of rules, which if observed, would do much to lessen the tragedies of accidents in fields and woods.

“It is the ‘unloaded’ gun which does the most damage,” the game chief pointed out. “And if the following rules are observed there will be more sportsmen to

take the fields another day.” Carry only empty guns, taken down or with the actions open, into your automobile, camp or home.

Always be sure the barrel and action are clear of obstructions. Always carry your gun so that you can control the direction of the muzzle, even if you stumble.

Never point a gun at anything you do not want to shoot. Be sure of your target before you pull the trigger.

Never leave a loaded gun unattended. Never climb a tree or fence with a loaded gun.

Never shoot at a flat, hard surface, or at the surface of water.

Always remember alcohol and gunpowder should not be mixed.

Miss Mildred Martin of El Reno, Okla., arrived Friday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Patman.

### Celebrated Actress In “The Master Builder” At Amarillo



Eva LaGallienne, the world-famous Ibsen interpreter, is bringing an all-New York Company to Amarillo next Saturday night, December 2, for a performance of “The Master Builder.”

### Mothers Attention

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### Farmers Urged To Vote On Cotton Marketing Quota December 9th

COLLEGE STATION — If you produced cotton in 1939, you are eligible to vote in the 1940 cotton marketing quota referendum December 9, George Slaughter, chairman of the state Agricultural Conservation Association committee, announced at a state committee meeting this week. Slaughter pointed to the instructions for holding marketing quota referendums which set out that landlords, tenants, and sharecroppers are all eligible to vote if they produced cotton in 1939.

“They are not only eligible to vote but are urged to vote,” Slaughter declared. “The important thing is to get as many of the eligible voters as possible to the polls, so the results will be really representative of the cotton farmers’ wishes.”

“Any cotton farmer who fails to vote on cotton marketing quotas is not interested in his own business as he should be. The outcome of the referendum means a lot to individual farmers as well as farmers as a whole, and each vote will have its effect on the result.”

For cotton marketing quotas to be in effect in 1940, he pointed out, two-thirds of all farmers voting must favor them.

Since marketing quotas are not

er.” Miss LaGallienne's leading man will be Earle Larrimore, noted particularly for his portrayal of Eugene O'Neill roles on Broadway.

“The Master Builder” is the second of four productions now on tour under the banner of the Legitimate Theater Corporation of America. The Ibsen drama will be performed at the Municipal Auditorium with curtain time at 8 o'clock.

Mail orders should be sent to the Tri-State Fair Association, Box 2450, Amarillo. Check or money order and a self-addressed stamped envelope should be enclosed.

Prices are \$2.20 for the first ten rows in the parquet; \$1.65 for the remainder of the front parquet and boxes; \$1.10 for the rear parquet and loges, and 55 cents in the balcony. These prices include the federal tax.

applicable to cotton with a staple length of 1½ inches or more, farmers raising such long staple cotton will not be eligible to vote, the chairman said. Each farmer, whether landlord, tenant, sharecropper, partnership, corporation, association or firm will be entitled to one vote only.

The county ACA committee will be in charge of all arrangements for the referendum in the county, and the voting will be carried out just like any regular election. The committee will choose three local farmers to serve as election officers in each community and see that a ballot box is provided at the voting place.

Voting will be by secret ballot, Slaughter said, with each farmer marking his ballot privately and casting it in customary manner used in secret voting.

Although urging all cotton farmers to vote in their home communities, votes will be accepted at the polls in any community, county or state, Slaughter said. Eligibility of all voters will be checked in their home counties.

### Texans Buy More Expensive Cars During October

Austin — Reflecting easier money, Texans bought more expensive cars during October than during the like month a year ago, the University of Texas business research bureau has reported.

Sales of the four makes of cars comprising the highest price bracket jumped 151.8 per cent. The lowest price bracket showed an increase of 61.1 per cent, compared to 116.8 per cent and 28 per cent in the middle brackets. Total new passenger car sales climbed 69.7 per cent.

Commercial car registrations almost doubled those of a year ago, totalling 909 compared to 475 in October, 1938.

Mill consumption of cotton is expected to decrease in belligerent European countries in 1940, according to the Bureau of Agricultural Economics publication, “Cotton Outlook.”

### PRODUCTION UP IN CREAMERY AND ICE CREAM BUSINESS

**CHEESE PRODUCTION DROPS SLIGHTLY DURING MONTH OF OCTOBER**

Creameries and ice cream factories of Texas speeded up production during October over October a year ago, but cheese plants slowed down somewhat, the University of Texas business research bureau announced today.

On the basis of reports of 32

creameries supplying operations data to the University bureau last month, estimated actual production of butter was 2,881,000 pounds, compared to 2,710,000 pounds in October last year.

Twenty-one cheese plants reported a drop in production, on which the bureau based its estimates of total state production of 1,197,000 pounds, compared to 1,317,000 pounds, last Oct.

Colder weather reduced ice cream production 36.7 per cent from September, but factories still turned out 4.6 per cent more of this delicacy than in October a year ago, total state production being estimated at 675,000 gallons.

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**SERVICES FOR SAM SILVERS ARE HELD HERE WEDNESDAY**

**CLARENDON RESIDENT SINCE 1917 DIES HERE EARLY TUESDAY MORNING**

Funeral services for Sam Silvers, 79, were held at the Church of Christ here this afternoon at 2 o'clock with Claude C. Smith, local minister, officiating. Mr. Silvers, a resident of Donley County for 22 years, had been in ill health for several months. Death came early Tuesday morning. Born in Missouri, July 22,

1860, he was married to Miss Laura Eplen, December 6, 1855, and to this union 16 children were born. He was a member of the Church of Christ for 32 years.

He is survived by his wife, six sons: John, Glen Rose, Willie, Lefors, Raymond, Ft. Worth; Garden, Amarillo, Lloyd, Amarillo and Clarence, Lefors; six daughters, Mrs. Ollie Veasey Friona, Mrs. Lillian Davis, Lefors, Mrs. Maudie Adams, Clarendon, Mrs. Ida King, Oklahoma City, Mrs. Vivian Moore, Amarillo, and Mrs. Gladys Paxton, Pecos; Twelve grand-children and three great-grand children.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Chun of Mt. Belvieu, who have been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Braswell, returned home Monday.

**FUNERAL SERVICES PIONEER LAWYER IN WELLINGTON**

WELLINGTON, Nov. 28.—Funeral services for Judge Robert H. Templeton, 70, 40-year resident of the Panhandle, were held Wednesday afternoon at the First Methodist Church.

Judge Templeton gained renown as a criminal lawyer, newspaper publisher, editor, mayor, county attorney and county judge in Wellington. He also lived at Childress and Santa Rosa, N. M.

He was a native of Tennessee and had been a resident of Collingsworth County since 1904.

Survivors include Mrs. Templeton, four sons, Robert, R. L. and Pat Neff Templeton, and two daughters, Mrs. Joe Minter and Mrs. Lyle Scott.

**DONLEY COTTON CROP IS DOWN 1,522 BALES**

Six thousand three hundred and fifty-five bales of cotton were ginned in Donley County prior to November 14. It was announced today by the Department of Commerce, Washington. The figure is approximately 1,522 bales short for the same period last year when 7,877 bales had been produced by November 14.

Claude McGowan, student at Texas A. & M. College, is to be home for the Thanksgiving holidays.

**DONLEY INCLUDED IN WPA DROUTH RELIEF WORK**

**TEMPORARY EMPLOYMENT TO BE GIVEN TO 8,000 MEN IN TEXAS**

SAN ANTONIO, Nov. 28.—Donley County will be included in Texas' special drouth relief employment quota of 8,000 workers of WPA projects, it was announced by State Work Projects Administrator H. P. Drought.

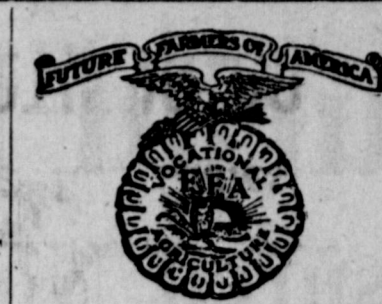
This special group of workers will receive two months of employment. Authorization for the employment is in addition to the normal Texas WPA employment quota, which for the month of November, was 73,100 workers. Assignments will be made from among farmers and other agricultural workers, formerly on the WPA rolls, who are being forced to return to the rolls because of the drouth. Also those from among new cases of drouth stricken farmers, referred to W. P. A. by the Farm Security Administration will be chosen. Those who receive employment in the temporary program must comply with all WPA employment regulations, including the execution of an affidavit of citizenship.

Other nearby counties scheduled for the relief employment are Armstrong, Briscoe, Carson, Castro, Childress, Collinsworth, Dallam, Deaf Smith, Gray, Hall, Hansford, Hartley, Hemphill, Hutchinson, Liscomb, Moore, Ochiltree, Oldham, Palmer, Potter, Randall, Roberts, Sherman, Swisher and Wheeler.

**EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
Sunday, December the third, being not only the first Sunday in the month, but also the first Sunday in Advent, there will be a Celebration of Holy Communion, at the Episcopal Church of St. John the Baptist, at eleven o'clock in the morning.

As the opening of the Advent Season turns our minds to the One who came as a babe in Bethlehem and upon whom the whole structure of the Christian Church rests, the Rev. Edgar Henshaw, Minister to the Church has chosen as the subject for his sermon "The conflict between the Church and the Totalitarian State."

Last Sunday and Monday the Minister of the Episcopal Church in this field visited and conducted services at Childress and Quanah. A splendid interest was manifested in both places and the congregations are increasing. At Quanah plans were made for revival of a branch of the Womans Auxiliary shortly after the first of the year. It is expected that at the inauguration of the Womans Auxiliary there a number of the members of the Auxiliary from Clarendon will make a friendly visit and assist in the installation of officers. The Womans Auxiliary of the Church of St. John the Baptist in Clarendon, which meets each Wednesday afternoon, is one of the strongest in the entire District of North Texas. In the United Thank Offering, which is the Woman's Missionary giving in the Episcopal Church, the Clarendon Auxiliary leads the entire District. All services of the Episcopal Church are open to any who wish to attend and a cordial invitation is extended to all who are not associated or actively affiliated with any Christian body to be present.



The week ending Wednesday, November 29th, was observed as Home Improvement and fire prevention week by each of the members of the F. F. A. chapter. Each member performed some job of home improvement during the week. The majority of the jobs performed by the members was the improvement of the various home conveniences. In addition to the job completed this week, all members will complete one or more jobs on home beautification during the year. Setting out lawns, trees, building rock walks, and flower beds are the most popular types of home conveniences that will be engaged in by the members.

Fire prevention lanes were built by a number of the members; fire hazards were removed and destroyed, and various other phases of fire prevention were carried out during the week. Clearing fence rows was one of the most common types of jobs carried out by the students.

**Parent Night**  
Local F. F. A. members have set the night of December 7th as "parent night" at which time they will entertain their parents at their regular meeting.

The youths will hold a regular meeting in addition to providing entertainment for their parents so that the parents may understand more of the workings and programs of the chapter members. The meeting will be held at the chapter room and will open at 6:30 p. m. Brother Henshaw has been asked to speak to group.

**Chapter Projects**  
Cooperative group projects are being carried on this year by the future farmer members for the purpose of creating better cooperation and to provide a means of raising funds for the local chapter. Two Hampshire pigs were recently purchased by the chapter and have been placed under the supervision of a committee for fitting for the spring show. The pigs will be fed a balanced ration and sold immediately following the spring shows.

In addition to the swine project the chapter members are also caring for three registered Jersey bulls and five registered boars as cooperative projects for

the purpose of improving the quality of livestock in Donley county.

**Community Poultry Work**  
Over 1500 birds have been vaccinated for roup by members of the Clarendon F. F. A. chapter during the past month, and an equal number of young hens have been treated for intestinal worms. The youths have found an unusually large epidemic of roup and colds among poultry in this section and have vaccinated large numbers of poultry for patrons as well as themselves.

In addition to treating the birds for roup and intestinal worms, the youths have culled over 1,000 hens for egg production for their parents and other

**Buck Russell Rites Set For Quitaque**

Funeral services for J. B. Buck Russell, 65, pioneer cattleman, banker, business man and land owner, were conducted here Wednesday afternoon.

Russell died Monday night of a heart attack at his ranch home near Quitaque.

school patrons. Members of the vocational agriculture classes under the direction of their instructor welcome opportunities to do community services of this type when it does not conflict too seriously with their school work.

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MEAL - Corn Dodger - 20 lbs. .... 49c

PRUNES, Italian - gallon ..... 29c

PINEAPPLE, crushed Doles - gallon ..... 65c

SHORTENING, K. B. or Crustine - 8-lb. carton .85c

TOMATOES, No. 2 - 3 for ..... 25c

CATSUP, - gallon can .. 49c

SALMON, Pinks, tall cans - ..... 15c

SALMON, Del Monte Red - can ..... 25c

SARDINES, large oval -each ..... 10c

PECANS, halves, new crop - lb. .... 55c

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CARROTS, large bunches - 3 for ..... 10c

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