

NOVEMBER  
GOOD NEWS  
is a  
PATRIOTIC  
\* Yes, that's  
putting it  
plainly, but it  
is a fact that  
the world is  
sturdier, more  
people within  
that's why it's  
fall, in these  
to make a special  
resolution to get  
well. How about  
better see a good  
And, of course,  
enough of our  
that you will  
here to be  
DURHAM  
PHARMA  
No. 7-30  
VS YOU  
IVE 9  
ST.  
Act Play  
Presented  
Seniors  
to Be Given  
School Auditorium  
of December 11  
Gas," a three-act  
will be presented  
of Memphis High  
day night, December  
school auditorium,  
announced. The play  
7:30 o'clock.  
was explained, com-  
ing, outstanding char-  
acter, and hilarious  
ly the right pro-  
two hours of enter-  
enters around Aunt  
Jo Prater, who  
for her two nieces  
in New York.  
in the mystery cen-  
Aunt Amy's apart-  
ments, Merlino, an Ital-  
ian, played by Vonda  
Kitty Doe, a Broad-  
way girl, played by June  
Paul Van Dorn, a  
played by J. H. Max-  
loom, a demoted of-  
ficer, played by Glen  
Stilwell; and a mystery  
writer, played by  
the play are Miss  
Devin is assisting  
arranging the scenery.  
Named on  
Council  
Wingert, pastor of  
Methodist Church of  
chosen as a mem-  
ber of the project's re-  
creation committee.  
resignation of Rev.  
who is moving to  
was made at the  
meeting of the  
day at noon.  
County Booming as Cotton  
Writers, Former Resident  
wagon. Or he might have  
to carry a hundred pounds  
of a mile to weigh.  
Never have farmers in the  
Memphis area had so much  
to be thankful. Never  
have they had more Thanksgivings  
on which to be thankful.  
And never have they had less  
time to celebrate.  
Farmers are working day  
and night to get in their  
crops before bad weather  
sets in. It's not uncom-  
mon in the least for a  
farmer to work two full  
days and a night without  
sleep. It takes that much  
time for him to haul his  
cotton off.  
Most farmers use crews  
of from 20 to 40 cotton  
pickers. And some use  
as many as 100. One  
farmer who had a crew  
of 40 working for him  
said:  
"My bunch keep me on  
the road at night and day.  
I have to have his sack  
full of cotton and a truck  
and trailer with which I  
can haul from four to  
seven bales to the gin  
every day."  
One farmer who already  
had picked almost 100  
bales of cotton from a  
200-acre patch said he  
was netting about \$50 to  
the bale. He said he  
would get another 80  
bales from the patch.  
Many a year in Hall  
County cotton which pro-  
duced a quarter of a  
bale to the acre was  
considered good. But  
this year there is much  
more to be thankful for.  
Almost every farmer  
who has a bale to the  
acre has good prospects  
of getting 20 cents a  
pound for it.  
If you have never felt  
the bite of a cotton sack  
strap down your shoulder,  
bale-to-the-acre and  
20 cent cotton is about  
60-bushel and dollar  
worth.  
Every gin in the county  
is running at full blast  
day and night.  
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Home Paper  
Voice of  
Red River Valley

# The Memphis Democrat

10 PAGES  
THIS WEEK

Hall County Herald, Established May 3, 1890, Absorbed by Purchase August, 1928.

(NEA SERVICE)

MEMPHIS, HALL COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY AFTERNOON, DECEMBER 4, 1941

FIVE CENTS

NUMBER 25

## Living Room Be Opened

Work Center, NYA living room, will remain open in the capital building on 6th street, it was announced by the NYA.

Living room, which had been closed for several weeks ago for repairs for such a long time, is now open.

## Act Play Presented Seniors

Act play to be given at school auditorium of December 11.

Gas," a three-act play will be presented by the Memphis High school auditorium, announced. The play will be at 7:30 o'clock.

## Named on Council

Wingert, pastor of Methodist Church of Memphis, chosen as a member of the project's recreation committee.

## ROLL CALL DRIVE SHORT OF QUOTA

Memphis Gets Only \$184 While Plaska Doubles Quota; Total Now \$499

Memphis—the city which the 1940 census gave almost 4,000 residents—had contributed \$184.30 and Plaska, which had such few residents the census report did not segregate it and enumerate it, had given \$54 in the annual American Red Cross roll call as the drive for much-needed funds drew to a close last week-end.

Plaska, with Mrs. C. D. Morris as chairman assisted by A. Gidden, was given a quota of 24 members. At the close of the roll call, the community had enlisted 53 members for a total of \$54. Memphis, given a quota of 772 members, had scraped together only 168 members for a total of \$184.30.

A total of \$499.80 had been turned in Wednesday afternoon, with the number of members reaching 469. The quota for Hall County was set at 1,313 members.

Next largest contribution came from Turkey, from where Mrs. (Continued on page 7)

## Memphis Cagers To Open Season At Game Tonight

## Childress Bobcats to Play Here; Cyclone Starters Boast 'Six-Foot' Team

Boasting a starting line-up of five men who average better than six feet in height to the man, the Memphis Cyclone basketball team will open the cage season tonight when the Childress Bobcats invade the local gymnasium.

Two games will be played tonight, Bill Pletcher, cager coach, said this week. The first game will be between the Childress B team and the Memphis B team, and will start at 7 o'clock. The second will be between the first teams of each school, and will start immediately after the B teams finish their game.

Admission charges of 10 cents for students and 25 cents for adults will be made, Pletcher said. Friday night the cagers return to the Childress game when they go to the neighboring city to play. The game tonight will also be the opener for the Bobcats.

## Parity Payments Now Total \$168,255

Three more shipments of parity checks for Hall County farmers brought the total amount received so far to \$168,255.57, passing up the figure originally estimated by about \$8,000.

The total number of checks now here is 2,056, and it is expected that the number will reach 2,100.

## Bargain Days Attract Crowd of Subscribers

LAST SATURDAY not only found one of the biggest shopping crowds thronging the streets of Memphis, but it was also a banner day for new and renewed subscriptions to The Democrat.

Readers came in groups of three and four all during the afternoon to renew their subscriptions, while a number of new subscribers were added to the list. The bargain rate of \$1.50 is good in Hall, Donley, Motley, Childress, Briscoe, and Collingsworth counties, and will be in effect for only a short time. At the end of the bargain rate period, the regular price of \$2 per year will again be in effect.

Outside of this and surrounding counties, the subscription fee is \$2.50 per year. No special rate is being offered.

Publishers pointed out this week that a year's subscription to The Democrat provides an excellent Christmas gift, and urged residents to take advantage of the low price. The paper, if it is desired, will not be started until the Christmas week issue.

## RED CROSS NEEDS MORE WOMEN. KNITTERS TO FINISH WORK ON TIME

Although a large number of individuals and organizations are volunteering their services in the Red Cross sewing and knitting work, still others are needed to finish the work on schedule, it was reported this week by C. L. Hamrick, chairman, and Mrs. Ora Denny, who is assisting Mrs. Hamrick.

## Recreation Meet For Five Cities to Be December 10

The five-district recreation conference, scheduled to be held here yesterday, has been postponed until next Wednesday, December 10, Mrs. Roy Guthrie, local supervisor, said this week.

More than forty representatives from the recreation projects at Memphis, Pampa, Childress, Amarillo, and Borger are expected to be present.

Supervisors of the projects who have signified their intentions of attending the meeting are Jim C. Edwards of Pampa, Mrs. Frank Weddington of Childress, Miss Dorthea Martin of Amarillo, and Homer A. Poole of Borger.

## Legion Meeting To Be Held Here

A rehabilitation meeting of the 18th District American Legion Auxiliary will be held at the Legion Hall in Memphis on the night of December 10 at 7:30 o'clock, according to J. W. Burk, post commander.

## CLAUDE'S Comments

HAPPY BIRTHDAY—  
Roy R. Fultz, Dec. 2.  
H. H. Montgomery, Dec. 2.  
R. T. McElreath, Dec. 2.  
Hubert Jones, Dec. 2.  
Mackie Allen, Dec. 3.  
Mary Jo Lamb, Dec. 5.  
Mrs. Lewis Harper, Newlin, Dec. 5.  
Carl Hayden Wasson, Newlin, Dec. 5.  
CONGRATULATIONS—  
Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hamrick on their 14th wedding anniversary, Dec. 3.  
Just when it looked like the Fairview power mower proposition (Continued on page 6)

## Outline of Farm Program To Be Given in Meetings

## LOCAL HONOR PUPILS NAMED

High School, Junior High, and West Ward Students Announced by Principals

Memphis school students who studied and got their work in time received their reward this week as the honor rolls for the three schools were announced by the principals.

Honor students of high school, Junior High, and West Ward were announced by Principals Noah Cunningham, Jack Jarrell, and Mrs. H. B. Estes, respectively.

The lists for the second six-weeks period are as follows: Seniors: James Baldwin, Bettye Fultz, Roy Johnson, Dwight Kinard, Muffet Merrell, Cassandra Morris, Ouida Orr, Wanda Posey, Adella Jo Pyeatt, Juanelle Sidle, Jane Tarver.

Juniors: Mary Frances Burk, Teddy Austin, Mary Nell Barham, Larry Grundy, Jane Hicks, Dean Morgensen, Betty Jo Mitchell, Mary Helen Padgett, June Rogers, Eugene Robertson, Minnie Lou Rhudy, Letrice Saunders.

Sophomores: Hazel Ayers, Harold Ayers, Laverne Dodson, Frances Gilreath, Sue Lynn Guthrie, Laura Mai Hightower, Jack Hightower, Billie Frances Murdock, Nora Mae McMurry, Betty Jo Randolph, Mary Jean Sanders, Vernadine Sasser, R. C. Taylor, Mary Beth Thornton.

Freshmen: Mary Anderson, Jack Allen, Glen Baker, Doris Compton, Euclair Gilbert, J. W. Goffinet Jr., Joyce Goodpasture, Rayburn Jones, Ruby Neel, Betty Bob Webb.

Pre-Freshmen: Marcelaine Ray Cottle, Betty Lois Craig, Jo Ann Foster, Normadine Kelly, Anita McCoel, June Meredith, Frances Jean Pyeatt, Sue Ann Roberts, Sannie Jo Sargent.

The Junior High School honor roll is as follows: Seventh grade: Ann Norman, Marjorie Don Stone, Gladys Bownds, Robert Clark. Sixth grade: J. D. Jones. Fifth grade: Barbara Edwards, Gloria Howard, Anita Johnson, Bobby Lowery, Faye Patrick, Barbara Brewer, Edith Compton, Lorene Lewis, Roy Alvin Massey, Carl Welch, Diane Meacham, Vivian Taylor, Ernest Williams, Lois Wines.

Fourth grade: Joyce McDaniel, Carmen Phillips, Nancy Jo Reynolds, Roddy Patton, Tommy Ross Ward, Billie Frances Bell, Melvin Blevins, DeRema Byars. (Continued on page 7)

## REA Contract to Be Awarded Soon

Almost definite assurance was given this week that the contract for the 186-mile extension to the lines of the Hall County Electric Co-Op will be let December 15. The information was given by Carl C. Cox, REA engineer of Amarillo, to T. E. Lenoir, co-op supervisor.



WINNER — Miss Juanelle Sidle, who was recently crowned Queen of Memphis High School. Miss Sidle, a Senior, won over candidates from other classes in the contest sponsored by the year book staff.

## Iron, Steel Scrap To Help Eliminate Material Squeeze

## OPM Asks for Collection Useless Machinery Parts To Offset Mill Shutdowns

Any iron and steel scrap collected from Texas farms will help eliminate possible squeezes on manufacture of defense materials, B. F. Vance, chairman, Texas USDA Defense Board, has announced.

Office of Production Management has asked for scrap materials from cities while the Department of Agriculture has been re- (Continued on page 6)

## Two More Youths Off for Training

Two more Hall Countians, H. C. Leard, order No. 415, and Thomas Kenneth Kirkland, S-438, left Monday to enter training under the Selective Service act. They were the first to be sent to Fort Sill, Okla., from here.

Ten men, scheduled to leave here December 7 for Fort Bliss, are Joyce Dot Webster, 168; Joseph Woodrow Murray, 416; Little Glen Bernard, S-459; Johnny Doashes Saunders, 462; L. D. Moore, 507; James Edwin Taylor, 520; Wilburn Wiley Kercheville, 529; Weidon Richard Ross, 592; Glen Duncan, 632; and Allen Carl Richardson, 1374. Richardson is a volunteer.

## COTTON QUOTAS TO BE DISCUSSED

## Food-for-Freedom Plan To Be Explained; Plaska Site of Initial Meeting

A series of eight meetings in Hall County—to explain three phases of the farm program—will begin Friday night at Plaska, County Agent W. B. Hooser said this week.

The meeting will be held in the store at Plaska, and will start at 7 o'clock. Other meetings to be held are as follows:

Brice, December 8, 2 o'clock, at the church; Lakeview, December 8, 7 o'clock, at the grade school building; Lesley, December 9, 7 o'clock, at the church; Memphis, December 10, 7 o'clock, at the courthouse; Parnell, December 11, 2 o'clock, at the church; Estelline, December 11, 7 o'clock, at the high school; Turkey, December 12, 2 o'clock, Gem Theatre.

First purpose of the meetings will be to explain the various changes in the AAA program for 1942, the county agent said. In connection with this, the Food-for-Freedom campaign will be explained, and farmers will be given the outline of the plan.

The third portion of the meetings will be devoted to a discussion. (Continued on page 7)

## AAA Committee To Be Selected Here December 19

## Same Procedure to Be Followed as in Past Years Says State AAA Chairman

The State AAA Committee has set Friday, December 19, as the date for election of community committeemen and delegates to the county convention.

The same procedure will be followed in the committee elections this year as in previous years, George Slaughter, state committee chairman, said. Farmers in each community will elect three committeemen who will serve during the coming year. At the same time, they will elect a delegate and alternate to a county convention. (Continued on page 7)

## Wilson Also One Of Donors of Deer

The half deer which was given to the high school cafeteria by Memphis hunters was given by three Memphians instead of two as the story in last week's issue stated.

Those making the donation were Mack Wilson, M. C. Allen, and C. S. Compton. Wilson was not mentioned as one of the donors in the story which appeared last week.

## Joint Purchase And Ownership Of Farm Equipment Encouraged

With farm machinery becoming more difficult to purchase because of the defense program and in view of increased costs, farmers in Hall County are being encouraged to consider the plan of joint purchase and ownership of equipment that has aided many small operators in this area, Robert C. Land, rural rehabilitation supervisor for the Farm Security Administration, said this week.

This plan, it was said, is in line with a suggestion made recently by Secretary of Agriculture Claude R. Wickard encouraging both the practice of custom work and the joint ownership of farm machinery to insure maximum use and efficiency of operation.

Under the Farm Security Administration's program of assisting farm families, community and cooperative service groups have been established and are oper-

ating successfully. Joint purchase and ownership of expensive machinery makes it possible for small operators to have the use of the labor-saving devices at a cost within the ability of the small farm unit to pay.

Land said it has been estimated that farmers next year would buy, if it were available, 40 per cent more machinery than they purchased in 1940 but that it was probable only 90 per cent of the 1940 amount would be available because of the shortage of metals. "This means farmers will have to get along with 50 per cent less machinery than they figure they'll need to carry out their operations in the Food-for-Freedom program," Land said. "And that means we'll have to buy together and work together to get the maximum use out of what we have," he continued. "By buying and using heavy

equipment in groups, the supply should be sufficient to go around and enable us to meet the increased production goals."

Although farmers in Hall County may not need new machinery until spring, the FSA supervisor said now is the time to plan to purchase.

"We don't know what the future holds for us, but we have every reason to doubt that machinery will be less costly or as plentiful as it is at the present time," he said.

To help small farmers, who cannot get adequate credit elsewhere, the Farm Security Administration of the United States Department of Agriculture, makes loans for necessary farm equipment and supplies. These loans are made only when farm and home plans show the equipment is needed and that the farm income will be sufficient. (Continued on page 7)

## Oldies, Have You Written Your Letter to Santa Claus Yet?

PARTIES, DINNERS  
PERSONAL MENTION  
—CALL 15

# Society News

## Special Program Given by Council of Christian Church

Observing "Woman's Day," the Woman's Council of the First Christian Church had charge of a special program given at the church Sunday evening.

A song, "This Is My Father's World," opened the program followed by a prayer led by Mrs. J. A. Whaley. The scripture, Isaiah 35:8-10, 32:2, 12:2-5, was read by Mrs. T. B. Rogers, followed by the Christmas devotional presided over by Mrs. A. G. Kesteron. The devotional opened with "Silent Night, Holy Night" and during this period Mrs. Jack Jarrell lighted a candle in honor of the Christ-Child, placing a wreath over it as a symbol of the world which has been lighted by His spirit.

Nora Mae McMurry and Sue Ann Roberts sang "O Little Town of Bethlehem" followed by a prayer and a song, "O Master Let Me Walk With Thee," sung by the entire Woman's Council.

Mrs. J. A. Odum gave a talk on "Emergency Millions," after which Rev. Findley spoke to the group on the part women have had in helping to evangelize the world. A missionary offering was taken prior to the closing song, "Take My Life and Let It Be," and the missionary benediction.

## Carmen Duren of Lakeview Gives Dinner for Friends

Carmen Duren of Lakeview entertained a number of friends at her home Thursday evening of last week with a Thanksgiving dinner.

Guests were Jo Ann Daughtry of Roscoe, a roommate of Miss Duren at Texas Tech; H. J. Johnson of Pampa, Frankie Masters, T. J. Spry, Madelle Johnson of Pampa.

Joe Crump, Vern Duren, Charles Hogan, Doris Wheeler of Window, Ila Tremble of White Flat, Mrs. Edward Demeritt of Joplin, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Godfrey, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Duren, Adrian McDaniell, and the hostess.

## Miss Wilma Lee Watson Is Married to Glenn Allred

Plaska Needle Club Meets in Home of Mrs. McWhorter

The Plaska Needle Club met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. T. I. McWhorter, with Mrs. Olas Murdock as program leader.

Quilt piecing and embroidery work was done during the afternoon.

Present were Mesdames L. A. Bray, Jerry Foster, T. I. McWhorter, Olas Murdock, W. L. Nabers, Eula Bell Hall, T. J. Spry, C. C. Cunningham, and W. L. Crawford.

Last week the group met with Mrs. W. L. Nabers. Present were Mrs. Bray, Nadine Hall, Mrs. C. W. Jones, Mrs. McWhorter, Mrs. Nabers, Mrs. Eula Bell Hall, Mrs. Spry, Mrs. Cunningham, and Mrs. Crawford.

## Epworth League Meeting Is Held At Hedley Church

A sub-district Epworth League meeting was held in Hedley Tuesday night, with representatives present from the Methodist churches at Quail, Clarendon, Wellington, Lakeview, Memphis, and Hedley.

The program was in the form of a panel discussion on the subject, "How Should a Christian Celebrate Christmas." Rev. Quatebaum of Clarendon led the discussion, and four Clarendon youths expressed their views on the subject.

The business meeting was presided over by Eva Mae Holcomb in the absence of the president, Dorothea Dewlen. The resignation of the secretary, Thelma Grace Wheeler of Plaska, was accepted, and Nell Cunningham of Lakeview was named to fill the vacancy.

The district rally meeting will be held in January, but the site has not been chosen.

Attending from Memphis were Elwanda Jones, Martha Burk, Dorothy Nell Evans, Jessie Lee Burk, Eva Mae Holcomb, Ella Mae Kercheville, Don Tyler, Bill Brownling, and William Lavender.

## Mrs. Lynch Gives Review of Novel Before Local Club

Reviewing the current popular novel, "The Sun Is My Undoing," which critics have said is a combination of "Anthony Adverse" and "Gone With the Wind," Mrs. Howard Lynch of Amarillo spoke before members of the Current Book Review Club Tuesday afternoon of last week in the home of Mrs. Allie D. Weaver.

Hostesses were Mrs. Weaver, Mrs. C. C. Meacham, and Mrs. L. B. Madden.

After the program, a brief business meeting was held and the following officers were elected to serve during the coming year: President, Mrs. D. J. Morgensen; first vice, Mrs. Winfred Wilson; second vice, Mrs. John Deaver; secretary, Mrs. H. B. Gilmore; treasurer, Mrs. C. C. Meacham; and reporter, Miss Frankie Barnes.

Members present were Mesdames W. C. Davis, John Deaver, Tom Draper, Roy Fultz, Frank Garrett, H. B. Gilmore, O. R. Goodall, Louis Goffinet, H. T. Gregory, Jack Jarrell, D. J. Morgensen, J. H. Norman, James Norman, J. A. Odum, S. B. Palmeyer, T. B. Rogers, Clarence Stroehle, and Misses Maizie Perkins and Frankie Barnes, and the hostesses.

Guests present were Mesdames L. S. Edmondson, Lee Rushing, J. C. Turner, Otho Fitzjarrald, Park Chamberlain, A. W. Howard, and Misses Bobbie Nell Boren and Eddie Mae Scott.

## Shower Given at M. C. Allen Home for Mrs. Reed Evans

Feting Mrs. Reed Evans, who before her recent marriage was Miss Lowena Moore, a miscellaneous bridal shower was given Monday evening of last week in the home of Mrs. M. C. Allen on Bradford street.

Hostesses for the social affair were Mesdames Allen, Walter White, W. D. Orr, T. A. Everett, Fenton McMurry, Gene Hargrove, J. W. Goffinet, Ollie Foxhall, Geo. C. Dickson, and Miss Opal Widener, and Miss Lura Black.

Greeted at the door by Miss Lura Black, the guests registered in a unique hand-made bride's book, presided over by Mrs. T. A. Everett. Orchid and gold chrysanthemums dominated the floral arrangements in the house decorations. The dining room table was centered with a fruit filled antique bowl, flanked on either side with candles in candle-labra.

Preceding the presentation of the gifts the following program was presented: A reading, "He Thought and She Thought" by Margaret Ann Massey; "At Dawn" and "Yours" sung by Miss Gladys Schantz and Mrs. Buren Carr; and Mrs. Myrtle Howard closed the program with a poem, written especially for the occasion by Mrs. R. S. Greene, depicting the courtship of the couple.

The honoree, gowned in a cherry colored wool jersey dress, was assisted in opening the shower gifts by her mother, Mrs. H. K. Moore.

Pumpkin pie with whipped cream and coffee was served to the following guests: Mesdames Loyd Widener, Sam Brown, Loree Drake, Fannie Lee Roberts, J. M. Austin, H. B. Bennett, E. S. Foust, J. M. Ferrel, Eulalia Prier, Fernan McKinney, Roscoe Elierd, Thurman Elierd, Buren Carr, Millard Brown, Gilbert Young, R. D. Harrison, L. R. Lovelady.

Mesdames Howard Yarborough, T. R. Garrett, Standlee Roberts, T. M. Harrison, Bertha Patrick, R. Ernest Clark, J. C. Wells, R. L. Madden, W. Wilson, Robert Devlin, W. C. Smith, Mary Bownds, Clifton Burnett, Myrtle Howard, Oscar Moore, and Harvey Moore.

## Thanksgiving Reunion Is Held In McCreary Home

Autumn decorations and flowers added a festive touch to the Thanksgiving reunion the home of Mr. and Mrs. McCreary last Thursday noon.

Various games and a time singing, as well as throughout the day and were enjoyed. Pictures of family were taken during the noon.

A Thanksgiving dinner served to Mr. and Mrs. McCreary and Mrs. Jack McCreary, Mr. and Mrs. Willie McCreary, Mrs. Leon C. Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. Stephenson and Mrs. Stephenson of Valley View.

Mr. and Mrs. Raycock and children, Gary of Childress; and Mrs. W. A. Simmons, Mrs. Ad Creary, Mr. and Mrs. Dickson, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Foxhall, and sons Edd McCreary and Fieta and Charles.

Baptist S. S. Class Is Given Dinner Kilpatrick Home

The Estharian Class of Baptist Church was entertained with a dinner Sunday at the home of Avis Kilpatrick.

The dinner consisted of chicken and dressing, gibbing string beans, cranberry vegetable salad, celery, pie and whipped cream, and coffee.

Immediately after the nominating committee and elected the officers for the coming year.

Those attending the were Daphne Hillhouse Harrell, Maggie Hense Smith, Billie Mae Cypert Cassel, Louella Hall, Mary Lee Mabry, Mrs. W. C. Anderson, and the hostess, Avis, mother, Mrs. Kilpatrick.

## Locals and Personals

Miss Eva Mae Holcomb visited last week-end in Lubbock with Miss Mahota Gephart.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dunham of Okemah, Okla., visited last week with her mother, Mrs. Wm. Gerlach.

Miss Carrie Belle Lee visited in Abilene with her brother during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Miss Joyce Sheats visited during the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents in Childress.

# DECEMBER SALE

## Ladies' Fall and Winter Dresses, Costume Suits, and Coats

In keeping with our usual custom, we are going to clear all our racks of Fall and Winter Ready-to-Wear garments to make room for new Spring garments which are arriving daily. In order to do this we are making the following price reductions, and would suggest early buying in order to get best selections. This is a good opportunity to buy your Christmas presents at a greatly reduced price.



### LADIES' WINTER COATS

- \$11.45 Values at ..... \$8.98
- \$14.75 Values at ..... \$10.45
- \$17.50 Values at ..... \$12.95
- \$19.75 Values at ..... \$14.95
- \$22.75 Values at ..... \$16.45
- \$26.75 Values at ..... \$19.98
- \$29.75 Values at ..... \$22.45
- \$36.75 Values at ..... \$24.95

### CHILDREN'S COATS

- \$4.95 Values at ..... \$3.98
- \$5.98 Values at ..... \$4.79
- \$6.50 Values at ..... \$4.98
- \$7.48 Values at ..... \$5.98
- \$7.98 Values at ..... \$6.48
- \$9.85 Values at ..... \$6.98
- \$11.45 Values at ..... \$8.48

### LADIES' FALL — WINTER HATS

- \$1.98 Values at ..... \$1.48
- \$2.98 Values at ..... \$1.98
- \$5.00 Values at ..... \$2.98

### LADIES' DRESSES

- Seven well known makes from which to make your selection.
- \$22.75 Garments at ..... \$16.45
  - \$19.75 Garments at ..... \$14.95
  - \$17.50 Garments at ..... \$12.95
  - \$14.75 Garments at ..... \$10.45
  - \$11.45 Garments at ..... \$8.95
  - \$7.98 and \$8.50 Garments at ..... \$5.98
  - \$5.98 and \$6.50 Garments at ..... \$4.98
  - \$4.98 Garments at ..... \$3.45
  - \$3.98 Garments at ..... \$2.98

### LADIES' COSTUME SUITS

- Many of these will do for early Spring wear.
- \$49.75 Garments at ..... \$33.98
  - \$46.75 Garments at ..... \$29.48
  - \$39.75 Garments at ..... \$27.98
  - \$36.75 Garments at ..... \$26.95
  - \$29.75 Garments at ..... \$22.45
- Similar reductions on cheaper grades



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IF YOU GOT THE XMAS TREE BUT HE FORGOT THE GIFTS... Pity the poor fellow with a dressed-up Christmas tree, but no gifts... THE MEMPHIS DEMOCRAT Your Home Paper

PERSONALS Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Dial of Mangum and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Pitcock of Childress visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dial's daughter and Mrs. Pitcock's sister, Mrs. Bennie Jackson and family.

PERSONALS Mr. and Mrs. Claude Prather and daughter, Marie and Beverly, visited Sunday in Amarillo with their daughter, Mrs. Marvin Crone.

PERSONALS Mrs. W. R. Prather of Friona visited last week in the home of her son, Claude Prather and family. She left Friday for Hollis to visit with her sister, Mrs. C. T. Mott.

PERSONALS Mr. and Mrs. John Betty and daughter Barbara of Dallas visited last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gilpin.

PERSONALS Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Greenhouse and Mrs. C. W. Wines were Amarillo visitors Thursday.

BRICE (By Correspondent) Both Sunday Schools were well attended Sunday at Brice, Rev. Lafe Smallwood's congregation at the Baptist Church was large both morning and evening.

BRICE Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Pittman had Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smallwood of Amarillo, and Rev. and Mrs. Lafe Smallwood as their guests Sunday.

BRICE Mrs. Henry Ellis and children returned to their home in Pampa Sunday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Guthrie.

BRICE Mr. and Mrs. Lester Grimes and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ayers attended the Phillips-Herford football game in Hereford last Thursday.

BRICE Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Johnson and children, Buddie Lee and Sara Lou, spent several days last week in Iowa Park with Mrs. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Jernigan.

GILES (By MRS. J. A. LEMMON) School re-opened at Giles Monday after having been dismissed three weeks for cotton picking.

GILES Mrs. Charles Levi spent the week-end here as the guest of her mother, Mrs. L. B. Stotts.

GILES Mrs. Leo Fields and daughter Lynda Lee and Mrs. J. J. Simons visited Sunday and Monday in Amarillo with Mrs. Simons' brother, Cecil Purdon.

GILES Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Swift and Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Huggins visited relatives in Brownfield Thursday.

GILES Mr. and Mrs. Orville Goodpasture attended the Vernon-Childress football game in Vernon Thursday.

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### Amarillo News Editorial Says Cotton King Once More in Hall County Area

Hall County really got a boost in the Amarillo News last week. Not only did the long story concerning Hall County appear in Thursday's issue, but an editorial commented on "King Cotton" in the Wednesday edition. The story was written by Jack Sitton, a former Memphian, but the author of the editorial was not named.

The editorial is as follows: "Way down South in the land of cotton" is in the Panhandle, the so-called Green Belt. And this year it is truly a land of cotton.

Wars and emergencies notwithstanding, the folks in the Green Belt are jubilant. They have a crop worth crowing about for the first time in a decade.

Take Hall County. Once, back in the twenties, Hall was the No. 1 cotton county in Texas. Then came the depression with its five cent cotton and no government loan, followed by a series of poor crop years.

But today there is no question about it. Cotton is king in Hall County. Thousands of pickers are dragging their "mile-long" sacks down the rows. The gin yards are packed with trucks and trailers six deep, waiting their turn. Improved gin and compress equipment cleans the staple, gins it, and ties out the bales in record time. Most of it is "going in the loan."

War may ravage Europe and priorities may pinch at home, but way down South in the Panhandle's land of cotton nobody's mad at anybody.

Homing pigeon lofts are being established at all new Navy lighter-than-air stations.

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### ESTELLINE

By MRS. FRED BERRY

Miss Gwen Richberg of Oklahoma City spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Richberg.

Visiting in the O. K. Young home Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Swain Young and son of Childress, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Berry and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Whaley and son spent the week-end in El Reno, Okla.

Guests in the John Ewen home Thanksgiving were his three sons, Bob, Gene, and Buck Ewen of Texas Tech, Mrs. Jake McCulloch of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hamilton of Memphis, and Mrs. Olive McLean of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Cleo Fern Gard of Childress spent Thursday in Estelline.

A. J. Berry of Memphis was in Estelline Thursday.

Arthur Crites and Alex Vaughn of Granbury are visiting in the L. H. Price home.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Jones of Blythe, Calif., left for their home this week after a two-weeks visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mothershed and Mrs. Ruth Richardson spent Thursday in Paducah.

Mrs. Tom Copeland of Jacksboro and daughter, Mrs. Jack Raines of Dallas, spent Thursday in Estelline with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Crump and daughter Jackline of Brownfield spent Thanksgiving in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Darby.

Mrs. Oscar Tucker returned home Thursday from Temple after a two-weeks visit with her son, Bill Tucker and his wife.

Rev. and Mrs. Bowers and daughter Virginia of Wilson, Okla., spent the week-end here with their daughters, Mrs. Burl Bell and Mrs. W. B. Davidson.

Miss Melba Faye Price of Texas Tech and her sister, Mrs. Durward Moorhead of Brownfield, spent the week-end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Price.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wilkinson, Mrs. Daisy Kennedy, and Mrs. Ed Kennedy and son, Dwane, spent Thanksgiving with their son and brother, Paul Kennedy and family, at Skellytown.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Johnston and sons spent Thanksgiving in Ralls with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Eddins.

Noel McClendon of Clarendon visited his mother, Mrs. L. McClendon, over the Thanksgiving holidays.

J. W. Coppage, coach at Grandfalls, spent the week-end here with his mother, Mrs. Bess Coppage.

Winfred and Jerrell Rapp of Texas A. and M. spent the Thanksgiving holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Rapp.

Echois and A. Carr, Rabb Holland, Jake Morrison, and Dow Curtis visited H. M. Faulkner Friday. Faulkner is seriously ill in a Quannah hospital.

Jo Cooper left for Amarillo this week to accept a job there.

Mrs. Greer of Wichita Falls, who has been visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. A. Williams, left for Shamrock Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McCollum and family of Levelland visited in the home of parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McCollum, over the week-end.

Billie Jean Davis of Denton visited her mother over the week-end.

The oil industry buys each year directly from agriculture lard oil, stearine made from cattle and horses, castor-oil from the castor plant, neatsfoot oil from horns and hooves, milk, fibreboard, hair-felt, leather, cotton fabrics, wood products and many other supplies.

During August egg production in the United States reached a record high of 12.25 eggs per laying hen.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Curry and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Grimes were Childress visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Braselton and son Shirley visited relatives last Thursday in Roaring Springs.

Miss Tops Gilreath and Miss Roselyn Williams attended the A. and M.-Texas football game in College Station Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pritchett were Amarillo visitors Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Estes visited last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Walker in Canyon.

Joyce and Allan Ray Webster, students in Tech at Lubbock, visited during the Thanksgiving holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dot Webster.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Dunbar, Ed Foxhall, and Jess Rosenwasser were Amarillo visitors last Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cudd and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Combest attended the A. and M.-Texas football game in College Station last Thursday.

E. H. Chrysler, Bailey Gilmore Jr., and Don Tyler attended the Turkey-Follett football game in Turkey last Thursday.

George Carter, student in Texas Tech in Lubbock, visited last week-end with his mother, Mrs. Bertha Carter.

Mrs. L. D. Sanders and daughter Mary Jean, June Edmondson, and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hancock and baby attended the Turkey-Follett football game in Turkey last Thursday.

Mrs. Bera Johnson and son Charles left Wednesday for their home in San Jose, Calif., after a visit with her father, E. C. Crabb.

Jack Drake, student in Texas Tech in Lubbock, visited last week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Drake.

Billy Hood, Hiram Wood, J. O. Gibson, and Orle Baker were Childress and Vernon visitors last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Gilmore and son Jerry, and Mrs. Gene Lindsey visited Thursday with Mr. Gilmore's parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. Gilmore, in Turkey.

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### Governor Urges Highway Safety In Proclamation

Urging a more intensified campaign to reduce the traffic death rate in Texas, Governor Coke R. Stevenson this week issued a proclamation calling upon all citizens and agencies to work together in cutting the number of deaths.

The proclamation is as follows: "The State of Texas, like the nation, is confronted with a rapidly rising traffic accident toll. At the present rate, the total number of deaths from automobile accidents this year will exceed 2,000. Some 60,000 persons will have suffered from non-fatal injuries.

It is of small consolation that the increased death toll parallels a like increase in mileage traveled, a factor attributed to the defense program. The fact remains that the state and nation can ill afford this appalling waste of human and material resources thru traffic accidents, particularly in this period of unlimited national emergency.

These unusual times require unusual safety efforts.

Now, therefore, I, Coke Stevenson, governor of the State of Texas, do hereby urge a concerted and intensified campaign against traffic accidents during the month of December when it is predicted 195 persons will be killed in traffic. To this end I hereby call upon the Texas Safety Association to coordinate civic effort with the official safety work of the State Department of Public Safety, the State Highway Department, and the State Department of Education. I further urge every citizen, in public or private capacity, to enlist in this campaign and to do his part to make our streets and highways safe.

With importation of many drugs cut off, demand for dandelion roots by drug manufacturers in this country is growing, according to the United States Department of Agriculture.

### Dairy Equipment Given Preference Rating by Officials

Word that priorities officials in Washington have granted a preference rating to manufacturers of dairy equipment has been received by E. R. Eudaly, dairy specialist of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service.

The rating applies to such hot-dip tinned and tin-plate products as milk cans, pails, strainers, and cream cans.

Steel is so necessary to defense needs that civilian use of the metal is being sharply restricted. The priorities officials, however, apparently realize the importance of milk in the Food-for-Freedom campaign.

Only enough steel will be allocated to produce the 1,340,000 milk cans needed for normal replacements plus a 6.8 per cent increase to handle the additional eight million pounds of milk called for in the U. S. Department of Agriculture's national production goals for 1942.

"I don't usually like to holler 'buy,'" Eudaly commented, "but this is one time the defense agencies want farmers to figure out their needs and to buy or order as soon as possible. Seems that will help manufacturers to estimate their steel needs."

Manufacturers will be required

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The complete list of blue stamp foods for the period December 1 through December 31 in all stamp program areas is as follows: Butter, all cuts of pork (except that cooked or packed in metal or glass containers), fresh grapefruit, pears, apples, oranges, and fresh vegetables (including potatoes), corn meal, shell eggs, raisins, dried prunes, hominy (corn) grits, dry edible beans, wheat flour, enriched by heat flour, self-rising flour, enriched self-rising flour, and whole wheat (graham) flour.

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**Memphis Cagers—**

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White, Harold Ayers, Glen Stilwell, B. F. Jackson, Charles Maxwell, Jerry Doss, Larry Grundy, Robert Billington, George Sargent, Lewis Browning, Millard Brown, Melvin Vick, William Clark, and Winfred Miller.

Under the new Interscholastic League rules, the Panhandle district will be divided into two parts, with Hall County in the southern half. Each team will meet each of the other teams twice during the season, and the team with the best round-robin average will meet the winner of the northern half of the district.

Schedule for the Memphis cagers is as follows (conference games are denoted by "c"):

December 9, open; December 12-13, entry in Perryton tournament; December 16, open; December 18, McLean there (c); January 2-3, entry in Childress tournament.

January 6, Shamrock here (c); January 9, Wellington there (c); January 13, Wheeler there (c); January 20, Lakeview here (c); January 23, McLean here (c); January 27, Shamrock there (c); January 30-31, entry in Canadian

**Future Readers of The Democrat**



Mr. and Mrs. Gus Rasco of Fort Worth announce the birth of a son November 25. He has been named J. Lynn. He is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Rasco of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sutton of Gilpin are the parents of a daughter, Claudie Clayton, born November 29 in a Memphis hospital. She weighed 7 pounds and 1 ounce, and is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Cheves of Newlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Lee Baldwin are the parents of a boy born November 28. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Mitchell are the parents of a girl born November 26.

**Buster Scott of Arkansas, Big Feet And All, to Be in Memphis Saturday**



Those big feet you see in the picture above are not merely made big by trick photography, but are the real thing. They belong to Buster Scott, a 28-year-old native Arkansan, who will be in Memphis Friday night and Saturday on the square.

Scott, normal in every other respect, has feet which measure 16 inches in length and eight inches across. His middle toe is 5 1/2 inches in diameter.

Since he was ten years old, Scott has had to have specially made shoes. His big toes are approximately normal and well down on the side of his feet, while his other toes are huge. His little toes are about three times the size of his big toe.

When he is exhibited here, he will remove his shoes, his manager, A. C. Emerton, said. Scott will dance and will otherwise show his ability to use his huge feet.

**Comments—**

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tion had gone with the wind and I was debating whether to even try to resurrect the campaign, two people came to bring hope and cheer: Mrs. L. A. Stilwell with one dollar and Mrs. W. L. Nabers with a dollar paid by Mrs. C. C. Cunningham. This raises the total to \$57.75. Hurry up folks and get the needed amount to get the power mower in time to use when next year's crop of grass and weeds starts growing.

A publication in Dallas with wide circulation has asked permission to publish one of the poems written by the Democrat Staff Poet, having heard it over KGNC a few Sundays ago.

**By The Democrat Staff Poet**  
I never will forget my Granddaddy—a man that was doubly tough—full of confidence, especially if full of corn. Just to show how much confidence he had in himself—one time Grandma told him to go out and get a couple of squirrels and a rabbit for supper. All he said was, "Hand me two bullets and a rock, and stir up the fire."

**GRANDPOP**  
Grandpop fed his family with animals he shot on the run, and he never had to shoot twice, for he was expert with a gun. He always got the closest eye, on the run or on the fly; whenever that old rifle cracked something just had to die. He chawed tobacco and drank his corn; a HE—and that's a fact. He drank it straight from the jug and none of it ever bounced back.

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**For Rent**

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, 902 Robertson Street. 1p

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FOR RENT—Furnished bedroom, with meals if desired. 321 North 16th street. Mrs. M. P. Plummer. 23-2p

FOR RENT—3-room apartment, separate bath; close in. 202 No. 7th Street. tf-dh

**For Sale**

FOR SALE—Winter malt barley matures early. Write or see Buster Graves, Rt. 2, Memphis. 25-3p

FOR SALE—Kerosene cook stove and piano. See Robert Bevers at "M" System. 24-3p

**Lost and Found**

LOST—One cow; brindle with white markings, long horns. See F. E. Monzingo. Reward. 1c

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Strayed from E. P. Thompson pasture 3 miles north of Giles, brindle bull, weight about 250 pounds with "E" brand on left hip. Inquire at Thompson Bros. Hardware. 23-1c

**Wanted**

WANTED—Well drilling. Two rigs, rotary and spudder, both built for fast drilling. Hole size, 3 to 18 inches. For prices see me at Cicero-Smith Lumber Co., or write E. M. Crenshaw, Hollis, Okla. 21 years in the drilling business. 25-6p

WANTED—Housekeeper, white woman between 35 and 50 years old. Inquire at Democrat. 24-3p

I HAVE wagons and teams and will gather feed by the acre or on shares; or will sell wagons and teams. W. H. Moreman, west of skating rink southwest of town. 1p

WANTED—100,000 Rats to kill with Ray's Rat Killer; sells for 15c, 35c, and 50c; harmless to anything but rats and mice. Guaranteed at Tarver's Pharmacy, Memphis. 25-4p

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**Iron, Steel Scrap—**

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requested to increase the flow from farms to offset threatened shutdowns of some mills. Vance pointed out.

**Recreation Meet—**

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will be devoted to project demonstrations and discussions of new ideas, will be an address during the morning session by Miss Martin, who has recently returned from a state recreation meeting. The day's program will open at 9 o'clock in the morning, when

greetings will be given, a singing held, and announcements made. Immediately following that, Miss Martin will speak to the group.

From 10:30 to 12 o'clock, sports and athletics will be discussed and demonstrations given by representatives of the five cities.

From 12 to 1:15, the arts and crafts portion of the program, excluding marionettes, will be given. Lunch will be served from 1:15 to 2 o'clock. Marionettes will be displayed from 2 to 3 o'clock, and from 3 to 5, folk games and dancing will be presented. The Children's unit will present "Peter Pan Schottische," "Mexican Schottische," and "Pop Goes the Weasel," and the Amarillo group will feature square dancing.

**WEEK-END SPECIALS**

- COFFEE, White Swan, 1 lb. 31c; 3 lbs. 91c
- SANKA, Drip or Regular grind, pound 37c
- SUGAR, Pure Cane, 10 lbs. 63c; 25 lbs. \$1.58
- SPRY, 3-lb. pail 66c, 6 lbs. \$1.31
- MEAL, Aunt Jamima, 5 lbs. 22c; 10 lbs. 37c
- BAKING POWDER, 25-oz KC 19c
- SOAP, P&G or Crystal White, 6 giant bars 27c
- SOAP, Lux or Lifeboub, 3 bars 19c
- LUX FLAKES, 25c boxes, 2 for 39c
- WHITE KING, large box 32c
- SANIFLUSH, large can 19c
- MILK, All kinds, 6 cans 27c
- CRACKERS, 2-lb. box Saltine Flakes 29c
- ENGLISH WALNUTS, new crop, pound 23c
- SHELLED PECANS, new crop, 1/2 lb. 25c; 1 lb. 48c
- COCONUT, Bakers, long shred, 1/2 lb. 13c; 1 lb. 23c
- MINCE MEAT, all kinds, 2 boxes 17c
- DATES, bulk, 1/2 lb. 11c; 1 lb. 19c
- KRAFT DINNER, regular size, package 9c
- CANDY, full pound box chocolate cherries 19c
- TOMATO JUICE, Campbell's, 2 cans 15c
- PINEAPPLE or APRICOT JUICE, 3 cans 27c
- TUNA FISH, Gold Bar, can 18c
- GREEN BEANS, White Swan, whole, can 15c
- BLACKEYED PEAS, Pecan Valley, 2 cans 19c
- ENGLISH PEAS, Mission, 2 No. 2 cans 25c
- CORN, Primrose or Our Darling, 2 cans 25c
- KRAUT, Empsen's, fancy, 2 cans 15c
- TAMALES, Gebhardt's, 2 cans 25c
- FRUIT COCKTAIL, Heart's Delight, 2 cans 27c
- PINEAPPLE, sliced or crushed, 3 cans 27c
- PEACHES, large cans, Heart's Delight 19c
- SPUDS, No. 1 Reds, 15-lb. peck 37c
- SWEET POTATOES, 5 lbs. 12c; peck 25c
- COOKING APPLES, Fancy Roman Beauty, peck 33c
- LEMONS, nice size, dozen 17c
- GRAPEFRUIT, large Texas seedless, 6 for 15c
- LETTUCE, nice heads, each 5c
- CELERY, large stalks 13c
- CRANBERRIES, new crop, quart 19c
- SQUASH, white or yellow, New Texas, pound 8c
- GREEN BEANS, fancy Kentucky Wonders, 2 lbs. 23c
- BACON, 1-pound layers, sliced, Rex, lb. 29c
- PORK CHOPS, nice and lean, pound 25c
- SAUSAGE, Brookfield Links, pound 34c

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- PURE LARD 8 Pounds \$1.05
- Bring your pair
- FRESHEST VEGETABLES IN TO
- Lettuce, 2 firm heads
- Persimmons, 3 for
- Green Beans, fr. lb.
- Grapefruit, 6 for
- Grapes, 2 lbs.
- Oranges, 2 dozen
- Lemons, dozen
- Tomatoes, No. 2 can
- Corn, Del Monte, 2
- Fruit Cocktail, 2 can
- Fruit Cake Ingredients in the bulk!
- Light Crust Cake Flour, package
- Shortening, 3-lb. can
- Mince Meat, 2 pkgs.
- White Swan Vegetable or Tomato Soup, per can
- P & G or Crystal White Soap, 5 large bars
- White Fur Tissue, 4 rolls
- Cane Sugar, 10 lbs.
- Wilson's Block Chili, pound
- Bacon, in the slab, lb.
- Pork Steak, pound
- T-Bone Steak, pound
- Bacon, Star sliced, lb
- Oleo, per pound
- Bacon, No. 1 D. S., lb

**P AND FOOD STORE**

- CORN, No. 2 cans, 3 for
- CHERRIES Assorted JAM
- Chocolate Covered, 1-lb. 4 Pounds
- 19¢ 49¢
- SOUP, Campbell's Tomato
- PINEAPPLE, Del Monte, No. 2
- SUPER SUDS, giant size
- GREEN BEANS, 3 cans
- SYRUP Penick, 1/2 Gallon 27¢
- CRACKERS 2-Pound Box 16¢
- PEACHES, 15c size
- BRAN FLAKES, package
- SALAD DRESSING MORTON'S, 8-OUNCE 10¢

**QUALITY BEEF**

- ROAST Rib or Brisket, Pound 15¢
- ROAST Chuck, Pound 19¢
- BARTLETT PEARS Packed in Heavy Syrup, No. 1 tall 13¢
- BLUE STAMP ITEMS
- PORK STEAK PER POUND 23¢
- Pork Sausage Sacked, Pound 23¢

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 BLES IN TO

**County—**  
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 The cotton piles up in  
 houses and on the gin  
 in the giddy 20's Hall  
 the biggest cotton-  
 county in the biggest  
 state in the nation—  
 four thousand bales  
 that year. The old-  
 never forgotten it  
 year they are taking  
 70,000 bales again.  
 boom already has  
 at fever pitch. Land  
 One man bought a  
 farm and will pay every  
 off this year. Others  
 off the dusty, dogeared  
 And others are pay-  
 machinery bought in  
 years.  
 of the jalopies which  
 along the dusty Hall  
 in the lean years  
 replaced with sleek,  
 or new automobiles.  
 farmer who bought a  
 explained it: "I had  
 way of hauling my  
 quicker. I couldn't get  
 and sell it quick enough  
 picking."  
 The picking is no small  
 pulling pays six-bits  
 And a family of four  
 more than \$100 a week.  
 50, then, would draw  
 fancy lettuce.  
 One of the family of 18 is  
 a little girl three years old. When  
 the family went to town on Sat-  
 urday night after the first week  
 of picking, the little girl came  
 home with a doll clutched to her  
 breast.  
 When cotton is good and the  
 price is right, all business in the  
 county booms. "It's like old  
 times," said R. S. Greene, who  
 owns the Greene Dry Goods Com-  
 pany in Memphis. "Everybody  
 has money and everybody is  
 spending. We've waited 15 years  
 but we've finally hit the jackpot  
 again."  
 Many new business houses have  
 been started in Memphis. Walk  
 around the ever-crowded square  
 and count the new businesses.  
 There are new cafes, new gro-  
 cery stores, picture galleries.  
 Everybody is doing a big busi-  
 ness. The crowds are so thick  
 every night and on Saturdays and  
 Sundays you can't stir them with  
 a stick. It's like trying to find  
 a parking place in Big Dallas.  
 Everybody's lippy. Every-  
 body's making money.  
 Cotton is king!  
 Oats, barley, wheat, or rye  
 grass pasture is so high in pro-  
 tein that very little protein feed  
 is needed in the grain mixture  
 for dairy cows.

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 yourself a teaspoon of  
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 your tongue a moment  
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 Crystal White, 2 cans ..... 25c  
 TARD, full quart ..... 10c  
 PE JAM, White Swan, 4-lb. jar 55c  
 CK WAGON BEANS, 3 cans ..... 25c  
 ARONI, 2-pound box ..... 17c  
 N FLAKES, Ernst, made with  
 honey, 3 for ..... 25c  
 KIES, fancy bulk, per pound ..... 22c  
 OANUT, bulk, per pound ..... 23c  
 PEFRUIT JUICE, 46-oz. can 19c  
 ARAGUS TIPS, all green,  
 inslow, per can ..... 19c  
 EN CUT BEANS, Pecan Valley,  
 er can ..... 11c  
 ATO JUICE, Campbell's, 3 ..... 25c  
 T-FINE or KRE-MEL, package 6c  
 packages for ..... 11c  
 RACT, Imitation Vanilla,  
 oz. ..... 14c; 16-oz. ..... 25c  
 SAUCE, Franks or Louisiana ..... 9c  
 OA, Mother's, 2-lb. box ..... 23c  
 TE FUR TISSUE, 4-roll pkg. .... 23c

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 ed to fit your budget.

**Former Resident Dies in Tennessee**  
 Mrs. Verner Phillips was notified Sunday that her brother, Clyde Beech, died at Fayetteville, Tenn., Sunday night, November 30, from injuries received Saturday night, November 22.  
 Funeral services for Mr. Beech were held at the Baptist Church and burial was made in Lebanon Cemetery.  
 Mr. Beech had been a barber since 1918, working in Johnson's barber shop in Memphis in 1925. He went back to his home at Huntsville, Ala., in 1926.

**AAA Committee—**  
 (Continued from page 1)  
 ty convention which will be held the following day. The convention will elect the county committee of three members and two alternates.  
 "Selection of the right men to serve as committeemen is more important this year than ever before," Slaughter, a Wharton County farmer, declared. "The Food-for-Freedom campaign has resulted in more work for committeemen, and it is expected that the follow-up on the campaign will require that committeemen spend more time working with the program than in previous years."  
 The AAA official emphasized the added importance of electing the right man as county committee chairman, especially since he serves also as chairman of the county USDA defense board which administers the Farm Defense Program.  
 "County chairmen should be good organizers and leaders, capable of obtaining the fullest cooperation from all board members and farmers," Slaughter said.

**Local Honor—**  
 (Continued from page 1)  
 Raymond Clark, Bobby Ray Crawford, Dorothy Deaver, Valarie Joyce Dial, Jeannine Moore, Gary Tarver.  
 The West Ward school honor roll is as follows:  
 First grade: Peggy Smith, Jo Ann Hart, Patsy Jean Reynolds, Zella Rae Saunders, Pearl Childress, Omer Johnsey, Charles Hartman, Herman Harris, Snow Price, Duke Frisbie, Gayle Monzingo, Darrell Roden, Kenneth Smith, Bobby Wilson, Jo Ann French, Dora Fay Gilchrist, Gereta Graham, Kathryn Hamilton, Margaret Ann Massey, Ferel McKinney, Donna Webb, Charlene Tatum, Ruby Childress, Edith McGuire, Joyce Aileen Isaacs, Esther Mash, John Jarrell, Shirley Ann Crouch.  
 Second grade: Dempsey Archer, J. E. Bell, James Davidson, Jackie Gilbert, Frank Norman, Ernest Shaw, Vonda Blackmon, Gloria Harris, Peggy Huston, Myrtle Jordan, Louise Klutts, Leona Robertson, Margie Lou Young, June Shipman.  
 Third grade: Charles Johnson, Willard King, Jimmy Mitchell, Cletus Lewis, Patsy Adcock, Gena Mac Devin, Jo Ann Edwards, Jan Monzingo, Ann Spoon, La Nelle Brown, Marion Taylor, Earlene Nipper, Billy Jo Bradley, Edward Yager, Sheldon Anisman, John D. Clark, Scotty Grundy, Bryan Mock, Beryl Ann Davis, Shirley Foster, Barbara Giles, Patsy Ann Goodnight, Camille Stringer, Nancy Stanford, Dorrine Troupe.

**Roll Call Drive—**  
 (Continued from page 1)  
 Jess Jenkins, chairman, turned in 100 memberships for a total of \$104.50. Mrs. Jenkins made her report early in the drive, and stated at that time that she had not completed her soliciting.  
 The Lakeview community, with a quota of 66 members, had gained 61 of these members for a total of \$66 under the direction of O. E. Bevers, chairman.  
 Other communities reported as getting near or over their quotas are as follows: Friendship, \$21 for 21 members, Thelma Jenkins, chairman; Brice, \$26 for 25 members, Mrs. W. E. Davis, chairman; Eli, \$17 for 14 members, Mrs. Grover Moss, chairman; Salisbury, \$27 for 27 members, Olson Sweat, chairman.

**Joint Purchase—**  
 (Continued from page 1)  
 ficient to repay its cost over a period of from one to five years at five per cent interest.  
 Where farm machinery needs are purchased and financed jointly by two or more farmers, the rate of interest is three per cent per annum. Frequently farms unable to carry the whole cost of a needed piece of equipment can support a share of the cost.  
 "In these cases, even when machinery is plentiful, it is more practical for two or more farmers to buy the equipment together, use the equipment jointly and spread the cost over all the farms," Land said.  
 The supervisor mentioned several of these groups now operating in Hall County.

**Red Cross Needs—**  
 (Continued from page 1)  
 Mrs. Mamie VanPelt, Mrs. Dunlap, Mrs. Pat Craver, Mrs. Frank Smith, and Winnie Ruth Capwell, Mrs. Denny said.  
 Mrs. M. L. Smith and Mrs. Wade Patrick of Eli have turned in knitted socks and baby garments.  
 The Tuesday Club is sewing and

**Outline of Farm—**  
 (Continued from page 1)  
 sion of the cotton marketing quotas. The secretary of agriculture has already proclaimed the quotas, Hooser said, and two-thirds of the landowners and farmers must approve the quotas before they will be in effect.  
 The nation-wide marketing quota referendum will be held Saturday, December 13.

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LETTUCE, 2 heads for ..... 9c	CELERY, large stalk ..... 10c	PEPPERS, 2 pounds ..... 15c	BULK TURNIPS, pound ..... 3c
BEANS, fresh snaps, pound ..... 12c	CABBAGE, fresh head, pound ..... 3c	SPUDS, No. 1, pound ..... 3c	YAMS, East Texas, peck ..... 25c
<b>Everything for Making Your Christmas Fruit Cake!</b>	<b>Chocolate Cherries</b> 1-POUND BOX <b>19¢</b>	<b>CANDY</b> 3 BARS FOR <b>10¢</b>	
MEAT SALT, Morton's, 10 lbs. . . . 80c	PEACHES, syrup pack, gallon . . . 55c	SYRUP, E. Tex. Ribbon Cane, gal. . . 69c	JELLY, Rex, ½ gallon ..... 45c
CATSUP, 14-ounce bottle ..... 10c	MUSTARD, quart jar ..... 12c	CATSUP, per gallon ..... 59c	CAT FISH PER POUND <b>35¢</b>
HOT BARBECUE PER POUND <b>30¢</b>	KRAFT CHEESE 2-POUND LOAF <b>59¢</b>	Sunlight OLEO PER POUND <b>18¢</b>	

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 Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.  
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 Christian Endeavor at 6 o'clock Sunday evening.  
 Prayer meeting at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
 Grady Pricer, Minister  
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 SUNDAY—  
 Bible class, 9:45 a. m.  
 Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.  
 Communion, 11:40 a. m.  
 TUESDAY—  
 Women's Bible Class, 3:30 p. m.  
 WEDNESDAY—  
 Prayer meeting and Bible study, 7:30 p. m.  
 You are invited.

**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
 D. M. Duke, Pastor  
 Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.  
 Preaching service, 11 a. m.  
 N. Y. P. S., 7 p. m.  
 Evening service, 7:45 p. m.  
 Wednesday evening prayer service, 7:30 p. m.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
 Russell Wingert, Pastor  
 SERVICES  
 Sunday School, 9:55 a. m.  
 Morning worship, 11 a. m.  
 Evening worship, 7 p. m.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
 S. F. Martin, Pastor  
 SUNDAY—  
 9:45 a. m., Sunday School.  
 11 a. m., morning worship; Sun-  
 beam Band.  
 6:15 p. m., Training Union.  
 7:15 p. m., evening worship.  
 WEDNESDAY—  
 7 p. m., S. S. officers and teach-  
 ers meeting.  
 8 p. m., prayer meeting.  
 Regular services at the church throughout the week. The pas-  
 tor will preach at both the morn-  
 ing and evening worship hours.  
 You are cordially invited to at-  
 tend. Remember your place in  
 the Sunday School, Training  
 Union, and mid-week prayer ser-  
 vice.  
 "Be ye steadfast, unmovable,  
 always abounding in the work of  
 the Lord."—I Cor. 15:58.

**METHODIST NEWS NOTES**  
 E. L. Yeats, Pastor  
 Work began this week on the  
 Christmas pageant to be presented  
 by the young people Sunday even-  
 ing, December 21. Mrs. R. S.  
 Greene will direct the play.  
 A group of young people at-  
 tended the sub-district meeting in  
 Hedley Tuesday evening. A good  
 time was enjoyed by all.  
 The preachers of the Clarendon  
 district were entertained with a  
 breakfast Tuesday morning in  
 Clarendon, given by the district  
 superintendent, Rev. George Pal-  
 mer. Rev. Yeats was among  
 those attending.  
 Only a few days left to buy your  
 Christmas cards at The Democrat.

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## PERSONALLY, WE DON'T LIKE IT

IF IT HAPPENED only once in a long while, perhaps we wouldn't mind it, but it happens so often that we simply are not able to suppress our feelings.

This "it" we are talking about is trading away from home, when the same merchandise could either be bought from a Memphis store or through a Memphis store.

Examples are numerous. Take the case of a certain firm in Memphis recently buying a large order of lithographed letterheads from an out-of-town firm. These letterheads cost that firm more than \$65, when we would have printed them for less than \$30. If the firm had wanted lithographed letterheads, we could have ordered them, sold them for the same price they paid, and we still would have made a profit. Part of that money would have stayed at home.

Another example. A Memphis man recently bought new furniture for his home. He went all the way to Dallas, picked out the furniture and bought it from a Dallas furniture store. Perhaps he couldn't find what he wanted in Memphis, but he could have bought the furniture through a Memphis firm, and part of that money would have stayed here.

Almost every day some person or group of persons go to Amarillo to do their shopping. They may be able to save a few cents on some of the articles they buy—but they forget to figure in the expense of making the trip. And brother, it costs money to drive to Amarillo!

Almost every day some person in Memphis mails a letter to some mail order house—sending money out of the county to buy merchandise which could have been purchased here. And don't ever think that mail order houses are not doing business. Happen to be in the post offices some time when the annual catalogs come out—you'd be surprised at the number of people who get catalogs. And, in case you didn't know, the mail order houses send out the catalogs only to those who request them or who have bought a certain amount of merchandise from the company during the past year.

We're getting tired of this buying away from home. If every person would buy every thing possible from home merchants, every merchant would be able to hire another worker. That would perk up business no little amount, brother, and perking up business ain't gonna hurt nobody's town.

Well, don't just sit there and say nothing. Do something, and we don't mean go to Amarillo to do your shopping.

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## MY, WHAT WE HAVE TO PUT UP WITH

WAY BACK yonder when Sir Walter Raleigh introduced tobacco to a craving European continent, he didn't take it over the Atlantic wrapped in nice, slick tin or lead foil.

And more than likely if he were to take some over to Europe today, he might have trouble in getting the foil. The Office of Production Management has announced that after March 1 of next year, your cigarettes, candy, etc., will not be wrapped in foil.

To a world which has become so accustomed to tin and lead foil, and cellophane, this war we are about to get in is certainly causing hardships. Just imagine how hard it will be for you to have to smoke cigarettes which come wrapped in wax paper—or maybe so the tobacco companies will use plastic. You can never tell.

Probably the outstanding thing about World War I was that you and I and the rest of the Americans had to eat cornbread and lots of it—no flour except maybe on Sundays or special occasions. It looks like this war is going to be remembered for something else—tin and lead foil, maybe cellophane shortage.

The point we are getting around to is this: People don't seem to remember the horrors of war, or we wouldn't be having so many throughout history. People do remember, however, that they had to eat cornbread, and had to do without some of the things they thought absolutely necessary for their livelihood. Yes, we are living in a very peculiar world.



## Next on the Program

### Press Paragraphs CULLED FROM THE DEMOCRAT'S EXCHANGES

#### Nouns and Verbs

Roy Hahn in the Briscoe County News: Over in George Childress' office I ran across this little gem, "I thought she was a clean girl until I saw her neck." That little expression could be used in any English class to illustrate the use of nouns and verbs.

#### Chief Concern

The Ochiltree County Herald: The chief concern of most of our people is not what they can do to save this nation, but how much the war will advance the price of wheat, cattle, dairy products, and other agricultural commodities.

#### Our Son

The Menard News: Our son doesn't want to work at anything he isn't interested in, and you just can't interest him in any work that causes perspiration.

#### Talk

The Tullia Herald: Gossip is the only thing that can feed upon nothing and grow to immense proportions.

#### No Cellophane

The Scurry County Times: The cellophane pinch will touch nearly all of us, indirectly, because low grade cotton is used extensively in making certain grades of cellophane. When this emergency is over, however, it should teach us, as a country, to start yelling for greater consumption of cotton in making cellophane.

#### What to Do

The Lubbock Morning Avalanche: It is becoming more and more apparent every day that this country is going to have to fight one-half of the world—and feed the other half!

#### The Only Way

The Stephenville Empire-Tribune: There is but one way this country can be saved from a burden of debt and taxation that would ruin us as surely as would military defeat. That way is by cutting every non-defense item in the budget to the absolute bone. Government must end its competitive program against highly-taxed private business, on which it depends for the bulk of its tax revenue.

#### Inheritance

The Plainsman in the Lubbock Morning Avalanche: That Girl on Broadway says it begins to look now like the only earth the meek will ever inherit is that thrown over them with a spade!

#### Lucky

Douglas Meador in the Matador Tribune: Fortunately we are not obliged to pay income tax on the money we expected to make during the year.

#### Pleasant Thought

Ed Bishop in the Dalhart Texan: Jim Burrow thought he had picked up some easy money the other day. . . . Found a picture of a fellow that the law was offering a reward for and felt sure it was me. . . . Very flattering, I call it. . . . The picture is of a very handsome man and the thought that anyone would pay to find me when so many are willing to pay to get rid of me is most flattering.

#### Helping Russia

The Lyon County News: Those who would prejudice the people of this country against aid to Russia are merely playing into the hands of Hitler, and that's all there is to that.

### The Telephone Voice

The Foard County News: The telephone is the severest tester of human voices. On the telephone the voice does not have the aid of whatever pleasing personality its possessor may have. It comes over the wire unaided, just as it is. Some folks, because of their voice should never ask anyone for a favor over a telephone. They just don't have the telephone voice that gets favors. On the other hand there are those whose voices are music over the telephone. They are perhaps accompanied with just as pleasing personalities if the listener could see them face to face. A pleasing voice nearly always goes with a pleasing personality and an unpleasant voice with just that kind of a personality.

### The Best Man

The Menard News: No question about who's the best man on earth—he's the fellow your wife could have married, but didn't.

### Doubtful

The Stanton Reporter: An old Quaker said to a friend: "Everybody is a liar except thee and me—and sometimes I have my doubts about thee."

### Football

Deskins Wells in the Wellington Leader: Just recently Lefors voluntarily forfeited the district championship. While this shows the utmost good faith and sportsmanship on the part of Lefors school officials and the players, it is a shame that the true champions will not represent the district in bi-district and regional play.

This brings up once again the need for changing the eligibility rules. At the beginning of each season all players and potential players should be weighed. Their eligibility should be declared eligible they should continue to be eligible even though it is discovered that the player is 45 years old, has six children, and two grandchildren. This is not the rule now. As a result such teams as Lefors and Masonic Home are out of play this year.

I admire the Lefors team very much. In my own mind I will continue to regard them as the district champions for 1941 in spite of anything that may happen.

### Wasted Paper

The Canyon News: Campaigns are being started in many towns to gather old newspapers and magazines for defense purposes. We would sponsor such a campaign in Canyon but recall the experience of the chamber of commerce during World War I. At that time a full carload of paper was gathered in Canyon. This eliminated a lot of waste paper from blowing over the streets, but when the paper was shipped to the market it lacked \$25 of paying the freight bill. Perhaps the clean up campaign was worth this money to Canyon, but officers of the chamber put in many days of labor in handling the job.

Census reports show that 869,140 hogs were butchered in Texas during 1935.

### CARD OF THANKS

To those friends, whose thoughtfulness and love, which was so beautifully expressed in comforting words, loving deeds, and beautiful flowers at the recent home-going of our dear mother, we wish to express our sincere appreciation and deepest gratitude. May God's richest blessings be showered on each of you.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard and Family.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Kinard and Family.  
Dr. and Mrs. D. M. Wiggins.

## PARNELL

By CHRISTINE TRAPP

Mrs. Jessie Moore returned home from a visit with her son, Jim Moore, who lives in Brownfield.

Mrs. Bill Tom Drake visited her mother, Mrs. J. R. Morehead, Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. Paul Roberts of Panhandle visited relatives here Sunday night.

Mrs. Emmitt Leigh of Weatherly visited Mrs. Willie Neeley last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mayberry and family visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Morehead, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pugh Thrasher and M. L. of Morton visited relatives here Sunday.

Perry Hill of Matador came back here last week-end.

Fred Meadows and Doyle Earl Wynn visited in Memphis Sunday.

Mr. Wyrick of Wellington came here to work as a ginmer Monday.

Mrs. Mae Weatherly, Winifred Rapp, Mr. and Mrs. George Weatherly Jr. and children, Mrs. Turk McCuiston, Mr. and Mrs. Huckabee, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Wade, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Wilson, and Genie Travis went to the Cap Rock Sunday.

Mrs. J. L. Trapp visited her son last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucy Crabtree and Mrs. Bill Tucker of Newlin visited Mrs. J. L. Marcum, who is ill.

## ELI

By VALDA SMITH

The committee for collecting money for the Christmas tree was appointed Sunday, consisting of Mrs. Joe Miller, Mrs. Hassell Smith, and Valda Smith. Those wishing to donate for that purpose may do so. Miss Edna Bryan will have charge of the program.

Benjamin Smith of Sheppard Field visited relatives here last week-end.

Roy Lee Stargel of Childress visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stargel, last week-end.

Mrs. Hassell Smith visited Mrs. Joe Woods in a Memphis hospital Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stargel, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Smith and daughters, and Mrs. Charlie Smith visited Mr. and Mrs. Y. Z. Smith Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Maddox and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Milton Beasley Sunday.

Miss Gilreath, county superintendent and the district superintendent will visit the school Wednesday. Lunch will be served in the cafeteria during the noon hour to those present.

The gin hands have been repairing the gin. It has been out of running condition for several days.

Research specialists in Brazil have analyzed the composition of the tomato seed and found the oil content of a great edible value. The oil has a high vitamin content and has the further possible use as a drying agent and in the manufacture of varnish, according to the USDA.

## HERBINE

When Biliousness, Headache, Flatulence or Gas, and Listlessness or that tired feeling are symptoms of Temporary Constipation and you take a laxative or cathartic for relief, try Herbine. It is strictly a vegetable medicine. 60c a bottle.

TARVER'S PHARMACY

## NEWLIN

By MRS. FRED HEMPHILL

Church Activity  
Rev. J. P. Cole, Methodist pastor, preached here Sunday and Sunday night, with a special Thanksgiving service at night. District conference will be held this week at Paducah, with Rev. and Mrs. Cole and Frank Solomon attending from here. The young people of the Methodist Church have been assigned the raising of funds for the coming year for "World Service."

Weather and Crop Conditions  
Another week of fair weather in this vicinity gave farmers an opportunity to gather a good percent of their crops. After the freeze of last week, most all bolls on the cotton have opened or will open soon, and after thoroughly drying the entire crop can be gathered. A small amount of moisture fell Friday and Saturday, halting the gathering, but warm spring-like weather followed Sunday and Monday. The gin here has ginned 1,350 bales (Monday night), and is expecting to gin approximately 1,000 more, if favorable weather conditions permit.

Singing to be Held  
The monthly singing sponsored by the Hall County recreation group will be held here Friday night at the usual place, and a large crowd of good singers are expected to be present. Mrs. Guthrie has announced a good leader will be present and urges everybody who is interested in good singing to be present at this time.

Pie Supper Held  
A pie supper was held at the Newlin School Wednesday night of last week, sponsored by the eighth grade. After the auction of the pies a lovely comfort was given to Mrs. Lewis Harper, and a bedspread was also given to Virgil Cheves of Amarillo. Music was furnished by the Gilliam boys of Memphis.

Cemetery Contributions  
The past week several large contributions have come in to the Newlin Cemetery Association, from the letters recently mailed. Those sending contributions were W. R. (Raymond) Wasson of Cincinnati, Ohio, \$5; Alvin Daves, Childress, \$1; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore, Lakeview, \$3; Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Bewley of Colorado, \$1; Mrs. David (Korcheville) Cook, Tacoma, Wash., \$5; Grover Swift, Conlen, \$20; J. D. Bice, Newlin, \$5; Mrs. Lydia Lawrence, San Jon, N. M., \$2; Mrs. Mary Poage, Plainview, \$1; M. P. Moore, Newlin, \$5. Making a total of \$54, which has been deposited in a Memphis bank. Others who have contributed have been listed before.

Willard Bewley Killed in Binder Accident  
Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Messick and Lon Moore were called to Muleshoe Sunday due to the death of Willard Bewley, 32, oldest grandson of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Moore, who died Sunday following an accident on Thursday. The accident occurred when he was cutting cane with a row binder which had a power-lift. He had gotten off his tractor to release some weeds from the sickle of the binder, and got his hand caught in the needle, pinning his hand down. The motor of the tractor stopped. He was unable to release himself, and his cries for help were finally heard by a nearby shepherd, after some 20 minutes. He was rushed to a hospital and gas gangrene developed in his hand, caus-

## MINUTE CROSSWORD

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Fill in horizontal words suggested by the COASTGUARD. Each given must appear in place.



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Sick Folks  
Mrs. Peter Ballard nie") is seriously ill here. Her sons, W. Joe Allen of Estelina Plainview, and Ollie are at her bedside. H M. P. Moore is en home here, but was improved Monday.

Mrs. Leonard Brain went an operation citis in a Memphis day, but is doing nic

Visitors  
Mr. and Mrs. Loyd the Thanksgiving holi mother in Wichita Falls Miss Bonnie Davis Falls spent Thanksgiv parents, Mr. and Mrs. Miss Izabelle Walker Friday to Sunday with Mrs. Charlie Reeves, endon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Childress and child and Jo Don of Amar Berger, Ruby of Can gene of Richmond, friends and relative Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. as their guests over their children, Mr. est Godfrey and m Wichita Falls. Mr. Hoover and children Miss Aelsenia Hoover Mr. and Mrs. Bam and children of Salish Mr. and Mrs. O. B. daughter of Salish and Mrs. Felix Jarred.

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## Adventures of THE TOTTIES



(READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICT PASTE IN YOUR SCRAPBOOK)

This time 'twas Goldy who cried out, "Gee, why flash lightning all about? I'll bet that everyone down there is being given quite a scare."

"Oh, some folks like to see it, Miss. They wouldn't miss a sight like this," Cried Duncy. "It's fun. The Thunder Man said, 'But I'll stop. Let's make the rain begin to drop.'"

"My goodness," Scouty said, "do you Control all of the rainfall, too?" "Of course," replied the gruff old man.

"I bring on showers can."

He led them to a great And smilingly said, "I let the tank fill to And never spill a sin"

"Oh, gee, I see how Cried Duncy. "It's fun. To hold the hose the spray To give the earth ra"

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**Buy Santa to Yourself... or a Fair Lady!**  
**Holiday-Spirited Styles!**  
**SMART RAYON DRESSES**  
This is the season for splurging! See these smart Jean Nedra fashions in rayon alpaca, spun rayon and fine novelty weaves! There are peasant, draped and tailored styles. 12-20.  
**\$3.98**  
**Budget-Priced Fashions**  
The Spirit of Christmas is cut into every line of these smart dresses! Choose from spun rayons or rayon crepes! Styles for sizes 12 to 20!  
**\$2.98**

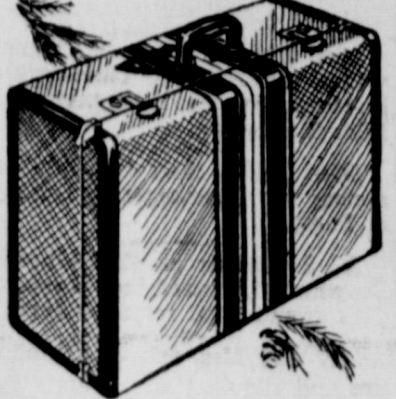
**BABY DOLL**  
\$1.98  
Starting awake or asleep! Stuffed body with lifelike expression, head, arms and legs. She has bright laughing eyes and long lashes—she goes when you want her to nod baby! And her nose is SOMETHING! Lace-trimmed, long-sleeved, with lace-trimmed button holes, lace-trimmed petticoat, cute slippers and shoes and more!

**STUFFED DOG**  
49c  
He Likes to Be Patted  
Soft plushy coat, wide-open eyes, a tiny voice and pert, little nose. A lovable little dog for tiny tots. 11 1/2" high.

**STEEL WAGON**  
\$2.98  
Prize Winner in Every Race!  
Designed for speed and style! Strong, streamlined body finished in brilliant red baked enamel! Rubber tired disc wheels that zip right along! Full 28"x13"x3 3/4" size.

**3-Wheel Scooter**  
98c  
Big Thrill for Little Tots!  
Great fun for this tiny price! Has sturdy red frame with two wheels on back to prevent a tumble! Sure-grip handle and easy-going rubber tires!

**Dainties For the Ladies!**  
**Pretty Hankies**  
25c box of 3  
Sheer dainty wisps with lace corners or floral embroideries. She'll want lots of these so don't disappoint her!



**21" Week-End Case**  
\$2.98  
Show Her Around The Smart Way!  
Thanks to you, she'll always be prepared with this good-looking week-end! Smart bound edges and woven saddle striped covering—features seldom found in a bag priced so low!  
Attractive lining and two big pockets!



**Bath Towel Sets**  
49c  
A delightful gift for any woman who takes pride in her home! Big, fluffy terry towel and two wash cloths to match—gaily packaged in cellophane and tied with a ribbon bow!  
From this glorious assortment pick out the styles and colors you know will please her most—and while you're at it—get some for yourself, too!



**EMBROIDERED PILLOW CASES**  
98c pr.  
To Delight a Housewife!  
Whether she's mistress of a mansion or a cottage, she probably has a weakness for dainty embroideries on snowy white cases. Surprise her with "Mr. and Mrs." or "His and Hers" exquisitely embroidered on all white hemstitched cases... or choose dainty floral sprays on hemstitched cases with smart colored or white borders. Nicely gift boxed and very modestly priced at Penney's.



**Adonna PANTIES**  
49c  
A Gift Problem Solved!  
Knit rayon panties that fit smoothly under the slimmest dress! Strictly tailored or trimmed with lace! They're grand gifts, for they launder easily and require no ironing. Made with double crotch for long wear. Tea rose.



**Lace Table Cloths**  
\$1.98  
For the Woman Who's Proud of Her Table!  
Nothing sets the glassware and silver to gleaming like a background of lovely lace! This handsome cloth, with medallion center and floral borders, has the quiet elegance you usually expect to pay a fabulous amount for, yet it's low priced at Penney's.



**Girls' Sport Hoods**  
98c  
Right Out of Santa's Pack!  
Gay little knitted caps that will tickle her fancy and warm her ears! Just right for that "something different" gift that's been bothering you!  
Bright colors in a variety of stitches and patterns... many with laskin lamb trimming around the face in true parka style!

**Shirts, Shorts, Briefs**  
3 for \$1.00  
Gift Wrapped!  
SHORTS of sturdy cotton broadcloth—fast colors—many new patterns.  
SHIRTS of fine combed cotton. Swiss rib knit to fit snugly!  
BRIEFS of fine rib knit cotton with neat fly front and elastic tops!

**Give Her the Loveliness She Wants!**

**With Frills and Furbelows!**  
**PRETTY GOWNS SHE'LL LOVE!**  
**\$1.98**  
Lace, beading, ribbons and nice gift glamor! In rayon satin or fine grained rayon crepe. Bias cut to fit beautifully! Some styles with extra full swing skirts. Put these at the top of your list!  
**CYNTHIA SLIPS**  
\$1.29  
If she doesn't already wear Cynthia slips you'll be introducing her to something really good! Made of smooth rayon crepe that wears and washes beautifully. Tailored styles have double stitched seams, bar tacking, double yoke sections. Other styles daintily trimmed with lace or embroidery. Give her more than one!



**Fine Handkerchiefs**  
10c ea.  
Pick out from this wonderful assortment just the styles you know he'll like. Extra fine combed lawn with beautifully colored woven borders. And for the man who prefers plain white we have the same fine lawn with Appenzel type embroidered initial!

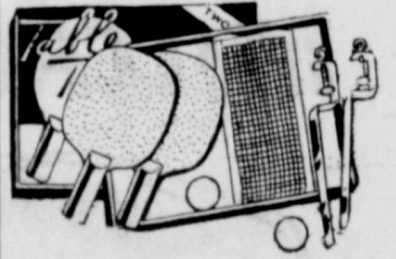


**MEN'S TIES**  
49c  
Boxed—Ready to Give!  
A Gift That Will Count  
You can be sure they're right because they're specially planned to wear with his winter suits. A wide variety of colors to blend into any man's wardrobe! They'll certainly earn him compliments on his keen taste, too! In new stripes, plaids and neat figures—solid colors, too. Gift boxed—give it to him wrinkle-free!

**Get a Head Start**  
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Dow Johnson left this week for Roswell, N. M., where he will be employed in a theatre.

E. E. Roberts carried his son Evan, student in Texas Tech in Lubbock, back to Lubbock Sunday after he had spent the Thanksgiving holidays here.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Harrison visited during the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Beck in Sylvester.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith of Borger visited last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCulloch.

Mrs. Mae Tarver and son Gary, Mrs. Norma Hunt, and Miss Tommie Noel visited last week-end in Oklahoma City.

Mrs. T. E. Whaley, Joe William Whaley, Elmo Whaley and daughter Mary Frances, and Mrs. Jan Martindale visited last Thursday in Bowie with Mrs. Whaley's sister, Mrs. C. P. Barry.

Miss Ruth Whaley visited last week-end in Fort Worth and Dallas. She also attended the TCU-SMU football game.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Waggoner and son Melvin of Levelland visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Gwinn.

Roy and John Gilreath, students in A. and M. College at College Station, visited last week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gilreath.

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and Thursday—

Jean Parker and Wallace Ford in  
**"Roar of the Press"**

**Texas**

Friday and Saturday—

Tim McCoy and Buck Jones in—

**"Gunman from Bodie"**

Also Chapter 10 of  
**"THE IRON CLAW"**

**PERSONALS**

James Evans, student in Texas Tech in Lubbock, visited last week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Evans.

Whaley Gillenwater, student in Texas Tech at Lubbock, visited last week-end with his mother, Mrs. E. W. Gillenwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Foxhall attended the A. and M. Texas football game in College Station last Thursday.

Talmadge Pounds, student in WTSC in Canyon, visited last week-end with his brother, Herschel Pounds.

Mrs. Henry Newman, Miss Ira Hammond, and Miss Betty Sue Crump were Amarillo visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Luce and daughter Elizabeth of Littlefield spent the week-end with Mrs. Luce's sister, Mrs. Bess Crump.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Luce and daughter Elizabeth of Littlefield, Mrs. Bess Crump and Webb Brewer of Memphis visited J. A. Brewer and family in Childress Saturday evening.

W. C. Anderson and Charlie Drake attended the Texas University-A. and M. football game in College Station last Thursday.

Miss Genevieve Prater, student in T. C. U. in Fort Worth, visited during the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Prater.

Alton Abel of Wellington visited last Thursday night with friends here.

James Fultz, student in Texas University at Austin, visited during the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy R. Fultz.

Miss Carrie Dell Lenoir, student in Texas Tech at Lubbock, visited during the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Lenoir.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fisher visited last Thursday in Elk City, Okla., with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Evans.

J. F. Hawkins of this city renewed his subscription to The Democrat Tuesday. He made the remark: "I have been taking The Democrat for 32 years, and it has become such a habit that I can't do without it."

Mrs. T. M. Paulsel and son Lee Allen of Fort Worth arrived Friday for a visit with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Thornton.

Miss Oradel Nuhn, who is teaching at Borger, spent Thanksgiving here with her aunt, Mrs. Ora Oglesby.

J. M. Dickson is confined to his home this week with the flu. His mother of Wellington came this week to be with him.

Mrs. Otho Fitzjarrald, Mrs. Clarence Stroehle and daughter Billie Jean visited with Mr. and Mrs. Z. P. Philgreen in Vernon last Thursday night.

Mrs. Minnie Copeland of Jackboro and Mrs. Jack Raines of Dallas visited last Friday in the home of Mrs. Copeland's brother-in-law and Mrs. Raines' uncle, C. E. Gowan and family.

Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Yeats and Rev. Joe Findley visited in Canyon Tuesday.

Mrs. Omie Johnson was a Wichita Falls visitor Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Morris of Sunray were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Weatherby here Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Forrest Hall and son John Marcus returned Friday from Corpus Christi after spending the Thanksgiving holidays with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Clois McGuire and family. Miss Patsy Hall and Mrs. Alice Smith, who have been in Corpus Christi the past four months, returned with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Scotty Sigler and daughters, Sandra and Darie, of Perryton visited during Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy R. Fultz. Mr. Sigler returned home and Mrs. Sigler and daughters remained for a week-end visit.

Jack Walker, Harrel Gillespie, and Warren Tabor, students in Texas Tech at Lubbock, visited last week-end with Mr. Walker's mother, Mrs. R. C. Walker.

Mrs. John Stroehle of Central City, Colo., visited last week-end with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Clarence Stroehle and daughter Billie Jean.

Miss Genevieve Prater, James Fultz, and George Carter were Amarillo visitors Saturday night.

Miss Jacqueline McMurry returned home Wednesday night from Wichita Falls, where she has been visiting with relatives and friends.

Miss Dorris Vallance and Bill Hamm, students in Texas Tech at Lubbock, visited during the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Vallance. Mr. and Mrs. Vallance carried them and Miss Dorothy Jean Montgomery, also a student in Texas Tech, who had been visiting her parents during the holidays, back to Lubbock Sunday.

Mrs. Jim Gilbert returned to her home in Edwardsville, Ill., Friday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wrenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe West and Mrs. J. W. Kilgore visited Mrs. Kilgore's daughter, Mrs. Jim Vallance and family, here last Thursday.

Mrs. Ray Childress and Miss Ouida Read were Amarillo visitors last Thursday.

Jim Caviness, student in NTAC in Arlington, visited during the Thanksgiving holidays with his father, C. L. Caviness.

Jack Miller, student in NTAC at Arlington, visited last week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Miller.

Tom Draper was a business visitor in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fellnagel of Denver visited last week-end with their niece, Mrs. Clarence Stroehle and daughter, Billie Jean.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Devin and daughter Gena Mack visited last week-end in Tulsa.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond West of Lawton, Okla., visited last Thursday with his brother, Gordon West and wife.

I. C. Smyers visited Sunday in Bayers with his wife and daughter Carolyn, who are visiting with her mother, Mrs. J. C. Payne.

Mrs. Olive McLean, who has been visiting with her niece, Mrs. Sam Hamilton, returned to her home in Fort Worth Thursday.

P. E. Morrison returned Tuesday from Stockton, Mo., where he has been visiting with his sister, Mrs. Clarence York, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hamrick of Wichita Falls visited Sunday with his brother, C. L. Hamrick and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Bryan and daughters, Misses Edna and Maggie, returned last Thursday from a visit with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Roy McQueen, and son and brother, Jack Bryan, and their families, in Corpus Christi. They also visited in San Antonio with another son and brother, I. B. Bryan and family.

Dr. R. E. Clark was a business visitor in Amarillo Wednesday.

Leo Howe of Seymour left Wednesday after a visit with his son, Ralph Howe and family.

Buck Ewen of Texas Tech, Lubbock, visited Thursday night with his sister, Mrs. Jake McCulloch.

Miss Mary Foreman, Miss Mary Helen Lindsey, Miss Margaret McElreath, and Mrs. Gladys Power attended the Amarillo philharmonic orchestra concert in Amarillo Tuesday night.

Bill Boren, student in TCU in Fort Worth, visited during the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Boren.

H. Baldwin of Tenaha came Monday night for a visit with his brother, A. Baldwin and wife.

Mrs. R. A. Massey and Mrs. Pearl Massey were Childress visitors Saturday.

Miss Jeanie Scott of Glenrio, N. M., is visiting this week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Burleson attended the wedding of his niece, Miss Inez Williams, in Shamrock Wednesday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Greenhaw and Mr. and Mrs. James Mahan of Childress visited last Thursday in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. Greenhaw's son, Regnal Greenhaw and wife.

Mrs. Frank Monzingo and Mrs. Ernest McMurry were Amarillo visitors Wednesday.

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Mrs. Courtney Denny and Mrs. B. F. Denny visited Thursday in Swearingen with Mrs. Courtney Denny's sister, Mrs. D. M. Jarrell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Headstream visited Thursday night and Friday in Roby with his mother, Mrs. C. E. Headstream.

Miss Ann Compton returned Sunday from College Station where she attended the Thanksgiving game of A. and M. and Tex., University.

Mrs. Dorene Crone returned Saturday night from Tucumcari, N. M., where she had been with her brother, Leo Scott, who was injured several weeks ago. His condition is improved, it was reported.

Mrs. Jake McCulloch visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ewen of Estelline, Sunday.

Olin Cooper was an Amarillo visitor Wednesday.

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Miss Rose Cates of Childress was a Memphis visitor last Thursday.

T. E. Lenoir, W. B. Hooser, and H. C. Fowler attended an REA conference in Fort Worth last Friday. They also attended the TCU-SMU football game there.

Mrs. Kedron Ward of Dimmitt visited during the Thanksgiving holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Billy Thompson.

Miss Eddie Mae Scott visited during the Thanksgiving holidays in Pampa.

A. J. Butler of Camp Bowie, Brownwood, visited last week-end with friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hutcherson and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Solomon visited in Matador Sunday.

Mrs. Cleve Evans returned Monday from Dallas where she has been with her daughter, Peggy Jo, who has had an operation in the Scottish Rite hospital there.

Miss Louise Williams of Kaufman visited during the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Williams.

Charles Williams, student in Texas Tech, Lubbock, visited during the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Williams.

Mrs. Oren Jones and Mrs. Murray Dodson visited in Amarillo from Thursday until Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Godfrey went to Pampa Sunday after their daughter, Martha Lynn, who had been visiting with relatives there.

Mrs. Harvey Kingry and daughter Emma Lou of Fort Worth visited last week-end with her mother, Mrs. Blanton. Mrs. Blanton returned home with her Sunday for a visit.

C. W. Carder of Amarillo came Sunday for a visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Barnett attended the Turkey-Follett football game in Turkey last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Kelley and daughter Normadine were Amarillo visitors Thursday.

Mrs. Lyman Davenport of Childress visited last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Coursey.

Buck Partain and Jack Trice of Childress were Memphis visitors Thursday night.

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Miss Martha Ragsdale, student in TSCW in Denton, visited last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ragsdale.

Miss Margie Northcutt, student in TSCW in Denton, visited last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Northcutt.

Mr. and Mrs. Elma Cummings and children of Roaring Springs, and Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Watson and children of Plainview visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Taylor.

Misses Eva Mae and Holcomb, Mrs. T. H. Miss Theima Lemmon, and Mrs. W. B. Gilreath.

Misses Jimmie and reath of Lubbock week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Harrison.

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