

Skyrockets Seek Bi-District Title Against Floydada Friday

Veteran Floydada Team Is Opponent For Second Year

With the bi-district championship at stake, the Wellington Skyrockets and the Floydada Whirlwinds will meet Friday, December 6, in one of the Panhandle's top schoolboy athletic spectacles.

The game will be played at Floydada, beginning at 2:00 p. m. It was from these same Whirlwinds—almost man for man—that

Tickets for the Wellington Skyrocket-Floydada Whirlwind bi-district football game are on the south side of the square. Only 260 tickets were available here, and most of those had already been sold Tuesday evening.

Anyone wishing to buy a ticket for the game is urged to do so not later than Thursday, since Supt. Logan Cummings has been asked to return all tickets left on that date, in order that they may be made available to Floydada fans.

General admission tickets are 40 cents for children and 75 cents for adults. Reserved seat tickets are 50 cents plus the general admission ticket.

Al Duncan's Rockets took the bi-district title last year in a 33 to 6 game played on Powell field.

Both teams are entering this year's game undefeated in conference play. Representing the best grid talent of Districts 3-A and 4-A, they will play a brand of football that has climaxed the grid season for the Rockets every year in recent years and has gained for them the reputation of being one of the best Class A teams of West Texas.

In this year's Whirlwinds coached by L. F. Gresham and Estill Baker, the Rockets will meet a team that is big, experienced, fast and versatile. Last year's outstanding team is practically intact, and those who saw them in their Thanksgiving game this year declare that they are smoother and altogether a better team than they were then.

They won the right to meet the Rockets by defeating the Spur (Continued on Page Twelve)

Circuit Changes Church Schedule

A change in schedule for the Wellington Methodist Circuit was announced this week by Rev. C. D. Dameron, pastor.

Aberdeen church, formerly on the Shamrock circuit, has been transferred to the Wellington circuit. In the future, the following preaching schedule will be observed:

Quail, first Sunday of each month.

Salt Fork, second Sunday. Bethel, third Sunday.

Aberdeen, fourth Sunday. In order that none of the churches will miss a service, Rev. Dameron will preach at Salt Fork at 10:00 a. m. Sunday, December 8, and at Quail at 11:15 a. m. and at the evening service.

The pastor stated that the Bethel, Aberdeen and Salt Fork churches have paid their benevolence fund for this year and Quail will complete its fund on Sunday.

Norwood Teams Split Games

A large fast-moving sextette from Kelton failed to down the Samnorwood lassies in a recent game and the game ended 17 to 15 for the Collingsworth County girls.

Kelton boys, however, handed the Samnorwood Eagles their first defeat of the season by a score of 26 to 19.

The Kelton girls took a 9 to 3 lead in the first quarter, and the second was none the less exciting when it ended 13 to 11 with Kelton leading.

During the final half, however, speed and agility, coupled with accurate shooting by the Eagles, brought them their fifth win of the season. Defense was the outstanding feature of the game.

Britt and Garner outstanding players for the Kelton boys team and made a number of points from near the center line.

Both teams will meet the Wheeler teams Friday night, December 6, on the Eagles court.



SHARE NOBEL PEACE PRIZE

Miss Emily Greene Balch, 79, Wellesley, Mass., and Dr. John R. Mott, 81, Orlando, Fla., share the 1946 Nobel Peace Prize and \$34,700 cash award. Miss Balch is a former political economy professor at Wellesley College, and Dr. Mott is a member of the YMCA International Committee.

Boll Pulling Contest for Colored Folks Set Friday

A. O. Gleaves, Dozier Farmer, Dies Saturday

Alvie O. Gleaves, 60, widely known Dozier man, died Saturday, November 30, in Wichita Falls. He had been in ill health for several years and seriously ill for about three weeks.

Mr. Gleaves had been a resident of this county and Wheeler County for the last 18 years, and until three years ago farmed north of Lutie.

Born in Collin County June 6, 1886, he was 60 years, 5 months, and 24 days of age.

Funeral services were held at the Baptist Church in Shamrock (Continued on Page Seven)

Sullivan Named to Who's Who

Lloyd Sullivan of the Lillie community is one of eighteen students of New Mexico State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts to be named for Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges.

Sullivan, a junior majoring in agriculture, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Sullivan.

To be eligible for this honor, a student must be an upperclassman who maintains above average grades and is outstanding in college activities.

Sullivan is a member of the SAE club, vice-president of the student commission, secretary-treasurer of the Vets Organization, basketball team captain last spring, a member of the Block and Bridle Club and the Agriculture Club, and was voted the most popular boy for 1945-46.

Week's Mailing of Leaders Weigh as Much as Cotton Bale

"The Wellington Leaders you send out every week will just about equal in weight a big bale of cotton—from 500 to 650 pounds," Claude Savage, efficient post office employee, declared Monday, and surprised even The Leader staff itself.

"Most of the people haven't any idea how many papers you do mail each Wednesday until they happen in when we are weighing some of the bundles and they are always surprised," Mr. Savage continued.

"And after weighing The Leader every week, and considering how many newspapers there are, I can see why there's a newsprint shortage," he added.

Cemetery Group Calls Meeting to Act on Improvement

A meeting of the Cemetery Association has been called by Dave Thomas, chairman, for Monday afternoon, December 9, in the county court room of the court house at 4:15 o'clock.

The purpose of this meeting will be to give the city authority to level the graves in the two Wellington cemeteries. It was pointed out, however, that plots with curbing around them will not be touched.

All unmarked graves will also be marked.

This is a part of the cemetery improvement program begun by the city.

All persons owning lots in either cemetery are urged to attend the meeting Dec. 9.

Special Busses Will Carry Rocket Fans To Floydada Fri.

Special busses have been chartered to carry Wellington football fans to the Rocket-Floydada Whirlwind game Friday, December 6. Two busses have already been arranged for and more will be used if needed, according to Eli Wolf, president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, which is sponsoring the trip.

Tickets are now on sale at the Bus Station, Goat's Cafe and the Pullman Cafe.

The busses, secured from the Cap Rock Bus Line, will leave from the Wellington bus station at 10 a. m. Friday morning. They will leave Floydada on the return trip about 30 minutes after the game ends, arriving back in Wellington around 7:00 p. m.

All persons wishing to go to Floydada by bus are urged to make arrangements for their tickets as soon as possible.

Two Escape as Plane Crashes

The two occupants of a small plane, taking off from the local airfield Saturday about noon, escaped serious injury when it crashed three blocks from the field, barely missing a house.

Jimmie Ragsdale of Childress, owner and pilot of the plane, was bruised and received a cut under his left eye. C. E. Francis, riding with him, was uninjured. This was Mr. Francis' second crash within the last two months.

The plane, a Cessna 140, was a total loss.

Witnesses to the crash said that the engine of the plane cut out just after Mr. Ragsdale took off. After it struck the ground, the plane was finally stopped when it hit a post supporting a clothes line, its tail only a few feet from the house.

Dodson School Resumes Work

Dodson School re-opened Monday November 18, after seven weeks dismissal for cotton picking. Two new teachers were employed by the system, Mrs. McGuire, who is teaching the fifth and sixth grades, and H. C. Yarbrough, seventh and eighth grades.

Other activities of the school include the formation of a Glee Club, under the direction of Mrs. George (Continued on Page Twelve)

New Site for Municipal Air Field Is Secured by the City



PRESIDENT'S MOTHER 94

Mrs. Martha E. Truman, the President's mother, sits in her favorite chair at Independence, Mo., for a photograph marking her 94th birthday November 25.

Youth Center Planned For Dodson Teen-Agers

Plans are now under way for a Youth Organization to provide entertainment and a place to meet for the teen-age boys and girls of the Dodson area.

A meeting, which included both adults and high school students, was held Tuesday, November 26, at the First State Bank and plans for opening the center were discussed. It was voted to that a "shower" be given the organization in order that some of the needed items be secured. These may be kitchen linens, dishes, books and other articles.

Attending the meeting were Mrs. R. R. Kellison, Mrs. B. B. Martin, Miss Rachel Deahl, Mrs. Jannette Hunt, Sue Scott, Wilma Jean Powers, Miss Maurine Keefe, T. E. Lennon, Floyd Teutsch, Vance Hunt, Paul Boyling and Jimmy Wynn.

Citians Get 32nd Degree of Masonry

The thirty-second degree of Scottish Rite Masonry was conferred on Logan Cummings and James Sullivan of Wellington in Dallas last week.

The two men began their work for this degree Monday morning, November 25, and completed it Thursday night, when the degree was conferred.

Both are active in the Masonic Lodge in Wellington, and both have served as officers.

These Masons have now received the highest degree conferred for work in the lodge, the 33rd degree being of an honorary nature.

Luck Follows Deer Hunters

Cameron Beam, manager of the West Texas Utilities Co., returned Thursday from Mason County, where he was one of a party there to hunt deer. Mr. Beam reported this was his first hunt and that he killed his first deer, a three-point buck.

The party included Allan Shahan of Childress, T. V. Grason, George Shahan, G. L. Francis, and G. L. Turner of Abilene. Mr. Beam and several others of the group will return in about two weeks to try to kill the second deer allowed this season.

Top hunting luck came to another county hunter, Jim Terry, who killed the season limit of two in one day's hunting in Hemphill County. Deer hunting is open for the first time here, and a group of ranchers have opened their land to hunters by a method of drawing for places, each man to hunt as his time comes.

Dodson Class Has 42 Tournament

The Junior Class of Dodson high school sponsored a 42 tournament Friday evening, November 29.

Winners of the various contests included Betty Sue Malone, R. A. Covey, and Sam Davis of Hollis.

Mrs. Robinson of Hollis entertained with a reading in addition to the other entertainment.

Minimum Teachers Salary of \$2,000 Per Year Recommended by Dr. Woods

A program by which the state department of education is seeking to make Texas schools educational leaders of the nation were outlined by Dr. L. A. Woods, state superintendent of education, in an address here Monday night, December 2. The occasion was the annual Rotary Club banquet honoring teachers of the Wellington schools and members of the board of trustees.

The date was set to coincide with Dr. Woods' visit to the county to hunt quail. The program was under the direction of Bura Handley, Rotary president, and B. W. Beaird, county superintendent.

Following group singing led by S. R. Pinkston and the invocation by Rev. C. C. Armstrong, music was provided by the orchestra of the Methodist Church, under the direction of Mrs. Frank Anderson. Special numbers were given by

Miss Helen Jo Holder and Teddy Joe James.

Following the introduction of guests, Luther Burkett, deputy state superintendent, spoke briefly, praising the county and its school system and expressing his pleasure at being able to serve it.

Dr. Wood, after recalling other visits to Collingsworth County, described the educational program that he would like to see put into effect in Texas during the next five or six years.

"I would like to see every teacher well trained, physically, mentally and morally, to fit into the entire program of the school, and the school to fit into the program of the community, the community into the nation, and the nation into the world," he declared.

"I would like to see every teacher adequately paid. I would sug-

gest a salary of not less than \$2,000 per year for a teacher with a degree and not less than \$3,000 a year for a teacher with a MA degree and ten years experience."

Believing that every child should have access to a first class school system, Mr. Woods stressed the need for good roads and good grouping of schools. He pointed out that in 1933 there were 7,100 schools operating in Texas, whereas now there were only 3,600. Here he pointed out that it costs more to operate schools in Texas than in some other states, since separate schools must be maintained for the Anglo-American, the colored and, in some cases, the Latin American children.

"Do not misunderstand me, I am not advocating that they should go to the same school, but I do (Continued on Page Twelve)

Henard Farm Is Termed Ideal by CAA Inspector

Land for Wellington's new municipal airport has been purchased, and by January 1, 1947, the city will have as a reality a civic project sought for the last decade, Mayor Pink Sullivan and City Manager Bura Handley announced Wednesday morning, December 4.

The new site is located one-fourth mile east of Lucky Corner station, on the new Dodson highway, and is being bought from John Henard and Eddie Sam Henard. It consists of 175 acres and includes the northeast one-fourth of section 81, block 14. This is part of the land known here as the Henard farm and has been the property of that pioneer family for around half a century.

Mr. Handley also announced Wednesday that an application has been made to the Civil Aeronautics Authority for participation in the Federal Airport Program based over a period of ten years.

CAA approval was received on the tract selected before the deal was closed.

CAA first picked this as the ideal site for a Wellington airport in a survey made in 1939 and 1940. On November 22, J. D. Church of Big Spring, district engineer for CAA, again inspected the land and commended the city upon its choice, declaring that it was one of the best chosen for a similar type of airfield in the state.

"We hope to have the runways ready and all facilities moved from the field which the city has leased just east of the town section by January 1," Mr. Handley said. "The City Council is particularly anxious to get the new field in operation in order that planes will not have to land and take off over the residential section of the town, and to prevent a recurrence of the crash near the airfield last week."

Money to finance the airport comes from two sources. A considerable portion of the \$25,000 bond issue voted several months ago by the city will go to buy the land. Federal funds, however, will give a return of approximately \$6,000 on the purchase price and the city hopes also to secure a similar amount from the government for improvements this year. The government will match the city (Continued on Page Twelve)

3 Hurt in Car Tractor Crash

Three county residents were injured Wednesday night, November 27, in an accident involving a car and a tractor pulling a trailer.

Richard Peters who was riding on the tractor, received a broken hip and a head injury and his brother, Jesse Peters, had a long gash on the back of his left leg. Mrs. N. E. Willard of the Needwood community also received leg injuries, while her husband, driver of the car, was not hurt.

The accident occurred between 6:30 and 7:00 p. m. in front of the Mack Willis house a short distance north of the northeast corner of the town section. Both vehicles were traveling north, and as nearly as can be determined, Mr. Willard did not see the tractor and trailer in time to stop.

The force of the impact knocked the trailer onto the tractor where the two young men were riding. Mr. Willard's car was badly damaged.

Phillips Oil Company Offices Are Moved To Cudd Station

Dick Rapp, agent for Phillips products here, announced that the office of that company has been moved from its location west of the square to the Cudd Station, near the east end of Eighth St., which he has leased.

The Cudd Brothers, however, will continue to make the station headquarters for their trucking business.

Mr. Rapp will be in charge of the retail section of the station also.

Farmers wishing to see about their gasoline rebates should come to the new location, Mr. Rapp said.

The Gardner Station, where the office was formerly located, is now being operated by Dewey Barker, and the name has been changed to Barker Service Station.

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Editorial

This year the farmers of the Oklahoma Panhandle averaged a phenomenal income per capita from wheat, livestock and other crops, largely because that area was favored with ample and timely moisture.

Now it is reported that 17 inches of snow has fallen on that area, to make another bumper wheat crop almost certain.

A large part of the old "Dust Bowl" area is involved in this heavy moisture situation, extending up through western Kansas and down into Texas.

Once there was a delusion that the climate of this belt was changing and that it would receive a permanent blessing in the form of continued heavy rainfall. That was before weather records were properly evaluated. Now it is known that wet and dry years come in cycles of seven or ten years or some such matter, and probably there are super-cycles, with extremes coming in far greater intervals—perhaps a century or more.

The drouth era of the middle 1930s may have been of the latter type. Perhaps no one now living will see another like it. It is certain that there will be dry periods, however, so the "dust bowl" situation must be guarded against.

The apostles of deep, dark gloom and the super-optimists who think the climate has changed permanently are probably both wrong. The cycles will keep coming and they can be met with intelligence and foresight.—The Oklahoma City Times.

The clothing people say we're going to buy half again as many duds as we bought before the war. And at the prices they're charging—clothes break the man!

Other Editors Say

• Wagner Act Repeal

We are quite certain that the new Congress will revise the unfair Wagner Labor Act. Of course few people in Randall County know much about this infamous law, but it is time that we wake up. It is a CIO baby, in which the employer is a criminal whenever an employee charges him in court. This is a case in which the employee is always right, and the employer has no rights in the case. CIO controls the Labor Relations Board. Just ask any lawyer who has had a case before this board if you doubt our word. But the people of Randall County should be interested in the revision of this law. CIO is now trying to organize all employees of every line of business in the nation; and to include all teachers; county, city and state employees. Unless Congress stops the operation of the CIO not a single business man or farmer, or public official will have a word to say about the operation of his own affairs. That's the way CIO runs things. Just ask any corporation what happens to it when CIO steps in. You will then understand why labor lost so many henchmen at the recent election.—Clyde Warwick in The Canyon News.

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• Visual Education

The time is coming, if not here already, when a major portion of our children's education will be by moving pictures. In fact today, the motion picture industry is just as important a cog in the education of our children as either the press or the radio. It is to be hoped that the industry realizes this and uses the same care in the selection of pictures as the press and radio of the material they present to the public. And considerable improvement by the press and radio is needed.

But parents should realize that there is some education that they can give their children that they can't get anywhere else. They can teach them how to conduct themselves when viewing a film. Nowhere is the home breeding more evident than at our theatres where children seem to think they are privileged characters. And it should be added that most of us parents are very poor examples for them to follow.—Ed Bishop in The Dalhart Texan.

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• Country Newspaper

Preservation of the country newspapers will mean the preservation of the American way of life. Destruction of them, either in fact or in limitation of their freedom of expression, will sound the knell of the life our forefathers died to establish.—Vincent Lockhart in The Canadian Record.



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Personal

Mrs. Gordon Phillips and children, John B. and Molly Dell, and Miss Della Mae Coffee of Dallas visited in Wellington over the Thanksgiving holidays. Miss Coffee also visited with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Coffee of Quail.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hunsaker and daughter Miss Teresa Hunsaker and Miss Johnny Wiles of Albuquerque visited in Wellington over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Castleberry spent Thanksgiving in Hereford with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Gillentine and children. Mrs. Gillentine and children returned with them, and Mr. Gillentine, who is publisher of The Hereford Brand, came down Saturday evening for opening of quail hunting season. They went home Monday morning.

Mrs. G. H. Brewer and brother Lee Gragg returned from Dallas, Wednesday after taking Mrs. H. B. Bradley there for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morrow and family of Lubbock visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Kiker and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Morrow last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Marlet Kiker of Frederick, Okla., were visitors in the O. A. Kiker home.

College students home from WTSC in Canyon for the Thanksgiving holidays were Miss Wynona Smith, Boyd Williams, Charles Hester, Noel Cudd Jr., Junior Melton and Miss Dorothy Jean Morgan, Miss Grace Aaron and J. W. Bishop of Quail.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Miller of Lubbock are visiting with parents Mr. and Mrs. Bert Miller this week.

Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Orr had as their guest this weekend Mrs. E. L. Wynn of Stephenville and Mr. and Mrs. John Roy Noles of Brady.

Jack Atkinson, a student at Southwestern Tech, Weatherford, Okla., visited with his mother Mrs. Vergie Atkinson over the holidays.

Preach Langford, and Bob Gilbert, students at John Tarleton in Stephenville were home for the Thanksgiving holidays.

Miss Marie White of Amarillo and Elvis White of Spearman visited with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Obie White of Quail last week.

Visitors in the Farris Kromer home in Childress Sunday were Miss Neva Clay and Miss Sue Langford.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gribble of Lubbock visited parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hatch over the week end.

Miss Ann Ellis of Borger visited with friends here this weekend.

Miss Amy Sue Way, a student in Texas Tech at Lubbock was home for the Thanksgiving holidays and had as her guests Miss Peggy Ruth Ream, Muskogee, Okla., Miss Corrine Thomas and Miss Marjorie Tisdale of McAllen, Texas. Other visitors in the T. J. Way home Thanksgiving Day were Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Way and Mary Sue of Seminole, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Harvey, Haskell, Okla., and Howard Way Jr. of Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cocke and son, Ricky of Dallas are here visiting his father, Judge R. H. Cocke, and sister, Mrs. Pat Swift and family.

R. A. Williams was in Quanah on business Saturday.

Bobby Jack Watson visited with his father, Jack Watson, of Crowell last week.

Mrs. L. E. Claypool of Paulina, Oregon, who has been visiting in the Frank Hatch home for the last few weeks returned home this week.

Nelson Grey of Dove Creek, Colo. visited with his aunt, Mrs. H. M. Dowdy Friday.

Mrs. Edith Cole visited in Amarillo last week with her brother David Riley and her sisters Mrs. Zella Holcomb and Mrs. Agnes Adams.

Miss Ruby Johnson of Pampa visited relatives and friends in Wellington last week.

J. L. Bartlett and L. M. Bartlett were in Childress Sunday.

Billy Dameron, who was injured recently at McMurry College, Abilene, where he was a student, was reported by his father, Rev. C. D. Dameron, Tuesday as improved. He is now at the home of his parents in Wellington, Pneumonia, which followed his injury, has been cleared up, Rev. Dameron said.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Tension of Lubbock spent the Thanksgiving holidays with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Tension.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Moore and Lynn were in Dallas Saturday to see the SMU and TCU football game.

Mrs. Lester Brecht and daughter, Patricia Starr, of Amarillo, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Scruggs, and her daughter, Mary John Starr, and other relatives.

Clyde Medkief, a student in Hardin College at Wichita Falls, visited his mother, Mrs. Vergie Medkief and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bryant over the holidays.

Don Leach, a student in WTSC in Canyon was home this weekend.

Miss Elizabeth Gillentine of Amarillo was a weekend visitor in Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Weaver of Childress spent Thanksgiving with their daughter, Mrs. Shelton Nunneley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Savage had as their guest for Thanksgiving Mrs. Savage's sisters Mrs. Neil Heaton, of Amarillo and Mrs. J. F. Cox of Rowlett.

O. B. Raburn, a student at Texas Tech in Lubbock was home for the holidays.

Miss Betty Berry, Texas Tech student spent the Thanksgiving holidays here visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Tom Berry.

Caudie Hartman of Okla. City visited here over the weekend with his mother Mrs. Bertie Hartman and other relatives.

Guests in the Ennis Schaded home this week end were Mr. and Mrs. George Salch and daughter Carolynne, and C. M. Harddad of Tyler and Edmond Schaded, a student in Denver and Miss Yvette Schaded, a student in Dallas.

Visitors in the Roy Horn home last week were their sons, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Horn and daughter Katherine, and Joe Horn, a student in the University in Austin.

Miss Irene Parker, English instructor in high school, spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Parker, in Mangum, Okla.

Thad Trew, a student in Texas A. and M. and Phil Trew, a student in Texas Tech, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with their parents Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Trew.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Sanford of Hollis and Miss Carra Beth Ball who is attending Okla. A. and M. were visitors in the Jack Ball home during Thanksgiving.

Mrs. E. J. Owen and daughter, Marlene, of Paris spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Horton and John.

Mr. and Mrs. George Keller returned during the week end from Rio Vista, where Mr. Keller has been for medical treatment. His condition is believed to be somewhat improved. Their son, Billy Joe, spent Thanksgiving with them at Rio Vista.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holman of Lubbock visited with Judge and Mrs. Howard Riggs and Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Pinkston this week end.

Miss Mary Ruth Gentry, of Amarillo, who has been spending her vacation with relatives here, returned home during the week end.

Rev. and Mrs. W. O. Sears spent the Thanksgiving holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Sears and Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Botkin returned Tuesday from a short visit with relatives in Monahans.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Wiles and Dick Wiles had as their guests last week Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Bridge of Knoxville, Tenn., and Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Bridge of Weatherford.

Miss Delia Cowan, high school teacher, was a Thanksgiving guest of her mother and aunt in Mangum, Okla.

Miss Marilyn Leggett of Amarillo and Miss Janice Leggett of Groom and Don Little of Hereford visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Leggett over the week end.

Countians Invited to Enroll in Extension Course in Wheeler

Mrs. T. V. Reeves, Director of Bureau of Public Service, West Texas State Teachers College, informed Allen Kavanaugh that Dr. Borger will meet with those who are interested in taking an extension course, in the courthouse at Wheeler on Thursday, December 5, at 6:30 p. m. The place of conducting the classes will be determined at the first meeting by the students.

As there is no state support for such courses, the college will not be able to sponsor a class of fewer than 25 members. Questionnaires which have been returned to the county superintendent show that only 24 students are ready to enroll in the class. It is highly possible that a few of these may fail to attend. Each person who wants to take advantage of this extension work should begin now in helping enroll the necessary 25 students.

Dr. Hill, president of West Texas State Teachers College, has advised that Dr. Borger who will instruct the class, if organized, has a rich background of experience in public schools as well as in colleges.

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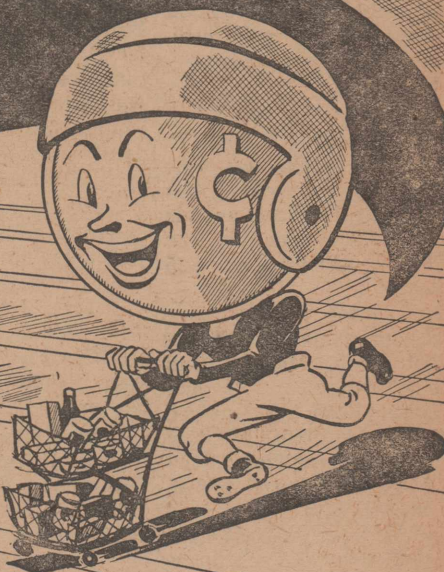
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Swing of The Farm Markets

Southwest markets saw improved demand up the prices of livestock, eggs, cotton and sweet potatoes to offset the lower tendency taken by most grains, turkeys and some vegetables last week, USDA's Production and Marketing Administration reports.

Thanksgiving found plenty of turkeys at southwest markets but demand slow and prices weak. Young toms brought mostly 23 to 25 cents per pound and young hens 34 to 37 cents. Demand for chickens was brisk. Heavy hens held steady at 22 to 25 cents per pound and fryers at 37 to 40 cents.

Egg prices strengthened as fresh supplies were too small to meet the increased holiday demand last week. Current receipts ranged from 45 to 50 cents per dozen, depending on market locale.

Light cattle receipts accounted for the active trading at most southwest markets last week. Prices were steady to stronger under the pressure of improved demand. Small offerings of medium and good slaughter steers brought \$17.50 to \$21 per hundred at Wichita and \$18.75 to \$24.50 at Denver. Medium and good steers and yearlings ranged from \$15 to \$18.50 at Oklahoma City. Good slaughter steers and yearlings sold \$20 to \$25 at Fort Worth while cutter and common lightweight yearlings and steers brought \$9.50 to \$11 at San Antonio. Houston sold common and medium steers and yearlings \$11 to \$15.

Keen competition for small hog receipts carried prices higher at most markets last week. Top price for good and choice butchers was \$25 to \$25.25 per hundred pounds at Fort Worth, Oklahoma City and Denver, \$25.75 at Wichita, and \$25 at San Antonio.

Sheep and lamb prices were steady to strong at most southwest markets last week. Medium and good lambs with No. 1 and 2 pelts brought \$17 to \$17.75 per hundred pounds at San Antonio. Medium and good fat lambs realized \$17.50 to \$21 at Fort Worth and \$20.25 to \$22.25 at Wichita. Good and choice slaughter lambs sold at \$23.50 to \$24 at Denver and \$22.50 at Oklahoma City. Domestic wools remained quiet. Buyers showed little interest in offerings.

Farmers' stock peanuts sold mostly at the CCC support level last week and rice moved quickly under urgent demand at maximum OPA ceilings.

Grain markets were unsettled at the week's close due to the uncertainty of the effect the coal strike will have on transportation and industry. Wheat held about steady, sorghums lost sharply and oats, barley and corn slipped some after the holiday.

Spot cotton prices advanced about \$5 per bale last week as demand from all sources improved. Southwest offerings, though small, were larger than the week before, and insufficient to meet the demand.

Bad weather hindered movement of Texas vegetables and citrus last week. Good demand for peppers held prices firm, but dull demand for tomatoes caused prices to weaken. Moderate onion and potato offerings from Colorado shipping points moved slowly at steady to lower prices. Sweet potatoes remained strong at both shipping points and consumer markets.

Real Estate Transfers

Martha A. McDonald to Evan L. Sitter—the west one-half of section 61, block 22; the west one-half of section 70, block 22; section 69, block 22; and the south one-half of section 88, block 22.

E. H. Dodson to A. T. Smith—lots 17 and 18, block 168, Wellington.

E. L. Ellis and wife to C. E. Littleton—lots 4, 5, and 6, block 22, Wellington.

Oscar Melvin Blagg and wife to Louis V. Bruce—lots 7 and 8, block 168, Wellington.

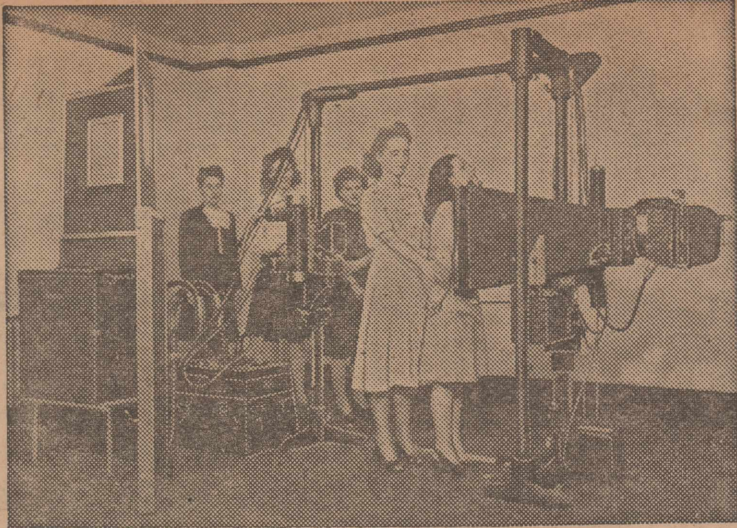
Maude Velma Randall and husband, to Pauline Ivy—lots 3, 4, 5, and 6, block 91, Wellington.

Freda Saied and husband, Mack Saied, to Maude Velma Randall—lots 22, 23, and 24, block 79, Wellington.

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Twenty-Two Births Listed in Nov.

Twenty two births were registered in the office of Judge W. G. Hite, justice of the peace, during November. An unusual fact was that an equal number of boys and girls were born during the period, 11 each.

The births recorded included Phillip Carl Harrison, son of Lester B. Harrison, November 1; Mason Lee Benton Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Mason Lee Benton, November 2; Judy Beth McCarver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William F. McCarver, November 3.

Alice Claraletta Holliman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Holliman, November 4; Linda Diane Brownlow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Brownlow, November 5; Tamara Lynn Frisbie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Royce Frisbie of Memphis, November 5.

Wayne Don Scott, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Scott Jr., November 5; Glen Albert Homer, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Homer, November 6; Doris Gean Gentry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Alvin Gentry, November 10.

Gordon Lee Porter, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Porter, Jr., November 11; Roy Ennis Parker II, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Parker, November 16. Alethea Joyce Owens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gorman Owens, November 16.

Lee Wayne Murdock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Eugene Mur-

dock, November 16; Norma Jean Rowland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Edward Rowland, November 18; Carolyn Dealyce Usrey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Usrey, November 18.

Velma Cornelia Owens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Morris Owens, November 21; Beatrice Clarence Beard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Beard, November 20; Kenneth Ray McClendon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Leon McClendon, November 20.

Billy Kirk Clay, son of Mr. and Mrs. James David Clay of Shamrock, November 21; Ector Lumbros, son of Mr. and Mrs. Juan Lumbros, November 28; Patricia Ann Abney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Earl Abney, November 24; and Melvin Ingram, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ingram, colored.

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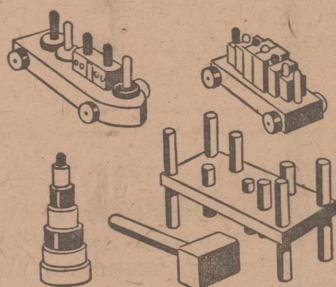
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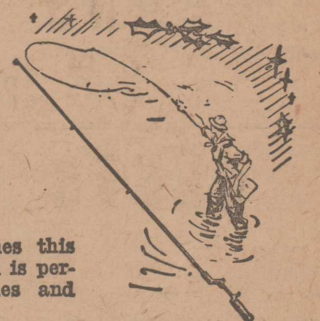
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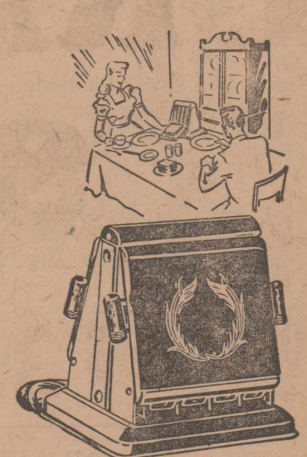


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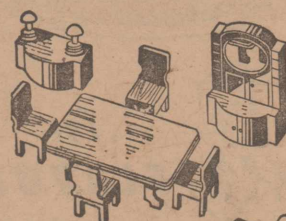
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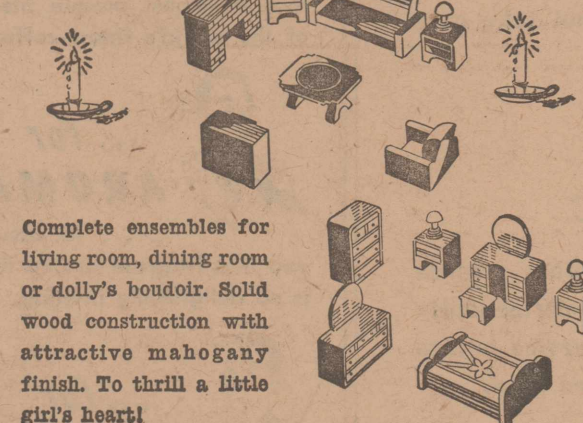
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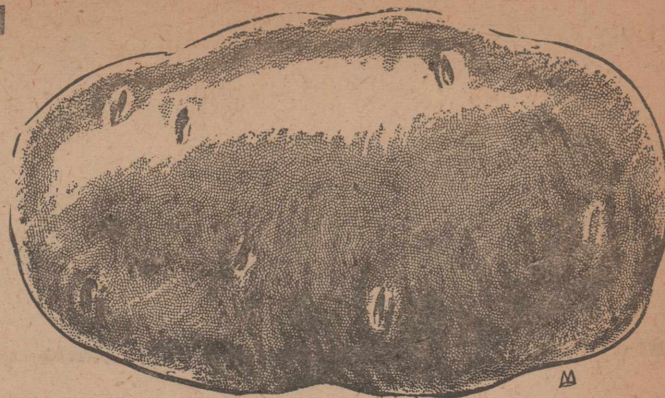
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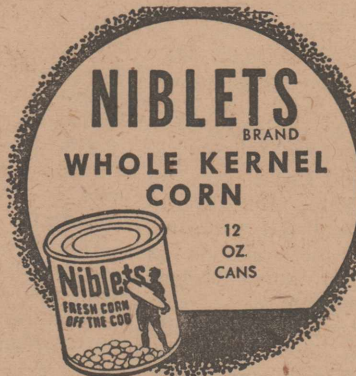
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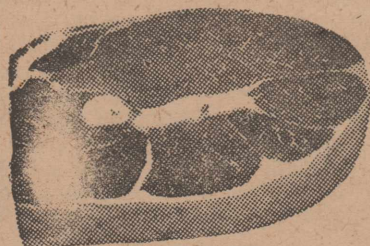
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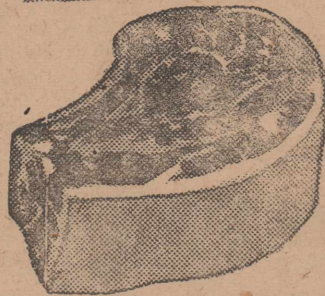
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Five Generations in County
Above are the five generations of the family of Mrs. Mollie Woods who is a resident of the Lone Mound Community. Seated with Mrs. Woods is her daughter Mrs. H. B. Martindale. Standing on the right is Mrs. Frank Light and her daughter, Mrs. Sam Lindsey, and her granddaughter Janice Lea Lindsey. Mrs. Martindale, Mrs. Lindsey and Mrs. Light all live in Wellington.

Pre-Nuptial Shower Honors Miss Jean Wright, Bride-elect of Gene McBride on Nov. 29

Miss Jean Wright was honored in a pre-nuptial shower on Friday, November 29 in the home of Mrs. Lester Smith. Miss Wright is the bride-elect of Eugene McBride. The couple, who are both attending Hardin Simmons University, will be married on December 29. Hostesses with Mrs. Smith were Meses. Henry Motley of Hollis, J. Henry Ford and Edwin Crowder of Dodson, and Miss Helen Young.

Mrs. Smith greeted the guest as they arrived and Mrs. Ford presided at the bride's book. The many lovely gifts were on display. The refreshment table was laid with a lace cloth. Centerpiece for the table was pictures of the engaged couple, which were flanked on either side by white candles in crystal holders. Other crystal appointments completed the table arrangement. Miss Young poured punch and was assisted in serving by Mrs. Motley and Mrs. Crowder. Those attending were: Meses. Johanna Glasgow, Albert Thompson, W. E. McBride, H. R. McGinnis of Amarillo, Mrs. George Clark, O. B. Raburn, Bill Harbin, Tiffin Young, Hardy Wright, Misses Neva Harrison, Leska McBride of Amarillo, Dorothy Harbin, Betty Wright, and members of the house party.

Those sending gifts were: Meses. Hugh Painter of Dodson, H. W. Wright, B. Clark, Pink Sullivan, Bruce Powell, Gabe Wright, Clayton Mann of Clarendon, H. H. Crowder of Martha, Okla., Dolly Whisenant, Joe Wilson both of Dodson, S. R. Pinkston, Sam Moore and Lynn, E. M. Hunter, H. F. Weir, Joe Garrison, and Tom McBrayer of Hollis, Mary Webster of Fort Worth, Eddie McClaskey, Fletcher Curry, Mrs. Dick Charlton of Hollis, Mrs. Ray Love, and Mrs. Mathews. Misses Johnnie Wiles, Helen Langford, Ernestine Scott, Johnnie Free Weir, Lynnie Guest and Hallie Guest of Hollis.

Mrs. Bess Kimberlin, Former Resident, Marries Recently in Kansas

Mrs. Bess Kimberlin, daughter of Judge W. G. Hite, and Charles M. Shepherd were married in Wichita, Kansas last week. Mrs. Kimberlin was reared here and graduated from high school here, although she has been away a number of years. For several years she has lived in Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Shepherd will make their home in Fort Worth.

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Reunion for A. J. Shields Children

Mrs. A. J. Shields had her children and grandchildren for Thanksgiving at her home at Dozier. Dinner was served at noon to those attending.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Curt Shields, Lucille and Sharon of Cloud Chief, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shields, Jack, Joyce, Nan and Mack, of Lillie; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Shields, Jr. and Peggy of Samnorwood; Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Wischkaemper, Jr., Mike and Mark, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Caperton and Claude, Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. Worth Shields, Charles and Mary, and the hostess Mrs. A. J. Shields.

Other relatives and friends who called in the evening to enjoy singing and music were: Robert Oldham, Rose, Ruth and Bobby; Mr. and Mrs. Warren Carter and Carolyn; Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Wischkaemper, Sr. and June.

Two daughters, Mrs. C. A. Crooks of Eugene, Oregon, and Mrs. M. L. Phillips, were unable to attend.

Dodson Civic Club Has Banquet at Hollis Recently

The Dodson Civic Club was entertained with a banquet at the Motley Hotel in Hollis, Okla., recently. The three course turkey dinner was served to the members and their husbands.

Mrs. H. G. Estes, president, Mrs. Mieke Carter, Mrs. R. R. Kellison and Miss Rachel Deahl were in charge of the menu, table decorations, finance, and the program.

Group singing accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Dewey Malone provided the program.

Those present were: Mrs. Dolly Whisenant, Miss Joan Boyd, Miss Rachael Deahl, Messrs. and Meses. H. C. Boyd, Joe Wilson, Mike Carter, Z. O. McKinney, J. C. Howell, Dick Scott, B. B. Martin, E. J. Smith, Dewey Malone, H. G. Estes, H. A. Painter, George Weatherall, and W. C. Roberson.

Mrs. Joe Wilson drew the hostess prize.

Pink and Blue Shower Honors Mrs. Don Smith in Bowen Home, Nov. 27

Mrs. Don Smith was honored with a pink and blue shower in the home of Miss Beth Bowen on Wednesday evening, November 27.

The serving table was laid with a crocheted dollie and the centerpiece was of white chrysanthemums. Angel food cake and coffee were served.

Those attending and sending gifts were: Meses. Oliver Young and Clogene, Earl Hunter, Jess Walker, J. A. McClure and Lynn, F. A. Hatch, R. L. Tennison and Billye, Mildred Shaw, Idus Smith, R. L. Templeton and Pat, Buck Harris, W. A. Coleman and Naomi, Bill Reeves and Gay, Jack Cristy, John Lee, Lake Sachse and Virginia, S. B. Eowen, Hubert Bowen and Lyndal, and Milburn Derbyberry.

Misses Wynona Light and the hostess Beth Bowen.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Didden of Plask visited with Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Orr this week end.

and son, Emil Kersten, Obert Childress and children, Zook Thomas and son, Austin O'Neil Jr., Heber Holton, Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Mathews, Meses. Zelda Lindsey and Jessie Glenn, and Misses Rosemary Strong, Joelle Gray, Edith Lindsey and Lola Faye Loman.

Miss Frances Vernon Becomes Bride Of Pfc. Charles Roberts on Tuesday, December 3

East Ward P. T. A. Has Meeting, Nov. 26

In the spirit of Thanksgiving, Miss Mary Alston's room gave the program for P. T. A. Tuesday afternoon, November 26.

A song "Thanksgiving Day" by all the pupils gave a picture of a sleigh ride through the snow to grandmother's for dinner.

The "Bill of Fare" by Carolyn Couch, Francis Drake, Sherry Bounds, and Betty Belew, made one think of everything that is satisfactory for the holiday.

Madelynn Eikenburg was rather difficult to please about the turkey she bought from Clifford Conner.

All the girls, wearing white aprons and caps, and looking like Puritans maid' of long ago, gave a song of thanks for all that boys and girls have to be thankful for.

Miss Alston's room won the prize for having the most mothers present.

Guest speaker was S. R. Pinkston who spoke on "Counseling with our Adolescents". Mr. Pinkston drew on his personal experiences to illustrate the points he wished to emphasize.

Mrs. J. W. Thomas, vice president of the meeting in the absence of Mrs. Frank Campbell, president.

The next meeting will be on Dec. 19. At this time Rev. Howard Jones will be guest speaker and Mrs. Somerville's room will present the Christmas program.

First Baptist W. M. U. Have All Day Meeting Monday For Week of Prayer

The W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church met Monday, Dec. 2, for an all day meeting. The meeting was opened in the morning with a prayer by the Missionary Chairman. A Week of Prayer was emphasized in this meeting. Circles One and Two had charge of the morning program.

At noon a covered dish luncheon was served.

The afternoon session was called to order by the President. After reports by the Chairmen and Secretary and Treasurer, Circles 3, 4 and 5 presented the afternoon program. The theme of the program was missions.

Miss Virginia Hays, a student nurse in the Wichita Falls General Hospital, underwent a tonsilectomy there November 29.

In a simple yet impressive double ring ceremony, Miss Frances Vernon became the bride of Pfc. Charles L. Roberts. The vows were read in the Church of Christ parsonage on Tuesday morning, December 3 at 10 a. m. Minister Vaughn D. Shofner read the ceremony in the presence of a few friends and relatives.

The bride was attractively attired in a pale blue gaberdine suit, accented with cherry cokes accessories. Her corsage was of pink rose buds. She carried out the traditional "something old, something new, something borrowed, something blue." Her something old and borrowed was a gold locket belonging to her aunt, Mrs. O. L. King.

Miss Louise Fulcher attended the bride as maid of honor. She chose a grey wool suit and used black accessories.

Leonard Beagles, brother-in-law of the groom, served as best man.

Mrs. Roberts is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Vernon. She received all of her education in the Wellington schools graduating with the class of 1946. At the time of her marriage she was employed as bookkeeper at Steve Owens.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Roberts. He received his education at Dodson, before entering the army in September of 1945. After returning from duty for 10 months in the Aleutian Islands, he is now stationed at Fort Lewis, Washington.

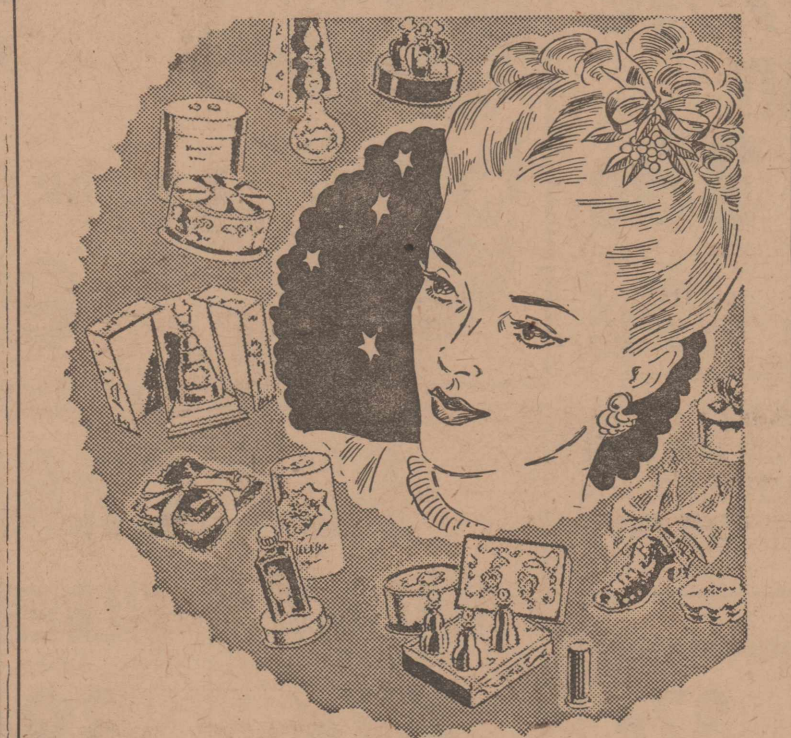
Those attending the wedding were: Mrs. D. F. Roberts, Mrs. C. B. Vernon, Mrs. Leonard Beagles, Eva Mae Wilkins, Charles Cason Jr., Mary Nell and Lona Bell Chandler.

After the wedding dinner in the home of the bride's parents the couple left for a short wedding trip to Carlsbad, New Mexico.

After the groom's leave is up the couple will make their home in Fort Lewis, Washington.

T. B. Starkey has had as his guests during the past week his sister, Mrs. Frank Edmondson of Perryton, and four of his daughters and their families. Mrs. Bill Boston and daughter, Joan, of Littlefield; Mrs. J. W. Brooks and little grandson of Abernathy, Mrs. Raymond Powell and daughter, Barbara and Mrs. Ed Morgan and daughter, Betty Sue of Perryton.

Mrs. Ed Cherry and baby daughter of Richmond are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Moore. They will remain until about December 20.



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Deck's DIDACTICS

—By Deskins Wells

There will be a meeting of the Cemetery Association in the courthouse Monday, December 9, at 4:15 in the afternoon. All of those who are interested in making the cemetery beautiful are asked to be present. Bura Handley has outlined the general plan that will be considered. It was published in this paper over a year ago. I think Mr. Handley's plan is sound—so do the members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce. Be at the meeting if you have loved ones buried in either of the cemeteries. Mr. Handley wants his plan to be ratified by the people.

Congratulations to the members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce. They offer fresh vigor and new vision for our town. They will make some busts; but their young fire and ambition is so greatly needed that they should be given every encouragement possible.

The Jaycees have arranged to run busses to the Floydada game. The cost per person will be \$3.50 which will be much lower than the average person could take his car there and back even if it were more than half filled. Besides there will be the companionship of a friendly crowd. Tickets are on sale at the Pullman Cafe, Goat's Cafe and the Bus Station.

Pink Sullivan and Bura Handley are both eager to make an announcement concerning something of importance to the future development of Wellington. All they lack on an ideal airport site is the signatures of the people who own the land. The agreement has been made; but the lawyer has not drawn up the papers. The owners, who are folks that keep their word, have agreed on the price etc.

Here is a letter from a "fed-up" reader of this paper. It follows: Dear Deck:

Your paper is O. K. but can't we have a few issues without some of that Baumgardner bull.

Fed Up Reader

The letter was hand printed and was not signed by any name. Generally I do not answer people who do not have enough courage of conviction to sign their own name. But I will answer this one.

Dear Fed-Up Reader: The items about the Baumgardners were sent to us by the military forces during the war years. Those carried since were sent in by College publicity agents. The news was not brought to the paper by the parents, although The Leader welcomes any worthwhile news that parents care to bring about their children. If your sons or daughters have done something worthwhile or even interesting, we will appreciate you telling us about it. One of our favorite stories is "home county boy makes good." If it is a daughter, The Leader is liable to give it a double column head. You see the publisher has only a daughter. He is a little partial to girls.

This reminds me of something. One of these days newsprint is not going to be as scarce as it is today. Right now we want more community correspondents. We would like to have five or ten more. If we could secure some who had the ability of Mrs. Jim Light, we sure would be pleased. Perhaps there is some person in your community who could send in the interesting items as Mrs. Light once did. Generally they

are not the sort who will come in and recommend themselves. If you know of such a one, contact Miss Robey. She handles this part of the news and can give them a good start.

Bert Miller bought a violin from one firm in town for \$5. It was in a bad state of repair; but he was careful in mending it because as he says "he has a feeling for fiddles." After mending it he noticed that it was a Carlo Bergonzi, and he sent it off to have it appraised. He learned that it was made in Saxony, Germany in 1820. Since then he has been offered \$200 for the violin that he calls a fiddle. He is learning to play "Turkey in the Straw," "Arkansas Traveler," "Ida Red," and other hoe down tunes on this violin which does have remarkable good tones. Bert told me that he did not have anything to do except to fiddle from now on.

If you like turnips, Calvin Johnson is the man to get in touch with. He brought in an eight pound turnip that was sweet and juicy. T. B. Starkey says that it is the largest one he ever saw in Collingsworth County. Cooked right turnips are good to eat but I want Quail, catfish and spare-ribs.

Tim Hatch has the mumps and will not play against Floydada. In spite of this it is possible that the Rockets can take the Whirlwind without the services of one of its stellar backs.

Floydada runs from the T formation with an occasional shift to a long wing back. They have three backs, Womack, Hagood and Carmack, each of whom is very fast. If Strickland, Combs

A. O. Gleaves - (Continued from Page One)

Monday afternoon, with Rev. E. C. Derr, pastor, in charge, assisted by Rev. Howard Jones, pastor of the First Baptist Church here.

Pall bearers were R. T. Hyman, Charley Hyman, Stanley Whitson, Tom Whitson, Alfred Knoll and Bill Knoll. Hymns included "Beautiful Garden of Prayer," "Farther Along," and "What a Friend We Have in Jesus." Interment was in the Shamrock cemetery with the Kelson Funeral Home of Wellington in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Gleaves had been a member of the Baptist Church for 30 years, having joined at Van Alstyne.

He is survived by two sons and two daughters, Ted Gleaves of Dozier, C. B. Gleaves of Fort Worth, Miss Ola Belle Gleaves and Mrs. Gladys Murphy of Sherman. Other survivors are two sisters, Mrs. J. M. Stowell of Wellington, and Mrs. Lola Brazel of Melissa, and three grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Britt and daughters, Barbara and Lillian, of Clovis, N. Mex., visited Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Laws Thanksgiving. Also visiting for the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Dee Mitchell and daughter, Carolyn of Amarillo.

Billy Ornum, six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ornum underwent an emergency appendectomy in St. Joseph's hospital, November 22.

or Orr allow a single one of these to get loose, it will be a foot race. But it is this writers opinion that Russell and the Wellington ends won't allow that music to be played round here nohow. The score will be about 20 to 14; but it could be 20 to 0.

Educators Here To Hunt Quail

Picking Collingsworth County as their hunting ground for the opening of the Quail season, a group of Austin and Wichita Falls educators made Wellington their headquarters during the week end.

The group included Dr. L. A. Wood, superintendent of the state department of education, and A. B. Martin, director of equalization of the state department of education, both of Austin; Dr. J. B. Boren, president of Hardin College, Wichita Falls, D. L. Ligon, dean of the college, Clarence Oden, business manager, Tugboat Jones, coach of the Hardin Indians, Luther Burkett of Haskell, deputy state superintendent, and Bill Summers, Wichita Falls cafe owner.

Official host to the group while they were here was B. W. Beard, county superintendent. The men hunted at Quail, Samnorwood, and in the Midway community.

"You can't tell the folks that we didn't take all the birds. They are just a little wilder," Mr. Burkett said after the hunt had ended.

Mrs. W. S. Brewer underwent major surgery in St. Joseph's hospital November 21.



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Wellington All-Stars Defeat Memphis Players 27 to 14 Thursday

By Punkin Moore and
Sue Anderson

Former Rocket stars soundly trounced a bunch of Cyclone greats at Memphis Thanksgiving day. The game netted over \$300 to the local VFW building fund and the football score was 27 to 14 in favor of Wellington.

Wellington scored two touchdowns in the first half and two more in the last half. Memphis made both of their touchdowns in the last half.

Noel Cudd kicked off to the goal line where Foster Watkins took the ball and scampered back to the 41 yard line. Running plays and a pass put the ball past midfield. The drive was stopped when Don Leach broke through and threw a Memphis back for a 10 yard loss.

Memphis punted and Boyd Williams ran the ball back to the 40 yard line before being brought down. A pass from Junior Melton to Don Leach was good for a first down. Joe Willoughby made 9 yards and on the next play Melton passed to Willoughby for a touchdown. Melton kicked the point to make the score 7 to 0.

After the next kickoff Memphis was held and punted to Williams who again ran the ball back to near midfield. A pass from Melton to Willoughby was good for one first down and hard running by Boyd Williams picked up two first downs in a row. Two Wellington passes went incomplete and the ball went over after running plays had failed to gain 10 yards.

Memphis punted to Wellington and Williams was downed on the 32 yard line. Then this former Rocket star put on a great running show and picked up four first downs and finally went over for a touchdown to make the score 13 to 0. The kick was good, and the score stood at 14 to 0.

Early in the third quarter Memphis came back to make their first score. Passes from Watkins to Carlisle put the ball on the Wellington 3 yard line where Vandeventer drove it over. Williams, Willoughby, Melton and Leach, who did not start the second half, were sent back in the game.

A fumble by Boyd Williams gave Memphis the ball on the Wellington 30 yard line and set the stage for the next touchdown. Watkins started shooting passes again with Vandeventer taking the last one for the touchdown. Watkins kicked the point to put the game in a tie with the score 14 to 14.

Wellington roared back to score in a hurry. A pass from Melton to Willoughby was good for a first down, and Boyd Williams picked up two first downs in a row to put the ball past midfield, and then Melton shot a long one to Leach who took it for the third touchdown. The kick was no good and the score was 20 to 14.

The Memphis passing attack failed and they couldn't gain all afternoon through the giant Wellington line and they were forced to punt. Williams again brought the ball back to midfield. On line bucks mainly with Williams, K. Smith and Willoughby alternating in smashing the line drove down the field and Williams again carried it across. The kick was good. Memphis made one pass for 40



SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH LOOKS FOR CURE

Tuberculosis has resisted efforts of scientists to find a drug which will cure tuberculosis, but the scientists refuse to be discouraged. Medical research hopes one day to conquer this deadly disease. Christmas Seal funds help finance medical research.

Employment, Pay Rolls Edge Up

AUSTIN—Both employment and pay rolls in Texas edged upward in October over September to hit their 1946 peaks according to data compiled by the Bureau of Business Research of The University of Texas. The gains for the month were 1.4 per cent for employment and 0.9 per cent for pay rolls. Compared with October 1945 employment last month was up 6 per cent and pay rolls 21 per cent. The Bureau's index of Texas

yards in the closing minutes of the game; but the whistle blew before they could get very deep in Wellington territory.

Starting lineups were:

Wellington	pos.	Memphis
Bowen	LE	Sargent
N. Cudd	LT	McMillan
Benson	LG	Jones
Fulton	center	Lamkin
Sisk	RG	Ballew
H. Cudd	RT	Bunch
Leach	RE	Billington
Williams	B	Watkins
Willoughby	B	Smith
K. Smith	B	Vandeventer
Melton	B	Carlisle

employment in October stood 152 per cent above the average prewar month, while pay rolls were up 105 per cent—more than twice their 1935-39 level.

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"Except a man be born of water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter the kingdom of God." (Jno. 3:5)

In all the Bible, there is no more interesting or meaningful passage, of scripture than these words, as the Lord likens Christian conversion to a new birth and emphatically says that no man come into His church except he be born of water and of the Spirit. Jesus did not explain these words to Nicodemus, but they were made clear in the great commission: "Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature. He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved." Mk. (16:15, 16)

Jesus taught by parable that the word of God is the seed of the kingdom, germinating spiritual life. James 1:18 declares we are begotten with the word of truth, and 1 Pet. 1:23, "Being born again, not of corruptible seed, but of incorruptible, by the word of God."

Giving this plan to man, the apostles went up and down the face of the earth preaching the gospel by the power of the Holy Spirit, this Spirit clothed in the word of God germinated in the hearts of man as he believed. It continued its growth as these believers penitently turned from their ways unto the commands of Christ, confessed their faith in Him and were baptized for the remission of sins. The figure of the new birth was complete.

"For as many of you as have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ." (GAL. 3:27)

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Other Crops Due To Replace Cotton In The South

TULSA, OKLA.—Rural industries to process raw materials of the farm, ranch and forest were called vital to the South's future development by Victor H. Schoffmeyer, Dallas News science editor who warned that farmers soon will face the threat of enormous surpluses.

The time is not far distant he said when Europe will again grow most of its food. When that time comes other outlets for surplus wheat, corn, potatoes, beans, peas and other food products must be found, he continued.

He declared, however, that food crops actually are chemical compounds that can be used by thousands of processing plants.

"Every blade of grass, every corn stalk or tree consists of chemical materials from which we have learned to make paper, rayon yarns ethyl alcohol, motor fuel, starch and livestock feed," he said.

"We are living in a remarkable age and we must adapt our thinking to this new type of industry which offers a vast market for the farmer's raw materials."

Establishment of rural indus-

tries to process farm products not only would provide markets for surplus crops but also would provide jobs for thousands of men and women living on farms, he continued. He declared such development will bring agriculture and industry into a greatly needed balance.

The speaker also warned that the time will come when the oil, gas, iron, copper, zinc and lead will be gone.

"But as long as the sun shines and the rains fall there will be trees and grass and millions of other plants waiting to be processed," he said.

The Texas editor also made the prediction that cotton is on the way out of the economic picture.

"Our people have been warned away from cotton" he said. "They don't want to grow it any more. We need harvesting machines to take the slavery out of cotton production. But it may be too late because the synthetic fibers have gotten such a start by now."

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FSA, Crop Loans Are Combined

Credit facilities and services formerly provided by the Farm Security Administration and the Emergency Crop and Feed Loan Division of Farm Credit Administration are available to eligible farmers through the Collingsworth County office of the Farmers Home Administration, Lester J. Cappelman, Texas State Director of FHA has announced.

Mr. Cappelman also announced the designation of Truman J. Jones, Collingsworth County Supervisor of the Farm Security Administration, as interim-supervisor-in-charge of the Collingsworth County FHA office, which is located in the O'Neil Building, Wellington.

The Farmers Home Administration, created by the 79th Congress, took over functions of FSA and ECFL effective November 1. The new agency will make production and subsistence loans as well as loans for farm purchases. Facilities are available only to farmers who are unable to get the loans they need from banks, cooperative lending agencies or other responsible sources in their communities.

The farm purchase loans made by the new agency are similar to those formerly made by the Farm Security Administration. Loans are made for 100 percent of the purchase price of family-type farms, plus needed improvements. Repayment is scheduled over a period of 40 years, and interest rate is 3 1-2 percent.

Operating credit extended by the Farmers Home Administration under its production and subsistence loan program included both annual loans and adjustment-type loans.

City Firemen to Shamrock Meet

Four members of the Wellington Volunteer Fire Department were in Shamrock Tuesday night, November 26, to hear Chief Frank Williams, field instructor of the Firemen's Training School of Texas A. and M. College. Mr. Williams spoke before the Shamrock department and a number of visiting firemen.

In all his instructions and discussions, Chief Williams stressed the safety of the firemen and their always bearing in mind that the life hazard is of utmost importance. He also discussed the latest methods of firefighting and gave other information pertinent to the departments.

Attending from Wellington were Fire Chief Bura Handley, Monk

YEGUA PHILOSOPHER

J. A. Finds \$28 Floating Down the Creek and Becomes a Conservative

Editor's note: The Yegua Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Yegua Creek has written us the following letter, which is published for what it's worth, in the interest of freedom of the press.

Dear editor:

I was out here on the Yegua Monday afternoon seein how much the creek was up followin the rains and checkin on my pecan crop which I been knowin for some time wasn't gonna amount to much this year on account of the high price they're bringin, as invariably when the price of anything I got to sell is high I ain't got much of it and when the price is low I get more'n I can handle, and I noticed a copy of a newspaper floatin down and while ordinarily I wouldn't risk gettin my feet wet for a copy of the paper I edged out a little for some unknown reason and fished it in with a pole and on a sudden impulse which I can't explain as ordinarily I ain't that anxious to see what's in the sheet I opened it up and out fell a roll of bills containing \$28 and one or two hand-written notes which fortunately was in ink and had faded off from the water and I couldn't make heads or tails about whose name was on it.

Since there wasn't nobody else around I put the money in my pocket and headed for town.

Now what I started out to say was that one of the troubles with this country is that the people who ain't got nothin and never will have is demandin too much. They ain't willin to work and get money to buy what they want, and is always wantin the government to do somethin for them. Furthermore, taxes is too high, and a man no more'n gets a little money ahead when the tax collector takes it and government waste is one of the things which is holdin this country back and what point is there in bein thrifty if you're gonna be taxed to death?

Also, things is too high and a man no more'n gets a few dollars together by dent of hard work and hard thinkin and decides to buy a few things and goes to town and finds pocket handkerchiefs sellin for 49 cents a piece when two for a nickel is adequate considerin the purpose they was intended for and the amount of cotton they contain. People who amounts to somethin

Leggitt, Hiram Cudd and Wayne Cudd.



TYPICAL NURSE

Elizabeth C. Brooks of St. Louis, Mo., Army nurse veteran chosen "Typical American Nurse of 1946" by members of her profession, is shown at a meeting of the American Hospital Association in Philadelphia, Pa.

is gonna get enough one of these days and go on strike themselves.

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Yours faithfully,
J. A.

Twelve New Cars Are Registered

Twelve new cars and one truck were registered with J. W. Holder, assessor and collector of taxes in November, a report from his office showed this week. The licenses were issued to:

B. H. Denley, Ford deluxe tudor; Charles Cason, Ford deluxe tudor; E. D. Crawley, Chevrolet sedan; Greenbelt Electric Co-operative, Chevrolet coupe; Strawberry Abel, Pontiac sedan-coupe.

George N. Shadid, Dodge 4-door custom sedan; O. D. Holton, Buick sedan; Joe Rountree, Oldsmobile club sedan; C. S. Bearden, Kaiser 4-door sedan; W. A. Dodgin, Ford super deluxe sedan-coupe; Mrs. Helen Peebles, Chevrolet sedan; Bob Glenn, Kaiser 2-door sedan; and Aaron and Brantley, Ford one-ton pickup.

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Salt Fork Wreck Was Biggest Overhaul Job for Trainman

The train wreck several years ago when a Fort Worth and Denver engine went through the Salt Fork River bridge north of Wellington, killing three crewmen, was the biggest wrecking job ever handled by F. E. Jones of Childress, wrecking foreman on that line. He recalled last week upon his retirement after 40 years of fixing wrecks and overhauling cars.

A Childress Index interview with Mr. Jones said in part:

"Subject to calls 24 hours a day, Jones' main duties were to clear the main line. Getting trains through was the most important thing to remember. And get the trains through he did. Although it sometimes took days to clear the wreckage. Saving the merchandise and cars came second. And Jones, quick thinker and steady worker, did it.

"His biggest wrecking job took him 17 days to complete. Approximately six years ago Jones received a call that an engine had fallen 66 feet from a Salt Fork Bridge between Wellington and Shamrock, to a bed of quicksand below. The engine, which was completely covered, was raised from the soggy river bed onto the bank. From there it was taken to the yards, where it was overhauled for use again.

"Jones has picked up nearly all wrecks between Fort Worth and Denver. Known all over the southwest for his dependability, he has been called to other railroad lines wrecks, where he is in charge of two crews of wreckers."

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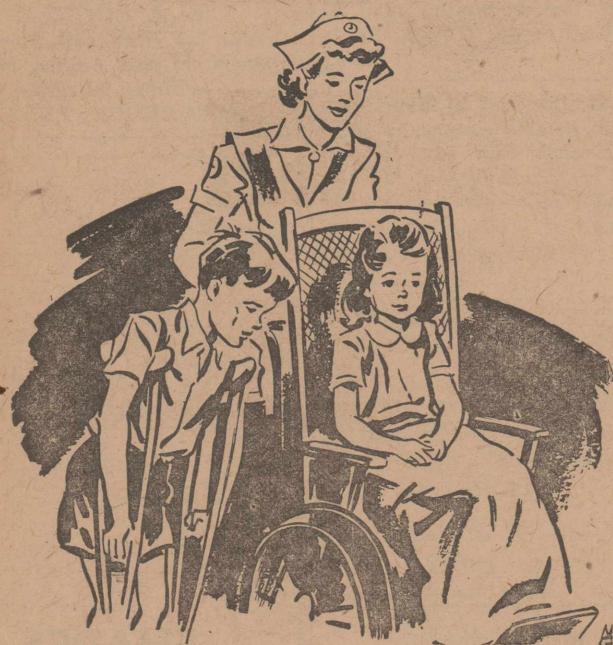
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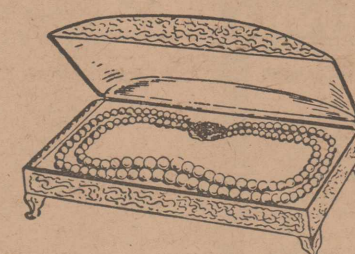
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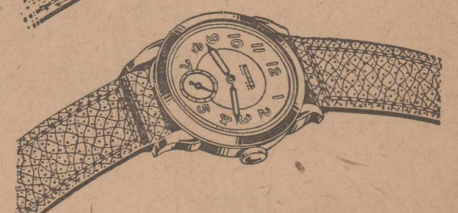
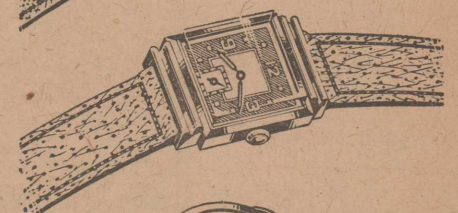
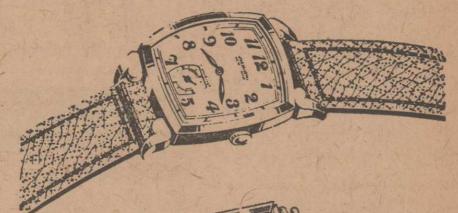
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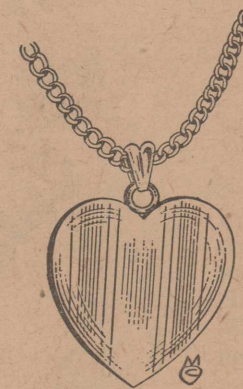
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Elmore Dodson Pays Tribute To Pioneer Ranch Friend

By Elmore Dodson

I wish you would give space in your paper for these few remarks concerning the death of Dan Kutch, my old friend and ranch pal. When I read the account of his death in your paper, there came to mine eyes considerable thaw. I can never forget the first time I saw him. It was late in the fall of 1883. He was holding a herd on the head of Doe Creek, seven or eight miles southwest of where Wellington now stands.

The Diamond Tail outfit was making two roundups each day and holding a beef herd also. We were branding the calves up as we went.

Kutch at that time was a very strong young man. His black hair hung below his shirt collar, for he hadn't been in a town or near a barber shop in several months, but he was equal to any occasion. Few men, if any at all, know what it takes to constitute an all-round cowboy. It takes an outside man, one works the outside ranges.

One time he went early in April to the CALL Range, near Dublin, on the TPRR to work back. He was gone until late in August. The wagon was camped on Buck Creek, and when he came driving his mount of horses in, every fellow gave a yell, "Yonder comes Kutch."

He didn't have on clothes enough to flag a hand-car. His shirt was pinned up with mesquite thorns, but let me say right here, a more noble heart never beat in any man's breast than that of Dan Kutch.

It looked like when he drove in the old negro cook was going to give him a hug. The man that filled the places that Dan filled had to know the country, had to know horses, had to know cattle, had to know brands, and the greatest of all, he had to know men. Dan knew 'em all. Many a time he has been sent to settle difficult affairs between hot tempered men. He always got along with everybody. He always kept his own counsel and said little, but that little had truth in it.

In the spring of '87 or '88, I am not sure which, he started north with a man named Jim Shaw, who was the boss of a Mill Iron herd being driven to the Little Missouri River. I was with a tumbling A herd bound for the Cross 5 ranch on the Little Powder River up in Wyoming, near the Union Pacific Railroad. The east pointer of the Mill Iron herd was taken sick and had to quit. Dan pointed the herd on both sides for more than a hundred miles.

We are passing on one by one, and of the Diamond Tail outfit, I alone survive. When Kutch went, it was another old veteran of the chaps and saddle transferred to the open range, clad not in the leather leggings and armed with the .45 gun, but clad in the wedding garment that we will wear when the Bridegroom comes.

"There is no death. The stars go down
To rise upon some fairer shore,
And bright in Heaven's jeweled crown
They shine forevermore."
—A true friend, Elmore Dodson

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deep appreciation to our many friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy during the illness and death of our loved one. We especially wish to acknowledge our Doctors, Nurses and Bro. Abercrombie for their faithful service.
Mrs. H. T. Whitfield and sons
Mr. and Mrs. Claude Whitfield and family.

Capt. Aubrey L. Willard and family of Livingston were here Saturday night visiting relatives.

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Nov. Marriage Licenses Total 18

Eighteen marriage licenses were issued from the office of the county clerk during November. Miss Margaret Shields said early this week. The licenses went to:

Aaron Marcom and Miss Juanita Bright, November 1.

Paul G. Phillips and Miss Wanda Boyd, November 1.

Bernard H. Chadwell and Miss Mary Lou Miller, November 2.

James P. Gambill and Miss Norma D. Smith, November 3.

Andy L. Williams and Miss Sally Weatserby, November 4.

Kelly White and Miss Nancy Nell Wallace, November 6.

Harold W. Means and Miss Makine Cruse, November 9.

David C. Tucker and Barbara Joyce Duncan, November 15.

Bob Nelson and Mrs. Laura B. Jones, November 16.

A. E. Reeves and Mrs. Minnie Wright, November 18.

Clabe Wicker and Miss Martha Owens, November 20.

Harold L. Parker and Miss Maggie Leah Roberson, November 23.

Jimmie Powell and Mrs. Clarice Boyd, November 27.

Luther Vaughn and Miss Dorothy Lee Wymer, November 27.

J. C. Hawkins and Miss Genive Lint, November 29.

W. J. Davis and Miss Dorothy Banister, November 30.

Lee Ray and Miss Clara Bailey, November 30.

Charles L. Roberts and Miss Frances Vernon, November 30.

Legal Notices

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Marcia Graves Loring, Dorothy Lee Howard Graves, Francis King Doley, Louise Doley Nevin, Katherine Field White, Harry L. Phelps, Theodore C. Phelps, and the unknown heirs of Kirk H. Field, defendants, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Collingsworth County at the Court House thereof, in Wellington, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of issuance of this citation, same being the 6th day of January A. D. 1947, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 18th day of November A. D. 1946, in this cause, numbered 3213 on the docket of said court and styled C. S. Boren Plaintiff, vs. California Trust Co., a corporation; Marcia Graves Loring, Dorothy Lee Howard Graves, Francis King Doley, Louise Doley Nevin, Katherine Field White, Harry L. Phelps, Theodore C. Phelps, and the unknown heirs of Kirk H. Field, defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: Suit in trespass to try title to

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all of tract No. 82 in Block O. S. A. B. Smith survey in Collingsworth County, Texas, containing 23.54 acres of and, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Wellington, Texas, this 18th day of November A. D. 1946.

Attest:
J. McBroome, Clerk,
District Court,
Collingsworth County, Texas.
(SEAL) 20-4c

Visitors in Mrs. S. H. Gragg's home for Thanksgiving were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cross and Patsy, and Mrs. Lillian Gragg of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Purvines and Loran of Panhandle, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnson and Bobbye of Altus, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Harold O'Neil of Panhandle, Berry Badley of Nora Visa, N. Mex. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. George Brewer, Quinton and Stanton Guy, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bearden and Elaine Gail, Lee Gragg, and Mrs. Ola Wall.

Mrs. Fannie Oliver was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital Monday morning suffering from pneumonia.



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

How to Stop Worrying

I guess folks in our town do about as much worrying as in yours—over housing and prices, and crops, and jobs—and the little domestic problems that are always coming up.

Dad Hoskins, who's lived to the happy age of eighty, has a simple formula for stopping worry. About every problem, he asks himself: Is there anything I can do about it? If there is, he never postpones making a decision, or taking necessary action.

If there isn't anything he can do about it, he sets aside a "worrying

hour" after dinner, and gets his worrying over in one concentrated period. When that's over, he relaxes over a friendly glass of beer with Ma Hoskins—and they talk about pleasant things together, until bedtime.

From where I sit, that's as workable a formula as you could find... right down to the mellow glass of beer that seems to wink away your worries.

Joe Marsh

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THIS is the story of a blighted romance. These Swiss sweethearts have come to the parting of the ways. He keeps on climbing UP. She keeps on coming DOWN. Only a while ago they started out together, hand-in-hand.

This is also the story of your cost of living. It has been climbing steadily. Department of Labor statistics show that it has gone up 31% since 1939.

But wait a minute! National figures show that the cost of electricity has actually been downward. Since 1939—because of war and short-cuts and higher taxes—electricity has de-

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FOR SALE: Allis Chalmers tractor, WC model 42. With all attachments. See at third house west of sales barn. R. H. Thompson. 21-2c

FOR SALE: Regular Farmall tractor, power lift, fully equipped. Also 100 white Leghorn pullets, Grade 4-A. Lloyd Mills, one and one-half miles southeast of town. 20-3p

FOR SALE: 2 Bull yearlings. One Hereford, one Durham. Both subject to register. S. I. Beattie. 9 miles southwest Wellington. 20-3p

FOR SALE: 2 baby chick electric brooders. Capacity each 1000. Wellington Hatchery. 21-3p

FOR SALE: Large office desk; built-in ironing board; two large wool axminster rugs; two upholstered chairs; used windows and frames; fireplace unit for coal or wood but can be converted to gas. Call 200. 22-1c

FOR SALE: Ten by fourteen frame brooder house and tractor shed. Shelton Nunneley, 3 miles south SE corner of town. 22-4p

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- 80-acre heavy sandy land. Will be on new Rolla pavement.
- 320 acres, 100 pasture, 1-rolling, 100 extra good heavy land, good house and other improvements. Well located.
- 320 acres, good sandy land, 1 mile off pavement. 2 sets improvements, 160 sub irrigated.
- 160 acres land, well located, no improvement. 60 acres pasture, 100 acres sub irrigated.
- 5 acres block land near town, good improvements, 7 room house and lots of other improvements.
- 2 acres land, wonderful house, bath, 2 bedrooms, cabinet, fine hardwood floors, lots outside improvements, this has a regular dream house on it.
- 200 acres land, 4 miles from town, some pasture land, some rolling farm land, and some extra good land. Extra good house and improvements, has gas, lights and water. Would make a dandy home for some couple that wants a small farm to farm and raise cattle.
- 78 acres sub irrigated land with fair improvements.
- 320 acres land, 60 acres finest land in county, well located, 140 acres grass. This is a \$21,000 farm. Can get \$8,000 loan on same.
- One 9-section ranch well improved.
- 160 acres in Childress County, well located.
- 160 acres extra good sandy land. Good improvements. Ask about it.
- 320 acre sandy land farm. Can be bought reasonable.
- 3 lots on El Paso Street.
- 6 lots on Graham.
- 6 lots on Fort Worth.

List your property with me and let me know what you want to buy. I may be able to help you.
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FORT WORTH MARKET PRICE FOR HOGS. Sandown Smith. 15-tfc

1940 FORD TRUCK for sale. Has 8 1-4 tires. See O. D. Holton, Wellington. 12-tfc

FOR SALE: One new 4 room house with no fixtures in bathroom. One 5 room with bath and cabinets. Blacksmith shop with equipment and mechanic tools with building. One regular Farmall tractor with tools. See H. A. Weaver, Dodson, Texas. 20-4p

TWO ROOM HOUSE for sale. 14 x 32 feet. Also about 2000 feet of old lumber. Mrs. Bertie Atkinson, Phone 310. 22-2p

FOR SALE: F-20 Farmall and two row equipment. Good tires. Bargain. See at Dozier. J. C. Breeding. 22-2p

FOR SALE: My home located on Childress Street. See J. McBroome at Court House. 22-2c

FOR SALE OR TRADE: One section of land. Would prefer to trade for some city property. Well improved. Half in cultivation. See W. J. Uselton, 804 Childress. 22-2p

FOR SALE: John Deere 6-foot combine. See W. R. Crawley 2 miles due north of Loco. 22-2p

FOR SALE: Immediate possession, three 14-foot room house, fully modern, in good neighborhood. Bargain if sold at once. E. N. Lewis, at Lewis and James Grocery. 22-2c

FOR SALE: 227 acre farm, good improvements. 145 acres in grass. 16 miles from town. 22-2c

FOR SALE: P. S. Darlington farms in Collingsworth County, Texas. Will Crow, Canadian, Texas. 43-tfc

WINTER IS HERE. OD blankets, OD pants, good warm jackets, overcoats, khaki pants, women's coats, some good boots, shovels, axes, tow chains, 1 good cook stove, tool boxes. Come look them over at Warner's Store. 22-1p

WANTED

WANTED: 200 acre farm to put in cotton on the shares. See C. B. Evans, Route one, Quail. 22-2p

WANTED: To rent four or five room modern house. H. A. Davis. Phone 383M. 21-2p

I would like to rent a good cotton farm. I have a large force, good equipment, and can furnish good reference. See or write Creed R. Baker, Wellington, Texas, Route 2, Box 77. 20-4p

WANTED: To rent a farm from someone in this county or some nearby county. Can furnish references. C. Z. Holliman, 1 mile north and 1 mile east from northeast corner of Wellington section. Or write me on Route 1, Wellington. 20-3p

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For Christmas trees, fruit trees, shade trees, roses and shrubbery of all kinds, see T. B. Starkey, south side of square. 18-tfc

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Church Calendar

FUNDAMENTAL BAPTIST CHURCH
 9th and Floydada Streets
Rev. George Shoff, pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Services 11:00 a.m.
 Young People's Services 6:30 p.m.
 Evening Services 7:30 p.m.
 Wednesday Prayer
 Meeting 7:30 p.m.
 S. S. Teacher's Meeting,
 Friday 7:30 p.m.
 Everyone is cordially invited.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Rev. Austin Moore, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
 NYPS 6:30 p.m.
 Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
 Mid-week Service,
 Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Vaughn Shofner, Minister
 Bible Study 10:00 a.m.
 Preaching 10:50 a.m.
 Young People's Class 6:15 p.m.
 Evening Preaching 7:15 p.m.
 Mid-Week Service,
 Wednesday 7:15 p.m.
 Ladies Bible Class,
 Thursday 3:00 p.m.

METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. C. C. Armstrong, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:55 a.m.
 Youth Fellowship 7:00 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7:45 p.m.
 Women's Society of Christian Service, Monday 8:00 p.m.
 Choir Rehearsal,
 Wednesday 7:45 p.m.

METHODIST CIRCUIT
Rev. C. D. Dameron, pastor
 Salt Fork, first Sunday.
 Bethel (Loco), third Sunday.
 Quail, second and fourth Sundays.
 Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
 Preaching 11:15 a.m.
 Evening Service 7:00 p.m.

OUR LADY OF MERCY CATHOLIC CHURCH
Rev. Chas. A. Knapp, Pastor
 Mass, 11:00 a.m. each Sunday.
 Mass, 6:30 each morning at the convent at St. Joseph's Hospital.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Howard Jones, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Preaching 10:55 a.m.
 BTU 6:30 p.m.
 Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
 Wednesday Evening
 Service 7:30 p.m.

DODSON CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Rev. John Eppler, pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Preaching 11:00 a.m.
 NYPS 6:45 p.m.
 Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
 Mid-week Prayer Service, Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
 402 El Paso
J. J. Grubbs, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Preaching 11:00 a.m., 7:30 p.m.
 Prayer Meeting,
 Wednesday 7:30 p.m.
 C. A. Service, Friday 7:30 p.m.
Everybody Welcome

Questions on Veterans Aid

Q. What is the difference between compensation and pension?

A. Compensation is a term used to describe monetary benefits payable for service-connected death or disability under laws administered by Veterans Administration. The term "pension" is used to describe nonservice-connected monetary benefits.

Q. Is a widower of a World War II veteran eligible to receive compensation or pension?

A. No; the term "widow" does not include a widower with reference to payment of compensation or pension based on the death of a World War veteran. However, a widower is eligible to receive unpaid disability compensation or pension which accrued prior to the death of a woman who had served in the armed forces in World War II.

Q. How do I go about filing a claim for pension on the death of a veteran who was my sole support?

A. You should file your claim for position with the Veterans Administration on its Form 535.

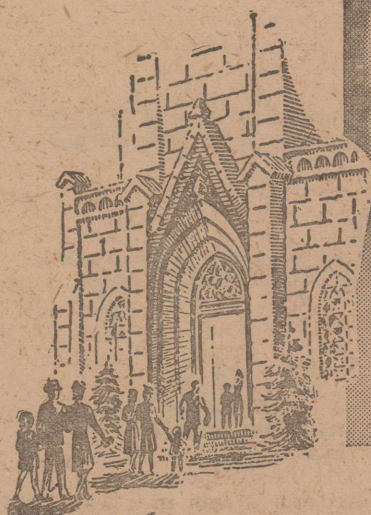
Q. Will various benefits received by veterans under the G. I. Bill be deducted from future bonus?

A. No, that portion of the Servicemen's Readjustment Act (GI Bill) which formerly provided that any benefits received under the Act would be deducted from any future bonus authorized, has been repealed.

Q. Is it possible for a veteran to complete his elementary school under the Servicemen's Readjustment Act?

*A. Yes.
 Q. I am receiving retirement pay and wish to take up training under the Servicemen's Readjustment Act (GI Bill). Is it possible for me to receive subsistence allowance while receiving retirement pay?
 A. Yes.*

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Portrait of a Soul

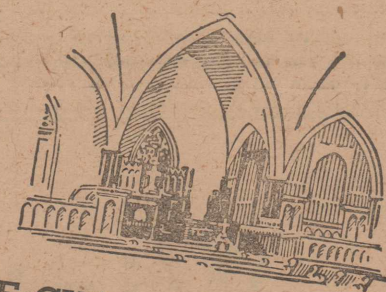
Did you think a soul was invisible? Did you even suspect that it was a theological concept that only ministers could understand?

Well, look into this boy's eyes! Do you see happiness . . . the certainty that life is full of beauty and truth? Do you see hope . . . the assurance that every tomorrow will be better than every today? Do you see courage . . . the fortitude that will look through defeat to victory? Do you see faith . . . the confidence that God hears, and knows, and cares, and helps?

You're looking into a soul! You're seeing the spark of Himself which God has put into every one of us. And you're seeing it still unblemished by the cares and disappointments of life.

You can see a soul through your own child's eyes. But unless you give that soul a chance to grow up with the body and mind that possess it . . . soon you'll no longer see it in your child's eyes . . . and perhaps, someday, you'll no longer see it in his life.

The Church, through careful religious education, develops that spiritual inner-being which we call the soul. Your child deserves the advantage of the Church's instruction. And, in church worship, you will rediscover the beauty and strength of your own soul.



THE CHURCH FOR ALL . . . ALL FOR THE CHURCH

The Church is the greatest factor on earth for the building of character and good citizenship. It is a storehouse of spiritual values. Without a strong Church, neither democracy nor civilization can survive. There are four sound reasons why every person should attend and support the Church of his choice. They are: (1) For his own sake. (2) For his children's sake. (3) For the sake of his community and nation. (4) For the sake of the Church itself, which needs his moral and material support. Plan to go to Church on Sunday.

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Samnorwood FFA Hears Templeton

R. L. Templeton, state representative elect, was guest speaker at the regular monthly meeting of the Samnorwood Future Farmers Monday night, December 2.

Other speakers were Lee Carter, chapter adviser, and Donald Coleman, who told of the National FFA Convention held in Kansas City recently.

Members voted to obtain and display pictures of all boys who attain the Lone Star Farmer degree, and Ernest Overcast, president, named a committee to work on this.

A report was made on the progress of the chapter butchering program as a service to the community and as a money raising project.

Refreshments were served and 42 followed following the business section of the meeting.

—Bill Sewell, reporter

New Site -

(Continued from Page One)

dollar for dollar on improvements made on the field.

In addition to the improvements which will be moved from the field now under operation, the city has acquired in the deal a house, and other farm improvements. From these it hopes to build an office and administration building.

"The new field will have a very minimum of obstructions for a plane landing or taking off. The approaches are absolutely clear," Mr. Handley said. "To start off with, the airfield will be second class. We hope in time to improve it to secure a class 3 rating. This field we have can be expanded to meet any needs which Wellington may have.

"The airport is as permanent as the city hall or the town section itself. By that I mean that it is essential for our future development as a town."

Describing future plans which the city has for the airport, Mr. Handley said that for the present the land not used for runways or other necessary items will be rented or leased in order that the city may get something back on its investment.

Ultimately it is planned to put the municipal swimming pool at this location, as well as to considerably improve the field, making it one of the beauty spots of the town, as well as a highly utilitarian property.

"We hope to make it of an airport rather than simply an airfield," Mr. Handley added.

Mrs. T. W. Dobbs and daughter, Mrs. T. H. Winkler, returned Monday from Boise City, Okla., where they visited their daughters

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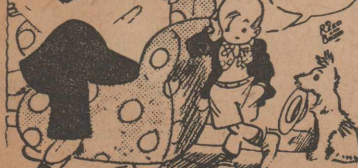
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Skyrockets Seek -

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Bulldogs in a 26 to 0 game last week, a team which Wellington fans had regarded earlier as plenty good.

Sparkplugging the Whirlwinds again this year are Carmack and Hagood in the backfield, both potential scorers every time they break loose with the ball. These men have plenty of speed, elusiveness and fire. Giving them support for 60 minutes of the game is a big line, effective enough to prevent five of the ten teams they have met this year from scoring.

The Whirlwinds have been playing mainly from a T formation this year and have made it work most effectively.

Out of this year's bi-district play will be Rocket backfieldman Tim Hatch, who has the mumps. Hatch was one of the stars of last year's tilt. His place will be ably taken, however by Bill Combs and possibly other substitute men whom Coach Duncan has not named definitely. While Hatch's absence from the game will be felt, Duncan reports that this one thing is making the boys work harder than ever. All other Rockets are in first class shape and are ready to go, he adds.

One of the largest crowds to witness a schoolboy game in the Panhandle this year is expected to see the game. Floydada fans, equally as enthusiastic as Rocket supporters, will be present in full force, and special busses running from Wellington will enable more than the average number of local people to attend.

The Whirlwind's record this year is impressive.

After dropping their first game, non-conference, to Crowell 26 to 13, they came back to win every other game. Their victories were over Tulia, 13 to 6; Ralls, 33 to 6; Petersburg, 44 to 0; Abernathy, 33 to 6; Paducah, 39 to 0; Lockney, 44 to 14; Matador, 40 to 0; Crosbyton, 27 to 0 and Spur 26 to 0.

The Whirlwind starting lineup giving player, position and weight, will probably be:

Grigsby, left end, 150.
Nixon, left tackle, 175.
Bunch, left guard, 180.
Amburn, center, 165.
Hart, right guard, 175.
B. Womack, right tackle, 180.
Bill Womack, right end, 170.
Carmack, back, 150.
Hagood, back, 155.
Hale, back, 145.
Jones, back, 150.

and sisters, Mrs. Elmer Turner and Mrs. Francis Turner and their families.

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Mr. and Mrs. Arlois Holtman are the parents of a son, Herschel Lee, born November 26 in Hollis, Okla., and weighing seven pounds. Mrs. Holtman is the former Miss Doris Riddle.

McLean PW Camp Sale Opens Dec. 16

McLEAN—The former prisoner of War Camp here will be the scene of tremendous activity in alleviating the current shortage of housing for World War II veterans starting December 16 when War Assets Administration opens a sale of \$300,000 worth of lumber, plus untold quantities of plumbing, heating, electrical wiring and 20,000 feet of critically short supply pipe.

John M. McGee, field director of WAA in charge of the McLean sale, announced that only holders of HH priority certificates, issued by the NHA or the OPA would be eligible to purchase for the first five days of the sale, December 16 through 20.

McGee stated that purchases would be limited to veterans seeking to obtain materials to erect or to complete one five room individual dwelling, or to contractors seeking to obtain such materials to build a 5-room home for sale to a veteran.

HH priority certificates may be applied for by veterans at the nearest Federal Housing Agency office to their homes, and farmers seeking certificates for erection of farm buildings should make application to the Agricultural Extension Service.

Immediate application should be made by those interested in securing the required HH priority certificate to insure having it by the opening date of the sale, Dec. 16.

More than 300 buildings at McLean POW Camp have now been taken down and the materials stockpiled in preparation of the opening of this huge WAA sale.

Melvin Kiker, who is attending McMurry College spent Thanksgiving week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Kiker. He is taking pre-med. work.

Teachers Salary -

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want to show why it costs us more to operate our schools", he said.

A 12-months program of education, nine months scholastic training and three months of supervised recreation, through camps, organized games etc.

"We have two programs of education. The organized program is the public school and the unorganized program is run by the alley rats of the states, leading the boys and girls astray. Crime costs us 7 times more than we are paying for education. If we can reach more of these boys and girls, it will be an economy to the taxpayers."

Other points in the development of the educational setup of the state were improvement of buildings and grounds, development of a program of adult education and establishment of more junior colleges, a program to meet the needs of the exceptional children—the very bright, as well as the physically handicapped and the dull. The need for a program of kindergarten work was stressed.

The opportunity of FM radio in the class room was touched on by Dr. Wood, who stressed the many uses to which this type of education can be put. Visual aid, he predicted, will play an increasingly important part in the school program.

"I would like to see an adequate code of ethics in which school boards, trustees and authorities will be more honest and more loyal in their work," he declared.

In closing, Dr. Wood urged a unified state department of education and one in which the people of the state will continue to choose state school administrators by the ballot box.

Dodson School -

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Beavers. Officers of the club are Ruby Cornelius, president; Jimmy Wynn, secretary-treasurer; and Lora Beth Kellison, reporter.

Plans are being made for a school annual and the following staff was elected recently by the high school students:

Maurine Keefer, editor-in-chief; Harold Darby, business manager; Wilma Jean Powers, assistant editor; Edwin Bonneau, sports editor; T. E. Lennon, chief faculty advisor and Jimmy Wynn, executive secretary.

Judge and Mrs. C. C. Bishop and Mr. and Mrs. Heber Brantley were in Fort Worth last week to attend the funeral of their nephew, T. E. Furgerson.

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By MRS. A. V. MOTE

Capt. and Mrs. Kenneth L. Allen and son visited in the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Allen over the Thanksgiving holidays. Mrs. Allen returned home to Fort Worth with them for a three week visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Finnis Dobbins and Robert of Grand Prairie visited in the J. A. Dobbins home for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Shores and Delores visited over Sat. night with her family Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Allen. They returned home to Phillips Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hook and family were in Childress on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Skett Hook took their daughter Beatrice to Hedley on Saturday for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Connie Hartman visited in the home of his brother Mr. and Mrs. Orbie Hartman and family on Saturday.

Miss Bobbie Jean Harris was home from college for the Thanksgiving holidays.

A party in the home of W. H. Allen, on Saturday night, was enjoyed by all present. Games of 42, rummy, and others were played and apples were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Allen, of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Shores of Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence DeBord and children and Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Mote and family and Bill Casey of Childress.

Mrs. J. L. Hays, and Myra visited Misses Merle, Mary and Virginia Hays in Wichita Falls during the Thanksgiving holidays. Miss Larlu Hays of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pollard and son, James Hays were also present.

Public to Participate in Shriners Work for Crippled Children

The Shriners of North America are very active in their work with crippled children, said Austin O. Sweat. More and more cases regardless of race, creed, or color, are being treated.

While the Shriners of North America are financing this most worthwhile humane activity, they feel that others may want a part; and it is now possible for anyone outside of the organization to buy a Voluntary Contributing Life Membership in the Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children.

A beautiful certificate is issued those memberships, said Mr. Sweat.

Robert and Miss Barbara Baumgardner, students at Texas Tech in Lubbock were home for the holidays and had as their guest these fellow students, Miss Charlene Bucy of Tahoka, Miss Mary Jo Morrison, of Nashville, Tenn. and R. V. Boyles of Junction.

Jack Cain, wife and son from Phoenix have moved to Wellington and will purchase a business here. At the present time they are living with J. A. Beard.

PLATTER CHATTER

New records this week.

You Sang my Love Song to Somebody Else
Sinner City Sue

Bing Crosby 23508
Blue, Blue Eyes

Texas Tornado
Jimmy Wakely 46019

Too Many Irons in the Fire
I Guess I'll Get the Papers and Go Home

Mills Brothers 23638
South America, Take it Away

Route 66
Bing Crosby 23569

That Little Dream got Nowhere
Baby, Won't You Please Come Home

Eddie Heywood 23636
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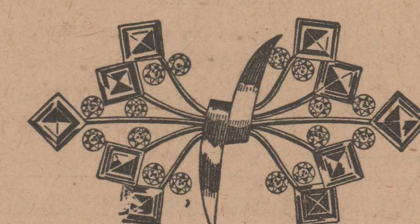
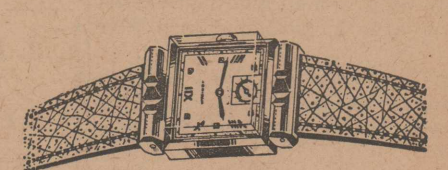
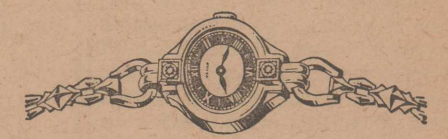
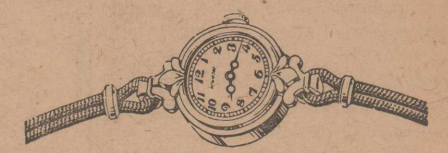
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