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LOCAL NEWS

Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Cooley of Grand Prairie will spend Thanksgiving Day with Rev. and Mrs. Roy Crossland and daughters, Shirley, Pam and Donna.

Mrs. Willie Mankins of Mt. Pleasant spent the week with her daughter, Mrs. Ivy Smith, while her sons, Preston and Leston Mankins went deer hunting in Red River County.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Welch were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harbourn, Mr. and Mrs. Cotton Phillips of Mt. Pleasant and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Leake, Talco.

J. F. Gable and Larry Gable of Oklahoma City spent Tuesday night with his sister, Mrs. Haskell Stockton and Mr. Stockton and his brother, J. R. Gable and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Glen Gieger of Ft. Worth, came Tuesday and took his grandmother, Mrs. B. L. Gieger to their home for Thanksgiving. Mrs. Gieger's son, L. L. Gieger and Mrs. Gieger of Oklahoma City will join them there for Thanksgiving.

JOHNTOWN

By RUBY PIRTLE

Jerry Rhodes, in the U. S. Navy is on furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Rhodes. He is stationed in Florida.

Jim Pirtle killed an eight point buck Thursday morning about 7 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Bale Stogner of Mt. Pleasant were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hervey Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ray Duffie have purchased Mrs. Mandy Parker's house and moved here. Gene Ray is employed in Paris.

The Sportsman's Corner

by Clark Webster, Remington Wild Life Expert

WATERFOWLING REMINDERS

THE WATERFOWLING SEASON IS HERE AGAIN, AND AFTER A LONG WINTER AND SUMMER, SOME REMINDERS ARE IN ORDER.



GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP DICTATES HUNTING WITH A RETRIEVER. IF YOU DON'T HAVE ONE, HUNT WITH SOMEONE WHO DOES.

REMEMBER THE BEST CAMOUFLAGE IS INEFFECTIVE IF YOUR FACE IS VISIBLE. WEAR A LONG BILLED CAP TO HIDE YOUR FACE.

LEAVE ENOUGH SPACE IN DECOY RIGS FOR DUCKS TO LAND. REMEMBER THEY ALWAYS TRY TO LAND INTO THE WIND.

SELECT YOUR SHOTGUN WITH CARE. THE REMINGTON MODEL 1100 AUTOMATIC SHOTGUN HAS A GAS METERING SYSTEM DESIGNED TO OPERATE WITH ALL KIND OF SHOTGUN SHELLS.

KNOW THE CHARACTERISTICS OF SPECIES COMMON TO YOUR AREA, AND KNOW YOUR TOTAL BAG LIMITS.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pirtle were their grandson, Steve Cecil of Talco and Miss Becky Cochran of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Wilkerson and family of Lewisville were here last week visiting Mrs. Lucille Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Wilkerson of Bogata and

they also visited in Longview. Sammie was on vacation from his job and got in some deer hunting.

Mrs. Grady Rhodes accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Patrick White of Mt. Vernon to Longview last Tuesday for mastoid surgery for Mrs. White. Her aunts, Mrs. M. J. Dodd and Mrs. Lucille Hawkins, visited her in the hospital there Wednesday.

W. S. Pirtle of Ft. Worth visited his mother, Mrs. Katie Pirtle, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd McGinnis of Long Beach, Calif., and three grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Winford McNabb of Weatherford, are visiting Mrs. McGinnis' mother, Mrs. Dessie Huddleston at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rhodes. They came here from Yakima, Wash., where they have been vacationing. They were snowbound coming here and stayed in a church with a number of other people traveling.

Mrs. Marvin Gardner entertained Wendell on his ninth birthday with a party Saturday afternoon. Nineteen of his friends attended and enjoyed playing games. Mrs. Olen Jessee helped serve the birthday cake, ice cream and punch. Wendell's sister, Jack-

ie, and brothers, Darrel and Clint attended the party.

Dan Thompson of Texarkana, was a dinner guest of Mds. Lucille Hawkins Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon York of Ada, Okla., visited her last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Hebert of Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hervey carried Mr. and Mrs. Ed Upchurch from the Bogata nursing home out to their home for lunch Sunday. Mrs. Hebert is their daughter.

Miss Bonnie Hinson spent Saturday night in Clackville with Miss Norma Jean Watson and her mother.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Drue Pirtle Saturday at their home here were Dale House, Mike Pirtle, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jean and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Pirtle and Vance. The occasion being Vance's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Garry Howard and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Rhodes, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Sells have moved into their new three bedroom and three bath brick home here. Sixty-five guests met there Saturday night for a housewarming. Home made cakes, coffee, punch and nuts were served. The hostesses were Mmes. Iretta Hervey, Eva Weisinger, Myra Joan, Charles Shockey, Jim Pirtle, Ray Dodd, Hettie Kyle, Ruth Watts, Mildred Bain, Beatrice Askins and Ruby Pirtle.

Patriots B-Girls Win Two and Lose One

Prairiland Patriot girls B-team participated in a tournament at North Hopkins during the week end. They lost their first game with Miller Grove 49-56. LaNell Nixon scored 30 points, Paula Crawford 13, Nealie Wood 6. Guards, Susan Swint, Redonna Annett and Jan Haley were cited by Coach L. C. Stout for their defensive play.

Patriots took the next game with Campbell 54-46. Nixon 29, Wood 18 and Crawford 15 leading scorers.

In the finals Patriots played Delmar's A-team, winning 43-41. High scorers were Nixon 25, Crawford 14, Wood 4. Guards played well in all games. LaNell Nixon was named to the all-tournament team.

Cotton Ginning Report Given

Bogata Gin had weighed in 1263 bales of cotton Wednesday morning.

Roy W. Gilreath, Officer in Charge of USDA's Dallas Cotton Classing Office said that beginning this week news releases on the quality of cotton classed at that office would show grade and staple code numbers rather than grade name or staple length in fractions of an inch. Gilreath noted that this is in conformity

with designations currently used on the "Green Leaf" classification cards that are returned to gins for producers showing grade, staple and mike.

Sample from 15,746 bales were classed during the week ending Nov. 19, bringing the season's total to 174,940. For the week, sample from 836 bales ginned in Lamar County were classed, bringing the season's total to 7194 from that county.

Consumer and Marketing Service records show grades averaging about the same, staple slightly shorter, mike slightly improved and ressey readings a little higher.

The leading grade continued to be grade 52 (Low Middling Light Spotted) accounting for 46 per cent of the cotton classed during

the week. In second place was Below Grades at 22 per cent followed by grade 53 at 13 per cent. Bark or Grass caused a grade deduction for 47 per cent of the samples.

Cotton stapling 30 (15/16") accounted for 58 per cent of the cotton classed. Second largest amount was staple 29, 16 per cent followed by staple 31, 15 per cent.

The 3.514.9 premium mike range accounted for 72 per cent of the cotton classed. Cotton in the 5.0-5.2 range amounted to 17 per cent and 5.3 and higher, 11 per cent.

Pressley strength readings averaged 76,000 pounds per square inch compared to 75,000 PSI the previous week. The range below 75,000 PSI accounted for 35 per cent of the cotton. The 75-79,000

PSI range accounted for 45 per cent and the 80,000 PSI and higher range, 21 per cent.

The market situation was virtually unchanged. The 26.00 to 27.00 cent range continued to account for most sales, with most trading on a hog-round basis.

Saturday and Sunday guests of Mrs. Inez Peaden were her mother, Mrs. A. D. Collins of Whitney and her sister and niece, Mrs. Ozell Slayton and Mrs. Bud Seibel and Billy of Waco. Other Sunday callers were Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Turner, Jewel Rowe, Mrs. J. R. Sloan and Mrs. Morris Trimm, Craig and Joe.

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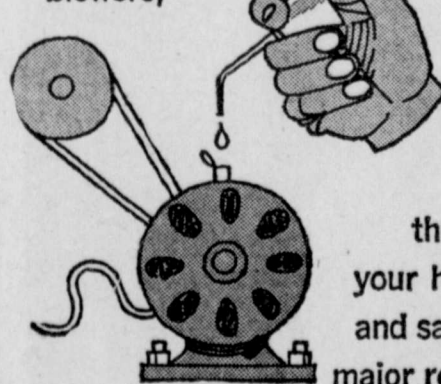
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Tips that can save you money on heating your home

1 Have your heating equipment serviced annually. Preventive maintenance on blowers, fans, belts and bearings and replacement of filters can increase the efficiency of your heating system and save the cost of major repair bills later.

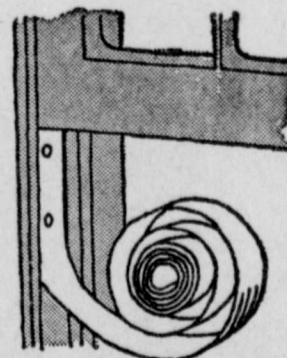


2 Use lower thermostat settings at night and when you're away from home.

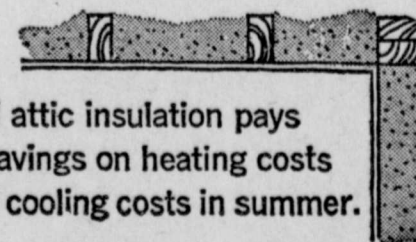
The U. S. Government advises that you can save 34% on heating costs for each degree you lower the thermostat for a period of 8 hours at night.



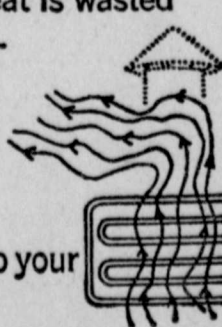
3 Weatherstrip doors and windows to keep out any cold air. Caulk cracks. Keep drapes closed, especially at night. Insulated-back drapes help prevent heat loss.



4 Wall and attic insulation pays for itself in savings on heating costs in winter and cooling costs in summer.



5 Clean, flameless electric heating is 100% efficient since no heat is wasted up a chimney or flue. Electric furnaces have heating elements that turn on in sequence for exact heat control... and the temperature stays closer to your thermostat setting.



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