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LAMESA CHRISTMAS SEASON HAS BIG OPENING

Plans Are Underway To Fill Empty Stockings

**W. P. WITT, CHAIRMAN
ASKS CO-OPERATION
EVERY STOCKING
TO BE FILLED**

The Dawson County Recreational Department in cooperation with the schools and civic clubs of Lamesa is planning to distribute food, clothing and toys to the needy people of Lamesa and Dawson county during Christmas week. Mr. W. P. Witt, is general chairman of the enterprise and has appointed a special committee, composed of Blaine Wiggins, G. M. Roberts, A. G. Bearden, Mrs. M. Q. Martin, and Mrs. R. R. Townsend, to assist in the work. It is the plan of the committee that these items will be distributed on December 20, and in that respect, it is requested that all people who have items of clothing, toys, food, etc., which they would like to contribute to the enterprise, to get in touch with some member of the committee.

All subscriptions must be in by December 18 in order that proper organization may be made for distribution of the goods. Some member of the Recreation Department will call at your house or place of business for any donation you would like to make. Mr. Witt states that the Recreation Department will rework old toys, dolls and other gifts and will assume the responsibility of distributing all goods donated.

Mr. Witt and his workers are to be highly complimented for this fine public enterprise, and it is urged that every citizen of Lamesa cooperate to make the program a great success. The elementary school children are planning to assist in providing food, clothing and other items for the program. The civic clubs are also cooperating by making special announcement and insisting that their respective members give full cooperation. This is the first county-wide Christmas enterprise of this type and it is hoped that everybody who can will participate in it.

COTTON MEN TO MEET HERE SAT. DEC. 18

All cotton producers, ginners, cotton buyers, oil men, compress owners and any others are invited to attend a meeting to be held in the district court room Saturday, December 18, at 9:30 a. m. F. E. Lichte, extension service cotton gin specialist, E. A. Miller, extension agronomist and possibly D. T. Killough, cotton breeder of Texas Agricultural Experiment Station will attend the meeting. Mr. Joe M. Peterson, chairman of the Dawson County Agricultural Association, will preside at the meeting.

The purpose of the meeting of course is to discuss the possibility of getting pure seed for planting purposes of the 1938 cotton crop. The main object is to see if the farmers of the county want to secure seed that will produce cotton of seven eighths inch staple and better.

All interested parties are invited to attend the meeting. There should be a lively discussion of the matter from both sides, the short staple advocates and the men who believe that it is more profitable to grow tenurable cotton staple.

Teachers And Trustees To Have Christmas Party December 16

On Thursday night, December 16, the teachers and trustees of the county will have a Christmas party at the Legion Hall, Mr. T. H. Bass, president of the Dawson County Teachers' Association announced.

The committee on entertainment has arranged an interesting program, to be climaxed with a Christmas tree and a real Santa Claus. There will be a gift for everyone present.

The committee announced that an admission fee of 25c would be charged at the door to cover expenses.

All teachers and trustees of the county and city schools are cordially invited to be present.

Principals of schools are requested to submit to the county superintendent an estimate of the number of teachers and trustees who expect to attend from each school by Tuesday, December 4.

Last Chance To Save Half On Your Courier Subscription

LOCAL PRISONER HANGS SELF IN CITY JAIL; HAD BEEN SENTENCED TO FOUR YEAR TERM

Fern Bickers, 24 years of age, and a prisoner in the City Jail of Lamesa, was found hanging in his cell at 11:00 Tuesday morning.

He was discovered hanging from the ceiling of his cell with a piece of his bed blanket knotted tightly around his neck and tied to the light cord near the ceiling. Jack Phibbs, City Marshal and Dr. O. L. Melroy made the discovery when they went into the jail to see another prisoner. The body was removed from the noose and efforts to revive the victim by artificial respiration were futile.

Bickers had been in the jail about two weeks and given 4 year in the State Penitentiary for automobile theft in a trial held in 106th Judicial Court here last week. He was in jail here pending his removal to the State Penitentiary. Bickers had previously stolen an automobile here in Lamesa and was caught in El Reno, Oklahoma and brought back to Lamesa for trial. Luther Standefer, City Jail Marshal, carried Bickers to the jail about one hour before he was found dead, but said he observed nothing unusual about the prisoner. A negro prisoner in an adjoining cell said he had talked to Bickers about thirty minutes before he was found dead, and said that he remarked at the time that he was going to get out of jail. Bickers' home is not known.

League Officers Named At Saturday Teachers' Meeting

The teachers of the county were well represented at a meeting held in the county court room Saturday morning, December 4, at 10 o'clock.

Miss Pauline Bulsterbaum opened the meeting by introducing the new teachers of the county. The teachers voted to reorganize the Dawson County Teachers' Association. Mr. T. H. Bass was elected president and Mrs. L. W. West, secretary.

It was decided to have an entertainment for teachers and trustees before the schools dismiss for Christmas holidays. The following teachers were appointed on the entertainment committee: Mr. Howard Humphrey, of McCarty, chairman; Mr. Joe C. Moore of Kev, Mr. Garland Trice of Sparenberg; Mr. Henry Cash of Lou, Mr. Ross B. Moore of Klondike; Miss Faye Anderson of Five Mile; Miss Edith Baker of Wilson; Miss Mary Bob Harrell of Hancock; Miss Della Dean of Woody; and Miss Jerry Williams of Ackery.

With Mr. V. Z. Rogers acting as chairman, the following Interscholastic League officers were elected: Mr. V. Z. Rogers, director general; Mr. W. C. McKenzie, director of debate; Miss Marguerite Flanken, director of declamation; Mr. Ralph Ranson, director of extemporaneous speech; Mrs. J. L. Morris, director of spelling; Mrs. Ruth McLaughlin, director of essay writing; Mr. J. H. Norris, director of athletics; Mrs. Matt McCall, director of music memory; Mrs. Alice Odum Lindsey, director of choral singing; Mr. Garland Trice, director of arithmetic; Mrs. Genie Skeen, director of picture memory; Mrs. Naomi Dement, director of story telling; and Miss Pauline Bulsterbaum, director of Three "R" and director of rural schools.

Following the business session, Mr. J. F. McDonald, chief of the division of extension, Texas Technological College talked to the teachers regarding extension work and described courses the college is offering by extension this year.

Stanley and Garvin Wilkes spent a few days this week visiting in Dallas and Tolar.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. McNew and Miss Opal McNew spent the weekend in Granite, Oklahoma at the bedside of Mrs. McNew's father. Mrs. McNew remained for several days visit.

Warning!

Attention is again called to the fact that the Courier has no solicitors or peddlers authorized to accept subscriptions. Those who subscribe for the Courier in this manner do so at their own risk and the Courier accepts no responsibility.

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97,000 BALES IN COUNTY GINNING IS ESTIMATE

With around 45,000 bales as a conservative estimate, ginned by the gins within the city limits and an additional 40,000 for the balance of the county Dawson county will go nearly to the 100,000 mark.

With gins still running twenty-four hours a day, and cotton and seed piled on the ground for lack of housing to protect it, the cotton boom is running full blast.

Indications are that Dawson county will be third for the section with Lubbock first and Linn second. The value of the crop for the district is estimated to be around thirty million dollars.

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City League Basketball Sponsored By Merchants

The Lamesa Recreation Department is planning to sponsor City League basketball teams for both men and women to begin within the next week or so. Local merchants are being asked to act as sponsors for the different teams. Stores having already signed up to sponsor teams are as follows:

Collins Dry Goods, Scott's Tailor Shop, Caldwell's Tailor Shop. We expect to have at least 5 more sponsors before we begin play. The CCC camp will probably sponsor a team in the league.

Each sponsor pays five dollars to enter its team in the league, which money is used to meet expenses as janitor service, heat, lights, water and basketball officials, etc.

The Recreation Department is an active member of the Texas Amateur Athletic Federation, Inc., whose mission is, "To create and maintain in the State of Texas a permanent organization representative of amateur athletics and of organizations devoted thereto; to establish and maintain the highest ideals of amateur sport in the State of Texas; to promote the development of physical education and to encourage the standardization of rules of all the amateur athletics, games and competitions." Therefore, the basketball teams will be governed by T.A.A.F. rules and regulations in their play.

A city tournament will be held for both men and women, the winning teams to be sent to the District Meet and if they win there they will be sent to the State Meet.

Courier To Hold Rates Open Only Short Time

"We simply can not do without the Dawson County Courier" is the expression that is heard daily around the Courier office. From the hundreds of people that have subscribed for their "Home Town" paper the Dawson County Courier in the last few weeks come many words of praise as well as stories of money saved by shopping "The Courier Way." Many subscribers report that the subscription price of fifty cents a year is saved several times during the year and that shopping "The Courier Way" is a time saver as well.

Only a short time remains for the people of this territory to take advantage of the bargain rates now in effect and the few families that are not on the Courier mailing list are urged to come in at once while the price is only fifty cents a year. The subscription price of the Courier will be advanced to \$1.00 a year just as soon as the bargain rates are closed. Courier subscribers are urged to tell their friends and neighbors about the money saving advantages, and quick convenient plan of shopping "The Courier Way." No doubt there are a number of families that intend to subscribe for the Courier while the bargain price of fifty cents is in effect but if they are not careful they will be too late and the price will be \$1.00 before their intentions become a fact.

District Health Nurse Inspecting Schools In County

Miss Nora Carlton, district health nurse for the Panhandle counties, has been in the county this week making a survey of the health conditions in the schools.

The purpose of such a health program is to study the children's needs and to give each one the best possible opportunity for normal growth and development.

Miss Pauline Bulsterbaum, county superintendent accompanied Miss Carlton as she visited the rural schools of the county.

CHRISTMAS OPENING GOES OVER BIG WHEN SANTA CLAUS PARADES STREETS

LEGION CONVENTION WELL ATTENDED HERE

The Nineteenth District American Legion and Ladies' Auxiliary Convention which was held in Lamesa, December 4th and 5th, was well attended and came to a successful conclusion at 3 p. m. Sunday.

It was estimated that about 125 delegates and visitors attended the convention from 29 American Legion Posts in this district, and all were high in their praise for the fine spirit of hospitality and excellent entertainment accorded them by the Legionnaires and people of Lamesa.

The convention was presided over by J. M. Wilson, executive committeeman from Post, Texas, who arrived early Saturday to complete arrangements for the convention. Committee meetings and features of entertainment were held Saturday night, but the convention proper was held Sunday.

The convention adjourned at 3:00 p. m. Sunday, after what was said to be the most successful convention ever to be held in this district. Local arrangements were in charge of G. M. Roberts, J. D. Dyer, V. Z. Rogers and Mrs. Annie Crow.

NEW GIN OPENED BY HOLLINGER AND FREEMAN

A new gin opens Saturday, December 11, on Highway No. 15, just at the south edge of town.

The building housing the Freeman-Hollinger's latest gin, completed, and practically all of the machinery now in place, their crew to operate the gin selected everything is in readiness for the wheels to start turning Saturday morning.

Mr. Hollinger, gin manager, stated to the Courier representative this week the gin is operated by this firm of experienced men who have been in the ginning business since 1914 at other places in Texas and are now operating gins at Coleman and Eden, Texas, both sides, the short staple advocates.

Mr. Hollinger invites cotton growers to bring their cotton to them for quick and efficient service, proper handling and with the knowledge that their cotton will not be cut to pieces in the ginning.

Mexican Woman Killed In Sunday Collision

In a crash between a car and truck on Highway 9, Sunday night, one person a Mexican woman, Bertha Garcia, 40 years of age, from Austin was killed and Dr. Cockrell of Abilene received a broken arm and other injuries.

Dr. Cockrell returned to Abilene Monday.

The truck in which the Mexican woman was riding had some fifteen Mexican in it at the time. The accident occurred about twelve miles south of Lamesa.

Conference Held On Proposed School Buildings

Mr. W. T. Strange of Big Spring visited Lamesa Saturday night for a conference with school authorities on the proposed buildings which are being considered because of the increased scholastic population. Definite plans have not yet been determined upon. The present studies center about a building for housing twelve class rooms and another for physical education courses.

Education Official Visits Dawson Schools

Mr. V. B. Watson, general supervisor of the Vocational Rehabilitation Division of the state department of education, in Dawson county last Tuesday on official business. He called upon several crippled adults, while here, principally in the interest of continuing training courses which will enable handicapped persons to be self-sustaining. Mr. Watson attended the weekly meeting of the Lamesa Luncheon Club at the Plaza.

The official opening of the Christmas season last Friday afternoon was attended by several thousand people. Old Santa Claus, who arrived only a few minutes before the big parade started, was the honor guest of the occasion and distributed candy to the children.

A parade, beginning at the City Hall and continuing around the square, was led by the Lamesa Band. Old Santa followed the band riding in the City's new truck, throwing candy to the children.

The remainder of parade was made of new cars furnished by the various dealers in town and specially decorated cars representing some of the places of business in Lamesa. At the sound of the fire siren at 5:00, the parade started, and at the same time, the merchants unveiled their beautifully decorated windows.

Old Santa Claus stated to officials that his visit in Lamesa was very pleasant and that he would be back Christmas.

LOCAL MERCHANTS AWARDED PRIZES ON XMAS DISPLAYS

Collins Dry Goods Store was winner of the grand award in the Christmas window decorations in last Friday's Christmas program.

The special windows were prepared as a part of the program for the official opening of the Christmas shopping season in Lamesa. The judging committee composed of five members made two rounds of the windows, one by day and one by night. The members of the committee visited the windows separately and neither member of the committee knew who the other members were.

Taylor-McCall Drug Store was awarded first place among drug stores. Earnest Motor Parts firm, in hardware. Gambill's Store first among variety stores, and Hatch Grocery first for groceries. About twenty-five merchants participated in the enterprise and the Chamber of Commerce wishes to express sincere appreciation for this fine cooperation. It is planned that this occasion shall become an annual affair and will improve each year. It was estimated that at least 2000 people were in town for the program and many were heard to express appreciation for the program. The beautiful show windows were visited and complimented by hundreds of prospective buyers.

MEEK'S GROCERY MAKES THEIR OWN SUGAR CURE

For more than 25 years, Mr. Meeks of Meeks Grocery, has manufactured his own Dry Sugar Cure for fresh meats.

Attention is called to an advertisement appearing in this issue of the Courier regarding this highly recommended preparation.

AMONG THE YOUNGER SET



BETTY JOAN WOODS
Photo by Rogers Studio

This happy little lady is Betty Joan Woods, 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Woods, who have made Lamesa their home for the past two years, residing at 311 N. Dallas Street. Betty Joan has blue eyes, blonde hair. She is a very active little girl and is very fond of pets.

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Courthouse News

Oil and Gas Leases and Assignments

C. C. Koger to C. L. Griffin, oil gas and mineral lease, north one-half section 44, block 35, township 4 north, T & P. Nov. 30.
W. L. Woodward to C. L. Griffin, oil gas and mineral lease, south one-half section 3, block 35, township 6 north, Georgetown Ry. Co. survey, Nov. 30.
R. L. Gilbert and Dixie Kilgore to C. L. Griffin, assignment of oil and gas lease, northwest one-fourth, section 19, block 34, township 5 north T & P. survey, Nov. 30.
W. L. Lee to M. C. Lindsey, oil gas and mineral lease, east one-half section 133, block M. E. L. & R. R. Dec. 4.
M. C. Lindsey to Texas & Pacific Coal and Oil Company, assignment of oil and gas lease, east one-half section 133 block M. E. L. & R. R. survey, Dec. 4.
Federal Life Insurance Company to C. L. Griffin, oil and gas lease, north one-half section 6, block 2, township 6 north, one-half section 18, block 34, township 5 north, T. & P. survey, Dec. 4.

D. E. Richards, Chevrolet deluxe sport sedan.
A. J. Thweatt, Studebaker sedan.
T. E. Temple, Hudson six sedan.
A. G. Gray, Willys.
E. C. Nix, Dodge Express.
E. V. Cornett, Chevrolet Master town sedan.
B. F. Day, Plymouth deluxe sedan.
B. F. Mann, Dodge Coupe.
George Barkowsky, Chevrolet Master town sedan.
Jeff W. Lee, Hudson Terraplane Brougham.
C. L. Turnbow, Chevrolet pick-up.
Bonnie King, Pontiac sedan.
Woodie T. Smith, Dodge sedan.
J. R. Dennie, Chevrolet Master town sedan.
H. R. Cope, Chevrolet truck.
J. H. Davison, Chevrolet Master town sedan.
R. B. Adams, Ford deluxe coupe.
Ray Pennington, Chevrolet deluxe town sedan.
Doc. Gillaspie, International pick-up.

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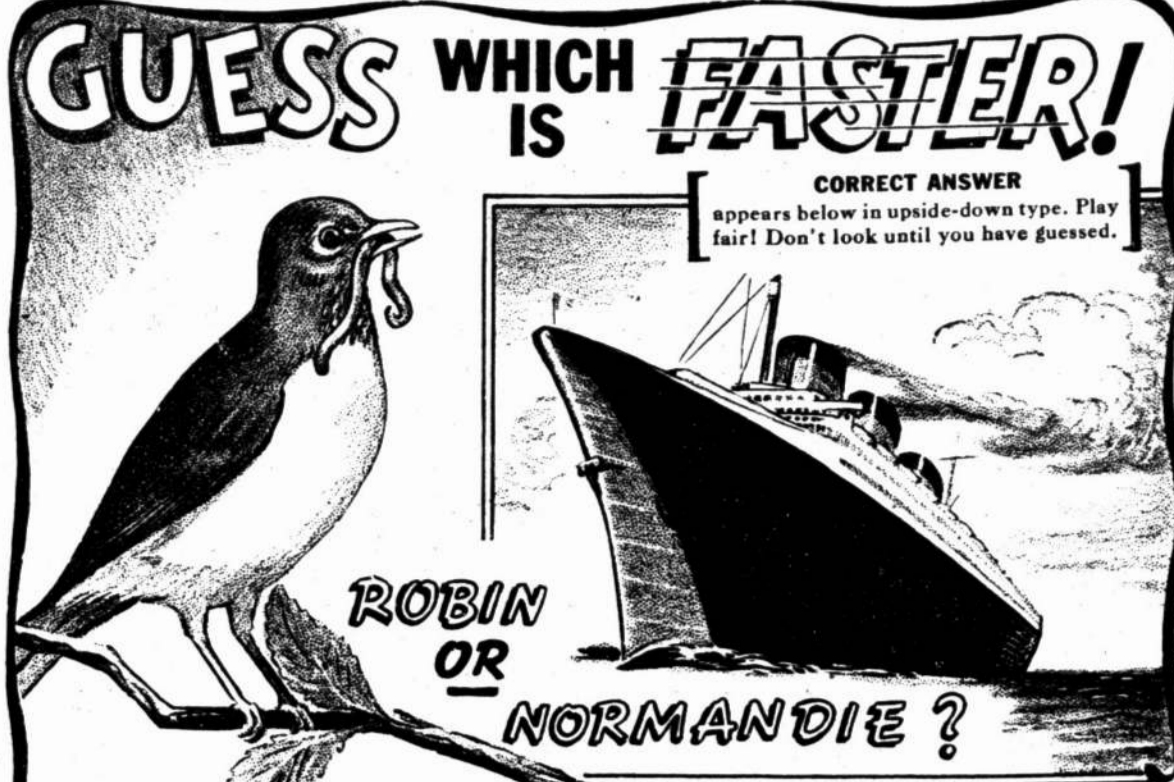
Gregorio M. Rodriguez and Maria Uryida, Dec. 1.
Paul McDaniel and Miss Mary Jo Henry, Dec. 1.
Harve Albert Davis and Miss Alma Alleen Livingston, Dec. 3.
Joe Eddie Williams and Mrs. Ethel Johnson, Dec. 3.
Leo Nichols and Miss Leona Tolbert, Dec. 4.
Theodora Silba and Lindra Martines, Dec. 4.

New Cars Registered

Syd Coffman, Chevrolet Master town sedan.
J. J. Flache, Chevrolet deluxe sedan.
F. L. Cook, Plymouth deluxe sedan.
Whit Coor, Plymouth 2-door sedan.
W. M. Coor, Plymouth 4-door sedan.
L. A. Lewis, Plymouth 4-door sedan.
J. E. Liles, Hudson Terraplane sedan.
Mattie Phenix, Chrysler Royal Brougham.
Otto Riethmayer, Chevrolet sedan.
George W. Holley, Chevrolet town sedan.
E. L. Ewing, Dodge 4-door sedan.
Alva Lee, Plymouth deluxe sedan.
W. V. Lawrence, Dodge 4-door sedan.
Hail Derstine, Chevrolet town sedan.
T. B. Fulkerson, Ford Truck.

Warranty Deeds

W. M. Yates to W. S. Matthews, quitclaim deed, 2 acres off northeast corner, section 29, block M. E. L. & R. R. survey, Nov. 30.
Rilla Schooler to W. S. Matthews, quitclaim deed, 2 acres off northeast corner section 29, block M. E. L. & R. R. survey, Nov. 30.
J. R. Johnson to G. C. Johnson, warranty deed, 10 acres off northeast corner, survey 41, block 35, township 6 north, Nov. 30.
Mrs. Dora Coffee to Mrs. Nina Jewell Elliott, warranty deed, lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12, block 14, Lee Addition town of Lamesa, Dec. 1.
C. T. Locke to Amicable Life Insurance Company, quit claim deed, sections 97, 98, 106, 107, 128, 135 and 104, block M. Dec. 1.
Meyer Gabert to Maxine Hirsch, warranty deed, southeast one-fourth section 34, block 36, township 5 north Dec. 1.
Anna M. Jayson to J. W. Greene, warranty deed, lots 1, 2, 10, and 11 block 9, Lee Addition Lamesa, Dec. 2.
Olin Nix to Herman Burkett, warranty deed, northwest one-fourth section 19, block 34, township 5 north, T & P. Dec. 2.
W. S. Matthews to R. L. Brown, warranty deed, 2 acres off northeast corner section 29, block M. E. L. & R. R. survey, Dec. 2.
James M. Caldwell to J. C. Billingsley, quitclaim deed, lot 5 block E. D.

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W. Adams, first addition to Lamesa, Dec. 3.
A. C. Moore to Ira J. Cox, warranty deed, lot 7, block 2, Second Morning Addition, Lamesa, Dec. 4.
J. A. Hancock to the Public of the Hancock community, warranty deed, 16 acres, northeast part survey 30 block 7, T. & P. Dec. 4.
Mrs. D. J. Cook spent the weekend in Wichita Falls where she visited her son.
J. C. Duff attended the Boy Scout Court of Honor in Lubbock Friday night and spent the weekend there with his grandmother.
Mr. and Mrs. S. P. White and Miss Elwanda Oliver spent Sunday visiting in Portales, N. M.

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Rural Correspondence

MT. OLIVE

Viola Stovall, Corers.

Mrs. Lillian Dyer, Mrs. Hugh Greer and son, True Dyer and Ernestine Nix visited in Lubbock Sunday afternoon. Grandma Rushing, who has been visiting at Hamlin returned home Saturday.

Glenwood Stovall of Patricia visited some folks Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hipsher of Coleman spent the weekend in the W. P. Stovall home.

W. M. Buchanan is on the sick list. Mrs. W. M. Buchanan's brother from Hamlin visited here Sunday.

Jim Dunn purchased a new Ford pick-up last week.

PATRICIA

Eudora Bruce, corers.

Ott Carroll of Rankin is visiting his brother, L. Carroll.

Tom Glenn, Mrs. Irvin Snell, Mrs. C. E. McGregor and daughter, Arnelle have returned from a visit near Fort Worth.

L. A. Lewis and E. S. Bruce made a business trip to Abilene Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Collins made a business trip to Abilene Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Collins made a business trip to Big Spring Saturday.

Albert Davis and Allene Livingston were married Friday.

and Mrs. L. A. Lewis and daughter, Odie of Klondike visited Mr. and Mrs. Earle Bruce Thursday.

Mrs. Arthur Latson and the baby of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Chapman and Mrs. R. T. Hightower are on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Othwald Burton of Loving N. M. spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Burton.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Bruce and daughter, Eudora took supper with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Beeman of Klondike Friday.

M. C. Bruce filled the pulpit for Bro. Priddy of Klondike Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Davis of DeKalb visited his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Noble Dean Friday, and Mr. Davis and Mr. Dean made a business trip to Hobbs, N. M.

Mr. Slater H. Johnson made a business trip to Stanton and Big Spring Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Bingham carried a group of school children to Big Spring to render a program over the radio Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Dossey visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Dossey of Klondike Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie McGregor are the proud parents of a baby girl.

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FIVE MILE

Amelia Foster, corers.

Sunday school and B. T. U. were well attended Sunday morning and night.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rickman of Weaver spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Olan Rosewell and family.

Herbert, Glenn and Dewane Foster spent the week end visiting relatives and friends at Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Petteway and family made a business trip to Big Spring Saturday.

Tom B. McBrayer and Geneva Earnest are on the sick list this week.

Shop "The Courier Way" and save money.

SAND

Julia Grayson, Corers.

We had a nice size crowd for Sunday school and the Juniors rendered a good B. Y. P. U. program that night. We are expecting a large crowd for the Workers' Meeting Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ebbie Lee and son made a business trip to Lubbock Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sparks are the happy parents of a son born November 28

who has been named Marlin Ridgell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Goodloe and baby moved back into our community Monday and are getting things in readiness to resume school work.

Joe and Albert McGuire were transacting business in Ballinger, Texas on Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. W. R. Jeter returned home Monday after a several days visit with her sister in Tahlequah.

Sunday guests in the C. K. Smith home were Mrs. Ralph McDougal and children, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Freeman and son of Ballard.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Knox and daughters were in Big Spring and San Angelo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bean and family spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Jones.

Mr. J. O. Anderson, was a very pleasantly surprised Thursday evening with a birthday party. He received several presents. Also a number of lovely birthday cakes which were served to the large crowd with coffee and hot chocolate.

Mr. R. C. Lee and Elmer are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Layton near Seminole.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Payton were called to Brownfield on account of the illness of his sister, Mrs. Green.

HIGGINBOTHAM

Mary Smith, corers.

Sunday school was very well attended. Every one come back next Sunday and ask some one else to come with you. We were glad to have the new members last Sunday. Visitors are welcome to all services.

The Womens Missionary Society met with Mrs. Marcus Debnam Wednesday December 1, with nine visitors present. The next meeting will be with Mrs. W. A. Lewis, December 15.

Mrs. Horn and Grandmother Knoble, who have been ill were both reported better Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Horn is on the sick list. We hope that he will soon recover.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wyatt of Anson visited their daughter and her husband Mr. and Mrs. Tolbert Blackstock Sunday. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sanders.

Marie House, John Stanford, Preston and Logan Cozart and Mary Smith attended singing at Patricia Sunday night.

Several visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Horn and Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Baxter Sunday.

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Club News

CENTRAL H. D. CLUB

The Central Home Demonstration club met last Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Justice Walls to elect officers for the coming year.

Those elected were Mrs. Jack Wall, president; Mrs. E. A. Twedt, vice-president; Miss Vida Adkins, secretary; Mrs. C. A. Russell, council delegate; Mrs. Gus Schmidt, treasurer; Mrs. Elmer Walls, reporter; Mrs. Joe Shackelford, yard demonstrator and Mrs. I. A. Sasser, kitchen demonstrator.

Eight members were present.

MIDWAY H. D. CLUB

The Midway club held its achievement program in the home of Mrs. C. W. Shafer, December 2. Ten members were present. Visitors from Shumake club were: Mrs. J. B. Speck and Mrs. R. S. Stamfield and from the Central club, Mrs. E. A. Twedt, D. A. Sasser, Gus Schmidt and Claud G. Gowen. All were happy to have Miss Phenix meet with them again.

Kitchen and Wardrobe demonstrations were given and the following program: "The Accomplishments of the Club," as to membership and leadership, Mrs. C. E. Woodward, wardrobe, by Mrs. Harvey Weir, kitchen by Mrs. C. W. Shafer, the club share in county-wide activities by Mrs. W. J. Stanfield the program for 1938 year-book by Mrs. A. S. Riddle the Midway club will meet in the home of Mrs. C. R. Woodward for a Christmas program, December 17.

WELCH H. D. CLUB

The Welch H. D. club met in the home of Mrs. Bill Coor's Thursday December 2. Delicious refreshments of sandwiches, cake and hot chocolate was served to twelve members and two visitors.

A Christmas program was put on during the meeting, a song (Holy Night) was sung by all, a reading was given by Mrs. Lynn and Little Bubbles Galloway. After the program and our business was attended to, we had our Christmas box.

Club members watch the paper to find out when and where our next meeting will be. It will be some time in January.

DAWSON COUNTY HOME DEMONSTRATION COUNCIL

The Dawson County Home Demonstration Council will meet in the office of Miss Mattie Phenix at 2:30 p. m. December 11. Miss Phenix will be present at this meeting.

The 4-H and Home Demonstration club reporters for 1937 and the newly elected reporters for 1938 are invited to be present at a meeting in Miss Mattie Phenix's office at 2 p. m. Saturday December 11. This meeting will be immediately before the Council meeting so please be there promptly at 2 p. m.

Mrs. Lee Bradford returned Saturday from Menard where she attended the funeral services of a brother.

Floyd Crowell of Menard spent a few days here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bradford last week.

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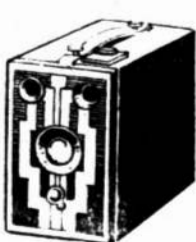
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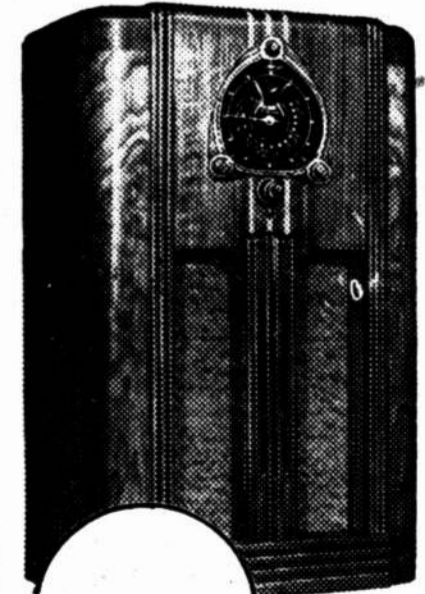


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- Christmas tree light sets, complete 35c
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- DOLLS & DOLLS—A great showing from 1c to \$4.95
- Christmas Cards, Seals, Tags and Wrapping Paper at 5c and 10c

- Men's Gift Sets from 25c to \$4.98
- Ladies Toilet Sets from \$4.98 to 25c
- Manicure Sets, some with zippers 10c to 98c
- Men's Garter and Suspender Sets 49c & 79c
- House Slippers, many styles 35c to \$1.89
- Robes, Gowns, Sweaters, Hose and Gloves
- Men's Ties, Scarfs, Hose and Shirts all at Special Sale Prices

- Broadcloth Shorts, 35c values 25c
- Ladies' All-Wool Sweaters, reduced from \$1.95 to \$1.48
- Full-Fashioned Silk Hose, on sale at 49c
- Crepe Chiffon Hose 2-thread—very sheer 98c
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- 26-Piece Sets, Rogers' Guaranteed Silverware \$3.48 to \$5.95
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Highway Bidder To Be Made Public By State Dept.

Austin, Tex. Nov. 29.—State Highway Engineer Julian Montgomery issued instructions today that the present method of withholding names of prospective bidders on contracts be abandoned by the State Highway Department. He expressed the belief that better bids could be obtained on construction contracts, resulting in a saving to the state.

"The records of the highway department are open to every citizen of Texas," said Mr. Montgomery. "From now on material men and others interested in knowing the names of contractors who have obtained proposals will be given that information upon request so that they may have plenty of time to quote contractors and in order that the state may receive the advantage of competitive quotations."

As an added service he stated that a bulletin board would be placed in the lobby of the highway building, adjoining the office of the pre-qualification engineer, B. W. Coulter, on which each project to be let would be listed. As fast as the proposals are given the contractor, the contractor's name will be entered under each proposal as a prospective bidder on that project.

He also called attention to the fact that proposals may be taken out on particular projects after the list is posted and that the department at no time assumes responsibility for the list being complete.

According to highway officials, in order to interview a comparatively few contractors bidding on a particular job the previous system required material men and other interested parties also to interview every highway contractor to sell material on the specific project. Mr. Montgomery declared that the new method automatically eliminates this difficulty.

Cotton Grades Are Slightly Lower In Texas For Week

The grades of cotton for Texas this week are slightly lower than those of previous weeks and are also lower than the total for the season.

Grades, however, are much better this week and for the season than those of last year for similar periods. Slightly over one-third of the cotton this week was White Middling and better with a similar proportion for White Strict Low Middling and Low Middling. All spotted grades represented 32 per cent for the current week. About 3 per cent of all cotton during the week was of undentable grades. A larger proportion, 9 per cent of undentable grades has been reported to date in district 5, than in other districts of the state.

Based on the official cotton standard 25 per cent of all cotton classed to date this season has been White Strict Middling and better, 30 per cent White Middling and 19 per cent White Strict Low Middling and Low Middling. Approximately 35 per cent of the cotton this week was shorter than 7-8 inch staple, which is a much larger proportion than for any previous week this season.

Texas produces all of the materials used in the manufacture of automobile tires except rubber. The Texas Planning Board reports in calling attention to the fact that Texas, with its cheap natural gas, cotton, sulphur, mild climate, intelligent labor and deep water ports, should produce a large percentage of the automobile tires now used in the United States.

A National Youth Administration work project in Dallas for improving and beautifying the grounds of the City-County Hospital System has been approved. J. C. Kellam, state youth director, announced. About 60 youths will be employed.

Through the Texas offices of the Junior Placement Service, sponsored by the National Youth Administration and the Texas State Employment Service, private placements made during the year ending November 1, 1937, numbered 5,587. During the year 12,070 youths registered.

J. C. Kellam, state youth director has announced that an NYA work project for improving and landscaping the campus of the Carthage High School has been approved. The work will employ about 30 youths.

Fourteen NYA youths improving the campus of the Center Point school during the last 15 day period have laid 32 feet of cobble stone walk and 40 feet of brick walk, and leveled the campus. J. C. Kellam, state youth director has been advised.

Youths assigned to a park improvement project at Ballinger constructed approximately 155 cubic yards of masonry wall during the last three months, cleared and leveled the park area, constructed 10 stone entrance markers, and prepared and planted 20 flower beds. J. C. Kellam, state youth director, has been advised.

Increasing Influenza Reported In Texas By Health Dept.

Austin, Tex. Nov. 29.—Reports from widely separated parts of Texas to the State Health Department indicate that influenza is on the increase. Recent snows and colder weather account for the increase, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State health officer.

Colds, gripe, influenza or whatever we may call them are believed to be spread from person to person through discharges from the nose and throat. To protect yourself and others from such discharges, here are precautions to be followed. Influenza is highly infectious. Practically everyone is susceptible to it.

No matter how many times you may have had the disease, you may contract it again. Therefore, keep away from people who are sneezing, coughing or sniffing, or who are actively ill with influenza or pneumonia.

Keep away from crowded places. Have your own towel and drinking cup and always wash your hands before eating.

Keep yourself as fit as possible. Drink plenty of water, eat simple nourishing food, exercise out of doors every day, dress according to the weather, get plenty of sleep in a well-ventilated room.

If you feel an attack of flu, or even what you may think is an ordinary cold, coming on, go to bed, send for your doctor, and follow his directions. A cold can too easily develop into a fatal mistake.

Marine Corps To Take An Unlimited Number

An unlimited number of men will be enlisted in the United States Marine Corps during the month of December and will be sent to San Diego, California, for training it was announced here by the officer in charge of the Marine Corps Recruiting Office, Dallas.

Applicants must be of good moral character, white single and without dependents, between 18 and 30 years of age, not less than 64 inches nor more than 74 inches tall. Those under 21 years of age must have consent of parents or guardian.

Applicants not living in the immediate vicinity of Dallas may secure application blanks and physical examination forms from the local postmaster, and have a physician of their choice give them a preliminary examination. On receipt of these forms at the Dallas Headquarters, the applicant will then be notified whether or not to report for final examination.

Plans are being made in five districts for the election of District officers for 1938. Officers have been selected in the Northern District. The election will not be held in the Southern, Southwestern, Northwestern and Eastern Districts until after the first of the year. Meeting of the District Committee in these districts are being held in December to make plans for meeting and the appointment of a nomination committee.

District meetings scheduled for the next few days include Southwest District at Brownfield, December 7; Southern District at Lamesa, December 8; Western District at Whiteface, December 6; Northeastern District at Floydada, December 9; and Northcentral District, December 13, at Plainview. District meetings for election of officers are being held in the Southeastern District at Slaton and Central District at Lubbock though the dates have not been set.

The leaders selected for the North-

ern District Committee were: Dr. R. F. McCasland, Tulia, re-elected as chairman; with Joe Mercer, Silverton and H. T. Batchelder of Dimmitt as vice-chairmen. Other officers selected were: Rev. A. A. Peacock, and Rev. John Thomas, both of Silverton; Rev. A. C. Huff of Tulia and C. O. Byrne of Dimmitt.

Application has been made by the Northwest District Court of Honor Committee to the National Council, Boy Scouts of America, in behalf of Lester Hammons of Troop 20 at Muleshoe for a Life Saving award. The deed was done at the Muleshoe swimming pool this past summer while Scout Hammons was watching a number of other boys playing in the pool. One, he noticed, was going under and calling for help. With his clothes on, he immediately jumped into the water and rescued the boy and thus saved a life. The application will have to be approved by the National Court of Honor whose chairman is Daniel Carter Beard. Should the application be accepted, Lester will receive his Life saving medal with special recognition.

F. Gallman is Scoutmaster of Troop No. 20, and Lester is one of the Patrol leaders.

SOME CHRISTMAS CUSTOMS

The beautiful customs of using Christmas trees in our home and elsewhere, come from Germany, where the origin is lost in Mythology. The Yule Log, mistletoe, plum pudding, and Christmas cards originated in England. Santa Claus, first visited the Dutch boys and girls. Turkey and pumpkins are contributions from our own United States.

PROSPECTORS

At a meeting of the ward school basketball players Friday, a name was chosen. We live at K'ondike and since we already have Gold Diggers, we decided that we needed some Prospectors so that is our name.

The Prospectors, composed of ward school juniors, are anxious to play basketball, and invite any other teams of ward school juniors to play with us. Write Mrs. W. C. McKenzie for a date.

Recommendations which will solve the major water problems in the five Texas drainage basins have been forwarded by the Texas Planning Board in Washington for submission to Congress. Recommendations call for the expenditure of approximately \$300,000,000 in Texas.

The Texas Planning Board has learned that Cellulose, which may be derived from East Texas pines and other woods, native bamboo, ragwoods, sweet potatoes and a dozen other standard crops, is now being used in artificial silks, lacquers, paints and enamels, celluloid and collodion used for water proofing materials.

LOCALS

Tell your friends and neighbors about the 50 cents-a-year bargain rate now in effect at the Courier office. Shop "The Courier Way" and save money.

Miss Renice Teague underwent an operation for appendicitis at a local hospital Tuesday night.

E. H. Lambert is a patient at a local hospital where he underwent a minor operation Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Bone of Seminole are the parents of a baby boy born Tuesday morning at a local hospital. The young man has been named Luther Wayne.

George Beal is in a local hospital this week suffering from an infected knee.

V. L. Smith is a patient at a local hospital suffering from an attack of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Robertson had as their visitors this past week, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Mitchell of Midland, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray DeWoody of Washington, D. C. Mr. DeWoody is connected with the department of Justice at Washington.

Helen Brown Henry, three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Henry of Welch is a patient at a local hospital where she is being treated for burns she received Tuesday night when her dress caught on fire at the family home.

Mesdames D. S. Day James Sumpter, O. C. Speck, Jap Baldwin and son and Misses Peggy Sue Sumpter and Ewarda Gilbert were Lubbock visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Spalding and son spent last week visiting in Sonora.

Renew your subscription today and enjoy the weekly visit of your home.

Azil McClentock of Tech spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McClentock.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bryant of Sweetwater spent Sunday here with Mrs. Bryant's sister, Mrs. Jim Waldrip and Mr. Waldrip.

SOME CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

In Russia friends greet each other with "greetings for the Lord's Birth." In Rumania, they say "Good morning to Uncle Yule" while in America and England we hear snouts of "Merry Christmas."



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SOCIETY

Miss Ruby Randals Bride-Elect Honored With Shower

Complimenting Miss Ruby Randals, bride-elect of Mr. Darwin Sprawls, Mesdames W. H. Bennett, R. R. Townsend, Ed. Hatch, Matt McCall and Miss Florence Lawson, entertained with a shower on last Wednesday afternoon at the Women's Club House.

Fall flowers of vari-colors were used in profusion in the entertaining rooms forming an attractive setting for the lovely affair.

A delightful musical program was rendered with Mrs. Dick Randals of Snyder, aunt of the honoree, presenting her daughter, Mary Ann in several piano numbers, and Patsy Jo Hicks also of Snyder in tap dancing.

The tea table laid in an Italian cut-work cloth, was centered with an attractive bowl of red carnations. Tall tapers burned in crystal candelabra. The refreshment plates held canapés and tea, with favor being pom-pom chrysanthemums. Miss Nina Payne Bennett and Miss Florence Lawson presided at the tea service.

Mrs. Guy Simpson, as Santa Claus presented the bride-to-be with many beautiful gifts from the guests.

About 50 guests attended this lovely in-honor affair.

New Officers Elected For Missionary Society

The Mary Bowen Missionary Society met Monday, November 29, at the home of Mrs. N. H. Price, with the following program being rendered:

A solo given by Mrs. Price; a candle lighting service rendered for the installation of officers for the coming year, this was under the direction of Mrs. Guy Simpson. Mrs. Dean gave a reading, which was dedicated to Mrs. Simpson.

The following are the officers elected: President, Mrs. Roy Hooack; vice-president, Mrs. Jeff Dean; recording secretary, Mrs. Blaine Wiggins; corresponding secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Clayton; study superintendent, Mrs. Lex Brock; Christian social relations, Mrs. M. W. Todd; superintendent of outdoor, Mrs. Wright; superintendent of publicity, Mrs. R. E. Reising; superintendent of supplies, Mrs. Leonard Scott; superintendent of local work, Mrs. Kenneth Cox.

At the conclusion of the meeting a delicious refreshment plate of salad cookies and tea was served to those in attendance.

Mrs. A. E. Jacobs Hostess to Happy Dozen Club

Mrs. A. E. Jacobs was hostess to members of the Happy Dozen club on Wednesday afternoon at her home.

Games of 42 were the main diversion of the afternoon, at the conclusion a delicious refreshment plate of English Plum pudding and coffee were served to the following guests, Mesdames Russell Clark, W. K. Crawley, W. H. Bennett, Arthur Hill, E. R. Tinsley, Clyde Privitt, V. O. Key, W. T. Webb, George Norman, W. P. Arvitt and Mrs. Hoskins.

Mrs. W. K. Crawley, was voted into the club as a member at the Wednesday meeting.

Wednesday Bridge Clubs Met With Mrs. W. B. Collins

Members and guests of the Wednesday afternoon Bridge Club were entertained this week by Mrs. W. B. Collins at her home on South First Street.

Christmas decorations were used in all appointments, climaxing on the refreshment plate. Plate favors were Christmas tokens.

In the bridge games, Mrs. W. A. Wallace won the high score award with slam prizes going to Mesdames A. G. Barnard and Tom Burnside.

Those attending were: Mesdames A. G. Barnard, Audrey Cox, E. A. Conley, M. Q. Martin, Loo Randals, A. N. Randle, L. B. Reed, Tom Burnside, N. H. Price, T. F. Vaughn, W. A. Wallace and Gus Ragsdale.

Mary Francis Barnard Honored On Birthday

Complimenting their daughter, Mary Francis on her birthday, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Barnard entertained with a surprise turkey dinner at the country club on last Wednesday evening from 6:30 to 8:30 p. m.

Guests for the occasion were Francis McCollum, Kent Morgan, Sally Brannon, Henry Marshall Bennett, William Russell Reising, Malcolm Harp, Nadeline White, Snooky Weekes, Clayton Barkhurst, Trinka Norman, Jack McBride, Helen Ruth Allen, Wilma Faye Mitchell, Allen Barnard, James Boone, Bob Beal and Jo Irvin Bailey.

Miss Ruby Randals Complimented With Bridge-Breakfast

Honoring Miss Ruby Randals, who on December 18, will be married to Mr. Darwin Sprawls, Mrs. Weldon Lindsey entertained on last Saturday morning at the M. C. Lindsey home with a bridge breakfast.

The entertaining suite was made attractive with bowls of cut flowers, with four tables arranged for breakfast and bridge. White and yellow chrysanthemums formed the table decorations.

The guests enjoyed a delicious breakfast, consisting of tomato cocktail, ham and rice, strawberry preserves, hot rolls and coffee. In the bridge games Mrs. A. G. Barnard won an ice tray as the high score award, and Miss Florence Lawson a match holder for the traveling slam prize which they in turn presented to the honoree. Miss Randals was given a salad bowl by the hostess.

The guest list included Mesdames Dan Ogletree, Mike Garvin, Ralph Stuart, Matt McCall, Jack McLaughlin, Jessie Mae Owensby, Elzie Burleson, Davie Jones, Loo Randals, Ed Hatch, A. G. Barnard, W. H. Meech, Misses Jeanette Townsend, Florence Lawson, Pinkie Brack and the honoree, Miss Randals.

Dan Davis, Jr. Honored on Birthday

Mrs. Dan Davis entertained last Friday afternoon at her home at which time she honored her son, Dan Jr. on his 6th birthday.

Various group games were enjoyed by the guests, with refreshments of birthday cake and punch being served at the conclusion.

Those attending were Dellajane Yates, Nona Dean Mitchell, Stephen Gregg, Guy Mack Wilmon and Helen Woods.

Pioneer Club Members Met With Mrs. Joe Barron

Mrs. Joe Barron entertained members of the Pioneer club on Tuesday afternoon this week at her home.

At the conclusion of the games of 84 the guests were served a delicious salad course with fruit cake.

Those attending were: Mesdames W. V. P. Baker, W. H. Bennett, Dixie Kilgore, R. E. Simpson, A. M. Bennett, D. S. Day and A. H. Smith.

Miss Ola Fuels And Wendell Jordan Married Saturday

Miss Ola Fuels became the bride of Mr. Wendell Jordan on last Saturday evening, the ceremony being read in Carlsbad, N. M.

Mrs. Jordan has made her home here for a number of years, but had recently been employed in Odessa.

Mr. Jordan is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Jordan of this city, he is a graduate of the local high school, and is employed with his father in the trucking business.

Mr. and Mrs. Jordan will make their home here.

Let's Talk about Clothes

Denton, Tex. Dec. 7.—A clothes Christmas will definitely solve your gift problems. You can search far and wide and not find any sort of knickknack that will take the place of "something to wear" in the hearts of your donees.

From "her to her" the gift can be almost anything in the stores, from handkerchiefs to fur coats. But the closer the friend the more you're supposed to know about her preferences. Do not get her something that anybody could select; make it personal. Instead of a pretty brown bag, get her a good-looking suede purse in a color that will go "just right" with that bottle green suit of hers. And don't force her to get a new dress in order to wear a pair of gloves your fancy dictated.

The only way to get a truly desirable clothes gift is to study your friend's needs. If her workaday outfit is all in good condition except for a scarf or bag or pair of gloves, replace the worn out part. If her best dress could be changed favorably by the addition of a colored scarf or some swank new gloves take it upon yourself to change it.

From "him to her" the gifts are somewhat limited, but there is just as much of an opening for skill and imagination. TSCW girls pick the man who knows that there are two main types of perfume, flower and blended and that his lady love prefers either one or the other. If, in addition he knows the best brand of her favorite scent, he will soon outdistance his dulled brother who gets "anything that smells good."

MULLINS 4-H CLUB WAS ORGANIZED NOVEMBER 30

The Mullins 4-H club met on November 30 and reorganized with the following officers being elected: President, Donnalita Love; vice-president, Estelle Riddle; secretary-treasurer, Vaundane Guinn; reporter, Dorothy Lee Jeter.

All members are urged to be present at next meeting day.—Reporter.

Mr. Charles Hatchett, Co-ordinator of Diversified Occupations in Lamesa high school, visited similar classes in Big Spring on Wednesday for the purpose of observing the program and methods in operation there.

Mrs. Arch Heffernan was called to Big Spring the first of this week because of the illness of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Slaughter.

New Books Are Received At Public Library

New books received at the Lamesa Public Library this week are: "Judith Blue" by Jackson; "A Voice in the Wilderness"; "The Best Man"; "Lonesome Ranch"; "Boss of the Lazy Y"; and "101 World's Classics."

The Lamesa Public Library located at the City Hall, is open to the public each week day afternoon from 12 o'clock to 5 p. m. and on Saturdays, from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m.

T. M. McGuire Passed Away Here

T. M. McGuire, 49, passed away at his home on the T. M. Kay farm, on last Friday evening, November 3. The body was carried overland by Higginbotham Funeral Home to Big Spring where it was sent to Clarksville for burial.

Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Clara McGuire, two daughters and four sons and one brother, B. M. McGuire of Stringtown, Oklahoma.

Local Mason Honored At Grand Lodge Meet

At a recent Grand Lodge of Texas Masons held at Waco, Vernon Bryant of Lamesa was appointed District Deputy Grand Master for 80th Masonic District a signal honor and the Courier joins his friends in offering its hearty congratulations.

Tuesday Fun Night At Athletic Club

W. P. Witt, supervisor of the local recreational club, states that every Tuesday night is fun night at the Athletic club, and on this night the children are sent home and the entertainment is for the old folks, who have lots of fun playing games and "visiting."

All parents are urged by Mr. Witt, to take advantage of this night and attend and enjoy an evening of fun with the neighbors.

Clarence C. Reynolds Buried At Ackerly On December 4

Funeral services were held at Ackerly on Saturday, December 4, for Clarence C. Reynolds, 67, who passed away at his home here on Friday. The services were conducted at the Baptist church with burial being made in the Ackerly cemetery.

Mr. Reynolds had resided in Ackerly for the past 14 years, and leaves many friends to mourn his passing.

Funeral Services For Eutha Adams Held Last Monday

Miss Eutha Adams, 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Adams of Ackerly passed away at the family home on last Sunday, December 5. Funeral services were held on Monday at the Ackerly cemetery.

R. O. Carnes Buried Here Monday, Dec. 6

R. O. Carnes, 64, resident of Slaton for the last 10 years, and a pioneer of the South Plains, died suddenly last Sunday night, at the home of a relative in Lubbock.

He had been in ill health for several months and had gone to Lubbock for medical treatment.

Funeral services were conducted here at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon at the First Baptist church with Rev. E. F. Cole officiating, assisted by Rev. Jno. Hardesty of Slaton.

Survivors are his widow; two sons, R. B. Carnes of Levelland and Otis Carnes of Lamesa; and step-son, Palmer Anderson, Lamesa, and several grandchildren.

Funeral Services For Barrett Child Held At Fairview Monday

Shirley Joy Barrett, 10-month-old child of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Barrett passed away at a local hospital on early Monday morning following a several days illness.

Funeral services were conducted at the Fairview cemetery on Monday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. with Rev. J. W. Braswell officiating.

Survivors are the parents, four brothers and three sisters.

L. R. Bohannon Dies At Home

Funeral services were held here November 5, for L. R. Bohannon, 77, who passed away at his home on Saturday at 10:45 p. m. Rev. J. C. Foster, pastor of the Church of Christ officiated at the Lamesa cemetery.

Mr. Bohannon is survived by his wife and several children.

Murray Couch was treated at a local hospital Wednesday morning for head injuries, received when a brick fell on him while working on the new Federal Building.

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HANCOCK
 Mary Bob Harrell

A community Christmas tree, sponsored by the Sunday school was arranged for Sunday night after church services. Mrs. G. W. Ward was named chairman of the decoration committee and Webb Weaver is the head of the committee to secure the tree.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Fillpot of Klondike visited Mr. and Mrs. George Fillpot Saturday.

Mutt Fillpot received slight injuries Thursday when the car in which he was riding collided with another car which was pulling a trailer. The accident happened near Matador.

Gilbert Hensley of Grandbury, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Page Nelson went to visit his sister, Mrs. G. W. Nelson of near Lamesa Friday.

Leon Light of Lubbock is visiting his sister, Mrs. Oscar McLendon this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Hughes and daughter, Hazel of Tahoka visited his brother, Fred Hughes and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Parker visited her mother, Mrs. A. G. Stricklin of Lamesa Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Williams of Lamesa, and H. B. Delbert and Elbert Harvick visited in Odessa Sunday.

Mrs. Julia Chapman and sons and Preech Chapman visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fisher of Five Mile Sunday.

Basketball games between the O. K. and Hancock teams have been arranged for Friday afternoon, December 10, at Hancock. Both the boys and girls teams will play.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Reeves and little son and daughter visited in Crane Sunday.

Mrs. W. P. Avriett of Lamesa visited in the Jack Meares home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gore of O. K. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Meares Sunday.

Mrs. J. E. Pounds and daughters attended the 50th wedding anniversary of her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lane of Lamesa, Dec. 1.

Guests in the Pounds home last week were Marvin Lane, Wayne and Mozelle Meissner, Mr. and Mrs. Frank, and Mr. and Mrs. Max Meissner, all from Kilgore.

Mrs. F. Ward visited her son Clarence Ward of Ballard Monday.

Floyd Reeves, Syd Coffman, Mrs. G. F. Ward, John Nelson, F. M. McLendon, R. L. Butcher and J. T. Davis have bought new Chevrolts this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Bookman and little daughter of Cisco visited her brothers here Monday and Tuesday. They spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Paul McLendon.

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KLONDIKE
 Louise Foster, Correspondent

Bro. Priddy preached at the South Side church Sunday morning. An offering was made for Buckner's Orphan's Home amounting to \$51. Bro. Bruce of Patricia preached Sunday night.

Mrs. R. I. Foster, Mrs. J. M. White, Mrs. W. I. Norman of Anson and Mrs. J. P. Lendon of Colorado spent Wednesday night with B. F. Day and family.

J. H. Foster and family visited G. W. Hyatt and family of Lamesa Sunday morning.

Those that purchased a new car last

week were: L. A. Lewis, B. F. Day, Juttie Dennis, and D. Richards.

The Klondike School broadcast over KBST, Big Spring, Sunday.

HIGHWAY
 Audrey Whitmore, corres.

All that were present enjoyed the sermon delivered by Rev. Jno. R. Denning Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvie Wier visited friends in O'Donnell Sunday.

Mrs. Raymond Styrn and children and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Styrn and son of Lamesa visited Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Holmes Sunday.

We were very sorry to hear that Mrs. Jno. R. Denning is on the sick list. We hope her a speedy recovery.

Mervin Tennyson is visiting relatives in Eastland county.

Those that visited in the L. C. Speck home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Towns of Lamesa, Mr. and Mrs. Pruitt of Five Mile and Miss Bennie Speck of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Sutton and Mrs. Skeen of Lamesa visited church Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tennyson made a business trip to Big Spring Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lauderdale visited Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Hodge of Soash Sunday.

Mrs. Lockhart of Lamesa visited Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Hill Sunday.

Jess Underwood, Savoy Tennyson and H. A. Wright visited in O'Donnell Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carver and children of Tahoka visited Mr. and Mrs. Travis Richardson Sunday.

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FLOWER GROVE
 Katie Dyer, corres.

Sunday school was not so well attended. We ask more to attend these services.

F. W. Beckmeyer and family spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Corbie Williams of Klondike.

J. M. Trile and family and Miss Maurine Trice of Sparenberg spent Sunday in the home of A. J. Beckmeyer.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Nichols spent Wednesday with J. P. Nichols of Knott

Evrene Samples of Abilene visited his son, R. H. Samples the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Marsh were called to the bedside of a friend in Brownwood.

Clyde Carmichael of Mt. Olive spent Sunday in the home of Doris Carmichael.

T. O. Sims and daughter, Bertha Mae, were visitors in Lamesa Sunday.

Duffie Jeffcoat and family of Knott were guests in the home of H. C. Jeffcoat Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Samples attended the funeral of Mrs. Mae Camble of Big Spring.

Dillard Jeffcoat and family have moved to Scurry.

Leroy Cook has purchased a new model Plymouth.

Mrs. Bob Burns is reported to have pneumonia. We hope her a speedy recovery.

Raymond Duffie of Wilson attended services Sunday afternoon at our church.

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FAIRVIEW
 Georgia Mae Gibson, corres.

Sunday school and singing was fairly well attended both Sunday and Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Tipton and son spent the weekend in Amarillo.

Misses Lydia and Lillian Holt, Mary Harp, Miss Athlie Stafford spent Sunday with Misses Audine and Corine Harp.

A box supper will be held at the Fairview school house Tuesday night. The money raised will go to get a new sweaters for the girls basketball team.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gibson and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Man- cil Garton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jo Bankhead have left for parts in East Texas.

Everyone reported a nice time at the party given by Misses Elizabeth and Charline Attebury.

We are sorry to report that Billy Jo Harp had the misfortune of getting his arm hurt badly at school Monday.

Mr. Fay O'Brien spent the weekend visiting home folks. Mr. and Mrs. Connie O'Brien accompanied him back to Lubbock Sunday.

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SPARENBERG
 (By Mable Patchman)

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Barkowsky and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. X. R. Banks near Brownfield.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pruitt spent last week in New Mexico with the daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Burish and Francie visited Mrs. Burish's Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tyler Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hull and son were at the bedside of his brother last week. The brother is ill in a Big Spring hospital.

Those who attended the Home Economics meeting in Midland Saturday were: Crystal Crow, Catherine Patchman, Sindy Belle Robinson, Mrs. Lane and Miss Page.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Lindsey and son of Anson spent Thursday night in the Odie Green home.

Mrs. Willner Cole was honored with a shower last Tuesday in the home of Mrs. J. T. Pruitt. She received many useful gifts.

There was a large crowd at Sunday school and church Sunday. The new pastor at the Methodist church, Rev. Kendall filled his appointment. We extend to him and his family a hearty welcome to our community.

Several in this community have new cars.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burdine and family went to Brown to church last Sunday.

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Rev. and Mrs. O. A. Brown and Ronald Gene left Monday for a two weeks' visit in Altus and Konowa, Oklahoma.

from a visit with his father at Bentonville, Arkansas. He was accompanied home by Miss Katherine Austin and Mrs. Rai Steele, sisters of Mrs. Hoback who will visit here.

Ray Hoback returned last Tuesday

1937 Agricultural Payments To Begin During December

College Station, Nov. 29.—The Texas Agricultural Conservation Committee expects payments under the 1937 Agricultural Conservation Program to start shortly after the first of December according to Geo. Slaughter, Wharton chairman of the group.

The committee, in the course of its monthly meeting at Texas A and M College indicated that most of the payments would be made in December, January and February.

"The state AAA office here at College Station is equipped to check applications and to pass them on to the General Accounting Office at the rate of some 3,000 a day," Slaughter said. "This means that the limiting factor in paying farmers and ranchmen is the number of applications which we receive from the counties."

No payments can be made to any county until it has sent in at least 75 per cent of its total applications, according to Slaughter. This minimum has been set as the lowest figure from which the county expenses of administering the program can be calculated. The county expenses are deducted from the payments.

The committee took steps to urge counties to send in their applications for payments as soon as possible. Meanwhile the committee pointed out that farmers had until December 31 to earn payments under the 1937 program by sowing soil building crops, especially winter legumes, and by carrying out other conservation payments.

"Texas farmers earned only about four and a half million dollars in payments out of the more than six million allotted to the State under the 1936 program," Slaughter said.

Safe Winter Driving Lies In Avoiding The Sudden, Quick Moves

The proper technique of safe winter driving rests primarily upon the avoidance of quick, sudden moves of any kind, according to a bulletin issued by Chevrolet this week in the interest of traffic safety under hazardous road and weather conditions.

Modern motor cars are engineered for year-round operation; the bulletin states, and the driver who takes full advantage of their engineering refinements can reduce driving hazards to a minimum. The principal source of such hazards lies in poor tire traction on icy pavements where safe driving depends on the avoidance of any abrupt application of either the power or the brake.

Some of the points stressed in the bulletin are:
"A good driver uses second speed extensively in stopping, in approaching in-

tersections, and in turning corners. With the synchro-mesh transmission, it is simple and easy to shift to a lower speed and maintain control of the car at all times. Another important point is to leave the car in gear when slowing down so that the engine may act as a brake.

"Cultivate the habit of giving other drivers ample notice of your intention to stop, turn, or slow down," the bulletin continues. "Even though you may have your own car under control, the driver behind you may not be so fortunate. Never permit the wheels of your car to spin if it can be avoided. Spinning wheels may cause dangerous skids and if they come into contact with a spot of dry pavement and thus gain sudden traction, a heavy strain is placed upon the propeller shaft and rear axle.

"Good visibility, always of the utmost importance, is assured in winter driving by the use of defrosting units which are available in several forms at moderate cost. Chains add traction in snow, but they should not be relied upon to take the place of sensible driving as a guard against skidding.

"Besides making for greater highway safety, these suggestions will prolong the life of any car if they are followed the year round. Proper care of the car in cold weather adds immeasurably to driving pleasure. The engine should never be raced because lubricants flow more slowly when the engine is cold and the stress on engine parts is increased."

History of Texas Found In Newspaper Titles

Among the titles of early newspapers can be found an indirect history of Texas. First comes "El Mexicano" in 1815 at Nacogdoches, and after several other papers with a Mexican touch "The Constitutional Advocate and the Public Advertiser" was issued in Brazoria in 1833. "Advocate of the People's Rights" was another step up and in 1834 the "Texas Republican" appeared. Another Brazoria paper, "The Single Star," reflects the period of statehood and in 1839 one finds the annexation problem mirrored in the title, "National Intelligencer," a Houston paper. A still later publication, begun in Austin in 1846 looks to the future as the "New Era."

COUNTRY CLUB MEMBERS TO HAVE CHRISTMAS PARTY

A Christmas party will be held at the Lamesa Country club on Tuesday night, December 1, for members of the club and their wives. A covered dish supper will first be held with a Christmas tree later in the evening. The party will start at 7:30 p. m.

Inquiries for information on Texas agriculture have been received by the Texas Planning Board from Agriculture experts in Australia, New Zealand, South Africa and England.

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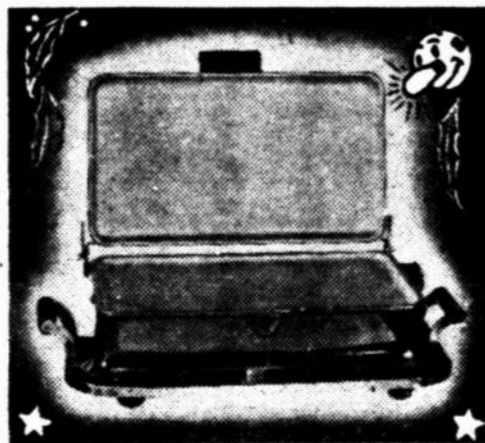
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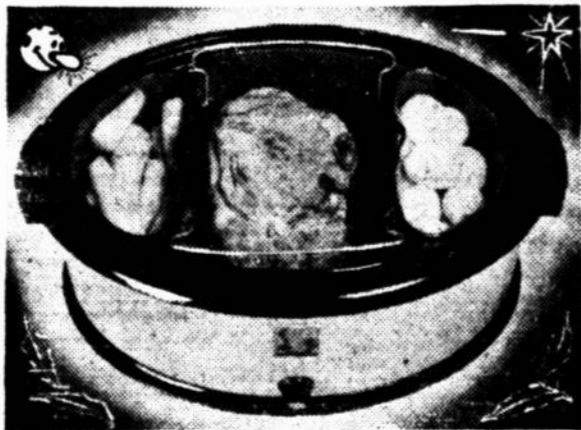
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Strip Cropping Is Proving Beneficial To Plains Farms

Littlefield, Tex. Nov. 22.—Strip cropping and contour farming not only are playing a big part in stabilizing this section of the Texas Panhandle against wind erosion, but also are helping to give the farmers their best yields in years.

The case of H. C. Miller, farming 11 miles northeast of Littlefield, is one of many that might be cited where yields have been increased through the use of soil and moisture conservation practices.

Miller who is 37 years old, moved to Lamb county from near Cordell, Okla. in 1929. He rented until 1934 when he bought a farm of sandy soil having a slope of from two to four per cent. Miller's farm, like many others in this area, was suffering from wind erosion. Having been a farmer all his life, Miller soon realized that the poor yields following year after year were leading him to ruin. He was discouraged and about ready to leave the country when he observed the soil and moisture conservation work being demonstrated on the Soil Conservation Service camp area near Littlefield. Miller decided to become a cooperator and make a last stand to save his farm. Last spring, he started planting strip crops on the contour, alternating twelve rows of grain sorghum with thirty-six rows of cotton.

This fall Miller is harvesting the first bumper crops he has been able to grow on the farm he has owned since 1934. W. T. Cook, a neighbor who has lived in the community for many years, declares Miller's crops are the best since the land was broken out for cultivation. Miller now is one of the most enthusiastic co-operators of the Soil Conservation Service.

Similar soil and moisture conservation efforts on the part of many other farmers have served practically to eliminate wind erosion in this area.

A. B. Chapman, superintendent of the Littlefield demonstration camp, reports that 3,929 acres within the area are believed stabilized against blowing and that only 4,500 acres may be expected to blow under normal conditions.

The stabilized land includes 6,000 acres of good sorghum cover, 1,742 acres that have a protective cover of wheat stubble or growing wheat, 23,000 acres in native grass, 377 acres in annual grasses or weeds that will hold during the blowing season, and 21,099 acres protected by strip crops.

Dr. T. O. Walton To Address Safety Ass'n.

Houston, Tex. Nov. 29.—Dr. T. O. Walton, president of Texas A. and M. College, will be the principal speaker at the statewide gathering of the recently created Texas Safety Executive Association, which will be held at the Druehl Hotel, Austin, December 3.

Attending this session, which will be the first such meeting of the T. S. E. A., will be safety engineers from throughout the state.

The T. S. E. A. will become a permanent organization as the result of this meeting. It was announced here today by R. B. Rooper, chairman of the T. S. E. A. committee on temporary organization.

This meeting will bring to an end a statewide educational campaign designed to inform the public of the plans of the organization, which was formed for the purpose of furthering the cause of safety in all lines.

During the Austin meeting the association will elect officers and directors. Endorsed by Governor James V. Allred and other officials the T. S. E. A. is growing at a brisk rate and inquiries are being received daily from safety engineers and others from throughout the state.

The purpose of the organization is to mobilize and utilize the training and experience of safety engineers, men who have reduced the industrial accident rate by more than half during the past year, its officials pointed out. The membership is at present made up of professional safety workers—men who have spent their lives studying accidents, their causes and methods of eliminating them.

The association will have an important message to relate at the Austin meeting.

Big Supplies Of American Cotton Depresses Market

College Station, Nov. 29.—In the 1931-32 season cotton sold at five cents a pound according to a statement recently prepared by E. A. Miller, agronomist of the Extension Service of Texas A. and M. College, who has long been prominent in cotton improvement work. The statement was made in connection with the current informational program now being brought before Texas farmers and ranchmen.

Cotton supplies, made up of production plus the carry over of cotton from previous years, amounted to almost 26 million bales at the end of the 18 seasons between 1920-21 and 1936-37.

During the three seasons, when supplies of American cotton were about 20 million bales, the price was around 12 cents a pound. For the 1937-38 season, with an estimated supply of almost 24 million bales, the price has slumped to around 8 cents.

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Proper Salting Important to Proper Range Conservation

Amarillo, Tex. Nov. 29.—The importance of proper salting as a means of grazing control cannot be overestimated, says Ray Watson regional range examiner for the Soil Conservation Service in the wind erosion area.

Experience and observation have shown that proper salt distribution offers one of the most effective means of accomplishing a uniform utilization of range forage. This applies particularly to range or pasture where parts of the area are a half mile or more from the stock water supply, Watson says.

"Livestock will travel as far to reach a salt supply as they will for water," Watson believes. "Therefore since salt is a daily requirement for livestock, by proper placing, it can be used as a lure to remote parts of the range where there is no water supply and where grazing ordinarily would be light if at all. The fact that salt can be moved easily enables the farmer or rancher to change the ranging of his herd from one part of the range to another."

"In order to accomplish this result, it is essential that no salt be available for the stock near the water supply. Ordinarily, in pastures of a section or less, there should be only one place for stock to procure salt at any one time."

"Salt boxes, in order to be moved easily, should be constructed of two-inch material, about two feet wide and three feet long, and six or eight inches deep. The box should be fastened on wheels four or five feet long to serve as skids or runners. A crosspiece across the ends of the skids will provide a means of pulling the box with tugs or lariat rope where short moves are to be made, or the box may be loaded readily on a wagon or truck if a longer move is desirable."

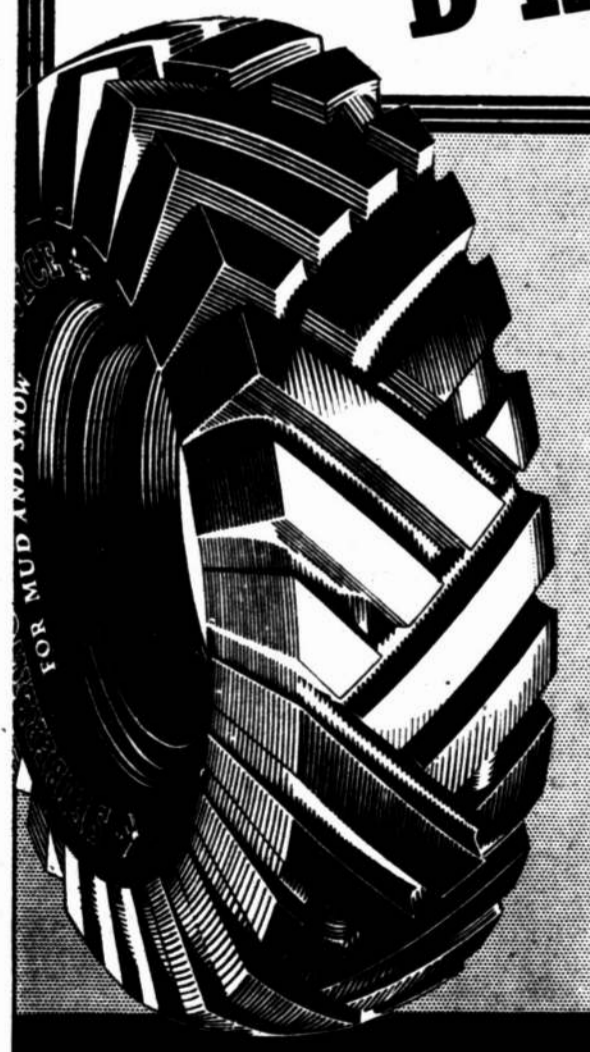
"The practice of salting near water which is so prevalent, should be discouraged even in smaller pastures, Watson says, except where only a few head of stock are supplied with both salt and water in the barnyard and then graze out into an adjacent area not more than a quarter of a mile from the barn."

"The range examiner warns that salting on the ground should be discouraged for the following reasons:

"The constant trampling of the soil soon creates a water-tight, compact depression around the salt. When rain or snow fill the depression the salt dissolves and seeps into the soil. This causes an increase in the necessary salt supply. When the salt supply is exhausted, it has been observed that cattle will eat the salt-soaked soil wearing down their teeth and sometimes causing digestive disorders and a resultant loss of weight," Watson says.

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"THE REST OF THE RECORD"

By James V. Allred

Austin—A few daily papers last week carried the story of an incident in Waco, which while amusing, affords considerable food for thought.

The story reported the meeting of a group gathered from various points over the State to discuss the endorsement of a candidate for governor who would stand for a full pension of \$30 for every person over 65 regardless of need. Various possible candidates had representatives there trying to line up the old folks' vote.

The amusing thing is that with one exception none of the talked-of candidates have made any public statement as to whether they favor pensions for everybody, or for the needy only. The meeting broke up without any candidate securing an endorsement, but with the understanding that one would be endorsed later on.

Now everybody is interested one way or the other. Whether we favor pension for everyone, or for the needy we ought to know just where the candidates stand. Certainly no

secret commitments or promises should be acceptable to even those who favor pensions for everybody.

We don't know yet, of course, just who will be candidates for governor. Several months are still ahead before the time expires for announcements but the point is that none of us ought to tie ourselves up to any candidate until we have some open public statements as to their views not only on this important question but on many others.

Many people, for instance, on both sides of the question would like to know the platform of each candidate on sale of liquor by the drink; on the general sales tax on taxing oil and other natural resources; on an income tax; on a one-house legislature; on the race track gambling law; and on law enforcement.

You know of the fine work that has been done by the Public Safety Commission in driving the big-time gamblers out of Texas. They have had to fold up their tents and get out of business. There is hardly a large community in Texas that has not been benefitted by being rid of the presence of these racketeers. Naturally the gamblers and racketeers are intensely

16 Highway Projects Improved In State During October

Austin, Tex. Nov. 29.—Sixteen highway improvement projects completed by the State Highway Department during October included approximately 20 miles of concrete pavement, 32 miles of

asphalt surfacing, 36 miles of road grading, 25 miles of other road improvement, and three bridges. It was announced today by Julian Montgomery, state highway engineer.

Projects completed were: Baylor county, 11.95 miles of asphalt surfacing from Mabelle to Wilbarger county line; Cass county, five miles of concrete paving from Atlanta to John's Creek; Foard county, four miles of asphalt surfacing, Crowell to four miles south; Gregg county, four miles, grading and structures, connecting highway 135 and 26; Hamilton county bridge over Lampasas River; Knox county, 6.2 miles of asphalt surfacing, from Benjamin to two miles past North Wichita River; Lynn county, 11 miles of asphalt base preservative, from west of Tahoka to Terry county line; Mills county, 9.8 miles of asphalt surface, from Mullin to Goldthwaite, Montague county, 3.4 miles of concrete paving, Red River to Gingsgold; Panola county, 8.9 miles of concrete paving, Deberry to Louisiana state line; others included: Presidio county, 13.6 miles of grading and drainage structures, from Ochoje to Marfa; Shelby county, 2.24 miles of concrete paving from Jacquin to Sabine River bridge; Starr county, 15 miles of Caliche and gravel base from Roma to Zapata county line; Stonewall county, 11.8 miles of grading and drainage structures, from Swenson to Kent county line; Throckmorton county, 6.43 miles of grading and drainage structures, from Elm Creek to Young county line; and Zapata county Arroyo Valeno and Dolores bridges.

I happen to know that agitators who are interested in bringing about "sit-down" strikes in the future are trying to get quiet commitments from certain candidates that they will not be interfered with. I know the people of this State will not stand for this unlawful method of taking possession of property, or for violence on either side.

Let's find out about a candidate's attitude before we make up our minds to support him.

Finally, it might be a good idea to withhold judgment until we can examine the records of some of the suggested candidates; and see how those records fit in with their platform declarations, if they make any.

There is still lots of time for us to get the facts; and I have an idea the facts will be forthcoming in due time.

how Santa Claus, the jolly spirit of Christmas, did his work through us by saying, "He could do it through you because there is love in your hearts. And that is as it should be. Christmas, as you know, is the birthday of Jesus, who taught us so much about love."

DANCE

And enjoy the evening. Get aching corns off your mind GREAT CHRISTOPHER Corn Remedy removes the corn, roots and all. It never fails. at Morris-Cleveland Drug Co.



FIRST AID FOR CHILLS!

MISTER, don't suffer with chills and chattering teeth. When Old Man Winter starts dishing out chilly sauce for your gooseflesh, get into HANES Underwear!

Slide your feet through the legs of a Heavyweight Champion . . . draw its sleeves onto your arms . . . button up and feel the comfortable warmth in its soft, luxurious snugness. Mister, when you get into this underwear, you're weather-proofed for Winter!

HANES gives you another kind of comfort, too—freedom from pinching and pulling. You can stretch your arms . . . sit and cross your legs . . . nothing cuts or binds! Buttons, buttonholes, cuffs, and seams are sewed for keeps—Not to keep your wife sewing! See a dealer today.

A nearby dealer has HANES Union-Suits, \$1 up . . . Shirts and Drawers from 75c . . . Boys' Union-Suits, 75c . . . Merrichild Sleepers, 75c. Also WINTER SETS (the new shirts and knit shorts illustrated at right), 50c to 75c each. P. H. Hanes Knitting Co., Winston-Salem, N. C.

HANES

THE ANTI-FREEZE UNDERWEAR FOR MEN AND BOYS

THIS IS THE UNDERWEAR WE RECOMMEND FOR MEN AND BOYS

COLLINS DRY GOODS CO.

R. N. Kaval made a business trip to Mnohans and Odessa Monday.

KLONDIKE SCHOOL NEWS

At the regular meeting of the Busy Bee club Friday afternoon, a very interesting Christmas program was given. We are getting the Christmas spirit early. Laura Mae Matthews explained

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**JUNIOR CLASS PLAY
TO BE GIVEN HERE
THURSDAY, DEC. 16**

"Life Begins at Sixteen," a hilarious comedy of youth will be presented by the Junior class of Lamesa high school at 7:30 p. m. on December 16, in the high school auditorium. This play has been hailed by critics everywhere as reflecting the life and manners of Young America as very few plays have succeeded in doing. As indicated by the title, this comedy radiates about a group of sixteen-year-olds, mirroring in a candid way their lives, habits, emotions, and manners of speech. Hilda Manning, the author, has been hailed far and wide for writing a

comedy that bids fair to rival in popular approval Booth Tarkington's famous "Seventeen." Members of the cast are having time of their lives, just as the audience will when they get a chance to see the play.

M. L. Halley plays the part of Paul Hollis, an imaginative boy of sixteen who wants to modernize his father's business. James Harp and Bernice Cox are Mr. and Mrs. Hollis. Paul's conservative parents, Carol Cole, Katy Gordon and Helen Ruth Cope have roles as the three Hollis sisters. Ann Woodward is Hilda, the Swedish hired girl. R. W. Terrell plays the part of Grandal Smythe, the wealthy suitor of Marguerite Hollis, while Skeet Noret, as George Gordon, is his rival in love. Marjorie Womack, as Elsie Taggart, is a bank clerk. Last but not least, are members of the Secret Seven Club of which Paul Hollis is president: Theo Bruckler (F. M. Mitchell), Pidge Miller (Louise Earnest), Pattie Zimmer (Chuck Jacobs), Daise Jenkins (Lillian Mitchell) and Boots Bennett (Geraldine Richardson).

Renew your subscription today and enjoy the weekly visit of your home-town paper, THE DAWSON COUNTY COURIER.

**'FARM WITH
FARMALLS'**

E. R. Yates

**Hundreds Respond To
Courier Bargain
Offer**

All right folks, step right up and subscribe to the greatest all-year-round show in Dawson county, renew your subscription now at the bargain rate of only 50 cents for a full year.

A continuous show of all the happenings of the county, your neighbors and your self. Save money by keeping up with the money saving offered through the advertising of your local merchants, advertising is news too news from all over the world, for in truth they offer goods from all nations on the globe.

This bargain price of 50 cents for the full year will not be on much longer, those who desire to renew or enter new subscriptions will save money by doing it now.

For the convenience of the crowds that came in town on Saturdays, we have established a booth in front of M. C. Lindsey's office in charge of J. A. Wheeler, Jr., who is doing a booming business in subscriptions. Subscriptions are taken at the Courier office also. But sure that you pay at these places only, as we have no other solicitors authorized to receive money for Courier subscriptions.

**New Cake Man At
Kline's Bakery**

Mr. S. G. McIntosh, manager of Kline's Bakery, announces the completion of installation of new cake making machinery and the overhauling and rebuilding of other machinery in their bakery at a cost of \$2,400.

Factory men have gone over their plant thoroughly and made the necessary replacements and have arranged the plant for efficient and sanitary handling of all products.

Mr. Walter Ford, has been added to their staff of expert bakers. Mr. Ford has had thirty years experience in the bakery business and many of them with Mrs. Baird's Bakery of Fort Worth. Mr. Ford specializes in making and decorating special cakes for parties and weddings.

The ladies of Lamesa are invited to call and inspect the bakery at all times come in and see the immaculate condition of the bakery in which your most necessary food is prepared under the direction of experts.

Mr. McIntosh has been here in the bakery for the past four years and is well known locally. His admonition is "Always Look for the Name, Kline's, on your bakery package."

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Sellers of Big Spring spent Sunday here visiting her mother, Mrs. J. A. McMahon and family.

**Community Christmas
Tree And Program
Are Planned**

On the night of December 20, at 8:00 p. m., the Lamesa Recreation Department will sponsor a community Christmas tree, which will probably be held in the high school auditorium, immediately following a program composed of two Christmas plays. Santa Claus will distribute toys and bags of candies, fruits, and nuts to every boy and girl under eighteen years of age, who has signed up with the Athletic club before December 20. The boys and girls from the Athletic club will have special seats reserved for them and will sit in a body during the program. There will probably be about two hundred boys and girls who will receive gifts from Santa Claus during this pre-Christmas program. The plays to be given and cast are as follows:

"The Candle in the Window" by Clara Childs.
Cast: Jeon Womack as Mary Mc-Masters; Cabe Quinn as John Mc-Masters; Audrey Williams as Kate Mc-Masters; Louise Harp as Amy White; Dorothy Skinner as Sarah Graham; Carl Kiefer as Paul White; Charles Edwards as James Seymour; Bruce Taggart as Harry Morgan; Opal Little as Miss Angelica Fraer; R. L. Collins as Little Boy.

"The Little Angel Sings" by Lillian Dunlap George.
Cast: Dale Forrest as Little Shepherd; Thomas Woody as Lost Old Man; Dorothy Kennedy as Little Angel Elvin Vestal as Thief; Roberta Thurman as Mary, Mother of Jesus.

Special music has been arranged for both plays to be sung by twenty young people, off-stage.

Local merchants, civic clubs, churches and other organizations as well as private individuals are making contributions towards the community Christmas Tree.

Stores and individuals that have already made contributions are as follows: Allen Hardware Co., 1 box toys; Richardson's Variety Store, box of toys; Cannon's Variety Store, box of toys; Campbell's Grocery, 1 box of apples.

Mrs. E. R. Yates has pledged the support of the Young People's Dept. of the First Baptist church.

Mr. V. Z. Rogers and G. M. Robert have promised the support of the local schools.

The J. C. Penny Co., is preparing a large box of toys which they are to contribute.

Others having made contributions are: Mrs. Ethel King, E. V. Wilkes, Roy Foreman, Miss Viola Thurston and Mrs. Matt McCall. Many other stores and individuals have promised to help with the Christmas drive within the near future.

**NEW FORDS ON
DISPLAY HERE**

B. L. Boyd, of the Lamesa Auto Company announces the new Ford V-type 8 cylinder cars for 1938. The new models are on display in their show rooms now and others will be on hand as soon as received from Dallas.

The new Fords for 1938 are newly styled, the standard Ford line, in coupe, Tudor and Fordor body types, powered either with 85 or the 60 horsepower V-8 engine. Designed to meet requirements of the many car owners whose means dictate maximum economy in first cost, as well as in maintenance and operating costs.

The other, a newly designed deluxe line for owners who desire additional style and appointments. Powered only with the 85 horsepower V-8 engine, includes eight body types, the coupe, Tudor and Fordor sedans as well as the club coupe, convertible, cabriolet, club convertible sedan and the phaeton.

Replacements in all the appointments of both lines are conducive to ease in riding and operation as well as economy of operation and safety. The two lines of cars have the same improved V-8 chassis, but their styling is distinctly different. The de luxe cars are larger in appearance with changes in the appearance of the front end.

Wide seats that give plenty of room for three passengers both front and back, with interior arrangements and trim attractiveness to both eye and riding ease.

An invitation is extended to all who wish to inspect the new Fords on display in their show room floor.

**NEW MAN ON
COURIER STAFF**

No, it was not snow piled up to save for visitors from the Valley who had never seen snow before, just cotton. This is my first cotton boom, it reminded me of some of the many oil booms that I have been through at Ranger, Burkburnett, Pampa and Kilgore. It sure looks good, looks like good money for every one.

After all it is not how much you can pile up that makes prosperity, but it is how much we all pass around that keeps the mill-wheel turning.

Yes, I came in on the train, by way of Stalon and when I told the boss that he said that was history too.

I like West Texas, and the folks here, having lived in it before, what I like about the folks is that they are friendly and frank. And the weather is fine, so is the dust too, sometimes.

Forget to tell you, that I am with The Dawson County Courier, as advertising man and will pick up your news items too, so if you do not tell me, don't expect us to guess at what happens. Have spent most of my life in the newspaper business and learn something new about it every day, it is a great life.

Come to see me, I will be around to see you every week, sometimes oftener.

Thanks.
ALGER JONES.

**A. G. Waugh Attends
Automotive Show In
Chicago This Week**

Mr. A. G. Waugh, of the A. G. Waugh Company, local automotive wholesaler left Tuesday for Chicago where he will attend the Automotive Service Industries Show held at Chicago's Navy Pier from December 6 to 11.

The largest booth show held each year anywhere, this year's event is expected to draw thousands of wholesalers from every part of the United States, Canada and countries overseas. Admission is limited to an invited list of accredited wholesalers and members of the national trade association which sponsor the show.

At the present nearly 400 leading manufacturers of automotive products developed for the division of the industry, which keeps America's 23,000,000 motor vehicles in running order will use over 100,000 sq. feet of display space to present 1938 merchandise and merchandising programs. Factory engineers will be on hand to demonstrate new service equipment designed for the nation's shops.

Mr. Waugh is making the trip to look over the new merchandise and equipment of interest to the local repair trade he serves.

Too Late to Classify

LOST—A lady's gray coat with fur collar, minus belt, was taken from American Legion Hall Saturday night and another coat was left. Will the person making mistake please return coat to Mrs. G. E. Esmond, Lamesa Legion Auxiliary. 1tp

POP SALE—160 acres of land near Arvada, Ok. C. A. Eiland, Phone 23-J 3tc

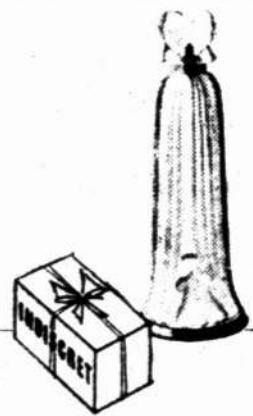
**Trammell and Henry
Enlarge Grocery**

Trammell and Henry are advertising specials this week on sale in their new enlarged and improved grocery and market, just across the street from the City Hall.

Larger fixtures and a greatly increased stock of merchandise including fresh meats, fruits, candies, breads and staple groceries are displayed.

A delivery service is given in addition to a saving on foods.

GIVE... BUY... BEG
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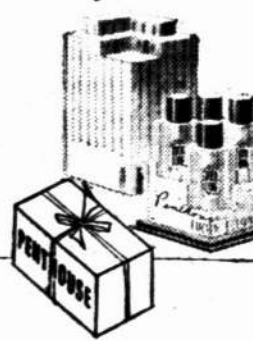
• Whatever else there is—be sure there's Parfums "Indiscret" to make this Christmas a flattering success. A glorious perfume that everyone enjoys, admires... or envies!
\$5 \$7.50 \$10 and more



• To wear "Opening Night" is to feel like the star of the performance. You can just hear the applause, the gaiety, the excitement.
\$2.50 \$5 \$10 and more



• There's a special thrill to "Gardenia" by Lucien Lelong—a perfume in the grand manner—marvelously true to the flower. Another one for your "must" list.
\$3 and more



• "Penthouse" gathers four perfumes under one roof for a perfectly stunning gift. Contains "Opening Night," "Whisper," "Gardenia" and "Mon Image."
\$2.50 \$5 \$7.50

Bryant Pharmacy

Gifts by Lentheric

Tweed, Shanghai, Miracle, Gardenia and Numero 12. These exquisite odors in perfumes, Colognes, Sachets, handsomely packaged sets, will make the ideal gift for her.

If it is for him, be sure to see the many selections of attractive men's sets in mahogany and tan, with the "Top Hat" insignia. These range in prices from \$1.50 to \$12.50

WHAT BETTER WAY TO SAY MERRY CHRISTMAS

ATTRACTIVE HOLIDAY GIFTS

Other lines we are carrying for Holiday Gifts are Windsor Lavender Sets for both Men and Women, also April Showers, Evening in Paris, Coty, Hudnut, Three Flower and Gemey.

JEWELRY STOCK COMPLETE

Our stock in Jewelry was never more complete. Rings, Watch Chains, Lockets, Diamonds, Wedding Bands Plain and with Diamond, Baby Rings and Locketts.

Watches From—

\$1.00 to \$55.00

A complete stock in Elgins 7 jewel, 15 jewel, 17 jewel and 19 jewels Hamilton in 17 jewel Wrist Watches

SHEAFFER PEN & PENCIL SETS

Other well known lines that we carry are Sheaffer Pens, ranging in prices from—

\$2.75 to \$10.00

Sheaffer Pen and Pencil Sets from

\$3.95 to \$14.00

Desk Sets

\$5.00 to \$15.00

We engrave your name in gold on any Sheaffer pen or pencil FREE.

EASTMAN KODAKS

Eastman Kodaks make ideal gifts, we carry a complete line priced from—

\$1.00 to \$22.50

Also we have in stock the Eastman Moving Picture Camera at—

\$35.00

And the Eastman Kodascope Eight at—

\$34.25

Manicure Sets in Coty, La Cross and Glazo. The original Schick Electric Shavers at—

\$15.00

Electric Heating Pads from—

\$1.50 to \$5.00

Bibles and Books, Bible Story Book, Peloubet's Select Notes for 1938. Buy your Christmas Cards from our large selection.

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POSTMASTER'S PLEA, MAIL EARLY FOR CHRISTMAS

Show now and mail early for early delivery, there will be no mail delivery Christmas day, Dec. 25.

The "Mail Early" slogan is not just a matter of form, it is a reality and more especially this year, our mail will in all probability increase 25 per cent during the holidays and if you have been in the office this Fall you can in a measure understand what kind of chance you will have to mail your packages or buy your stamps if that is the case. So buy your stamps early and mail your packages before the rush starts.

Be sure your packages are securely packed and wrapped with heavy twine if it is worth mailing it is worth wrapping good.

Different items will require different wrapping, you be the judge but be sure they are wrapped and packed securely.

Be sure if you are mailing articles easily broken to have them marked "fragile" if they are perishable items have them marked "perishable."

Be sure the address is complete, and plain with house number and street, if any, post office box or rural route, write it plain with the typewriter or ink, but be sure it is plain.

Be sure postage is fully paid on all packages and cards, if you don't know what it should be, we will be glad to assist you in getting the proper amount on same.

Don't mail Christmas greeting cards in red, green, or other dark colored envelopes or in very small envelopes.

Don't wait till the 23rd or 24th to mail your packages and expect them to get there on time, this is not the only office that will be rushed, all offices and more especially the trains will be rushed so mail early and avoid the rush.

If you do overlook someone and want to send at the last moment, use Special Delivery, it will be delivered on

Local Girl Successful Deer-Slayer On Hunt

Miss Winnell Garrett daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Garrett accompanied by her father on a recent deer hunt is the proud possessor of an eight point buck, shot down by her own hand. Others on the hunt stated that she is a cool hunter and not subject to buck fever. Miss Garrett used an automatic 22 rifle.

Mr. Garrett killed a twelve point buck, but is more elated over the fact that his daughter brought down one than having headed one himself.

Christmas day, and better still if you want it to go fast and be the first to be delivered send it Air-Mail Special Delivery.

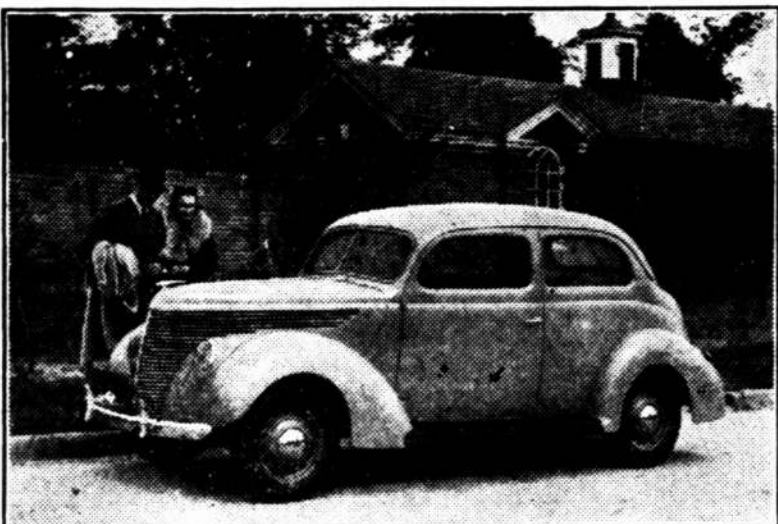
Now this is probably what you have been expecting since it is a necessary evil about this time of year and you have probably read about the same for the last 100 years but regardless of that it is a fact and we still want you to Mail Early and Avoid the Rush.

Why not buy your stamps now? Today! They will keep and you can't lose on them, if you don't use them on your cards, you can use them on your packages and if you have any left after Christmas, they will still be good on anything that you might want to mail, so why wait? Buy Today and Avoid the Rush!

NOTICE—Christmas cards with no writing on them other than the usual greeting, with your name signed will go anywhere in the United States for 14c unsealed, of course, if they have writing in them they will take the regular 3c rate as heretofore. However Christmas cards with only 14c on them will not afford the return and forwarding privilege which so often would be necessary for the person to receive them, we would recommend if you are not sure of the location you use the 3c stamp.

OWEN C. TAYLOR, Postmaster

1938 Ford V-8 Standard Tudor Sedan



MOST popular of all the Ford V-8 body types is the standard Tudor sedan, shown above. A longer hood, more sweeping lines and newly-designed front end, grille, louvers, fenders and hubcaps are featured. The car is available either with 85 horsepower or 69 horsepower V-8 engine. Interiors are attractively appointed. The front seat is full width. The seat back is divided. The sections are hinged diagonally and swing inward as they are tipped forward so as to leave a wide passageway on either side for entrance to the rear seat. Like all Ford body types the Tudor sedan has a large built-in luggage compartment. The standard cars are engineered for owners who demand the maximum of economy in first cost and operating cost.

Miss Maxine Speck To Have Part in Play

Miss Maxine Speck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Speck, is a member of the stage crew for "Ladies Alone," a one-act play which will be produced by the elementary acting class of Mary Hardin Baylor College, the play will be presented at the meeting of the Players' Guild on Tuesday night, December 7.

HONOR ROLL FOR MUNGER SCHOOL

The following students have made the proper grades in the Munger school and have been placed on the monthly honor roll, fifth grade, Martha Alice Rape and Virginia Froyles; seventh grade, A. J. Bryles and C. W. Kidwell.

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Father of Mrs. Cleve Austin Passed Away Here Last Wednesday

Hiram W. Hall, aged 91 years passed away last Wednesday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Cleve Austin, on North Third Street. Mr. Hall had been ill several weeks before his death.

Mr. Hall, born on September 24, 1846 was a retired engineer. He made his home in Prescott, Arkansas for many years, coming to Lamesa only a few months ago to make his home.

Funeral services were held on Friday at the Higginbotham Funeral Chapel, with Rev. V. B. Brezalee of Bryan, Texas, conducting. Burial was made in the Lamesa cemetery.

Survivors are his wife, Sallie Wicker Hall and the following children, Mrs. T. H. Wilson Bryan; W. H. Hall, Denison; W. B. Hall, Los Angeles, California; Pete Hall, Carl Hall and Mrs. Cleve Austin.

BORDEN COUNTY SOIL PROGRAM CHECKS DELAYED

Due to recent ruling by the State Agricultural Conservation Committee, it will be impossible for payments to be cleared in Borden county as early as previously expected.

According to the State Committee it will be necessary that at least 75 per cent of the compliance forms for both the Range and Soil Program must be submitted to the State Office before the 1937 payments can be calculated. This is due to the fact that each producer share of the administrative expenses cannot be determined until 75 per cent of the 1937 compliance forms are approved on both Range and Soil Programs.

Although 97 per cent of the Soil Program compliance forms are approved at this time for Borden county, it will be necessary that these producers must wait until 75 per cent of the Range Compliance forms have been approved prior to calculation of any 1937 payments for Borden county.

Since the majority of the Range Program slaters in Borden county have not completed their compliance work, it can be readily seen that considerable delay will result from the completion of 75 per cent of all Borden Range Compliance forms.

Range compliance work must be certified by January 1, 1938, and therefore, it will be almost impossible to clear any Borden county farm or ranch payments within the next 60 days.

MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT AT BOX SUPPER AT O. K.

A musical entertainment and play entitled "Hands Up" will be given Friday night, December 17, at the O. K. school, this to be followed up with a box supper. Plenty of fun is in store for all.

Mrs. Rosie Lee Woods Dies On December 2

Mrs. Rosie Lee Woods, aged 58 years old, passed away at 4 p. m. on last Thursday at her home here.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. on Saturday at the Higginbotham Funeral Home with Rev. E. F. Cole pastor of the First Baptist church officiating. Burial was made in the Lamesa cemetery.

Mrs. Woods had made her home here for the past ten years. She was a member of the Baptist church, having joined that union 41 years ago.

Survivors are the following children: O. A. Woods and Mrs. S. M. Harry Lamesa; Mrs. McCarrroll, Hanover, N. M., one brother, J. A. McCommas, Hale Center and sister, Mrs. Sallie Wright.

Mrs. E. V. Wilkes is reported to be ill this week at her home.

Collins offers an opportunity to the ladies in a selection of fine fur trimmed and tailored coats, greatly reduced in this before Christmas sale.

Whether you need a cloth coat or fur coat, this sale is what you have been waiting for!



Look These Over!

\$16.75 now \$14.50

24.50 now 19.50

49.50 now 39.50

59.00 now 49.00

79.50 now 64.50

89.00 now 69.00

Only a few of each, HURRY and buy your selection now at this money saving offer. These are all in the latest styles. No left-overs, we make this offer to help our customers in the Christmas savings.

Collins Dry Goods Co.

"Bargain Center of the South Plains"

Giving IS PLEASING WITH **NELLY DONS**



Rainbow print Nelda Crepe* festive and bright for holiday parties—tubbable, too. 14-44 5.95



Pretty and practical a Nelly Don cotton in gray print poplin. 14-44 . . . 2.95



Splashy print voile, soft shirred bodice and sleeves, to fit and flatter. 14-44 3.95



She'll be delighted with this trim candystick stripe lawn that's so easy to get into. 14-44 1.95

*Reg. U. S. Pat. Off. †Enka Rayon

What Could Be Better?

We do not know of a more satisfactory gift for the men folks than something from our fine stock of men's wear.

A gift for some one of the family, a friend, or yourself.

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Rural Correspondence

ACKERLY
Hazel Ward, corres.

Our Sunday school attendance is still increasing. We would like to see more out next Sunday. Rev. Leverett filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church Sunday.

Mary Tom Belt visited friends at Sweetwater Saturday and Sunday. Our senior basketball boys won consolation at a tournament at Garner Saturday. We are really proud of our boys.

There are several in this community on the sick list this week. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barbee and sons of Knott spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Graham. Eutha Adams, the 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adams of Soash died Sunday night. She was an 8th grade student of the Ackerly high school. She has a host of friends here who will miss her. We deeply sympathize with the loved ones.

Miss Anna Mae Stewart visited at Cleburne during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. James Jobb and son of Roscoe are spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jobb. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Graham are the proud parents of a baby girl, born last week. Mother and baby are doing nicely. The young lady will be known as Claude Lavell.

Bill Gale is visiting in Fort Worth this week. Mrs. Gale is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herold of Big Spring.

This community was saddened Friday night by the death of Grandpa Rendols, he has a host of friends who regret his passing.

Miss Ruth Jobb spent the weekend visiting friends in Roscoe. Mr. and Mrs. Edd Criswell attended a mail carriers meeting at Colorado Saturday night.

Juanita Gill of Vealmore spent Thursday night with Hazel Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Smith are the proud parents of a baby girl born Sunday night. Mother and baby are going nicely.

BARTLETT
(By Lillie Lowrey)

Due to the cold weather the attendance at Sunday school Sunday was small.

Mr. and Mrs. White and Miss Land carried the school children to the Carlsbad Cavern and reported a nice time. Brother Walker will preach at the school house Sunday, December 19, at 11 o'clock. Everybody is invited to come.

Misses Eulis Thomas, Fay Womack and Thressa Hudson took Thanksgiving dinner in the T. L. Wallace home. Mr. and Mrs. White spent Sunday in Stanton.

Mrs. J. D. Moreland returned from Vaughn, N. M. Saturday and her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Smith and grandson, Edgar Toliver, accompanied her home.

Miss Thressa Hudson and Mrs. Lomada Niblett spent Sunday in Seminole.

Services were conducted Saturday at the funeral home in Lamesa for Mrs. Woods, the mother of Mrs. Jake Harty of Bartlett. Our greatest sympathy goes out to the loved ones.

Mrs. Belle Lowrey and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Holladay and son Leroy visited in the J. D. Moreland home Sunday.

Jim Williams of Anson is visiting his sister, Mrs. Durward Mitchell and Mr. Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Youngblood and son and Mrs. Nixon took dinner Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Youngblood of Welch.

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Union News
By Edna Pounds

The Union boys went to Knott to play ball Friday night at Saturday.

Miss Evora Boyd spent Tuesday night with Wanda Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Booe and children visited Mr. Booe's mother and sister Sunday.

Miss Marjorie Tapp spent Thursday night with Ruby Booe.

The girls basketball team went to Lamesa to play Thursday night, they were defeated.

Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Swafford spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Swafford.

Dorothy Lou and Leo Nichols visited Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Swafford a while Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dink Swafford spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Swafford's mother, Mrs. Lonnie McClellan of Liberty.

Mrs. J. W. Pounds and Mrs. Isaac Swafford attended the Missionary Society at Higginbotham Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Swafford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Raborn Ramsey.

Lonnie Boykin and Clifford House visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pounds Friday night.

O. W. Paris attended Sunday school at Higginbotham Sunday.

Miss Emma Saunders started to Union high school Friday. We welcome her to our school.

Mr. and Mrs. Raborn Ramsey and sons, Jack and Wade visited a while Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pounds.

Those on the sick list this week are Mrs. Paul Jones, and Mrs. W. E. Nichols, we wish them a speedy recovery.

Miss Dorothy Nichols returned home Saturday after spending two weeks in Lamesa waiting on sick folks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Nichols had as their guests Sunday his brother and wife of Knott.

Miss June Swafford and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pounds attended Sunday school at Higginbotham Sunday.

Those spending Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Swafford were Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Wilson, of Mt. Olive and Mr. Thomas and daughter, Wanda.

Shop "The Courier Way" and save money.

Mrs. Truman Campbell spent a few days the first of this week in Dallas buying new merchandise for Campbell's Dress Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Shofner, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Blakey and J. W. Epperson, all of Levelland spent Sunday here visiting in the J. M. Blakey home.

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 Dec. 12-13
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 Dec. 14-15
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Friday SAT.
 Dec. 10-11
 Another Big Western and a good Comedy
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Sunday - Monday
 Dec. 12-13
 A Big Comedy
 Deanne Durbin—Adolphe Menjou in "100 Men and a Girl"

Tues-Wed.
 Dec. 14-15
 Another Comedy Picture
 Jack Haley—Ann Southern in "Danger—Love at Work"

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 Dec. 16
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FOR SALE—Two bicycles, see Mrs. George Norman, 306 South First Street Phone 51. 1tc
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FOR SALE—The oldest and largest Helby-Selfy Laundry in Tahoka, Texas, has eight machines, equipped with steam. A. W. Fuquay, Tahoka, Texas. 46-4tc

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LOST—Glasses in B. Optical Company case, with name Bob Conley inside. Lost last Friday on Street. Finder return to E. A. Conley at J. C. Peaney Company for reward. 1tc

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MEN'S SUITS—Overcoats, Shoes etc. Bought and sold. Pruitt Shoe Shop, 2tp.

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 We wish to express our deepest thanks and appreciation to our friends for the many kind deeds, flowers and sympathy extended us during the illness and death of our beloved husband, brother and father.
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 Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Reed, daughter Nov. 14.
 Mr. and Mrs. Marion Moseley, daughter, Nov. 14.
 Mr. and Mrs. Arturo Garcias, son Nov. 6.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jesse McClure, son Nov. 11.
 Mr. and Mrs. I. H. McNew, daughter October 30.
 Mr. and Mrs. Archie Ivey, daughter Oct. 27.
 Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bernal, son, Oct. 13.
 Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Austin, son, Oct. 29.
 Mr. and Mrs. Albert McGuire, daughter, Oct. 31.
 Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sutphen, son Nov. 2.
 Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lambright, daughter, Nov. 3.
 Mr. and Mrs. Simon Pina, daughter Nov. 4.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jose M. Hernandez, son, Nov. 3.
 Mr. and Mrs. Albert Perry, daughter, Nov. 10.
 Mr. and Mrs. Garland May Doyle, son, Nov. 9.
 Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Cooper Hall, daughter, September 28.
 Mr. and Mrs. Bufford Lewis Leonard, son, Nov. 13.
 Mr. and Mrs. Homer Laniel Eudy, son, Nov. 9.
 Mr. and Mrs. William Martin Harry, daughter, Nov. 13.
 Mr. and Mrs. Cirdelo Rodriguez, son October 18.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jacava Perez, daughter Nov. 12.
 Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Clark, son Nov. 10.
 Mr. and Mrs. Juan Cortinas, daughter, Nov. 15.
 Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Telchek, daughter, Oct. 24.
 Mr. and Mrs. Seaborn McGuire, daughter, Nov. 6.
 Mr. and Mrs. Durwin Echols, son Nov. 2.
 Mr. and Mrs. George Nac Yates, son Oct. 24.
 Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lee Roy York, son, Oct. 25.
 Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Locke, daughter Oct. 24.
 Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard B. Stanfield, son, Oct. 31.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jess Elmer Marks, son Oct. 28.
 Mr. and Mrs. Raymond David Jackson, daughter, Oct. 21.
 Mr. and Mrs. Robert Posey, son, Oct. 31.
 Mr. and Mrs. Bryon Galloway, daughter, Oct. 26.
 Mr. and Mrs. Lorenza Garcia, daughter, Nov. 16.
 Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Wilson Mires, son, Nov. 27.
 Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Spears, son, Nov. 7.
 Mr. and Mrs. Rodey Rochell Peltis, daughter, Nov. 27.
 Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lewis, daughter Nov. 30.
 Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Flatt, daughter Dec. 1.
 Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Baucum, son Nov. 18.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Earnest, daughter, Nov. 25.
 Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Cardenas, daughter, Nov. 17.
 Mr. and Mrs. Joseph David Guinn, daughter, Nov. 21.
 Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wilson, daughter Nov. 17.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Patterson, daughter, Sept. 30.
 Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Shukru, daughter Nov. 3.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Roberts, son, Nov. 9.
 Mr. and Mrs. Theodor Lindley, son Nov. 14.
 Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Crow, daughter Nov. 22.
 Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Leamon, daughter Nov. 27.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Robinson, daughter, Nov. 30.
 Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Sparks, son, Nov. 28.
 Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Menix, daughter Nov. 2.

Deaths Registered Here During Nov.
 Billie Jo Teal, 4 months, Nov. 20.
 Bertie Virginia Lambert, 1 year, 9 months, Nov. 24.
 Elens Trentera, 57, Nov. 28.
 Infant of Mr. and Mrs. Thas Guazara, Oct. 31.
 Eusebio Gutierrez, Nov. 21.
 Susana Seaz, 60, Nov. 5.
 Edmondo Mendes, 11 months, Nov. 3.

Deaths Registered Here During Nov.
 Henenas Gudiera, 2 months, Oct. 21.
 W. O. Williams, 58, Nov. 12.
 T. M. McGuire, 49, Nov. 3.
 Mrs. Louisa Renfro, 79, Nov. 28.
 Jose Urdualey, 29, Oct. 27.
 Ferred Torrens, 55, Oct. 11.
 Bertha Garcia, 40, Nov. 3.
 C. M. Nance, 45, Oct. 14.
 Ramon Espanosa, 1 month, Oct. 7.
 Mrs. Leona Bruce, 30, Oct. 9.

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LEGAL NOTICES

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS, WACO DIVISION.
J. M. HUBBERT,
 vs.
 No. 236 IN EQUITY
TEMPLE TRUST COMPANY.
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has filed his application with the Clerk of the United States District Court in and for the Western District of Texas, Waco Division, for an order authorizing him to sell and convey to J. R. Flaeken all the South halves of Lots Seven (7) and Eight (8) in Block Two (2) original town of Lamesa, Dawson County, Texas, and for a consideration of \$1500.00, and of which amount \$158.00 will be paid in cash, and the balance \$1342.00, to be evidenced by one note in said sum, to be executed by said purchaser, payable to the order of the undersigned at his office in the city of Temple, Bell County, Texas, and said note to become due and payable in 112 monthly installments of \$16.25 each, the first installment to become due and payable January 1, 1938, and each on the first day of each succeeding 111 months, to bear interest from December 1, 1937 at the rate of seven per cent per annum, the monthly, to become due and payable monthly, and each payment when made to be applied first to the accrued interest on said note, and the balance to the principal, and to provide that failure to pay any monthly installment of principal or interest hereon when due shall at the option of the holder mature said note; to stipulate for ten per cent additional as attorney's fees, and said note to be secured by a vendor's lien and deed of trust lien on the property and premises above described.
 Said application will be heard by the Honorable Charles A. Boynton, Judge of said court, after this notice shall have been published for a period of ten days, and any person interested in said Receivership Estate may contest this application.
 WITNESS my hand at Temple, Texas, this 22 day of November, A. D. 1937.
 H. C. GLENN, as Receiver for Temple Trust Company, Temple Texas. 46-2tc

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THE METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School 9:45 A. M., G. M. Roberts, Superintendent.
Preaching Service 10:55 A. M.
Evening Worship 8:00 P. M.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

J. C. Foster, Minister

Bible Study 9:45 A. M.
Preaching 11:00 A. M. and 8:30 P. M.
Ladies Bible Class, Monday 4:00 P. M.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday 8:30 P. M.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

E. F. Cole, Pastor

9:45 A. M. Sunday School.
11:00 A. M. Preaching Service.
7:15 P. M. Training Service.
8:30 P. M. Preaching Service.
7:30 P. M. Wed. Teachers Meeting
8:45 P. M. Wed. Prayer Meeting

Missionary Baptist

Willie E. Lee, Pastor

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Preaching 11:00 A. M.
P. Y. P. U. 7:30 P. M.
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LUTHERAN SERVICES

Lutheran services at the First Lutheran church on North Second Street Sunday night 7:30, Dec. 5th.

We cordially invite you.

For a Lutheran hour, tune in on KFYO Lubbock, every Wednesday at 4:30 p. m., and KBST Big Spring every Thursday 1:15 p. m.

ARTHUR BURNS, Pastor

METHODIST NOTES
(Welch Charge)

The attendance at Sunday school Sunday was not as large as might have been, but was better than has been recently. A very fine spirit prevailed and we are looking forward for the fruit of such spirit. All were in favor of a Christmas tree, and committees were appointed. The time was set for Friday evening, December 24, at 7:30 p. m. and a suitable program will be rendered at that time.

There will also be a program rendered Sunday morning, December 19, the subject, "Preparation for Christmas." Then another Sunday morning, December 26th, subject, "Tell It Out" (Missionary program). So you see we are undertaking to do lots and determined to do it, but must have cooperation of

Orville S. Carpenter, chairman-director of the Unemployment Commission points out that benefits payment is not the chief function of the Act. "The real purpose," says Mr. Carpenter, "is to find the unemployed man a suitable job. Benefits will be paid to 'tide him over' until he can be re-employed."

home treatments of minor diseases is mistake. All just come on at the time set and you will find us busy.

Cash Benefits To Be Paid To Unemployed On January 1, 1938

Austin, Dec. 3.—Cash benefits to the qualified unemployed will become payable on January 1, from a reserve fund built up by Texas employers since the establishment of the Texas Unemployment Compensation Commission a year ago.

Signed in October, 1936, by Governor James V. Alfred, the Texas Unemployment Compensation Act is this State's method of aiding its unemployed. Soon after the Act was signed, the Unemployment Commission was created. A reserve "Jobless Fund" has been built up and is now on deposit in Washington. This fund will be drawn on after January 1, for cash payments to the unemployed.

The Texas State Employment Service, a division of the Commission, has offices throughout the State which will handle the problems of the employee. Here he may come, when out of work, his record will be gone over and he will be aided to find new employment. If a job is not found immediately, after a "waiting period" of not less than two weeks, he will be paid benefits based upon his work record for the previous nine quarters. "Benefits" or cash payments, will be paid for not more than sixteen weeks in any calendar year to the unemployed man whose previous work record will qualify him. The maximum benefits per week is \$15, the minimum, \$5 or three-fourths of his weekly salary, whichever is the lesser.

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The pastor begins Sunday morning December 12, a series of sermons on "The kind of pastor Welch needs". The church must have asked for our return. Upon what facts were you asking a wise request. Could you not have based? Are you sure that you have made a mistake? If you made a mistake, would it not be wise and best to find it out at once? If you will just come, I'll be frank to tell you the kind of pastor you need. When you shall have seen the kind of pastor you need, and how for short the present pastor is, then a united effort should be made to make him fit or at least make some approach to fitting. Let's get together and talk it over. Remember that while on this subject, I'll not be talking about you, but about your needs.—J. G. Walker, P. C.

BOX SUPPER AT GRANDVIEW FRIDAY

We have been asked to announce that a box supper will be held at the Grandview school house on this coming Friday night, beginning at 8 o'clock. The public is invited to attend and take part.

THE DAWSON COUNTY COURIER.

Common Diseases Should Have Special Care States Doctor

Austin, Tex., Dec. 7.—"It is a great mistake to treat even light cases of measles, chickenpox, mumps, scarlet fever, or any other of the communicable diseases of childhood as though they did not amount to much," states Dr. Geo. W. Cox state health officer. "Treatment of that sort makes it possible for these diseases to spread and cause serious outbreaks among children whose impaired resistance makes them easy victims to any form of infection."

"Some of the most serious outbreaks we have had of scarlet fever, as well as other diseases in different parts of the State, have been traced to mild cases—that is, to cases too light for the doctor to be called. In some instances the children have continued to go to school and to associate and play with other children. In others after they have been kept at home for a few days suffering from what was believed to be just an ordinary cold they have returned to school and have

their schoolmates. Eventually a group of cases—sometimes very serious ones—have developed from the carelessly-handled mild case. The result was another epidemic that could have been prevented.

"There are several things worth remembering in connection with children's diseases. Nearly all of these diseases begin with a digestive upset or with symptoms closely resembling those of the common cold. Accordingly, it is a wise thing for mothers to regard every digestive upset and every common cold with suspicion until you are sure it is not the beginning of something more serious."

Your doctor is the best judge of the seriousness of such symptoms, and you will save suffering and anxiety if you put the child to bed send for your doctor and follow his advice.

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Wright Boyd, accompanied Mrs. Grant, Misses Prudence and Zona Margaret Grant and Mrs. Bill Armstrong to their home in Amarillo Sunday.

Holiday Season For Schools Announced

The Lamesa Public School holiday season will begin with the close of the school day, December 23rd, and for the whole of the following week or until schools open on Monday morning, January third, 1938. The holiday season will include both Christmas Day and New Year's Day, and is one day longer than has been the case for several years when only one week was used for the holiday season.

Teachers who have their places of residence elsewhere are intending to visit their homes in most instances. A few will visit friends and relatives in this section of the state.

Mrs. Fayne Wilkes spent a few days this week in Dallas buying new merchandise for her ready-to-wear shop.

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Seaborn Collins has returned from a visit in Dallas.

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