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League Basketball, Meet, Baseball Plan

n Interscholastic basketball dou- round robin beginning December in District 3-A and ending on ruary 17, together with an in- holastic league meet on April nd this followed by interscholas- baseball beginning immediately the meet and continuing until close of the school year are ed by the superintendents of seven schools comprising this rict. I. T. Graves, superintendent Floydada Public schools, told The erian this week.

The seven schools which com- 4-A in football comprise 3-A basketball).

nouncement of the plans for activities followed the meet- of the coaches and superintend- held in Matador on Monday and gives evidence that the in the district will be so busy won't miss the annual spring ll practice, now banned by holastic rules.

Graves was named district man for both football and bas- ll and general director of the in April. The meet will be in Floydada, he said. Estell r, principal of the Floydada school, will be secretary of organizations and Coach F. L ham will be athletic director in ge of the field and track events the April meet.

ight School Football League

bernathy High school has ac- ed designation as a member of rict 4-A in football for next n, and as was expetced, Lock- Crosbyton and Matador will ue in the District organization ake an eight-team set-up next n. Incidentally, the coaches superintendents agreed upon e schedule of conference games gin with four games on October Abernathy will not be in the tball league with the district next year. Conference foot- will be through and over on mber 19 next year.

Floydada Opens at Paducah

e the first game opening the in- holastic basketball season on day night, December 16, Floyd- is scheduled to go to Paducah ake on the Dragons. Matador (See Basketball, back page)

Dr. Roy L. Smith, Noted Chuch Editor Here Friday Night

Dr. Roy L. Smith, editor of the ristian Advocate of the Method- Church, who is delivering the lson lectures at West Texas te college at Canyon, is to be st speaker in a special service the First Methodist church in ydada at 7:30 Friday night, Dec- er 5.

Besides being editor of the Christ- Advocate which serves all of hodism in the United States, Dr. ith is a world traveler intimate h world conditions, a lecturer in t demand across the nation s eight honorary degrees from ous educational institutions be- d those earned in college and versity as a student, has held pirates in Chicago, Minneapolis d Los Angeles in which city he ed the largest Methodist Church America. He is also author of books and weekly syndicated les and pamplets.

his service will be open to the lic.

Dr. Smith's home is at Wilmette Chicago in which city he di- the editorial affairs of the great which he edits.

Opening Nursery on North Second St.

ge Aylesworth announces this the opening of Floydada nur- on North Second street, oppo- Camp Cope on Plainview high- .

. Aylesworth has long exper- e in the nursery business. He feature general nursery stock landscaping, he announces.

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Shopping Days Until Christmas

Nixon, Amburn on District 4-A Mythical Team

Leslie Nixon and Thomas Amburn veteran tackle and center respectively of Floydada High school placed on the all-district football squad named by coaches of District 4-A in a post-season meeting held Monday night in Matador. Nixon is a repeater from the season of 1946. Both played their last year of interscholastic high school football this season.

Lockney Longhorns, tied with Paducah for conference honors, did not place a man in the voting on the first string, but has four men in the second all-distrct squad and three honorable mention men.

Named as the all-district team by the coaches Monday night were:

The All-District Team

Ends: Blackwood, Crosbyton, Lee Paducah;

Tackles: Page, Ralls, Nixon, Floydada;

Guards: Phillips, Ralls, Stone, Paducah;

Backs: Nelson, Matador, Sandlin Paducah, Gilbert, Ralls, Wright and Barclay, Spur.

Second string team: Ends, Grisgby, Floydada, Wilson, Spur; tackles Kelly and Adams, of Lockney; guards Daniels, Lockney, and Calvert, Spur; center, Moore, Crosbyton, Bingham Spur (tie); backs, Rowell, Ralls Quisenberry, Lockney, Rochelle, Paducah, Simmons, Crosbyton.

Of the more than 200 young men comprising the football talent of the district several came in for honorable mention. Among these were:

Ends Pyle of Lockney and Winton of Paducah; tackles Ellis of Crosbyton, Spray of Matador, Robertson and Chastain of Spur, and Goodgame of Paducah; guards, Conner and Jarboe of Floydada; backs Guthrie and Carthel of Lockney; Marshall of Matador.

Eight straight weeks of conference football, with eight teams after the district crown, will be played by the schools of District 4-A next year, beginning on October 1 and continuing through to November 19 when the conference winner will be determined.

Superintendents and coaches of District 4-A who met in Matador Monday night made this decision along with several others and the transaction of much routine business in their session.

Interscholastic rules bar spring football training, but all the schools in the district will have an opportunity to play three pre-conference games before they go into the hectic struggle for the conference flag.

Nine Games Assured Whirlwinds

Superintendent I. T. Graves yesterday announced that the Whirlwinds are assured of at least two of these pre-conference games before they take on the Ralls Jackrabbits in their conference opener. He also is almost sure of a game on September 19 for the local boys but will not be in position to make an announcement on this until later he said.

The Whirlwinds will get two good tests for sure—against the Tulia Hornets on September 17 and the Phillips Blackhawks on September 24. Both of these games will be away from home. Ralls will be played here as will the second Whirlwind conference game against Abernathy.

Third on the Whirlwind list will be Paducah at Paducah on October 15, then Matador at home on October 22, followed by Lockney on Wester field on October 29.

November 5 will be an open date for FHS followed by a journey to Crosbyton for the semi-final on Armistice day and to Spur on November 19.

Paducah was the only school reporting a full schedule for 10 games Matador and Crosbyton reported a partial list of pre-game conference clashes along with Floydada.

Lockney Opens with Abernathy

Lockney Longhorns will open their conference competition against Abernathy high. They will play at Lockney on the same night that Floydad takes on Ralls at Floydada In succession, then, they catch five straight games away from home taking Crosbyton, Spur, Ralls, Floydada and Matador and winding up with Paducah on their own field on November 11, Armistice day. Preconference opponents of the Longhorns have been including Dimmitt and Otlon and last season they took on Dumas. 1948 is supposed to be the Longhorn's year and all the teams will be pointing for them so it will be a hard campaign they will undertake.

Watch Drill Stem Closely at Oil Test

At the Standard Oil Company of Texas test on the Leota M. Daniel land southeast of Floydada seven miles operators were noting continued porosity in the structure and have been watching the drill stem closely for two weeks, according to current reports in Floydada this morning.

Totol depth is about 5,800 feet, the same unofficial report said.

PETERSBURG, Nov.—Stanolind Oil and Gas company has abandoned its No. 2 Fisher oil test in Petersburg field at a total depth of 8,394 feet. Ingneous rock was topped at 8,042. Drilling continued through (See Oil Reports, back page)

Christmas Lighting Contest announced By Junior C. of C.

Floydada Junior Chamber of Commerce this week announced that their organization is sponsoring a Christmas lighting contest for residences and business houses of the community, the judging date for which will be given later.

Fred Zimmerman, jr., named chairman of the lighting contest committee by Guy Ginn, president of the club, said that first prize for residential lighting will be $15 second prize $10, with honorable mention to other outstanding entries. Judging will be done also in the business district but no money prizes will be awarded, said Mr Zimmerman.

Entries in the home lighting division need not be elaborate so they are colorful and exemplify the spirit of the joyous season. Entries can be made without any cost by writing a postcard or letter to the Junior Chamber of Commerce, or by telephoning Jewel Elza at Phone No 72.

Today's Market

Colored hens, 4 pounds and up	21c
Colored hens, under 4 lbs. and all Leghorns, lb.,	15c
Cocks, lb.,	10c
No. 1 Turkey hens, lb.,	35c
No. 1 Toms, lb.,	28c
Cream	
Butterfat, No. 1, lb.,	85c
Eggs	
Eggs, per dozen, candled, No. 1	55c
Small eggs, per dozen,	35c
Hides Free from holes	
No. 1 Hides, lb.,	20c
Bull Hides,	14c
No. 2 Hides, lb.,	10c
Grain	
Wheat, bushel,	$2.79
Milo, cwt.,	$3.50
Barley, cwt.,	$3.50
Hogs	
Tops, hogs from 190 lbs. to 270	$25.50
Heavies, cwt.,	$24.50
Packer Sows, cwt.,	$23.00
Alfalfa Hay	
No. 1 Baled at mill, ton,	$25.00
Cotton Market	
Cotton, middling 15/16, cwt.,	$33.90
Cotton, middling 7/8 cwt.,	$32.00
Cotton Seed, ton,	$100.00

Warn GIs Time for Re-Instating Service Insurance Without Exam Will Expire on Last Day of Year

Warning to service men that the date for re-instating National Service Life insurance policies ember 31 of this year, was issued D. G. Ayres, county service of- this week.

yres said that a campaign to get n to re-instate their policies they can with assurance of being turned down, will be carn during the month. "Physi- disabilities of one kind and an- are beginning to show up in pected quarters among the who served in World War II," Ayres. "By this kind of thou- ness and consideration for his or survivors a service man ther or not he has established f in business, can assure his wife and children of continuation of income, should he pass out of the picture."

National Service Life insurance is a real bargain for veterans because it combines so many advantages including comparative low cost, Ayres points out. The government is not in the insurance business to make a profit nor to keep others from making a profit but to benefit the veteran in recognition of his war service. A man who puts his service policy back in good standing before the first of the new year thus guarantees himself and his family that they will share in this government plan to help the GI help himself.

County Road Bond Election Dec. 30; Road District Hearing December 20

Petition Asks Election For Road District

With more than 90 names on the list a petition was filed with the Commissioners court Saturday asking for a hearing and an election based on it for the creation of a road district out of Commissioner Precinct Number 2, and the issuance of a road district bond issue of $240,000 to construct approximately 30 miles of hard-surfaced road.

Ewald Quebe, of Providence, T. B Mitchell of Lockney, and Joe Jennings of Plainview, all heavy property owners in the precinct, put the petition in the hands of the court.

Hearing Set For December 20

After checking the list of names on the petition, and finding it in order, the court set the hearing on the proposal for Saturday, December 20 at 10 o'clock a. m.

Proposal that the bonds be issued to bear interest at a rate not to exceed 4 per cent and mature not later than 30 years from date of issue, is made in the petition.

The nearly 30 miles of hard surfaced road proposed to be built would cover the following routes as indicated by the metes and bounds set up in the petition :

9½ miles due north from the northeast corner of Lockney and one mile east to Lone Star;

Two miles east from a point 5½ miles north of Lockney on the proposed Lone Star road to Sterley;

Eight miles due north from the southeast corner of the townsite of Aiken on Highway 70 to the Providence school house property;

Four and a half miles south from the southeast corner of Lockney to the Pleasant Valley school house corner;

Two Alternates to Irick

From a point three miles west of Lockney on Highway 70, a road three and a fourth miles south and 1¼ miles west to Irick school.

On this last-named route the proposal includes two alternate routes Of these two the first would begin at the Highway at the southeast corner of Aiken townsite, extend three and a half miles due south and a half mile west to Irick; the other alternate route to Irick would:

Extend 1½ miles south from the southeast corner of Aiken, thence ½ miles west, and two miles south to Irick school.

Also included in the proposal is the paving of Main street at Aiken from the intersection of the highway north through town and "if acceptable to the Commissioners court and the State highway" east from that point to connect with the proposed route running north and south to Providence from the highway on the east side of Aiken.

The construction of the hard-surfaced roads proposed would take care of a large per cent of the commercial and school transportation needs of six important communities

Mrs. George Dickey Rites Held Sunday at M. E. Churh

Funeral services for Mrs. George Dickey were held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Methodist church with Rev. Lloyd H. Jones officiating Interment was made in the Floydada cemetery. Harmon Funeral home had charge of the arrangements. Mrs. Dickey died Saturday in Pitts hospital. She had been in ill health for several months, her condition becoming serious a few days ago.

A native of Illinois, Mrs. Dickey was born June 13, 1862. She was married to Mr. Dickey in Missouri in 1879. Her husband preceded her in death June 19, 1918.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Bob Henry, of Floydada, a granddaughter, Mrs. A. M. Dorsey; two sisters, Mrs. Cora B. Gordan of California and Mrs. A. E. Turner, of Voss, Texas, and several nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were S. W. Ross, Homer McDonald, John K. West, John Cox, Robert McGuire and James Colville.

DEADLIEST MONTH

According to the Texas Safety Association, December traffic is three times as deadly as any other month in the year. If last year's accident record for December is repeated this month 162 persons will be killed before Christmas. The Association urges every individual to walk and drive cautiously — the life you save may be your own

Letters to Santa



After a good many years of war times, shortages of paper and this and that, The Hesperian is glad to announce to boys and girls of this area, and their mothers and fathers that we will print letters to Santa Claus once more this year.

We want the letters quickly, young folks, so that we can use them without fail. If your letter can be mailed within a week it would be fine Better still, sit down now and write Send your letter to Santa Claus care The Hesperian, Floydada.

Your letter, along with all the others, will be put in an issue of the paper to be mailed just before Chirtmas and in time for old Santa to get your message before he starts out on his midnight journey.

Don't forget it now. Make your letter a short one, and remember not to ask for too much. There are lots of hungry children in the world

Park Florist Open House to Be Held Sunday

After several months of an enlargement program and other preparation Elton Goen, manager of Park Florist, this week announced the institution's new gift shop will be formally presented for the approval of public at an open house.

The date is Sunday afternoon, December 7, the hours 1 to 7 o'clock. Goen said that people from a large area are being invited through the press and he anticipates several hundred will register for the event.

Refreshments will be served throughout the opening hours and each woman will be presented with a corsage. In addition to the new gift lines the floral house will be bright with color of many types of flowers, including orchids, carnations, roses and potted plants. Artificial wreaths and decorations also (See Park Florist, back page)

Responding to petition of J. M. Willson, jr., and 135 others, Floyd County Commissioners court Thursday called an election for Tuesday, December 30, with the proposition of a road bond issue of $300,000 at stake. The proposal of the court's petitioners is identical with that of the county-wide election which lost by a narrow margin on November 22.

The petitioners pointed out to the court that only approximately one-fourth of the eligible electorate cast a ballot on November 22 and urged the belief that another election should be held to get a more comprehensive expression of the will of the people of the county on the need for a farm to market road system.

Urge Early Call for Vote

The petition carried the names of taxpayers from five precincts of the county, where volunteers could be quickly mustered to present it. The court was told in oral argument for an earlies possible election order that need for the roads is urgent and that delay would not be in the interest of public necessity and convenience.

Inception of the new call for an election came from communities where the need for roads has long been urged. Unless something can be done on a county-wide basis, some of these communities, the court was told, will have to "do something else," indicating that a set-up by road districts would be resorted to. An adverse vote in three of four precincts in Floydada was pointed to and the belief indicated that a more representative vote in these would show a different result.

The bond issue proposed is for $300,000, to bear interest at a rate not to exceed 3 per cent and to be made payable not more than 25 years hence. Roads to Lone Star, Sterley, Sand Hill, Harmony, Cedar, and to Dougherty through Antelope and from Lakeview south to the county line are included in the plan advanced in November.

Wednesday Rain Adds .76 Inches Of Moisture

Rain yesterday and last night stopped the hectic drive wheat men of the area had been making since the latter part of last week to get their winter wheat into the ground and added 76-hundredths of an inch of moisture to the 1.7 inches which fell in late november.

The rain fell gently, taking 10 hours from noon yesterday until 10 o'clock last night, apparently ideal for adding to the serious need for subsoil moisture. How much this will add to the depth of the moisture in the ground is a guess, probably five inches. Before the rain general depth of the sub-soil moisture was estimated at around eight inches. The fact that skies cleared in the night and that no hard cold followed immediately is taken by old timers to indicate the "spell" is not "through" and that more of the same can be anticipated within the week.

Don't Know About It

Wheat farmers, faced with a condition they have never had to work out before, frankly do not know "what they are doing" But thous- (See Rain Wednesday, back page)

MASONS DUE HOME TONIGHT FROM TEXAS GRAND LODGE

J. A. Patterson, D. T. Mayo, Roy Patton and Hershel Green, who have been in Waco this week at the convocation of the Texas Grand Lodge A. F. & A. M., are due home tonight or tomorrow.

The delegation from Floydada spent Monday night at Meredian where they were guests at a meeting of the Masonic lodge there.

Harmon Funeral Home is Now in New Location

Last week-end Harmon Funeral home completed re-arrangment of the residence property at the E. C. Nelson old home, 329 West California street so that it serves quite acceptably for the new home of the funeral home and of Harmon Burial association.

An announcement this week by F. C. Harmon indicates the change over has been made from the former location at the corner of Main and Missouri street.

Extensive additions are due to be made to the funeral home layout in the next several months and work on foundations has already been started. However, Mr. Harmon pointed out that weeks will be required to carry out all of the plans formulated.

Patterson to Use Corner

Workmen already have started redoing the interior of the corner location ground floor of the Masonic building vacated by the Harmon organization and will open there in the next few days with their grocery, moving one door with their retail establishment while retaining a portion of the building now in use as storage for their wholesale produce. The Pattersons anticipate having the new store ready for use several days before Christmas. Larger quarters will make extensive rearrangement of the stock and better display possible, Mr. Patterson states.

General Community Christmas Observance Program Continue to Gain Support, Clubs Report

Community Christmas tree funds are coming in very nicely, said Mrs. Fay Maxey, who said that anyone who wishes to share in assuring this christmas to be a more joyous one for the youngsters should see Mrs. Earl Hogge, Mrs. John Stapleton or Mrs. Glad Snodgrass. Donations for the fund also can be left at the bank.

While the primary objective in the community tree idea is to advance the real spirit of the season it is expected that all children of this and adjoining communities, 12 years and under, will receive a package of Christmas cheer from the tree.

"The tree that will be the center of the setting for this year's community observance is evergreen on the southwest corner of the public square that was planted by the 1922, the 1929 and the 1934 Study clubs back in the thirties," said Mrs. Maxey. Several already have given generously of time and money to make the event a successful one.

Programs of Carols and Music

The program of carols and other music will be held on the evening of December 22 beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Among the organizations which have pledged aid in every possible way is the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Mrs. John Stapleton, president of the 1934 Study club, is general chairman for 1947, under a rotating plan of chairmanship adopted by the three study clubs.

Final Call for Farmer Vote Made by County Chairman; Many Vital Decisions Due During Next Year

A last minute call to all farmers of Floyd county to vote in farm program elections was issued today by G. B. Johnston, chairman of the county agricultural committee.

Mr. Johnston urged farmers to make certain that their vote will be counted in the election of community committeemen and delegates to the county convention where the county agricultural conservation committee will be elected. He said that too often farmers let other jobs and interests keep them from voting in these elections. But this year, with so many vital decisions and perplexing problems regarding current production and conservation, he stressed that farmers cannot afford to forego the opportunity to vote.

The Agricultural Adjustment act provides that the administration of the farm program on the county and community level shall be in the hands of local farmer-elected committeemen. According to Secretary of Agriculture Clinton P. Anderson "this approach, right down to the county and community level has proved itself the most effective organization yet devised for the administration of any national farm program. This country has never witnessed a finer demonstration of the processes of democracy in action than the committee system under the Agricultural Conservation program."

The way to keep the organization strong and representative of the farmers is for all eligible farmers to vote in the elections when they are held in their community, Johnston said. Community elections are scheduled as follows: 8:00 a. m. until 5:00 p. m., Monday, December 8: polling places are Cedar Hill Store Lockney Beacon Office, and Floyd County Courthouse.

Mrs. Alfred Ray Died Here Monday

Mrs. Berdie Sarah Ray, 63, died Monday in Pitts hospital and funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the City Park Church with Elder Otta Johnson officiating. Interment was made in the Floydada cemetery under the direction of Harmon Funeral home. Mrs. Ray had been in ill health for a year.

Mrs. Ray was born September 18, 1884 in Erath County, Texas. She was married to Sam Slaughter in 1902. Mr. Slaughter died in 1919. Her second marriage was to Alfred Ray on October 24, 1931, in Erath county. The family lived in Crosbyton prior to moving to Floydada 11 years ago.

Mrs. Ray is survived by her husband; two sons, Glenn L. Slaughter, of Silver City, New Mexico and J. B. Slaughter, of Plainview; two daughters, Mrs. Clyde Edwards, of Lubbock, and Mrs. T. J. Garner, of Amarillo; ten grandchildren; two brothers, John Simpson, of Fort Werth and Fayette Simpson, of Abilene and one sister, Mrs. Frank Trimble, of Stephenville.

Pallbearers were Roy Foster, E. E. Foster, Tom Hart, Ray Smith, Harry Reeves and Faye Hart.

EDITORIALS

Tip for Christmas dinner: You may be in the habit of thinking turkey meat too high for Christmas as compared with other meats, especially if your family is small. If so, check around before you make up your mind this Christmas-time. As of this minute, turkey meat per pound is about the cheapest principal meat dish you can have for Christmas if you live in Floydada or some other plains town.

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Just how to go about getting prices under control again and head off additional upward swing of living costs is a problem that has the Number One people of the country thinking over-time. Barring the possibility that something can and will be done about it, the upswing is indicated as another 10 per cent by April 1 and another 25 per cent on top of that by Christmas of next year, according to one economist's statement we read in the papers. There isn't any doubt that the additional cost of living between now and April is on the way, and it will be mighty hard for the nation to head it off even if all the congressmen, all the bureau chiefs and all the captains of industry and labor were of one mind.

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Story in the Petersburg Journal tells of a trip that J. L. Suits, editor of that newspaper is going to take. He will spend the winter down around Presidio, Texas. He is hunting a warm, dry climate and would like to dodge cold winter winds, also another siege of pneumonia. Editor Suits has had seven severe sieges of pneumonia in the past 12 years. He has had some close calls and fears the "law of averages" is going to catch up with him if he keeps tempting the fates. During Mr. Suits' absence, Tom Suits, son and partner, will take over with the assistance of W. C. Foote and Ann Claitor.

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Before the remedy found for smutty wheat turned out to be a treatment for the smut pores in the fall before the seed put into the ground, it used to be said that a crop planted in wet, cold ground would have lots of smut in it when harvest time came. For those who wonder what will happen to a volunteer crop left in the ground, perhaps a reminder that it was put into the ground under very, very dry conditions would be some consolation. Do you suppose the smut pores are still in the ground of this plains country and that failure to treat with ceresan or something after these years of smut-free crops would result in smutty grain again in 1948?

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Everything may come to the man who waits but it'll come awful slow.

The country could use some industrial peace for a time to get back on an even keel with production and build up stockpiles against what must surely be impending world events of immense import. It would be fine if the railways and the railroad men, the steel companies and the steel workers, the packers and their employes, the coal companies and the miners—to mention those which come to mind first—could get together for a year or two and have at their jobs. Human nature being what it is, and the political scene having evolved into a pull and haul between minorities with the public and the common welfare the sufferers, it would be too much to ask for a truce or a real understanding to be reached. But there is no harm in wishing that such could take place.

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Newspaper report has the Pennyslvania community property law held unconstitutional by one high court. This law was passed ostensibly to put income tax payers of that state on a parity with community property states like Texas. This reminds us of those historic times when New York and Pennsylvania people came to Texas to put the community property and homestead law out of business, and by doing so make a pot of money. They didn't believe in either and made up their minds they'd change the Texans over, too. They made a good many millions in loans here on the assumption these laws could be knocked into a cockeyed hat. To their sorrow they found out differently and left the state in a huff. The Texas law attempts to give widows and children a better break in the business world than do the laws of the original 13 colonies, which patterned their property and inheritance laws after the harsh English law. Whether the Texas laws do actually give better protection to the widows and orphans may be questionable but the intent can't be.

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Christmas day is only a skip and a jump away, so be reminded that last week Christmas shoppers are always more unhappy on Christmas day than are those who have planned and done their Christmas shopping early. Some of the things you will want are not available. Make up your mind to do without the things you can't get and improvise something as good or better. Your Christmas money will last you longer, too, if you shop when you ought to shop instead of waiting until you have to do it to keep time from running out on you.

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There oughta be a course in school that teaches people to read the handwriting on the wall.

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Floyd County 14 Years Ago

These items taken from The Floyd County Hesperian published fourteen years ago.

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Continuing the steady increase that has been evident with each weekly report, Floyd County's cotton crop completed to date shows 29,590 bales turned out by the 13 plants in the county.

Construction work on four small culverts on Highway 28 route through the city of Floydada likely will begin this week, it was stated by officials of the American Paving corporation, contractors.

Alley improvements for the city of Floydada, estimated at $2,803.39 were approved by the County Relief Board at a meeting Tuesday night. Work will be started soon.

Plans are being made for a turkey shoot Sunday afternoon by members of the Floydada Gun club.

Senator Arthur P. Duggan and superintendent of schools A. B. Sanders, of Littlefield, were Floydada visitors Wednesday and attended the Rotary club luncheon.

Cotton blooms December 1 is a novelty in Floyd County, and when C. O. Spence, of Harmony, showed a little "bouquet" of them in the Hesperian office Satturday afternoon, it made an interesting addition to the whatnots gracing the office window.

Floydada High school's Whirlwind football team won their Thanksgiving game played on Whirlwind field with the Happy Jacks Thanksgiving afternoon before a splendid crowd and ideal football weather.

Several stalks of hegari grown in Floyd County taken from a field grown by W. A. Moore and sons near Aiken, a half acre of which made 47½ bushels are on display at The Hesperian office.

Local rainfall Friday morning of last week totaled .25 of an inch.

CHRISTMAS PARADE

PLAINVIEW, Dec. — Giant-sized balloon animals, some of them riding in a special balloon train costing $47,000.00, will stalk the streets of Plainview, Monday, December 8 in a gala Christmas program which begins with a parade at 2:30 in the afternoon and sounds finis with a musical program and fireworks display, beginning at 7:30 p. m. at the Plainview athletic stadium. The entire day's program is free.

Plainview schools, civic organizations, and local merchants will add color to the afternoon parade with their floats.

Be wise — Auvertise.

ALPHA CHI NAMES CAROL REEVES TO MEMBERSHIP

ABILENE, Tex.—Carol Reeves, a student in Hardin-Simmons university, has been chosen as a member of the Alpha Chi, honorary student society, it was announced this week.

Carol is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sim Reeves of Floyd county.

To qualify for membership in the Alpha Chi a student must have maintained a high scholastic standing for his first two years in college, show a good record for attendance, and have a good reputation.

Joyce Reddy, of Lubbock, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr and Mrs. Clarence Reddy.

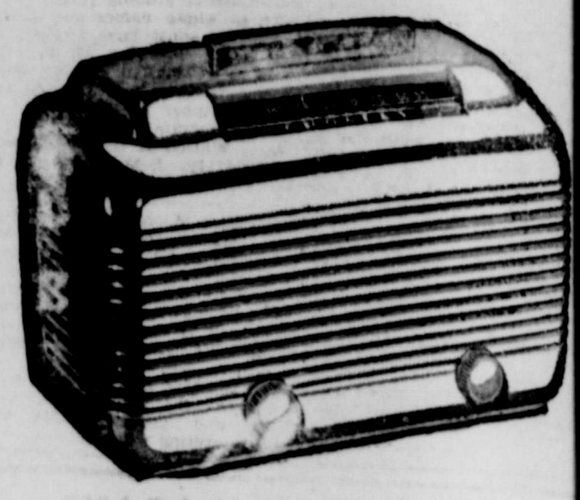
MILK MADE TWINS CREAMLAND



England we like for Government,
Since the Bill of Rights in Parliament
Was passed on December 16th, 1689,
Human Liberty's richest gold mine.
That's why the English, we admire
For to injustice first setting fire,
Of this we can not help but think
When leaving them Milk to drink.

PATTON'S DAIRY
Roy Patton, owner
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...R. Postma, executive of the ...h Plains Area council, Boy ...ts of America, at a recent ...ting laid before members of ...dada Lions club, a Scout spon...ng unit, some of the plans of the ...ncil for the ensuing year of ...uting in this section.

...e said that if plans go through ...planned a four-county district ...d be set up with a man to give ...l his time to Floyd, Crosby, Dic... and Motley counties. Postma ...ently came to the South Plains ...m New Mexico. He said the hand ...k of Scouting will be followed ...ely in all activities and sees an ...limited prospect for the move...t in this section.

...r. Postma spoke to the Lions ...d several special guests, includ... some of the Den mothers of ... Cub Scout organizations in ...ydada. Among these visitors ...re Mrs. Jack Henry, Mr. and Mrs. ...ris Norman, and Rev. and Mrs. ... F. Marshall.

Thanksgiving Meeting Called off

The meeting for Thursday night ...s not held due to the fact that ...e date was a holiday. James Word presided at Thursday night's session.

Court of Honor Dec. 1

Robert Crowell, Scoutmaster of one of the local troops, announced plans in the making for a court to be held in Floydada on the evening of December 1.

ORAGENE WILLSON ON WARD BELMONT HONOR ROLL

NASHVILLE, Tenn., — Oragene Willson, a senior at the Ward-Belmont college in Nashville, has been placed on the honor roll at the mid-semester grading period.

Those whose names are on the honor roll must have attained an average of 84% for all of their credit courses. The announcement of this recognition was made Friday, November 28 during the assembly program.

Miss Willson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Willson of 112 South First Street.

Joe Dick Moore of Wichita Falls Texas, spent a week in Floydada visiting with his father, Frank L. Moore and sister Norma Jean. Joe Dick returned Sunday to Wichita Falls where he has opened a tooled leather shop and is specializing in hand tooled belts, purses, and bill folds.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dyer and children spent the holidays in Carnegie and Oklahoma City, Oklahoma visiting with relatives.

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COPE'S DRIVE IN

South Plains News

SOUTH PLAINS, Dec. 1—Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Calahan and son, Junior, Mr. and Mrs. Hilburn Casey and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Calahan and Jackie Don spent Thanksgiving Day at Big Springs with Mrs. McClain.

Floyd Jarnagin, of Lubbock, spent Thanksgiving with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Hartman spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jarnagin.

Mrs. Betty Jeffcoat and Allen took Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Jeffcoat at Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Upton and family spent Thanksgiving Day in Plainview with Mrs. Upton and Helen.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Karr and children took Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Calahan.

Charles Beedy spent the holidays at home.

Miss Carol Reeves, Raymond and Jack Reeves spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sim Reeves.

Mr. and Mrs. Garlington went to Borger Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Whitlock are spending a few weeks vacation at Bowie and Decatur with friends.

June Marble spent Saturday night and Sunday with Leora King in Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Young, Donnie Carol and Yvonne spent the weekend at Paris, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wiley and family spent Sunday in Plainview with relatives.

L. L. McKenzie left last week for San Antonio.

Miss Joy Childress spent the holidays at home.

Mrs. Floyd Horton and son, of Lubbock, visited in the J. B. Jarnagin home Sunday.

INFANT CHILD DIES

Catholic graveside services for the infant baby of Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Torrez were held Tuesday afternoon of last week in the Lockney Cemetery. The baby was born Monday and died the following day.

The family have been in the Lockney vicinity working for some time.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Eudy for the holidays were Mrs. John Eudy and sons, Johnny and Roy George, of Amarillo, Miss Thelma Eudy, of Dougherty and Billy Jack Eudy, student at Texas Technological college. Billy Jack is a sophomore Commerce student this year.

Holiday guests of Mrs. Lula Moore were a sister, Mrs. G. W. Trussell of Fort Worth and her daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Flavil Hodge and daughter, of Lakeview and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cole, of Lubbock.

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STEWART'S CLEANERS

Cranberry Ideas for Change Given by Home Dem. Agt.

Cranberries are a must on the menu for holiday dinners, but have you tried them chopped raw with oranges? Here's a quick and easy way to get a tasty relish for the turkey, says Lelia Petty, County Home Demonstration agent.

All that you need to do is wash 4 cups of cranberries run them through the food chopper with 2 oranges, skin, too, that have been quartered and seeded. Then mix well with enough sugar to suite your taste. It will probably take about 2 cups of sugar for this amount of cranberries. Chill the mixture a few hours before you're ready to serve. You'll have about a quart of the relish.

Another good thing about this relish besides its taste and ease of preparation is the fact that you can keep it in the refrigerator for several weeks. That is, if your family doesn't eat it all at one meal.

The Agent adds that variations are easy, too. Two apples, peeled cored and diced may be added with the oranges. Or ½ cup each of diced carrots and celery. One cup of fresh grapefruit segments, or crushed pineapple can be used to vary the flavor for the relish that goes with the left-over turkey when Thanksgiving day is past.

Ford Tells Dealers About New Trucks

Advance information on the new 1948 line of Ford trucks is being revealed to Ford dealers of the nation this month in a series of meetings held in various parts of the country.

J. B. Bishop of the Floydada Ford agency attended a meeting of dealers in Big Spring last week to get information about the new vehicles. They will be introduced in the near future, he said.

Mrs. R. F. Luttrell, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Redd, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Gilly and Mrs. Leighton Teeple spent Wednesday and Thursday in Amarillo, guests of Dr. and Mrs. R. A. Hill and Mrs. Virgie Flowers.

Welton Dunavant, sophomore accounting student at Texas Technological college, Lubbock, spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Dunavant.

Mrs. L. L. Switzer and daughters Thelma and Mrs. Clarence Reddy spent the holidays in Iowa Park guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Chambles.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Jones and Miss Nina Jones, of Lubbock, spent the holidays in Floydada, guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Jones.

Mrs. H. N. Powell and son, Jimmy, spent the holidays in Mabank, Texas, guests of Mrs. Powell's mother, Mrs. J. M. Bennington.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ewen, of White Deer, spent the week-end with Mrs. Ewen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Waller and other relatives.

Mrs. L. L. Clark left Tuesday for Graham, where she will visit for several days with her mother, Mrs. J. V. Hamm and other relatives.

BOYCE HOUSE ON SAN ANTONIO

Paraphrasing Browning, "Oh, to be in San Antonio now that autumn's there!"

Most romantic of Texas cities! Herds of bawling cattle once were driven down the dusty main street. Stage coaches dashed in, with a story of a holdup or an Indian attack. Mules, with jingling little bells, plodded in, loaded with Spanish silver.

Her history is a procession of Spaniards, Mexicans, filibusters, Comanches, cowboys brawling in the saloons, cattle kings betting thousands on the turn of a card.

From San Antonio, Jim Bowie set forth to seek the San Saba mine (known to legend, too, now as "the lost Bowie mine"), had an epic fight with redskins and, because of his wounded men, had to turn back.

Roy Bean lived in San Antonio till he left for Langtry to become "the Law West of the Pecos."

San Antonio not only is the scene of the Alamo but here too were fought the Council House fight, the Grass Fight, Salado, Alazan, Medina, Concepcion; and the city was stormed by Texas patriots responding to the ring call, "Who will go with old Ben Milam into San Antonio?"

Shanghai Pierce of the booming voice; Big-Foot Wallace, Texas Ranger, stagecoach driver, hero of the Mier expidition and the War with Mexico; Bet-a-Million Gates; Sam Bass on the dodge; Ben Thompson, master of the six-gun; Robert E. Lee; Capt. Jack Hays; Sidney Lanier; O. Henry; Brann the Iconoclast -- all were here.

What a cast of characters!

Imagine writing a whole book about San Antonio and leaving all this — or nearly all of it — out! Well, a fellow did.

Writing fluids. Hesperian

Charles Ray Hamilton was here over the Thanksgiving holidays visiting in the home of his mother Mrs. A. J. Hamilton. Charles has been attending A. & M. college at Bryan.

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BABO, 2 Cans .21

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Red Dart PEAS, No. 2 Can .10

Adams ORANGE JUICE, 46 Oz. .31

Hudson Food Market

SOCIETY

Brown-Bishop nuptial Ceremony at Lubbock Thanksgiving Day

Miss Nancy Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Brown, and Howard Gene (Dink) Bisnop, son of Mr. and Mrs. Holt Bishop, of Crosbyton, were united in marriage in a quiet ceremony performed Thanksgiving morning at 10 o'clock in the home of Rev. C. J. McCarty, pastor of Calvary Baptist church in Lubbock.

Mrs. Bishop wore a blue gabardine suit with brown accessories and a gardenia corsage.

Miss Lois Huckabee attended the bride as bridesmaid. She wore a pink dress with brown accessories and a pink carnation corsage.

Edmond Brown, of Crosbyton, attended the groom as best man.

The bride was a popular member of the 1946 graduating class of Floydada High school. She was crowned carnival queen in 1945 and was elected Ag sweetheart in 1946. She is employed as principal clerk at Floyd County A. C. A.

The groom graduated from Crosbyton High school with the class of 1946. He is employed with Western Oil company.

The couple left for a wedding trip to New Mexico. Since their return they are at home at 218 East Georgia.

Exhibit of Art Will Feature Silver Tea

Mrs. E. J. Barker will have an exhibit of paintings of her art students Saturday, December 13, at the American Legion hall in Floydada from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. The show will be sponsored by the P. T. A. and a musical silver tea will be held for the benefit of this organization.

The paintings exhibited will be of ink, pencil, water colors, and oils. An out of town judge will judge the exhibits in the different classifications listed.

Mrs. Barker, who has been an art teacher in Floydada for over ten years, is well known for her artistic ability. Her art classes have taken many prizes in past competitive events.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Henningson of Amarillo spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Floydada visiting with Mrs. Henningson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Flynn Thagard. Mr. Henningson was just recently discharged from the air corps with the rank of captain. Mrs. Hennnigson is the former Sammy Thagard.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lester Minor jr., spent the week-end in Lubbock attending Homecoming at Texas Tech.

Garden Club Invited To See Presentation of Famous Antiques

The Floydada Garden club has received a special invitation from the Amarillo Federation of Women's clubs to attend their Antique show which will be held in the Municipal auditorium in Amarillo December 6 throught the 7th.

In the letter received by Mrs Hoffman, president of the Floydada Garden club, it stated that the show will contain exhibits of dealers from Los Angeles, Kansas City, Omaho and New Jersey as well as all Panhandle cities and about 15 Amarillo dealers and some private collections of national fame. This is your first opportunity to see a magnificent show right at your front door, stated Mrs. Robert E. Clements, general chairman.

Daughter Is Honored With Birthday Party

Mrs. Lloyd Murry entertained for her daughter, Rebecca Jo, on her ninth birthday Saturday, November 29, from 3 until 4 o'clock. Games were played and gifts were opened. A birthday cake with ice cream was served to guests.

Present for the party were Vanda Carter, Wrene Patterson, Burldene Huckabee, Peggy Ann Greer, Ann Finley, Darlene Dorrell, Sue Durham, Weida Fern Alexander, Gayle Gee, Mary Elizabeth Wilks, Ann Hickerson, Sherry Dale Darden Sandra Collier, Carolyn Collier, Kay Calaway, Kay Elaine Holland, Annette White, Jaunice Beedy, Donnie Kay Murry, Marieta Murry, and Mrs. Ham Smith, Mrs. O. E. Murry Mrs. Adron Field, Mrs. Floyd Murry and the hostess, Mrs. Murry and daughter, Rebecca Jo.

W. S. C. S. OF CARR'S CHAPEL MET WITH MRS. RAMSEY

The Women's Society of Christian Service of Carr's Chapel met December 1 at 2 o'clock with Mrs. Sherwood Ramsey in their regular monthly program and business meeting. Mrs. L. A. Williams had charge of the worship. Mrs. Everett Miller had charge of the program.

The ladies will serve dinner at the E. W. Turner sale on December 10. Final reports for the year were worked out and refreshments were served to eight ladies. Five ladies from the organization attended the all day district Harvest Day meeting held in Plainview Tuesday.

HENRYS OF VERNON HOSTS AT THANKSGIVING DINNER

Thanksgiving guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Henry at Vernon were Dr. and Mrs. G. V. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ginn Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Henry, jr., Mr and Mrs. Billy Henry, of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Barker and son, Barry, and Mrs. K. Barker, of Lockney.

Among the other relatives there were Mrs. C. P. Barker and son Kenneth, of Munday and Mrs. E. C Henry, of Floydada who is visiting in Munday.

DINNER HONORS JUDGE W. E. CRIMES ON HIS BIRTHDAY

Judge W. E. Grimes was named as honoree on Thanksgiving day when Mrs. Grimes and their daughter, Mrs. Gene Aylesworth, gave a dinner for him on his birthday.

Present to celebrate the event with the Grimes family and the Aylesworths were Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Patton of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Gray of Crowell, Mrs. Frank Smith of Dodson, Texas; and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Gray and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gray and family of Amarillo.

Campbell News

CAMPBELL, Dec. 2—Mr. and Mrs. Howard Adams, Linda Gail, Mr. and Mrs. David Graham and Janice, of Amarillo and Mrs. T. M. Carter spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Warren and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lyles and E. B. Chestnutt returned from Temple Sunday. Mrs. Chestnut is doing fine in Scott and White hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Head and family visited Mrs. Head's sister in Abernathy Sunday.

Visitors in the Everett Warren home Sunday weer Mr. and Mrs. Morris Raley and family, Mrs. Foster Amburn, Mrs. Glen Amburn and Ronnie.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Finley spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Baxter and family.

Quite a large crowd attended the program and supper Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Lackey, Mrs. Bratton and Bob accompanied Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Trice to Harrold Thursday, where they visited the Gillis families.

Lowell, Loran and Franklin Nixon are feeling fine and back in school after a tonsilectomy performed during the holidays.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to take this means of expressing our thanks and appreciation to the members of the Rebekah lodge, members of the City Park Church of Christ, Dr. Pitts and his staff, and our friends and neighbors, who were so kind and thoughtful during the illness and death of our wife, mother and sister

Alfred Ray
Glenn L. Slaughter
J. B. Slaughter
Mrs. Tom Garner
Mrs. Clyde Edwards
John Simpson
Mrs. Jim Trimble

Mrs. Howard Bishop Honoree at Bridal Shower Held Tuesday

Mrs. Howard Gene Bishop, the former Nancy Brown, was named honoree at a lovely bridal shower Tuesday evening prior to her wedding on Thursday. The courtesy was given at the home of Mrs. J. B. Bishop, 521 West Mississippi Street.

Guests were met at the door by Mrs. W. Edd Brown and Mrs. Bishop and were directed to the register, presided over by Miss Mary Lou Wise.

Hostesses assisting Mrs. Bishop were Mmes. W. Edd Brown, Harry Morckel, W. D. Newell and Misses Leila Petty, Mary Lou Wise, Nanette Bishop and Mary Eunice Hennessee.

Corsages of bronze mums were presented to the honoree, her mother Mrs. T. S. Brown, and mother of the groom, Mrs. Holt Bishop.

The serving table was beautifully laid with an embroidered Irish linen cloth and decoarted with an arrangement of bronze mums and yellow candles. Hot spiced tea was poured by Miss Mary Eunice Hennessee. She was assisted by Leila Petty and Nanette Bishop. Miss Bishop gave the toast to the bride. Several games and contests were directed by Leila Petty.

Guests registering were Mmes. J. C. Wester, Pete Callaway, Sudie Thomas, Ray S. McIntire, Davis Bishop, J. H. Buchanan, Rex P. Brown, E. I. Durham, Woodrow Badgett, H. O. Pope, Lewis Norman Holt Bishop, Percy Orman, Dave Willis, Harve Thomas, Winston Brown, R. Fred Brown, Mollie A. Morton, T. S. Brown, Glenn Treadwell, Charles Stephenson, Lyndell Roberts, Bob Collier, Everett Collier;

Misses Joy Jackson, Kay Sparks, Lois Huckabee, Wanda Huckabee, Shirley Bishop, Doris Vinson, Maurice Burton, and Lovene Jones and the hostesses.

Christmas Program of PTA announced for Evening December 15

The Christmas program for the PTA organization will be held Monday night, December 15, at 7 o'clock in the gymnasium at Andrews Ward school. The hospitality committee for the program is composed of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reue, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Muench and Mr. and Mrs. Noman Hamilton. The Lord's prayer will be said in unison.

Christmas carols and the program will be arranged by pupils of Jo Hal Wofford, Mrs. J. Morrison Hollums, Mrs. Harold Christensen and Clyde Haden.

All parents, teachers, pupils and anyone interested in the organization are invited to attend the program.

Irick News

IRICK, Dec. 2—The members of the Jolly Stitchers club entertained their familles last Wednesday night with a Thanksgiving supper. After supper, games of "42" and dominoes were played. J. T. Meek received the quilt, which was given away. Visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Merrick. The next meeting of the club will be an all day meeting with Mrs. Charlie Hastings on December 11. Each member is asked to bring a fifty-cent gift for the Christmas tree. This is the last meeting of the year, therefore the Sunshine sisters will be revealed.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Terrell, of Floydada, took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Potts.

Dale Lacewell visited in Dumas a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Dunn and girls visited her brothers in Matador last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dollar and Mrs. J. F. Dollar spent Thanksgiving Day with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lindsey, of Hereford.

The Holmes family held a reunion in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Holmes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Baxter and daughters spent Thanksgiving Day with Mr. and Mrs. Hatchett, of Lone Star.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Dollar and boys spent the holidays in Texarkana. Mrs. L. C. Garth and Carol Sue returned home with them, after a two weeks visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Parsley spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Byron Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Sanderson and Elna spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Holt, of Hale Center.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Graham were Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Roberts and children, of Kress and Mr. and Mrs. Adkins Phillips and baby, of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Taack left Sunday for a few days stay in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Hall and family attended a singing in Plainview Sunday afternoon.

A number from here attended the football game at Plainview Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Taack and boys returned to their home in Hereford Monday, after spending several days with her parents.

The Graham children and their families enjoyed a Thanksgiving dinner with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Taack shopped in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dow Colson and Mr. and Mrs. Cassie Yarborough spent the holidays with relatives in Walters, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Dollar and Forest Wade took Thanksgiving supper with Mr. and Mrs. Wade Kurfees.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cannon, of Friona, spent Sunday here with relatives.

Mrs. C. E. Hargis, of Amarillo, is spending this week at their farm here.

(Too Late For Last Week)

IRICK, Nov. 26—Mr. and Mrs. Bascom and daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Workman Sunday.

Allen Nodine, of North Carolina, has been here visiting Mr. and Mrs John Holmes and other relatives.

Wilburn Dollar made a business trip to Houston the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Caldwell and girls visited Mr. and Mrs. Langford, of Lockney, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Meek had as their guests over the week-end his sister and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Jolly and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Caldwell shopped in Lubbock last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Dollar and boys and Mrs. L. C. Garth and Carol Sue spent Sunday with Mrs. Ben Wesley and Miss Bennie Purnell, of Happy.

Mrs. Lonnie Bullard, of Texline formerly of here, underwent a major operation at Raton, New Mexico several days ago. Word was received this week that she is doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Dow Colston visited Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Langfelt, of Aiken, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Dale Lacewell honored her husband Sunday with a birthday dinner. Present were Mrs. Virgie Terrell and daughters, Laura Mae and Aillen, of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Terrell and children and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Potts and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Hall and family attended a Thanksgiving dinner at the Nazarene church at Floydada Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hampton and children, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hampton and children all of Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Robertson and Linda, of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Poage and children, of Lockney and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dollar.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Williams and daughter, of Plainview, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Graham.

John Holmes left Sunday for North Carolina to visit a few days.

Lakeview News

LAKEVIEW, Dec. 2—Rev. W. T. North, of White Flat, and pastor of the Lakeview church, preached here Sunday morning. He was accompanied by his daughter, Betty Sue, who is teaching at Close City, near Post.

The Thanksgiving program, postponed from Wednesday night of last week, will be given Friday night of this week. The program is to begin at 7 o'clock. Everyone is invited to be present.

Miss Edwina Tooley, teacher of Spanish and physical education in the Vernon High school, spent the Thanksgiving holidays in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Tooley.

Delores, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dunford, is in a Lubbock hospital, where she is suffering from what was thought to be diptheria. She is reported to be resting well.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones and little daughter, Imogene, returned home Saturday evening from Electra and Dallas, where they visited relatives. They accompanied her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lafrance, of Kress.

Johnson Family Reunion

All the children were at home for the first time in five years for a reunion with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Johnson, over the week-end.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Johnson, and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Johnson, all of Lakeview;

Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Wheeles and children, of Cone; Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Johnson and son, of Silver City, New Mexico; a friend, Mrs. Bob Morrison, of Hurley, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Harris, of Dallas ;Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Garrison and children, of Louisville.

OUT-OF-TOWN- RELATIVES AND FRIENDS ATTENDED RITES FOR MRS GEORGE DICKEY

Included among numerous relatives and friends of Mrs. George Dickey, who attended funeral rites held for her here Sunday was an only sister, Mrs. A. E. Turner of Voss, Texas. Accompanying Mrs Turner were her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Turner and family, and a daughter, Miss Ina Turner, also of Voss, and a daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Van Dalsem, of Coleman.

Others who attended from out of town points were Mrs. Henry Barber, a nice, and son of Muleshoe and O. D. Radar, a nephew, of Vernon. Mr. Radar was accompanied by his wife and B. C. Franklin, the latter also of Vernon; and

Mr. and Mrs. George Lee Henry and family, of Clarendon, and several friends from Lubbock and Crosbyton.

FLOYDADA HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. H. D. Payne was dismissed November 25 after undergoing surgery.

W. H. Sadler was admitted November 22 for medical treatment.

Delores Dunford was dismissed November 30 after receiving medical treatment.

Mrs. L. H. Newell was dismissed November 28 after receiving medical treatment.

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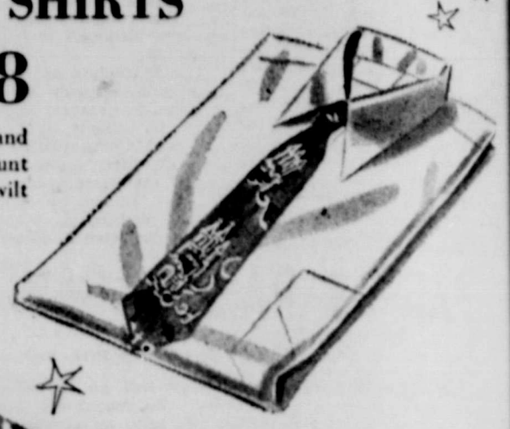
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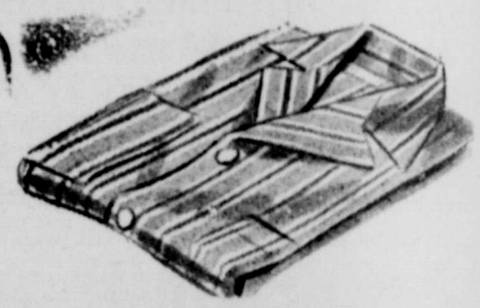
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len of This Congregation Serve h'ksgiving Day Dinner, Women ronounce It a Job Well Done

When the Thanksgiving service at the First Christian church came to an end Thursday morning, all those present had invitations to attend a Turkey day dinner as guest of the men's bible class of the Sunday school.

It was a man-made meal through-out, buying, preparing and serving turkey and dressing, cranberry sauce, giblet gravy, English peas, creamed potatoes and everything, including coffee and pie. D. W. Fyffe is president of the men's class which served host to the congregation. Jim M. Davis was chief of the committeemen, George Van Wickel was aid, Edward Wester his chief assistant, and Mr. Fyffe also assisted.

Many members of the congregation, who did not have home Thanksgiving day plans, together with several visitors, were guests of the class. Rev. Otto F. Marshall is authority for the statement that the meal was indeed a delicious one. It proved to have been a surprise for the women of the congregation, and Rev. Marshall said the secret was so well-kept there wasn't a woman north of Amarillo or south of Abilene who knew about it.

David's Sixtieth Psalm

The Thanksgiving day service at the First Christian church was introduced by an organ solo by Mrs. Earl Fagan, and there were hymns of thanks, prayer and the sermon by the pastor, Rev. Otto F. Marshall on David's sixtieth Psalm, wherein the singer rejoiced in the rich material blessings which had been bestowed on Israel and prayed for deliverance was the basis of the minister's message for the day.

The house of worship was comfortably filled for the Thanksgiving service.

Play at Dougherty Night of Dec. 10

The public has a cordial invitation to attend the four-act play, "Windy Willows" to be presented at Dougherty December 10 at 7:30 o'clock. The cast is made up of local talent and is sponsored by the Dougherty Community club. Proceeds will go to that organization to be used for the benefit of the school.

The play is published by Walter H. Baker company, Boston. It is a comedy, although it has its tragic moments.

The characters are Hubbel Tibbs a juvenile country boy, played by Bill Smith; Searcely Nuff, constable character comedy, by Dennis Smith; Donald McAdams, business man, by Fred Cardinal; Glover McAdam, his father, by Harold Woodson; Billy Fortune, tramp, by Henry Hinton; Gladys Wellington, young girl lead played by Genell Norman; Carrie Tibbs, young girl, by Ruth Smith and Mrs. Llewellyn De Puyster character comedy, by Mrs. Ruth Daniel.

MACHINES FOR THE SOUTH

"We will not have satisfactorily met the machinery needs of the South until we have machines which can do everything that a man and a mule can do and do it better and cheaper," said E. D. White, Assistant to Secretary of Agriculture Anderson at a conference on cotton mechanization. There is need, he emphasized, for cotton production machinery to fit both the large plantation and the family-size farm. One trouble with the present cotton picker, he pointed out, is that it is fitted only to the large plantation. He continued:

"We should never forget that over half the cotton acreage in this country is worked by farmers producing ten bales or less. However, I have enough faith in the creative genius of American industry to believe that this machine may soon be improved so that it will be adapted for the family-size farm. Many machines, now in common use, were too big and too expensive for the average farm when they first appeared on the market. The problem of getting efficient machines that are suitable for use on most farms also applies to the work now being done on machines for planting, cultivating, weeding and defoliation of cotton.

"It also applies to machines for use with southern crops other than cotton. In areas where cotton and tobacco overlap, for example, the labor requirements of the two crops more or less complement each other. If their cotton production is mechanized, the labor will still be needed for tobacco. Unless tobacco production can be mechanized these areas will continue to face a production problem. You find this sort of situation in varying degrees through many of the areas where cotton is grown."

Mr. and Mrs. Trueman D. Fuqua of Rio Vista, Texas, have a son born Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in a Cleburne hospital. The new born weighed 8¼ pounds at birth, the father advised Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Fuqua, grandparents of the boy, by telephone yesterday, indicating both mother and son are doing nicely. The boy has been given the name of Sam Trueman.

Ray S. McIntire, administrative officer of the Floyd County ACA attended a district meeting in Plainview Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hogge, of McKinney, were here last week-end guests of Mr. Hogge's brother Earl, and Mrs. Hogge.

PITTS HOSPITAL NOTES

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Preston Badgett, a girl, November 25.

W. H. Henderson was admitted November 26 for medical treatment.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Reeves, a daughter, on November 26.

B. L. Phillips was admitted November 28 to undergo an appendectomy.

Ruth Orozco was admitted November 29 for an appendectomy.

Mrs. W. M. Colville was admitted December 2 for medical treatment.

Mrs. Q. Carter underwent surgery December 2.

Frankie Hill was admitted December 2 for medical treatment.

Mrs. Frank Simth, of Dodson Texas, who had been the guest of her brother, Judge W. E. Grimes and Mrs. Grimes, here for several days, left Friday for Vernon on a visit with relatives there.

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BUBBLE GUM CONTEST at the State Fair of Texas waxes hot as Jo Ann Smith comes close to the championship title, cheered on by a well-wisher. A total of 213,249 youngsters and their adult escorts visited the Fair on a single day last week. Attendance at the "world's biggest fair" promises to hit an all-time high by closing date, October 19.

Three New Brick Business Houses At Roaring Springs

MATADOR, Nov.—Material is on the ground and construction has started on three new brick buildings in Roaring Springs. One building, being constructed by M. S. Thacker, will be located between the city hall and Spring theatre. It will be 26 X 30 feet in size and when completed will be occupied by the City Cleaners.

Two 25 X 90 brick buildings will be constructed immediately to the left of the city hall. Mr. Thacker is building one of the structures while the other is being built by "Pumper" Green.

Mr. Green recently started a new building to the left of the Masonic lodge, which he sold to J. R. Cooper. The Cooper Variety will be moved to the building when it is completed.

BOOM OR DEPRESSION? FIGURE IT OUT FOR YOURSELF

GOOD OMENS

1. Employment at all-time high. More than 60,000,000 Americans working for "pay or profit." Fully 1,000,000 women have gone back to jobs since Jan. 1—many to help husbands "make ends meet." Skilled workers still scarce.

2. Income payments to individual more than double prewar in first half although purchasing power of dollar sadly shrunk.

3. First half retail sales (in dollars) 2½ times as large as in 1939. Unit sales drag.

4. No signs of decline for "durables" (hard goods) such as motor vehicles, refrigerators, railroad equipment and machinery, although machinery orders have been slipping.

5. Record-breaking agricultural income has made farmers rich. Total estimated assets of $100,000,000,000 four times prewar.

6. Exports zoomed to annual rate of $18,000,000,000—six times 1939—but overseas dollar supply is drying up fast and June exports fell off 15 per cent. Import controls already imposed by Mexico, Argentina, Brazil and India. Most countries awaiting U. S. loans. Exports crumbled in 1921 for lack of foreign cash.

7. Retail stores have started cautious rebuilding of stocks but policy of purchasing agents is mainly hand-to-mouth or 60 days.

8. Production per factory employe rising gradually in most industries.

9. Volume of necessitious repair work—residential and non-residential—has expanded substantially, calling for use of more materials.

BAD OMENS

1. Broadening of inflation spiral, checked temporarily, restarted by steel-coal settlement and virtual certainty of higher costs, higher prices for most consumers' goods.

2. Administration's program to "stop Russia" in western Europe, Asia, Africa, threatens U. S. with impoverishment if carried through.

3. Congress extended government controls over exports and imports. This included petroleum. Exports to Russia will continue.

4. Savings by individuals fell in first quarter to lowest level since 1940. Cash and deposits dropped $1,800,000,000 but holdings of U. S. bonds rose $1,900,000,000. This was caution signal.

5. Manufacturers' inventories of finished goods of numerous types increased somewhat alarmingly in the first half.

6. Residential, business and industrial construction has fallen far below expectations because of fantastic costs.

7. Some commodities slipping as pipelines fill. Despite sheet dearth all steel companies have surpluses of some products. Hardest hit are rubber and copper. In Akron there is considerable unemployment.

8. Production of non-durables, particularly textiles, dropped slowly but steadily throughout first half.

9. High prices, fear of future, have led many families to defer buying.

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MARRIAGE RECORD

Marriage license were issued last week to:

Hubert L. Branscum and Wynona Battle, November 28.

Mrs. Lloyd Murry was hostess to several ladies Friday afternoon while Mrs. Floyd Murry was in her home. Refreshments of coffee, sandwiches and cake were served to Mrs. Woodrow Badgett, Mrs. Ham Smith, jr., and Mrs. Alva Sparks.

Mrs. Alta Johnson spent the holidays in Fort Worth, guest of her sister, Mrs. B. M. Smith, a brother Van Wilkinson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Gayland Whipple.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Fawver and daughter, Nancy, of Fort Worth spent the holidays here, guests of Mrs. Fawver's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Connelley.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Neil, jr. of Amarillo spent from Thursday November 20, until after Thanksgiving with Mr. Neil's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Neil, sr.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Borum and family of Borger and Mr. and Mrs Jack Shisler and son of Lubbock spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. E R. Borum.

Rev. and Mrs. Lloyd H. Jones and family spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Colorado City visiting with Mrs. Jones' mother, Mrs. D. M. Stell.

Mrs. H. N. Powell and son Jimmy of Dougherty, visited over the holidays at Mabank, Dallas and Denton.

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Floydada Church Is Represented at District Meeting

Rev. Lloyd H. Jones spoke at the 11 o'clock hour at the annual Harvest Day program of the Plainview district of the W. S. C. S. organizations held Tuesday at the First Methodist church in Plainview.

Life-long memberships to the local society weer presented to Mrs. W. M. Colville and Mrs. N. W. Williams. Mrs. George Stiles received a life-long membership to the district organization.

Representatives from the Floydada W. S. C. S. who attended the program were Rev. Lloyd H. Jones and Mmes. G. V. Smith, A. N. Ward, W. E. Grimes, Will Snell, D. D. Shipley, Ray S. McEntire, W. H. Bethel and George Stiles.

WINNINGS IN CULINARY DIVISION SOUTH PLAINS FAIR BY LOCAL WOMEN

Culinary awards made at the Panhandle South Plains fair awarded in October, not available for publication at the time, have more recently been made available. Among the winning participants in the culinary division from Floyd county were Mrs. A. H. Kreis and Mrs. John A. Lloyd. Mrs. Lloyd had two entries her light bread winning second and her cinnamo nrolls also placing second.

Mrs. Kreis' entries included angel food cake which placed first, as did her cookies. Other prizes in this division awarded Mrs. Kreis were the following in canned fruits and vegetables:

First on string beans, first on greens, first Kerr jar exhibit, second on mixed cucumber pickles and second on plum jelly.

Mrs. W. M. Spears and sons, George and Lyndell, made a trip to Paris, Texas, Wednesday and returned home Saturday. Mrs. Spears' mother, Mrs. Clem, returned to Floydada to visit.

Legal Notice

NOTICE OF ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
County of Floyd:

To the Resident, Qualified Electors of the County of Floyd, Texas, who own Taxable Property in said County and who have duly rendered the same for taxation:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held in Floyd County, Texas, on the 30th day of December, 1947, on the proposition and at the places more particularly set forth in the election order adopted by the Commissioners' Court on the 29th day of November, 1947, which is as follows:

"AN ORDER

Calling an Election on the proposition of the issuance of $300,000.00 of Road Bonds and the levy of a tax in payment thereof.

WHEREAS, there has been presented for the consideration of the Court a petition signed by J. M. Willson, jr. and 135 other persons praying that an election be held in said County on the proposition of the issuance of Road Bonds of said County in the amount of $300,000.00, and the levy of a tax in payment thereof; and

WHEREAS, the Court has found that said petition is signed by more than fifty of the resident, qualified property taxpaying electors of Floyd County owning taxable property in said County and who have duly rendered the same for taxation; and

WHEREAS, the amount of bonds to be issued will not exceed one fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of said Floyd County;

It Is Therefore Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed by the Commissioners Court of Floyd County, Texas:

1. That an election be held in said County on the 30 day of December, 1947, which is not less than thirty (30) days from the date of this order, to determine:

"Whether or not the bonds of Floyd County, Texas, shall be issued under Article III Section 52 of the Constitution, in the amount of $300,000.00, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed Three (3%) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and maturing at such time as may be fixed by the Commissioners' Court, serially or otherwise, in not to exceed Twenty-Five (25) years from the date thereof, for the purpose of the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof throughout Floyd County, Texas; and whether or not ad valorem taxes shall be levied annually on all taxable property in said County sufficient to pay the annual interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the bonds at their maturity."

2. That the proceeds of such bonds, if authorized, shall be expended in the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpike or in aid thereof throughout Floyd County, Texas.

3. That said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 3, Title 22, Revised Statutes of 1925, as amended.

4. All persons who are legally qualified electors of this State and of this County, and who are resident, qualified, property taxpaying electors of this County, owning taxable property in said County and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be entitled to vote at said election and all electors shall vote in the election precinct of their residence.

5. The ballots of said election shall have written or printed thereon the following:

"For the Issuance of Road Bonds and the Levying of an Ad Valorem Tax in Payment Thereof"

"Against the Issuance of Road Bonds and the Levying of an Ad Valorem Tax in Payment Thereof."

Each voter shall draw a line through one of the above expressions thus leaving the other as indicating his vote.

6. The said election shall be held at the several polling places in Floyd County, Texas, and the following named persons are hereby appointed as officers of said election at the several voting precincts as follows:

In Precinct No. 1 at Martin & Company, Implement Store, with the following election officers: Lon M. Davis, Presiding Judge, J. M. Willson, Judge, B. K. Barker, Clerk, T. T. Hamilton, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 2 at Starkey Schoolhouse with the following election officers: J. K. Holmes, Presiding Judge, Elford Parrish, Judge.

In Precinct No. 3 at Allmon Schoolhouse, with the following election officers: E. E. Foster, Presiding Judge, Dennis, Thorn, Judge.

In Precinct No. 4 at Sandhill Schoolhouse, with the following election officers: Tom McLain, Presiding Judge, Walter Knight, Judge, W. R. Bellington, Clerk, Jim Holmes, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 5 at City Auditorium, with the following election officers: J. J. Harris, Presiding Judge, L. M. Hones, Judge Dee Copeland, Clerk, Guy Allen, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 6, at Aiken Schoolhouse, with the following election officers: H. L. Stowe, Presiding Judge, Will Cooper, Judge.

In Precinct No. 7, at Providence Schoolhouse, with the following election officers: Pelham Clements, Presiding Judge, T. H. Boedeker, Judge.

In Precinct No. 8, at Lone Star Schoolhouse, with the following election officers: G. B. Johnston, Presiding Judge, H. E. Frizzell, Judge.

In Precinct No. 9 at South Plains Schoolhouse, with the following election officers: W. E. Sims, Presiding Judge, Geo. C. Beedy, Judge, H. T. Bradshaw, Clerk, G. Milton, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 11 at Cedar Hill Schoolhouse, with the following election officers: J. S. Lackey, Presiding Judge, E. E. Wells, Judge, J. V. Gilley, Clerk, C. V. Lemons, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 12 at Fairview Schoolhouse, with the following election officers: E. W. Walls, Presiding Judge, Lee Rushing, Judge, A. T. Swepston, Clerk, Edell DuBoise Clerk.

In Precinct No. 13 at Baker Schoolhouse, with the following election officers: George Stiles, Presiding Judge, Jim Hart, Judge, Hershell Green, Clerk, W. H. Bethel, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 15 at Lakeview Schoolhouse, with the following election officers: W. E. Edwards, Presiding Judge, Thurmon Battey, Judge, Floyd Wilkes, Clerk, William Bertrand, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 16 at Harmony Schoolhouse, with the following election officers: G. L. Snodgrass, Presiding Judge, Hal Scott, Judge.

In Precinct No. 17, at Goodnight Schoolhouse, with the following election officers: Warren Merrell, Presiding Judge, Walter Cobb, Judge.

In Precinct No. 18 at Lockney High School, with the following election officers: T. B. Mitchell, Presiding Judge, Bob Shelton, Judge, Frank Roberson, Clerk, W. C. Wisdom, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 19 at City Hall, in Floydada, Texas, with the following election officers: E. P. Nelson, Presiding Judge, J. G. Wood, Judge, L. B. Fawver, Clerk, J. W. Lanier, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 20 at Dougherty Schoolhouse, with the following election officers: Jim Morrison, Presiding Judge, Orland Howard, Judge, Bill Norman, Clerk, C. A. Caffee, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 21 at Sterley Schoolhouse, with the following election officers: Bert Bobbitt, Presiding Judge, G. A. McAda, Judge.

In Precinct No. 22 at McCoy Schoolhouse, with the following election officers: James J. Smith, Jr., Presiding Judge, O. L. Bearden, Judge.

In Precinct No. 23 at County Courtroom, with the following election officers: C. B. Sims, Presiding Judge, Mrs. S. J. Latta, Judge, Clifford Willis, Clerk, D. I. Bolding, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 24 at County Treasurer Office, with the following election officers: Mal Jarboe, Presiding Judge, J. L. Frizzell, Judge, Mrs. A. W. Chowning, Clerk.

7. The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the General Laws of the State of Texas, regulating general elections, when not in conflict with the provisions of the Statutes hereinabove referred to.

8. Notice of said election shall be given by publication of a copy of this order in the "Floyd County Hesperian" a newspaper published in said County, for three (3) successive weeks before the date fixed for holding said election, and the election shall be held not less than thirty days from the date of this order. In addition thereto, there shall be posted other copies of this order at four public places in the County, one of which shall be at the Courthouse door for three (3) weeks prior to said election.

9. The County Judge is hereby directed to cause said notices to be published and posted and the County Clerk is hereby directed to publish and post the same as hereinabove directed, and further orders are reserved until the returns of said election are made by the duly authorized election officers and received by the Court.

PASSED AND APPROVED this the 29 day of November, 1947.

W. E. GRIMES,
County Judge, Floyd County, Texas.

Fred N. Clark, Commissioner, Precinct No. 1.
Charlie Smith, Commissioner, Precinct No. 2.
W. C. Plumlee Commissioner, Precinct No. 3.
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As A Farm Woman Thinks

(By Nellie Witt Spikes)

I remember, I remember
How my childhood fleeted by,-
The mirth of its December
And the warmth of its July.

How well I do remember. The red of the plums in the thicket of green bushes, in July, the red of the gay silk handkerchiefs in the big green cedar tree in the old courtroom at Emma. There were the big stars that kept watch over us as we lay on the ground in camp near the sweet plums, there were stars of tinsel that kept watch and sparkled in our eyes as we sat enthralled at the beautiful Christmas tree for all the community.

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Well, well, poke greens are coming into their own. Says Mr. Fitzgerald who runs a nursery in Stephenville Texas. To my way of thinking about as valuable as anything I have in my catalog. A few messes of poke in the early spring is not only good, it is good for young and old. I like it all the year. Last season I had an order for five pounds of seed. There was not that many seed anywhere but we hope to have as high as half pound lots this year.

"Acres of it will be planted and the man who starts first will have a chance to make some money. The seed can be sowed in the spring like cabbage, then transplanted. The first year it grows then in the early spring it puts out its delicious health-giving greens. I understand it is beginning to appear on the big markets by truck load. Half pound twenty five dollars."

And to think I gave the mocking bird such high priced seed, but he gave me lovely music in return so we are even.

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It is a good time to make some things to hang on Christmas trees. Cut a small string of tinsel, tie with small wire and with a tiny red or blue bow it looks fine on the tip end of branches. I am covering the old crochet thread tuber with white paper and paste on flowers and scenes cut from old Christmas cards. Cover card board stars with silver or gold paper, tack tinsel around the edges and they make pretty decorations.

Two League Meets At Austin In May

AUSTIN, Tex.—For the first time in the history of the University Interscholastic League, two state meets are scheduled for 1948.

Conferences A and B will hold a meet May 7-8, and Conference AA will have its meet May 14-15, Roy Bedichek, director, said.

Since there is no competitive contract between these conferences, scheduling on separate dates solves difficulties of lodging, and of facilities for conducting the contests, Bedichek explained.

Clean, cotton rags wanted at The Hesperian office.

The People's Forum

(This column is conducted exclusively as an open forum for the citizens. Readers are urged to comment on any subject they desire at any time in this department if they will be careful to avoid libelous statements or personal attacks. If you want to discuss something you are invited to do so in The People's Forum.)

McLAIN WRITES ABOUT THE ROAD SITUATION, THE VOTE IN NOVEMBER 22 ELECTION

In looking over the list of votes by boxes in the recent road bond election, I seem to see a few things. One is that people who have all-weather roads near them are not willing to pay out a little to help others who do not have them. They seem to forget that all the people paid for the ones that have been built in our county.

The state paid for these roads and we, the tax payers, furnished the money. Perhaps a few people tried to block the way of you getting your road and you feel that you now have a chance to get even with them. Perhaps this is the way of the world, but is it demonstrating the spirit of Christ, which we as individuals and as a nation are supposed to do? And if you do get even with a few who, perhaps, have wronged you, would you desire to injure hundreds who are innocent, to get vengeance on the few?

Others seem to have little or no hope of getting a road near them therefore, not willing that any should have it. Personally, I believe, that if this bond issue had carried and not one foot of it brought nearer to me than it now is but other parts of the county would have received good roads, it would have been worth to me the $10.00 per year that it would have cost me. I might travel these roads some and even if not, it would release road money and machinery to keep my roads in better condition.

Floydada A Puzzle To Him

But what really gets me is Floydada. She said by her vote November 22 that you ignorant hay seeds have for years brought your livestock, maize, wheat, cotton, poultry eggs, cream, etc., to us regardless of the road conditions; also you have brought our lumber, dry goods, groceries, hardware, drugs and what not, borrowed money from us at a high rate of interest and when you had a few surplus dollars you let us use them free. When you tore your car, pick-up or truck up you managed to get it to us some way and we fixed it up or partly did so and charged you what we pleased. All these things and much more you have done and will continue to do, so what do we care how much it costs you in money and worry?

Also, perhaps many of you people have traveled these roads in all kinds of weather as we now try to do, but are living in Floydada and have jobs that do not require you to get out of town much or perhaps you are one of the retired farmers who wore yourselves out on the farm or part of it on these roads.

About the only way that I can account for your voting against good roads is that you are like the colored man who was objecting to being taken in to service during war time. They said:

"Rastus, are you willing to fight for your country?"

He said, "Boss I tells you I'se been around town so long that I don't care much for the country."

Vote In Northwest Fourth

About the only bright spot I can see is that the Lockney quarter of the county did vote strong for roads and even had influence enough on the corner of Floydada nearest them that they gave a nice margin for roads. If this thing can't be done county-wide, it is almost a sure thing the northwest one fourth of the county, including Lockney, will and it might be that they would be kind enough to meet us at the precinct line so that Sand Hill and Harmony could fill in the gap and have connection from there to the new road on the south.

This would give us contact with Lockney, and wherever we wished to go from there, and to Petersburg, Ralls, in fact, with the outside world.

This thing of changing trading points is nothing new to many of us. For years I, with many of my neighbors, did our business mainly with Lockney. When the time came that we thought that Lockney was a little too independent and Floydada showed a few men who seemed to realize that we were human beings and could help them as well as they help us, it was then that we switched to Floydada. If we should get direct connections with Lockney and she proved by her actions that she was friendly in vote only, we would not be tied to her apron strings as Floydada seems to think we are to her.

Sixty Years of Changes

In my 60 years in Floyd County I have seen our roads develop from a very few crooked cow trails to our present system and hope to live to see the day that we will have all-weather roads in reasonable reach of every farm in the county.

I like to see people go to the polls and vote their sentiments. Some seem to think one vote won't amount to anything. In the last election, a very few "ones" could have changed the result. A failure to vote for what one thinks is right is a half vote for what he believes to be wrong.

I also learn that people sometimes unthoughtfully mark out what they want to vote for.

So when we have a chance to vote, let us do so and think before we mark our ballot.

Yours for better roads until we get the best.

J. T. McLain

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Womack on Thanksgiving day were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Womack, jr., and Mr. and Mrs Ralph Womack, Bill Womack of Plainview, Miss Martha Cudd, a student at Tech, and Bruce Womack and Jimmy Draper from West Texas State college.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Bell, of Fort Worth, left for their home Sunday of this week after several days spent here as guest of their daughter, Mrs. L. D. Britton, and Britton.

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EDITORIAL

IF YOU PLEASE!!!

It is only natural that you will have a "favorite" among your teachers, but you can always respect the position of ALL of them. You won't get away with that "trying to get ahead of teacher" attitude either. If in your estimation the instructor seems unfair, be at least grown-up about it, and don't holler "he's unfair" around the whole school. Instead, try to talk it over with him. Another way to show off your childish nature is by "talking back" when reprimanded. If you think you know it all, why do you come to school? When you see one of your instructors in the hall, greet him or her with a friendly "Hello" or a cheery "Good Morning". Remember, teachers are human,too.

If you have something important to discuss with your teacher wait quietly by the desk until you are recognized. All teachers will probably be eager to assist you if they are shown a little consideration. After all, you aren't the only one who needs help!!

Do you want to be called a "sneak" by your friends? If so, just go ahead and glance over a teacher's shoulder to see what he or she is writing. You wouldn't like it if anyone did that to you. "Sneak" is not an honor to be conferred on anyone.

Don't try to be a teacher's pet by bringing gifts and paying special attention to a teacher in hope of gaining a raise in "pay." Only a flunky does that. You may not know Emily Post from cover to cover, but a friendly word or deed goes a long way!!

Roving Reporter

What did you think of Homecoming?

Jane Johnson—I think it's the best thing Floydada High School has ever had.

Carroll Womack—I think it was just grand.

June Dunford—I think it was just awful swell. I enjoyed it a lot.

Ted Lanham—I thought is was a grand and huge success.

Mrs. Thomas—I thought it was just grand. I enjoyed seeing the exes and all the entertainment so much.

Pecos Hart—It was simply darling? (That's not irony either. He meant it.)

Doris Vinson—Well, I thought it was nice, but it would have been nicer if Earnest could have come in.

Floyd Lyles—It's the best thing that has ever happened to Floydada in ages.

Barbara Landers—Oh my? Gee it was good.

Eugene Mayfield—It was just right dinky?

Dot Anderson—I think it was real nice and would be so much nicer if we could have more things like that.

Mr. Baker—Well, I thought it was nice, just swell.

Mary Cozby—It was really O. K.

Was A Big Success

Thomas Amburn—I thought it was swell and I hope it can continue.

Leslie Crabtree—I thought it was a big success and I wish more had been here.

Jack Hough—I thought it was swell, topped off by a good game.

Jane Frizzell—It was wonderful. I think we ought to have it every year from now on.

Wade Payne—It was really swell. I'll always remember it.

Verna Laster—It took a lot of work, but I think it went over well. It was wonderful to see all the Ex students.

Arlen White—I think it was a good affair, probably the best this town has ever had. I sure hope we have another next year.

Jennie Chowning—I thought it was just "plumb" wonderful.

Bill Jeter—I think it's nice. Helps the exes and the present students to get together.

Fern Stovall—It was a lot of hard work, but it was worth it.

Chris Jones—I think it was a real big success and that we should have them every year.

Pepper's Coffee Thursday Morning Outstanding Event

The home of Mrs. Ohmer Kirk 504 South Wall Street, was the scene of the Green Pepper reunion, one of the outstanding and successful events of the Homecoming celebration. It was a coffee starting at 9:00 and lasting through 10:30, Thursday morning.

The guests were greeted upon their arrival by Mrs. Polly Cardinal, Misses Doneice Cline, Betty Lou Tye, Norma Carpenter, Bobbie Medlen and Patricia Kirk. They were then directed to the registration desk which was presided over by Miss Christeen Jones.

After registering, guests were directed to a white linen covered table where they were given coffee or tea served from silver coffee and tea set. Mrs. Ouida Britton served the coffee and Miss Anne Swepston served the tea; almond candies in the shape of miniature pigskin colored footballs laced with white, were served there also. The table was lighted by kelly-green candles which were stationed in tiny football holders. The centerpiece was a beautiful arrangement of white mums encased in a vase in the shape of a football which matched the candle holders.

From the table the guests were directed to the buffet where they were served Brookfield sausage and white squares of toast with green mint jelly atop them, thus carrying out the school colors of green and white. The buffet was attended by Misses Billie Hopper, Joy Jackson and Jane Frizzell.

The social was attended by approximately one hundred six guests. Mrs. Sid Carter was the oldest pep leader attending. She graduated in the class of 1927.

Vases of beautiful large mums decorated the house throughout and gave festive atmosphere to the occasion.

Band Homecoming Stunt Was Clever

The band stunt for Homecoming was very clever. The band members marched down the field playing "Beer, Beer." After coming out of a counter march four pep squad girls, carrying signs which read "Hi Exes" entered the formation. They marched down the field, did the clock turn, and came back to about the fifty yard line. The band started playing "Red River Valley," while Jo Muncy entered at the opposite end of the field on a yellow and red horse. Wade Payne and Don Holland were dressed up as the horse. They continued until they got just in front of the band and stopped. Miss Muncy slid off her horse and twirled her rope while the band played "Home On the Range." All of a sudden Jo spied a Spur football boy coming across the field. She immediately jumped on her horse and caught the Spur boy, who was Bill Smith in reality. She tied him up and rode triumphantly off the field, followed by the band.

Seventy-Five at Coffee

Approximately seventy-five ex and present band members attended the coffee Thursday morning. After having doughnuts and coffee, the people present assembled in the auditorium for a jam session. Everyone had lots of fun playing instruments that they used to play and just talking over old times.

Gladys Roberts Has Real Aggie Spirit

Miss Gladys Roberts, F. F. A Sweetheart, is a real Aggie in spirit for she has met with the Chapter officers and has started working on plans for a page in the school annual for the Future Farmers.

Gladys is looking for some good action snapshots of the Aggies and their projects which she says will be used to indicate the purpose of the Future Farmer Chapter.

FAREWELL

We, the students of Floydada High School, regret very much the fact that we are losing one of our best students, Norma Carpenter. Norma is moving to Altus, Oklahoma, to remain there indefinitely. We are very sorry to lose you, Norma, and we will be happy to have you come back every time you can. Luck to you!!

450 Ex-students Register at Home-Coming Cel'br'tion

Floydada High School was a scene of much commotion last Wednesday night and Thursday afternoon. One of the many occurances was the registration of the ex-students. Those classes having the most to register were the class of '47 with forty-six registering, the class of '45 with thirty-five registering, and the class of '46 with twenty-nine registering.

Of the 450 ex-students who registered, fifty-five had finished school preceding and including 1932. O. W. Kirk, who was the oldest registered, was a member of the first graduating class in 1911. Mrs. Ruby Brown, of the class of 1912, was the second oldest registered.

De' Quacker

Seems that Gladys Roberts and Leslie Nixon are doing alright in Algebra II class. Must be some friendship they have. Gladys, you haven't forgoten Leonard, have you?

I hear Bobby Harless doesn't like it when Eva talks to him, because he likes to give Juanita H. all his attention.

Elaine Snodgrass better calm down and stop flirting with all those boys if you want Jr.

Flash! One of the last week's articles had an error in it. It is Pat Childress and Randall Handley that get along so wonderfully in Algebra II class. They seem to be awfully fond of each other.

What is this I found? A card from Norma Britton to the 950 Club asking for a song for the one she loves Dub Hodge.

Jane Johnson is wearing Chuck Holmes' hat, Don S's ring and somebody else's jacket. Oh, that girl.

Well, George Spears can't make up his mind. He goes to the show with Juanell Williamson; he writes notes to Wanda Reed and Lou Rita Poteet.

What has happened to Edith and Johnny? Come on, now and let us know. Now that football season is over, Ruthie, will kisses be lengthened?

Bob Reeves had better watch Mac Smitherman. He seems to be doing pretty good with Rose Beard in Algebra II class.

Fred Nixon, can't you get Darlene Johnson to go steady with you? Poor girl, just can't get her mind off other boys.

You should hear the conversation that goes on near a certain senior girl's locker every evening — From what I hear, she sure does like Melvin. How about it, Melvin? ? ?

Aubrey Guthrie and Veva Buske are still hitting it off smoothly and say doesn't Carrol Fulton rate anymore, Veva? ? ?

This, I hear, has been taking place on the South Plains bus. Bob Reeves and Lorena Williford have so much fun. Those looks, hubba.

Pat and Polly certainly seemed perturbed when Aldine was murdered in the play, "Through the Night." Wonder why? ? ?

I heard Louella Irwin say that James Finley is the most handsome boy in school -- and she isn't the only one who thinks so. What about Mary Ruth Parrish, too? ? ?

What's this I hear about Dera' Young and Lee Hutchison? Seems they're really having a good time.

Looks like a romance is coming to something serious. You see Bobby Cline and Mary Alice Plumlee around together a lot.

I wish Clint Johnson would make up his mind. Boy, he is really popular.

Valrie seems to be stuck on Crosbyton as much as some other girls in cle F. H. S.

Leonard seems to get along with Billie. It will probably soon be a new romance in school, but then you never can tell, maybe it will be Rose he just insists on her sitting by him in shorthand class. He also gets along with Valrie in the third period typing class. Is Gladys losing out? ? ? What about this Leonard? Just because you're handsome, you don't have to break all the girls hearts!

What's this we hear about Bobbie and Claud. Is there really a third party, Bobbie? ? ?

Two is company, three is a crowd but in this case, there is a quartet. Tye, Jim, Charles and Biff. Gosh, but they are cute.

That's thirty for this gossip and thank you.

Social Club Has Thanksgiving Dinner

The Gamma Sigma Kappa had a very nice Thanksgiving dinner, Tuesday, November 25, at 7 p. m. at the home of Claudean Goen. This was a very pleasant occasion with delicious food served at individual tables.

Those attending were the sponsors, Mrs. Cardinal and Miss Swepston, Billie Sisson, Betty Lou Tye, June Powell, Norma Carpenter, Verna Laster, Jennie Chowning, Roberta Garrett, Ruthie Harmon, Bobbie Medlen, Mary Maxey, Jane Frizzell, Gladys Roberts, Doris Vinson, Christeen Jones, Jo Muncy, Billie Hopper, Hope McIntosh, and the hostess, Claudean Goen.

Football Banquet on December 13

Elaborate plans are being made for the annual Football Banquet which is to be held at Andrews Ward Gymnasium on Saturday night, December 13, at 7:30.

This banquet, which is to be informal, is being eagerly anticipated by all members of the band, pep squad, football team, the faculty, and the school board members.

(See Hesperette, next page)

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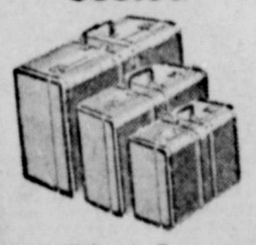


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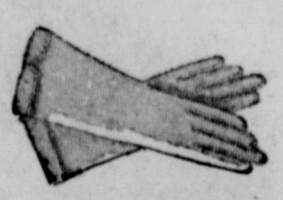
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HESPERETTE

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Huge Bonfire, Pep Rally Open Get-Together

Wednesday night, November 26, to begin the Homecoming, the lot just north of high school was the place of a huge bonfire which was prepared by the band, pep squad, and football boys, and anyone else wishing to join.

Four telephone poles and some hog wire made up the pen for the fire This was filled with trash, card board boxes, casket cases, and just plain wooden boxes.

The fire was started by Captain "Pecos" Hart and Co-Captain Travis Jones. As it burned, the large crowd yelled, tooted horns, musical and otherwise, and had a wonderful time. Everyone then went to the auditorium. The program inside was begun by the band playing and others yelling. After several yells, Mr. Wester was called upon to speak to the crowd. After his very inspiring speech, Coach Murray was called upon. Ex-Captain Billy Brown, Ajax Hagood, and Melvin Robertson then made speeches which was followed by Joe Bunch and his whiskers, speaking. All the speeches were very good and greatly appreciated.

Whirlwinds Are Introduced

Coach Gresham introduced this year's Whirlwinds. After these introductions, Ex-pep leaders Jo Wester, Kay Sparks, and Betty Yearwood led the audience in fifteen rahs for the Whirlwinds.

After several yells—the football boys and everyone else went home to get a good night's sleep for the Homecoming next day.

Candid Camera

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beedy of the fair city of South Plains were the proud parents of a bouncing baby boy, who, without hesitation was named Bradford M. Beedy. (I know what the M stands for, but I'll never tell!) This blessed event happening on October 17, 1831, was the second in a series of three of the same type.

On September 6, 1946, Floydada High school was the happy recipient of the same bouncing (not baby) boy, Bradford M. Beedy. "Brad" (that's what he'd rather be called) is 5 ft. 10 inches tall, and weighs 165 pounds. He is a definite brunette with brown eyes and a ruddy complexion.

Brad is one of the best liked boys in the Junior class. A few of his many accomplishments are that he is Junior class president, vice president of the local F. F. A. chapter president of the Plainview district F. F. A., and last, but not least, he was Chris Jones' escort when she was crowned queen of F. H. S.

Brad likes almost everything. His favorite car is a light green Cadillac convertible with all the attachments He liked the show, "My Reputation" and is crazy about Barbara Stanwyck. He likes school and John Payne. He likes airplanes and wants to own one someday. He'd rather eat than do anything else. He loves red and fried chicken. His favorite song is "Sweet Sixteen" His favorite subject is Spanish and his favorite sport is swimming. If he has a favorite person, it is Bob Reeves. Brad loves radio program and his favorite program is the Lux Theatre. Brad likes to make a stab at acting and hopes to become a movie star someday. The Egg and I is Brad's idea of an entertaining book, and Marie McDonald is his favorite writer. Brad's ambition has not changed since last week and he still wishes to become a famous acter. (The Idol of American Women). Brad's hobby is collecting pictures and his favorite pastime is teasing Pat Kirk.

Brad's dislikes are very few. He dislikes two faced people, grey, spinach, and American History. He dislikes "Button", his little brother very much during his many nose moments.

When asked about his ideal girl Brad grew thoughtful. He decided she should be about 5 feet 5 inches tall and have 110 pounds of luscious curves. She should have brown hair brown eyes, oh that wonderful smile and little feet. She simply must not smoke, curse, or drink! She must be a good cook, good housekeeper and she must know how to manage children. (He says this she will have to know!) By the way he is open to any suggestion or applications for this girl!

Brad's most embarrassing moment was the time he burst a balloon in the study hall and Mr. Baker watching him.

His most exciting moment was when Chris was announced queen of the school.

Brad's ideal day begins at about 7:30 (which is when he plans to rise). He wants chicken-fried steak gravey, hot biscuits, jelly, and coffee for breakfast. He wants to take his time with breakfast and after eating, he wants to go for an airplane ride in his streamline "Funk" airplane (he plans to be a millianaire to own this.) When he comes back he says he's going to climb into his 1948 light green Cadillac convertible and get his ideal girl. By the way, all this is taking place in Hollywood.) They they will have lunch at "Salty's", a very "classy" eating place. He says they would order Southern fried chicken, gravy tomatoes, mashed potatoes, ice tea and hot rolls. Then Bradford and his ideal girl will go to the studio where they will work on their new picture, in which they are co-stars After shooting a few scenes, they will go to Brad's private swimming pool where he and his girl are serenaded by Tex Beneke and the Glenn Miller Band. About five Brad will take her home to dress for their evening date. They will make both Ciro's and the Mocambo for dancing. After dodging autograph hunters and screaming women until the early hours in the morning, Brad will take his ideal girl home and then to bed.

Brad, you are really one swell guy and we all hope you get everything you want. You are one guy who deserves it! Here's to a regular "feller". Good luck!

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A homecoming crowd of 3,000 very pleased Ex's and alumni looked on as a determined group of Whirlwinds playing their last game for Floydada climaxed a successful homecoming by soundly defeating the Spur Bulldogs 19-6.

Spur won the toss and elected to receive. Barclay returned the kick off to his own twenty-four. Allredge hit off tackle on the first play from scrimmage for three yards. Wright hit the Green and White line next but was stopped cold. Allredge circled end for a first down on their forty. Barclay fumbled on the next play and Jones recovered for the Whirlwinds.

The first running play for the Winds failed as Grigsby was thrown for a five yard loss back to the forty-five. Hart cracked up center and regained two but Grigsby gained only one yard on the next play and that left the Winds with the fourth down and twelve needed for a first.

Drooping back into kick formation Grigsby toed a beauty out on the Spur five.

Two attempts to crack a sturdy Whirlwind line by Allredge and Wright gained only one and Barclay was tossed back five on the three yard line which forced Spur to kick Barclay kicked out on the Spur thirty. Grigsby added two yards on the next play. Spur's line stopped Jones short of a first on their 21 yard line and there the Bulldogs took over on downs to start which later proved to be their best offensive showing of the day.

Forward Wall Holds

Barclay picked up five off tackle Allredge hit for one and Wright made a first. Barclay repeated for five then Allredge scooted around end zipped thirty to the Winds twenty-two. Wright continued to drive adding three yards and Barclay contributed five to the fourteen. Simpson picked a first on the Winds six. But once more a determined forward wall of Green and White jerseys allowed only one yard to the Bulldogs in four cracks at the line.

In a hurry to get out of the shadow of their own goal Grigsby kicked to his forty yard line.

Wright cut through for eight but Allredge was stopped cold as the first period ended scoreless.

The second quarter was not so much dominated by Spur as the first was; although they had one or two powerful drives stopped short of the goal.

Allredge gained nothing on the first play in the second period Barclay bounced back and reeled off a first down on the Winds forty. This good fortune was short lived as Conner broke through on the next play and threw Allredge for a seven yard loss. Here the Bulldog took to the airways and a pass, Simpson to Wilson, covered six down to the Winds twenty-three. Still needing eleven yards for a first down the Bulldogs passed again but failed to connect. A fourth down kick by Barclay sailed over the goal and the Whirlwinds took over on their twenty.

Nice Opening Through Center

A nice opening through center by Amburn and Jarboe allowed Hart to romp five up to the twenty five Grigsby was stopped without gain on the next try. Jones ripped up center but missed a first by inches and Grigsby kicked out on Spur's thirty

Wright was hit with a driving tackle by Mayfield and lost three yards. Barclay gained two but decided to punt on the third down and the ball went out on the Winds thirty six.

Jones, Hart, and Grigsby netted only 7 yards in three tries and Grigsby kicked out on mid-field.

Allredge rambled for a first to the Winds forty. Wright, refused to be stopped, raced twenty yards. Three futile attempts to gain by Allredge and Barclay contributed only four yards of the needed ten and the Whirlwinds took over as a fourth down pass fell short.

Uncorks 40-Yard Pass

Hart cracked center for three and again for one. Grigsby gained only one on the third and kicked on the fourth; however Spur was penalized for roughing the kicker and Floydada received a first down on their own twenty-five. With the Bulldog defense drawn up close Hale dropped back and uncorked a forty yard pass to Grigsby who raced the remaining thirty-five to the goal for the Winds first score. A perfect placement by Conner sailed through the uprights and Floydada led 7-0.

Floydada kicked off to Spur but drew an off-side penalty and kicked over from their thirty-five. Allredge returned the kick. Simpson missed on his first pass but connected on the second down with Wright for five. A third down pass fell incomplete also. Barclay gained a first for Spur to keep their hopes up before the half ended.

McGuire's interception of Simpson's pass on the Spur twenty-nine ended their offensive thrust in the first half.

Jeter romped fifteen yards to Spur's twenty-four as the first half ended with Floydada leading 7 - 0.

Trailing 7-0 at the half the Bulldogs were ready to play ball and that they did. Simpson took the Whirlwind kickoff back for ten up to his forty. Allredge reeled off an eight yard gain and Barclay raced fifteen down to the Winds' thirty-seven for another first down. Wright chewed up six yards and Allredge added the remaining four for a first. After recovering themselves the Green and White allowed Wright only one yard. Simpson's pass was incomplete. Wright on the third down gained four more yards but a very strong line stopped Barclay shy of a first down.

Bulls Over the Middle

Hart bulled over the middle, for one yard up to the twenty-five Hale flipped a short pass to McGuire for four yards to the thirty Jeter on a third down gallop gained four but missed a first down. Playing safe the Winds punted out on Spur's thirty-nine.

A penalty against Floydada gave Spur a first down and five on the Winds forty-four. Simpson proceeded to gain four yards but Beedy stopped Wright on the line of scrimmage without gain. A third down pass was incomplete but Simpson hit Wilson for ten yards and a first before Hale could down him. Wright stormed around end but gained only one as Conner smacked him down. Blair made four off tackle on the second down. A third down pass was intercepted on the Winds twenty by Hale to finally end Spur's goalward drive.

Hale's pass on the first down was incomplete. Hale on a quarter sneak plunged for four yards. Jeter raced off tackle for twelve more and fumbled but Amburn recovered Jones was stopped without gain and Jeter's fumble on the next play was recovered by Spur.

Wright gained four yards to the Winds' thirty-eight and Barclay added two more. Spur received a fifteen yard penalty for clipping which set them back to their own forty-five. Simpson's first down pass was incomplete. Barclay picked up two yards on second down and kicked out on the Winds five yard line

Floydada, playing safe, punted to their own forty where Wright returned it seventeen yards to the twenty-three. Barclay sliced off tackle for three yards on the first down Again Simpson's pass was incomplete. Wright was bottled up on the next play by Nixon and gained nothing. Barclay picked up a very neat first down but was followed by Allredge gaining nothing. Barclay again cracked over for two yards. Wright was stopped without gaining as the third quarter ended.

Spur's Only Tally

On the next play Barclay shot through the line and drove over for Spur's first and only tally. A herd of Green and White Whirlwinds stormed through and blocked the kick. Floydada's lead was cut but still led 7 - 6.

Hale took the kick off on his own fifteen and behind nice blocking returned it to the forty-two. Jones added six but the second down pass was incomplete. Jeter slanted off tackle and gained sixteen but the Winds were still minus a first and Grigsby kicked out on the forty Spur was penalized for roughing the kicker and Floydada had a first Jones proceeded to scat around end for twenty-one yards and Jeter added a first. Hart hit center for two yards and Grigsby added ten more yards for a first and then picked up three more yards. Hale on a quarter sneak gained six and another first down to the Spur fifteen Cline powered his way up center to the Winds down to the Spur five A fumble in the Whirlwind backfield momentarily stopped their goalward drive. After Jones was stopped on the line of scrimmage Floydada drew a five yard penalty back to the ten. Jeter romped to the two, and on the next play Jones circled end for the Winds second score. The conversion was wide and Floydada led 13 - 6.

Allredge returned the kick off to his own twenty-five and Spur gained five more from a penalty against Floydada. Barclay gave Spur a first on their own forty-two with a twelve yard run. Simpson missed with a first down pass and Nixon recovered a Bulldog fumble.

Takes Another Long Pass

Grigsby lost five on the first play but caught another of Hale's true to the mark passes which covered forty-five yards. Jones hit for four yards and Hart added two down to Spur's two yard line. On the next play Hart smashed off tackle and passed the double stripe for Floydada's last tally. The conversion was blocked but Floydada led 19 - 6.

Spur took the kick off but on the first play from scrimmage received fifteen yards for unnecessary roughness. Three futile pass attempts by Simpson failed to click as the game ended 19 - 6 Floydada.

Brilliant, Hard-Fought Game

This was the hardest fought and most brilliantly played game all year. Spur had a truly great team but the Whirlwinds, all eleven of the first string and two alternates, were playing their last game together and for F. H. S., could not be reckoned with as they showed time after time in defeating Spur 19 - 6. The thirteen seniors are ends: McGuire and Reeder; tackles: Parrish, Nixon, and Mayfield; guards: Conner and Jarboe; center Amburn; backs: Hale Jones, Hart, Womack, and Grigsby

The Whirlwinds wish to thank each and every one of their many loyal fans who stood by them all season in victory as in defeat.

There may be some teams with more impressive records this year but there are no teams anywhere with better coaches than Coach Gresham and Baker, their tops.

Everyone played a good game throughout.

Football Exes, F Club in Gabfest Thursday Morning

Football Exes and members of the present "F" club enjoyed a Coffee and Smoker given for them in the cafeteria of grade school last Thursday morning, November 27.

Interesting talks were made by Mr. J. C. Wester, ex-coach of the Whirlwinds from 1919 to 1927; Ernest Carter, a back in '23, '24 and assistant coach in '33, an '34; Bill Beedy, '20, '21; and J. B. Bishop, 19-16. The boys also were privileged to hear Coach Floyd Murry, a backfield standout from '29 - '32, also a coach here from '41 - 44. Coach Murry is now at Perryton where he had the number one team of this region.

Cake and coffee were served to everyone and was enjoyed very much.

Those attending were: 1916: J. B. Bishop; 1919: J. C. Wester - coach; 1922 Bill Beedy; 1923: L. D. Britton; 1924: Fay Maxey; 1925: Ernest C. Carter; 1928: Sid Carter; 1927: Buford Terry; 1930: O. S. Green, Bill Smith, Ernie Widener; 1933: Guy Ginn, John E. Hoffman; Lloyd Murry, Johnny Baxter, Lloyd Allen, and J. E. Smith; 1936: Kenneth Bain, jr., 1937: Fred Cardinal, J. S. Hale, A. E. Baker, Preston Badgett, Bill Probasco; 1938: Ham Smith, W. H. McClung; 1939: Malvin Jarboe, Fleecy Norman; 1940 Carl Minor, James Johnston; 1941: Dillon Patterson, J. W. Grigsby, R E. Golightly, Arthur Womack, jr. 1942: Marion Bradford, Gene Loran Herschel Hinson, Leroy Chowning; 1943: Harold Sparks, W. C. Trowbridge, Everett Patterson, De Winn Pyffe, Kenneth Johnson, Gene Collins, jr., David Battey, jr., Charles Dudley, Roy Baxter; 1944: Marion Parrish; Elmo Hall; 1945: John R Tribble; Lane Decker; Melvin Robertson, Macyl Boteler; Lyndell Roberts; Bill Wester; Jimmy Tye; C. L Berry; Ralph Womack; Gene Arwine; 1946: Bill Womack; 1947: Kelly Hagood, Bill Hale, Van Collins; George May.

Members of this years squad were also present.

Queen Coronation Colorful Event of H-Coming Game

Just before the football game started Thursday, November 27, at Wester field, her majesty Queen Betty Lou Tye, was heralded by Gene Jackson, Gladys Roberts, and Keith Stansell with their trumpets as she came on the field with her two attendants, Nancy Bishop and Maryihelen Lewis.

They were driven on the field by Billy Brown in his 1947, wine, Chevrolet convertible. They drove the perimeter of the football field once and stopped on the fifty yard line They were escorted to a microphone facing the stadium where the queen was presented a beautiful arm bouquet of white mums by the captain of the Whirlwind team, Pecos Hart.

The queen was then escorted to her throne by Travis Jones, while Marihelen Lewis, a graduate of 1946, was escorted by Tom Bob Jarboe, and Nancy Bishop, a graduate of 1946, was escorted by Pecos Hart. They were seated in chairs on a Green and White platform. The queen's chair, made of white with a brilliant silver crown on the back was on a raised platform. Her attendant's chairs were of green with a silver Whirlwind design on the back. The queen and her attendants watched a fast, thrilling, and victorious football game played between Floydada Whirlwinds and Spur Bulldogs.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Bartlett left Monday for their home in Bethany, Missouri after visiting here for the past three weeks with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Muench.

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(By Phil Steen)

A large crowd, one of the largest attend a game at Wester field in e time, watched the Floydada hirlwinds move to victory over the r Bulldogs, 19 to 6, on Thanksgiv day.

Traditionally a good game, and t years determining the out- e of the district race, the boys n't let us down this year. Both ms played hard.

r Floydada fans this was more n just a Thanksgiving game. It s also a home coming for all ex- dents of F. H. S., a time set de by the school this year for any- e who has attended Floydada High get together and remember days e by and to help them realize e were still considered a very im- tant part of "their school".

pur Has The First Half

The Spur eleven had the first f almost their way and had the most of the time. However time they came within scoring ance of the Floydada goal, the nds tightened up and forced the s to loose the ball on downs gsby would then kick the ball f danger so that the Spur eleven d themselves in almost the same for try at a score.

th this change of ball and runn- ttempts Floydada had managed ke over the ball on their own yard stripe with only a minute aining in the first half. Hale threw a 35-yard pass which Grigsby took at a dead run to stride 40 yards more for the only first half tally. Conner place-kicked the ball squarely between the uprights and the Floydada eleven led, at the half seven zero.

Floydada Settles Down

The Whirlwinds' habit of not playing hard football the first half has cost them games and made others too close for comfort. However, they weren't hurt badly by these tactics this game since they tightened up in the clinches. The second half they came out determined to make a better showing as did the Spur eleven.

Both were so determined that the third was played on an even keel until the last few minutes when the Spur boys took the ball on their 33 and started a march which when the quarter ended was on the Floydada six yard stripe. For the most part of the quarter Spur had played on the Floydada side of the fifty and it looked as if their halftime pep talk may have been more effective.

Whirlwinds Open Up

Spur went ahead to score, after the ball had changed ends, sending Barclay over from the three yard line on their third attempt. Their conversion kick went wide and the score stood six to seven, Floydada's favor very early in the fourth quarter.

After the kick Floydada looked like a different team. Hale took the kick and with the use of a little fancy running carried the ball from the 15 to the 42. This started an 85 yard march. This nearly ended once on a 15 yard penalty, but long, hard, driving runs by Jones, Hart Cline, Grigsby, Hale and Jeter put the ball in position on the Spur three yard marker for Jones to cross into pay territory standing. Conner's kick for extra point was blocked leaving the score 13 - 6 in Floydada's favor.

Spur took the next kick on their 16-yard marker and had started a march of their own only to fumble and have Floydada recover on their own forty five. Grigsby then unleashed a 15-yard dash followed immediately by another long Hale to Grigsby pass good for 33 yards and putting the ball in position on the Spur five yard line for Hart to pound it into pay soil on his second try. Again Conner found himself rushed and the conversion kick knocked to the ground. The game ended a few plays after the following kick-off and the Whirlwinds found themselves victors by a score of 19 to six.

Starting Line Up

Pos.	Floydada	Spur
L. E.	Beedy	McAlpine
L. T.	Mayfield	Robertson
L. G.	Jarboe	Calvert
C.	Amburn	Bingham
R. G.	Conner	Reynolds
R. T.	Nixon	Chastain
R. E.	McGuire	Wilson
Q.	Hale	Simpson
L. H.	Grigsby	Alldredge
R. H.	Jones	Wright
F. B.	Hart	Barclay

Statistics of the Game

Floydada		Spur
9	1st downs	13
152	yds rushing	189
9	lost rushing	15
5	pass att.	17
3	pass comp.	2
115	yds pass	11
0	passes inter'cpd	2
4	penetrations	4
7 for 206	punt ydg.	4 for 100
30	punt average	25

Game Winning Combination

Spur had shown the most drive in the middle of the field but Floydada had shown much more inside their twenty which is when the chips are really down. Floydada's line did such a superior job, it would be difficult to name standouts without giving a starting line. The same is true of the backfield. They all had drive, determination and the drilling it took to make a winning combination.

Floydada seemingly had more team work and coordination than ever before. For their last game they probably felt as if they had to turn in a good game. Not only the last game this season, but for the majority of the starting men, the last game of their high school days. At any rate, no matter what they thought about it they played a good one and a hard one, to victory.

Conservation District News

The Soil Conservation Service technicians assisting the Floyd County Soil Conservation District ran terrace lines during the past week on the J. H. Boggs farm in the Edgin conservation group. Mr. Boggs has made arrangements with the County Commissioner to have large type terraces built.

Isaac Smith, also of the Edgin conservation group, expects to build some terraces under similar arrangements.

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H. R. Hartman, of the South Plains conservation group, is planning to have some terracing done this month. John Downey, an individual dirt contractor from Hale Center, expects to build these terraces.

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At a special meeting of the Board of Supervisors held November 26th the following applications for assistance were approved: J. W. Kimbell, Walter Taack, E. H. Burk, R. B. Childers and W. P. Ware. Cooperative agreements between the following cooperators and the District were also approved: S. A. McGowen, Leighton Teeple, J. H. Boggs Bryan Karr, Lon M. Davis, jr., B. A. Robertson and J. G. & W. H. Simpson, jr.

Independent Team Basketball Players

LOCKNEY, Nov.—An independent basketball team has been organized in Lockney. Officers elected were J. D. Wood, re-elected as manager; Wayne Bybee, assistant manager; Revis Harris, captain; Red Childress co-captain; A. C. Carthel, coach.

Players who have signed up to play are Marvin Sams, Revis Harris K. K. Cummings, L. G. Copeland Harold Jeffcoat, G. B. Johnston Red Childress, Bill Watson, S. K Cummings, Alex Applewhite, George Turner, George Taylor, Windy Hargis and Rusty Baccus.

With prospects for a number of good games in view, it is hoped that consideraable interest will be evident for the games and tournament planned.

Sponsoring the team this year will be the American Legion Post of Lockney.

BECK FAMILY RE-UNITED AT DUMAS AFTER 6 YEARS

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Beck, former residents of Floydada, but now of Dumas, had all their children home over the week-end for the first time since 1942. A son, Sgt. Luther Dean Beck, U. S. M. C. arrived in the states on November 2 from Luzon where he had been for the past two years.

The Beck's other children home were Mr. and Mrs. Bud Sparks and daughters, Joy and Gloria Jean, Mr and Mrs. Jack Beck, of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Beck and son Joe Doyle, of Amarillo and Earl and C. M. Beck of Dumas.

DAUGHTER BORN IN AMARILLO

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wilson, of Amarillo, are the parents of a daughter, Carolyn Elaine, born November 17 at Northwest Texas hospital in Amarillo. The young lady weighed six pounds and thirteen ounces. Mrs. Wilson is the former Elnora Smalley.

The infant is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smalley of Muncy and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wilson, of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McLain spent Thanksgiving Day in Lubbock visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John E. Brown and J. C. Williams, of Dimmitt, who has been in Lubbock receiving medical treatment.

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In the Pictures

Photo No. 1 shows V. S. Cassel's ultramodern gin at Littlefield. Machinery in this gin is powered by a natural gas engine. A natural gas dryer is employed also.

Photo No. 2 shows 1947 cotton bales in the yard of the Underwood Compress, Lubbock.

Photo No. 3 shows the press in the Underwood compress. This ponderous machine, weighing between 250,000 and 300,000 pounds, is powered by steam produced in boilers using natural gas fuel.

Photo No. 4 shows a truckload of cottonseed weighing in at West Texas Cottonoil Company's oil mill at Slaton. Most of the operations at this plant are performed by steam from natural-gas-fired boilers.

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Marvin Shurbet Hospitalized When Run Over by Horse

Marvin Shurbet, southwest Floyd county farmer-ranchman, has been in a cast in Plainview sanitarium since Wednesday afternoon of last week, when he was run over by a horse he was attempting to load out from a corral at his ranch south of Allmon.

Bill Allmon, a close neighbor said Shurbet lost his footing when he started to move out of the way of the two-year-old. Paralyzed and stunned for several minutes, Shurbet remained on the scene until noon-time and the loading was finished before going to the hospital for treatment.

X-ray disclosed a vertebra in the neck was broken, the most serious injury. Several days in the hospital and several weeks in a cast will be needed to bring the injured man around to normalcy again, it is indicated.

Shurbet was sending two truck loads of his army-type horses to New Mexico to pasture when he was injured.

Basketball

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will go to Crosbyton, Ralls to Spur and Lockney, last year's champs has an open date.

The remainder of the season's schedule will be resumed on January 6 and there will be three games each Tuesday and Friday night to and including February 17 to give a double round robin.

There will be no basketball tournament following the double round robin and any ties must be played off by Saturday night following the close of the double round robin.

No Smoking Rule Adopted

An addmission charge for basketball of 50 cents for adults and 25c for students was agreed upon by the superintendents, and an important regulation governing these inside games will be a no smoking rule in the gymnasium at all the schools. Supt. Graves said the school authorities agreed on this rule as a protective measure for the athletes.

Mr and Mrs. Floyd Murry and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Murry attended the wedding of Harold Sparks and Miss Jo Dan Pharr in Abernathy Friday.

Rain Wednesday

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ands of acres of seed is being drilled into the soil. Most wheat men think they'll go back through with a chisel type implement to thin out their grain later if they find the stand too heavy. Some volunteer wheat is being killed, they know. Every field will be a different problem. Mild weather of the week is bringing volunteer wheat through the ground. The practical fact, as some indicate it, is that some volunteer will be left and that there will not be a uniform practice over the county or even by the same operator in different fields.

This morning's temperature reading was 34 degrees with bright sunshine. Truckers, school bus drivers and all who have to negotiate dirt roads will find the going heavy this morning.

Oil Reports

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granite wash and the basement rock was entered at 8,290 and hole abandoned at 8,394.

Following opening of the Fisher No. 1, a good natural flow producing well delivering high gravity oil there has been a systematic quest for extension of that pool by Stanolind, Humble and South Minerals Corporation. It is still the lone producer.

During the exploration, there were two drill stem tests run on the Fisher No. 2. At 5,918 - 6,026 the operator recovered 865 feet of salt water, no shows. At 7,080 - 7,115 only 25 feet of drilling mud was recovered. Both tests were in lime with shale section between the two.

WEATHER MAN POSTPONES LAKEVIEW MEETING AGAIN

The weather man continues to postpone the Lakeview Cemetery association meeting. W. C. Wright, president of the association, has been trying to have a meeting to name new officers and transact the business of the association for a month.

New date set for the meeting is tomorrow night. The date is December 5, the place the school auditorium, the hour 7:30. Mr. Wright hopes for a good attendance of those interested.

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Park Florist

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will be shown in some profusion.

Introducing New Items

Many new items will be introduced in merchandising for better living for the first time in display of considerable perportions. Among these will be dinnerware, dinner sets, crystal, stemware and copper and brass items, as well as an extensive showing of wall vases, flower holders and items of this nature in pottery of various designs. One of the more interesting features of the florist's display will be initial shipments of fiestaware, and the announcement is made that the wares to be featured after the beginning of the new year will be patterns in Syracuse, Bone, Spode and Havilland China. Additional patterns in silver and fiestaware are on order also for 1948 showing.

Mrs. Merle Mercer, Of Skellytown, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Burgett. She was accompanied home on Saturday by her mother and Troy Lee Burgett. A daughter of Mrs. Burgett, Delpha, from Hooker, Oklahoma, met the group in Skellytown and went with them to Borger to visit Travis Burgett and family Sunday.

PARENTS LIKE THOUGHTFUL ATTITUDE OF COACHES AND PLAYERS AT BALL GAME

Parents of the boys of the Whirlwind football squad were much pleased with the attention they received from their sons and the coaches at the football game on Home-coming day at high school.

The fathers and mothers were guests at the game, with seats reserved. Several calls to The Hesperian office have indicated the attentions they received were gratifying and appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Robertson family spent Thanksgiving visiting relatives at McKinney and Garland. They also attended the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. Robertson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Robertson, former residents of Floydada.

Mr .and Mrs. J. D. Cleveland returned Thursday from a fifteen trip which took them along the northeast coast including Washington D. C., and back home through several southern states.

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COFFEE, Del Monte, Drip or Regular, 1 Lb., 45c

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ENGLISH PEAS, 2 No. 2 Cans, 25c

PORK & BEANS, Pecan Valley, 2 Cans, 25c

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Paducah Entry In Bi-District Play Tomorrow

The Paducah Dragons carry the flag of District 4-A in bi-district play against the Shamrock Irish of District 3-A tomorrow (Friday) afternoon at Dragons field. They won a wild-scoring game from the Matadors 39 to 18, in their final district game.

Tied with Lockney Longhorns in games won and lost, they take the top spot by virtue of their win over the Lockney team two weeks ago in a heart-breaker for the north Floyd county boys, who won everything but the game.

Floydada Wins Third Place

The Longhorns automatically place second in the season conference race and the Whirlwinds of Floydada gain place third by virtue of their Thanksgiving day win over the Spur Bull Dogs. The 'Winds found the game winning combination three weeks late but closing their season with an upsurge left them in a good frame of mind when they hung up their suits for the last time.

The Spur Bull Dogs, expected to win the district when the season opened, were beset by injuries and finally took fourth place when they went to Floydada on Thanksgiving day.

By winning their Thanksgiving day battle with the Ralls Jackrabbits 12 to 0, the Crosbyton Chiefs moved up into a tie with Ralls High school for fifth place, and the happy Matador Matadors, with a good team but not deep enough in reserves, have to be content at the bottom of the heap in seventh.

Standing of the Teams

Team	P	W	L	Pct.
Paducah,	6	5	1	.833
Lockney,	6	5	1	.833
Floydada,	6	4	2	.666
Spur,	6	3	3	.500
Crosbyton,	6	2	4	.333
Ralls,	6	2	4	.333
Matador,	6	0	6	.000

The Rule That Governs

The rule that governs is one that the district committee adopted and publicized at the opening of the season. It is the kind of a rule that could be agreed upon before the season opens and couldn't for obvious reasons, when the time comes to apply it. Says the rule:

"In case of a two-way tie for district championship the team that won over the other will be the one to represent District 4-A in bi-district play and be the first place winner."

Had the tie been three-way the committee also had a rule to govern it was that the three tieing teams would draw for first place and the lucky winner would represent the district.

Holiday guests in the home of Mrs. Mable Foster were her children, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Foster and family, of Los Alamos, New Mexico and June Foster, student at Hardin-Simmons university.

Mrs. Arthur Hull of Lamesa, spent the holidays in Floydada, guests in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McBrien and Mr. and Mrs. Alva Hull.

Rev. and Mrs. Clifford Potts and family, of Matador, were Thanksgiving guests of Mrs. Potts' parents Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Hamilton.

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Ward School Honor Roll 2nd 6 Weeks

Andrews Ward Principal A. D. Fultz this week announced the honor roll for the school for the second six weeks as given below. In order for a pupil to be on this list an average of 90 is required in the higher grades and "very satisfactory" in lower grades:

First Grade: Glea Adams, Gaynelle Boothe, Johnny Fred Brown, Mary Cogdell, Karen Goen, Kay Hartzog, Pat Hickerson, Judy Jackson, Marilyn Jones, Leora King, DeAnne Newberry, Georgia Patterson, Sally Jo Redd, Jo Ellen Reue, Jackie Ring, Jerry Solomon, Mary Beth Thornton, Ann Word;

Second Grade: Michael Badgett, Maudine Barbee, Nelda June Barbee, Kenneth Barker, Jerry Cardinal, Sylvia Ann Carver, Billy Crowell, Snow Drop Dunn, Vaughn Ginn, Billie Ann Goode, Kelly King, Darlene Lamanack, Jaynette Marquis, Don Norman, Patricia Robertson, Gaye Rosson, Gayle Rosson, Minnie Scott, Nancy Thomas, Denis Whitfill;

Third Grade: Kay Callaway, Vanda Dale Carter, Margaret Dunn, Keith Glover, Peggy Ann Greer, Helen Hartzog, Burldene Huckabee, Linda Gay Jones, Linda Maxey, Nancy Carroyl Meredith, Butch Muench, Barbara Sue Murphy, Margie Turner, Sanja Beth Wilson;

Fourth Grade: Carolyn Collier, Darlene Dorrell, Dorothy Duncan, Linda Hull, Nita Jo Lightfoot, Betty Jovce Murphy;

Fifth Grade: George Chapman, Linda Fowler, Patsy Ruth Gilliland, Noma Lou Hamilton, Shirley Harper, Jackie Henry, Mozelle Smith;

Sixth Grade: Mildred Jo Clark, Patsy Robertson, Ann Deakins, Sandra Fowler, Norma Jean Self, Donald Smith;

Seventh Grade: Beatrice Beedy, Brooks Chapman, Joan Edelmon, Glenda Meek, Alma Jean Porter, Betty Stewart, James Stanley, Cynthia Whitfill, Myrna Wilson;

Eigth Grade: Conray Johnson, Hubert Ring.,

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank our friends and neighbors for every kindness shown us at the death of our beloved brother, Elmer C. Finley.

The Finley family

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wilhite and children and Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Wilhite, of Lexington, Oklahoma Mrs. M. T. Wilhite, of Apache, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Holtzschue, of Norman, Oklahoma, and Mrs. Laverne Wade and son, Tommie, of Oklahoma City have been house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mal Jarboe and Mr. and Mrs. Malvin Jarboe.

Billy Wester, student at NTSTC in Denton, Texas, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr and Mrs J. C. Wester.

Mrs. C. S. Jones of Amarillo visited over the week-end with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. O. E Murry.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Owens and children and Mrs. Lula Owens of Sulphur Springs were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Warren on Thanksgiving Day. On Friday, the group visited in Roaring Springs with Mr and Mrs. R. L. Glenn and Mr. and Mrs. Oleff Hamblen.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Fultz and son spent Thanksgiving in Greenville and Commerce. Mr. Fultz's mother Mrs. C. B. Winters, returned to Floydada to visit with her son and family.

Strangely enough, Fleet Admiral William F. Halsey, Jr., joined the Fleet in 1904 as a passed midshipman aboard the old battleship Missouri and aboard that vessel witnessed the climax of his career, the signing of the Japanese surrender.

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LEMONS,	Lb. 14c

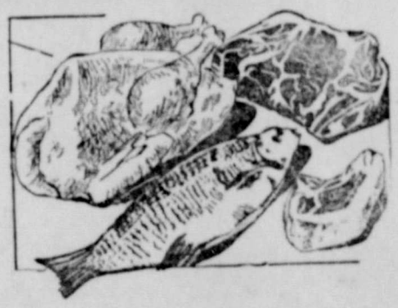
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Libby's Potted Meat,	Can .08
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Krispy CRACKERS,	1 Lb. .25
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Delco Lima BEANS,	No. 2 .15
Cottage SARDINES,	Can .12½

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PINK
Salmon
No. 1 Tall
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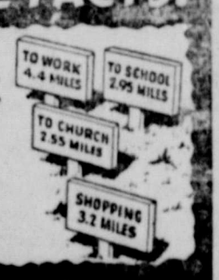
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WANTED
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WANTED—Sewing to do at my home, 123 West Georgia. Phone 486-W. Mrs. Roy Edwards. 42 4tc.

WANTED—Elderly lady to live with me and keep my two sons. Phone 81. 40 tfc.

WANTED—Clean cotton rags. Oden Chevrolet Company. 18tfc

WANTED—I am in need of some farms to sell, large or small, irrigated or dry; Prospective buyers are coming in most every day. I will appreciate your listings if you want to sell.
J. G. Wood, Bank Bldg., Phone 236 or 562-W. 36 tfc

WANTED—Good clean cotton rags. Sparks & Alexander Garage on Highway 70 east. 35 tfc.

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Miscellaneous

Stated meeting of Floydada Lodge No. 712 A. F. & A. M., Saturday night, December 13. 7:30 p. m. J. A. Patterson, W. M. Jess Wood, Secretary. 442tc

Order of the Eastern Star will meet Thursday night December 11 at 7:30 p. m. 442tc

Floor Sander. See Buster Boothe. 44 tfc.

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LOST—Clarinet in case. Return to Claudean Goen, phone 134-J. 441tc

Houses For Sale

WE HAVE several good buys in houses with immediate possession. Goen & Goen. 101tfc

FOR SALE—By owner, nice three bedroom home in southwest Floydada. Will consider trade in on farm near town. S. L. Powell, 424 So. White St. 41 tfc

FOR SALE—House to be moved, 5 rooms and bath. See W. H. Griffin northwest of Wake two and half miles. 444tp

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148.3 acres well improved on pavement.

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160 acres modern house, good well and well located, 2½ miles of pavement.

320 acres, fair improvements, land exceptionally good for irrigation, this farm six miles of Floydada on R. E. A. line.

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Land For Sale

LAND FOR SALE

80 acres Northwest South Plains in irrigated area, all good and about 57 acres in cultivation.

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Land For Sale

FOR SALE—Good three-bedroom residence, on graveled street close to ward school, near pavement, east front, on 65 by 150 foot lot. A real home. Show by appointment.

New six room modern house on pavement in west part of Floydada, possession, priced to sell.

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Well improved 103 acres southeast of Floydada about 12 miles, priced right.

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See us for your farm loan. More money per acre, no commission charge, quick inspection, low interest rate, splendid pre-payment options. Goen & Goen. 49tfc

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Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Claiborne and sons, of Lamesa, Texas, spent Thanksgiving day in Floydada with Mrs. Claiborne's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Wood.

Emma Mae Jones, of Glaena Park, Texas, spent the Thanksgiving holidays here with her father, J. R. Jones, and her uncle Dickie Atteberry.

Students attending the University of Texas home for the Thanksgiving holidays were Joe and Gene Arwine, Jimmie Tye, and Douglas Pitts.

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Mrs. Layton Dorrell was returned home Friday from the Plainview hospital where she underwent an appendectomy on November 20. She is doing fine.

Among the students from A. & M. college at Bryan, Texas, home for the Thanksgiving holidays were F. McIntosh, jr., Earl Edwards, Jr., and Charles Ray Hamilton.

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1—4 year old quarter bred mare, gentle
1—Jersey 5 yr. old, 4 gallon, calf by side
1—Jersey, 2 yr. old, calf by side
1—Jersey Heifer, 2 year old, heavy springer
1—Jersey Cow, 3 yr. old, 4 gallon, heavy springer
1—Jersey Cow, 5 yr. old, 4 gallon, heavy springer
1—Jersey Cow, 5 yr. old, 3 gallon, heavy springer
1—Jersey Cow, 8 yr. old, 5 gal, heavy springer
1—Jersey Cow, 4 yr. old, 4 gallon, heavy springer
1—Jersey Heifer, 5 months old
1—Jersey Cow, 6 yr. old, 3 gallon, milking now
1—Jersey Cow, 3 yr. old, 4 gallon, open
1—Registered Jersey Cow, 6 yr. old, 4 gallon, nice
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Several Feeder Hogs
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Several Good Mixed Hens

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1—Living Room Suite, 2 piece
1—Nice Phonograph
1—5 Piece Breakfast Set
1—Iron Bedstead and Springs
1—Electric Iron

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1—1945 M Farmall Tractor with 4 row lister and planter A-1 shape
1—1945 Model A John Deere Tractor with all 4 row equipment. Very good shape
1—1944 Ford Tractor, new tires, newly overhauled, lots of equipment
1—1947 V.A.C. Case Tractor with 2 row equipment, has never been used
1—1941 Model K Case 12 ft. Combine, new rubber, in A-1 Condition
1—2 Row McCormick-Deering Binder, practically new
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1—12 ft. Factory Built Land Leveler. New
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1—4 Row Stalk Cutter on Rubber
1—Powerlift Ditcher for M or H Farmall, in good shape
1—IHC Side Delivery Rake, good shape
1—McCormick-Deering Self Feeding Feedmill in A-1 Condition
1—House, 14 x 20, 2 rooms
1—10 ft. Angle One-Way Plow, new disks, in good shape
1—3 Section Drag Harrow
1—4 Row Rotary Hoe for Ford Tractor
2—Gas Pumps
1—Gorgey Stock Can
11—Sheep Troughs
1—12 ft. Creep Feed for Sheep
2—Single Row Listers
1—Chrysler 8 Motor for Irrigation Well with Butane Hookup and 370 Gallon Butane Tank
Several Joints of Galvanized Pipe and Fittings
2—Steel Sheep Water Troughs
1—2400 lb. Hog Feeder
Several Hog Troughs
1—Wheelbarrow, good shape
1—8 Inch Turning Plow
1—1941 Chevrolet Pick Up, ¾ Ton, New Tires, New Paint A-1 Shape
1—1945 K6 International 2 Ton Truck with 900x10 Ply Tires, Air Brakes, New Factory Built Grain Bed
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1—Practically New Air Compressor
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Several Sacks of Cotton Seed Cake
Several Sacks of Nice Sudan Seed
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2—16 inch Chevrolet Wheels
2—750x15 10 ply Tires
1—Maytag Washing Machine
SEVERAL 25 Lb. Buckets of Gun Grease
1—Heavy Duty Stock Saddle with Breast Harness, Bridle and Blanket and Spurs. Practically New
1—11x38 6 ply New Recap Tractor Tire
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anksgiving Happy asion for Denison others and Sister

ember 28 was a very happy oc- for the Denison family when five brothers and one sister met the Thanksgiving celebration at home of Mr. and Mrs. Russel' sen in Lubbock. The brothers sisters were Mrs. Macey Gear Angeles, California; Mr. and Glenn Denison and son, De- Texas; Rev. and Mrs. D. D sin, Crowell; Mr. and Mrs. C Denison and Mr. and Mrs. P. A sen, Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. ell Denison and sons, Lubbock. her relatives present were Mr Mrs. Roy Smith, Hale Center; Pete Hackney, Plainview; Mr Mrs. John Hartsfield and child- Margaret and Wendell, Norman Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Denison and children, all of Lubbock; and Mrs. Gilmer Denison and Malou; Mrs. John McKinney and James and Mrs. W. E. Walk- of Floydada.

Bob Henry and Mr. and Mrs Dorsey wish to thank each for their kindness and sympathy the passing away of Mother and Mother Dickey.

Marjorie Oden and Bobby am of SMU in Dallas, Texas the Thanksgiving holidays their parents.

Dorcas Sunday School Class Holds Social

The Dorcas Sunday School Class social was held at the church Wednesday, November 19. Each member brought a dish for the noon meal.

Mrs. W. N. Garrett, president presided over the business session during which time it was decided to have the Christmas party December 19 at 7 P. M. in the basement of the church. Committees appointed were decoration, Mrs. J. D. McBrien Mrs. E. I. Durham, Mrs. J. O. Warren and Mrs. Harry Stanley; refreshment, Mrs. Troy Leonard, Mrs S. J. Latta, Mrs. W. N. Garrett and Mrs. John Lloyd; entertainment Mrs. A. H. Kreis, Mrs. E. L. Angus and Mrs. L. A. Doyle.

Names were drawn for secret friends. Each one is asked to bring a gift for their friend and a gift for the tree to the Christmas party.

Members present for the luncheon were Mmes. W. N. Garrett, J. O. Warren, Y. M. Moore, Troy Leonard, Mable Foster Harry Stanley, A H. Kreis, L. A. Doyle, E. L. Angus E. I. Durham, J. D. McBrien, S. J. Latta, John Lloyd and little June Lloyd.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hale, jr., of Seagraves, were in Floydada during the holidays visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Redd spent Wednesday in Lubbock.

Pharr-Sparks Nuptial Vows Said on Friday Night at Abernathy

Miss Jo Dean Pharr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Pharr of Abernathy and Harold D. Sparks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Sparks, were married in Abernathy at the First Baptist church Friday night at 6:30 o'clock by Rev. J. F. Nix. The double ring ceremony was read before an altar arranged with baskets of white and bronze chrysanthemums and white tapers in tall candelabras.

The wedding music was played by Mrs. Doyle Knight. The traditional wedding march was used. Mrs. Douglas Chapman sang, "This Is Always", "Indian Love Call", and "The Lord's Prayer." The candlelighters music was "The World Is Waiting For The Sunrise", and "Clair de Lune" was softly played during the exchange of vows.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was gowned in white bridal satin with long sleeves extending into points at the wrists, a sweetheart neckline, and an attached train. Her fingertip veil of imported illusion fell from a halo of seed pearls. She carried an orchid on a white bible. For something old, she wore a wedding band belonging to her maternal grandmother. For something new was a rhinestone bracelet, which was a gift from the bridegroom. Something borrowed was a pair of pearl ear screws belonging to Mrs. Dean Sterling, and something blue was a blue garter.

Mrs. Hugh Pettit, sister of the bride and matron-of-honor, wore an aqua taffeta dress and matching Mary Stewart hat and carried a cascade of red roses.

Best man was Robert Warren of Lubbock. Ushers were Hugh Pettit of Abernathy and Dean Sterling of Lubbock.

Bridesmaids were Miss Theo Joy Pharr, sister of the bride, and Mrs. Dean Sterling of Lubbock. They wore aqua taffeta dresses with drop shoulders and hoop skirts and wore Mary Stewart hats. They carried nosegays of pink carnations and Ester reeds.

Candelighters were Misses Betty Lovelace and Bobbie Reid. Little Miss Ann Elliott of Lubbock was flower girl and she carried a basket made of flowers and scattered rose petals in the bridal path. Their dresses were of pink taffeta.

Following the wedding a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. In the dining room the table was beautifully laid with a lace cloth with a centerpiece of white chrysanthemums. The three-tiered wedding cake and punch were served to the guests. Mrs. Robert Warren of Lubbock presided at the bride's book.

After the reception the couple left for Albuquerque, New Mexico for a short wedding trip. They are at home at 2116 17th street in Lubbock. Mr. Sparks is employed at Hub Motor company as parts man.

CLUB AT LAKEVIEW WILL ENTERTAIN FAMILIES WITH A CHRISTMAS SUPPER

"Many things can be done with your sewing machine attachments", said Miss Leila Petty at the meeting of the Lakeview Home Demonstration club at the home of Mrs Fowler Estep November 24.

The club voted to entertain their families with a Christmas supper. The time will be announced later. The Christmas meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Henry Willis December 10 at 2 o'clock. Gifts will be exchanged.

Refreshments of cake and hot chocolate were served to Mmes. Joe Thurston, W. H. Bunch, William Powell, Orvis Shearer, G. W. Smith Miss Petty and the hostess.

Sgt. Dean Beck with U. S. Marine corps is in Floydada this week visiting with relatvies.

Stitch and Chatter Club Meets With Mrs. Campbell as Hostess

The Stitch and Chatter club met with Mrs. Laura Campbell in an all day meeting on November 26. Each member brought covered dishes and a lovely luncheon was served. In the afternoon, lovely needle work was done for the hostess.

Members present for the meeting were Laverne McCarty, Ollie Poteet Jewel McCarmick, Marie Turna, Ere Norrell, Myrtle Pope, Robbie Stewart, Claudia Porter, Lela Price Suzie Mooney, Lillie Mae Johnson Ruby Jordan, Pauline Faulkenberry and the hostess.

Two new members, Mattie Norrell and Cathryn Poteet, and two visitors, Mrs. Sarah Williams and Mrs Dorothy Campbell, of Matador, were present for the meeting.

Mrs. Snodgrass Will Be Christmas Hostess For Council Party

Mrs. Carrick Snodgrass will be hostess for the Floyd County Council Christmas social for all retiring and new officers on December 17 at 2:30 p. m. if the weather permits and roads are passable. Otherwise it will be December 19.

Mrs. Snodgrass is located four miles south and four west of Floydada and the second house south of the Blanco school. Each guest is asked to bring an exchange gift not to exceed one dollar in cost and to contact the hostess if it will be impossible to be present.

Russian Duo Heard in Concert at Plainview

The Community Concert Association presented Nikolai and Joanna Graudan in a cello and piano duet Tuesday night of last week at the City auditorium in Plainview.

Both musicians were born in Russia and came to America in 1938. They have given concerts in several parts of Europe and the Dutch East Indies.

Among those attending the concert from Floydada were Mrs. Earl Crow, D. Nell Swinson, Frances Mitchell, Maurice Burton, Alene Warren Darlynn Warren, Olan Watson jr., Mrs. Jack Deakin and daughter Ann;

A. E. Guthrie and children, Pat Kirk Pauline Denison, Mrs. P. A. Denison, Mr. and Mrs. J. Morris Hollums, Mr. and Mrs. David Kirk, O. W. Kirk, Jimmy Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Foote, Joe Walker, Mr and Mrs. C. B. McDonald, Mrs. C B. McDonald, Mrs. Glee Thomas and daughter Beverly and Ann Welborn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. U. Stephens are in Oklahoma this week visiting with relatives.

Church Council Sends Box to Orphan Home

The regular meeting of the Women's council of the First Christian church was held at the parsonage Monday afternoon with Mrs. Len Fawver presiding.

A box was packed Sunday for the Juilette Fowler homes following the White Christmas observance — each member bringing a gift wrapped in white paper.

Program leaders for the mission study, were Myrtice Meador and Mrs. J. C. Wester.

Members present were Mmes. L B. Fawver, Fay Maxey, J. C. Wester S. L. Powell, Lon Davis, J. B. Jenkins, Victoria Asher, W. M. Houghton, J. H. Buchanan, Otto F. Marshall, the hostess and Miss Myrtice Meador and Mary Kay Asher, a guest.

The annual Christmas party will be held December 15 at the home of Mrs. Lon Davis at 3 o'clock.

SOUTH PLAINS CLUB

The South Plains Home Demonstration club met November 13 with Mrs. George Weast. Miss Petty gave an interesting demonstration on the use of the sewing machine. Plans for the Christmas party were made The party will be at Mr. and Mrs Bill Beedy's Friday night, December 12.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames John Smitherman, Bill Beedy, Harry Hartman, E. P. Smitherman, Arby Mulder, Bryant Higginbotham, J. P. Taylor, Doodle Melton, Miss Petty, a new member, Mrs O. I. Hewett and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gearhart and daughter, Phyllis, of Amarillo, visited Thanksgiving Day [illegible] the home of Mrs. Gearhart [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] party. The [illegible] to Mineral [illegible] and the funeral of [illegible] Hart on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Greene and daughter, of Lubbock, spent the holidays here visiting with Mrs. Green's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Burton. Sunday guests in the Burton home were Mr. and Mrs. Earl T. Williams and Leland Burton, of Amarillo, and Burton Williams, of Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Norton and children, Dana and Beth and Mr and Mrs. Earl Rice and son, John Arlan, all of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, spent the holidays visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Noland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Barnard will leave today for an extended visit in Berkeley, California with their daughter and husband, Lt. and Mrs. M W. Vinyard.

Louis O. Newell and family left Wednesday for their home in Kingsman, Arizona, after having spent the last ten days here at the bedside of his mothr, Mrs. L. H. Newell.

Jim C. Whiteley of Switch was in Floydada Friday on business. He i new agent for the Occo-Lak Feed and will be working in Floyd as well as Briscoe and Hale counties.

Mr. and Mrs. James Burke and son of Santa Fe, New Mexico, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W Burke and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Heim.

Mrs. W. M. Houghton returned home Friday after a months visit in Dallas with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Bishop, and Hal Sue.

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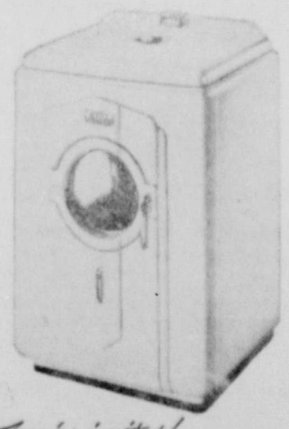


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HOUSTON,—Texas Jaycees are determined that the Battleship Texas will come home to the Lone Star state and upon the suggestion of Governor Beauford Jester and the Battleship Texas commission, will spearhead the statewide campaign to raise the $225,000.00 needed, it was announced today by John G Flowers, jr., of Houston, state Jaycee chairman for the drive.

On December 7, Pearl Harbor day a Junior Chamber of Commerce drive will be launched all over Texas, with all 120 Jaycee clubs participating.

For two years Texans have been discussing plans to bring the old battlewagon to a berthing at the San Jacinto battlegrounds, but as far only a small portion of the $225,000.00 needed has been raised The Jaycees hope to reach that goal by January 17.

At an organization meeting held recently in Houston, Presided over by State Jaycee President Frank Butler of Temple, Texas, Lloyd Gregory, chairman of the Battleship Texas commission, turned over the fund-raising campaign to the 130 Jaycee clubs.

State Campaign Chairman Flowers says that the clubs will begin a determined drive on December 7, soliciting from organizations, schools and every Texan. School children will be asked to bring their contributions on December 8, since Pearl Harbor day falls on Sunday this year.

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Walter Taack to Floyd Compton 20) acres out of the northeast part of section 24, block N, S. T. Cooper original grantee;

Bascom Baxter to George E. Assiter, S. 210 acres of the W. 420 acres of section number 10, block N;

Weaver H. Baucum to O. C. Snelling et al, S. ½ of section 12, block M-14;

V. D. Turner to Clyde Lovell, lot 10, block H, Andrews addition to Floydada;

Lee Howard to D. W. Newton, lot 13, block 13, original town of Lockney;

D. W. Newton to A. L. Newton lot 13, block 13, original town of Lockney;

C. W. Pope to Benjiman Covington, lots 15 and 16, block 121, original town of Floydada;

W. R. Rigdon to A. O. McAda lot 1, block 39, Brewster addition number one to Lockney;

A. C. Carthel to Floyd R. Moore lots 7 and 8, block 2, Southside addition to Lockney;

S. H. Assiter to J. W. Thompson 177 2/3 acres, being all of the W. C. Lynch 160 acre pre-emption survey and all of survey 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Crawley, Hal Ray Hall and Miss Elwyn Packwood spent the holidays in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Hall.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Fawver and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dowdy, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Colston, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Colston, Wilma Hamilton and J. B. Colston spent Thanksgiving in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Holmes.

Mr. and Mrs. John Colston, of Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Colston and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dowdy visited Sunday night in the home of Mr and Mrs. G. L. Fawver and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Levis Gilliland and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Vickers and children.

Edith Amburn attended the Texas State Teachers convention at San Antonio, November 27-29.

George Reid May, student at John Tarleton college, Stephenville, spent the holidays with his mother, Mrs. G. R. May.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith and R W., Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cardinal Rudy Thornton and Travis Jones visited Sunday in the home of Mrs G. R. May and George Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Amburn visited friends and relatives in Wellington Sunday.

Mrs. C. H. Brown spent the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. F. A Roberscn at Olton.

The attendance at the "42" social Friday night was light. Gilbert Fawver and Ray Smith were high-point winners.

No Sunday School was held Sunday. Next Sunday will be regular preaching day. Everyone is invited.

JOHNNIE COLLINS MAY BE HOME BY CHRISTMAS DAY

Johnnie Collins has written his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Collins that he will leave Kodiak in the Aluetian Islands December 4 and return to Seattle, Washington, to receive his discharge from the U. S. Navy after serving for the past two years, the last year being stationed at Kodiak. He thinks he'll reach home by Christmas as a civilian once more.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Denison and family Sunday were Mrs. Macey Gear, Los Angeles, California; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Denison, Detroit, Texas; Mrs Russell Denison and son, Lubbock; Mrs. John Hartsfield, Lubbock; Mr and Mrs. C. W. Denison, Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith, Hale Center; Mr. and Mrs. John McKinney and James, Mr. and Mrs. David Lewis and Linda, and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Denison and Dennis and Donald.

Mrs. Lloyd Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Steen and Mr. and Mrs. Tod Thompson, of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Otho Sanders, of the Sterley community and Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Hodge, of Fort Worth, were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bartlett and son, R. V. Sunday afternoon, the group visited relatives in Wake.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph C. Johnston spent the holidays in Electra with Mrs. Johnston's aunt, Mrs. D. R Preston. Mrs. Preston and Mrs. Barbara H. Smith returned to Floydada with the Johnston's. Mrs. Smith had been in Electra visiting for some time with her sister, Mrs. Preston.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr and Mrs. E. Meek Thanksgiving Day included Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Belden and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Meek and children of Floydada, and Mrs. Jesse Bartlett and children of Maxwell, New Mexico, and Jimmie Joyce, Kenneth and Glenn King Mrs. W. T. Branson and Mrs. Charity Self.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Steen and family of California arrived last week to meet their son, Bobby, who is in the U. S. Navy and will get in Friday to spend a 20 day leave. The Steens will visit in Floyd and Crosby counties with relatives while their son is here.

Misses Doris Matney and Martha Ruth Green, of Amarillo spent the week-end in Floydada, guest of Miss Matney's grandmother, Mrs. Kate Collier and daughter, Margaret.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Mitchell of Dallas, spent the Thanksgiving holidays visiting here with Mr. Mitchell's mother and sister, Mrs. Ona Mitchell and Frances.

Misses Modena Hartsell and Irene Luther, of Amarillo, spent Thanksgiving Day with Miss Hartsell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hartsell.

Dr. and Mrs. F. C. Harmon, jr., of Paducah and Miss La Nell Harmon of Lubbock, spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Harmon.



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Miss Betty Boteler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Boteler, attended the state students' meeting of the Wesley foundation held in Austin November 28-30. Miss Boteler is secretary of the Wesley foundation in Canyon where she is a student at WTSC.

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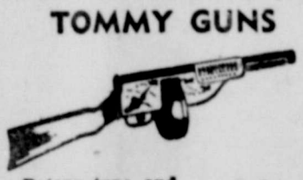
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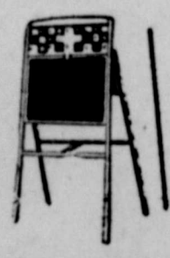
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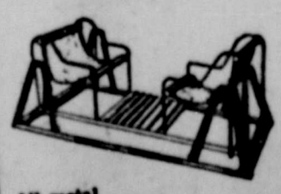


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