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**FOURTH GRADE**

**A Honor Roll**  
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 Kay Elson  
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 Sunny Rawson  
 Peggy Roberts  
**B Honor Roll**  
 Wayne Bledsoe  
 William Boyd  
 Gene Grimshaw  
 Junior Hampton  
 Jimmie Hart  
 Bobby Maynard  
 Larry Pullin  
 Harold Rodgers  
 Rodney Stephens  
 James Wallace  
 Kay Browning  
 Judy Burns  
 Sara Grice

Linda Harrison  
 Lameta Rodgers  
 Jo Nell Turner

**FIFTH GRADE**

**A Honor Roll**  
 Mary Thompson  
 Karen Pattillo  
**B Honor Roll**  
 Joe Harrison  
 Albert Palmer  
 Larry Rodgers  
 Gene Snider  
 Howard Joiner  
 Terry Shell  
 Wesley Warren  
 Gretchen Hailey

**SIXTH GRADE**

**A Honor Roll**  
 Carolyn Kanady  
 Mike Stacy  
 Bess Underwood  
 Tomasine Whitt  
**B Honor Roll**  
 Sharon Bennett  
 Mackie Bledsoe

Glenda Nell Browning  
 Billy Gene Burns  
 Royce Cozart  
 Kay Ann Craddock  
 Kale Files  
 Dolores Foster  
 Russell Fuller  
 Carolyn Gilbert  
 Billy Gray  
 Linda Hallmark  
 Harold Hilley  
 Glenda Lou Laminack  
 Glenn Lasater  
 Glenda Pennington  
 Charles Reeves  
 Jackie Simpson  
 David West  
 Winston Wallace  
 Joyce Warren

**SEVENTH GRADE**

**A Honor Roll**  
 Judy Parker  
 Neil Overstreet  
 Karen Wright  
**B Honor Roll**  
 Fred Gray  
 Max Grice  
 Judy Mehaffey  
 Louis Mehaffey  
 Patsy Rawls  
 Carolyn Seiter  
 Emma Jane Skaggs  
 Dolores Sanders  
 Margaret Steele  
 James Whitlock

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 Larry Bennett  
 Dorene Bledsoe  
**B Honor Roll**  
 Loretta Abbe  
 Betty Jo Belyeu  
 Shirley Clement  
 Mary Kay Cloninger  
 Charlotte Hilley  
 Sue Johnson

**DUSTER ROCK BLUFF NEWS**  
 Mrs. Lorene Johnson, Reporter

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Seal Smith Thanksgiving were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Roun tree of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Darvin Garrett and baby of Houston.

Mrs. Smith has been on the sick list but is reported much improved.

Mrs. J. T. Crow and children of El Paso visited Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Frasier.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barnes and boys were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barnes of Comyn and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Stephens of Rucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Morton of Fort Worth spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Cadenhead and Doris.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Graham were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Graham and boys of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Graham and son of Stephenville, Mr. A. M. King of Abilene, Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Bateman and Mrs. Penn of Brownwood and Mr. Dabney Warren of Abilene.

Norman Jones  
 Holly Kinser  
 Kay Lynn Ramsey  
 Roscoe Reeves  
 David Revels  
 Deanna Rodgers  
 Eugene Rogers  
 Jim Bob Thompson  
 Johnnie West

Mr. and Mrs. Neilly Bingham of St. Joe visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Bingham, over the week end.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Johnson Thanksgiving were Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Hazzard, Da Sha and Dwayne of Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Honifon and children and Mr. and Mrs. Deryl Johnson and children of De Leon, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Johnson of College Station, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Cozby of Ft Worth, Mr. Curtis Cozby of Comanche and son, Curtis Arnold Cozby, of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Cadenhead and children of Ft Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Rountree of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Darvin Garrett of Houston, and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Ross of Abilene were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barnes and boys visited his mother at Comyn Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Oscar Miller and children of Odessa visited a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Frasier.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Scott were Mrs. J. H. Able of Plainview, Mrs. Mattie Scott of Wichita Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Barnes and children of Ft Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Coan and children of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Coan of Ft Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Jacson of Gorman visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rye Coan, through the holidays.

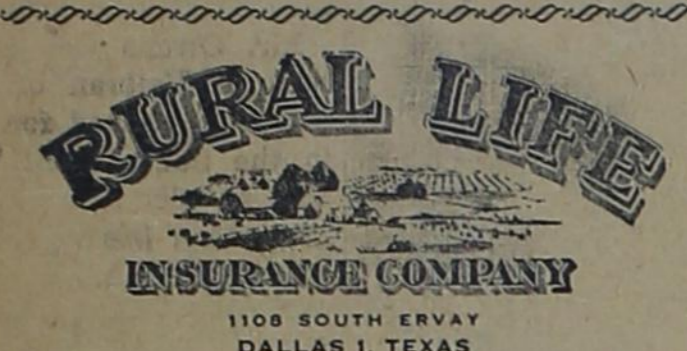
Ed and Louise Fitzgerald and baby of Tulsa, Okla returned to their home Sunday after visiting her parents, the John Claitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ellison and daughters of San Antonio were week end visitors of the Jimmy Ellisons.



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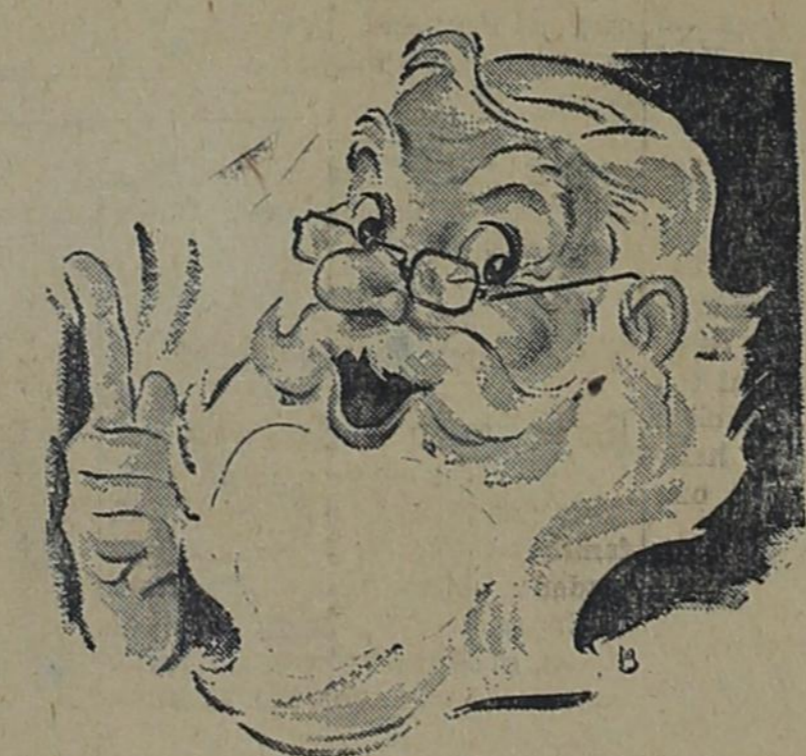


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Another important "first" in the Post Office Department - allowing mail users themselves to help shape postal regulations into the most practical, usable form - has been incorporated into the precedent-setting Postal Manual being issued in final form, effective December 1, Postmaster General Arthur E. Summerfield, said today.

The December 1 edition replaces the preliminary edition originally issued October 21. It contains proposals advanced by the public for improvements in the postal regulations. The suggestions came from large commercial users of the mails, publishers, newspapers, citizens in all walks of life and postal employees themselves.

Postmaster General Summerfield announced, when the preliminary publication was released, that the Post Office Department

was taking what was for his Department an unprecedented step of asking for suggestions on improvements. The effective date of the regulations, originally set for November 20, had to be moved up to the present December 1 date to take advantage of the best of the recommendations.

Among additional changes being made in the final publication are the following:

Further clarification of the use of meter stamps has been made. The entire part on meter stamps has been rewritten.

Publishers will be allowed to use white or any other light-colored paper for wrapping, instead of being restricted to white or Manila paper - a simple change, but one which will be important financially for this large group of mailers.

Strict and unnecessary restrictions on the identifying lettering for rural mail boxes are modified.

These are only a few of scores of suggestions which are included in the final version, Mr. Summerfield noted.

"While many of them appear of a simple nature, their importance for large groups of mail users is great, and sometimes the value of a single one of these changes made as a result of public cooperation may be worth thousands of dollars to individual mail users," Mr. Summerfield commented.

In addition to the improvements brought about by the final manual, Mr. Summerfield recalled that the preliminary edition itself brought about a basic revision of postal regulations, providing many important improvements.

This included provisions under which innocent mailers have been plagued by professional informers who took advantage of the mailers unwitting violations of "booby trap" regulations - obsolete and unenforceable provisions formerly buried among the 4,000 pages of official publications. Innocent violations of these provisions laid mailers open to the possibility of court suit, particularly those instigated by professional informers.

Other typical changes contained in the first edition and continued in the final manual include these: Dependents of servicemen may have mail forwarded to new duty stations without charge.

Persons entitled to a refund for overpaid postage, or for service paid for but not received may receive their money back.

Publishers of magazines may now include attractive modern layouts on new kinds of paper, formerly outlawed by outmoded 19th century postal restrictions.

Persons who are trapped with a wrong date on their metered material for the mails no longer will be charged a 10 per cent penalty cost.

In certain instances where it is an unnecessary and expensive bother, the date may be dropped from metered material for the mails.

Publishers may obtain subscriptions under agreements with agents, without having terms of the agreements dictated by the Post Office Department.

Business mailers no longer need to hunt up and note on certain types of mail the mysterious and legalistic authorizations for that type of mail.

**CHEANEY NEWS**

Mrs. Bill Tucker, Reporter

Thelbert Jones suffered a heart attack and is hospitalized at Ranger General Hospital was the announcement made Sunday. His condition at this reporting is considered critical.

Mrs. Nell Hester and children, Randy and Gary of Ranger, were church visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Hester is a niece of Mrs. Sophie Freeman and Mrs. Maud Dean, whom she visited.

Others who visited in the Freeman home during the Thanksgiving holidays were the Dick Weekes family from Comanche, the Tom Kimbroughs of Ranger, and Mr. and Mrs. Martin White of Sudan.

Mr. and Mrs. White are old time friends of the Freemans. They are also relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Howard, with whom they visited while here, as over night guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cook and Mrs. Winnie Cox were callers on Thursday afternoon.

Miss Charlotte Love of Lubbock and Mrs. Jimmy Ice, nee Berle Blackwell, spent the holi-

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day week end with their grandmothers, Mrs. Bell Blackwell, Mrs. Ann Love and Mrs. J. P. Strickler, and various of the Love and Blackwell families. Berle states that Jimmy is in the service and she plans to go to Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Wisdom of Abilene were in the community Sunday looking after farming interests. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Galloway.

Numerous friends and old time neighbors attended the graveside services at the Alameda Cemetery Friday morning for Luther Perrin, who passed away Wednesday, Nov. 24.

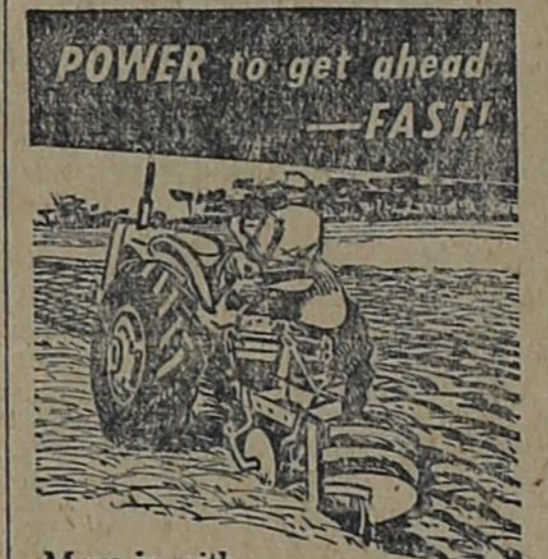
Mr. Perrin, aged 58, was a farmer in Cheaney community for many years.

He had been in ill health for a long while, since retiring from farming and moving to Ranger. He was a member of the Baptist Church.

His survivors include his wife, Flora, one son, Harlon E. Perrin of San Angelo, four daughters, Mrs. Eunice Stehle, Midland, Glenda of Plains, Wanda of Abilene, and Patsy of Ranger. There are also three sisters, Mrs. Mattie Allen of Frederick, Okla., Mrs. Virgie Lee of Ranger, Mrs. Sallie Parrish of Ranger, and two brothers, Carl of Denver City and Henry of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Box and children of Piketon, Ohio, returned to their home Friday after spending Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Box of Eastland and Mrs. Mary Tucker here at Cheaney. Thanksgiving dinner in the Richard Tucker home, included the Box family, Mrs. Salata Brown and children, the John Tuckers, the Bill Tuckers, and also Mr. and Mrs. Doc Stone and Olene of Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rogers complimented the newly-weds, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Greer, with a wedding shower at their home



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near Alameda Friday night, November 26. Mrs. Greer is the former Betty Jean Love, daughter of the Arthur Loves of Alameda. A lot of nice gifts were on display in the dining room. Lavinia Rogers presided at the gift register.

Cake, cocoa and coffee were served to about 40 persons. Many sent gifts, who did not attend. The Greers are at home in Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ferrell's home was the scene of Thanksgiving festivities for their children, Lester of Crane, Mrs. Frances Fory and family of Ft Worth, and other members of the Walton and Melton families numbering 22. All reported the traditional bird and trimmings made fine eating.

Mrs. John Love and Mrs. Richard Tucker of Cheaney, accompanied by Mrs. Clyde Coates of

Cisco, attended an insurance meeting in Coleman on Tuesday, Nov. 30th.

Mrs. Bill Tucker, Rt. 1, Ranger, Vice-President District 8, Texas Home Demonstration Association, was in Abilene Tuesday and Wednesday of this week for a General Board Meeting, called by Mrs. Golightly, Hico, President. The place of the meeting, Hotel Wooten.

Vice-Presidents of the 12 districts, the seven committee chairman, and the Executive Committee planned for a busy 2-day conference planning spring meetings for each district and the State meeting for 1955. The group expected to enjoy their annual Christmas Party on Tuesday night

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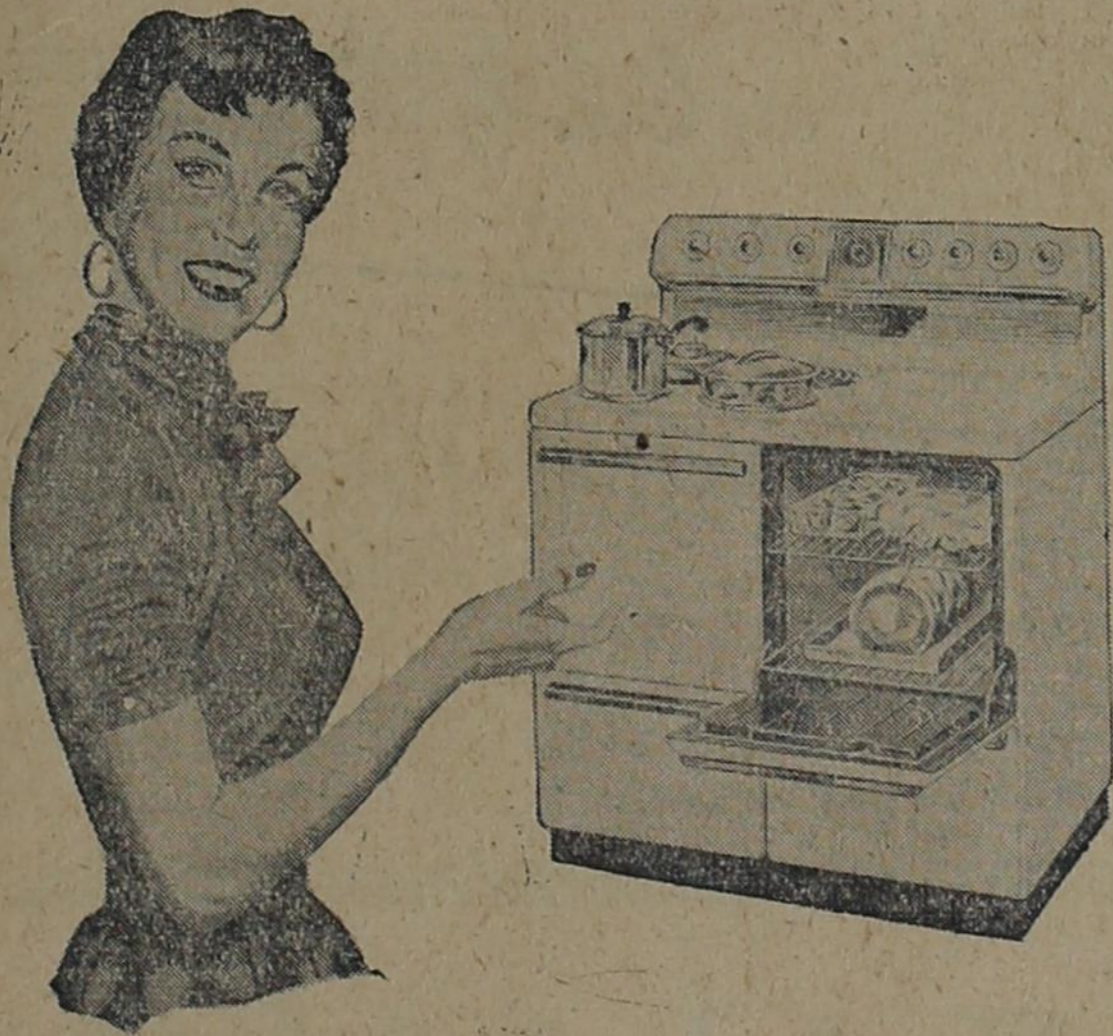
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**FIRST GRADE**  
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We play in Rhythm Band Thursday night. We hope to do our best.

We are sorry Ann Kirk is absent because of illness.

**FOURTH GRADE**  
Everyone had a nice Thanksgiving. Most of us either went visiting or had company.

We want to thank the Mothers for the party last Wednesday. We have lost 2 pupils, Gay

Hicks and Larry Anderson. We hope they come back to see us. In their places we have a new class member, Diana Snider. We are happy she is with us.

**FIFTH GRADE (Wilson)**  
We are sorry that Don Self, Margie Sanders, Linda Shell and Glendon Frasier were absent last week, however all of them are back except Don.

Everyone had a nice time over the Thanksgiving holidays. We hope no one got sick from eating turkey and dressing.

We are beginning the study of two place multipliers in arithmetic and learning to use a two-place divisor in checking the multiplication by dividing.

In art we are making colored chalk designs using either our names or initials. We will soon be starting on Christmas decorations.

**FIFTH GRADE (Ragland)**  
We all enjoyed our Thanksgiving holidays, but now we are looking forward to Christmas.

Last night our Grade School girls played Olden and won the game. We hope they keep up the good work.

We are going to have a band concert tonight. Everyone is invited.

We have almost finished our chapter on Fractions. Now we take up harder multiplication.

**SIXTH GRADE**  
In art we are making Christmas posters. Mrs. Clement reads to us as we work. We are making them with cut-outs or painting them with paints, or coloring them with crayons.

L. C. McLearn is a new boy in our room. We are glad to have him.

Monday and Tuesday we took achievement tests.

**SEVENTH GRADE**  
We hope everyone had a nice time over the Thanksgiving holidays. Some of our pupils were visiting and had a good time.

Perhaps you would like to know what we are studying. In History we are studying about the governors of our state from 1920 to the 1940's.

In Civics we are studying about settling disputes in court. In Math we are studying how to change common fractions to per cents.

**EIGHTH GRADE**  
Monday three new pupils enrolled in the eighth grade: Thomas Snider, Neal Crossan, and Montze McLearn.

The boys and girls Jr. Basketball teams played Olden here last Monday. The scores were 8 to 30 in favor of the Olden boys and 13-8 in favor of the Gorman girls.

We are going all out to win district this year. The next games will be played at Carbon, Thursday night in their tournament.

Everyone enjoyed the Thanksgiving holidays.

**SOPHOMORE NEWS**  
Well the Thanksgiving holidays are over and we are looking forward to the time when we will be getting out for Christmas.

The Gorman Basketball Teams were defeated by De Leon last Tuesday but we're looking forward for a victory next Tuesday over Carbon.

We are glad to have Gene Crossan back in our room which brings our number to 32. We are also glad to have six weeks test over and we hope everyone in pleased with their report cards.

**JUNIOR NEWS**  
The Thanksgiving holidays are over with now and everyone is getting back into the routine of school again. We hope everyone had a nice Thanksgiving.

We got our report cards Monday. Everyone seemed to have a slight increase in the grades. We hope we all continue to do as good or better.

**SENIOR NEWS**  
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FARM PROGRAM

A national farm program designed to eliminate surpluses and discriminatory acreage controls will be recommended to the American Farm Bureau Federation, according to A. Z. Myrick of Cisco, president of the Eastland County Farm Bureau.

The plan was approved at the Texas Farm Bureau's convention November 10 in Galveston, Mr. Myrick said. It will be up for consideration by the AFBF at its national convention December 12-16 in New York City.

Under the Texas plan, acreage control would be set up on the basis of a farm's total tillable acreage. The present law places control on the individual commodities. According to the plan, the percentage of acres to be retired from production would be determined by the over-all over-production of all agricultural commodities in this country.

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In typing today we typed some material for the annual. I hope there are not too many errors. We are slowly progressing up to sixty words per minute. We have to have sixty words per minute with ninety per cent accuracy at the end of the school year.

**F. H. A. NEWS**

The second year FHA had their regular meeting in the living room of the Homemaking Cottage. Our guest speaker, Mr. Wilson, spoke on "If I Were A Future Homemaker." He stated that if he were a future homemaker, that several things would be important; one, becoming mature or growing up is a life long process; two, we are a personality and that people judge us by the way we talk and the way we act. Most of his emphasis was on the way we act as future homemakers. He also gave us some good advice on growing up, emotionally and socially. He wanted us to watch for personal trouble spots. He stated that the results of a national survey made of 2,000 high school boys and girls found that 23 percent are easily excited, 30 percent worry about little things, 26 percent are nervous, 35 percent can't help day dreaming, 26 percent feel guilty about thing they have done, 29 percent get their feelings hurt easily, 25 percent feel they need to learn not to let people push them around, 41 percent often do things they later regret, 29 percent are unsure of themselves, 23 percent feel they always have to be on the go, and 29 percent want to get rid of an undesirable habit. He also told us we need to be making preparations for marriage and that a personal belief in God and a love for God are the most important things in life.

the percentage amounted to 10 per cent, then each farmer would be required to divert 10 per cent of his tillable acreage from production, he explained.

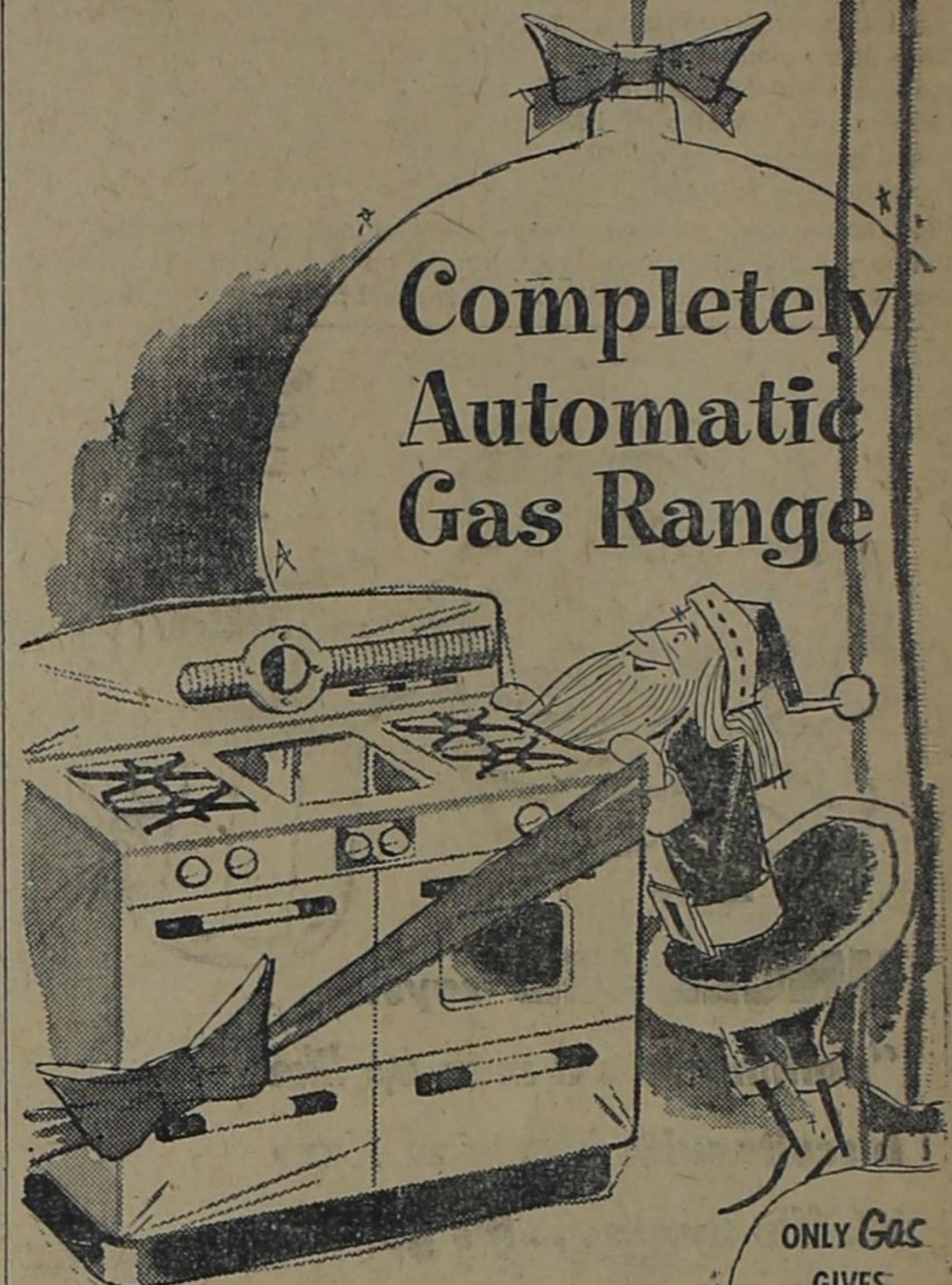
A farmer would have to comply with this provision in order to be eligible for price supports. Good soil conservation practices would also be required for the idle acres. This would be encouraged by soil conservation payments.

Under the plan, a system of price supports would be instituted to encourage the shifting of production from crops in surplus supply to crops in short supply,

Myrick said. The Texas Farm Bureau believes that its plan, if administered fairly, would enable farmers to earn full parity for their crops with a maximum of freedom in their operations. Since the government would be concerned with policing only a small percentage of acres on each farm, the cost to the taxpayers would be much less than for the present farm program.

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<b>RAISINS</b> WHITE SWAN SEEDLESS	15-Oz. Box	19¢	CLOVER FARM — NEW WHOLE <b>POTATOES</b>	No. 303 Cans	29¢
<b>RAISINS</b> Golden Bleached BONNER	15-Oz. Box	19¢	FRESH CUCUMBER KOSHER DILL <b>PICKLES</b>	CLOVER FARM Jar	35¢
<b>MIXED NUTS</b> SUNSET	1-Lb. Cello	45¢	<b>PEACHES</b> Whole Spiced	No. 2 1/2 Can	29¢
<b>BABO</b>	Regular Can	13¢	FRENCH'S <b>PARAKEET SEED</b>	12-Oz. Box	23¢
<b>BABO</b>	Giant Can	17¢	<b>WOLF BRAND</b> CHILI	No. 2 Can	49¢
<b>MILK</b> CLOVER FARM	2 Tall Cans	25¢	SEASIDE <b>LIMA BEANS</b>	No. 303 Can	13¢
CLOVER FARM <b>BLACK PEPPER</b>	1 1/2-Oz. Can	15¢	WHITE SWAN <b>RED WHOLE CHERRIES</b>	4-Oz. Ctn.	33¢
CLOVER FARM <b>APPLE JELLY</b>	21-Oz. Jar	17¢	WHITE SWAN — WHITE, GLACED <b>PINEAPPLE FRITTERS</b>	4-Oz. Ctn.	29¢
CLOVER FARM <b>SHORTENING</b>	3 Lb. Can	79¢	WHITE SWAN — GLACED <b>PEEL - CITRON LEMON</b>	4-Oz. Ctn.	19¢
GLENDALE <b>CORN</b> Cream Style	2 No. 303 Cans	25¢	WHITE SWAN — Red & Green, Glaced <b>PINEAPPLE FRITTER</b>	4-Oz. Ctn.	29¢
CLOVER FARM <b>ORANGE JUICE</b>	46-Oz. Can	29¢	EARLY GARDEN <b>PEAS</b>	No. 303 Can	21¢
<b>BLEACH</b> CLOVER FARM	Quart Bottle	13¢	DEL MONTE <b>CORN</b>	12-Oz. Can	17¢
WHITE SWAN — GLACED <b>MIXED FRUITS</b>	4-Oz. Ctn.	21¢	WHOLE KERNEL <b>PRUNES</b>	1-Lb. Box	33¢

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### Desdemona News

Reporter, Mrs. Ethel Keith

Mrs. C. H. Williams is resting at home following major surgery at Stephenville several days ago. This reporter failed to mention last week that Mrs. Helen Walker and children had spent part of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Abel.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Joiner and daughter, Vernelle Myers, spent part of last week in Oil Center, N. M. and other points west visiting with their children.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Wilcoxson and children of Odessa spent the

past week here with relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. Coles of Moor- ing Port, La., former pastor of the Methodist Church, were week end visitors here with Mr. and Mrs. John Arnold and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown and Miss Marjorie Brown of Dal- las visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anse Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Iley of Ft Worth were visitors the week end with her mother, Mrs. Hattie Davis, and Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Davis and Mrs. A. E. Henslee and Sandra were in Ft Worth shopping one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chat Farris and children spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Warden.

Mr. and Mrs. Anse Brown visit- ed Sunday afternoon in Victor with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jones.

Rev. and Mrs. Henry Johnson visited Sunday after church with Mrs. Johnson's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Grimshaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Ragland spent the week end in West Texas with his brothers, Johnnie Dean and family and Bobby Jack. Also her grandparents in New Mexico.

### BROWNINGS HOLD FAMILY REUNION

On Thanksgiving Day Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Browning, assisted by Miss Mabel Clemens, entertained with a turkey dinner.

Those attending were Mrs. A. B. Kirkpatrick of Natchez, Miss., Mr. and Mrs. Billy Green and children of Ft Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Cleveland and Cathy of Abilene, Miss Jo Ann Cham- bles of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Green of Eastland, and Mrs. Golda Joe of Houston.

Those attending from Gorman were Mrs. Jim Pope, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Chambless, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Chambless and Mr. and Mrs. Estes Browning.

### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my apprecia- tion to the doctors, nurses and ladies who served my meals, for their kindness to me while I was in the hospital.

Mrs. G. F. Bennett

### WHEN A DON IS NOT A DON

When is a Don not a Don? When Miss Don Moorman is called on a jury panel for men only.

Scanning list for prospective jurors the Tarrant County juror commissioners picked one Don Moorman. This would be Mr. Don Moorman or would this be a Latin American who failed to enter his Christian name?

Miss Moorman is with the State Welfare Department and a very busy woman but she is willing to serve, only the said juror com- mission wonders shouldn't there be other women? How would Miss Moorman enjoy being in solitary for the hours not spent in court? Maybe it isn't a case of enjoyment.

That's their problem, isn't it? Note: Miss Moorman was select ed November 29 to serve on a six-member jury hearing a dam- age suit before Judge Drew Clif- ton in County Court at Law.

The law suit involves two wo- men who had a traffic accident. Miss Moorman is the first wo- man juror in Tarrant County his- tory.

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MISSION Sugar Peas 2 for 29c	KIMBELL'S Bl' eye Peas 2 for 25c
Green Beans DIAMOND 303 Can 10c	DEL HAVEN Tomatoes 303 CANS 2 for 29c
CAMPFIRE Pork - Beans 303 CANS 3 for 29c	TUXEDO Tuna 21c CAN

### WHITE KARO

Quarts - 45c

**Holiday Cookies**

3 cups sifted, all-purpose flour  
4 teaspoons baking powder  
1 teaspoon salt  
1 cup soft shortening  
1 1/2 teaspoons vanilla  
1/2 cups sugar  
3/4 cup Pet Milk

Turn on oven; set at moderate (375°). Sift flour with baking powder and salt. Put shortening and vanilla into bowl. Add sugar gradually, mixing until light and fluffy. Stir in about 1/2 of flour mixture. Stir in half of milk. Repeat until all flour and milk are used. Turn out on lightly floured board. Roll 1/4 in. thick. Cut into de- sired shapes with floured cutter. Put on greased baking sheet. Bake on oven shelf slightly above center 10 min., or until brown. Cool before frosting. Garnish, if desired, with colored sugar, silver drages or candy decorations and strips of candied fruits. Makes about 6 doz. 2 1/4-in. cookies.

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ONE POUND BOX  
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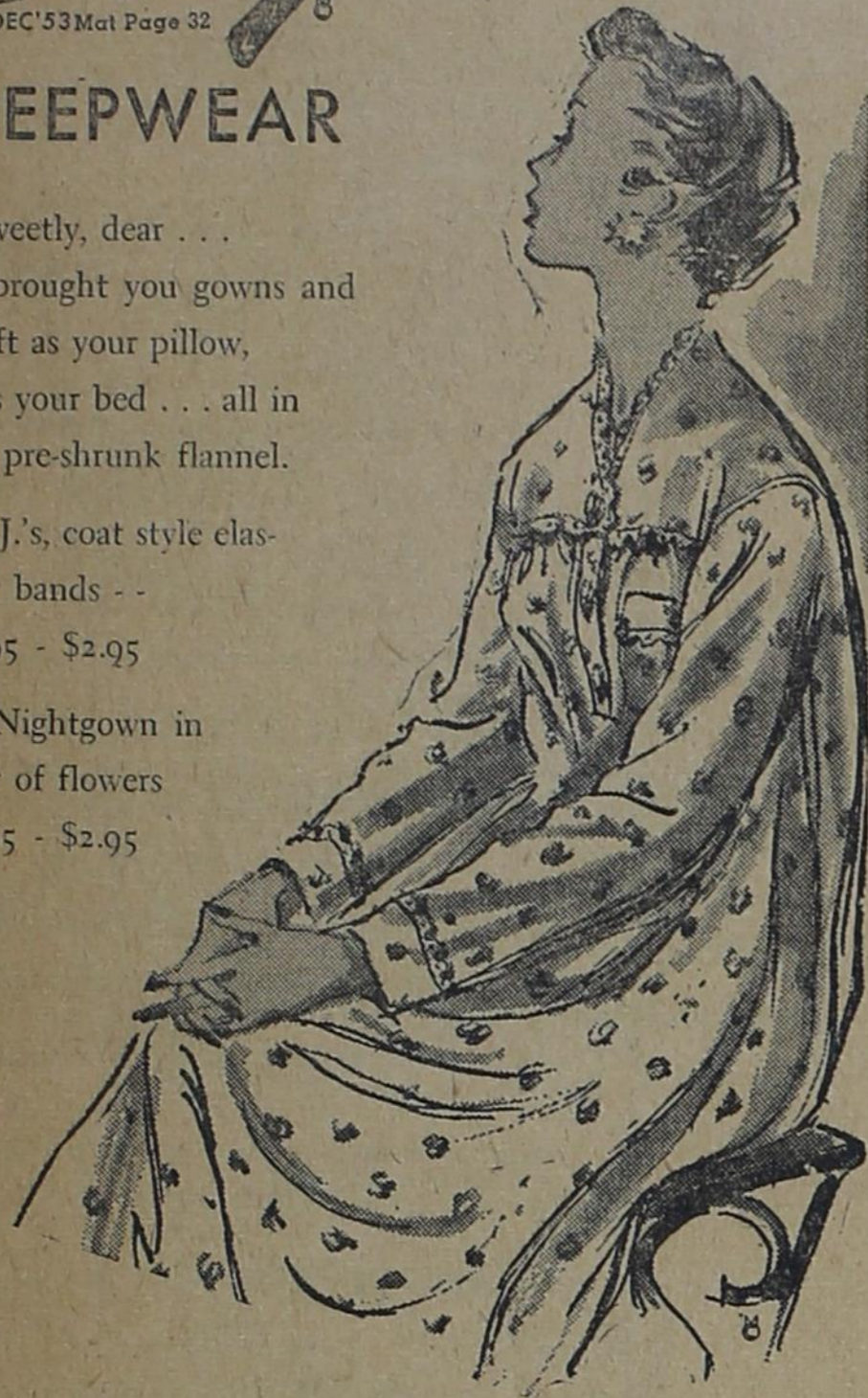
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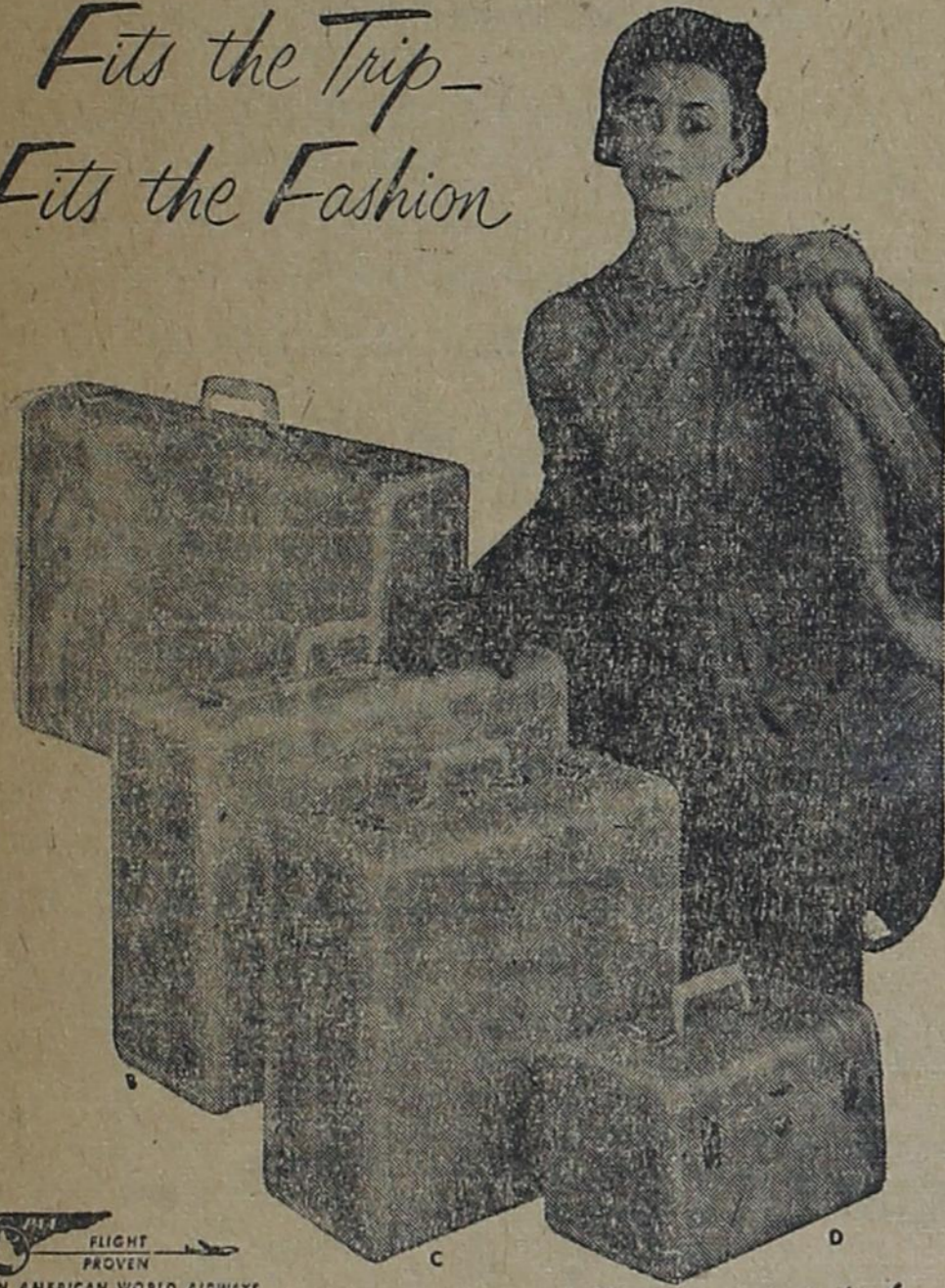
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## Keeping Up With Our Friends - -

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Huddleston, Route 2, Gorman are moving to Austin Monday. He will be in the cabinet building business.

Mrs. E. C. Sutton and son, Neill Sutton of Borger, enjoyed Thanksgiving with her sister, Mrs. Clyde King and family, in Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bramlett, Mrs. O. R. Buchanan and Mrs. M. F. Allen attended the Texas State Teachers Association in Ft Worth over the week end.

Mrs. Mae Jones was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Homer White of Eastland, to Plainview to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with the Carlisle families.

They attended several social functions including the Public Affairs Banquet sponsored by the business and professional womens club. They were among the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Chitty. Mrs. Chitty was the former Inez Carlisle, who is past president of the club.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Rodgers had all their children at home Sunday. They are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rodgers and Jim of Old Ocean, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Rodgers of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Barker, Michaelyn and Brent of De Leon, Dr. and Mrs. D. V. Rodgers, Edward, Jim and Linda.

Patricia Deavenport of Stephenville visited with Kay Ann Craddock during the week end.

Mrs. Maud Foster, Miss Katie Thurman and C. E. Sims took Thanksgiving dinner with Mrs. Pearl Williams who resides on her farm four miles west of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Manning Fairbetter of Granbury visited his parents Sunday evening and attended church services at the Methodist Church.

Out of town guests of the G. O. Boyds Thanksgiving were Eugene Gilder and family of Coleman, A. N. Gilder of Dublin, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Lawson of Edna and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Boyd and family of Ft Worth.

Mrs. Floyd Eison, Mary Evelyn Laminack, Kay Eison and Carol Eison spent Thanksgiving at Harlingen visiting with Lt./ac Loren Jack Eison.

Mrs. Whit Russell, Mrs. M. H. Fairbetter and Milton Fairbetter, Jr. visited in Ft Worth Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Wade Russell and Stephen Lynn of Denton. Mrs. Nellie Ryals of Ft Worth who has been visiting in the Fair better home during the past three weeks returned to her home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Revels and David attended the funeral of his uncle, Luther Perrin, which was held in the 2nd Baptist Church of Ranger Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hefley of Fort Worth visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Richardson Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bassett of Stamford were Thanksgiving visitors of Mrs. Eva Stout as were the Ben R. Townleys and a number of other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Dean and daughters of Big Springs were Thanksgiving guests of Mrs. J. Frank Dean.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Stone II and children of Sherman visited with their parents, the Hulon Pulligs and the E. L. Stenes during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Dr. and Mrs. T. G. Jackson had as week end guests, her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Powers and daughters of Beaumont. Also visiting them were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jackson of Seminole.

Mrs. John Kirk of Ropesville spent the week end in Gorman. Ben Pendarvis of San Antonio



### HOMeward, THE SPIRIT WINGS

As the spirit takes flight to a brighter world, the family and friends gather in loving memory of a life, well lived. Our part is simply to help make final services a worthy tribute.

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visited his parents, the B. F. Pendarvises, Thanksgiving.

Visiting Mr. J. N. Watson during the week end were Elmer Watson and family of Jacksboro.

Thanksgiving guests of Mrs. Mollie Bennett were her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bennett and children of Ft Worth. We noticed Barbara Bennett clerk in a Fort Worth Department Store Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bennett and children spent Thanksgiving with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wheeler and Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Jan Acrea of Stephenville on returning from a Thanksgiving visit with her sister in Tyler, spent Sunday with his parents, the G. C. Acreas.

Mr. John C. Claitor and son-in-law, Ed Fitzgerald of Tulsa, Okla., went to Austin Thanksgiving Day to see the football game between Texas and Texas A & M.

Miss Eva Matlock enjoyed the Thanksgiving Holidays with her sister Mrs. J. W. Sharbutt and Rev. Sharbutt. They accompanied her to Rising Star where she will spend the winter with Mrs. Besie Bowers, aunt to Mrs. Frank Rhymes.

Mrs. Annis Fitzgerald of Valley Mills visited in the home of the John Claitors last Saturday.

E. L. Mason of Kingsville, Mrs. Annie Taylor of Hermleigh and Robert Taylor and family of Anton were Thanksgiving visitors with the H. R. Masons.

The H. R. Masons, Myrna and Ery visited Weyman Mason and family in Ballinger this week.

The H. R. Masons and their company spent part of Thanksgiving Day with Mrs. J. B. Henderson at their family reunion at Blanket and later visited in Sndneth with relatives.

Recent visitors in the Mason home were Weyman Mason of Ballinger, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Muston of Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Leah Muston and children of Brownfield and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Barron of Lone Wolf, Okla.

### CORRECTION

In the Keeping Up With Our Friends column November 25th, a corrected paragraph reads.

Mrs. J. C. Claitor and two children, Frances McMillan of Gruver, Texas and John Howard Claitor of Moody AFB, Valdosta, Go., went to Valley Mills and visited another daughter, Louise Fitzgerald and her family.

Mrs. Leazar spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. T. C. Wylie at Ranger. Also visited her granddaughter, Mrs. Ben Williams, of Ft Worth.

### T B STAMPS CAMPAIGN

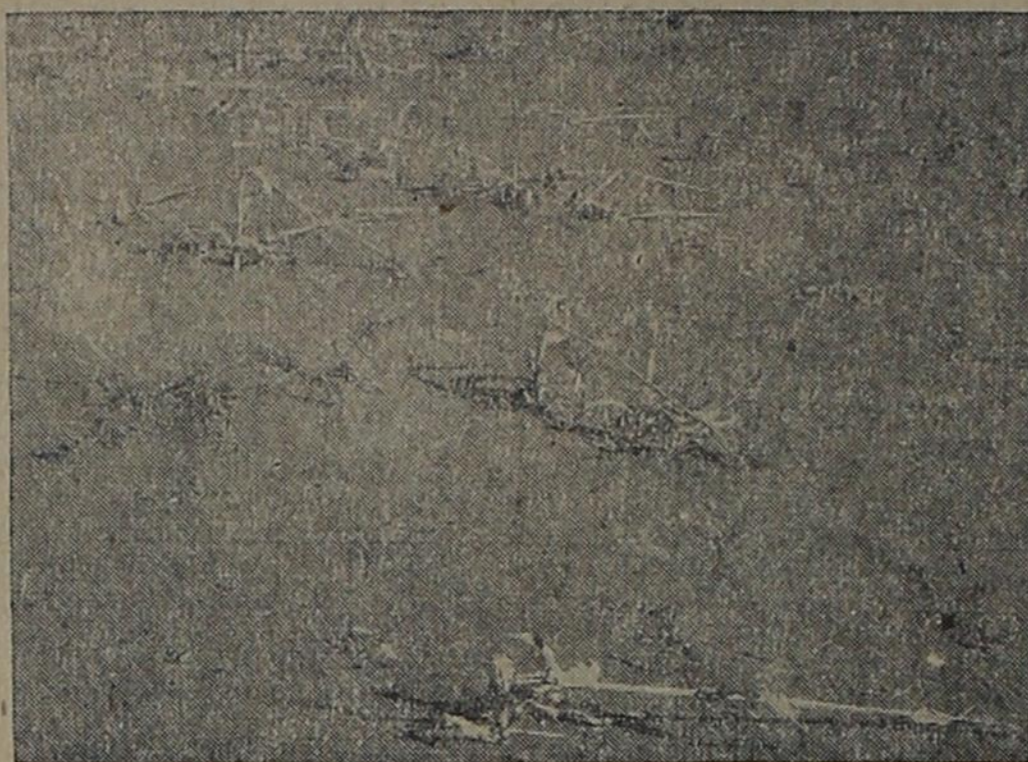
Tuberculosis each year costs the lives of more Texans than any other infectious disease.

While its death toll steadily is being reduced, its wanton waste of human happiness, economic security and community well-being remains a staggering burden to citizens of Texas. It can invade any home at any time.

Recognizing that the tuberculosis germ will never willingly surrender its human breeding ground, the Texas Tuberculosis Association and its affiliated or-

ganizations for almost half a century have waged an organized, consistent battle against this disease. Once each year they ask the public to support their efforts through the traditional sale of Christmas Seals by mail.

THEREFORE, I, as Governor of the State of Texas, do hereby designate the period of November 22 - December 25, 1954, as CHRISTMAS SEAL MONTH in Texas, and urge every citizen to aid this fight by buying and using Christmas Seals on all Yuletide mail.



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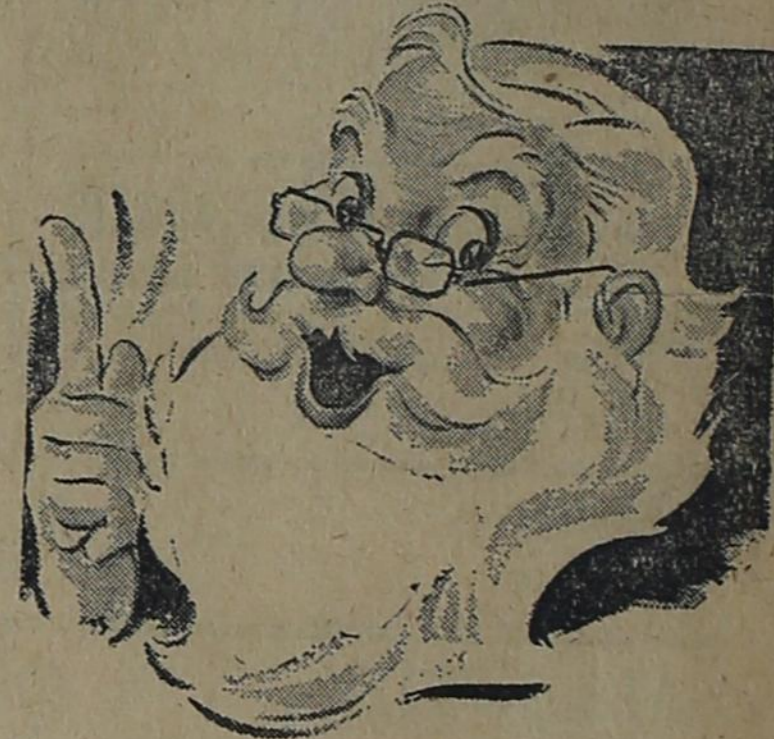


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