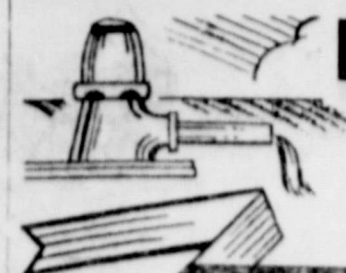
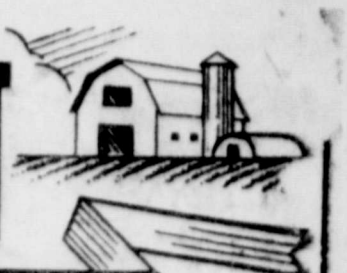


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Longhorns Start Basketball Work

The Lockney Longhorns have begun practice for the 1951-1952 basketball season which will open with the first district game on January 8. Coach Curtis Kelly and Coach Bill Birdwell have six lettermen back from the 1950-1951 squad which went to the district tournament as runner-up and defeated the district winners, Abernathy in one game.

Lettermen returning are John Kendall, forward, Barry Thompson, center, Don Bartram, forward, Doug Meriwether, guard, Bill Sherman, guard, and Orland Gilbert, guard. Other boys out who will see some action are Bobby Cross, Bobby Dorman, Joe Taylor, Roger Conner, Eddie Joe Foster, Jimmy Myers, Phillip Daniel, Jerry Bartram, Jimmy Scott, Jim Bob Reynolds, C. B. Smart, Teddy Carthel, Jimmy Williams.

Play First Game

The Longhorns will play their first game, a practice tilt, against the Floydada Whirlwinds on the local court Monday night of next week, November 26. The Longhornettes will also play as will the B string boys team. The B game will start at 6:30 p. m. with the girls game following.

WILEY GIVES TEAM WHIRLPOOL BATH

M. W. Wiley of the First National Bank, has presented a whirlpool bath to the athletic department of the Lockney High School, Coach Curtis Kelly said this week. The whirlpool bath is a device for treating injuries and the latest thing in that line. The whirling water, driven under pressure by a motor, heals injuries much quicker than any other method of treatment found. Kelly said. Cost of the bath was around \$400.

Coach Kelly expressed his appreciation and that of the school for the generous gift of Mr. Wiley's.

and A string boys teams following that. Admission of 25 cents and 50 cents will be charged.

The Longhornettes also have a number of last year's starters back and some new material to work on. Last year's players who are back include June Wiley, Elizabeth Handley, Audrine Rhine, Mary Jo Bonner, Rosemary McDonald, Sue Farish, Ann Cooper, Patsy Poteet, Pat Pylant, and Betty Johnson. Other girls who will be on the squad are (Continued on back page)

Legion Auxiliary To Be Organized Here

A meeting will be held at the American Legion home here Monday evening at 7:30 for the purpose of organizing a Legion Auxiliary, according to announcement this week by Mrs. June Bybee, chairman of the organizing committee.

Mrs. Dunn, president of the Lubbock district of the Legion Auxiliary, will be present to assist in the organization. Wives, mothers and sister of veterans are eligible for membership in the auxiliary, Mrs. Bybee said.

Montandon Resigns As Ag Instructor

F. L. Montandon has tendered his resignation as agriculture instructor in Lockney High School effective at mid-term, January 11, school officials said Wednesday. The School Board in a meeting Tuesday night, accepted the resignation and elected McLee Brewer in the place. Brewer has been instructor of the veteran's ag class here for the past year.

Mr. Montandon will farm in the Alken community next year, he said this week. He has been head of the agriculture department for several years and his boys have won numerous awards.

Brewer has bachelor of science and master of science degrees from Sam Houston State Teachers College at Huntsville.

Will Dismiss Thanksgiving

Schools will dismiss on Thursday and Friday for the Thanksgiving holidays and will resume school on Monday morning at 9 a. m. Supt. Sidney Reeves said.



CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING — Pictured here are Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Ford of Lockney who celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary at their home here on Sunday, November 11. A large number of friends called on the couple during the open house from 7:30 to 5 o'clock.

Abernathy And Denver City To Play Thursday

Abernathy, champion of District 3-A will play Denver City, champions of District 4-A, in the bi-district football game at Jones Stadium in Lubbock Thursday of this week starting at 1:30 p. m. The Abernathy Antelopes defeated the Lockney Longhorns to win the title of this district and Denver City, coached by a former Lockney coach, Wilson Head, defeated all opposition in that district to win. Most football prophets call the teams very evenly matched.

Quite a number of Lockney fans plan to attend the bi-district game if weather is fitting, it was indicated this week.

Canadian, winner of District 1-A, will play Dimmitt, winner of District 2-A at Buffalo Stadium in Canyon also Thursday. Time of this game has been set at 2 p. m. The winners of these two clashes will play for regional honors probably Friday of next week, site and time to be set later.

Up in region 1-AA the Shamrock Irish and the Phillips Blackhaws wound up the season in a tie and a flip of a coin decided that Shamrock would represent the district. The Irish will play the Tullis Hornets, champions of District 2-AA at Shamrock on Thursday of this week at 2:30 p. m.

In District 7-AA the Littlefield Wildcats upset the dope bucket by defeating the Brownfield Cubs in the last game of the season throwing the race into a three-way tie between those two teams and Levelland. By a vote of the district committee, Littlefield was chosen to represent that district. They will play the Kermit Yellowjackets Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock in Kermit.

Childress, winners in District 3-AA will play Quanah, district 4-AA champs at Childress on Thursday at 2:30 p. m.

Tahoka, champions of 6-AA will play Anson, 5-AA champs, at Anson Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Singing At City Auditorium Sunday

A number of out-of-the-county singers are expected to be present for the Fourth Sunday Singing at the City Auditorium in Lockney Sunday afternoon, according to Joe Reeves, president.

The singers meet from 2:30 to 4:30 and every one who loves to sing or to hear good singing is invited to attend.

Methodists Plan Financial Campaign

The Board of Stewards and Trustees of the First Methodist Church of Lockney met Sunday night for the purpose of planning a financial campaign for the new building planned by the members.

A committee to be known as the steering committee was appointed to work with the pastor, Rev. N. S. Daniel, in organizing the campaign. The committee is Leslie Floyd, Charlie Smith, C. L. Record, Art Barker Jr., and Oliver Holmes. Two other men, not members of the Board of Stewards or Trustees, will be added to the committee later.

Others present at the meeting were Clark Harris, E. E. Patterson, Paul Cooper, Henry Ford Jr., F. O. Schacht, Henry Schacht, B. E. Harris, J. J. Harris, and Lavon Johnson.

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THANKSGIVING SERVICE AT METHODIST CHURCH

A special Thanksgiving service for all people of the community is scheduled for Wednesday evening at 7:30 at the First Methodist Church. Rev. N. S. Daniel, pastor, will preach and special music will be presented during the program. This is an annual event in Lockney and everyone is invited to attend. Rev. Daniel said.

Public Invited To Hear Mahon

The public is invited to hear Congressman George Mahon here Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Mr. Mahon will attend the annual Rotary Night banquet of the Lockney Rotary Club starting at 7 o'clock and the group will go to the church auditorium at 8 so that the general public may hear Mr. Mahon.

J. D. Copeland, program chairman, announced that the program during the banquet would include musical numbers by Gene Trimble, director of the Lockney High School band. All Rotarians and their wives are expected to be present for this banquet.

Sophomores To Present Play

The Sophomore class of Lockney High are to present a comedy play, "Calling All Cars," Nov. 27 at the City Auditorium at 7:30 p. m.

The characters of the play are as follows:

Dr. Ted Wayland — Roy Johnson
Penny Nichols — Sharinne Strickland
Caleb Carr — Pattie Adams
Orvel Carr — Jimmy Myers
Constance Carr — Harlene Workman
Madeline Carr — Marie Meister
Fenella Carr — Sue Wofford
Ira Hooper — Bryan Golden
Arbella — Barbara Carthel
Butterfly Jackson — Betty Johnson
Flossie — Sandra Myers

Admission will be twenty-five and fifty cents. Mrs. Hershel Carthel is directing the play.

Ginn Is Named PMA Chairman

James C. Ginn of Cedar Hill was named County PMA Committee Chairman at a meeting of delegates to the county convention last Monday. Mr. Ginn succeeds G. B. Johnston Sr. of Lone Star who had served in that office for 13 years.

Other members of the county committee are Buck Sams of Lockney and W. F. Ferguson of the McCoy community. Mr. Sams is vice-chairman. Both men have served on the committee.

The delegates met at the PMA office in Floydada for the county convention and selection of the committee members for the coming year. Delegates were Jack Dollar, R. G. Dunlap and Raymond Williams.

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SCHOOL DISTRICT WILL VOTE ON \$250,000 BOND ISSUE



BOYD MEADOR

Lions District Gov. To Speak Here

Boyd Meador of McLean, district governor of the Lions Clubs of this area, will speak to the Lockney Lions Club on next Monday night, it was announced this week by club officials. At the same meeting club members and guests will be served barbecue venison secured by members of the club on a recent deer hunt. The meeting will be held at the Methodist Church here.

R. C. Mitchell, president of the local club, Tom Marr, treasurer and Udeil Cunningham, secretary, attended a zone meeting of Lions Clubs at Matador Tuesday night and heard Mr. Meador speak there.

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Methodists Hold Conference

The First Methodist Church of Lockney held its Second Quarterly Conference Sunday night at the close of the worship service with Rev. Marvin Boyd, district superintendent, officiating. Delegates and alternate delegates were elected to the Methodist District Conference to be held at Petersburg on Nov. 28, starting at 10 a. m. The conference will continue all day. Delegates and alternates elected were Charlie Smith, B. E. Harris, Lavon Johnson, C. L. Record, Clark Harris, J. J. Harris, Oliver Holmes, Henry Ford, Raymond Rucker and Ralph Thayer.

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The Board of Trustees of the Lockney School District will ask voters to approve a \$250,000 bond issue on January 12 for the purpose of constructing a new school building, it became known this week. Recent enormous growth in enrollment and the crowded conditions at the school buildings make a new building an absolute necessity, officials said.

The board has started work on preliminary details leading to the bond election and the issuing of the bonds. In fact, enrollment at the schools for the past 18 months have indicated that it would be necessary at some time to build additional buildings.

School officials say that the bond issue will not raise taxes. In fact only that part of the total bond issue that can be paid for with present tax rates and valuations will be issued. In other words, although the board will ask the voters to approve a \$250,000 bond issue, probably not more than \$125,000 of the bonds can and will be issued at this time. With this amount of money the board plans to build a 9-class room building to house the sixth, seventh and eighth grades. The building will also have an audio-visual room. It is in the grade school that crowded conditions are the worst and for the past two years it has been necessary to house one grade from that school at the high school building.

At some later date when the district's valuation will stand firm, the board may then issue the remainder of the bonds to build more needed buildings.

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Steel is the critical item in such a structure, it was said, and it is necessary that plans begin immediately so that steel may be secured when it is needed. Supt. Sidney Reeves said that he doubted if the building could be completed by next Sept. 1 but that the board hoped to have it completed by January of 1953. Location of the building has not been determined as yet. Negotiations have been underway for property in West Lockney but no agreement has been reached.

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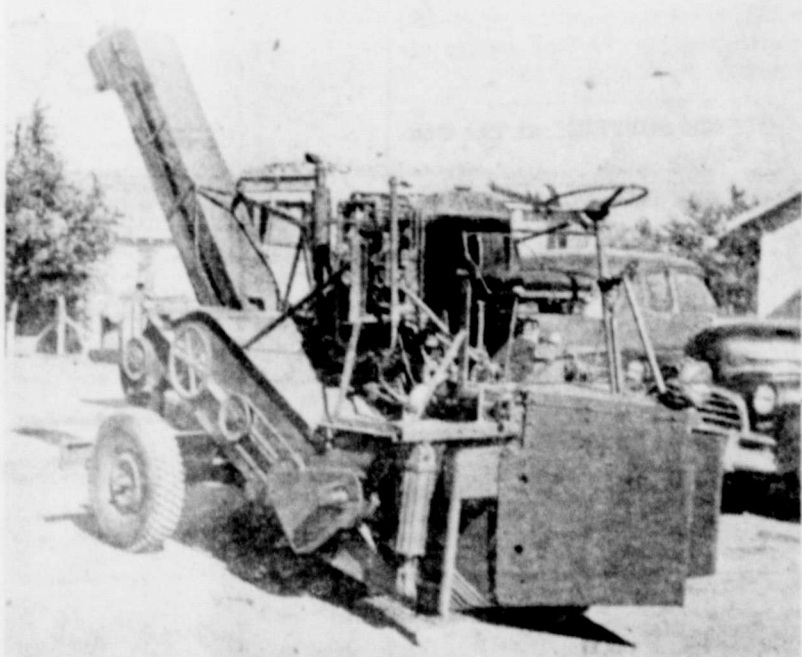
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GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

CASH MARKETS

Poultry	
Heavy Hens, 4 lbs. & over	21c
Light Hens, under 4 lbs.	19c
Cocks, pound	10c
Eggs, No. 1 dozen	65c
Turkeys	
Old Toms	28c
Old Hens	32c
Young Hens	35c
Young Tom	32c
Cream	
Butterfat, No. 1, pound	65c
Butterfat, No. 2, pound	62c
Hides	
Hides, No. 1, pound	10c
Grain	
Wheat, per bushel	\$2.31
Milo, per cwt.	\$2.35
Cotton	
March futures, N. Y. mkt	42.03



SELF-PROPELLED BOLL PULLER

Pete and Howard Mosley have recently built a unique machine to help in their farm work. It is pictured above, a self-propelled boll puller. The machine was built in a shop at the Howard Mosley home and was tried out on a patch of dry land cotton on the past week, pulling 5 bales in 4 hours on cotton making a half bale per acre. It worked fine and no bugs showed up in the first trial run, Pete said.

The machine has plenty of traction, Pete said, and is able to handle a 3 or 4 bale trailer. The trailer hooks on to the channel iron bumper seen at the back of the machine.

The boys started out with a conventional two-row Oliver boll puller and built from there. The engine is a 100-horse-power Ford.

ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS
Dip a cup full of flour, then empty it before measuring molasses to make every drop roll out easily.

Investigating Committee
A congressional investigating committee is a body that keeps minutes, wastes hours—and taxpayers' money.

ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS
There may be no skeletons in the administration's closet, but the Republicans are finding bones of contention.

ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS
Muffin pans make non-tipping containers for storing molded salads in your refrigerator.

You Bothered With "Obesity?" Time To Reduce

Austin. — "Obesity" is a clumsy word meaning hefty, overweight, or plain fat. Over 25,000,000 people in the United States are overweight. In Texas the number is probably close to 100,000, causing what State Health Officer George W. Cox calls "a significant public health problem."

Obesity, the doctor declares, brings on predisposition to diabetes and high blood pressure, and adversely affects arthritis. He says diabetes occurs two and one-half times as often in obese persons as it does in people of normal weight. High blood pressure occurs three times as often.

The answer to obesity? Reduce. But do it right, Dr. Cox cautions. This is what State Health Department nutritionists recommend as a good reducing diet:

A daily quart of skim milk or buttermilk, taken during or between meals. Milk is high in protein, minerals and vitamins, and helps prevent a hungry feeling.

One serving of lean meat each day, cooked without added fat. Eat liver frequently for its high nutritive value and low calorie count. Fish and poultry can be used for variety, if prepared by steaming, broiling, or baking to avoid excess fat.

One egg daily, preferably more. They can replace some of the lean meat, but be sure to cook them without fat.

Vegetables, the leafy, green, calorie-short type, should be used generously for their bulk, seasoned with vinegar, lemon juice, chopped onions, or sour pickles, rather than fatty oils. Cauliflower, carrots, and cabbage—both cooked and raw—are beneficial, too.

Citrus fruits and tomatoes are the best food in the fruit department for the heavyweight. Eat them unsweetened.

All cereals and bread should be of the whole grain, enriched variety. Three servings daily are safe, eaten without cream, sugar, butter or gravy.

Tea or coffee may be used as beverages, provided no sugar or cream is added. Skim milk could be used, however, and saccharin makes a good substitute sweetener.

Desserts, the doctor says, are O-U-T for the conscientious reducer.

Satisfied With Imitations

Wealth may not bring true happiness, but there are some folks who would be satisfied with good imitations.

ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS

Corduroy playclothes may be taken from the automatic dryer, smoothed out with the fingers and stored without ironing.

The record shows that Navy and Marine pilots accounted for 6,500 enemy troops in only 380 sorties during the Red spring offensive in Korea in 1951.

OFFICE SUPPLIES at The Beacon Office.

My Neighbors

By BILL PACESON



"The government has bought and stored three typewriters for each typist on the Federal payroll. Some Bureaucrat must be planning quite a harem!"

New Law Explained In Free Booklet

Austin. —Texas motorists were urged today by Public Safety Director Homer Garrison, Jr., to apply to any gasoline service station for a copy of the state's official leaflet about the new Motor Vehicle Safety Responsibility Law, which becomes effective on January 1.

"This leaflet was prepared," Director Garrison said, "to give automobile owners and operators the information they should have about this law before it goes into effect. It can be read in five minutes. I hope, of course, that all motorists will really study the facts that are set forth in the leaflet and will keep it in their car for future reference in case they have an accident and are confused about what to do."

Little Accomplished

It seems odd that so many folks can tell us so much about the future and yet do so little—past or present.

Stoerner Attends Division Reunion

Wilfred Stoerner attended the 33rd annual reunion of the 90th Division held this year at Oklahoma City in the Shirvin Hotel. World War I and World War II veterans attended.

The reunion began Friday at 10 a. m. with registration in the lobby of Shirvin Tower Hotel. Individual company dinners were held Friday night.

Saturday morning a memorial breakfast was held in memory of all those many men who lost their lives in the 90th Division. An inspiring address was given by General George B. Barth.

He spoke on "memories of Korea." He stressed the fact that our boys in Korea were totally unprepared for the first attack. Gen. Barth just returned from Korea two weeks ago. He stressed universal military training was the only solution. The honorable Howard B. Hopps gave a talk on 90th Division memorial. The business meeting included the location of 1952 reunion which will be held in Dallas, Texas.

At the annual banquet the following speakers were on the program: Governors Johnston Murry and Lt. General Raymond S. McLain and then a sight seeing tour of Oklahoma City was Sunday morning.

Stoerner served with the 357th infantry, G. Company, of the 90th Division, for four years. During his combat fighting he obtained the rank of a T-5. He is a veteran of the battles of Normandy, Falaise Gap, Mosel River, Sarr River, Siegfried Line, battle of the Bulge, second Moselle River, The Rhine crossing, Main, and Czechoslovakia. He was with the Hombree Division

in Czechoslovakia on V. E. Day. Stoerner enjoyed visiting and being with his veteran buddies. He flew by Pioneer Air lines to and from the reunion.

Members Of Cabinet
Perhaps Russia would be satisfied if America invited bassadors to set as members of the cabinet.

A man who can't collect bills would be a poor tax collector.

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Could Sherman Name It?
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WAS \$15.00 Per Year
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Going to do anything for poultry "colds"? Or are you content to "take your chances?" Be practical.

At first sign of sniffing or sneezing, reach for Dr. Salsbury's Ar-Sulfa. Put it in the drinking water; give birds fast, effective relief.

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Dear Lord, how can we thank Thee half enough
For all Thy gifts to us this fruitful year!
For spring's bright promise gloriously fulfilled
This harvest-time; for these that are more dear
Than bread assured: all the sweet joys of life—
Home, work, love, friends—that gild the passing days;
And children's laughter on the evening air—
For all, dear Lord, we give Thee grateful praise.

But most of all, O God, we thank Thee for
Our cherished heritage of freedom. Here
Where men walk safely, surely; speak and pray
As each one wills, and freely, without fear,
Lord make us strong to hold and spread this boon!
From our abundance help the weak to raise
Their hearts and come to share our brotherhood,
And join with us in songs of thanks and praise!

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ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS
Cool pumpkin custard before pouring into chilled, unbaked crust to prevent a soggy crust. Try making the crust with orange or pineapple juice for extra flavor.

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Sterley News

by Mrs. M. A. Boone
Mr. and Mrs. Leldon Simmons and children of Port Arthur and Alvis Simmons of Hutchins visited from Thursday until Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Leslie Cox.

Mrs. Melvin Raley of DeQueen, Ark. is visiting this week with her brother, Emmett Johnston.

The Fort Worth and Denver Railway has opened a night telegraph job at Sterley. J. L. Beverly of Estelline is occupying the position at the present.

A pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. Lester Rivers was given Thursday, Nov. 15, in the home of Mrs. B. F. Allen. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Those attending and sending gifts were Mmes. E. F. Rivers, W. E. Johnston, Wayne Fuller, V. E. Penix, E. T. Cox, M. A. Boone, B. A. Howell, A. H. Sulter, G. P. Nelson, Melvin Ross, L. C. Crader, B. F. Allen, Alvin Yarbrough and the honoree.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Johnston visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Ginn of Cedar Hill.

Visitors in the L. A. Claborn home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Otho Sanders and boys of South Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Wooten and baby daughter, Sidney Bain and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Shearer and Karen Lynn of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Goodson of Dericks, Okla. are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Rivers.

Mr. and Mrs. Albright and Sylvia of Plainview visited Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Howell.

My Neighbors

By BILL PAULSON


"If the politicians would dream up a 'control' to keep the high cost of politicians down... I'd go for THAT!"

Texas Second In Polio Fight

An eighteen day old baby girl—born in an iron lung herself—came down with bulbar polio.

A Livingston yell leader—cheered on a football game one night—died of polio three days later.

A prominent mother of three was attacked by the virus and lost the fight.

Although California led all other states in emergency equipment required during the year, the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis reported that Texas followed closely. By mid-October, the Lone Star State had received 62 life-giving respirators—shipped to hospitals by the March of Dimes organization.

As polio continued to take its toll in Texas, volunteer county officials of the NFIP—home from their regional pre-campaign planning meeting at Dallas—set gears in motion for the 1952 March of Dimes campaign.

"Commencing on January 2nd, 1952 instead of the traditional January 15th," Lloyd Gregory, state chairman, pointed out, "the

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

November 8, 1951
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Dear Editor:

Just a little note tonight to let you know that I have now started receiving my Beacon regularly and get a lot of enjoyment out of it.

Mail, as you know is about the number one morale builder among the fellows over here and next to a letter from home the hometown paper is tops.

I hear from several friends in and around Lockney so I keep pretty well posted on the news although its several days old by the time it reaches me.

Well Edgar, until I can put in my time over here and come back home keep the Beacon in the mail and I'll sure appreciate it.

Sincerely,
Pfc. Albert S. Golden Jr.
U. S. 54039159 Btry. B.
82nd AAA—AW—Bn. (SP)
APO 248, 5P. M.
San Francisco, Calif.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.



Now As Then

Today, as our forefathers did, we celebrate Thanksgiving with a deep appreciation for His generosity. But now, as then, we are faced with the necessity of carrying arms to protect ourselves from forces of darkness that threaten to smother the light of liberty. Yet, with faith in Him we are certain that liberty will conquer, as it did then.

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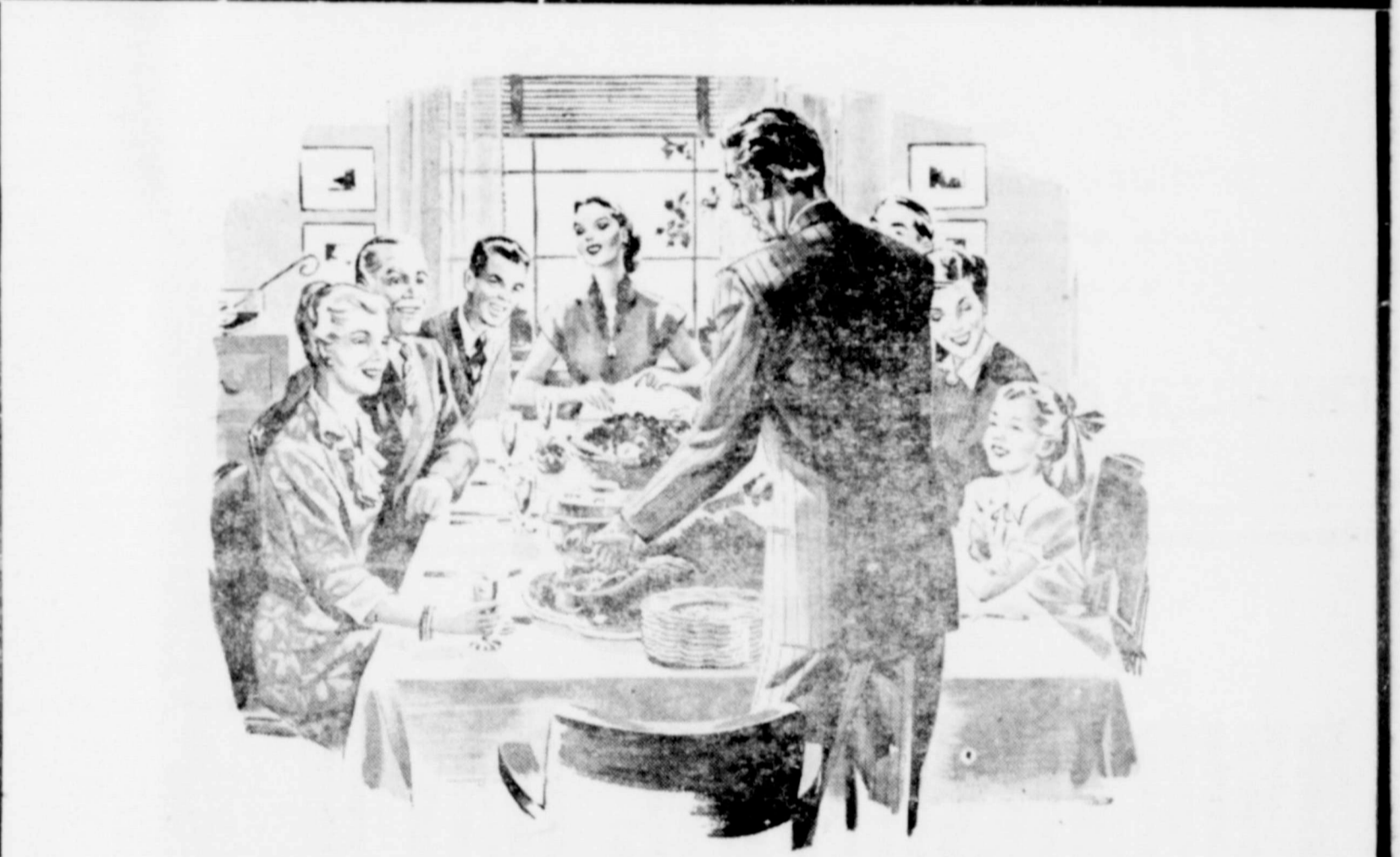
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WE PAUSE, in this year of our Lord, 1951, to follow that worthy example of Thanksgiving and praise set by our Pilgrim Fathers hundreds of years ago.

Certainly, we in our busy life should pause to give thanks and to worship the One who is responsible for all our blessings.

We are thankful also to you for your friendship and patronage. It means a great deal to us and we hope that we may be privileged to continue to serve you.

All The Boys at—
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Thanksgiving

THANKSGIVING is a time for family gatherings, for fun and fellowship and above all for the expressing of thanks to you — our neighbors and friends — and to Him who has given us such bountiful blessings this year.

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Society News

Thanksgiving Dinner Held

The annual Thanksgiving dinner given for the families of the Pollyanna Club was held Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Olson Allison. The home was decorated in Fall leaves and a large basket of fruit. After the turkey feast games of canasta followed.

Those present were Messers. and Mmes. Woodson Terrell and family, Warren Embree, Derrell Wood, Charlie Cross and Gerald, Albert Waldroupe, Lloyd Wofford and Nelson, Joe Parrish, Barney Manning, Charlie Cross and family, and the host and hostess.

El Progreso Study Club Meets

The El Progreso Study Club met in the home of Mrs. T. B. Mitchell with Mrs. Chester Mitchell as the hostess Wednesday.

Mrs. Ed Whitfill reviewed "The High Calling" by James Street and names were drawn for the Christmas party.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess to Mmes. I. A. Applewhite, G. M. Brunner, Hershel Carthel, E. J. Cobb, Dee Copeland, Leslie Ferguson, Edgar Hays, Bill Hod-el, Alice Mitchell, T. B. Mitchell, R. C. Mitchell, Frank Perkins, Guy Sams, Sid Thomas and Ed Whitfill.

W. M. U. Have Bible Study

The Women's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church met Monday evening, Nov. 19, at three o'clock at the church for Bible study. The Raymond Spence Circle Bible lesson was taught by Mrs. H. S. Calahan Sr. and Mrs. T. S. Fox of the Van Earl Hughes Circle taught their Bible lesson.

At the close of the meeting the ladies packed fruit boxes and took to the "shut-ins." The fruit was bought by the ladies of the church, Junior G. A.'s, and the R. A.'s.

Aiken W. M. S. Met Wednesday

The W. M. S. of the First Baptist Church of Aiken met at the church Wednesday, November 14.

After a short business session the group spent the day quilting a quilt for "The Children's Home" at Roundrock, Texas.

Those bringing a covered dish and enjoying the noon luncheon and quilting were: Mmes. Henry Moore, Lonnie Scott, Wiley Moore, Odie Dorman, Klyce Ooley, Bert Elam, Pete Adams and Lois Williams.

The next meeting is November 28, at 2:30 p. m. at the church. There will be Bible study with Mrs. Bill Snyder in charge of program.

W. S. C. S. Meets Monday Evening

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church met Monday evening in a regular session. Mrs. L. W. McCuiston opened the program with a brief business meeting. Mrs. Lura Stinebaugh, secretary of the Christian Social Relations, was in charge of the program which was on "Race Relations." Mrs. D. O. Alldredge brought the devotional on "Brotherly Love." Mrs. R. E. L. Stutts gave "The World and a Loaf of Bread." Mrs. W. H. Weathers discussed "Personality Comes Out of Personal Relationships." Mrs. R. E. Patterson told a very interesting story of "The Thread of Gold" and the program closed with the group saying the W. S. C. S. Benediction together.

The following members were present: Mmes. Lura Stinebaugh, R. E. L. Stutts, W. H. Weathers, R. E. Patterson, Tom Rankin, Mac Johnson, Hugh Counts, D. O. Alldredge, H. B. Sparkman, N. S. Daniel, W. L. Thomas, J. H. Hartman, Paul Cooper, W. B. Sandifer, C. J. Taylor, L. W. McCuiston, W. O. Stuart, F. L. Brown, Olive Myers, G. E. Tannahill and Miss Mildred Thomas.

Mrs. Charles Beedy Shower Honoree

Mrs. Charles Beedy, the former Shirley Cooper, was honored with a "come and go" bridal shower Friday, Nov. 16, from 3 to 5 p. m. in the parlor of the First Baptist Church.

The centerpiece for the table consisted of Fall flowers flanked with burning white candles. In the receiving line were the bride and groom's mothers, Mrs. Earl Cooper and Mrs. Bill Beedy; their grandmothers, Mrs. C. E. Finley and Mrs. W. B. Wilson, and the honoree, Mrs. Charles Beedy. Mrs. Edgar Hays registered the guests and Mmes. R. E. Patterson, W. B. Mullins, G. A. McClelland, and Brad Seale presided in the gift room. Mrs. Sid Thomas and Mrs. Guy Sams served the refreshments of cake and Russian tea.

The newly married couple received many beautiful gifts. In the house party were Mmes. Boyce Kennady, Floyd Barber, Edgar Hays, W. S. Rexrode, Brad Seale, W. B. Mullins, R. E. Patterson, L. L. Reece, Sid Thomas, W. A. Taylor, Guy Sams, G. A. McClelland, Leslie Ferguson, C. L. Record, Troy Ray, C. H. Rose, and Hilburn Casey.

What has become of all the disaster that was to befall this country when the national debt got three-quarters of its present size?

Sallye And Lola Cox Honored With Party

Mrs. Leslie Cox entertained for her daughter, Sallye, Wednesday, Nov. 14, on her twelfth birthday with a party in her spacious country home. The party was also given in honor of Mrs. Lola I. Cox by her former students who are now in the sixth grade.

After many games were played all the lovely gifts were opened the group then gathered around a beautiful birthday cake and sang "Happy Birthday" to the honoree. When everyone had finished eating the cake and drinking the punch they all gathered in the front yard and Aubrey, Sallye's brother, took pictures of the group.

Those present were Ann Hardin, Debra and Jonita Ferguson, Jean Wofford, Kay Golden, Hope Cox, Sandra Yarbrough, Charlyne Brown, Delores Brown, Gayle Rucker, Loy O'Brien, Judy Terrell, David Howell, Nelson Wofford, Kelly Harrison, Johnnie Hanst, Jerry Davis, Paul Schacht, Joe Larry and Steven McCray, Larry Hammit, Larry Yarbrough, Bobby Mills, Aubrey Cox, Joe Cox, Gail Chambers, and Mmes. Leslie Ferguson, A. D. Yarbrough, Lloyd McCray, E. T. Cox, Leslie Cox and the honoree, Sally and Mrs. Lola Cox.

Baptist W. M. U. Met Monday

The Women's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church met Monday morning, Nov. 12, at 10 o'clock in the church. Mrs. Sid Thomas, president, gave the welcome address and introduced the visitors, Mrs. Bert Black, Associational W. M. U. President of Crosbyton taught the "Book of Instruction" to the women of the Lockney and South Plains churches. Mrs. Edgar Hays sang "Satisfied With Jesus" for the special music and then the ladies enjoyed the covered-dish luncheon at noon.

Visitors from Crosbyton were Mmes. R. S. M. Carter and J. W. Grizzle. Mrs. Sim Reeves and Mrs. John Allen were visitors from South Plains. Approximately thirty ladies were present for this meeting.

SUNBEAMS MEET

The Sunbeams of the Baptist Church packed a basket Monday and took to Mrs. M. P. Fulkerson who is ill. They entertained her with a program of songs and scriptures.

The worst March wind we ever saw was telling about his golf score.

present which will not be in excess of one dollar. This is a "Ladies Party" and every member will surely want to come.

South Plains Home Demo. Club Meets

The South Plains Home Demonstration Club met on Wednesday, Nov. 14 at the home of Mrs. John Wilson. This was one of the most interesting meetings of the year. A book review was given by Mrs. Howard Drysdale of Dougherty. Mrs. Ruth Smitherman, president, presided over the meeting. After a short business meeting, Mrs. Drysdale gave a review of the book, "I Leap Over The Wall," which is a story of a lady who lived within convent walls for twenty-eight years. It was superbly given by Mrs. Drysdale and she dispelled many myths which people have had about convents.

At the close of the meeting a delicious refreshment plate was served by Mrs. Wilson with the assistance of Mrs. Menard Field and Mrs. Otho Sanders. Those attending the meeting were Mmes. John Smitherman, Grigsby Milton, Otho Sanders, Murray Jgilan, Zack Cummings, George Beedy, Ernest Smitherman, Horace Marble, Menard Field, Albert Stewart, George West, John Wilson and Mrs. Howard Drysdale.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Zack Cummings on Wednesday, Nov. 28. Mrs. George West announced that the Christmas party will be held Tuesday, December 11, at the West home. The party will begin at sundown and each lady is to bring a Christmas

REALLY CELEBRATES

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Brunner are really going to celebrate Thanksgiving this year. It happens that November 22, Thanksgiving Day, is also Mr. Brunner's birthday and the couple's 26th wedding anniversary. Naturally Brunner Lumber Company will be closed Thanksgiving. It isn't often that one gets to celebrate three holidays in one day.

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At Thanksgiving Time we want to stop long enough to remember that it is your kindness to us that adds to our blessings this year and while we are remembering you we also want to thank you for the privilege of serving you.

It is a real blessing to be permitted to live among and serve such fine people and we do appreciate it very much.

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Thanksgiving

Who has more to be thankful for than we who live in America? Who has been blessed more than the people of this nation? Let us all pause at this Thanksgiving time to express our thanks for every good thing.

And we extend our thanks to you for your favors of the past.

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FOR SALE — Several resident homes southwest Lockney, all see Frank Dodson. 12-tfc.

FOR SALE — 2 Ford Tractor tires in good shape. Some both for \$15.00. Floyd 1/2 mile West of Lockney on Hwy 70. 12-tfc.

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FOR SALE — 1 submergible pump setting on 168'. Call Shop in Lockney, O. 11-2tp.

FOR SALE — 1950 model Ford new tires, radio, heater, \$1275. Also 1950 2-door, good tires, radio, heater, seat covers, etc. Both in good shape. R. Harris. 10-tfc.

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Three Hurt In Wreck Sunday

Three Mexicans were injured Sunday about noon when their 1938 Chevrolet was struck head-on by a 1937 Ford driven by R. M. Dykes of Lockney. The accident occurred about three miles west of town on highway 70. Injured were Francisco Maldonado, Mrs. Matilde A. Rivera and Adan Rivera, a 13-year old boy. Deputy Sheriff Alton May who investigated the wreck said that Dykes had attempted to pass a truck and had moved over into the left hand lane going west when he met the other car driven by Maldonado going east. Dykes was charged with driving while intoxicated, second offense, following the accident. Officers reported that his drivers license was suspended last September for the same offense. He was put in jail at Floydada.

Maldonado, whose home is at Luling, Texas, suffered cuts about the head and face and a hand injury. Mrs. Rivera had a probable fracture of the leg and back. The boy had a bad leg bruise. Another boy suffered a bad bump on the head but officers were unable to secure his name.

Both cars were completely demolished and only the fact that the Mexican was driving slowly probably prevented several deaths, officers said.

Dwight Perkins To Get Commission

Dwight Perkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Perkins of Lockney, is scheduled to be commissioned an Ensign in the U. S. Naval reserve upon graduation from the Naval Officers Candidate School, Newport, R. I. on Friday of this week, November 23.

Dwight will be a specialist in marine engineering, the school reports. He is a graduate of Lockney High School and Texas Technological College.

This, the Navy's only officer candidate school, is designed to turn out 4,500 reserve officers yearly.

Specialists and staff officers, comprising about an eighth of the school's total enrollment, receive two months' indoctrination before earning their commission. After graduation, they undergo further training in their specialties or technical field.

Candidates must be college graduates and must meet rigid physical, mental and moral requirements.

Frank Daniel and daughter of Hereford and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Daniel and children of Olton visited their father, S. S. Daniel here Sunday in the home of Rev. and Mrs. N. S. Daniel. The elder Mr. Daniel was hurt in a fall last week but is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beall, Mr. and Mrs. Lee R. Vial, Mrs. Mary Jo Gibson, all of Amarillo spent Sunday here visiting Mrs. Vial's and Mr. Beall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beall.

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Dial System, Rate Raise At Floydada

Floydada will have a new modern \$300,000 dial telephone system, "equal to the world's best," if the Floydada city council approves the telephone company's request for an adjustment in local rates, J. C. Oakley, manager of Southwest Bell, announced last week. The new rate set-up was discussed with members of the city council and a date for a hearing was asked for.

"An increase in rates is necessary in Floydada to help offset losses on the company's operations here and to help justify going ahead with the new dial system," Oakley said.

In the face of the high price levels of materials, equipment, and labor in recent years, the manager said, the company has spent \$445,000 to extend and improve service facilities here.

"Actually, the Floydada telephone system is more than twice as large as at the beginning of 1946," he explained. There are now 1,580 telephones in service here, compared to 650 in January, 1946.

Four-Party Line Service

New rates required by the company for main service are \$9 a month for a business telephone, \$5 monthly for one-party residence service, \$4 for two-party service, and \$3.25 for a proposed four-party line service.

"We are glad to be able to offer dial service to Floydada. We are sure that our customers here will be pleased with the fast, dependable service they will receive from the new system," he added.

"The telephone company, of course, will be subject to any restrictions brought on by the international situation. But in any event, the dial system will be completed at the earliest possible date."

Oakley said Monday telephone service orders on file in the Floydada exchange at this time number about 50.

Income taxes may be unpleasant, but we know of no other tax that we'd like to pay in larger amounts.

Cotton And Trailer Stolen From Gin

A trailer with three bales of cotton on it was stolen from Paymaster Gin at Aiken late last Thursday afternoon. Officers have been unable to locate either the trailer or the cotton.

The cotton belonged to S. A. Bayley of Lockney and the trailer was borrowed from E. Wilson who lives near Petersburg. The trailer was valued at around \$500 and the cotton near \$600.

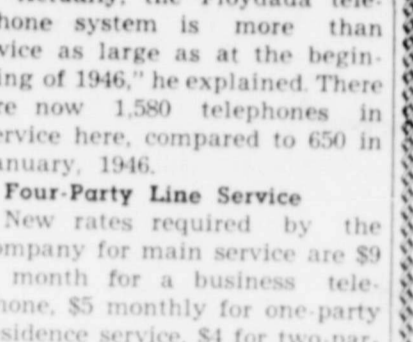
H. J. Moore, gin manager, said that he recalled seeing the green trailer being pulled from the yard by a bob-tailed truck late Thursday evening but he thought Bayley was moving the cotton to another gin or placing it in storage.

Fire on a cotton trailer on the S. J. Lewis farm just south of Lockney Tuesday afternoon destroyed the biggest part of two bales and damaged the trailer. The cotton was being pulled by a stripper and had just been loaded on a trailer to bring it to the gin when the fire was discovered. The Lockney Fire Department truck was called and extinguished the fire with water from the truck tank.

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TURKEY DAY!



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EDITORIAL

Enter into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise; be thankful unto him and bless his name.—Psalm 100:4.

As we do all other American holidays, most of us take Thanksgiving Day in our stride, using it as a holiday, a day of feasting or a day of entertaining forgetting the real significance of the day as it was meant at the time it was instituted. We ought, all of us, to stop and take thought, or to meditate upon the real meaning and purpose of Thanksgiving Day.

Of course the very name of the holiday tells what it was instituted for. It is a day of giving thanks. Perhaps there are many persons to whom we are thankful but above all we should be thankful to God. Has any nation ever been blessed as this one? Has any race of people ever enjoyed the privileges, the luxuries, the ease and comfort that our race enjoys? Of course not. Yet many of us go along our way, never thinking for an instance where the blessings come from or that they might be taken from us, never stopping to be thankful even in thought, abusing our privileges, enjoying our

luxuries and taking for granted our ease and comfort.

Is America better or worse for the blessings? Looking at one short generation in the history of this country, it is difficult to tell by human standards whether the country is better or worse. But, at the risk of being called a calamity howler, we would venture the opinion that it is worse. In times that we can remember, it was fashionable for a man to have some principles to live by. It was considered in good taste for a man to treat his neighbor decently and fair and most men tried to pattern their lives along high principles. Apparently that is no longer the case. Now it is considered smart to cheat if one can get away with it. And when a man is honest even when it hurts him, he is considered by most people to be a little queer. Are we to lose all our principles of "do unto others as you would have them do unto you," and adopt the one that says "do others before they do you."

Perhaps we could start the journey back to higher principles of living and more respect for our fellowmen by stopping at this Thanksgiving time to give thanks.

Speaking of blessings, does any other section of Texas have bountiful crops comparable to those in western Floyd County. We have been in other parts of the country and have talked to people who have been from Texarkana to El Paso and none have seen crops that will compare to ours. We have always contended that this area was the garden spot of Texas as far as farming goes—and that's pretty far.

County Agent Robert H. Gibson's estimate of 120,000 bales for Floyd County this year may seem high to some people now that the season is far along, but at the time he made it it sure looked like the entire country would turn to cotton. Now some are saying that the county won't gin more than 100,000 bales if that much—but who can tell how much cotton is being ginned out of the county? One gin in a neighboring county ginned 65 bales in one day from Floyd County. It won't take long for that kind of business to rob the county of 10,000 or 20,000 bales of cotton.

Let us remind you again that it is only 33 days until Christmas and taking off four Sundays leaves only 29 shopping days. If you have some Christmas mailing to do, do it early. And it will help to do your Christmas shopping early also.

OUR DEMOCRACY — by Mat

THANKSGIVING

IN GRATITUDE FOR BOUNTIFUL CROPS AFTER THEIR FIRST WINTER OF FAMINE, THE PILGRIMS HELD A FEAST OF THANKSGIVING IN NOVEMBER OF 1621



IT IS IN THAT SPIRIT OF GRATITUDE THAT WE SHOULD CELEBRATE THANKSGIVING TODAY — GRATITUDE FOR OUR MATERIAL WELL-BEING, BUT DEEPER GRATITUDE THAT THE RELIGIOUS SPIRIT AND SENSE OF PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY THE PILGRIMS ESTABLISHED IN AMERICA ARE STILL OURS TO ENJOY.



THEY ARE ALSO OURS TO MAINTAIN — SO THAT OUR CHILDREN, AND OUR CHILDREN'S CHILDREN, WILL ENJOY THOSE BLESSINGS — AND BE THANKFUL.

With Our EXCHANGES

THANKSGIVING

Does anybody know when Thanksgiving will be? A look at the calendar reveals there are five Thursdays in November. Gov. Allen Shivers has proclaimed the fourth Thursday as Thanksgiving, but most Texans think of Turkey Day as the day Texas University and Texas A. & M. meet in their annual gridiron battle—and that will be the fifth Thursday in November. One happy thought, however, is that after this year Texans won't have to wonder which Thursday in November they will observe as Thanksgiving as the new legislation which goes into effect next year places Thanksgiving on the last Thursday in November. That is, we won't have to worry until the legislature meets again and decides on another date. — Crosbyton Review.

SO MANY THINGS . . .

It won't be long now until Thanksgiving, a holiday which comes nearer slipping up on us today than any other holiday in the year. Time was when one could always depend on Thanksgiving being the last Thursday in November—but not any more. A few years ago, someone decided that when November's last Thursday fell late in the month, it didn't give enough time before the beginning of the Christmas season, so it was changed to the next to the last Thursday. Since, it usually takes proclamations from the mayor on up to the president to decide which of the last two Thursdays of November will be Thanksgiving. Even then, everyone doesn't al-

ways get together on the date. At least one state institution of higher learning, Thanksgiving has been made to coincide with the season's top football game. Whatever the date, Thanksgiving should be one of our most hallowed holidays. Many of us give time to making Christmas shopping lists, mailing greeting cards, and otherwise getting ready for the Yuletide season, yet can't seem to find time to reflect on our many blessings and prepare in a like manner for Thanksgiving. Not that there is any comparison between the two observances, but one of the things we might remember to be thankful for on Thanksgiving is the fact that we have such a holiday as Christmas. — Hockley County Herald.

WILL MUDDLE THROUGH

England has made her excursion down the road of Socialism. And found the going sticky. Now by what is described as a strong majority the leadership of the nation has been returned to the Tory leader and one of the world's greatest statesmen, Winston Churchill. It would be foolish to expect that the great war leader could lead Britain back to her former greatness; or could restore conditions of living to any resemblance of what they were before 12 years of war and post-war hardships. But this column thinks there is a strong man, and a sound political leader, at the head of His Majesty's government, and that England "will muddle through" once more. — Crosbyton Review.

Conception Of Equality

The average man's conception of equality is a state in which he will be considered an important citizen.

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Long Ago In Lockney

Items of interest from the file of The Lockney Beacon.

May 23, 1913

The Lockney School Board has elected a part of the faculty for the ensuing school year. They are Prof. E. C. Nix, Superintendent, and W. L. Vaughn, Principal. Other teachers have been elected but have not accepted as yet.

The Pearson Syndicate is putting down several large irrigation wells on their holdings a few miles south of town. There are now twenty-five wells in the Lockney country and it is the greatest irrigation district in the world.

The Commissioners' Court at its session last week discontinued the rabbit scalp bounty in Floyd County. The law has been a means of destroying many rabbits the past few months.

January 30, 1920

The Beacon wishes to announce that plans are maturing for the revival of the Lockney College and Bible School under the auspices of the Christian Church.

A deal was made this week between France Baker, majority stock holder and President of the First National Bank, and A. B. Brown of Amarillo whereby Mr. Brown is to be the new President of the bank. Mr. Brown was cashier in the State Bank here for three years before he moved to Amarillo. The Browns have many friends in Lockney. The Beacon wishes to welcome

them back to our community on behalf of all of their friends. Mr. Baker has not yet decided what he is going to do.

June 12, 1930

News has been received from Washington, D. C. re-appointing Homer Howard as postmaster of the Lockney postoffice for another term of four years. Howard is now serving his seventeenth year as postmaster of Lockney.

The infant son of Mrs. Ralph Wilson of Plains died Thursday night a few hours after it had been born. The funeral was held at the home of the child's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Wilson of South Plains. Burial interment followed in the new cemetery.

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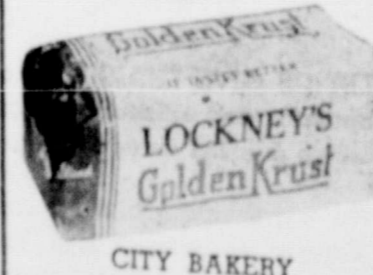
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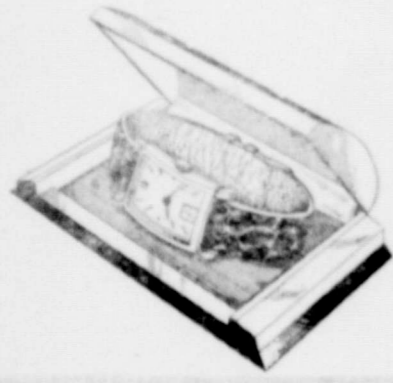
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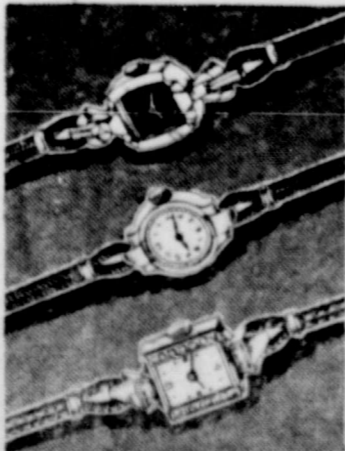
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Early Build-Up of Green Bugs Expected

College Station. — Small grain crops are not likely to be damaged by an early build-up of the greenbug population this fall—according to a report by Dr. R. L. Hanna, entomologist with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Stations, points out that the weather was extremely hot last summer, a condition which is unfavorable to greenbug survival.

Reports were made by the extension station and the U. S. Department of Agriculture between July 15 and September 1 on the information on summer greenbugs. Dr. Hanna reports that 425 field inspections were made in 71 counties. Several greenbugs were found on volunteer wheat at Smith, Floyd and Motley counties.

A less extensive survey in late October to determine the immediate danger of general greenbug infestation inspections were made in several most of them in the present Texas grain area. Very few greenbugs were found.

A heavy infestation of greenbugs should occur, particularly in the best areas available, says Dr. Hanna. These greenbugs proved to be most reliable ones in 10 counties conducted during the High Plains area.

High winds and low temperatures often make effective application of greenbug insecticides difficult. Dr. Hanna stresses and careful application of parathion and metadathion will kill up to 90 per cent of greenbugs.

Conditions continue to be favorable for greenbugs, the extension will build up again

after the insects are poisoned. The number of applications of poison that can be made depends on the margin of profit expected for the grain field.

Cerebral Palsy Clinic At Lubbock November 26

A clinic for the examination of cerebral palsied children will be held Monday, November 26, at the Cerebral Palsy Treatment Center, 3502 Avenue N, Lubbock.

Orthopedic specialists from Midland, Plainview and Lubbock, a neuropsychiatrist, pediatrician, eye specialists, and a dentist will be present to examine children.

Cerebral palsy is sometimes referred to as spastic paralysis or birth injury and may be evidenced by the child's inability to sit alone, stand alone, walk or hold objects at the age these things are accomplished by the average child. Research has shown that treatment is most effective if started within the first few months of the child's life although children respond to treatment begun at a much later age.

Parents planning to bring children to the clinic are requested to register the children at the Center prior to the date of the clinic. Information regarding the clinic may be obtained by writing Dr. Esther Snell, Director, or calling Lubbock 6541.

Production average for the 10 winning entries in the 1951 Texas Junior Dairy Production Program was 9,908 pounds of milk and 535 pounds of butterfat, mature equivalent. The average dairy cow in Texas produces slightly more than 3,100 pounds of milk and 137 pounds of butterfat per lactation, period.

OUR DEMOCRACY — by Mat

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Farmers Grow Castor Beans Economically

Austin. — Farmers in certain areas of Texas are growing castor beans as a commercial crop this year, in response to military demands for a grease used to lubricate jet engines. The grease is made from castor oil.

A report on Texas castor bean production was made by Stanley A. Arbingast, University of Texas assistant professor of resources and Bureau of Business Research assistant director.

"In addition to its familiar utilization in medicine, either the oil or one of its extracts is used in the manufacture of hydraulic fluids, leather preservatives, fly paper, fly oils, asphalt floor tile, electric insulating materials, lubricants, hair dressings, toilet creams, lacquers, soaps, rubber substitutes, sebacia acid for nylon manufacture, caulking and gasket compounds, sulfonated oils, and plastics of various types," Arbingast said. "It is also widely used in the textile industry as an agent in the dyeing of cottons."

Residue left after oil is extracted from the bean contains

ammonia, phosphoric acid and potash, and finds a ready market as a fertilizer. The hulls are approximately equal to barnyard manure in soil-building qualities, and agricultural agents are encouraging farmers to apply bean hulls to their land.

Plants have been installed at Brownwood and Stephenville, where the beans are hulled before shipment to Bayonne, New Jersey, or to Los Angeles, Calif., for further processing. Another hulling plant is located at Vernon.

ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS

Keep fruits and nuts for fruit-cake from sinking by warming them gently in the modern oven, then dredging in flour.

ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS

For fluffier biscuits and rolls of the ready-to-bake packaged varieties, dot with butter, and let them rise slightly before baking in your oven at 400 degrees.

Clean bulbs and reflectors add service to electric lights. Bulbs that turn dark should be replaced for they waste electricity.

There will be high prices as long as customers insist on paying them.

Army Speeds Handling Of Returned Veterans

Three hours from time of arrival at the reception station until departure for home is the schedule now in effect at the two Fourth Army reception stations set up at Fort Sam Houston and Fort Sill to process returning Korean veterans.

During this three-hour period the RCP's, as the Rotation Combat Personnel are called in Army lingo, are given a hot meal, their instructions, issued additional clothing, provided with pocket money and leave orders for their thirty-day stay at home.

According to Fourth Army headquarters at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, the veterans are being returned to the United States at the rate of approximately 30,000 per month and the new processing saves each man several days compared with the old procedure.

Heretofore, the Korean returnees were required to wait at West Coast ports—some times for three and four days, due to work backlogs — before their furlough orders could be prepared for them. This, naturally, caused delay for the veterans, who were anxious to get home for a 30-day rest after the rigors of the Korean battlefronts.

The soldiers coming back from Korea are met at the trains or planes by Army buses. They are whisked to the reception center. A hot meal is the "first order of the day." While they are being given orientation, provided with clothing, if necessary, and "fortified" with \$40 pocket money, their furlough orders are prepared. Then they are placed in buses and taken to spots in town closest to their transportation for home.

After 30 days, the Korean veterans are required to report back to the reception center for reassignment in the United States. No veteran is sent back to Korea, unless he volunteers. The new assignments are furnished by the Department of the Army and are all ready for them when they report back for duty.

Texas Feed Sales Show Increase

College Station. — A record tonnage of commercial feeds was sold in Texas during the past fiscal year, according to F. D. Brock, director of the Feed Control Service, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

From September 1, 1950 to August 31, 1951, an estimated 3,853,600 tons of feed were sold in Texas. This was an increase of 617,250 tons over 1949-50 and

525,600 tons more than was sold in 1942-43, the previous record year.

Although the exact tonnages sold for the various classes of livestock, poultry and so forth are not known, Brock said indications are that the largest increase occurred in the use of range feeds.

There are 888 active commercial feed firms doing business in Texas, 217 of which are located outside the state. These firms sell thousands of different feed formulations; several have registrations covering as many as 150 different products each.

These figures do not include farmers who are exempt under the law. Although farmers may process feed they grow, they are

not required to register or tag it. During 1950-51 the Feed Control Service sold 87,000,000 feed tags—each tag issued for an amount ranging from 5 to 125 pounds of feed.

Brock expects the tonnage of feed sold in Texas to decrease sharply during 1951-52 because of the large numbers of cattle now going to market. Sales of feed for poultry and swine probably will increase, Brock said.

A local woman says they have eaten so many fried chickens that they've taken the mattress off their beds and started roasting on the slats.

Man is the only animal that blushes, or has need to.

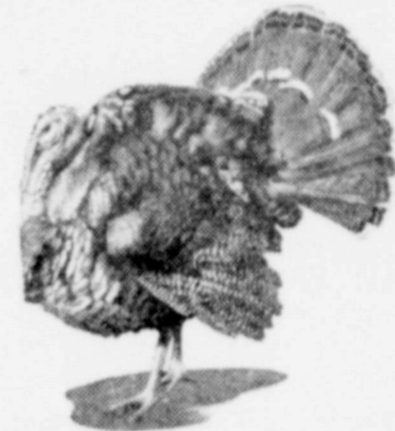


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THANKSGIVING VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dodson and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Counts of Lockney left Wednesday morning for Las Vegas, N. M., where they will spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. W. Killer, former residents of this city.

ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS

A blackboard hung on the kitchen wall makes a handy reminder service the whole family can use.

Excessive tidiness is said to indicate a mild form of insanity, for which most newspapermen are happily immune.

CANDY IS MADE

In a regular meeting of the Intermediate Girl's Auxiliary Monday evening at the church the Baptist girls who are members of this organization made a large amount of candy to send to the soldiers from this community.

Daily market news service covering the movement of Rio Grande Valley citrus and vegetable crops is available for the asking. It is mailed daily by the USDA's Production and Marketing Administration, fruit and vegetable branch, Weslaco, Texas.

Points On Dieting

(Prepared by the Texas Medical Association)

No reducing diet can do all things to all people. Your excess poundage may be due to such a vast combination of causes that undertaking a diet promiscuously may do more harm to your physical being than taking care of the poundage.

Through the years the scholars have carefully studied the needs of the human body and have set up certain standard, basic requirements. In time of illness some of the seven broad classes of food may have to be eliminated from the diet but these same ingredients are eliminated in time of health only at the risk of throwing the whole body out of kilter.

Eating the proper foods in servings that are just right for you does not guarantee you good health; but eating wrong foods or overeating the proper foods is practically always an invitation to illness.

Food is not all of life, though certainly it is an important part. The solids and liquids which make up the food you eat are vital to your health and welfare, not something to be whimsically abandoned with every food fad or cult that strikes you as being interesting.

Take the seven basic foods, for instance, and the importance they play in providing your body with the necessary vitamins and minerals. Not many people take the time or expend the effort to study those necessary ingredients and many of the names of the "things" in food just further confuse the general public; so unless you have made a special study of food and nutrition and can devise your own setup of food, you will do well to follow the advice of those who have made such studies.

Milk and milk products are included in the basic diet because they furnish fat, carbohydrates and proteins in a digestible form. All foods contain either fat, carbohydrates and proteins; those are the three big classifications of food. And milk not only contains all of them, but has them in a form that is easy for the body to use. Calcium and other minerals are also in milk products, vitamin I is especially high in cream, and riboflavin (a member of the vitamin B family) is also added to your diet by way of milk.

Cheese is part of the milk requirement, of course, and adults who need about a pint of milk a day, would count up, roughly, the amount of milk or cream or cheese which they have consumed in its natural state or in cooking. Children would use the same measure to see that they are getting a pint and a half to a quart of milk or milk products every day.

Fruits, tomatoes and raw cabbage are grouped in one class and one or the other should be served every day. Citrus fruits, tomatoes and raw cabbage supply vitamin C, the fruits that have yellow pulp supply vitamin A, and dried fruits are good sources of iron.

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grain bread, flour and cereals are important sources of iron, too, and these are energy foods which supply good amounts of protein. The usual recommendations include two slices of bread at every meal and one serving of whole grain cereal every day.

One serving daily of potatoes or sweet potatoes is included in the basic diet; sweet potatoes provide vitamin A and white potatoes, cooked in their skins, will give you iron, some of the Vitamin B complex, and vitamin C in addition to being a good energy food.

The leafy, the green and the yellow vegetables should be served at least once a day, frequently served raw since they have a higher vitamin content when raw. Dark green leaves give you iron, vitamin A, parts of vitamin B, vitamin C, and calcium along with other minerals. Other green and deep-yellow vegetables will supply you with vitamin A.


Meat, poultry, fish, eggs, legumes and nuts are those foods which provide protein, iron, phosphorus and other minerals, along with varying amounts of vitamin B. Eggs and liver are a

good source of vitamin A. Meat, poultry or fish are recommended every day, dried beans or peas twice a week, and four or more eggs should be eaten a week.

The food fats such as butter or fortified margarine are high energy foods and provide vitamin A; fish liver oils are rich also in vitamin D, which children require either through the fish oils, sunlight, fortified milk or capsules. Two or three level tablespoons of food fats, counting those used in cooking, are considered the daily requirements.

On such ingredients should the daily menus be used. Different parts of your "innards" need different parts of those feeds as listed, and need them every day to keep functioning properly. When any of these foods must be eliminated from the diet, it is usually necessary to take some "pill" which replaces that ingredient restoring the balance of the diet.

Mark window screens with pencilled notes on adhesive tape before removing for winter storage.



A HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

We wish for you and yours a happy Thanksgiving and know that you, like we, have many things to be thankful for. May all the joy of this season be yours.

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Three Lockney Students At Hardin-Simmons

Abilene. — Three students from Lockney are among those enrolled this fall at Hardin-Simmons University. They are Mary Zell Jones, freshman; Bobby Casey, senior; Jontha Lee Casey, freshman. Miss Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Jones, is a member of the Young Women's Auxiliary of the Women's Missionary Union and the Life Service Band, the volunteer Christian service organization on the campus. Bobby Lu and Jontha Lee are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Hillburn Casey of Lockney.

White Warns Of Pink Bollworm Damage

The general public should be deeply concerned about the spread of the pink bollworm in Texas. This perilous cotton insect has moved into 193 cotton counties in Texas. Most of these counties are lightly infested, but that is a big step toward a heavy infestation, according to John C. White, Commissioner of Agriculture.

The pink bollworm is one insect that cannot be handled by any type or kind of poison. It makes his way into the cotton boll through a hole too small to see with the naked eye, eats out the seeds, and destroys the yield. When his population gets built up real high, he causes the squares and the small bolls to shed also. One female may lay as many as 200 eggs which become adults in about 30 days. Thus, during a long growing season of the cotton plant, there are from 4 to 6 generations of this vicious cotton pest.

The way to fight this dangerous cotton insect is to destroy his place for passing the winter; thereby, keeping him from multiplying. The cotton plant, cottonseed, old cotton bolls, cotton trash in fields or at the gin are places he passes the winter. Therefore, farming practices that will shorten his breeding season, such as, early planting and early destruction of stalks, leaving no stubs nor volunteer plants, and deep plowing to cover wintering insects are effective ways to fight this insect. Our research and experimental institutions in agriculture have proved that these were effective and practical ways to fight not only pink bollworm, but other bad cotton insects as well.

COTTON QUIZ



HOW MUCH COTTON IS REQUIRED FOR THE INITIAL UNIFORM ISSUE OF EVERY RECRUIT ENTERING MILITARY SERVICE? APPROXIMATELY 1 1/2 LBS OF (30/7) COTTON ARE NEEDED FOR THE INITIAL CLOTHING ISSUE! THIS DOES NOT INCLUDE SUCH ITEMS AS BLANKETS, MATRESSES, SHEETS, & OTHER EQUIPMENT.

Bargain Rates On Daily Papers

The Beacon is authorized to offer special bargain rates on a number of daily newspapers at this time. The Amarillo Times is now \$4.00 per year for the daily and Sunday but the Beacon is authorized to offer a combination rate on both The Amarillo Times and The Beacon, one year both for \$5.00 for NEW subscriptions to the Times. The combination rate does not apply to renewal subscriptions. The Fort Worth Star Telegram is offering a bargain rate of \$13.95 for daily and Sunday on what may be a limited time offer. The Daily only rate is \$12.60. The Lubbock Avalanche is now \$12.95 per year for daily and Sunday or \$11.00 per year for the daily only. The Amarillo Daily News is \$13.00 per year for the daily and Sunday or \$10.00 per year for the daily only. The Wichita Falls Record News is now \$10.75 for the daily and Sunday and \$9.25 for daily only. You can save money by renewing your daily newspaper at The Beacon office. ttc.

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Sheppard Praises Local Parole Board

Austin. — Secretary of State John Ben Sheppard stated in a report to W. Edd Brown, Floydada, Chairman of the Floyd County Voluntary Parole Board that the Texas Voluntary Parole System is functioning economically and satisfactorily.

Sheppard reported that when he assumed the duties of Secretary of State in February 1950 there were 600 parolees unaccounted for in Texas. He commended the Texas Voluntary Parole Board members for their cooperation and assistance in enabling the Department to reduce the number of missing parolees to 60.

The Texas Voluntary Parole System, Sheppard stated, is a positive and constructive program designed to aid the parolee in becoming worthwhile citizens of the community. Parolees, he reported, are released from prison on recommendation by the Board of Pardons and Paroles to the Governor for the granting of clemency. After clemency has been granted, a parolee is under the supervision of Parole Board members until expiration of his sentence.

The Parole System, Sheppard reported, has proved to be a sound program as a method of progressive public protection. The Annual Report of Texas Board of Pardons and Paroles shows that in 1949 there were 11.6% parole violators. This figure was reduced to only 3.8% in 1950.

These men, the Secretary of State reported, are supervised at the very low cost of only 4 1/2 cents daily for each parolee while it costs the Texas Prison System \$2 cents daily for each inmate. This figure, he stated, does not take into consideration the amount spent by the State in caring for the dependents of those incarcerated. The Department of Public Welfare shows in their Audit Report for 1950 that \$212,426.27 was spent in aiding these families.

In comparing the costs of the Texas Volunteer Parole supervision with that of other states, the Secretary of State cited the fact

that the state of New York spends \$62 for each parolee yearly; Massachusetts \$54 yearly; Virginia \$60 yearly; Wisconsin \$34 yearly while Texas only spends \$15 yearly for each parolee.

Sheppard also praised the work of the members of the Voluntary Parole Board and cited several cases where through their efforts delinquent have been restored from the prison system to daily pursuits of everyday life.

Other members of the Floyd County Voluntary Parole Board are: Bert Bobbitt, member, Lockney; John Holmes, member, Lockney; Frank Perkins, member and secretary, Lockney; Lon M. Davis, member, Floydada.

Wayland Homecoming Set For December 14

Plainview. — The Student Government Association announces that December 14 will be Homecoming day for all former students of Wayland.

Plans are under way for a homecoming parade in which every academic club, all religious clubs, school departments, classes, dormitories and the administration are asked to have a float. Al Wilson, SGA vice-president who is in charge of arrangements for the day's festivities, urges that these organizations start very soon on plans for beautiful and outstanding floats.

In the parade also will be featured bands from this area. One of the highlights of the day will be a basketball game between the Pioneers and the University of Corpus Christi team. At some time during the day or evening the homecoming queen will be crowned.

In the afternoon the SGA will have a reception for all alumni of the college. There will also be a barbecue supper and a big bonfire and pep rally.

A salvo of shells from the cruiser Juneau near Chumunjin, Korea on June 29, 1950, announced the U. S. Navy's direct support of the UN war effort.

Fruit Trees Are Infested With Borers

Many fruit trees are badly infested with borers, especially peach, apricot and cherry trees, states Bob Gibson, County Agent. He said that the infestations of these borers can be easily recognized by the presence of a corky gaul like appearance of the tree trunk at or just below the ground line. These borers work into the tree at the ground line and destroy the growing tissue just under the bark. If this white sappy layer is destroyed completely around the tree it will kill the tree. Partial destruction causes limbs to die and a very poor fruit crop.

Every peach, plum, apricot, or cherry tree should be treated during the next two months even though the presence of the borers are not observed at first inspection.

To treat these trees clear the grass and weeds from around the tree trunk. Build up the soil around the tree well above where the worms are working, usually 8 to 10 inches high. Apply 1/2 pint of ethylene dichloride emulsion on the mound around the tree for mature trees. For trees 2 to

4 years of age use 1/4 pint per tree. Cover the liquid with a few shovels of dirt. This material can be applied any time after the leaves fall until early April. Best results will be obtained during late October and November. The mounds of dirt do not have to be removed.

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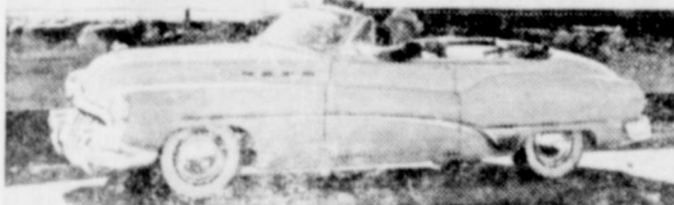
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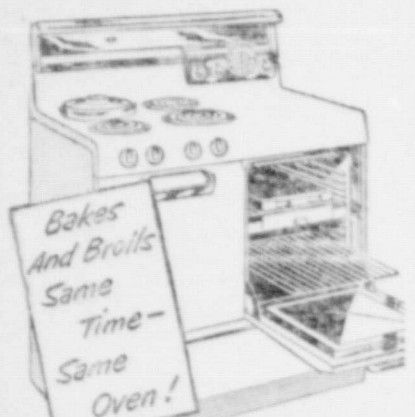
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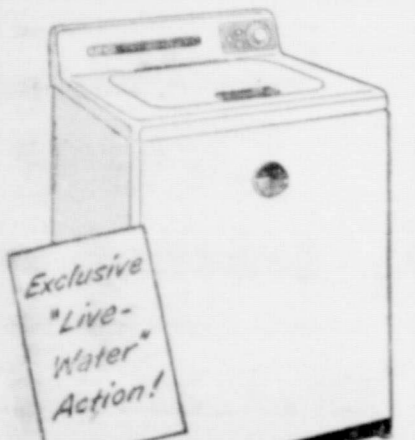
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Both the Lockney Drug and Powers Pharmacy will be closed Thursday according to announcement made Tuesday. Although some local stores are closing for the day the grocery stores will not close and service stations and machine shops will also remain open. Some dry goods stores will also remain open during the day.

NEW EGG

Denny Jackson, 5-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. David Jackson of Lockney has discovered a new kind of egg. One day this week he rushed into the house very excited and shouted for his mother. When she asked him what was the matter he said, "Look, I found some bubble gum eggs in the hen house."

Upon examination the find proved to be soft shell eggs.

College Students Home For Holidays

Many of the college students are returning home for the Thanksgiving holidays. Among the ones who are home from school are:

BAYLOR: Sid Thomas, Stanley Conner, Felecia Applewhite. TEXAS TECH: Joyce Carthel, Beth Kellison, Jerry Cooper, Delbert Shearer.

WEST TEXAS STATE COLLEGE: Velma Seale, Mary Louise Manning, Kay Norman, Betty Muncy, Ewell Dee Kelly.

McMURRY COLLEGE: Janice Thompson, Sam Danie!

HARDIN - SIMMONS: Mary Jones, Jontha Lee Casey, Bobbie Lou Casey.

LIPPERT'S BUSINESS COLLEGE: Wanda Kellison.

DRAUGHONS BUSINESS COLLEGE: Nelda Schaffner, Rosalie Matthews, Clara Schumann.

County Ginnings Pass 47,000 Mark

The County Agent, Bob Gibson, states that there has been 47,514 bales of cotton ginned in Floyd County to date, this being more than one-third of the estimated 120,000 bales for Floyd County.

The cotton harvest is in full swing almost all over the county. Many mechanical harvesters are being used the past few days, especially in the non-irrigated section of the county, although there is much of the cotton still being hand pulled in the irrigated section of the county.

All gins in the county are completely full up with many bales of cotton on the yards. Several farmers have cotton piled on the ground because they are unable to get it ginned off their trailers and trucks.

The high winds a few days ago damaged some cotton considerably, especially that of varieties other than stormproof, Mr. Gibson said.

Total ginnings at the four Lockney gins to Tuesday afternoon were 12,645 bales. The Paymaster gins at Alken had ginned 7,956 bales. A report on the Sterley gin was unavailable Tuesday.

Longhorns Start—

(Continued from page 1) Patsy Adams, Nell Cunyus, Nancy Holland, Pat Holland and Marie Meister. The Holland sisters are new here and have played considerable basketball but Coach Kelly said this week he had not determined whether or not they would be eligible to play in district games.

About 35 girls are out for basketball in all, many of them freshmen who are practicing in a separate squad.

The Longhorns will play in the same district as they did in football, playing Abernathy, Kress, Hale Center, Crosbyton while the girls will play the same teams with the exception of Hale Center who is not playing in this league. The Olton girls will replace them in district 3-A.

The boys and girls will play the same nights, Tuesday and Friday of each week, during the district play. The teams will play a home and home double round robin schedule.

Coach Kelly said this week that prospects were good for both boys and girls teams and that he was optimistic over their chances of winning honors this year.

The Longhornettes last year won the district title, defeating the tough Spur team in the finals, and went to the regional play-off at McLean where they lost. There are two girls leagues in Texas, one of them the Interscholastic League in which the local team plays, and the other the McCamey league in which teams such as Cotton Center, Dimmitt and others have been playing.

Most things a fellow waits for are not worth the delay.

Care Should Be Taken In Mailing Christmas Mail

Postmaster H. B. Machen this week urged the public to exercise care in mailing Christmas mail. Many times Christmas mail is lost or damaged because the sender was not careful in preparing or addressing it.

Here are some suggestions he made regarding Christmas mail:

Buy postage stamps in advance to save time.

Full and complete address should appear on all mail written plainly or preferably printed.

Greeting cards should be sent as first class mail in order to afford better and faster handling. Unsealed Christmas cards may be sent for 2 cents postage if weight does not exceed 2 ounces with the exception that cards measuring less than 4 inches long and 2 1/2 inches wide are charged 3 cents postage.

Christmas packages should be wrapped and packed carefully and strongly and tied with a strong cord. They must not be sealed unless they are addressed with a 4th class label. Parcels sent by air are limited to a maximum of 100 inches length and girth combined. Limit on the weight of 1st and 4th class matter sent as parcel post is 70 pounds.

Perishable matter likely to spoil within the time reasonably required for delivery are not acceptable for mailing.

Use of pre-cancelled stamps is another way to save time both for the sender and the postoffice. Mr. Machen said.

Ninety Parents Eat Lunch At School

The C. N. Townsend Elementary School in Lockney had parents visitation day last Friday and ninety parents ate lunch at the school lunch room. Principal Weldon Dodson reports. Many more than that number visited the various rooms and some of them brought good books for the room libraries, he said.

Some rooms presented programs for the parents during the afternoon.

School Gets Two New School Buses

The Lockney school district has two new school buses driven from the factory in Indiana last week by G. A. McAda and Leslie Ferguson. The buses are 48-passenger capacity with Wayne bodies on Ford chassis.

Supt. Sidney Reeves said this week that they would ease the transportation problem considerably. All buses operating for the Lockney schools have been crowded all this school year.

Hospital News

IN HOSPITAL:

Santos Martinez and baby Mrs. Whitey Baccus Joe Omar James Pinkston Adam Rivera Malleda Rivera.

DISMISSED:

Guy Carthel David Martinez J. C. Reeves Tomar Armenta Ragelio Molina Lagaro Villarreal Amloiea Ybarra and baby Louisa Sanchez and baby Alvasa Hernandez and baby.

Scout Troop 6 Elect Officers

Scout Troop 6 met at the School in the 7-A room day, November 14. The was called to order by Henderson, president. Officers were elected and follows: president, Mervyn; vice-president, Patsy; secretary, Floy Baxter; er, Carolyn Cunningham; porter, Margie Sechrist. Refreshments were served. The meeting was adjourned. Next meeting is to be in school room also.

Mrs. Ella Marr returned day from a weeks visit daughter, Mrs. Ed Sechrist Amarillo.

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South Plains

by Mrs. Murray Julian
There was a good crowd at church on Sunday morning, even if the weather was extremely cold. Rev. John Allen announced that our church would not have Wednesday evening services, Nov. 21, but that he hoped everyone would go to Floydada to the community-wide Thanksgiving services which are sponsored by the Ministerial Alliance of Floydada, and those services will be at the First Baptist Church at 7:30. Rev. T. B. Armstrong will preach the sermon, with other ministers having a part in the program.

Mrs. Arby Mulder and Catharine were ill Saturday and Sunday and were not able to attend church.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Morrow and son from Lubbock were guests of the J. B. Thames family over the week end. Mrs. Morrow will spend this week also, with her sister, Mrs. Thames.

The District W. M. U. meeting was held in Canyon last Thursday, and the all day meeting was enjoyed by all those who went. There were reports from all the chairmen of committees, and election of district officers was held. Those who went from here were Rev. and Mrs. John Allen, Mrs. Sim Reeves, and Mrs. Horace Marble.

We offer our sympathy to Mrs. Roy Childress, who received the sad news of the passing of her brother, Mr. Jim Casey, who lived at White Face. He passed away on Saturday, Nov. 10, and the funeral was held Nov. 13.

Rev. and Mrs. John Allen will spend a happy Thanksgiving in Fort Worth with Rev. Allen's mother and family, and Mrs. Allen's father, Mr. Hoeksema and family. They intend to leave on Tuesday. Rev. Allen has announced that Rev. Swanner, district missionary, will be guest speaker on Sunday evening, Nov. 25.

Mrs. R. C. Guest from near Levelland, and Mrs. Edsel Hutsell and baby were visiting their son and brother, Dick Guest on Friday of this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sim Reeves and Carol went to Turkey this past Sunday to see Mr. Reeves' sister, Mrs. Cole Boswell and family, and they spent the afternoon there.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beedy were visitors at the South Plains church Sunday morning, and they went home with Charles' mother, Mrs. Bill Beedy to spend the day with them.

Rev. C. A. Joiner was a Sunday afternoon guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Sims Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Sims are looking for their son, Dale, to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with them.

Carol Reeves is spending the Thanksgiving week at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sim Reeves. She arrived home on Friday so that she could be at the wedding of her brother, Robert,

who was married at Plainview Saturday, Nov. 17, to Janelle Hays. Carol is a student at the Seminary in Fort Worth.

Rev. C. A. Joiner's adult Sunday School class is planning a Thanksgiving dinner to be given on Nov. 29 at 6:30 in the evening at the school house. The adults of the community are all invited, and you will all have a wonderful evening, with Dr. Sewell, from Wayland College as the speaker for the event. Please get in touch with Mrs. Gilbert Bean, Mrs. Sim Reeves or Mrs. Bryant Higginbotham. If you wish to know what you are to bring, for the ladies are looking to you all for your help, and they wish everyone to come and enjoy the event.

Mrs. John K. West has been at the bedside of her cousin, Mary Ann Spangler, most of this past week. Mary Ann underwent an appendectomy Wednesday. While Mrs. West was with her, Winfred West was brought to the hospital with sprained legiments in his left hand, due to a fall while at school. We understand they are both much better at this time. Mary Ann's parents reside in North Carolina, and she is staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Garvin Beedy. Mrs. West and Mrs. Beedy are both looking after Mary Ann in the absence of her folks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smitherman, and Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Guest went to Silverton Thursday evening and visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hutsell.

Mrs. M. C. McCain arrived this past week end and will spend most of next week visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fred Fortenberry and family. She is from Tulla.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Galassini from La Veta, Colorado, and Mrs. Beth Cravens, who is from Cucharas Camp, Colorado, spent the afternoon and Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Stanforth, Jr. The Galassini's were enroute to Gainesville to take Mrs. Cravens home.

Eugene Beedy entertained a group of his friends on Sunday afternoon at his home. Winfred West, Kendis Julian, and James Higginbotham went home with him after church and spent the afternoon. The occasion was the twelfth birthday of Eugene.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Edmonds and children spent Saturday and Sunday in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Golden. Mrs. Ralph Childress went with the Edmonds as far as Happy, and visited her mother, Mrs. E. A. Franklin while they were in Amarillo.

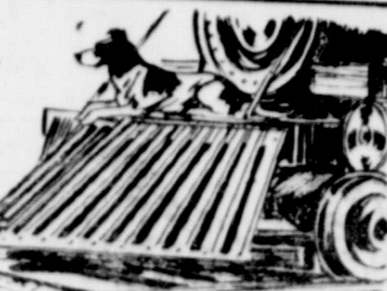
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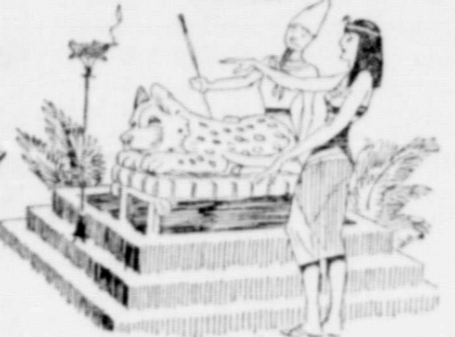
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Soil Conservation News

Thomas J. Hutchins, secretary of the local Production and Marketing Administration, Buck Sams and Clarence Ginn, members of the Floyd County PMA committee, Bob Gibson, County Agent and Ralph R. Cogdell, Work Unit Conservationist of the Floyd County District attended a day and a half meeting in Big Spring last week on the 1952 Agricultural Conservation Program. It was a joint meeting of PMA and Soil Conservation Service personnel from about forty-five counties in West Texas. Dr. Montgomery of the University of Texas gave a very interesting discussion of 'Peoples Relations With One Another.'

Claude Hammit, who operates his farm south of Lockney, has just completed another plot of bench leveling which will be seeded to grasses. Mr. Hammit, an old cooper with the Floyd County District, is well pleased with benches on rolling ground.

A. D. Schaffner, a cooper operating his farm East of Lockney, has completed a small tract of bench leveling on a trial basis. He has watered the benches one time. Mr. Schaffner now

sees the advantages of this type of irrigation and plans to level an additional plot.

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College Station. — Too many hens in the laying house can cause plenty of trouble during the winter season. Ventilation systems may be ineffective when the house is overpopulated and result in too much moisture in the air, damp litter, wet walls and generally unhealthy conditions. The poultryman who sells the extra pullets rather than overcrowds the laying house will be money ahead, says W. J. Moore, Extension poultry husbandman of Texas A. & M. College.

There is a definite relationship, he says between the floor space provided and the potential egg production of the hens. From three to four feet of floor space should be allowed for each bird in the well equipped poultry house. Where there is overcrowding, sufficient feeding space — at least six inches per hen — will not be available and hens

DASHING DENIMS



Blue denim has come a long way from the farm to this smart outfit. But the same old-fashioned blue denim is getting the full fashion treatment these days. Here, the heavy cotton is used by Sidran of Dallas in a dashing sundress, bolero, and jockey cap sports ensemble for vacation wear.

that don't get all the feed they need cannot produce at maximum levels.

The well equipped poultry house should contain at least one nest for each five hens, says Moore. Too many hens using the same nest will break more than enough eggs to pay for the extra nests, he adds. Be sure there is a supply of fresh, clean drinking water before the hens at all times. When the weather is cold, it is a good idea to warm the water, says Moore, before it is given to the hens. About five to eight gallons of water is needed each day for 100 hens and it will pay to put out fresh water at least twice per day.

Moore says it's the taking care of little items in poultry management that help keep egg production up during the season when egg prices are highest and this extra production may be the difference between financial success or failure for the poultryman.

Slide matching buttons on a large safety pin and clasp it. Saves time hunting them when needed.

**Tech Band Clinic
December 7-8**

Lubbock. — Tunes will be a dime a dozen Dec. 7-8 when 1,500 high school bandmen, each with a horn, meet for the ninth annual Texas Tech band clinic.

Musicians from 40 to 50 bands in Region I, II, and VIII, Texas Interscholastic League, are expected to participate in the two-day band clinic. The 1952 TIL contest music will be studied.

Dr. D. O. Wiley, director of the Tech band, and Joe Haddon, assistant director, have arranged instructions and facilities for an estimated 1,500 junior high, Class AA, AA-1, B, and C bandmen from the Panhandle, South Plains, West Central Texas, and West Texas which are expected to send representatives to the clinic. Dr. Wiley said 1,500

bandmen attended the 1950 clinic. He believes the clinic has grown as much as it can and keep its efficiency.

Both mornings of the two-day affair will be devoted to the study of contest music for the coming year by the bands of each class. In the afternoons, the Tech band will play the different TIL contest music for the five classes in the senior high auditorium.

The ninth annual clinic will use the Lubbock High School auditorium, the Tech band hall, and both junior high school auditoriums in Lubbock.

ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS

Make a good, easy mock Hollandaise sauce by adding lemon juice and paprika to mayonnaise and warming tenderly in top of a double boiler over a low flame.

Watch your expiration date.



A WORTHY EXAMPLE!

The Pilgrim Fathers set a worthy example in setting aside a day of Thanksgiving. We will do well to pause and also express our thanks for the many blessings and good things that have come to us.

We thank you for your many favors.

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On this truly American holiday we give thanks for the many blessings He has designed to deliver on us. We give thanks for the strength He has endowed us with, enabling us to preserve those liberties we have inherited. We thank Him for the rich fields and bustling factories that bring us great wealth and comfort. And we thank Him especially for revealing His truth to us, giving the greatest wealth of all.

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November 25 and 26
"Take Care
My Little C..."

with Jeanne Cr ...
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Predicts Prosperity For Farmers In 1952

College Station — In general, Texas farmers and ranchmen should have a prosperous year in 1952. In making this prediction, John G. McHaney, an Extension economist of Texas A. & M. College, points out that agricultural economists from over the nation have considered supply, demand and the cost of producing farm commodities in 1952 and have based the outlook on these findings.

McHaney adds that economic conditions within the state will have little effect on the 1952 outlook for Texas agriculture. The big influence will come from economic conditions within the nation and the world.

A powerful force behind the prediction, says McHaney, is our expanding defense program and an even bet for the continuation through 1952 of the cold war. There may or may not be full scale fighting or all out war, but free nations will continue to expand their defense programs against the threat of communism.

From the standpoint of supply, 1951 was near a record for total agricultural production and prospects for 1952 — weather permitting — should be another year of high production. With the outlook for large supplies of agricultural products, the prices received by farmers are expected to hold generally near the 1951 levels despite an expected strong demand. However, McHaney points out that an unfavorable growing season in 1952 would result in considerable upward pressure on prices, particularly in the second half of the year.

Demand for farm products is expected to continue strong during 1952 as employment and incomes rise. Larger defense expenditures are expected to push consumer income higher. McHaney says current plans call for defense spending by fall of 1952 at a rate of 65 billion dollars a year as compared with a rate of 41 billion for the third quarter of this year.

With few exceptions, prospects for exports of agricultural commodities in 1952 look very good. The rearmament program of the free world should make available additional foreign exchange and this should relieve dollar difficulties encountered since World War II by countries which normally are our customers.

The unfavorable side of the 1952 outlook for agriculture, says McHaney, are production costs, which continue to rise. Those in 1951 set a new record. Costs may average five per cent higher in 1952. Supplies of materials needed for production are expected to be sufficient to permit high farm production though some items will be relatively scarce, McHaney says. Prices of all important groups of items used in production are higher now than a year ago. Farmers and ranch-

men, adds McHaney, must also expect a moderate increase in farm wage rates in 1952.

The prospects for higher production costs in 1952 offers a challenge to all agricultural producers to cut costs and use more efficient methods of production. McHaney says producers should place orders now for goods and supplies needed for producing the 1952 crops and livestock.

Gross farm income may be five per cent higher in 1952 but will come from the expected increase in volume of sales rather than any increase in agricultural prices. However, McHaney adds, the increased cost of production which is virtually a certainty will offset the expected increase in gross income and the final results will be a net income for agriculture about equal to that for 1951.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ballard and boys of Hamilton, Texas visited in the home of Mr. Ballard's sister, Mrs. Jesse Harris and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Race of Fort Worth visited in the home of his brother, J. E. Race of Lockney, over the week end.

ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS

No longer limited to basement furnaces or small space heaters, modern automatic gas heating equipment can be installed in floors, walls, closets, or in attics, according to the Gas Appliance Manufacturers Association.

Methodist Notes

At this time our hearts and minds are turned to Thanksgiving Day. God has certainly blessed the people of Lockney and surrounding communities. There are sections in Texas where a state of emergency has been declared because of crop failure. You can ride for miles in some parts of the state and wonder what the people are going to live on. There are people all over the world that are hungry in body and soul. As we look at the wonderful crops here this fall, surely all of our people will give thanks unto God, and show Him our appreciation by the service we render. We can do this by attending church, by having prayer in our homes, by saying grace at the table, by sharing.

The people of our church made a Thanksgiving offering Sunday to share with others. This money goes for a special mission work to help our Church College and other good causes.

There was 191 at Church School Sunday. We hope each one present will be back and bring someone with you.

A splendid crowd was out Sunday night to hear Brother Boyd preach and hold our second quarterly conference.

Plans are being made for the building of our new sanctuary. May we all have a mind to work and a desire to give.

Thoughts For The Week

"We thank Thee, our Father, for the people who in the past

have helped us, and for those who help us now." Christians, do not forget the giver of blessings. Come to church Sunday. N. S. Daniel, Pastor.

ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS

A handful of hard candy added to hot cereals just before serving gives fresh flavor to old favorites.

Unfortunately, the man who loses his head always keeps his tongue.

OFFICE SUPPLIES at The Beacon Office.



HEAP MUCH THANKFUL!

Yes sir, we're heap much thankful to you for your goodness to us and for every blessing that has been ours. May you have a happy Thanksgiving.

U & I LAUNDRY
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ragle

THANKSGIVING!

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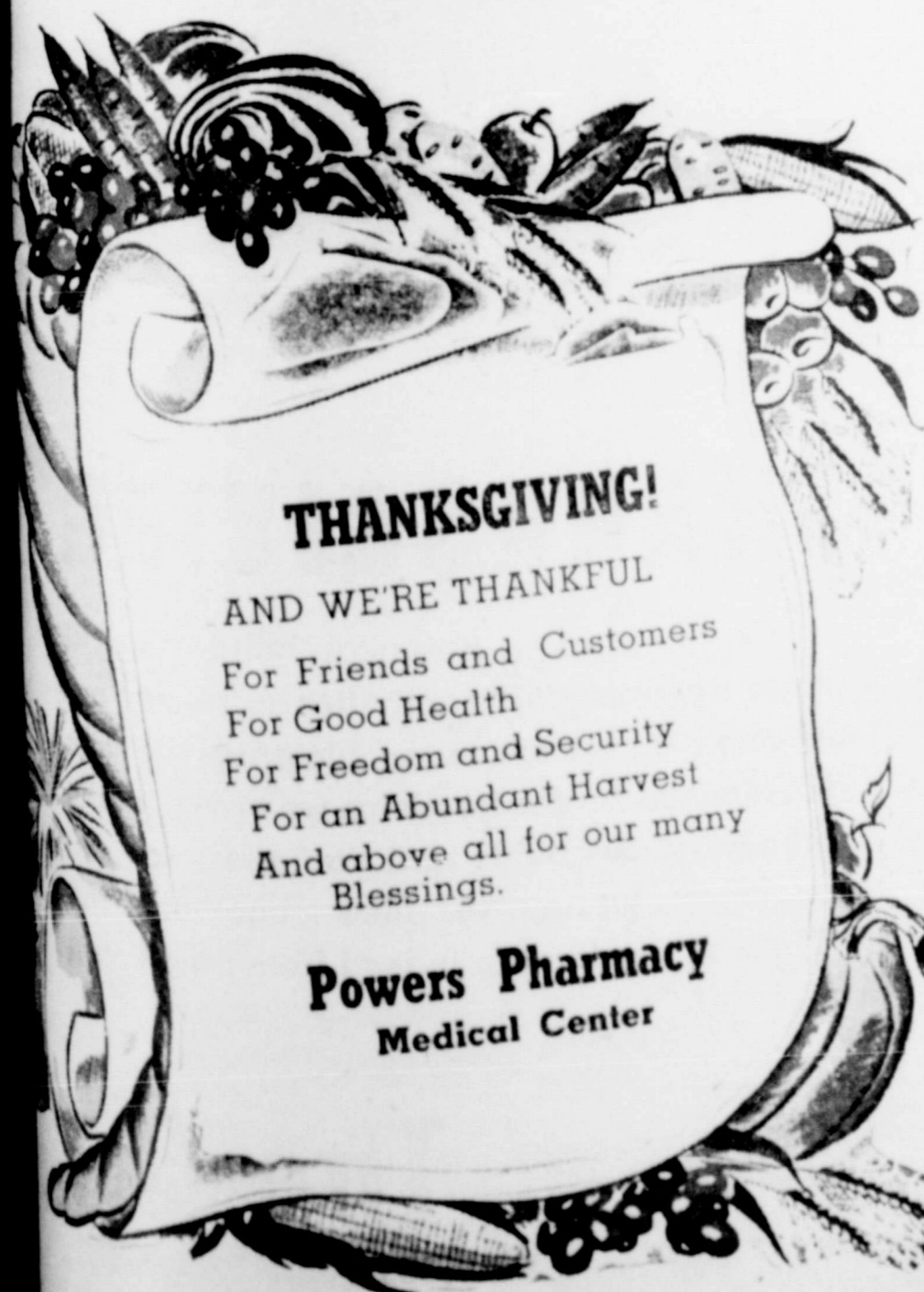
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THANKSGIVING!



For 330 years, since the first year after the original colonists landed at Plymouth Rock, Americans have paused following the harvest season to offer Thanksgiving for the benefits that have been theirs.

There have been lean years as well as those that were bountiful. Peace—the credo of all Christian men—has in some years been replaced by warfare and strife. But on every Thanksgiving occasion there has been much for which we—and our forefathers—could give thanks.

At this Thanksgiving season there will be those of us who will discount the riches and blessings that have been our lot. But now — as never before in history — humanity looks to the United States for Thanksgiving. And all our people can be thankful that we share our bounty with the peoples of other lands in the cause of a permanent peace.

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"THANK YOU"

I take this opportunity to thank my many friends for the get well cards, the beautiful flowers and the deeds of kindness shown us while I was in the hospital. May God bless each of you.

H. C. Griffiths and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Tueton and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Tueton visited Wilmer Tueton Sunday at Amarillo

GREERS SAY "THANKS"

We are deeply thankful for our good friends and neighbors for each kindness. To these many wonderful people we owe everlasting gratitude. May the good Lord bless and keep you always.

The Greers.

ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS

Remove the back pockets from blue jeans to use as knee pads and patches.

Providence News

By Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner

Lets be thankful for all our many blessings on Thanksgiving.

House guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Quebe last week were Mrs. Quebe's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Horton and children, Sussie and Jimmie. They formerly lived in Houston but are now on their way to Sacramento, Calif.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Boedeker Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kelm and son, Donald, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Zimmerman, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Boedeker and family.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Scheele Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sammann and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Faver, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson came to visit after lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sammann and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Scheele were in Slaton last Sunday. Mr. Scheele spoke on Mission advance at the American Lutheran Church. In the afternoon they were in Wilson. He spoke at the Lutheran Church there.

Week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Quebe and Mrs. Henry Sammann was Rev. and Mrs. Lee Roy Brandes and daughter, Marla Joy. Rev. Brandes preached mission festival services at St. Martins Lutheran Church both morning and afternoon. Mrs. Ben Brandes accompanied her son to Littlefield.

Supper guests in the home of Mrs. Henry Sammann Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Boedeker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sammann and family, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sammann and family, and Miss Clara Sammann.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brandes and Debra were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jackson of Petersburg.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brandes Monday were Mrs. Henry Sammann, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brandes and Debra, Rev. and Mrs. Lee Roy Brandes and Marla Joy, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner.

Trinity Lutheran Church

H. L. Anderson, Pastor

Oct. 21—Choir Rehearsal.

Oct. 22—Thanksgiving Service 10:30 a. m. The church will be beautifully decorated with the fruits of our harvest. Lets all come to this service.

Oct. 24—No confirmation instruction.

Oct. 26—Sunday School 10 a. m. Divine Worship 11 a. m. Divine Worship 7 p. m.

My Neighbors

By BILL PAULSON



"Creeping Socialism seems to cover more ground in an hour than my pocketbook can cover at a gallop in a week."

Luther League Meets

The Luther League of Trinity Lutheran Church of Providence met Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner were hosts and program chairmen. The meeting opened with the singing of "O Zion Haste" and was followed by Scripture reading, Matthew 28:18-20, by Wilfred Stoerner. The topic "Without Me, Nothing," was given by Mrs. Evalee Stoerner. "The first Thanksgiving" was given by Wilfred Stoerner and Mrs. Evalee Stoerner gave a quiz on the Lutheran Church. The Thanksgiving Prayer was given by Wilfred and the hymn, "America the Beautiful," completed the program.

Cecil Boedeker, president, opened the business meeting. The business on hand included a report on the Christmas float to be prepared for Santa Claus day at Plainview.

A special committee was appointed to prepare something for our league to do for the Lutheran Orphanage and the old folks home at Round Rock for Christmas. Rev. Lee Roy Brandes, pastor of Trinity Lutheran Church of Wichita Falls, gave an interesting report on the Lutheran Service centers recently dedicated at Wichita Falls. It is a "Christian's Home Away from Home" for our service men. The service center has gained wide recognition in Wichita Falls.

Officers for the coming year were elected. They are as follows: President, Miss Virginia Sammann, Vice-President, Cecil Boedeker, Treasurer, Miss Ruth Boedeker.

Various games were enjoyed by all. Delicious refreshments of hot chocolate, candy, sandwiches, fruit and holiday colored cup cakes were served to the following: Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Anderson, Rev. Lee Roy Brandes, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brandes, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Scheele, Cecil Boedeker, Robert Matthews, Er-

nie Boedeker, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Faver, Miss Clara Sammann, Miss Rosalee Matthews, Miss Virginia Sammann, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stoerner. New members: Misses Carolyn Jo Sammann, Dolores Sammann, Arlene Matthews, Virginia Sammann.

4-H Club Meets

The 4-H Club boys and girls met recently at Providence and elected officers for a new term. The officers for the girls are: President — Miss Arlene Matthews; Vice-Pres. — Alice Gene Baker; Sec. — Miss Margaret McNally. The officers elected by the boys are: Melton Sutton — President; L. Ray Crouch—Vice-Pres.; Garry Barker—Sec.

Farmers Income Up 37% This Year

Austin—Cash income for Texas farmers and ranchers in the first eight months of 1951 was 37 per cent higher than in the same period last year, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports.

Most impressive were cumulative gains in income from cattle sales—half again as large as in 1950—and income from cotton, cottonseed and wool production—all up more than 50 per cent over the preceding year.

Other commodities which yielded greater revenue during the first two-thirds of 1951 included mohair (up 41 per cent), hogs (up 36 per cent), sheep and lambs (up 12 per cent), poultry (up 44 per cent), eggs (up 45 per cent), and milk and milk products (up 10 per cent).

Except for cotton, cottonseed and grain sorghum, all commodities that registered year-to-year gains were animals or animal products. In general, vegetables, fruit and field crops fared worse this year than last.

Grain sorghum brought raisers twice as much income in 1951 as in 1950.

Incomes from wheat and oats, victims of widespread drought, were down 57 and 18 per cent, respectively. Revenue for rice, peanuts, fruit and vegetables dropped 15 per cent. Corn income declined only 2 per cent, but flaxseed growers were hard hit, netting only 5 per cent of the 1950 yield.

ONE-A-DAY HOME HINTS

Save many a misstep by painting the last step in the cellar bright orange.

Thanksgiving

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TIME OF THANKSGIVING!

This is the time that we all should pause to express our thanks and we take this method of saying "Thanks" to you for your patronage of the past.

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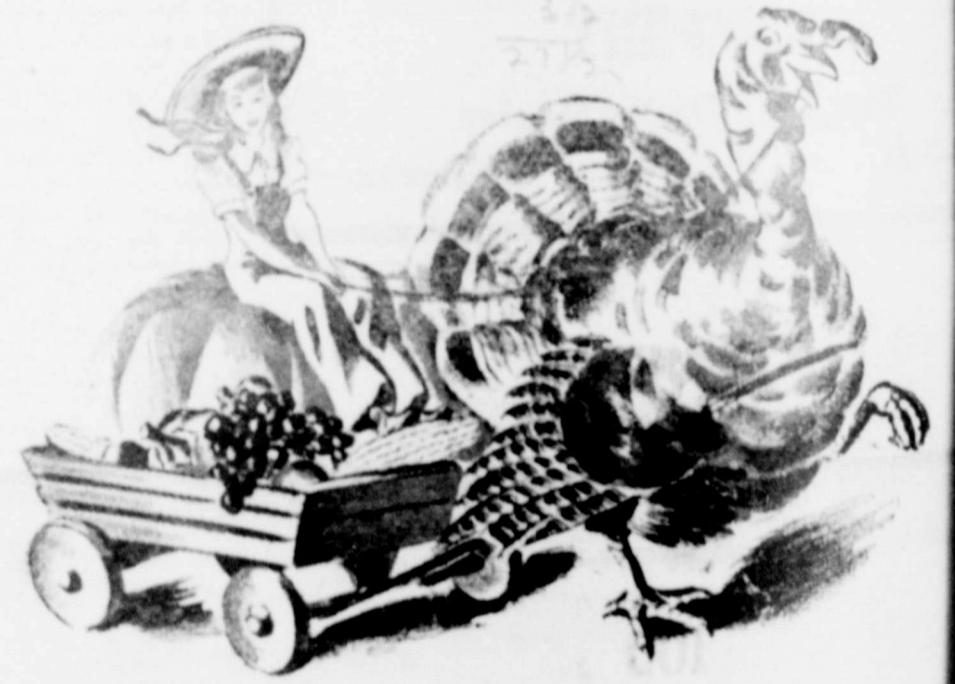
Thanksgiving



The Pilgrims of old set a worthy example for all America to follow on that memorable day many years ago when they paused in the midst of harvest to give thanks unto God.

Let us all follow that worthy example by pausing at this busy time to express our thanks to God and to each other. We are thankful for your friendship and the privilege of serving you.

FRANK PERKINS AGENCY
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THANKSGIVING

On this glorious American holiday we all pause from our daily activities to render our appreciation for the many blessings He has delivered us, for the freedoms we enjoy, for the richness of our fields and factories, for the promising future we face together. The "Thanks" we offer are indeed from deep in all our hearts.

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