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School League Enrollment By Director General

ENTRANCE FEE CHARGED FOR BASKETBALL; PICTURE MEMORY CONTEST IS NEW FEATURE.

Schools in Briscoe county which expect to compete in the University Inter-Scholastic League next spring are urged by Chas. R. E. Weaver, County Director General of the League, to enroll for membership, if they have not already done so.

Officers for conducting the county-wide contest have been elected, and those officers constitute a County Executive Committee which has charge of the competitions in this county. Under the constitution of the League, the County Executive Committee determines the time and place of the meet, secures judges for the various contests, arranges for fields and auditoriums, and in other ways promotes and manages the whole affair.

Banquet For Ladies Wednesday Evening

Lions Will Also Observe Its First Anniversary Night of Nov. 20 With Entertainment.

Preparations are under way for the ladies' night entertainment of the Lions club next Wednesday at 7:30 o'clock, Nov. 20, according to the special arrangement committee in charge. It is the first anniversary of the club, and the ladies have been invited to help in the commemoration.

Contract Is Made For Brick and Tile

The building committee of the Methodist church made a contract Tuesday morning with the Amarillo Mantle Brick & Tile company, through its manager, J. O. Jenkins, for all the brick and tile to be used in the new church building.

HUNTING PARTY LEFT

A hunting party left Silvertown Tuesday morning for the mountains of Old Mexico, to be gone about ten days. Messrs Troy Burson, Bud Alexander and Walter Lee Bain are the local nimrods who aspire to bag a deer.

Some of you left your tasks and put in two or three days when you could hardly afford the time. This is patriotism of part. It is a spirit of unselfish spirit of broadmindedness and aggressiveness.

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—W. M. GOURLEY

SEALE MOVED TO CHILDRESS OFFICE

Roy D. Kutch Succeeds Quittaque Manager of West Texas Utilities Co.

QUITTAQUE, TEXAS, Nov. 12.—Transfer of C. R. Seale, for past two years and a half manager of the Quitaque properties of West Texas Utilities Co., to the mercantile department of the Childress office, was announced the first of week by officials of the Utility Company. Roy D. Kutch, formerly with the Childress office, will succeed Mr. Seale here.

The new manager will take office here some time this month, according to Mr. Seale, who states that he expects to assume his Childress duties some time after November 15, probably remaining here until the relocation in connection with the broken down at the lower plant are completed.

Under Mr. Seale's management the business of the Quitaque office has undergone a notable increase, the necessary sales of the Quitaque Turkey offices having reached an unsurpassed except by community many times their size. Mr. Seale has been extremely active in the civic life of the community, serving as a member of the Chamber of Commerce and Lions Club.

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Production of Pork



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Geese and Ducks Destroying Grain

Louis Francis was in town Monday and reported a convention of wild ducks and geese out his way. He said these wild fowls had arrived in such numbers that they were destroying his grain in the field. Already several acres had been consumed, and he issued an invitation to hunters to come out and help thin out the marauders.

EDISON'S PROTEGE



Wilbur H. Huston of Seattle, Wash., the sixteen-year-old son of an Episcopal bishop, was declared the winner of the six-hour examination conducted under the auspices of Thomas A. Edison at the latter's laboratories at West Orange, N. J. The prize carried with it a scholarship with all expenses, at any technical school chosen by the winner. Young Huston said that he was interested in chemical engineering and chose to go with his scholarship to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Fuel Association In Operation Here

Direct Distribution of Fuels and Lubricating Oils Object of Organization.

Two large storage tanks for gas are being erected on a lot purchased by the Consumers Fuel Association, a recently organized cooperative, which has for its purpose dispensing of heating fuels, gasoline, and lubricating oils direct to members at a lower price than is obtained from regular dealers, according to R. F. Devin, secretary-treasurer of the association.

A warehouse has been completed on the site just north of the Farmers Elevator company, and gas pumps will be installed later. The association has over 100 members now, principally owners of tractors. A state charter was issued for 200 shares, and it is the aim to spread the shares out to 200 members. No deliveries are made, share-holders calling at the station for the desired product.

Officers are T. L. Strange, president; W. T. Graham, vice-president; R. F. Devin, secretary-treasurer; H. C. Mercer; S. R. Turner; R. M. Hill; W. T. Graham and T. L. Strange are directors.

The secretary of the association, Mr. Devin, is a former Silvertown citizen. He was principal of the high school year before last, and his wife was a teacher here at the same time. Both spent last winter in the University of Texas, where Mrs. Devin received her M. A. Degree. Mr. Devin was also installed superintendent of the Methodist Sunday-School last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kirk and family have moved into the Jewett house in West Silvertown.

School Athletics Get Support From Silvertown Lions

CLUB WILL SPONSOR ROARING SPRINGS GAME HERE NOV. 22; QUITTAQUE LIONS CHALLENGED FOR FOOTBALL MATCH.

Decision to sponsor the football game between Roaring Springs and the Silvertown Owls on the home ground on Nov. 22 and to issue a challenge to Quitaque for a football game between the two service clubs were points stressed in the luncheon meet of the Lions Tuesday noon.

The game with Roaring Springs will be the last game of the season played in Silvertown. In order to promote this form of school athletics, the Lions will work for a better spirit and a large crowd to supplement the low funds of the football department which is hard put to defray necessary expenses and pay for equipment used. Stores will be asked to close.

The same purpose is involved in seeking a game with the Quitaque Lions. A committee was appointed to arrange details of the encounter, date and place, if the Caprock club accepts the challenge. The proceeds derived on the part of Silvertown will go into the high school athletic fund. It was stated that such improvements as three tennis courts would be needed soon, and additional finances would work nicely toward raising the standard of the local athletics.

After a short discussion, although there was a division of opinion on the matter, the club expressed itself as favoring a farm agent to be employed by the commissioners court.

L. L. McAnaw pointed out that one of the objectives of the Lions was to get passable streets made to and around the new high school building, referring to the difficulty of visitors at the ball game Monday reaching the field in their cars. Scores were mired deeply in the mud, and one autoist was forced to plough deep ruts on the lawn of the building to get extricated. The street improvement suggestion was referred to the activities committee for action.

A. L. Kelsay, principal of the high school and athletic coach, was received as a new member.

Little Folks In Two Stage Casts

The young folks of the grammar school, including only the first and second grades, have prepared two stage presentations which the public should be glad to see and hear. The program will open in the auditorium of the high school at 7:30 p. m. Friday with "Tom Thumb Wedding", followed by "Red Riding Hood and the Bear." The little people are working hard on their parts. The life-like wedding and the adventure of the famous mythical character, Red Riding Hood, with the fairies will be a refreshing entertainment.

Prof. Younger, superintendent of the city schools of Tullia, came over Monday with the Tullia Hornets to witness their battle with the Silvertown Owls.

High School Starts Relic Department

Souvenir of Timber From White House After 112 Years Service Received by School.

Chas. R. E. Weaver, superintendent of the Silvertown Schools, has just obtained from the National Lumber Manufacturers Association, Washington, D. C., and interesting souvenir of historical interest in the form of a block of wood made from the timbers of the wood trusses which were removed from the roof of the White House at the time it was remodeled two years ago. The block will be preserved and kept as a permanent display at the school.

Mr. Weaver gives the following story of the history of these timbers, and an interesting description of events at the time they were installed in the Executive Mansion:

In 1814, after the Battle of Bladenburg, the British soldiers with their flaming torches, came thronging up Pennsylvania Avenue and burned the White House, the fire destroying the interior and seriously damaging some of the masonry. President Madison and his famous wife, Dolly, made a dramatic departure from the Executive Mansion, fleeing up Pennsylvania Avenue just ahead of the British.

Reconstruction was begun shortly after the fire, the new roof being held in place by sturdy wood trusses. Today these trusses, with their timbers in almost as good condition as when they were cut 112 years ago, are interesting as examples of early workmanship. The timbers, all hand sawn, are held together not only by mortising but with dowels and heavy wrought iron straps pounded out by hand.

When the old roof was removed it was found that there was practically no deterioration of material in any vital place in the massive main roof timber trusses and only the ends of the timbers forming the trusses over the north portico were damaged by powder post beetles. Builders of a century ago were not familiar with the use of preservatives to lengthen the life of the exposed wood and did not treat the material as would the builders of today.

It took about fifteen minutes with a sharp hand saw to cut through the top of a ten-by-ten that is 112 years old. It cut like oak and is in the pink of condition.

Miscellaneous pieces of the old lumber have been sold at auction and a number of patriotic and historical societies have purchased some of the larger pieces.

High School Had Program Nov. 11

Armistice was observed by the high school with an impromptu program Monday at 11 o'clock, after which a half-holiday was taken.

Supt. C. R. E. Weaver, Revs M. G. Brotherton and P. B. Henderlite, Bruce Burleson and O. R. Tipps had parts on the program. Judge Tipps gave the principal address, directing his remarks to the occasion of the nation's celebration of hostility cessation eleven years ago.

Briscoe County Ex-Service Men Enjoyed Banquet

BRUCE BURLESON NAMED POST COMMANDER; OFFICIAL ROSTER ELECTED BUT NO OTHER BUSINESS.

Following the annual custom of holding a banquet on Armistice night, the most appetizing feed imaginable was served by the Williams-Graves Post, American Legion organization of Silvertown, to the ex-service men of Briscoe county Monday night. The banquet was prepared and served by the Parent-Teachers Association in the home economics building with thirty-two legionnaires, ex-soldiers, ex-sailors, and guests present.

Immediately after the eating fete, officers were elected at the meeting cut short without mapping out a program for the next year, on account of the dramatic entertainment by the Happy Hour club billed for the hour in the auditorium of the high school.

In appreciation of the rare repair set by the ladies of the community, one of such superior class as seldom enjoyed outside of metropolitan hostelry dining rooms, enough donations were contributed by the banqueters to pay for the two turkeys baked for the occasion, the only food purchased by the association. The Post had arranged to pay for the plates at regular prices.

A radio was installed in the dining room by Bomar Drug Co. for music during the meal and for the broadcast Armistice program on the air from Washington, 7:30 to 8:30 o'clock, headlined by President Hoover and National Commander Bodenhamer of the American Legion, but adjournment at 7:30 prevented reception of the national event which was concluded by a cablegram from General John J. Pershing in Paris.

In departure from the meeting, the ex-service men observed a minute of silence in memory of the comrades who were mustered in but did not return.

R. B. Burleson was elected post commander; A. B. Buchanan, vice-post commander; Tom C. Bomar, adjutant and finance officer; Bland Burson, sergeant-at-arms; J. A. Neill, historian; and Marvin Brotherton, chaplain. Retiring officers were: Dr. O. T. Bundy, post commander; J. W. Casey, adjutant; and Jim Smylie, sergeant-at-arms.

Those answering the roll call were Clifford Allard, Roy Allard, Jim Baker, Tom Bomar, M. G. Brotherton, Fred Buchanan, Bruce Burleson, Bland Burson, O. T. Bundy, H. S. Crowe, Jeff Fry, W. M. Gourley, D. T. Northcutt, J. A. Neill, Alvin Reddin, Jim Smylie, O. R. Tipps; John Tidwell, T. R. Whiteside, C. R. E. Weaver, Guy Whitacre, W. C. Jackson; Beno King, Roy Leslie, Curtis King, E. B. Walker, Buell Hill; L. L. McAnaw, J. C. Pharr, R. P. Davis; P. B. Henderlite and J. O. Jenkins.

Marital Happiness Better in County

Marital happiness in homes of Briscoe county has a favorable showing in comparison to the whole State of Texas, according to figures furnished R. E. Douglas, county clerk, by the department of commerce at Washington. Also, a review of the records of divorces for the past two years reveals improved conditions in the county, a progress of 5 per cent in satisfied homes.

In Texas last year there were 76,340 marriages and 18,073 divorces, a 23 1-2 per cent in dissolution of homes. In Briscoe county in 1928 eighty-eight couples married and only seven were divorced, only 8 per cent going on the rocks of disagreement. The percentage of divorces to marriages in the county in 1927 was thirteen.

Girl Cracks Arm Playing Basketball

Bonnie Mae Walling, while playing basket ball last week, met with a painful accident when the bone in her right arm was cracked.

Sergeant York's Feat Is Reproduced



One of the main features of the annual carnival held at the War college in Washington was this reproduction of the great feat of Sgt. Alvin York who, with a small force of men rushed a machine gun nest at Chateau Chate-Hury, France, capturing four German officers and one hundred twenty-eight men.

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Know Texas

Natural (casinghead) gasoline is becoming one of the big industries of Texas with 1928 production valued at \$22,492,000.

Sixty-nine per cent of all Texas manufacturers is found in six counties—Jefferson, Harris, Dallas, Tarrant, Bexar and El Paso. The 4,065 plants listed in the 1927 Census Bureau report, employed 116,783 persons and produced \$1,206,79,962 worth of goods.

During 1928 the United States built 29,252 miles of improved highways. Texas led with 2,356 miles.

Limestone County leads Texas in the number of farms: the Census Bureau showing 6,755 in 1925. Texas leads the nation with 466,395 farms.

Texas is producing 256,000,000 barrels of oil annually valued at \$270,000,000. Oil manufactures bring the total value to nearly \$700,000,000 a year.

In 1900 Texas led the Southern states in public school expenditures, total \$4,465,000. In 1910 it led the South, total \$11,777,000. In 1926 (estimated) it still led the south, total \$65,128,019.

FRANCIS

Mrs. Johnnie Young Correspondent

Sunshine Club Met With Mrs. John Lee Francis

The Sunshine Club met in the home of Mrs. John Lee Francis on Thursday afternoon of last week with tight members and two visitors present. Despite the rainy weather, which prevailed, the afternoon was spent quilting, and a lovely handkerchief shower was given to Mrs. Carl Wimberly as this was her last week here. Mrs. Francis had for refreshments delicious home made cake, fruit salad and whipped cream. All partook an enjoyable time. The club will meet in the home of Mrs. P. D. Jasper on Thursday of next week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Dunn and family were bedtime guests in the Red Divinye home Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Redin and son Harley attended the play at the Silverton auditorium Monday night. Mr Redin also attended the American Legion banquet.

There was no school here Friday, owing to the bad weather.

Mesdames W. E. Redin, T. E. Rowell, W. N. Dunn, Johnnie Young and others have been marketing their turkeys this week.

Duck hunting is a very popular sport now.

Mrs. W. W. Martin is still at Plainview with her sister-in-law, who is not doing very well at this writing.

The school children are enjoying their new basket ball very much.

Mrs. U. D. Brown and little daughter, Avanel visited Mrs. Alvin Redin Sunday afternoon.

Grover Harris and sons, Philip and Jack visited his sister in the Plainview Sanitarium last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Young and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Strange Sunday afternoon.

Carl Wimberly was back in this

A Fall Romance



HAYLAKE Mrs. Mary McClendon Correspondent

Jno. Devenport and family and Mrs. Will Crowley of Wellington visited in the W. H. Newman home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Merrell of Quitaque were Sunday visitors in the Warren Merrell home.

Mrs. A. N. Askey of Silverton is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Brooks

Reginald Riddell and W. H. Brooks were Sunday visitors in the Raymond Lowery home.

John Yokum and family of Quitaque visited in the home of Chappell Yokum Sunday.

Parker Rampley was transacting business in Lockney last Wednesday.

Mrs. Bill Watters and daughters visited Mrs. W. H. Newman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Brooks and son were Sunday visitors in the A. T. Brooks home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin McCutchen visited Mr. and Mrs. T. C. McCutchen Sunday

Frank and Trudie Merrell and Glen Yokum visited in the Jno Wheelock home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Dudley visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer Welch Sunday. Iva Watters visited Jane Merrell Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Watters were Sunday visitors in the Warren Merrell home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brooks visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watters Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Freelan Bingham were Sunday afternoon visitors in the home of Mrs. J. C. Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McClendon were happy to have visit them Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Fowler and children of Silverton, E. H. Cornett and daughter, R. E. and son, J. D. and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. McClendon

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Welch visited Mrs. Welch's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Monday.

E. H. Cornett and family visited the Parker Rampley family Monday.

Mesdames J. C. Welch and Onar Cornett visited Mrs. Walter Watters Monday afternoon.

Mrs. J. H. McClendon had as visitors Monday Misses Maxine and Lena Watters, Helen Brooks and Jane Merrill.

community on business the first of the week.

Everybody remember the Plateau Singing Convention Sunday at the Silverton High School Auditorium.

Wanted a Short Cut

By JANE OSBORN (Copyright)

WHEN adverse circumstances made it necessary for Grandmother Auden to come back to the old Auden place in Millville with her granddaughter Laura, it was the grandmother whose spirits ran high while Laura was depressed.

"Just when most girls are having a good time I'll have to bury myself off in an old factory village. "Cheer up," said Grandmother Auden, a youthful young-old woman of sixty-five. "There are nice people. The Barringers—"

"Pooh," sniffed Laura. "Don't I know about the Barringers? It was old Mr. Tom Barringer that Uncle Harry had the quarrel with. I was introduced to that insufferable son of his, Tom Barringer, at a college dance. I told him that an uncle of mine had lived in Millville—that was enough. Mr. Barringer looked at me as if I were a scorpion at least, and never asked me for a single dance. I guess his father passed on his hatred of our family to his son along with his money when he died."

"Perhaps your Uncle Harry was partly to blame," suggested the grandmother.

"And," sputtered Laura, "I wish his highness, Tom Barringer, wouldn't cut across our property. Every morning, noon and night he walks across the end of our place to and from his old factory."

"Perhaps he doesn't realize that that field really is part of our grounds," suggested Grandmother Auden.

Two days later there were workmen on the old Auden place. They were driving stakes along the entire rear and side of the Auden property. Later it became evident that this series of stakes was to support a fence.

While this work was still in progress the unexpected—or at least unexpected to Laura—occurred. Claire Barringer called at the Auden place. Claire was Tom Barringer's elder sister.

"Those Audens are putting up a fence," her brother had announced. "I wanted to get out an injunction against them, but my lawyer says they've a perfect right to fence in their own property. Now be an angel and go over there and persuade them to leave a space for my short cut. It means precious minutes to me every day. If I can't cut through their place it will mean a good half-mile's distance to the factory."

"But you didn't want to have anything to do with those Audens," suggested Sister Claire.

"Of course I didn't, and I don't. But I can't let a family feud stand in the way of a necessary convenience. You can make it quite obvious that your call is merely on business."

So Claire had consented. She used tact and then persuasion, and finally begged Grandmother Auden to leave a gap in the fence for her brother to pass through.

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... who has been visiting here the past five weeks, to spend winter with relatives there. Mr. and Mrs. John Watkins of Briscoe County spent last week with their parents here, Mr. and Mrs. Watkins. They returned to their home in Briscoe County Friday.

FRANCIS Mrs. Johnnie Young Correspondent

This is Rev. Earl Cantwell's Sunday to preach here. Everyone has an invitation to attend.

Misses Pearl Martin, who has undergone an operation for appendicitis at the Plainview Sanitarium, had as her visitors Monday, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Dunn, Mesdames C. F. and Paul Joiner and Johnnie Young.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Stephens were callers in the Bryan Strange home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Redin and son, Harley motored to Canyon Saturday and from there to Plainview, where they spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Joiner of that city.

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FULL CREDIT FOR SUCCESS GIVEN FAIR DIRECTORS AND EXHIBITORS IN OPEN LETTER FROM MANAGER

To the Briscoe County Fair Association and Exhibitors:

To you go the major credit and praise for the great success of our County Fair an our County Exhibit at the State Fair. It was you who produced the products that were shown. It was you who brought them into our County Fair and assembled them in a most attractive and magnificent way. It was the pick of your products that went to the State Fair and made such a fine showing, viewed by thousands of that million visitors that passed through the State Fair gates this year.

Why did you do it? It was because you had a deep sense of pride in your community and in your county. It wasn't for the cash prize you received. For what you got in a remunerative way barely paid your actual expenses in getting these products together and bringing them in.

Some of you left your tasks at home, and put in two or three days work, when you could hardly afford to lose the time. This is patriotism on your part. It is a spirit of unselfishness. A spirit of broadmindedness and progressiveness.

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STATUS COUNTY AGENT EXPLAINED

Briscoe County is 16th on List of Applicants—States County Court Judge.

Briscoe County is sixteenth on the list of Texas counties making application for state and federal aid in the employment of a county agent, according to Judge O. R. Tipps.

In spite of the large number of applications, it is expected that all of the formalities will have been completed and that the county will have an agent, either county agent or home demonstration agent, employed by February or March, 1930, the county judge stated.

Sentiment throughout the county seems to be fairly well settled upon the employment of a county home demonstrator, said the judge. The territory situated on the Plains is unanimous in favor of the home demonstration agent, and around Quitaque local sentiment seems to favor her employment, although there is a strong sentiment here in favor of the county agent.

The necessary money to pay the county's share of the work has already been appropriated by the commissioners court, Judge Tipps stated.

EIGHT HUNDRED EIGHTY BALES GINNED IN WEEK

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, Nov. 12.—With a total of 3603 bales of cotton ginned by the four Quitaque gins to noon on Thursday of last week, 881 bales were ginned here during that past week. Cold and wet weather during last week delayed picking, the weather clearing the first of the present week. However, a wet norther which sprang up late Wednesday night has again made picking impossible and will help to string out the harvesting season.

Early fall plowing is expected to get under way within a short time in the Quitaque section, due to the early maturing of the cotton crop. On the Plains wheat growers are rejoicing in ample moisture to insure a good stand for the wheat crop, the greater part of which has already been planted.

Electra—Cleanup campaign in conjunction with Fire Prevention Week recently held here.

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Home Canning Made Easy

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9 CANNING POINTS

1. Have all equipment in readiness before canning is started.

2. Pack products in jars or cans that will seal air tight. Spoilage in canned foods is frequently due to imperfect containers.

3. Pressure cookers are helpful in the canning of meat and all non-acid vegetables. The high pressure obtainable kills all spores, thus assuring perfect sterilization. Pressure cookers also save time and fuel.

4. If you live in the South, or in very high altitudes, or in the west coast states, get the time-tables for canning recommended by your state college. In these sections it is recommended not to use hot water for the canning of vegetables and meats but the pressure cooker.

5. For exhibit and contest purposes always use glass jars.

6. Empty space in a jar will not lessen the keeping qualities of the food, but it detracts from the appearance and is a waste of jar space. However, if a glass jar has lost liquid during processing, do not open to re-fill.

7. To can fruit juices pasteurize for from 25 to 30 minutes at 180 to 170 degrees. Boiling fruit juice destroys the flavor.

8. Canning does not change poor products into good products so use good products to put into jars. And do not spoil good products by half-way methods of canning. Use the quickest, safest, and most efficient method of canning, which is the pressure cooker method.

9. Before storing canned products away in a cool dry airy place for winter use keep the jars under observation at room temperature for at least one week.

Alpine—Bids will be opened on new building for Sul Ross State Teachers College about December 1st.

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It pays to grind and mix your own feed, as the farmer may turn waste feed into profit, according to the Tull & Crass Implement company. For this purpose they are handling the W-W Hammer type feed grinder which is reputed to grind everything from the ground up at lowest cost. It turns fodder, ear or snapped corn, maize heads, barley, oats; bundle feed and all other grain or roughage into feed of a third more value, is the claim.

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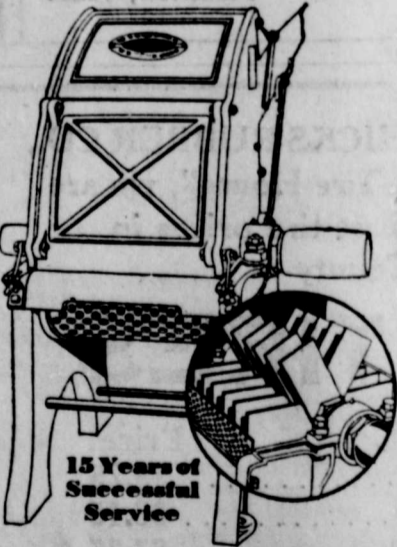
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Silverton Aggies Form Seed Club

The Silverton agriculture boys met November 8th and reorganized the Silverton Aggie Boys Pure Seed Club. The following were elected as officers: Carroll Garrison, president; Cecil Vaughn, vice-president; Warner Grabbe, secretary; Norman Brown, treasurer; and H. P. Ledbetter, Clinton Brown and R. D. Wheelock were elected as directors for the organization.

The following objectives were set up for the boys to work on this year: Every member must secure and plant pure seed of one of the following crops: grain sorghums, wheat, oats; barley; cotton; corn; sweet sorghums, sudan grass, alfalfa and sweet clover.

It will also be each boy's duty to encourage adult farmers to use nothing but pure seed on their farms. To keep their seed from mixing with impure seed. To do some work in certifying seed, that is, to bag heads and rogue out all off-type heads. To run a germination test on the seed each year. The members of the club must make an effort to cooperate with other members of the club in selling seed cooperatively. The directors will meet the second and fourth Monday of every month at 3:15 p. m. The purpose of these meetings is to help carry out the objectives set up by the club.

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Alpine—Paving of streets around courthouse grounds ordered and \$10,250 worth of road machinery to be used on county roads will be purchased.



Packing Chicken in Jars.



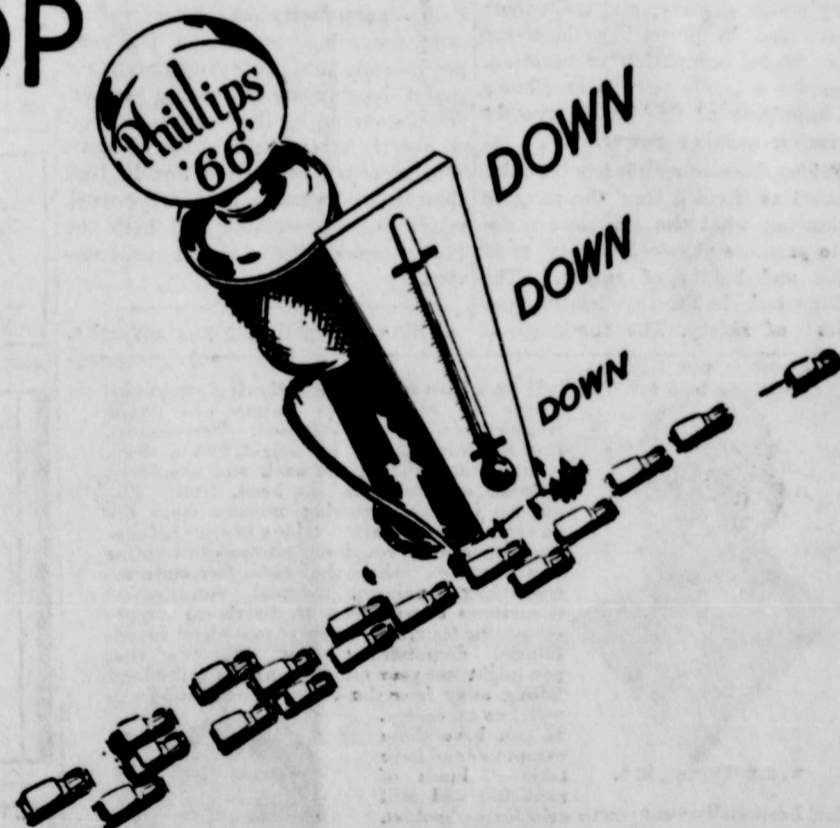
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**NATIONAL EDUCATIONAL ASSOC'N.
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EDUCATION WEEK NOVEMBER 11-17**

American Education Week, sponsored each year by the National Education Association of the United States and The American Legion, is being observed this year during week of November 11 to 17, according to an announcement by Department Commander, Ernest C. Cox. Legion posts throughout the country should provide speakers and otherwise aid educational authorities in making the movement a success again this year, he said.

"The purpose of American Education week", the commander said, "is to direct public attention to the schools and to acquaint the public with the work of the schools, with their ideals, achievements and needs. This week is observed every year during the week which includes Armistice Day. A vital theme of education is emphasized on each day. The program for this year is built around the seven cardinal objectives of education.

"Monday this year fell on Armistice Day, November 11, and the theme was 'Education for Faithful Citizenship.' This is indeed an appropriate time to stress training in good citizenship. The boys and girls who in a few years will be responsible for the destiny of the nation, must have a high sense of their individual duties and obligations to community, state and nation.

"The second day of Education Week, November 12, is known as 'Home and School Day.' Every effort is made to show what relationships and noble attitudes in school creates habits which carry over in home life. The home lays the foundation upon which the school builds and the schools tend to lift all homes to higher levels.

"Know Your School" was the theme for Wednesday, November 13. Parents and others were urged on the day to visit the school in the neighborhood in which they live. Special programs and exhibits are arranged so that they can get a better understanding of the work that is being done and see the ways in which schools are being improved.

"School Opportunity Day" is observed on Thursday, November 14. Emphasis is directed on what the schools are doing towards helping young people discover and train their talents and in preparing them for some useful occupation or vocation. Education not only pays in excellence and happiness of life but in greatly increasing earning power.

"Friday, November 15, has been designated as 'Health Day' the purpose of showing what the schools are doing to promote physical vitality, good health and habits of safety. The fundamental habits of health and habits of safety. The fundamental

habits of health and clean living as taught in our schools go far towards raising the standards of citizenship.

"Saturday, November 16, will be 'Community Day.' Attention will be directed to what the schools are doing to improve the standards of community life. It is noticeable that where the best schools are found, there also is found the best communities.

"The final day of American Education Week, Sunday, November 17, will be devoted to the theme 'For God and Country.' Ministers of all denominations will emphasize the higher values of education and of living. They will show how the schools build character by helping each child to develop high standards of physical, mental and spiritual fitness."

JURY GIVES FIVE YEARS TO LANDRY

Knox County Jury Convicts Flomot Man of Stegall Killing in 1927.

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, Nov. 12.—Paul Landry of Flomot was given five years by a Knox County jury last week, trying the Flomot man for the murder of Lee Stegall, constable, on a charge of venue from Motley County. W. F. Allen tried at Matador at the last term of court, had already been convicted and sentenced to 15 years, from which verdict he had appealed.

Several Quitaque residents were witnesses in the Landry case, J. Wise and Dr. E. P. Rumph being subpoenaed by the state and J. T. Persson, Mr. Cherry, C. G. Huggins and Martin Holloman for the defense.

Lee Stegall, a Motley County constable, was shot from ambush and killed on November 28, 1927. Landry and Allen being accused of the crime. The case has attracted considerable attention here and in Motley County, where the victim and the accused men were well known.

EXPECT EXTENSION OF RURAL ROUTE NO. ONE

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, Nov. 12.—All detailed work regarding an extension of Rural Route No. 1 to the Folley community has been worked out, according to Cletus Dunham, postmaster, and authority from the postal department to enlarge the territory covered by the route is expected shortly after the first of the year. The proposed extension lies in Hall County, and road improvement work which is contemplated will help the Folley community to secure rural service.

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WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS TODAY

Snyder—Mr. F. I. Townsend, not a poultry man but just an average farmer in Scurry county, has proved, during the past twelve months, that poultry is a profitable sideline if the necessary information is acquired as to the care of the hens and if one applies himself assiduously to the business. An accurate record was kept by Mr. Townsend which shows that from October 1928 to October 1929, two hundred and sixty leghorn hens produced \$781.47 worth of eggs, and \$168.70 was spent for feed, leaving a profit of \$592.77 for the year.

Fluvanna—Contract has been let for the construction of a new High school building for Fluvanna. When the building is completed, more than \$50,000 will have been expended for the onward advancement of education in that thriving little city.

Anson—Among the many constructive and progressive moves being made by this city at the present are the completion of the concrete highway No. 30 through Jones County, and the replacing of the present street lighting system of Anson with 400 candle power lights in the downtown business district. Plans are also under way for the installation of the metallic system telephone service to replace the present magneto grounded system.

Tulia—Due to the immense building program in Tulia, Happy and on the farms of the County, the assessed valuation of Swisher County has passed the six and a half million dollar mark. More than fifty new homes have been built in Tulia during the past year and Happy is not far behind in a similar building program.

Electra—More than sixty farmers of this section met here recently and discussed the pooling of turkeys and the forming of an anti-theft association. A carload of turkeys were pledged at this meeting, and a sales committee was selected to meet within a short time to open bids and discuss the selling of these turkeys.

White Deer—A very enthusiastic Chamber of Commerce meeting was held here recently at which different members discussed their personal experiences and profits derived from the raising of poultry, cows and hogs. Plans were made to have a representative from some of the creameries to meet with the Chamber of Com-

merce and discuss plans whereby a better market can be secured for cream, milk and poultry. Every effort is being made to carry out the "Cow, Sow and Hen" program in this section, and all future meetings of this organization will be given over to various discussions in this regard.

Childress—Elaborate plans are being made by the local Chamber of Commerce to entertain officials of the Fort Worth & Denver City Railway when they arrive here to celebrate the opening of the new Fort Worth & Denver station, which has just been completed. This structure was erected at an approximate cost of \$75,000, and is one of the most modern stations on the Denver line.

Archer City was in readiness Monday for one of the most elaborate public entertainments ever held in that city. It was in the form of a "Jubilee" Rodeo. The rodeo grounds were arranged with pens, seats and full connection lighting system, which made the grounds well illuminated during the night performances.

Presidio—The cattle importations from Mexico, through the port of Presidio, began this week when 1,000 head were crossed to the American side over the International bridge here. More than twelve thousand head of cattle entered this country last year through this port and it is estimated that there will be more than 15,000 head imported this year, due to a more stable condition in Mexico. In view of the shipping facilities afforded at Presidio, it is expected that

within a short time this port will handle more cattle than any other port along the Mexican border.

San Angelo farmers and business men have launched a cotton seed standardization program for Tom Green County. The advantages of growing a cotton of uniform staple, length and characteristics were stressed at a meeting held recently, and a committee from Co-operative Gin & Supply Company was appointed to select the type of seed to be planted.

The Hale Center American reports that even though the wheat crop last year was considered unusually good, the prospects for a bumper wheat crop are more promising now than for several years. It is estimated that practically 95 per cent of the wheat has been shown, and most of this is already up. The favorable weather which has prevailed in this section recently has brought this verdict of "perfect" from wheat growers.

Fort Stockton—Work on the Fort Stockton Aviation field will begin at once. This motion was authorized at a recent meeting of the local Lion's

Club, who is sponsoring this movement. The selected ground is level and free from all obstructions that would make it hazardous for planes to land or take off, and as soon as the contemplated improvements are made, the citizens of Fort Stockton will have reason enough to feel that they have one of the most ideal landing fields in this section.

SILVERTON LEADS IN GAS COMPANY PATRONS

With 130 consumers of natural gas, Silvertown is leading both Quitaque and Turkey in patrons of the West Texas Gas Company, headquarters here announced the first of last week. A total of 110 connections have been made by the company in Quitaque, C. M. Walden states, with 80 customers in Turkey where gas was turned on last week. A good business is anticipated in all three towns by the company.

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SOCIAL AFFAIRS

The Woman's Home Page

CHURCH AND CLUB

Young People Enjoy Hallowe'en Progressively

A very delightful and elaborate affair in the younger set was the progressive Halloween party given last Thursday week by four popular young hostesses each of whom entertained charmingly.

Cleverly made invitations were painted by Mildred Summers and Fern Blocker and were issued to thirty-six of their friends. The guests in gay costumes met first with Mildred Summers. They played several games appropriate for the season, and were served fruit. At the next stop, with Ona Dell Guest—a "sure 'nough" witch told fortunes entertainingly. Sandwiches and oranges were served. At the home of Fern Blocker the crowd played various games, and everyone received a stick of candy with a "fortune" wrapped around it.

The last hostess was Evelyn Crow. The merry-makers enjoyed such games as "Old Joe Clark", Pig in the Parlor" and other folk-dances and swinging games. Punch and cakes were served. The very happy occasion was enjoyed by Milton Sheid, Ronald Anderson, Einell Smithee, Cornelia Moore, Albert Dickenson, Foy and Orville Chitty, Ruth and George Thomas, R. F. Pruitt, Joe Lemons, Mildred and Alfred Summers, Kenneth Davis, Faye Allard, Mavis Strickland, Emma Lou Wynn, Bailey Hill, Harold Morton, Jonnie Bundy, Ray Worthington, Al Stevenson, Mildred Marshall, Louise Buchanan, Morgan Garvin, Gerald Smith, Martha Cox, Jim Haynes, Ona Dell Guest, Fern Blocker, Donnell Alexander, Kenneth Davis, Evelyn Crowe and George Snappa. Mr. Elmer Cleavinger was guest of honor.

Young Expression Class Appeared In Demonstration

The expression pupils of Mrs. C. D. Wright closed their first month's work with a demonstration program on Tuesday afternoon, at the grade-school auditorium for the mothers and closest friends of the pupils. Several of Mrs. Charles Gollihar's young music students gave very pleasing piano numbers. At the close of the exercises, the children served cookies and candied fruit to their visitors.

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Sports Shawl-Scarf to Match the Sweater



Sweater and shawl-scarf sets, as pictured, are very popular abroad. The idea of squaring the scarf like a shawl is new in the knitted realm. This ensemble is carried out in two tones, duo color schemes being a characteristic trend of the mode, especially in matter of scarfs.

Class Entertained By Principal in Hallowe'en Party

Chester Strickland entertained about twenty five members of his class and a number of parents of the pupils, with a Halloween party last Friday night, out at his home three miles north of town.

Nearly everyone masqueraded. Three or four unrecognized ghosts hovering on the outskirts of the crowd caused great excitement. The story of the dead woman haunting the Strickland house and other ghost-stories furnished delightfully horrible thrills.

Many Halloween games were played; and quantities of marshmallows were toasted and devoured. Around the big bon-fire. The appearance of the mysterious old witch with fortunes for all was another thrill.

Yo-yo refreshments, gorgeously decorated as spooks, goblins and witches, were served the hilarious, happy crowd.

NORTH ROUTE Mrs. Jno. Clayton Correspondent

Very severe winter weather prevails in neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Allard and Mrs. R. L. Johnson motored to Amarillo last Wednesday and spent the night with relatives there. They returned to Mrs. Johnson's home here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jordan motored to Bovina a few days ago and bought a farm within one mile of town there. They will take possession of same the first of January.

Misses Opal Johnson and Edna Allard spent Sunday with Myrtle Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Johnson and children, Gladys, Faye and Lewis were dinner guests in the J. M. Clayton home Sunday.

Jim Butler of Sterley visited in this neighborhood Monday.

Messrs C. W. Verden, M. W. Barnett and W. D. Louthlian of Wichita Falls were duck hunters on the J. M. Clayton farm Thursday. These are prominent business men of Wichita Falls. Mr. Louthlian is connected with our railroad into Silverton.

The families of Messrs Lee and Homer Gregg spent Monday with his brother, Arthur Gregg here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Caro of the Francis community visited with relatives here Sunday and Monday.

A number from this neighborhood marketed their Turkey crops this week at Silverton.

Perryton—Uptown Western Union office practically assured for this place.

Haskell—Local hatchery will sponsor Poultry Trade Day, to be held here November 15.

TWO GOOD PLAYS WERE PRESENTED BY DRAMATIC CLUB MONDAY NIGHT

Two good plays were staged Monday night by the Happy Hour Dramatic club in the high school auditorium, in which appeared admirable local talent selected from the class of dramatics.

"A Box of Monkeys," a parlor farce

in two acts, came on at the rise of the first curtain, furnishing an entertainment of much merit. "The Arrival of Reuben," a college comedy in one act, concluded the program, leaving the audience in a mood of levity and laughter.

CAST—"A BOX OF MONKEYS"

Edward Ralston, A promising young American, half owner of the Sierre Gold Mine Hoyt Hill
Chauncey Oglethorpe, his partner, second son of Lord Doncaster Graham Chandler
Mrs. Ondego-Jones, an admirer of rank Frances Buchanan
Sierra-Bengaline, her niece, a prairie rose Gwendolyn Cloyd
Lady Guinevere Landpoore, an English primrose, daughter of Earl of Paynaught Wanda King
ACT 1—Drawing-room of Mrs. Ondego-Jones.
ACT 2—Same as Act 1.
TIME—Present.

CAST—"THE ARRIVAL OF REUBEN"

Tom Curtis, a baseball hero Jack Wright
Hal Burton, Tom's chum Haynes McClendon
Jerry Shaw, Tom's chum Orville Cowart
Reuben Doolittle, Tom's country cousin Hoyt Hill
Professor Nottle, president of Blossmere College Graham Chandler
Marjorie Hooper, Senior Co-ed at Blossmere Sudie Lee Foust
Polly Hinton, Senior Co-ed at Blossmere Geraldine Biffle
Dora Acton, Senior Co-ed at Blossmere Wanda King
Alice Hall, Senior Co-ed at Blossmere Geraldine Patton
Maggie Flynn, a janitress Fadean Lee
PLACE—Blossmere College.
TIME—A few weeks before commencement.

P. T. A. Discuss Plans of Year

The P. T. A. met in the regular meeting at the grammar school building Thursday afternoon. There were only a few present but a very interesting business session was held. Plans were made to serve the American Legion Banquet at the Home Economics Cottage Monday, November 11. Reports were made by the officers present and the president, Mrs. R. E. Douglas, made a talk on the work that she would like for the P. T. A. to try to do this year.

The next meeting of the P. T. A. will be at the high school building the third Thursday of the month, and all the parents are urged to attend. There were only four parents present Thursday. More interest is needed to show that a live P. T. A. is wanted in the community, according to official expression.

LITTLE DAUGHTER'S SCHOOL COAT IS HANDSOMELY FUR-COLLARED



Well, here they are, the children, bless them! with vacation a memory and school again open. It is just at this time that mother's schooling begins, too. The study which she takes up concerns the interesting clothes-outfitting problem of her dear little ones.

The initial lesson mother learns in her course of study is, that of all things important in assembling a fall and winter wardrobe for the school girl, a good "comfy" coat is the first essential to consider. The logic of the thing is that a good-looking warm coat will cover, until late in the fall, a multitude of pretty little gingham and other lightweight frocks left over from midseason and summer. Then, anyway, a proper coat is the foundation for every practical school wardrobe.

So it behooves mother to "suit the action to the word" by entering into an intensive research regarding little girls' coats. Which being done, here are some of the results. One of the first interesting revelations in the matter of juvenile fall coat fashions relates to the vogue for fur trimming—sophisticated-looking shawl collars, for

instance such as the type pictured here. This handsome blue cheviot coat, with its raccoon shawl collar is one of the very new models brought out this season. As to materials, tweed leads, mostly in soft versions featuring colorful flecked and nubbed effects. Ombre treatments and bright plaids are also in evidence. Sports coats of deep-ple camel's hair come in for a considerable share of notice. Contrasting the sturdy rough-surfaced woolens is the dressier suede cloth which is employed in rich shades of wine, dark green and a host of browns and blues. It is said that green in soft tones will be very popular for children's coats, ensembles and tailored frocks during the coming months.

Novelty fabrics include printed velveteen and bright felt worked in the Italian way, which stresses multi-color effects achieved with insets and appliques and clever seaming.

Here's something interesting about coats for children—'tis said that many of them will add little muffs to match. That is, the muff will be either made of the coat fabric, trimmed with bands of the fur that trims the coat, or there will be tiny round muffs entirely of fur matched to the collar. Matching hats, too, if you please, made of the cloth of the coat, are especially featured for little folks. Tweed sets consisting of coat and hat are especially practical as well as extremely good looking.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.
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All-Black Suits Sound New Note of Elegance



Autumn modes highlight the handsomely furred all-black suit of aristocratic men, in either broadcloth, duvetyn or velvet. Caracul, bridcloth, Persian lamb and similar flat pelts vie with rich lynx or black fox for trimming, and with a muff if you please!

College Girls Visit Home On Armistice

Miss Rheua Alexander who is in school at Canyon, and Miss Helen Murphy, Amarillo student, came home Saturday night to be with home folks over the week-end.

Misses Elizabeth, Carolyn and Geraldine Schott, the three daughters of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Schott, braved the mud and rain to come home this week end. All three girls are attending school in Lubbock this winter.

Miss Pearl Davis spent the Armistice holiday with her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Davis.

Junction—Building program for this city, since January 1st totals \$400,000.

Friends Sense Charm in Lemons' Home

"A thing of beauty is a joy"—at all times.

But a beautiful party against a cold bleak day with low-swung clouds dripping rain and sleet into slushy streets seems to give a most intense kind of joy.

When a number of friends, last Thursday stepped from November chill and wet gloom, into Mrs. Fred Lemons' cozy home, they were keenly aware of its alluring brilliance and loveliness, of the soft warm glow from shaded lights and open grates and of the sweetness and perfume from many flowers that glorified each room. They were alertly sensible, too, of the hostess' own warm cordiality and charm.

Everyone found unusual pleasure in the games of "42". The tallies were cut-outs of pink and gold chrysanthemums. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Tom Nichols in serving a dainty repast, with favors of lovely carnations and fern. The guests were: Mrs. Gordon Alexander, Mrs. J. G. Fort, Mrs. Bland Burson; Mrs. O. T. Bundy, Mrs. P. E. Henderlite, Mrs. Minyard, Mrs. U. M. Meeker, Mrs. C. R. E. Weaver, Mrs. Albert Dickenson, Mrs. Ernest Tibbetts, Mrs. T. L. Miller, Mrs. Bob Dickerson, Mrs. C. L. Dickerson, Mrs. W. W. Fogerson, Mrs. R. E. Douglas, Mrs. Tom Nichols and Mrs. Clyde Wright.

Royal Service Program By W. M. S. Of Baptist Church

The Womens Missionary Society of the First Baptist church held a royal service program at the church Monday at 2 o'clock. The good attendance was encouraging, and continued presence is urged. Those at the session were Mesdames Foust, Haynes, Buchanan; McCasland; Bonar, Miller, Morgan, Stephens; Dillard; Davis and Clifford Allard.

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LOCALS

Mrs. John Bain Jr. and Mrs. E. G. Snapka were Amarillo visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. L. L. McAnaw and Mrs. J. A. Neill and little daughter, Nancy were Plainview visitors Tuesday, the guests of Mesdames Bledsoe and Youngblood.

Don't forget the big Paramount Feature, "Fast Company" Monday and Tuesday nights, November 18th and 19th. Half of the proceeds go to the Football Boys' Sweater Fund.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Buford, former residents of Silverton and later of Lelia Lake; have moved to Abilene, according to information received from Mr. Buford, who instructs the News be changed to his Abilene address.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Fowler and family were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McClenon at Haylake.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Rush of Rock Creek were in town on business, Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Rush have recently traded their land near Rock Creek for a ranch in Garza County. Briscoe citizens regret losing this good family from our midst.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Redin of Francis community attended the American Legion Banquet and school play Monday night.

C. G. Huggins and wife of Quitaque visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Dickerson and while they were in town, they attended the Armistice Day football game.

Don't miss "The Four Feathers" at Palace. Dates announced next week.

Mrs. Oran Bomar's mother, Mrs. A. F. Jones of Gainesville returned home Thursday because of the ill health of relatives.

Cross McDaniel and family came from Rock Creek to attend the plays at the high school Monday night.

H. A. Sams, official court reporter of this judicial district, together with Mr. Maxey, a young attorney, who has recently located at Floydada, were business visitors in Silverton Saturday.

Coming soon to the Palace theatre: "The Four Feathers." Watch for dates.

In the Clifford Allard home, the following guests were made welcome last Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Allard and son, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Porterfield and son, Mrs. Amos Turner and daughter, Mrs. Ralph Lemons, Mrs. J. Pharr, Miss Opal Johnson and Edna Allard.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Allard and son, Tommie Oran and Miss Edna Allard of Stanca Valley, N. Mex., are visiting relatives and friends here this week.

Mrs. E. L. Carr of Rochester is visiting relatives here this week.

In the football game Monday, J. D. Strickland bursted the muscle in his left arm, and it will be crippled for three or four weeks.

Don't miss "The Four Feathers" at Palace. Dates announced next week.

Mrs. O. R. Tipps returned Wednesday from a month's visit with her invalid mother in Chickasha, Okla. Judge Tipps went to Floydada to meet her.

Mrs. Clifford Allard and Mrs. J. J. Joiner visited relatives in Lockney, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. True Burson have a lovely little daughter in their home. Born Wednesday, Nov. 13.

Mrs. Jeff Burson and daughter, Amye went to Quitaque Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bain and children, Allyn and George Piner spent the week-end with Mrs. Bain's sister, Mrs. J. H. Goodman in Lubbock. While there they attended the ball game.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lewis, with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McClister of Happy, went to Floydada Monday night the 11th to attend an Armistice Legion celebration and party.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McClister of Happy came over Armistice Day to visit old friends and see the ball game.

Miss Jean Jackson, who has been visiting friends and relatives in Silverton for several weeks, returned Monday to her home in Lockney.

Coming soon to the Palace theatre: "The Four Feathers." Watch for dates.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Amason are the proud parents of fine ten pound boy, born Saturday morning. He is named Bobbie Dan.

Miss Cornelia Moore is driving a new Ford sedan, a gift from her father, Bill Moore.

J. O. Jenkins, manager of an Amarillo brick company and an ex-soldier, was in Silverton Monday and Tuesday. He was a guest at the Legion banquet.

Rev. and Mrs. M. G. Brotherton left Tuesday for Pampa to attend the Methodist annual conference. Pastorate assignments will be made this week by the presiding bishop of the church.

Dr. B. M. Wiltshire of Hereford spent Tuesday night in the home of his sister here, Mrs. J. A. Neill.

College Orchestra Plans Visit Here

A live, peppy, ten-piece college orchestra has been organized at the First Methodist church in Canyon, composed of students who really can play. Mrs. W. M. Gourley is director. They have frequent practice, and plan to give a radio program from Amarillo in the near future.

The orchestra may arrange to make a trip to Silverton and give a program after the new church building is finished here. This organization will rank among the best church orchestras in the entire Panhandle.

Singing Convention In Silverton Sun.

The Plateau Singing association will hold a convention in Silverton next Sunday, Nov. 17, according to an announcement of "Red" Diviney. All Briscoe county singers are invited to attend and take part in the singing which will be held in the new high school auditorium. Good singing is promised, and all are requested to bring sandwiches enough to feed themselves and visitors.

Alpine—Mechanical milking machines installed at new plant of Orient Dairy.

ROCK CREEK Miss Jewell McCain Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Chappell and children were Sunday afternoon callers in the Jake Clines home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Jones and children and Mrs. Bob McDaniel and son, Frank were callers in the T. A. McCain home Sunday afternoon.

Odell Mulder spent Saturday night with Coy Chappell.

Viola and Francis Jones, Lola Mae Reid and Jewell McCain spent Sunday with Ruby McDaniel.

John Estell and Clifton McCain, Dee Reid, Clifford Jones and Burl Penn spent Sunday with Ashel and Billie McDaniel.

Odell Mulder spent Sunday night with Paul Reid.

Sara Jane Cline spent Sunday night with Cathrine and Esther Cline.

Mr. and Mrs. Elden Ledbetter are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Ledbetter.

Eunice Normalene McCain spent Sunday with Edna Jones.

Burl Penn spent Saturday night with John Estell McCain.

Douglas and Carlton Gardner spent Sunday with Altus Rowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Guffie spent Tuesday in the T. A. McCain home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Nelson of Tullia spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Guffie.

R. L. Roberson and family of Silverton were visitors in the Earl Roberson home Sunday.

Charlie Cline and family of Silverton were visitors in the Jake Cline home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Young and daughter were visitors in the John Tucker home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Roberson of Wichita Falls are visiting their son, Earl Roberson.

H. T. Rafferty and family spent Sunday in the Crow home.

R. P. Ellis visited in the Guffie home Sunday.

Farwell—Farwell Motor Company changed hands.

Booker—Contract let for new hotel building.

See "Fast Company" And Help the Owls

"Fast Company" has been billed by the Palace theatre for the benefit of the football team, scheduled Monday and Tuesday, Nov. 18 and 19. This is a big special to suit everyone's fancy. Starring in "Fast Company" are Evelyn Brent, Jack Oakie, and Richard Callager.

The fotoball fund is at a low ebb and extra finances are needed to reward the young fellows with sweaters for the hard work they have been doing for their school this fall. While the Owls are now coming out champions, they have made a good record, played a clean game, and have been a credit. Come along and have a big laugh while you enjoy "Fast Company," and at the same time pile up a nice fund for the faithful gridiron warriors. Half the proceeds go to the Owls.

SOUTH QUITAQUE ROAD IS PUT IN GOOD SHAPE

Following work done on the South Quitaque road under the direction of L. E. Graham, county commissioner, the road is in the best shape in years, it is declared. Additional right of way secured some time ago has enabled the authorities to widen the road and to provide adequate barriers on each side.

No work will be done on the Flo-not road until the close of the cotton hauling season, it is reported.

ANTELOPE Mrs. John Rhea Correspondent

Elmer Sanders and Henry Edens were business visitors in Memphis Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rhea and son, Max and Mrs. W. N. Bullock were shopping in Clarendon Wednesday.

Ray Heckman of Clarendon was a visitor on the Flat Thursday.

John Rhea and W. N. Bullock made a business trip to Palo Duro Friday.

Mrs. Dan Dean, who has been ill for some time is now in the L. R. Dean home near Clarendon, where she is under the care of a physician.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pack are rejoicing over the arrival of a boy last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Evans visited in the L. R. Dean home Monday.

Canadian—Local bank deposits show large gain.

Levelland—West Texas Gas Company to ask for renewal of franchise.

Perryton—Bonds voted for 18 more blocks of paving.

FLOWER SHOW AT LORAIN

Loraine—Included in the Loraine Diversified Farming Exhibit and Poultry Show were a flower show, farm and merchant exhibits, and a poultry and rabbit show. One of the features of the diversified farming exhibits was a hog guessing contest. The hogs were six months and two days old on the first day of the exhibit, and they were fed a balanced ration of ground threshed maize and a protein supplement in a self-feeder. Much interest was created in this contest, and a prize was given the first person guessing the correct weight of the hogs on the second afternoon of the exhibit.

Fort Davis—Cornerstone laid for new high school building.

Happy—Addition enlarges building of Happy Cleaning Company.

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- All Coats formerly \$19.75 to \$22.50 **\$17.75**
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- All Coats formerly \$29.75 to \$32.50 **\$25.95**
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