

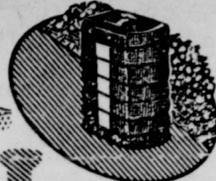


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## Second Annual "S-D Day" Being Observed

Thursday, December 1, "today" is the second annual S-D Day, or Safe Driving Day. Its purpose is to demonstrate, again, that traffic accidents can be greatly reduced when motorists and pedestrians fulfill their moral and civic responsibility for safety.

It is sponsored by President Eisenhower's Committee for Traffic Safety in cooperation with prominent national, state and local organizations of all types joining to combat traffic accidents with public educational activity.

The Century of Progress Study Club, with Mrs. James Davis as president have furnished the News Office with startling information for this article for the purpose of making you conscious today of traffic accidents.

The challenge to our community will be: not a single traffic accident during the 24-hour period—in daylight or darkness.

The purpose of S-D Day is to show that motorists and pedestrians can reduce traffic accidents by their own actions. The first S-D Day, last December, produced a reduction in the national toll of deaths and injuries, and in the number of accidents, as against the comparable day in 1953. The traffic safety problem is in every community and the responsibility rests upon each individual.

S-D Day 1955 will further implant in the minds of all motorists and pedestrians the realization that, if they can greatly reduce accidents on one day, they can do so every day of the year. It will call attention dramatically to the importance of year-round support by every individual for existing safety programs of proven worth.

Last year, this is what traffic accidents did in the United States: Killed over thirty times as many people as live in Silvertton, and in Texas three times as many people were killed as live in our town. one million, two hundred and fifty thousand persons were disabled. With an estimated cost of four and four tenths billion dollars in medical bills, property and other expense. There were nearly 10 million traffic accidents in 1954. These accidents continue to be wholesale killers of children in early school years, and of

### December Nineteen Deadline For Home Lighting Contest

Awards of \$15.00, \$10.00 and \$5.00 for first, second and third places will be given in the first annual home lighting contest sponsored by the Eta Chi Chapter of ESA, for Silvertton and vicinity.

All entries must be in by December 19. Entrance fee will be \$1.00. You may notify Bonnie May, Lula Bellingier, Vernell Cowart Maxine Morris if you desire to enter.

Homes will be judged on Dec. 20.

This is a project to help beautify the town, and any profit made will be used toward furnishing linens and refinishing a room at the Briscoe County Hospital.

young people between the ages of 15 and 24.

What can we do as individuals. Remember courtesy at all times. Obey all traffic regulations. Keep speed reasonable. Start earlier and drive slower.

Don't drive when you drink. Remember, danger increases with darkness: At sundown, reduce speed so you're within range of your headlights.

Stay in line — don't weave. Don't pass unless there's plenty of room—and never on hills or curves.

Allow sufficient stopping distance between you and the car ahead.

Be extra-alert at intersections. Always signal your intention to turn or stop.

If the weather is bad, don't drive unless you must. If you drive, double your care.

Check your brakes, lights, windshield wipers, tires, and steering.

Learn traffic rules and regulations.

When walking remember. Cross streets only at crossings. Before crossing, look both ways.

Watch for turning cars. Never enter street or roadway from between parked cars.

If there is no sidewalk, and you must walk in the roadway, walk on left, facing traffic.

When walking at night, wear or carry something white to help drivers see you.

There are many other ways for you to save a life.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bingham and Doug, of Kress, were Sunday guests of her mother, Mrs. C. L. McWilliams, and Guy.

### Junior Class To Present "Bolts and Nuts" Friday

**SILVERTON LIONS CLUB**  
Will Meet  
Thursday, December 1  
Mrs. Newman's Kitchen

### Lions Club Sponsor Broom Sale Friday

Silvertton's Lions Club and the Texas Blind Shops Caravan will sell brooms, mops, door mats, ironing board covers and pad combinations on Friday December 2. The club members will go out in twos to canvass the entire city. The Caravan will be located on the square, if you are not at home when the group call at your house.

Proceeds from this sale will be used for worthwhile community projects. All articles are manufactured by Texas Blind Workers in Blind shops or light-houses, which are non profit organizations. The club netted around \$125.00 last year from the sale. Skeet Hall and Hugh Nance are sales managers for the one-day sale.

Plan now what you will need, and buy freely from these men.

### 700 Served By X-Ray Unit

### Rev. Travis McMinn Filled Pulpit Sunday

Rev. Travis McMinn, association missionary of Lincoln Baptist Association of New Mexico, filled the pulpit at both services Sunday at the First Baptist Church. Rev. McMinn and his wife and daughter were returning to their home after attending the funeral services for Mrs. McMinn's uncle, Rev. A. B. Brian who died suddenly last Tuesday night at San Antonio.

Travis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn, and were here to spend the Thanksgiving holidays when they received word of the death of Mrs. McMinn's uncle.

Travis is a graduate of the Silvertton High School, Wayland College and Howard Payne College. He and Mrs. McMinn have served the people of the New Mexico association for the past 16 months.

### SILVERTON OWLS

The Silvertton Owl Basketball team will begin their conference play next Monday night, December 5, when they journey to Lakeview. Then on Wednesday they will go to Matador for a four day tournament. The Silvertton tournament has been set for December 28 through 31. Both boys and girls games are scheduled with same towns on same nights.

"Bolts and Nuts", featuring local talent from the Junior Class, will be presented Friday evening, December 2, at the High School Auditorium.

Carlye Monroe plays the part of Rebecca Bolt who inherits a spooky old mansion from an eccentric brother. She turns it into a sanitarium for patients with nervous diseases, much to the dismay of her niece, Benita Bolt, played by Evelyn Jones. The "Nuts" start to pour in and the fun begins in earnest. Lutie Spinks the man-hating maid who winks, played by Gay Lynn Callaway adds much to the merriment of the play.

Martha Grubb, a melancholic cook is played by Gwelyn Paige. Twink Starr, Benita's fiance with delusions of grandeur, is played by Brad Wilson. Bill Stephens plays the part of Henry Goober, a porter and afraid of lunatics. Jimmy Scott Whitfill plays the part of Phineas Plunkett, a lawyer with a humility complex. Edwina Breedlove is Miss Prunella Frigg, a patient; Cadwallader Clippy, another patient is played by James Alexander. Rose Ann Denis, a patient who fears contamination, plays the part of Mrs. Gertie Glossop. Bud Whitfield, her darling child, plays the part of Wilbur Glossop. Deleath Peugh plays the part of a young interne, Jack Gordon. Mrs. O. C. Rampley is directing the play. Admission is 30c and 60c.

Mrs. Pete Howard, of Quitaque, was a week end guest of her mother, Mrs. H. E. Curtis.

### College Students Home For Holidays

Among the college students who were here during the holidays with relatives and friends are Miss Pat Porter, of N. T. S. C., Denton, Texas; Kenneth Garvin, of San Marcos Military Academy, San Marcos, Texas; Misses Francis Tunnell and Lola Mae Vaughan, of Oklahoma Southwestern State College, Weatherford, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Pat Northcutt, Misses Patsy Crass, Kay Steele and Valettra Weaver and Messrs. Jack Mayfield, Kenneth Stephens, Donald Bean, Sid Marshall, L. E. Paige, Jr., Jack Paige Gene Hardin and Philip Nettleton, of Texas Tech, Lubbock; Mrs. Lee D. Bomar, Misses Patsy Bomar, Shirley Elms, Janice Turner, Bonnie Watters and Betty Fitzgerald, Don Ledbetter, Dwain Wilmeth, and Joe Wayne Brooks and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wayne Mayfield, of W. T. S. C., Canyon.

### Our School Flag By A Senior

One day recently the seniors decided that the school should have a flag. After discussing various means of securing one, we asked all of the students if they would like to help pay for a flag and pole. They responded wonderfully, and nearly every pupil in both grade and high school donated fifteen cents or more toward the expense. After discussing the matter with our superintendent, we asked him to see about having a flag pole erected. Sooner than we thought possible the flag was flying.

On Tuesday morning Mr. Moreland made the announcement that we would all assemble in front of the school house for the flag raising ceremony that has ever been held on the school campus of Silvertton High. Every student attended and the band played "America" and the "Star Spangled Banner." As it was being raised, all eyes were fixed on the red, white and the blue flag.

Today as I gaze on the flag that flies so majestically over our school, I realize that millions of men and boys have died so that this flag, and not some alien flag, may continue to fly over our beloved nation and our schools. The seniors hope that everyone who sees the bright colors of the flag waving high in the air at the school building will feel a moment's happiness and pride and renewed faith in our wonderful United States of America.

### Rev. N. D. Nettleton Speaker for P. T. A.

The December meeting of the Silvertton Parent-Teacher Association, to be held next Monday night at 7:30 in the high school auditorium, will emphasize spiritual values. Rev. N. D. Nettleton, minister of the Presbyterian Church, will speak on "The What, Where, and How of Spiritual Values" and will invite audience discussion on the subject.

The third and fourth grades will present a program as part of the evening's activities. Wayland Fitzgerald, P. T. A. president, will be in charge. All parents and others interested in school affairs are invited to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gill and Cris were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Gill, in Canyon. Several other relatives were also guests.

### DR. AND MRS. SEDGWICK HONORED ON 55th WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Sedgwick were honored on their 55th wedding anniversary Sunday at their home in Silvertton. Turkey and all the trimmings was enjoyed at the noon hour, and visiting in the afternoon.

Present for the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Will Smithee, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. McMurtry, Mrs. Cora Donnell, Merle McMurtry, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Smithee, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dickerson and the honorees.

Mrs. Clara Miller has returned to her home in Electra after spending several weeks here working for H. E. Wilson Grain Company. Mrs. Miller is a sister to Mr. Wilson.

Messrs. and Mrs. Ray Teeple and Wayland Fitzgerald were in Amarillo last Friday.



### The World As I See It

Doris Amburn

Now, as from the beginning of time, our people are faced with problems. Our press and radio can't seem to let us forget that our farmers are up-against it; our school teachers are getting scarcer and are still underpaid; government spending goes on at a rapid pace; and many families contribute more per year into the government fund than they had take-home pay fifteen years ago.

We scream and grow discouraged knowing good and well that we are going to have these ups and downs as long as man lives on this earth. But be honest, hadn't you rather go through a few trials and uncertainties under a free enterprise system of living than to have your rights and initiative squashed by too much government control. As long as people can reap from the harvest of their own efforts, we'll always have a good way of life. Greed, hatred, uneasiness, and dissatisfaction always result when the masses are all treated alike.

Our times demand, as in the days of our forefathers, strong men. We must discipline and train our selves to be ready to meet the demands of our time. Today isn't like it was last year, or the year before. We can use those experiences as a guide, but not as a pattern. I'm even thankful that we live in a land where if we make a failure at one thing, we have opportunity in something else. If we can't make a living selling peanuts, then maybe we can raise flowers.

But many of us are missing the wonderful, golden opportunities of our day because we are afraid. Joy and strength and the will to live and press forward can be gained if we will but listen to the words of our God. Others have tried letting God run their business, or receive the increase from their land, and they were not let down. We are selfish and afraid to do the same. We are to give back unto God as he prospers us, but we are afraid to. So we withhold our lives and our talents and money.

I have no doubt that our farm, and teacher, and business problems can be worked out quicker and easier if we will give our Maker a chance in our lives. Go to church Sunday, won't you. Let's give God a chance in Briscoe County.

### DEER HUNT

Messrs Roy Morris and Shorty West returned last Friday from a ten day deer hunt on the Gollihar ranch, in the Big Bend country, near Marathon, Texas. Roy brought home a 9 point buck but Shorty came home empty handed.

### Mrs. Frank Fisch Club Hostess

The Francis Helping Hand Club met November 17 in the home of Mrs. Frank Fisch. Mrs. Jack Harris called the roll. Mrs. Alva Jasper presided over the business. The remainder of the afternoon was spent in visiting. Refreshments were served to Mmes. U. D. Brown, Virgil Baldwin, Lowell Calloway, Clarence Gaunt, Jack Harris, Alva Jasper, Jack Howell, Lenton Lanham, Frank Mercer, A. J. Rowell, Aubrey Rowell, Scott Smithee, Wade Steele and the hostess Mrs. Frank Fisch.

The next meeting will be on December 1 in the home of Mrs. Jack Harris.

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### Hy-Lands Study Club Have Supper For Husbands

The members of the Hy-Lands Study Club entertained their husbands with a Thanksgiving Supper in the Fire Hall Tuesday night, November 22. Hostesses for the Supper Party were Mrs. J. E. Minyard, Mrs. Milton Dudley and Mrs. E. Posey.

After a delicious supper of turkey, dressing, gravy, salads, pie and coffee, tables of 42 were enjoyed by the following:

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Bean, Mr. and Mrs. Onar Cornett, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dudley, Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Edleman, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Don Garrison, Mr. and Mrs. Winston Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Berton Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Robert London, Mr. and Mrs. G. Mayfield, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Minyard, Mr. and Mrs. E. Posey, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Stephens, and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Turner.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. J. K. Bean for the Christmas program, Tuesday, December 13.

J. W. McCracken spent Thanksgiving with relatives in Bronte and Wayne McCutchen and son Richard accompanied him to Robert Lee where they spent the holiday with Wayne's parents.

### Cerebral Palsy Clinic December 8

Clinics for the examination of children with cerebral palsy will be held Thursday, December 8 and Thursday, January 12, in the Lubbock Cerebral Palsy Treatment Center, 3502 Ave. N. Lubbock.

The clinic scheduled for December 8 is planned for re-examination of cases who have been seen in the Treatment Center before and have been admitted for treatment. January 12 cases applying for care in the Center will be examined. Both clinics are scheduled from 8 a. m. to 12 noon.

Parents who wish to bring children to the Center or examination in either clinic are requested to register the children in advance of the clinic date. Information regarding the clinic may be obtained by writing Dr. Esther Snell, Director or call Lubbock, SH4-7110.

### ATTENDED TRAINING UNION CONVENTION

Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Elrod attended a Training Union convention in Abilene on Thursday and Friday. While in Abilene they were guests of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lindsey, Jr., Terri and Jerri. They spent Friday night with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Festus Elrod and Diana, in San Angelo, and came home on Saturday.

### AUTO DAMAGED

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Price, of Sayre, Oklahoma ran into a cow on the Floydada highway just south of town last Wednesday evening, damaging his 1953 Chevrolet. The car has been taken to Plainview for repair.

Homer Price is a brother to Henry Price, a former Silvertown resident, who now lives near Floydada.

C. W. Mallow, of Plainview, father of Albert Mallow, is critically ill at his home in Plainview. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Mallow and their family lived near Silvertown years before moving to Plainview. Albert and several other local men have been going to Plainview to sit up with his father at night.

Mrs. Clyde Wright returned Saturday after spending several days in Hereford with her sister, Mrs. W. E. Dameron. A group of friends gathered in the home of Mrs. A. M. Jones for Thanksgiving dinner. Mrs. Wright was accompanied as far as Tulia by Mrs. Earl Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Berton Hughes and sons were in Amarillo on Saturday. They returned via Memphis and spent the weekend with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hal and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Nance and children spent Sunday in Lubbock. They visited her mother Mrs. C. M. Strickland, and were guests in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Strickland and children.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hyatt and Mrs. Wiley Bomar, Jr. and children spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brink and children in Levelland. The Hyatts are parents of Mmes. Brink and Bomar.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wayne Brooks and Wayne Mark, of Canyon, spent the holidays here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brooks and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mayfield.

Mrs. Dan McAnally, of Monahan, spent the Thanksgiving holidays here with her sister, Mrs. W. E. Schott, Sr., and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Obra Watson and Joe Bob spent Thanksgiving with relatives in San Angelo, Texas.

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### MILL IRON RANCH

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Arnold went to Clarendon for their Thanksgiving dinner. In the afternoon they went to the old Mill Iron Ranch headquarters near Estelline and enjoyed seeing the many antique things preserved there. A part of the old ranch home has been kept intact with furniture, pictures, glassware, etc. while the remainder of the home has been modernized. Ancestors of Mrs. Arnold and of the present owners of the old ranch home knew each other in early days in another part of Texas.

### DINNER GUEST

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Garrison, Silvertown, Mrs. Arville Richardson, Sara Ann and Rita Rhea, of Wichita Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bruce and Eugene, of Lubbock, were dinner guests on Thanksgiving day of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Garrison and sons in Plainview. Mrs. Richardson and daughters came home with her parents and were their guests through Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Russell and Jane, of Dallas, visited his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Womack, from Thursday through Saturday. The party went to Amarillo Friday morning and brought back Le Anne Womack, grand daughter to the Womacks to visit until Sunday.

Mrs. Leo Comer and children spent Thanksgiving day with Leo's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Comer, in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Sweek and daughters spent Thanksgiving with relatives in Mineral Wells. His mother, Mrs. J. B. Sweek returned home with them.

### Brother of Mrs. S. R. Turner Died Recently

Funeral services for F. I. Austin of House, N. M. were held in Mountain Air, New Mexico, on Monday, November 21st, at 2 p. m. Mr. Austin died of leukemia in a hospital at Fort Sumner on November 18th after an illness of several months.

Survivors include his wife, four sons and daughters, two brothers and four sisters, one of whom is Mrs. S. R. Turner, Silvertown.

Local folks attending the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Turner, Jaye and Jeanette and Orville Turner; Mrs. Oneal Watson, of Amarillo, also attended her uncle's funeral.

Mrs. W. G. Byrd has returned to Robert Lee Texas, to stay the rest of the winter, after visiting the past two weeks in the home of her daughter Mrs. J. W. McCracken.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Byrd of Happy were Sunday visitors in the home of his sister Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCracken.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Thompson and LaGuan were in Amarillo on Wednesday of last week.

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  - City Grocery
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  - Seaney Hardware & Furniture, Inc.
  - Nance's Food Store
  - Silvertown Auto Parts
  - Tiffin's Department Store
  - Chapman-Minter Dry Goods
  - Jennings Farm Supply
  - City Cleaners
  - Minyard Implement
  - First State Bank
  - Phillips "66" Station
  - Briscoe County News
  - Allard Butane
  - Simpson Chevrolet Company
  - Ray Thompson Implement Company
- All other merchants are invited to join with this group. — See George Seaney.

## Article in Reader's Digest Reveals Jittery Pre-Menstrual Tension Is So Often a Needless Misery!

Do you suffer terrible nervous tension—feel jittery, irritable, depressed—just before your period each month? A startling article in READER'S DIGEST reveals such pre-menstrual torment is needless misery in many cases!

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- Nance's Food Store
- Silverton Auto Parts
- Tiffin's Department Store
- Chapman-Minter Dry Goods
- Jennings Farm Supply
- City Cleaners
- J. E. Minyard Implement
- First State Bank
- Phillips "66" Station
- Briscoe County News
- Allard Butane

All other merchants are invited to join with this group. — See call George Seaney.

## Classified Ads

**LOST** — No 10 Aluminum Grain Scoop between Wilson Elevator and my farm. John Lee Francis. 48-11p

Send the Briscoe County News to a friend or relative. They'll appreciate it.

**WANTED AT ONCE** — Rawleigh Dealer in Briscoe County. See H. D. Marshall, 621 S. Wall St., Floydada, Texas, or write Rawleigh's Dept., TXL-241-R, Memphis, Tenn. 48-2tp

**FOR SALE** — Cornfed Turkeys dressed or on foot. Place Christmas orders now. — Mrs. Jack Jowell. 47-1tn

**FOR SALE** — Small Philco Deep-freeze. Frozen Food Locker 481tc

We can renew your subscription for The Amarillo Daily News, Fort Worth Star Telegram, Wichita Record News, Dallas Morning News, or the Briscoe County News.

Applications will be accepted until the close of business, December 2, for the position of office manager of Briscoe Co. Persons interested in applying for this position should direct their applications to the Briscoe County A. S. C. Office, Silverton, Texas.

**STALK PASTURE** — 50 acres, just under the cap. Good wind break and plenty of water. Otis Wilson, Phone 3183, Quitaque, Texas. 47-2tp

**WANTED** — Ironing or baby sitting in my home.—Mrs. Grace Cox. 48-2tp

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**FOR SALE** — 12 gauge shot gun with choke. Douglas Oneal. 48-1tp.

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Mrs. Tom Beene, of Fort Worth visited Mrs. J. N. Cantwell and Mrs. Marie Bishop from Wednesday through Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cantwell, of Elmer Oklahoma, were week end guests of Mmes. J. N. Cantwell and Bishop.

Mrs. Gerald Smith, of Quitaque, and Mrs. Ben Bingham Benny and Judy were in Floydada last Friday. Benny went down for an eye examination and glasses.

Rev. and Mrs. John Tucker and daughters, of Lubbock, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Tucker's mother, Mrs. Flora Dickerson.

### REV. ARNOLD

Rev. and Mrs. Porter Arnold of Hurlwood, have been in and out at the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mack Walker and sons, for several days. Rev. and Mrs. Arnold anticipate moving to Silverton in the near future.

Rev. and Mrs. Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. Walker and children and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Long and children were Thanksgiving day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lightsey and Mr. Spenser Long.

### MRS. MICKEY PITTS

Mrs. Mickey Pitts and children, of Fayetteville, North Carolina, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Fowler and children, of Dimmitt, Sandra and Gwen Neely, of Vigo Park, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Strange and Ronnie, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brannon and Winford and Susie Neely were dinner guests of Mrs. Bryan Strange on Thanksgiving day.

### WEDNESDAY MORNING

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Jackson went to Gail on Wednesday morning of last week to visit his mother, Mrs. Attie Jackson. On Thursday the entire party went to Snyder and were dinner guests of his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Jackson and family. All four of the Jackson brothers and their families were present at this dinner.

Miss Jewel Williamson, of Wichita Falls, was a guest of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lem Weaver, from Wednesday through Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williamson, of Amarillo, were Sunday guests of his sister and family, the Lem Weavers. They took home their daughter, Jan, who had been here since Thursday.

Mmes. Annie Stevenson and Mrs. O. T. Bundy spent the holidays in Midland with their daughters. Mrs. Stevenson visited Miss Gloria June Stevenson, R. N. who is head of the maternity ward in the Midland Hospital. Mrs. Bundy was a guest of Dr. and Mrs. Clarence Mast and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Payne, of Nara Visa, N. M. spent the holidays with relatives here and at Mator. They and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Teeple were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Teeple and children Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Larkin Loudermilk of Perryton, were Thanksgiving day dinner guests of his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Vardell. Mr. and Mrs. Riley Yates also at dinner with her parents, the Vardells.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mason and Nancy, of Amarillo, spent Thanksgiving here with her mother, Mrs. H. E. Fowler, and Mr. Fowler, and her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Quillen and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Howard had as their week end guest Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Maines of Clarksville Arkansas. Mrs. Maines is a cousin of Mr. Howards, and they had not seen each other since childhood.

Mrs. Alpha Kitchens, of Grand Prairie, was a guest of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Kitchens and Joe, and other relatives here during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mrs. Durward Schmidt and Gene of Lamesa and Mrs. Dick Franklin, Jerry Dee and Beth of O'Donnell spent Thanksgiving with their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Thompson.

Rev. and Mrs. Richard M. Williams and family visited friends and relatives in Snyder, Abilene and Roby over the holidays.

Miss Myrna Sue Bingham, of Kress, spent Sunday here with her cousin, Miss Frankie Lou Hunt.

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### OF DELL CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wood of Lubbock, and Mrs. Clayton Wood and Jan, of Dell City, were Thanksgiving day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wood and Keith. Mrs. Clayton Wood and Jan remained here through Sunday and visited in the Woods home and with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. U. D. Brown, and other relatives.

### TEACHER

Mrs. Alva Trout, teacher in the Silverton schools, spent from Wednesday through Sunday at her home near Brinkman, Oklahoma. Her husband, came for her and returned her to Silverton.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith spent Thanksgiving day with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Green, in Turkey.

Mrs. Barney Anthony, a son and a daughter, from Canyon, visited her mother on Friday. The entire party visited Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Hill Mmes. Anthony and Hill are sisters in law.

Mrs. Wiley Bomar, Sr. visited her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Noble Lyde and daughters, in Lubbock from Wednesday through Sunday.

Messrs. and Mmes. J. W. Brannon, Jr. and Morris Stephens were in Elaso from Wednesday until Monday. They attended a bull fight in Jauruz while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Gerdes and children, of Tulsa spent Thanksgiving day with her mother, Mrs. C. L. McWilliams, Sr. and Guy.

Mr. and Mrs. Fleming, of Austin spent the Thanksgiving holidays here with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Cantwell and baby.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Chadwick and children, of Burkburnett, spent the holidays here with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Shelley Tomlin.

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### Thanksgiving day.

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Mr. and Mrs. Philip Nettleton and son of Lubbock were guests of Phillips father the Rev. N. D. Nettleton and Mrs. Nettleton, on

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### Housewives Can Help By Early Christmas Mailing Fowler Says

"It's time to start those Christmas mailings!" Postmaster Clay Fowler warned today, launching his "Mail Early for Christmas" campaign.

"On the calendar it's weeks away but at the Post Office it's Christmas today — and every day until December 25th," he said.

The Post Office has already dispatched a tremendous quantity of gift packages headed for members of the Armed Forces overseas.

The Postmaster especially calls on housewives to help in his effort to deliver every package and Christmas card before December 25th. "The lady of the house," he emphasized, is really in charge of each family's Christmas mailing program. She selects the Christmas cards, buys most of the gifts and sees to it that the mailing list of friends and loved ones is up to date.

Get your Christmas card list and carefully check through it. Make sure that each address includes the full name, street and number, city, zone and state. Then stock up on stamps (use three cent stamps on your Christmas cards for first-class mail service) and ask for copies of publications on "Packaging and Wrapping Parcels for Mailing" and "Domestic Postage rates and Fees."

Come to the Post Office before 10:30 a. m. or between 1:30 and 3:30 p. m. thus missing the rush hours. On your way home pick up a supply of heavy wrapping paper, sturdy empty cartons, strong cord and kraft paper adhesive tape. A modest investment in these necessities will pay big dividends in safe delivery of your cherished Christmas gifts," the Postmaster said, adding that all packages should be mailed by December 10th.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Braum and Randy, of Tulia, visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Strange and Ronnie last Thursday evening. The men were in military service together.

Thanksgiving day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Tunnell and Francis were his mother, Mrs. Mary Tunnell, of Tulia, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith and children, of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Paige, of Lubbock, were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Paige and Gwenlyn.

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**VISITORS**  
Joe Willard, of Meadow, visited Wendell Patterson from Wednesday through Sunday. His mother, Mrs. E. C. Watson, and Mr. Watson came for him on Sunday. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Watson, of Brownfield; the men are brothers. All attended church Sunday morning and were dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. James Patterson and Wendell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burchard, Boyd and Clay, of Folsom, New Mexico, were guests of her mother Mr. J. H. May, and other relatives here from Friday until Monday.

**BABY GIRL**  
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Kelly of Muskogee, Oklahoma, a baby girl weighing 6½ pounds. The young lady will celebrate November 22nd as her birthday.

Grand parents, are, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Deavenport, Silverton, and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Kelly, Muskogee, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Lindsey were week end guests of his mother, Mrs. George Creswell, and Mr. Creswell.

Mrs. P. H. McKenney, Peggy Phillips, LaWanda and Paula Reid were in Plainview on Saturday.

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