

in the Beta Sigma Phi in Strat- social and cultural sisterhood \$28.00 a ton. for young women, and that it orders will be limited to a 30-tainment for the young people Presbyterian minister of Canford are: (reading left to right) grew out of a group of literary Mrs. Charles Wisdom, Mrs. W. G. grew out of a group of literary ing stock. A \$5.00 deposit will canasta, bridge and "42" will Rankin, assisted by Rev. Lynn B. Hart, Mrs. Billy Cummings, Mrs. bersom name of the National Carroll Wisdom, Mrs. Fred Sen- What-to-Read Clubs. na, Mrs. W. D. Brannan, Mrs. On April 30, 1931, this organi-Huston Pearson, and Mrs. Dean zation was merged into the so-Heil. Officers not appearing rority we now know as Beta in the picture are Miss Dorothy Sigma Phi, with rituals and Walsh, Mrs. Vernon Cotney and badges that were to become, in

The best things in life are the beloved half across the world. hardest to describe. Who, for The first chapter was formed presented in a series of curt still in the throws of one of the Sale Saturday phrases, but the spiritual bond worst depressions in its history.

answer to those questions is that lasting friendships.

Officers taking a leading part it is a non-academic sorority, a a ton. Grass hay sells at The evening of recreation will ial Chapel.

a few short years, familiar and ernment.

satisfied everybody? Or of ter to the center of the United carload lots for shipment. happiness? Or peace? Very States. It was formed by Walmuch the same difficulty arises ter W. Ross, a man of unusual sible for unloading the hay. when a member who loves it, courage and vision, who was not sets out to describe Beta Sigma daunted by the fact that in Third Grade Food Phi. Facts and figures can be 1931, the United States was

which unites more than 85,000 The first chapter had only dents are sponsoring a Bake will be accepted to help raise Wohlford, Mrs. John Kidwell young women is less easy to put seven members, but the idea of Sale to be held in the Stratford funds for the P.T.A. budget. What then, is this organiza- ly successful, appealing as it did, Ocobter 11. Food will go on Honor Guests tion for which its members to young women who sought sale at 11:00 A. M. claim so much, how did it start, wider knowledge, deeper culture, what does it do? The short and the warmth of close and be used to sponsor Princess Mr. and Mrs. John Sanders of where he mad his home

Miss Lerayane Mitts was chos-

FFA boys set their annual

committee composed of John

Regular meetings of the or-

ganization will be held the first

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lorel

Allan, born Saturday in Neblett

morial Hospital.

First Grade Bake

have a bake sale Saturday af-

A "struck bushel" is an even

Monday nights of each month.

Amarillo Boosters FFA Boys To Visit Here **Elect Officers**

Wednesday When the special eight-car in the high school building Montrain carrying more than 125 day night. Officers elected goodwill boosters from Ama- are: Roy Lee Newman, Presirillo arrives in Stratford Wed-dent; John Harrison, Vice Presnesday of next week at 12:05 P. ident; Bob Newman, Secretary; their partonage for me and my and Marion. Mr. Sanders is M. for a 15-minute visit, the Manuel Garcia, Treasurer; Fin wife to spend the winter in the brother of Mrs. Lewie Bran-Stratford High School Band of Ramon, Reporter, and B. A. Florida. 45 pieces and 4 twirlers will be Donelson, Sentinel. on hand to provide a musical en as the FFA chapter Sweet-

welcome. approximately heart by popular vote. .Stratford's 400 school children will also be at the depot, according to chapter dues at \$2.50. Plans School Superintendent R. W. were made for intiation of the Standefer, Jr., who will make first year agriculture boys and a the official welcoming speech.

A part of the Amarillo dele- Harrison, B. A. Donelson, Dickie gation will be the famous Ama- Bachman, and Jimmy Ingham rillo Air Force Base Band under was appointed to arrange a the direction of Warrant Offi- humorous program. cer Patrick Veltre.

"We cordially invite everyone in Stratford to meet our train at the Rock Island station,' Frank Helvey, chairman of the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce Goodwill Committee said. "We will have a sound truck on hand so everyone will be able to hear Haile are the parents of a five all of the features of our pro- pound six ounce son, Homer

The group's visit to Stratford Hospital in Canyon, Texas. will be on the final day of a three-day tour in which a total of 26 Panhandle and Tri-State the parents of a six pound ten cities are being visited. After ounce son born September 30 in leaving Stratford the train will Dumas Memorial Hospital. stop at Dalhart, Hartley and

Channing. A similar three-day tour was the parents of a three pound made last spring through the daughter, Debra Fay, born Sat-Pecos Valley, Helvey said. urday morning in Dumas Me-

Schools Transfer To Interscholastic League Affiliation

Coaches of girls basketball mas Memorial Hospital. Mrs. teams in Morse, Sunray, Hart- Smith is the former Wardene ley, Channing and Texline Gunnels, a niece of Mrs. T. D. transferred their applications Chisum, and attended grade from the McKamie League to school in Stratford for a short the Interscholastic League at a time. meeting held at the school building in Stratford Thursday night of last week.

The district tournament for Sale Saturday In the girls teams will be held in Stinnett the weekend of Feb- Woolsey Building ruary 21.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to take this means of in the Woolsey Appliance buildexpressing my appreciation for ing. This sale will be held for all the cards and letters from the purpose of raising money my friends, and the flowers from for the first grade carnival the Men's Sunday School class prince and princess, Miss Judy of the First Baptist Church. Steinberger and Master Jimmie Carl Reeves Mackey.

Cows perspire only on their

THE STRATFORD STAR

Stratford, Sherman County, Texas, Thursday, October 9, 1952.

County Approved PTA Plans For For Emergency Family Night Hay Relief

Sherman County has been apcost of mixed hay will be \$32.00 P. M.

with each order. ty stockmen will be made either to Stratford or Texhoma.

The cost of freight shipments ed. will be paid by the federal gov-

for any amount of hay they school are especially urged to At the time of his death he instance, has ever written a de- in Abilene, Kansas, a town need. Orders will be pooled attend this evening of enter- was a salesman for the Smyth scription of love that really which is as near as doesn't mat- until they may be placed in tainment. The program will be Auto Supply Company. He was

Stockmen will be held respon-

the new sorority was immediate- Cleaners building Saturday,

Proceeds from the sale will With Dinner

their chapter at a meeting held M.

CARD OF THANKS

The emerald is the softest of all precious stones.

October 24

Stratford Parent Teacher As-

be designed to furnish enterwill also be provided for games ducted the funeral service. Shipments for Sherman Coun- popular with the younger set.

Refreshments of pie, coffee, Cemetery. cokes and cookies will be serv-

Stockmen may place orders Parents who have children in years. members of the school faculty for the first World War.

Shela Donelson and Prince Gary Bowie, Texas were honored in Garoutte in the annual Hal- the home of his sister, Mrs. Lew- Attend Methodist ie Brannan, with a dinner Sun-According to arrangements, day. Those present were: Mr. mothers of Third Grade stu- and Mrs. Bill Pipkin, Mr. and Lubbock dents should have their contri- Mrs. Edward Brannan and butions of food at the Cleaners' children, Mr. and Mrs. Doss Stratford FFA boys organized building not later than 10:30 A. Brewer and children, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Brannan, Janita and Wesley Joe Willey, Mrs. A. C. Huff, Mr. and Mrs. John San-I wish to thank all my cus- ders, and the host and hostess, tomers who made it possible by Mr. and Mrs. Lewie Brannan nan, Mrs. Pipkin and Mrs. T. gram for the next four years.

> Obadiah is the shortest book in the Old Testament.

S. Brannan.

HIGH PLAINS POLL

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DEFOR GEN. DWIGHT EISENHOWER

return to the office of this newspaper.

T FOR GOV. ADLAI STEVENSON

Conference In

Revival" will begin November 30 and continue through Decem- ing program initiated by ber 7, during which a visitation FFA this year. program will be conducted by laymen similar to that last year.

pulpit as throughout all Methodism.

ATTEND FUNERAL IN RALLS, TEXAS

Last Rites **Tuesday For**

be required by the PMA office be provided for adults. Tables First Presbyterian Church, con-

designed to enable parents to a member of the First Presby-

and to give them an opportunity! Surviving are his wife and to take part in the work of the two daughters, Mrs. Robert Mc-Cartt and Mrs. H. T. Wilkins; No admission charge will be two brothers, Homer and Frank Mothers of Third Grade stu- made but free-will donations Smith; five sisters, Mrs. Sam

Amarilol in young manhood

Rev. H. A. Nichols and Mr. Joe Everett and Mrs. A. L. King attended a meeting of the To Receive Northwest Texas Conference of the Methodist Church held in Lubbock, Texas Tuesday to orium, 1952 to 1956. "The Stew- Angus calves which will be plac- The purpose of taking the ardship of Life" will be the pro-

will be enlisted. During the producer and feeder share preaching nights a different equally in the sale price of the speaker will occupy the local bulls.

Mr. and Mrs. Doss Brewer and children and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Brewer and Kenneth attended the funeral of Doss Brewer's grandfather in Ralls, Texas Wednesday of last week.

Last rites for Ira proved for cattlemen to secure sociation members are making Smith, former Stratford resiemergency feed at reduced plans for a "Family Night" to dent, who has been associated prices for feeding their breeding be held in the music and art with various Amarillo automostock. Legume hay may be se- room of the grade school build- tive firms for many years, were cured for \$36.00 a ton. The ing Friday, October 24, at 7:30 conducted at 2:00 P. M. Tuesday in Blackburn-Shaw Memor-

Rev. J. R. Sharp, retired Burial was made in Llano

Mr. Smith died in the Veterans Hospital in Amarillo Sun-A nursery will be provided for day night at the age of 57 years. the care of small children. He had lived in Amarillo for 33

become better acquainted with terian Church and a veteran

Mrs. Harley Snider, Mrs. H. V. Holden, and Mrs. Ben Horn. Mr. Smith spent his boyhood days in Stratford, moving to Monday Night

First Freeze The Panhandle's first freeze came Monday night when the At State Fair The Panhandle's first freeze

a pep squad leader.

Half-time ceremonies

thermometer dropped to 27 degrees. The low Tuesday night was 28 degrees and Wednesday night it was 30 degrees.

mon, Hico, Texas, and a grand-

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. L.

Calves Friday

Colorado Friday to receive two as much shrinkage as possible. ed in his care for feeding by J. calves to the show early is to C. Parker of Dalhart. The calves get them back on their feed and "The All Texas Stewardship will be fed by Everett under allow them to recover shrinkage the new breeding stock produc- before the livestock judging

FFA boys feed the calves of producers and when the calves Many three minute speakers are placed in the sales ring,

Band Parents In Meeting Tuesday

Forty band parents attended a meeting Tuesday night at the Stratford grade school music room. John B. Schnabel, director of instrumental music outlined in part the plans for the instrumental music department, including a discussion of the merit system which is being used by the high school

Mr. Schnabel demonstrated the characteristics of the woodwind family of instruments using the flute, oboe and clarinet to illustrate qualities of tone color and the particular difficulties and ease of playing of the woodwind instruments. At the next meeting a similar talk ing. and demonstration will feature The experience of one of the the brass instrument family.

later this fall.

high school band were planning stockholders who owned October.

Square Dance Club Meets Saturday

A meeting of the Square Dance Club will be held in the cere thanks to our many friends American Legion Hall at 8:00 for the lovely floral offering and P. M. Saturday.

Pure lead is a soft metal.

Garrison presented her with the traditional bouquet. Club Calves To Appear

Miss Monette Salmon, daugh- under the direction of the Hico

ter of Mr. and Mrs. Conda Sal- band master. Monette Salmon,

Etheridge, was crowned Home- ter and Billy Luckie, entered

coming Queen and named Foot- the field from the south end in

ball Sweetheart in ceremonies a convertible driven by Jimmie

held recently at Hico. Mon- Ahles. The queen was crowned

ette is a freshman in school and by Bruce Slaughter and Steve

Johnny Summerour and Vincent Meyer will show their top club calves at the State Fair in Dallas, Texas.

with her escorts, Bruce Slaugh-

Ernest Goule and Duard Lamb left this evening to take the calves to Dallas. They planned a midway overnight stop Joe Everett will go to Similar, to bed the calves and prevent takes place Tuesday morning of

> The two calves will be sold at the show. The two boys have been feeding each of the calves for about 18 months. Summerour and Meyer will leave Saturday for Dallas to attend the livestock show.

Penalty Of Success

In a world where all free nations are faced with the grim question of survival, it is shocking to find the United States heedlessly knocking the props out from under one of her greatest sources of strength, competitive private enterprise. This unique system, where each producer must strive to give his customers a better product or service at lower cost than his competitor, is unsurpassed and has raised this country head and shoulders above every other nation in the world. It will keep us there unless we fall for the ever disastrous expedient of killing the goose to get all of the golden eggs at once. The excessive taxation to which business is now subjected is a frightening indication that this is exactly what is happen-

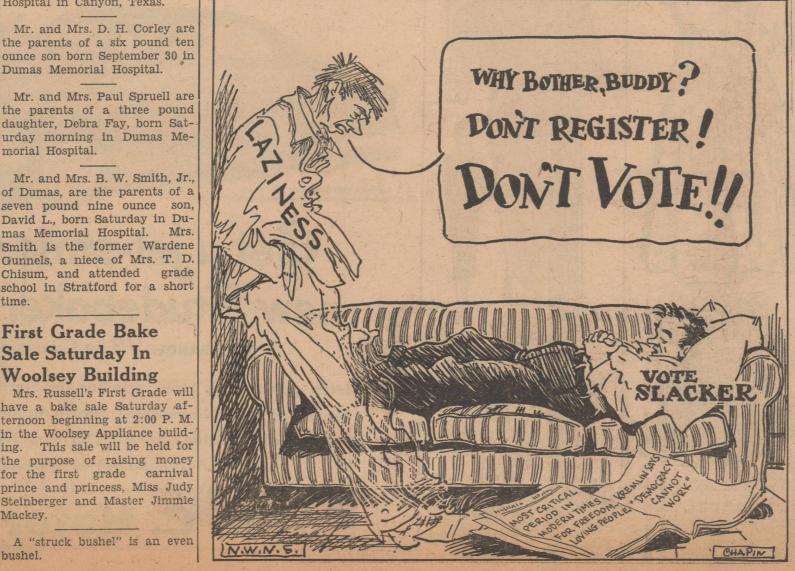
nation's leading oil companies The group discussed care of is an excellent case in point. uniform equipment and it was Last year direct taxes, includmentioned that a special ing income and excess profits marching exhibition in full un- taxes, amounted to \$121,500,000. iform was being planned for In addition \$218,300,000 was down town Stratford a little collected from customers in state and Federal motor fuel Mr. Schnabel stated that al- and oil taxes. This made a tomost all of the members of the tal tax of \$339,880,000. The to attend the concerts, both af- company and whose invested ternoon and evening, of the savings made its existence pos-Marine Band which will be sible received less than \$84,000,presented at West Texas State 000. More than four times this College, Canyon on the 29th of amount was taken for the support of the government, which took none of the risk of the business.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sinthe messages of condolence during our recent bereavement.

The Smith Family

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The word pastor originally The kumquat is the smallest meant shepherd.

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IN WASHINGTON

By WALTER SHEAD

mere bystanders in this election, publicans. with their pet theories on farm price supports trampled underfoot by General Dwight Eisenhower.

American Farm Bureau Federation, and Herschell Newson, master of the National Grange, and their cratic platform. I believe it is a sliding scale of farm supports in good platform. I believe its agrifavor of the present rigid 90 per- cultural plank is clear, definite and cent of party support law, there has sound. I can stand on it without been no rumble of disapproval squirming. I feel no need to modi-

Eisenhower in his farm policy speech at Kasson, Minn., not only repudiated Kline and Newson States. repudiated Kline and Newsom, but ing, and sided with Congressman now in effect. percent of parity, but full parity." said:

trary to the record.

'I say to you that I stand be- the risks." hind-and the Republican party stands behind—the price support laws now on the statute books,"

of party law now on the books. THE BIG QUESTION in farm Vote in the Senate for passage circles here in Washington to- was by voice vote after Democrats day is will the leadership of the two had beaten back the sliding scale largest farm organizations become program over opposition of Re-

Governor Adlai Stevenson's farm policy speech on the same day at Despite the fact Ike repudiated both Allan Kline, president of the American Farm Bureau Federa-cratic platform.

Kasson was a complete acceptance of the farm plank in the Democratic platform.

from either of these two sources. fy this provision or that, to explain

Governor Stevenson said he behe kicked out the farm plank in lieved price supports were doing the GOP platform which both Kline a good job for basic crops on which and Newsom had a hand in writ- loan and storage operations were

Clifford Hope of Kansas, ranking "But for perishables," he said, GOP member of the House agricul- "Such as hogs, dairy products, tural committee, and against Sen- fruits and vegetables, these loan ator George Aiken of Vermont, and storage operations don't seem ranking member of the Senate to work very well. Yet these prodagricultural committee, who also ucts provide about three-fourths espouses the sliding scale of farm of all the income received by our price supports. Eisenhower, not farmers." Declaring that the first only went for the 90 percent figure line of defense behind perishables but declared that, in obtaining a is a strong economic policy to infull share of the national income, sure high employment and purthe farmers deserve "not merely 90 chasing power, Governor Stevenson

"But behind this there should be protection against unreasonably In declaring, however that the low prices for those producers of Republican party now stands be-hind the present 90 percent rigid should know that they can expand parity law Eisenhower went con- production and that the public that benefits from it will share part of

The Federal Reserve Board has recently published a booklet showing the status of the farmer today As a matter of fact extension as compared to 12 years ago, and of the 90 percent rigid party sup- the most outstanding feature is the port was voted by this Congress fact that the American farmer toin its closing days in the House by day could pay off all his debts in a vote of 207 to 121. The vote was cash for the first time in history. 133 Democrats for, and 35 Demo- The census shows farmers have decrats against, and 74 Republicans posits and currency totalling \$15, for and 85 Republicans against. So 200,000,000 while total debt, both a majority of House GOP congress- real estate and non-real estate men voted against the 90 percent totals only \$14,149,000,000.



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Rust stains are the most difficult to remove on refrigerators. A weak solution (5 percent) of oxalic acid (poison) applied with paper toweling and rinsed off thoroughly in a few seconds, will usually remove them. If this acid is left on the surface for too long a time, the finish will be removed or, at least, weakened.

Ice cube trays should always be washed, after defrosting, with warm soapy or detergent suds. Rinse them thoroughly before refilling with clean water.

RECIPE OF THE WEEK Savory Veal Steaks

(Serves 6) 1½ pounds veal shoulder steak

- 2 tablespoons flour 11/2 teaspoons salt
- 1 teaspoon ginger 11/2 teaspoons dry mustard
- 2 tablespoons lard 2 onions
- 1 cup water 1 cup milk

Mix dry ingredients and pound into the meat. Brown one side in hot fat, sprinkle with remaining flour mixture, then turn and cover with sliced onions. When second side is brown, add water and cover. Simmer 11/4 hours or until tender. Remove meat to platter, add milk to drippings, heat thoroughly and pour over meat.

Accumulations of dirt and slime frequently clog the drain pipe of ice refrigerators. Remove the pipe and clean with a tablespoon of borax or baking soda in a pint of water. Baking soda dissolved over the ice, in ice refrigerators, keeps the

drain pipe sweet and clean. Use the ice compartment of the refrigerator for storing frozen foods, ice cream and home-made frozen desserts.



mano, New York, holds \$30 and letter from man who held her up and took that sum from her re-He apologized for his

A bissextile year is leap year.

except that he cannot vote.

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Rev. Upchurch Speaks At Lions Club Meeting

principal speaker at the meet-ent for the ladies night program.

ing of the Stratford Lions Club in the Palace Cafe Monday night. He used "Cooperation" as his subject. Thirty-four Rev. M. E. Upchurch was the Lions and Lionesses were pres-

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SCRIPTURE: Matthew 5.
DEVOTIONAL READING: Romans

Christians Differ

Lesson for October 12, 1952

WILL GIVE YOU the secret of true happiness." If a man starts talking in that vein he will have listeners at once. Jesus began his famous sermon on the mount with that

magic word "happy." It its unfortunate that most of our English translations use the word 'blessed' because for most people "blessed" is a church-word. They don't know whether they

Dr Foreman

want to be blessed or not; they have no doubt about wanting to be happy. It is twice unfortunate that Jesus' meaning has been hidden under an even more forbidding word, "Beatitudes." What we have here is a series of one-sentence pictures of truly happy per-

What Christians Are

In these sentences Jesus sketches the kind of person who "has," that is to say, belongs to, the Kingdom of Heaven. If God were forced to throw away some of the human race and keep others, these are the people he would keep. Jesus in these short sentences is picturing the Christ-like. He is not talking about what they believe but about what they are. There is all the difference in the world between Jesus' idea of a Christian and some of the popular ideas today. For example, many persons think of a Christian as a person who keeps a certain number of rules, or believes a certain number of things, or belongs to a peculiar kind of club called the church. But a club member may be exactly like the people on the outside except that he has paid his dues and they haven't; and some church members are just like non-hurch members except that they have paid their dues (or at least owe them) while the outsiders have

Finding True Happiness

Let us venture to put the meaning of Jesus into simple words of today. The following sentences are meant to suggest only some of the means wrapped in these truths-for-Do you want to know the secret of happiness? Jesus asks. I will tell you. The happy are those who know how little they know and how far from good they are. These are the real people, God's people. The happy are not always the gay; the happy are the serious, those who feel a sincere sorrow for their sins and shortcomings, sorry enough to turn away from them. The happy are those who do not insist on their own rights, who carry no chip on their shoulders, who are more interested in justice for others than for themselves. After the proud have destroyed the proud, these are the people to whom the earth belongs. The happy people are those who want to be good more than anything else in the world. This is the one desire that God always fulfils. Happy people are those that find their happiness in helping others; these are the people who will find helpers in their own time of need. Happy people are those who are pure, not in act alone but in inner thoughts and desires. They are the ones who have any eyes for God. Happy people are not only peaceable themselves but help others to live in peace as well. These are the people who are really God-like. Happy people are not always free from trouble; but their troubles have been caused chiefly not by their sins but by the fact that they are good. They have their heaven in their hearts.

Christians Are Different

You are happy yourselves (Jesus concludes) when the hard things said about you are lies. You are happy when you suffer as I suffer, on behalf of others. God will reward you; you belong to the glorious company of the best men of all time, for there never was a good friend of God who was not misunderstood and slandered. Jesus never explained all he meant. ("He who has ears, let him hear," he used to say.) But whatever may be puzzling, one thing is clear: Christians are different. If a man fits these descriptions ever part-way, he is noticeably different from the run-of-mine human being. We cannot water down Jesus' ideas, for they are really radical. We should not try to make it sound easy; he did not. But let us be as frank as he was: If you want to find real happiness, if you want to belong to God's people, if you want to be a real Christian, this is it. (Copyright 1952 by the Division of Christian Education, National Council of the Churches of Christ of the United States of America. Released by WNU Features.)

The advertisements have a message importance for you.



PAGE wearing a crimson coat how they were. A stepped out on the stage and that had announced the previous a good one . . . I could show you act. He substituted another. The a lot of rave notices . . ." new one read:

HARRY MARLOWE Blackface Comedian

He didn't say anything. He re- the act went over. moved the cigar and stared at it "Doctors? Oh, I had the best distastefully.

The audience giggled. They knew

Somewhere in the darkened orchestra circle a woman began to the big laughs largely by doing sob. nothing, except giving the crowd or applauded.

But tonight he finally looked up said, I shouldn't have come out sadly and rumbled, "Hello folks," here tonight." in his familiar grave voice.

"Maybe I shouldn't be out here paint and cork.

The big fellow paused and ened a little. relit his cigar. "You folks paid out your good money, partly to laugh at me. The world needs a lot of laughs." He sighed deeply and audibly. "I'm sorry," he resumed slowly. "I guess I got you here the slowly. "I'm sorry," he resumed forth. under false pretenses this time.

by smearing his make-up a little. crossed two stubby fingers to show hind him.

"She use to work with me in removed from an easel the placard vaudeville. We were a team-and

Again he paused. For a moment he stared thoughtfully at a corner of the upper gallery, unblinking in The audience applauded in an- the glare of the spotlight.

"Yeah," he said, coming back He shuffled slowly from the from wherever his thoughts had wings, dragged a kitchen chair been. "Yeah, that was a long time behind him. He was short, heavy ago, before she . . . " Again his low, set, with a doleful expression on rumbling voice broke and faltered. his round face. A battered derby "What I mean, that was when she rode rakishly on his head. There was well . . . Then she had to quit, was a cigar drooping from his and so the act broke up, and I had to go it alone. Well, not alone, eith-At the center of the stage he er, for she was always waiting up tilted the chair and stood leaning for me, no matter how sick she on the back of it, his feet crossed. was. Always wanting to know how

for her."

"Well," said the melancholy confidential and inaccurate infor- funny man, staring at his cigar, mation about the private lives of "this afternoon—just a few hours the other troupers on the bill, and ago—she died in my arms. So—'' he shushing the crowd when it laughed flicked ashes off the cigar "-that's the way it is. I'm sorry. Like I

"Yes! Yes!" shouted several voices out there beyond the foottonight," he went on, his heavy lights. More women were sobbing features glistening with grease now. The big, black-face comedian's lugubrious countenance light-

seemed to forget the audience. He it's all right then, my being here

"Maybe," he said, "some of you You see, I can't be funny tonight remember when Trixie (that was eyes where tears had started, there- formers in the world . . . Thanks a million. Good night."

. . she and I were like that," Harry Marlowe shuffled slowly he went on, his voice choking. He off stage, dragging the chair be-

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Local News

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Spruell, St. Louis, have been guests in Lisbon, Iowa, and Mrs. Edith tives here over the weekend. the homes of his mother, Mrs. Maybauer, of Cedar Rapids, Mary Spruell and other relatives were business visitors in Stratfor the past week. Mrs. Mary ford the first of the week. Spruell returned home with them for a visit.

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visited relatives in Hooker, Ok- | Mexico. lahoma Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Meyers,

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Mr. and Mrs. Ben Howell, of Fowler, Colorado visited rela-

Mr. and Mrs. John Bart returned to their home in Cheyenne Wells, Colorado Wednesday Mrs. Van B. Boston returned after a short visit in the home home Tuesday from a visit in of Mr. and Mrs. Lyall Murdock Bart and Mrs. Murdock

> and children, Sandra and Lane, of Lubbock, came early Sunday morning for a visit with her Stratford next spring. mother, Mrs. H. M. Brown. Mr. Albert returned home the same

V. H. Sanders made a business trip to Denver, Colorado

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Taylor, Mrs. Lee Grimes and Ray attended the Washburn Pioneer Roundup in Washburn, Texas, Sunday. Being too late to at- dinner guests of Mrs. D. tend the morning church ser- Buckles and William Buckles vices, they enjoyed the basket Friday evening. dinner, which followed, and the program that was presented in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Blake and Tommy, and T. D. Chisum, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wilson of Dumas, were visitors in Amarillo Sunday. Mrs. and Tommy were visitors in T. D. Chisum, who has been with her daughter in Amarillo the past two weeks, returned home with them.

business visitor here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Buckles at-*******

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tended the football games in

Mrs. Arnold Stump and children and Mrs. E. F. Hamilton of Texhoma were guests in the with them Sunday for a visit in home of Mrs. W. D. Ellis Mon- their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Seig left Mr. and Mrs. Donald Moon, and in a recent car accident. Tuesday for Florida where they Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kidder atand with other relatives. Mrs. plan to spend the winter. En- tended the American Legion route they plan to visit his Veterans Hospital school in turned home Monday night af- in part financed by the annual mother in Wichita, Kansas and Amarillo Monday night. their son-in-law and daughter, A/1c and Mrs. Richard Albert Mr. and Mrs. Felix Spears, in Springdale, Arkansas. Mr. and

Mrs. Esther Mairs of New York day, and Mrs. Albert and child- City is visiting with Mr. and ren remained for a weeks visit. Mrs. Arthur Ross and family and other relatives.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Buckles the latter part of last week, were her sister, Mrs. Paul Chesmer, and Mrs. E. B. McQueen, Mr. and a friend, Mrs. Earl Whitaker and son, Larry, all of Sweetwater, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Buckles and their guests were

> Mr. and Mrs. Ira Guthrie and little son, Jimmy, of Ardmore, Oklahoma, were weekend visitors in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Guthrie.

> Mr. and Mrs. Homer Blake Dumas Saturday.

Mrs. Sallie V. McAdams left Saturday for Falls Church, Virginia, where she is visiting H. C. Pester, Amarillo, was a in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Gomez and children.

> Mrs. Mary Spruell and guests, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Spruell visited Mrs. Paul Spruell and baby in Dumas Sunday.

> Mrs. A. L. Sutton and Mrs. C. W. Forester of Haywood, California returned Tuesday from a visit with relatives in Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Mrs. Lena B. Keenan left Sunday for Amarillo where she Proceeds to be used in Hal- plans to spend the winter in

Mrs. Herman Davis, Spring-Grade mothers bring or send food to the Stratford Cleaners field, Colorado, was a guest in by or before 10:30 A. M. Satur- the home of Mrs. Tincy Oakley

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bennett left Sunday for a visit in Hot Springs, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sanders, Bowie, Texas, are here for a visit with his mother, Mrs. A. C. Huff, who is in ill health.

Jerry Byrd is visiting with his grandmother in Dalhart.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Ownby of Wichita Falls, Texas are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ownby.

Lorel Haile and Mrs. Joe Brown spent the latter part of last week in Canyon with Mrs. Lorel Haile. Mr. and Mrs. Baskin Brown, Joe Ray and Joe Brown visited with Mrs. Haile in Canyon Sunday.

Claude Sloan and Don Tusha attended a meeting of Oldsmobile dealers in Oklahoma City Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates, Mrs. H. J. Cooper and Miss Evelyn Cooper visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Cooper in Ness City, Kansas Sunday.

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Ozie Green, Clovis, New Mex- L. F. Hardman, Eskridge, Kan- ties have had one or more mass ico, was a guest in the homes of sas, long time friends of the chest X-rays surveys. Mrs. Seig plan to return to his sisters, Mrs. N. D. Kelp and Brands, had charge of the Lone Mrs. Walter Lee, Tuesday night. Star Courts while they were a- Shop the ads-Try Stratford first

Mr. and Mrs. George Jeffcoat way. Mr. and Mrs. Hardman visited in the home of Mr. and plan to leave Sunday to spend Mrs. William A. Hugg in Clay- the winter in California.

ter a three weeks visit in Flor- sale of Christmas Seals. Since ida and in Cuba. Mr. and Mrs. 1946, all but 22 Texas' 254 coun-

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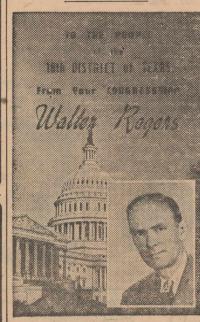


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2 tablespoons green pepper. 1-4 cup French dressing. Salt and pepper to taste.

Marinate meat in French ressing 15 minutes, drain, and combine with other ingredients. Toss lightly. Serve on lettuce leaves. Four large servings.



Back To Texas This is not out of the way coming to Texas, so we arranged to The boys played a wonderful an outstanding job and receiv- be increasing interest in a pres- that I have been talking to for ed high praise from all of the idential preferential primary. the past several days, and most spectators and the opposing Some feel that party nomina- of them look pretty healthy and players. The people of North tions should be by such a pri- good for many years to come. Carolina certainly proved that mary, with the retention of the their reputation for good sportsmanship is no idle rumor. They certainly displayed to the nth degree that courteous hospitality for which the South is fam-Many Texans were on hand for the game. I'm sure There are still others who feel all of them left with a warm spot in their hearts for the fine an amendment providing that State of North Carolina. This each candidate should receive state has a fine delegation in Congress that has provided al votes that he receives popumuch of the strength in the lar vote in each state. This is battle against socialistic pro- definitely a problem on which grams, and in protecting the much will be done and said berights of the South.

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We left Durham which is 12 Generally speaking, we found miles from Chapel Hill, and that the folks in all sections are drove across the state to Ashe- primarly interested in the Unitville, thence to Chattanooga, ed States and what it stands thence to Memphis, Little Rock, for. They realize the respon-Tulsa, on to Sherman, Texas, to sibility that we hold in the visit my mother, then to the world today and are willing to District where we will be for meet all requirements, but they several weeks unless we get a are not willing to exhaust our soring the First Grade Carnival hurry-up call to return to Wash- resources trying to keep up the Princess Judy Steinberger and ington. During this entire trip whole world. Opinions are Prince Jimmie Mackey. I have been especially interested varied on how far this country in noting the attitude of the should go in foreign aid, but alpeople on the matter of voting. most unanimous that such aid

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How to Control People

ONE SUNDAY AFTERNOON Roy L. Gladwell, Montreal, Canada, had a friend call with his cocker spaniel pup. As was to be expected, the children made a fuss over the dog and everything went smoothly-for a while.

It developed that the dog's master fancied himself as a dog trainer, and was anxious to demonstrate how quickly his puppy had mastered the trick of retrieving a thrown ball. As it happened he had just the right type of "bouncy" ball in his pocket!

With appropriate fanfare the ball was tossed the length of the living room by the guest. Nothing happened.

Then Robert Gladwell, aged five, went after the ball, picked it up and held on to it. He had no intention of retrieving it!

"Throw the ball for the puppy, Robert," said his mother.

"Give the ball to Mr. Bordeau," ventured Roy. "No!"

This caused an embarrassing predicament with which most

Then occurred for Roy Gladwell an inspiration.

"Robert," would you like to see the puppy run after the ball?" "Yes!" Robert beamed all over his baby face.

"Then throw the ball." The ball came bouncing down the room.

So Roy was happy, Robert was happy, the dog's master was happy, and the puppy was happy!

For the first time in his life, says Roy, he had succeeded in persuading somebody, admittedly only a child—but a very stubborn one—to do something he wanted done, by arousing in that person an eager want.

Many of them are hesitant to with it. It is interesting to This letter is being written discuss party politics, but they read the national polls and while Mrs. Rogers and I are en are all wide awake about the estimates that are made on a route to Texas. We were able coming election and are pretty nationwide scale, and then go to secure the services of a lady well advised on the important out into the different comto stay with the children so issues facing the country. They munities and talk to the people. that Jean and I might get home are definitely doing their own The nation-wide picture is for a few weeks. We discovered thinking. Many of the small-great deal different from the that the University of Texas er towns have headquarters set single community pictures, but was playing the University of up for the presidential and vice- the two together make a won-North Carolina in Chapel Hill. presidential candidates. The derful view of the entire Amerpeople as a whole appear to be ican scene. interested in facts and truth. If you ever get to feeling that attend the game. You could They are reading and listening the country is going to the dogs all be justly proud of Texas. carefully and weighing the and can't be saved, just start facts. They don't hesitate to out across the country and stop game. The Panhandle was well ask questions and to seek all in- every chance you get and visit represented in the person of T. formation possible. This is so with the folks. America will Jones, who hails from Childress in the rural areas as well as the never go to the dogs as long as and plays quarterback. He did large cities. There seems to we have the kind of Americans

> electoral college system for CONNALLY TO VOTE Others feel that the DEMOCRATIC TICKET

president and vice-president When asked what he may do should be elected by popular in the presidential campaign, vote; that the electoral college Senator Connally said: system should be abolished. course I am going to support

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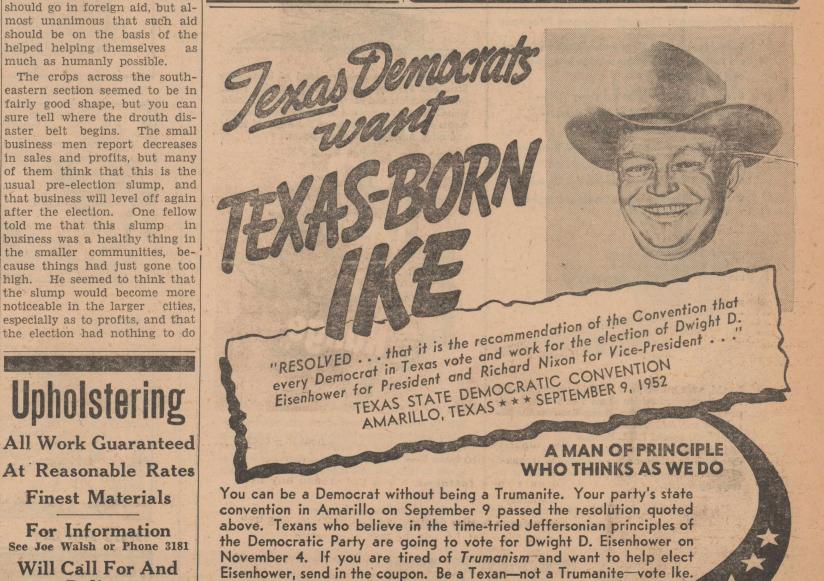
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Ladies present were: Mrs. J. P. Webb, Mrs. O. H. Ingham, Mrs. Leon Guthrie, Mrs. W. D. Ellis, Mrs. Baskin Brown, Mrs. Royal Pendleton, Mrs. J. S. Johnson, Mrs. Lester Plunk, Mrs. A. E. Knight, and Mrs. A. H. Ellison.

After the lesson refreshments of cookies and coffee were served by the hostess during a social hour.

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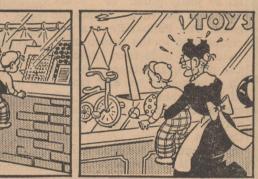
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Want Ads

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NEW MODELS of the Kelvinator Refrigerators and Home Freezers now in stock. — Van B.

USED WASHING MACHINES Apex, Maytag, and two second hand automatics; one used Chambers Range. — Woolsey Appliances.

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HOME For Sale: Furnished or unfurnished. Home has 3 bedrooms, 2 bath rooms, extra large living room and kitchen, 2 room basement, carpeting, venetian blinds, draperies. Double garage and other buildings. Located 1-2 block from school.— Claude Sloan.

FOR SALE: New 2-bedroom house; and a used 3-bedroom home. — Clifford Byrd. 50-tfc

FOR SALE: My 7-room home on North Fourth and Fulton Streets, paved all the way around, priced as a good bargain, see me. — J. W. Flores. 32-tfc

RESIDENCE LOTS in South Stratford. You may buy them on easy terms or monthly payments. — Earl Garoutte. 49-tfc

FOR SALE: galvanized stock tank. — Owen Palmer. 52-tfc

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FOR SALE: 1949 Case Baler, used very little. Priced to sell. See or Phone Boulware Grain, Sheridan Lake, Colorado. 52-2tp

FOR SALE: 1951 John Deere 55 Combine, 12 foot width \$3,950.00. Located at Bob Bur gess' farm. — Phil Smith, Montgomery City, Missouri. 51-3to

FOR SALE: Made to order andom wheel stock trailer in excellent condition. Never been used. See Arthur Ross or Phone

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FOUND: Yellow kitten with his tail cut off. — Jo Ann Roper and Margie Parrish. 1-1tx

PAPER HANGING, APER HANGING, for estimates. — Mrs. W. E. 52-4tc

SAWS sharpened with a power saw sharpener. See E. E. Hamilton at Hamilton Machine Shop

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS: Sealed bids will be received in the office of the Superintendent of Stratford Independent School District at Stratford. Texas until 4:00 P. M. Thursday, October 16, on three school buses to be offered for sale to the public. Buses for sale are described as follows: 1 Ford V-8 1½ ton, all wheel drive, No. 991-72 1440; 1 Ford V-8 1½ ton, all wheel drive. No. 991-72 1841; 1 Ford V-8 Panel 1 ton, No. 7799L1858 316. The Board of Trustees of the Stratford Independent School District reserves the usual right to reject any or all bids. 51-3tc

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Regular Meetings

Shouldn't Starve SCIENCE believes the world can continue to feed its constantly increasing population, possibly due to rise from the current estimate of two and one half billion to as much as four billion by the end of the century. The assurance was given during

the recent International Geographical Congress in Washington. The Society was one of the hosts to the gathering of delegates from more than 50 foreign countries. Dr. W. H. Sebrell, Jr., director of this country's National Institutes of Health, reported to a symposium on world food supply that chem-

istry and agricultural technology, advancing side by side, inevitably will keep pace with the numerical growth of the human race. He said that eradication of

tirely possible-alone would increase food yields in all parts of the globe by making agricultural workers more productive. Dr. Theodore Schultz of the University of Chicago's department of

malaria-and he called this en-

Science Says We

economics told the same group that the United States, if called upon, could increase its food productivity by 20 percent in five years, or enough to feed 50 to 100 million more people.

Dr. George Kuriyan, University of Madras, said India probably was not as yet making the best use of its farm land. In many instances, he told his scientific audience, tracts are either too large or too small to be efficient, and much land that could raise foodstuffs is presently devoted to commercial crops such as jute.

Other Congress speakers expressed the opinion that the increasing population will have to be fed from land already in use because there are "no longer empty areas worth developing."

Dr. Josue de Castro of the University of Brazil disagreed in part. He held that the bottomlands of the Amazon River country could be made vastly productive.

A PEAK AT THE STARS

By Lyn Connelly

DON McNEILL'S "Breakfast Club" will not double into TV this fall after all . . . It was decided a simulcast would be too expensive . . . Many an artist wishes he might do the sort of "concert tour" Dean Martin and Jerry Lewis are due to start in October . . . They figure to rake in \$100,000 . . . Looks as if the much heralded Charles Laughton show won't debut until next January . . . Faye Emerson plans to return to television in a daytime NBC spot this fall . . . Can't keep a good woman down . . . The music of Richard Rodgers' "Victory at Sea" which premieres next month on NBC-TV, is the talk of music and video circles . . . Said to be his most profound creative work to

Lily Pons and Andre Kostelanetz will perform for London audiences during Coronation Week . Radio Theatre, next June . long-time Monday night favorite, is still shopping around without luck for a successor to William Keighley . . . Cecil B. DeMille doesn't appear to be slated for his former job as the show's emcee . CBS is auditioning to replace Cathy Lewis as co-star on Marie Wilson's "My Friend Erma" Could it be that Marie doesn't like being overshadowed by the far

more talented Cathy? PLATTER CHATTER

COLUMBIA-This company has come up with an inspired album featuring The Chordettes, the lovely barber shop quartet from Arthur Godfrey's show . . . They do a collection of lovely, sentimental melodies in a nostalgic mood that is most appealing . . Included in their excellent repertoire are such standard favorites as "S'posin," "Sentimental Journey," "Basin Street Blues," "Kentucky Babe," "Carolina Moon," "Sweetheart of Sigma Chi," "Angry," "Drifting and Dreaming," "Anniversary Waltz," Street Where Old Friends Meet," and several others.

In singles, Columbia offers Johnnie Ray in his latest disc, "Love Me," and "Faith Can Move Mountains," a pretty good waxing . . . Paulette Sisters give "Glow Worm" a unique workout . . . Reverse has "Sui Sin Fa."



baby chimp held by mama "Susi" has distinction of being first baby chimp born in Berlin zoo in 108 years.

WMC Ladies Have

nesday of last week with Mrs. ducted.

A general discusison of ways and means for the council to secure funds to help buy choir seats, rugs and draperies for In Germany the new church was held. The council meeting was dismissed DIVISION IN GERMANY

Womens Missionary the 2nd Armored Division.

nesday afternoon at 2:30 with ducting training maneuvers in July of the following year. Mrs. I. L. Walker in charge. the U.S. Occupation Zone of The Womens Missionary Mrs. Leroy Judd led in prayer. Germany. Called the "Hell on Council of the Assembly of God Mrs. Walker led the devotional. Whells" Division, it was the first Church met at the church Wed- A Bible study lesson was con-

I. L. Walker in charge of the The next meeting will be held II. requests for prayer. After an in the home of Mrs. Leroy Judd Mabry entered the Army in consumed are more than the altar prayer, the study leaders, and meetings will be held in December of 1950 and arrived body requires. Mrs. Leroy Judd and Mrs. J. N. the homes of the members until Foster, presented the Bible the new church is ready for

Mabry Stationed

WITH THE 2ND ARMORED by prayer by Mrs. S. O. John- Army Pfc. Herbert H. Mabry, whose wife, LaJuene lives in Texhoma, is now serving with

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have learned from the reading.

Fifth Grade

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The fourth grade has been

STRATFORD GRADE SCHOOL

This is the week of six weeks | month examinations. Wednesday and

ing intensive review on Monday and Tuesday.

Many of the Room Mothers had meetings this week to plan ed in several of the groups that Elliott, Mrs. Bill Garrison, Mrs. recognize and remember a large Shirley Sanders, John Sears, all the mothers be invited to N. W. Hudson, Mrs. Owen Hud- group of words and, thus, learn Elaine Spurlock, Billy Steinber- ber experiences. We are checkshare in the programs and this son, Mrs. Jodie Reesing, Mrs. to read. suggestion is being carried out Dean Heil and Mrs. Leonard Mrs. Russell's First Grade in a number of the rooms with Plunk. The Room Mothers of mong the mothers.

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Thursday were the two days set First Grade

aside for this activity follow- Mrs. Garner's First Grade

The Home Room Mothers for Mrs. Gardner's first grade were chosen last week. They are Lunch money for the cafe- with the entertainment of the read in their pre-primers. Sev- princess candidates. teria was due again this week. first grade children. The Room eral have passed our first vocab-The charge for the meals a- Mothers and Mr. Schnabel en- ulary test with very good marks, the hall bulletin board mounts to 25 cents a day and joyed coffee and cookies Mrs.

chosen to be the prince candi- listed in last week's paper. Room 2 has a little newspaper many clever Safety Posters in and Jesse Riggs. in their room called "Our Daily Health this week. These posters such observations as: "We have fic Safety and Weather Haztwenty boys and girls in our ards. room today. We have fun in our room. We read, we write, we count, we draw, we sing. We week. They are: Alta Adams, work and play together, all of Virgie Alford, Donna Blazier, Mrs. Elliott's Room No. 10

Through the written repeti- lee, Lynda Brewster, Jonna

Children in Mrs. Russell's

Thanks and many thanks for week. parents may figure the correct Mrs. Gardner served while the donations toward our prince Miss Cox's Room amount by multiplying by the holding their meeting this week. and princess boxes that some number of school days in the James Elliott Mackey was of the children have presented to you. And please remember 'Our Bake Sale" at "Woolsey's' Saturday. Mothers try not to be later than 12 noon bringing in your cakes.

> There were 14 mothers out to our Room Planning Year's Par-We are counting on our fathers being room fathers too, as well as our mothers. Mothers attending were Mrs. Tillery, Mrs. Brannan, Mrs. Eller, Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Pittman, Mrs. Brewer, Mrs. Reaves, Mrs. Woolsey, Mrs. Reeder, Mrs. Judd, Mrs. Mullican, Mrs. Steinberger, and Mrs. Plunk. All mothers are contributing \$1.50 tests in them to check what we to the Year's Parties, eliminating that extra expense for just a few mothers. This will also

help in each child's adjustment to school affairs.

Second Grade

Mrs. Barker's Room No. 4 Jack Standefer will be eight the that part of the United States they are ready. last day of October. Others grew up so fast. We enjoyed Some maize which was put in took cards so they could join coloring the maps. Mary Gay one of the jars with the ant when they are eight.

chosen as our princess candi- and a white pigeon for every- in the offing. date for the Hallowe'en Carni-We are all quite anxious to start raising money to help papers in Spelling last week Mrs. Turner's Room our princess win. Mackie San- were: Linda Sue Coffman, Molly | The Eighth grade is having ders has collected sixty-four cents. He is the first to bring

money for our candidate. Mrs. Peterson's class has nominated Douglas McBryde as their candidate for prince, to represent the second grade, in the annual autumn festival to be held on Hallowe'en. Mrs. Barker's group has chosen the prin-

cess candidate. The second grade and their Room Mothers will be ready soon to join in the vote getting campaign. Also, there will be some ado about costumes, and a stunt for the Hallowe'en pro-

Meanwhile, it is about time for report cards to go out, and everyone is eager to see the new cards. They are putting forth special effort this week to turn out some good grades.

The class has an interesting small collection of items on their Nature Study table this week. A few specimens of cotton, milo maize, broomcorn, gourds, acorns and oak leaves, sumac, unusual rocks, a couple of rattle snake rattles, and some colorful bird feathers. All were discovered and contributed by members of the class.

Third Grade

Miss Ballinger's Room We are happy to have Dale Barton back with us again. We have elected Shela Donelson to be princess candidate for our room in the carnival this year.

Mrs. Hammons' Room We have selected our home room mothers. They are Mrs. Virgil Garoutte, Mrs. Kenneth Borth, Mrs. Robert Elms and Mrs. Emory Roper. The mothers met on Tuesday afternoon

to plan the years work. Gale Barton re-entered our classroom, making us twenty boys and girls. The most interesting lesson during the day is our English period. You should hear some of our rhymes about Hallowe'en. All rhymes will be voted on and the best ones will be in our next weeks

Fourth Grade

Miss Riley's Room The fourth grade class took aptitude tests for the instrumental program last week.

Mrs. Brown is also a home room mother for our class. Our other home room mothers were

date in Mrs. Gardner's class. The class has been making Dixie Lee Knight, Kay Pickins, urday, October 11, from 6:00 to

Have you seen a great supply hall. News." News items include are about Home Accidents, Traf- of fudge, gum and funny books being sold around our playground? Part of the salesmen are our fifth graders. We are Three-fourths of the class made a 100 in Spelling this making money for Rex Palmer, our prince candidate.

we are working with our number then to gain speed in our numger, Dennis Walker, and Kay ing our own rate of progress.

Each Friday afternoon at 2:00 The class has been selling o'clock our children have the the activities being divided a- this grade wish to extend an in- room are looking toward the candy, cookies and cake to privilege of checking out Livitation to all mothers to assist goal that will enable them to raise money for our prince and brary Books. The librarians are Linda Taylor and Jimmie We had our room display on Cameron.

We have a Chairman for our various fields of work, and each of us in learning to oragnize Those making 100 in Spelling neatly our individual packets. for the week were Norveta Bam- Six weeks tests are over and we mes, Ginger Brooks, Sharon are hopeful that our written Oquin, Lela Hampton, Jerry papers as well as our oral com-Johnson, Natacha Morris, Harry ments will be examples of work well done.

Oure visitors for the week were Mrs. G. C. Dortch, make money for their prince Mrs. J. E. Crabtree, Mrs. K. Kendrick, Mrs. Lester Plunk, Mrs. Owen Palmer, and Mrs. J. W.

We are now reading Weekly Seventh Grade Readers. They are very inter-Miss Patterson's Room

Members of the Seventh Grade have been making fudge Sometimes they have little to sell to raise funds for the class favorites. Gradene Parvin, Mary Lou Wells, Betty Lou Addition and subtraction have Gore, and Nellie Johnson sold been our goals this six weeks candy before school. Betty in Arithmetic. We have had Bradley sold some canned foods. contests and drills at the board. Billy Cummings is absent This has been a lot of fun and from school due to a continuous we have gained speed and acnose bleed

The new bulletin boards and In Geography we have been Several of us plan to join the studying the Great Lakes Re- chalk boards have been installed Cub Scouts. Teddy Reynolds gion. Maps of the states and in the class rooms in the new and Roy Earl Combs are eligible great cities around the lakes wing. Everyone is looking forbecause they are eight years old. have taught us where and why ward to the use of them when

Judd has a number of pets. She colony is growing and we now Mary Kaye Keener has been has brought a bowl of goldfish have quite a good maize crop

Those pupils making perfect Eighth Grade

Ann Davis, Sharon Gamble, a box supper and cakewalk Sat- of the school. 8:00 P. M., at the recreation ing one of the most successful

> **Party Closes** Freshman Week

In making sure of Arithmetic licly appeared with "Slimy Fish" cus Parker returned home tion of such small words as "we, Knight, Gary Mathews, Sharon combination charts. Our first were honored with a party giv- hunting trip in Wyoming. The their activities. It was suggest- Mrs. Tom Lavake, Mrs. W. N. have, "etc. children learn to Mullican, Madeline Reising, goal is to become more accurate, en in the Recreation Hall Fri- hunters bagged five elk and five day night by the upperclassmen antelope.

The party is described as be-

held in the school. Hunters Bag Elk

And Antelope

H. L. McMahen, Leslie Parker, Floyd Brannan, Wesley Brow-Stratford Freshmen, who pub- der, Claude Whitaker and Marsigns on their backs last week, Thursday of last week from a

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