

Thanksgiving Snow On Time

A snow which may be the life giving blood for a wheat crop in 1953 fell over the entire Panhandle area Monday night. At Stratford the snow ranged from 4 to 11 inches in depth and .53 of an inch of moisture was recorded. A snow with a moisture content of .12 of an inch fell Sunday, bringing total precipitation in the immediate area to .65 of an inch.

The snow Sunday is reported to have been light in the Oklahoma Panhandle and visitors from Colorado said that it did not reach the Colorado line.

Monday nights storm left a snow blanket over most all of the plains section. Wind conditions varied. In many sections most of the snow lay on the ground where it fell while in other portions of the territory high winds caused the snow to drift and many roads were closed early Tuesday morning.

Schools in most Panhandle towns which operate school buses closed Tuesday morning as road conditions made bus travel too hazardous. All of the schools were scheduled to have closed Wednesday afternoon for the Thanksgiving holidays.

"Snowed In" was a term used Tuesday morning for the first time in the Texas Panhandle for about four years. Although a few trucks and cars made their way over northern Texas Panhandle roads, those who were not forced to travel, were warned to stay off of the highways by the Texas Highway Department.

Emergency Hay Program Progress

At the close of business Tuesday, November 18, Texas livestock growers had placed orders with their local PMA county committees for 201,000 tons of hay under the 1952 Drouth Emergency Program. At that time, only 55,000 tons of hay had been shipped to Texas. This leaves unfilled orders for 146,000 tons on hand. At the present time, about 8,000 tons are shipped into Texas each week.

B. F. Vance, State Agricultural Mobilization Committee Chairman says, "We are doing everything we know to do to speed up shipments. We have called the State Mobilization Committee Chairman in each of the States that are supplying the hay and explained the critical situation that exists in Texas and urged them to speed up shipments in every way possible. We talk to our Washington officials almost daily so as to keep them informed as to the seriousness of the drouth situation in Texas and the importance of getting hay deliveries at the earliest possible time."

Vance says there is plenty of hay in States that have been supplying our shipments but because of several weeks of dry weather in that area, farmers are not as willing to sell now. Moisture in that area would relieve that situation. Washington officials are also looking for new areas where there is a surplus of hay that can be bought at reasonable prices.

Vance assures Texas farmers that every effort will be made to get hay into the critical areas as fast as possible.

Bag Deer In New Mexico

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Brannan, Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Coffman, and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Trainham returned last week from a successful hunting trip in New Mexico. They joined Mr. and Mrs. Bill Trainham and Mr. and Mrs. Watkins of Maxwell, New Mexico on the hunt in the Cimarron Rifle Club reserve. Members of the hunting party bagged nine deer.

Hiram A. Revels of Mississippi was the first negro in the U. S. Senate.

Economic Highlights

As often happens with a candidate who has a very large personal following which cuts across party lines, General Eisenhower ran well ahead of the rest of the GOP ticket in most areas. In one or two cases, he carried states in which associates were defeated in their own campaigns for office — the most notable example being the failure of Henry Cabot Lodge, who was an original Eisenhower man and a top advisor from beginning to end, to win re-election to the Senate. Even so, the General's pulling power was so great that he did far better than almost anyone expected in carrying other Republicans into national office.

It was generally believed that if Eisenhower were elected, the GOP would gain control of the House, and that has happened. It did not seem reasonable, however, that they would get the upper hand in the Senate — mainly for the reason that more Republican Senators had to make the race this year than did Democrats, and many of the contested Democratic seats were considered safe. Yet the Republicans now have an official 49-47 edge in what used to be described as the most exclusive gentleman's club on earth.

One potentially important qualification must be made here. It stems from the curious case of Senator Morse of Oregon. Morse was an early Eisenhower booster, but near the end of the campaign he announced his opposition to the General and spoke for Stevenson. After the election he sent laudatory wires to Truman and Stevenson but none to the President-elect. He has said that he will henceforth call himself an "independent Republican" — a bit of nomenclature which, incidentally, has no legal status in Oregon. If Morse goes all the way in his defection from past political associations, and votes with the Democrats when the Senate is organized, a 48-48 tie will result.

Going beyond the statistics, Eisenhower will have a Congress which is friendly to most of his views — enough old-line Democrats see things his way to assure that. Sentiment is very strong for cutting the cost of government, for opposing tax increases and bringing about tax decreases as soon as possible, and for limiting the functions of the Federal government in many directions. These are cardinal points in the Eisenhower philosophy. He strongly believes that there should be a minimum of Federal interference with and direction of local affairs. The Southern Democrats, with few exceptions, will go along with this.

An outstanding fact, of course, to use the lead of a story written by an AP reporter, is that "The 'new deal-fair deal' era" — which began 20 years ago in the great depression — went tumbling into history — with the Republican Presidential victory. That era was defended with all the resources at his command by President Truman during his whistle-stop campaign on behalf of Governor Stevenson. The retiring President, who rarely goes in for moderation, found no virtue in anything the Republicans have ever done or advocated and no vice anywhere within the Democratic establishment. He even attacked Eisenhower's record as a soldier-statesman. He seemed absolutely confident that he could do again what he did in 1948. But the voters turned deaf ears this time, and the Eisenhower avalanche followed. The pendulum has swung far.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank our many friends for the cards, flowers and expressions of sympathy during our recent bereavement. Mr. and Mrs. Grover Keown Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Wall Mrs. E. S. Bradley

A solar day begins and ends at noon.

THE STRATFORD STAR

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Local Teams Win Over Sunray

Stratford Elketts and Elks won fast basketball games from Sunray girls and boys on the local court Friday night.

The Elketts took an early lead over the Sunray girls and maintained a safe margin during the game to win by a score of 41 to 30.

The Elketts favored score by quarters was 10 to 4, 21 to 7, 36 to 16, and 41 to 30.

In the last quarter with only three minutes left to play and with a 38 to 19 lead, Coach Duggins sent in his second string players. Sunray girls staged a scoring rally but failed to overcome the Elketts lead.

Jean Garoutte was high point forward for the Elketts with 15 points while Tompkins scored high for Sunray with 25 points.

Stratford Elks won from the Sunray boys by a score of 74 to 50. The Elks took an early lead in the game, the first quarter ending in a score of 19 to 13 in their favor. The second quarter of the game was fairly evenly matched, the score favoring the Elks 40 to 23. Coach R. W. Stewart sent in his second string players at the beginning of the third quarter. Sunray outplayed the second string and gradually closed the Elks lead. At the end of the third quarter the score was 48 to 39 in the Elks favor. First string Elks took over the game in the last quarter. For a short time it looked as though Sunray might outpoint the Elks. Then the local team hit its scoring stride, hitting the basket at will to build up a winning score of 74 to 50 at the end of the game.

Lyle Wakefield was high point man for the Elks with 33 points. Marston of Sunray was high point man for his team with 16 points.

MODERN NAVY TO HAVE OLD FASHIONED THANKSGIVING DINNER
The modern Navy will have an old fashioned Thanksgiving dinner.

A menu of Turkey-rice soup, roast Tom turkey, turkey gravy, mushroom dressing, Virginia ham, cranberry sauce, mashed potatoes, buttered green peas, appleauce, lettuce and tomato salad, bread, pumpkin pie with ice cream, fruit cake, mixed sweet pickles, ripe and stuffed olives, milk, coffee, mixed candy and cigars, will be served.

Copra is dried coconut meat.

Blue And Gold

I know a flower of blue and gold, That hides away and is never bold; It has a heart of gold and a dress of blue. You'll love this little flower for its ever true. It comes each spring when the sky is blue.

And when you go away from home And leave this little flower alone; So shy and dainty, so bright with a dress of blue, You'll wonder if its thirsty and you'll get lonely too. For it brings sweet thoughts of home to you.

And when you see this little flower of gold and blue, Its so different from the rest you will know it too. It comes to give you happiness, In the world of storm and stress And this little flower is called "Forget Me Not" no less.

— Bessie Sutherland, 217-32nd Street, Newport Beach, California.

Kendrick Named To Wayland Committee

Jim Wadell, Kermit, heads the committee appointed to study Wayland's athletic program. Others on the committee are: Lon C. McCrory, Dalhart; E. J. Green, Plainview; Grady Goodpasture, Brownfield; and Kenneth Kendrick, Stratford. Their report is to be made at the January board meeting.

Following the reading of scriptures and prayer by Dr. A. J. Quinn, Amarillo, the Rev. C. T. Aly, pastor of First Baptist Church, Phillips, reported that Wayland's International Choir sang four times the previous day in Borger-Phillips to packed churches and that he considered this organization Wayland's best public relations.

Kenneth Kendrick, Stratford, reported that there is need for more funds for the library to meet requirement of the accrediting agencies. He also stated that three plans for raising these funds from different groups are now in force.

Dr. Cecil Goff, Dumas, made the report on endowment, stressing the advisability of the board's obtaining support for both Living Endowment, which showed an increase of \$10,174.91 over previous year, and for capital endowment, which now stands at \$207,000. A minimum of \$300,000 is needed for accrediting purposes, he stated.

Blanck Funeral Held Monday At Stillwater

H. C. Blanck, age 67, an uncle of R. W. Stewart and Hugh Stewart, was laid to rest in a Stillwater, Oklahoma cemetery Monday afternoon.

Mr. Blanck passed away in Drew, Mississippi where funeral services were held. Burial was made in Stillwater where his daughter resides.

R. W. Stewart attended the funeral. Hugh Stewart was unable to attend due to his wife's illness.

Fidelis Class Elects Officers

Young married women of the Baptist Sunday School met in the parsonage home of Rev. and Mrs. M. E. Upchurch Monday afternoon to organize for the coming year. The name "Fidelis" was chosen by the group as the class name.

Officers elected for the ensuing year were: President, Mrs. Bill Allen; Vice-President, Mrs. Horace Jones; Devotional leader, Mrs. Arlyn Halle; Secretary, Mrs. Stanley Murdock; Treasurer, Mrs. M. E. Upchurch; Assistant Secretary, Mrs. Joe Knapp; Reporter, Mrs. Eugene Sadler; Teacher, Mrs. Roy Strother; Associate-Teacher, Mrs. Horace Jones.

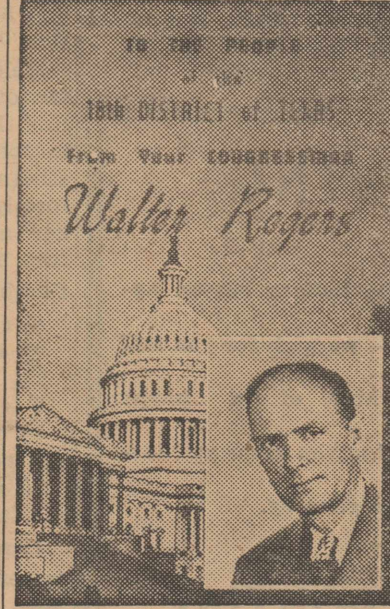
Monthly business meetings of the class will be held the first Tuesday of each month at 7:00 P. M.

Those attending the organization meeting were: Mrs. Roy Strother, Mrs. Newton James, Mrs. Bill Allen, Mrs. Joe Knapp, Mrs. Leo Meeks, Mrs. Claude Davidson, Mrs. M. E. Upchurch, and Mrs. Horace Jones. Seven children attended the meeting with their mothers.

Band Parents Will Meet December 4

Stratford Band Parents will meet in the band rehearsal room at the school building on Thursday, December 4, at 7:30 P. M. Officers urge all members to attend as problems of special interest will be brought before the organization.

Roll call in the House of Representatives takes about 25 minutes.



The POW Situation In Korea

The major obstacle in reaching a truce in the Korean conflict appears to hinge on the question of forced or voluntary repatriation of prisoners of war. From the lack of progress that has been made in the solution of the issue, it would seem that an irresistible force has met an immovable object. Russia and her satellites have taken the position that all prisoners of war on both sides shall be returned to the sources from which they were captured, irrespective of the desires of the prisoner. The position of the United Nations is that these prisoners should be thoroughly screened and that those sincerely and honestly desiring to remain under the jurisdiction of their captors should be dealt with by the captors and not the opposition forces. It will be remembered that subsequent to World War II many tragic stories came out of Europe and Russia concerning the great efforts and in many cases suicidal attempts of prisoners of war resisting their return to Russia. This would leave little doubt as to the type of harsh punishment employed by Russia in dealing with returned POWs, and it can be safely assumed that the same procedure would be employed by North Korea and Red China, who follow so closely the Russian scheme. What actually happened to these returned POWs is still somewhat of a mystery because of the rigid censorship behind the Iron Curtain.

Several plans have been advanced to solve this tough problem. One of these before the United Nations calls for the formation of a neutral screening commission to separate the sheep from the goats. Another plan receiving some consideration calls for a return of all POWs upon commitments from the country receiving them that they will not be mistreated. Such agreement would call for periodic checks on the status of each returned prisoner. Should the Reds yield from their present arbitrary position and accept the first of the above solutions, much progress could be made towards a quick and final truce. However, it must be remembered that out of this solution would come other serious problems. Number one would be the location of a country that would give these POWs' asylum. Number two would be the question of jurisdiction over these POWs; that is, whether or not they would be under the jurisdiction of the UN or the country in which they sought asylum. Should they be under the jurisdiction of the UN, they would still be indirectly under some control from Russia since Russia is a member of the UN. If a separate protectorate of the UN should be set up to provide asylum for these POWs, it would mean that Russia would still have some control in their government. If they were permitted to take citizenship in the country to which they were removed, the question of control would be settled. However, it is doubtful that many countries would be willing to take on a substantial number of these prisoners. Certainly I would not want them in the United States because it would afford Russia an opportunity to infiltrate this country with more Red spies. I am sure that many of the other countries would take the same position.

If these prisoners were returned to the country of their origin under the second proposal above referred to, it would be administratively impossible to keep up with them because of the rigid censorship behind the Iron Curtain and the further fact that most of the in-

Spurlock Box Supper Planned For Friday

If weather conditions permit, the annual box and pie supper will be held in the basement of the Spurlock Chapel Friday night. Funds raised from sales will be used to supply Christmas treats for members of the Spurlock Sunday School.

Games of "42" and Canasta will be played at the close of the auction of the boxes.

Friends from over the entire territory usually drop in on the Spurlock group for a visit during this annual event.

Veterans Gifts Will Be Taken To Amarillo

Gifts which local citizens contribute for the use of disabled veterans in the Amarillo Veterans Hospital are scheduled to be taken to Amarillo next week. A box has been provided in the Southwestern Public Service Co. office where the gifts may be deposited.

These gifts which are collected over the Panhandle area by members of the American Legion Auxiliary are made available to the veterans without charge. The veterans make their selections from these donated gifts and members of various American Legion Auxiliaries gift wrap the presents for mailing at the hospital.

Guthrie Sells Trucks To Donelson

Leon Guthrie has sold his two gasoline transport trucks to Conde Donelson. Donelson took over operation of the trucks Monday.

Alvin Judd Taken To Specialists

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Judd are in Oklahoma City where he is being examined by specialists. Judd has been confined to his bed with a back ailment.

Thirteen U. S. Senators have become presidents.

formation we could obtain on them would be highly questionable. I do not believe that Russia would agree to this second proposal. If she agreed to the first proposal, I would entertain great fears that she would attempt to infiltrate UN countries with Red spies by this medium.

One of Russia's prime objectives is to bring about a major breach in the NATO organization. She obviously thinks that her best chance lies in causing friction between France and the other NATO countries. It presently appears that should a truce be concluded in Korea, the Red Chinese will promptly move men and supplies to the Indo-China front for stepped up action against the French. This will require France to call for immediate all-out aid from the UN or permit Indo-China to fall into the hands of the Reds. Russia figures that such action on the part of Red China will force the UN to move into Indo-China, as they did in Korea, or refuse to France the all-out aid that would be necessary. She figures that in the latter event, France would be forced to commit practically all of her forces to the salvation of Indo-China, and that even though she was able to prevent the Red menace from taking over, she would break with the NATO countries and at the same time measurably weaken herself at home. On the other hand, if the UN does move into Indo-China and stops the Red menace there, Russia can always return to Korea to keep the fire smoldering, truce or no truce. She is in the position similar to a checker player in the double corner. The problem of the United Nations is to get her out of that double corner without permitting a third world war to start. An effective prohibition against these new starts by Russia must be devised if the purpose of the United Nations is to be realized.

THANKSGIVING, 1621-1952



Recipe of the Week

Turkey Pie With Cornbread Topping
3 tablespoons butter or margarine.
4 tablespoons flour.

1 1/2 cups turkey broth.
1/2 cup top milk or cream.
1/2 teaspoon salt.
1/4 teaspoon paprika.
1/4 teaspoon onion salt or 1/4 teaspoon finely grated onion.
1/8 teaspoon pepper.

2 cups sliced or diced cooked turkey.

1 cup cooked vegetables (carrots, peas, onions, potatoes, celery, green beans or a combination of these).

Melt the fat, add flour and stir over low heat until blended. Add the cold broth, top milk and seasonings all at once. Cook, stirring constantly, until uniformly thickened. Stir in turkey and vegetables, then pour into baking dish.

Cornbread Top

1/2 cup sifted all-purpose flour.
1/2 teaspoon salt.
1 1/2 teaspoons baking powder.
2 teaspoons sugar.
1/2 cup cornmeal.
1 well-beaten egg.
1/2 cup milk.
2 tablespoons shortening.

Heat pie filling in a 2-quart casserole in a hot oven (425 F.) until bubbly, about 10 minutes. Meanwhile sift flour, salt, baking powder and sugar. Mix with the cornmeal. Cut in shortening until mixture resembles texture of course cornmeal. Combine eggs and milk and add to dry ingredients; stir until just moistened. Pour cornbread batter over top of filling spreading evenly. Continue baking until topping is browned, 20 to 25 minutes. Serves 6.



SIR! . . . No one would take the undiplomatic liberty, but camera angle makes it look as if someone is chucking Dean Acheson under the chin at UN meeting.

Miss Lucile King, Home Demonstration Agent, says take advantage of time and energy saving methods, reading instructions, and careful planning to reduce labor.

The agent says housekeeping is a family affair. Everyone in the family can contribute to work in the home for all the routine tasks should not fall to

mother's lot. A family that plans, works and plays together is a happy family. A well-kept home is clean, and suggests comfortable living.

To get this kind of family assistance with housekeeping, the agent suggests planning sessions to give everyone a chance to know just what it takes to operate a house and how much work

it takes to keep it neat and clean. Make out a list of jobs that are done daily, weekly and seasonally with each member deciding on the ones to do.

Remember, the agent says, it is not a rigid plan but one that can be varied. The main thing is take it easy when cleaning house by having everyone take part.

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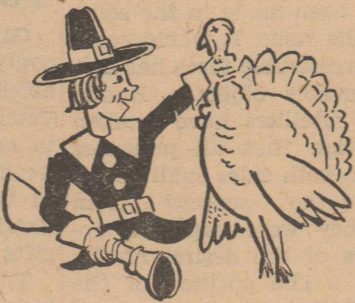


As the holiday season approaches — we wish for you and yours the kind of a happy Thanksgiving you knew and loved in years gone by.

WRIGHT DAVIS PONTIAC

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CONTINUES-DYNASTY . . . Dr. George Long, brother of ex-Governor Earl Long, becomes fourth member of Long dynasty to sit in Congress.

Dawdle Dell Corresponder

CLEM POORE, who runs the popcorn and candy stand down at the Savoy here in Dawdle Dell, says that in our town, judging from the all-day sucker trade, Adlai and Ike are campaigning lick for lick.

Clem sells political all-day suckers, one kind branded "Ad-licks" and another "I Lick Ike." So far, he figures, the kiddies have bought about as many of one brand as of the other.

Clem is neutral in politics because his profit is the same on both brands of suckers. So he displays one brand as prominently as the other to avoid showing favoritism. But he has had to dodge some angry blows from partisans aggravated by the suckers.

One Ike man disliked seeing an all-day sucker moulded into the profile of his candidate with a wrapper bearing the word: LEMON. A Stevenson man complained the candy maker must be GOP or he wouldn't have made Adlai look like a monkey on a stick.

The kids, just as partisan, resent the fact that after 15 minutes of melting in the mouth the candidates look alike. Squire Gladmoney Debitside says that's the nature of the critters after you've removed a little of the sugar.

But the flavors are different: Ike is lemon and Adlai is raspberry, and if you don't like either taste there is no third party. Lawyer Craft Willey suggests mint julep flavored sucker with a highball stirrer for a stick with the Dixiecrats. But Clem replied that the Dixiecrats have no appetite for licking suckers because they're too busy licking their wounds. The Squire flared up and retorted that's because they don't lick anybody's hands.

Little Arson Sprinkle, son of Fire Chief Ralph Sprinkle, sat in the Ridem Cowpoke movie the other day with an Ike sucker in his right hand and an Adlai in his left. Just like his daddy—always on the fence. Little Joe McCarthy, from over at Split Pea Ridge, was seen giving lip service to a Red sucker recently.

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Large advertisement for The First State Bank of Stratford. Includes illustration of children playing with a turkey. Text: "Thanksgiving May your cares and troubles vanish for a brief time during this holiday season. MAY YOUR LOVED ONES BE CLOSE TO YOU — AND YOUR JOYS BE MANY. The First State Bank OF STRATFORD"

THE BIBLE SPEAKS

International Uniform Sunday School Lessons

BY DR. KENNETH J. FOREMAN

SCRIPTURE: Matthew 12. DEVOTIONAL READING: Ephesians 5:11-20.

What Makes Right?

Lesson for November 30, 1952

WHAT makes right, right? It cannot be determined by counting votes. The voice of the people is not necessarily the voice of God.

Even if everybody in the world did exactly what is right (which has never happened in this world yet) it still would not be right merely because they all did it. If "right" meant nothing more than what everybody does or what most people do, then right would change as often as popular opinion changed. It would change with the climate, with the calendar. But right is something more enduring than popular opinions, customs or enthusiasms.

Does "Right" Mean "Legal"?

Another notion of what it is that makes right, is Law. If it's legal it's right, if it's illegal it's wrong. But haven't we often heard the expression, "There ought to be a law . . .?"



Dr. Foreman

The person who says that means that there is something which is right that which is legal; he wants a law to match what is right. Or again, laws are sometimes repealed. But no one would ever vote to repeal a law if he didn't think the law was wrong. Good men sometimes repeal laws; but no good man ever wanted to repeal "right."

There is a variety of this idea which has more truth in it; namely, that right is the same thing as the law of God. But God does not make acts right or wrong simply by ordering them to be so.

Could God have said, Thou shalt kill, thou shalt bear false witness? Could he have said, Thou shalt hate thy God and hate thy neighbor? Of course not. He could not have made up such nonsense-laws, such wicked commandments, because he is not that kind of God, for one thing, and for another thing because if he did, it would have meant the destruction of the human race. Although right, and the will of God, are really the same thing, yet an act is not right because God wills or commands it because it is right.

How Jesus Looked at It

How did Jesus our Lord stand on this question? What made a thing right, for him? He got into trouble with the lawyers of his time, and he got into trouble with what we would call D.D.'s and prominent preachers and professors of theology (the Pharisees); they called him "bad" and had him executed accordingly.

So there was evidently a difference between his way of looking at "right" and their way. It was precisely on this point that they split. Jesus tried to make clear, though the Pharisees were too blind to see it, that the Sabbath law, any law of God or good rule of man, is right and good only in so far as it promotes the welfare of man. This is not setting up man above God, for God is man's Creator. Right is what develops God's children; wrong is what stunts, deforms, defeats and destroys them.

To put it in another way: The test of right and wrong is always this: Will this thing make people better and make better people? If so, it is right. All our laws, institutions and interests must be brought to the test of their effect on human welfare. And of course, in Jesus' view, the welfare of man includes social, spiritual and mental well-being and growth, not physical health and financial wealth alone.

Liquor and Welfare

This being Temperance Sunday, it is a good time to think about the liquor traffic in the light of all this. Think it out for yourself. Remember, alcohol is a habit-forming drug, and all talk about liquor cannot erase that very plain fact.

Now think about the whole business of making it, glamorizing it in advertising, selling it and using it. Look around you in your home community, and in our nation at large, and ask: Does it bring more benefit to people in your community than it brings harm? Is the purpose of the business human welfare?

Ask the welfare agencies in your community—the Red Cross, the hospital, the agencies that look after the poor, the orphanage, and so on—ask these people: Does the liquor business make your work easier? Is the liquor trade the ally of the public school and the church? Does it make better citizens, better Christians? If it does, and only if it does, then as a Christian can you call it right.

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Tennis did not become a professional sport until 1926.

Sunday's Sermon

Rev. Robert H. Harper

Jesus' Test of Faith. Lesson: Matthew 7: 12, 15-27. Golden Text: Matthew 7: 21.

JESUS introduced something new into the thinking of men when he taught that goodness is positive. In the ages preceding his sojourn on the earth, men had been chiefly concerned not to do wrong. The Master taught that goodness consists in doing good. The man who does the right will have not time nor inclination to do the wrong. Goodness is positive. Whatever we would that men should do unto us, we must do unto them.

After giving the Golden Rule, Jesus spoke of the "false prophets" that come to men in "sheep's clothing" but inwardly are ravening wolves. They are not to be trusted, with their false maxims of conduct, with their cunning schemes of getting on in the world. They are not to be heard for their fair speech. Consider their conduct before you follow them. In the last day, Jesus will say unto them: "I never knew you."

By their fruits men shall be known, even as a tree is known, whether it be good or bad. The evil tree is cut down and cast into the fire, but the good tree brings forth good fruit. So does the good man bring forth good things out of the treasure of a good heart.

Finally, Jesus warned his hearers against failure in building their temple of character. They must obey his commands. They must live according to his teachings. And they will be like unto the wise man who founds his house upon a rock. Let us lay the foundations of our house in faith and obedience.

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OWN MEDICINE . . . West Berlin policeman leads away a Communist demonstrator, one of 2,600 who demonstrated at funeral of a Red leader. The man was injured by a stone thrown by one of his own party.

A civil day begins and ends at Mecca, Mohammed's birthplace, is in Arabia.



FACES DEPORTATION . . . P.F.C. Ernest Ebner, Ridgeway, N.J., serving with U.S. signal corps in Korea, faces deportation from America upon his discharge. He entered army as a Czech with a three-months visa in the U.S.

Between 30 and 40,000 legal deer normally are harvested in Texas yearly. They furnish good meat provided proper attention is given to saving it. This

care starts with the kill and is used, either fresh or preserved not completed until the meat is for later use.



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THANKSGIVING GREETINGS

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Wilson Funeral Directors

Thanksgiving



Today as on the first Thanksgiving, there is abundant reason for Giving Thanks, and we Give Thanks in appreciation of your patronage.

Brewster's Jewelry

Thanks

Friends And Neighbors



It has been a pleasure to serve you — and we hope your Thanksgiving will be one of inner peace and outward merriment — that your year has been one of happy achievement.

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To Serve You A Complete TURKEY DINNER With All The Trimmings

Palace Cafe

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Beall

Local News

Mrs. John K. Shaw, San Diego, California, is a guest in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Baskin Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Chisum spent last weekend visiting relatives in Dumas and Amarillo.

Marion Sears, Amarillo, will spend the holidays in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sears.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ross were hosts Sunday at a dinner, attended by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ross, Bill Ross, Mrs. Lorraine Mehner and Ann Frances, Mr. and Mrs. Art Ross and children, Jean Ann and Alan, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Finch, and Shirley and Roy.

W. W. Davis made a business trip to Oklahoma City Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Sammons of Borger were weekend guests in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Delbert Cummings, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Brannan and children plan to spend Thanksgiving with relatives in Bristow, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Burleigh Payne, and little daughter, Springfield, Colorado, were guests in the home of her mother, Mrs. Hazel Cameron over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates attended an organ concert in Texhoma Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jacobs and children are spending the holidays with relatives in Louisiana.

Mrs. H. M. Brown has returned from Lubbock, Texas where she visited A. I. and Mrs. Richard Albert and children, who brought her home. Mr. Albert returned to Lubbock and left his

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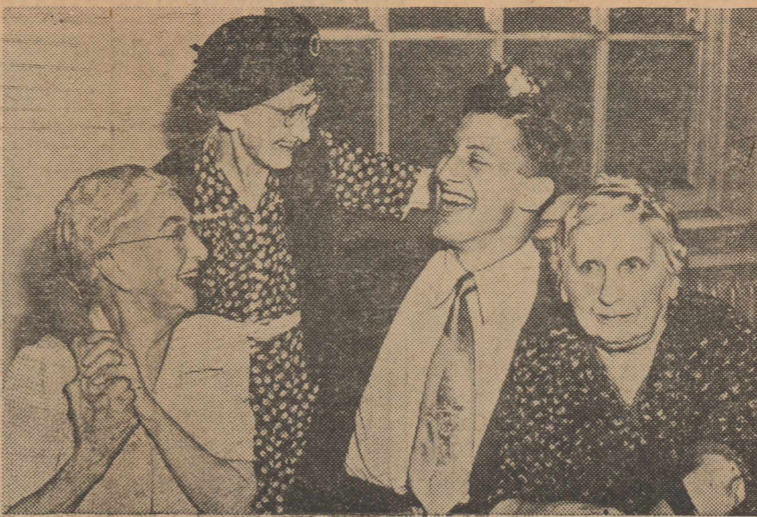
Arctic Flight

With Wayne Morris and Lola Albright

DECEMBER 3 And 4

WILLY And JOE In

Back At The Front



HAIL THEIR HERO . . . George Boyle is the center of attention as three elderly women, rescued from a fire at the Episcopal church home in Pittsburgh, hail him as hero. Boyle turned in the alarm and helped some of the 23 women from the gutted building.

family here for a visit with her mother, but plans to be back in time to spend Thanksgiving in the home of Mrs. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Mitts and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bryan attended the football game in Dumas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Adams and children visited relatives in Dimmitt over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kidwell are spending the holidays with relatives in Kansas City, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Folsom and Carolyn plan to spend Thanksgiving with Stanley Folsom at New Mexico Military Institute in Roswell, New Mexico. The cadets have a "home-coming parade" scheduled for Thanksgiving Day.

Mrs. Fannibelle Kirtley, Albuquerque, New Mexico, returned to her home Sunday after a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Senna.

Bill Skillman, who has been a guest, with his wife and daughter, in the home of Mrs. C. R. Bonar, left Tuesday for his home in Wichita, Kansas. Mrs. Skillman and Sherry remained for a longer visit.

Kerrick News

(Too late for last week)

Several ladies from here attended the Home Demonstration Club style show at Dalhart Thursday of last week. Mrs. Alen Boren modeled a suit she had tailored and Mrs. Robert Elms who could not be present, sent her suit along to be shown.

A surprise house warming for Mrs. Gail McDaniel on Monday, November 17, at 7:30 P. M. was really a surprise for her. Each lady brought a gift and each brought a can of fruit or vegetables with the label torn off. She served pop and coffee to Mrs. Fred McDaniel, Mrs. O. H. McDaniel, Mrs. Minnie McDaniel, Mrs. Pete Taylor, Mrs. Ray Taylor, Mrs. Otis Fenton, Mrs. Joe Bob James, Mrs. L. N. Franklin, Mrs. Allen Boren, Mrs. Pete Eden, Mrs. Robert Elms, Mrs. Walker Taylor, and Mrs. Russell Hutchison.

Those who attended the basket dinner at Coldwater on Sunday, November 16, that was given for the Kerrick Home Demonstration Club members and their families were Mr. and Mrs. Allen Boren, Mary Janice and Joe Earl, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Murdock, Mr. and Mrs. N. S. James, Lewis Frank and Mary Catherine, Mr. and Mrs. Fred McDaniel and Patti. The evening was enjoyed playing canasta.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Murdock are the proud parents of a ten pound baby girl, born November 17. She will answer to the name of Betty Lou.

Mrs. Robert Elms went to Amarillo Thursday with her sister, Mrs. Badgley of Keys, who is in the hospital. We do not know what her illness is at present.

Mrs. Joe Taylor spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Joe Pete Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Eden took Leon to the doctor Saturday, November 15. Leon is off his crutches now after being on them for several weeks after his accident of last June 28.

Mrs. Zelda Dunlap spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fedric of Stratford.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Harbour

spent Sunday, November 16, with Mr. and Mrs. Gail McDaniel.

Mrs. Alton Brewster and daughters, Lynda and Lana, were visitors in the home of Mrs. Burl Brewster Wednesday.

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1952

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Garrison Motor Co.

Thankfulness



We thank you for your patronage during the year — May Your Thanksgiving be a happy one — one that has brought you many a desired achievement.

Woolsey Appliances

STRATFORD GRADE SCHOOL NEWS

First Grade Mrs. Gardner's Room

We have been enjoying the story of the Pilgrims. We have made canoes, tepees, turkeys and Pilgrims. We also drew pictures of ourselves eating Thanksgiving dinner. We are glad we have so many things for which to be thankful.

Thanksgiving holidays. Mrs. Garoutte, assisted by the home room mothers will show both third grade rooms a film tomorrow from 2:15 to 3:15, followed with treats.

Fourth Grade Miss Cox' Room

We are beginning a new six weeks and everyone is going to try to make better grades. We are very proud of Natacha

Third Grade

We are anxious for the

Morris. She had a perfect score of 100 for the second six weeks in spelling.

Our Thanksgiving party is Tuesday afternoon and we are all looking forward to a lot of fun.

Fifth Grade Mrs. Flowers' Room

Those making perfect papers in Spelling last week were: Carolee Baskin, Molly Ann Davis, Sharon Gamble, Dixie Lee Knight, Hal Bennett, Bill Casey, Linda Coffman, Mary Gay Judd, Edward O'Quin, Rex Palmer and Buster Kitchens. Librarian for this week is Rex Palmer.

Our room enjoyed hearing the International Choir from Wayland College. Their costumes were especially colorful and interesting. The numbers of "Chloe" with its sound effects got the most laughs.

We drew names for Christmas; each will bring a gift for another student when we get our Christmas tree set up after the Thanksgiving holiday.

On the bulletin board are pictures that students brought that interested them. The trend has been toward animals, some very common and other rare ones such as the Golden Frog of Panama and rare crabs and unusual butterflies.

We are looking forward to our Thanksgiving holiday. Each has something interesting to do regardless of the weather. We'll have our grade cards by then too.

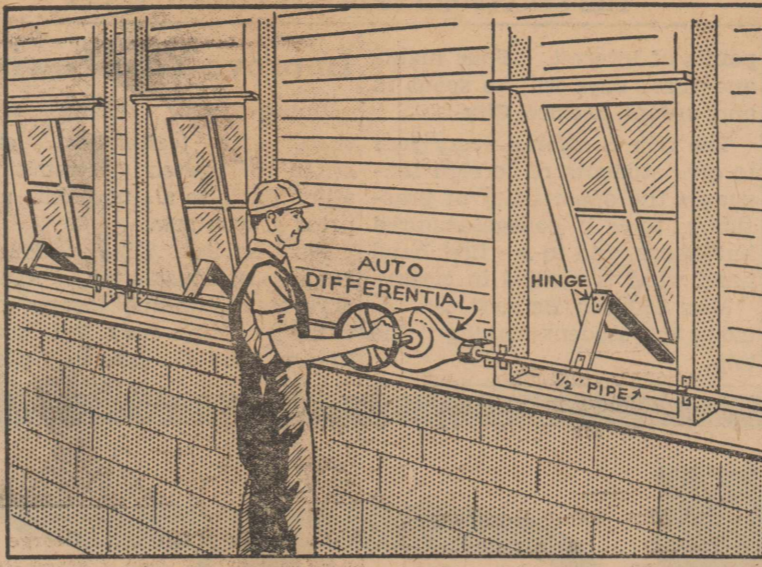
Mrs. Elliott's Room

(News Committee: Linda Taylor, Gay Plunk, Neil Harris)

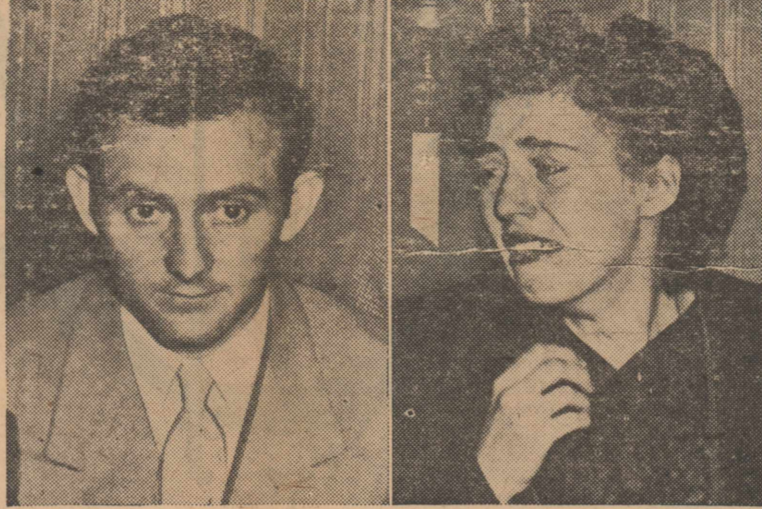
The class wishes to thank our room mothers for the lovely party they made possible for us to enjoy last week. We had a very nice time playing games and the refreshments were delicious.

In Science we are studying The Solar System. Among our activities will be found a frieze showing the sun and the planets in their orbits around the sun; a planetarium wherein balls of different size will represent the planets; How each planet got its name and a graph showing the sizes of the planets will be on display.

We have begun our work in group dramatization. Last Friday afternoon we dramatized Thanksgiving foods in an American dinner. Our meal seemed to be quite American grown, however, many spices and other foods are grown only on other continents. The entire room expressed thankfulness that the United States and all of America gives us so much good food, and that we can share so much with other parts of the world.



BARN WINDOW CONTROL . . . Dairy barn windows may be opened, closed and held in position with an auto differential, some pipe, a few hinges, some flat iron and an old steering wheel, rigged together as illustrated.



KICKS DAUGHTER TO DEATH . . . Still unemotional, Thomas Parker, Chicago, who confessed kicking his daughter Barbara, 3, to death in their home, is shown at inquest into child's death. His wife Peggy who tried to stop him is shown as she gives details of the beating.

Sixth Grade Miss Crockett's Room

We are all looking forward to the Thanksgiving holidays this week.

The class is also glad to be free of six weeks tests, and is ready to settle down for another six weeks.

Our teacher is spending her holidays with her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Crockett in Ada, Oklahoma.

We're hoping they install our lockers while we are away from school.

We hope Kay Jacobs enjoys her Thanksgiving vacation in Louisiana with her folks. They are not expected to be back for several days.

We hope everyone enjoys their Thanksgiving holidays this weekend.

We would like to thank the Senior Class and their sponsor, Mr. Stewart, for the \$17.44 check for the carnival returns.

Some of the sixth grade class were not as happy with their report cards this six weeks as they were last time.

We wish to thank Bernard

Spruell for the nice treats he has given the class the last week.

Seventh Grade Miss Patterson's Room

This is the week that we get our report cards. The teachers are busy averaging grades while the students just study.

We are glad that it is snowing. We can hardly keep our seats.

Bill Dyess is sick.

Eighth Grade Mrs. Turner's Room

We played electric football in the classroom today.

Donnie Jacobs left Saturday morning to go to Louisiana.

George Harding is leaving Wednesday morning to see Glen Dale Lovelace, who was in our class last year.

Easy Does It

REGULAR and proper cleaning of your range protects as well as preserves its life. Your range will be a joy to use when kept clean, and gives you more investment for your money.

Wipe off the porcelain enameled parts of your range after each meal or promptly if anything has been spilled. For this, a cloth wrung in soapy water, then in clear water is best.

Chromium and nickel trims on ranges respond to soap-and-water cleanings. Dry and then rub to brightness with a soft cloth.

Use a damp cloth to clean around the surface burners on gas ranges. If food has badly burned or charred them, removable units may be immersed in water.

On electric ranges, surface units of the open coil variety may be cleaned by sprinkling a few drops of water on the inside of a pie tin,

RECIPE OF THE WEEK

Liver Fricassee

(Serves 6)

- 1 pound sliced liver
 - 1/2 teaspoon salt
 - 1/2 teaspoon pepper
 - 1/4 cup flour
 - 1/4 cup bacon drippings
 - 2 cups canned tomatoes
 - 2 medium green peppers, chopped
 - 6 small white onions, chopped
 - 1/2 teaspoon celery salt
 - 1/2 teaspoon poultry seasoning
- Dredge liver with flour seasoned with salt and pepper. Brown in hot drippings. Add tomatoes, peppers, onions and seasonings. Cover and simmer about 45 minutes. Serve with cooked rice.

Inverting the pan over the unit and switching to high heat for a few minutes. Remove pan and blow away charred particles.

Drip pans under surface units should be cleaned after each meal. Clean thoroughly with soap and water, using a brush when necessary.

Deep well cookers should be wiped out with a cloth wrung out of warm soapy suds, then dried. Other accessories may be washed in the dishpan (trivet and inset pan) but the insulated lid should never be put in water.

Three hundred constitutes a perfect score in bowling.

One Case In County Court

One case is of record in County Court. Delmar M. Roberts, charged with threatening to take a life, and with carrying a

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pistol on his person, was fined \$300.00.

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Games of "42" and Canasta will be enjoyed Proceeds Will Be Used For The Annual Spurlock Sunday School Treats

In the Spirit Of The Season!

May every moment of your holiday be filled with happiness



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Giving Thanks



We wish to be among those giving Thanks in appreciation of our Customers and Friends. We sincerely hope all of you recall much for which to be thankful.

Yates Drug

Thankful



We take this opportunity to wish you and your family A Joyous Thanksgiving. It has been our great pleasure to be of service to you, and we are, as ever, at your service

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Thankfulness



MAY IT BE A WONDERFUL THANKSGIVING FOR YOU

Jacobs Motor Co.

Robert Jacobs

Mike Burgess

Thanks

OUR GOOD WISHES

that your holiday hold the best of everything for you and yours.

On Thanksgiving

We give Thanks for many dreams wrapped in golden rays, that have come true For you and you

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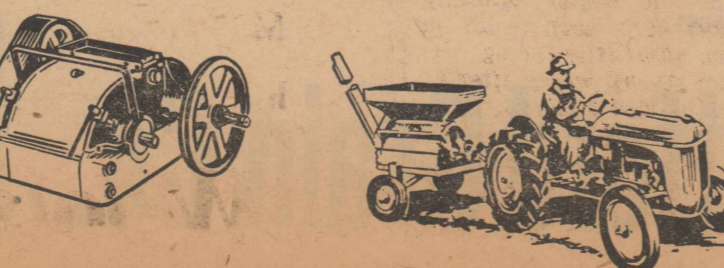
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Come In and See It

Van B. Boston



Thirty On Trip To Mexico

CANYON — Mexico City was the destination of 30 persons who left West Texas State College campus at 4:00 A. M. Satur-

day by chartered bus. The group is making the annual modern languages department-sponsored field trip.

Dr. Ples Harper, department head, and Miss Agnes Charlton, associate professor, are conducting the tour through historic Chapultepec Castle, the floating gardens of Xochimilco, the Shrine of Guadalupe, ancient Aztec pyramids, and other

points of interest. Four nights and three days will be spent in and around Mexico City.

The trip is offered every year to give students of foreign languages the opportunity of practicing their college-acquired knowledge, and to see first hand what is studied in classes.

Miss Mildred Bennett is among the students taking the trip.

Improve Your Sewing

Improve your sewing with these three techniques: stay stitch to prevent stretching; stitch darts to a fine point; and press as you sew.

Miss Lucile King, County Home Demonstration Agent, says stay stitching means machine stitching near the seam line to hold threads in place

while the garment is being put together. The agent recommends stay stitching with the grain of the fabric to keep material from stretching as you work with it.

For the darts, pin them first and then baste them from the point to the widest part. Stitch dart from the widest part to the point.

The agent says pressing as

you sew is a technique that will improve your sewing. Press each dart before it is joined to another part of the garment, and press on wrong side of the fabric with an up and down movement, not ironing movement. Press the shoulder and waist line darts toward the center of the garment and press the underarm dart down.

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Dalhart — Texas

Thanksgiving

It's More Than Thursday And Turkey And Tradition

Consider this peculiar day. Consider it well. For there is nothing like it elsewhere.

Here is a holiday that commemorates no hero, celebrates no battlefield. No lobby is behind it; no group or sect or party. It doesn't even fall on the same date twice. Yes Christmas cannot dim it nor July 4th steal its glory. And all America loves it with a quiet and intense affection reserved for no other day in the year.

What makes Thanksgiving different? What makes it beloved? What makes it real?

Perhaps the answer is simple. Thanksgiving is an affirmation. It is our heart's testimony to a deeply held conviction. The conviction that these things we call free and decent and American did not just happen to us. We didn't get them because we were wiser — or cleverer — or even luckier.

This conviction is the sum of many beliefs and experiences. The belief in the dignity of every human being. We had to fight for that belief in 1776. The belief in a real right and wrong. We had to act on that belief in 1863 and wipe out slavery or perish. The belief in decency and honesty and integrity. We had to live by that belief or fall apart as a people. And finally, the belief that calls for action today: the belief in a responsibility, under God, to our fellow man, wherever he may be.

Our attitudes as a people testify to these beliefs. Our whole national history is a witness to them. In less than a century they have caused us to abolish human slavery, establish free government across a great continent and bring about equal opportunity for all. We have demonstrated the beliefs in action to bring, in our time, the world's nearest approach to a classless society of free men and women.

As we give thanks we take stock of these things we believe in. We renew our faith in them. We renew our confidence in ourselves, our land, our neighbors, our way of life under God. We look ahead secure in the knowledge that our children, in their turn, will bear further and greater witness to the beliefs which have sustained us.

Of all of them and of that way of life they have made possible, THANKSGIVING DAY is our joyous affirmation.

Stratford Grain Co.



Want Ads

NEW MODELS of the Kelvinator Refrigerators and Freezers now in stock. — Van B. 42-tfc

FOR RENT: Furnished Efficiency. — Mrs. Harold Gray, 7-tfc

LOST: Benrus Watch, on Main Street Tuesday. Finder please contact John Worley, Phone 4561. 8-1tc

In case you see Stray Calves or Yearlings in Sherman or Dallam Counties branded /T on left hip or /TU on right hip, please notify Arthur or Frank Judd. 1-8tc

Long distance household moving. Years of service your guarantee of satisfaction. — Bruce & Son Transfer and Storage, Phone 192, Borger, Texas. 29-tfc

NEW and Used Sewing Machines for sale. Repairs and parts for any make of machine. Also machines for rent. — Dalhart Sewing Machine Exchange, 105 West 2nd Street, Phone 70, Dalhart, Texas. 52-tfc

LOST: six 600-pound heifers branded with tumbling T on left side or shoulder. — Leslie Parker. 39-tfc

FOR SALE: Two corner residence lots on pavement. — V. A. Plunk. 7-2tp

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. 50-tfc

Five room residence with 5 lots for sale or rent. — Mrs. C. R. Bonar. 8-tfc

FOR SALE: Story and half stucco house. Nine rooms and tile bath with floor furnace, electric hot water heater. Double garage, storm cellar and storage building 20x40. Located on four lots at Chestnut and 6th. Cash or terms. Phone 2611. — Leo L. Smith. 1-tfc

FOR SALE: My 3-bedroom home on the corner of North Fifth and Maple Streets, paving on both streets. — Clifford Byrd. 6-tfc

FOR SALE: Magic Chef gas range, good as new. — Mrs. W. J. Lowe. 7-tfc

FOR SALE: On North Maple, 2 lots in Hudson addition. East front, curb and gutter, worth the money. See Bill Martin. 4-tfc

LOST: Female Siamese grayish white cat with black paws, tail and ears. The blue eyed kitten answers to the call of "Sugar." Reward for return. — Mrs. W. N. Price. 8-tfc

LOST: Boys grey jacket with fur collar. Reward. — Bill Dyess. 7-2tc

FOR SALE: Two good used Ford Tractors, several other models and makes. — Stratford Tractor Co. 3-tfc

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

FOR SALE: Almost new two-electric train layout on collapsible table with tracks, switches, etc. — N. W. Hudson. 4-tfc

FOR SALE: 1947 3/4 ton Ford 6-cylinder Pickup; one 1950 88 Deluxe Oldsmobile. — Sloan Implement & Auto. 8-tfc

SAWS sharpened with a power saw sharpener. See E. E. Hamilton at Hamilton Machine Shop 25-tfc

FOR RENT: 3 room modern house, furnished. — R. E. Minnis, 6th and Wall Streets. 7-tfc

The Chaplain in the House of Representatives is elected by the members.

Washington, D. C., is located below the Mason-Dixon line.

Mohammed died from poisoning.



GETS WISH . . . Rodger Bates, Northwood, Eng., wanted to be Marine, lacked money to come here. Here he is after Marines in England paid his way to New York.

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Elks Win Second Ball Game With Adrian Team

Stratford Elks set a new scoring pace at Adrian Saturday night to defeat the Adrian boys by a score of 63 to 43. The Elks outpointed the Adrian team during the entire game. The score by quarters, which

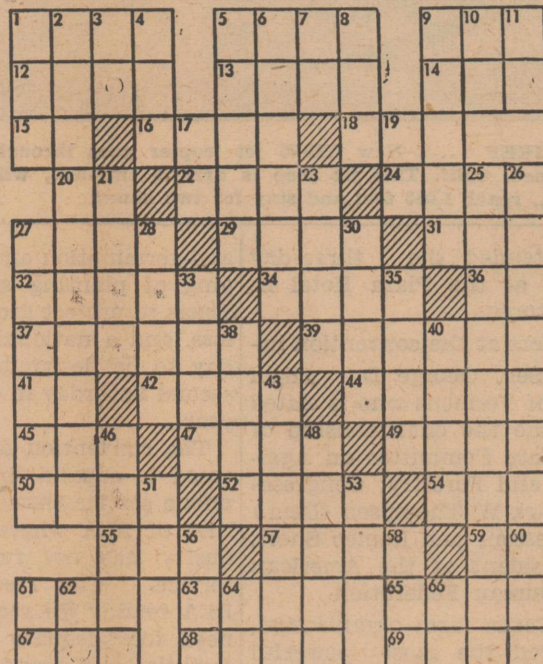
favored the Elks, was 14 to 8, 28 to 19, 36 to 27, and 63 to 43. B. A. Donelson was high point man for the Elks with 17 points. Lyle Wakefield scored 15 points and Fin Ramon scored 14 points. Bill Brown was high point man for Adrian with 18 points.

An acre of average mesquite infested Texas range land is tapped daily for 52 gallons of water. That is the amount of water given off by the mesquites through transpiration

Crossword Puzzle

HORIZONTAL

- 1 Egyptian goddess
2 A false god
3 Luzzo savage
4 Fruit of pine tree
5 Part of church
6 Cry of dove
7 Non-Syrian deity
8 Stale root
9 Obtained
10 Pronoun
11 Fetters
12 Fabulous
13 Part of
14 Command to
15 Chain of rocks near water's surface
16 To decay
17 Employ
18 Great Lake
19 Part of
20 house (pl.)
21 Charmed
22 Greek letter
23 Parcel of land (pl.)
24 Mother of pearl
25 To sum up
26 Full
27 Having shoes
28 Require
29 Trail
30 Printer's measure
31 Genus of cattle
32 Golf mound (pl.)
33 Whether
34 Fourth
35 A sunk fence
36 A handle
37 To soak
38 Imperial
39 standard of
40 Ottoman empire
41 Linden tree
42 Part of hater
43 Caledonian
44 Period of time (pl.)
45 To halt
46 To pain
47 To bandage
48 That owing
49 Vapor
50 To perform
51 Pronoun
52 The urinal
53 Juice of plant
54 To winnow



PUZZLE NO. 205

Answer to Puzzle No. 204

RABID ARRAS
REPUTE TEETER
UP DEBATED NO
NUT MILES COB
INTER TIS TARO
CEDARS THRUST
DIE OUT
CRESTS RESIST
HERE LET COTE
ALS LEADS NCM
INT GUERDON FC
RELENT LOOTER
DOMES ENDED

THANKSGIVING
— and on this day, be prayerful and give thanks.
As our nation joins together in celebrating this day, let us not lose sight of the true meaning of Thanksgiving. Let's pause for a few moments, in the church of our choice, and thank GOD FOR HIS BLESSINGS!
Robbie's Gift Shoppe

THANKSGIVING GREETINGS
May the day and the season be spotless for you in happy enjoyment and recollection — may our satisfactory service be a memory to make your holiday a happy one.
TOC Motor Co.
Studebaker Cars And Trucks

Thanksgiving
As you gather with family and friends on this happy day we wish to send to you and yours our sincerest greetings and best wishes for a merry holiday.
Consumers Co., Inc.
We Are Open 24 Hours A Day

THANKSGIVING
Let's talk turkey this Thanksgiving Day. Let's re-live the memory of our rich, historical past around a festive holiday table!
Let's capture the gay spirit of family reunions and sing the hopes of a glorious future!
HARRISON POULTRY & FEED

THANKSGIVING
In grateful memory of the courageous band of early settlers who withstood starvation and hardships — and, out of whose historic struggles this great nation was born!
We are Thankful for the privilege of serving you
Bill's Service Station
W. S. (Bill) FRIZZELL

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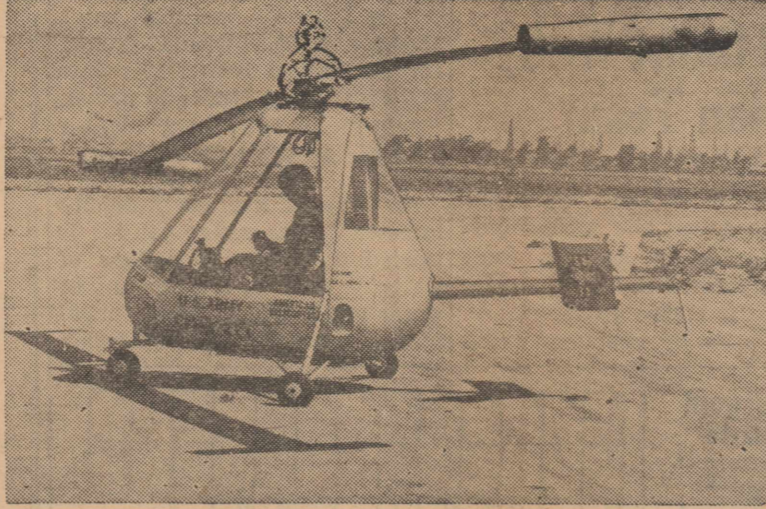
IT'S GETTING TERRIFIC "CURTAIN CALLS"!
EVERY DAY the cheering's getting louder . . . for the most beautiful CHRYSLER ever designed . . . for the best-performing, safest car you ever drove. Come learn the many reasons why!
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SEE IT . . . DRIVE IT . . . JUDGE IT . . . AT YOUR CHRYSLER-PLYMOUTH DEALER'S!
Garrison Motor Co.

Farm Bureau Seeks Peace And Prosperity

Declaring that "our primary concern is to find the way to prosperity based on peace and sound economics rather than

war and inflation," delegates to the 19th annual convention of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation went on record last week in favor of economy in government and a national farm policy formulated at the "grass roots."

More than 1,000 Farm Bureau members, including 415 voting delegates from 124 coun-



JET JEEP . . . New XH-26 jet 'copter goes through paces at Torrance, Calif. This jet jeep is army's smallest, will make 80 m.p.h., reach 1,000 feet and stay for two hours.

at a reasonable rate, we insist on the continuation through the facilities of the REA the right to furnish this service to farmers and ranchers."

The convention opposed price controls, efforts to socialize medicine, business or agriculture, and the practice of government agencies using any

facilities of that agency to promote political aspirations or dissention among members of farm organizations.

Say You Saw It In The Star

Thankful



May this be the kind of a Thanksgiving you like best - may it be one you will remember long with a happy recollection and may the future be good to you.

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ties, attended the three-day sessions at the Plaza Hotel in San Antonio.

Speakers at the convention included Sen. George D. Aiken (Rep.) of Vermont who is slated to assume the chairmanship of the Senate Committee on Agriculture and Forestry; Congressman Clark W. Thompson (Dem.) of Galveston; and Romeo Short, vice-president of the American Farm Bureau Federation.

The Texas farm organization, considered the most powerful lobby at the last legislative session in Austin, also adopted resolutions calling for acreage control to keep production in line with demand and a flexible price support system "that permits freedom of action by the farmer with a minimum of cost to the government." These supports would start at 100 per cent of parity when supplies are normal, to exceed when a crop is short, and lowered when there is an excess of supply.

This resolution, unique among proposals made by state Farm Bureaus, is a reaffirmation of one first adopted in 1949 by the Texas Farm Bureau.

Towards solving the number one problem confronting agriculture in the state, water, the convention recommended that sufficient funds be appropriated by the state legislature "to promote the vitally needed research on the water situation."

The Texas Farm Bureau also went on record favoring an increase in the appropriation for the present farm-to-market road program, an increase in the per diem pay of State legislators, more agricultural research to increase the productivity of the farm, vigorous support to revision of the Texas seed laws governing the purity

and germination and proper tagging of planting seeds sold in Texas to protect growers against loss, and a national Farm Holiday to be designated for the second Saturday in October each year.

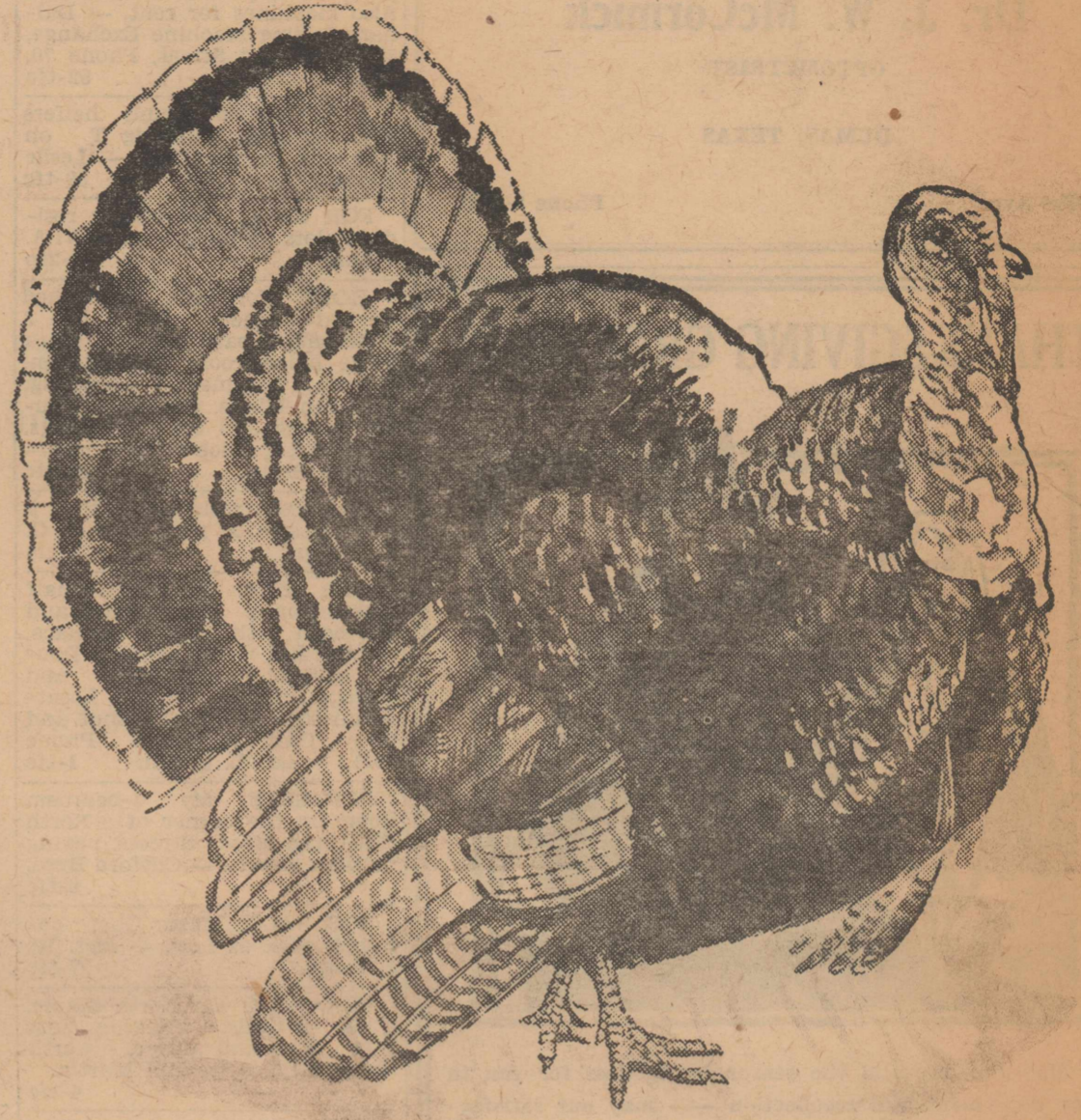
The convention delegates also voted to expand the rural telephone service through the facilities of REA where private industry has not furnished this service. The resolution on REA read: "We recognize the need for adequate generation facilities and transmission lines to serve rural areas. Where these services are not available



IN ALL THE JOY of Thanksgiving, we pause to give Sincere Thanks to you and all our Friends for pleasant relationships.

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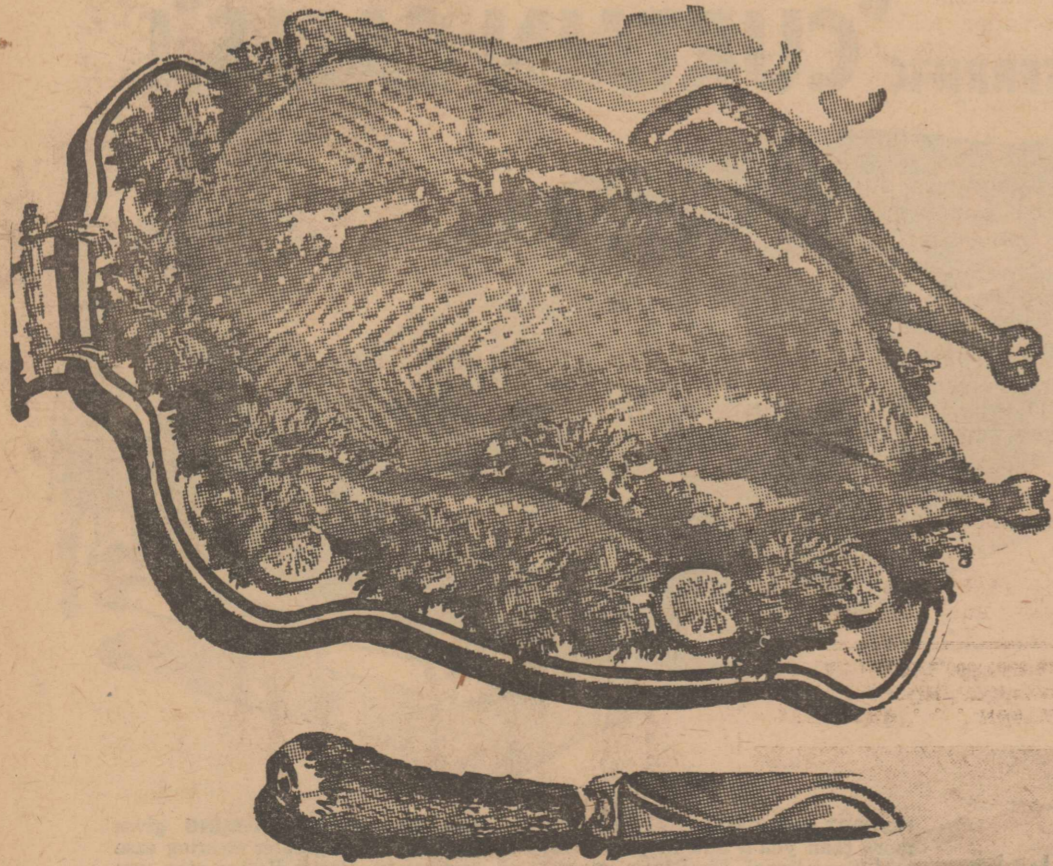
Thanksgiving



May all the good thoughts you have shared with others return a thousandfold to you; may all the good deeds you have done be given back to you a thousand times over again, to you and yours.

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Thanksgiving -



May your loved ones surround you, and your home and heart be graced with deep happiness during Thanksgiving - one of the most joyous times of the year.

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May your Day for the reunion of the family be a happy one - and the reasons for which you give thanks be bountiful.

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