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Tour Farms September 28

The Sherman County Farm Tour this year will include stops at fields where farmers can observe new varieties of sorghums grown on dry land and under irrigation; they can also see the results of growing sorghum crops under irrigation with different amounts of fertilizer applied and latest water control practices, and the results from new chemicals used to kill field weeds will be inspected.

The tour will start at 9:00 a. m. at the Stratford school in buses and go to the dry land sorghum demonstration plot that has been developed by Cagle Kendrick on his father's farm located northwest of Stratford in highway 287. Other stops will include weed field test plots on W. O. Bryant's farm; irrigated sorghum variety demonstration plots on the Sneed and Eller farm; DeKalb sorghum plots and new forage crops and hybrid corn grown on the Floyd Brannan farm.

This is the third annual tour which has been increasing in popularity with the farmers and business men. The tour is being sponsored by the Stratford Lions Club in cooperation with the farmers, and it is hoped that all the business men and farmers will take time to make this tour. They will have an opportunity to observe all the new varieties of sorghum crops, improved practices adopted by the farmers and general progress of development of agriculture in the county. The tour will be over by noon. Coffee and doughnuts will be served at one stop. It is suggested that every one making the trip ride the buses as information will be given and questions answered between stops.

FFA Boys Place In Wheat Entries At Tri-State Fair

Stratford FFA boys entered nine samples of wheat in the Tri-State Fair at Amarillo. Three of these samples placed in the top ten ratings in the youth division.

Stephen Cleavinger placed fourth, Butch Keener seventh, and Houston Cates eighth.

Other FFA boys entering exhibits were: Jimmy Cameron, Wayne and Dwayne Lavake, Hal Bennett, Joedale Reesing and James Spurlock.

The FFA boys educational exhibit, "beef prices and what causes them to change," placed second in their division.

Dr. Kramer Will Inspect Sorghums

Dr. N. W. Kramer, agronomist with the Texas Agriculture Experiment Station in Lubbock, Texas, will be in Stratford Friday to observe grain sorghum test work being carried out. He will be especially interested in the Experiment Station's hybrid forage sorghum test plot that has been developed by Cagle Kendrick as a part of his FFA agricultural project. This plot is located on the K. Kendrick farm just north of Stratford.

While in the area, Dr. Kramer will also inspect the grain sorghum variety demonstration on the Sneed-Eller farm, as well as other grain sorghum work in the county.

Stratford Elks Win First Grid Game Of Season

Stratford Elks won a 21 to 13 victory over the Boys Ranch Hands in the opening game of the season in the local stadium Friday night. The Elks showed great ability although many of their plays bore the marks of the opening season's inexperience.

The Elks scored the first touchdown of the game, only to have the ball called back to the line of scrimmage for a 15 yard penalty. Herb Fugett carried the ball 60 yards for the first Boys Ranch touch down the first time he had possession of the ball. The team failed to convert for the extra point. In the second quarter the Elks fought their way over the Boys Ranch goal line and kicked the extra point. A pass from McMinn to Mitts scored the second touch down for the Elks, and a conversion for the extra point.

Boys Ranch scored their second touch down in the third quarter but failed to make the extra point. McMinn passed to Bill Minkley in the last quarter for the third Elk touch down and the extra point was kicked for a 21 to 13 score.

Fumbles, recoveries, and penalties took their toll of yardage from each team.

Dwayne Fugett of Boys Ranch sustained a fractured leg in the last minutes of the game in a play where there was very little action. He has been hospitalized in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo where his leg was put in traction. An operation will be required to place pins in the bone, and the leg will be put in a cast.

Mullican Family Enjoys Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Mullican held their annual family reunion Sunday, September 15, with 40 members of the family and five guests present. Eighteen members of the family were unable to attend. The family gathered at the American Legion Hall for a delicious buffet luncheon and a day of visiting there and in the Mullican home.

Those present were Mrs. Lulu Thompson and Mrs. Dessie Myers of Lubbock, sister-in-law and niece of Mrs. W. P. Mullican; Mrs. Lenna Vickers and Miss Pat Conley of Amarillo and Miss Johanna Knight; Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Mullican and Tommy, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Henning, Mary, Gary, Kathy and David; Mr. and Mrs. David Johnson, all of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Drummond, Butch, Sue and "Baby," of Hereford; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Williams of Roswell, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Mullican of Columbia, Mo.; Kenneth Mullican and daughter, Linda, of Vinita, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Shoulters and Sheila Beth, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Folsom, Sharon, Jimmy and Bonita, all of Sunray; Mr. and Mrs. Grady Mullican, Sharon and Senora, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Parvin, Gradene and Donnie, and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Mullican.

Repeat Nuptial Vows



PTA Picnic And Concert Saturday Night In City Park

The Stratford PTA will have its first meeting of the year in the city park Saturday. The Elk Band will start playing at 8:30 p. m. while the crowd gathers, and will play until about 7:15, when the food is ready to eat.

The meeting is to honor the new and returning teachers. Each family is asked to bring a basket dinner and to bring extra food for the teachers who are being honored at the meeting. The PTA will furnish drinks and bread.

Everyone is invited to attend the meeting and social period. If the weather does not permit the picnic to be held in the city park, it will be held in the school cafeteria.

The PTA needs every adult as in every American community there is work to be done for the youth that will not wait. It does not take a child long to grow up, and growing up under undesirable conditions may mean tragedy for a child and loss to the nation.

The PTA membership drive is in progress, headed by Mrs. Alfred Pronger. Membership fees are 50 cents for each parent. Those who wish to join, may do so at the picnic.

PTA attendance prizes will be awarded in a different manner this year. They will be presented for four month periods ending in December and April, to the room with the best attendance average of the parents with paid memberships in the PTA. Four prizes of \$10, \$7.50, \$5, and \$2.50 will be presented.

Miss Carroll Ann Parvin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Parvin, became the bride of David Wayne Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Johnson of Amarillo, Sunday, September 8, at 3:00 p. m. in the First Methodist Church of Stratford. Rev. Charles R. Gates, minister, read the double-ring ceremony.

Banks of greenery and baskets of white chrysanthemums decorated the altar. The altar railing was entwined with greenery and small white flowers.

Mrs. Martha Harrison, organist, played traditional wedding selections and accompanied Frank Sutton as he sang "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer."

Miss Doris Johnson, maid-of-honor, wore a yellow crystalline dress and carried a bouquet of blue carnations.

Miss Connie Johnson, sister of the bridegroom, and Miss Gradene Parvin, sister of the bride, were bridesmaids. They wore identical dresses of blue crystalline and carried bouquets of yellow carnations.

Donald Myers was best-man and groomsmen were Joe Day and Frank De Right. Roy Hooks and Willie Vester served as ushers.

Mrs. Parvin, mother of the bride, was escorted to her pew by her son, the bride's small brother, Donald Parvin.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a waltz-length dress of white Chantilly lace over satin. Her fingertip length veil of illusion was attached to a tiara of seed pearls and sequins. She carried a bouquet of white chrysanthemums atop a beaded Bible, belonging to her cousin, Mrs. Irvin Shoulters of Sunray. Her

Miss Miller Will Be Wed September 28

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Miller announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Leona May Miller, to August LaVerne Miller of Plainview. The wedding will take place September 28, at 2:00 p. m. in the St. Paul and John Church in Dumas. The people of Sherman County are sincerely invited. A reception will be held in the church parlor immediately following the ceremony.

only jewelry was a single strand of pearls belonging to her mother.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held in Fellowship Hall of the church. The serving table was laid with a beautiful white cut-work cloth over blue. The bridal bouquet served as the centerpiece and was flanked by yellow candles in crystal holders. Presiding at the punch bowl was Miss Sharon Folsom, of Sunray. Miss Sharon Mullican served the wedding cake and the guests were registered by Miss Mary Henning of Amarillo. Misses Folsom, Mullican and Henning are all cousins of the bride.

For the wedding trip to El Paso, Mexico and Carlsbad Caverns, the bride wore a navy blue dress with white accessories and a white corsage, which was taken from the center of

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Win Tri-State Fair Awards

Acres In '58

Acres Reserve Earn Premiums

Farmers who took part in the Soil Bank's 1957 Acreage Reserve program can earn a 10-per cent premium this year above the 1958-program compensation rates, according to an announcement of R. C. Buckles, chairman of the Sherman County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee.

The condition attached to the higher payments is that the farmer put the identical land in the 1958 Acreage Reserve as was included in the 1957 program.

This is in line with the promise made to farmers in August of last year the chairman explained that "farmers entering land in the 1957 (winter wheat Acreage Reserve) program will be offered incentives to designate the same land in future programs."

Farmers are now calling at County ASC offices throughout the State, signing agreements to participate in the 1958 winter wheat Acreage Reserve program. All farmers who have an "old farm" wheat acreage allotment for 1958, and who normally grow winter wheat, are eligible to sign an Acreage Reserve agreement before the program deadline October 4.

Details of the program for spring-seeded crops, spring wheat and the other "basic" crops eligible under the program, will be announced before their sign-up period next spring.

Under the 1958 program, farmers must reduce their acreage of winter wheat below the farm wheat acreage allotment and they must also limit their harvest of all crops to a "permitted acreage." This is intended to prevent shifts from one harvested crop to another, which results in new surpluses. Except that no one producer may earn more than \$3,000 in total Acreage Reserve payments on any one farm, no limits are placed on the number of acres which may be offered under the 1958 wheat program. Individual farm payments will be based on a county average rate per acre, adjusted primarily according to the productivity of the land.

The \$3,000 limit does not include payments under the Conservation Reserve the other part of the Soil Bank. There is a separate limit of \$5,000 in the total Conservation Reserve annual payments which may be made in any one year.

If a farmer puts acreage from his farm in both the Acreage Reserve and the Conservation Reserve, he could be eligible for total 1958 payments of \$8,000 under both programs as operated on his farm.

Saturday Is Youth Day At The Fair

Saturday is Youth Day at the Tri-State Fair. A program will be presented in the sales arena by 4-H, FFA and FHA members. Door prizes will be presented throughout the entire program.

The last event will be the crowning of the Baking King and Queen. Jessie Jean Riggs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Riggs, will represent Sherman County in the baking queen contest.

Sherman County field crop and horticulture entries in the Amarillo Tri-State Fair have won top ratings.

Hal Bennet won second, Floyd Brannan third, and R. M. Buckles fourth with bundles of wheat.

Hal Bennet won second with oats and third with barley.

James Cameron won second with baled natiye hay grass.

Horace Sneed won second with baled alfalfa.

J. R. Pendleton won first with baled sudan.

Larry Goule placed fourth with summer squash.

Mrs. Travis Spurlock placed third with winter squash.

Pamela Bennett won first and Hal Bennett third with cushaws.

Rev. Charles Gates won second place with an entry of six large Lady Bird peaches.

Entries of good baking varieties of wheat won third for A. B. Miller with Concho wheat; fifth for J. R. Morris with Crockett wheat.

Entries of fair bread baking varieties of wheat won fifth for Dick Farris with Wichita wheat, and seventh for Conde Donelson with Triumph wheat.

In the classes of field crops and horticulture only the first four places were awarded prizes. In the wheat grain classes ten first places were awarded prizes and the high ten percent in each class were sent off for milling and baking tests for the adult wheat king contest. A. B. Miller and J. R. Morris samples of Concho and Crockett wheat were sent off for the milling and baking test.

Sherman County also put up a booth exhibiting agriculture products grown in the county this year. An educational booth was put up by the Stratford FFA chapter.

Hand Painted China Shown At Tri-State Fair

A hand painted china exhibit shown by local artists at the county fair is on display at the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo. The gold background decorations for the china display which were prepared for the local fair are being used with the exhibit in Amarillo. It appears in the Arts building.

Ladies contributing to the hand painted china display were: Mrs. G. R. Garrison, Mrs. J. C. O'Brien, Mrs. Arthur Judd, Mrs. E. W. Carter, Mrs. E. W. Butler, Mrs. Cone Donelson, Mrs. Howard Etheridge, Mrs. Ruby Palmer, Mrs. F. L. Yates and Mrs. R. C. Buckles.

Wayland Trustees Will Meet On October 8

PLAINVIEW — Wayland College Board of Trustees will meet at 2:30 p. m., October 8, in semi-annual meeting according to announcement from W. A. Mays of Amarillo, chairman of the board.

Other officers are: E. M. Osborne, Plainview, vice chairman; Alvin Stokes, Plainview, secretary.

Expected for this meeting is Kenneth Kendrick, Stratford, who serves as a member of the athletic committee.

Committees will meet the morning of October 8, preceding the afternoon session.

Town Talk

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Burgess had as guests Sunday, Mrs. Burgess' brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Odum and children of Lubbock, and her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kidder and children of Cactus. Miss Ealon Davis visited Mike Neal in Weatherford, Oklahoma Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Willey had as guests from Friday to Sunday their grandson, Henry Willey and a friend, Miss Barbara Mohan, both of Hugo, Colorado. They also visited other relatives of the Willey's. Other guests in the Willey home for dinner Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Dodson and Brenda.

Mrs. Margaret Storen, Kansas City, Mo., left Saturday after visiting her sister, Mrs. Grover Keown, Mr. Keown and other relatives for a week. Mrs. Storen had planned to visit with her sister longer, but was called home by the death of a very close friend.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vincent in Texhoma Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Guthrie took his mother, Mrs. W. T. Guthrie, to her home in Fort Worth, Texas Saturday. She had been visiting in the home of her son.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gaylord, Seiling, Oklahoma, are here this week visiting their sons, Hardy and LaVern and their families. Mrs. Mary Sears, John and Katy Sears, Mrs. Bess Stone, Louise and Martha Stone, visited the fair in Amarillo Monday.

O. L. McMinn made a business trip to Guthrie, Oklahoma Tuesday, returning home Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Littleton of Englewood, Florida left Sunday after having visited in the home of Mrs. Littleton's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Reynolds, the past week. Other guests in the Reynolds home Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds' sons and daughters and their families. They nolds and their families. They were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Brock and children of Albuquerque, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reynolds of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reynolds and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Everett and sons, who live near their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Gaylord and sons visited Miss Dorothy Bachman and attended the fair in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Borth and Herman were dinner guests Wednesday in the home of Mr. Borth's mother, Mrs. H. C. Borth, in Amarillo, and attended the ice show at the fair.

Mrs. Dorothy Slay has returned home from a two weeks visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Slay in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Beauchamp, Clayton, New Mexico, have been visiting in the homes of their daughters, Mrs. Pruett Adkins, Mrs. John Lavake and Mrs. T. J. Burgess, the past two weeks.

Guests in the J. B. Willey home Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lee of Pamona, California, whom Mr. and Mrs. Willey had not seen since they knew them in Gruver in 1931.

Mrs. John Ingham and daughter of Conway, Texas, brought her mother, Mrs. Ed Solesly, of Billings, Montana, better known as the former Mrs. John Grimes, to Stratford Sunday for a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Grimes.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stewart and sons spent Saturday night and Sunday visiting in Pampa. They returned home Monday, stopping in Amarillo for the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Harland Beauchamp and daughters of Pampa, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Springfield Jr., Sunday. Other guests in the Springfield home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Pruett Adkins and Eloise, John Lavake and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry B. Walden, and children, who have been making

their home in Seagoville, Texas, but who are moving back to the Panhandle, and presently are guests in the home of Mrs. Walden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lavake.

Mrs. J. N. Foster visited her mother, Mrs. Mary Lou Ingram, her sister, Mrs. Buddy Vann and children and her brother, Thomas C. Ingram, in Shamrock Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clements and daughter, Mrs. Herbert Cantrell and Nancy, all of Dalhart, were guests in the Harold Gray home Tuesday.

Cherub Choir Starts Practice

The Cherub Choir composed of first, second and third grade members of the Methodist Church, began fall practice today. Mrs. Fred McDaniel of Kerrick directs the choir and Mrs. Charles R. Gates is the pianist.

Billingtons Entertain

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Billington entertained a number of friends with a dinner at their home Friday evening. Guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Archie Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Dovel, Mr. and Mrs. Harland Gibbs, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Etheridge.

Prospectus Study Club Meets

The Prospectus Study Club of Stratford met in the home of Mrs. Bill Pendleton Friday, September 13, for the first meeting of their fiscal year. Mrs. Arthur Lee Ross was co-hostess for the meeting.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. C. C. Plunk, president. Mrs. Emmett McBryde, secretary-treasurer, called the roll. Each member of the club (Continued on Page 5)

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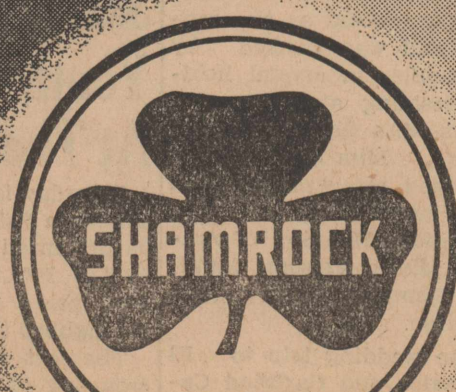
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F. H. A. News
(By Linda Taylor)
"Toward New Horizons"
The Homemaking Department of Stratford High School held their first F. H. A. Club meeting

August 30. Our president, Wilma Sneed, presided over the meeting. We discussed our booth for the fair and we were very proud of the entries. Several of our members entered arti-

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cles also, and there were several blue ribbons awarded. We were especially proud of them because it showed what we, the Future Homemakers of America, are doing. We also want to welcome our new teacher, Mrs. Clark, and are all looking forward to the new year.

Pat, Nancy, Eddie, Freda, Doug, Grant and Ann each one time. In weighing, we found that our weights vary from 27 to 64 pounds.

One of our classmates, Pat Hudson, won second in the beauty contest which was held September 6.

First Grade

Mrs. Corley's Room
(By Jessie Davis)

We have 26 students enrolled in our room this year. Ten boys and sixteen girls. Everyone is working hard and you would never guess that three weeks ago we had never been in school before.

We were happy over the money that was given to us by the Fair Association for our art exhibits at the fair. Thank you.

Our Sunday School record this year shows that Kevin, Allan, Kathy, Larry, Shirley, Neta Jo, Wilma and Faith have been in Sunday School twice each;

Third Grade

Miss Ensign's Room
(By Jessie Davis)

We are glad to welcome a new class of third graders, and we hope they find school as interesting as it was last year. Our enrollment of twenty includes the following children: Berniece Bryant, Vicky Burkhams, Cynthia Close, Margie Cordova, Stephen Dettle, Billy Green, Linda Harald, Jerry Herald, Libby Hidalgo, Gregory Keener, Stephanie Lovett, Terry Malone, Jana Pronger, Lynn Reynolds, Jean Ann Ross, Raedeane Schriber, Wesley Willey, Bertha Williams, Sharon Wilson, Donald Woolsey.

Berniece Bryant comes to us from Sunray. Linda Harald, from a little farther off, Sioux Falls, South Dakota.

The following mothers have been selected room mothers for the year: Mrs. Green, Mrs. Malone and Mrs. Burkhams with Mrs. Wilson acting as alternate. Parents, you are encouraged to visit school. You are welcome at any time during the year. After all, we are both interested in the same thing, "Your child's progress," so, keep in touch with the teacher.

Seventh Grade News

Mrs. Teague's Room
(By Jessie Davis)

Our class has elected our officers for this year. They are: President, Jack Standefer; Vice President, Jackie Morgan; Secretary-Treasurer, Lorelie Harding; Hostess, Louise Stone; Host, Dan Newman.

The Librarian only serves for six weeks. The librarian is Mary Kaye Keener.

We have all enjoyed school so far. There are nineteen students in our class this year.

Senior Class News

(By Jessie Davis)

The Senior Class had their first class meeting Tuesday, September 3. There are 25 seniors this year. Our sponsors are Mr. Gribble and Mr. George. We elected the following officers: President Tommy Lavake; Vice President, Richard McMinn; Secretary-Treasurer, Bill Dyess; Reporter, Jessie Davis. Our room mothers are: Mrs. C. W. Wells, Mrs. A. G. Everett, Mrs. Al Boren, and Mrs. Paul Aduddell. Class dues were set at five dollars a year. We received our class rings Thursday, and had the Senior pictures taken also.

Shorthand Club News

(By Jessie Davis)

The Shorthand Club of Stratford High School had their first meeting Tuesday, September 10. Mrs. Lee Musick, our sponsor, acted as chairman while we elected the following officers: President, Betty Bradley; Vice President, Martha Stone; Secretary and Reporter, Jessie Davis; Program chairman, Joyce Fisk; Social chairman, Gracie Brooks and Parliamentarian, Graden Parvin. Mr. Hose Flores is our civic sponsor. A name for our club will be selected at our next meeting. We will meet every third Tuesday at noon.

Sophomore Class

(By Carolee Baskin)

We are real proud of ourselves as we were the first class in high school to pay all of our activity fees this year. This one dollar fee entitles us to a year's entertainment of all assembly programs.

At our class meeting we elected Mr. Bateman and Mr. Lamb as our sponsors; and class dues of two dollars a year were decided upon.

Friday afternoon a group of our class members decorated the goal posts for the Elks victorious game with Boys Ranch that night.

Junior Class News

(By Carolee Baskin)

The Junior class is off to a flying start with approximately \$110.00 added to their treasury. This was made sponsoring a cake walk Saturday, September 7, in front of the Legion Hall.

In the class meeting it was decided that the dues would be \$5.00 a year. They elected Mr. Dick and Mr. Griffin as their sponsors.

What Is It?

(By Betty Bradley)

The word is soupcon. Jessie Davis — soup can misspelled.

Ann Bradley — an Italian dish.

Sharon Mullican — an ivy league necktie.

Alma Casey — hinge to a door. Leslie Gay Plunk — place where soup was invented.

Pat Newman — a new kind of alphabet soup.

Mrs. Sfebold — a soup can.

Mrs. Mercer — a french Campbell's soup.

Larry Goule — soup with pecans in it.

Hal Bennett — a new kind of soup.

Mrs. Corley — hot tamales.

Charles Clements — a foreign fruit.

Soupcon means a taste.

Cafeteria Menu

For the week September 23-27.
Monday: Pork and gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, tossed salad, rolls, butter, ice cream and milk.

Tuesday: Meat loaf, buttered potatoes, English peas, Jello, salad cocktail, rolls, butter, peanut-butter cookies, milk.

Wednesday: Pinto beans, pork, spinach, onions, cabbage-apple-marshmallow salad, cornbread, butter, coconut pudding, milk.

Thursday: Hamburgers, potato salad, apple cobbler, milk.

Friday: Meat balls, spaghetti, green beans, beets, celery sticks, rolls, butter, chocolate cake, milk.

Senior Personality

(By Sharon Hampton)

Jessie Mae Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Davis of Conlen, Texas, was born May 10, 1940 at Conlen. Jessie is 17 years of age, five feet and six inches in height, green eyed and has brown hair. Her hobby is reading, sewing and riding horseback. Her favorite sports are football and baseball. As favorite actor and actress, Jessie likes Rock Hudson and Dana Wynters.

For a future career, Jessie plans to take up commercial work.

Office News

(By Joyce Fisk)

Meditations of a Principal — H. T. Galloway.

I am happy to report that

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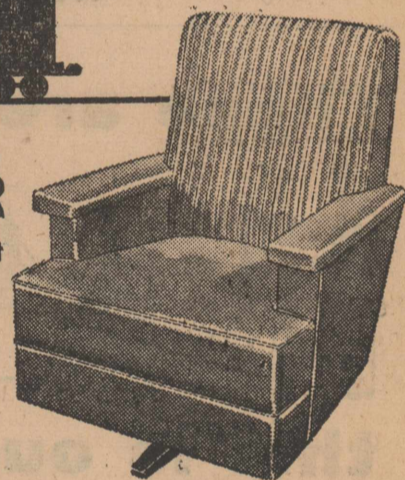
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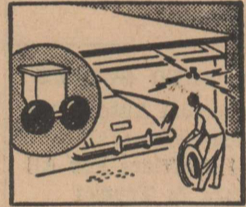
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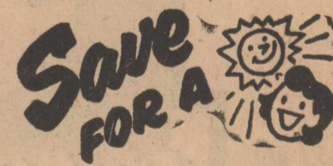
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did cooperation. My opinion is that students are, generally speaking, happy to be a part of our every day activity. There is of course lots of work to be done, but I know the students

and teachers will be equal to the task ahead.

May I express my sincere appreciation to the students and personnel for the splendid cooperation given me since the very first day of school this term. Remember I want to be of service to you the student, the teacher and community.

My sincere best wishes for a successful school year. Parents please remember you are welcome here anytime.

Events Of The Coming Week

(By Joyce Fisk)
The first event of the com-

ing week beginning September 23, will be the starting of magazine sales of the eighth and the junior class. The magazine salesman will be here Monday to give the students a talk on salesmanship and to give them their forms. The purpose of these sales is to raise money for their classes. We hope everyone will be giving their subscriptions to these students.

The next events are the football games. First the Stratford Grade team will play Sunray, Thursday the 26th. Next, the "B" team will play Dumas here Thursday, the 26th, at 4:00 p. m., and last but not least, the A team will play Sunray here Friday, the 27th at 8:00 p. m. We hope everyone will attend all three of the games and give their support. The boys need your support and your attendance.

Bookkeeping News

(By Wilma Jean Sneed)
The Stratford Bookkeeping club had their first meeting on Thursday, September 5. They chose their officers and their sponsors. A name was not chosen because of insufficient time. It will be selected at the next meeting which will be on Thursday of the fifth week of school. The officers who were chosen are as follows: President, James Spurlock; Vice-President, Mary Lou Wells; Secretary and Reporter, Wilma Jean Sneed; Social Chairman, Dorene Davis; Program Chairman, Nellie Johnson; and Parliamentarian, Sharon Hampton.

In view of the efficient way in which she served last year, the club chose for their civic sponsor, Mrs. Ben Biddy. Our school sponsor is Mrs. Lee R. Musick.

The purpose of the bookkeeping club is to better acquaint ourselves with the best of business manners, policies, and techniques.

Teacher Portraits

(By Wilma Jean Sneed)
There are several new teachers in the Stratford school system this year. In order that the community may get to know them better the Elk staff is featuring a story of their life. Of course, it would not be necessary to tell all of their life, therefore, we will only tell the highlights.

The Stratford Seniors are proud to boast that one of our sponsors, towers six foot and seven inches. He has dark brown eyes and dark brown hair. He was born on the first day of April in 1935. After he graduated from high school he attended college at West Texas State College in Canyon. He is married to a very charming lady. He has no children. In Stratford high school he teaches Science and will be the basketball coach for the boys. The man of whom I speak is Mr. John Edwin George.

The Stratford Seniors did not want to be one sided, so they chose for their other sponsor a five foot and eight inch man. He is blue-eyed and has blond hair. He was born on the 24th day of July in 1930. After finishing high school he attended college at Panhandle A. & M. College in Goodwell, Oklahoma. He is married and has two lovely children. Before coming to Stratford, he taught for four years at Texhoma, Oklahoma. We are proud to state that this man is Mr. Joe Carroll Gribble. Mr. Gribble teaches American History, and will be the assistant coach for both basketball and football.

The Juniors were fortunate to get for one of their sponsors, Mr. John Bearden Griffen. Mr. Griffen is six foot and one inch tall. He has blue eyes and blond hair. He was born the seventeenth day of March in 1936. Mr. Griffen like Mr. George attended college at West Texas State College in Canyon. He is married to a very lovely lady, and has been married only a short time. Mr. Griffen teaches industrial arts in the school.

Resolutions For The New Year

(N.E.A. Journal — Grace Brooks)

Dou you know Silly Milly and her classmate, Rufe the Goof? Their idea of a good time is to horse around in class. One of Milly's favorite tricks is eating potato chips out of a crackly bag during silent reading period.

Rufe like to scrape initials on the top of his desk with a straightened out paper clip.

When school is over, Rufe and Milly are the first to make a getaway, even if it means leaving their locker doors unlocked or shoving a few other people on the way out. Rufe jumps on his bike and tears down the life out of some of the smaller kids. Milly, who is a ninth-grader, ignores the safety-patrol boy on the corner (after all, he is younger than she, so what could he know?). Just because she is dodge-ball champion, she thinks she can do as well with cars.

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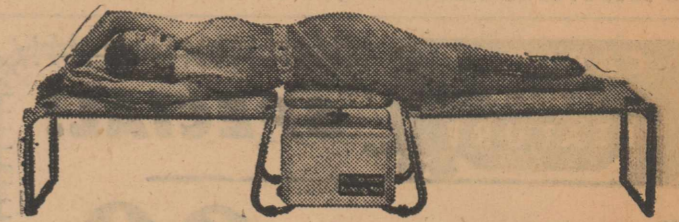
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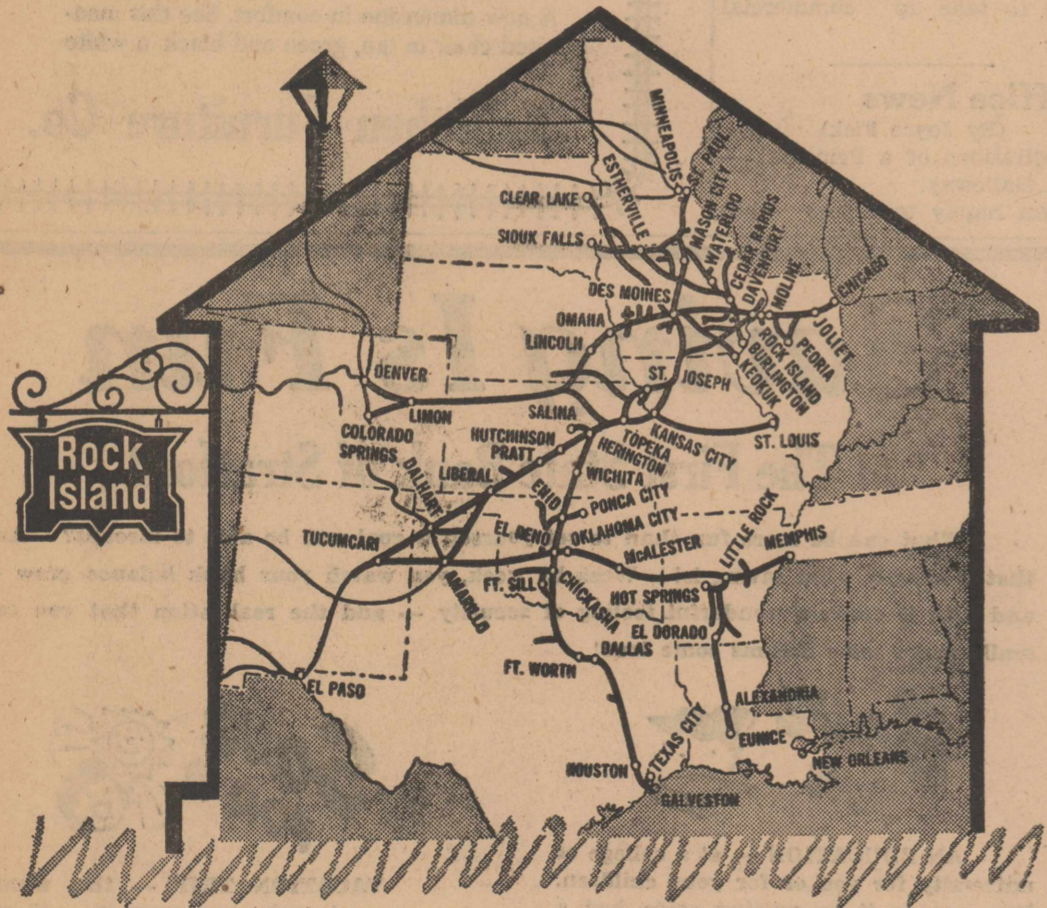
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New Arrivals

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grandfather, George Pemberton of Liberal, Kansas. Mrs. John Pemberton planned to go to El Paso Thursday (today) to visit her new grandson and his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard D. (Dickie) Bachman of Texhoma, are parents of a six pound seven ounce daughter, who was born in the Dumas Memorial Hospital, on September 4, and has been named "September." The little lady was born on the

birthday of her maternal great grandfather, Frank Redd of Amarillo. The maternal grandmother is Mrs. Frances Ingram, of Amarillo. The paternal grandparents and great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bachman Jr. of Stratford, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bachman Sr. of Plains, Kansas.

Lt. and Mrs. Thomas Edward Wakefield are the parents of a seven pound four and one-fourth ounce son, Barry Thomas, born September 12 in an Ellington Field Hospital at Jenoa, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wakefield are the paternal grandparents and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Davis are the maternal grandparents.

political news, youth in the news, etc., are brought before the club each meeting.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The officers elected last May are as follows: Mrs. C. C. Plunk, president; Mrs. Verne Foreman, first vice-president; Mrs. Hartland Caraway, second vice-president; Mrs. Cone Donelson, third vice-president; Mrs. Emmett McBryde, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Bill Pendleton, parliamentarian.

After the treasurer's report, the president asked for committee reports. Mrs. Hartland Caraway related the progress made on the current "give-away" doll project. The club members are busy making a wardrobe for the doll in addition to the wardrobe that was displayed at the Sherman County Fair. The proceeds from the project are to be donated to the heart, cancer, polio, medical, red cross and other civic drives held in the community.

A flexible budget was presented by Mrs. L. J. Davis and was accepted by the members.

The Prospectus Study Club has been asked to sponsor a Driver-Education program for the Stratford P.T.A. This is in accordance with the Driver-Education project initiated by the club last year. It was decided that the club would endeavor to present a program that would increase public interest in a driver education course in our Stratford School System.

The president appointed a telephone committee consisting of Mrs. Bill Frizzell and Mrs. Rex Hudson. The duty of this committee will be to telephone members previous to meetings and remind them of the meeting date. Mrs. L. J. Davis was elected reporting-secretary and press-book and scrapbook chairman.

Two new members were elected to join the Prospectus Study Club: Mrs. Bill Allen and Mrs. Dean Smith. The president then relinquished the meeting to Mrs. E. R. Bell who was in charge of the program for the day.

Mrs. Bell presented an interesting film "The Perfect Crime" concerning safe-driving on the highways. It was brought to the club's attention that lack of interest concerning highway conditions and maintenance are responsible for many of the highway accidents. Other important causes for automobile accidents are: excessive speed, disregard for hazardous driving conditions, driving while under the influence of alcohol, and negligent care of an automobile thus rendering the vehicle a menace to the public on the highways.

After the meeting was adjourned, delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Bill Pendleton and the co-hostess, Mrs. Arthur Lee Ross. Those attending were: Mrs. E. R. Bell, Mrs. Baskin Brown, Mrs.

Hartland Caraway, Mrs. L. J. Davis, Mrs. Cone Donelson, Mrs. Emmett McBryde, Mrs. C. C. Plunk, Mrs. A. E. Pronger, Jr., Mrs. Jim Taylor, Mrs. Carroll Wisdom, and Mrs. Bill Allen.

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PRAIRIE and Alfalfa Hay. See J. I. Mooney at Garrison Motor Co. 34-tfc

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LOST: Black and white part Cocker Spaniel Dog, has New Mexico vaccination tag No. 34. Disappeared about August 20. Finder please call George Lovett, Phone 3286. 35-tfc

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Among the Sick

Sam Wohlford is going to Dumas daily for treatments, and his condition is improving.

Mrs. W. J. Lowe underwent skin grafts in Dumas Memorial Hospital Tuesday. If there are no complications she may be released in four or five days.

Edgar Spurlock underwent a major operation in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo Monday. His condition was reported as favorable.

Mrs. H. Beauchamp of Clayton, New Mexico, underwent surgery in Dumas Memorial Hospital Tuesday.

Mrs. Earl Hurst, who has been confined in Dumas Memorial Hospital more than a month, was brought home Tuesday.

Mrs. Marvin Burham entered Dumas Memorial Hospital Wednesday and was scheduled to undergo surgery Thursday.

E. E. Hamilton, who has been ill for some time and was taken back to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo again recently, underwent surgery again Saturday. He is reported to still be in a serious condition.

Mrs. Virgil Garoutte underwent surgery in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo Thursday of last week, and is reported to be doing nicely.

Stevie Gaylord, four year old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gaylord, was in Dumas Memorial Hospital Tuesday of last week for the removal of some teeth.

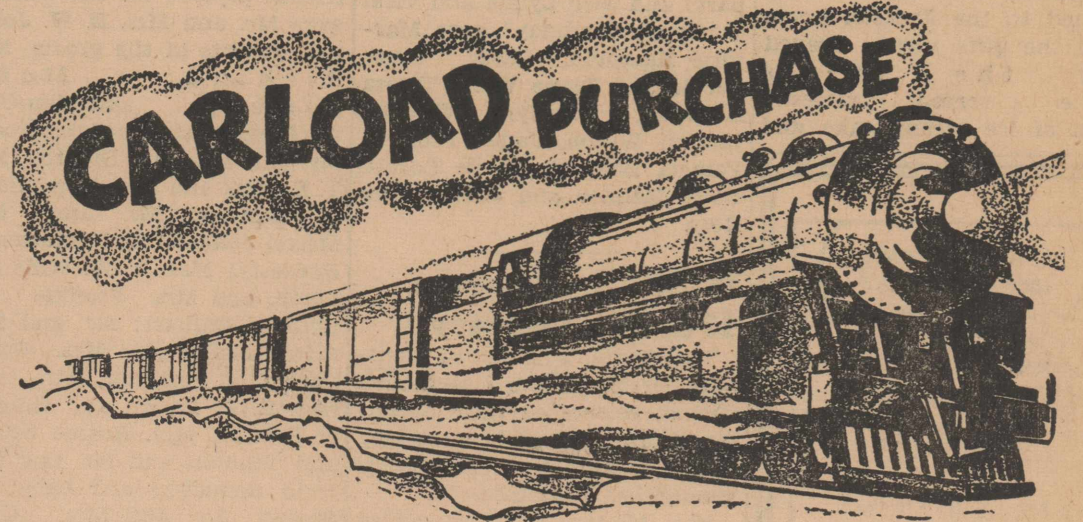
Dwayne Pugett is a patient in Room 137 of Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. A bone was fractured above the knee of one leg during the football game here Friday night. The leg has been in traction. An operation will be performed to insert pins in the bone. The leg will then be placed in a cast, according to Leon Guthrie, who visited him Sunday afternoon.

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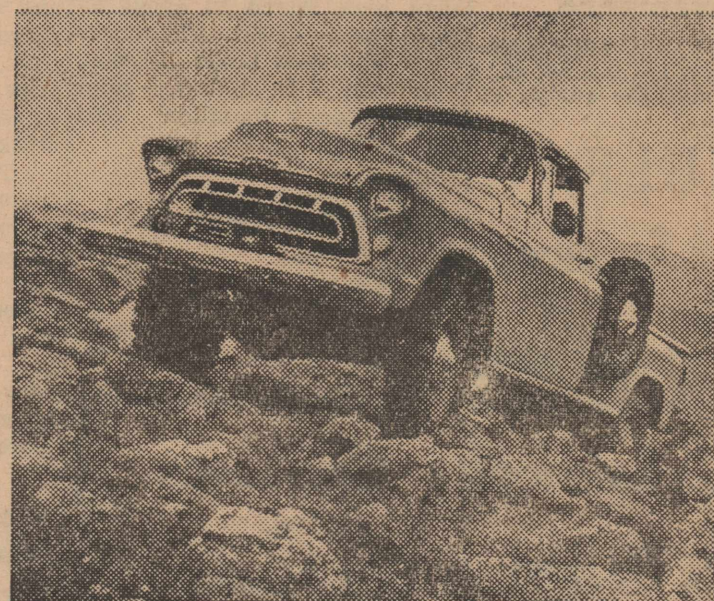
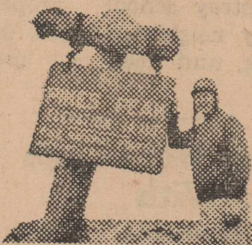
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lemonade. The beautiful birthday cake, baked and decorated by Mrs. Lois Holmes, was very attractive with a row of flowers across its center, with Lynda's name and nine candles on one half and Vicki's name and nine candles on the other half. Vicki's birthday is September 15 and Lynda's on September 17. Those present to enjoy the party and wish Lynda and Vicki a "Happy Birthday" were Marjorie Hampton, Cindy Close, Beckie and Diane Word, Teresa Brannan, Sharlyn Wisdom, Sharon Wilson, Jana Pronger, Pamela Bennett, Stevie Lovett, Dolly Mehner and Jean Ann Ross.

W.S.C.S. Observes 17th Anniversary

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church celebrated their Seventeenth Anniversary in a meeting in the sanctuary of the church Wednesday, September 11. Mrs. Martha Harrison played a prelude of soft organ music as members assembled.

The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mrs. O. L. McMinn, president. The theme of the program, "The Seventeenth Anniversary" was given under the leadership of Mrs. C. W. Moon, with Mesdames W. P. Cummings, J. G. Cummings, O. L. McMinn, Arthur King, C. C. Plunk and Billy Cummings taking part in the program. Mrs. Virgil Plunk sang a solo, "Others," the same song she sang seventeen years ago at the first meeting of the Stratford W.S.C.S.

After the program, the ladies went to the church parlor, where they enjoyed the "Anniversary Tea." Mrs. C. R. Foster presided at the silver service, serving coffee, and Mrs. Tim Flores served cake. The Flora Foreman Circle was hostess. There were 29 present.

Six of the charter members were present for this anniversary. They were Mesdames J. G. Cummings, Arthur King, Virgil Plunk, Ernest Cummings, C. R. Foster and Kenneth Eller.

Lullaby Shower Honors Mrs. Ellard

Mrs. Roy Ellard was honored at a "come and go" lullaby shower Friday, September 13, in the home of Mrs. Leslie Dodson. The serving table was laid with a white cut-work cloth over pink made more lovely with a clever and attractive centerpiece, which was a silver tree, "bearing" pink and blue carnations on its branches, and holding a "baby" in a pink cradle in the forks of the tree. White candles flanked the centerpiece.

The honoree was presented a corsage of pink and blue carnations. Mrs. Lawrence Nangle, assisted her daughter, Mrs. Ellard, in opening the many useful gifts. Refreshments of coffee and cake were served to about 25 guests who called. Hostesses were Mesdames Leslie Dodson, Don Riffe, J. B. Willey, John Haney, Emery Hamilton and Eaton Davis.

Members of the 1958 annual staff started taking orders for

the annuals Wednesday. Girls working include: Sharon Mullican, Jessie Riggs, Ann Bradley, Jessie Davis, Wilma Sneed, Alma Casey, Betty Bradley and Sonja DeBord.

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her bridal bouquet.

Out-of-town relatives and friends present for the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Johnson, parents of the groom, Mrs. Richard Montgomery and Miss Connie Johnson, sisters of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dillard, Mrs. T. E. Lusk and Miss Carol Bolin, of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Merrel Johnson and children of Hardesty; Mrs. R. W. Willis and Linda, and Mrs. Frankie Jay Byrd of Dalhart; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred McRee and Mrs. Emma Parvin of Perryton; Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Parvin and children of Dumas; Mrs. Roscoe Folsom and children and Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Shoulders and baby of Sunray; Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Beasley, Miss Martha Plunk, Miss Wilma Sorrels, Miss Helen Thorenson, Herman Shirley, Mrs. Lenna Vickers, Miss Charlene Campbell, Joe Day, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Day and Dickie, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Deavers and Roy, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hooks and Janine, Mr. and Mrs. George Myers, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Reynolds and Mike, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Vester, Mr. and Mrs. Frank De Right, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Burke, Judy and Wanda, and Mr. and Mrs. Fate Morris, all of Amarillo; and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Myers of Lubbock. Many friends and relatives of Stratford were also in attendance. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson are at home at 1614 Van Buren, Amarillo.

Mrs. Johnson was graduated from Stratford High School. She is employed by the First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Amarillo. Mr. Johnson was graduated from Amarillo High School, and is employed by Willis Storm Window Co., also in Amarillo.

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Are you first cousin to Silly Milly or Rufe the Goof? Everybody likes to cut up once in a while. But most of us know when to stop. We know (though we sometimes don't show it) that recklessness is dangerous and that misbehaving in the classroom is a pretty inconsiderate thing to do.

When we misbehave, we waste time, we distract others, we make it tough for the teachers and we make it tough for ourselves. When everybody behaves, though, everybody learns. The class goes more smoothly, and the teacher is a pleasanter person.

You don't need to grow wings and a nice round halo. Just remember that two of the reasons you are in school are to grow and to learn, and you can't do either if you are always wisecracking or tossing spitballs.

Post this sheet of good resolutions for the new school year in your locker or over your desk at home. And look at it every day.

Because I know better: I will not: eat in class, be a chatterbox, destroy school property, copy my neighbor's work, be a litterbug, and keep a messy locker.

Happy Hour Club Meets With Mrs. Keown

The Happy Hour Club met September 12 in the home of Mrs. Grover Keown. New officers elected for the coming year were: President, Mrs. Kenneth Pickens; Vice-President, Mrs. Bernard Dovel; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Hugh Stewart; Council Delegate, Mrs. C. W. Moon; Reporter, Mrs. Harold Baker.

Mrs. C. W. Wells and Mrs. Oma Ellison gave the program on "Recreation." The group enjoyed several games.

Delicious refreshments were served to Mrs. Philip Blanck, Mrs. Joe Billington, Mrs. Odie Bryant, Mrs. Kenneth Pickens, Mrs. Bernard Dovel, Mrs. Edward Brannan, Mrs. Harold Baker, Mrs. Everett Riggs, Mrs. Hugh Stewart, Mrs. Oma Ellison, Mrs. C. W. Wells and a visitor, Mrs. Margaret Storen of Kansas City, Missouri. Mrs. Storen is a sis-

ter of Mrs. Keown.

The next meeting will be Thursday, September 19, in the home of Mrs. Joe Billington.

Club Supper Saturday

The Happy Hour Club members and their families enjoyed a hamburger and ice cream supper Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oma Ellison.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Odie Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Keown, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Billington, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Dovel, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Pickens and children, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Riggs and children, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Baker and children, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wells and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stewart and children, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brannan and children, Mrs. Mollie Ellison and Mr. and Mrs. Gail McDaniel.

Assembly Of God Church

(Bob Goodwin, Pastor, Phone 4351)

Sunday School 10:00 a. m. Morning Worship 11:00 a. m. Young People 6:00 p. m. Children's Church 6:00 p. m. Evangelistic Service 7:00 p. m.

Wednesday night service 8:00 p. m.

The public is invited to all services.

Wednesday afternoon the meeting of the Womens Missionary Council was opened with prayer by Mrs. Dewey Newburn. The WMC chorus and two hymns were sung. A devotional was given by Mrs. J. L. Adams entitled "God's visitation to Cebu City, the second largest city in

the Philippines." It was written by J. Edward Blount. Matthew 5:11-12 was used as the scripture reading. A poem entitled "Witness," was read, and a short business meeting was held.

Sunday evening the Christ Ambassadors studied about the people of Latin America.

Sunday evening the Junior Church sang new songs, and listened to a Bible story prepared by Mrs. Bob Goodwin.

Monday evening, Rev. and Mrs. Bob Goodwin and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Newburn attended the C.A. rally in Wellington. Perryton took home the C.A. banner. The Canyon church won the sword drill.

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