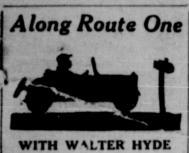
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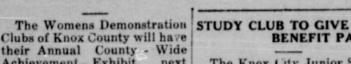
### KNOX CITY, KNOX COUNTY TEXAS, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1939



T. E. Robbins, president of the Citizens State Bank of Knox during the day Saturday. City, was born in Logan county,

the year 1880. called, like many f that day and rought up under ult circumstances. w a biscuit until he ars oid. He ate corn sorghum molasses ter cake once a week ine. His mother manuall his clothing with a wheel and an old d loom. His early eduonsisted of a Blue Back Rhea Arithmetic, Mtrings, Texas, where, as we ppose, he finished his high chool education. From Walnut prings he drifted farther west nd landed in Weinert, Texas. and there he met with the first success of his life by marrying one of the very finest young ladies in all the land. From Weinert he went to O'Brien ane went into the banking business. He maintained this line of busiyears but decided that a per opportunity presented itself at Knox City and for the past several years he has been president of this marvelous institution which today numbers ong the strongest banks in west. Tom is also a deacon the Baptist church of Knox y and is considered one of

finest Biole students in all land. He and his charming e reside 1 mile south of the He has erected a nice ne, owns a nice farm, and is specializing in fine hogs, ckens, and many other ngs that go toward making pleasant one.



**HOME DEMONSTRATION** 

SHOW HERE SATURDAY

to visit these exhibits, sometime Legion Hall.

find these exhibits to be very in- in tersting as well as educational make Christmas toys for the since each club, including the needy children of Knox City. 4-H Club girls of Knox county, will have a part in the display. The exhibit will consist of a

mattress demonstration, showing a mattress in the process of making, a mattress completed and a standardized bad, representing home improvement and home made candy will be work in bedrooms, done this year, a display of fruit cookery, throughout the evening. consisting dried fruits, desseria, salads and drinks; a table set Fourth Reader, a slate appropriately for a dinner, an citizens of Knox City are asked lead pencil. After many exhibit of hand-work made by spent in the old state of home demonstration club mcm. tucky he decided to come bers; a display of antiques; the town to have a happier , and landed in Walnut and 4-H club girls exhibits con- Christmas than they will have sisting of dresser scarfs, if aid is not given by those aprons, Christmas gift pack- more fortunate. ages and poultry.

Be sure to attend this exhibit to be held in Knox City next Saturday, Nov. 25.

### **NEW PASTOR FOR** METHODIST CHURCH

At the Northwest Conference of the Methodist church held in Lubbock last week, L. B. Smallwood was appointed to the Knox City Methodist church. Rev. Smallwood comes from the Highland Heights Methodist church in Sweetwater, where he served four years as pastor. The Smaliwood family consists of Rev. and Mrs. Smallwood, a daughter, who is a student in McMurry College, Abilene, and a niece who makes her home with the Smallwoods. Knox City welcomes Rev. Smallwood and his family and hopes that their stay here will be a long and ence Booe, Munday, a girl,

**BENEFIT PARTY** 

Achievement Exhibit, next The Knox City Junior Study Saturday, November 25, at club will sponsor a game tour-Knox City in the old bank nament, Tuesday, Novmber 28, building. Everyone is invited at 7 P. M. at the American

The purpose of the tourna. We believe each person will ment is to raise funds to be usca purchasing materials to Games of bridge, "42" dominoes, chinese checkers, and pool may be played after the admission fee of fitteen cents per person or tweniy. twenty five cents a couple has been paid. Coffee, cookies sold at reasonable prices This tournament is being giv

en for a worthy cause. The to do their part in helping the unfortunate nille children of

. . . . . . . . KNOX COUNTY HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients in the Knox County Hospital this week are:

Master Howton Arthur Orr, Knox City; William L. Mayo, Benjamin; John Harris, Gorce, Mrs. Clarence Booe and baby. Munday.

Patients dismissed from the hospital the past week: Mrs. Thomas Ferguson Knox

City; Mrs. Ernest Yarbrough, Munday; Wilma Smith, Munday; Ruth Jo Marlow. Benja min; Mrs. Anita Holgin (Mex.) Knox City; Mrs. Albert Boyd and baby, Vera, Pauline King, Knox City; J. J. Foshee, Knox City; M. S. Lowrey, Knox City; Howard Myers, Munday.

Births: Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clar

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Knox City Votes Hundred Per Cent For Dial System

Dial telephones for Knox

### STATE AID APPROVED City is at last a reality, according to telephone company officials who made a canvass of the town to see if the people of this city wanted the change and every subscriber voted for the change. Only 75 percent of the subscribers was necessary for the change, but 100 percent voted for the dial telephones After many months of work by the Lions Club on this project, their dreams have at last come true. A committee of Lions Club members, consisting of G. E. Steen, Roy Baker and C. H. Keck, with other business men of Knox City have devoted much of their time to this pioject and have several trips to

see company officials about getting the dial telephones. The citizens of Knox City should appreciate the work of this committee in getting for this city the very latest in

telephone systems. S. L. Butler, a representative of the Haskell Telephone Co. who was here making the canvass of the town, said that his company would spend approximately \$40,000.00 in making the change. The system will be rebuilt entirely and new telephones installed in every subscribers home or busines. Butlr stated that it would be about April 1 before actual construction work would start, but that a crew would be sent hcre in a few weeks to make blueprints for the new system. When this system is completed

there will be no better telephone system in the United States, as the very latest equipment will be installed here.

### SINGING CONVENTION TO MEET HERE SUNDAY

The Knox County Singing Convention will meet in Knoz City next Sanday at 2:60 o'clock at the Methodist church according to Jewel Tankersiey, president of the convention.

Everybody has a cordial invitation to attend this convention.

## **ACTUAL PAVING BEGUN ON STREETS THIS WEEK**

FOR KNOX CO. SCHOOLS Knox County schools asking for state aid will receive most of the state aid asked for, according to County Superintendent Merick McGaughey. Supt McGaughey is in receipt of a report from Deputy State Superintendent Murdock, stating that most of the state aid asked, will be granted. Ap-proximately \$17,800.00 had been asked by Knox County schools.

Supt. McGaughey is visiting the schools over the county 'his week, and reoprts that all schools visited so far are doing splendid work. He reports the work on the new school buildings at Gilliland and Benjamin is progressing rapidly.

## COTTON ACREAGE REDUCED IN KNOX CO.

County Agent W. W. Rice reports that the 1940 cotton acreage has been cut below that of 1939 for Knox County. A com left Tuesday for College Stat-ion to see if the cotton acreage plan to return to this county today, Thursday.





The actual work of paving started Saturday morning when the prime coat of asphalt was spread on about a block of Fourth Street. The paving was laid on the east end of the street and will be paved to the street east of Porter and White Feed Store, where they will turn south and pave one block on Nolan Street, and then turn and go one block east to the highway. It is thought this part of the paving will be completed by the last of the week.

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A 10,000-gallon tank car of asphalt arrived Saturday and will be used for this work. Several other blocks will be paved when this work is completed. It is thought that Sixth Street will be next, as most of the property owners on that street have agreed to pay for the curb and gutter work. It is the best opportunity Knox City property owners will have to get their street paved, curbed and guitered for such a low cost. The city is offering to do this work for only 40c a foot .This figure is far below the usual price, but mittee composed of Co. Agent the city is trying to absorb all Rice, Joe Harper, J. W. Smith, the costs it can, so that proper-Mr. Shumaker and E. A. Beck ty owners may improve their ty owners may improve their property. The Federal government is cooperating by furnishfor Knox County could be put ing the labor and part of the back to the 1939 acreage. They material to do this paving. if you have property and would like to have it paved, be sure and see Mayor Hoge, who will explain the necessary steps.

Malcolm Shipman is Supervisor of the paving project, Wallace Glenn is engineer and George Gideon is timekeeper. Mayor Hoge is devoting much of his time to the project, st ing that the work is being done as it should be. Mayor Hoge, as well as the other two members. of the city council, O. W. Caussey and E. B. Shaver, are always on the lookout for any movement that will be for the betterment of the town, and the town is fortunate to have such a splendid council, who take such an interest and try to improve the town.

farm a success. Tom is the y man in Texas that I can nember who in his early s was able to coon a fort

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believe that John W. King ist about ready to subscribe daily newspaper as he has on the mourners bench the last 90 days.

noticed my old friend die Hodges in town Mon Woodie has been farming nd Knox City for many 's and has been very suc-ful. Boy, how he can raise He tomatoes. His farm is sub ch rain.

fom Loper has received a rd) Tom come over and act as of his body guards. Toni the matter under considerabut says that it must be inctly understood that there t be no beer parties pull-especially if there are any nbs nearby.

had a very nice little chat with Mrs. Sammy Carpenter last Saturday night at the Jones Drug Store. Sammy was real-no)d and educated in Knox the public school here for almost a quarter of a century with perfect satisfaction. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Favor of this city. Skeet was very fortunate.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Henry ent Thursday of last week in Stamford.

The coffee business that I ke of last week had its de-(Continued on page 2)

The new pastor will hold regular services at the church next Sunday and everybody is welcome to any or all of the services.

Rev. Peacock, who served as pastor of the local church la.t County Teachers at their an year, was transferred to the nual banquet to be held at the Eleventh Avenue Methodist Sunset School House Thursday church in Corsicana.

### CHURCH GIVE **FAREWELL TO PASTOR**

Monday night of this week the membership of the First Methodist church entertaincd with a farewell social for Kev. ful. Boy, how he can raise to tomatoes. His farm is sub gated and doesn't require and Allene. They left for them new home in Coriscana Tuesday morning.

A musical program, consist sage from Hitler via the ing of numbers by the High marine route requesting School boys orchestra, a vocal solo by Mildred McGee, a piano solo by Wynell McGee, and a number by the high school girls trio, Margaret Dutton, Faye Heath and Marjorie Propps. Dorothy Shaver was also presented in a reading. The musical program was fo. lowed by short, informal talks by Chad Wilson, C. E. Ball, Jack Wetzel, and Mrs. C. C. Hgoe. Mrs. E. L. Huntsman

made the presentation of the farewell gift to the Peacock family. Refreshments were served to more than one hundred members and guests.

### More Checks Received

County Agent Rice reports that there have been 129 more Conservation checks received this week. This make a total of 754 checks received and a total of \$132.981.36 received

this year for Knox county.

READ THE ADS-IT PAYS

ADDRESS TEACHERS

Ed Gosseti, United States Representative of the 15 district will address the Knox nual banquet to be held at the evening, Decumber 14th at

7:30 o'clock. T. W. Harber, superintendent of the Sunset school advises that a detailed announcement of this meeting will appear in an early issue.

### JR. STUDY CLUB ATTEND STATE CONVENTION

The Knox City Junior Study Club met at the home of Miss Rowena Wail Thursday, Nov. ember 9 in a business meeting. Mrs. Jeff Graham entertained with a short talk on informal etiquette, and plans were made to attend the Texas State Federation of Women's Clubs. Wednesday, November 15 was selected due to the fact that day was Junior Club day. Especially enjoyable was the Parliamentary session during which a bill was passed whereby all Junior Study Clubs in Texas must pay 50c per capita dues.

Those making the trip were Dorothy Shaver, Mayme Shav-er, Rowena Wall, Mrs. Jeff Graham, and Mr. and Mrs. Neil Perude.

Tat Bivens of Benjamin visited friends here Saturday.

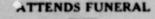
Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Bridges spent Sunday in Roby visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Pycall of Dallas are here for the Thanksgiving holidays as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Olvis

### KNOX CITY TO OBSERVE THANKSGIVING NOV. 30

A large number of the business establishments of Knox dry goods stores will observe also observe that date and we

news and your ads as early as possible. The Herald will be published on Wednesday, November 29, instead of on Thursday, the usual day for publication.



Mrs. W. L. White, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. White, and J. K. White attended the funeral services of W N. Elliott, age 94, Saturday in Roscoe, Texas. Mr. Elliott was a former leass Ranger and was an uncle of J. R., S. L. and Henry White of this city. Mr. Elliott had been a resident of Koscoe for 36

years. The services were held at the Methodist church in Ros. coe by the pastor.

DEER HUNTERS RETURN

Dr. R. C. Edwards, . H. M Jones, and Ray Willis, who have been hunting deer in the Davis Mountains for the past neth Edwards and Rudolph Hackfield remained at the hunting camp but are expected

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Reeder had as dinner guests Sunday, Miss Bernice Swift and Mr. and Mrs Harvey Giddins of Spur.

### The picture is the co-captains of the Benjamin football team, Billy Joe Sams and Bud Ken City, including the grocery and dricks. Both of these boy have played excellent footpal Thanksgiving, November 30. during the year and deserve The Knox County Herald will credit for it. The picture was taken by the snapshot editor of are asking that you cooperate the Benjamin school annual, with us by sending in your Bettye Jo Crenshaw.

### HERE IN INTEREST OF BOY SCOUT WORK

Editor O. C. Harrison and Scout Executive C. H. Peden of Seymour were in Knox City Friday afternoon in the interest of Boy Scout work. They are trying to secure a sponsor for the Scout work here, and plan to present the matter before the Lions Club of this city. Mr. Harrison is editor of the Baylor County Banner and takes an interest in all civic enterprises.

### COTTON REPORT

3623 bales of this season's cotton crop have been giane i in Knox City prior to noon, today, Thursday, November 23.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Caussey and son, Donald, and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Edwards and daughter, Jean, of Seymour, spent today, Thursday at Lake Kemp fishing.

Mrs. J. H. Brice spent Tues-day and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Jamison.

Henry Vaughn Favor will leave Friday for Houston where he will enter school.

was here Wedne

UNION GROVE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. West Hayes and family of the Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Page of California spent the weekend visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cornett spent Tuesday and Wednesday of last week in Lamesa, Texas Misses Jaunita Walker of Knox City and Ionel Carver spent Saturday night with Frances McGee.

Mrs. Ulric Lea is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Faulkner in Plainsview, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. R. K. McBrayer had as their guests over the weekend of the 11th, Mrs. Lec. Lane, Delores Kay Sharp, Anice McBrayer of Pecos, Texas. Flo McBrayer of Barslow, Tex-as, and Estell McBrayer of Brownfield, Texas.

Wm. Griffith and Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilson spent Monday of last week in Lubbock, Texas

Mr. and Mrs. Bee Westbrook and family of the Plains spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs.

John Henry Westbrook. Mr. and Mrs. Z. C. Williams and Inaleen spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hodges and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Houston and Barbara Ann of Dickens City spent the weekend with his parents Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McGee and family spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Harr-

Henry Vaughn Favor will ave Friday for Houston where e will enter school. Rev. A. W. Blaine of Vera

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to return during the weekend.

week returned home Tuesday night, bringing three deers with them. Dr. T. S. Edwards, Ken-

## **Knox City High School Kennel**

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### THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1939

### A Publication of the Knox City High School

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### Eye Lights of K. C. H. S.

spirit hovered over the higa Economics laboratory. school this week. Each student had the terrible realization that a fatal biow was to befail someone.

Even George Wall's' smile Hall. became a mask of disaster. Ilis tender heart skipped a beat as 'ed me and stuffed paper in that he thought of the millions of keyhole, so until I can open it poor turkeys that were to meet [feel free to do anything. their fate on Thanksgiving!

The thought of executions along with exams was too much for a number of Junior and Senior girls. So they chucked the whole situation and went over to O'Brien Friday night consider their own personal | ence just what happens! preferences.

down.

My eyes did not deceive me also Friday night. Let's see if when I peeped into the skating we can get that old Knox City rink last Friday night about spirit going and really back 9:30. The band was having a them. The volicy ball girls also skating party! Of all the hilari- make their debut, and we must ous fun I have ever witnessed. stick behind them too. One students' father was there and furnished a good portion of echoed over the school the past he is not "de-jointed."

my ear about three certain among Freshmen, with their girls being called the "Sweet cheif aims and ambitions to Swing Shifters," "The Three worry their elders. This group Musketeers" of something, is known as the "onion ciub." Anyway, their engagements are The fish have escaped con. becoming popular. Swing it siderable notice until Tuesday away, trio!

class is walking on air this pelled to come to the basketweek. They are looking for- ball game under guardianshi; ward to a very exciting Friday of an upper classman; 2 The night. They will be entertained girls were to wear huge greei.

with a buffet supper by the Homemaking II and II girls in A very despairing and sad the beautifully decorated Home

It is nice that so many of these Freshmen and Sophs like to write. They get to practice enough in Mr. Farrar's study There! Someone has suspect-

-Your Eve Lignta

### **Kennel Komments**

After a spell of headaches and black coffee this column is again placed in your hands to and rooted for our basketbail do what you may wish with. It team. Of course they did not doesn't make any real differ-

-kch-

Since it is pasketball season The news of the game be- again, we would really like to tween Goree and Knox City see those Greynounds break ali left my ears flopping. It is ru- previous records and run up mored that Goree is to win. Too high scores and win new chambad they are in for a big let. pionships. Here is to an overwhelming victory Tuesday and

The ominous rumbling that the laughs. Poor man, we hope few days was the death groan of the upper classmen. A new

A little bird whispered in organization has sprung up afternoon at the pep rally. The The boys' Home Economics results: 1 They were com-

bows in their hair, and the boys with a green bow "Percy Style" entered school at Knox City under their collars.

wits (as usual) and all cam? eating onions. Just ask a few of Some of them alept with onions. had it to flavor every dish for a week, and have been compelled to wash their hair. There like, unneatness. s a big reward for the person who can give a formula for its

removal. Tuesday afternoon, the firspep rally of the year was staged. It was a howling success. In fact, it was a knockout.

In my wanderings about K. C. H. S. during the past week. my glance was attracted by the many styles of boots being worn by the girls and boys. From all indications, it is possible that the girls will make worthy cowgirls, with a little more experience. They are so in earnest that a few were found pouring over a wild west magazine to Rule. 'get the right atmosphere,' they said.

-kch-

**Book Review** 

Miss Crenshaw gave a re-view of "Escape," by Ether Vance, to the high school Monday. This was a very interesting report, and the high school would like to have her review another for them soon.

"Escape" is the story of a beautiful American actress who is to be executed for publishing and distributing material tint is against Nazism. Her son and her doctor plan for her escape, and do get her safely across the border.

### kch-Knox City Defeats Goree Twice

The Knox City Greyhounds journeyed to Goree Tuesday and defeated the Goree basketball teams twice. Mr. Cook's senior boys defeated last years champions 23-19 in a weil played game, while Mr. Wetzel's junior boys won their same to the unve of 14-2. Mrs. Baker's volleybail girls lost to Goree by a score of 3-0. Goree will return the games

next Monday night.

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entered school at Knox City and has attended the same The Freshmen used their school ever since.

Dealva has blue eyes and brown curly hair. Some of her the upper classmen in the pep favorites are: songs, Donkey squad how they came out. Serenade and South American Way; hobby collecting stamps; color, blue; subject, Home Economics; sport, riding; dis-

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She plans to attend T. S. C W. at Denton and major in Home Economics. Dealva is the secretary - treasurer of the Senior class. She always has a winning smile that has won her many friends in Knox City high school.

### kch-Barks From the Dog House

Miss Anita Wampler had as her guests Sunday Nina Ruth I and S. E. Wampler of Jacksboro

Miss Geneva Jackson spent the week end with relatives in

Miss Marjorie Propps visited n Abilene Thursday.

Geneva Jackson and Virgil Dotson sang with a group of Rule students and discovered this week that they had won a prize.

Zella Plumlee, Louise Large and Cleo Reynolds had guesis from O'Brien Sunday.

Billie Dean Davis spent Sunday at Lake Kemp.

-kch-

Friday afternoon, Novem-ber 17, at 2:30 p.m., a repre-sentative of the FSA, with a 'ory of Baylor, Knox and Archer counties, kave a most church services last Sunday. interesting and beneficial dem- They enjoyed the sermon with onstration to a group of twenty farm ladies and Homemaking girls in the Homemaking Department. Her demonstration concerned the making of yel low cheese from clabber mik and the many uses of our ordinary grains such as milo maize, corn, and others.

### -kch-**Greyhounds Encounter O'Brien**

Friday night, November 17, the Greyhounds encountered the Bulldogs for the second time this season. They lost again in scores but they won in sportsmanship. They showed much improvement over Tues day night. Mr. Cook, the coach, states that there are excellent prospects for a winning team this year. -kch-

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The Knox City Greyhounds ally strutted their stuff "lucsay night against the O'Brien efeated they kept their oponents striving for victory ail rough the games.

The Juniors' final score was 11-8. The Senior-A team was defeated 32 20 and the E team won their game by a score f 17-19. The high point men of the night were George Thomasson and Bobby Hill.



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### THANKSGIVING DAY

cious persecution has never been confined to one n or to one country. In the early seventeenth cen-England persecuted the Catholics and France pered the Protestants. At this time, the Church of Engwas dominant in England. However, there were inside the church who did not agree with its views. se were divided into two groups: The Puritans, or e who preferred to remain in the church and purify and the Separists, or those who thought the best way r them to live according to the dictates of their own nscience was to separate from the church altogether nd establish them one of their own. Both these groups ere Protestants, but they were different to each other and to the Church of England.

The Separists, in order to escape persecution by the Church of England, first went to Holland to live, and from their wandering dispositions, they acquired the title of Wanderers," or Pilgrims. After residing in Holland for about 12 years they became dissatisfied, because they saw their children growing up and acquiring Dutch customs and the Dutch language, and this displeased the proud, patriotic Englishmen.

So they set out for the New World in the good ship "Mayflower," landing on the coast of New England at a place they named Plymouth, after Plymouth, England, in December, 1620. These Pilgrim Fathers, as they are now termed by all American historians, faced a bleak, cold winter. So when springtime came, they lost no time in earing the land and planting crops. Coming through the st year without much trouble from the Indians, and ith a fairly bountiful harvest, Governor Bradford set aside a day after the crops were harvested, for thanksgiving and prayer. This custom soon apread to the other colonies and finally, after the Revolutionary War, to the arious States in the Union.

But not until 1863 did it become a national holiday. In 1863 President Abraham Lincoln set aside August 6 as 'a day for national thanksgiving and prayer." And since 1864, the last Thursday in November has been Thanksgiving Day, until President Roosevelt set aside a different day this year.

We think of Thanksgiving Day now as a day to eat turkey and see a football game, but our sturdy forefathers celebrated it in an entirely different manner and in, a different spirit. To them it meant a day to thank God they had been spared the pangs of starvation and a scalping by the Indians' tomahawks.

Though it has been two hundred and eighteen years ice that first thanksgiving day of



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## **Riding the Range**

By the Range Rider

Everybody has heard of the man who sings in his bathtub. Well, we know one who reads in his. His wife often has to run him out. When he stays in the bathroom too long, she always says "I'll bet that --that bathtub reading again."

We heard a lady say the other day that not all the smart people wore breeches.

The pang of a guilty conscience is the worst punishment

known to man.

When England and France made their pact recently with \$240,000,000 ioan. So money my paper to someone who is has a drag with others besides some of our public officials and their henchmen.

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Big shots in politics, who seem unable to get along together, sometimes suddenly lay aside their hatchets. In many cases this is for the good of the dear, old party, and in others it is done because the men who put up their campaign money tell them to shut up and stop fighting.

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When our grandmothers Christ he destroyed himself, were girls, snuff dipping was which is always the unhappy the rage. The elite either dip-1 fate of doublers. ped or smoked pipes. Today, the streamlined feminine descendant of those good ladies smokes her cigarette. And no intelligent person can truly say that one is any worse than the other. The cigarette is a little nicer, but it is also a little half her age. She considerably costlier. But the dainty finger that flicks her cigarette is every bit as good and virtuous as the rosy lip that spit her snuff.

fallen. Carnegie Tech, Pitts-burgh and T. C. U. all look like they had been hit by a Kansas a funny song, but we know a cyclone.

only to him who can lose himself in pure, lofty thought. A man who does that rises above his surroundings, no matter how humble they may be. His thoughts mount him on trailing clouds of glory, carrying nim above the grit, grime, sickness, petty injustices and unhappi-ness of this world.

There is but little content. ment in the world. This applies to both man and the dumb ani mals. The same thing that makes a cow look across a fence, wistfully yearning for greener pastures, makes a man forever search to make life easier and fulier. It is this longing and yearning within the breast of mankind that leads humanity to higher achievement.

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Speaking of classical literature, were we to publish Shakespeare's Venus and Adonis in the Herald, we would about get run out of town for publishing an obscene, vulgar newspaper.

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Recently, we saw the picture of a man and his wife both with - is in black eyes. They said they got them when a giant wave at sea bounced their ship around. My, My, suppose this fellow had been in politics. Wouldn't he have had some tall explaining

> Wetumka, Oklahoma, Gazette, says, "When I am no longer able to make folks see red now and then, for I shall know my

loved who ever amounted to a tinker's dam as an editor.'

lunatic fringe in society. Well, there is also a quitter-griper

........ certain little grandmother who is 80 years old, and who still would do credit to a woman irritates her seven dynamic grandchildren where she stays by telling each one on Sunday morning at the breakfast table

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### FREE BOOKLETS ON CHRISTMAS LIGHTING

Many people are asking about lighting decorations for fringe. Even Christ couldn't the home during the Christmas pick out twelve without getting Iseason according to Guy Glenn, one of these. But in destroying, local manager of the West Texas Utilities, who said that descriptive folders, illustrating attractive and economical ways

of lighting boin inside and outside of homes, were available at his office.

"A string of lights over the porch, or strung around evergreen trees in the front yard, gives a Yuletide effect to the entire premises," he reminded. "Other creations include a pasteboard Santa Claus with direction of Harold J. Bluhm sleigh and reindeer atop the house and lighted by a flood the college. lamp. A lighted star guiding

the three shepherds is another

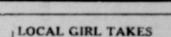
all who care to ask for it.

PART IN BROADCAST

Miss Ellena Fayne White of this city took part Saturday morning, November 11, in the second radio program of the series originating in the John Tarleton College Auditorium at Stephenville, over radio stetion WBAP.

This program was devoted iargely to the girls' organizations of the school and included numbers by the Girls Glee Club under the direction of R. Bertez Coffin, head of the voice department; and numbers by the Girls' band, of which Ellena Fayne is a member, under the of the Fine Arts Deportment of

Walter Touchstone, a form



to do? \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Don C. Wright, editor of the

cussed for the things I do ana say in a professional way, 1 Turkey, they also made her a shall turn the management of

We have all heard of the

The Range Rider knows a has a twinkle in her eye that

the time of night he or she Look how the mighty have came in the night before.

day is over. I have a wide acquaintance among newspaper people, and I've never known an editor who was universaily

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should be thankful that we are the descendants of those sturdy, God-fearing English pioneers. And while we have no Indians to fear, and no anxiety about starvation for purselves and our families, we still have problems of scif-development, self-control and national weil-being that try our mettle every bit as much as the bloak New England winters tried theirs, and let us only hope we conquer our ifficulties as nobly and as successfully as they did theirs.

### **NO EUROPEAN LARK FOR US**

Whatever war spirit there might have been in this ountry, and there never was any appreciable amouni, as gradually subsided. Business men, laboring men, and Il classes have come to the realization that a war means ndangering liberty, freedom, and democratic governent, as we have enjoyed them through all our history. ] Then another thing, instead of grasping for European arkets for our products, we are definitely trying to deelop the home market and at the same lime reach out fter Latin American markets. Our destiny lies in the mericas. And our people are coming more and more to calize that we have no valuable stakes in Europe's bloody

In this connection, the Fortune Magazine poll of sentient shows that 2.3 per cent of the American people hought that we should enter the war on the side of the Ilies in September and only 1.7 per cent in October. hirteen and five tenths per cent favored entering on their lide in September if it appeared they were going to lose, and only ten per cent in October. The same poll showed 84 per cent favoring England and France to win and just

1.3 per cent favoring Germany. Fourteen and seven tenths per cent didn't care one way or the other. This proves we want the Allies to wia, and that we will do anything we can to help, except lend them money and send our boys to fight their battles.

### WE ARE THANKFUL

This is the tenth issue of the Herald that we have published since taking charge, and we have enjoyed a good business in Knox City, for which we are thankful. The business men have all been good to us, and we want you to know that we appreciate your kindness very much, and will continue to give Knox City the best paper possible.

### ......

Supreme happiness comes



"Dig, Dig, Dig," may be appropriate Christmas design." resident of Knox City and an dad who says he has some kids mas lighting, he said, is free to here from Wichita Falls Monwho can do it without music. .........

Russia may be a bear to little Finland, but she's liable to be a white elephant to Nazi Germany.

The best company is the companionship of a deep, rich nature with its own self. .........

How the sexes do differ. Imagine a man sitting in the church choir on Sunday with his hat on.

Since the Irish of Notre Dame have been winning all their games this year by 1, 2 and 3 point margins, they must have thought they were in "Reveria", when they were de-feated by lowa 7 to 6.

The most unchangeable peo ple on earth are the people of India. Christian missionaries have been carrying the gospei of Christ to these people for 1900 years, and yet today only 1 per cent of them are Christ ans.

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Like Gov. W. Lee O'Daniei, we believe we have enough to be thankful for to justify two thanksgivings. First we are thankful that we live in America, and second, we are thankful that we don't live under Hitler. .........

In case you want to know now many feel-le-minded people there are in the world, just get out on the highway and watch the fools go by. **REDUCE YOUR NEWSPAPER COST** SUBSCRIBE FOR THE

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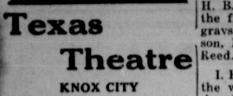
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"THE ESCAPE"

With Kane Richmond

and Friday 30 and Dec. 1 d, Frank Morgan ZARD OF OZ"

NEWS AL

E. R. Messer and son. klahoma, spent Sun-with Mr. and Mrs. Dave ford and Mr. and Mis. F. ohnston. They were guesta birthday dinner given by and Mrs. Johnston honortheir daughter, Barbara Jo, her fifth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Favor and daughters, Betty Ann and Bobby Jo, of Crowell, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Favor. Betty Ann received medical treatment at the Knox County ! epital for a head in y receiled in an accident at

Friday afternoon. and Mrs. Elvis Apple Mt. and Mrs. Elvis Apple Eradberry spent Sunday in and daughter, Monetta, spent Vernon with Joe Couch and Sunday in Lubbock.

THANKSGIVING

**Food Sale** 

Mrs. T. E. Robbins and Mrs. | H. B. Steele of Abilene spent the first of the week in Ses-gravs with their daughter and son, Mr. and Mrs. Sumpter

I. H. Spikes of Lamesa spent the week end here with his daughter, Mis. H. M. Jones, and his son, Jack Spikes.

FOR LEASE: 300 acres of good grazing land. Colorado grass, Johnson grass, and other feed crops. See Bobby Capers, Rochester, Texas.

. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baker and Coates. Pauline, Allene and Betty Je Peacock and Dale Grahan. were in Luobock Sunday at-tending the Northwest Conference of the Methodist church.

Henry Arledge was a busiless visitor in Sweetwater Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Clonts and Mr. and Mrs. Chad Wilson attended the Northwest Conlerence of the Methodist church. in Lubbock last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hughes and son, Don, of Ryan, Oklahoma, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hughes. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Hughes sister, Miss Mavis Baker, who had spenc the week here.

County Judge E. L. Covey of Benjamin spent Saturday here visiting his many friends.

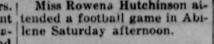
J. T. Daniel and son, Ben, of and Mrs. Ione Hugnes Ryan, Okla., were here Friday ug/ter, C. Blene, of Ei-looking after business matters. They went from here to Fort Worth where they spent the week end with relatives.

> Mrs. Herman Egenbacher spent the week end with her parents in Bowie.

Dr. T. P. Frizzell left Monday morning for Memphis, Tenn., to attend a medical convention.

Frank Mabe of Crowell visied friends her Sunday afternoon

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bradberand children and Mrs. J. K. family.



George Gideon spent the week end at his home in Vernon.

Gladys and Bill Glover of Rochester visited Friday with their cousin, Emma Sue Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hitchcock and daughters and Mrs. Cecil Coates and Lois Jean spent Sunday afternoon in Munday with Mr. and Mrs. Curus

Mr. and Mrs. George Majout and daughter, Angela, spent Sunday with relatives in Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wali were Sunday visitors in Haskell.

Tommy Hampton of Dailas spent the weck end here in the home of Dr. and Mrs. T. S. Edwards. He was accompanied on his return by Mrs. Hampton and Sandra Lynn, who spent the past week here, and Miss Wynell Edwards, who will visit in the Hampion home there.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Arnold pent Sunday with relatives in Anso.n

G. E. Steen spent Sunday in Anson visiting his mother.

C. J. Bohannon was in Benamin and Vera Monday on business.

Jack Spikes was confined t his home several days last week because of illness.

Miss Faye Hyde of Benjamin spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hyde.

Mrs. W. H. Buckner of Rochester was here Monday after- Hallmark, Mrs. Hallmark and noon visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Guy Glenn.

Tom Cummings of Rochester was a business visitor in Knox City Monday afternoon.

G. H. Williams of Seymour, district manager of the Has- daughter, Mrs. Fred Warren, kell Telephone Co., and S. L Butler, a representative of the company, were business visitors in Knox City last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hallmark

spent last week end in Hale Center, Texas, visiting their son and family.

Spurgeon Hyde of Aoilene was a week end visitor in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hyde.

H. M. Warren and son, Hollis, and Mrs. E. Q. Warren were in Merkel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Edwards visited her parents, Mr. and and little daughter of Seymour Mrs. Charlie Dathern Monday Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Edwards





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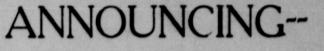
Toby Hannah, Prop.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hallmark pent Sunday in Hale Center. Texas, with their son, Sam a new granddaughter, Jerrie Ann, who was born November 16. Mrs. J. A. Hallmark remained there for a weeks visit.

Mrs. Press Ciarke is visiting in Seagraves this week with her

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Atterbury, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Arm dames T. P. Frizzell Sr., T. P.

Farmer spent Sunday with Wynette Farmer, student 14 John Tarleton College, Stephenville blood, S. L. Favor, O. L. Jami-



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Clonts, Sam Anderson, B. C. Anderson, J. C. Reeder, and Miss Willie Jones and the lowed by the serving of a de- honored guests.

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and Mr. Warren. Among those from Knox City attending church services at the Christian Church in Haskell Sunday evening were, Mrs. spacious Jamison home. S. L. Favor, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. An afternoon of "42" Carpenter, Mrs. Mabel Pyeatt, was enjoyed by the guests fol-

Cogswell.

Mrs. Paul Edwards of Run son, T. S. Edwards, A. M. Arm-

An afternoon of "42" games Mrs. W. E. Marr and Rev. C. L. licious refreshment plate.

strong and Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Frizzell Jr., B. B. Campbell, W E. Benedict, H. M. Jones, A. M. Whitis, J. V. Jones, Russell Boyd, J. W. Sauth, L. L. Davis, L. N. Bridges, S. E. Young-

	were visiting her sister, Mis. O. W. Caussey and Mr. Caussey	Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ashcrott.	
Our Store is chuck-full of the finest foods available for your Thanksgiving dinner. Listed are many Red & White Foods at "Money Saving Prices"	Lloyd Leslie Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Davis, was on the sick list the first of the	accompanied by Mr. Ashcroft's brother, Wortham Ashcroft oi Weatherford, Texas, left Sun- day for Sierra Blanca, Texas to	HAMMER FOOD STORE
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ALAD DRESSING Pint 23c Quart 35c	CLEAN CLOTHES	here over the weekend. H. P. Arledge attended the livestock auction sale in Al- bany Monday.	FLOUR
d m LUE & WHITE OLEOMARGARINE, Lb. 15c OIN OR T-BONE STEAK -From Fed Beef, Lb. 23c PLACE YOUR ORDER FOR PORK HAMS OR DRESSED HENS Just received a fresh shipment of	CLEAN NEW UP-TO-DATE METHODS USED	MRS. JAMISON HOSTESS TO VISITORS Mrs. E. O. Jamison was hos- tess Tuesday for an afternoon party as a courtesy to her house guest, Mrs. J. H. Brice of Cisco.	"The Flour That Blooms In Your Oven" FIRST PRIZE WINNERS IN STATE FAIR OF TEXA BAKING CONTEST 1939 Every Sack Guaranteed to meet your every baking requir ment or your money cheerfull, refunded
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