

Getting Out On The Limb

by EDDIE the editor

SUDDEN THOUGHT: We are headed for the ice age, so quotes some high powered geologist. Could be, since this is already the age of the deep-freeze.

Henry Tate and Phil Trammell, whose task it is to get the Christmas lights up, are really on the ball. The lights have already been strung and any night now you may expect to see the main stem aglow with all the coloring of the rainbow. As best I can remember it's the first time any effort has been made to get Christmas duds on before the Thanksgiving ones are two weeks old.

Now if some of the businessmen will remove last summer's rodeo cards from their show windows, wash them up a bit, and add a touch of Christmas gaiety to them, cash registers might be expected to start squeaking.

THE WOMEN. God Love 'Em —Many women discover that it is just as hard to find a husband after marriage as before.

We see by the papers that Brother Truman has more offers of lucrative jobs after he leaves the White House next Jan. 20 than a goose has pimples. He has not given any indication whether he will accept any of them, but according to those in the "know-what" corner, he will rest up a bit at his Independence, Mo., home for several months before deciding what non-government job, if any, he will accept.

Our scientific age has solved nearly all mysteries except what high-school girls are giggling about. Having blown up an island with a small H-bomb, I can now start wondering how loud the fire-crackers will be that kids will shoot this Christmas up and down the main drag.

Since Eisenhower's election to the presidency I've heard comment, pro and con, as to the General's proposed trip to Korea. During the campaign the idea was scoffed by both Truman and Stevenson. Since his election the cry has been that the trip is too dangerous and, that if Eisenhower should be killed in either a plane wreck or by a Red in Korea that Senator Nixon would then be the president.

While I have never been overly sold on the young Senator's ability as a statesman, and should he succeed to the presidency, I doubt if he could lead us into any bigger mess than we're already in, and would be under another four years of the wasteful and dilatory methods of the Truman administration.

I am not one to think that the General can solve the problem of Korea overnight, but I believe him to be a successful, practical soldier, who can see things a little more clearly when he views them from a military standpoint. I want him to go to Korea, see for himself what manner of war this is and then use his military knowledge to end this endless conflict in a successful victory.

Besides I'd like to see a president carry out one campaign promise. "Would you like for Charlie and me to deliver a Christmas gift for you to the bedside of a Korean war veteran when we visit hospitals on our 'Operations Santa Claus' tour?" was Edgar Bergen's appeal to his radio listeners Sunday night. The answer from most of us would be, "Indeed I would."

Since last week's announcement that the Post Dispatch would again serve as a collecting center for Mr. Bergen's program, the response with gifts and enthusiasm for the movement has been most gratifying. Jimmy Hundley of Hundley's Men's Store was first donor. His gift of several packages of Seaforth toiletries came in a few minutes after the Dispatch hit the newsstands. Several women of rural communities brought in pretty gift wrapped packages Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. O. H. Hoover came bounding into the office with a gift, which she didn't take time to Christmas wrap, and I'm glad, because had she wrapped it I would not have seen the lovely hand-tooled billfold she wanted some wounded serviceman to have. She made the gift herself and it certainly is one to be treasured by any man. When the office bunch gets around to making up the packages I'm going to see to it that Mrs. Hoover's name and address is put inside the billfold, along with a note telling the recipient that it was made especially for him.

May I urge everyone who wants to send a hospitalized Korean veteran a small gift for Christmas, to do so as quickly as possible. Mr. Bergen will start his tours December 12 and our gifts should be sent to him in ample time for him to get them to the boys.

THE AMERICAN WAY



"Nuts!!!!"

Our Contemporaries Are Saying:

Thanksgiving Game

The bi-district football game between the Stamford Bulldogs and the Tahoka Bulldogs will be played on the local gridiron Thanksgiving Day, starting at 2 o'clock. All reserve seat tickets will go on sale at Nat's Cafe, Friday at 9 a. m. John Dyer, principal, announced Wednesday morning. Reservations which had been made at the high school are cancelled. Mr. Dyer said, in accordance with an agreement between the two schools and those who had previously called the high school are instructed to go to Nat's Cafe for tickets on a first-come, first-served basis. Box-seat holders will have first option on their boxes. Mr. Dyer said. All seats will be reserved. Reserve seat tickets will be \$1.50, and student tickets, \$1.00. Stamford with a 10-win and no loss record, is winner of District 5-AA. Tahoka, with a season record of 6 wins and 4 losses, is winner of District 6-AA. Officials of the two schools met Tuesday night in Snyder and Coach Gordon Wood of Stamford won the coin toss which brought the game here. —The Stamford American

back. Printing is printing, and the cost for good printing is about the same wherever you go. If you want good, careful work, you will have to pay for it. If you will be satisfied with just any kind of a job, perhaps you will be able to save a nickel or a dime by spending several hours in your search. —The Canyon News

It Sez Here

We get a wham out of local big shots as they attempt to convince the local constable they are immune to regulations that govern peasants like us. Caught with his traffic ethics down, the long suffering big shot first raises two eyebrows, thus indicating surprise that the constable hasn't been briefed on the fact that said big shot is above the law. Failing to impress the officer, Mr. Big Shot designs to speak: "You evidently don't know who I am." With the officer still unimpressed, Big Shot takes this tack: "You know your job isn't going to last very long, don't you?" As Big Shot drives off in a roar of cylinders and burning rubber, with a traffic ticket clutched in his hot little hand, he releases information as to the new officer's background, better not recorded here for posterity! —The Ralls Banner.

Support Your Teams

Now, before all the hullabaloo about sizes and weights and potentialities of Morton basketball players during the coming season, is the time to dedicate your efforts to support the team. It has often been pointed out that the easiest thing in the sports world is to support a winner. Right now, as the basketball season approaches, we have no idea whether or not the Morton Indians are going to be winners. In fact, right now we don't care. Our efforts here are dedicated to convincing you that your winter entertainment schedule in Morton should include regular appearances at the Indian basketball games. You might ask why. In which case you let yourself in for a long list of answers. First of all, tritely and plainly worded, the main purpose of organized sports in our high schools is to build men and women of character. It is the proven fact that given the proper support and attitude of townspeople who witness the games any organized sport will tend to teach principles which are needed in our society. Morton people can and will support their school team. That has been proven in the past. This year you should make a definite effort to see every game possible. —The Morton Tribune

Just Print Shopping

Running a printing shop finds peculiar people adrift in the world. That is, folks who run from one plant to another, hoping to find "cheap" prices. The method is this: A fellow will walk in and lay down a copy for a piece of printing. He asks what the price will be on a couple or more thousand. When we quote the price from the Franklin Printing Catalog, he suddenly decides that half the number will be sufficient, and therefore he asks if the price will be half the amount quoted. Naturally we tell him that the composition and make-up will be the same on 500 or 5000, and these are the expensive items in any piece of printing. He replies that he was just shopping, and therefore would soon

Thanksgiving—American Ideal

Thanksgiving is a peculiarly American custom—much more than a harvest festival. Its distinction stems from the devout Pilgrims, those stalwart pioneers, with muskets within reach, who gave thanks in crudely built churches for the spiritual and material blessings they had achieved in a free world.

Today when the news is of hot and cold wars, floods, famine and fire, it is fitting that we pause at Thanksgiving to survey the spiritual field of our lives and to count our blessings.

What do we as Americans have to be thankful for? Are we going forward or going back? Are we strong or weak? Are we God-fearing or indifferent? Are we worthy of the heritage our pioneering Pilgrims handed down to us?

Three hundred years brings changes but challenging new frontiers and ideas are ours today. Then as now Americans had to be on guard against a savage godless culture. The same rugged homespun virtues that made this country free can keep it a bulwark of freedom in the religious, political and economic fields. The chaotic conditions today may erase any thoughts of thanks from our minds but we have much for which to give thanks, in fact, more than any nation in the world. And with this fact goes our duty to share with the world. Traditionally, Americans have been generous with their time, talent and money to people of other lands. America and Americans are great.

God Bless America.

Roger W. Babson Writes This Week...

President-Elect Eisenhower's Eleven Major Threatened Headaches As He Enters Office

Babson Bark, Mass.—Headache No. 1 is Korea. The sad fate of the Election is that his landslide may have come from parents and young people who dreaded Korea. If so, may not this be a sign of fear or cowardice which may likewise show itself in other problems?

Headache No. 2—The Weather. Certain states are now severely suffering from drought. This was one factor which brought on the Hoover depression of the Thirties, following several bountiful years under President Coolidge. When Ike reads the 41st Chapter of Genesis his headache must become worse.

Headache No. 3—Labor Unions. Ike realizes that wagers would receive their share of the profits—but they should do so by increasing production—not by striking. During the past ten years Labor Leaders have usurped the powers of government. They will not give up this power without a struggle. Yet, Ike will consider it his duty to curb this dangerous situation. We must back Ike up in his efforts.

Headache No. 4—Foreign Imports. Ike knows that to keep Europe and Japan from going Communist we must accept their goods graciously. To raise tariffs would be suicidal, he believes. Yet, U. S. manufacturers will make a concerted drive upon him for higher tariffs.

Headache No. 5—Excess of U. S. Manufacturing Capacity. Fear of World War III has caused a great expansion in manufacturing space. This has greatly stimulated the building trades—lumber, steel and the other 27 industries which go into building. Barring World War III, this expansion is ending. Accompanying unemployment appears inevitable.

Headache No. 6—Real Estate Outlook. Last year five times as many houses were built as during a year ten years ago. This would be encouraging if these houses were paid for; but they were built on a shoestring. When unemployment comes a million of these

Christmas Plans Underway - - -

Plans are underway for a big Christmas season in Post. More enthusiasm is being shown this year in the preliminary plans than in several years. As soon as the Thanksgiving hash has disappeared we feel that everybody will get the Christmas spirit.

Street lights are already strung along several blocks of Main street and with news from the Chamber of Commerce we Garza countians will see some fancy fixin's in the way of decorations, both on the outside and inside of business buildings in Post. Many firms have purchased unusual outside decorations this year. Cash prizes to be given by business men are also to be a feature of the season's program.

Then, too, two traditional customs are to be followed again this year, such as the Volunteer Fire Boy's Turkey Treat where fifteen turkeys are given away, and the Candy for the Kiddies. This part of Christmas observance always plays a big part in any program the town observes. Santa's arrival on the big red fire truck is something big, old, little and young look forward to.

Many citizens have already started planning their decorations for their homes and again rumor tells us that this is to be "the year" when competition will be keen for the Chamber of Commerce lighting prizes.

Extent of the entire program depends upon the cooperation we all give those in charge. Let us all "get in the act" and make this a bang-up big Christmas season.

Headache No. 7—Inflation

Ike has promised to stop inflation and he won millions of votes thereby. But can inflation be stopped without deflation? Does anybody want deflation? Solving this problem will be a real headache, but here again we must stand behind our new President.

Headache No. 8—Stock Market. Unfortunately, a steadily declining stock market, commodity market and real estate market will give millions of people—as well as Ike—a headache. Most bankers believe that such declining markets will come in 1953 and/or 1954. However, these bankers may be wrong.

Headache No. 9—Congress. For real progress Ike must have a friendly Congress. He will start with one as did Herbert Hoover in 1928. But too many Congressmen think only of themselves, rather than the nation's good. Ike could lose the Congressional Elections in 1954 unless we fight for him from now on. His election will not be definite until November, 1954.

Headache No. 10—Corruption and Inefficiency. Ike will try to clean house and increase efficiency at Washington, but every Government employee has many Congressional friends who will beg Ike to retain these friends—especially if general unemployment is increasing. Taxes cannot be decreased without mass discharges of Government employees. This will cause unemployment. President Hoover tried it. It started his collapse and the depression which followed.

Headache No. 11—Religion. Ike well says that America's greatest need is for a spiritual awakening; but thus far in the past only "hard times" have brought such about. This, however, may not be necessary if we all work for the New Administration and willingly put the good of the nation ahead of our own selfish wishes.

Pauline Warren Writes On

Texas and Texans Are In The Books...

Texas and Texans are prominently in the news in the field of books. It is particularly fitting since the population in general and the nation—over has just observed the thirty-fourth birthday of National Book Week.

With so many things crowding the calendar, it would be easy to overlook the fact that Texas is playing a bit part in "what's new" in the field of books. But we as big and boastful Texans would be doing our Texas authors, historians, and poets a grave injustice to do so. Texans turned out more than a hundred books in the last year. Several of them have been outstanding enough to make extremely difficult the task of the awards committee of the Texas Institute of Letters which honored Texas writers a few days ago.

Among several books that have stirred nation-wide interest are the top prize-winning five as well as many others, among which is "Post City, Texas," by Charles Dudley Eaves and C. A. Hutchinson. The book about Post has a special appeal for Garza county folk. The top five as listed by the Institute of Letters are: "Mustangs" by the dean of Texas writers J. Frank Dobie; "Fort Concho" by J. Everett Haley who refers to the book as "Bousten Hartie's" book since Hartie, the noted West Texas publisher sought Haley to write it; "The Blind Bull" by George Williams; "Kneel To The Stone" by William D. Barney and a "Month of Christmases" by Siddle Joe Johnson.

The unexpected and the contradictory have been the rule in Texas' book season. In these days when publishers say that books have to be briefer and when the public is keen on two-bit pocket size edition, a Texas novelist wrote the longest novel in American history and won for it a literary fellowship. His book also costs ten dollars. This man was Madison Cooper

whose "Stronia, Texas" is a hit of the autumn season. It is called one of those readable books that occur once in a lifetime. Publishers ordered the third printing when the book was only three weeks old.

Look magazine has discovered Texas writers. John H. Griffin, blinded war veteran, and who is a farmer-rancher, from Mansfield, figures in a four page spread in the current issue of Look, the article titled "My Eyes For God". Griffin's book, "The Devil Rides Outside", rapidly won the esteem of its home state. A more powerful, vital, beauty-ridden and flesh-ridden novel has scarcely been published in this country since Thomas Wolfe's "Look Homeward, Angel".

"The Best Thing That Ever Happened" by Warren Leslie is a rare thing. It is a story of a war befuddled youth and an unusual but nobly intentioned young man's search for meaning in his life.

Specifically Texan for the hungry palate is Joe Cooper's "With Or Without Beans", a Dallas advertising man's memorable book on Texas' version of the stomach's paradise-chile. "Hottest book of the year", says everybody who has read it. What champagne is to the French, what macaroni is to the Italian and chop suey to the Chinese, just so is chile to Texas. 'Tis a grand book.

Then too there is "The Typical Texan" by Joseph Leach of El Paso. The author thinks the state has a most useful myth which sanctions and fosters in the true Texan a sense of resourcefulness, pride and courage. He really knows more about the true Texas and Texans than the great Edna Ferber who distorts the people and places of Texas in "Giant".

Yes, in Texas it has been quite a capricious year for books.

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Any erroneous reflection upon the character of any person appearing in these columns will be gladly and promptly corrected upon being brought to the attention of the management.

Remembering Yesteryears...

Five Years Ago This Week

L. W. Dalby left Sunday for Waco where he will attend Grand Royal Arch Chapter. His wife accompanied him to Troy where she will visit her sister. Miss Melba Fay Meeks and Claude V. Miller were married November 15 in the home of the Rev. J. T. Clinton, Baptist minister, in Lubbock. Harry Woods arrived home Saturday with his discharge from the Navy. Mrs. O. R. Cook has returned home after spending a two week vacation in Corsicana. E. W. Williams, Jr., was attending Southern Methodist University, Dallas, will spend holiday weekend with his parents. He will be accompanied by a group of classmates at a university. Miss Nannie Jean McQuire, Hal W. Jones, Jr., were married recently in the home of the bride's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McQuire.

Ten Years Ago This Week

Mrs. Roy L. Mullins will present her expression and personality singing classes in recital at the high school auditorium, December 3. Miss Boo Presson will accompany the group at the piano. Miss Helen Jo Hundley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hundley, was named on the mid-semester honor roll at McMurry college, in Abilene, where she is a sophomore student. Mr. and Mrs. Willard Kirkpatrick and sons, Kay and Jack, attended funeral services for Kirkpatrick's father in Post, Calif., Monday. Miss Mary Caffoy became bride of J. F. Brandon, Jr., November 14, in the home of Rev. A. C. Hardin. Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Giles Sunday afternoon visiting in hoka with their daughter. William Martin Basinger Southland has enlisted in Air Corps, the Lubbock rearing office announced yesterday.

Fifteen Years Ago This Week

Funeral rites for Mrs. Josephine Fumagalli were conducted in the Church of Christ Monday afternoon. Survivors include two sons, Ernest of Houston, Julius of Post, and a brother, N. J. Lanotte, of Post. Post Refinery company, owned and operated by T. E. Patton and sons, E. M. and J. H., is being moved to Rottan this week. Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Power and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Power are in Bryan visiting Tom Power. The group will attend the A&M-Texas University football game Thanksgiving Day. M. L. Penn and O. G. Lewis returned Monday from San Antonio where they attended scout leadership court Saturday and Sunday. Public Safety Department announced this week that two drivers' license examining of will be in Post Friday of week to conduct tests for drivers applying for their first sea. County Agent J. W. Potts reports this week that he has requested by AAA to furnish them a set of pictures to the story of farm and ranch improvements in Garza county a result of the 1937 agricultural conservation program.

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Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Edmonson and Kathy Scrivner of Dermott, were visitors in the R. L. Craig home Monday last week.

Linda Kay Mueller has been ill in Lubbock Memorial hospital. Lola and Richard Hodo of Meadow, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Edwards last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ray transacted business in Lubbock last Tuesday.

Doyle and Dayle Nelson and Jerry Crockett went to Carlsbad, N. M., during the weekend.

Velma Daniell visited friends in Lubbock Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ray were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Ray at Post last week.

Anna Belle Carey of Post, was a Saturday night guest of Mary Weatherbee.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY
Please Call Or Mail Your Family's Birthday Dates To The Post Dispatch.

November 28
Betty Huddleston
Mrs. Wren Cross
Ray Cross
Dan Sanders
Mrs. Joyce Steel

November 29
Coy Newberry
Louise Wells

November 30
E. W. Whitten
Karen Lanell Laws
Mrs. Winnie Tuffing
Pat Mason

December 1
Mrs. O. R. Cearley
Carolyn Boren
Gloria Gay Cook, Healdton, Okla.
Tommie Williams
Donna Kay Kennedy
Merle E. Jenkins, Colorado Springs, Colo.

December 1
Lt. Joe G. Fleming, Las Vegas, Nev.
Jerry Epley

December 3
Lorine Hall
Tom Boucher
Curtis Ray Steel

December 4
Tommy Head

An ostrich has four toes, two on each foot.



DELICIOUS TAGS—These three donkeys traveled from Mexico, Tex., to Cleveland, Ohio, but were put off the train after they ate each other's shipping tags. For a time, no one knew where they were. A checkbook showed one went to Cleveland and a d. l. v. to Chicago. A Cleveland photographer supplied the "Go-Ike" tag, the donkey is munching. It apparently is as tasty as a chocolate bar.

Garza County Is Hit With A Boom Namely Television

By Wendell Huddleston

With the coming of television to the South Plains, a select group of people became more popular than usual. This group is, of course, proud owners of TV sets.

Opening night their homes were filled with enthusiastic and possibly critical audiences, waiting to catch a glimpse of jittery and blurry images on the screens. Some remarks heard before the broadcast (paraphrasing TELECAST, were "MY! What an attractive piece of furniture!" and "It adds so much to a room." These flattering gems of conversation were dropped by the feminine species waiting anxiously for the program. Male members of the audiences were saying "Where did you say you bought your set?" "What was that price again?" "I believe I'll go down and look them over tomorrow."

Comments had changed considerably after the telecast. Ladies were saying, "Well—maybe that thing can be used to set flowers on." While their husbands commented "I think I'll wait about buying one for a while." "It should be perfected in about six months." Then, these human beasts went home blinking their eyes and attempting to get them focusing properly again.

TV owners were not shaken from their state of joyous bliss, by remarks thrown at them by spectators, because they missed the telecast. With the steady flow of visitors, Mom was busy scraping up refreshments. Pop was too occupied with opening the front door and adjusting the knobs on the set, to see what was taking place. Next morning, both realized the expense of TV, when a complete new bill of groceries had to be cleaned. The kids? They thought it was great! Main reason for their feelings, is that they have acquired a certain dignity and prestige among their classmates and they refused to be disillusioned.

One TV spectator stated that he had never enjoyed pre-season snow flurries, so much in his life. Another considered authority said that he missed the entire performance. "The room was so dark I slept during the whole ordeal. I mean telecast."

To be serious, Garza county citizens, as a whole, enjoyed the first telecast from Lubbock, especially those people attending the television parties at Mason and Company and Hudman Furniture Company stores.

We feel that television is on the boom in West Texas and are looking forward to the day when we can rack up a down payment.

Hunting Lodge Is Made From Old Bus

ROCKLAND, ME. (AP)—When Simon Hamalainen goes in search of a deer he'll take his hunting lodge with him. Hamalainen's lodge is an old bus—with a good engine—he bought from a sardine cannery.

Conversion included tearing out the seats, installation of three bunks, a portable table, a heater and a gas range for cooking. The vehicle is a bit low for Hamalainen's 6-foot-plus frame but he says the stove at the front will permit him to cook from the lower level of the first step.

"Sure beats sleeping in the woods," says Hamalainen, a handy man with tools.

Movies Of The Week

Today and tomorrow, you have an opportunity to see "WHERE'S CHARLEY?", comedy hit of this year, at the Tower Theatre.

For a delightful Thanksgiving treat, take your family to see "WHERE'S CHARLEY?"

Saturday, a U. S. Man of War dares the heart of the Spanish Main to sweep the seas of buccaneers and destroy their stronghold. All this action takes place in "YANKEE BUCCANEER," the movie for Saturday only. Jeff Chandler, Susan Ball, and Scott Brady are stars for Universal International's Technicolor tale of adventures on the high seas. Chandler and Brady enact Naval officers posing as pirate leaders attempting to rid the seven seas of Spanish ships. Lovely Miss Ball, a newcomer to Hollywood, portrays a countess and is the only feminine member of the cast.

Saturday only, is the date of "YANKEE BUCCANEER"

Exciting action will unfold against colorful Western settings when "HORIZONS WEST" starts Sunday and Monday at the Tower. This tale is about life in Texas after the Civil War and the trouble one family encounters when they try to reconstruct their lives. Following the trend of Westerns, brother killed and brother is the rugged story line of "HORIZONS WEST." Robert Ryan, Julia Adams and Rock Hudson are stars for this Technicolor outdoor thriller. Ryan and Hudson play parts of brothers. Ryan attempts to make an "easy buck" in cattle rustling. Hudson becomes a marshal and succeeds in bringing his brother to justice. Miss Adams plays an excellent role as the designing beauty who teams up with Ryan in his lard-grabbing and cattle-stealing.

Supporting roles are portrayed by John McIntire, Raymond Burr and Judith Braun.

For one of the finest in Western movies, see "HORIZONS WEST," at the Tower, Sunday and Monday.

"BECAUSE YOU'RE MINE" has been chosen as the movie of the week, Wednesday and Thursday are performance dates for this musical drama starring Marjorie Lane and Doretta Morrow. Lane follows the trend of his first movie in providing outstanding entertainment with classic song numbers for the moviegoers. Miss Morrow will be his able assistant in many of these song numbers.

Everyone will enjoy "BECAUSE YOU'RE MINE" at the Tower since of the movie of the week, Wednesday and Thursday. Mr. These tickets are at the box and Mrs. C. C. Lee will be given office as a courtesy of the man—two free tickets for any performance.

HSU Cowboy Band Will Tour Europe During December

Texas and Hardin-Simmons University will be represented throughout Europe in December by the Cowboy band of HSU in Abilene. Last week the Defense Department accepted the band's offer to tour overseas military bases during the Christmas holidays.

Cowboy band members will leave December 19 and return January 4. They will have 15 installations in North Africa, Italy, Austria, Germany, France and England.

The trip is to launch 100 tours for entertainment of American servicemen in Europe. Lawrence Phillips, executive vice-president of USO Camp Shows in New York stated that "USO Camp Shows are proud of an opportunity for the Cowboy band to entertain fellow U. S. Citizens and represent Hardin-Simmons University and the entire state of Texas."

He said that the band would "bring this brilliant entertainment so typically American as evidence from the folks at home to their men overseas of the service they are rendering their country."

Governor Allan Shivers commented that "selection by the USO Camp Shows of the HSU Cowboy band to entertain overseas troops is a compliment in which all of Texas takes pride."

This will be the second European tour in the history of the band. A concert trip was made throughout Europe in 1930.

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us, the undersigned, on the 13th day of October, A. D. 1952, by the County Court of Garza County, Texas. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to either of us within the time prescribed by law. The residence and post office address of Joyce Herd is Post, Texas. The residence and post office address of John Harvey Herd is P. O. Box No. 1747, Midland, Texas.
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To the many people and friends of Post who helped us during our time of grief, the loss of our loved one, we wish to express our thanks:
Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Sullins and family,
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Post School Cafeteria Serves Special Lunch

Post school cafeteria served 327 meals for their special Thanksgiving dinner Wednesday noon. E. E. Pierce, manager, reported that 100 pounds of turkey and 484 one-half pints of milk were used in serving the school children and adult guests. This meal, consisting of turkey, dressing, beans, cranberry sauce, celery, fruit salad, bread, and coffee or milk, was a special treat for the students, their parents and friends. Fifty cents was charged the adults and regular prices were charged students. Proceeds went to the lunch room fund. Seven women served the meal in one hour and 10 minutes.

Jobless Must Fight Communist China

HONG KONG (AP)—A dispatch from Canton to the independent Kung Sheung Daily News says the Chinese Communists have organized 16,000 unemployed persons for service in Korea or Indo-China. The jobless, all of whom had been on public relief, were formed into teams of nurses, stretcher bearers, cook and laundress, the account said. The paper also said several thousand other jobless were sent to labor camps on Hainan Island and in East Kwangtung province.

Barring accidents ants may live four or five years.

Funeral Rites Are Held In Southland For Cliff Johnson

Funeral rites for Cliff Johnson, long time resident of the Southland community, were held last Thursday afternoon in the Southland Baptist church. Burial was in Southland cemetery under the direction of Williams Funeral Home of Slaton. Johnson died last Tuesday night in the home of a daughter, Mrs. Aubry McNeely in Southland. Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. McNeely and Mrs. Wayne Pharr, of Lubbock; four grandchildren; a brother, Kit Johnson, of McAllen and a sister, Mrs. W. I. Smith of Post.

Canada Is Anti-Submarine Nation

OTTAWA (AP)—The Royal Canadian Navy has set itself the target of becoming the anti-submarine expert of the Atlantic Pact nations. Its ambition is backed by a 250 million dollar shipbuilding program and a gradual increase in manpower. The pendulum swung heavily in favor of the submarine at the end of World War II when "schnorkel" apparatus came into service, permitting submarines to "breathe" indefinitely underwater. The West's new anti-submarine devices ever since—aware that Russia is plunging heavily on modern submarines. Canada is staking her aspirations on a new type of ship, a \$5 million dollar escort vessel, low-slung and of destroyer size. However, the 14 ordered escort vessels still are under construction in seven Canadian shipyards. The first one won't be in service until late 1953 or later.

Army Private In Dark Wonders About Name

FORT HOOD, (AP)—At Fort Devens, Mass., last year Nicholas Guadalupe Gonzales entered the U. S. Army. Somehow his name was entered as Nickolas Gonzales Freres. The new soldier protested to no avail, finally revamped his signature. "I couldn't collect my pay unless I signed my new name," he recalls. But the brass was investigating. They sent off a request for his birth certificate. It came back with this name: Nickolas Guadalupe. That's all—as if Guadalupe were his last name. With three versions of his name chasing each other through channels, it was inevitable that variations should crop up on the record. They include Nickolas Frere-Gonzales. "All my brothers are Gonzales, my father's name was Gonzales, my social security card and draft board list me as Gonzales, and all I want to do is be a Gonzales," explains the Puerto Rican private first class.

Judge Urges Voting Age To Be Lowered

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—Judge Guy K. Bard thinks the voting age should be lowered because young men and women of today have far greater political knowledge than their parents or grandparents when they were young. "There are in this country today," the judge said, "influential leaders who prate of their confidence in the capacity of the rising generation yet they oppose every attempt to lower the voting age to 18 years."

Marines Forbidden To Own Personal Weapons

NEW YORK (AP)—Maj. Gen. Morner L. Litzburg, commanding the 1st Marine Division in Korea, has prohibited the use of personal weapons by Marines in Korea, according to a recent announcement by the Marine public information office here. Previously it had been possible for Marines in Korea to receive weapons such as pistols sent by relatives or friends.

Gifts For War Victims

MANILA (AP)—A worldwide drive to collect Christmas packages for civilian war victims in South Korea had been launched by the Philippine Junior Chamber of Commerce. Packages collected by Jaycee chapters will be shipped to Tokyo headquarters of the organization for forwarding to Korea.

The country around Balporel Castle in Scotland has some of the finest weather and scenery in Scotland, says the National Geographic Society.

Officials Play Cupid For Birds

NEW YORK (AP)—Penelope has lost interest in Cecil so their engagement is off—at least temporarily, reports the Bronx Zoo. Penelope and Cecil are the duckbilled platypuses brought from Australia five years ago. Hale and hearty, they are the only one in captivity anywhere in the world outside their native Australia. Only twice before have platypus couples bred in captivity so the romantic attachment of Cecil for Penelope was looked upon with great interest and fondest expectations. "But Penelope," reports William Bridges, zoo curator of information, "has actively resented Cecil's overtures and shown her displeasure by rolling over and over in the water. "This," he said, "is a characteristic sign of platypus annoyance and we had to separate them." The haughty Penelope has been provided with a box about 2 feet square, lined with dirt. If she shows any indication of nesting, the courtship will be renewed. Cecil, it seems, is willing.

Garnolia Notes

Please Send News Not Later Than Monday to MISS PEARL CRAIG Garnolia Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Gerner returned recently from a trip to Fort Worth.

A plastic party was given in the R. A. Weatherly home last Thursday night. Pops and cookies were served to 20 guests.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Edwards visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. D. Fleming.

Sunday guests of the R. L. Craigs were Mr. and Mrs. H. J. McKay of Lubbock.

Mrs. O. B. Taylor spent part of last week with Mrs. Ed Gossett at Portales, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Briles of Abilene were Sunday visitors of the W. G. Briles.

Mr. and Mrs. Winford Craig of Tahoka recently visited the C. S. Craigs.

Mrs. Byron Taylor and daughters of Lubbock spent one night last week with the T. C. Edwards family.

The Rev. Duke Shaw and family visited the Rev. Dick Murray at Colorado City during the week-end.

Putting Feet On Desk Makes Person Healthy

NEW YORK (AP)—Putting your feet on the desk may not be good manners but it is healthy, reports the National Office Furniture Association. A survey has shown that one of every three business men puts his feet on the desk. If more did so, the association says, both they and their business would be in better shape. One of the most common symptoms of business worries is muscular tension, according to medical authorities. Raising feet to desk level breaks up muscular habit patterns and releases tension on the large muscles at the back of the thigh. The association adds that business men need not lose dignity by placing their feet on desks. Posture chairs, a spokesman said, accomplish the same purpose.

YOUTHFUL PREXY WAS TENNIS STAR

WICHITA, Kan. (AP)—The University of Wichita not only has a youthful president but one who has been an athletic star as well. President Harry F. Corbin, 35, who has held the job three years, owns over 30 trophies won in tennis competition.

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Tea-Shower Honors Miss Runkles Bride-Elect Of Billy Lee Patty

Miss Delores Runkles, who will become the bride of Billy Lee Patty this evening in First Baptist church, was complimented when 12 hostesses entertained with a tea-shower last Wednesday afternoon in the Everett Windham home.

Mrs. Windham greeted guests and presented them to the receiving line which was composed of the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Frank Runkles, and Mrs. H. L. Patty, mother of the prospective bridegroom.

Miss Runkles wore a grey jersey dress with black accessories and a corsage of bronze mums. Mrs. J. A. Stallings, pianist, and Misses Jeanette Storie, Rosemary Gayman and Wynanza Windham, vocalists, presented a program of musical selections. Mrs. Bailey Matisler also played several piano numbers.

Thirty guests registered between 3:30 and 5:30 o'clock in the attractive hand-made bride's book, which was made and presented by the bride-elect's sister, Mrs. Don Mike Moore of Fort Sill, Okla. Mrs. Leo Cobb presided at the register.

The refreshment table was laid with a linen cutwork cloth, made by the bride-elect's mother, and was centered with an arrangement of bronze and white mums. Mrs. Ray Hodges served.

Hostesses were Mrs. Windham, Mrs. Cobb, Mrs. Guy Floyd, Mrs. Hodges, Mrs. Tom Bouchier, Mrs. Lester Nichols, Mrs. W. C. Sullivan, Mrs. N. A. Lusby, Mrs. Matisler, Mrs. Keith Kemp, Mrs. Wayne Pennington and Mrs. Dan Cockrum.

Out of town guests included Ross and Mr. Patty's sister, Mrs. Miss Runkles' sister, Mrs. Lynn June Caffey, both of Lubbock.



COTTON MAID ENTRY—Miss Claudia Ticer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oman Ticer, was one of 15 contestants in the Maid of Cotton contest, held in Lubbock's O. L. Slaton Junior High School, Monday night. Miss Patricia Mansell of Lubbock was winner. Claudia, 21, attended Wayland college in Plainview before entering Tech where she is a senior. A blue-eyed blonde, Miss Ticer is a member of the Tech choir.

Church News

The Psalmist David reminds us in his 46th Psalm that God is the Eternal Refuge of his people and this one thing should be at the top of our list of things to be thankful for on this day of Thanksgiving. The scripture reads: God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble. Therefore will not we fear, though the earth be removed, and though the mountains be carried into the midst of the sea; though the waters thereof roar and be troubled, though the mountains shake with the swelling thereof. Selah. There is a river, the streams whereof shall make glad the city of God, the holy place of the tabernacles of the most High. God is in the midst of her; she shall not be moved; God shall help her, and that right early. The heathen raged, the kingdoms were moved; he uttered his voice, the earth melted. The Lord of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our refuge. Selah. Come, behold the works of the Lord, what desolations he hath made in the earth. He maketh wars to cease unto the end of the earth; he breaketh the bow, and cutteth the spear in sunder; he burneth the chariot in the fire. Be still, and know that I am God; I will be exalted among the heathen, I will be exalted in the earth. The Lord of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our refuge. Selah.

The Rev. Carl McNamee of Fort Worth preached Sunday morning and evening at Pleasant Valley Baptist church. He was a classmate of the pastor, the Rev. Bryan Ross, at Fort Worth Seminary.

The Rev. Joe E. Boyd, Methodist pastor, reports that a Stewardship Revival will begin Sunday morning and continue through Wednesday night with Rev. O. A. McBryer of Wolforth as speaker. Services will be conducted at 7 o'clock each evening.

A number of Pleasant Valley Baptist church members are making plans to attend the Training Union Convention in Lubbock this weekend. The pastor announced.

Friendship Sunday School class of First Methodist church will sell doll clothes at Parsons Dress-Shop this Christmas season. Watch for further details on the sale.

A film, "GIVING THANKS AT WASH," was shown at the Pleasant Valley Baptist church last night. A tape recorded Thanksgiving program was also presented.

More than 50 people will participate in a Christmas Pageant at the Methodist church on Sunday evening, December 13, at 7 o'clock. Title of the pageant is "The Shepherd's Vision."

Sunday is "Lottie Moon Child."

Justiceburg HD Club Meets With Mrs. D. McWhirt

Justiceburg Home Demonstration club met last Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Douglas McWhirt.

Demonstrations were given on Christmas card making and Christmas tree decorations.

During the business meeting new officers were elected as follows: Mrs. McWhirt, president; Mrs. Sid Cross, vice-president; Mrs. Monty Stanford, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. R. J. Key, reporter; and Mrs. Henry Key, council chairman.

Cheese sandwiches, cookies, coffee and Cokes were served. Those present were Mrs. Cross, Mrs. Stanford, Mrs. R. J. Key, Mrs. John Martin, Mrs. Earl Gilbert, Miss Pauline Knox, Mrs. Streety, Mrs. Sterling Eggleston, the agent, Miss Jessie Pearce, and Mrs. McWhirt.

Mystic Club Meets In Bailey Home, Plans Yule Party

Mystic Sewing club members planned their Christmas party at a regular meeting Friday, in the home of Mrs. F. I. Bailey.

The Lowell Short home will be scene of the yule party for members and their families, the evening of December 12.

After sewing and visiting Mrs. Bailey served refreshments of open face sandwiches, fruit cake and coffee.

Those attending were a guest, Mrs. Almon Martin, Mrs. G. E. Fleming, Mrs. Marvin Hudman, Mrs. Everett Windham, Mrs. Short, Mrs. Lester Nichols, Mrs. Hattie Foster, Mrs. H. E. Butler and Mrs. R. W. Babb.

Graham Club Will Meet Thursday In J. Wallace Home

Graham Thursday club will meet December 4 with Mrs. John Wallace.

Mrs. Will Wright was hostess for the last meeting. The group spent the afternoon quilting for the hostess.

Refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, cake and punch were served to the following: a guest, Mrs. Jack Robinson, Mrs. Mrs. Wallace, Mrs. A. A. Probst, Mrs. Glen Davis, Mrs. W. A. Odun, Mrs. Charles Probst, Mrs. Bill McMahon, Mrs. O. H. Hoover and Mrs. R. W. Babb.

Lunchroom Menus or Week Listed

School lunchroom menus for December 1 through December 4 have been announced as follows:

Monday: barbecued wieners, fruit, lettuce and carrot salad, chocolate squares, bread, milk.

Tuesday: meat loaf, green beans, mashed potatoes, rolls and oleo, fruit jello.

Wednesday: red beans, mixed greens, canned tomatoes, carrot strips, corn bread muffins, milk, spice cake.

Thursday: Mexican spaghetti, carrots and peas, sliced pickles, bread, milk, apricot cobbler.

mas Offering" day at Pleasant Valley Baptist church. A special program will be given and an offering taken.

A revival meeting is now in progress at the Church of God of Prophecy. Services are being held at 7:30 o'clock each evening. The Rev. David A. Ezell and the Rev. Glen Whitener are directing the services. The Rev. Gerald Fox is pastor.

Alliance Sunday School class of Calvary Baptist church presented a "Lottie Moon" program at 11 o'clock Sunday morning.

The Rev. Herbert Aduddle preached at Central Baptist Church Sunday morning and night.

Hostesses were Platero (Mrs. Nance), Minnie Haha (Mrs. Winnie Tuffing), Pochontas (Mrs. Sid Cross) and Laughing Water (Mrs. Jeff Justice, Jr.).

Members of the house party were Red Wing (Miss Vera Periman of Snyder) Blanket (Miss Lois Nance of Amarillo) Seminole Sour Dough (Ila B. Mitchell of Seminole) and Grey Squirrel (Miss Sandy Cross of Justiceburg).

Miss Wiley And Stanley Benge Will Marry Here December 20

The Rev. and Mrs. F. M. Wiley have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Jane Wiley, to Stanley Benge.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Benge of Grassland are parents of the prospective bridegroom.

The wedding will be solemnized at 7:30 o'clock in the evening, December 20, in Calvary Baptist church.

Mr. Benge recently received his discharge from the Army after serving two years. He spent several months of that time in Korea.

White-Cox Wedding Date Is Told At Tea In Mickey Home Thursday

Mrs. J. E. Mickey entertained with a tea in her home, from 4 until 6 o'clock Thursday afternoon, to announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of her daughter, Miss Delores Cox, to Thomas G. White.

Guests were greeted by Miss Mildred Boren of Lubbock and presented to the hostess, Miss Cox and her sister, Mrs. Lester Josey. The bride-elect wore a black velvet dress with matching accessories and a corsage of pink feathered carnations and rosebuds.

Recorded musical selections were played throughout the afternoon.

The linen covered table was centered with double wedding rings outlined with pink carnations and red rosebuds, stressing Miss Cox's chosen colors of carnation red and ice pink. Three pink satin streamers, with gold lettering "Tinker and Blackie, December 5", were attached to the base of the centerpiece which was decorated with pink plumes and red velvet leaves.

White cake squares iced with pink and red rosebuds, nuts, mints and spiced tea were served by Mrs. Giles Dalby of Lubbock and Miss Anne Mathis.

Miss Wynona Branson presided at the guest register.

The wedding will be read at 6:30 o'clock next Friday evening, in the Mickey home.

Mrs. Josey will be her sister's matron of honor and Misses Branson and Boren will be bridesmaids.

Bud Raider of Floydada will attend Mr. White as best man.

Birthday Party Is Given Saturday For Ted Jackson

Teddy Jackson, six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Doss Jackson was feted at a birthday party given by his mother, Saturday afternoon.

Refreshments of ice cream, cake and bubble gum were served after games were played and gifts had been opened.

Attending were Barbara and Billy Shumard, Dan and Edith Johnson, Kay and Lynn Earhman, Jerry Sullivan and Teddie and Ronnie Jackson.

G. Barker Home Is Scene Of "42" Party

The George Barker home was the scene of a 42 party for Piggly Wiggly employees and their families Monday evening.

The group drew names for the store Christmas party.

Cake, hot chocolate and coffee were served at the conclusion of games.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Burress, Mrs. Eleanor Pippin, Don McGee, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Haynie, Mrs. Carl Rains, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Clary and the hosts.

NOTICE

All women of Close City community who are interested in Home Demonstration club work, are invited to attend a meeting at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, in the school lunchroom. Miss Jessie Pearce, agent, will be present to organize a Close City club.

COSTUME RECITAL

Mrs. Elmer Long, music teacher, is announcing that she will present her pupils in a costume recital at 8 o'clock in the evening, December 12, in the City Hall.

Hardin-Simmons Choir Presents Concert At Grade School Tuesday

Approximately 150 people attended the concert given by Hardin-Simmons University Chapel choir in Post grade school Tuesday evening. Miss Elwanda Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Davies, and Jonnie Matisler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Matisler, are included in the group which is comprised of 66 members. Miss Davies sings soprano and Matisler, tenor.

Euell Porter, director, directed groups one and three of the program and Roland Whitley, student director, directed the choir in a group two.

Special selections included popular numbers by a quartet composed of Leo Day and Kenneth Hill of Odessa, Euclea Hoose of Crosbyton and Dick Hise of New Orleans, La. A part of the program that was especially enjoyed was an impersonation of Dean Martin and Jerry Lewis presented by Leo Day and Kenneth Hill.

Tuesday night's local program was the first on the HSU concert tour this season.

The program was as follows: group one: "Sing Ye To The Lord," "O Gracious Savior," "O Magnify The Lord With Me," "Almighty God Of Our Fathers" and "Holy Lord God"; Group Two: "All Hail The Power," "Praise Be To Thee" and "Love Devine"; Quartet numbers and impersonations by Hill and Day were given before the final portion of the program which included "Plenty Good Room," "Trampin'," "Charm-Bells" and "We Thank Thee Lord."

Mrs. Ed Sims Is Beta Sigma Phi Hostess Monday

Mrs. Ed Sims was hostess for a regular meeting of Beta Sigma Phi sorority, in her home Monday evening.

After the business meeting, a program on "Preparing A Talk" was given. The whole group participated in a discussion of the program topic. A short pledge meeting was also conducted.

Mrs. Sims emphasized the Thanksgiving theme in home decorations and refreshments.

The unit will have its Christmas party in the home of Mrs. J. C. Strange on December 8. It was announced.

Attending were Mrs. Burrey Francis, Mrs. Jack Rex, Mrs. Vernon Ray, Mrs. Jess Cornell, Mrs. Katherine Bird, Mrs. James Minor, Mrs. Bing Bingham, Mrs. Max Gordon, Mrs. Jimmy Hundley and Miss Maxine Durrell.

Miss Patty Lott Arrives Home For Holiday Weekend

Miss Patty Lott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Lott, arrived home yesterday from Hockaday Preparatory School in Dallas, where she is a student.

Miss Lott is in the First Form, or ninth grade. She attended Post high school last year.

After entering the Dallas school, Patty was chosen vice warden of her residence hall and a member of the Green Team. Each girl in Hockaday belongs either to the Green or White team. Early in the year, the old members choose which new girls they would like to have with them on the athletic field during the year.

Miss Lott has continued her study of the organ at Hockaday. Her Hammond organ is used for the pleasure and benefit of the entire school for the Sunday evening vesper services on the campus.

She will return to Hockaday Sunday evening.

PRISCILLAS TO MEET

Priscilla Sewing Club will meet at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. Earle Thaxton in her home in West Post.

"Papoose Shower" Is Given For Mrs. Justice In Nance "Hogan"

The Navajo Indian theme was used in a party given Saturday for Mrs. Mason (Skeeter) Justice, in the home of Mrs. Ott (Pearl) Nance at Justiceburg.

The occasion, a Papoose shower, provided the opportunity of using Indian customs and language throughout the afternoon.

Hostesses and members of the house party were dressed in colorful Indian costumes and greeted "white friends" with the friendly Navajo "yateye" (hello).

Navajo blankets were used as window curtains, table covers, rugs, furniture covers and bed spreads in the entertaining rooms of the Nance "hogan."

Mrs. Edsel A. Cross of Post, photographed the party.

Gifts were displayed on tables covered with tanned skins and blankets.

Refreshments of individual pumpkin pies decorated with Indian faces, and coffee were served on handpainted Indian design plates.

Among the 60 guests present were the following from out of town: Mrs. Arthur Bentley of Kansas City, Mo., Mrs. Tom Keane and Mrs. Rena Elkins of Slaton, Mrs. J. C. Dorward, Mrs. Hugh Taylor and Mrs. L. N. Periman of Snyder and Mrs. Jimmie Bunker of Lubbock.

Hostesses were Platero (Mrs. Nance), Minnie Haha (Mrs. Winnie Tuffing), Pochontas (Mrs. Sid Cross) and Laughing Water (Mrs. Jeff Justice, Jr.).

Members of the house party were Red Wing (Miss Vera Periman of Snyder) Blanket (Miss Lois Nance of Amarillo) Seminole Sour Dough (Ila B. Mitchell of Seminole) and Grey Squirrel (Miss Sandy Cross of Justiceburg).

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Sincere
Appreciation
To You

It has been a pleasure to serve you during the past year. We hope to give you all the things you need in the future . . . Your good will is greatly appreciated . . .

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Half-Price Sale

Just in time for Christmas too! We offer a limited number of . . .

Included in our HALF PRICE SALE is one group of . . .

Ladies' Suits and Coats

Ladies' Bags

in blacks, browns, navy and several types of fabrics—During this sale they go at

1/2 Price

1/2 Price

If you are in the market for a suit or coat, you will not want to miss a real value like this

Sale Prices On

Men's Sport Coats

Included in the "Half Price Sale" is one short rack of . . .

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Includes all woolen, tweed and corduroy numbers. . .

Which Includes Mostly WOOLENS AND GABARDINES

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1/2 Price

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19.95 Values	12.98
22.50 Values	13.98
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One Small Group

Weskits

Regular \$24.95

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Topcoats

Special \$1.99

Special \$14.98

A Day of **T**hanksgiving



TIME FOR GIVING THANKS TO THE LORD
FOR RAISING US FROM THE MEAGERNESS
OF OUR BEGINNINGS TO THE BOUNTIFUL
PLENTY WE ENJOY NOW...

The Thanksgiving table our forefathers set up those many years ago was an oasis in a desert of near-starvation days. An immigrant people, newly arrived and untrained for the needs of this wild continent, needed help to even exist. This they received from their friendly Indian neighbors.

The meaning of those early times is sometimes lost in the dazzling brilliance of our present wealth. We forget that all this is not merely the product of our labors, but also the result of the kindly benevolence of our Lord. Let us then celebrate our good fortune with humility, vowing to use His Light as our beacon.

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CITY RADIO SERVICE
CAPROCK DAIRY
BOB COLLIER Druggist
DOUBLE U COMPANY



Mexico's Gay Caballero Accused Of Murder Has Evaded Texas Lawmen

MEXICO CITY, (AP)—Sar-Faced George Ochoa, the gay caballero, the devil on wheels, the hombre accused of murdering two men in Texas—George Ochoa will go free.

Like less debonair and colorful border jumpers, Ochoa proved that often a man can laugh at the United States law—from the Mexican side of the border. Like, for example, Jose Villalobos. There's nothing colorful about Villalobos. A Texas sheriff stopped him on a lonely Big Bend road and asked to see his citizenship papers. Villalobos grabbed the sheriff's gun and killed him with it. Jose was arrested in Mexico. He confessed. Then he was freed.

Ochoa never admitted he was Laredo. He was charged in Laredo, Tex. in 1949, with killing two men in separate rooms of a hotel. Both men knew Ochoa's beautiful wife, Rosa. By the time officers got on Ochoa's trail, he was over the Rio Grande—or the Rio Bravo, as the snake-like border river is known in Mexico. Mexican officers arrested him. There were more than two years of attempts by the United States to extradite him for trial. Ochoa ever claimed he wanted to stand trial in the United States.

But he beat the extradition attempts on Nov. 14. The Supreme Court said there wasn't enough evidence against him.

It's hard to extradite a man from Mexico—almost impossible if he's a Mexican citizen, a little easier if he's a United States citizen.

Although both Ochoa and Villalobos have Latin names and are claimed to be Mexican citizens, they never proved their claims. The evidence was stronger in the other direction.

That didn't seem to matter. Ochoa found himself in a pretty good spot after he finally landed in the federal jail in Mexico City. He stayed out of jail for a long time, though.

The bodies of Henry Whittenburg Jr., 31, Laredo cotton gin worker, and Air Force Cpl. James Hays, 30, of Onieda, Tenn., were found on July 31, 1949. Whittenburg's body lay in a fifth-floor Laredo hotel room. Hays' in a tenth-floor room. Hays had been shot with the .32 caliber pistol.

Witnesses told of seeing a sar-faced man around the hotel in the early morning. Police Sgt. David O. Gallagher discovered that both men knew Mrs. Rosa, although there was no evidence they knew each other. "Jealousy," said Gallagher, and day later he filed a murder charge against Ochoa.

But Ochoa had disappeared, after putting in a debonair appearance at his golf club.

This appearance was in character. Ochoa was a wealthy importer. He inherited the business and it didn't demand too much of his time.

His friends called him Gavo. He was a flashy dresser but "he took off his shirt at the slightest opportunity," a friend said drily. He was a fine swimmer and diver, a crack shot, an expert boxer and a very good golfer. He was

38 then. Another friend summed him up this way: "Gavo was a polished gentleman when sober and a panther on wheels when drunk. He was a gay caballero, blue-eyed and smiling. He was well educated, clever, witty and a devil with the ladies."

But that wasn't the Gavo who showed up on Christmas night in 1949 at the home of a Laredo broker, J. J. Ballesteros. Ochoa looked "terrible"—red eyed and haggard. He demanded money, got none, snatched some cold tamales from Ballesteros' refri-

gerator and fled back across the border. All this time, the state of Texas and the U. S. State Department were trying to get Mexico to arrest Ochoa. Mexican officers finally did catch him—in a Mexican hotel room on July 11, 1950. He had died his hair blond and registered as Guillermo Vidal.

He was transferred to the penitentiary at Mexico City. There he lived in a private room. He liked to sit up all night playing dominoes. While Gavo played dominoes, his lawyers kept wrapping red

tape around the case. The U. S. State Department almost dropped its extradition proceedings when Ochoa said he wanted to be tried in the United States. The joker was that Ochoa wouldn't waive the injunction preventing arrest his lawyers had filed for him.

In June of 1951, a Mexican federal judge said Ochoa would have to go back to Laredo to be tried. But on Nov. 14 of this year, Ochoa, the smooth operator, turned out to be the winner when the Supreme Court issued an injunc-

tion against his extradition, deciding there wasn't enough evidence against Gavo. The Villalobos case wasn't quite so complicated and was in doubt a much shorter time.

Sheriff O. W. (Blackie) Morrow of Presidio County was shot to death on the lonely road between Marfa and the Texas town of Presidio on March 12, 1950. Skilled trackers followed Villalobos' trail to the border. They got Mexican officers to help and on March 12 caught Villalobos in

the mountains of Northern Mexico. After he confessed, he was clapped into jail while the United States tried to extradite him. But in May, 1950, Federal Judge Felipe Galindo Hernandez of Chihuahua City ordered Jose released.

The judge said no order authorizing Villalobos arrest had ever been issued in Mexico. Villalobos never went back to jail—at least, not on U. S. charges.



Dollar Day Christmas Specials For the Home and Family!

- PLASTIC SHOE BAGS**
Plastic Shoe Bags with 12 large pockets. What a gift... what an item for your own closet. See this early... there aren't many! **1.00**
- JUMBO GARMENT BAG**
54 inches long with zipper closure... a terrific Dollar Day value... big as all get out and twice as useful. **1.00**
- SKIRT HANGERS**
These Metal Skirt Hangers will hold several skirts and take up less space in your closet. Priced low... a couple of these would make a mighty nice gift. **2 for 1.00**
- CHRISTMAS CARDS**
Here is a group of Christmas cards you will like... it's also a terrific Dollar Day Value. A box of 50 beautiful cards for only 1.00... can you think of anything nicer. **Box... 1.00**
- BLANKETS**
25% Wool Blankets... satin bound. A wonderful range of colors. Priced for Christmas Dollar Day only. **5.00**
- CANNON TOWELS**
Big, size 20 x 40 Cannon Towels. A regular 79¢ quality. Dollar Day Special. Stock up your linen closet now. **2 for 1.00**
- BRIDGE SETS**
Bridge Sets in applique and embroidery. Regular 2.98. Reduced for Dollar Day so that you can give many as Christmas Presents. **2.00**
- PLASTIC CUSHION**
Here is a grand gift for the home. Bright colors to blend with any decor. These plastic cushions are washable... will last and last and last. Look at the low price. **1.00**
- SNOW WHITE SHEETS**
Snow White Sheets... 128 count Muslin. This is a famous brand that is known across the nation for its long wearing qualities. Priced very special for our great Christmas Dollar Day. Buy several pairs for yourself and then give some as gifts... you'll save and be more than glad! **2.00 each**

FRIDAY-SATURDAY-MONDAY Dollar Day Special Values for Ladies and Girls

- LADIES' SLIP**
Pure Nylon Slips... the perfect gift for her. At Dunlap's Special Dollar Day Price. **3.00**
- LADIES' DUSTERS**
Rayon Dusters made of taffeta... a regular 6.95 value... but gift priced for Dunlap's sensational Dollar Day. **4.00**
- LADIES' PANTIES**
Brief style rayon panties for ladies. Specially priced for Dunlap's Christmas Dollar Day. **3 for 1.00**
- LADIES' PETTICOATS**
100% Nylon Petticoats with a world of nylon lace at the hem. Dollar Day Price. Regular 2.98 value... special **2.00**
- GIRL'S PANTIES**
Sizes 2 to 14. The very finest of rayon panties. Wonderful gift from Santa Claus. See these early. **4 pairs 1.00**
- CINCH BELTS**
Special purchase for Dunlap's Christmas Dollar Day. Popular Cinch belts. A regular 1.98 value... sensationally reduced. **1.00**
- LADIES' NYLON PANTIES**
Brief style Nylon Panties. Regular 1.00 and 1.29. Special price for our great Christmas Dollar Day. **3 pairs 2.00**
- LADIES' GLOVES**
Dress Gloves... de luxe colors in all washable fabrics. Buy yourself several pair... give many pair for Christmas at this low price. **1.00**
- LADIES' HANKIES**
Swiss Handkerchiefs... a wonderful Christmas gift item at a terrific Dollar Day Price. See these early... you'll be glad you did. **3 for 1.00**
- LADIES' SCUFFS**
Corduroy Scuffs with spongy air-foam innersole. She will certainly cherish this little gift... and the tiny Dollar Day Price is only... **1.00**
- GIRL'S GLOVES**
Wool gloves for girls... here's the gift that will surely make that little miss happy. Buy now at Dunlap's low Dollar Day Price. **1.00**
- LADIES' GOWNS**
Rayon Crepe Gowns... a gift she will love and the special price on the beautiful gowns is only... **3.00**
- LADIES' HOSIERY**
Beautiful Nylon Hosiery... so very, very sheer... with the very popular dark heels... here is a wonderful Dollar Day Value. Come early! **1.00**
- LADIES' SCARFS**
Ladies' Wool Scarfs... a very colorful assortment of 100% wool scarfs. These make grand Christmas Gifts at only... **1.00**
- LADIES' GLOVES**
Angora Gloves for ladies... so very warm, smart and expensive looking to cost so little at Dunlap's. White, pink and blue. This is your best bargain. **1.00**
- LADIES' BLOUSES**
Special group of Ladies' Blouses... these make wonderful gifts... many sold for twice as much as they will be tagged during Dunlap's biggest of Dollar Days. **3.00**
- LADIES' SKIRTS**
Dollar Day Special on Ladies' Skirts... a wonderful group of skirts in popular fabrics... and the low Dollar Day Price will really open your eyes. **3.00**
- LARGE SIZE DOLL**
Extra large size Doll... "Santa's Pick of the Pack"... full 20 inches long. Stuffed rag type doll that is terrific. A price that even Santa himself couldn't believe. **1.00**

Shop Dunlap's for Christmas Values!

Christmas Specials for Men and Boys!

- MEN'S SURCOATS**
Men's quilted lined Surcoats... here is a regular 14.95 quality that will be tagged Christmas Dollar Day at only **10.00**
- MEN'S SHORTS**
Sanforized Shorts... gripper or boxer styles. Christmas Dollar Day Special... Don't miss this one. **2 pairs 1.00**
- MEN'S SOCKS**
Rayon Dress Socks for men in fancy patterns. Regular 55¢ each. Look what a Dollar Day Value this is. **3 pairs 1.00**
- MEN'S UNDERSHIRTS**
Cotton Knit Undershirts. Sizes 36 to 46. A regular 59¢ value. Priced for Christmas Gift Giving. **3 for 1.00**
- MEN'S SOX**
Regular 75¢ pair... Men's Sport Socks... in clocks, plaids, checks... tagged Dollar Day Low... this is really value... as only Dunlap's can bring you. **3 pairs 1.00**
- MEN'S SPORT SHIRTS**
Corduroy Sport Shirts. Here is a wonderful gift for a man. All sizes in colors he'll rave about. **4.95**
- MEN'S JEWELRY**
Cuff links and tie bar sets... comes in a beautiful satin lined gift box. Have you ever known a man who didn't like jewelry... see this now! **2.50 set plus tax**
- MEN'S SLACKS**
Here is a wonderful group of Slacks. 20% nylon and 80% wool. Priced sensationally for Dollar Day. All sizes and five colors. **10.00**
- BOY'S JACKETS**
Rayon Gabardine Jackets for Boys... zipper closing and the colors are wonderful. This quality has sold for 7.95... but is tagged for Dollar Day at only **5.00**
- BOY'S SPORT SOX**
Cotton Sport Sox for Boys in bright colors. Comes in a package of four... guaranteed for three months. You're right... it would make a wonderful Christmas Present. **4 pairs 1.00**
- MEN'S RAYON SLACKS**
Rayon Flannel Slacks for Men. New shades that are so popular... and at a price you'll love. Give him Slacks this Christmas and he'll give you love for life. **5.00**
- MEN'S SPORT SHIRTS**
Sport Shirts for Men. A wonderful gift for any man. Regular 3.95 and 4.95 values. Sensationally priced for Christmas Dollar Day at only... **3.00**

Shop Dunlap's Entire Store for many Christmas Values! You'll like the bargains for you, your family and your home!



Wormed Owl Aids Killing Crows

Belton, Texas (AP)—Pop-Pop, a wormed owl makes it easy for you to kill crows by the hundreds. He ties a three-foot twine around the owl's legs. He ties the other end to a crow, dead or alive. The Hander hides nearby. Other crows think Pop-Pop is picking one of their buddies. He's right. Pop-Pop loves crow meat. The aroused crows swoop down on Pop-Pop. Hander with his gun and dropping crows like or dead crows. As far as a peccan farmer is concerned there just isn't any more destructive than a crow. Hander says he has tried many ways of controlling crows but the owl method is the best. In ancient Europe, black cats were believed to embody evil spirits and even in the Middle Ages they often were burned on Halloween.

Stop Taking Harsh Drugs for Constipation

Chronic Dosing! Regain Normal Bowel Action This All-Vegetable Way! Harsh drugs for constipation can be brutal! They cramp and disrupt normal bowel action. You feel in need of repeated dosing... but you occasionally feel constipated. Take Dr. Caldwell's Laxative contained in Syrup. It's all-vegetable. No salts, no harsh drugs. Dr. Caldwell's contains an extract of the finest laxatives known to medicine. Dr. Caldwell's Senna Laxative tastes sweetly, brings thorough relief. Helps you get regular, ends constipation. Even relieves stomach cramps that constipation often brings.



Dallas Millionaires Withdraw Support From "Dallas Texans"

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF
Associated Press Sports Editor

Dallas has the unusual distinction of having a professional football club playing under its name although disowned by Dallas.

The Dallas Texans were sent into the cruel world to shift for themselves when the Dallas "millionaires" declined to lose any more money. They were turned back to the National Football League. The league thus took them over and is operating the club at its own expense. But the team's name wasn't changed.

Many Dallas people expressed humiliations and chagrin that the city that has become known as the football capital of the Southwest couldn't keep a pro team for a season. They were not humiliated and chagrined quite enough, however, to cough up any financial aid.

The facts of why Dallas could not keep its pro football club are these:

The men who brought the franchise to Dallas didn't have as much money as given credit for and they had expected the club

to click at the box office so there would be no need to make up any losses.

They were sold a bill of goods and were quite honest in believing that pro football would go in Dallas regardless of whether there was a winning team. But even with a winner, it is doubtful that pro football would have broken even the first year.

Dallas is a college football town, made so by Southern Methodist teams of the late forties when one young man—Doak Walker skyrocketed attendance to fantastic proportions. It isn't even drawing well—or rather it is far below the Walker era—for college football now.

The real pay-off as to whether pro football would click in Dallas came before the season opened. The Texans were going to show off before Dallas for the first time. They were going to play the Detroit Lions who had Doak Walker with them. It was a perfect set-up for a sell-out crowd in the Cotton Bowl. But only 32,000 turned out. That, incidentally, was the only paying crowd pro football drew in Dallas. And it was made possible by a Dallas civic club promoting the

game and pushing the ticket sale in the interest of charity.

It developed that only three of the stockholders in the Dallas pro club were willing to go on losing money in order to finish out the season.

It is understandable that a person doesn't want to sink his cash in a falling project. However, it would appear that the men who brought pro football to Dallas should have studied up on Pro football history and been adequately fortified with losable money before making the move.

The history of pro football is that it doesn't make any money for at least a year, most times longer than that. Dallas isn't the first city to pull out of pro football without finishing a season. Miami, Fla., did the same thing several years ago. That should have been an eye-opener to Dallas. Pro football, just like any business, has to get started. And it can lose money first doing it.

Houston has been talking about getting a pro football team for several years. Dallas' experience probably will keep Houston out of the market now.

University of Houston probably has rosy dreams these days of getting into the Southwest Conference. The Cougars have beaten two out of three Southwest Conference football teams this year and have a good season record. They played Mississippi, the Sugar Bowl team, a close one. They beat Tulsa easily and Tulsa is one of the best teams in the country.

That, they probably think, should further their bid to be invited into the Southwest Conference.

Texas Tech can tell them differently. Tech beat three Southwest Conference teams one year and never could get to first base toward entering the league.

It would appear that being able to compete isn't the prime question.

Looking Ahead to '53

By JESSIE PEARCE

Home Demonstration clubs of Garza county are busy planning the Christmas luncheon that will mark the close of this year's work and making plans for 1953.

The clubs are taking up a new subject of study, that of gardening. This doesn't mean that all we are going to do is raise a garden. We are going to learn how to can, freeze, cook and serve vegetables. We hope to be able to develop a cooperative marketing program whereby members with an excess of one product can sell it to other members who wish to buy. We also hope to be able to buy cooperatively garden produce not raised in this section of the country. This will enable club members to freeze or can practically all of the food needed for their families during the year. This will reduce the cost of living for most families and provide a more varied and adequate diet.

We have been studying kitchen planning for two years and will continue this study during 1953. Many Home Demonstration club members have remodeled their kitchens during this study and many more are making plans to remodel. The information received at club meetings has enabled families to plan their remodeling and buy equipment that best suited their needs.

Clubs now active are Graham, Pleasant Valley, Barnum Springs, Post and Justiceburg. Close City is planning to reorganize its club.

Anyone interested in joining with us for "work and play" can find the club nearest them by contacting the extension office.

Deadline Set

(Continued From Front Page) Too, local participation in "Operations Santa Claus" brought nationwide recognition to Post and a three-day visit of Edgar Bergen and his radio entertainers.

School Founded By Ginnings ... America In China Turns Communist

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—Famous Tsingtau University in Peiping, founded by U. S. generosity and kept going for years with the help of American endowments, is now a Communist school for training engineers.

A recent Peiping broadcast recorded here reported that 6,000 students enrolled at the reopening of Tsingtau. All arts and literature courses have been transferred to other universities in Peiping. Tsingtau will teach only technical subjects.

The university was established in 1911 with funds which the U. S. government returned to China from the Boxer uprising indemnity.

(Continued From Front Page) at this plant. Middling light staple is the average grade now. Staple vary from 13, 7.5, 29 and 15 inches. Hand pulled cotton is the majority received in Post.

Pleasant Valley gin has a total of 1340 bales and the manager reported that there has been a change from the middling grade and 7/8 inch staple reported two weeks ago. Estimates given by the manager reveal that the harvest is about 75 per cent finished.

Storie Gin company in the Garnolia community has ginned 616 bales thus far. Staple and grade readings have not changed since the previous report. The manager of this company states that 60 per cent of the crops were out in that area. Almost all the cotton around this plant is being pulled with machines.

A cat's whiskers are delicate sense organs.

The TWA Airline was once called "The Lindbergh Line."

A statute mile is 5,280 feet long.

Drouth Hay

(Continued From Page One) ing if not alarming in magnitude.

"We know this is a gloomy outlook, but it is factual and is offered for whatever it may be worth to Garza farmers and stockmen," Custer added.

"Generally, the hay is being consumed at about the same rate at which it is received, so, of course, no gains are being made toward reserve supplies, which become so vital when cold weather hits.

"Your county committee can furnish only the information they have from time to time, which is meager at best," the secretary concluded.

Christmas

(Continued From Page One) movement. Chamber of Commerce officials predict. Many families are making plans to share in the prize-money that is being offered for home decorating.

All in all it's to be a gala season for Post.

The Prohibitionist Party became a national party in 1872.



LADDER OF BOMBS AND ROCKETS—Luther Pennington, aviation ordnance man first class, of San Angelo, Tex., mounts an ethal ladder of bombs and rockets to make last minute adjustments on the ordnance load slung from the wing of an AD Sky-raider. The folded wing is lowered for flight. Pennington is serving with Attack Squadron 702 aboard the aircraft carrier SS Kearsarge in the Korean combat zone.

Thanksgiving --- Main Street ---

(Continued From Front Page) ters and in-laws enjoying Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Hester. Twelve grandchildren are also enjoying Thanksgiving in Post with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hester. Shorty is the only missing member of this family. He is serving with U. S. armed forces and could not come home for this day.

Many Postites are out-of-town today. Coach and Mrs. Bing Bingham are spending the holidays in Spur with his parents. Mrs. Bingham said that this afternoon they would attend the Tahoka-Stamford Bi-District football game. Another guest in the Bingham home is a sister from California, whom Bing has not seen in a number of years. Barbara and Mike are enjoying the company of their grandparents while their parents are at the ball game.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Young are visiting their daughter and family in Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sanders and daughters.

Mrs. Irene Rodgers reported that her family celebration will have to wait until Christmas. She enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner today with the O. D. Cardinals.

When Mrs. Winnie Tuffing was asked what plans she had for Thanksgiving, she stated, "To slip off to my secret hiding place and enjoy some peaceful relaxation." Mrs. Tuffing said that her family waited until Christmas to have their family feast. She and Mrs. Ott Nance will spend the day at Mrs. Tuffing's farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Yancey and son, David, enjoyed a family feast with their parents and grandparents, Doctor and Mrs. D. C. Williams. Mrs. Williams reported that she had hopes that her daughter Mrs. Jay Arceneaux of Rayne, La., and family would drop in for the meal and afternoon of visiting.

Another Post family enjoying Thanksgiving out of town are the A. A. Suits, who are in Petersburg with Mr. Suits' brother and family.

James Minor also took this opportunity of visiting one of his brothers. Mr. and Mrs. Minor, Marilyn and Jimmy are in Shreveport, La., today visiting Captain and Mrs. Max Minor.

L. B. Whitaker, foreman at the Dispatch office, with his three children, Elaine, Bobby and Kay, will spend Thanksgiving day visiting his mother, Mrs. D. E. Whitaker in Seminole.

Mrs. Dan Altman of Canyon is home for a Thanksgiving visit with her family.

"A holiday does not seem like a holiday if you have to stay at home," so Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Harragan and daughter, Barbara are enjoying a real holiday by visiting in Tucumcari, N. M., with Mrs. Harragan's sister.

Large families set aside certain days for special reunions and Mrs. James Stone is in Abilene today enjoying Thanksgiving with her mother and 10 brothers and sisters. Mr. and Mrs. Stone and daughters, are also visiting with their son and brother, Jerrell, at ACC.

Many families are entertaining college students, who are home for the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Pete Kennedy are having a family dinner with the honor guests being their son Wayne from Hardin-Simmons university, Freda and Ronny of Post High School.

Other Hardin-Simmons students home for the weekend are LaRue Stevens and ElWanda Davies. They are celebrating Thanksgiving with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stevens and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Davies and their grandmother, Mrs. A. A. Hancock.

Dwight Mayfield, Jr. is another student from H-SU spending the

(Continued From Page One) While bustling around over town picking up Christmas gifts here and there, don't fail to ask for your Turkey Tickets the Volunteer Fire Boys are giving away. Seventeen Turkeys are to be given away on Saturday, December 20, on Main Street.

Nimrods in great numbers are all over the place at Short Hardware. Everything from a "cap pistol up" is what you fellows will find at Short's. Check this firm's ad in this issue of the paper for news about all the guns.

To usher in the holiday shopping season and also December Dollar Day be sure and go adventuring through Herring's ad. Half Price Sales are being offered on a great number of Bargain Buys at this popular store. Gift Wrapping is a specialty at Herring's.

Don't forget the Broom Sale the Lions club is sponsoring on Main Street on December 6. Proceeds go to the Crippled Children's Home at Keerville.

Alice Parsons of Parson's Dress Shop has arranged long racks of ready-to-wear at excellent sales values. The shop begins a pre-Christmas sale beginning Friday. This will be good news for the females who love the clothes the Parsons' Shop handles. Check this firm's ad.

Haws Friendly Shoes have announced a number of bargain buys for Dollar Days. Abie and Burnon invite you in to see and try their shoes.

Flex-Let long-life expansion identification bracelets are on sale at Dodson's. There will be no extra charge for engraving name on the bracelet. Just the gift for the fellows who are going into service and we have learned that the girls love them, too.

Thought for today—This is the 30th month of fighting in Korea.

holidays with his parents. Mrs. Mayfield reported that they would spend a quiet day at home today visiting with Dowe, Jr., but they are planning to attend a Training Union convention in Lubbock this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kennedy, Jean, Donna Kay and Dick are another family who is taking an opportunity of spending today alone. They enjoyed a traditional turkey dinner and are spending the afternoon relaxing.

An "old-fashioned" family. Thanksgiving is being spent by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Welch, Bernie, Wilma, Gary, and Larry in San Angelo today. They are visiting Mrs. Welch's mother, Mrs. J. E. Martin.

Following a custom of about 30 years, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Morrell and Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Weakley are spending the day with Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Roy at the Roy ranch. Mr. and Mrs. Morrell returned to Post from San Antonio this week, to spend the Thanksgiving holiday as they, the Weakleys and the Roys have done for 30 years. Mrs. Weakley said.

Whatever we do, wherever we go, we all have thankfulness in our hearts for our American Heritage.

FOR PHILIPPINES

MANILA (AP)—The Philippines soon will have its own arms factory. The Cabinet recently authorized a Filipino sporting goods firm to make rifles, pistols and firearms parts for the Philippines army.

There are more bones in a baby's body than in an adult's.

Chamber Of Commerce Notes

By Mable Lawrence

Have you decided on a X-mas gift for every member of your family? Grandmother, Grandfather, Dad, Mother, Brother and Sister.

In every family, there is at least one person who is difficult to choose a gift for.

Your solution of this problem is waiting for you at the Chamber of Commerce office.

POST CITY, TEXAS, publication is an ideal selection for any one's gift, but especially for that person that has everything. It is most inexpensive compared to the information and enjoyment received from the historical novel published by the Texas Historical Association.

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Stop by the Chamber of Commerce office at anytime during the day and pick up your copy and give it to that member of your family for Xmas. The receiver will be as pleased as the giver.

\$300.00 will be given away December 13 at 4 p. m. on Main Street.

Be sure to tell all of your friends that the business men of Post are sponsoring this project to bring more enjoyment to each and every one of us during the Yuletide season.

The \$300.00 will be divided into seven prizes... one \$100.00 cash prize, two \$50.00 certificate awards, and four \$25.00 certificate awards.

The certificate awards will be redeemable by this Xmas Fund with any business place in Post who participates in this project.

A bigger and better program is slated for December 24 at 4 p. m. And all you have to do is save the tickets that are given to you by all the business men making this project possible for you. Then, of course, you must be at the drawing to be eligible to win on these special days. And they will be special!

All of us are grateful to Henry Tate and Phil Trammell and all the men who worked with them installing the X-mas lights. There has never been a better job done. Last year, Post was among the top, and often above most of the cities our size, toward being well decorated. This year it will look even better. The City and Chamber are purchasing more lights to be installed this year. And perhaps next year we can add

Miss Mae Morris, twin sister of Mrs. Almon Martin, who teaches school in New Mexico, will arrive tonight to spend the holidays with her sister and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bouchier will be hosts for a family dinner on Thursday. Their son, Ronnie, who is a student in the University of Texas and who has been in Temple for a medical check-up arrived home yesterday with his father who has been in Temple with him. Other guests will be Mr. and Mrs. Donald Shirley, Mrs. A. W. Bouchier, Van Tuyl Bouchier and Mrs. George Shirley.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Bouchier and son, Tommy, will spend Thanksgiving day in Snyder with her parents, the Joe Strayhorns.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Redman and sons, Dan and Jack, left on Wednesday afternoon for a Thanksgiving weekend vacation.

There are more bones in a baby's body than in an adult's.

a few more strings, and so on. Anyway, THANKS go out to these men for a superb job.

Another interest for the month of December will be the house decorating contest. Divisions have not been worked out but will be in the very near future. However, they will more than likely be about the same as they were last year, so get your house decorated by the first of December and watch the people drive by at night and observe your originality of the X-mas spirit.

Christmas Dreams Come True
.... IN POST STORES

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Texas' High School Football Is The Best In The United States

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF
Associated Press Sport Editor

A former Pennsylvania high school coach tells, in a magazine article, of the evils that beset schoolboy football. He says that commercialism, inadequate facilities in the classroom so that the boys are not ready for the big Friday night game, and pressure on the coach.

The ex-coach, Don Group, explains that he's talking about the minority but that the majority of school football is growing too big for the general good of football. He ends up by saying that he's through with high school football although he still thinks it's a good thing.

Group examines the Texas high school situation and sees if an indictment should be leveled against school football in general. Texas is a good place to start—it has the most and the best high school football in the country. There are 882 schools in the state.

er in Texas is well taken care of physically. In the first place he gets the very best equipment as a guard against injury. In the second place 90 per cent of the high schools in Texas carry athletic insurance on the boys. All schools except a few in class B and Six-Man football carry this insurance. Those that don't just feel they can't afford it with the gate receipts what they are. But the injured boy gets medical treatment from the school even if he is not covered in athletic insurance. There may be a few schools that do not do this but it would be a very small percentage.

There is little coddling of the athletic in the classroom in Texas. The boy must pass three one-half credit courses each semester and must be passing seven days prior to his participation. The normal load in high school is four one-half credit courses each semester. The rule seems to be three out of five in Pennsylvania. Group says a boy isn't adequately prepared for college with such lenient system, especially since he doesn't have to do much studying.

There is pressure on many high school football coaches in Texas. Every year some are fired for failure to win. We see no reason why a high school coach shouldn't do a good job just as much as a college coach or a shoe salesman. In everything you are supposed to produce. What kind of football would we have if nobody cared whether a team won or not? The coach would be the English teacher who was seeing his first football game.

There doesn't appear to be much commercialization of high school football in Texas. Not more than 50 per cent of the schools make a profit out of football. And in most cases that profit is much smaller than you hear on the street corners. The larger the gate the more expenditures is the usual story. The profit usually is taken up in paying the expenses of the band, pep squad and other allied activities.

Group deplors the practice of a school having a training camp in the fall before the season opens. In Texas there is a stringent rule against this, thus there are no training camps.

Group talks of the magnificent football stadiums that are built alongside school buildings that are inadequate. I don't believe there is much evidence of this in

Texas high schools. The bigger the place the larger the stadium but it is built out of revenue-bearing bonds backed by the school district but paid for out of gate receipts. Anything wrong with that?

The former coach speaks of coaches being more than the teachers and of teachers being hired because of their coaching ability. In the first place the coach deserves to be paid more than the teacher because he is both a teacher and a coach. The coach in Texas high schools instructs in the classroom or has physical education classes. Physical education is just as important and does as much good as English, Spanish, Latin or geometry. The coach is well qualified to teach physical education.

It is safe to say that 95 per cent of the high schools of Texas conduct their athletic programs on a sound, educational basis. A few of them want to win games above all else, which is to be found any where there are competitive sports. The others all want to win but only through fair means and if they don't win do not consider it a calamity.

Texas high school football is about as near perfect from all angles as you could hope to find.

POST ANTELOPES BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Location
Dec. 2	Ralls	Here
Dec. 4	Ralls	There
Dec. 9	O'Donnell	There
Dec. 11	Snyder B	There
Dec. 12	O'Donnell	Here
Dec. 16	Open	
Dec. 18, 19 and 20	Tournament	New Deal
Jan. 6	Snyder B	Here
Jan. 9	Open	
Jan. 11, 12 and 13	Tournament	Meadow
Jan. 22, 23 and 24	Tournament	Floydada
Jan. 27	Open	
*Jan. 30	Tahoka	There
*Feb. 3	Slaton	Here
*Feb. 6	Spur	There
*Feb. 10	Tahoka	Here
*Feb. 13	Slaton	There
*Feb. 17	Spur	Here

*Conference Games

The Post Dispatch SECTION TWO

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1952

Bi-District Playoffs Begin In Class Double A Schools

Throughout Texas this week, high school football teams are starting on the road to State finals. Majority of the double A and one A districts have played their final games and champions have been declared.

Tahoka Bulldogs are in Stamford today, to meet the Bulldogs of that school for Bi-District playoffs. Tahoka won District 6-AA by a close margin when they defeated Spur Bulldogs 14-7 recently. Stamford won District 5-AA and has been declared second best double A team in the state.

Of interest to Postites are Floydada's and Abarnath's Bi-District games this week. Abarnath will journey to Denver City this afternoon for a game with the Mustangs. Abarnath's Antelopes are District 3-A champions and Denver City won the 4-A title.

Floydada whirlwinds closed out their undefeated season Friday night by beating Canyon,

30-0. This powerful team had only seven points scored against them for this season while they scored 356 points against opponents. They will meet Phillips, District 1-AA champs, tomorrow for the Bi-District battle.

Both of these District winners (Abarnath and Floydada) will be competing with Post, Tahoka, Spur and Slaton for winner of District 6-AA in 1953.

Dispatch predictions of a close game between Brownfield and Levelland fell short when the Cubs romped over the Lobos in a 50-7 tilt. Brownfield will represent District 7-AA in Bi-District playoffs with District 8-AA champions, the Seminole Indians.

District 4-B became a complicated affair last week, when the powerful contenders for championship, Idalou, was tied by Ropesville in a 19-19 bout and Ropes won on first downs. This game placed Whitharral in a first place tie with Idalou, but the Wildcats will represent the

district in Region 1 playoffs. Idalou defeated Whitharral earlier in the season.

Meadow and Ropesville are in a tie for second place, while Cooper, Wilson and Wellman are tied for eighth place to add to the complication. Friona is champion of District 3-B and will meet Idalou this afternoon for the first round toward State champs.

Classes AAAA and AAA schools are finishing up their deciding district games this week and will start toward state finals next week. Six of eight district champions have been decided in Class AAAA. They are Lubbock, Austin in El Paso, Wichita Falls, Ray in Corpus Christi, John Reagan in Houston and Baytown, Lubbock and Wichita Falls are the only undefeated teams in this group. El Paso's Austin high will meet Lubbock's Westerners for Bi-District playoffs.

Undefeated teams in double A classes are Floydada, Phillips, Stamford, Terrell, Center, Killeen and Huntsville.

Post High School Band Added Color To '52 Football Games

Action, crowds, excitement, brisk wind, and band music! These words can be used when describing football season. What would a football game be worth without action, spectators, etc. and especially band music?

During the 1952 football season Post Antelopes saw plenty of action; crowds were usually large and once or twice the wind was brisk. Regardless of what weather conditions were or how large the crowd, Post high school band was there with music.

Band members were performing in the stands and at half-time from the first game until the Antelopes and Tigers met to close the '52 season. Starting September 12 when Post met Floydada, the band was on its way to a season of colorful halftime activities and enjoyable music during the games.

To open the 1952 season band members formed a flat football with majorettes and drum major pumping until it burst into a "52". A "H" was formed to welcome Floydada to Post and salute to Post fans and school ended the first drill performance. O'Donnell-Post game halftime performance was highlighted by fancy twirling and high stepping of Post's three majorettes.

September 26, Post band kept in pace with "talk of the town" and played politics. When Post's Antelopes met Sundown, halftime activities revolved around the two major political parties with a "D" for Democrats and "R" for Republicans being formed by band members. After the drum major had failed to get cooperation from either party, they formed "U S" for United States and played "Stars and Stripes Forever." An oil derrick was formed with a small "S" at the bottom and "How-Do-You-Do" was played as a salute to visitors. The same derrick with a letter "P" on the bottom was used to pay homage to Post school team and fans.

A colorful performance was given by the band at the Ralls Jackrabbits-Antelopes game. This was a musical review given in darkness with colored lights. A trombone was formed first with green lights and the "Trombone Toboggan" was played. Blue lights were used next to form a Clarinet and "Prairie Jump" was the musical selection. Cornet section was honored with the forming of a Cornet and the fanfare was given. Red lights were used in saluting Ralls and gold lights for Post's salute. Performance at Rotan was similar to the Ralls game halftime activities.

An annual custom of Post's band is to choose a sweetheart and one halftime period is devoted to officially crowning her. October 24th was coronation date for the 1952 sweetheart at which time the Antelopes encountered Tulla. Colored lights were also used for this occasion. Tulla school, team and fans were honored with a "T H" formation and the use of red lights. Gold lights were used once more to salute Post. For the sweetheart coronation, a large heart was formed with red lights. When field lights were turned on the three sweetheart candidates were in the center of this formation. Winner of the title was not revealed until she was crowned by the drum major. Mary Jo Williams was proclaimed sweetheart and other candidates were Anne Mathis and Buena Welch. "Let Me Call You Sweetheart" was the corona-

tion musical selection.

A Halloween demonstration was presented at the Post-Spur duel. Darkness enveloped the gridiron and a Jack-O-Lantern was formed with orange lights. "Spooky" music was played for this event. A spur was formed and "Home On The Range" was played to salute the host town and school. "POST" was spelled out by band members with gold lights for customary recognition of home team and fans.

Homecoming crowd at Post saw the band in a double performance. Mary Jo Williams was crowned football queen for 1952 by the Antelopes with band members marching and providing suitable music. During the halftime Tahoka's Bulldogs and Post's Antelopes were saluted by Post band and a special welcome was given to exes of Post high school.

Outstanding drill formations were given at Slaton when the Antelopes met the Tigers. A revival of early American songs was presented and formations representing these songs were made by band members.

First formation was a house and "My Old Kentucky Home" was played. "Old Black Joe" was another selection at this time. "Little Liza Jane" was played next and a girl was formed. A banjo formation was next and "Ring, Ring the Banjo" was played. "Oh Susanna" was the final selection and a covered wagon closed the formation drills.

Post band gave entertaining and interesting drills and played outstanding music under Bob Robbins, bandmaster. A special salute should be given to Robbins for his work. Assisting Robbins in directing was Drum Major Tommy Mayfield, a 14 year old freshman. Three majorettes added sparkle to all halftime per-

formances with baton twirling. They are Anne Mathis, Freda Kennedy and Mary Jo Williams. Janie Gossett is an assistant majorette and marched with the band three times during the season.

To be a drum major or majorette, a candidate must tryout each spring for the following school term. Robbins stated that new selections will be made next spring.

With football season receding as history, Robbins said that the students are working on concert music and making plans for future performances. One of these appearances will be at a Christmas concert early in December. Other concerts will be given during the spring semester.

Shortly Post's band will attend a clinic at Texas Tech and study fundamentals of music. Tryouts for an all state band will be held at this clinic.

"We are hoping to see some Post band students selected to play in this band," Robbins said.

On May 1 and 2 the band will enter contests at Canyon. In these contests they will be competing with other bands of the area.

Post High School Band has been saluting everyone all season and providing music and marching drills for entertainment of Garza county residents, and now we offer a special salute to Robbins and his students for the hard work and outstanding performances they have presented. Thank you, POST HIGH SCHOOL BAND.

BLIND BEGGAR LIKES MUSIC

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First National Bank

Post Cage Teams Will Meet Ralls In Non-Conference Game Tuesday

Temperature readings this week have made Post fans realize that basketball season is near at hand. With weather too cold to watch outdoor sports, everyone is looking forward to the first game indoors.

Basketball workouts are in full swing at Post High School. Boys and girls are preparing to meet Ralls Tuesday night for non-conference games. Coaches Vernon Ray and N. R. King have been drilling their squad members on tactics which will be employed this season.

Thirty boys reported for practice last week. Approximately 12 of these cage hopefuls played last year on the second place team of District 6-AA. Some returning players are L. W. Evans, Darrell Stone, Billy Meeks, Darrell Ray Norman, Randall Lawrence, Charles Chandler, J. C. Shedd, Pete Hays, David Pennington, Bobby Cowdrey and Tommy Malouf. About 18 boys are out for their first time, Ray reported.

King reported that the girls would be competing in two districts this year. One of these

districts will be 6-AA, where Post's basketball girls will play Tahoka, Spur, and Slaton. The other district is called McCamey League and a district tournament will determine the champion. Difference in these districts is a dribbling rule. District 6-AA uses interscholastic League rules, where a ball carrier is permitted to dribble as many times as she wishes. McCamey League rules allows only two dribbles.

Some returning players for the girls' team are Pearl Craig, De-Elva Loffen, Mary Jo Williams, Joy Martin, Jackie Sue Dale, Martha Wyatt, Maude Ray, Maxine Baylis, Woody Stewart, Velta Carpenter, Wyvonne Morris, Rheba Hays, Mildred Wells, Deanie Hill, Katie McClellan, and Virgie Ammons.

Tuesday night games will start at 6:30 o'clock in the Post gym, when Ralls' B team boys meet Post's B team. Girls A team will play immediately following the first game and Antelopes A team will play after the girls' game.

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FOOLS' FEUDIN'

Bits Of News From Here and There

Mrs. Johnnie Mooney and children of Lubbock spent Saturday night with her mother, Mrs. Annie Brown, Mrs. Brown accompanied them home to spend the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Hudson Self accompanied by Mrs. J. R. Davis, visited in the J. V. Beauchamp home in Roby Sunday. Mrs. Davis remained for an indefinite stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown, sr., of Carlsbad, N. M., visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown, jr., and other relatives. The visitors were en route to Pauls Valley, Okla., where they will visit with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Booth and to Henrietta for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Gilmore. They will spend a few days in Shreveport and New Orleans, La.

Milton Wiley, son of the Rev. and Mrs. F. M. Wiley, suffered a broken knee Monday morning, when his car and a pickup collided. He is in Lamesa General hospital where he underwent surgery on his leg.

Visitors of Mrs. F. M. Jenkins last week were her niece, Mrs. N. Woodson of Alba and her nephew, Frank Brown, and wife of Canton. They also visited Mrs. Annie Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Eulas Brown while here.

Rev. and Mrs. Jack Ratliff and six-month old daughter, Rebecca Sue, have been guests of Mrs. Ratliff's parents, the E. C. Haragans. The Rev. and Mrs. Ratliff surrendered for missionary work in the foreign mission field in May while they were students in the Baptist Seminary in Louisville, Ky. The Ratliffs who are now visiting in Portales, N. M., will leave the United States on Dec. 28 for South America where they will enroll in a language school until they go to their assignment in Honduras.



ALL SET TO TRAVEL—The colorful Cowboy Band of Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene, Tex., is ready to travel again. The band, which covers more than 25,000 miles each year, is scheduled to leave Dec. 19 for appearances in Europe and North Africa. Thirty musician and an array of featured entertainers will perform for United States soldiers under sponsorship of the USO and the Department of Defense.

Garza Traffic Commission To Hold Meeting Monday

Garza County Citizens' Traffic Commission will hold its monthly meeting, Monday night at 7:30 o'clock, in Post School Cafeteria.

One of the principal business items to be taken up is the awarding of safe driver stars to Approved Safe Drivers chosen during November by the panel of judges.

These awards will be given to John Nichols, Almon Martin, Ike Brown, R. L. Simpson, Matt Stelzer and Dee Caffey. They will be the second group to receive the blue stars given by Garza Traffic Commission, for safe driving.

Some traffic problems to be discussed at the meeting will be double parking, following fire trucks, and unlicensed teen-age and older drivers. Reports will be given by all committees on work accomplished during November.

E. M. Mills, principal of Post Grade School, reported that the parking situation in front of grade school has improved greatly. Teachers have been requested not to park in front and Mills reported they have responded 100 per cent to the request. Parents are also advised and asked not to violate this rule. Buses load in the front and on bad weather days traffic is quite large.

A first grade girl was declared winner of last week's jingle contest. This young lady is Linda Joyce Pennell and has set an outstanding example for her older schoolmates as well as parents. George "Scotty" Samson, judge for last week's jingles, said.

Miss Pennell's jingle was addressed as a child talking to her father. It read: "Daughter to Father, Daddy, give your signals when you turn or stop. And if you don't you may have to use a prop." Her prize is a week of free passes to the shows at Tower Theatre, donated by Johnny Hopkins, manager.

Samson stated that honorable

mention should go to Sidney Hart for his outstanding advice. "Give your signals, Dim your lights. Respect the other fellow's rights" was his jingle. E. E. Pierce gave Hart a free turkey dinner for his jingle.

Today is Thanksgiving and Garza Citizens' Traffic Commission wishes to remind all travelers of dangers lurking on every highway. "Holidays invite needless and killing accidents. Everyone must respect the other fellow's right," as Sidney said in his jingle or we may have to use a prop as Linda stated. Les Short, chairman, said.

Americans have many things to be thankful for, but with traffic problems in the state they are "we should all give thanks we're still alive," Short said.

Everyone is invited to attend traffic commission meetings and the award winners should appear to receive their star.

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Close City News

Please Send News Not Later Than Monday to MRS. WILL TEAFF, Close City Correspondent

Durwood Bartlett and children visited Mrs. Bartlett in Lubbock Saturday. Mrs. Bartlett underwent surgery there last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Rosenbaum and daughter, Imogene, went to Hamlin Wednesday to visit Rosenbaum's brother and family, the Fred Rosenbaums. Mr. and Mrs. Duke of Oregon and Mrs. DeWitt of Fort Worth accompanied them home.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Blacklock Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Blacklock and three grandsons of Post.

Visitors in the Barnie Jones home Sunday were Mrs. J. D. Blackwell and son of Monahans, Mrs. Vallie Newsom of Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Smiley and family of Post and Mr. and Mrs. E. Z. Jones of Seagraves.

Otis Watson of Gouldburg came after his wife and baby Saturday. They had been visiting the Will Teaffs.

Abb Gunnels was called to Gainesville last week to attend funeral services for a niece who was killed in a car wreck.

Mrs. Harvey Stotts and sons and Mrs. Milton Bayer and children of Lubbock were Friday guests of the Will Teaffs.

Mrs. Abb Gunnels went to Mountainaire, N. M., last week for a visit with her son and daughter-in-law.

Guests of the Walter Browns Sunday were the Rev. L. T. Roy of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Cearley.

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Hill and daughter of Pleasant Valley visited the Rev. and Mr. A. T. Nixon and son Sunday and attended church at the Baptist church here.

BITS-OF-NEWS

Mrs. Clara Jenkins and Mrs. Hazel Jenkins Thomason were in Snyder Saturday afternoon.

Friday guests of the F. M. Wileys were their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Harlan, and daughter of Plainview.

Brownie Scouts To Be Hostesses, Waitresses At Lunchroom Party

Future Brownie and Girl Scouts of Post will have a place to call "home" if plans being worked out by the certain Post citizens materialize.

These plans call for a Scout Hut which can be used by the Brownie and Girl Scout troops throughout the year. The hut will be large enough to accommodate 25 or 30 girls at one meeting. Individual group cabinets, furniture, gas, water, and electricity are also to be included in the building.

The committee working on plans for this building include Robert Cox, chairman, Billy Blackstock, Clint Herring, Jack Ballentine, Pat Henderson and Burnis Lawrence. This committee is to meet in the near future and consolidate plans.

At the recent Brownie Scout executive committee meeting, plans were worked out for the Brownie Scouts to serve as hostesses at the Community Party scheduled for the School Cafeteria Dec. 4. These girls will greet guests, serve tables, and do baby sitting.

Located in the north side of the cafeteria will be a nursery. The low tables and chairs used for dining purposes of the lower

Future children, will be arranged in a manner so that small children will be entertained with coloring books, blocks, jacks and cutouts. Also, there will be three bassinets for use by infants so that parents may be able to participate in games.

Scout leaders feel this meeting can be as educational to the girls as can 20 meetings. They will learn to meet people and perform tasks which every housewife is faced with daily.

At the party, the public will be able to play "42" and dominoes and enjoy refreshments of coffee, soft drinks, cookies and ice cream. Proceeds from the party will go to the lunchroom.

Attending the executive meeting were Mrs. Burnis Lawrence, Mrs. Jack Ballentine, Mrs. Alton Clary, Mrs. Paul Jones, Mrs. J. Lee Bowen, Clint Herring, Jack

Ballentine, Pat Henderson and Burnis Lawrence.

At the meeting no methods were discussed concerning the raising of funds for the Scout Hut. It was decided that this phase of the operations could wait until final plans had been drawn on the building. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence volunteered the use of a lot for the location of the Hut. The acceptance of this location was postponed until the next meeting.

The Boy Scout movement in Post is fairly well established, the committee said, but the Girl Scout activities hold forth for a year or two then die down from the lack of adult leadership. Building of a permanent hut for these two Girl Scout groups will tend to keep the scout movement alive and working, the committee believes.

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Sullins Funeral Held Here, Burial Is At Calf Creek

Last rites for Charles Derrill Sullins, who was fatally injured while at work on the U Lazy S ranch last Wednesday, were held at 9 o'clock Friday morning in the Sullins funeral chapel with the Rev. J. C. Holman, Nazarene pastor, officiating. The Rev. and Mrs. Holman sang "In The Sweet By and By." The Rev. Mr. Holman sang "God Will Understand" and Mrs. Holman played a medley of piano selections during the service.

Hudman's took the body to Calf Creek, where a graveside service was conducted at 4:30 o'clock. The Rev. Mr. Turner, Baptist minister of London, was officiant. A choir sang "Where We'll Never Grow Old" and "If We Never Meet Again This Side of Heaven."

Sullins, who had lived here for 18 months, died in Garza Memorial hospital Wednesday night, from head injuries received several hours earlier when he was attempting to rope a calf and his horse fell with him.

He was born June 22, 1932, in Hill county. He attended high school in Rock Springs and moved from there to the U Lazy S ranch.

Survivors are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Sullins of Cap Rock, N. M.; a sister, Peggy, of Cap Rock; two brothers, James of Cap Rock and Marvin Sullins of Rankin; his grandfather, John Bracken of Abilene; and his fiancée, Miss Virgie Ammons of Post.

Pallbearers were Arvil, Curtis and Jerry Sullins of Hobbs, N. M.; J. B. Jones, Preston Stone and Kenneth Harden.

Sid Witworth and Thomas Curry of Calf Creek served as pallbearers for the Calf Creek service, replacing Curtis and Jerry Sullins.

Flower girls were Miss Deanie Hill, Mrs. Helen Jo Odom and Mrs. Jack Brown.

Postmaster Gives Suggestions On Christmas Mail

The Christmas rush is on as far as post office workers are concerned. Postmaster Harold Voss is offering some suggestions this week which will help smooth out the usual "rough spots" during this busy period.

Voss urges everyone to buy their stamps for Christmas cards early and to remember that you can mail Christmas cards unsealed for two cents each, but that a three cent stamp is much better as the cards will be returned to you if your return is placed on the envelope or forwarded on to the addressee if he has moved.

The Postmaster also urged those who are mailing parcels to wrap and tie them securely to make sure of proper delivery, and to insure anything that is valuable.

He also reminds those who are sending packages to foreign countries that they should seal all parcels to keep out dampness.

"The main thing we are interested in is whatever you are going to mail... MAIL IT EARLY," Voss said.

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NINE-POINTER FIRST TIME OUT—Gene Rowell 11, of Austin, Tex., grins with pride and holds the .22 rifle he used to kill his first—and the first live target he ever held in his sights. His mother, Mrs. C. W. Rowell, who also bagged a deer on the first day of the season, looks admiringly at her young hunter.

Drouth Damages On Range Land Are Increased By Heavy Brush Growth

An acre of average mesquite infested Texas range land is tapped daily for 52 gallons of water. That loss, says Lewis Herron, Garza County agent, is the amount of water given off by the mesquites through transpiration.

When moisture isn't a problem, he explains, the loss gets little attention, but right now the grass that might have been produced with the 76 tons of water lost per acre yearly would loom pretty large in the feeding plans of many Texas ranchmen. Herron says the more than 400 pounds of water lost daily would produce a pound of buffalograss daily. For a year, he adds, that equals half as much forage as was produced on many of the state's ranges this year.

Mesquites take from three to four times more water to produce one pound of leaves or beans than is required for a pound of buffalo, side oats gramma or little bluestem grass, says Herron. He cites figures released recently by the Spur Experiment Station to show the value of clearing brush from range lands. Beef cattle on the brush cleared pastures produced 53 per cent greater gains than cattle on brushy pastures. Gains were 33.6 pounds of beef an acre against 23.2 pounds, or a difference of 12.4 pounds an acre in favor of the cleared pastures. Figuring this extra weight at 23 cents a pound, the additional income was \$2.85 an acre this year.

Herron points out that usable forage production on many ranches in South and West Texas this year did not exceed 600 pounds an acre. This low yield was due mainly to lack of moisture and the toll which brush took of the scant moisture available.

The agent suggests range management practices which he believes will help to prevent such situations as now exist in most sections of the state. Livestock numbers and forage production on ranges and pastures should be balanced with the reserve forage and residue left on the range in the good years to take care of dry years. Feed reserves such as bundles, hay or silage should be maintained.

In areas where adapted, he recommends greater use of annual grazing crops such as small grains, clover, sudan or cane. Water losses can be reduced by using economically proved practices in controlling brush and weeds on the range. These moisture conservation practices will also aid in increasing forage production. Range improvement will also result from deferred and rotation grazing.

Finally, he says, be most careful about restocking pastures immediately after a drouth. Give the plants a chance to develop a good crown and root system for they will be making a last ditch stand to reproduce themselves and too early grazing is more critical at this time than during the drouth period.

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Drouth Has Cost Texas Minimum Of \$424 Million, Report Shows

The burning, dry weather which has gripped most of our state for many months has already cost us a minimum of \$424,561,000, according to a statement issued by the Texas Department of Agriculture.

This is a staggering amount of money. But we haven't finished paying our tribute to the sun.

If the drouth continues at its present rate, then fully two-thirds of Texas' approximately 350,000 farmers are going to need "above normal" financial assistance. This assistance must come from moneyed institutions such as banks, or from the federal government. But money must be available—or thousands of our farmers will have to quit the land.

Here is how the loss picture shaped up this year: **Cotton**—A below normal crop was harvested. It was at least 1,000,000 bales below what could have been expected. Figuring each bale worth \$200, then we lost some \$220 million worth to the drouth.

Livestock—Counting livestock and livestock products such as poultry and eggs, milk products, etc., into this group, our sales receipts were at least 12 per cent below an average year. In 1950, these receipts totaled \$879,681,000. The 12 per cent drop means \$105,561,000 robbed from Texas pockets.

Grain Sorghum—Texas marketed some 71 million bushels of grain sorghums in 1951 as compared with an estimate of only 38 million bushels this year. Counting the very minimum worth of a bushel at \$1, losses in grain sorghums amount to about \$33 million.

Pasture damage—A conservative estimate of the value of grazing losses, alone, on Texas' 100 million acres of pasture land would total \$66 million this year. And since it will take from 3 to 5 years to replace this grass loss, then we stand to lose at least this much money, if not more, for the next few years even if it began raining today.

The outlook for wheat in the Texas Panhandle is especially grim. Investigators report that less acreage has been seeded for next year's crop and the stands of wheat already up are in very bad condition. The land is reported to be "dusted in."

"The country is ripe for dust storms which would be worse than those of the middle '30s," one observer commented. "A few hard freezes and thaws without rain to hold the sod down would really start the earth moving."

We can hope and expect that adequate financial assistance will be available to farmers next year. This would at least assure the farmer of being able to hold his own through another season. But the rest is up to the weather. We can only pray for rain.

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WATER HEARING HELD—J. B. Thomas (above) of Fort Worth is shown at a hearing in Austin, Tex., on plans to conserve the state water supply. Thomas is chairman of Gov. Allan Shivers' state water committee. The committee hopes to have a conservation program ready for January's meeting of the state legislature.

AIRCRAFT ENGINEER WINS SERVICE PIN

NEW YORK (AP)—Twenty-five-year service pins are rare in the aircraft industry because few companies now operating go back to the pre-Lindbergh days. A quarter-century pin was awarded recently however to Leonard S. Hobbs by the United Aircraft Corp. Hobbs is an engineer responsible for development of many Pratt & Whitney aircraft engines.

In pagan times Halloween was marked for placating the spirits of the dead and the resulting holiday was converted to All Saint's Day by the Christians.

The first U. S. building specially built for astronomical observations was constructed near Philadelphia in 1769.

Texas Order For Emergency Hay Is 200,000 Tons, More Expected

Texas' orders for hay under the Emergency Hay Program have equaled more than 200,000 tons, B. F. Vance, State Agricultural Mobilization Committee Chairman, reported.

Approximately one-third of these orders have been filled, leaving about 150,000 tons to be delivered. This program was set up by the National government to aid livestock growers to maintain foundation herds of dairy and beef cattle, sheep and goats.

Three different shipments have been delivered to Garza County farmers and ranchers up to present. Other orders have been turned in to Mike Custer, PMA secretary.

County PMA Committees will continue to take orders but are advising growers of the possibility of not being able to get the hay in time. Department of Agriculture officials are seeking additional areas where surplus hay is available in order to speed up shipments.

"The situation is critical in many areas of the state and if shipments of hay are not received many growers will be forced to dispose of their foundation herds. Dairy herds and sheep and goat numbers are already too low and a further reduction will certainly create a worse situation, Vance said.

"Beef cattle herds are still adequate but with our population increasing at the rate of 2.5 million annually, we cannot afford to have beef production drastically cut at this time."

Custer and Vance request that livestock growers who have had orders filled wait before placing reorders. Other producers throughout the state must have an opportunity of receiving some emergency hay.

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1 410ga Winchester pump	" 77.50 " 67.50
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1 410 Stevens bolt repeater	" 32.58 " 27.50
1 410ga Mossberg bolt repeater	" 22.95 " 20.00
1 20ga Mossberg bolt repeater	" 29.95 " 25.00
1 16ga Mossberg bolt repeater	" 31.95 " 27.50
1 410-22 Over and Under	" 28.00 " 24.50
1 12ga Winchester single	" 22.50 " 20.00
1 16ga Double barrel Fox	" 67.50 " 60.00
2 Winchester 22 Pump rifles	" 47.50 " 40.00
3 Winchester Automatic 22 rifles	" 55.15 " 47.50
3 Winchester Automatic 22 rifles	" 39.20 " 32.50
1 Remington 22 Automatic rifle	" 40.50 " 35.00
2 Winchester Automatic 22 rifles	" 70.10 " 60.00
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1 22 Hornet Savage rifle	" 49.50 " 40.00
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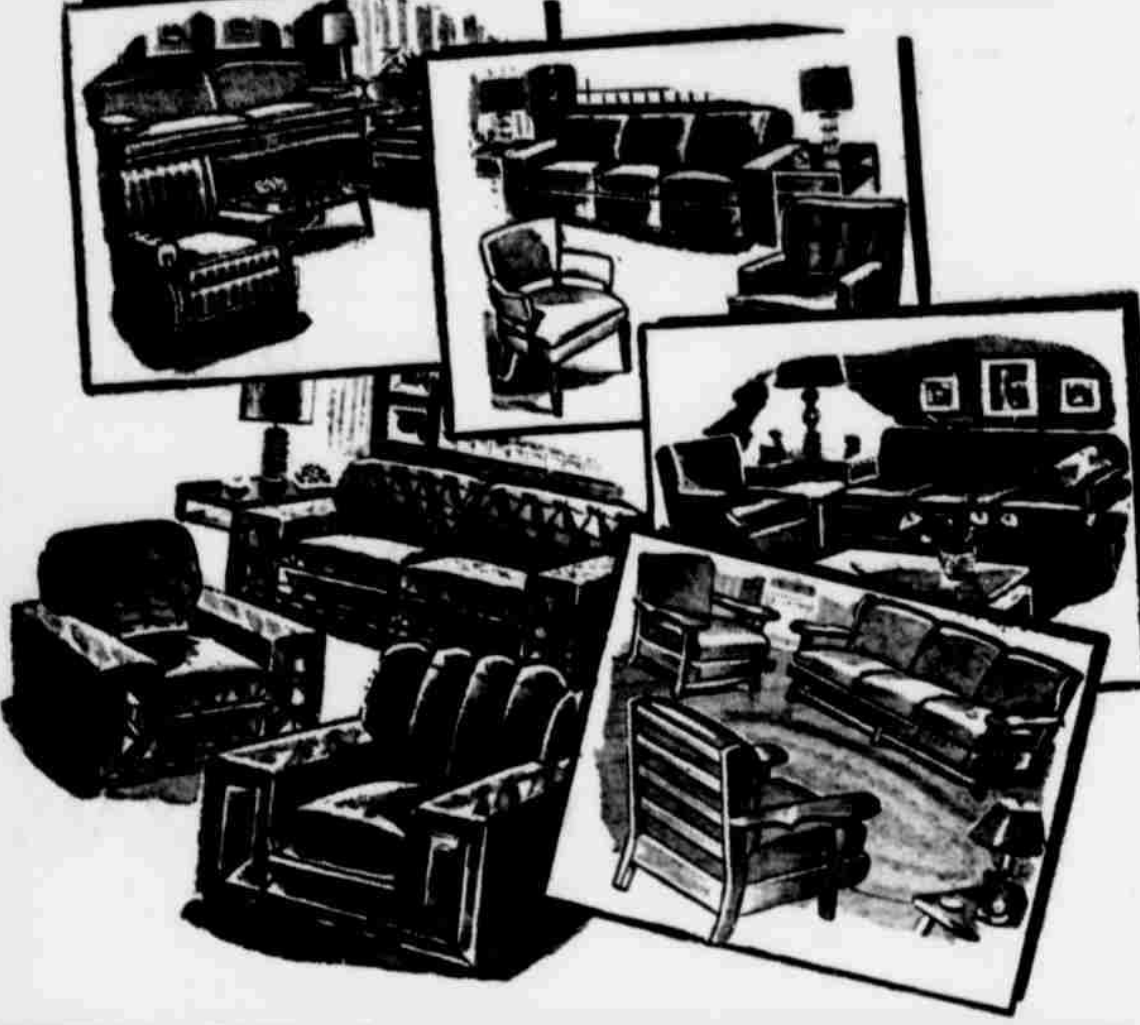
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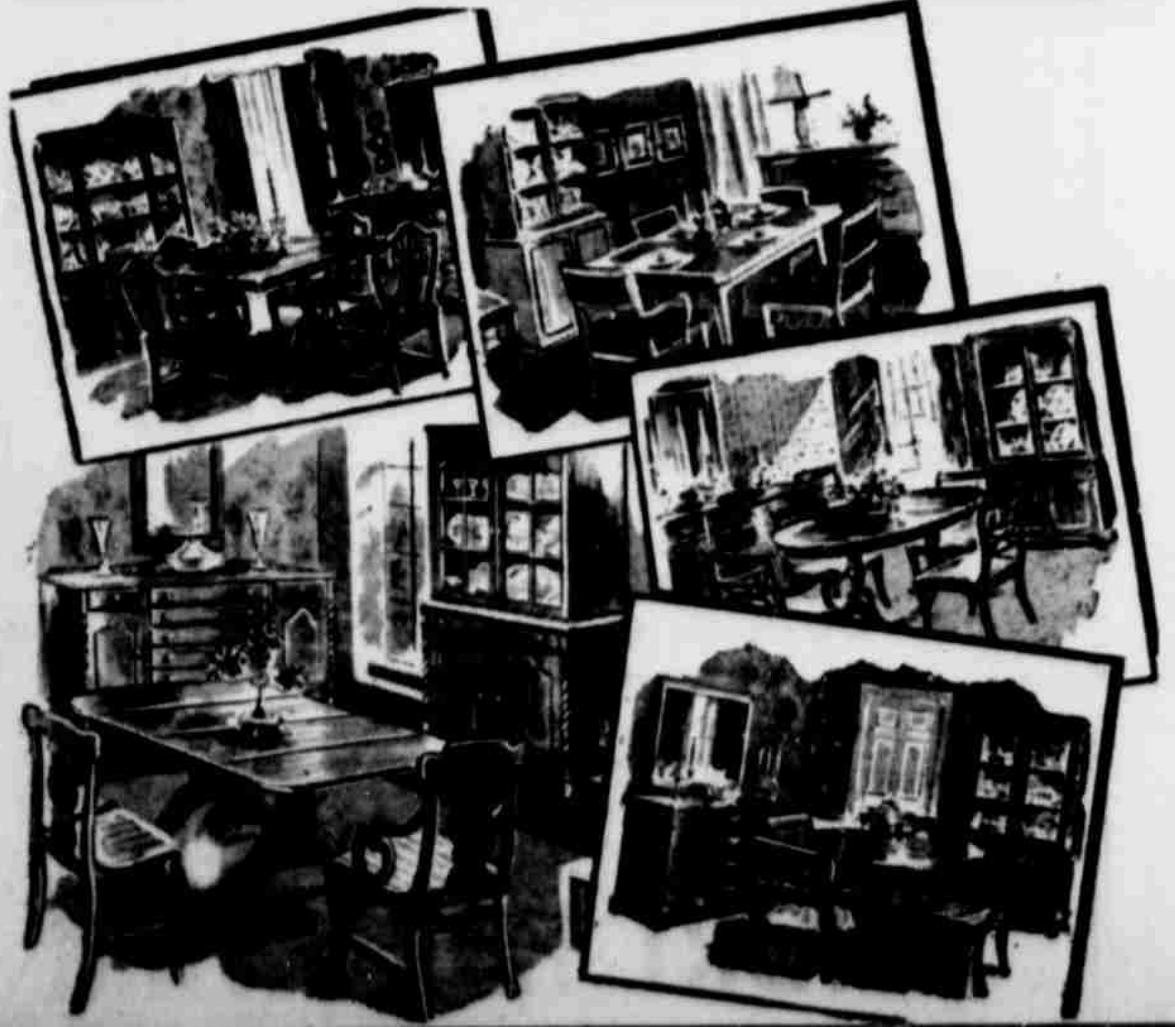
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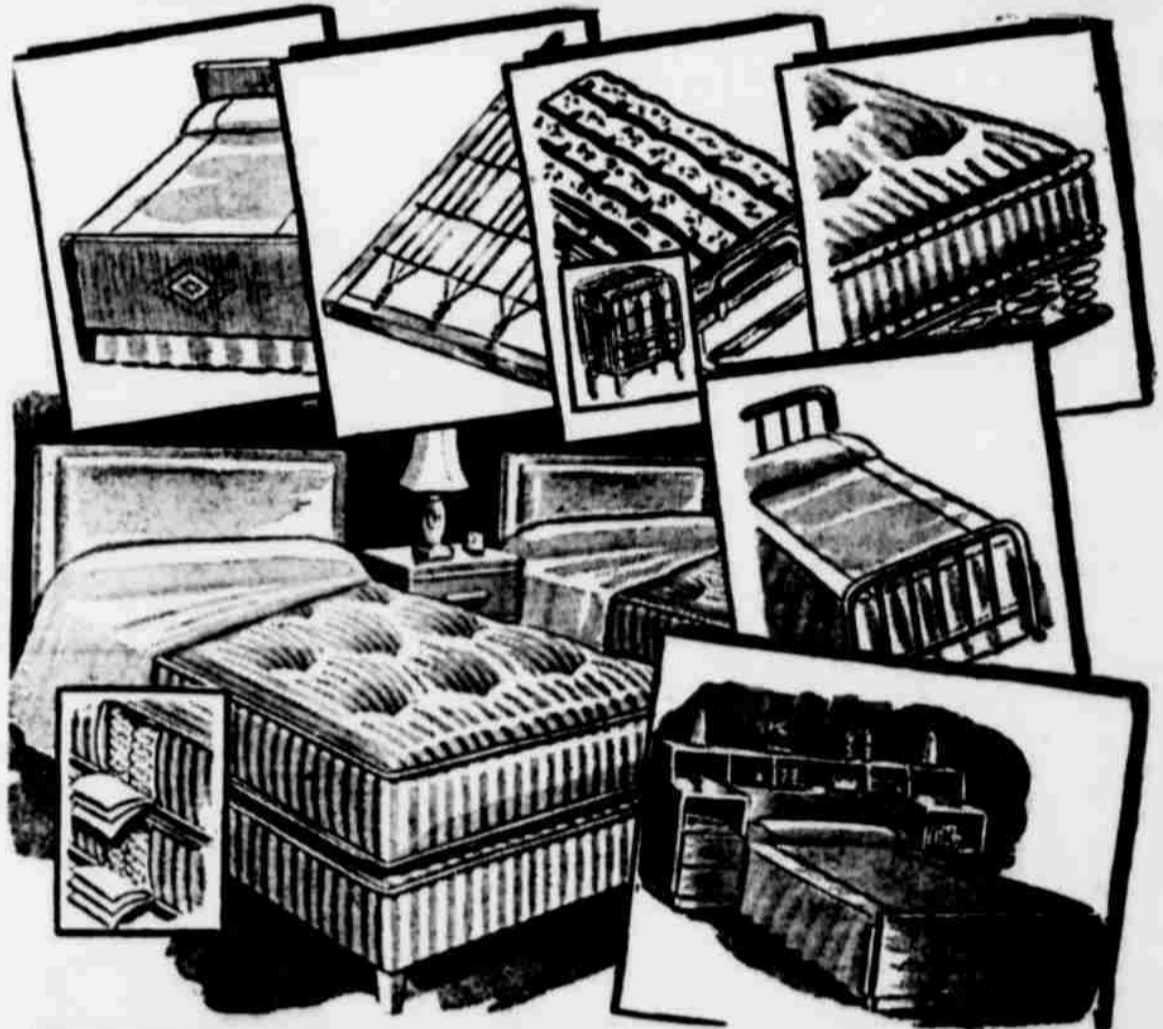
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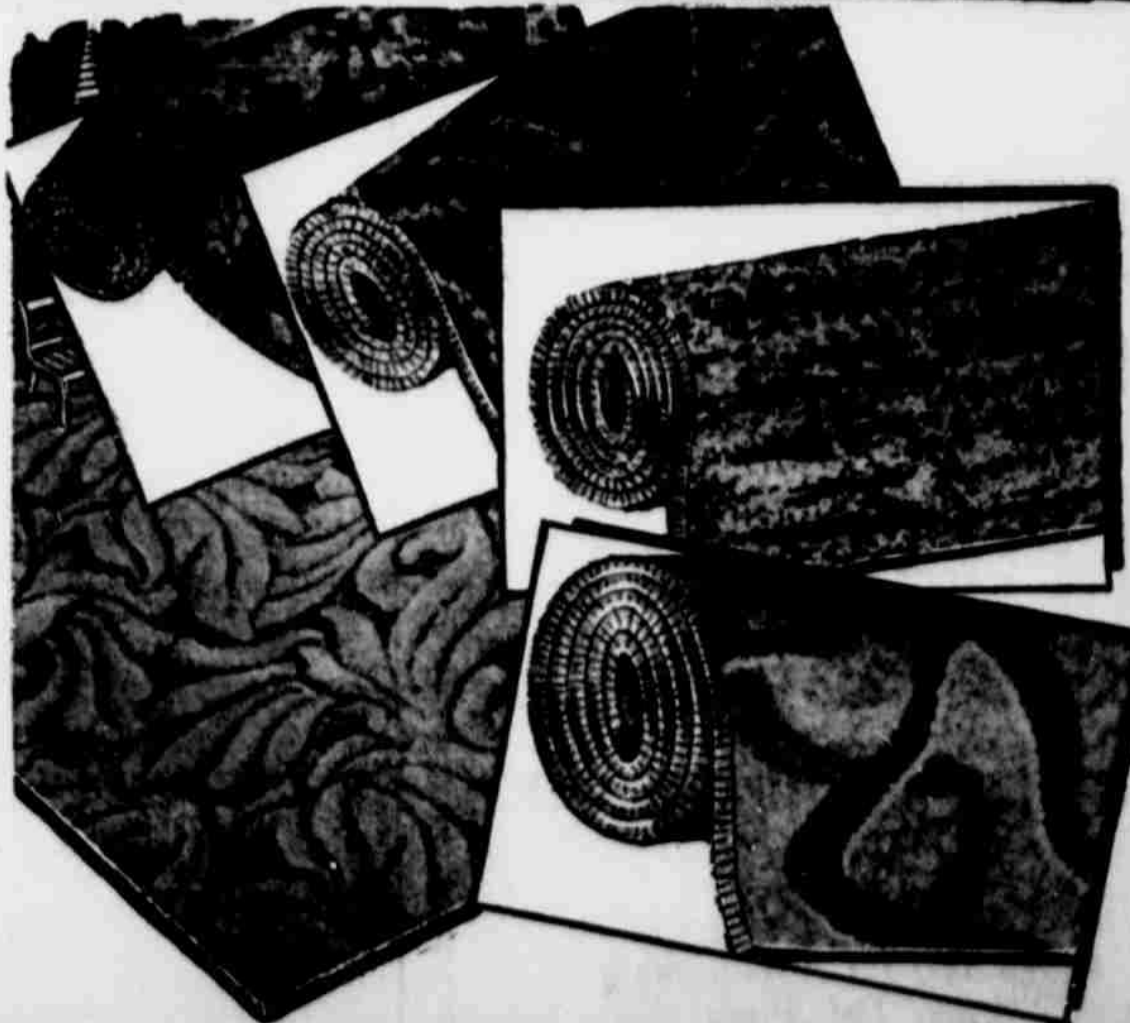
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HAULED DOWN FROM BEHIND—Baylor back Glenn Jones pulls down Southern Methodist back Jerry Norton from behind as Norton picked up two yards deep in his own territory in second quarter of game played during rain in Dallas, Tex. The game was a 7-7 tie.

Rancher Attempts To Save Deers From Drouth Death

ROCKSPRING, Texas, (P)—Rancher Hal Bradford has sold or moved all his cattle and cut his goat and sheep herds to a bare minimum.

Still on his ranch—and victims of the drought—are wild deer and wild turkey. For these the tall, weathered rancher supplies food.

He has bottle-fed fawns whose

New Law Gives Right-Of-Way To Pedestrians

AUSTIN—Ever get caught in the middle of the street when the traffic light turned red?

Lots of pedestrians have, and there's always been a question who has the right-of-way in that case. The question was recently presented to the U. S. Court of Appeals in a case involving an accident in the State of Louisiana.

About dusk on a rainy afternoon, a man undertook to cross from the east to the west side of Scenic Highway at a point where there were traffic signal lights. He started across on a green light, but as he reached the center of the street the light turned amber and when he was a few feet from the west side it changed red against him. He was struck by a taxi.

He filed suit against the company insuring the taxicab and secured a judgement in his favor. The defendant insurance company appealed. The Court of Appeals sustained the judgement, holding that he continued to have the right of way over opposing traffic until he had a reasonable opportunity to reach the opposite curb. So if you're caught in the middle, you still have the right to cross the street even though the traffic light turns red against you while you are crossing.

But the Texas Division of the American Automobile Association warns that having the right to cross doesn't necessarily mean you're safe. The drivers of the cars against you may not be aware of this most recent court decision. Watch your step even when you're in the right, the AAA safety experts advise.

IT'S THE LAW in Texas



CONSIDER NEIGHBOR'S PROPERTY IN PLANS FOR YOUR OWN

Texas laws do not go so far as the Biblical admonition that you love your neighbor, but they do have something to say about how you may treat him and his property.

Adjoining landowners have many mutual rights and obligations, and your rights to the use of your own property may sometimes be limited by the effect of the intended use on your immediate neighbors. Such limitations are in addition to those imposed by municipal zoning ordinances, building codes and other restrictions designed to protect the interests of an entire subdivision or city, or the public generally.

For example, say you have just bought the vacant lot next to Main Street. Smith has a fine, big tree on his property but it juts over onto your lot and those overhanging branches will interfere with the plans you have for building your house.

You can't go over to Smith's lot and cut down his tree even though the branches will make your proposed living room as dark as the catacombs at midnight. On the other hand, neither does Smith have a right to let the tree on his land extend over your property, especially when it is going to interfere with your use of that property, so you do have the right to get rid of the offending branches.

However, before you start sawing you had better consider whether the removal of the branches will damage the tree. It is still Smith's tree and you don't want to cause it to die. The best thing to do is have a talk with Smith and see if you can arrange to have the limb cut off by someone who knows how to do so without harming the tree.

Of course, a boundary tree—where the trunk is on both sides of the boundary line—can be cut only by consent of both the owners.

Another possible problem: Let's say you want to cut down the front of your lot below the level of Smith's yard. The soil is pretty loose and you are sure that when you lower the grade, Smith's yard will slide all along the cut. However, you figure that it is up to Smith to do whatever is necessary to keep his land from sliding over on yours. He can put up a retaining wall or something.

The law says you had better slow up a bit in this instance. The way things stand, Smith's yard is not currently in any danger of sliding. If you change that

BITS-OF-NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Young and daughter, Debra, of Littlefield are enjoying a 10 day vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Young and Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Kennedy, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Babb and Mrs. R. W. Babb and Ganell were Sunday guests of Truett Babb at Meadow.

Mrs. Jessie Voss has returned home after spending a month with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William Snell, at Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Gossett and family spent Sunday at Slaton with Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Berkeley. The Berkleys had their Thanksgiving dinner early as their son, Gene, left Monday for the Navy.

Mrs. Gordon Hamilton attended funeral services for her sister, Mrs. J. D. Brooks, in Rochester Friday. Mrs. Brooks died in Haskell hospital after several weeks illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dougherty are moving from Post to Williston, North Dakota. Mrs. Dougherty reported that her husband will leave immediately after the Thanksgiving holidays, which they are planning to spend in Stillwater, Okla. Mrs. Dougherty and daughter will leave shortly after December 1st.

Mrs. T. E. Fortune received a pleasant surprise Tuesday when her grandson, J. D. Smith of Hobbs, N. M., visited her.

It was erroneously stated in last week's Dispatch that the Jim Symingtons had purchased the Homer Gordon home on West Main street. The article should have read Jim Shipley.

Glenn Roberts is at home after spending two years in the Army. He was stationed in Arizona and California. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Burnard Roberts.

condition by cutting your land down, then it is your obligation to see that it doesn't cause damage to his property. It is up to you to put up the retaining wall if one is necessary to keep the adjoining land from sliding.

Suppose you and Smith build a driveway together so you can both save the biggest possible space for lawn. You get along fine with Smith, but he later sells his house to a new owner who wants to take up part of the driveway and plant petunias there. He can probably do it if you did not have a definite, written agreement with Smith by which the subsequent owner is bound.

Probably the best way to handle such a situation would be to have a written agreement with Smith and record it with the County Clerk before the driveway is built. Anyone buying the property later would thereby have notice of the agreement and be bound by it.

(This column, based on Texas law, is written to inform—not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who knows the facts, because the facts may change the application of the law.)



BLIND BOWLER—F. J. (Polly) Norris rolls a bowling ball in a Port Arthur, Tex., bowling alley while his seeing-eye dog, Meidy, watches. Norris is blind, but he has an 82-pin average in the Memorial Bowling Center league. He has rolled a 69 for low and 172 for high game. Teammates lead him to the approach line, but Norris does the bowling. He is 39, married and the operator of a news stand. Norris has been bowling only three months and is admired by other bowlers who can see the pins but have trouble hitting them.

Shrubs Should Be Planted In Winter Months For Best Results

January and February are good shrub planting months for most of Texas, but now is the time to get ready for them. You will get best results with new shrubs or those transplanted from other areas if you plan for the location, spacing, treatment of the soil with fertilizer, and the cultivation.

Jesse Pearce, Home Demonstration agent, says working six to eight weeks ahead will enable you to have shrub beds that give more satisfaction in your landscape plan. Miss Pearce offers three suggestions for the preparation of the planting area.

First, check the soil for drainage. You may need to terrace, contour or level the soil around the house to conserve the rain or to prevent washing.

Then, the agent suggests, locate each plant you hope to include with a peg giving it ample distance from the foundation of the house, walks, drive and other plants. Most shrubs need to be from four to six feet from the house and large shrubs need to be even farther away from walls or walks. Careful spacing also eliminates unnecessary pruning.

The third suggestion in shrub bed preparation is spading and fertilizing the soil. Spade the soil eight or ten inches deep in beds about six or eight feet wide. Work in 5-10-5 or 4-12-4 fertilizer

for sandy soils, or 16-20-0 for blackland and soils of West Texas. Leaf mold and barnyard fertilizer will also aid in building up the soil. Remember, the specialist says, shrub beds should be prepared at least six weeks prior to planting the shrubs. For further information on fertilizers for small areas, ask your county agricultural agent for a copy of L-166 HOW MUCH FERTILIZER SHOULD I USE.

BUDDHIST RITES SET

BHOPAL, Central India (P)—More than 1,000 guests from Buddhist countries of the world are expected at the sacred ceremony reinstalling the relics of two famed Buddhist disciples, Sariputa and Moggallana, Nov. 29-30, at nearby Sanchi.

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WEST SIDE CLEANERS

Interests Of Public Placed First In New Philosophy Of Management

WACO, Texas, (P)—A new philosophy of management—one which places the interests of the public first in all matters pertaining to the conduct of a business—is emerging from industry's self-analysis of its own shortcomings.

So says Prof. Arch W. Hunt, Jr. of the Baylor University School of Business, in a Baylor Business Studies publication recently released.

"This new thinking conceives that a company must be operated and directed to serve the interests of all public groups," Hunt reported.

"Management is coming to recognize that it has a moral responsibility to the public, and that it must accept this obligation if its public relations program is to be effective," he continued. "Public relations will be effective in an organization only when social consciousness permeates its entire hierarchy."

Professor Hunt charges that "not only have many individual producers and distributors lost face with the public, but it may be assumed that in far too many

instances they have brought entire business system of capitalism and individual initiative into disrepute."

It means, he said, "The failure of not only our industry but American tradition of free enterprise may depend upon gaining the lost friendship confidence of the public."

Sound public relations is not temporary or transitory activity, Hunt warned. "We do not prove our relations with others in a few days, weeks or months. Good will, confidence and friendship require time; respect and influence cannot be acquired overnight."

"Good public relations, like making of personal friends, is the result of an evolutionary process in which casual acquaintance gradually develops into friendship through sundry acts of courtesy and helpfulness."

An effective public relations program is never negative static, Hunt said. It must be positive and dynamic, providing basis for all production, financing, purchasing, sales and personnel policies.

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Ch Clubs Will Petition Greek Internal Bodies

Technological College in Lubbock has taken another step toward nationalization of its social clubs. Wednesday, 13 national Greek letter social fraternities added to an approved list which the eight social clubs select those they wish to petition for membership. Several boys will be pledging these fraternities.

Selected fraternities are Alpha Omega, Delta Tau Delta, Phi Lambda Chi Alpha, Phi Delta Phi, Phi Gamma Delta, Phi Kappa Alpha, Phi Sigma Chi, Alpha Epsilon, Sigma Chi, and Sigma Phi Epsilon.

These fraternities were selected from a list of 25 which had expressed "positive interest" in existing chapters at Tech. The list of the 13 fraternities was a "composite expression of interest" by the eight men's clubs and Dean James G.

representative from the 13 fraternities will be sent to Tech next spring to get acquainted with the social clubs in preparation for final selections.

Men's social clubs at Tech already petitioned Greek fraternities and representatives have met with the clubs. They are now waiting for acceptance by National organizations.

Shirley Schmidt Jackson, sister of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hill, is president of Las Chas social club which has petitioned for membership in Gamma Sorority.

Graham News

Send News Not Later Than Monday To MISS DEANIE HILL, Graham Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fluit, Mrs. Thomas and Mrs. Fred and son, Donald, attended Methodist conference in Lubbock Wednesday.

Bill Lusk, who has been in the Army and stationed in Alaska, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lusk.

Casey of Waco is a guest of Mrs. Iva Reno, Mrs. Mason, who was critically injured in an automobile accident near Wichita Falls, was brought to the home of Mrs. J. F. Mason, Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Reno and Mrs. Post spent Sunday with the Renos.

Carl Fluit was ill part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Hill and Mrs. Billye, of Lubbock and Mrs. Gloria Young were week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. and Deanie.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright spent the weekend in Lubbock with Mrs. Kenneth Wright.

Children, Chester Morris and daughter, Close City accompanied by E. Peel and girls to Klondike Saturday.

Sam boys basketball A won first place in Klondike tournament Saturday by winning two games. The girls squad was successful in the tourney.



"LITE-A-BUMPER FOR SAFETY"—Texas Junior Chamber of Commerce President Ray Roberts places reflector tape on the personal auto of Col. Homer Garrison, department of public safety director, in Austin, to start the Jaycee's "Lite-A-Bumper for safety" campaign. Above are Bob Hill, vice president of the U. S. Jaycee's, Roberts, Garrison, Gene Peterson of Austin, and Sgt. Phillip Zeissel of the Texas Highway Patrol.

Staff Sergeant Crockett Visits With Parents After Year In Cold Alaska

Staff Sergeant Orville Crockett of the U. S. Air Force is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Crockett, on a three week furlough from Elmendorf Air Force Base in Alaska. Crockett's wife and two daughters have been in Post visiting for some time.

Crockett is an engineer on C-54 and C-47 planes and has been stationed in Alaska for one year. He related to a Dispatch reporter some of his interesting experiences during a year in the "land of the midnight sun."

On October 1, Crockett's plane crashed on T-3 Ice Island near the North Pole. The crew had to stay on this island for 22 days waiting for equipment to repair their plane. After the plane had been repaired, it crashed as they were attempting a takeoff on October 22. Crockett said they were forced to remain three more days on Ice Island. During the 25 day stay, he said that he never saw the sun. The first three days were a period of twilight and after that was total darkness. Only inhabitants of T-3 are seven men stationed at a weather station. Five of these men are Air Force personnel and the other two are civilian scientists.

Alaskan weather conditions were rather cold when he left Crockett said. Twenty degrees was the average temperature reading, but further up North, 26 degrees below was average reading. The first snow fell on October 10 and it had been snowing steadily for three weeks.

Summers are pleasant, Crockett said, with 70 degrees the maximum registered in the southern part of Alaska, where Elmendorf is located. Elmendorf is the Alaskan headquarters for U. S.

BITS-OF-NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Bull and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Collier are in Austin today where they will attend the Texas University-A&M football game. N. W. Stone, Jr. will accompany them home to spend the remainder of the holidays.

Captain Jack D. Hoover, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Hoover, who is stationed at Euphrata, Wash., is spending the month on a special assignment in South Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kruse of Willsburg, Iowa, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Price last week. En route here the Kruses visited their son, Dan, and family in Miles City, Mont. Mrs. Dan Kruse is a daughter of the Prices. The Prices and Kruses were hosts for a birthday party honoring L. E. Webb recently.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Hoover were in Plainview Sunday, where their daughter, Mrs. Rudolf Chapman, entertained with a family dinner honoring Mr. Hoover on his birthday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Houston Hoover and family of Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hoover and family of Crosbyton and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hoover and son of Lubbock.

Guests of Mrs. W. J. Shepherd and Gertrude and Linda Ward during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Day and Debra of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Payne and Paula of Tahoka. Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Shepherd and Karen, Bruce, Jr., and Reese Ellen of Levelland and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Shepherd.

Before his transfer to Elmendorf, Crockett was stationed at Shepherd Air Force base in Wichita Falls. He has been in the Air Force for seven years.

Justiceburg News

Please Send News Not Later Than Monday to MRS. GEORGE EVANS, Justiceburg Correspondent

A large crowd attended a supper and farewell party given in the school auditorium last Wednesday night for Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Parchman. The long time residents are moving to Loving, N. M., to be near their children. They have a son, E. W., and family and a daughter, Mrs. W. A. McGinnis, and family at Loving; and three sons, W. E., W. T., Jr., and Ernie, and their families at Carlsbad, N. M. We regret to lose them from our community.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bowers received a letter from their son, Sam, Jr., saying that he will be stationed at Camp Chaffee, Ark., for awhile. Sam entered the Army at Fort Sill, Okla., about two weeks ago.

Guests in the Claud Pettigrew home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Allen Crowley of Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Pettigrew and children of Brownfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Key and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Key were called to Lewisville Saturday night because of the serious illness of Raymond's and Henry's mother.

Mrs. Ona Lockwood of Tahoka was a guest in the George Duckworth home Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Etta Clarkston spent part of last week in Slaton visiting her daughter, Mrs. Hern Pettigrew, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Justice recently visited their daughter and family, the Buster McNabbs, at Ropesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McAllister and children spent the weekend here. He is working for the Santa Fe in New Mexico at the present time and Mrs. McAllister and children have been visiting their father and grandfather, who is ill, at Clovis, N. M.

Skipper Bowers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bowers, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bowers, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mize recently visited his father at Conroe and a sister, Mrs. Orvil Van, and family at Houston. They went to Galveston returning home.

Future Of Texas Farm Families Is An Uncertainty

Weather, during the months just ahead, will have a tremendous effect upon Texas agriculture in 1953. Most of the state must have above normal rainfall before producers can begin to plan for 1953 and next year's production. Scattered rains have been beneficial but general and heavy rains are needed.

According to Lewis Herron, Garza County agent, the demand for products from the farms and ranches of the state will continue high during 1953—especially the first half. Employment is at a record high level and total income of individuals is expected to rise slightly above 1952 levels. Government spending for defense, he adds, is scheduled to be higher during the first six months of next year and the increasing population rate is another favorable factor. The present population of the nation is estimated to be 157 million and is increasing by more than two million annually.

Prices on the whole, says Herron, are expected to continue near the 1952 levels. Prices of some commodities may show further declines during 1953, especially where export demand is a factor. Cotton and wheat are crops with large export outlets. No sharp price drops are expected because of the present strong demands, says Herron.

Farm costs are expected to edge upward in the months ahead, continuing the cost-price squeeze on farm operators. Farmers will need large amounts of machinery, tools, fertilizers, insecticides and other manufactured articles if high production is to be maintained. None of these is expected to be cheaper than in 1952. Except for some large machines, wire and fencing, ample supplies of production materials are in sight, Herron added.

Labor, says the agent, will continue to be tight and farm wages, already at record levels, are expected to rise slightly. In some areas, seasonal labor shortages are likely to be more acute than in 1952, particularly if weather conditions are favorable for seeding normal acreages of cotton and other "high labor" crops. Feed supplies are extremely short in Texas and the South.

west, and producers should give special attention to building up feed reserves.

The over-all picture right now is not a bright one, Herron said. But, he adds, good general rains before December 1 would materially improve the situation. Herron believes that agricultural producers must take advantage of every opportunity to cut corners and hold down labor and other operating costs if they are to have a profitable year in 1953.

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