

Postwar Publishers Accommodate Today's Book-Loving Kids

Before the last bowl of hash on the Thanksgiving turkey is consumed, the spirit of Christmas will have pervaded the home and Santa Claus' representatives throughout Garza Counties will be making out their Christmas lists.

For the benefit of those who buy books for children, because of all of the attractive new publications that are on the market since the war and the dawn of the Atomic Age, the Post Dispatch has done some research on children's literature which is presented herewith.

The old faithfuls as the children of Knowledge have been brought up to date by the new version of the old, gives understanding to small children's questions such as "Why does a bounce?" "Why is ice slippery?" "How does a fly walk?" "Where am I?" and "Where am my sleep?"

"900 Buckets of Paint," by Edna Becker, illustrated by Margaret Bradfield, and published by the Abingdon-Cokesbury Press.

Of this book, the New York Times Book Review says: "When the Old Woman set out in the two-wheeled cart to find a new home, she had no idea that her donkey, Arthur, and Bossy, the cow, and her two cats would prove so inconveniently strong-minded. Each pet had a personal requirement, and of three new homes not one pleased everybody. They did finally chance upon a little white cottage, exactly right, to which a man—using up a legacy of 900 buckets of paint—had just given the last brush stroke."

"Young readers, 4 to 8, get the giggles when they catch on—long before the Old Woman does—that the family has simply come back home."

Worth Considering

The following new books published by Houghton Mifflin Company seem worth considering.

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Good Picture Book

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Had Good Intentions

"The Adventures of Tittle-down," by Ellis Crede, published by Oxford University Press, is the story of a character who always had the best intentions in

the world but sometimes things went wrong. His adventures with a skunk, a goat and some goldfish will delight 6 to 8 year old readers.

Highly recommended for 7 to 10 year old children is the new Golden Story Book Series published by Simon and Schuster. Within these 10 little story books for boys and girls is almost everything children ask for except, perhaps, horses and fairy tales.

The books, each written by a different author, are geared to the youngster who is just beginning to really read, a young enough child to like simple barnyard stories, bunny stories and the like. There is a stage-coach robbery which will delight any small boy. In fact, in the story, a small boy tricks the robber. Train stories, circus stories and dog stories in the series will delight the readers, as will the story about Mickey, taking his nephews to Gruesome Gulch camping.

To Combat Comics

The New York Times Book Review recommends the new Golden Story Book Series as an answer to the problem on comic books. They provide amusing reading scaled to a child's ability and will make the child want to read more.

"The White Cheyenne," by Courtenay Terrett, illustrated by E. Evan Reynolds and published by Dodd Mead and Co., is a dramatic story of a young boy adopted by Cheyenne warriors. It is recommended for older boys.

"Blondes Prefer Gentlemen" by Sheila John Daly, illustrated by Bill Charnatz, and published by Dodd, Mead and Co., is a book to help teen-aged boys meet every possible social problem.

In "Arithmetic Can Be Fun," Muno Leaf throws the clear light of fun on another great childhood bugbear as he did in his famous book on grammar years ago. He reduces counting, addition, subtraction, time-telling and the calendar to easy learning with scores of amusing pictures. It is published by the J. B. Lippincott Co.

Fairy Tales, Too

There are also plenty of new books containing folk and fairy tales. One of these is "The Extraordinary Education of Johnny Longfoot in His Search for the Magic Hat," by Catherine Besterman, illustrated by Warren Chappell, and published by

the Bobbs-Merrill Co.

Regarding this book, the New York Times Book Review says: "It is amazing that one tiny, frightened baby spider with a baby-blue bow tie could start so much trouble! But when Phoebe the Spider loses the Magic Hat that makes its wearer invisible, Barnac the Cat who is Johnny Longfoot's teacher, thinks that Johnny should find it and thereby prove that his education has been a success."

"The search starts Johnny and his friends on a perilous and exciting adventure to Dustland, where a pyramid has disappeared. It seems logical that the pyramid must be under the magic hat. They find hat, pyramid and the Wonderful Flower that restores the health of King Grenouille the Frog. This book should appeal to 8 to 10 year olds."

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Scogin of Clairemont spent last weekend here on business. Mrs. Scogin returned here Monday to become employed by Giles Dining Room. Her husband plans to move here later.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Giles and Mrs. J. W. Garrett spent last weekend in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Talmage Noles and family of Throckmorton and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Thompson of Lubbock were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Ingram and Miss Ruth Noles.

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Here are some book suggestions for the younger children.

"Smart Mr. Tim," by Elizabeth Galt, illustrated by Nell Stolp, published by Abingdon-Cokesbury Press.

This is the story of a Cocker spaniel, which is an excellent dog for 3 to 5-year-old youngsters who are timid with animals. The children who own spaniels will see in Mr. Tim the virtues and foibles of the dog that they know, while youngsters who are not well acquainted with dogs will surely get up to this winsome cock-spaniel.

For Story Lovers

Read "Me Another Story," compiled by the Child Study Association of America, illustrated by Barbara Cooney and published by the Thomas Y. Crowell Company.

This is a collection of stories of ducks, dogs, cats, kangaroos, bears, birds and bugs to delight the 3 to 6 year olds who are a constant hunger for more stories.

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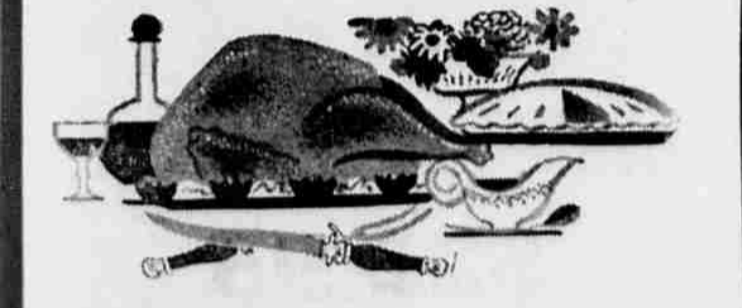
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Dove Mayfield and Bill Basinger spent Monday in Big Spring attending an International Harvester Company sales meeting.

Mrs. H. W. Edwards and Mrs. Roy LeMond and daughter, Jerry, of Grassland flew to Dallas last weekend to attend a football game.

Pala Duro Pageant To Be Staged In Amarillo Stadium

The first annual Pala Duro Pageant—"The Beginning of Glory"—will be held in the Sandie Stadium at Amarillo five nights next month instead of at Palo Duro Canyon State Park. It was announced today by a committee of clergymen and other civic leaders.

The committee met Monday to form the Palo Duro Pageant Association to sponsor the event each year.

Moving of the 1949 production of "The Beginning of Glory" became necessary when it was learned that technical difficulties for the showing at the canyon could not be overcome in time for the event this year.

The committee announced that future events, possibly next year, will be held at the State Park. Revenue from this year's showing will be set aside to provide facilities for future showings in the park.

"The Beginning of Glory," which depicts The Christ Story from Abraham to the Nativity, will be presented five nights—December 16, 17, 19, 20 and 21 at 7:30 p. m.

William Bensen of Hollywood and former director of the Rockefeller Center plays in New York City, will direct the cast of 318 players and some 300 choir and band members. Bensen represents Geller Productions, the organization which prepared the script, settings and costumes from an original idea by John L. McCarty, Southwest Public Relations man and manager of Palo Duro Canyon State Park.

Five Year Service Award Given Hibbs

Ted R. Hibbs received a five-year service award at a service award dinner given by the Southwestern Public Service Company last Thursday night in the Hotel Lubbock East Ballroom. Mrs. Hibbs accompanied him to the banquet, which was in honor of 52 South Plains employees of the company.

The company's vice president and manager of this division, Hubert L. Allen, received an award recognizing 38 years of service.

Mrs. Jim Cloud of Lubbock spent last weekend here with her mother, Mrs. Vida Brant, while her husband was in Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Bowen visited Sunday afternoon in the Garnolia Community in the home of Edd L. Gossett, who was ill.

Barnum Springs Hartford Items

Please Send News Not Later Than Monday to CARROL JEAN HUFF Correspondent

The Training Union Class presented a program at the Barnum Springs Church Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Taylor, L. L. Taylor and Floyd Taylor of Whiteface visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Askins last week.

Mrs. W. R. Simon of Waurika, Okla. is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Bill Norman and Mr. Norman.

Carrol Jean Huff and son, Jackie visited part of last week in Post with Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Baxter.

W. J. Long and Edgar Long of Thalia visited the first of the week here in the Arda and Bill Long homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Baxter and son of Post visited Sunday in the Arda Long home.

Arda Long took some of the Post eighth grade football players to Seagraves for a game last Thursday night.

Mrs. Stallings And Welch Boy Win News Money

Mrs. J. A. Stallings won last week's first prize of \$2.50 in the Post Dispatch News Tip Contest for the items concerning Roy Smith's baby and Johnny Malouf's girl friend. In addition to these, Mrs. Stallings submitted several other items of interest.

The second prize of \$1 went to Milton Welch for the tip about his brother's wedding.

The contest will continue indefinitely with a total of \$3.50 in cash prizes.

Carpenters Purchase Business In Bowie

Harold Hopkins of Stamford arrived here Monday to work for Bryant-Link Company in place of Ralph Carpenter, employe of the company since 1941 who resigned to go into business for himself.

Carpenter, in partnership with his father, E. F. Carpenter, and brother, W. K. Carpenter, has bought the Bowie Tractor and Implement Company, John Deere agency, in Bowie.

Ralph will leave Sunday to take over management of the new business. His family and his father and brother and their families will move to Bowie at a later date.

Both Fire Trucks Needed On Friday

Approximately two dozen bales of cotton were destroyed in a fire in the yard at the Gordon Gin last Friday afternoon. The Post Volunteer Firemen took one of the trucks to put out the fire.

While the truck was gone, the fire department had to send its other truck on a run to extinguish a fire in an automobile here.

BITS OF NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Duckworth spent the weekend in Dallas, attending a football game on Saturday and staying over through Monday to shop.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Williams spent Sunday and Monday in San Angelo.

W. J. Bryant and Jim Owens of Stamford, Bryant-Link Company officials, visited here Monday morning. They were en route to Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gary of Hobbs, N. M., spent part of last week here with his mother, Mrs. Fannie Gary, and other relatives.

Frank Karl, who is a patient in the Mercy Hospital at Slaton, is improved in condition.

Mrs. W. E. Dent spent Tuesday and Wednesday of last week in Lubbock visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Gordon Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Moss of Shallowater visited their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Roberts, Jr., and daughter, Kathy Lynn, Saturday.

Freda Gerner of Los Angeles, Calif., who is convalescing from major surgery in a Los Angeles hospital, was thrilled Sunday night when all of her brothers and sisters and their husbands and wives met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brewer here and talked with her by telephone. They included Mr. and Mrs. Brewer, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Gerner, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Mueller, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gerner and Rufus Gerner.

Mrs. H. W. Schmidt and her sister-in-law, Mrs. R. J. McGinnis, spent last week in Houston with Mrs. Schmidt's mother, Mrs. M. J. Brannon.

SCHOOL GETS FOOTBALL

The Post Volunteer Fire Department recently presented a red football to the Graham School.

BULLDOGS WIN

Spur's Bulldogs claimed the District 3-A football title in Floydada Friday night when they battered and mauled Floydada 45-13 in a fumble-happy contest before a crowd of 2,500 fans, the Lubbock Avalanche reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Haven and son, Philip, of Tahoka spent Sunday with the Richard Vardiman family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Farmer spent Sunday in Snyder visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Dee Myres.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lewis of Brownfield, recently visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Day.

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Varied Recipes Are Accompanied By Helpful Tips For Cooks

Along with recipes which Post Dispatch readers have been sending in for publication in these columns, have come some timely tips which are well worth passing along. Here are some sent by Miss Henrietta Nichols of the Verbena Community:

"I don't have a recipe, but I have a tip for those who kill their own meat. As we all know, sausage is very hard to keep fresh and soon gets strong in the locker.

"I experimented last winter

and found that sausage cooked in the oven (which I like better than sausage that is fried) until cooked through and then quickly browned in hot grease and packed in jars or locker containers is successful.

Store In Locker

"After the sausage is packed in the jar or container, pour some grease on and put on a lid (do not seal.) Turn the container upside down until the grease is cold and solid and then store in the locker.

"I'm using some now that is

as good and fresh as when put up last January. It will keep awhile like this out of the locker, but it soon gets strong. We are very fond of this homemade sausage.

"Also I made souse or hogs-head cheese and seasoned it just as though I were going to use it, packed it in jars and did not seal it then put it in the locker. It is delicious for sandwiches or "snacking. Even in August, it tasted better than when it was fresh. I found that canning souse under pressure was not

good because it ruined the taste of pickles and onions in it."

Meat For Baby

One of the Post Dispatch staff members, inspired by the 20 and 24 cents a can that it costs to feed meat to a baby each day, has devised a "homogenized" beef on which her baby thrives at a cost of not more than 60 cents a week.

She selects a good piece of beef and has the butcher grind it with just enough fat to make a small amount of broth. Adding salt and enough distilled water to make the broth, she cooks the beef under pressure for about 10 minutes.

While the beef and broth are still warm, she "homogenizes" them in an electric blender, pours the meat up in Dixie cups, covers them and puts them in the freezing compartment of the refrigerator. Each morning, a cup is set out to thaw, then it is warmed and served to the baby for lunch.

For variety, she sometimes cooks a little cream of wheat or other cereal with the beef, adding a little more water so the mixture will not be too thick.

As this is the time of year when pork is most enjoyable by the average family, here are recipes for Spanish Casserole, and a menu to go with it, and some timely tips about pork from the files of Mrs. Jewell H. Strasner.

Spanish Casserole

One dozen link sausages, one-half dozen slices of bacon, four large carrots, finely diced, two green peppers, chopped; four medium-sized onions, diced finely; 1-3 cup tomato catsup and 1-3 cup water.

Wrap two sausages in each slice of bacon and secure with toothpicks. Fry until the bacon is crisp, draining off the fat frequently. Place in casserole and cover with carrots, green pepper and onion, which have been well-mixed. Make a sauce of the catsup and water and pour over top. Cook, covered, in a hot oven (450 degrees F.) 45 minutes to 1 hour. Uncover and allow to brown during last 15 minutes of baking. Serves six.

The suggested menu, with Spanish Casserole, includes baked Irish potatoes, corn relish, pear and cheese salad, hot biscuits, butter, apple crisp and milk or tea.

Pork is plentiful now with a wide variety of cuts available. It is highly nutritious and should be served often.

Pork sausage, like any fresh pork, should be cooked well done for safety and to bring out its best flavor.

When buying pork sausage, be sure it comes right out of the refrigerator and keep it refrigerated at home until used.

When frying sausage, place in cold pan over low fire and cook slowly for about 12 minutes, turning once or twice, and pour off fat as it accumulates.

Poinsettia Cake

Now that it's time to be thinking about the preparation of Christmas goodies, this Poinsettia Coffee Cake might be a welcome suggestion:

One package yeast, compressed or dry; 1-4 cup lukewarm water; 1-3 cup milk; three table-

spoons sugar; 1-2 teaspoon salt; two tablespoons shortening; one egg; about two cups sifted enriched flour; two tablespoons melted butter; 1-4 cup sugar, one teaspoon cinnamon; two tablespoons sugar; 1-4 cup chopped candied cherries, and 1-4 cup chopped green and yellow candied pineapple.

Soften yeast in lukewarm water. Scald milk. Add sugar, salt and shortening. Cool to lukewarm. Add flour to make a thick batter. Mix well. Add softened yeast and eggs. Beat well. Add enough more flour to make a soft dough. Turn out on lightly floured board and knead until smooth and satiny. Place in greased bowl. Cover and let rise in warm place until doubled (about one and one-half hours.) When light, punch down. Let rest 10 minutes. Pat or roll into rectangular sheet about one-half-inch thick and eight inches wide. Brush with butter or margarine. Spread with 1-4 cup sugar and cinnamon. Mix two tablespoons sugar with chopped fruit. Sprinkle fruit evenly over dough. Roll up like a jelly roll, sealing edge. With a sharp knife make five diagonal cuts completely through the roll. Arrange five sections in a circle on a greased baking sheet with edges touching each other. Place remaining section in the center. Let rise until double (about one hour.) Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) 25 to 30 minutes.

Making this coffee cake is as much like making cinnamon rolls. However, instead of cutting on a straight line as for cinnamon rolls, cut wide rolls on a slant. After the cake has been baked, and cooled, it can be enhanced with a confectioners' icing if desired.

Other Suggestions

Dumpling rolls—little round cinnamon rolls are right at home arranged over the top of your favorite apple cobbler. The spicy favor combined with brown sugar and butter adds a new note to a winter favorite dessert.

Relish cups—Hollow out bright oranges and use the fruit to combine with cranberries in a

BITS OF NEWS—Gathered Over Town

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Davis visited relatives here last week. Mrs. Davis, the former Peggy Sue Robinson, has been visiting a sister in Pampa while her husband transacted business in Seagraves. They are undecided where they will make their home.

Mrs. Della Justice of Borger was here on business last week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Snowden and three children of Lubbock spent Sunday in the home of Mr. Snowden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Snowden.

Mrs. Glen Day of Floydade spent Sunday here with her mother, Mrs. W. J. Shepherd. Her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Day, spent the day in Floydade with Glen.



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And there is much for which we can all be thankful in this great country of ours.

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Garza County's 1950 Acreage Allotment To Be Reviewed By Committee Friday

The South Plains may expect to remain the nation's largest cotton producer, area considered, in 1950 despite government planting controls, the Lubbock Journal announced last week.

According to a formula provided to the Journal by D. F. Vance, state director of the Production and Marketing Administration at College Station, the 21 South Plains counties may expect a total acreage allotment of 1,831,800 acres in 1950.

Mike Custer of the local PMA office said yesterday that Garza County's portion of the allotment will be reviewed by the County Committee Friday and announced next week.

The Journal said that Vance declined to reveal the tentative county allotment for the area by long distance telephone. He explained that the allotments were still in fluid stage and subject to last-minute changes.

Pressure Is Applied He added that many county farm bureau committees, particularly in south and east Texas, are already exerting as much pressure as possible to have their county acreage allotments increased out of a reserve being held for "hardship" cases.

Vance did, however, disclose the formula by which the allotments are being made: In order to conform to the national allotment of 21,000,000 acres, reductions had to be made. The state PMA, using the average of 1947 and 1948 plantings, deducted 3 per cent of the state plantings for use as reserve for hardship cases.

Then 95 per cent of each county's 1947-1948 acreage was figured. From the result, 6 per cent additional was deducted.

Special Allotments Vance explained that out of the 3 per cent reserve acreage allotments will be made to counties turning rapidly to cotton production, to counties with numerous new cotton farms, and to counties which during 1947 or 1948 suffered undue hardships by reason of drouth, floods, or other unusual and abnormal conditions.

For purposes of simplification, a close estimate of South Plains cotton acreage allotments may be obtained for each county by figuring 86 per cent of the 1947 and 1948 cotton acreage planted.

Outlook For South Plains In thumbnail analysis, the reports indicates these probabilities for the South Plains:

The region will still be the largest cotton producer, area considered in the United States.

With normal weather, the total U. S. crop should be as large, and perhaps a little larger, than at present. The South Plains this year is producing about 10 per cent of the U. S. crop and 25 to 30 per cent of the Texas ginnings. (Twenty-five years ago, this area produced about one and one-half per cent of the U. S. crop; about eight per cent of the Texas ginnings.)

Expect Larger Yield Per yield acre next year, under comparable weather conditions, can be expected to be larger than in the past for several reasons.

For one thing, the farmer, given a choice in the matter, will keep the best of his cotton land in cotton; he will farm it more intensively than ever before, and the year-to-year improvements in seed qualities can be expected to continue.

Probably, also, the ratio of irrigated land to dryland in cotton will be large, unless allotment regulations forbid. This year, the original planting consisted of 759,000 acres of irrigated land and 2,249,000 of unirrigated, according to Clapp's estimate. Last year, the figures were 462,000 irrigated and 1,787,000 unirrigated.

The irrigated acreages in 1947 was under 200,000.

The larger the irrigated acreage next year, the larger will be the average per-acre yield for the entire area.

Will Fare Better Although Vance did not specifically say so, it appears that the South Plains and West Texas generally will fare better in obtaining portions of the 3 per cent "reserve" acreage than other parts of the state. He did point out that cotton acreage is gradually moving westward.

It was pointed out that farmers will vote on marketing quotas about Dec. 15, and they must be advised of what acreage they would have if the plan is approved by two-thirds of qualified voters in cotton-producing areas. Should the election fail to favor marketing quotas, no support price program will be available.

The two-thirds approval must come in the total vote. A county voting against the proposal would still be under the program if all votes cast over the nation approved the measure by a two-thirds majority.

The 21,000,000 acre total authorized for planting in cotton in 1950 will fall far short of cotton acreage in previous years, which has run at least 26,000,000 acres for the nation.

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Encouragement Is Given To R. Holly By Faith Healer

Roy Holly, who has been paralyzed from the waist down for more than 18 months since receiving a spinal injury in an automobile accident which claimed the life of his son, Lee Roy, was encouraged this week after receiving the blessing and hearing the prayers of a faith healer, the Rev. Mr. Jones, who held a meeting Monday and Tuesday nights in Sweetwater.

Holly's trip to and from Sweetwater Monday in a Mason and Co. ambulance was made possible through the contributions of his friends and neighbors, with the Church of God minister, the Rev. J. Harve Mathis, and his wife in charge of the collection.

Accompanying him on the trip were his son Bill Holly, and Ray Douglas and Jackie Blacklock.

Holly, who was in good spirits on his return from Sweetwater, told a representative of the Post Dispatch that while he felt no immediate results from his contact with the faith healer he believes the trip was worthwhile and that he will in time be able to walk as a result.

He was among 1,000 or more people who came to hear the Rev. Mr. Jones, and many persons in the audience were blind, crippled or in other ways disabled. A number of the most obvious cases were placed on the stage during the sermon and an effort was made to get Mr. Holly's wheel chair on the stage but this proved to be impossible because of the construction of the doors leading to the stage.

The faith healer made reference absorbed per hour. With 2,200 pounds of forage and litter per acre, 8 inches of rain are absorbed per hour.

What are your prospects for a grass crop next year?

Next Year's Grass Depends On This Year's Protection

Nearly all of the crops from the cultivated land have been harvested and preparations are being made for next year's crop. Now is the time to check the harvest from the pasture lands and to make plans for harvesting next year's grass crop, the Duck Creek District Soil Conservation technicians advise. They ask:

Has this year's crop been managed so that at least one third of the seed produced by the desirable grasses is so that a high producing crop of grass can be maintained?

Has enough of each plant been left so that a grass crop next year can be assured? Ten per cent of the grass produced in a season comes from food stored in the roots of the plant the year before. Has next year's grass crop been harvested this year because the grass has been grazed too close?

How well is the ground protected from erosion and winter storms? Is the soil well enough protected by a good turf of grass to be sure that the moisture that will produce next year's grass crop will go into the soil? Or will it be lost down the creek where it cannot be reclaimed?

How much grass needs to be left to insure conservation of moisture? Here is what experiments have shown: Bare ground will absorb about two-tenths of an inch of rain per hour. Where there are 800 pounds of forage and litter per acre, one inch of rain per hour is absorbed. With 1,000 pounds of forage and litter per acre, 2 inches of rain



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Housing Needed By New Oil Families

The housing situation in Post is getting tense again, the result of some increased oil activities.

C. J. Josey, whose grocery store on North Broadway serves as a housing finding agency, said Tuesday that he needed places for 12 families who are moving here because of an oil well that is to be drilled in the Canyon Valley community. He said also that he needed apartments for five families coming here with another oil company.

Holly said he did not witness any on-the-spot healings, but that all of the afflicted persons in the crowd received encouragement.

The Post man expressed his deep appreciation to his friends, neighbors and the Church of God minister and his wife for the financial and spiritual assistance that they have given him.

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Mrs. R. H. Collier and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Collier visited in Tahoka Sunday with Wynne Collier and family.

Family Reunions Here and Elsewhere Being Enjoyed By Garza People Today

(Continued From Front Page) Glenn Foley, grade school teacher, is having dinner with his mother in Graham today.

son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tate, and son of Mart are there also. Mrs. Tate, who has been in Jacksboro for several weeks, will return home with her husband. Mrs. Mask is convalescing from major surgery.

In New Car

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Benson went to Tahoka in their new Mercury to have Thanksgiving dinner with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Schumpert and sons of San Saba and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dent are Thanksgiving dinner guests of the Dents' son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hughes, and daughter, Dr. Ann Mrs. Schumpert is Mr. Hughes' sister.

Fly To Ft. Worth

Mr. and Mrs. John Lott and three children flew to Fort Worth to join Mrs. Lott's mother, Mrs. B. Tizard of Kansas City, Mo., for Thanksgiving in the home of Mrs. Lott's sister, Mrs. Marvin Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Snowden left Tuesday for Quamah to spend the holiday with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Howard and daughter, Cynthia Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Travis are enjoying a Thanksgiving visit from their children and their families, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Smith and daughter, Janice, of McCaulley and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Travis, Jr., of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershell Johnson of Lubbock are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Bingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Richardson and son Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Day and son are in Brownfield today with the R. L. Lewis family.

Going To Midland

Mrs. Curtis Davies and daughter, ElWanda, and Mrs. Roy Stevens and daughter, LaRue, will go to Midland tonight for a Thanksgiving visit with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. A. A. Hancock, and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Stevens and LaRue are eating Thanksgiving dinner earlier today with Mr. Stevens' parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Stevens.

Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown are their daughter, Lanell, of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Miller of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Turney of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Edd Dye and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Wright and daughters are having dinner today with Mr. Wright's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Houston, in Anton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake B. Farrell of Sanger arrived Tuesday to spend the holidays with Mrs. Farrell's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kendall.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Tate are in their former home, Jacksboro, enjoying Thanksgiving at the home of their daughter, Mrs. W. C. Mask, and family. The Tate's

Thanksgiving visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Bailey are their daughters, Mrs. Guy Troy Harrison of Borger and Mrs. Raymond Gatski of the Gordon Community, and their respective sons, Mrs. Harrison and son came here Saturday with Mrs. Bailey and Mrs. M. J. Malouf, who went to Borger the preceding day. Mrs. Malouf visited her son, Buddy, and his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Collier and their daughter, Miss Lucille Collier of Lubbock, are spending today in Tahoka with Mrs. Collier's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Tucker are spending this week in Morton with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McBee and Mrs. Margie Brooks and daughter, Sharon.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Dietrich this week are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Frank Hopper and daughter, Mary Ann, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Carson of Alvarado.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Malouf and son, Tommy, today are Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Assad and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Assad and George Assad, all of Los Angeles, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Malouf and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Maple of Borger, Johnny Malouf of Lubbock and Junior Malouf of Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene.

Bags Own Dinner

Mrs. L. A. Barrow brought her Thanksgiving dinner home from a hunting trip to San Antonio Monday, in company with Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Barrow of Phillips. They bagged a deer and two turkeys. The Phillips couple returned to their home Tuesday morning. Mrs. Barrow's guests today are her children and their families, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lane of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Taylor and daughter, Lou Ann of Pampa, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Perser and son, Gary, of Carlsbad.

Thanksgiving guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Pennell of the Barnum Springs community are Mr. and Mrs. Jim L. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Boone Pennell of Post, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Pennell of Canyon Valley and Mr. and Mrs. Arda Long and family of Barnum Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Pierce are in San Saba visiting his mother, Mrs. Young Pierce, and Mrs. Pierce's father, A. J. Walker.

Mrs. Maurine Lackey and her mother are visiting Mrs. Lackey's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jack L. Lackey, of Cresson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Welch are visiting Mrs. Welch's family in Colorado City.

Mrs. Leila Crimm is visiting her mother, Mrs. M. E. Clay, in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Hays are visiting Mrs. Hays' mother, Mrs. Hancock, in Tahoka.

Mrs. Claire Dabney is visiting her family in Ballinger.

Mrs. Nola Brister is spending the day with the Tommy Anderson family in Seminole.

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

- November 24—Jeneice Propst
November 25—Dan Rankin
November 26—Nancy Power
November 27—Boy Hart
November 28—Mrs. E. W. Hood, Rt. 3
November 29—Bennie Siergee
November 30—E. W. Whitten

Humus Lost While Growing Crop Must Go Back Into Soil
Most farm soils consist of 3 to 6 per cent of organic matter, the rest being minerals.

Bits of News
Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hammett and daughter, Linda, of Portales, N. M., visited Mr. Hammett's mother, Mrs. J. R. Hammett, and his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. King, last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Reese Carter, Jr., took their small daughter, Melinda, to a hospital in New Orleans Sunday for treatment for a virus infection. They planned to return by the middle of the week.

Interesting Film Seen By Rotarians

"The Power Behind the Nation," a Warner Brothers sound and color film, was shown by Dr. B. E. Young at the Rotary Club meeting Tuesday noon in the City Hall Banquet Room.

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Boy Hart were Mrs. Hart's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Fowler, and two daughters of Colorado City.

A person normally has twelve pairs of ribs.

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Mrs. Elgie Stewart, who has been a patient in the West Texas Hospital for six or more weeks, is noticeably improved. It was not known by press time when she would be able to be removed to the home of her daughter in Levelland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Manly, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Manly of the Gordon Community, spent Sunday in Abilene visiting J. P.'s cousin and Lewis' brother, Seth Manly, and family. The host gave the guests two turkeys for Christmas.

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