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Post, Texas

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## County's Five Gins Report 2,718 Bales From Short Crop

A total of 2,718 bales from the 1953 cotton crop had been processed up to this week by Garza County's five gins, with local observers beginning to doubt that the season's total will reach the 4,000-bale mark. Early estimates placed the

county's yield at from 5,000 to 6,000 bales, but all gingers reported Monday that the harvest was at least 75 per cent completed.

In northern Garza County, large numbers of mechanical strippers are at work, following

two light freezes and a heavy freeze Saturday night.

Prices for cotton pulling still centers around \$1.75 per hundred pounds, with some farmers paying \$1.50, \$1.55 and \$2.

It was reported at the Basinger & Hambright Gin at Southland that 847 bales had been ginned there through Saturday night. Gin hours are from 8 a. m. until about 10 p. m., with operators expecting to turn out between 1,100 and 1,200 bales before closing for the season. The gin turned out about 1,950 bales from the 1952 crop.

It was reported at the Pleasant Valley Gin, where T. L. Adams, Jr., is manager, that 624 bales had been ginned, and that about 1,100 were expected for the season. The gin is running 12 hours daily. Last year's total ginning here was around 1,800 bales.

A total of 490 bales had been turned out at the Close City Co-op Gin, which processed approximately 1,000 bales last year. L. H. Peel, manager, said this year's yield probably would run between 850 and 1,000 bales.

At the Graham Gin, 412 bales had been turned out through Saturday night, and only about 100 more are expected this season, according to Bill McMahon, manager. The Graham Gin processed 3,387 bales from the 1952 crop.

The Storie Gin reported a total of 345 bales turned out through Saturday, and said the 1,900-bale mark "won't near be reached." They ginned approximately 1,400 bales from the 1952 crop.

## Enrollment In Schools Rises To 929 Total

Enrollment in the Post Public Schools up to Nov. 20 totaled 929, according to reports this week from Chant D. Lee, high school principal, and Ellis M. Mills, grade school principal.

The 329 high school students enrolled on the above date are classified as follows: Seniors, 34; juniors, 62; sophomores, 63; freshmen, 91, and eighth grade, 79.

The grade school enrollment is as follows: First, 123; second, 84; third, 84; fourth, 72; fifth, 93; sixth, 76, and seventh, 58.

The first grade class, believed to be the largest in the school's history, is divided into four overcrowded sections, according to Mills. There are three sections with 31 pupils each and one with 30.

Mills said he and Supt. D. C. Arthur had discussed the first grade predicament this week and had decided that it might be possible to add another primary teacher by mid-term in order to add a fifth section.

"Our present first grade sections of 30 and 31 pupils are entirely too large," the principal said. With the possible exception of the sixth grade, where the 76 pupils are divided into three sections of 26-25-25, all the other sections are larger than they should be, it was explained. The largest sections are in the fourth grade, where there are two of 36 pupils in each.



THIRTY-FOUR YEARS OF 4-H CLUB WORK—The years these five girls have spent in 4-H Club work total 34. They were awarded pins from fifth year through ninth year at the recent Achievement Day program. The girls are, left to right: Oneita Jones, six years; Eva Lou Williams, five years; Sue Stephens, nine years; Beverly Bartlett, six years, and Janet Blacklock, eight years.—(Staff Photo).



STRICTLY A FAMILY AFFAIR—Auvy Lee McBride, 14, and his sister, Shirley, 12, are this year's Garza County 4-H Club Gold Star boy and girl. Their Extension Service awards were presented at the recent Achievement Day program here. Auvy and Shirley are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Thelbert McBride of the Graham community.—(Staff Photo).

## Time Here Again For Santa Claus Letters

The Post Dispatch this week received word from Santa Claus, North Pole, U. S. A., that again this Christmas he wants to hear from all Post and Garza County boys and girls.

Santa asks that his letters be sent in care of this newspaper and that we forward them on to him after making a copy to print in our annual Christmas edition.

It isn't a bit too early for boys and girls to start mailing their Santa Claus letters. If they prefer, they may bring them by the office. Each boy or girl is asked to sign his or her first and last name to the letter.

School teachers of the county are invited to have their pupils write letters to Santa, but we prefer that each youngster be allowed to compose his own letter instead of using a form suggested for the entire class. This is for the sake of originality and interest.

The Dispatch will make every effort to print every Santa Claus letter it receives.

## Park Playground Fund Hits \$1,000

The city park playground fund reached \$1,000 this week with a \$200 contribution from the Alamo Corporation of Lubbock, Shelley Camp, park board member, announced.

A total of \$1,500 is being sought for purchase of playground equipment to be installed at the park. Earlier contributors have been Double U Company, \$500; Southwestern Public Service Co., \$100; First National Bank, \$100; Giles Connell, \$50, and West Texas Gas Co., \$50.

Park board members have announced that playground equipment suitable to all age groups of children will be purchased.

The playground site is in Section 7, which has been adopted as a park project by the Post Junior Chamber of Commerce. Most of the Jaycees' work, however, will be planting of trees, and all that is required of them on the playground is cleaning off of the site.

## SCOUTS TO GIVE FOOD

Following their Thanksgiving custom of several years, members of Boy Scout Troop 16 will deliver a basket of food to a needy family Thursday morning, troop officials have announced.

## Firm Is To Drill Final Oil Well Under '50 Pact

Brown Bros. et al. operators, will start drilling Tuesday or Wednesday on their final city unit under the original drilling agreement reached with the City of Post in February, 1950.

E. R. "Buster" Moreland, manager of the oil firm, said the final well—Unit No. 10—will be drilled across the alley north of the Tom Power Inc. Field Dealer firm.

Completion of the well will bring to 24 the number within the city limits, Moreland said.

Following passage of the drilling ordinance, Brown Bros., then Comanche Oil Corp., began drilling the first well within the city limits on Lot 8, Block 14, in north Post. A week later, they moved a rig to Unit No. 25, south of the high school building.

The first well was completed in April of 1950.

The ordinance permitting regulated drilling within the city limits provided for spacing the wellsite for a maximum of 34 wells, with approximately 30 acres per well.

## Veteran Educator Is To Speak In Post

Dr. Willis A. Sutton, veteran educator, will speak in Post High School assembly programs Monday and Tuesday, D. C. Arthur, superintendent of schools, has announced.

Dr. Sutton, former superintendent of schools in Atlanta, Ga., is a consultant to schools and big business alike. He is making a series of talks at schools in this area of Texas.

The public is invited to the assembly programs.

## TO DRILL IN PHD-SAN ANDRES FIELD

## Eight New Testers Staked In County

A San Angelo operator has staked locations for eight new test wells to be drilled in the northeast quarter of the shallow PHD San Andres field area of northwestern Garza County.

Clifton Thomas and others, No. 2 Honolulu-Sims, is proposed to 3,550 feet to be drilled with completion tools. Operations are to start at once if it is on a lease of 90 acres.

Exact location is 2,460.25 feet

from south and 989.44 feet from east lines of Section 1282, RS&F Survey, 8 miles northwest of Post.

The other venture will be on 40 acres on the Honolulu-Sims loc., in section 1282, RS&F Survey, 8 miles northwest of Post. Completion tool will start at once. Projected depth is 3,650 feet. All the sites are on a 1,126.41-acre lease.

The No. 2 Honolulu-Sims is 900 feet from south and 1,649 feet from east lines of the northeast quarter; the No. 3 is 1,139 feet from north and 989 feet from east lines of the same section; No. 4 is 479 feet from north and 330 feet from east lines of the section; No. 5 is 330 feet from south and east lines of the northeast quarter;

No. 6 is to be 990 feet from south and 330 feet from east lines of the northeast quarter of the section; No. 7 is slated for 1,140 feet from north and 330 feet from west lines of the northeast quarter of the section; and No. 8 is to be drilled 479 feet from north and 1,649 feet from east lines of the section.

County drilling reports disclose that Jim-Lee Drilling Co. Inc., No. 1 Bryan Williams, in Section 1419, Block 1, EL&RR Survey, is drilling at 8,535 feet in shale.

Stanford Oil & Gas Co. No. 1 Shirley A. Bird, in Section 82, Block 5, GH&H Survey, is waiting on cement to cure after setting nine and five-lengths inch intermediate casing at 2,034 feet with 300 sacks of cement. Total depth is 2,034 feet in lime, dolomite and anhydrite.

## Cotton Quotas To Be Set Here Tuesday

Garza County's individual farm cotton allotments for 1954 will be determined here Tuesday at a meeting of county and community Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation (formerly PMA) committees.

Mike E. Custer, county ASC office manager, said each producer would be mailed a notice of his allotment immediately after they are determined.

Texas' cotton acreage allotment was announced Tuesday as 7,376,858 acres for 1954 planting—a slash of more than two million acres from this year.

The state allotment will be apportioned among counties and individual farms on the basis of provisions in farm law.

## County School Head At TSTA Convention

Dean A. Robinson, Garza County superintendent of education, is in Dallas this week for the annual convention of the Texas State Teachers Association.

The three-day session is expected to be highlighted with discussion of the politically potent question of raises for the teachers.

Members of the executive committee opened the convention with a meeting Wednesday, and the official session opened Thursday. It continues through Saturday.

All meetings are being held at the Fair Park Auditorium.

## Post Getting Ready For Thanksgiving

Last-minute plans for observance of Thanksgiving Day were being made Wednesday by Post residents.

In many homes, the day is to be observed in the old-fashioned manner, which will mean burdened dining tables, with loved ones gathered 'round, relatives and friends from out of town, and other traditional activities.

Practically all business places will be closed throughout the day, and the approximately 1,000 Post school students and faculty members will be enjoying the first day of a four-day holiday from school activities.

A union Thanksgiving service was planned for 7:30 o'clock Wednesday night at the Church of the Nazarene, with the city's Ministerial Alliance as the sponsoring organization.

## Yule Lights Being Strung; Decoration Prizes Listed

Hundreds of tiny Christmas lights are being strung this week across Main and Broadway and will be turned on shortly after Dec. 1.

City Supt. R. H. Tate said crews are taking advantage of favorable weather to string the lights, and that they will be turned on when the city's businessmen give the word.

The Chamber of Commerce, which is cooperating with the city in the Yuletide lighting program, made other plans this week for the Christmas season with announcement of prize lists for the annual home decoration contest.

A total of \$78 in cash prizes is being offered in two classes—Class A for homes of five rooms or more and Class B for homes of four rooms or less.

First, second and third place prizes in Class A will be as follows:

Residence interior: \$8, \$5, and \$3; residence window: \$8, \$5 and \$3; residence door: \$8, \$5, and \$3; outdoor tree: \$5, \$3 and \$2.

In Class B, first, second and third place prizes will be: Residence window: \$5, \$3 and \$2; outdoor tree: \$5, \$3 and \$2.

Dec. 16 has been set as deadline for entering the contest, with entries to be filed with Mrs. Ira Greenfield, Chamber of Commerce secretary.

A new rule this year is that no person who has won for two years in the same division will be eligible to compete for a prize.

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## WYVONNE MORRIS AWARDED \$100 SAVINGS BOND

## Post Student Wins Area Essay Contest



AREA ESSAY CONTEST WINNERS—Miss Wyvonne Morris (second from left) is shown being presented a \$100 United States savings bond for winning first place in an essay contest sponsored by the Oil Industry Information Committee. Making the presentation is M. C. McNichol, area OIIC chairman. Others in the picture are Miss Frieda Allen of Muleshoe, third place winner, and Al Deakins of Lubbock, second place winner.—(Photo courtesy Lubbock Morning Journal).

Miss Wyvonne Morris, Post High School senior student and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Morris, was presented a \$100 United States savings bond at Lubbock Monday night as first place prize in this year's essay contest conducted by the South Plains area of the Oil Industry Information Committee.

Presentation of Miss Morris' prize and the second and third place prizes highlighted a banquet in the Caprock Hotel honoring the three area student winners.

Second prize, a \$50 bond, went to Al Deakins, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Deakins of Lubbock, and third prize, a \$25 bond to Miss Frieda Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Allen of Muleshoe.

George Prigmore, vice chairman of the Oil Industry Information Committee for the South Plains area, and chairman of the essay contest, presided at the meeting and read the winning essays to the 22 persons attending the banquet.

Official presentation of the awards was made by M. C. McNichol, South Plains area chairman of the committee, and division chief engineer of the Service ESSAY CONTEST, Page 8

## New Medical Clinic Near Completion

Post's new medical clinic, located across the street southwest of the Garza County Memorial Hospital, will be ready for occupancy by Tuesday, Dec. 1, it was reported this week.

Work is under way this week on completion of the concrete slab asphalt tile floor, and minor finishing up details.

The clinic, which houses two sets of offices, is to be occupied by Dr. John R. Rountree and one other physician, not yet announced.

Elbert Davies of Post is contractor on the one-story masonry building, which is being constructed at an approximate cost of \$20,000. Landscaping of the grounds, including a parking area, is to come later.

The offices and two examining rooms in the clinic will be completely and modernly furnished and equipped, it was said.

## Four Given First Aid Following Accident

Four Mexicans received first aid at Garza Memorial Hospital Saturday afternoon for injuries received when a pick-up truck overturned four miles north of Post on the Lubbock highway.

The driver of the crowded truck told investigating sheriff's officers that the vehicle turned over after a tire blew out. Two ambulances were dispatched to the scene.

Thursday to Thursday

By CHARLES DIDWAY

Only 24 shopping days until Christmas!

With Thanksgiving out of the way, we head right into the Christmas season even before all the turkey is gone.

A number of Post residents are reported to be making plans to enter the Chamber of Commerce's home decoration contest.

It's also that time of year when the new calendars start making an appearance.

On its wall calendar, Santa Fe marks the 40th anniversary in its series of pictorial calendars on Southwestern Indians.

Someone asked, after reading our story on the city's street re-naming project, if we knew the names of all the streets before they were changed.

The streets, which fan east and west, start at Third Street on the new map and continue through Fifteenth Street.

The changes in the names of the avenues, which run north and south, are more complicated.

The two short sections just west of the tracks, formerly known as Santa Fe Drive and Garza Avenue, are now known as South Place.

Roger W. Babson Writes This Week.

Cattle Raising An Uncertain Enterprise For Inexperienced Who Do Not Ride Own Ranges

BARBON PARK, Mass.—Although I own a 12,000-acre ranch in Florida, I have never gone in for livestock raising.

Headaches In The Cattle Country
The cattle business is an up and down affair, and is one in which the inexperienced operator can lose his shirt.

Attractive prices were the chief expansion lure. Weekly average cattle prices had soared to \$37.35 a hundredweight by September, 1951.

The Law of Action and Reaction applies as much to the cattle industry as it does to any other industry.

LET US BE THANKFUL . . .

The first Thanksgiving of the Pilgrim Fathers was more than a feast. Above all, it was a day specially set apart for giving thanks.

Let us approach this Thanksgiving Day in the spirit of the Pilgrim Fathers. Let us enjoy the feast, of course; the family reunions, the gatherings with friends.

Let us share with the Pilgrims that unquestioning trust in God, without which they would never have embarked upon their historic voyage.

We are free to grow, to create, to achieve each to the utmost of his own ability, with no shackles of regimentation to curb his ambition or thwart his progress.

Education is the knowledge of how to use the whole of oneself.

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We advise you not to try to find your way around after reading this description of the street name changes.

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Getting Out On The Limb

by EDDIE the editor

THOUGHT FOR TODAY: In two more days tomorrow will be yesterday.

Wonder how long it will be before obsolete A-bombs will start showing up in war surplus stores.

THE WOMEN. GOD BLESS 'EM: Running after them nerve hurt anybody . . . It's the catching them that does the damage.

CITIZENS OF Fredericktown, Ohio, were urged recently by their newspaper, The Knox County Citizen, to rate their town and evaluate themselves by standards suggested in a national magazine recently.

Local speeders pay the same fines as out-of-towners. There's a place to swim within easy reach.

Young couples have little trouble finding a place to live. Town entrances are free from junk, shacks and billboards.

Teachers' salaries are better than the state average. There's at least one doctor per 800 people.

There's a library with a good collection of recent books. Schools have plenty of room for students.

Fire insurance rates are low for your type of town. A modern hospital is within your trading area.

All streets are paved and sidewalks are in good shape. Well-stocked stores keep shoppers in town.

It's easy to find parking space in the business section. At least one restaurant serves outstanding meals.

Sewer extension keeps pace with new projects. More than half the church congregations are under 40.

There's a recreation center where young people can dance. On a few of the above standards, Post measures up 100 per cent; on others it doesn't even rate.

On two of them—there's a place to swim within easy reach—and "schools have plenty of room for students"—something is being done about our deficiencies. I can think of only one other where we fall flat as a pancake.

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Father: "Get up, John. When Abraham Lincoln was your age, do you know what he was doing?"

Son: "No, I don't. But I know what he was doing when he was your age."

Maybe the gal who wears the plunging neckline only does it to show us her heart's in the right place.

There is not so much Minkey business in government as there used to be.

I'VE FOUND THAT one of the best ways to keep up with current affairs without having to read ALL the newspapers and news magazines is to follow the monthly Facts Forum poll.

Does the present easy parole of convicts pose a menace? If a witness refuses to say he is not a Communist do you assume he is?

Should laws on subversion suggested by the Jenner Committee be enacted? Should our government have continued to suppress accounts of atrocities?

Would a non-aggression pact strengthen Russia's hold on its conquests? Should Ike meet and confer with Malenkov?

Should Secretary Benson be replaced? Do you approve of Warren as Chief Justice?

Can the U. N. Charter be successfully revamped? Do you favor a Republican for Congressman over a Democrat next time?

Is the inroad of Communism in Latin America more dangerous to us than our tolerance of Communists in the U. S.? Should the pay scale of school teachers be raised?

Do you favor Ike over the probable Democratic nominee? "Some people are funny," mused the man in the bar.

"I know a man who hadn't kissed his wife for ten years. Then he goes out and shoots a fellow who did."

SUDDEN THOUGHT: If all the autos in the U. S. were put end to end, half of them would try to pull out of line to pass.

The best way to save face is to keep the lower end of it closed.



Let Us Bow Our Heads In THANKS

Today, in the spirit of the first Thanksgiving, let us give thanks to the Creator for all the blessings we have received . . . both as individuals and as Americans . . . a free people, living without fear in a free country.

Our Contemporaries Are Saying

Christmas Is Coming

Sometimes we wonder how on earth Christmas rolls around so fast. It's still well over a month away, but people are already in the stores buying gifts and hiding them from small inquisitive eyes.

never offered to attack anyone. He lives about as well out of water as he does in it. He is some creature. If you care to, you are invited to drop by and see him.—The Santa Anna News.

From All Directions

A conscientious newspaper presents facts from as many sources as possible, setting out both sides and allowing its readers the privilege of making up their own minds.

Reports Cost Millions

More than 1,500,000 man-hours are consumed annually by automobile companies in filling out forms and questionnaires for the Federal government.

Things Are Picking Up

According to some of the things we have seen, the drought has not affected some of the more recent crops. One of the things in mind at the present is the present turnip crop.

Didn't Blink An Eye

A small boy was leading a donkey down the road through an Army camp. Some soldiers, thinking to have some fun, asked, "Why are you holding onto your brother so tightly?"

Gone To The Devil

When we say that a man has gone to the devil, we pronounce sentence on him as a ruined character. The phrase was not always so final.

Worth Fighting For

Our constitution guarantees freedom of speech in this nation. And that is wonderful. It is worth fighting for. It must never be lost.

A Walking Catfish

Now we have another story to tell about the "walking fish." We understand some of our readers failed to believe what we said last week about seeing a walking catfish.

CHARLES DIDWAY E. A. WARREN

Entered at the Post Office at Post, Texas, for transmission through the mails as second class matter, according to an act of Congress, March 3, 1879.

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 manager.

Remembering Yesteryears

Five Years Ago This Week

Miss Melba Miller and Miss Myra Wagoner of Amarillo will spend Thanksgiving here with Melba's parents, the Tom Millers.

Ten Years Ago This Week

The Sub Deb Club members met Wednesday night at Betty Williams' to plan their Christmas party.

Fifteen Years Ago This Week

Luther Thomas has returned from a deer hunt at Mason. Bill Donaldson is advertising eight collie pups for sale this week.

LEVI'S RANCH CAFE

"Where Good Food Is Never Accident"



This is the time of year earth seems to pause, her blessings counting: orchards, vineyards, fields all harvest-ripe; the hillsides burn bright—no mortal artist's brush such color yields—line snugly housed for winter in their byres, smoke curing heavenward from homely fires! Great Lord of Harvesttime, we also pause in thankfulness to count our gifts from You: visions of peace grown clearer; all we love in life—home, freedom, work and friendship true—o nation under heaven so blessed as we—God grant us grace to share abundantly!

SOUTHWESTERN PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY

**Social Event Is Titled As Success**

Experimental social gathering Thursday night for John Miller Post members was a huge success.

**Alleviation Surplus Problem And Price Stability Sought In TBF Farm Problem**

The Texas Farm Bureau has adopted a national farm program which is designed to alleviate the surplus problem and insure price stability in the agricultural industry.

**Tobe-Strawn Field Wildcat Completed In Garza County**

Potential has been taken and a field well completed by Tobe Foster of Lubbock in the Tobe-Strawn field of southwestern Garza County.

**Mahon Supports Ike On Most Test Votes**

Cong. George H. Mahon, who represents this district in the U. S. House of Representatives, voted in line with President Eisenhower's viewpoints 19 times.

**Large Crowd Sees Play At Southland**

A capacity crowd of 300 attended the Southland High School junior class play Friday night in the high school auditorium there.

**Bits Of News From Here and There**

Mrs. Julian Muller of Dallas spent from Tuesday until Friday in Post and Lubbock transacting business and visiting the Giles McCrarys, the A. C. Surmans and other close friends.

**FOR A SHORT TIME ONLY**

**MAIL SUBSCRIPTION RATES GREATLY REDUCED**

**WORTH STAR-TELEGRAM**

AMON G. CARTER, Chairman

**LOOK What You Save in a Full Year Subscription**

**BARGAIN RATES**

**DAILY AND SUNDAY** Regular Price \$18 **13.95** BARGAIN DAY PRICE 7 DAYS A WEEK

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**YOU SAVE \$2.40**

Send Your Order Direct or See Your Home Town Agent

Under the farm plan adopted at the convention, the percentage of tillable acres that are responsible for surpluses would be taken completely out of production.

The No. 5 Justice Heirs flowed six hours on potential for a calculated 24-hour rate of 576 barrels of oil through a 24.64-inch choke.

**ATTEND GOS AFFAIR**

Mrs. Dove Mayfield of Post and Mrs. Opal Pinnell of Southland were among those in Dallas recently for an all-day fellow ship meeting and luncheon at the Masonic Hall.

**JAPANESE SLAVERY**

TOKYO (AP)—Japan still has a "slave" trade. A survey conducted by the women and children's bureau of the Labor Ministry shows nearly 1,200 young boys and girls were sold into service of some kind last year.

**Notice . . . .**

Since business is MIGHTY SLOW And spending is MIGHTY LOW

We had better Try to let everybody KNOW That we are doing our best to SHOW Just a little

More interest in keeping a STOCK More anxiety in losing a sale More joy at seeing you come in

And a LOT MORE

Appreciation for your patronage Interest in keeping what you need

AND

Since we are all IN THE SAME BOAT BE GLAD SHE IS STILL FLOATING FOLKS

We HAVE what you NEED.

**SHORT HARDWARE**

**Dr. Billy J. Welch**

Will be at the Garza Hotel in Post, Texas

**Saturday, Dec. 5th**

To Examine Eyes And Fit Glasses.

**Drs. CAULEY & WELCH**

OPTOMETRISTS

1114 Ave. L Lubbock, Texas

—Phone 57180—

Garza—Brown Brothers et al Production Co. No. 7-G Montgomery-Davies, 530 feet from east and 897 feet from north lines of Section 1222.

Delegates from 139 counties voted to continue supporting wheat at not less than 90 per cent of parity with acreage control and marketing quotas in effect.

The delegates favored sending food and fiber, instead of dollars, to any country receiving U. S. aid where agricultural products are needed.

Speakers at convention included Allan B. Kline, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation; Sen. Lyndon Johnson; Dr. Herbert E. Stotts, professor of sociology of religion, Hiff School of Theology, Denver; and J. Walter Hammond, president of the Texas Farm Bureau.

Miss Jean Jenson left Wednesday for her home in Kilgore for the Thanksgiving holidays.

**PASTOR RESIGNS**

The Rev. Lee Ramsour has resigned as pastor of the First Baptist Church at Tahoka to become pastor of the First Church of Athens, Tex.

**1951 MERCURY FORDOR** radio, heater, over-drive, maroon color. Everything works and it drives good. Priced only . . . . \$1,050.00

**1951 CHEVROLET BEL-AIR SPORT COUPE**, radio, heater, hydramatic drive, plastic seat covers. One owner, 25,000 actual miles. Beautiful Two-Tone Green. \$1,160.00

**1951 PONTIAC EIGHT 2-DOOR SEDAN**, radio, heater, beautiful nylon seat covers, drives like new. Jet black color, priced low at \$1,050.00

**1950 DODGE WAYFARER 2-DOOR SEDAN**. This is good economical transportation and it is a sound running little car . . . . \$595.00

**1950 FORD CUSTOM FORDOR V-8**, radio, heater, plastic seat covers. Dark Blue color . . . . \$695.00

**1948 MERCURY FORDOR SEDAN**, radio, heater, seat covers, spot light, full chrome wheel covers, new paint job. This is an unusually clean car for the year and model . . . . \$475.00

**1950 NASH STATESMAN 4-DOOR SEDAN**. This car has a good motor; in fact, it was overhauled in our shop. It also has an unusually good body. The hitch is that the gears are matted up, but it can be bought for only . . . . \$295.00

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**When you can trust the dealer who sold you a used car, you can trust the car.**

The next question, then, is: Who can you trust most?

We Ford Dealers are established business men with large investments at stake. Our business reputation depends on every business transaction—whether it is a new car sale, a used car sale or a service operation.

We want your used car business, and some day we hope to sell you a new car or another used car. And we want your service business, too!

"But," you say, "granted that you Ford Dealers have reputations to uphold, granted that your mechanics and service facilities make it easier to put your used cars in good shape—how do you compare in price?"

Let us give you some facts and the answer will be obvious. Ford Dealers handle used cars and trucks as a service to customers who trade them for new cars. When we get overloaded with trade-ins, our capital is tied up. Like everyone else, we have to pay our bills. So we must always offer used cars at rock-bottom prices to keep things moving.

You can trust your **FORD DEALER'S USED CARS and TRUCKS**

**TOM POWER, INC.**

"Post's Friendly Ford Dealer"

**New Climate REFRIGERATORS by International Harvester for 1953**



Model L-105-D, 10 cu. ft., \$419.95

It takes 7 different areas of cold—from 6° to 55°—to keep all basic foods in prime condition. International Harvester gives you all 7 of these essential "food climates"—all working at once—in these great, new 7-Climate Refrigerators. Plus . . .

- Push-button Automatic Defrosting
- Big Full-width freezers
- Spring-Fresh Green interior
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Accident Victim Is Buried In Lubbock

Last rites for Mrs. Tressie Kenley of Lubbock and formerly of the Grassland Community, were held Monday in Calvary Baptist Church in Lubbock. Mrs. Kenley was a sister of Mrs. Gus Porterfield of Route 3, Post. Mrs. Kenley died at 10:30 p. m. Saturday in a Spur Hospital of injuries suffered four hours earlier in a two-car collision near Dickens. She and her husband, Lewis, who was not critically injured, were en route to Weatherford to visit their daughter, Miss Lobbie Ruth Burkey, and family. The Rev. C. J. McCarty, Calvary pastor, the Rev. George Dale of Lubbock and the Rev. Cecil Gammon of Fort Worth officiated the funeral service at 2:30 p. m. Burial was in West Memorial Park. Survivors are the husband, one daughter, one granddaughter, her mother, Mrs. D. C. Cook, and one sister. Pallbearers were Hinton Ellis of Post, Roy Appling and Claude Thomas of Grassland and Walter Y. Wells, Henry D. Gill and J. M. Cunningham of Lubbock.

Hospital Notes

Relatives and friends are requested to observe the following schedule of visiting hours at Garza Memorial Hospital: 10 to 11 a. m.; 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m. Admitted to the hospital between last Wednesday and Tuesday afternoon were: Louis Asevedo, Post, accident; Mrs. James L. Minor, Post, obstetrical; Mrs. Pete Rodriguez, Post, obstetrical; Raymon Rivera, McFaddin, medical; Mrs. Boyd V. Copple, Post, obstetrical; Mrs. Annie Mena, Post, medical; Mrs. Lewis Green, Post, medical; Mrs. R. Z. Zunga, Post, medical. Dismissed Mrs. Elmer Long; Mrs. Harold Reno and baby; Louis Asevedo; Mrs. Pete Rodriguez and baby; Katherine Sims (treated and released); Rachel Laray, Marietta Delapoz, Renaldo Delapoz and Feliberta Perez (accident victims Saturday, treated and released); Clarence Heard (treated and released); Kim Wilks (treated and released); Robert Shedd (accident—treated and released); Mrs. Boyd V. Copple and baby; Mrs. James L. Minor and baby; Raymon Rivera; O. L. Herrington (accident—treated and released); Mrs. C. W. Meadow (accident—treated and released); O. R. Carey.

Post Is Represented At PTA Convention

Mrs. Victor Hudman and Mrs. C. R. Smiley returned Friday from San Antonio where they attended the 46th annual convention of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers. Mrs. Hudman, who is president of the Post Parent-Teachers Association, and Mrs. Smiley, treasurer, traveled on a chartered bus with more than 40 other representatives from the 14th District. They report that 4,008 delegates and visitors were at the successful three-day convention which saw Mrs. Leon Price of Dallas, the nominating committee's nominee, elected president. Theme of this year's convention was "Safeguarding Our Freedom Through Responsible Citizenship." Among the speakers was Robert D. Murphy, as United Nations affairs. Approximately 1,800 attended the installation banquet held near the close of the convention. Dr. H. A. Tubbs went to Lubbock Monday to assist Dr. Sam Dunn in major surgery on D. C. Roberts, Sr. Roberts will remain in the West Texas Hospital for several days. Earl Mitchell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Mitchell, underwent a tonsillectomy in Slaton Saturday and returned home Sunday. Interest shown while I was a patient in Scott and White Hospital in Temple. Your flowers, cards and letters meant much and I will always remember your thoughtfulness. Buck Gossett

Public Notice

NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF ROAD BONDS BY COMMISSIONERS' PRECINCT NUMBER 3, OF GARZA COUNTY, TEXAS. The State Of Texas County Of Garza To The Resident Qualified Electors Of Commissioners' Precinct Number 3, Of Garza County, Texas, Who Own Taxable Property In Said Precinct, And Who Have Duly Rendered The Same For Taxation, And To All Other Persons Concerned: TAKE NOTICE that a petition signed by Ed Neff and 57 other persons, being a majority of the resident property-taxpaying voters of Commissioners' Precinct Number 3, of Garza County, Texas, who own taxable property in said precinct, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, has heretofore been submitted to the Commissioners' Court of said County, wherein such petitioners pray the Court for an order for an election on the following proposition: "Whether Or Not the bonds of Commissioners' Precinct Number 3, a political subdivision of Garza County, Texas, shall be issued in the total principal sum of \$30,000, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, gravelled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, and which bonds are to bear interest at a rate not exceeding 3% per annum, and are to be payable at such times as may be deemed most expedient by the Commissioners' Court, but not to exceed ten (10) years from the date thereof; and whether or not ad valorem taxes shall be levied on all taxable property within the said precinct for the purpose of paying the interest on the said bonds and providing a sinking fund for the redemption or payment thereof at maturity." AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that the boundaries of Commissioners' Precinct Number 3, of Garza County, Texas, are described and defined in order of the Commissioners' Court of Garza County, Texas, passed and adopted on the 9th day of May, 1949, and recorded in Volume 4, page 303 et seq., of the Minutes of said Court; and such boundaries are as follows, to-wit: BEGINNING at a point in the North Boundary Line of Garza County where said North Boundary Line of Garza County intersects the East Boundary Line of Section No. 1110, which point is also in the West Boundary Line of Section No. 1109; THENCE Southerly along the East Boundary Line of Section No. 1110 to the Southeast Corner of said Section No. 1110, which corner is also the Northeast Corner of Section No. 1115; THENCE Southerly along the East Boundary Line of Section No. 1115 to the Southeast corner of said Section No. 1115; THENCE Easterly along the North Boundary Line of Section No. 8 to the Northwest Corner of Section No. 1; THENCE Southerly along the East Boundary Line of Sections Nos. 8, 5, 4 and 1 to the Southeast Corner of Section No. 1, K. Aycock Survey; THENCE continuing Southerly in a straight line traversing Section No. 2 to a point in the South Boundary Line of said Section No. 2; THENCE Easterly along the said South Boundary Line of said Section No. 2 to the Northeast corner of Section No. 18, C. & M. R. R. Company Survey; THENCE Southerly along the East Boundary Lines of said Section No. 18 and Section No. 17 to the Southeast Corner of said Section No. 17; THENCE Westerly along the South Boundary Line of said Section No. 17 to the Northeast Corner of Section No. 704; THENCE Southerly along the East Boundary Line of said Section No. 704 to the Southeast Corner of said Section No. 704; THENCE Easterly along the North Boundary Line of Section No. 1201 to the Northwest Corner of said Section No. 1201; THENCE Southerly along the East Boundary Line of said Section No. 1201 to the Southeast Corner of said Section No. 1201; THENCE Westerly along the South Boundary Line of said Section No. 1201 to the Northeast corner of Section No. 1210; THENCE Southerly along the East Boundary Lines of Sections Nos. 1210, 1212, 1218, 1223 and 1225 to the Southeast Corner of said Section No. 1225; THENCE Westerly along the South Boundary Line of said Section No. 1225 to a point in the East Boundary Line of Block No. 13 in said town of Post extended Northerly; THENCE Southerly in a straight line along the East Boundary Lines of Blocks Nos. 13, 26, 39, 52, 65, 79, 93, 119, 132, 143 and 158 in said town of Post to the Southeast corner of said

Block No. 158; THENCE Easterly in a straight line to a point in the East Boundary Line of Section No. 1237, which point is equal distance between the North and South Boundary Lines of said Section No. 1237; THENCE Southerly along the East Boundary Line of said Section No. 1237 to a point in line with the North Boundary Line of Section No. 51 extended Westerly; THENCE Easterly in a straight line and along the North Boundary Lines of Sections Nos. 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 41, 42, 43, and 44 to the Northeast corner of Section No. 44, which corner is also the Northwest corner of Section No. 45; THENCE Southerly along the East Boundary Line of Section No. 44 and West Boundary Line of Section No. 45 to the Southwest corner of said Section No. 45, which corner is also the Northwest corner of Section No. 36; THENCE Easterly along the North Boundary Lines of Sections Nos. 36, 35, 34 and 33 to a point where the North Boundary Line of said Section No. 33 intersects the East Boundary Line of Garza County; THENCE Northerly along the East Boundary Line of Garza County to the Northeast corner of Garza County; THENCE Westerly along the North Boundary Line of Garza County to the place of BEGINNING. AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that the money received from the sale of said bonds will be applied to the further construction and maintenance of roads throughout said Commissioners' Precinct Number 3. AND WHEREAS, the Honorable Commissioners' Court of

Garza County, Texas, has set the above petition down for hearing at a Special session of said Court, to be held in the Commissioners' Court Room in the Courthouse in the City of Post, Texas, on the 10th day of December, 1953, at 10:00 o'clock a. m. and has ordered and directed the undersigned to give notice of such hearing in accordance with law; now therefore, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN of such hearing to all persons concerned in order that they may appear before said Court at the time and place above mentioned, and to attend such hearings, and to contend for or protest the ordering of such proposed bond election, as prayed for in the petition, and at such hearing any person interested may appear before the Commissioner's Court in person, or by attorney, and contend for or protest the calling of such proposed bond election; and all persons interested shall have the right to offer testimony to show that said election prayed for should or should not be ordered. WITNESS MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF GARZA COUNTY, TEXAS, AFFIXED, this 23 day of November, 1953. RAY N. SMITH County Clerk and Ex-officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of Garza County, Texas. (Com. Crt. Seal) Mrs. Gertrude Ward and Linda and Miss Ganell Babt spent the weekend in Fort Worth and Dallas. The Wards visited in the Dell Hester home and Miss Babt was a guest of the N. C. Potter and Hugh Hazlewood families.

BITS-OF-NEWS

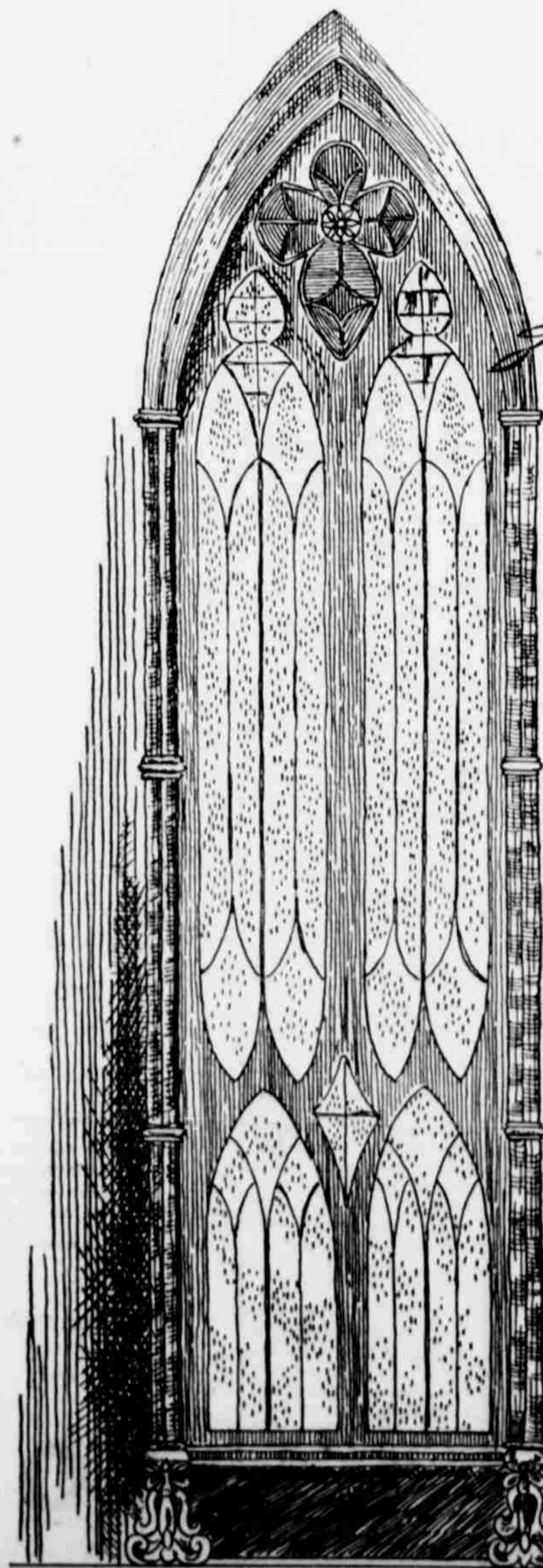
Sunday guests in the L. W. Dalby home were Mr. and Mrs. Giles Dalby and daughter, Elizabeth Ann. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Welch, the goodwill ambassador sent to foreign lands by Christian Women's Fellowship groups, Thursday night at the First Christian church in Lubbock. The colored woman, a former concert entertainer, told of her visits to missionary groups all over the world. Her tour was also sponsored by women's groups from the Presbyterian and other denominations. Jerry Odom returned home Tuesday after receiving Army discharge at Ft. R. K. on Saturday. He was in service for three years. Roy Morrison is spending the weekend in Brownwood with family and friends. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. M. daughters of Ajo, Arizona, were here visiting Mrs. M. and Mrs. M. and Piles' granddaughters and other relatives. Steak contains almost 100 percent protein and 10 percent fat.

Pleasant Valley

Please Send News Not Later Than Monday to Pleasant Valley Correspondent Visitors in the home of Mrs. J. D. Chaffin and Max recently were her daughter, Mrs. Hodo, of Albuquerque, N. M., and a son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Chaffin, of Cheyenne, Wyo. Mrs. Lewis Kenley of Lubbock, who was killed in an automobile accident near Dickens Saturday night, was a sister-in-law of Mrs. Cecil Lee of this community. Visiting in the J. M. Bland home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Bland of Stanton, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Bland and family of Staton and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bland and children. Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Robinson were honored with a surprise supper and gift party on their 22nd wedding anniversary Nov. 17, by the following friends and relatives: Mr. and Mrs. Leo Barker and children, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Mutt Huddleston and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McGehee and children.

Rev. and Mrs. Almon Martin, Sandra and Mickey and Mrs. F. L. Bailey attended the lecture and concert given by Rose Page Welch, the goodwill ambassador sent to foreign lands by Christian Women's Fellowship groups, Thursday night at the First Christian church in Lubbock. The colored woman, a former concert entertainer, told of her visits to missionary groups all over the world. Her tour was also sponsored by women's groups from the Presbyterian and other denominations. Jerry Odom returned home Tuesday after receiving Army discharge at Ft. R. K. on Saturday. He was in service for three years. Roy Morrison is spending the weekend in Brownwood with family and friends. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. M. daughters of Ajo, Arizona, were here visiting Mrs. M. and Mrs. M. and Piles' granddaughters and other relatives. Steak contains almost 100 percent protein and 10 percent fat.

Notice..... I wish to announce to my customers and friends that I have moved my place of business to the Albert Howard Building on North Broadway, across the street north from my old place. This building was formerly occupied by Al's Body Works. I will be open in my new place Friday. This larger building will enable me to better serve my customers. North Broadway Auto Clinic LOYD EDWARDS



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# Society \* Clubs \* Churches \* Personalities

Please Send or Telephone News to GANELL BABB, Women's Editor, Telephone 111, Not Later Than Wednesday Morning.

## Miss Billie Marie Moreland And Roy Proctor Are Married Monday

Billie Marie Moreland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Proctor, became the bride of Roy Proctor, son of Mrs. and Mrs. Proctor of Brownfield, Monday evening.

The Rev. Roy Shahan, pastor, officiated at the double ring ceremony in the First Baptist Church. Altar decorations were of white and green. Candles and taper candles were used.

Miss A. Stallings, organist, accompanied the wedding party. The pre-nuptial ceremony was held at 10:30 a. m. with the bride and groom in the presence of the pastor and the bridesmaids.

The bride wore a white gown with a full skirt and a high collar. She carried a bouquet of white and pink flowers. The bridesmaids wore white dresses with pink accents. The groom wore a dark suit and a white shirt with a dark tie.

The wedding party consisted of the bride, groom, two bridesmaids, two flower girls, and a ring bearer. The ceremony was held in the First Baptist Church, and the reception was held at the home of the bride's parents.

Members of the housewife club, Misses Tommie Williams, Freda Sammie Williams, and Linda Williams, were present at the ceremony. The bride and groom will be at home on Friday, when they will have a party for their friends. For travel Mrs. Moreland will wear a navy suit with a white blouse.

Linda and Margaret presided at the guest list.



## Church News

The public is invited to attend a book review at the Methodist Church at 2 p. m. Monday, Mrs. Cecil Matthews of Lubbock will give the review.

There will be a congregational meeting at the Presbyterian Church during the 11 o'clock hour Sunday.

The Post High School Choir, the Choraleens, will sing at the Sunday morning service at the Church of the Nazarene. The Rev. A. P. Duke, pastor, invites the public to attend.

W.S.C.S. met Monday afternoon with Mrs. Charles Gates, Mrs. R. J. Jennings, Mrs. J. R. Durrett and Mrs. T. L. Jones presented the program. Others present were Mrs. T. R. Greenfield, Mrs. Ellis Mills, Mrs. Lula Floyd, Mrs. R. H. Collier and Mrs. J. E. Parker.

The Rev. J. F. Chatham, pastor of the Church of God of Prophecy, is announcing that a revival meeting will be held at that church beginning Sunday night. State Evangelist Mr. Patterson will be the speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Williams, Mrs. Henry Tate, Mrs. Walter Johnson and the Rev. Roy Shahan of First Baptist Church left yesterday to attend the Baptist Training Union Convention of Texas in Fort Worth. The group will return home Saturday.

Attending a party for the junior department at the Methodist Church Tuesday night were: Jan Haynie, Sherry Custer, Sharon Jobe, Sara Mills, Dale Ann Jones, Ronald Jones, Mark Gates, Joe Bob Trammell, Sharon Moore, Kay Hedrick, John Jones, Clara Frances Smiley, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carpenter and Linda, Mrs. Earl Wrestler and Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Powers and Sheila and Leland.

The Rev. Roy Shahan reports: "Sunday, the Rev. W. O. Harper will be guest speaker at the morning service. Brother Harper is a Baptist Missionary to Nigeria, West Africa and has come home on furlough. Every member of the church is urged to be present and hear him and visitors are welcome. At the evening worship service the pastor will speak on 'Unchanging Values in a Changing World.'"

Five district MYF officers from Lubbock presented the evening service at the First Methodist Church Sunday.

Choir practice will be held at the Methodist Church tomorrow evening. It was postponed from Wednesday because of the union Thanksgiving service.

Luther Bilberry, Mrs. V. L. Peel and Mrs. W. H. Childs were hosts for a Friendship Sunday School Class party at the Methodist Church Monday evening. Games were played and refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Powers, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. Bilberry, Mrs. Childs, Mrs. Peel and the Rev. and Mrs. Charles Gates.

**MYSTIC SEWING CLUB**  
The Mystic Sewing Club will meet tomorrow afternoon in the home of Mrs. R. W. Babb.

## Alpha S. S. Class Meets At Babb's

The Alpha Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church met for a monthly business and social meeting Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. R. W. Babb.

President Mrs. Joe Moore presided over the meeting. Mrs. F. A. Gilley gave the devotional and Mrs. A. A. Suits offered the opening prayer. Mrs. E. E. Cass led in group singing and Mrs. Butler was organist.

Pie with whipped cream, nuts, mints and coffee were served to the following members: Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Marshall Mason, Mrs. C. W. Terry, Mrs. Dave Sims, Mrs. Thelma Kuykendall, Mrs. Cass, Mrs. J. F. Storie, Mrs. S. C. Storie Sr., Mrs. Suits, Mrs. Gilley, Mrs. Butler and Mrs. Babb.

## Lobban Family Has Weekend Reunion

The V. A. Lobban home at Justinburg was the scene of a family reunion last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Adron Lobban and children, Barbara, Charles and Sandra, who have been in Germany for four years were guests of honor.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Alton Lobban and Birch Lee of West Columbia; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stewart and Kenneth Wayne of Odessa; Mrs. C. P. Lobban and Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Greenfield, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Greenfield and sons, Mr. and Mrs. William Greenfield and daughters, and Mrs. John Handy of Colorado City; Miss Janyce Lobban of Tarleton State College in Stephenville; Jerry Ray Key and the Adron and V. A. Lobbans.

## Marianne Maddera Honored At Party

Marianne Maddera, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Maddera, observed her second birthday Friday and was honored at a party given by her mother that afternoon.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served after an hour of play and the honoree had opened her gifts.

Attending were Sam Fred Bailey, Mike and Barbara Ann Bingham, Kay and Ken Herron, Larry and Debbie Cummings, Junior and Gayle Johnson, Lewis Herron, Nancy Robinson, Randy Hudman, Mike and Ricky Johnson and Dawn Bowen.

Adults present were Mrs. Bill Bailey, Mrs. Lewis Herron, Mrs. Walter Johnson, Mrs. Odean Cummings, Mrs. Carroll Bowen and Marianne's aunt, Mrs. A. C. Thomas, who assisted Mrs. Maddera in serving.

## BITS-OF-NEWS

Miss Charline Didway, a senior student in Levelland High School, is spending the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Didway. Other guests for Thanksgiving were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Acker and daughter, Norma, of Brownfield.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Parchman and children of Odessa spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eulas Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Orr and James spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Orr in Hobbs, N. M.

Mrs. Arnold Parrish transacted business in Lubbock Tuesday.

## Miss Murray And Howard Conrad Exchange Vows In Church Rites

Miss Modena Murray and W. Howard Conrad exchanged wedding vows at 6 o'clock, Tuesday evening in the Grassland Church of the Nazarene. The Rev. John R. Ferguson, pastor, officiated.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Murray of Grassland and Mrs. Mae Conrad of Coffeyville, Kans.

Mrs. James Murray, sister-in-law of the bride, played a medley of piano selections and accompanied Miss Wanda Rogers, who sang "I Love You Truly" and "Indian Love Call."

The wedding party stood before an archway of greenery, with arrangements of palms and white mums on either side. Misses Norma Lee Huffaker, cousin of the bride, and Kay Conrad, sister of the bridegroom, lighted candles. They were attired in rose taffeta dresses and wore white wrist corsages.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white satin with lace sleeves and collar. It was fashioned with a fitted bodice with self covered buttons and pointed front waistline and full skirt. Her fingertip veil was attached to a lace headdress. She carried

taffeta roses on a white Bible. Mrs. Bert McDonald of Tahoka, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Misses Wanda Murray, sister of the bride, and Joyce Patterson of Tahoka. Mrs. McDonald wore a dress of green taffeta and carried a bronze bouquet and the bridesmaids wore rose taffeta and carried white bouquets.

Mont Conrad was his brother's best man. Ushers were James Murray and Bert McDonald.

The W. L. Gribble home was the scene of a reception immediately following the ceremony. The lace covered serving table was centered with a three-tiered cake. Punch and cake were served by Misses Sue and Joyce Patterson.

For a trip to Kansas City, Mo., where the couple will be at home, Mrs. Conrad chose a brown two-piece dress with black accessories. The bridegroom is attending the Church of the Nazarene Seminary following his graduation from Coffeyville High School and Bethany-Peniel College in Bethany, Okla. The bride is a graduate of Tahoka High School and Bethany College.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding and reception included the bridegroom's mother, brother and sister.

The couple was honored at a miscellaneous shower Monday evening in the H. D. Gartman home.

## Parents, Teachers Meet Thursday

The regular meeting of the Post Parent-Teacher Association was held recently in the school luncheon. The High School Chorus presented a program consisting of three numbers: "Sit Down Servant," "Deep River," and "The Lord's Prayer."

A high school civics class, led by Gayle Askins, presented a panel discussion on the government of our country.

Room awards for having the most parents present were given to Mrs. E. F. Schmidt's first grade in the primary division, Mrs. Gordon Hamilton's fifth grade in the intermediate division and the eighth grade in the high school division.

## Merrymakers Quilt At Mrs. Peel's

The Merrymakers Club met recently with Mrs. Lonnie Peel for all-day quilting of a friendship quilt for the hostess.

Those who enjoyed a covered dish luncheon at noon were Mrs. Bonnie Adamson, Mrs. L. W. Dalby, Mrs. H. N. Crisp, Mrs. Lucy Richardson, Mrs. J. F. Storie, Mrs. R. E. Bratton and Mrs. H. F. Whitley.

Visitors during the morning were Mrs. Glenn Davis and Mrs. W. H. Childs. Mrs. Dave Sims and Mrs. A. E. Floyd joined the group during the afternoon.

It was announced that the next meeting would be in the home of Mrs. Sims.

## Brownie Fly Up Ceremony Held Friday Night In School Cafeteria

Members of Brownie Troop Three became Girl Scouts following a fly up ceremony Friday evening in the school cafeteria. The program was opened by singing the National Anthem, followed by the flag ceremony. Linda Lott, Lucy Trammell and Barbara Haragan of Troop One were the color guard.

Frances Dietrich, program aide, then led in the Girl Scout promise and each girl lit a candle to represent a scout law. The girls' parents pinned Brownie wings on them and they were presented scout pins by Mrs. James Henderson and Mrs. O. D. Smart, leaders of the troop.

New scout members are Helen Bowen, Olive Henderson, Linda Johnson, Jerilyn Davies, Beth Kemp, Patty Smart, Pinkie Taylor, Mieke Vargas, Clara Frances Smiley, and Judy Altman.

All the parents of the group were present for the ceremony.



**Look Who's New**

A daughter, Joan Marian, was born to Mr. and Mrs. James L. Minor at 3:43 a. m., Nov. 20, in Garza Memorial Hospital. She weighed seven pounds and one-half ounce. The Minors have two other children, Jimmy and Marilyn. Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Mason are the maternal grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd V. Copple are parents of a daughter weighing eight pounds and four and three-fourths ounces, born at 10:08 a. m., Nov. 21, in Garza Memorial Hospital. She has been named Margaret Elaine.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Rodriguez announce the birth of Josephine at 6:38 a. m., Nov. 20, in Garza Memorial Hospital. She weighed seven pounds and eight ounces.

## Bazaar Discussed At Sorority Meet

Mrs. Jess Cornell was hostess for Monday night's meeting of Mu Alpha Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, in the J. R. Durrett home.

The group continued planning for the toy bazaar, which is to be held in downtown Post on Dec. 12. Members brought the toys they have completed to Monday's meeting for display. Committees were named for the bazaar and the group voted to work out last minute details at a called meeting on Thursday evening, Dec. 10, in the home of Mrs. Virgil Short.

A program on "The Ensemble and Psychology of Dress" was given immediately following the business session. Refreshments were served.

Those present were Mrs. Charles Propp, Mrs. Short, Mrs. Jack Rex, Mrs. Gerald Blackburn, Mrs. Jimmy Hundley, Mrs. Burney Francis, Miss Maxine Durrett, Miss Ganell Babb and Mrs. Cornell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. King moved to Snyder Saturday.



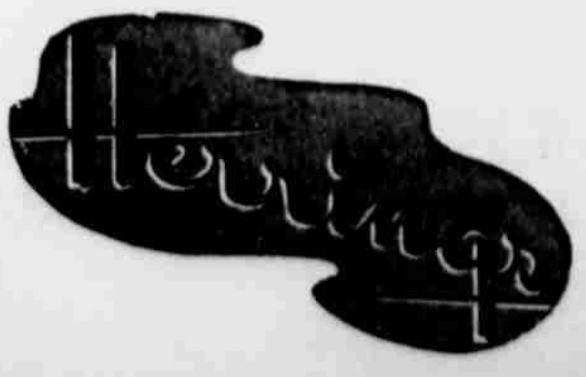
**ADULT LEADERS REWARDED**—Sue Stephens, 4-H Club girl, is shown presenting Silver Clover awards for five years of 4-H leadership to Mrs. Barney Jones, center, and Mrs. Hardie Smith. The awards were made at the recent Achievement Day program.—(Staff Photo).

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## More Than 61,000 Started Collecting SS Old-Age Benefits During Last Year

More than 61,000 persons aged 75 and over started collecting old-age benefits under social security in 1952. John G. Hutton, manager of the Lubbock social security office, said today.

Over one-third of these superannuated beneficiaries reached their seventy-fifth birthday sometime during 1952, he declared. It can be assumed, he added, that most of these 75-year-old workers were employees still working in occupations brought under social security by the 1950 amendments to the law. They had acquired the minimum of a year and a half of work after 1950; consequently, they were able to get the higher benefits payable on covered earnings after 1950.

Mr. Hutton points out, also, that many of them were self-employed persons whose earnings did not start counting toward social security insurance payments until 1951. They are now able to start collecting old-age monthly payments and continue active in their trade or business, as there is no restriction on the amount of a beneficiary's earned income after age 75.

About one-third of the 75-year-old beneficiaries who came on the rolls in 1952 are getting benefits based in whole or in part on work in jobs covered by the social security law before 1951. Many of these are persons who became insured before 1951 but went on working after age 65.

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

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

- November 28**  
Forrest Claborn  
DeAnn Walker  
Mrs. James Foster, Lubbock  
Mrs. Wren Cross  
Ray Cross  
Don Sanders  
Mrs. Joyce Steel
- November 29**  
Delroy Odum  
Coy Newberry  
Louise Wells
- November 30**  
Tommy Bouchier  
Ronald Lee Propst  
E. W. Whitten  
Karen Lanell Laws  
Mrs. Winnie Tuffing  
Mrs. Jon Alan Kelley
- December 1**  
Carolyn Bowen  
Gloria Gay Cook  
Thelma Williams  
Dorothy Kay Kennedy  
Merle E. Jenkins, Colorado Springs, Colo.
- December 2**  
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Judy Leiby
- December 3**  
Mildred Kay Martin  
Lorraine Hall  
Tom Bouchier  
Curtis Ray Steel
- December 4**  
Tommy Road



## Roger Ritenbaugh, Juggler, To Present School Assembly Programs Here Dec. 2

Roger Ritenbaugh, juggler, will be presented in school assembly programs here Wednesday morning, Dec. 2. He will appear at the high school at 9 a. m. and at the grade school at 11 a. m.

The program will be the third in the current series of Southern School Assemblies, of which there is to be seven in all during the 1953-54 school year.

Local school officials said the assemblies were contracted on a "package" basis and that the 15 cents per show admission charge is intended only to pay the cost.

Ritenbaugh had a diversified background before becoming a full-time entertainer.

During World War II, he served 3 years in the U. S. Army Air Corps. After attending several Air Force Technical Training

Schools in radio and gunnery, he was assigned to a crew on a B-17 bomber. He was then sent overseas to England via Labrador, Iceland, and Northern Ireland. While stationed in England he completed 31 high altitude combat bombing missions on a Flying Fortress. He holds the Distinguished Flying Cross and the Air Medal with Oak Leaf Clusters.

Upon discharge from the service at the end of the war, Roger decided to get some formal art training with the idea of becoming a commercial artist. He enrolled at the Arts Institute of Pittsburgh and surrounded himself with pencils, charcoal, paints and brushes. In the meantime, he became fascinated in another art, the art of juggling. At first it was only a hobby, but there were times when he would spend more time at his practice juggling sessions than at his art work.

Discovering it was more fun entertaining people with his amusing juggling manipulations than being lunched over a drawing board, Roger left for New York City to get some schooling in the theatrical industry. He took a short course at the Jackson School of Stage and Radio, located on Broadway itself. Besides the school training, he

gained additional experience by appearing on the vaudeville programs of numerous theatres in New York City.

Since then, Ritenbaugh has entertained at country clubs, supper rooms, and schools and universities throughout the East. His highly entertaining variety program consists of ventriloquism, featuring the precocious Eddie O'Day, amazing feats of juggling skill, voice impressions of famous stars of screen and radio, hilarious phono-mimicry, and unbelievable stunts in balancing on the unicycle.



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## Pastor Reports On Washington Visit

The Rev. Charles R. Gates, First Methodist Church pastor, was on the program recently at the annual district conference of Lubbock District of the Methodist Church, held in Lubbock.

The Post pastor reported on his recent attendance in Washington, D. C., at a meeting on temperance and good citizenship. He attended as district director of the Board of Temperance.

Semi-annual reports of the 26 pastors on work of the 32 churches in the district were heard and reports on various fields of work were presented.

The conference sermon was delivered at 11:40 a. m. by Dr. J. Howard Crawford, pastor of La Mesa First Methodist Church and former superintendent of the Stamford District.

Finland is slightly larger than New Mexico.

## Waldrip And Dale Election Victors

Larry Waldrip was elected president of the newly organized Post High School Student Council last week in a spirited election which ended in a dead-heat on the first vote count.

When the polls closed at 10 a. m. the Black and Gold candidates of Waldrip and Don El Dale, for vice president, went tied with the opposition—Billy Layne Gray for president and Donald Moore for vice-president.

The polls were reopened for three hours before the contest was finally decided.

Others elected were Gayle Atkins, secretary and Nora Bruton,

## Minister Is Speaker At Assembly Program

The Rev. Shelby Bishop, Calvary Baptist Church pastor, spoke on "The Home" Wednesday morning of last week in a Post High School assembly.

Rev. Bishop's talk was the first in a series to be presented by local pastors in high school assemblies during the 1953-54 school year.

The next talk in the series will be on "The Church," Dec. 9, by the Rev. Gerald N. Blackburn, First Presbyterian Church pastor.

Class representatives to the council and a faculty advisor are to be chosen later.

## TREASURE HUNT

WETUMKA, Okla. (AP)—Mrs. Ben Nevel lifted up a brick in her front yard and found a dollar bill. Now, her husband reports, all the stones and bricks on the place are being turned over by his wife.

From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

**The Missus Keeps Posted**

Ever since our electricity was cut off last year on account of me forgetting to mail in the payment, the Missus has been sort of leery about giving me letters to mail.

At first she'd ask if I mailed them, then double-check my coat pocket at night. This stopped that, and I figured she was convinced I'd learned my lesson.

Then yesterday, I got a postcard at the office in a familiar handwriting. I turned it over and by golly it was from the Missus herself! It read: "Thanks, Joe, for mailing my letters." Well!

Looks like she figured I still needed some checking-up and slipped that postcard in the last batch of letters.

From where I sit, an occasional check-up is a good thing. Check-ups on just how tolerant we are of other people's preferences and tastes, for example. I like a glass of beer with supper, you may prefer cider—but if I ever try to switch you to my choice, simply "address" me with a reminder of your rights.

Joe Marsh

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**Post Student Wins Honor At Hockaday**  
Miss Patricia Jean Lott, a Second Form student at Hockaday Preparatory School in Dallas has been awarded one of the highest honors of the school. Miss Lott was one of the nine recipients of the Courtesy Cap awarded for a girl's outstanding thoughtfulness in all her relationships. Miss Lott is spending the Thanksgiving holidays here with her parents.

**General Office New Gas Company To Be Set Up In Amarillo**  
C. I. Wall, president of West Texas Gas Company, has announced that an application has been filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission by Southwestern Development Company, a registered holding company with offices in New York to simplify its corporate structure by transforming its holding company system into a single operating natural gas utility company incorporated in the State of Texas, and a natural gas producing company, also incorporated in the State of Texas. The application further provides for the dissolution of Southwestern. The present Southwestern system consists of: Amarillo Gas Company, Amarillo Oil Company, Clayton Gas Company, Dalhart Gas Company, Red River Gas Company and West Texas Gas Company. The new operating company will be Pioneer Natural Gas Company, with general office in Amarillo and a large division office in Lubbock. Operations of the present gas production, transmission and distribution properties will be carried on generally in the same manner and with the same personnel as heretofore.

**Acreage Allotments Expected Before Dec. 15 Referendum**

Garza County farmers can expect to receive their cotton acreage allotments before the Dec. 15 cotton referendum, said Mike E. Custer, county office manager of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, formerly PMA. Custer said that every farmer in the United States would receive his allotment before the election so that he might have further information in helping him decide how to vote. He further explained that the Dec. 15 referendum is not being held to decide whether the United States shall or shall not have cotton allotments. Allotments have been declared and will be effective next year, he said. The referendum is to decide what penalties will be assessed to those who overplant their allotment and what per cent of parity will be received for the crop. Marketing quotas only will be voted upon, he said. "If when voted upon, marketing quotas as passed or approved by a two-thirds majority of the voters, farmers will receive 90 per cent of parity for their cotton. Those whose production in 1954 is in excess of their allotted acreage will be assessed a 45 per cent of parity penalty also, under this provision, he said. "If more than one-third of the voters reject marketing quotas, a 50 per cent of parity program will be set up for those farmers who do not overplant their allotments," he said. "Farmers should be reminded," he said, "that whether the price support is 90 or 50 per cent, those farmers who overplant their allotted acreage are not eligible for price supports. Neither can they put the cotton in the Commodity Corporation Government Loan program." It is expected that balloting stations will be designated for the Dec. 15 referendum late this month.

**Discuss Plans For Area Polio Drive**

Plans for the 1954 March of Dimes in this area were discussed Thursday when representatives from 11 area counties gathered for a pre-campaign meeting in Lubbock. Bob English of Abilene, West Texas state campaign representative, discussed the polio vaccine progress, highlighting the fact that a million second grade children would be given the trial vaccine in a vast field experiment starting Feb. 8. The campaign starts Jan. 2 with a national goal of \$75 million, \$26,500,000 of which will be dedicated to the foundation's new program of polio prevention, which includes approximately two million doses of gamma globulin. No announcement has yet been made in regard to Garza County's organization for the campaign. In the 1953 drive, Walter Crider was county chairman of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, and Pat Henderson was drive chairman.

**Large Crowd Attends Brotherhood Banquet**

One hundred and twenty-five men and boys attended the recent Brotherhood banquet and program at First Baptist Church. E. E. Wallace, chairman from Snyder, was guest speaker. The Rev. Roy Shaban, pastor, gave the invocation and dedicatory and Elmer Butler directed the song service. Visitors were recognized and announcements were made before special music by a quartet, composed of Ray N. Smith, Henry Tale, Elmer Butler and A. A. Suits.

**AA Meeting Is Held At City Hall Here**

Approximately 70 persons attended an Alcoholics Anonymous meeting here Sunday afternoon and heard speakers from Austin and Lubbock. Sponsored by the local AA chapter, the meeting was held at the City Hall. Cake and coffee were served.

**BITS-OF-NEWS**

Mrs. F. I. Bailey is spending the holiday weekend in Snyder with Mrs. Gerrie Smith and Mrs. W. B. Stanfield. Mr. and Mrs. Phil Bouchier and Tommy spent Sunday in Snyder with the Joe Strayhorns. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hudman and Carolyn spent the weekend in Midland with Mr. and Mrs. James Bagwell. Sammy Kendrick and Kenneth Murphy of Brownfield visited here Saturday afternoon with Walter Didway, who returned home with them on the weekend.

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### New Student Council Election Is Ordered

A shining example of democracy was displayed this week at Post High School when results of the recent Student Council election were declared null and void and a new election ordered.

The new election, set for Wednesday, was called after the ballots cast in last week's election were contested. So close was last week's balloting that the first election ended in a dead-heat. In the second voting session, the Black and Gold candidates won by a narrow margin over the Addax ticket.

The Black and Gold candidates for president and vice-president are Larry Waldrip and Don El Dale. Addax candidates are Billy Layne Gray and Donald Moore.

### Main Street - - -

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view, "Down to Earth," at the Methodist church Monday at two. The reviewer, Mrs. Cecil Matthews, makes her reviews "come alive" and Maggie and all the other women of the Methodist church hope that all you women will hear the Lubbock speaker. Always gives us a lift to see Mrs. W. R. Graeber of Graeber's Corner Grocery. This love of a lady is running the traditional Thanksgiving ad in the Post Dispatch, a custom started more than a quarter of a century ago by her late husband. Graeber's store has been serving the people of this area since 1915.

### Carbon Monoxide Is Among Deadliest Of All Poisonous Gases

AUSTIN (Sp.)—There is no doubt that carbon monoxide—associated with gas heaters—is one of the most deadly and least publicized of all the poisonous gases, said Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer. Carbon monoxide is formed when there is not enough oxygen mixed with the burning gas, or when the design and operation of the equipment is faulty.

With a toxicity comparable to the gases that have been used in warfare not enough attention has been given to the deadly effects of prolonged exposure to carbon monoxide. This gas claims far more than its share of accidental deaths in Texas.

Dr. Cox makes the following recommendations for use of gas heaters:

1. Make sure the heater is properly adjusted.
2. Use metal tubing for connecting stove to gas line and check for leaks.
3. Always ventilate a room when the heater is burning.
4. Do not use any artificial gas in a heater designed for natural gas.
5. Never let the stove burn all night.

Carbon monoxide from automobile exhausts is a big health hazard warns Dr. Cox. He said many motorists have wrecked their cars and been listed as a highway death when carbon monoxide was the real killer. Cars should never be run in garages with the doors closed.

It is estimated that about 1.8 billion pounds of detergents are manufactured in the United States in a year.

### Name Change Turns PMA Into The ASC

The name of the Production and Marketing Administration hasn't been shortened, but it has been changed.

What was known as the PMA is now the "Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation" (ASC). Mike E. Custer, Garza County officer manager, reports.

A letter from R. T. Price, Texas state administrative officer, informed Custer that the new name was in keeping with the reorganization of the department.

The change is to take effect immediately. Custer was informed.

### Graham News

By MRS. DILLARD THOMPSON  
Please Send News Not Later Than Monday To Graham Correspondent

Mrs. Mary Lee Wristen will accompany Mr. and Mrs. J. Weldon Bennett and Mrs. K. Czerwiec of Wolforth to Dallas this week where they will attend the State Teachers Convention.

Pvt. and Mrs. Jon Alan Kelly arrived here Monday on a 10 day leave from Camp Chaffee, Ark. They are guests of her parents, the Bud Masons. Pvt. Kelly has just completed his basic training.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Propst spent the weekend in Arlington with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Propst, and her mother and sisters and their families. Mrs. W. N. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Bowman and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bloomer and daughter. They enjoyed an early Thanksgiving dinner Sunday at Mrs. Miller's.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Sparlin and family of Andrews visited from Wednesday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cowdrey and with his relatives in Post.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Bush had as their Sunday dinner guests her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Fluit, Sr. Afternoon visitors were Mrs. George Carpenter of Close City, Mrs. Chuck Gurley and Paula of Post, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bush and Mrs. Burney Francis and Neal and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Haley and girls of Garnolia.

Allen and Robert Johnson of Pleasant Valley and Mrs. R. W. Babb of Post were Friday night guests of the W. A. Odens.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Crockett and Loma Dale have returned home after spending several months working in South Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Floyd of Close City and the Delmer Cowdreys visited in the Bryan Maxey home Sunday.

Mrs. C. R. Baldwin visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. Cleo Baldwin, in Portales, N. M., from Thursday until Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jason Justice and girls of Petersburg and Mr. and Mrs. Avon Dunlap of Lubbock were Saturday night and Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gossett.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright spent Sunday afternoon in Slaton with her mother, Mrs. A. F. Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. Furman Chapman and son of Tahoka and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Norman visited Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Burks and sons Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray McClellan and family spent Sunday in Post with the Bill Stone family.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Oden went to Loveland Sunday for a visit with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Oden and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Quanah Maxey and girls and Marie Howard spent Sunday at Roaring Springs. They attended a birthday dinner honoring Mrs. Maxey's father, J. D. Green, on his 79th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mason moved to Lorenzo last Thursday.

Gene Peel of Close City and Clarky Cowdrey were Sunday dinner guests of the Glenn Davises. Afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Cowdrey, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lonnie Peel.

Visiting in the Dillard Thompson home Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Jess Gregg and Brent, Gail and Judy of Ropes, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Roberts and Nedra of Grassland and Jan White of Garnolia. Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Oden and Debra.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dee Jones and family of Andrews spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Peel and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ramage and daughters of Grassland spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ethridge and family.

Mrs. R. E. Josey and daughters of Post spent Sunday with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Chandler.

Mrs. James Stone gave a birthday dinner and theatre party Monday night for her daughter, Leta, in observance of her 12th birthday. Enjoying the occasion with Leta and her family were Kay Maxey and Rea Peel.

Mrs. J. F. Mason, Mrs. Grover Mason and Mrs. Ray McClellan were in Lubbock Friday.

Visiting the Alfred Odens Sunday were Darrel and Glen Roberts of Close City and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Banks.

Mrs. Elvie Peel and Mrs. Chester Morris visited at Verbena Friday with Mrs. John McQuien and Mrs. Hal Jones and baby.

A large group from this community went to the basketball games at Fluvanna Friday night. The local boys won 26-18 and the Graham girls won 19-10.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Morris and Wynonne were in Lubbock Monday night for a banquet at the Caprock Hotel. Wynonne was awarded a \$100 bond as first place winner in the Oil Progress Week essay contest. Mrs. Ray N. Smith and C. D. Lee accompanied the Morrises to Lubbock.

The "Great Brood" of Cicadas (17 year locusts) appeared in 1953; the next of this large brood, also known as "Brood 10" is due to appear in 1970.

### Yule Lights - - -

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In that division in this year's contest. For instance, winner of the exterior prize for two years would not be eligible to compete for that same prize again this year, but would be eligible in all the other divisions.

Last year's Class A winners were:

Exterior: Mrs. O. L. Weakley, first; Mrs. J. E. Brown, second; Mrs. John Hopkins, third.

Window: Mrs. Charles Benson, first; Mrs. Clint Herring, second; Mrs. Bud Everett, third.

Doorway: Mrs. Johnnie Beggs, first; Mrs. A. A. Ferguson, second; Mrs. Robert Cox, third.

Outdoor tree: Mrs. Kenny Cash, first.

Class B winners were:

Window: Mrs. Jim Hays, first; Mrs. V. F. Bingham, second.

Outdoor tree: Mrs. Alton Clary, first.

Accompanying Miss Morris to Lubbock were her parents, Chant D. Lee, Post High School principal, and Mrs. Ray N. Smith, English teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reed of Fayetteville, Ark., visited recently in the home of his father, D. W. Reed, west of Post. They were en route to California, and also visited in the Lovel Edwards home here. Weekend guests of the D. W. Reeds were Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wilks, Sr.

### BITS-OF-NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Duren, Jr., have moved here from Carlsbad, N. M. Duren, a trouble shooter for the telephone company in Carlsbad for the past year, is replacing Oscar Whittaker at the local plant. He has been doing telephone repair work since his graduation from Post High School in 1946, including the two years he was in the service and stationed in Ft. Richardson, Alaska. The couple is living with his aunt, Mrs. J. O. Hays.

Among the Postites who attended the Tech-Houston football game in Houston Saturday and who rode the special trains from Lubbock were Mr. and Mrs. Willard Kirkpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. Kay Stoker, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Pennington and daughter, Ann, Mr. and Mrs. "Chuff" Benton and daughter, Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Giles Dalby, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Evans, Jack Kirkpatrick, son of the Kirkpatrick's, was one of Tech's star players; and Bobby Pennington, son of the Penningtons was a member of the ROTC Drill team that performed in the parade down Houston's Main Street and during half-time ceremonies at the Houston University gridiron. Other Post members of the drill team were Bernie Welch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Welch and Don Tatum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Farmer.

T. L. Jones and Joe Moss were among the large group of friends of this area who attended funeral services in the Episcopal Church in Sweetwater for Philip Young last Monday. Young, former Garza county citizen, was the son of the late Judge Arthur Young, Sr., and Mrs. Youngs who lived here in the 1920s. He practiced law here and in Sweetwater where he and his wife lived. He was a veteran of World War I and II and died in the Veteran's Hospital in Big Spring, having been a patient there since June. His wife, Alier, who taught school here before she and Mr. Young married, survives, as does his mother of Baird, Tex., and several brothers and sisters.

The Rev. and Mrs. Charles Gates and family left last night for Pampa to spend Thanksgiving with his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Phil H. Gates, and his brother, Dr. Phil A. Gates, and family.

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BABY FOOD	STRINGLESS, RENOWN 303 CAN <b>19c</b>
<b>Whole Green Beans</b>	BI-LO, 16 OUNCE BAG <b>99c</b>
TWIN HARBORS, 1 LB. CAN <b>43c</b>	PECAN HALVES <b>99c</b>
SALMON	PETER PAN, REF. JAR, 1 LB. 2 OZ. <b>59c</b>
MARYLAND CLUB, DRIP, 1 LB. CAN <b>95c</b>	PEANUT BUTTER <b>59c</b>
COFFEE	NORTHERN, GUEST QUALITY <b>17c</b>
BAKER'S, 8 OZ. BAG <b>27c</b>	NAPKINS <b>17c</b>
COCONUT	McAFEE'S, 3 1-2 LB. BAG. <b>\$1.29</b>
REX, IMITATION, 5 LB. 6 OZ. JAR <b>75c</b>	CHRISTMAS CANDY
FRUIT JELLY	NORTHERN 200 COUNT <b>2 for 25c</b>
<b>FACIAL TISSUE</b>	WOLF BRAND, 1 LB., 1 OZ. CAN <b>29c</b>
IVORY, PERSONAL SIZE <b>4 for 25c</b>	TAMALES <b>29c</b>
SOAP	DROMEDARY, 1 1-4 POUND BOX, PACKED IN THE PAN YOU BAKE <b>79c</b>
<b>FRUIT CAKE MIX</b>	IN HEAVY SYRUP, HUNT'S 300 CAN <b>29c</b>
LARGE FIRM HEADS, POUND <b>12 1/2c</b>	BLACKBERRIES <b>29c</b>
LETTUCE	SEA FEAST, 1-2 CAN <b>30c</b>
NEW CROP, POUND <b>42c</b>	PINK SALMON <b>30c</b>
WALNUTS	LIFEBUOY, BATH SIZE <b>3 for 29c</b>
NO. 1 RED, POUND <b>5c</b>	SOAP <b>21c</b>
POTATOES	NIBLETS, 12 OUNCES, VACUUM PACK <b>21c</b>
FRESH BUNCH <b>2 for 15c</b>	MEXICORN <b>21c</b>
RADISHES	U. S. GRADED, GOOD CHUCK <b>49c</b>
FANCY RED DELICIOUS, POUND <b>19c</b>	ROAST <b>49c</b>
APPLES	POUND PORK STEAK <b>49c</b>
FANCY FLORIDA, POUND <b>10c</b>	POUND BACON SQUARES <b>39c</b>
GRAPEFRUIT	ORANGES <b>10c</b>

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RECIPIENTS—Receiving third or fourth pins at the 4-H Club Achievement Day were these nine girls. The three in front are, left to right: Marilyn Steele, Jennell and Ruth Ann Long. In the

back row, left to right, are: Janie Morris, Shirley McBride, Janet Stephens, Linda Livingston, Sandy Cross and Donnetta Ellis.—(Staff Photo).



WINNERS—These 4-H Club boys awarded first or second year pins Achievement Day program in the county court room. They are, left to right: Lonnie Gene Morris, Darrell Roberts, Carroll Cowdrey, Jerry Ligon (in front), Edges, Charles Morris (in front), Del-

win Fluitt, Don Long, Dean Huddleston (in front), Ned Myers, Fred Myers, Don Richardson and Roy McCullough. A number of boys were not present to receive their awards, which were presented by County Agent Lewis Herron.—(Staff Photo).



YEAR PINS—This group of 4-H Club awarded first or second year pins Achievement Day program Nov. 17 in courtroom. They are, left to right, Joyce Wartes, Janyce Ellis, Shirley

Morris, Beatrice Klessel, Linda Bartlett, Frances Barron, Carolyn Moore; back row: Minnie Lee Mathis, Anne Messer, Linda Messer, Sharon Jobe, Pat Wheatley and Barbara Blacklock.—(Staff Photo).

**ORS TO MEET**  
The Post Rotary meet at 4 o'clock Monday at the First Street Chant D. Lee, announces. It will be a monthly meeting of the club.

**OPERETTA PRACTICE**  
Post Grade School pupils are practicing on an operetta, "Scrooge's Christmas," for presentation in December. Directed by Miss Wanda Rogers, the operetta is an adaptation of Dickens' "Christmas Carol."

**HOME FROM HOSPITAL**  
L. E. "Buck" Gossett, Precinct 2 county commissioner, has returned from Temple, where he recently underwent major surgery. He is able to be up and around and attended a commissioners' meeting Monday.

**Spur, District 5-AA Champions, Meet Andrews In Bi-District Playoff Tilt**

The Spur Bulldogs, District 5-AA champions, will play the Andrews Mustangs, winners in District 6-AA, at Andrews at 2 p. m. today in the bi-district playoff.

Spur "sewed up" the district title Friday night by crushing the Tahoka Bulldogs, 45-7, in a game played at Spur. Andrews, tied with Levelland and Kermit for the top spot in District 6-AA, won the right to represent the district in the playoffs on the flip of a coin.

The Spur eleven is one of the state's few remaining undefeated and untied teams. Andrews' only defeat has been at the hands of

the Levelland Lobos, 21-20.

Final standings in District 5-AA are:

Season	W	L	T	Pct.
Spur	10	0	0	1,000
Floydada	9	1	0	900
Tahoka	7	3	0	700
Post	5	5	0	500
Slaton	5	5	0	500
Abernathy	4	5	0	444

District	W	L	T	Pct.
Spur	5	0	0	1,000
Floydada	4	1	0	800
Tahoka	3	2	0	600
Post	1	4	0	200
Abernathy	1	4	0	200
Slaton	1	4	0	200

**'Choralteens' Are Facing Busy Weeks**

Post High School's a cappella choir, "The Choralteens," faces busy weeks throughout the remainder of the 1953-54 school term, according to their director, John Christopher.

Sunday, the choir began a series of church appearances here when they sang at the First Methodist. This Sunday, they will sing at the Church of the Nazarene, and on the following Sunday at the First Presbyterian.

The choir will be seen on television for the first time when it appears between 6 and 6:30 p. m. Thursday, Dec. 3, on station KDUB-TV, Lubbock.

During the next few weeks the choir will be practicing its 1954 concert numbers, while at the same time making local and out-of-town appearances, including visits to neighboring schools, Christopher said.

At all these choir programs, a male triple quartet formed from the group will also sing.

**'Back To God's Country' Is To Show At Tower Theatre Sunday And Monday**

Violence in the vast reaches of the Far North and the passions of men as lawless as the land that spawned them are ruggedly brought to the screen in Universal-International's

Technicolor production of James Oliver Curwood's great novel "Back to God's Country," which shows Sunday and Monday at the Tower Theatre with Rock Hudson, Marcia Henderson and Steve Cochran in starring roles.

This is a story of raw conflict, from the moment fur-skipper Hudson and his young bride, Marcia Henderson, the only woman for hundreds of miles, are marooned in the relentless Arctic wastes. From then on, with only a monstrous Great Dane called Wapi at their side, it is a bruising struggle against the fury of nature and the savagery of men.

**Miss Sale Delights Concert Audience**

Miss Virginia Sale's expertly portrayed "Americana" characterizations were thoroughly enjoyed and warmly received Saturday night at the Post Grade School auditorium in the second presentation of the season for the Garza Town Hall and Concert Association.

Miss Sale's rare attention to detail was something to be seen rather than described. Perhaps the biggest hit she made with the audience was when she slyly brought to life a delightful old school teacher.

Cochran, ruler of a frozen empire, is covetous of Miss Henderson. When his plot to get Hudson out of the way fails he takes Rock on in one of the wildest hand-to-hand battles ever filmed. And Marcia's long trek over the wild snow country with Rock to reach civilization and medical aid is a memorable race for life with Wapi delivering a savage finish to the transgressors.

Producer Howard Christie and Director Joseph Pevney have made "Back to God's Country" a real saga of conquest and conflict, climaxed by a thundering snow avalanche.

Hugh O'Brien, as a cultured culprit in an untamed land, lends an excellent supporting cast.

**Post Is Invited To Have Special Day At Fort Worth Show Jan. 29-Feb. 7**

Post has been extended an invitation by President Manager W. R. Watt to have a special day at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth. Dates of the show are Jan. 29 through Feb. 7.

The letter received here states:

"For 57 years now, the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show has been serving the livestock industry of this great section. The show has grown steadily through the years due to the support it has received from many individuals and cities.

"We are already putting into motion the plans for the 1954 show, and it is a pleasure to extend an invitation to Post to have a special day.

"Your community's participation and help in the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show will be publicized before and during your visit, and you will all have a good time while attending the show. We will be looking for your acceptance soon."

**Six Guilty Pleas Are Heard In J. P. Court**

Pleas of guilty on three drunk charges and three traffic violations are reported in the court of Justice of the Peace J. D. King.

Each of the drunk charges resulted in fines of \$1 and costs. Two of the traffic violation charges brought penalties of \$1 and costs, but a \$5 fine and costs penalty was assessed in the third case.

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Let Us Bow Our Heads in THANKS.

Today, in the spirit of the first Thanksgiving, let us give thanks to the Creator for all the blessings we have received... both as individuals and as Americans... a free people, living without fear in a free country.

Like the Pilgrim Fathers, let us humbly acknowledge our debt to the Divine Providence for all that we are and may hope to become. Like them, let us bow our heads in a prayer of gratitude to the Giver of "every good and perfect gift."

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**Bits Of News From Here and There**

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"I FLEDGE ALLEGIANCE"—Sidney Hart (left) and Ruben Jimenez, members of Boy Scout Troop 16, raised the flag to the top of the flagpole Wednesday of last week in a ceremony on the Post Grade School campus. The flag and flagpole were given to the school by John Miller Post 6797 of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.—(Staff Photo).

**Justiceburg News**

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**JEANE WINKLER**  
Justiceburg Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Mathis of Garfield were recent guests of the H. A. Winklers.

A. V. McCowen and Jack Ainsworth have returned home after working for several weeks in New Mexico and Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Heintz and Mrs. A. V. McCowen and Bobby were recent business visitors in Colorado City.

Haskell Odum, who is attending Texas Tech in Lubbock, recently visited friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mize of Canyon spent Sunday night of last week in the E. A. Morgan home.

Lloyd Baugh, who is employed in Lubbock, spent the weekend here with his family.

Fred Taylor and Ann of Dermott visited in the A. V. McCowen home Saturday of last week.

Bud Cross of Hermleigh was a recent guest of the Sid Crosses.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Caffey of Post visited Sunday of last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Caffey, Jr. and daughter.

Mrs. Clyde McAllister and girls have recently returned home af-

**County Records**

**County and Marriage Licenses**  
**Real Estate Transfers**  
**Oil and Gas Leases**  
**Deaths and Births**

**Warranty Deeds**  
Gray Browne to Ruth Browne, the W 1/2 of Section 63, all of Sections 64, 65, 67 and 69, Block 8, H & G N Ry. Co. Consideration \$1.

Esstella May Voss to Glenn G. Voss, et al, 1/4 interest in 119 acres in the Northeast corner of Survey 1318, Block 1, H & O B R R Co. Consideration \$4,462.50. \$4.95 revenue stamps.

Esstella May Voss to Glenn G. Voss, et al, 1/2 interest in 97.1 acres, out of the Northeast Quarter of Section 1314, Block 1, H & O B R R Co. Consideration \$3,637.50. \$4.40 revenue stamps.

Glenn G. Voss, et al to Esstella May Voss, dated 97.1 acres out of the Northeast Quarter of Section 1314, Block 1, H & O B R R Co. Consideration \$7,679.17. \$8.80 revenue stamps.

Kewanee Oil Company to Joe Thomas, Lots 6, 7 and 8, Block 62, Post. Consideration \$8,800. \$9.80 revenue stamps.

**Marriage License**  
Lester Lee Proctor, 17, and Miss Billie Marie Moreland, 17.

**The Rev. F. M. Wiley of Lubbock** visited Friday in the J. T. Paddy home.

Wilson Connell Ranch at Polar-

Ed Scott has returned home after spending two weeks at the

former residents Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Chambers and twin sons Steve and Cleve, visited here last Wednesday.

Cecil Smith is reported in satisfactory condition after undergoing surgery in Garza Memorial Hospital in Post last week.

Mrs. Walker of Sweetwater visited Mr. and Mrs. Mason Justice and Mr. and Mrs. Elton Nance last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Evans of Slaton visited friends in this community Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mize are visiting his father in Houston.

H. A. Winkler, Sr. and R. L. of Tahoka visited Monday with Mrs. H. A. Winkler, Jr. and Jeane.

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**Close City News**

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**MRS. WILL TEAFF**  
Close City Correspondent

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bon Longshore Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lancaster of Southland and Mr. and Mrs. Irving Cross and Terry of Verbena.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Murray of Paducah were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wright.

Sam Wilson and son of Slaton visited R. B. and Bera Wilson Sunday.

Auda Vee Teaff was brought home Tuesday from Lubbock Memorial Hospital, where he underwent surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Custer and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Childs have been in Slaton recently with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Custer, who are ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mason and granddaughter, Mary, of Wilson spent Sunday afternoon in the home of his parents, the L. R. Masons and with his sister, Mrs. A. M. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Blacklock of Post visited in the R. V. Blacklock home Sunday.

Visiting in the R. E. Bratton home recently were Mr. and Mrs. Austin Bratton of Kermit and Mr. and Mrs. Don Carson of California.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Wheatley are with his father who is ill in Waxahatchie.

The Rev. and Mrs. Nichols of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Moss of Lamesa and the Paul Foster family of Snyder recently visited the A. O. Rosenbaums.

Guests in the Will Teaff home last week were Mr. and Mrs. Dee Teaff and Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Teaff of Merkel, the Milton Bayer family of Lubbock and Bunny Smith, Hazel Shults and Beverly Bartlett.

Mrs. Bernie Jones and Mrs. Jim Barron attended the Baptist Workers Conference in Slaton last Tuesday.

Mrs. Ruby Barcus has accepted a job as nurse in Colorado City Hospital.

Eldon Roberts of Abilene visited in the Will Teaff home Tuesday night.

W.M.U. met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Walter Brown for Bible study, conducted by Mrs. Will Teaff. Those present were Mrs. L. R. Mason, Mrs. A. M. Smith, Mrs. Jim Barron, Mrs. Bernie Jones, Mrs. Teaff, Mrs. R. V. Blacklock and Mrs. Brown. The group decided to have an all day meeting, Dec.

2, in the home of Mrs. Jones. It is to be a Lottie Moon Week of Prayer program and all the women of the community are invited to attend.

The intermediates and juniors of the Training Union will present a Thanksgiving program at Friendship Baptist Church Thursday night. A sermon will follow the program.

The Rev. Audye Wiley of Plainview will preach at the local Baptist Church Nov. 29.

**BITS-OF-**

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. ... as their Thanksgiving guests, Mrs. Pat ... of Lubbock.

Weekend guests ... Mrs. J. T. Paddy ... Mrs. A. A. Porter ... Mrs. Mary Hudman ... and Miss Joni ... Worth.

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Crease resistant materials in green, brown, blue and grey 17.99 values

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**Children's Coats**

All wool, sizes 3 to 12, adjustable sleeves and deep hems for the growing child, only nine but a good run of sizes.

- 29.99 value ..... **24.99**
- 24.99 value ..... **19.99**
- 21.99 value ..... **17.99**

**Dunlap's \$14.000 Sweater**

Yes, that was the order given for this crescent sweater, our own selected name

- "The Cruiser" ... **14.99**
- Little Miss (7-14) .. **7.99**

**Denim Jeans**

Warm and durable, lined with plaid cotton flannel

- ladies 4.95 jeans ... **3.49**
- children's 4.49 jeans **3.99**
- children's 3.95 jeans **2.49**

**Odds And Ends**

sold so well we are still putting articles out. Every department in the store has articles on this table. Men's heavy winter shirts, boy's knit shirts, lamp shades, vases, bags (plus tax) shoe bags

**\$1.00**

**Children's Dresses**

Ginghams, poplin and print, dresses to suit a small budget, sizes 6 months to size 14, values to 5.99

**\$2.88**

**Imported Wool Gloves**

in a large assortment of colors and sizes, regular 1.00

**69c**

**Coat Sweaters**

All white, white and blue, white and red, lovely and warm

**\$7.99**

**Birdseye Diapers**

dozen in a box, 2.49 value

**\$1.99**

**Children's Shoes**

One table of children's shoes in broken lots, values to 4.95

**\$1.88**

**Cannon Towels**

Big colorful towels by Cannon, size 22x44, six pretty colors, regular 1.00 values

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**Sport Shirts**

Two pocket, full cut, colors of navy, green and wine, regular 2.49

**\$1.88**

**Fashion Fabrics**

You'll find hundreds of yards of wonderful fabrics at the season's lowest prices, choose these fabrics for skirts, blouses, children's clothes and sports shirts, values to 1.98

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**Children's Shoes**

in tan slings, patent straps, also in oxfords

- 2.95 values ..... **1.99**
- 3.95 values ..... **2.99**
- 5.95 values ..... **3.99**

**Ladies' Shoes**

in dress and casuals, values to 8.95

**\$3.88**

**Sport Coats**

The best in styling, two button pitch coats, colors of tan, beige and green, a special Dunlap Saving, regular 12.99

**\$9.99**

**Leather Jackets**

Warm, good looking jackets in colors lime, blue, royal, green, white and red, regular 19.95

**\$13.88**

**Dress Socks**

in plain and fancy patterns, these socks pre-ticketed to sell for 1.00

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**Satin Comforts**

Better quality satin comfort, reduced our end of the month sale, your choice many colors, regular 12.95 value

**\$8.88**

# What Oil Has Meant To Post, Garza County, Told In Essay

(Editor's Note: Following is the prize winning essay submitted by Miss Wynonne Morris, Post High School senior, in the South Plains essay contest sponsored during Oil Progress Week by the Oil Industry Information Committee.)

## What The Oil Industry Has Meant To My Town And County

Post, "The Gateway To The Plains," only a few years ago, was a beautiful little town, but just a tiny dot on the Texas map. Its main source of income was from farming and ranching.

When the "boom" hit Post there was one main street. On this thoroughfare stood empty buildings because of lack of business. A broken down movie house provided about the only entertainment for the populace of the town and county. There were small church buildings, with barely enough space to accommodate the people who attended. Because of the vacant houses, no new ones were being erected.

Post Grade School was old and dilapidated. In fact, it had been condemned, but funds were insufficient and unavailable to erect a new one.

Then all of a sudden, "Boom!" and the oil industry broke out. Apparently people started moving in from the four corners of the earth. Oil rigs rolled in, drilling began and the "Black Gold" started flowing.

Trailer camps sprang up in every available space. Apartment houses and hotels were filled to capacity, shacks were thrown up and everything that resembled a room was rented.

Many new businesses were begun and every local person available was employed. Thousands rushed in to seek employment. Carpenters were overwhelmed by demand to erect houses to provide for the people who con-

tinued to come. All business houses were soon filled and many were under construction. The sound of hammers and the buzz of saws were heard continuously. Farmers began to prosper because of the leasing of land and the demand for products to feed and clothe the growing population.

By the time denizens of Post really became aware of the problem, the public buildings of the town were filled to the overflowing point and "busting out at the seams."

The school buildings of the town were the most difficult problem. They could neither house the students nor offer the subjects they wanted and needed. Finally bonds were voted to build a new grade school building which was rushed to completion. Oil taxes helped to finance the building, but even yet there is a crying need for more space to be used for class rooms. On Saturday, October 10, 1953, bonds were voted for the erection of a Junior High School, which will take care of the situation temporarily.

Churches were unable to find space for class rooms for Sunday School. Many of the people who came with the oil industry were faithful church members who built up the churches, not only spiritually, but financially.

Streets were paved from the added oil taxes, which helped improve the appearance of the town.

Even now, although Post has settled back to normal, the effects of the oil industry are very evident.

Garza County, at present, has more than six hundred producing wells in the county's eight oil fields. Oil was discovered in 1926. From that time until January 1, 1953, the county has produced 19,929,491 barrels of crude oil. Thirty-three of these wells are within the Post City limits.

More than thirty local business firms are directly related to the oil business. These include oil field supply houses, contractors, haulers and truckers, pipe line companies, oil field service companies, drillers and others.

What has oil done for Post? I hardly think that the majority of the population realizes what oil has done for Post. Not only has it helped my town financially but "bust off to oil" because it has put my town on the map.

## BITS-OF-NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Warren will have as Thanksgiving day guests their daughter, Mrs. Tom Gates, and Mr. Gates. Guests in the Warren home Monday were their granddaughter, Mrs. Joe Bob Burpass, and the Gates all of Lubbock.

Recent guests in the Bob Warren home were her brother, Dink Merrill, and his wife from El Paso.

Miss Rae Morris of Carlsbad, N. M. will spend the Thanksgiving weekend with her twin sister, Mrs. Almon Martin, and family.

## Barnum Springs

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Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Ray and children and Mr. and Mrs. Don Rose of Post visited Mrs. Wes Greer in Slaton Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bruton and children of Houston are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rex Welch and Rexene this week.

Mrs. Bill Long and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hodges attended a dinner for members of the Leaders Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church in the Frank Bunkles home Thursday night.

Joe Hill of Sulphur, Okla. spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hill and Deanie.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Scott and sons were in Lubbock Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Rex Welch and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bruton and children of Houston visited relatives and friends in Taboka Monday.

Arda Long transacted business in Lubbock Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Ray and children were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Rose in Post.

Mrs. Bus Pennell and children and Mrs. Wilson D. Williams of Post visited Mrs. Beene Pennell and Mrs. Bert Digger and girls in Lubbock recently.

Dennie Herman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hill and daughter.

## STAGE SHOW TUESDAY

"Stars of Tomorrow," a stage show, will be presented by pupils of Mrs. J. A. Stallings at the Tower Theatre on Tuesday night. The special program will be staged between 8 and 8:30 o'clock, according to Johnny Hopkins, theatre manager. Assisting Mrs. Stallings in directing the show will be Mrs. Lloyd Mock.

Mr. and Mrs. Lex Brock of Lamesa will visit the J. E. Parker, and Tom Power and R. M. Thomas families during the holidays.

Pvt. Wendell E. Huddleston is visiting his parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Huddleston and Garland, at Grassland this week. Huddleston, who has been stationed at Ft. Riley, Kans. is en route to Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Gordon and Kay and Billy Max have as their holiday guests her mother, Mrs. Stella Cabler, and brother, Charles Cabler, and family of Brownwood. The visitors arrived Tuesday and will return home tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Walker and children are spending Thanksgiving with relatives in Longview.

OLET SHOWS '54 TRUCKS—Distinctive front-end styled to added power and greater ruggedness of the newly re-engineered Chevrolet trucks. Features include engines, optional automatic transmission, increased cab and safety and easier load convenience.

## 1954 Chevrolet Trucks On Display Today At Connell Chevrolet Co.

re-engineered to standing performance in modern hauling requirements. New line of 1954 Chevrolets will be introduced Saturday.

operators will have an opportunity to see the new vehicles in an exclusive truck display at Connell Chevrolet Co. at that time. Improvements in every part of the engine, chassis and body have been designed with current and future truck owners and drivers in mind. The more important features are the following:

1. New engines, with increased horsepower and outstanding economical performance. The most powerful engine ever built by Chevrolet.

2. Automatic transmissions operating through the new 110-GW model range. Increased durability, with axle shafts in the two-piece design, bigger clutches on heavy-duty models and rigid frames on all models.

3. Optional heavy-duty transmissions available in light and medium duty models. Offer greater gear reduction, rugged construction and steering column gearshift.

4. Automatically improved control driver through a new seat, standard on engine models and optional on other cabs.

5. Appearance improvement with a new, more massive radiator grille and front end design, while a one-piece curved windshield increases visibility and safety as well as adding to the distinction of the vehicle.

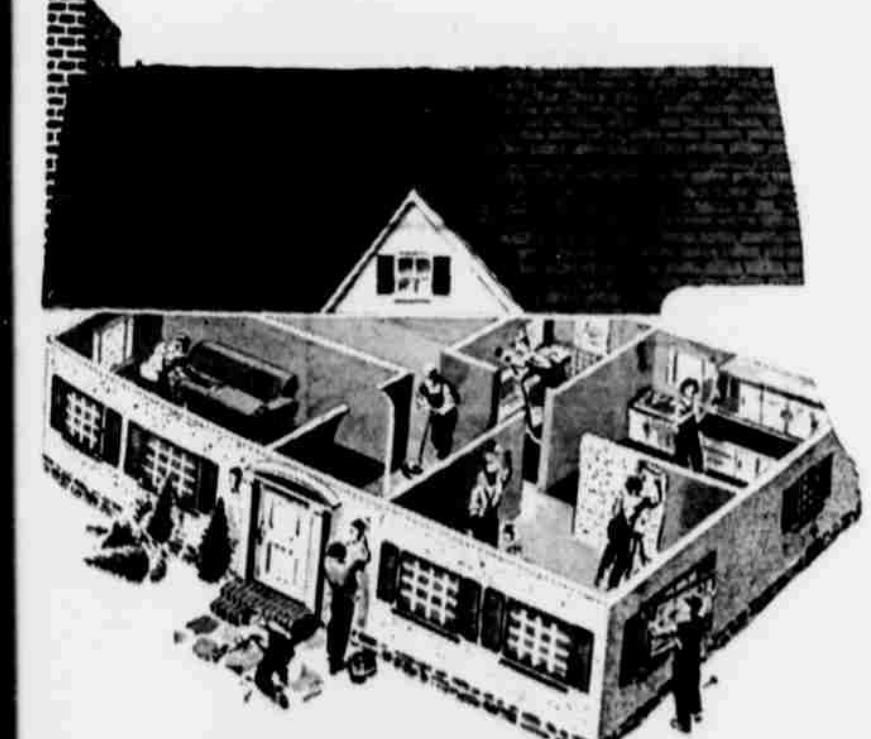
6. More space for payloads and easier loading. The body height of pickup, platform and stake models has been lowered through modified body mountings. Unobstructed loading space has been lengthened on several models.

Changes in the new Chevrolet trucks, according to the company, have been made to meet and anticipate the needs of drivers and operators.

Major changes are reported in the new Thriftmaster and Loadmaster truck engines. Increased compression ratio of 7.5 to 1 provides greater economy and 112 horsepower, resulting in higher top speed, faster acceleration and improved hill-climbing ability. Added durability and smoother operation result from full-pressure lubrication. Light-weight aluminum pistons, insert-type connecting rod bearings, more rigid crankshaft and connecting rods and strengthened valve-operating mechanisms. Exhaust valve rotators, XCR valves and chrome top piston rings are standard on the Loadmaster.

The need for operation in low gear is reduced, producing longer engine life and economy. With displacement of 261 cubic inches and a compression ratio of 7.17 to 1, it has 135 horsepower. Cylinders are larger and a new high lift cam provides freer breathing. The exhaust valve rotators, XCR valves and chrome top piston rings are standard.

The automatic transmission is a new optional feature, available on light and medium-duty models.



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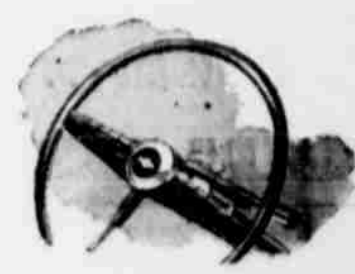
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New front-end is more massive in appearance. New parking lights show the full width of the truck.

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