

**SNOOTER KNOWS**

LITTLE ABOUT EVERY THING AND NOT MUCH ABOUT ANYTHING



**MESQUITE THORN DESTROYS SIGHT OF SONNY TOM'S EYE**

Mr. and Mrs. Ellison Tom and children of Andrews county, are here at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Zimmerman. Little Sonny Tom had the misfortune to have a serious injury to his eye the day after Christmas. He was playing with a hatchet which he had received for a present and in trying to chop down a shrub a thorn flew off and entered the eyeball just at the sight. They are hopeful of saving the eye, so report comes from the hospital in Big Spring to which the boy was rushed immediately following the injury, but the sight has been destroyed.

**GERMAN AT THE HOTEL SCHARBAUER DECEMBER 31**

Beginning at 12 o'clock on the night of December 31st, the Hotel Scharbauer at Midland, will have a German which will continue until the wee sma' hours, to be exact, until four. Breakfast will be served at the termination of the dance.

There will be only a limited number of tickets sold, an hundred, in order that the ball room will accommodate them comfortably. Reservations will be at the price of \$5.00 a couple which will carry the privilege of the dance and breakfast.

Chas. B. Addison, manager of the Scharbauer is quoted as saying that they are planning to make this one of the most enjoyable affairs of the Christmas season.

**STANTON BUSINESS HOUSES TO CLOSE FOR NEW YEAR**

We the undersigned merchants of Stanton agree to close our stores Monday, January 1, 1934, for the observance of The New Year:

- Wilson Variety Store
- J. N. Woody Barbershop
- E. P. Autrey
- Bryan Cash Grocery
- Harris Cash Store
- Boyd Barber Shop
- B. A. Purser
- Henson Grocery
- J. R. Bassett
- Henry Orr
- Straub Cash Grocery Co.
- J. L. Hall
- O. S. Maggart
- Stanton Hardware Co.
- Higinbotham-Bartlett Co.
- J. T. Berry

**SENATOR DUGGAN FIRST TO ANNOUNCE IN REPORTER**

The first political announcement to reach The Reporter for the campaign of 1934, is that of State Senator Arthur P. Duggan, of Littlefield. Mr. Duggan is announcing for Congress from the 19th Congressional district. A West Texan of many years, closely identified with the people in this section through business and social contact, equips Mr. Duggan as a gentleman who would efficiently administer the affairs of his district in the halls of Congress.

**B. Y. P. U. WITH MRS. HALL**

The members of the B. Y. P. U. and their friends were entertained last Tuesday night by Mrs. J. L. Hall and son, Jiggs. Christmas games, contests, and music, were enjoyed until a late hour when a three course luncheon plate was served to the following:

Misses Georgene Bullock, Beth Houston, Elinor Merle Zimmerman, Bonnie Lee Hays, Norma Lee Hull, Corinne Wilson, Florene, Lorene and Zona Lee Jones, Pauline and Ethel Bridges, Leta Ruth Eidson, Jessie Wells, Louise Whitson, Dorothy Lee Bassett, Messrs. Henry and Som Houston, Pud O'Connor, Stanley Reed, Henry Bridges, John Bassett, Gerald Poe, Elvis Clements, Jiggs Hall, Clair Epley, Buck Bloomer, Webb Reed, and Loween Swain.

**XMAS DINNER AT POWELLS**

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kelly, Mrs. Doc Moore, Franchelle and Jimmy, and Miss Caroline Moreland, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Powell for Christmas dinner on the Bar X ranch.

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## EIGHT MONTH TERM FOR RURAL SCHOOLS NINE FOR STANTON

SIXTEEN DOLLARS APPORTIONMENT AND COLLECTION OF AT LEAST 75 PER CENT TAXES MAKES 8-9 MONTHS TERM.

It is wonderful how Martin county people have planned, worked and sacrificed for their children the past few years in an educational way. The rural schools of this county averaged 7 1-3 months term last year, and Stanton, eight months.

But, assuming a collection of at least seventy-five per cent of the local school taxes, and being assured of more liberal special State aid, (exclusive of the regular State apportionment of \$16 per scholastic), Martin county people, through their trustees, teachers, county board, and county superintendent, propose to have an eight months term for every rural school in the county the present school year, and nine months for Stanton.

Deputy State Superintendent J. H. T. Bickley, has approved Special State Aid for Martin county schools for scholastic year 1933-34 to the amount of \$9,081, and distributed among eleven out of the sixteen school districts in the county, as follows:

Stanton	\$1821
Courtney	1728
Valley View	1295
Lenorah	935
Pleasant Valley	842
Loyola	736
Flower Grove	616
Three Leagues	479
Welcott	245
Merrick	198
Goldsmith	186
Total	\$9,081

Let regularity, punctuality, efficiency, and thoroughness, be the watch words of our pupils and teachers. Yours for a Happy and Prosperous New Year  
J. S. LAMAR,  
County Superintendent

**WEDDING OF MISS EARLE NOBLE**

Friends in Stanton will be interested to learn of the wedding on Nov. 30, of Miss Earle Noble to Bob Green, prominent young business man of Longview. Miss Noble was one of the most popular young lady teachers in the Stanton schools for two terms. The couple will make Longview their home.

**EXPECTED TO COMPLY WITH CODE OF FAIR COMPETITION**

Houston, Texas, Dec. 22, 1933  
Mr. Chas. Ebbersol, Chairman  
NRA Compliance Board,  
Stanton, Texas.  
Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of November 29th, we beg to advise that all employers who are displaying the Blue Eagle are presumed to be complying with all of the requirements of the Code of Fair Competition applicable to their trade or industry, regardless of the size of the town or the number of employees they have.

In towns under 2500 population, employers, under certain conditions, are exempt, and if they so desire, they must place an exemption chevron on their Blue Eagle. This is done by writing the words "special exemption" on a strip of paper and placing it over the breast of the Blue Eagle.

The Administration has not seen fit to have these exemption chevrons placed this chevron if he desires to printed and each employer is expected take exemption as provided in the Executive Order.

Yours truly,  
ERNEST L. TUTT,  
District Compliance Director

**HOME FOR HOLIDAYS**

G. B. Shelburne, Jr., and Nola Shelburne, and J. W. Orr from A. C. C., Abilene; Leslie Hall from Tech; Maxine Hall, Andrews; Alene and Maurice Kaderli, Tech; J. W. and Woodrow Maggart, Tech; Connie Jones, Tech; Wilma Hazelwood, Tech; Mar-Boyd, Big Lake; Earl Adams, Fort Crockett, Del Rio; Henry Donelson, N. T. A. C., Arlington.

**SEWER PROJECT IN HANDS OF ENGINEERS**

Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works, Fort Worth, Texas, Dec. 23, 1933  
Mr. Charles Ebbersol,  
Stanton, Texas  
Dear Sir:

In response to yours of December 20th, your application has already had careful consideration and is now in the hands of the Engineering De-

**APPLICATION TO WASHINGTON**

Fort Worth, Dec. 28, 1933  
Hon. S. C. Houston, Mayor  
Stanton, Texas

Dear Mr. Mayor:  
You will be interested to know and I am glad to advise you, that your application for a Sanitary Sewer System was forwarded to Washington recently.

Sincerely yours,  
CLIFFORD B. JONES,  
Regional Advisor

partment for final report to Washington. We realize fully the serious condition in your section of the country, and the Board is trying to expedite in every possible way consideration of applications from territory which is in distress.

Sincerely yours,  
CLIFFORD B. JONES,  
Regional Advisor

The above letter has reference to the progress on a loan for constructing a sewer system in Stanton, about a \$35,000 project, to furnish employment for the unemployed of Martin county.

**SHELburne FILLED PULPIT CHURCH CHRIST, SUNDAY**

G. B. Shelburne, Jr., who is in his third year at A. C. C., filled the pulpit at the Church of Christ, Sunday night, and at a special service on Monday night. He is to begin a series of three sermons at the same church Saturday night. Sermon topics will be as follows: Saturday and Sunday nights, "Salvation," will be discussed. Two questions, is salvation conditional? and What is the relation between "time" salvation and eternal salvation? will be answered. Sunday night's sermon will answer the question, How is man saved? The subject Sunday morning at the 10:30 hour will be "The Tongue." Night services begin at 7:00 o'clock.

**FRANCIS EDWARD KENNEDY CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY**

(Crowded out last week)

On Saturday afternoon, December the 9th, little Francis Edward Kennedy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hall Kennedy, celebrated his second birthday at the home of Mrs. J. W. Hopkins. A large crowd of little friends came in to play with him and help him eat his birthday cake with the lemonade prepared to go with it. All day suckers were also served. Those present were:

Juanita Butler, M. H. White, Dale Payton, Zora Lou Houston, Ada Sue Houston, Bobbie, Yvonne, and Wainita Acheson, Guy Henson, Rosemary White, Jean, and Bennie Johnson, Bert Laws, Margaret Lewis, Hazel White, Johnnie Lee White, J. E. Henson, Dorothy Jean King, Mary Sue Moffett, Billy Jack, Harding, and Bidie Zimmerman, Billy Thompson, Maurice Thompson, Milton White, Lavena and Edith Eastman, Bobbie Jean Wilkinson, Joe Woodall, Bessie Sue Heaton, Mazel Heaton, Mary Beth Woodall, O. C. Kennedy, Francis Burnam, H. C. Burnam, Maurine and Wanda Hopkins.

The mothers present were: Mrs. Thelma Louder, Mrs. Elizabeth White, Mrs. Vergie Acheson, Mrs. Ila White, Mrs. J. E. Moffett, Mrs. Bevy Purser and Mrs. Morris Zimmerman.

**BUYS 1400 Head of Ewes**

Earl Powell went to Maryneal, Tuesday to receive and ship to Stanton 1400 head of ewes he purchased from the Sears ranch.

There were eight cars and they arrived Thursday morning and driven to the ranch that day.

Powell had just shipped out four cars of sheep which he sold to a Kansas feeder.

Mr. and Mrs. Son Powell spent Christmas in Colorado, the guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lay Powell

**MODERN RANCH HOME NOW NEAR COMPLETION**

A two story ranch house on the ranch of Mrs. Dora Roberts, southeast of this city which is now under construction promises to be one of the most unique and attractive ranch homes in West Texas. In an ideal location in the midst of a walnut grove, it will be two stories and basement. There will be fourteen rooms, equipped with every modern improvement. The home will be supplied with electricity and natural gas.

The residence replaces the old rock headquarters ranch house which served its purpose since it was erected in the early eighties.

The residence is being constructed of native stones, and nature lovers can just about see a story in every rock that is being placed in the walls of this beautiful structure.

In having this ranch home erected Mrs. Roberts is bringing to pass a dream she has had in mind ever since she first made her home at this ranch in 1896. There she spent the happiest days of her life.

While oil development has absorbingly practically one-third of this 20,000 acre ranch; hundreds of producing wells having been brought in on seven sections thereof. Mrs. Roberts continues to love it because it is a ranch rather than an oil field. The entire ranch may eventually become oil producing territory since a connecting link between the new oil field in the eastern part of Howard county and oil field across the southern part of Howard county may cut through the heart of the Roberts ranch.—Big Spring Weekly Herald.

**BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR TWO**

(Crowded out last week)

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Elee White was the scene of the largest and most elaborate birthday party ever given in Stanton, on last Saturday afternoon. Rosemary White and R. H. Louder, Jr., celebrated their birthdays jointly at the home of their grandparents—Rosemary was six and R. H., 12.

The children gathered on the lawn and played various games while the mothers were entertained in the house. The dining table was decorated with Christmas colors and large plates containing cake were placed—eight different varieties. This, with lemonade, was served as refreshments.

Just at the close of the party hour, Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus, with donkey drawn cart, appeared and distributed suckers to the little guests, who formed a line and followed them away, as did the children follow the Pied Piper in the story of Ireland, down the hill and into town.

The guest list was as follows: Betty Jean Johnson, Johnnie White, Harding Zimmerman, Virginia Cook, Corene Cook, Alice Mae Widner, Jack Thornton, Charchie France Mathews, Franchelle and Jimmie Moore, Johnnie Beth Zimmerman, Rosemary White, Betty Joe Woodell, Zora Lou Houston, Dorothy Kennedy, Mary Francis Burnam, Bessie Heaton, Mozell Heaton, Billy Joe Colwell, Herbert Jones, Margaret Quay Laws, Lou Mae Odell, Bell Jones, Francis Edward Kennedy, Juanita Lee Butler, Guy Henson, Maurice Hopkins, W. R. Purser, Ross Hay, Amel Glaser, Johnnie Lou Burnam, Margaret Brothers, Dan Ray Johnson, Cecil Glaser, Windell Thompson, James Albert Wilson, Vanda Lee Thompson Heaton, Jimmie Mashburn, Johnson, Maurice Thompson, Lula Fay McCormick, Ollie Dell White, Vera Francis Timmons, O. C. Kennedy, Bert Laws, Ben Roy Johnson, R. H. Louder, H. C. Burnam, Jesse Whitson, Eddie Dale Payton, Howell White R. B. Heaton, J. B. Sharp, Floyd White, Eldridge Widner, J. E. Henson, Floyd Henson, Jr.

Mothers and friends present: Mrs. Colwell, Mrs. Mathews, Miss Wolf, Mrs. Will Thompson, Mrs. Andy Widner, Mrs. Hall Kennedy, Mrs. Jim Hopkin, Mrs. Floyd Henson, Mrs. William Henson, Mrs. Doc Moore, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Butler, Lois Johnson, Cleo and Grace Winslow, Pauline Bridges, Grandpa and Grandpa Santa, Mrs. Cook, Mrs. Morris Zimmerman, Mrs. Woodell, Mrs. Jack Jones.

Miss Maud Yates and daughter, Junie, and son Joe, of Texhoma, are holiday guests of her daughter, Mrs. Johnnie Whitson and Mr. Whitson. Miss Yates has been here for over a week having accompanied some friends to El Paso and returning to Stanton for a visit.

**TWO STANTON BUFFALOES ON 9-B ALL STAR GRID LIST**

(Special to Reporter)

Pecos, Dec. 21—An all-district football selection for the northern half of 9-B has been made by the Pecos Enterprise with assistance of most of the coaches in the district. The all-district team includes: Ends, M. Cowan of Pecos and O'Connor of Stanton; tackles, Dandy of Wink and Mitchell of Pecos; center, Stephens of Pecos; guards, Reid of Stanton and Roads of Wink; quarterback, Jones of Midland; halfbacks, Rush of Wink and Davis of Pecos; fullback, Toliver of Pecos.

**GUESTS FOR XMAS DINNER**

Mr. and Mrs. John Atcheson had with them on Christmas Day for a big turkey dinner and all the fixings, the following: Mrs. Mary Wilson and daughter, Irma Lee of Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. Horace Blocker and baby son, and Mrs. Frank Atcheson and family, and C. F. Atcheson of Stanton; Mrs. Zelta Bennet of Fort Stockton.

All the Atcheson family were here for Thanksgiving and it was impossible for them to return for Christmas.

**Rev. RICHBOURG TO FILL PULPIT REGULAR PASTOR**

A postcard addressed to the Reporter from Rev. W. S. Garnett, at Mound, Texas, states that Rev. B. G. Richbourg, of Big Spring, will fill the regular appointment, both morning and evening at the First Baptist church here next Sunday. Rev. Garnett and family are spending the holidays with relatives at Mound.

**MOVE BACK TO STANTON**

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Keisling and family, who have been living the past fall at Tuxedo, where Mr. Keisling operated a gin, have returned to Stanton to live.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Bryan spent Christmas Day in Andrews, the guests of Mrs. Bryan's parents.

Dr. Cora Wells and Miss Zaida Wells, of Waco, came in Wednesday afternoon to visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Boyd.

**District Attorney Bob Hamilton, returned Sunday night from Tyler for district court opening at Garden City Monday. He returned to Tyler Wednesday night to accompany home Mrs. Hamilton and son Billy, and Miss Winifred Davenport, who accompanied them to Tyler.**

Miss Isa Mae Robertson, is spending the holiday season at her home in Loraine.

Marcus Sale went to his home at Christoval for the Christmas holidays

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Glazier and son, Stanton, went to Austin and Kingsville to spend the holiday season with relatives.

Mrs. Larry Morris and children went to San Antonio for the Christmas season and to attend a family reunion at the home of Mrs. Morris' father, M. P. Magee. They were accompanied by Miss Marie Johnson, who teaches in Big Spring and whose home is in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Berry were the guests of Mrs. Berry's family at San Antonio for Christmas returning by the way of Cisco to see Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Berry.

**MET RELATIVES GRAND FALLS**

Judge and Mrs. J. S. Lamar, Miss Loraine Lamar, and Mrs. Satterwhite, drove over to Grand Falls on Sunday and met relatives of Mrs. Lamar's from Alpine and they had a get-together in celebration of Christmas. Mrs. Satterwhite returned to Alpine with them.

**RAIN FALLING**

'As we go to press this Friday afternoon is falling, and has been most of the day. It followed one of the coldest spells we have had so far.

## PINK BOLLWORM CLAIMS COMMITTEE GIVES REASONS

ONLY FOUR GINS HAVE COMPLIED WITH REQUEST FOR DATA ASKED TO BE SENT TO THE COMMITTEE.

There will doubtless be much disappointment and possibly some uneasiness because of necessary delays in making adjustment of pink bollworm claims. For this reason, we are submitting the following explanation:

"The law makes certain requirements which the Board must respect. Claims must be made out on forms furnished by the Department of Agriculture, which must call for certain data stipulated in the statute. This makes it necessary for the Board to get the address of every claimant. Our first appeal was made through the press November 15, shortly after the Board qualified for service. This was followed shortly by communications to County Judges, Chambers of Commerce, Bank Cashiers, County Agents, etc., asking their cooperation in getting in touch with claimants. Yet the mail, December 14th, practically one month after our first appeal, brought 192 new names. Ten days ago we requested data of the gins of the entire district and have received reports from but four up to date. We have almost no gin records for the last three years, and such records constitute the main proof of the validity of claims. This is not offered as a criticism of either the claimants or ginners, but is given to illustrate their inevitable delays in the work of adjustment.

"When claimants have all registered, we will have to furnish them forms upon which to make their claims. These claims will have to be sworn to and attested by two disinterested witnesses. They will then be checked against the gin records. After this, a final date will have to be set for the filing of claims which will have to meet the reasonableness of the law, as the Legislature fixed no specific date. Following this, meetings must be held in every affected county, and notices must be published in the local press and furnished every claimant at least ten days before the hearings are held.

"These are all requirements of the law for which the Board is not responsible and has no power to ignore. In fact, it would do no good to attempt to do so. The appropriation bill requires the Board to prorate the money, if the amount is not sufficient to meet all claims in full. This means, first, we cannot allow any claim until all are in, and, second, were we to do so, the Comptroller could not issue warrants for them.

"The Board has a full crew to help and is pushing the work as rapidly as possible. We are well aware of the urgent necessity for hurrying the work. The unfortunate condition of many claimants have our deepest sympathy, but we must proceed in a legal manner in order that when adjustments are made, they will stand the test and be valid. Letters of protest or censure can serve only to hinder and add that much more to both delay and expense. Continued cooperation on the part of the growers and ginners is all that can be done to assist the Board in its work.

"In conclusion we again advise claimants, they do not need to employ any special agents to represent them before the Board or compile any data which is of record, because we must check such records and the checking of same will of itself furnish the necessary proof."

FRED W. DAVIS  
R. J. MURRAY  
JOE E. EDMONSON  
Pink Bollworm Comp. Claim Board

Five young people of Stanton who are attending Abilene Christian College, arrived home Wednesday of last week for the holidays. They are: Dave Foreman, Addie Turner, J. W. Orr, and Nola and G. B. Shelburne, Jr. Twelve days were allowed off at A. C. C. for the holidays, first classes of the new year beginning next Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Ruby Robertson visited her daughter in Loraine for the Xmas season.

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The following candidates have announced for the respective offices, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Election in July, 1934:

For Congressman 19th Congressional District:  
ARTHUR P. DUGGAN  
of Littlefield

SENATOR DUGGAN  
FOR CONGRESS

To the Citizens of the 19th Congressional District:

In announcing my candidacy for Congress in the new 19th Congressional District, I am fully aware of the importance of that high office. Our country never needed serious, well balanced, real thinking, hard working Congressman as it does now in this time of National readjustment and uncertainty. The prosperity of the people; yes, the very existence of our Nation, is in the hands of Congress. The more wisdom and experience the man you elect to this office possesses the better it will be for YOU personally and for each and every one of us.

Your Congressman certainly ought to know intimately your needs from close personal contact, be sympathetic with them, and be willing and able to actually strive to meet them. It is a fact that my life time spent in West Texas, my active and varied business, civic and Legislative experience in the district, for the past 30 years, and my association with all classes of the people have given me the best possible opportunity to learn their requirements. I state to you emphatically that no Congressman you can possibly elect will put more time on the job, study the entire situation more carefully, or work harder to SERVE YOU, the district and Country than I.

Here are a few of the things I am particularly interested in and that I



SENATOR ARTHUR P. DUGGAN

would endeavor to accomplish:

Protection of Home Ownership

The Homes of the Nation are its greatest asset and their preservation is of first importance. Fairer appraisals of our lands, valued according to production, will make the large majority of them eligible for Federal Land Bank Loans with low interest rates and easy terms. Similar consideration should be given the matter of loans on urban homes through the Home Owners Loan Corporation.

The Farm is a manufacturing plant producing raw products such as meat, grain, cotton and wool. As such it is entitled to all special privileges, rates, concessions, tariffs, etc. granted the large manufacturing concerns of the country.

Farm homes are of more importance to the nation than Big Business of any kind.

Urges Better Educational Facilities

Good schools are, and always have been, the bulwarks of American liberty and freedom. The making of good citizens of our boys and girls ranks next to the happy home as a National obligation. The Home Demonstration clubs of our country are not only solving the "live at home" program but are helping wonderfully in the improvement of homes and schools. The Federal Government should continue its support of all Extension work.

The Texas Technological College, located in the Congressional District, should be made a Land Grant College. It is as much entitled to Federal support as any other College anywhere.

Amend Federal Income Tax laws so that Profiteers, Big Bankers and Investment Banks will have to pay their proper Income taxes. The very rich largely evade payment of taxes. The very poor pay no taxes at all and the tax burden, therefore, falls on the Middle Class—the COMMON PEOPLE—such as you and I. This ought to be changed and it can be with sufficient Representation.

I would study Economy of Government and vote for it as I did in the Texas Legislature when appropriations were cut some \$13,000,000.

Solution of Crime Problem

Gangsters, Chislers, Racketeers and Profiteers certainly are a National problem today as well as a National disgrace. The cost of crime is estimated at some thirteen billion dollars annually which is more than the cost of the Federal Government with such emergency measures as R. F. C. AAA, CWA, PWA and all the balance thrown in. Crime should be punished adequately and quickly though it will never be stamped out until its source is sought and eliminated. The proper instruction and education of our boys and girls in our homes and schools, WHEN VERY YOUNG, will prevent the making of criminals, solve the prohibition question, stop the divorce evil and preserve the sanctity of the

Home.  
"The Honest Dollar." I fully subscribe to the principle recently set forth by President Franklin D. Roosevelt when he said: "Those who have borrowed money should, on the average, be able to repay that money in the same kind of money which they borrowed." A proper parity should be ascertained between the value of the dollar and the price of commodity products, and be automatically maintained by law.

There are 334 lawyers and professional men in the present Congress, and only 24 farmers.

The framers of our Constitution thought that the safest and best laws are passed by Legislative bodies with their membership more equally distributed among all occupations.

During the very active campaign I expect to make for this office I will express myself on all National issues, and I will welcome the opportunity to become even better acquainted with you than I now am. This is your Government and you should help run it. Your suggestions and ideas will be appreciated.

Respectfully and earnestly asking for your consideration, influence and VOTE in the Democratic primaries next July, I am

Sincerely your friend,  
ARTHUR P. DUGGAN,  
State Senator 30th  
Senatorial District  
(Political Adv.)

LENORAH

Miss Eudell Branton of Stanton, spent Christmas holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Branton.

Frank Harvard spent the Christ-holidays with relatives in Big Spring and Stanton.

Miss Ova Webb of Klondike is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G.W. Webb.

Miss Mozelle Edwards spent Saturday night with here sister, Mrs. Aubrey Woolsey.

Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Webb and family visited in Abilene and Patosi during the holidays.

Albert Hardin, who had been working in O'Donnell, is at home with his mother, Mrs. Hardin.

Jack Saunders of Arizona, visited with his mother during the Christmas holidays.

C. P. Leeman, who formerly lived at Wolfe City, has come to make his

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For Colds and Coughs

Your money back while you wait at the drug store if you don't feel relief coming in two minutes by your watch.

Try this quick and most pleasant relief. You will be delighted or it will cost you nothing.

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WANTED—Girl to do general house work and live in the house. No one need apply who is not capable. Call 117 or apply at Stanton Reporter office.

STRAYED—From my place Thursday night, December 21, black mare mule, smooth mouth. O. C. Turner, 4 miles west, 2 miles south of Stanton.

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FLOWERS  
Flowers  
FOR All Occasions. Telephone  
your orders—  
To 1093  
BIG SPRING or MIDLAND

home with M. L. Koonce, where he is employed for the coming year.

Dave Foreman, who is attending Abilene Christian College, is visiting homefolks through the holiday season

Wade Branton, of Arizona, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Branton.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Foreman were shopping in Midland Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Edwards spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Aubrey Woolsey at Stanton.

C. E. Willingham, who is employed in Breckenridge, visited with relatives during Christmas.

Miss Verlie Prickett of Tarzan, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Prickett.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Winter, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Branton and Mrs. Kate Matthews and families, spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Fortune of Wolcott

Mr. and Mrs. Dow Willingham of Valley View, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Willingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Scott spent Christmas day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Scott at Patricia.

Mrs. J. B. Harvard of Stanton, visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Webb, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Limmer, accompanied by Miss Lila Fae Everett went to Lampasas for Christmas.

Why Hospitals Use  
a Liquid Laxative

Hospitals and doctors have always used liquid laxatives. And the public is fast returning to laxatives in liquid form. Do you know the reasons?

The dose of a liquid laxative can be measured. The action can be controlled. It forms no habit; you need not take a "double dose" a day or two later. Nor will a mild liquid laxative irritate the kidneys.

The right liquid laxative brings a perfect movement, and there is no discomfort at the time, or after.

The wrong cathartic may keep you constipated as long as you keep on using it! And the habitual use of irritating salts, or of powerful drugs in the highly concentrated form of pills and tablets may prove injurious.

A week with a properly prepared liquid laxative like Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin will tell you a lot. A few weeks' time, and your bowels can be "as regular as clockwork." Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is an approved liquid laxative which all druggists keep ready for use. It makes an ideal family laxative; effective for all ages, and may be given the youngest child. Member N. R. A.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Kelly and children, spent Christmas with her family at Carlsbad, New Mexico.

Miss Eunice Thornton is at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Thornton from Sull Ross at Alpine, Spring to spend Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Lamar.

and may your cup of  
HAPPINESS  
... be filled to  
overflowing ...  
We wish to thank our many Stanton friends and customers for their loyal support and patronage, and pledge ourselves anew for a bigger and better service throughout the New Year.  
WADLEY'S  
"a better department store"  
MIDLAND, TEXAS

Let  
the car speak  
for itself



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A NEW timekeeper is on the job. It is Mr. 1934, a little boss that is going to give us 365 days chocked full of opportunities to work to be happy, and to be gay. We're right on the job too. And our first assignment is to thank all of our friends in Stanton and Martin county for their patronage during the last year and to wish for all "A Happy New Year."

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# HAPPY NEW YEAR

ONCE again the civic, professional and business leaders join in wishing their fellow citizens of Stanton and Martin county all that is good during the New Year to be ushered in and which is labeled . . . . . 1934!



### THROUGH SPACE



WE add our voice to the endless call which circles the world and echoes through space. . . . "A Happy New Year to One and All."

**EILAND MOTOR COMPANY**  
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### GET ALONG GET ALONG



NO matter what your hobby may be we wish to start you off on the new year course with our best wishes for a successful ride and a winning one. Get along, little hobby, get along.

**STANTON CASH GROCERY**  
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### GREET THE NEW YEAR

BE merry. A new year is here. Greet it with a cheer and song. And let us add our mite in extending to you and yours every good thing during the New Year.



**GULF SERVICE STATION**  
JOHNNIE WHITSON

### IN THE NIGHT

YEARS that pass in the night . . . 1933 going out . . . 1934 coming in. In their passing comes another opportunity for us to wish all happiness and success to friends and patrons.



**MAGNOLIA STATION**  
GENE PARKS

### COMES THE HOUR

RIDING through the space of time comes the hour when 1934 makes its bow to this old world of ours. At that very second we wish to extend to you our sincere greetings of A Happy New Year.



**HIGGINBOTHAM BARTLETT CO.**  
FRENCH GRAY LUMBER GEORGE BULLOCK

### THE BELLS RING OUT

ADVERSITY makes for closer contacts, a greater tolerance and builds friendships that are enduring. As the bells ring out, heralding the new year, we extend the sincere hand of friendship and wish for all, "A Happy New Year."



**O. S. MAGGART GROCERY**

### FOR HAPPINESS



HEY, hey, big boy . . . pause here at the door of friends until we have time to greet them and wish for one and all a Happy New Year and all good things for them.

**STANTON SERVICE STATION**  
W. E. WHITSON

### AND OUR BEST WISHES



DESKS are cleared, old worries are put behind, a new calendar ready to click-off the days . . . and every day dawns fair with new opportunities . . . The future of you and yours is within your own hands. . . . A new year arrives . . . it is yours, and with it comes our best wishes, it may be a happy a prosperous and a healthful one.

**SARAH'S BEAUTY SHOP**

### CHEER NOT FEAR



THE inspiring words of our President, less than ten months ago, may well be repeated here: . . . "the only thing we have to fear is the fear of fear". . . so Happy New Year to your and yours.

**WILSON 5¢ TO \$1.00 STORE**

### GREETINGS

OUR year would not be complete unless we paused to wish you all a Happy, Prosperous and Healthful New Year. We thank you for your liberal patronage during the last year and trust we may continue to serve you.



**HARRIS CASH GROCERY**

### WITH YOUR FRIENDS

TO all we wish to be included amongst those friends of theirs who never fail to take time out and wish them a Happy New Year and accomplishment of desired achievement the whole year through. May 1934 bring you health, happiness and prosperity.



**THE EAT SHOP**  
MR. AND MRS. SHORTES

### PROSPERITY AND HEALTH

EVEN though our greetings be the last on this page they are nevertheless sincere and friendly. To you and yours for 1934 we extend every good wish for a happy, a prosperous and a healthful new year. We also want to thank you for your patronage during the year just coming to a close



**HENSON GROCERY**  
BOB HENSON

### NEW YEAR AND BETTER

DAYS of doubt and trials are but stepping stones to an appreciated future happiness. The citizens of Stanton and Martin county have proved their courage during the days of adversity and their reward is certain . . . a more prosperous New Year. Such is our wish to you.

**ORR DRUG STORE**

### WOODARD

MRS. J. F. MAXEY

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Shick were Lamesa visitors last week.

Mrs. H. C. Roberts and children, spent Xmas day with her parents at Courtney.

Miss Nora Maxey is spending her holiday in the home of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitaker of Vincourt, spent the week end in the

Slaton home.

A. M. Collins and family of Midland, were visiting in this community Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Langford of Abilene, spent Xmas in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Van Chapman. Mr. Langford returned home but Mrs. Langford remained for an extended visit.

Van Chapman left Monday for Abilene, where he will be connected with the Austin Bridge Co.

There will be singing at Woodard

Sunday night. Everyone come and bring someone with you.

Otto Willis spent Xmas in the J. M. Cason home.

Clark Woods has returned to his home in Stanton, after having visited for several days in the Carter home

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Howard and family of Merkel, visited in the J. F. Maxey home last week.

Mrs. Sherman visited in the home of her sister, Mrs. H. C. Roberts, this

week.

Bill Sellers has been visiting in the Cason family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Massingill visited in Big Spring last week.

J. T. Francis was a Midland visitor last week.

Mrs. Forrest King and daughter, Dorothy Jean, Misses Eunice and Doris Thornton and Rowena Gibson, were shopping in Midland, Wednesday afternoon.



### IN GREETING A NEW YEAR

EACH hour, each day, each week, each month, each year is but the dawning of greater opportunity for all mankind. In greeting a New Year we are but reminded of all that time unfolds for us. Meet the challenge of a new day, a new year with courage and hope. . . And with such resolve carry with you our sincere good wish that 1934 may be a happy year for you and yours.

**J. L. HALL THE DRUGGIST**

MORGAN HALL

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**E. P. WOODARD**

### VALLEY VIEW

(Crowded out last week)

Miss Ellen Scott of Abilene, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Scott, Sunday.

Dick Scott has returned home from Fieldmore, Texas, where he has been working several weeks.

Wiley Williams has returned to his home in the Badgett community after working in the community for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Woodell of Stanton, and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hull and sons, Raymond and Bud of Courtney, and Mr. and Mrs. Britton Hull and family of Big Spring, visited Mr. and Mrs. Orby Hull and family, Sunday.

Miss Evelyn Hull attended the senior play at Stanton, Friday night.

Miss Geneva Scott was in Stanton, Friday night.

Elbert Loveless spent the week end in Stanton.

Mrs. W. L. Clements was in Big Spring, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Riggs Sheppard, Elbert Loveless, Mrs. A. L. Coffey, and Miss Fess Hamilton, all teachers of the Valley View school, attended the teachers' meeting Saturday in Stanton.

J. W. Meeks visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Glendening.

H. M. Glendening was in Stanton Saturday.

New Glendening, who is attending the Garden City high school, will spend the Xmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Glendening of this community.

A Christmas program will be given at the Valley View school building, Friday evening, Dec. 31, at 7:30 P. M. The program will be given by the different rooms of the school. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

The seventh grade is going to put on a Christmas play, "The Candle in the Window," Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Franklin and family are going to spend the Christmas holidays with R. B. Franklin at Robert L.

Cora and Nathalie Shrader will spend Christmas with their grandmother at Baird.

The third and fourth grades are working on their part of the Christmas program to be given Friday night. It is expected to be very good.

Walter and Louis Fowler of this community went to Moshine last week.

The primary department is increasing in number, there being two tries from Mt. Pleasant, of Taylor county, and two entries from this strict during the past two weeks.

READ THE WANT ADS.

### RING IN THE NEW

ISN'T it true of the most of us that our greatest worries the year just closing was the worry over things that never occurred? Let's ring in the new year in confidence and with courage. . . Happy New Year to you.

### THE TOGGERY

Elmer West and Wayne Moffett took off Thursday morning in the direction of Mason county on a hunting trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall Kennedy and little son visited in the home of his parents at Grapevine during the holidays.

Miss Margaret Parks of Midland, spent Christmas with her father R. L. Parks and sister, Mrs. Ray Simpson and Mr. Simpson and the little Simpson heir.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Maggart and son, Woodrow, spent Christmas in Cross Plains with their daughter and family.

Miss Rowena Gibson of Big Spring, is the guest of Misses Eunice and Doris Thornton.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Whitson and children of Midland, were here to spend Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Whitson.

Mrs. J. N. Woody was called to the farm home of Mr. Woody's grandmother, south of Colorado, by the serious illness of the aged lady who has reached her 91st birthday. Mrs. Woody spent last Sunday there.

The mother of Geo. B. Shelburne and a number of other kinsmen, were visitors in his home on Christmas Day.

Virgil Stephenson spent Christmas in McCauley, going home to eat turkey with his family.

Mrs. Claud Hearne and little son were here from Seagraves to spend Christmas with her sister Mrs. Jim Zimmerman and family, and her father, H. M. Blaisdale.

Mrs. Lay Powell of Colorado, Mr. and Mrs. Tippett of Oklahoma, and Junior Curtis of Colorado, visited Mr and Mrs. Earl Powell last Saturday.

A WRITER of letters to a newspaper says that we should all capitalize our ethical incentives so as to better coordinate and articulate our mental activity with the environment set-up. This reminds one of a phrase found here and there in the Holy Scripture and reading: "which is, being interpreted."

A PAPER fills a page with thirty-seven obituary notices, all speaking well of the deceased. That is entirely proper, but one is inclined to wonder whether the dead men received the same kind of approval from the world while they were here to be encouraged by it.

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### WOODARD

MRS. J. F. MAXEY (Crowded out last week)

The singing was well attended Sunday night. Cold weather didn't keep the singers from being here. Watch for the next singing date.

Mr. Francis, Mr. Carter, Mr. Shirk, Mr. Cason and Mr. Massingill, were Stanton visitors Saturday.

Mr. Slaton of near Coahoma, visited in our community Monday. He has rented the H. Culp place and will move to it soon. We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Slaton and their children to our

community.

H. B. Shick returned Sunday to Lamesa. He is working there.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Prickett and two sons of Lenora, attended singing here Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Maxey attended the teachers meeting Saturday at Stanton.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. T. J. Francis is ill. We hope she will be well soon.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deepest gratitude and appreciation to our many friends for each word of sympathy spoken and each act of kindness shown us at the recent death of our beloved husband, father and uncle; for the beautiful floral offerings which expressed much love for his useful, religious, and business life.

Mrs. E. P. Woodard  
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HERE'S to you. . . A Happy New Year . . . as we come to the close of an eventful year and face the dawn of another twelve-months which offers fitting rewards in proportion as we are willing to work for them

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WE CLOSE THE BOOK

BEFORE closing the book upon an eventful year which was good to us in its manner of making known to us true friendships, real fellowships and an appreciation of the finer qualities of fellow citizens, we pause to thank all our friends and patrons and in turn to wish to each and every one of them—

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