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Here and There

By J. Troy Hickman

AND THE WORD BECAME FLESH

The first chapter of the gospel according to John tells us the meaning of Christmas.

less and void and darkness covered Rice Owls, will be the guest speakeverything, God willed that there er at the annual banquet staged should be a creation. Out of empti- by the Ozona Lions Club to honor ness came form, out of chaos came members of the All-District footorder, out of darkness came light. ball team members.

God willed that at least one This year's all-district banquet creature should have intelligence, will be staged in the fellowship that he should know himself to hall of the First Baptist Church be himself and wonder why. By the evening of January 18. Coach the will of God light shone in the Neely, whose team will play Aladarkness and the darkness could bama in the Cotton Bowl on Jan-

calculating machines which can do He may also bring movies of one in a few minutes work that thou- of the important Southwest Consands of men could not do in years. ference games or possibly of the But men made the machine it did Cotton Bowl game. not make him. The machine can | Coach Neely will lead the Texas solve a problem, but only after High School Coaching Clinic to be man has formulated the problem. held August 9 to 13, 1954, and a an answer to man's question, it clinic in Hawaii. cannot itself ask a question. Only a man can ask, "Who am I, and zona Lions Club is given to honor why am I here."

some way and degree. We see Him the all-district teams. Honored this in nature. "The heavens declare year will be boys picked for allthe glory of God and the firma-district honors on the first team ment showeth his handiwork." Pri- offense and defense and the mitive men, finding the sun and second team. Other guests will the stars the most impressive obinclude all members of the coachTwo Directors Of

Sensing that their happiness de-tificates. pended upon pleasing God, men set up a system of sacrifice ,going even te lenght of human sacrifice. Ozona Junior

Man's mind has told him there has to be a God, and with his mind he has sought to reason his way to his source.

that within the complex maze of things there is a dependable order, a moral law which he must adjust to, or die. And so the Word became law, and we tried to live by

One day God decided that man had become an adult, capable of entering into his real heritage. God had always had this heritage take it.

night long ago, it happened. God's won a place on the all-tournaeternal purpose entered into hu- ment team. Other all-tourney se- area within the town of Ozona. with a 20 pound gain by one of faith and saw that He was wholly man in the finale with 13. not be. But it was and is.

had not the faith to see Who He went on to win the consolution was. Refusing God's gift of life trophy by defeating Junction 23-17.

Christ gave the power to become mack's lads took Menard 33 to 15 the sons of God,—the real herit- in the semi final played at 4 p. m. age for which each of us was born. He gave them the power to say meet. They were from Eden, Mato God, "Father." He gave them son, Junction, Brady, Eldorado, the power to be the sons of God Menard, Fredericksburg and Oand brothers to each other; to live zona. a little of God's own life here and

When God came to live among us we beheld His glory, and He Teacher Overturns On was full of grace and truth. We Icy Highway Wed. had known justice, but we had not known grace .We had seen a little way by the flickering light of a teacher in Ozona High School, sufcandle, but now we see by the light fered a slightly injured foot but

the face of Christ we know that the icy highway between Ozona every problem is at bottom a spi- and Sonora Wednesday morning ritual problem . We know that the and overturned. spiritual is the real thing and the Mrs. Hull was on her way to

Jess Neely, Rice Coach, To Speak At Banquet Here

Lions Club's Annual All-District Fete Set For Jan. 18

In the beginning was the Word— Jess Neely, coach of the 1953 God. Although the earth was form-

uary 1, has agreed to make the In recent years men have built principal address at the banquet.

The annual banquet by the O- mouth. high school players in District 6-A Wednesday morning for Houston Men have always seen God in who were picked for inclusion on to bring the negro and the North jects in their world, worshipped ing staffs and school administrators in the district, plus all members of the Ozona High School There has always been an in- bers of the Ozona High School to seek a better knowledge of God guests. Members of the all-district Be Chosen Jan. 12 and a closer fellowship with him. teams are presented engraved cer-

His moral perceptions have seen Menard lourney

Gets Berth On All-**Tourney Team**

Coach Chick Womack's Ozona in reserve for man, it was always night by defeating Eden 33 to 15. tion. Other members of the board ing an 18-pound gain. Joe Everett His purpose to give it to him, but The Ozona juniors brought back whose terms will not expire until had a crossbred lamb that gained He had to wait until man could a handsome trophy awarded by the next year are Sherman Taylor, 20 pounds and Myrtle Mae Everett host school.

In a little Jewish village one Jake Young of the Ozona juniors tary, and Gene Williams.

man and wholly God. This miracle The local cagers won the tourof the ages is an eternal mystery. nament thriller in the opening polls will be open from 8 a. m. Erby and Tommie Sue Chandler Not a one of us understands how round when they defeated a pow- to 7 p. m. it could be. Indeed, within the erful Fredericksburg team in an framework of human ways, it can- extra period game. The Ozonans racked up a two pointer in the He came to His own. And some last two second of the extra pedid not receive Him because they riod to win 25-23. Fredericksburg

in Christ, they died in their sins. From the opening round victory But to those who received Him, over Fredericksburrg, Coach Wo-

Eight teams participated in the

Car Driven By Ozona

Mrs. Janie Hull, home economics was otherwise unhurt when the In the light that shines from car she was driving skidded on

material realities are only passing Austin to spend Christmas with a niece. The car, a Studebaker, was We know that Life ,not death, is badly damaged, Sheriff V. O. Earthe final end of life. We know that nest reported. Mrs. Hull's niece truth, not darkness, is the gift of came from Austin Wednesday af-God. We know that love, not hate, ternoon to take her there for the (Continued on Last Page) holidays.

Car Stolen On Ozona Street Recovered In Houston; Thief Caught Burned As Result

An Oldsmobile car, belonging to Mr. and Mrrs. Hilton North, stolen early Monday evening from in front of the residence of Mrs. W. H. Augustine, was found by officers in Pasadena, a suburb of Houston, Wednesday morning, Sheriff V. O. Earnest of Ozona was notified.

A negro who spent most of the day here waiting for repairs to be made on an old model Plymouth which he is alleged to have stolen in Tucson, Arizona, was found in the car and was arrested by Hous-

The negro stopped at the James Motor Co. early Monday for repairs on the ailing Plymouth. He spent the day here and told garage attendants that he had to be in Houston by Christmas. The Plymouth was still here Monday night but the negro was gone, and so was the North car. The Plymouth officers contacted Arizona authorities and learned that the car had that the negro had stolen a car

Deputy Sheriff Billy Mills left car back to Ozona, where charges will be filed. Houston officers reported the Ozona car undamaged.

Terms Of Directors Littleton And Baggett Expire

Terms of two directors of the Crockett County Water Control and Jake Young of Ozona on the second Tuesday in January, the 12th, for the purpose of

president, W. E. Friend, Jr., secre- a finewool that gained 18 pounds.

Child Seriously Fireworks Mishap

Peggy Hagelstein, 4, Hospitalized After Accident Monday

Peggy Hagelstein, 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hagelstein, suffered serious burns Monday morning when her dress host the Big Lake Owls. was ignited from a sparkler which she was holding in her hand.

The child was taken to a San Angelo hospital Monday night for Hospital. She suffered first and second degree burns over about severe burns on her stomach and

bore an Arizona license and local house. While Mrs. Hagelstein went been stolen. Information now is When Mrs. Hagelstein heard the litz chalked up nine. child scream, she rushed back in-Although the machine can give week earlier will hold a coaching first in California and abandoned to the house to find flames envelit in Tucson, in favor of the Ply- oping the youngster from a blazing dress. Smothering the flames quickly by wrapping a rug around the child, Mrs. Hagelstein rushed to the hospital.

Santa's Shoulder For Blue Ribbons

Members Get Set For 7th Annual County Show Jan. 9th

With the Seventh Annual County 4-H club livestock show only three weeks off, Saturday January 9th, Moore Bros. Buy many 4-H club members are more concerned about the blue ribbons than what all Local Buick And they hope to win than what ol expire this year and an election will be held within the district ty Agent Pete Jacoby reported this Pontiac Agency week.

The 100 lambs on feed by 4-H electing two directors for two-year club members made good gains the past 30 days and some are Up for re-election to the board getting pretty fat, Mr. Jacoby of the water district are Lowell said. Some of the good gains made Junior High School cagers copped Littleton and James Baggett. The were by R. J. Everett's three finethe one-day Menard Junior High names of both will appear on the wool lambs which gained a total basketball tournament Saturday ballot as candidates for re-elec- of 45 pounds with one lamb mak-

Over at the 4-H Club barn, Son-The Water District embraces the ny Henderson topped the gain list man history. A child was born. lections were from Eden, Fred-All eligible voters may vote a his crossbreds. Chris Hagelstein And when the child became a cricksburg, Menard and Eldorado. choice for the directors. Texas e- had 3 crossbreds making a total man, men looked with the eyes of Price of Ozona was high point lection laws apply to the election. gain of 48 pounds, one of which The polling place will be the gained 19 pounds. Bill Mullens' Crockett county courthouse and good crossberd gained 18 pounds.

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Lion Basketballers Lose Three In Row In Practice Series

Iraan's Braves made it three losses in a row for the Ozona Lion basketball crew on the Memorial gym court Tuesday nigth by pasting the locals 42-26. In a series of pre-holiday practice games the past week, the Lions dropped decisions successively to Rankin, Big Lake and Iraan. The pre-district warm-up series will be resumed here January 5 when the Lions

The powerful Rankin Red Devils. behind the accurate shooting of their Bob Trower who scored 17 points, put on their spurt in the further treatment after first being last half to beat out the Lions 59 the diving temperature and swirtreated at the Crockett County to 43 last Friday night in Rankin. ling snow laid an icy grip on this The Lions gained a 9-7 lead early in the game and was playing toe- est temperatures in several years 25 percent of her body, the most to-toe until near the end of the and the area's first snow blanket first half when the Devils hit for in as many years. a flurry of 6 points to build up an

The Lions made a poorer showthe Owls' Charles Martin perso- perature held on and the dry snow nally outscoring the entire Ozona was packed into a thin sheet of team with 26 points on seven field ice on pavement. But the snowfall goals and 12 free throws. Ramirez was welcomed by the hardiest of and Garlitz scored 6 each to lead

Sammy Martinez led the Lions with 10 points. Larry Eaves of the Braves scored 16.

The Ozona B crew has chalked biles. up a 2-1 record in the same series, beating the Rankin B 47-36 for the first win of the season. The B string lost to Big Lake 39-34 but came back Tuesday night to take

Buddy Moore To Be Active In Management 3 Field Tests Of Business

na, both long time residents here. have purchased stock and equipment of the Brewer Motors and have re-established local agencies

for Buick and Pontaic automobiles. The agency will be operated in the site which has been the locaestablished first by Lee Wilson as Crockett County fields. Wilson Motor Co. Operated under Magnolia Petroleum Co. will years by J. K. Colquitt until he northwest of Ozona. sold out to Jack Brewer. Brewer Operations on the test will bein turn sold out his interest re- gin Dec. 23. have now sold to the Moore bro- 660 feet from the south and east

Two new 1954 Pontaic cars have The prospector is 25% miles nounced just last week.

ly in January and the local agency 2,314 feet, but is separately by a will have them on display on an- dry hole four miles to the west. nouncement day. Meanwhile, Bud- The dry hole, Magnolia 1 Shandy Moore, who will be actively in non, was plugged in March, 1948, charge of the business, said that at8,159 feet, The following tops the Buick Motor Co. had made were reported on elevation of 2,593 available one of the 1953 models feet: Simpson, 7,270 feet; and Elto the agency for delivery to any lenburger, 7,630 feet. customer interested in buying one It is also 21/2 miles due east of of this year's models.

sides many years of mechanical 549-1,842 feet.

Sinclair oil and gas products miles northeast of Ozona. will be offered in the firm's fillwholesale agent for Sinclair, oper-tion is 2,536 feet. ating the Moore Oil Co. here. --000--

Phone News to the Stockman

Winter Arrives With Snow Blanket **And Biting Cold**

More Than An Inch of Snow, First In Many Years. Here

Winter officially arrived this week, and it might be added, "and how!"

A vanguard of strong north winds ushered in the season change and as the hours passed the wind became stronger and colder and with nightfall Tuesday West Texas area to bring the low-

Approximately an inch of fine Peggy and her brother, Rick, eight-point lead at the half. But snow, producing but little moiswho was ill, were playing in the the Rankin lads took charge the ture, blanketed Ozona during second half and were never threat- Tuesday night and the early mornto the backyard for a few minutes, ened. Johnny Ramirez led the O- ing temperature was 15 degrees the children fired the sparkler. zonans with 14 points. Charles Gar- an even lower reading of 11 degrees this morning.

Driving on Ozona streets was ing against the Owls of Big Lake, hazardous for several hours Wedwho won by a 46-23 margin, with nesday morning as the low temthe youngsters and several cartowed sleds were broken out for In losing to Iraan Tuesday night, an icy ride over the slick streets. Although temperatures remained low, sun soon melted the snow sufficiently on streets to bring some relief to drivers of automo-

CHRISTMAS EVE COMMUNION AT METHODIST CHURCH

A Christmas Eve Communion the Iraan second stringers 36-25. Service will be held at the Ozona Methodist Church between 7:30 and 8:30 o'clock Thursday, December 24, the pastor, Rev. J. Troy Hickman, announced this week.

All are welcome to attend, Mr. Hickman said, and the service will be on a come-and-go basis.

Two Wildcats, Buddy and Kirby Moore of Ozo- Set In Crockett

Magnolia Spots Deep Shannon Test; Childress Wildcat

Applications have been filed to tion for Buick and Pontaic car drill two wildcats, an outpost, and sales in Ozona for many years, two stepouts to production in

the same name, the business was drill its 1 Shannon Hospital, an operated the past two or three 8,500-foot rotary test, 23 miles

cently to Rob and Roy Miller who Location, on an 80-acre tract, is

lines of 5-BB-EL&RR.

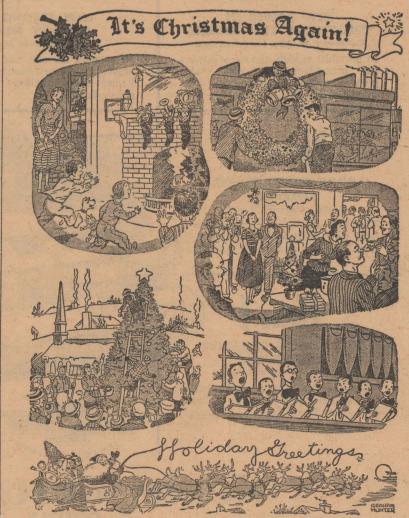
been placed on display in the show- north of the Todd (San ndres) field room of the new Moore Motors. which produces from pay at an These new cars are the first in average depth of 1,559 feet, and the new Pontaic line for 1954 an- five miles east of the Shannon field, which produces from the The new model Buicks for 1954 Grayburg at an average depth of are expected to be announced ear- 2,171 feet and the San Andres at

| Moore & Moore 1-M Shannon, o-The new motor firm will carry pener and lone producer in the a complete line of parts and mo- Todd, North (San Andres) field, dern service equipment. In charge finaled Nov. 1. for a daily flowing of the mechanical department will potential of 38.65 barrels of 30.1 be D.C. Hamilton, an experienced gravity oil, no water, with an esmechanic, recently with the John timated gas-oil ratio of 1,000-1. Holt Buick Co. in San Angelo. Be- Production was from between 1,-

experience, Mr. Hamilton was for George Barnes of San Angelo five years with the Buick Motor will drill his 2 John Childress, a 1,700-foot cable tool test, nine

Operations on the test will begin ing station. Kirby Moore is local when permit is approved. Eleva-

Location, on a 100-acre tract, is 3,500 feet from the south and 1,339 (Continued on Last Page)



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NOTICE OF AN ELECTION

For Directors of the Crockett County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1

election will be held on the second is the theme of the sermon by Rev. Tuesday in January, same being J. Troy Hickman, pastor. the 12th day of January, 1954, for the purpose of electing two (2) tors of the District.

ett County courthouse and polls and Mrs. Fleet Coates.

All laws of the State of Texas and Mrs. Walter Young, and Mr. bie Ann, all of San Angelo. relating to the holding of elections in this state are applicable in the case of an election to choose directors of the Crockett County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1.

Applications for places on the ballot have been received from Lowell Littleton and James Baggett and the names of these two candidates will appear on the ballot. Space will be provided for writing in the names of other candidates a voter might wish to vote and all matter not news, will be for, in each case striking out the charged for at regular advertising name or names of the candidates whose names are printed to leave two names on the ballot signifying voter's choice to fill the two places on the board of directors. SHERMAN TAYLOR, President

W. E. FRIEND, JR., Secretary

METHODIST CHURCH TO

OBSERVE NEW YEAR DEC. 27 A service commemorating the New Year and emphasizing its spiritual meaning is scheduled for Sunday, December 27 at 11 o'clock,

Notice is hereby given that an at The Ozona Methodist Church

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Schneemann directors, to serve terms of two and children are here from their years each, on the Board of Direc- New Mexico ranch to spend Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Polling place will be the Crock- Mrs. Max Schneemann and Mr.

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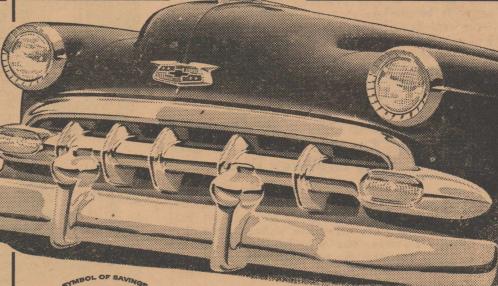
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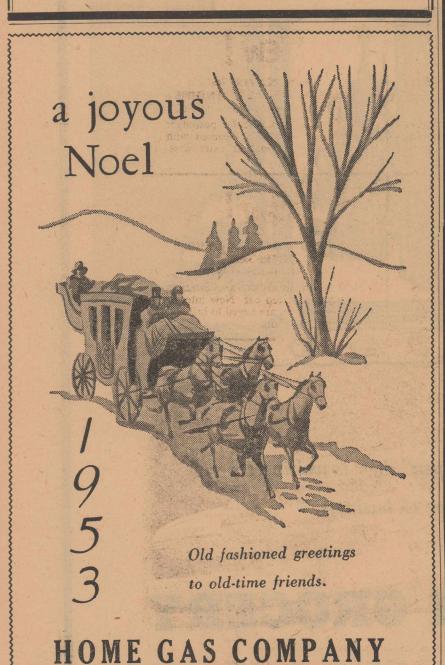
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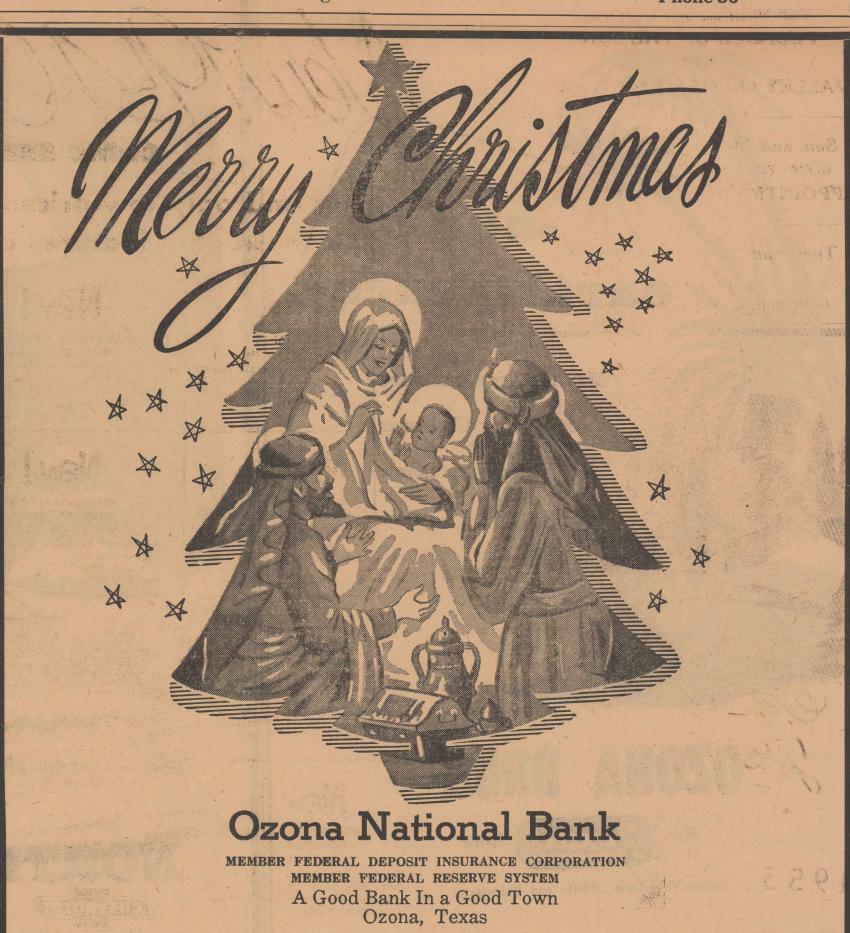


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White Sands Proving Work-Training Plan

Sands Proving Ground, the Army's expanded to include the other four students must be eligible for adrocket and guided missile testing subjects later. station near Las Cruces, N. M., will visit Ozona High School at 2 p. m. Wednesday, Jan., 13.

Bill Montable, assistant co-ordinator for the Co-operative Stumembers of the senior class and co-operative program. other interested students about an opportunity for working at White Sands Proving Ground while studying for degrees at one of two nearby colleges.

Under the "Co-op" program, stu-dent-trainees work full time at WSPG for six months each year and then study full time in college for the other six months. Alternating work and study periods continue for five years, after which the "Co-ops" may receive their bachelor's degrees.

They are paid from \$1.32 to \$1.53 per hour during the work periods. Requirements for degrees under the program are the same as for full-time students graduating in four years.

But "Co-ops" gain the advantage of two and a half years of practical experience while still in college. And they may earn enough during each six-month work period to pay all of their college expenses.

The co-operative plan has been in effect since July of 1952 at New Mexico A&M College, Las Cruces, and now has an enrollment of more than 328 student-trainees. A similar program will begin in February at Texas Western College, El

At New Mexico A&M, "Co-ops"

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gram will be confined to electrical and evening in Army busses. A representative of White engineering at first, but may be To qualify for the program,

A&M, women majoring in physics must be between the ages of 17 and dent Training Program, will tell and mathematics may enter the 35 unless they are veterans ,and

The student-trainees live in dor- examination.

are majoring in physics, electri- mitories on their college campus. cal engineering, mathematics, me- During the work phases of the Ground Offers Student cal engineering, mathematics, including chanical engineering and civil enprogram, they travel to and from gineering. The Texas Western pro- the Proving Ground each morning

> mission to the engineering school Also in February, the program at one of the colleges (high school will be open to women students for graduation including two and onethe first time. At New Mexico half units of mathematics). They must pass a Civil Service entrance



Joy at Christmas

May your Christmas

be filled with

happy memories

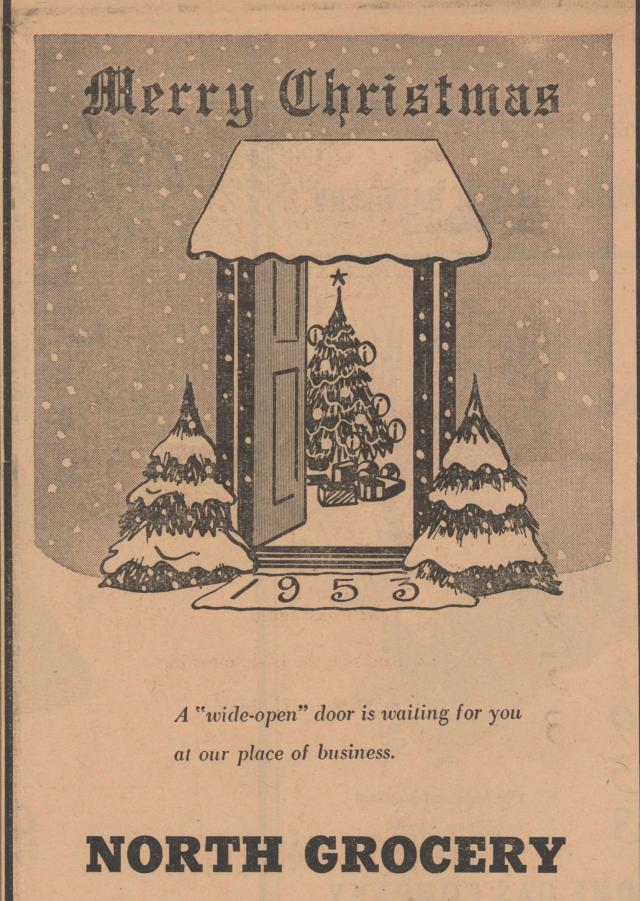
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Ultimate Control of Bitterweed, One of Ranch Industry's Worst Enemies, Seen As Result Of General Cooperation in Soil Conservation Plan

By Bob Scott Soil Conservation Service

It is that time of the year again when a great deal of attention is being focused on the famous poison plant known throughout West Texas as bitterweed.

In developing the "Program and Plan of Work" for the Crockett Soil Conservation District, a great deal of emphasis must be placed on the effect of this noxious little plant on ranch operations. Bitterweed is an ever menacing problem, that affects all phases of a ranch

A brief look at the history of bitterweed shows us that as far back as we can find records, bitterweed existed in the wet weather lakes found on the divide country of the Edwards Plateau. The reason for this was probably due to the fact, that periodically these lakes filled up with water, drowning all the grass vegetation in them. This left bare areas for bitterweed to thrive in. As man inhabitated the country, his wagons and wagon trails were probably one means by which bitterweed was able to spread out to the far reaches of West Texas. Ranges deteriorated by drought and over use were receptive to this invading plant.

In general, the control of bitterweed can usually be tied in with other conservation practices. The adoption of proper range management practices which result in the increase of the better grasses will automatically decrease the amount of bitterweed in most areas.

Additional practices that have been used, that will decrease the amount of bitterweed, prevent its spread, or facilitate the handling of sheep are listed as follows:

1. Summer rest of range to improve the vigor and cover of native grasses.

2. Concentrated grazing of rested areas following the first rains sprouting bitterweed.

3. Fencing out draws or corners, were bitterweed can be isolated, thus preventing or slowing its

4. Pulling or poisoning light in-

festation in connection with proper range management.

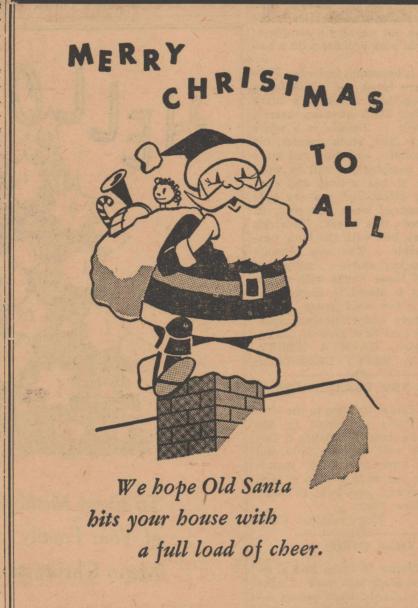
5. Construction of brush fences and brush dams to filter out seed, in order to prevent its spread down draws.

son will spend Christmas here with and Mrs. Doug Kirby.

Mrs. Melton's mother, Mrs. Coralie Meinecke. Also here to spend the holidays with Mrs. Meinecke was another daughter, Mrs. James Dockery, and Mr. Dockery from Santa

Joe Bailey, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bailey, is home from San Angelo College to spend the holidays with his parents.

Miss Kay Kirby, student at TCU in Fort Worth, is home for the Mr. and Mrs. Bill Melton and holidays. She is a daughter of Mr.



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Dear Mae:

Jingle bells!! Jingle bells!! Gosh Christmas is almost here, time for

And now shall we let boys out So. . of our minds and talk about "pre- Dear Santa, going to buy myself a present and Greenie to stay away from the sign Charles G. name! Gosh, won't gym, and I've even helped Rat roll that be a surprise to every one her own weeds! Yes, Santa, I've (Charles will probably faint.)

NIORS of 1953."

couldn't make it.

she said it was fun.

over at Betty's house but he'll be Red Raiders! up and around Monday night. I Now, I'll set down to what I hear that there is to be a progres- need. First off, some of that new sive party for the '53 seniors. I stuff you spray under your arms. would sure like those parties if Look what it does for Hugh Dow. World" they would progress from boy to Then Santa, I could use a little boy instead of house to house. something for the eighty-eight. A

Must go and get that present and it lately. Well, Santa, I guess I'd sign Charles' name, Boy won't better go now. I've got to help Teeth" a certain Soph. girl blow her top. Larry Lewis get him a date for But by then, they'll be plenty of the Senior trip — the reason we're snow to cool her off!!

Love. Lizzie

Christmas, Lizzie

ing Miracle, on sale at Ratliff Jr., are spending Christmas in A-Hdw. & Furn. Co. Ozona, Texas. 1c marillo with Mrs. Phillip's parents. the Stockman office.

Fads and Fooie By Kenneth Phillips

The first thing that I would like snow and boys and presents and to do this Christmas is write a boys and Christmas cards and boys couple of letters . . one to my and snow ball and fights and boys. finance company, and the other to Just think Mae, all the "ex's" will Santa Claus! I guess that I'll start "The Snoil Quiz Program." It was be home. Boys and more boys. off with the one to the North Pole.

sents"? Oh, those lucky girls that I have been a good boy this go steady, they'll get presents for year. I didn't hurt anybody in footsure. Maybe, just maybe, I can ball. I have been nice to all my teaget away with my new plan. I'm chers so far. I have persuaded

Charles will probably faint.)

Now let's talk about "spirit". Why, it seems only yesterday You know Mae, about the only that Drack was trying out a new spirit I've seen around here is type of fang. When the poison "Boney" hanging around like an passage got stopped up - imicicle. And of course we have a mediately I jumped to the rescue few "ex" Christmas spirits drift- with a pipe cleaner, and in no time ing around like the "great SE- she was flying around as happy as could be.

Now we come to dances! The And Santa Baby, please help me Christmas Dance was loads of fun, make all the ex-seniors good lit-(so I hear). I had a cold and just the people like they should be; they haven't really gone bad, but Carolyn went to Sonora Satur- what can you expect when some- lent answer "LIONS" (spelled day night to a Christmas dance and body goes off a fine upstanding backwards) she won 25 cents. young creature from Mars, and As far as I know Tom is still comes back one of those horrible

55 gallon drum of hydramatic Speaking of going, I have to. fluid - it's been using a little of looking so far ahead is because everybody is feeling good and he for Christmas" might have a chance.

P. S. I woold send you a Christ- So, to you Santa, and everybody mas Card, but I just sent my last else everywhere — the Best Merry one to Ronnie. Love and Merry Christmas, and a Happy New Year ter Wonder Land" that there could be. Bye Now

GLAMORENE, the Rug-Clean- Mr. and Mrs. Hillery Phillips,

Student Council Presents Program

Thursday in activity period the Student Council gave a quiz pro-

The name of the program was very clever.

The contestants were June Bunger, Becky Davidson, Mary Jo Ward, Erby Chandler, Sarah Hicks, Fred Shoubrouek and Don Tay-

Each contestant was given five questions. They received 1¢ for answering the first, the second 4¢, the third 8¢, the fourth 16¢, the fifth 25cents.

After each contestant the "Snoil Band" would play and a commercial was given by Larry Lewis. The commentator was Graham Child-

When all seven contestants had been asked five questions they question was: The word S-N-O-I-L pertains to our school in some way can you figure out how? Mary Jo Ward was the winner. For the bril-

-000 Song Dedications —

Pat and Nancy-to-?? - "Silent Kent-to-Patty H. — "Joy to the

Ronnie-Charles-Jody-Three Kings"

Kenneth-to - George - "Blue

Tom-to-Betty - "I'll be Home

Jane, Vivian, Barbara, Sandrato-Mr. Harlan - "Santa Baby" Mr. Pelto-to-Minnesota — "Win-

Sonny — "Rudolph the Rednose Reindeer."

Remington adding machines at

Fads and Fashions By Jane Adams

At the Christmas dance: Vivian ooking very Christmasy in a white ly beaded top. . Janice Spencer wore a yellow and ruffled dress (?) and threatened to drop the test with ribbon binding the edge of tube if we didn't have something the ruffles . . Rosie looked like a Christmasy, so here goes. pink cloud in a fluffy dress with a ruffle that stood high on the THE NIGHT BEFORE CHRISTtop. . . Sandra's dress was white net woven with gold threads. . and | Cecelia Cooke was practically the only one not wearing a strapless: her's was pink brocade with a hal-

ter top. Fads becoming fashions: More and more black and white being worn together; Jeannene's black felt skirt, black sweater, narrow white belt. . . Sandra in a white corduroy skirt, black sweater, big white collar. . and more and more of this combination will be worn because it has a neat and very striking effect and you are sure to be noticed when you wear it.

Noticed this week: Shirley's pale pink belt with the long, nargave the jackpot question. The row buckle . . The way Greenie looks in boy shirts . . more and more of those shirts with a zipper that is meant to show, some cotton, a few wool jersey . . and everywhere and flattering everyone was that first glow of Christmas spirit. HAVE A MERRY, LOVELY, HAPPY CHRISTMAS

THE NEW YEAR'S PARTY

Don't forget to come to the New Year's Party suonsored by the Freshman class .The dance is for-We mal and will start at 9:00 and end at 1:00. It doesn't matter Larry-toSandra - "All I Want whether you have a date or not, for Christmas is my Two Front come anyway, and help us bring in the New Year.

> The Freshman Class -000-

MAKE XMAS CARDS

The Typing II Class had a recess from study last week to make Christmas Cards. Each person designed his own and cut it on stencil. This followed a unit on stencil cutting they had just completed. Each one showed great originality and after they were finished, Mrs. Cody hung them on the bulletin board.

Heard From the Test Tube By Jerry Currier

Jingle bells, Jingle bells, jingle care, dress with little red balls jingling all the way. Maybe I should say over the skirt . . Carol Friend brains instead of bells 'cause that's in an aqua dress with a fabulous- what Phillips brains (?) do, jingle. Mrs. Janes beat me in the head

MAS (A sot's version) T'was the night before Christ-

mas and all through the joint, Not a creature was stirring, a

The glasses were emptied with

In hopes that another round

would soon be there. Everyone was nestled all snug, While dreams of some coffee was on their mug.

And Ma in her Censored and I in my cap,

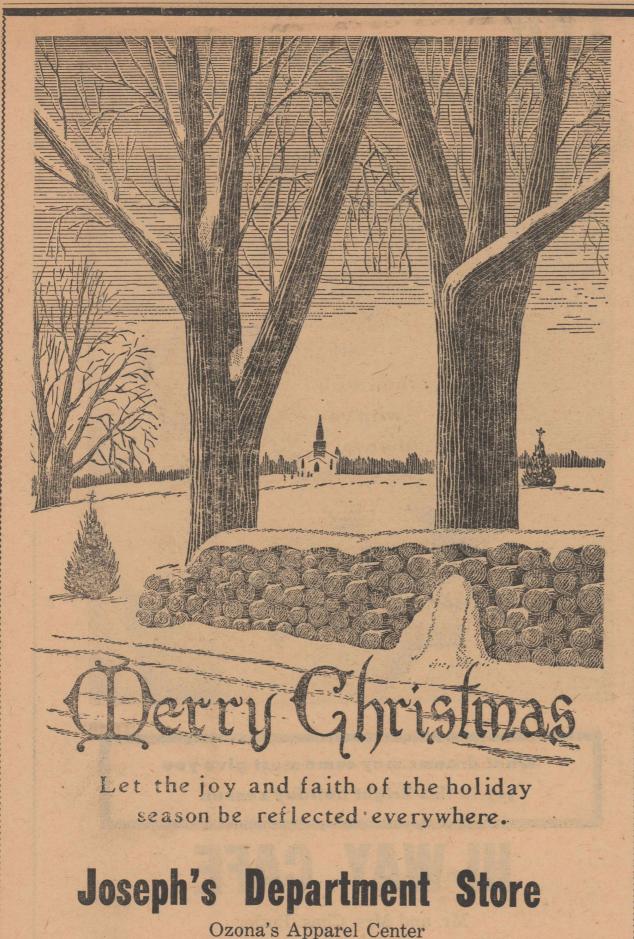
Were just going out for some more beer on tap. (Continued on Page Seven)



To Every Member of Your Family... Merry Christmas

SAUNDERS FLOWER SHOP

Phone 303





Lions Roar (Continued from Page Six)

When out on the lawn there arose such a clatter, I slammed the door shut (I knew

that it was the master.) Away from the window I flew

with a flash, Tore open the back door and threw out the trash. The moon on the breast of the

old garbage can. Gave lustre of Monroe to the very last bottle.

When what to my bloodshot eyes should appear,

But a big fat cop. I ran for house, I knew what

The riot squad had us caught

on the nose (A red one.) I whistled and shouted and called them by name,

And all of my guests left with

Then running and stomping I heard on the floor of the wagon. This cop I was telling was real-

His clothes were all wet with wonderful brew.

He had crashed the party and done a good job too.

His ugly big mouth was down at the ends,

And the club he had was crooked The club encircled my head like a wreath.

straight to sleep.

But I heard him exclaim as I went out like a light,

(This was censored) Well the ole testtube and I don't really feel that way about Christmas but it WAS fun. So we want to wish each and everyone of youbut before that let me ask you not to get into the predicament of our hero of the night before jail and if you're going somewhere in your car please be careful.

Remember I need all the fans I can get to outdo Phillips so drive carefully and—safely and make it a Merry Christmas and a Happy when all through the bungalow New Year—and a special Christ- not a juvenile delinquent was stirmas to Kenny for being such a ring not even a mouse. The ungood sport about all of the gripes knowing brunette lay quiet on the

BODY!!!!

A SPORTY CHRISTMAS

T'was the night before Christ-

And all through Pelto's house, Not a game had been won, And he felt like a louse. The Lions had been nestled All snug in their sacks. Not having won a game, They all felt like rats. With Mrs. Pelto in her kerchief, And Swede in a sweat, For he knew this year's district dillac coupedo Ville wide open. Held another roundball threat. When out on the court, There rose such a hollar, If he didn't win his game, Where would he get his next dol-

Away from the bed He flew like a flash, And ran to the cupboard in a

mad dash, To mix some drinks, For he knew his brain was in ight kinks.

And, what to his wondering eyes helpless. hould appear,

A Lion ball club without one He could see it then,

A basketball crown, But don't you believe it, He was just sotted down!! He was so tight,

As on the court they came, He cursed them and cussed them And roared them by name. Now Garlitz, Now Childress, now Jones, and Taylor,

And I like a good boy went On McMullan, on Ramirez, on Mar-

and Lewis!! (Go you dogs, go!) Then back to bed, Pelto went with a crash, Those 13 Tom Collins, Made him step in the trash. And as he dozed off, And looked over his red nose He said very bravely, We'll lick (Hic) any foes. By LARRY LEWIS

-0()0--THE MURDER OF THE UNKNOWING BRUNETTE

Was the night before Christmas floor with a primed automatic MERRY CHRISTMAS EVERY- near her lifeless right hand. (The catch is she is left handed.)

Suddenly penniless Powers with Adding Machines at the Stockman. her sawed off shot gun arrived on

the scene and said, "A misdemeanor has been committed under the electric heater." She whirled alert against the door, back to the wall, and cocked her "trusty." As an afterthought, she reached in her pocket. The cool penniless private eye panicked NO AMMO!!! She froze, suddenly. She pulled out her binoculars, took a squint, and what did she see but Murderin' Myrtle heading eastward on 99 Deadend Boulevard with her Ca-

Undaunted by Murderin' Myrtle's escape Penniless Powers, private eye, returned to see if there was any evidence in the brunette's purse. "Aha"! Five dollars and a quarter! I'll confiscate this for vital evidence

Bobby Ann, a beautiful blonde, approached Penniless. Her dress was low, her hair was on her shoulders, a very slick looking gal, she was. She pulls out a weed. "Got a light?" Her voice was weak and

Penniless said, "What a gal to be out here." But putting duty first Penniless went back to the

A siren wailed through the fog The authorities marched into the (Continued On Page Eight)



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V. O. EARNEST

Sheriff, Assessor and Collector of Taxes **Crockett County**



Spencer Motors Phone 36

Lions Roar (Continued from Page 7)

says, "She did. Then she points to them in our socks. Penniless Powers. Penniless cries bear Santy, "NO"! I have been framed! Murderin' Myrtle is guilty and Bobby Ann (smolder, smolder) is her campanion."

But they wouldn't listen. They hauled Penniless Powers, private Dear Santy, eye, away and sent her up the rishotgun.

And Murderin' Myrtle behind walk under mine. It is streching her veil of refinement, had a flat. it so much. Moral: Use firestone tubeless tires;

In case anyone is wondering where and why this story was writ- John", letters so I can send them SYMBOLS OF CHRISTMAS ten the shorthand class wrote it to all the men all over the world. because it had some words in it They are so mean to us girls. that the shorthand class had to practice on. Characters were:

Unknowing brunette Vivian Trot- Santa, ter; Bobby Ann Barbara Bonn; Murderin' Myrtle Wanda Carden;

---000-SANTA BABY, PUT UNDER THE TREE

Shirley - A date to the Country Club Christmas dance.

Jane - Seat Covers, please!! school have to sit on BENCHES. dollar bills. We never were as hard Before all the girls I bring to Jerry — A new wife.

Carolyn - A new Algebra tea-

after the holidays. Charlie B. — A car

Betty Walley — An ink eraser for bookkeeping.

Patty H. — A better average in Algebra. Della Mae - A stocking full them around too). of pennies

Mike C. — Wanda A. Benny - A new woman. Freddie — A hot rod. Phillips -- \$97,000,000,000 insurance on his joke file

-000-**OUR LETTERS TO SANTA**

Directed and Produced by Kent V. Chapman

Dear Santy, We want a 6' 6" blonde and a cords. 6' 2" blonde, preferably from Odesse and Crane. The 6' 6" goes to

Pat and the 6' 2" to Nancy. Thank you Santy.

Pat and Nancy darkened bungalow. The chief said, P.S. Our feet aren't so large as

I want you to send me a case of a well, cokes for X-Gracias, Curtis B.

Serefin M.

Dear Santy, Please bring me a sack of "Dear

Love & Kisses,

Patty Dearest loving and most wonderful

Please, Please, send us a large Penniless Powers Alena Powers. bills. We need it quite badly.

Anxiously, "Seniors"

Dear Santa, Since the, ugh, Seniors broke the ice, would you mind sending us some money too. Just a few 100 up as the Seniors.

As ever, The Junior Class

Graham - A clear conscience Santa Baby, Would you send me a '54 convertible, baby blue, I'll be waiting up for you, Santa Baby, so hurry down the chimney the 25th. (if you have any old minks or discarded boys laying around bring

> Love ya lots, Sandra

Santa Dear (you cat you,) I sure would dig some crazy cat

records if you would bring me a couple of dozen. Some real hot, mad, crazy, bop records would make my Xmas complete. In my estimation you are real gone Santa and I would just love to give you some bop lessons if you are nice enough to bring me some bop re-

Oodles of smoothes and hugs,

Dear Santa,

I wish you would bring that old yellow cat a new tail, it sure "Who done it?" Slick Bobby Ann it might seem, don't try to put does look silly without one. What will its little babies think? Much obliged Jackie Williams

Dear Santa,

I wish you would bring me some "anything" to gain weight from. The "More-weight" from Clint, Texas, just didn't do the job. I sure would appreciate it, because I want you to bring me a great I don't want the boy scouts using wer .They even took her sawed off big double-sized coat so Guadalu- me to roll their kite string on ape and I don't have to try and gain this year.

Kent

P. S. Better bring Sonny some too, they use him for the string.

By Jane Adams

At Christmas there is a feeling we do not have, even remotely, at any other time of the year .It's known as "having the Christmas Spirit" and maybe it came to you money box filled with 1000 dollar this year when you heard the bells playing a carol or when you saw a lighted Christmas tree glowing (Continued on Page Nine)

A Friendly Wish

in this

Holiday Season



House of Flowers and Gifts

11M 0009 We join the parade of well wishers making their way to your door . . . Merry Christmas.

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May the symbols of child-like peace

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We take "time out" from a busy season to extend our very best to you.

Williams Magnolia Station

Mobiloil and Mobilgas

Lions Roar

(Continued From Page 8) in someone's window. However it was, that moment became a sym-

bol of Christmas to you. Christmas in the United States; it has gotten to be such a big thing Janice S-Dwight, Beverley K. - as State College in Denton. that no one can really escape it. Carol C., Della Mae-Lynn , Ceci-Our Christmas is made of many lia-Jerry, Sarah-Hugh R., Patty things; swishing dresses and spe- Hardesty - Kent, Betty Walley cial church services, music in the Sonny, Jack Mullen-Jane Halford, streets and the loving way we Brock-Wanda, Joyce-Gail Garlitz, wrap our presents, the crisp days, (Midland), Ann-Benny, Martha the evergreen smell of the Christ-Fred S., Peggy - George, Sandramas tree, being near our friends Jody, Donn Lott-Judy Patterson,

And though sometimes we forthings a special feeling and mean- dance. from the tingle of excitement give us such a nice dance. when he selects his first Christmas present to the last special true meaning of Christmas in his

Christmas Dance **Enjoyed By Students**

Nearly everyone in high school went to the dance. If you didn't go you sure missed something.

The gym was decorated with garlands of cedar around the wall with gold leaves and gold bells. There was a big Christmas tree with cedar and colored bells. In the basket there was mistletoe, balls and gold leaves. Mistletoe was hanging from the ceiling with lighted Santa Claus and reindeer on one wall. There were several small tables with white paper on the top and red "Santa Clause" boots filled with green leaves and balls. The refreshment table was covered with a green linen cloth, with gold candles and gold and green ornaments.

The orchestra was the "Dixie Williams" from San Angelo. There were five prices to the orchestra which were the piano, drums, guitar, base fiddle, and the saxa-

The teachers at the dance were Mr. Wilkins, Mr. Smith, Mr. Hat-

Lou Nelle-Jesse, Mary Lou-R. J., ne. Tylene-James, Carolyn - Charles, Soweders, Jan-John, Carol F.-Bud-Almost everyone celebrates dy, Susie-Ralph Way (Big Lake), Ray Piner, is here to spend Christ- AFB. Alena-Mike, Ann Ratliff-Larry mas, He is a student at North Tex-Billie L-Don T ..

There were three couples from get that we are celebrating a mira- Big Lake-Bonnie H. Eddie Stephcle that occured two thousand enson, Billie Watkins-Robert Armyears ago, I think this spirit of strong, Jerry Ross-Sandra Thomp-Christmas that gives everyday son. We are glad they came to our

ing once a year is fresh proof of Mrs. Boyd Clayton was the chair the goodness and love that Christ man. The student body wishes to gave to the world . Each person, thank all the parents who helped

GLAMORENE, the Rug-Cleangift he accepts, is honoring the ing Miracle, on sale at Ratliff

> LOST — Boy's gray satin jacket with fur collar. Finder please call 317-W



Holiday Joy be Yours

through the whole season! Joe Patrick

Electrical Shop

Pfc. and Mrs. Chris Perner are

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with Mrs. Sikes' parents. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Augustine. Mrs. Max Schneemann. Lt. Sikes Tom Piner, son of Mr. and Mrs. is stationed at the San Diego, Calif.

and son Dan, are here from Gil-Mr. and Mrs. Miles Pierce and mer to spend Christmas with Mrs. the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney R. Moughon is home for the holidays season. children are here from Alpine to Moughon's parents Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. T. A. Kincaid, Jr., and a stu- to spend the holidays with his parspend Christmas with Mr. Pierce's Evart White. Judy White, a Senior dent at Schreiner Institute in Ker- ents Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Conklin. parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor student at SMU, is also home for rville, is home for the Christmas Another son, Ben, a student at

Lt. and Mrs. Clyde Sikes and Mr. and Mrs. Karl Kreamer of The dates for the dance were here from Fort Bliss in El Paso children are expected the after- Houston are here to spend Christ- Hickman, both children of Rev. Kenneth-Vivian, Graham-Georgia- to spend Christmas with his par- Christmas week-end for a visit mas with Mrs. Kreamer's mother, and Mrs. J. Troy Hickman, are

-000-Schreiner Institute in Kerrville, Tech in Lubbock.

---000--holidays.

Miss Pat Hickman and Scott here to spend the holidays with their parents. Pat is attending Roy Harrell, son of Mr. and Mrs. North Texas State College at Den-R. A. Harrell and a student at ton and Scott is attending Texas

Wilburn Conklin, student at Ar-Tom Kincaid, son of Mr. and lington State in Arlington, is here Schreiner, is also home.



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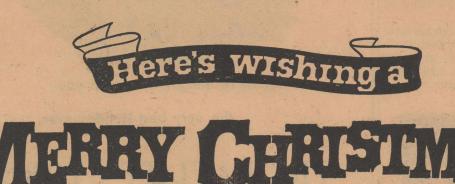




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Kirby Moore

Here and There By J. Troy Hickman

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is the ultimate force which shapes

In Christ God has won for us a great victory, the victory of faith be drilled as the No. 1-2 L. P. Miss Rosalie Friend over despair, of life over death. Those who did not recognize God when they saw Christ put Him to death. But death cannot hold God, anymore than it can hold those who belong to God.

This is the deeper meaning of Christmas, the eternal meaning, and the only meaning that a Christian can accept.

"Thanks be to God, who giveth us the victory through Christ our Lord.

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had several lambs making better than one-half pound per day gains.

The Show's schedule on the 9th begins with the judging of finethe grounds by the Ozona Butane Company.

Presentation of trophies and other awards is scheduled at 1:30 p. m., following the judging of the Registered Ramboillet Ram Class. The auction sale of fat lambs and rams is scheduled for 2:00 p. m.

Plans are to show about 50 head of fat lambs at the Fort Worth Livestock Show which begins January 29th. Several lambs and bucks will be shown at San Antonio and San Angelo Livestock Shows in February.

Two Wildcats —

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feet from the west lines of 10-CD-Joseph McShany survey.

The prospector is 3/4-mile due north of the same operator's No. 1John Childress, wildcat failure abandoned July 2 at 1,500 feet on elevation of 2,525 feet. Operator reported shows of oil at 940 and 1,407 feet.

The Midway Lane 1300 field of Crockett County 13 miles northwest of Ozona, has been extended one location west with the completion of Gulf Oil Corp. 7 Chambers County School Land for a daily pumping potential of 38.42 barrels of 35.8 gravity oil plus 4 per cent water, with gas-oil ratio of

Production was through perforations between 1,255-75 feet in 7inch casing cemented at 1,250 feet on total depth of 1,290 feet.



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Ozona Dress Shop Mrs. Thelma Jolly

Top of pay was picked at 1,255 cable tools to 1,300 feet. Operafeet. Location is in 7-Chambers csl. permit is approved.

(Strawn) field of Crockett County 4-Chambers csl. 13 miles south of Texon .It will

Rotary drilling to 8,300 feet will begin when permit is approved.

N. A. Miller.

Gulf Oil Corp. will drill its 15-K and Miss Judy White. Shannon, a one-location west stepof Ozona.

cable tools to 1,450 feet. Opera- hostesses. tions are to begin when permit

wool lambs at 9:00 a. m. A noon one-location northeast stepout to ton, Mrs. C. E. Davidson, III, Mrs. barbecue lunch will be served on production on the north side of Jack Brewer, Mrs. Armond Hoov-

The project will be drilled with by.

feet on ground elevation of 2,631 tions on the test will begin when

Continental Oil Co. will drill a Location, on a 1,107 -acre tract, %-mile northeast outpost to pro- is 990 feet from the south and west duction in the two-well Ranch lines of the northeast quarter of

Honored At Luncheon

Miss Rosalie Friend, bride-elect Location, on a 640-acre tract, is of Glen Richardson of Sonora, was 1,818 feet from the north and 1,918 honored at a luncheon Monday at feet from the west lines of 2-BB2- the House of Flowers tea room. Hostesses were Mrs. Ollie Whitley

Burgundy and white chrysantheout to production in the Vaughn mums were used in table and house field, located 11 miles northwest decorations. The honoree was presented with a gift of silver. Miss The project will be drilled with Friend also presented gifts to the

Guests besides the honoree were her mother, Mrs. W. E. Friend, Jr., Location, on a 177.3-acre tract, her sister, Miss Carol Friend, Mrs. is 990 feetfrom the north and 330 Hilton North, Mrs. Evart White, feet from the west lines of the Mrs. James Chapman, Mrs. Sam southeast quarter of 4-UV-GCKSF. Perner, Mrs. Chris Perner, Miss Gulf Oil Corp. will drill its 2-B June Perner, Mrs.. Frank Ashby, Chambers County School Land, a Miss Kay Kirby, Mrs. Toby Carlethe Midway Lane 1300 field, lo- er, Jr., Miss Joan Holt, Miss Jeancated 13 miles northwest of Ozona. ette Trotter and Mrs. Ulmer Bus-



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