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What Is Brucellosis?

Brucellosis is a contagious disease of animals and man caused by a bacterial agent. In cattle, it has been called Bang's disease and contagious abortion. In swine it is also referred to as contagious abortion. In cattle, brucellosis localizes in the reproductive tract and interferes with normal reproduction. In addition, the disease affects the mammary glands and reduces milk production. The germ causing brucellosis is not a hardy individual and will not survive long outside the animal's body under Texas climatic conditions. Its main means of spread from animal to animal is through contaminated feed and water through direct contact with infected animals.

During 1958, the livestock sanitary officials in Texas ran a survey of dairy herds using the milk ring test. A similar survey will soon begin on the State's beef herds. Blood from animals at slaughter establishments will be collected and tested. Positive animals will be traced and the raiser notified that brucellosis exists in his herd. Although beef herds are not expected to be infected in the amount of dairy herds, present indications are that the State average will be higher than one herd out of five. It is estimated that Coleman County has less than five percent infected cattle.

On a national scale, brucellosis control is moving at a rapid and accelerating rate. During 1958 four more states have been added to the list of those already Modified Brucellosis Free. The fifteen states currently recognized are: New Jersey, Michigan, New Mexico, Utah, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Connecticut, Delaware, Maine, Minnesota, New Hampshire, North Carolina, Vermont, Washington, and Wisconsin.

In addition, many counties in other states have reached the goal of certification. At last count, fifty-three percent of the counties in the United States are either certified or on an area control program.

According to Secretary of Agriculture Benson, ninety percent of all U. S. counties will be certified by 1960. Texas 254 counties represent approximately seven percent of the U. S. total. Unless we act with deliberate speed, only three percent of the counties in the U. S. will be unrestricted markets for our cattle within two years.

It has already been estimated by some cattle men that Texas cattle are already being docked from two to four cents in relation to the cattle from the rocky mountain states.

As the surrounding and mid-western states continue toward a Modified Certified Brucellosis free status, the penalty against Texas cattle will become even greater. Texas and Coleman County must act, and act now.

Water District To Elect Five Officers January 13th

W. L. Vaughn, president of the recently formed Coleman County Water Control and Improvement District No. One, announced recently that an election would be held in Trickham on Tuesday, January 13, for the purpose of electing five directors to the board.

Polls will open at 8:00 a. m. in the Community House in Trickham. They will close at 7:00 p. m. All resident qualified voters of the District are urged to go to Trickham that day and vote for the five directors you would prefer to see on the board.

The three receiving the highest number of votes will serve for a two year term; the two receiving the next number of votes will serve for a one year term.

Land included in the district is all the land in Coleman County from the southeast corner of the county north to Buffalo and southwest to the east side of Santa Anna, then south to Whon and east to the starting point. All resident property tax payers in that area who are otherwise qualified voters, are urged to participate in the election.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Aldridge and Van spent Christmas Day with his mother in Law.

Christmas Drawing Draws Large Crowd Wed.

The largest number of people to be in Santa Anna in several months were here Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 24, for the annual Christmas party, sponsored by the local merchants. Very little, if any, parking space was to be found anywhere in several blocks of the main business district.

Winners of the 32 gifts given by the Christmas Program and local merchants were as follows: 3-piece West Bend electric set, Mrs. John Perry; West Bend electric skillet, Mrs. Pohn Patterson; 32-piece dinner set, G. P. Laughlin; 54-piece stainless steel tableware, Mrs. Tom Kingsbery; aluminum tea kettle, O. M. Jackson; 10-way electric deep fat fryer, Mrs. Add T. Walker; 3-piece set of luggage, E. L. Day; 3-piece sauce pan set, Buddy Campbell; lazy susan, Frances Everett; 32-piece dinner set, John Wayford Gregg; electric bean pot, Mrs. B. S. Raney; lazy susan, Mrs. Tony Rich; 3-piece set of luggage, Aubrey McSwain; 50-piece set stainless steel tableware, Rueben Fulton; West Bend electric percolator, Berna Hammond; table lamp, Seybold Rowe; table lamp, Coy Brooke; 50-piece set stainless steel tableware, J. W. Williams; 3-quart electric sauce pan, Earl Irick Jr.; 10-way electric deep fryer, Mrs. J. W. Williams; blanket, Earl Irick Jr.; \$5.00 trade certificate from Grammers, Oma Dean Horner; blanket, Bobby Morgan; casserole, Christene Smith; coffee service set, Clyde Davenport; coffee warmer, Mrs. Roy Horne; dressed turkey from Griffin Turkey Farm, Victor Diaz; dressed turkey from Stewardson Turkey Ranch, Minnie Young; 5-piece set cookware, Mary Jane Payne; cookie jar from Moore's Variety Store, Mrs. W. K. Bradley; 15-cup electric percolator, R. M. Williams; child's stool from Western Auto, Lorene Rice.

W. H. Burden was presented the \$25.00 in trade coupons at the 10:00 a. m. drawing during the morning. His was the fifth name called.

T/Sgt. Doug Moore Climaxes Tour Of Duty In Europe

Ramstein AB, Ger. (special) — Technical Sergeant Douglas H. Moore Jr., Santa Anna, Texas, climaxed his four-year tour of duty in Germany in fitting style last week. The newspaper he edits here, the RAMJET, was named the best Class Three paper in USAFE for 1958.

The RAMJET also won the award in 1957 under his editorship, and finished first in 1955 when he was assistant editor.

Sergeant Moore, who came to Ramstein in December of 1954, started as sportswriter on the paper. He assumed the editor's position in July of 1956. He will depart here sometime in early February for a new assignment at Davis-Monthan Air Force Base, Tucson, Arizona.

The 26-year-old sergeant also served as assistant coach of the Ramstein Ram football team this year. The Rams were undefeated in 11 straight games and they won the USAFE championship 431 points in 11 games to also capture the European scoring championship. During his tour here he also helped with the base basketball and baseball teams and coached a squadron softball team into the playoffs for the base championship.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Moore, reside in Santa Anna. Sergeant Moore is married to the former Betty Goen of Santa Anna. Mrs. Moore and their four children live in Germany with Sergeant Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pritchard Robert and Sus of Post, visited during Christmas with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Robbins and family. They also visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Vanderford and with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Don Pritchard, and his sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Little.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Burden on Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Burden and Mary of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Burden, Georgia and Tina of Elgin, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Burden, Jennie and Lynda of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. John Clark, Anna, Mike, Tim and Pat of Olathe, Kansas.

Apply Early For Social Security Retirement Money

Would you like to get your first social security check as soon as possible after entitlement? You can help the social security office get your money to you earlier by applying beforehand and by getting the proofs needed together, according to R. R. Tuley, Jr., social security district manager in Abilene.

Tuley advised that all persons intending to retire get in touch with the social security office one or two months before actual retirement. They should bring with them the papers necessary to establish their rights to benefit. These include the social security card, proof of age, and proof of recent earnings, such as the last W-2 form or last income tax return, with Schedule C or Schedule F and the canceled check with which the self-employment tax was paid. If the retiring person's wife is 62, she should bring proof of her age. Also, if there are any children under 18, their birth or baptismal certificates, or other proof of age, should be furnished.

Severely disabled persons, applying for freeze of social security status, if under 50, or for disability payment, if 50 or over, should bring information about medical examinations and treatment and employment for the past several years.

In death cases proof of age is needed for all eligible children, widows over 62, and dependent parents. Widows eligible for monthly benefits must furnish proof of marriage. Proof of death must be obtained in all cases.

Tuley cautioned that no one should delay his claim because the necessary proofs are not readily available. The social security office will be happy to assist in securing them.

Several Times To Enjoy New Year

With a little imagination — and a lot of stamina — you can ring in the New Year with more than one celebration.

In fact, you can keep on celebrating all through the year, just by switching calendars.

The World Book Encyclopedia says most of the Christian world wipes the slate clean on January 1st.

But by trading in the Georgian calendar for the Julian calendar, you can have another New Year's party on January 14th.

Take a few months to recover, and you can join the Iranian celebration on March 21st. If that doesn't wear you out, you can turn over a new leaf in autumn, when the Jews welcome the New Year.

If you want to cut down on travel time, you can confine your party-hopping to India. The Hindus are divided into many different religious groups, and each group marks the beginning of the year on a different date.

Texas Adventist Churches Visited By Rod Mobile Unit

The Seventh-day Adventist churches of Texas are being visited by a Mobile unit of Davilian Seventh-day Adventists from headquarters at Waco, Texas — touring the state and dispensing hundreds of pieces of free Bible literature.

These unique literature bands on wheels have already made their appearance at over forty different camp meetings held throughout United States and Canada in the past few years. It is reported that visitors to the churches are attracted by the large signs on the Mobile Bible literature bands parked near the entrance to the churches.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. A. Hefner on Christmas day and during the week were: Mr. and Mrs. Ed Reddock of Seminole; Mr. and Mrs. Hays Hefner and daughter of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Leo Healer and son and Mr. Healer's sister, Mrs. Mineola Healer, and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Bunn and Patricia, all of Brownwood; a granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Atwell and family of Farwell; and Mrs. H. T. Baxter and her daughter, Mrs. W. F. Turner of Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Kile of Coleman visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Kile.

Lions Club To Contribute Funds To Band Uniforms

The Santa Anna Lions Club voted recently to sponsor their annual Minstrel, and last week voted to contribute the entire proceeds above the cost of putting on the show, to the Santa Anna Band Uniform drive. The Minstrel will be held on Thursday, March 26, in the high school auditorium. Admission prices were increased to 75 cents for adults and 35 cents for students, because of the cause the money will go for.

A lot of new equipment is being purchased for this show, and a lot of new acts will be added to the show this year.

Admission tickets will go on sale sometime in February. They will be sold by members of the Lions Club, the band, and probably members of the Band Boosters Club.

Plans are being made to have ten or twelve end-men in the show, along with a variety of other acts. Lions Bill Griffin, Cullen N. Perry and James A. Mallow are the committee on getting the show ready. They are doing a good job.

We Want Your Local News

During the past few months since Mrs. A. L. Oder retired as our local reporter, we have not had as much news about local coming and goings as we would like to have. You and your neighbors have always been interested in the local happenings, and in order that we might bring you the kind of newspaper you want, we would appreciate it very much if you let us know when you go visiting, or when you have visitors.

It is impossible for us to get these local happenings unless we have your cooperation. Will you please let us know about them, either by telephone or by bringing them to the office.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Pritchard have moved back to Santa Anna from West Texas. Don will enter the armed forces next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Aldridge Jr., Roy, Don, Martin, Andy and Steve of Jal. N. M. and Mr. and Mrs. Doug Aldridge and Debra, Duane and Belinda of Kermit, visited over the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Aldridge and Van.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Boan and children of Odessa were holiday visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Garrett and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Everett and Jayne of Oklahoma City, Okla., spent a part of the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Frances Everett. R. L. Mackey of Abilene was a dinner guest in the Everett home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Spencer had all their children home for Christmas. Ed Spencer Jr., who has been at home since Dec. 9, returned to his base in New York on Tuesday. All the family spent Sunday in Abilene with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Spencer and a nephew of Mrs. Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hunter spent the holidays in Austin with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Brown Lee Hunter and daughter, Mrs. B. Weaver and Miss Pearl Wilburn went with them and visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Weaver.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Medlin, Topher, Charles and Vance, of Odessa, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Harris over the holidays. On Christmas day Mrs. D. A. Hise and the Oran Bauer family of Bangs and Mr. and Mrs. Rolan Hise of Abilene were visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Henderson and Ora Beth of Snyder were holiday visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Blue in Santa Anna and the J. D. Hendersons in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Speck of Dallas spent on Wednesday to Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Speck.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wheeler and son of Albany were holiday visitors with his mother, Mrs. Taylor Wheeler.

Subscription Rates To Increase On The News February 1, 1959

Extreme Cold Brings Welcomed Moisture

Extreme cold throughout the Central and North Texas areas brought some welcome moisture to the area Monday and Tuesday of this week. Early Tuesday morning the temperature dropped to the low 20's in this area.

The gauge at the Coleman Gas Company showed a total moisture amounting to 1/2 inch in town. Some reports indicate slightly more may have fallen north of town and a little less south of town.

The moisture is very welcome, and needed. Some reports from the southern part of the county indicate stock water is getting rather scarce. Good, heavy rains are needed throughout the entire area.

Correspondent Needed From Trickham Area

It has been several months since we have had very much news from the Trickham area. We would appreciate it very much if some lady in that area would volunteer her services to write us a news column each week.

We have discussed the Trickham News with several during recent weeks, but it seems we have found no one who will assume the responsibility. We would like to begin the New Year with a good correspondent from that area — and would appreciate it very much if the citizens of the area would prevail on someone to get your news items in to us.

Anyone who might be interested is invited to come by the News office when you are in town and discuss it with us.

E. S. Haynes' Pass 56th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Haynes passed their 56th wedding anniversary Sunday, December 21st. All their children except one, Robert Haynes and family of El Paso were present for the day.

The day was observed quietly in their home in the northeast part of town.

Social Security Man To Be In Coleman Mondays

The Social Security Administration office in Abilene announces a new schedule for a representative from their office to be in Coleman County, effective as of January 1, 1959.

Mr. McNatt, head of the Brownwood office, will be at the Department of Welfare office in Coleman each Monday at 10:00 a. m. Everyone in this area who has business with the social security office is invited to see the representative on that day. Previously, a representative has been being in Coleman twice a month on Tuesdays.

For your convenience, a complete schedule of where social security representatives will be throughout Central Texas for the first quarter in 1959 is posted in The News office.

Those having Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. John Wheatstone and the Mark Davis family were: Mr. and Mrs. Earl Irick Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bryan, Mrs. Winifred Stark and Brice, Rex Stark and daughter, Judy of Abilene, and Jean Irick of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Harlow and son, Donnie, of Dayton, Ohio, are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Irick Sr.

Mrs. Will Schulle, Jackie and Willene of Watonga, Okla., spent the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. J. J. Gregg.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Goodwin of Farmington, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Ray Goodwin and family and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Goodwin Jr. and family of Brownwood, were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Goodwin Sr. during the holidays.

For the second time in the 72 year history of The Santa Anna News the subscription price will increase slightly effective February 1, 1959. The necessity of this increase has been brought on by the recent increase in postage rates, along with numerous increases in the cost of paper, inks, labor, metals, and various other materials necessary to the publication of a newspaper.

Needless to say, we regret having to do this. We have held the increase off as long as possible. During the past five to ten years most everything we use in printing a newspaper has increased from 100 percent to more than 500 percent, yet the subscription rate of The News has only increased one time in the 72 years it has been in operation. That increase was about ten years ago.

From now through Saturday, January 31, 1959, we will accept subscriptions at the present rate. However, we ask you not to pay for more than one year in advance of your present subscription.

The News Enters 73rd Year Of Public Service

With this issue of The Santa Anna News, we enter the 73rd year of publication of this newspaper. The News has always tried to live up to the slogan that was established at the same time as The News — "He Profits Most Who Serves Best."

In June, 1920, J. J. Gregg purchased The News and it has been under that ownership since. Mr. Gregg passed on to his reward in July, 1953, but his wife continued to hold the ownership.

Since February, 1943, The News has been operated by a son, John C. Gregg.

There is only one business in Santa Anna that has been operated under the same ownership longer than The News, and that is the Blue Hardware Co. Mr. Blue purchased the store in 1913 and operated the store as the Blue Hardware Store for several years. The name changed, to Blue Hardware Store about 30 years ago. The Phillips Drug Store has been operated under the same name since it was established in 1886, the same year The News was established, but the drug store changed hands about ten years ago when J. W. Riley purchased the store from the Harper girls.

Schools To Resume Schedule Monday

The Santa Anna schools will resume their regular class schedule on Monday, Jan. 5, after a two weeks vacation for the teachers and students during the Christmas-New Year holiday period.

Usually each year some time is lost from school because of bad weather. The weather the first part of this week is usually the kind that causes this. There is a possibility that for the remainder of the school term, no interruptions will be caused by the weather.

Don Davis of Knox City spent the holidays with home folks.

Happy Birthday

"Happy Birthday" to all who have birthdays during the next week. Below are listed the birthdays we have this week.

- JANUARY 4**
Darlene Mercer
Juanel Mercer
- JANUARY 5**
Joe Rutherford
Roy Tucker, Brownwood
- JANUARY 6**
Mrs. A. Holman
Mrs. Leonard Moore
- JANUARY 7**
Alfred McCrary
Randy Joe Tryon
- JANUARY 8**
Ellis Densman
Linda Tucker, Brownwood

Would you like for your name to be published on your birthday? If so, please be sure to let us know when it is. Next week we will publish names of those having birthdays between January 9th and January 15th.

Rockwood News

MRS. JOHN C. HUNTER

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bostick were hosts for a birthday dinner of turkey and all the trimmings on Sunday, Dec. 21. Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Estes and Gordon of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes, Mr. and Mrs. Uless Maness, J. T. Avants, Melvin and Larry and Mr. and Mrs. John Hunter. Ones marking December birthdays were Mrs. Weldon Estes, Mrs. Boss Estes, Uless Maness, Mrs. John Hunter and Jack Bostick.

On Sunday before Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Heilman spent in Coleman with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Harnes and family. Mr. and Mrs. Howard McCullough and Mrs. Bettie Pentecost of San Angelo visited on Sunday, Dec. 21, with Mr. and Mrs. Uless Maness, Billy Maness of Brownwood and Mrs. Bob Johnson were Tuesday guests. Ed Farris of Goodland and Cecil Harnes of Coleman were Monday visitors. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Maness of Brownwood spent Christmas with the Manesses. Mrs. Elton Halmon and Lana of San Angelo and Leroy Casey were also Christmas callers. Roland Deal of Imperial and lots of local folks visited in the Maness home. Mr. and Mrs. Maness spent Thursday night and Friday in Brownwood with Mrs. Billy Maness.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hunter were Monday supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Turner of Waco and Mrs. Chris was day dinner guest. Mr. and Mrs. Deane Kelley in Santa Anna. J. Kell Maxey of Abilene spent Friday night with the John Hunters. Mr. and Mrs. James Sluder of Rockwood were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leffel Estes and family. They with Mr. and Mrs. James Estes and girls were Christmas day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Day and children in Coleman.

Christmas guests with Mr. and Mrs. A. Richardson were Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Phenix and Cynthia of Midkoff; Mr. and Mrs. Roger Dudley of Ozona; Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Cooper and children of Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Richardson and Betty and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Richardson and children of Coleman. Mrs. Jim West and Cleve of Midland came Sunday to visit. The Cecil Richardson children are on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Bryan and Kenneth spent the holidays in Fort Worth with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Bryan were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Sluder in Coleman.

Christmas Day guests with Mrs. A. L. Crutcher, Ludy Jane, Mr. and Mrs. Collis Crutcher and boys were Mrs. James Bell and Sheila Kay of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hodges and children. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Van Pelt and boys of Coleman. Mrs. Paul Powell of Waldrip visited Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Adian, Pat, Tommy, Michael and Donetta of Pleasanton, Calif. were Sunday evening guests in the Crutcher home. Other recent guests were Miss Lillian Wallace of Santa Anna, Mrs. Boss Estes, Mrs. Goldie Milberger, Mrs. Lee Miller and Mrs. John X. Steward.

Peggy McIntire spent Sunday with Ludy Jane Crutcher. Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Hodges and children of Coleman were also Sunday guests. Ludy Jane had another small piece of glass taken from scars on her hand, left from a recent car wreck. Major and Mrs. R. L. Steward Jr. and Freida of Wichita, Kan., and Mr. and Mrs. Ted McCarthy of Dallas were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Steward. Rev. Jimmy Ford, pastor, fil-

led the pulpit at the Baptist Church at the Sunday services. He was a dinner guest of Mrs. McCarrell, Harold and Mrs. Goldie Milberger.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Estes of Bovina visited Mr. and Mrs. Matt Estes last week enroute to Beaumont to visit Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Estes and new son, Kenneth Jr., who was born Tuesday, Dec. 23. Mr. and Mrs. Matt Estes are great grandparents. Mr. J. A. Estes is the great-great grandfather.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Estes and family of Bovina spent Christmas to Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Matt Estes and enroute home visited the Rev. and Mrs. Hester at Brownfield, who were celebrating their 40th wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Walter Martin of Washington, D. C. called her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Estes, for a Christmas telephone greeting.

Christmas day guests with Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Bryan, Lester and Chester were Mr. and Mrs. Sealy Bryan and Mary Ann of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith and children, J. T. Avants, Melvin and Larry.

Sunday guests with the Bryans were Major and Mrs. L. R. Joslin and children of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Avants and boys.

Amos Caldwell of Dallas spent Christmas day with his aunt, Mrs. Mena Shuford.

Christmas guests with J. A. Estes and Mr. and Mrs. William Estes were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Alexander and Leonard and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Oliver of San Angelo, Rev. Douglas Estes and Mike of Paradise and Mr. and Mrs. Matt Estes.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Straughan and Bettie of McCreary spent Tuesday to Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Fox Johnson. Other Christmas dinner guests were Miss Bernice Johnson of Coleman and Marcus Johnson. On Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes of Sweetwater and Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Hull of Purdon visited in the Johnson home. Nikki Van Johnson was Saturday night guest and Miss Bernice spent Sunday with her parents.

Jerry and Nikki Van Johnson were Thursday dinner guests of their grandmother, Mrs. Byrd Arnold in Santa Anna.

Mrs. Roy Blackwell spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Blackwell and girls at Fife. Mr. George Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Blackwell and children visited Mrs. Blackwell during the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Blackwell and children were Sunday guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Gray spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Routh and boys at Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith spent the holidays with their son, Jimmy Frank Smith and family, at Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryan and girls spent Wednesday and Thursday at Killeen with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Tucker, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Glass and children of Austin spent Wednesday to Monday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hunter and Don, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Briscoe and children of Waldrip were also Christmas guests. Mr. and Mrs. Glass and family and the Hunters visited at Denver City Friday to Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Hunter and Jimmy. Mrs. Myrtle Trent and other relatives. Returning home Sunday they were supper guests of the Tommy Briscoes. The Glass family were enroute home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sheffield and Mike of Gatesville were holiday guests with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper and LaQuinn. Christmas guests were Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Bolton and girls of Fort Pierre, S. Dak., Mrs. Wagie Flippen and George Wayne of San Angelo, Mr. and

Mrs. George Rutherford, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper and family.

The H. D. Club will meet at the Community Center Wednesday, Jan. 7, with important business on the agenda. Everyone is urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mobley and Greg of Odessa spent the holidays with Mrs. Kate McIlvain and other relatives. Mr. Mobley only had Christmas day off. Mr. and Mrs. Blake Williams and Carolyn of Hamshire came Saturday to visit with Mrs. McIlvain. Carolyn spent Sunday night with Mrs. Jake McCreary and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Smith of Tyler, Miss Bobbie Rehm, a student in the University, Jay Stearns of Terminal and Mr. and Mrs. Earl McGee and family of Fort Worth were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Rehm and family. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ruthford and children were with them for their tree on Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake McCreary and girls and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pufferford and children and Mrs. Gussie Wise spent Christmas in Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Eckles.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kemp visited Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Traynor and family at Coleman Wednesday night and spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Roy G. Gardner and family. Mr. and Mrs. John Kemp Jr., Charles and Ann of Pasadena spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. John Kemp. The Roy G. Gardner guests were Saturday supper guests in the Kemp home.

Christmas day guests with Mr. and Mrs. Leon McMillan were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Long of Dallas, Miss Maydell Long of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton McMillan of Doole, Dorothy McMillan of San Antonio.

Holiday guests with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hodges and James and Sabrina of Wink, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hodges and Andrea of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hodges and Richard of Brownwood.

Wess Wise, student at the University in Austin, spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Wise and Sue. Others for the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Smith and Nesa, Miss Colleen Wise, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Black of Fort Worth.

Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Steward were Mr. and Mrs. Olin Horton and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Rehm and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Smith, Jay Steward and Mr. and Mrs. James Steward and Myrna.

The Wise family had Christmas dinner at Mrs. J. W. Wise's Sunday. There were 69 present. Two of Mrs. Wise's children were absent due to illness. John Wise of Lubbock was among the grandchildren present.

Mr. and Mrs. James Estes and girls went to Rockwall to visit a few days with Mr. and Mrs. James Sluder.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Farmer of Brownwood visited Saturday afternoon with Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Tickner.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Hull of Purdon came Christmas morning to spend holidays with Mr. and Mrs. L. Brushenhan Sr. All of them were Thursday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brushenhan and Sue at Eden. Mr. and Mrs. Junior Brushenhan and girls visited Mrs. Brushenhan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Emerson at Brownwood Christmas afternoon. All were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gleaton.

The Bailey Hull's, Mrs. Bill Polk and Candy of Salt Gap and the Junior Brushenhans were Friday dinner guests of the Sr. Brushenhan's. The Hulls left for home in the afternoon.

Lt. and Mrs. Harold Underwood and Christi Lee of Roswell, N. Mex. were Christmas eve visitors with Mr. and Mrs.

L. Brushenhan Sr. Sunday guests were Mrs. Bill Polk and Candy, Mrs. Frank Brushenhan, Loretta Broadway spent the weekend with Candy Polk at Salt Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bryan were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Black, Gary and Elaine in San Angelo. Enroute home they visited Mr. and Mrs. John Whetstone in Santa Anna. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Caldwell spent the holidays in Houston with their children. They also enjoyed a visit with Mr. Bob Straughan. He says hello to all his old friends.

Mrs. Elton Halmon, Jerry Carl and Lana Kay of San Angelo and Leroy Casey of San Antonio were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buttry. Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Buttry and Mr. and Mrs. Lee McMillan were Christmas night visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Ward, Billie and Norris of Midland visited Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lee McMillan and the Carl Buttrys.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee McMillan were Thursday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Crutcher at Eags and Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McMillan at Ewady.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Deal and children of Fort Stockton spent the holidays with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Mauldin of Voss and Mrs. Irene Griffin and Geneva and Mrs. Rosa Lockhart of Coleman were Friday guests of the Clyde Pittards.

Thursday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wise and boys were Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Tisdale of Brady, Miss Ida Mae Day of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Day of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Day of Santa Anna, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Allcorn of Talpa, Miss Ida Mae Day also visited Sunday and David Pearson of Eola visited the Wise boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bryan and Leann of Shamrock, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bray and girls of Waldrip, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Hambright and Kathy of Coleman were Christmas visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bryan.

Holiday guests with Mr. and Mrs. Hyatt Moore and Mrs. Rosa Belle Heilman were Mr. and Mrs. Hal Haines of Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Lonzo Moore of Brady, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Snodgrass and Jerry of Killeen, Mr. and Mrs. Joe F. Estes and Steve of Abilene, S. H. Estes and Steve of Sweetwater.

Mrs. Claud Box was Thursday dinner guest with Mrs. Tennie Campbell at Santa Anna. Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Campbell and Johnny Pat of Eastland were also guests. Mrs. Campbell and Johnny Pat accompanied Mrs. Box home. Mr. Campbell came Saturday, all returning home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Riddle of Coleman were also Sunday dinner guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Estes and Gordon of Abilene, Rev. Douglas Estes and Mike of Paradise were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes. Other callers were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Es-

tes, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Estes, Mrs. Claud Box and Mrs. Marshall Campbell and Johnny Pat.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bostick and Mrs. E. C. Simon were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith and family at San Saba.

Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes are spending the weekend with Douglas and Mike at Paradise.

Mrs. Donald Williams and Donald Lynn and Mrs. C. W. Newsom of Brownwood were business visitors Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Adian and children visited Sunday evening with Miss Linnie Box.

The family of Mrs. J. W. Box enjoyed a dinner at her home Sunday. Mrs. Carol Lovelady of Fort Worth was a luncheon guest.

Major and Mrs. Frank McCreary Jr. and Frank III of Hawaii and the Weldon McCreary family of Shallow Water were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. McCreary.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Estes and Phyllis of McGregor were Friday dinner guests of the Elec Coopers. Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Bolton and children visited Friday to Sunday.

We are very sorry we couldn't get all of the holiday news this week. Hope to complete next week. We wish each of you a Happy New Year.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Arnold and Meri Jan of Midwest City, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Harden and girls of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Sitterle and girls of Alice, Mr. and Mrs. Travis King and boys of Commerce were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. King, Mrs. J. T. Floyd, Ruth, Yada and Jane of Brownwood visited Friday afternoon. Mrs. Georgia Hill of Houston, Mrs. Lige Lancaster of Trichham and Linda Oakes of Brownwood were Saturday afternoon callers.

Christmas supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Steward, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Steward, Mr. and Mrs. Olin Horton and children of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. J.

E. Porter of Utopia, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Ellis of Junction, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sheffield and Mike of Gatesville, Sissie Steward and Mrs. Pat Patterson of Irving.

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As the old year fades into the past, our thoughts revert gratefully to those whose good will and confidence have made our progress possible. It is our sincere wish that all that is good shall be yours in the New Year. Thank you for all past favors. Happy New Year K S T A 1000 ON YOUR DIAL

Shields News

By Mrs. E. S. Jones

Too Late For Last Week
The Shields Quilting Club met Tuesday afternoon at the Community Center with sixteen present. They quilted a quilt and enjoyed a social hour. Mrs. Aubrey Scarborough was hostess.
Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Carroll spent the weekend in Palestine with his mother and other relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles (Doodle) Barton of Tloga, North Dakota visited this week with his sister, Mrs. Elton Jones and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fowler, Sandra and Larry and Mrs. Fowler's sister, Mrs. H. F. Woods and family of Fort Worth, visited during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. G. C. McDonald at Vick.
Mrs. Ema D. McClain, who is working at Doole, was home for the weekend. Her uncle, J. T.

Riley, and cousin, Cleburne Riley, of Santa Anna were dinner guests Sunday.
Visitors Friday with Mrs. E. S. Jones were Mrs. David Zirkle and boys, Dwight and Don, of Abilene, Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Storzler of Coleman and Mrs. Ura Dillingham.
Miss Anna Dalton, student at Teachers College at Denton, is spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Sam Dalton.
Mrs. Leonard Williams, who had eye surgery recently at Scott and White, is at home and doing fine.
Miss Yvonne Eppler and a friend of Abilene visited Friday with Yvonne's parents and attended the Senior Play at Mozelle Friday night.
Mr. Charlie Jones, who has been a patient in the Coleman Hospital, returned to his home at McCamey Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Isaacs and daughter, Margaret, of Lubbock spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy

Bledsoe.
Mrs. Martin West and Linda and Mrs. Herbert Slogger, Pat and Jerry of Fort Worth spent Saturday with Mrs. Ura Dillingham. Saturday evening all these visited with Mr. and Mrs. O. Watson and grandmother West at Novice.
Mr. and Mrs. Riley McFarlin of Baird spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. George Wheatley and family.
(This Week's News)
Visitors at the Church of Christ Sunday morning were: Miss Edith Toombs of Del Rio, Gaylon and Gary Jones of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sherrod and children of Brunswick Naval Air Base, Tennessee.
Mrs. Beatrice Vercher of Coleman visited with Mrs. J. Z. Vercher and Mrs. E. S. Jones Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Scarborough and children, Carol Ann and Charlie, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Scarborough.
Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Eppler and children spent Christmas at McCamey with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jones. Mrs. Eppler remained for a longer visit.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Milligan of Eldorado visited during the holidays with relatives in our community.
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carroll of Fort Worth spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Carroll.
Mrs. Minnie Dale of California and Mrs. Otis Bivins were visitors at the evening service Sunday at the Baptist Church.
Mr. and Mrs. George Cobb spent Thursday with her family at her mother's, Mrs. J. A. Watkins, in San Angelo. Their sons, Stanley and family of Midland and Vance and family of Odessa, visited with them during the holidays.
Mr. Kinch McClain and grandson, Ronnie McClain, of San Angelo, Mr. T. L. Scarborough and Tommy visited with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Milligan this week.
Visitors with the Bert Fowler's during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Will Fowler and boys of Kansas City, Mo., and Mr. and Mrs. Odis Fowler and family of Fort Worth.
Mr. Homer Vercher is in Scott and White Hospital at Temple for treatment. His mother is at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Dan Shuford at Glen Cove.
Spending Christmas Day with the Douglas Milligan's were Mr. and Mrs. Duane Bivins of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Carroll and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Shelton. Bro. and Mrs. Parker were

Farmer's Tax Guide To Be Available Soon

College Station — The popular Farmer's Tax Guide, informational booklet on farm and ranch income tax matters, will be available in the near future. Printing, points out C. H. Bates, extension farm management specialist, has been delayed due to changes in the tax laws by Congress.

Bates calls attention to several important changes which have been made in the tax code. An additional 20 percent first-year depreciation write-off is now allowed on new machinery and equipment with a limit of \$10,000 set for such purchases on an individual return or \$20,000 in the case of a joint return.

Casualty losses on uninsured business property are now deductible as ordinary income losses, says Bates. In the past if a farmer lost a barn by fire or storm, the deduction for any uninsured loss was offset first by capital gains. The loss is now reportable on Schedule F the same as depreciation and other business expenses.

Too, the law now permits a farmer to carry back an "operating loss" for three years instead of two. Bates points out that this permits a loss in 1958 operations to offset 1955 income on which tax was paid.

Bates urges all agriculturists Sunday visitors.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. George Stewardson and Jean during the week were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ferguson and Margie of Arlington, Mrs. Irene Smith of Breckenridge and their daughter, Mrs. Darwin Watson and family, of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Leonard Williams, who had eye surgery recently, is in Temple for a check-up at Scott and White.

Mr. Noble Carpenter and children spent Sunday with the Glenn McClure family in Santa Anna. Mr. and Mrs. Wamon McClure visited the Carpenter family on Saturday.

to keep their "business fences" in top shape, and consult a representative of the Internal Revenue Service or a competent tax accountant on important tax questions. Local county agents, he adds, will make an announcement when the Tax Guides are available.

livery to 154 employees began about December 15.
Game and fisheries biologists, hatchery personnel, and field assistants will be issued a hat and olive green wool shirts, jacket and trousers. This will be similar to those worn by game wardens.

Field Workers Of Game Dept. Get Uniforms

Austin — Field personnel of the Game and Fish Commission will, for the first time, don uniforms, according to the fiscal director of the commission. De-

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF ELECTION For The Purpose Of Electing Five Directors Of The Coleman County Water Control And Improvement District Number One The State Of Texas:

County Of Coleman: To The Resident Qualified Voters Of Coleman County Water Control And Improvement District No. One, In Coleman County, Texas:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held in The Coleman County Water Control and Improvement District No. One on the thirteenth day of January, 1959, at the Office Building and Community House in the town of Trickham in said District in Coleman County, Texas...

Harlon B. Carter, District Director of the Immigration and Naturalization Service, stated that aliens in the United States will be required to report their addresses to the Attorney General within the near future.

Aliens Must Report Addresses To Attorney General

All aliens, with few exceptions, who are in the United States on January 1 each year must report their addresses by the end of that month. Only the following classes of aliens are excused from this requirement: (1) Accredited Diplomats; (2) Persons accredited to certain international organizations; and (3) Those admitted temporarily as agricultural laborers.

JAMES PRICE'S VISIT DURING HOLIDAYS

Mr. and Mrs. James Price, Sharon, Sheila, Penny and Paula of Minneapolis, Minn., spent a week during Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Price, his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Campbell and Donnie, and other relatives.

DAUGHTER BORN TO ROBERT SMITH'S

Robin Nita was the name given the seven pound, seven ounce daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith in the Over-all Memorial Hospital in Coleman Dec. 22 at 3:00 p. m.

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Income TAX FAX

Questions and Answers About Your Individual Income Tax Report for 1958, as Presented By The Texas Press Association.

Do you contribute to the support of a dependent, but do not furnish over one-half of his (or her) support?

Maybe you can claim the dependency credit anyway. If your dependent can qualify in all other ways except that you do not furnish over one-half of his support then perhaps this will help you.

In cases where two or more persons contribute together more than 50% of the support of an individual and each could claim the individual as a dependent except for the fact that he did not contribute more than 50% of the support, the law permits one of the contributors to claim the individual as a dependent provided:

(1) The taxpayer claiming the individual contributed over 10% of the support, and (2) each person other than the taxpayer who contributed over 10% of the support of the individual agrees not to claim the individual as a dependent for any taxable year beginning in the calendar year 1958.

One of these agreements, Form 2120, must be executed by each person (other than the taxpayer claiming the dependent) who is a member of a contributing group and who contributed more than 10% of the support of the dependent.

The agreements must be filed with the return of the taxpayer claiming the deduction on account of the dependent in question.

In other words, suppose that you and your three brothers each contributed 25% of the cost of supporting your mother. By agreeing among yourselves, any one of you can claim the dependency credit for any year that the others are willing to sign an agreement form 2120 that they will not claim it.

You can take turns, or one claim it every year. You cannot pro-rate the credit between you. One must claim the full credit.

Now is the time to consult with the others contributing toward the support of your dependents and agree among yourselves on who is going to claim the deduction this year and who is going to file declarations that they are not claiming the deduction.

January 31 Is Important Date For Farmers

An important date for farm operators to remember is January 31, 1959. On or before that time, employers of farm help must report the amount of cash wages paid farm workers during 1958 to the District Director of the Department of Internal Revenue.

This statement applies to all farmers who employ farm workers whose work meets the definition of Agricultural Labor, as defined by the social security law. To determine if your farm worker is covered by the social security law there are three (3) tests which can be applied.

Test No. 1 includes all agricultural workers who are paid \$150 or more in cash wages during 1958. In determining if the \$150 a year test is met, all cash wages must be included regardless of whether paid on a time, piecework, or other basis.

Test No. 2 includes those workers who perform agricultural labor for one employer on 20 or more days during the year for an amount computed on a time basis. The time basis may be by the hour, day, week, etc. (In determining if this test is met, count only the days on which the employee worked for cash pay, computed on a time basis. However, if the 20-day-year test is met, all cash wages paid during the year, whether on a time, piecework, or other basis, are subject to social security tax.)

The third test concerns domestic service in the private home of an employer. If the service is performed on a farm operated for profit, the domestic employee is considered an agricultural worker and must meet either test No. 1, or test No. 2.

If your agricultural worker meets any one of the three tests, your yearly report showing the worker's name, social security account number, and amount of cash wages paid during 1958 must be submitted by January 31, 1959, to the District Director of Internal Revenue.

The report should be made on Treasury Department Form 943 and can be obtained upon application from the Internal Revenue Service. This form requires that the social security tax of 4 1/2% of all wages paid for 1958 up to a total of \$4200 in the year for an individual employee accompany the report (2 1/4% should have been deducted from the employee's wages and 2 1/4% is to be paid by the employer.)

The employer must pay the total tax of 4 1/2% regardless of whether or not the 2 1/4% is deducted from the employee's wages. To facilitate accurate reporting, the employers should keep records showing the employee's name, social security number, number of days worked, cash paid, and the amount deducted as tax from the worker's wages.

Your failure to report an employee timely and properly may jeopardize his rights to benefits (monthly benefits at retirement age 65 for men, 62 for women, benefits to him and his dependents if he is totally disabled at age 50) and payments to his survivors if he should die.

If you have any questions regarding coverage of your agricultural workers, please contact your local social security office. Your local office is located at 203 Fannin Street, Abilene, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy McDonnell and family of Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Merriman and family of Coleman were holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Barney Jewell.

Lester McClellan's Honored on 25th Anniversary, Dec. 23

Mr. and Mrs. Lester McClellan of Santa Anna were honored with a surprise anniversary party on their 25th anniversary, December 23rd. Their children, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McClellan of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Billy McClellan and Russell Lynn of Rochelle and Miss Carolyn McClellan of Waco, were hostesses.

The party was held in the Brownwood Hotel at 7:00 p. m. Just the members of the family were present for the evening meal, later returning to their home east of town.

Mr. and Mrs. McClellan were married in Coleman December 23, 1933.

McINTIRE CHRISTMAS DINNER AT ROCKWOOD

The family of Mr. O. R. Sluder met Sunday, Dec. 21, for their annual Christmas get-together at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Billie McIntire at Rockwood.

Those present for the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sluder of Georgetown; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Collins of Ballinger; Mr. and Mrs. James Sluder of Rockwood; Mr. and Mrs. Omer Cullins, Junior, Annie, Rickie, Bobby and Stephen of Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. James Estes, Kathy and Sarah of Rockwood; Mr. and Mrs. James Thornton of Azle; Mr. and Mrs. Archie Watson and Jimmy of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Junior Howard and Glynn, Don L., Sandy and James Allen of Ballinger; Mr. and Mrs. Matt Estes of Rockwood; the McIntire family and Mr. Sluder.

After dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Leffel Estes of Rockwood, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Day, Sherry, Susie and Ricky of Coleman, Mr. Joe Mitchell of Sacramento, Calif., and Mr. Doyle Tyson of Novice.

LARGE GROUP VISITS MRS. H. M. SMITH

Only two of 11 families were missing from the gathering at the home of Mrs. H. M. Smith on Christmas Day. During the day all her daughters, their husbands and families were present.

These included Mr. and Mrs. R. O. White of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Stacy and sons, Kenneth, Don, Jerry, Roy Lee and Mike, of Rankin; Mr. and Mrs. R. I. White and Carolyn of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Thig-

pen, Peggy and Karen of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Wallson; Ronnie and Tommy of San Antonio.

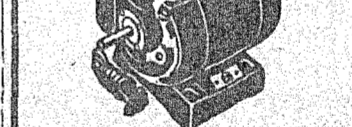
Also present were Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Priest, Robert and Joe of Olton. Grandchildren and their families present were: Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Jordan, Dwan and Terry of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ray Griffin, Anne, Gayle, Beth, Joan and Dana of Killeen; and Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Thigpen and Durwood Jr., of Laurel, Miss.

The two families missing were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby White of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Priest of Portales, N. M., who came on Friday.

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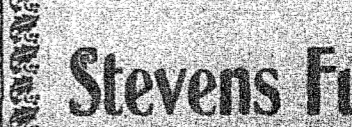
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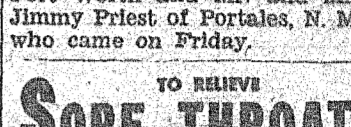
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Mrs. Jess Howard Hostess To Chat & Stitch Club Party

The home of Mrs. Jess Howard was the setting for the annual Christmas party for the Chat & Stitch Club, held Wednesday, Dec. 17. Pink and silver Christmas arrangements and decorations were featured throughout the entertaining rooms.

In the living room interest centered around a silver tree, ornamented with pink, an all-pink arrangement adorned the piano, and on a table nearby was an appropriate altar scene with its center of interest being an open Bible. The manger scene on the coffee table, symbolic of the real meaning of Christmas, gave a lasting impression.

In the dining room the table was covered with a pink cloth and centered with a unique arrangement, accented with silver candles and interspersed with touches of silver and skirted pink tulle. A sleigh scene on the buffet added gaiety to the atmosphere. Pink candles added a decorative accent at vantage points.

A delicious covered dish luncheon was served at 12:30 p. m. The ladies dined quartet fashion from tables laid with pink covers and centered with pink candles based on silvered mistletoe and accented with pink Christmas balls. Each place was

marked with a pink and silver corsage with the guests name written on a ribbon streamer.

Mrs. Dale Smith conducted the afternoon entertainment and was in charge of the gift exchange. Concluding the evening of entertainment, the group sang Christmas carols with Mrs. Howard at the piano.

Those attending were: Mrs. Louis Zachary, Mrs. Pierre Rowe, Mrs. Dale Smith, Mrs. E. E. Geer, Mrs. T. J. McCaughan, Mrs. Edgar Shelton, Mrs. Charles Moseley, Mrs. Ethel Bobo, Mrs. J. J. Horner, Mrs. Arthur Casey, Mrs. L. O. Garrett, the hostess and two visitors; Mrs. A. B. McClanahan, and Mrs. Otis Bivins.

Livingston-West Vows Exchanged

Miss Irma Livingston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Livingston of Gouldbusk, became the bride of Martin Duane West, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin West of Fort Worth, Saturday, Dec. 20, at 2:00 p. m. at the home of the bride's parents. Rev. Couch officiated.

A reception was held immediately following the wedding. The couple then left for Fort Worth, where they will make their home.

Mrs. Pat Patterson and Gary spent Christmas with her father in Comanche.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

Mary Ann Wardlow, Alvin O. Pape Exchange Vows

Miss Mary Ann Wardlow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Wardlow Jr., and a senior student in Santa Anna High School, became the bride of Alvin Owen Pape, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Pape of Austin, Saturday, December 20 at 7:45 p. m. at the home of the bride's parents in Santa Anna. Rev. D. C. Jones of Burkett officiated at the single ring ceremony.

Jo Ann Gilbert of San Angelo was the maid of honor. Millford Blanton of Santa Anna served as the best man.

Mrs. Pape was dressed in a street length white embroidered faille dress and wore a necklace, a gift from the groom. She carried a white Bible topped with white carnations. The maid of honor wore a rusty red dress with black accessories and a white corsage.

Traditional wedding music was played by Mrs. D. C. Jones of Burkett.

Following the wedding, a reception was held in the home of the parents. About 60 guests were present for the wedding and reception.

The table was covered with a white cloth and dried arrangements were used for the centerpiece, with pink candles flanking the arrangement. Pink and silver; the bride's chosen colors, were featured in decorations. Refreshments were served from crystal and milk glass services.

Linda Harrington served the three-tiered wedding cake, topped with a miniature bride and groom. Mary Baucom registered the guests and Clois Cullins served the punch. Others in the house party were Ruth Radie, Geneva Jackson and Janice Harrington.

Out of town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Pape, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gilley and family of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wardlow of Coleman, Jo Ann Gilbert and Patricia Gilbert, Norma Kemp, all of San Angelo; Lee Stevens and Mrs. Lillie Jackson of Bangs; and Mrs. Ludy Crutcher and Ludy Jane of Rockwood.

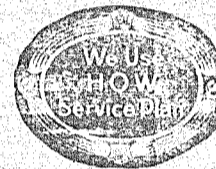
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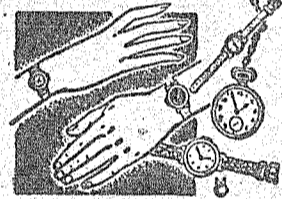
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Eastern Star Christmas Party

Members of the Santa Anna Chapter No. 247, Order of the Eastern Star, met in the Masonic Hall Monday, Dec. 22 at 7:00 p. m. for their annual Christmas party. Worthy Matron Mrs. Jack Bostick and Worthy Patron Jack Bostick, with 14 other officers, presided during the business meeting.

The chapter room and dining hall was decorated throughout with beautiful Christmas arrangements. The table was laid with a Christmas cloth decorated with holly leaves. Two red candles flanked the poinsettias. Gifts were exchanged from a native decorated tree.

Mr. and Mrs. Bostick and Mrs. Fannie Bryan served chicken salad, olives, crackers, mints, pumpkin pie topped with whipped cream and cherries, and coffee to about 30 members and visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Etheredge visited relatives in Eldorado Sunday.

Price Family Christmas Dinner

The Tex-Anna Hotel was the scene of the annual Christmas dinner for the Price family. Mr. and Mrs. Collin Price were hosts for the affair.

Mr. Buster Woodard gave the invocation before the group enjoyed the delicious dinner prepared by various members of the family.

After dinner games of 42 and dominoes and lots of conversation were enjoyed by all present.

Persons attending were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Collin Price and Max, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Price, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Campbell and Donnie, Mr. and

Mrs. Buster Woodard, Mr. J. W. Price, Mrs. A. E. Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Griffith, of Santa Anna; Mr. and Mrs. James Price, Sharon, Sheila, Penny and Paula of Minneapolis, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. James Perry and Brenda, Mr. and Mrs. Osie Hardin, A. J. Hardin, and Mrs. A. R. Jackson of Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. Alford England and Al'An, Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Sebban and Mr. and Mrs. I. V. Spann and Becky of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Durl Griffith and Gary and Mr. and Mrs. David Brock and Lisa of Fort Worth.

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By Mrs. Tom Rutherford

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everyone had a very happy Christmas day. I deeply appreciate every Christmas card received. Since I did not send Christmas cards, I trust that each and every reader of this paper will accept this as Christmas greetings. A New Year will be on us before you and I meet through the paper again. So let me, as correspondent for our community, wish each of you a Happy and prosperous New Year.

Mr. and Mr. Roy England and children of Benjamin are spending the holidays on the Gill ranch here.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rutherford and son, Steven, of Concord New Hampshire are here spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford. They arrived Sunday, Dec. 21. We had all our children during this weekend. Patsy Rutherford returned to Abilene Sunday afternoon, after being home since Wednesday.

We extend our deepest sympathy to Mr. Babe Gardiner over the death of his sister, Mrs. Susie Renfro, who passed away at the home of a daughter in New Mexico. Burial was in San Angelo, Thursday, Dec. 18, after death caused from cancer. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart, Allen Turner and Mrs. Wimpy Watson were in San Angelo for Memorial services.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Will Fowler and boys from Kansas City, Mo. spent Christmas with her mother, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart. The Fowlers arrived on Saturday, leaving Friday morning to visit with Mr. Fowler's relatives in Bangs and Fort Worth before leaving for their home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sherrad and children from Memphis, Tennessee, Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Sherrad and son of Big Spring

were here with their mother, Mr. and Mrs. Wimpy Watson, during the holidays. Hilton and family returned home Sunday. Gene and family will be here for several days yet.

Mrs. Bob Johnson is with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart, after visiting with a daughter and family in Cleveland, Tenn. since Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick and children were Christmas dinner guests with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Snowden at Lohn.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Strickland, Mrs. Mell Shields and C. D. of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Biggs of Coleman and Sammie Shields had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shields and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wesley Wise and boys of Rockwood visited with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart and the Joe Will Fowlers on Tuesday night.

Mr. Dwan Cozart of Abilene, Mr. Elvis Ray Cozart and son from South Texas visited their uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Henry Smith visited in the Tom Rutherford home Tuesday afternoon.

John Richard Deal, who is in the air force stationed in California, was home from Monday to Friday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Deal. Others in the Deal home during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Deal of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Deal and children of Fort Stockton and possibly others.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady and Randall of Sweetwater have been at their home here this week. They, with Mr. Oscar Lovelady, had dinner Sunday with Guy and Alta Lovelady in Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Babe Gardiner had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Maness of Brownwood visited the Cozarts Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford and children had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. George Rutherford of Rockwood. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Smith and boys of Iraan, Mrs. Flippin and son of San Angelo, Mrs. Jack Haney and daughter of Sweetwater and Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Bean Radle and Ruth of Santa Anna spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Avants.

James Avant of Baird spent Saturday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Avants.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Wynn of Coleman visited with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford and Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Avants Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wimpy Watson recently visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Farley and children, in Waco. The ladies' brother, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Davis from Washington, D. C. flew down for the weekend.

MSgt. Bill Bryan of Louisiana arrived home a week before Christmas to be with his wife, Ann, and daughter, Frances, during the holidays. The family left Sunday for Corpus Christi to visit with Mrs. Bryan's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Cooley and daughter. The Bryans are still in Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shields and boys spent Sunday with relatives in Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris and boys and Mrs. Morris' father, Mr. Perkins, had Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Morris and family at Camp San Saba. Joe Floyd and Jamie Lee remained in San Saba until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rutherford, Hillary and Loyd and Belva Hellman were sight seeing in Old Mexico Monday.

I will probably have more Christmas news next week. Again, let me wish you a Happy New Year.

NIWOT NEWS

BY THE NIWOT KIDS

Too Late For Last Week
We wish every one of the News Staff a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Wells visited Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ellis Wednesday.

Robert Perry, who is attending the University of Texas, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Perry, for fifteen days.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ellis visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ellis Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Benge and son were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hibbetts Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Perry and Brenda and Becky Spann were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Perry Sunday night.

Mrs. Joe Wallace and children and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ellis visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Benge Friday night.

Mrs. Harrell Cupps and children visited Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Perry.

Anita and Tammy Ellis visited Friday night with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ellis.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Miller visited Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Cupps.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perry called on Mrs. Mildred Cammack Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Nelson Wells of Dallas visited Mrs. Cecil Ellis Thursday afternoon.

(This Week's News)

This will be the last news in 1958. I want to thank everyone who has had a part in making up the Niwot News. I wish everyone a Happy New Year and a prosperous 1959.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Baker of Irving visited Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Cupps and children. Mrs. Baker reported that Mr. Wagner was feeling some better.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ellis and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ellis visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wells and family in Loraine on Christmas day.

Those having Christmas dinner in the William Cupps home were Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Clark and daughters of California, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Kelley and children of Odessa, and Mr. and Mrs. John Naron and son of Santa Anna.

Those having Christmas Eve supper with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hibbetts were Mr. and Mrs. Alton Benge and son, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wallace and children and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Avants.

and family.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Baugh and girls and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Reid and Kathy of Roby were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Mae Flores in Bangs.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ellis were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ellis and children Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Miller visited Sunday in San Angelo with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Watt Ingram and boys of Irving visited Thursday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Cupps and children.

Those visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John Perry Christmas Eve and Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. James Perry and Brenda, Miss Dixie Deal and Robert Perry.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Tickner were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Evans and

children were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. James Reid and baby visited Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh and girls over the Christmas holidays.

There is evidence that the pecan — Texas' state tree — grew in this region in prehistoric times.

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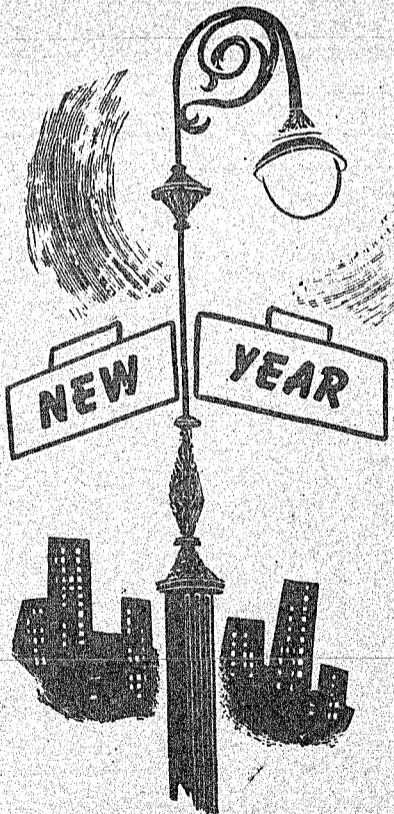
Happy New Year!

We hope your New Year will be filled to overflowing with good fortune and success!

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The New Year means so much to most of us: the feeling of gratitude for the good things the past year has brought us, anticipation of the future, giving and receiving, and the spirit of friendship toward others. We sincerely hope that the year now closing has contained pleasure and contentment for you and that the new year will be replete with happiness and success. May we extend to you and yours our best wishes for a Joyous Holiday Season?

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Called Play of the Week, the program will be sponsored by Humble Oil & Refining Co.

This series should answer critics who have been complaining about television's concentration on westerns, quizzes, situation comedies and like frothy fare.

It features works of such past masters as Stephen Vincent Benet, and present day authors like John Hersey.

Laraine Day, Bert Lahr, Kim Hunter and Keenan Wynn are among the stars of the bright new series.

And the new Play of the Week series sustains its quality in that important creative area — direction. It features some of entertainment's best directors including Richard Whorf of Gunsmoke fame, Robert Stevens, winner of the 1958 Emmy Award for his direction of Alfred Hitchcock's The Glass Eye, and John Newland of Robert Montgomery Presents and The Loretta Young Show.

Play of the Week, filmed in the U. S. and abroad, will be shown over 22 TV stations in Texas and New Mexico. It is the highest budgeted program ever offered to local or regional advertisers. Kern Tips will be host on the program.

The first Play of the Week can be seen January 4 on KRBC-TV at 5:00 p. m.

Social Security Suggests New Year's Resolutions

1. I'll check up on my Social Security record this year.
2. I'll inquire before I retire.
3. I'll tell my family about the life insurance I have under social security.
4. I'll show my card to each new employer; I won't give my number from memory.
5. I'll put my correct number on my income tax return.
6. I'll get my free booklet on the 1958 Amendments to the Social Security Act.

Most of us make a few New Year's Resolutions each year, some of which get broken before February. However, the folks down at the Abilene Social Security office hope you'll pick out the ones above that apply to you and keep them — not only in 1959, but from now on.

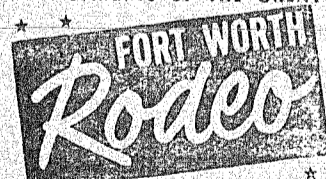
With the increase in social security taxes and the increase in benefit amounts, and with the addition of some new types of benefits, every family ought to read and study a copy of the booklet "Your Social Security," to insure that rightful benefits are not lost through ignorance. Free booklets on all phases of the old-age survivors, and disability insurance provisions of the Social Security Act are available at any Social Security District Office.



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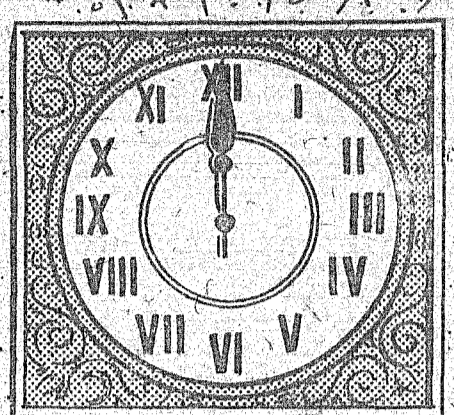
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