



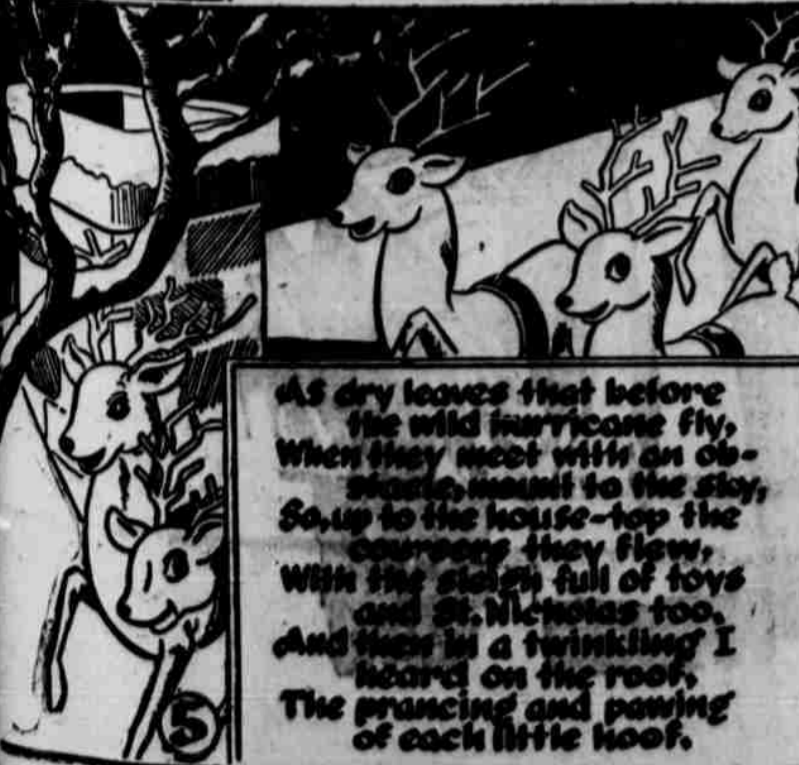
And mamma in her kerchief,
and I in my cap,
Had settled our brains for
a long winter's nap,
When out on the lawn there
rose such a clatter,
I sprang from my bed to
see what was the matter.
Away to the window I flew
like a flash,
Tore open the shutters
and threw up the sash.



The moon, on the breast of
the new-fallen snow,
Gave a lustre of mid-day
to objects below;
When what to my wonder-
ing eyes should appear,
But a miniature sleigh and
eight tiny reindeer,
With a little old driver so
lively and quick,
I knew in a moment it
must be St. Nick.



More rapid than eagles his
coursers they came,
He whistled and shouted,
and call'd them by name:
"Now, Dasher! now, Dancer! now,
Prancer! now, Vixen!
On, Comet! on, Cupid! on, Don-
der and Blitzen!"
To the top of the porch, to
the top of the wall!
Now, dash away, dash away,
dash away all!



As dry leaves that before
the wild hurricane fly,
When they meet with an ob-
stacle, mount to the sky,
So, up to the house-top the
courgers they flew,
With the sleigh full of toys
and St. Nicholas too.
And here in a twinkling I
heard on the roof,
The prancing and pawing
of each little hoof.

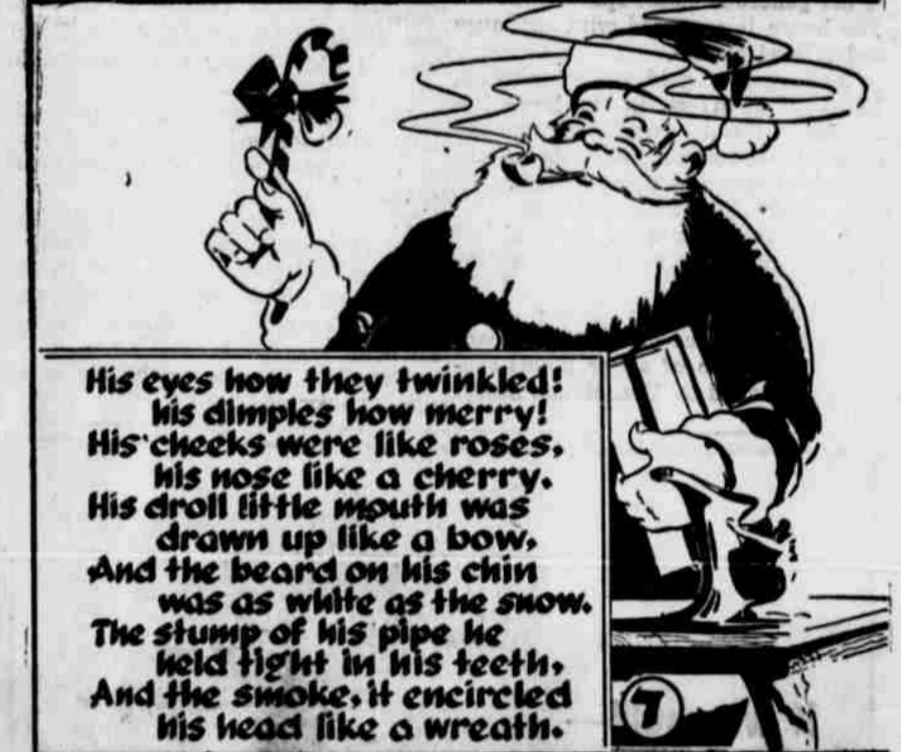
A Visit from St. Nicholas



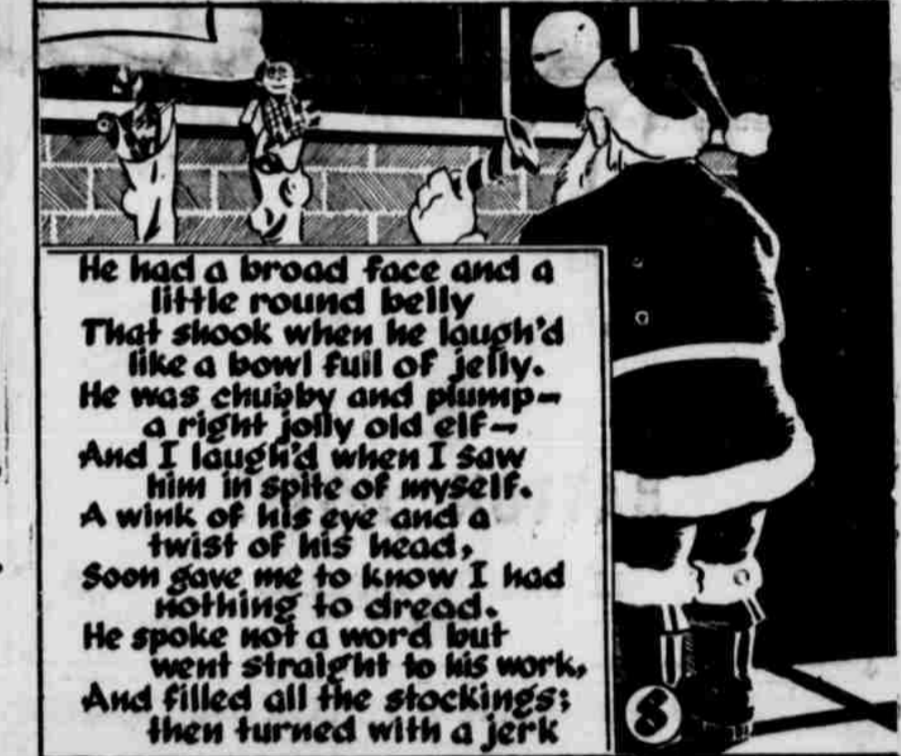
'Twas the night before Christmas,
when all through the house
Not a creature was stirring,
not even a mouse;
The stockings were hung by
the chimney with care,
In hopes that St. Nicholas
soon would be there;
The children were nestled all
snug in their beds,
While visions of sugar-plums
danced through their heads.



As I drew in my head and
was turning around,
Down the chimney St. Nich-
olas came with a bound.
He was dressed all in fur
from his head to his foot,
And his clothes were all tar-
nish'd with ashes and soot.
A bundle of toys he had
flung on his back,
And he look'd like a peddler
just opening his pack.



His eyes how they twinkled!
his dimples how merry!
His cheeks were like roses,
his nose like a cherry.
His droll little mouth was
drawn up like a bow,
And the beard on his chin
was as white as the snow.
The stump of his pipe he
held tight in his teeth,
And the smoke, it encircled
his head like a wreath.



He had a broad face and a
little round belly
That shook when he laugh'd
like a bowl full of jelly.
He was chubby and plump—
a right jolly old elf—
And I laugh'd when I saw
him in spite of myself.
A wink of his eye and a
twist of his head,
Soon gave me to know I had
nothing to dread.
He spoke not a word but
went straight to his work,
And filled all the stockings;
then turned with a jerk



And laying his finger aside
of his nose,
And giving a nod, up the
chimney he rose.
He sprang to his sleigh, to
his team gave a whistle,
And away they all flew like
the down of a thistle!
But I heard him exclaim, ere
he drove out of sight,
"Happy Christmas to all
and to all a good-night!"



Large Numbers Attend Open House At First Baptist Parsonage

Large numbers attended open house at the new First Baptist Parsonage Friday evening, and viewed with much interest the beautiful interior of the home of Rev. and Mrs. Lee Hemphill, and the many new and exquisite features.

A beautiful dedication service was enjoyed.

Rev. Hemphill delivered a splendid address, taking his text from the quotations "Unless the Lord builds a house, the builder is in vain" and "If you do the Lord's Will, your strength shall be renewed as the Eagle." Charles Heathman sang, "God Bless This House."

Greeting the guests and showing them through the home were Rev. and Mrs. Hemphill, Mrs. Viggo Peterson and Mrs. E. J. Packwood.

At the register were Rosa Lee Hemphill and Finetta Packwood.

Has Six Rooms, Two Baths
The home, which has six rooms and two baths, is of light brick construction, and was erected at a cost of \$17,500.

Natural woodwork is featured in the home; which is equipped with venetian blinds, a central heating and cooling unit, and carpeted throughout the house.

Equipped With Six Closets
A very special feature of the home is the generous closet space installed. The house is equipped with six large cedar lined closets.

Wallpaper of gold and gray tones, beautiful in effect, in the large living room, blend in perfectly with the green floor covering and the lovely new furniture and Spinnet piano.

Built In China Cabinet
A special feature of the dining room is the lovely built in china cabinet.

Friday evening the dining table was laid with lace cloth and a beautiful centerpiece of sugar plums specially fashioned by Mrs. Maude Street

Sad House Christmas Party

Mrs. Willie Toms of three miles east of Amherst entertained the Sod House Demonstration with a Christmas tree and program in her home on Friday, December 19. Scriptures were read by Mrs. Clois Toms and songs were sung responsively. Little

for the occasion.

The front bed room or guest room which is decorated with a blue and yellow wall paper and furnished in light walnut, is equipped with private bath and a large cedar-lined clothes closet.

The master bed room, papered in a salmon tone, furnished in dark walnut, is equipped with two cedar-lined clothes closets.

The third bed room or the childrens room, is decorated with a wallpaper of airplane design, chosen by little Hilton Hemphill, with colors blue, gray and red, featured. This room is equipped with two closets, one for the children's toys and the other for their clothes.

The kitchen at the parsonage is as beautiful as the balance of the home. It was declared perfectly marvelous by those viewing the beautiful American kitchen.

Frigidaire range and refrigerator, General Electric Deep Freeze, Bendix Washing Machine and Hot Point electric dish washer are included in the appliances.

The room is spotlessly white with blue inlaid linoleum on the floor, and also equipped with blue breakfast suite.

A special telephone system has been installed in the home with five different telephone plugs, one in the bath room, 2 in the bed rooms, one in the living room and one in the kitchen.

Beautiful tile covers the floors of the bath rooms.

Jean and Jo Ann Nix and Virginia Melton sang, "A White Christmas" presents were passed from the tree and the happy guests learned who their secret pals were during the past year.

Refreshments were served to Messdams J. C. Franks, John Nix, Roy Hunter, Jim Edwards, Joe Atkinson, R. R. Morgan, Mat Nix, Jr., R. E. Gilder, Allie Rigney, Jim Templeton, Matt Nix, Sr., Bill Elms, Odie Kelton, Ethel Gregson, Dude Brake, H. E. Nix, G. W. Stephens, Willie White, R. A. Seagler, V. O. White, H. K. Irwin, Velma Melton, Charlie Webb, one visitor Mrs. J. E. Boykin of Lubbock and the hostess.

The next meeting will be held Jan.

2. All members are urged to attend. Visitors always welcome.

Mrs. Jarold Jones, who has been ill with flu several days is better and was able to be out and about Monday.

John Henry Chapman
V. F. W.

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2nd and 4th
Monday
Nights



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Littlefield, Texas

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And when the day
is gone
Our wishes for
our friends
Continue on and on
and on!



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THAN EVER THIS YEAR. DURING THE CHRISTMAS SEASON,
LET'S TRY TO FORGET OUR CARES. FOR OUR PART, WE WANT
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Christmas

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this
Christmas season.

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for you at
Christmastide

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GROCERY & MARKET
LITTLEFIELD

PHONE 24

**Study Club Enjoy
Christmas Party**

Mrs. Claude Coffey was hostess to the Amherst Study Club in her home Monday night. Serving as Co-hostess was Mrs. James Holland. Christmas Carols were sung and a beautiful Christmas story was given by Mrs. Kenton King. Mrs. Ted Slemmons and Mrs. Dave Hunsaker won the

contest for wrapping the most beautiful Christmas package. Gifts were exchanged. Delicious refreshment of fruit cake and coffee were served. Plate favors were bells and holly. Those present were Mesdames C. A. Duffy, Sr. Dave Hunsaker, B. O. McDaniel, Prentiss Graham, Charlene, S. P. Houks, Cecil Grimes, Jhon Foust, Maury Brantley, Jennie Clark, C. A. Duffy, Jr., Ray Blessing, Kenton

King, Lester La Grange, M. L. Payne, C. R. Stevens and the hostesses. The next meeting will be Jan. 5, in the home of Mrs. Blanchard, Mrs. King serving as co-hostess.

Y. Onstott will spend Christmas in Eastland, Texas with his sister, Mrs. J. R. Gilbreath. He was scheduled to leave here Wednesday and return to Littlefield after January 1.



**OUR CHRISTMAS
WISH**

Our Christmas wish this year is that your Holiday Season and the year to come will bring you the best that Life has to offer.

MERRY CHRISTMAS!

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A MERRY CHRISTMAS

WE KNOW OF NO BETTER TIME THAN CHRISTMAS TO GIVE RECOGNITION TO OUR MANY FRIENDS WHO HAVE CONTRIBUTED SO GREATLY TO OUR SUCCESS DURING THE PAST YEAR.

With grateful acknowledgment of your courtesies and the evidences of your good will that have made the past year a pleasure to us, we wish you a—
CHRISTMAS OF GREAT JOY and a NEW YEAR OF HAPPINESS AND PROSPERITY.



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LITTLEFIELD, TEXAS

Births At The Amherst Hospital

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lance of Sudan, Dec. 16, a girl.
A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Odie Davis of Littlefield on

Dec. 17.
Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Sanders of Earth, Texas are the proud parents of a baby girl born Dec. 20.
A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Marcelins Roes of Amherst on Dec. 19.
A baby boy was born Dec. 20 to

Mrs. J. B. Baker Entertain Study Club
Mrs. J. B. Baker entertained the adult Methodist Church Womens Bible Class with a Christmas tree and party Wednesday evening. Bible games and contest were enjoyed and
Mr. and Mrs. Augustino Alejandro of Earth, Texas.

delicious home made candy and were served to Mesdames, Jo more, G. D. Lair, N. A. Griffin, Criswell, B. F. Vaughn, A. W. samore, W. A. Peachy, K. and the hostess. Christmas pa were exchanged and the group sent their teacher, Mrs. G. I with a large teachers Bible.



CHRISTMAS—Every day we feel appreciative of the favors of our patrons and of all courtesies shown us but it is especially at the Christmas season we like to pause and think back over the pleasures derived from our business dealings. So here's wishing you the best of health, the most of wealth and greater happiness than has been yours before.

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AT CHRISTMAS TIME

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CHRISTMAS remembrance



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Not because custom has established the habit of extending seasons greetings, but because of sincere appreciation of your kindly friendships and loyal patronage, we are prompted by the spirit of the season to wish you a good old-fashioned—

MERRY CHRISTMAS

AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR to you, and you, and you, our friends, neighbors and customers.

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Full of Happiness and
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Our Proclamation for 1948!

The New Year presents a challenge. We accept that challenge, pledging to do our utmost to make this a better community in 1948. Your friendship has enabled us to play an outstanding role in the past—we look forward to a continuation of your good will in 1948.

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Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hutton of Baileyboro, Texas, are the proud parents of a son born Wednesday, Dec. 17, at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital. He weighed at birth 9 lbs. 1 oz. and was named William Terry. Mother and son were released from the hospital Saturday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Roland Webb of Littlefield, a daughter Friday, December 12, weighing 6 lbs, 7 oz. The child was named Linda Joyce. Mother and daughter were released by the Payne-Shotwell Hospital and went home several days ago.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Neal Coats of Littlefield at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital Saturday, Dec. 13. He weighed at birth 8 lbs. 5 oz., and was named Kenneth Neal, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Will C. Reed of Anton are the parents of a daughter born in the Plains Hospital, Lubbock. The infant has been named Sherry Elaine.

W. O. W. and Circle
Enjoy Christmas Party Thursday

The joint social and Christmas party held by the Woodmen Circle and the Woodmen of the World, Thursday night at the American Legion Hall, was a great success.

A large beautiful decorated tree was the center of attraction. Each person brought a gift, and a can of food to be given to the needy of this community.

Bob Kirk and Mr. Tula Taylor were in charge of the program. Mr. Kirk introduced the State manager of the Woodmen of the World, Mr. Hines of Abilene. Mr. Hines gave an interesting, but short talk on the "reasons we who lived in America and Littlefield had to be very thankful."

Mrs. Taylor introduced Miss McClain, and the chorus girls of junior high. Miss McClain was substituting for her aunt, Mrs. Pearl McClain, whom was ill and has had charge of the chorus. The girls read the story of the Birth of Christ and the Wise Men, with the singing of Christmas Carols alternately. The program was beautiful and greatly enjoyed by every one. The girls and Miss McClain have the heartfelt thanks and appreciation of the entire membership of both lodges, in appearing on the program.

Numbers were drawn and each

person received the gift corresponding with the number they drew.

Sacks of Christmas candy, nuts, apples and oranges were given to all children and most grown-ups. Mr. Kirk acting in Santas place gave out the candy and gifts.

The Blue Bonnet Play Boys furnished the music for the evening.

Delicious home-made cakes, coffee and hot chocolate was served to approximately 150. Following refreshments, dancing completed the evening.

Several out of town guests from Shallowater, Amherst, Muleshoe and Springlake were present.

A nice collection of food stuff was given. The entire membership wishes a very, very merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to everyone.

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Presbyterian Auxiliary Enjoy Christmas Party

Group No. 1 of the Presbyterian Auxiliary entertained Group No. 2 with a Christmas party on Monday, December 15, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Ira Woods.

The home was decorated lovely in holly, candles, and a beautiful Christmas tree laden with gifts.

A Christmas Devotional was led by Mrs. Don Hayes, with all present taking part.

A beautiful candle lighting service

closed the devotional lesson.

Mrs. McShan distributed gifts all present, assisted by Mrs. Hubbard and Miss Hubbard.

A lovely tea table was the beautiful spot of the dining room.

Hostesses were Mesdames M. Brittain, J. D. Hagler, and Ma Hall, assisted by Mrs. Woods.

Sandwiches, individual mince with a tiny red candle burning in center, mints and candies, tea coffee, were served.

A lovely array of beautiful gifts were presented to Miss Alyce L. Street, this being a kitchen appliance for her, following the program.



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19 Our wish 47 for you at Christmastide

THE QUIET JOYS OF HOME AND FIRESIDE

... the family gathered around the heavily-laden table... turkey and dressing, mince and pumpkin pies... the Christmas tree with its tinsel... the toys beneath... May you enjoy these deep sweet pleasures this Christmas of 1947.

We Wish You A Very MERRY CHRISTMAS!

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Mr. and Mrs. Don Carr cutting the piece of wedding cake at the reception held at the new First Baptist church parsonage Sunday afternoon, December 14, following the ceremony at the First Baptist church. Photo by Chisholm & Nail

Miss Inez Dow honoree at Lovely Tea and Bridal Shower

The home of Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Coen, 702 East Eighth street, was the scene of a lovely bridal shower and tea Thursday afternoon, between the hours of 3:30 and 5:30, honoring Miss Inez Dow, bride-elect of Ray Kesey. Mrs. Coen, Mrs. Wm. N. Orr and Mrs. F. W. Janes were hostesses. Miss Dow will become the bride of Mr. Kesey Wednesday afternoon, December 24, at the home of Mrs. Belle Dow, East Ninth street. Rev. Lee Hemphill, First Baptist Church pastor, will perform the double ring ceremony. Flowers and miniature bride dolls decorated the entertaining rooms. In the receiving line were Mrs. Coen, Miss Dow, Mrs. M. W. Kesey, mother of the groom-to-be, Mrs. Belle Dow, and Mrs. Carl Locke. Mrs. Forrest Byrum presided at the bride's bood, an original composition, sketched and bound by Mrs. J. D. Dodgen, and registered the guests. Tea, coffee, nuts and individual cakes, dipped in creamy icing with food ink roses on top, were served in the dining room, with Mrs. Janes and Mrs. Orr seated at either end of the table. Mrs. Earl Dow and Mrs. Leon Stansell assisted in displaying the gifts. During the afternoon soft music was rendered with Mrs. Ira Woods at the piano. The following guest called during the tea hour were: Mesdames John Wood, Jack Henry, Earl Dow, Leon Stansell, R. L. Byers, Sr., H. F. Morris, H. E. Gohlke, Carl Locke, Belle Dow, Floyd Coffman, O. G. Lunsford, Forrest Byrum, E. C. Glass, J. B. Kempton, E. S. Rowe, Jr., Eva L. Nickels Marion D. Green, Lee Hemphill, Oscar Weige, Virgil Teague, W. H. Roberts, Lee Baker, C. O. Stone, Paul Pharris, R. C. Kesey, W. M. Kesey, Perry Pierce, Jimmy Starnes, J. D. Dodgen, S. J. Farquhar, W. G. Street, M. V. Kesey, and Misses Myrna Jo and Mildred Teague and Mrs. Wm. N. Orr. Those sending gifts, but unable to be present were: Mesdames E. J. Neugent, Lillian Fowler, Leo Duffey, Geo. Staggers, Hugo Kinkler, A. C. Chesher, Don Stansell, T. B. Duke, Maude Street, Carl Arnold, Fred Duffey, Huel Duffey, Andrew McGehee, J. M. Blessing, James Garrett, W. H. Madden, Allen Rhodes, H. E. Morris James Masten, J. D. Rusktashel, L. R. Sewell, Ben Lyman, Norris Onstead, Bob Nickels, J. J. Williams, G. C. Whiteside Elmer Hall, Cal Harvey, Lucille Smith, Jess Elms, Fred Wrigh, Roy Rhoten, Herbert Dolle, Rex. Matthews, E. B. Luce,

Wayne Duffey, and Misses Pat Adams, Doris Williams, Billy Cooper, Mary Cooper, Lilly Mae Herd and Billy Jo Green.

Traffic Circle At College To Be Named Memorial Circle

LUBBOCK.—As tribute to former students of Texas Technological College who lost their lives in service during World War II, the traffic circle on the college campus is to be named Memorial Circle, Pres. W. M. Whyburn announces. The name was suggested by the Tech War Veterans association and approved by Dr. Whyburn and the college board of directors. TWVA is laying plans for securing a suitable plaque and arranging a public ceremony when the formal dedication will be made.

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Miss Melba G. Bowman and Leland Bouldin Wed Sunday

Miss Melba Glee Bowman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Bowman of Sudan, Texas, became the bride of Mr. Leland Bouldin Sunday at 2 P. M. in the First Methodist church in Sudan. Mr. Bouldin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Bouldin, of Sudan. The bride was accompanied by her father, who carried her down the aisle. The bride's maid was Miss George Ann McFarland of Lubbock, Texas. The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a winter white two-piece suit with a navy blue hat and accessories. She carried a white prayer book topped with an orchid. The white prayer book was the traditional 'something borrowed' from the bride's aunt, Mrs. Radney Nichols. 'Something old' worn by the bride was a single strand of pearls gift from her mother. A reception was held at the home of the Bride's parents following the ceremony. Relatives and members of the wedding party were guests. A three tiered cake, topped by a miniature bride and groom, centered the lace covered table which was appointed by a silver tea service. After the bride and groom cut the cake, the bride, given in marriage by

her father, wore a winter white two-piece suit with a navy blue hat and accessories. She carried a white prayer book topped with an orchid. The white prayer book was the traditional 'something borrowed' from the bride's aunt, Mrs. Radney Nichols. 'Something old' worn by the bride was a single strand of pearls gift from her mother.

Miss Bertha Vereen served cake to the guest. Mrs. Radney Nichols presided over the tea service. The couple will spend their honeymoon in New Orleans and will return where they will make their home.

The Entire Personnel of LITTLE-RUTHERFORD

Joins In Wishing Our Friends and Patrons a

MERRY CRISTMAS!



MERRY YULETIDE

To you and yours this Yuletide season, we extend our sincere good wishes for a Merry Christmas.

A Christmas of joy and contentment; of peace, good cheer and happiness—that is our wish for you this joyous holiday season.

1947 with its joys and sorrows will soon be part of the past, and 1948 will soon be here! We join in the celebration to ring out the old year and ring in the new, and now voice the hope that 1948 will be crowded with many golden hours for you.



Santa is at the throttle and good fellowship has the right of way. Full speed ahead for the **Merriest Christmas** of them all!

Times have changed since we started business in this community many years ago, and we have seen a great many changes. But one thing always remains the same. We continue to serve in the best possible manner the very best people it is possible to serve. We could ask for no finer list of customers, no better group of friends.

And to all of you our entire organization wishes loads of good cheer and a genuine old-fashioned merry Christmas!

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Department Store
LITTLEFIELD, TEXAS

SOCAL EVENTS

Miss Clara Faye Cowen and Clarence Black Are Married Saturday

Miss Clara Faye Cowen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Cowen of two miles west of Amherst and Clarence Black son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Black of Amherst were married Saturday morning at 10 o'clock in the Baptist parsonage.

The double ring ceremony was read by Rev. John C. Cory, pastor of the First Baptist church of Amherst.

The bride was becomingly attired in a two-piece gray suit with black accessories. Her corsage was of white carnations.

Mrs. Black is a member of the senior class this year and plans to continue her school work.

The groom is a member of the 1945 graduating class of Amherst. He has spent eleven months in the service in Korea. He was discharged from the service in October of this

year. Miss Ann Beason was maid of honor and was dressed in a blue two-piece suit. Her corsage was pink carnations. Babe Enloe served as best man.

Those present for the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Cowen, parents of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Black, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Campbell, Billie Ray Black and the attendants.

Following the wedding a reception was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Black. The table was laid with a lace cloth, with a centerpiece of pink snapdragons. White candles burned in crystal holders.

After the bride and groom cut the first piece of the 4 tiered wedding cake, Mrs. Gene Campbell served the cake and Miss Yvonne Harmon presided over the tea service. Those present

Engagement of Miss Mary Frances Kelley and Charles P. Pharris Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kelley of Burkburnett, Texas, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Frances, to Charles Paul Pharris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pharris of Littlefield.

The double ring ceremony will take place Sunday, January 11, at 2:30 p. m., at the First Baptist church, Burkburnett.

Following the ceremony a reception will be held at the home of the bride's parents.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Burkburnett high school, and attended Tech College, where she majored in physical education. She also attended Colorado A. & M. at Fort Collins.

The groom-elect is a graduate of Littlefield high school with the class of 1945, and attended Tech College, majoring in business administration, and also attended Colorado A. & M.

The young couple will make their home in Littlefield, where Mr. Pharris is employed by the A. & W. Clothiers.

sent for the reception were Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Stevens, Rev. and Mrs. Sharon Jeffry, Betty and Patsy Clements, Joy Porter, Helen Wagner, Nita Blair, Betty Sue House, Jeanette House, Joan Harmon and the above mentioned.

The happy couple left immediately after the reception for a short wedding trip. They will make their home in Amherst.

Tech To Exhibit Cattle At Fort Worth

LUBBOCK—Texas Technological College will show 11 steers and four bull calves in the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock show in Fort Worth Jan 30, and Feb. 8, Dean of Agriculture W. L. Stangel announces.

Dean Stangel will be superintendent of the Aberdeen Angus department of the 1948 show, a position he has held annually since 1937.

Four of the steers entered are Hereford, while seven are Aberdeen Angus. The bull calves are Aberdeen Angus. One bull will be entered in the Texas Aberdeen Angus Breeders association auction sale in Fort Worth February 5. Another will be sent to Houston for sale at the association auction February 13 during the Houston Fat Stock Show, Dean Stangel stated.

Rhoten, Monroe Ray, J. B. Haire, Willie Couch, Loyd Haire. Hostess Mrs. Bill Jones, a number of children was also present.

The next club meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Cay Elder the second Tuesday in January.

Children's Program Is Presented

Friday night at 7:30 o'clock, Dec. 19, was Children's night at the Four-square Gospel Church.

The children's program was directed by Mrs. Naomi Huber. The program consisted of recitations, songs, a girl's drill and a very fine pantomime of "the night before Xmas." Miss Eunice Mae Brien recited the poem while the junior children with the assistance of Mr. Calvin Price, pantomime.

Following the program was the

New York Banker Sends Tech \$500

LUBBOCK—Following an invitation tour of the Texas Technological College farms, John K. McKee, president of the Continental Bank Trust company of New York, sent the college \$500 for use of scholarships during 1948-49 for encouragement of student training in the soil conservation field, President M. Whyburn announces.

McKee was a member of the conservation train that recently visited Texas agricultural and industry centers.

presentation of gifts and treats

Junior Santa Claus with his junior helpers, Misses Elizabeth Dunn, Imogene Ward, Johnny Ward, Peggy Jo Price, Sharon Brien and Eunice Mae Brien.



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Christmas! No vaunting phrases can truly carry the meaning of that word, no marching adjectives picture its fulfillment. Its being and expression must ever lie in the simple words of the prophets, in the unpretentious but meaningful phrases of the Man of Galilee:

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Christmas May all Happiness be yours

Once again the joyous spell of Christmas is cast over us, as we hurry about with gifts for those we love. That warm glow we get from giving at this holy season cannot be duplicated at any other time of the year. It is our sincere wish that a full measure of happiness may be yours, this Christmas of 1947.

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THE BEST WISH
Same Old Wish, Always New - - -
A MERRY CHRISTMAS
TO ALL OF YOU

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Mean more to this institution than the more exchange of Goods for Dollars - - -
We appreciate our customers — they are our friends—and we wish them a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, and we resolve now to make our service worth more and more to you as the days and months go by.

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MERRY CHRISTMAS And a HAPPY NEW YEAR
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St. Nicholas

WISHES A MERRY YULETIDE TO ALL

ANOTHER YEAR has passed. Again glad bells are pealing out the Christmas story. Happy children and parents are planning for the day in the glorious old-fashioned way. Everyone is thrilled by the magic spell of Christmas for they know the spirit of the Christ Child is in the land.

While glad bells peal out, while children make merry, while carols are being sung and the Christmas story is being told and retold, we join in the joyous occasion by expressing best wishes for a

Merry Christmas to each and every one

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Dr. Payne Places First In Lighting Contest

First prize in the Christmas lighting contest for residences in Little-

field went to Dr. C. E. Payne. The contest, under the auspices of the Civic Committee of the Garden Department of the Woman's Club, was staged to create a Yuletide motif

in the residential section of the city. Judges looked for the homes which best carried out the Christmas theme in awarding the three prizes of 25, 15 and 10 dollars. Second prize was awarded to the W. B. Little home, third to the Earl Rodgers home.

LETTERS TO SANTA CLAUS

Littlefield, Texas. Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a big doll for Christmas. I want a doll with red hair and sleeping eyes. I want a doll buggy too. My name is Dolphine and

I will name my doll Dolphine too. From Dolphine Bertha Moore

Littlefield, Texas. Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a big doll with real hair and big blue sleeping eyes. I love dolls but I don't have one so please bring me one for Christmas. I also want a doll buggy and a set of

dishes. That is all I want this Christmas.

From Ruth Biles

EPIDEMIC OF CHICKEN POX
An epidemic of Chicken Pox is reported at Earth, and many children have been out of school ill with ailment.

Merry
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The approaching Holiday Season makes us appreciate more than ever before the priceless value of our friends and customers. It reminds us, also, of the splendid business and cooperation extended us during the past year. To you go our sincere thanks for your patronage and many courtesies, and our best wishes for—

A Merry Christmas and

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HAPPY NEW YEAR!

WE FEEL GRATEFUL to Each of You - - - To All Our Friends - - - To Our Many Customers - - - May the days of the coming year be Happy, Prosperous days for you all. We will be better prepared during the coming year than ever before to serve you and earnest efforts will be put forward to show you our appreciation. We only ask for an opportunity.



A WORLD WITHOUT CHRISTMAS WOULD BE A WORLD WITHOUT FRIENDS—

We are thankful for both. A host of friends has made our progress rapid. The loyalty of our acquaintances has been of material benefit, bringing us a little closer to our goal of achievement. Christmas gives us a splendid opportunity to express our appreciation for these friends and for the patronage they have given us—We are glad that the particular world in which we live still has friends - - - and Christmas.

The Season's Greetings to Each of You!

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Christmas
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ON EARTH

While angels hovered overhead, the Star of Bethlehem guided the Three Wise Men to the Manger at Bethlehem. We cannot offer you their gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh. Our gift must be restricted to the old, but heartfelt wish for all the joys and blessings of the Yuletide season.

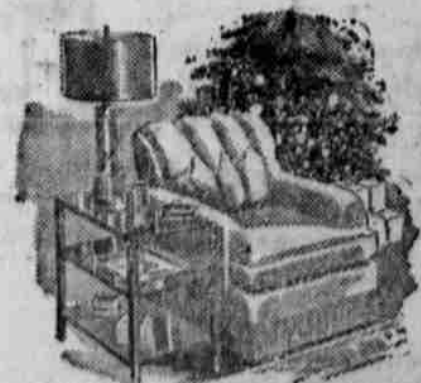
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FOR SALE—Young Jersey cow, giving five gallons of milk. R. Alexander, six and a half southeast of town. 40-1tp

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FOR SALE—1 Pickup 1940 Model, condition. Hill Rogers Appl. Littlefield. 39-3t-c

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Merry CHRISTMAS
BEST WISHES and GREETINGS

It would be difficult, indeed, to forget our friends, particularly at Christmas. We want you to know how close we feel to all you, and how sincerely we wish for each you the choicest blessings of Yuletide.

And Happy New Year To All Our Friends!

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FOR SALE

BARGAIN RATES
Readers are reminded that the bargain rates on the Star Telegram and Avalanche Journal expire on Dec. 31. Whether or not your subscription runs out during this time, it would be wise to renew at the saving you realize. On the Star Telegram, Daily and Sunday, your saving amounts to \$3.50. It will be your advantage to bring your Star Telegram renewal or Avalanche Journal to the Leader Office. Too, we have a bargain rate on the Leader good until January 15.

FOR SALE—Large flowering dahlia roots for as cheap as 25c each. Ready for delivery from now until last of May. Will deliver anywhere. Mrs. Smith, Box 253 Amherst.

FOR SALE—Cotton Scales at McCormick Bros. Auto Parts. 28-4c

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S. Tucker was admitted to the Amherst Hospital last week suffering from a bad cold. He also suffers from a weak heart.
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SEASON OF GOOD CHEER



Christmas

At Christmastime we greet good friends. If 'neath our roof you've rested, come again and be refreshed. If you have never crossed our threshold, visit us in the months ahead. To one and all we say,

MERRY CHRISTMAS!

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Farm Auction Sale

As I have sold my farm, and must give possession January 1, I will sell at public auction at my place 12 miles southeast of Littlefield, at Lamb-Hockley County Line, on Highway 84, across railway track, first house to right.

Monday, December 29
SALE STARTING AT 1 P. M. SHARP

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REA Employs Engineering Firm in Expansion Program

H. N. Roberts Firm To Secure Right Of Way Easements Effort Underway to Get All Farmers Signed Up Now

Announcement was made Saturday by J. H. Carl, manager of the Lamb County Electric Cooperative, that this association had employed H. N. Roberts and associates, engineering firm of Lubbock, to secure the right way easements and applications to serve every remaining farm home in this territory, which doesn't have electricity.

Mr. Carl added that this is going to be the last big sweep they make to get everyone signed up for electricity, stating that anyone who doesn't

REA Nominating Group Is Named

At the regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Lamb County Electric Cooperative held in the REA office Friday night, a nominating committee for the election of Directors for the coming year was named, as follows:

George Bonner, Olton; Quinton McCaughren, Sudan; B. O. Elder, Spade; Emzy Hobbs, Lum's Chapel; A. G. Jungman, Pep; V. E. Pritchard, Littlefield; W. E. Bentley, Spade; Lee Nichols, Littlefield and F. H. Locke, Pettit.

The nominating committee will

have lights today, or who won't be taken care of on the construction which is in process, or covered by M-Section for which they have funds available to construct, should take advantage of this last chance to secure electricity for their farm home.

The REA manager said, "What we are endeavoring is to finish up all construction, and serve everybody, and then turn our thoughts towards operational problems. This is going to be our last great effort to get every one signed up. If everyone do not sign up now, it will probably be a long time before they have another opportunity. We are going to a great expense at this time to make an effort to have everyone signed up, and we hope they will see the advantage of doing so."

Amherst Perry Club Guests In Buster Molder Home

Two charming hostesses, Mrs. Buster Nolder and Mrs. Benny Shipley, entertained the Amherst Perry Home Demonstration Club Thursday, Dec. 11, in the home of Mrs. Buster Molder.

The house was made lovely with fern and holly from Seattle, Wash., and Pine cone from Glacier Park, Mont., sent by Mrs. Frank Rosin of Seattle, a close friend of Mrs. Molder.

meet Monday, January 5, at 7 p. m. at the REA office for the purpose of nominating director candidates for the incoming year.

Officers will be elected at the regular annual meeting of the Lamb County Electric Cooperative, which will be held February 4.

er. Mrs. H. L. Phelps was leader for an interesting recreation hour, with Xmas music as a background. Donny and Jimmy Brantley distributed gifts from the tree as happy guests learned who was their secret pal during the past year.

Refreshments of sandwiches, fudge squares, salad and hot spiced punch were served to Mesdames. E. L. Yarbrough, J. H. Bradley, R. H. Briley, H. L. Phelps Harris Brantley, Jack Brooks, E. L. Ross, Walter Brantley, Maurice Brantley, J. L. Crosby, Gordon Thurman, V. R. Stagner, J. P. Brantley, Vernon Woods, and visitors, Mrs. Clois Tomés Mrs. Gene Enloe, Mrs. T. M. Slemmons and the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barbee moved Saturday from the Batton Hotel where they have been making their home for the past year, to their new home in the 200 block on East 14th St. Mr. Barbee is County Supervisor of Farmers Home Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

First Baptist Auxiliary Enjoy Christmas Party

The young women's Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Findley on West 2nd Street Monday night December 15, at 7 o'clock for an Christmas party, with each bringing her mother as a guest.

The house was beautifully decorated for the occasion in keeping with the Christmas season. The motif was carried out on the mantel by the improvised snow and the Santa Claus and his reindeer scene which was flanked by large red candles.

The dining table was covered with a lace cloth from which lime punch with sandwiches, nuts and cookies were served.

An impressive initiation service for the members of the Auxiliary was conducted, directed by Miss Joyce Carr with the assistance of the mothers.

Following the services, gifts were distributed from a beautifully lighted

tree by Mrs. Hemphill, after the group sang Christmas Carols. Mrs. Findley is counselor for young women's group.

Those present were Mesdames Hemphill, Viggo Peterson, E. J. Wood, H. C. Carr, E. E. Renfro, C. Fox, Walter Gary, L. L. McGill, John Allen Dunn, Cecil Ma Arthur Jones, and Mrs. Findley. Misses Ellen Webb, Mesdames Verna Licke, June and Jean, Barbara Allen, June Renfro, E. Gray, Alene Packwood, Jerry Lett, Mary Rue Fox and Margie Fro.

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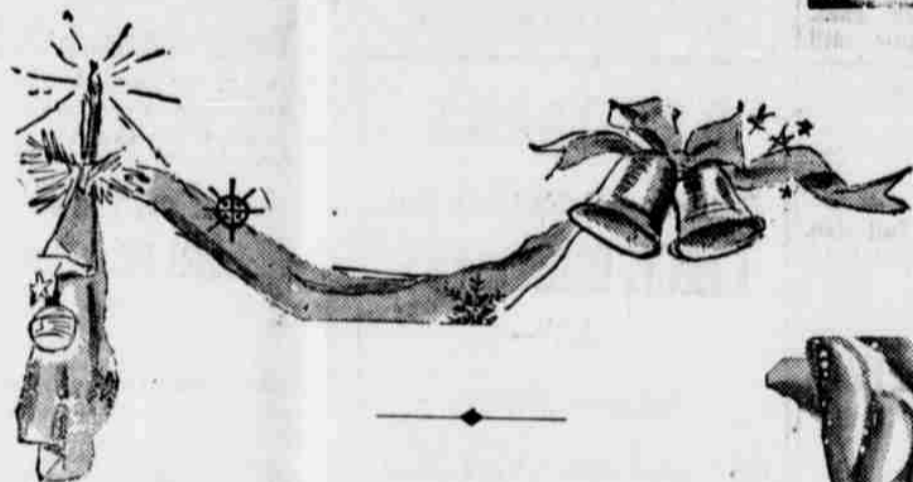
The man was Charles Dickens; his character was Tiny Tim. And in the words of Tiny Tim, oft-repeated, we'd like to say:

"A MERRY CHRISTMAS, GOD BLESS US EVERY ONE"

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IT IS FINE TO CELEBRATE CHRISTMAS AGAIN THIS SEASON OF 1947, FINE TO HAVE FINISHED ANOTHER YEAR IN THIS COMMUNITY OF HAPPY HOMES AND FRIENDLY PEOPLE.

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Wishing Each And All a—

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