

# Christmas Street Lights Friday Night Herald In Yuletide Season

## Wave Of Petty Thievery Strikes

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### Berry And Virginia Melton And Amherst FFA Sweethearts

Runners-up in the Senior division were Mary Lou Cowan, Juanice Atkinson and Joyce Holland. Assisting in the campaign were Harvey Grigsby, Matt Wilson and Connie Baird.  
Runners-up in the Junior Division were Arnoldette Waldo, Colleen Davis and Sue Cowen. Assisting in the campaign were James Benjamin, Gerald Walser and Gene Collier.  
The two popular Sweethearts will accompany the F.F.A. boys when they go to Houston, to attend the Fair, in February.

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### GARDEN DEPT., WOMAN'S CLUB SPONSOR CONTEST

#### Carusel Of Songs Scheduled For December 17

Hundreds and hundreds of multi-colored, twinkling Christmas lights, interwoven into beautiful Christmas streamers strung across the streets of the city this week, flashed into brilliance Friday night, when the electric switch was thrown for the first time, as daylight faded, as darkness arrived, to herald the opening of the Christmas season and the Christmas shopping season in Littlefield.

And this year's Christmas lighted display, is more elaborate, and more profuse than any in the history of the city—and the display is beautiful, a credit to the men and committees, who designed, financed, and carried out the decorative program.

The lights will continue in place and glowing throughout the Christmas season, and will be supplemented and augmented with Christmas carols and Christmas music, over loud speakers in the downtown area throughout the holiday season.

The highlight day of the pre-Christmas season, especially to the children, will come on the afternoon of Wednesday, December 12, when Santa Claus, his sleigh and his reindeers are scheduled to arrive in Littlefield—snow or no snow—and snow, rain, or shine, his

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### Christmas Vacation For Schools To Be Dec. 21 to Jan. 7

Littlefield School children and faculty members will have probably the longest Christmas Holiday in the history of the local schools. Vacation this year will begin the night of December 21st, and continue to Monday morning January 7th.

## Cotton Acreage Authority Estimates Area Crop Cut By 60,000 Bales

### Lamb Expected To Gin 100,000 Bales; 80,000 Gathered To Date

### OH! OH! OH! He's A Beauty Judge Now!

Lamb County Judge Otha Dent, has been called upon during his tenure in office, to deliver a great many talks, at home and in distant counties, and so far, at least as is known, has come through with flying colors, whether the audience was assembled County Judges and Commissioners, the Governor and state officials, or just a group of 4-H boys and girls.

But now he is going to take a step into the unknown, a dangerous field, where both the brave and the strong have been known to have suffered reprimand, abuse and scorn, if not more dire catastrophe and punishment—and it will take everything the Judge "has got" to come out with colors at more than at half mast, in executing his new assignment, which he has, maybe unwittingly accepted—the Judge is going to judge a Beauty Contest, and not only that, but in his own home balliwick, at Springlake.

The event will take place tomorrow night, at Springlake School—and the Judge may or may not be able to be in his office Saturday morning. The life of a Beauty Contest judge is that way.

If he survives, the affable Judge has cheerfully accepted two other speaking or appearance invitations. He will address the joint meeting of Rotary and Rotary Anns at Seminole Dec. 13th, and will be principal speaker before the Springlake PTA on Dec. 20th.

### Breaks Leg While Playing Football

Thomas Lee Jennings, 14, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Jennings, received a fractured left leg, while playing football Wednesday afternoon. He was taken to Payne-Shotwell Foundation, for emergency treatment. The leg was x-rayed and placed in a cast. Thomas Lee remained a patient in the Foundation over night. It will be several weeks before he will be able to walk without the cast. He plays on the "B" football team.

### Amarillo Times Is Consolidated With The Amarillo Globe-News

The Amarillo Times will suspend publication Monday as will the Amarillo Globe. In their stead will emerge the afternoon Globe-Times, headed and edited by R. R. Whittenburg and T. E. Johnson.  
Gene Howe, chairman of the Board of the Globe News Publishing Company, said that the arrangement was completed after months of negotiations through the transfer

Lamb county will probably top the 100,000 bale production mark this year, by a few hundred or a few thousand bales, and the harvest is 75 to 80 per cent complete, according to J. D. Jordan of Texas Employment office, who is probably in closer touch with the situation than any other man or agency in the county, supplying badly needed labor, to farmers and ginners.

Jordan says 80,000 bales have now been harvested, under the impetus of beautiful picking weather, since the early freeze of early November. And he adds, the grain harvest, is completed, or 99 per cent completed.  
Every cotton harvesting machine, has been in operation the past weeks, and every gin has been working around the clock. With the present weather continuing, the entire job will be completed in the next two or three weeks—certainly before Christmas.

Mr. Jordan stated that his office has placed 2304 cotton harvesting hands in employment in the county so far this month. In addition his office has supplied badly needed gin hands, who have been and still are in short supply. There are still job openings, he added, for cotton strippers, gin hands and cotton oil mill workers.

Estimate of the acreage cotton crop in the area has been cut by 60,000 bales. Due to failure of immature cotton bolls frozen early in November, has resulted in a cut in the South Plains production forecast.

K. N. Clapp, Anderson, Clayton and company representing in Lubbock, believes the South Plains will harvest no more than 1,310,000 bales of cotton. On Nov. 1 Clapp, considered the death of South Plains cotton authorities, estimated production would total 1,370,000 bales. Principal damage occurred in Dawson, Lubbock, and Terry counties, Clapp said.

His revised estimate of cotton production by counties follows:

COUNTY	PRODUCTION	
	Nov. 30th	Nov. 1st
Bailey	35	40
Briscoe	12	12
Castro	29	29
Cochran	79	79
Crosby	100	100
Dawson	55	70
Floyd	125	125
Gaines	39	39
Garza	5	6
Hale	140	140
Hockley	165	170
Lamb	110	112
Lubbock	210	220
Lynn	60	60
Parmer	10	10
Swisher	45	45
Terry	65	83
Others:	26	30
	1,310	1,370

### Postmaster General Promises Prompt Delivery Xmas Mail

Postmaster General Jesse M. Donaldson, sends this word from Washington—he promises to speed delivery—if the public will just help a little—of what is expected to be one of the biggest batches of Christmas mail in history.  
The postal service will work around the clock from now on to make sure that all mail posted reasonably early is delivered by Dec. 24, he said. The one-day home delivery rule will be scrapped and the mailman will make frequent rounds in cities and villages.  
Late-arriving gifts parcels and special delivery mail will be distributed on Christmas in cities and villages, but there will be no rural deliveries or other service that day.

PINCHER CREEK, Alta. (AP)—If it keeps up, this Southern Alberta district should have plenty of snow this winter. A total of 14 inches fell in three days recently.

## Cigar Smoking Lad, 3, Doesn't Like Bullets

AP Newsfeatures  
KNOXVILLE, Tenn. — William Glenn Greene is a man of the world who, at the age of 3, can take in stride a black cigar, a chew of to-



SMOKES at play, but that cigar is genuine.

father, Reuben Greene, is commissary manager.  
The healthy-looking tow-headed boy said he smokes two or three cigars a day and takes a chew when he can get one, but he's not too keen about bullets.

He lit up a cigar, inhaled deeply and turned his attention to a toy truck as his father told of the shooting incident which took place on the eve of his third birthday last July.

"We went to a little store, and 'Scrap Iron' walked behind the counter and picked up a gun we didn't even know was there.

"He couldn't pull the trigger with his finger, but he did manage to pull it with his thumb and the bullet grazed him almost in the center of the forehead.

"The bullet punctured a can of tomato juice on the counter and the juice dripped down on his head. We thought he was badly wounded because of the 'blood' but at the hospital it turned out to be just a flesh wound.

"At that, it took four stitches to sew it up."

Greene said his son picked up his smoking and chewing from convicts at the state prison about the time he was learning to walk.

"Scrap Iron" looked up from his toys as questioning turned his way again. Yes, he admitted, his mother did seem to sort of object to his cigars and chewing tobacco but she hadn't made him quit yet.

He has a sister, Carolyn, who is nine. Carolyn says she doesn't smoke, but she doesn't mind a bit if the menfolks do.

### Mother's Club of Spade School Sponsoring Minstrel Thursday Night

The Mother's Club of Spade School is sponsoring a Minstrel show to be held at the school gymnasium Thursday night, December 6, at 7:30 p.m.  
Those taking part will all have black faces featuring Rastus and Sambo and other interesting characters.  
Sandwiches, pie, cake and coffee will be served.  
An interesting program, including string music, dancing and singing, is being planned.  
The public are invited to attend and eat supper at the gymnasium Thursday night.

### Garden Department Members Invited To Show At Amarillo

Several members of the Garden Department of the Woman's club plan to attend a Flower Arrangement Show sponsored by the Amarillo Garden Club, to be held at the Presbyterian Orphanage, December 4th and 5th.  
The proceeds from the show will go toward landscaping the grounds at the Home.  
Flower arrangements will be left in the Home to be used for Christmas decorating.

### Driver License Exams Given Twice Weekly

Driver license examinations are being given twice a week at Lamb County Court House, on Wednesdays and Fridays, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Heretofore examinations have been given on Wednesdays only. The two day schedule will continue until there is a decline in the number of applicants.

### ACCIDENT VICTIM RELEASED

Carl Morrow, local lumber dealer, and owner of Morrow Lumber yard, who was painfully injured in an automobile crash last Wednesday noon, was able to be dismissed today noon, was able to walk today morning. He was able to walk and was carrying a beautiful bouquet of red roses, despite his request for no flowers.

# Inflation Is No. 1 Enemy of the Country

Elder Statesman Bernard M. Baruch has been quoted by Senator Maybank, chairman of the Senate banking committee, as saying that inflation is "this country's No. 1 enemy and, unless halted, will destroy the taxpayers."

That inflation is not being halted but rather is being stimulated is evident in the steady rise of the national debt by about \$6.4 billion in the current fiscal year. Official calculations are that continued deficit spending will necessitate authorization by Congress next year of a higher national debt ceiling than the present limit of \$275 billion.

The U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported that living costs reached the highest point in history in mid-October. As a result wage increases for 1,250,000 workers in the automobile and other industries became effective because of the escalator clauses in their contracts. These additional costs in turn will necessitate higher prices.

As these costs and prices continue to increase, despite the \$5.7 billion hike in federal taxes Nov. 1, further impetus will be given to deficit financing, which Treasury Secretary Snyder estimates at \$7.5 billion for this entire fiscal year. The creation of new money by this red ink operation will push prices upward further.

Consumers readily recognize the effect of inflation

on their own buying power. The same effect extends to the billions in armament which the government will purchase this year. More cheaper dollars will buy less air, ground and sea power than military authorities have deemed necessary to our national security.

Thus it should be apparent to all that continued inflation is a threat to our national defense as well as to the economic stability of the nation and its millions of families. Mr. Baruch long has forewarned the people and their government about this danger. In his latest admonition, the elder statesman, according to Senator Maybank, urges that Congress strengthen the wage-price control laws when it convenes in January.

However, in other statements Mr. Baruch has urged more comprehensive means for economic stabilization than mere controls alone. Among these basic remedies is the avoidance of deficit financing both by elimination of non essential, deferrable expenditures and by higher taxes. In the first respect, Congress and the administration have failed. The result from a partial program of economic stabilization is the continuing inflation which Mr. Baruch realistically defines as "the country's No. 1 enemy."

## Joshua Blocher Case To Come Up For Trial Next Week At Muleshoe

Judge E. A. Bills will go to Muleshoe next week, where the case in which two Amarillo men are charged with the slaying of the aged recluse, Joshua Blocher, at his home at Progress, small town west of Muleshoe, will be heard in District Court.

Judge Bills stated that he expected the case to be of some duration, and that he would not be surprised if securing a jury did not consume several days of Court time.

The case has been prominent news throughout West Texas, since the crime was committed last August, and has had wide publicity both through the press and radio.

## Post Cards To Double In Cost Effective January 1

Big users of post cards, who use them extensively for advertising direct by mail, will see their costs soar—more than double after January 1, when the old penny post card becomes obsolete, to be replaced by a card costing 2 cents.

However, that is only to the small quantity card purchaser. Up to 49 of the new 2c cards can be purchased at the 2-cent rate, but if 50 or more are purchased, the cost is 2 cents per card, plus 10 per cent.

The new ruling will also hit utility companies, and other users who have employed the card for sending out monthly statements.

Second class rates are also scheduled to jump by ten per cent next year, and again in the two succeeding years, but this rate increase will not be effective until April.

Some other mail rate increases have been made, and put into effect in the past two months.

## Cotton Resistant To Bacterial Blight

Research to develop strains of cotton that are resistant to bacterial blight is being conducted jointly by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Progress made to date in this research is reported in a new bulletin prepared by L. S. Bird, plant pathologist with the Texas Experiment Station, and L. M. Blank, USDA plant pathologist.

Bacterial blight disease may affect all above ground parts of the cotton plant. It shows up on the

leaves as water-soaked angular change in the plant tissue, which turn brown when dry. On the bolls, the disease appears as water-soaked round spots, which are sunken and black when dry. Long black injuries are produced on the stems and fruiting branches. These appearances cause bacterial blight to be

commonly known as "angular leaf spot," "boll blight" and "black arm."

It has been estimated that this disease causes an annual reduction in yield of Upland cotton in the United States of one to two per cent, and from 5 to 15 per cent in severe outbreaks of Egyptian and Sea Island varieties.

Stoneville 20, a strain that is highly resistant to bacterial blight, is being used to transfer blight resistance to commercial cotton varieties. Work on combining Stone-

vile 20 with Stoneville pine and Empire is being done at College Station.

Bulletin 736, "Bacterial Cotton Resistant Blight," is available from the Agricultural Experiment Station, Office, College Station, Texas.

## Lamb One Of 11 Counties To Join Oil Counties Since World War II

Eleven WTCC counties have joined the ranks of the "oil" counties since World War II, in which Lamb County is one, according to a report published in the current issue

of the WTCC magazine, West Texas Today. The article also said that West Texas—the territory served by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce produced 399,096,735

barrels of \$20,029,648 barrels of Texas' 1950 crude oil output.

Eighty-three of the 132 counties in West Texas are oil producers and five produce natural gas, the magazine declared, basing its statements on statistics proficed by the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association.

Texas' all time oil production to the end of 1950 had totaled 13,709,204,172 (B) of which 5,207,365,306 (B) had been produced within the WTCC territory.

Commercial production was discovered in Lamb, Martin, and Midland in 1945; in Hall, Kent and Knox in 1946; in Sterling in 1947; in Sutton in 1948; in Borden and Roberts in 1949 and in Lynn in 1950. Ten of the 11 produced in 1950 total of 8,708,985 barrels. Sutton county, where 382 barrels were produced in 1949, had no production last year.

Production of 100 to 200 million barrels is shown by counties of Hockley, Andrews, Eastland, Gaines, Reagan, Stephens, Upton, Ward, Wilbarger, Yoakum and Young.

## Kenneth Burgess Joins Elite At Texas Tech

Lubbock—(Special)—Kenneth L. Burgess, senior agriculture major from Earth, has joined the elite at Texas Tech with his election to Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities.

Burgess, who has a 1.98 grade average, was one of 26 students selected for this honor. He has served as president and vice-president of the Agriculture club; 1950-1951; Social Director of the Honorary Agriculture club, 1950-51; Vice President of Block and Bridle club, 1951-52; Representative to the Aggie Board of Directors, spring, 1951; Vice Commander, Air Force ROTC Wing; and a member of the Wesley Foundation Council, 1951-52.

He has been honored in the following ways: Sears, Roebuck Scholarship, 1948; Junior Rotarian, fall, 1950; First Year advanced Air Force ROTC Award (outstanding Junior Cadet) He is also a member of the Future Farmers of America, Alpha Zeta, Circle Eight club, Board of Student Organizations, Fort Worth Livestock Judging Team, spring, 1951, American Royal Livestock Judging Team, fall, 1951, Student Council, and Arnold Air Society.

leaving for Chicago recently on Kenneth was among six students Texas Tech's livestock judging team where it is participating in the International Livestock Exposition.

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By Jim Barstow



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# Littlefield Gymnasium To Be Scene of 3-Day Basketball Tournament

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## SPORTS

JIMMIE CHAPMAN, Sports Editor

LITTLEFIELD, TEXAS, SUNDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1951

### BORYLA MAY QUIT BASKETBALL AT CONCLUSION OF PRO SEASON

By SYD KRONISH.

AP Newsfeatures Sports Writer

NEW YORK—This may be Vince Boryla's last year in pro basketball. Boryla, one of the top scorers in the National Basketball Association and ace forward for the New York Knickerbockers, has definite ideas on how long he will continue to play ball.

"I don't want to be a basketball bum," says Vince seriously. "I'm 24 now and want to get started in the business world as soon as possible. There's no use kidding anybody because the only person I'd be kidding would be myself."

Means To An End

"Basketball is a means to an end. And the end result is getting myself set in business back in Denver where I intend buying a house after the season is completed."

Vince is a very intelligent young man. He was an honor student at Notre Dame's prep school before he entered military service. When he came out of the Army he decided that medicine was not his field and completed his education at Denver U. where he received his A.B. in business administration.

"When you're in the pro game," states Boryla, "you're actually leav-

ing time to other fellows in the business world. Of course, their pay may be less but they have gained that much more experience. The longer you stay in sports the further behind you get. If you play basketball for enough years you get lazy and lose the desire to enter the business world. That's the kind of individual I call a basketball bum."

He is 6 foot 5 inch, 205-pound Boryla is married to a girl he met while stationed at Denver. She was training to be a nurse. When he was discharged from the service they were wed. They have two children, Karen, 26 months, and Michael, 7 months.

"Any player who does not make enough money so that he can save a goodly amount is a foolish person," continues Vince.

May Be The Last

"That's why I say this definitely may be my last year in the game, unless—" then he hesitated and concluded "unless I get enough money to make it worth my while."

This is the husky forward's third season with the Knickerbockers. Last year he was the town's leading scorer with 982 points for a 14.3 average. He was the fifth best foul shooter in the league, making 83 per cent of his attempts.

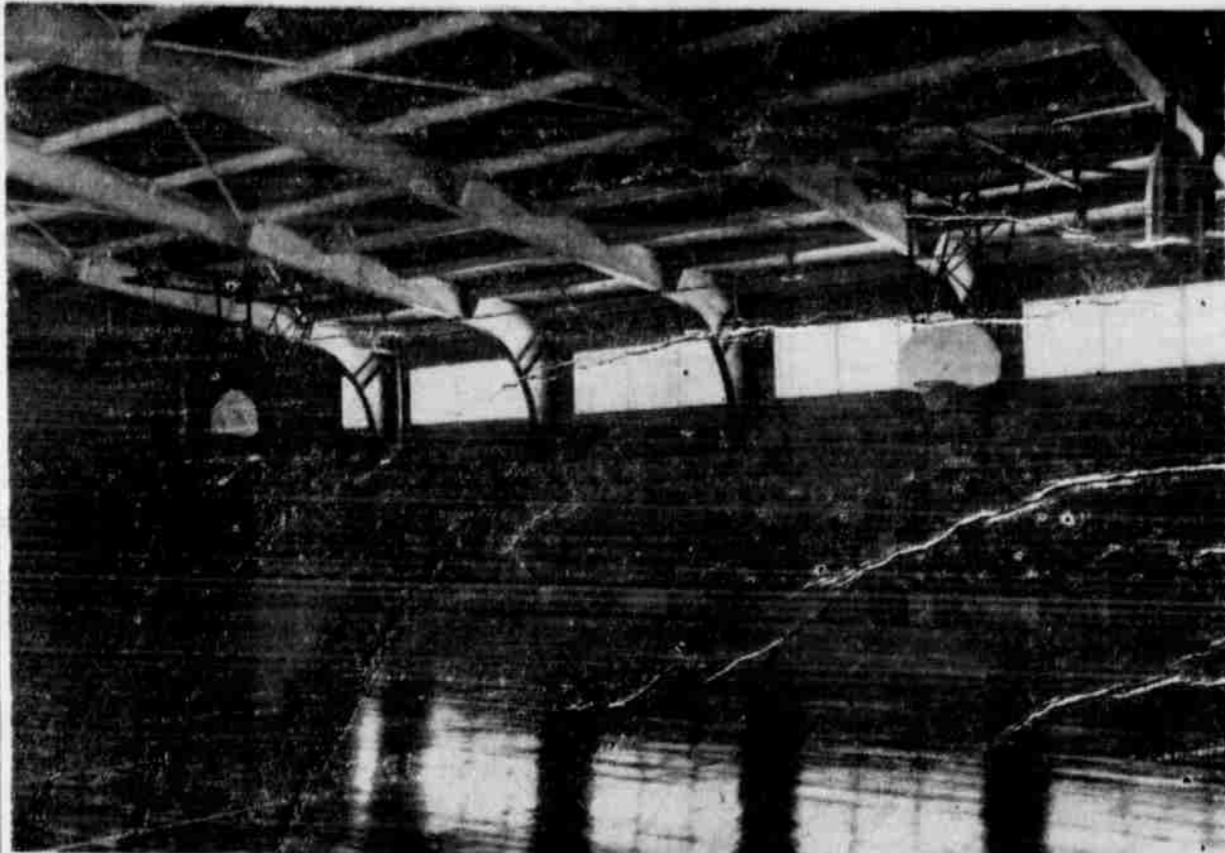
Being picked as a member of the U.S. Olympic cage team in 1948 is a cherished honor for IkaeBte Vince. He credits his high school coach, Nelson Irvin, for teaching him the fundamentals and finer points of the game.

### Sister - In - Law Of Troy Armes Writes Song For BTU

Mrs. Woodson Armes, wife of the pastor of Polytechnic Baptist church in Fort Worth, and a sister-in-law of Troy Armes, principal of Littlefield High school wrote a new song, "Anchored in Christ," written especially for the Texas Baptist Training Union convention. Its title was the convention theme.

Her lyrics are regular features in many religious and home publications, and she has published three books of verse.

The Baptist Training Union Convention was held in Waco last week. Rev. Lee Hemphill, pastor of Littlefield Baptist church and his wife and two children, Rosa Lee and Hilton attended from here.



Shown above is the new 900 seat gymnasium in Littlefield that will be the scene of a 3-day basketball tournament commencing December 13. The new gym is hoped to draw bigger crowds to the Wildcats cage games and thereby will interest more boys in coming out for the sport which has been neglected in the past. —Photo by Taylor

### LOCALS HOPE FOR BETTER TEAM THAN IN PAST

#### Forrest Martin Returns As Head Coach

Littlefield will hold a 3-day basketball tournament in their new 900 seat gymnasium starting December 13 with eight boys and eight girls teams entered. Some of the best high school teams in this part of the state are entered and should be one of the best tournaments of the year.

Coach Forrest Martin, who is in his fourth year as coach of the locals has 22 boys out for practice, and is trying to cut the team down to eighteen members which is the regular carry number for the school. He has only two regulars back from last year but has several new comers that are looking good. He expects to field a better team than some in the past.

Boys teams entered in the tournament are Anton, Plainview, Olton, Amherst, Sundown, Morton, Lubbock Cowhands and Littlefield. There is only seven teams entered in the girls division so far but the Abernathy girls have consented to play in the tournament if their football team is through for the season. Other girl teams are Whiteface, Morton, Muleshoe, Olton, Sundown, Levelland and Littlefield.

Games will start Friday night at 6 o'clock on December 13th. They will start the next day (Friday) at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and continue into the night. Saturday morning, the winners will play and Saturday night the finals will be played.

Admission for the games will be 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for students.

The local team will journey to Amherst Tuesday, December 4th for their first game of the year. Co-Captains for the year will be elected before the team journeys to Amherst.

1920, after making the Eastern tour, was ranked third nationally among women players.

Miss Tennant started teaching again in 1924 as instructor at The Bishop's School in La Jolla, a private school for girls.

She was there 11 years before going to the San Simeon estate of William Randolph Hearst as coach for him and his guests. That led to a job as professional coach for the Hollywood movie colony. She gave lessons on Marion Davies' courts at Beverly Hills to such stars as Carole Lombard, Paulette Goddard, Joan Crawford and Clark Gable.

She returned to The Bishop's School here in 1949. In addition to her school classes,

### Maker Of Tennis Champions Now Has New Protege

By NORMAN BELL

AP Newsfeatures

LA JOLLA, Calif.—The trim, gray-haired woman in white Jersey and slacks called from her side of the tennis court: "Did you hear that nice 'ping' honey? You really hit that one."

Her right hand moved in a palm-down gesture of approval—something as if she were a baseball umpire calling a player safe. Her smile flashed quick and bright.

She was Eleanor Tennant, maker of tennis champions, at work with another promising youngster.

Miss Tennant moves about the court, her eyes shaded by a white felt visor, with the grace of a born athlete and with surprising speed for her age. She is 56.

Long recognized in world tennis as among the top coaches of the game, she gained more fame recently.

That was when her newest and youngest senior champion, popular teenage Maureen Connolly, won the U.S. women's crown at Forest Hills, N.Y., last September.

Miss Tennant was there, giving the girl the benefit of all her long experience and encouraging her with a personality that radiates confidence.

Ask Maureen Connolly what she thinks of Miss Tennant and the answer is: "Oh, she's just wonderful, but I think it is most of all her ability to use the right words and get the ideas she wants over to you."

"She knows just how far to press you," the young tennis queen explains, "then she will say: 'well, let it go now, we'll try again another time.'"

And they will try again—and again and again.

That combination of persistence

and patience brings results.

Maureen is the third national women's champion that Miss Tennant has brought to the top. The others were Alice Marble and Pauline Betz. She also coached Bobby Riggs on his way to the U.S. men's championship. Another of her men students, Welby Van Horn, reached the national final.

Three products of her court classes, Louise McFarlan, Ruby Bishop (Bixler) and Helen Pastell (Perez), became national junior champions.

Now Miss Tennant believes she has another champion in the making. She is an eager tot, only eight and one-half years old, named Karen Heinze.

"You'll have to get up there, honey," Miss Tennant calls after the little girl just fails to reach a high bounce over her head.

"I guess somebody held me down on that one," the girl replies.

Miss Tennant's smile flashes in response to the child's humor. She brightens the lesson herself with light banter, between the serious instructions—

"Let's go to town, now, Karen."

"You had a good grip then, honey. Didn't you get the feel of it?"

"You'll have to get on your horse, Karen."

"—And then when the girl ends a volley with a sharp return just over the net—"Happy New Years! That was hot!"

Miss Tennant uses her flat-hand gesture and a couple of others to save words, she says. But she also keeps up a fairly steady line of verbal criticism and encouraging comment.

"Now let's take up that overhead deal," she says.

She feeds ball after ball from a handy basket across the net to the

pupil. They keep at one stroke for a time and then switch to another.

Eyes must be quick and timing and balance true but Miss Tennant also gives frequent stress to the feel of the racket and the sound of the ball as they meet.

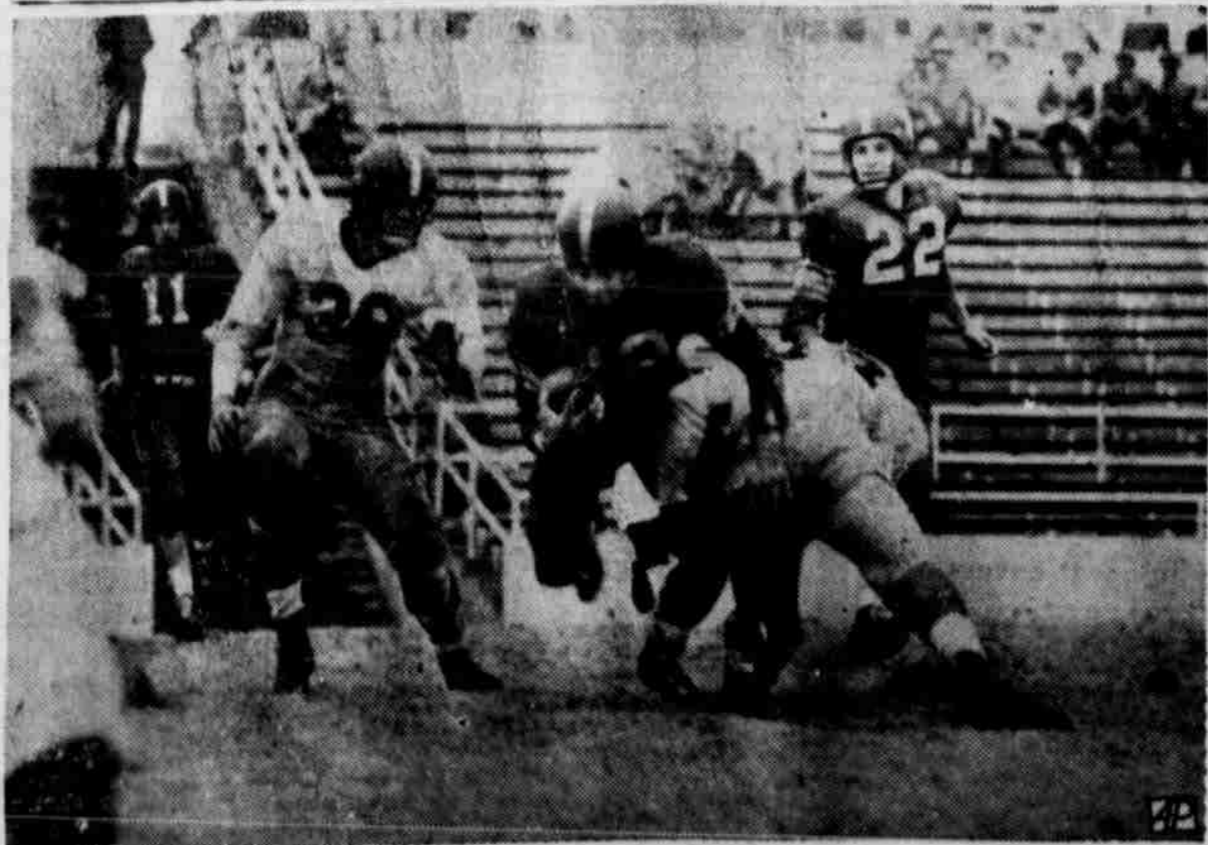
She winds up the lesson with a brisk game, giving Karen the advantage of a score handicap "until the time comes when you can beat me, even, honey."

Miss Tennant recalls that she never had a tennis lesson in her life. She was one of a family of seven children, in modest circumstances, in San Francisco. She first saw the game played in that city's public courts in Golden Gate Park and it fascinated her. She watched and she read anything she could find in the way of instructions. She practiced by herself at home before venturing onto the courts.

She particularly admired Maurice McLoughlin, national champion in 1912 and 1913, and it was through him that she got her first coaching job after she had won the Pacific Coast women's title when she was 19.

The teen-age Miss Tennant, who had to earn a living while she was playing, became the professional instructor at the fashionable Beverly Hills Hotel. "I loved it," she recalls, "it was a new world to me."

She was reinstated three years later as an amateur by the U.S. Lawn Tennis Association and in



Billy Burkhalter (12), Rice back, intercepted a Ray McKowen pass on his own goal line in second period of game with Texas Christian at Fort Worth, and ran it out to the seven-yard line. John Modanich, TCU back, tackle Burkhalter as back Jack Ray assists. Rice player is back Gene Silver (22). TCU won 22-6. —AP Wirephoto

Teams Win  
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Tournament

The school won three games from Amherst Tuesday night, the 40-26 and the girls. The B squad game Anton.

was pitched in 12 points winning boys, while had nine for the loss and an 18-16 lead at

Billings was the whole Anton girls won. She the 35 points, while for the losers.

Hornets Win Games From Pirates

got a three-game base from Cooper at Coop- night, winning both A games and the lone

the boys B-team con- and the A-game, 55-18. on the losing end of the in the girls game.

the second day of bas- the Pirates of Cooper, working out Monday. team has been prac- cise weeks and is one per teams in the area.

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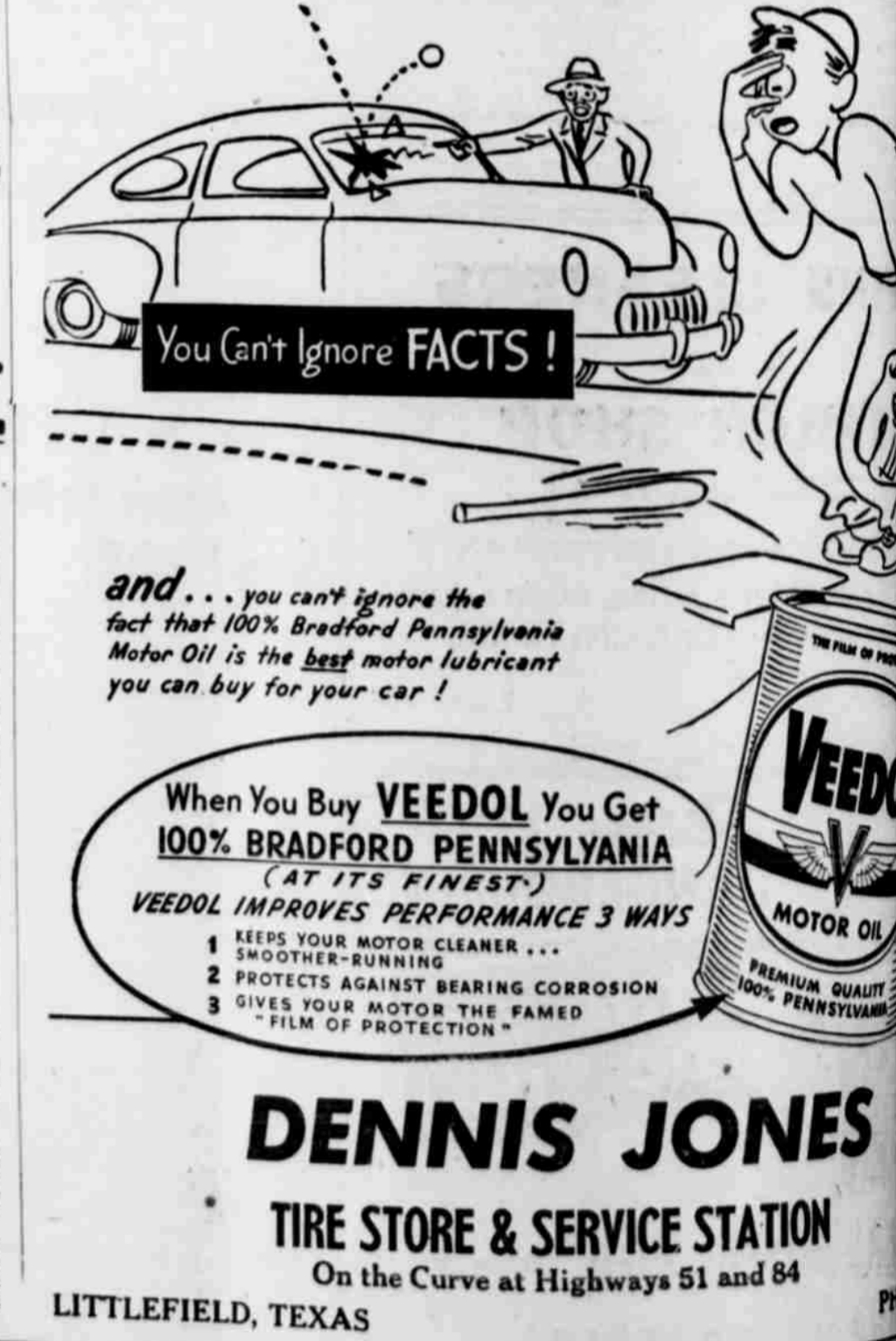
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**First Christian Ladies Attend Tea In Lubbock**

Mesdames O. N. Robison, G. V. Smith and James Evans attended a book review and tea last Monday afternoon, held at the First Christian church, Lubbock.

**Country Club NEWS**

**Ladies Day Dec. 8**  
 Ladies day at Littlefield Country club will be observed next Saturday, December 8th. Hostesses will be Mesdames B. W. Armistead, J. D. Smith, W. G. Street, O. P. Wilmon, Bill Sibley and W. B. Little.

**Childrens Party Dec. 21**  
 A Christmas party for the children age 12 and under of Country Club members will be held at the club house, from 6 to 7:30 o'clock in the evening, December 21st.

**Christmas Dance Dec. 22**  
 A Christmas dance will be held at the club house for members and out of county guests, on Saturday night, December 22nd.

**Attend Workers Conference Friday**  
 Several members of the First Baptist Church attended a Workers Conference of the West Plains Baptist Association held at Earth Baptist church Friday.

**Mrs. O. S. Sullivan left Thursday for El Paso to visit her daughter, Mrs. Bob Ellison.**

**measure. Add onion, salt, sugar, pepper, and thyme. Bring to a quick boil, then partly cover and simmer 1 hour. Strain. Add corn and re-heat. Bakes about 10 to 12 servings.**

**SUNDAY DINNER**

Tomato Juice, Cheese Canapes, Pork Chops with Onion and Apple Rings, Baked Potatoes, Buttered Broccoli, Salad Bowl, Bread and Butter, Molded Coffee Dessert Beverage.

**Cheese Canapes**  
 Ingredients: One 3-ounce package soft-type aged cheddar cheese, 1/4 cup mayonnaise, 1/4 cup chopped walnut meats, 2 1/2 tablespoons diced pimiento (1 whole canned).

**Method:** Allow cheese to stand at room temperature to soften. Mix well, beating in mayonnaise a little at a time. Stir in walnut meats and pimiento. Makes about 3/4 cup spread. Serve with Melba toast rounds.

**Tomato Soup**  
 Ingredients: Turkey carcass and 10 1/4-ounce cans condensed soup, water, 1 small teaspoon salt, 1/4 teaspoon pepper, 1/4 teaspoon thyme, 1 cup unsalted whole kernel corn.

Put turkey carcass and large kettle. Add soup and water, using soup can as

**News of Women**

**Golden Wedding Anniversary Held Recently By Mr. and Mrs. Weaver**

Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Weaver, parents of Mrs. Martin Maxwell of Sudan, and V. C. Weaver of Bula, observed their golden wedding anniversary at their home at Fort Sumner Tuesday, November 13.



MR. and MRS. FRED C. WEAVER

All their three children, Mrs. Maxwell, V. C. Weaver and Mrs. Earl Smith of Santa Rosa, N.M., and all their six grand-children, and ten great-grand-children were present for the celebration.

**Open House Held**  
 Open House was held from 2 to 5 o'clock, during which time over 200 guests called.

**Attend From Littlefield**  
 Included in those attending were Mr. and Mrs. M. M. (Jimmie) Brittain of Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. Dail Burnett and daughters, Nell and Loretta, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ray of Sudan; and Rev. and Mrs. Lowell Paden of Friendship.

**Four Tiered Cake**  
 The refreshment table was laid with lace cloth over gold satin, and centered with a four tiered wedding cake, topped by a gold bell, decorated with gold ribbon, at either side of which were crystal candles in gold holders.

Serving the cake and punch were Mrs. R. B. Wright and Mrs. Howard Weaver of Bula, grand-daughters, and Miss Sberilyn Ann Maxwell of Sudan, great-grand-daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Weaver.

Guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. Sonny Arend, of Bula, grand-daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Weaver.

Mrs. Eli Huffman, another grand-daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Weaver,

registered the guests. Later in the afternoon barbecue beans, and all the trimmings, were served on the back lawn by Mr. Fred C. Weaver.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Weaver were born at Admiral, Kansas. Mrs.

Weaver's name previous to her marriage was Ida Mae Born.

The couple were married November 13, 1901, and later moved to Fort Sumner, N.M., where they have been ranching for the past 42 years.

assisted by Mrs. George White and Mrs. A. P. Duggan, and where refreshments will be served.

Tickets for the tour will be available for different times during the 3 until 5 o'clock time schedule. Mrs. Allen Hilburn is in charge of the tickets.

Invitations will be mailed to Levelland, Anton, Amherst and Muleshoe.

Plans were worked out for the tour, at a called meeting held at the home of Mrs. A. C. Chesher, chairman of the department, last Wednesday morning.

**Garden Department Planning Christmas Home Tour**

The Garden Department of the Woman's Club is planning a Christmas tour of six homes in Littlefield, each featuring a different type of Christmas display, for the afternoon of Saturday, December 15th.

The theme of the tour will be "Christmas in the Home," and the homes to be visited with include: Christmas doorway scene, Mrs. Andrew McGehee, 1209 South Phelps Ave., assisted by Mrs. V. S. Cassel.

Children's display, home of Mrs. Travis Jones, 1223 So. Phelps, assisted by Mrs. Otto Jones.

Christmas tree, home of Mrs. Fred Underwood, 201 Underwood, assisted by Mrs. J. M. Farmer.

Mantel decoration, home of Mrs. Ruth Fowler, 218 E. 12th, assisted by Mrs. F. B. Faust.

Christmas table, home of Mrs. C. A. Miller, 415 E. 14th, assisted by Mrs. Acree Barton.

Christmas open house, home of Mrs. I. T. Shotwell, jr., 217 E. 12th,

**Woman's Club To Present Christmas Carosel of Songs Wednesday Night**

**Faithful Workers Sunday School Class Enjoy Special Social**

Approximately 50 members of the Faithful Workers Class of the First Baptist church, met in the dining room of the church Thursday night, November 29th, for the annual class Thanksgiving dinner. Husbands or a special friend were guests of the members.

A baked chicken dinner, with dressing, green beans, stripped with bacon, fruit salad, candied yams, and orange fruit cake, topped with whipped cream and coffee were served. Rev. Lee Hemphill, pastor gave the invocation.

Following the dinner an interesting program was presented, with Mrs. Hulse in charge. Mrs. C. E. Williams gave a humorous reading, followed by a skit given by Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hulse, Mrs. Viggo Peterson, Mrs. Doc Wright and little Robin Fann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maxlee Fann.

Mrs. A. Y. Doherty is teacher of the class, and Mrs. V. S. Cassel is president. Mrs. Acree Barton is social chairman.

Hostesses for the occasion included Mesdames J. R. Coen, J. C. Chaney, V. S. Cassel, Wayne Carlisle, A. Y. Doherty, A. M. Dunnagin, Maggie Emmanuel, Robert Gollehon, L. C. Grissom, Christena Parker, E. S. Rowe and Dewey Hulse.

Littlefield's Woman's Club will present a Christmas Carosel of Songs, at the Senior High school auditorium December 17, at 7:30 o'clock.

The committee in charge of arrangements include Mesdames E. J. Packwood, chairman, L. B. McClain, co-chairman, William Brune, Eugene Johnson, J. B. McShan, Dock Wright, Johnny Edwards, Mary Ruff, John Richey and Miss Joyce Holden.

**Week Of Prayer Dec. 3 - Dec. 7**

Members of the Woman's Missionary Union of the First Baptist church will observe a week of prayer for Foreign Missions beginning Monday, December 3rd to Friday, December 7th. The ladies will meet in the Church Parlor each afternoon, Monday through Friday, at 4 p.m. with the exception of Tuesday, December 4th when they will meet at 7:30 p.m. with the Business Women's Circle in the parlor of the church.

The church nursery will be open each afternoon.

Clyde Bowers, assistant manager of the Perry Bros. store at Tyler is assisting Mr. Smith at the local store during the absence of the manager, Archie Dale, who has been ill and a patient of the Payne-Shotwell Foundation. Mr. Dale has been released from the hospital, but is not able yet to return to his duties at the Perry Bros. store.



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# Health Talks

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The late fall and early winter down in this part of the country are probably the peppiest times of the year. After dragging through the last hot days of summer and sweating and chilling with the alternate summer hangovers and nose-diving northerners the coolness that sets in to stay, driving out all vestige of torrid summer days, puts new pep in your step.

All the activity of the body during the late fall isn't voluntary, however. Part of you just automatically reacts to the change in the weather. Such actions as tooth-chattering, goose bumps, and shivers are part of those involuntary or reflex actions when the cold wind doth blow.

You have smooth muscles of the skin which have their own way of letting the thermostat of your body know when to turn up the heat. When the cold air hits your skin those smooth muscles feel the sensation of cold and kinda close up the pores, just like you pull down the windows when the cold starts getting in the house. That closing up of the pores is your shiver—you pull up tight all over. But down under that top skin, down where those hairs of the skin are bedded, the cold hasn't been felt so much and that skin hasn't pulled up tight yet. So you got bunches of skin around the pores, such bunches as are known by many names, goose-bumps, gooseflesh, goosepimples or even gooskin.

About that time the other muscles of the body, called the skeletal muscles, pull themselves up tight, too, with a sort of springy action, so that your teeth pull together but the muscles are springing so your teeth don't stay together, they rattle back and forth like a spring and you have the chatter of your

teeth that is one of the signals of body chilling.

The message of chilling is carried to the blood stream and the cold blood hits the thermostat in the body, a little center in the brain. So the thermostat automatically stops up the heat of the body to counteract the chill. All of which happens real fast, of course, and your shivers, goosebumps, and toothchattering disappear.

The ability of the body to regulate its temperature is truly one of nature's wonders. But it usually requires a little help during this time of year, help in the way of suitable clothing. And that's where mama's hair turns grey.

How much clothing do children need when it's cold outside? That's a stickler.

In the first place, a healthy youngster probably needs less clothing than a healthy adult. Mama would probably shiver if she went out in the same amount of clothing her child can wear with comfort. But, then, mama wouldn't be as active as that youngster of hers is.

The average child, playing outside, expends a great deal of energy. If the youngster is wearing too much clothing, the exertion may result in heavy perspiration which in turn chills the child. When the child comes in to shed his coats and sweaters and is sweating, he had had on too much clothing. But if he went outside for less active play, that same amount of clothing might have been all right. Which makes it a hit and miss deal, doesn't it? So you get into such general rules as that the clothing should be comfortable both as to fit and as to warmth according to the weather and to the activity of the

child. Bedclothes are always a problem with small children, too. Even for sleeping, the needs of some children in the same family will vary greatly. One will want heavy pajamas with heaps of covers over him and another will be miserable in the same situation.

So the clothing needs of children do vary, radically. It takes a lot of a mother's time to figure out just what the needs of each of her children are. But when she realizes that each one may have different requirements at different times, the children will be happier and healthier in their winter clothing.

And there is need for a word of caution there, too. The child is not always by word a reliable gauge for his needs. Observation of the child is the best gauge because all youngsters have an inclination to follow the leader; if the "leader" is a robust, active youngster who can be perfectly comfortable with very little clothing on even in the coldest weather, it can very easily have an effect upon your own less robust, less active youngster's idea of how much clothing he should wear.

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The sixth annual Texas Turf Conference will be held at Texas A. & M. College, December 12-14, 1951.



All in good fun, Winthrop W. Aldrich (left) chairman of the board of the Chase National Bank of New York City, wears an authentic Confederate cap as he receives a carpetbag from Gov.

Allan Shivers of Texas. The governor gave Aldrich the cap and bag during a luncheon in Austin, honoring Aldrich and officers of the bank who were making a survey of Texas petroleum and industrial development. —AP Photo

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# Harbor Sparked of New Leaders

Japanese bombs crashed down on Pearl Harbor ten years ago, sparking a chain reaction. They meant four years of bitter war. But they also meant a sharp increase in U.S. leadership. And the Atomic Age was one result.

The results for the United States was that the focus of the war was turned on new men. Here are six of the men who were spotlighted because of the chain reaction.



HARRY S. TRUMAN GEN. EISENHOWER

Harry S. Truman—On Pearl Harbor Day, Sen. Truman was less than a year of his second term. He had won reelection in 1948 and he had failed in an attempt to activate the Atomic Energy Commission as Army colonel.

Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower—In 1941 the present head of the military forces held the permanent rank of lieutenant colonel. He had been made a temporary general in September 1942 when his rank as temporary colonel had come the previous year.

Admiral Chester W. Nimitz—At Pearl Harbor Nimitz had been a lieutenant since June 1938. He was promoted over the heads of...



CHESTER W. NIMITZ GEN. GROVES

Admiral Chester W. Nimitz—He commanded the Pacific fleet, most of which had been destroyed at the bottom of Pearl Harbor. He gained five-star rank and was, for a time, boss of all U.S. Naval forces. In retirement he is still powerful in world defense problems.

Gen. Groves—In June, 1940, Gen. Groves was a captain in the Army Engineers. Defense activity brought promotions, but it was in 1942 that he was made head of the atom bomb production program. Now the war's best kept secret was told, his name leaped to the front. Now a lieutenant general, he maintains his interest in atom-bomb production. But continued secrecy about atom problems prevents exacting his present responsibilities.

Dr. J. Robert Oppenheimer—A brilliant professor of physics in Berkeley, California, Oppenheimer came to public attention as boss of the Los Alamos atomic project. The first atomic bombs were produced under his direction.



J. ROBERT OPPENHEIMER HENRY J. KAISER

Dr. J. Robert Oppenheimer—Like Groves, his present atomic responsibilities are not shared with the public. But he has said that he took a job in preference to California because those responsibilities had to be done. Much of his time on airplanes commuting across the country.

Henry J. Kaiser—At the time of Pearl Harbor, Kaiser had long been a great construction company. He was known in the West for his work on big dams. But it was his wartime work as a ship builder that brought him sharply to public attention. Since the war, his automobile and cement plants have been much in the news.

**BILLY) HALL**  
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW  
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## Jack Shelby To Complete Primary Flying School

Air Force Cadet Jackie Shelby, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Shelby, is scheduled to complete primary cadet training at Columbus, Miss.

Mississippi, Saturday, December 8th, where he has been in training since May 26th.

He is expected to arrive home after graduation, to spend a few days here with his parents, before being assigned to advanced flying school.

Cadet Shelby has recently been appointed adjutant on the Cadet staff of his pilot training class. He carries the rank of cadet captain, and is second in command. The

## Recent Births At South Plains Coop Hospital

Births at the South Plains Cooperative Hospital for the past two weeks as announced Wednesday, are as follows:

A son, William was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McWilliams November 27th.

Mr. and Mrs. Verill Cummings

Lamb County Council To Stage Christmas Party December 19

The Lamb County Council of Home Demonstration Clubs met at Amherst Wednesday, November 21, at 2:30 p. m.

The opening exercise was a reading of "An Old Fashioned Thanksgiving" read by Mrs. Gregson of Sod House Club.

Reports were given by the various Clubs. A Christmas party was planned for December 19, at 2:30 p. m. in Spade.

Refreshments were served to fourteen attendants.

Post is made by appointment from officers of the United States Air Force.

of Dimmitt are the parents of a daughter, born November 16th.

A son was born November 27th, to Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Vick of Bula. Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Avila are the parents of a son born November 26th.

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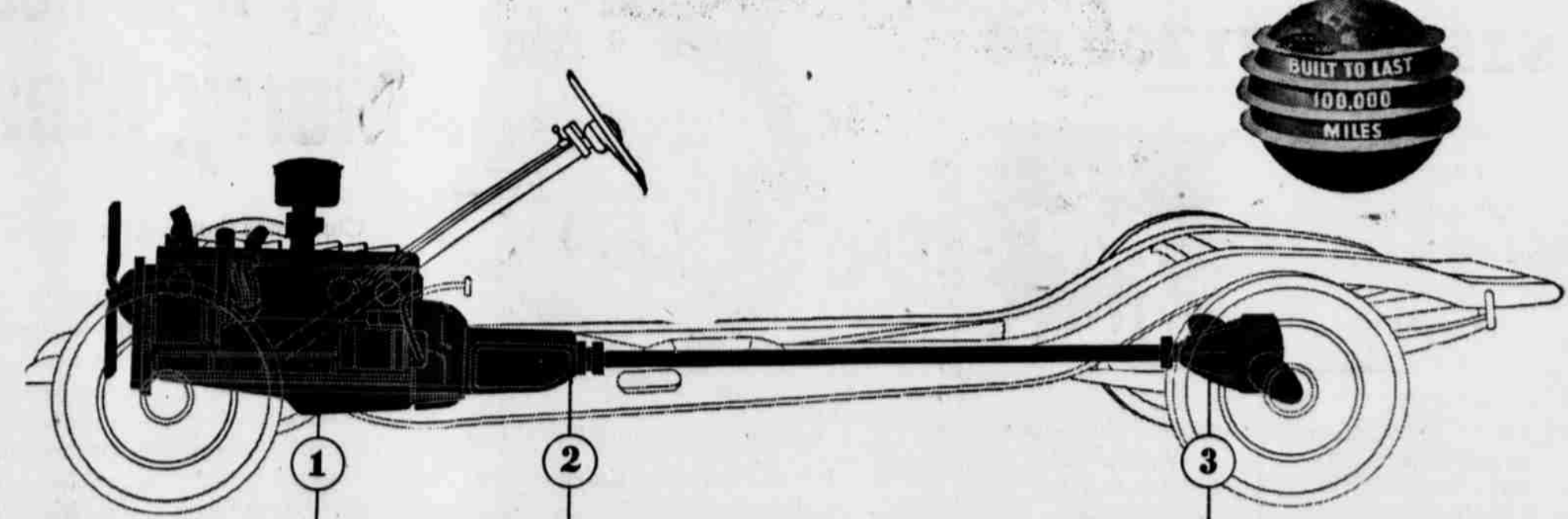
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## FIELDTON FACTS

### GO TO FT. SMITH

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Robison, Jimmie and Laverne, left Friday morning for their new home near Fort Smith, Ark.

### WEEKEND HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Aldridge from San Antonio spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Aldridge, Mr. and Mrs. Hundley, parents of Mrs. Guy Aldridge, of Crosbyton visited with them also Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Aldridge spent Thanksgiving Day in the Hundley home at Crosbyton.

### VISIT IN NEW DEAL

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Royal, Carol Ann and Gary, visited Sunday in the New Deal Community with Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Robison and children.

### HAVE NEW SON

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Cunningham are the parents of a new son born last week at the Amherst Hospital.

### HAVE CLOVIS VISITORS

Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Ryan of Clovis, N.M. visited Sunday here with Mrs. Ryan's mother, Mrs. Ellen Sullivan.

### MOVE BACK TO FIELDTON

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Bush and children, Rose Marie, Joe Mack and Tommie, have moved back to the Fieldton Community after living in the Amherst area the last three years.

### THANKSGIVING AT SLATON

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Traugott and baby daughter spent Thanksgiving at Slaton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stevens.

### VISIT IN PICKRELL HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Mark McCurry of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Pickrell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Pickrell and family.

### VISIT SISTER AND FAMILY

Mr. and Mrs. Don Brestrup and sons spent Thanksgiving with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs.

### Hale Center Boy - Receives Ankle Injury While Playing Basketball

Billy Hale Kirby about 15 of Hale Center received an ankle injury while playing basketball Thursday morning. He was taken to the Payne-Shotwell Foundation, where doctors advised him that nothing could be done to the ankle until the swelling had gone down. He will probably be admitted for treatment in a few days.

### Local Lutheran Church Taking Part In Special Missions

A "Conquest for Christ" has become the special object of the attention of the members of the Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 417 West

Buddy Hall, at Post.

### GO TO AMHERST

Mrs. H. C. Pickrell and Miss Henrietta Qualls visited Monday afternoon with Mrs. Claud Stines at Amherst.

### THANKSGIVING AT DENNISON

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Moore spent Thanksgiving at Dennison with her mother, Mrs. Ada Stone.

### VISIT IN SMITH HOME

Jimmie Ted Irwin of Knott, Texas, visited Sunday with the Rev. Fred Smith family.

### VISIT MOTHER

Mrs. A. H. Scivaly of Lum's Chapel spent Monday here with her mother, Mrs. Ellis Sullivan and friends.

### LUM'S CHAPEL VISITOR

Mr. Carter of Lum's Chapel visited Saturday with Rev. Fred Smith and family.

### FAMILY HOME THANKSGIVING

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Pickrell had all their family home Thanksgiving, which included Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Qualls and Henrietta, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Pickrell, Mickey, Virgie, Bell, Bennie and Lindley, Mrs. Terra Pickrell, Gary and Twalia, of Littlefield, and Mr. and Mrs. James M. Pickrell and Darlene of Hereford.

### Correction

In a news story appearing in Thursday's issue of the Leader it was erroneously reported that the death of Bernie Jack Kelsey, age 17 months, took place at Payne-Shotwell Foundation. The story should have read, he passed away at the home of his parents in Bula.

FRANCOIS LAKE, B.C. (P)—Fifty wild ducks on a spree were spotted near here by a game warden. The ducks apparently had sampled mash from a bootleg distillery in the woods.

### Recent Births At Payne - Shotwell Foundation

Congratulations to the parents whose babies were born at Payne-Shotwell Foundation the past week. A son Alan Lyn was born to Mr. and Mrs. Houston M. Black, Tuesday, November 27th. He weighed 7 pounds and 8 ounces.

A daughter Mary Ann was born November 23rd, weighing 7 pounds and 3 1/2 ounces to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Delgado of Anton, November 23rd. Mr. and Mrs. John Edward Crume are the parents of a daughter, Donna Ruth born November 21st, weighing 7 pounds and 6 ounces.

### Woman Collects Golf Balls

WOOSTER, O. (P)—Mrs. Robert Ebert lives opposite the Wooster College golf course, a handy location for her hobby.

She collects lost golf balls, now has 1,449 of them. She found most of them in the off-course rough. One day she found 14.

She says she plays a little golf herself but always keeps her eye on the ball. Chances are if she lost one she'd find it herself.

Third. These members, plus their fellow-Lutherans throughout this country are laying plans now for the ingathering of a \$10,000,000 offering which will be used for expansion in the fields of missions and education.

Committee-members for the Emmanuel Lutheran Church, who are heading this effort in the congregation include Albert Lorenz, Vastine Hobratschek, Clarence Hobratschek, Walter Timian, E. J. Brandt, and Mrs. Gene Bartley. Their first meeting was held this past Tuesday night.

Presenting of much vital information to this cause will be done through an excellent picture, entitled "All That I Have" which will be shown at the church next Sunday night, December 9.

### Christmas Lights

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appearance here will be on time—at 3:30 in the afternoon, with schools dismissed to welcome Santa.

Dancer and Pranzler, Dunder and Blitzen, will be in harness and pulling the sleigh, but Comet and Vixen, Cupid and old Dasher, are not being brought along, but are being rested up, way up north, where the weather is more severe, and the snow-laden roads, make for heavier pulling.

And the bells on the reindeer will be jingling, just as they always have, for centuries of Christmases, and Santa's little old round tummy, may not shake like a bowl of jelly, in these days of high prices, but at least the old fellow has wired that he is in real good health, and will be here on schedule.

Not only will Santa be here with his sleigh, but that sleigh is going to be loaded, no, overloaded, with treats for all of the children, and no one will be overlooked, and Santa won't care a bit, if some children just happen to get more than one bag of the Christmas treat—because that is the way Santa Claus is—always.

Two other outstanding pre-Christmas events have also been announced this week. Mrs. Art Chesher, heading the Christmas home and yard lighting and decorative committee of the Garden Department of the Woman's Club, announced that the club has voted to again sponsor and work for more and more beautifully decorated yards, doorways and homes in Littlefield this year, than ever before, and that fifteen prizes will be offered and awarded to the winners this year. The committee met at the Chesher home Wednesday, and mapped their plans, and will have the list of prizes ready for announcement within the next few days.

Another outstanding Christmas event will be a Christmas Song Carousal, at the High School Auditorium, Monday night, Dec. 17th, when the public will be invited to hear a delightful program of Christmas carols, with Mrs. E. J. Pack-

wood in charge of the entire program. This was originally planned for Dec. 5th, but the date had to be changed, as the Auditorium was not available on that date. This is sponsored by the Woman's Club, Churches, the Salvation Army,

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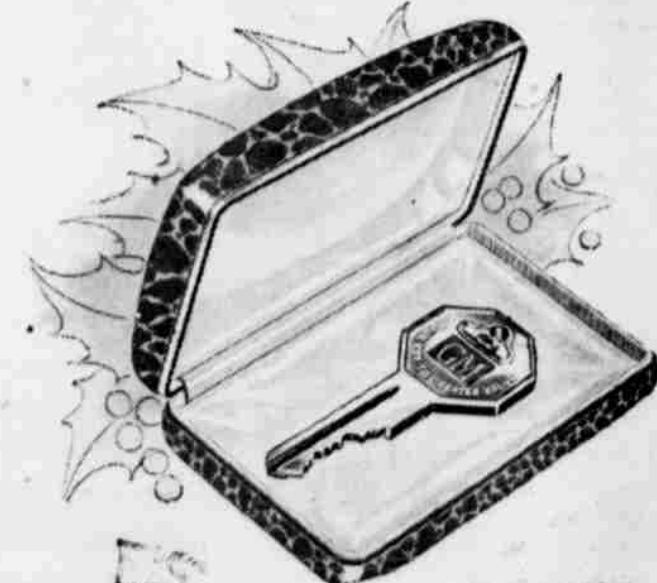
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