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Christmas is still, above all else,  
the festival of the birth of Christ.  
At Christmastime we realize  
that Christ in our hearts and  
Christ in our lives is God's supreme  
gift to us . . . to guide our lives,  
to provide a solution to our problems,  
to show us the real meaning  
of Love and Peace and Good Will.

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Amid the hurry and activity of the Holiday Season,  
let us turn again, each to his own church, to pay homage  
in our own way to Christ our Lord, who gave his  
name to this Holy Season.

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**Many Carols Have Age-Old Past History**

The singing of Christmas carols . . . whether a small family group gathered around the piano, a group outdoors in the stillness of the night, or the resounding voices of a church choir; forms an integral part of this joyous holiday season.

It just wouldn't seem like Christmas without our favorite carols! We draw our favorites from the old beloved carols of many countries.

The time-honored European carols were brought to this country by the early settlers of America. Adeste Fidelis ("O Come, All Ye Faithful") belonging to no one in particular and was eventually translated into 119 different languages and dialects.

"Away In A Manger," Luther's hymn for children, came to us from Germany. England gave us the spirited "God Rest You, Merry Gentlemen" and from France we inherited the beautiful "O Holy Night." From Austria came "Silent Night, Holy Night."

Three Americans enriched our heritage of lovely Christmas carols by giving us three which are among the world's favorites to-

day. In 1849, a Massachusetts Unitarian minister, Edmund H. Sears, composed "It Came Upon A Midnight Clear." Ten years later, Dr. John Henry Hopkins, Jr., an Episcopal rector from Williamsport, Pa., composed both the words and music for "We Three Kings of Bethlehem Are."

"O Little Town of Bethlehem," perhaps the best known and most beloved of all American carols, was written in 1868 by Phillips Brooks, a young Episcopalian minister of Philadelphia. A trip to the Holy Land was his inspiration for the carol.

A churchman, John Pierpont, composed the gay Christmas song, "Jingle Bells" which has been popular for almost a century. A new Christmas song that is non-religious in theme, "I'm Dreaming of a White Christmas" by Irving Berlin is fast becoming a classic favorite of the season.

Today we have a rich heritage of glorious Christmas carols which make the Yuletide season lovelier and full of meaning year after year.

A drop of oil of anise allowed to penetrate into the bait will attract fish to it.

**Winters Musicians To Represent Band, Choir In All-State**

Altus Ueckert, solo clarinetist with the Winters high school Band, achieved the highest award Saturday afforded a high school musician, when she won a seat in the All-State Concert Band. The band clinic was held at McMurry College.

In competition with musicians from 50 other bands in Region 11, of the Texas Music Educators Association which extends for a radius of 100 miles and includes Abilene and San Angelo, Altus ranked second clarinetist and will represent the Blizzard Band and Region 11, in the All-State Band at the Adolphus Hotel in Dallas in February. The All-State Band is composed of the highest ranking musicians from every band in the State of Texas.

Three members of the high school choir also won highest award possible by winning over other choir members from Region 11. Jerry Jones, John Taylor and Jerry Morgan were chosen for the All-State Choir which meets at the Baker Hotel in Dallas in late February.

The four Winters high ranking students will accompany Mr. Gans, high school band and choir

directors to Dallas in February for the 3-day clinic.

Three Blizzard Bandsmen also won seats in the all-Region Band. They were Rodney Lloyd, Mike Jones and James Hamilton.

Guest conductor of the 104-piece band picked from among the participants in the band clinic was James Neilsen, director of bands at Oklahoma University.

Wood has been used as a fuel for cooking since pre-historic times; charcoal was known as far back as 1800 B. C.

To make the standard 48-inch fur coat it requires an average of 80 minks, 160 chinchilla, 180 squirrel or 380 mole skins.

**ACTION! Use the Classifieds.**

**DR. Z. I. HALE**  
**Optometrist**



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In the Spirit of Christmas

Almost two thousand years ago Three Wise Men found the secret of great happiness as they paid homage to a newborn Babe in a manger. And today, as then, the message of Peace and Good Will shines from the eyes of men and warms their hearts as Christmas approaches. Its blessings and hopes are for all mankind. May they also be yours this Christmas.

C. L. Green Milling & Grain Co.

Greetings

We hope Santa will fill your sock right to the top  
With a host of blessings that never stop—and to all:  
**A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS!**

Davidson's Gin

Merry Christmas

TO OUR FRIENDS:  
We hope your Christmas is a merry one —  
Chock-full of cheer and lots of fun!

Pat Buick Co.



State Capitol Highlights:

# Commissioner Cracks Down On Insurance Firm

By VERN SANFORD  
Texas Press Association

AUSTIN — Purchasers of insurance policies from U. S. Trust and Guaranty Co. are advised to buy other coverage, for their own safety.

That's the recommendation of Garland Smith, chairman of the Texas Board of Insurance Commissioners.

District Judge Charles O. Betts has appointed State Liquidator J. D. Wheeler, as temporary receiver, to take over operation of the multi-million dollar Waco firm which the insurance commissioners have declared insolvent.

U. S. Trust and Guaranty Co., closed last week at Judge Betts' order, has sold fidelity, surety, guaranty, fire, auto, general liability and all forms of casualty insurance except workmen's compensation.

Attorney General John Ben Shepperd filed the suit against the firm. Action was necessary to prevent future loss to depositors and other creditors, said the insurance board.

U. S. Automotive Service and Arkansas Fire and Marine Insurance Co., alleged subsidiaries, also

were covered by Judge Betts' order.

Offices of the firm are located at Austin, Beaumont, Corpus Christi, Dallas, El Paso, Ft. Worth, Hillsboro, Houston, Lubbock, Sherman, San Antonio, Tyler and Waco.

J. B. Alderdice, chief of the safety responsibility division of the Texas Department of Public Safety, said that the department would accept, in lieu of cash security, any automobile liability insurance policy issued by the company up to the date when and if the company finally is placed in receivership.

"However," said Alderdice, "if a suit is filed and judgment obtained against the holder of such a policy, as the result of a motor vehicle accident, and the judgment is not satisfied by either the company or the policy holder, it will be necessary for the department to suspend the driver's license and vehicle registration until the judgment has been satisfied and proof of financial responsibility for the future is furnished."

**More Land Suits**  
Six suits seeking recovery of



**SIGNAL ACHIEVEMENT—** Joseph Dolinaj, Dunnellen, N.J., displays the filet crochet-stitch tablecloth which won him first prize in a nationwide crocheting contest. A railroad signal tower operator, Dolinaj began crocheting 11 years ago.

## Flower Lovers Chemical Control Of Hardwoods Advised

COLLEGE STATION — Both outdoor and indoor home gardeners and those who like flowers in the home will find information on the subjects in three recently released Texas Agricultural Extension Service publications.

"Foliage Plants for the Home" describes the place of indoor plants in the modern home. Suggestions on plant selection, care and watering are major topics discussed. The number of this publication is MP-134.

"Flower Arranging is Easy" is MP-135 and the publication covers such items as equipment needed by the flower arranger; making cut flowers last longer; basic rules for arranging and design terms for flower arrangements.

"Propagation of Ornamental Plants," B-816, covers the method and hows of propagating ornamental plants. All three are authorized by A. F. DeWerth, head, Department of Floriculture and Landscape Architecture, Texas A&M College System.

The publications may be obtained from the offices of county extension agents or the Agricultural Information Office, College Station, Texas.

## Fort Worth Steer Show Expected To Be Biggest Yet

FT. WORTH — With livestock space materially increased due to a new building, the greatest steer show in the history of the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show is predicted by exposition officials. Stock Show dates are Jan. 27 through Feb. 5.

It is probable that no phase of livestock judging is followed with keener interest than the steer competition, which includes of course the selection of junior and open show champions and the climax, the choosing of the grand champion of the entire show. In addition to the cash awards, banners, ribbons and trophies, there is the reward bestowed through "the Auction of Champions." Last year's grand champion steer sold for \$6,300.

If the grand champion steer is a Polled Hereford, there is a special prize of \$5,500 awaiting the owner. The American Polled Hereford Association and the National Western Polled Hereford Association jointly offer this prize for the first Polled Hereford chosen grand champion at any one of four designated shows, of which Ft. Worth is one. Should the grand champion be a Hereford (and this includes Polled Hereford), \$500 will be given by the American Hereford Association. A prize of \$250 is offered by the American Shorthorn Breeders Association should the grand champion go to a Shorthorn, and \$250 will be given by the American Aberdeen-Angus Breeders Association if an Angus is grand champion.

In the junior steer show, if a Hereford is the champion, \$250 will be given by the American Hereford Association; if an Angus, \$100 by the American Aberdeen-Angus Breeders Association; if a Shorthorn, \$100 by the American Shorthorn Breeders Association; if Polled Hereford, \$135 by the American Polled Hereford Association, this latter award being in addition to the \$250 which the American Hereford Association would give.

## TO VISIT FATHER

Mrs. J. D. Sowell will go to Brownsfield, Thursday, to spend the holidays with her father, S. J. Akin and brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Akin.

The ten highest mountains in the world are in the Himalayan range in Asia. The highest mountain outside this range is Aconcagua in South America, with a height of 22,834 feet.

**OUR GOOD WISHES...**

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**BAHLMAN JEWELERS**  
Winters, Texas

## HERE FOR HOLIDAYS

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Poe of Pecos and daughter, Joy, student in Christian College at Columbia, Mo., are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Hightower and Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Poe.

Texas Employment Commission's annual report to the governor: (1) Unemployment hit a new low in August. (2) Workers covered by unemployment compensation increased 5.1 per cent. (3) Earnings of production workers increased, to average \$75.42 weekly.

Infestation of pink bollworms is worse this year than last, says State Agriculture Commissioner John C. White. He warns farmers to plow up fields of cotton stalks.

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**Best Wishes**  
for the Holidays

**GULF SERVICE STATION**  
Roy E. Young

**SEASON'S GREETINGS**

To our many friends: we wish you the Happiest Holiday & the Merriest Christmas, ever — thanks for your patronage!

**Way Truck & Tractor Company**

**Christmas Greetings**

Each year at this time the world celebrates the birth of a child - - a child that symbolizes in all faiths the best conduct men can offer toward creating a world of peace and happiness.

Please believe that we, in our small way, hope we have contributed to the spirit of that celebration enough that we may join with all of you in saying: "Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men!" and in wishing all of you Merry Christmas!

RUTH and EDDIE LITTLE

**Season's Greetings**

To all our loyal friends and customers. May this joyous season be filled with contentment and happiness.

**Beauty Center**

Marie Windham  
Ann Baldwin Leona Matthies  
S. Church St. Phone 3422

# ERROR!

In last week's issue of The Enterprise, the price quoted on Model X2230, The Sutton, Zenith Television, was in error. It was priced at \$149.95 and should have been . . .

## \$249.95

See this and other TV models at

# Main Radio & TV

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

Our Christmas stocking is filled with good wishes for our patrons . . .

Hoping you have the Merriest Christmas ever — full of happiness and lasting pleasure.

**Fern's Beauty Shop**  
Fern Dry

Fay Liddell Lorene Clark

\$288,489 on loans made under the veterans land program were filed in Austin last week by Atty. Gen. John Ben Shepperd.

The land is located in Dimmit, Zavala and Uvalde counties. Suits pertained to block deals made with 42 veterans, mostly Latin-Americans. Ten south Texas land promoters were listed as defendants.

This makes a total of 30 such civil suits brought by the state. Total recovery sought is \$2,945,381. Total recovered to date, in five suits, is \$381,032.

**Anti-Parr Forces Win**  
Anti-George Parr forces are one step nearer their goal of prosecuting the South Texas political boss on charges of misappropriation of Duval County funds.

Last week the State Supreme Court unanimously upheld the suspension of a Duval County Commissioner, Mrs. Estella G. Garcia. This shifted the balance of power to a commissioners court that sides with the state on where and how Parr shall be tried for recovery of about \$1,000,000.

Atty. Gen. John Ben Shepperd termed the ruling "a heartening and far-reaching victory."

**Texas Leads in Dope**  
Texas leads all other states in illegal narcotics traffic. So says Charles F. Herring of Austin. He stated that pushers find it easy to obtain dope in Mexico-Texas border towns.

Herring is a former U. S. District Attorney. He testified at hearings in San Antonio, before U. S. Senator Price Daniel's subcommittee on dope traffic.

Both the Texas Department of Public Safety and federal units along the border are "seriously undermanned," said Herring. He recommended more men and equipment . . . much stiffer laws.

**Short Snorts**  
Charles M. Rogers of Amarillo has been reappointed a member of the Teacher Retirement Board of Trustees by Gov. Allan Shivers.

Only 15,000 of the state's 38,000 employers have taken steps to comply with the state's new unemployment compensation law which takes effect Jan. 1. The new law includes employers of four or more persons. Previously only employers of eight or more had to pay unemployment taxes.

Bids totaling \$6,886,390.57 on 155 miles of road construction were tabulated last week by the State Highway Commission.

Contracts let thus far on the Dallas-Ft. Worth toll road will total \$13,524,321 after awards are made this week for six bridges. Low bid submitted to the Texas Turnpike Authority was by Harry Newton, Inc., of Graham, for \$2,196,273.

Lack of moisture, recurrent freezes and strong dusty winds are slowly strangling wheat prospects in the Plains Country, the U. S. Department of Agriculture reports.

Six Texas hospital construction projects have been qualified to receive more than \$1,000,000 in federal aid. Approved by the State Board of Health were: Donley County Hospital at Clar County Hospital at Llano, Joint endon, Texarkana Hospital, Llano City-County Public Health Center at Ft. Worth and Wichita General Hospital at Wichita Falls.

Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., director of the Department of Public Safety predicts violent death for 204 Texans during the Christmas-New Year's holiday. He estimated 112 traffic deaths, 39 murders and suicides and 53 other accidental deaths. Last year's traffic prediction and final count was 108.

Bright factors in the





**CANDLES TO LIGHT THE CHRIST CHILD'S WAY**—Tiny miss in Berlin, Germany, is entranced as she watches the flame of the first of four Advent candles which traditionally light the Christ Child's way to earth. One candle is lighted on each of the four Sundays of Advent, the liturgical season which precedes the celebration of the Feast of Christmas.



**POOHED**—Travel sure takes it out of you. Take the word of Wolfgang Zeller, 10 months old, left, and one-year-old Bela Molnar, right. Played-out Wolfgang is pictured in a porthole as his ship arrived in New York City. His parents will make a new home in Cleveland, Ohio. Bela and her twin sister, who had enough squirm left to get out of camera range, hail from the Austrian Tyrol. Mom and Dad are making a new home in Chicago. The children were among 1215 refugees who recently arrived in the United States under the Refugee Relief Act of 1953.

For Results . . . Use the Classified Columns!

**TO OUR FRIENDS**

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AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR

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**Merry Christmas**

Best wishes for a joyous holiday from our staff.

**DARBY'S HOME DECORATIONS**

**Social Security Information May Be Obtained Here**

A representative of the San Angelo District Social Security office will be in Winters on Tuesday, Dec. 27, at 1:30 p. m., in the Chamber of Commerce Building, to provide assistance and information to claimants and other inquirers according to E. M. Bowers, manager.

Before income tax filing time, every self-employed farmer social security number and that he knows how he is to report his self-employment for social security credit, Bowers stated.

If the self-employed farmer is also an employer and expects to pay at least \$100 cash wages to an employee during the year, then he will also need an "employer's identification number" as well as his own social security number. Application blanks are stocked at all post offices, or may be obtained from your social security office at San Angelo, Texas.

**Practice Safety For A More Happy Holiday**

You feel that Christmas is really here when you start unpacking decorations and putting up the tree. For decorating the home with traditional or original fancies makes the season as full of Christmas as a holly berry.

Safety considerations should rate high when picking your tree for, according to the National Board of Fire Underwriters, the tree is Christmas' greatest hazard.

They suggest: Choose a small tree and keep it outdoors until a few days before setting it up. If you have land, pick a live tree, cover the dirt with foil and plant it afterwards. Saw the butt of a cut tree slantwise and stand it in a tub of water; locate it away from a fireplace, exit or radiator; avoid untreated paper or cotton or ornaments. Use electric lights with the UL (Underwriters Laboratory) mark . . . never use candles! Don't run electric trains around the base and don't use outlets or plugs under the tree.

When your tree is set up, wire the top to the molding or window frame, using something like light aluminum wire which is inconspicuous.

Don't leave tree lights on when it isn't necessary and especially when the family isn't home. Check your tree regularly to see if needles near the lights are turning brown, and if they are, move the lights to another spot.

One of the most fascinating aspects of Carlsbad Caverns in New Mexico is its population of bats. At dusk every day three million of them leave the cave on their nocturnal quest for insects.

Native copper is usually tarnished to a dull brown color, sometimes with a greenish hue.

The wood of the paper birch is hard and very tough; it is extensively used for snow shoes, clothespins, tooth picks and spools as well as wood pulp.

It would be a strange world if everything was done as you would have it.

Marble paper is a German invention belonging to the 17th century.

**Do's And Don'ts For Mailing Christmas Packages**

Check these do's and don'ts before you go to the post office with your Christmas packages.

The post office says you cannot label a package "Rush" or "Do Not Delay" unless you pay a fee for special handling or special delivery. Nor can you, in most large post offices, mail a package of more than 40 pounds or 72 inches in girth. As a general rule, the best advice is not to wrap a package of more than 35 pounds in weight.

You should print your own address and the address to which you are sending the package. You can label it "Do Not Open 'Til Christmas", "Perishable," or "glass." You can enclose a Christmas greeting. And you can speed the package in three ways, by special handling, special delivery and air express or air parcel post. Special handling is cheaper than special delivery, and does not include special delivery messenger service.

About the only redeeming feature we can see to pay as you go taxes is that you don't get quite as mad all at once.



**FOR CHRISTMAS**

Same old song, but always new — Merry Christmas — to all of you!

And A Prosperous Happy NEW YEAR

**Juanita's Beauty Shop**

N. Church St. Phone 3531



May the peaceful spirit of Christmas prevail throughout the holiday season, and long after, for you and your family.

**Tina's Beauty Bar**



**DENTAL DESPERATION** — Josef Schneider is down in the mouth over his work most of the time—and he's not a dentist. The New York City children's photographer has found this a sure way to coax a smile from almost any baby—but you must be quick. Schneider began a career as a child psychologist, but found that the camera, not the couch, was his true medium.



**IT'S A SMALL WORLD**—Soviet comrades Khrushchev, left, and Bulganin, right, meet a Rhode Island "Red" rooster in far-off India. Russia's party chief and her premier were visiting a state-operated farm at Bareilly, one of many stops on their Indian itinerary. The pair laid several king-size eggs, diplomatically speaking, with frequent and bitter attacks on England and other NATO powers when speaking.



**SYMBOLS OF THE A-ACE**—Mechanical "hands" paint Japanese symbols under control of technician, right background, in Tokyo, Japan. The remote-control writing exhibit was a feature of Japan's recent Atoms for Peace trade show. Its purpose was to demonstrate versatility of remote-control equipment used for handling radioactive substances.

From the Prince Albert, Sask., Daily Herald: "Mr. Robert Williamson sang several solos after which music was enjoyed." Barometers were invented in 1626; wheel barometers in 1668, phosphoric in 1675, pendant in 1695 and marine in 1700.

**Our Christmas List**



Our friends and customers whose names make our Christmas list kindle our affections and renew our courage and determination toward better service and a more worthy ally in finance.

May Happiness and Contentment be yours throughout the days of this sacred Season and may Prosperity come to you throughout the days of the New Year.



**The Winters State Bank**

Winters, Texas

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**Brownie Troop 2 Christmas Party In Emmert Home Wed.**

Christmas party for Brownie Troop 2, was given Wednesday afternoon the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Emmert.

A program of music was presented by Martha Hale and Sharon Emmert who played sev-

eral piano selections and the group sang Christmas songs. Gifts were exchanged from a gaily decorated tree.

The committee mothers, Mrs. Z. I. Hale, Mrs. Weldon Brown and Mrs. Eoff served refreshments.

Those present were Becky Brown, Sharon Emmert, Tony Eoff, Karthyn Fairy, Martha Hale, Judy Hogan, Sharon Griffin, and

Yvonne Pierce, Mrs. C. V. Pierce, Mrs. Z. I. Hale, Mrs. Weldon Brown, Mrs. Eoff and the leaders Mrs. H. H. Hogan and Mrs. Emmert.

Even though they don't share in the profits, people like to be a part of a prosperous enterprise.

Why is it that in public a woman without a man looks forlorn, whereas a man without a woman looks romantic?

**Methodist Men Give Christmas Dinner Party To Wives**

A Christmas dinner party was given by the Methodist Men to their wives Wednesday evening. Barbecued ham was the featured course.

A regular business meeting and election of officers was held following the dinner.

Gifts were presented to the wives and the remainder of the evening was spent in fellowship.

At the very time you are worrying about your grandchildren they are probably worrying about you—that is if they ever think of you.

All of us get sudden thoughts and forget them just as suddenly.

**ACTION!—Use the Want Ads.**

**Do Your "Gums" Spoil Your Looks?**

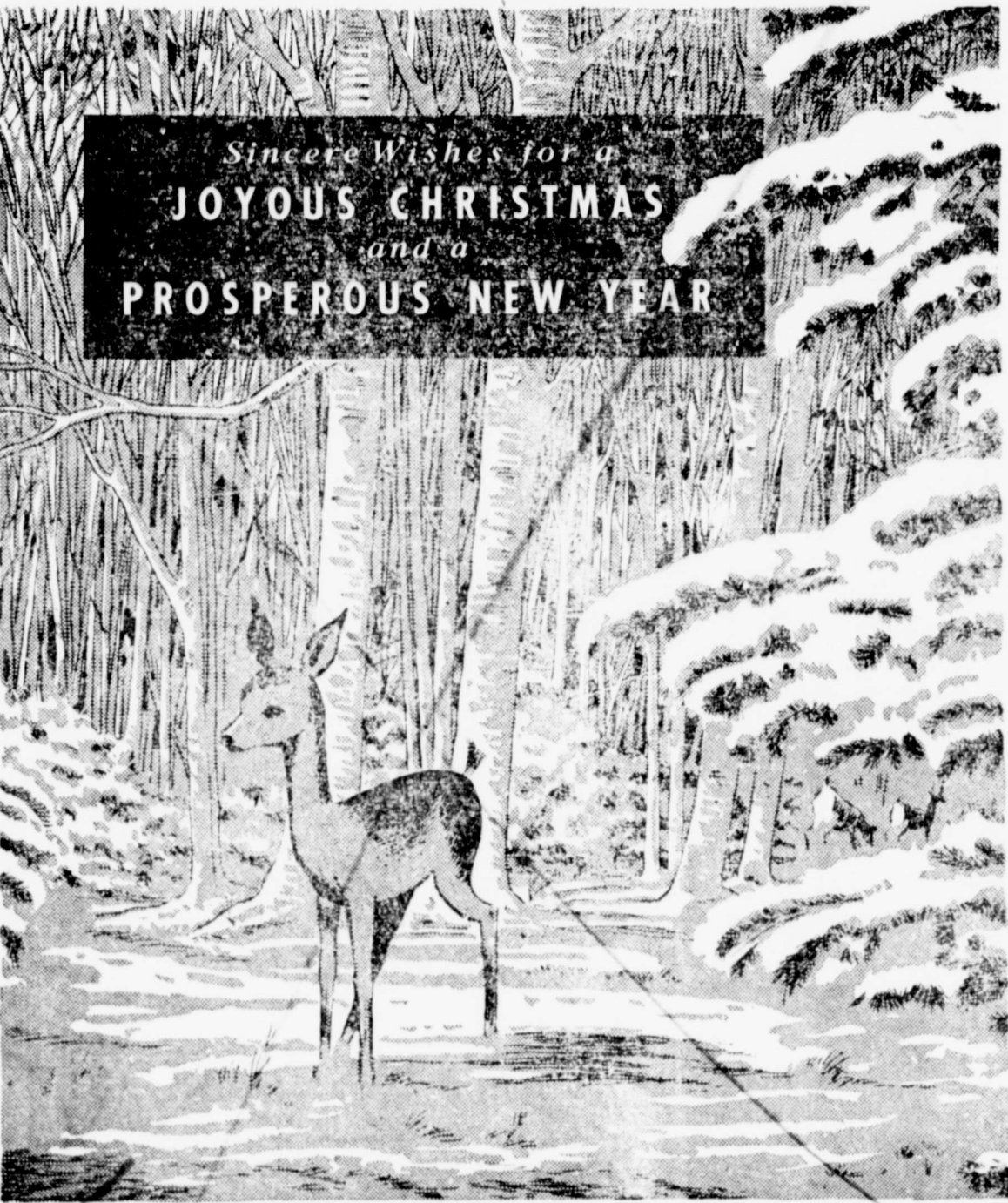
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Winters, Texas



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The second thing is the car itself. All cars are safer today. That's shown by the number of accidents in relation to the number of miles passenger cars are driven. The figure's down sharply.

Chevrolet has always made safety a major consideration, introducing many such features as the all-steel top, into its field. And this '56 Chevrolet is the safest one ever built.

Its lively new power means safer

passing. Its special Ball-Race steering—oversize brakes with Anti-Dive control—bring easier, surer driving. The Unisteel construction and safety door latches of its Fisher Body—the nailed-to-the-road stability that comes from advanced suspension and better balance — the sweeping panoramic windshield — all these things add to your safety.

Seat belts with or without shoulder harness? Instrument panel padding? Of course, they're available at extra cost. As your Chevrolet dealer, we'll be glad to show you the many safety features of the '56 Chevrolet.



**Waddell Chevrolet Company**

Winters, Texas



It adds much to the enjoyment of the season to extend to our friends and customers our best wishes for a MERRY CHRISTMAS...

**Triple "J" Store**



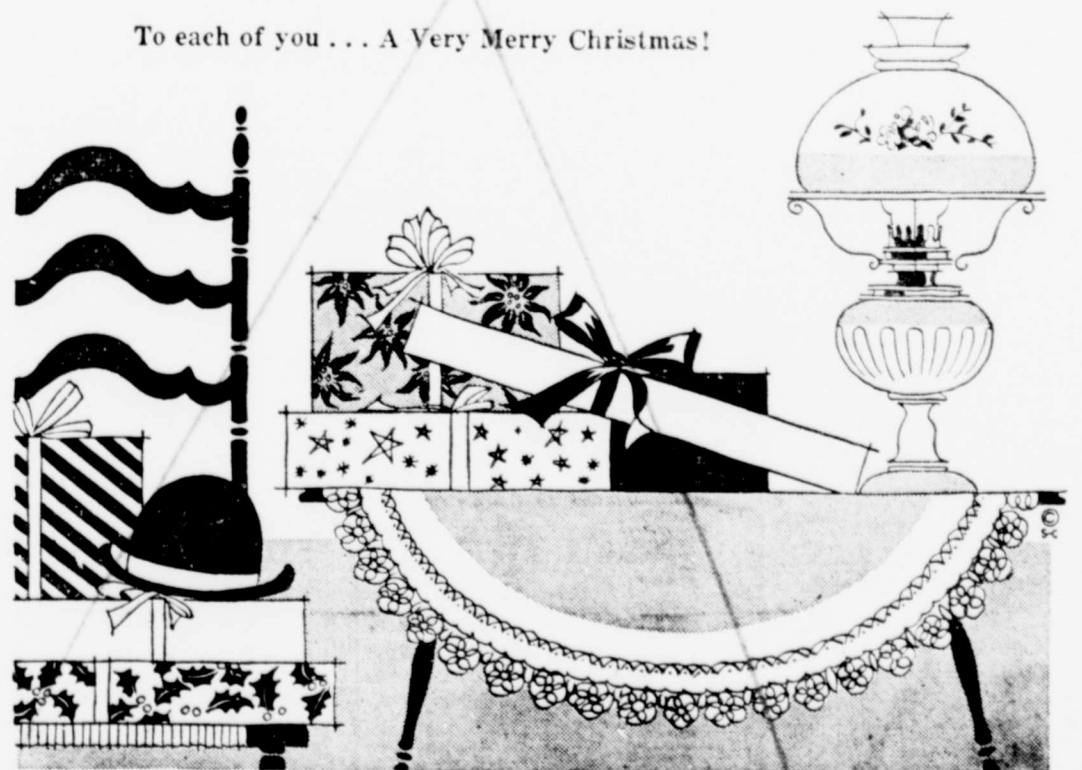
TO OUR LOYAL FRIENDS:

In this busy old world, it may often appear that we neglect or forget those we hold dear.

But at Christmas time, we take this space to say

That we value your friendship each and every day!

To each of you... A Very Merry Christmas!



**GLENN GIN**



# CLASSIFIED ADS

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FLOWERS: by wire, anywhere, any time, 24 hour service. Jackson & Gardner Florist & Nursery, S. Magnolia. Phone 75851. 52-tfc

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Fast or slow, Western Auto Store will charge your Battery. 28-tfc

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Box 874 — Phone 5021, Winters or 4-8794, Abilene. 7-tfc

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FOR SALE—Farm 148 acres 2 1/2 miles southwest Wingate. Mrs. Stanley Harter, Wingate, Texas. 41-tfc

FOR SALE—Parakeets, \$1.00 each. All colors. L. E. Allen 410 Church St. 37-tfc

FOR SALE—One \$29.95 Gym Set with swings, slide, etc. Special at \$24.50. See Meek's of Texas, Winters. 38-2tc

OUR BUILDING FOR SALE at a bargain, or might consider lease. See Meek's of Texas, Winters. 38-2tc.

FOR SALE—Several thousand Blackberry plants. M. F. Self, Ph. 5-7780, Tuscola. 37-3tp

WE ARE REDUCING OUR STOCK—All items for sale at a bargain. See Meek's of Texas. 38-2tc

## FOR SALE

3 bedroom home in Sunlawn addition. Reasonably priced, FHA financed. A rare opportunity to buy a nearly new home.

**Kendrick Insurance Agency**  
Phone 4094 38-tfc

FOR SALE—Good heavy Butane tank, 150 gallon size. Mrs. W. T. Freeman, 1403 8th Street, Ballinger, Texas. 38-2tc

**DEEP FREEZE WILL TRADE FOR FAT YEARLING**  
R. J. Corothers  
at  
JIM'S KITCHEN

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FOR RENT—House, 4-rooms and bath, unfurnished, East Pierce Street. Paul Gerlach, Phone 4968. 30-tfc

FOR RENT—3-bedroom house (six rooms and bath), one block west of school. Call at garage apartment, J. C. Eager, Jr. 35-3tc

FOR RENT—3-room furnished apartment, reasonable, near school. Private bath. Call 3052 after 5 p. m. Mrs. T. A. Lindley, 302 N. Fannin. 37-2tc

## Miscellaneous

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## Two Winters Boys Awarded Eagle Scout Badge At Dist. Meet

Two Winters Boy Scouts, Robert Dunivan and Fred Austin, have been awarded the Eagle Scout badge, highest award that a scout can get. The boys were presented the badges at the District Court of Honor at Coleman, Dec. 12.

Robert is the son of Dr. and Mrs. R. B. Dunivan and Fred is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Austin. Both boys are sophomores in Winters high school. Robert plays football, is historian for the FFA chapter, and is agent for the San Angelo Standard-Times. Fred plays football and basketball and is a Red Cross Junior Life Saver.

Boyd Bedford is the only other Winters boy to ever win that award. Boyd is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bedford and is enrolled at Hardin Simmons University.

Mack Young and Lawrence Smith received the Life Award, and Kenneth Wilkerson the Star award.

The boys were accompanied by their parents. Dr. Dunivan is Scoutmaster.

## Mrs. Ida Mae Scott Dies At Big Spring

BIG SPRING — Mrs. Ida Mae Scott, 81, died Saturday in a Big Spring hospital. For the past two years she had been living with a daughter, Mrs. W. B. Puckett, in Big Spring.

She was born Oct. 26, 1874. Funeral was held at 10 a. m. Monday in the Temple Baptist Church with the Rev. James Gammon, pastor of the Bethel Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Winters beside the grave of her husband, F. P. Scott, following a 2:30 p. m. service at Spill Funeral Home. Nalley Funeral Home had charge of local arrangements.

Palbearers for both services were Virgil Little, Melvin Anderson, Neal Spencer, W. A. Rawlings, Marion Henson and Hollis Puckett.

Survivors include two daughters Mrs. Puckett and Mrs. Ben G. Rice of Houston; one brother, Hal Cunningham of Bryan; four sisters, Mrs. Lucy Cahill and Miss Annie Cunningham, both of Bryan; Mrs. Allie Smith of Caldwell and Mrs. Millie Teague of Beaumont; 10 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Winters Mfg. Co. Hosted Dinner For Employees And Family

Winters Manufacturing Co., Inc., hosted a turkey dinner and Christmas party for employees and their families in the Dillingham building on Main Street, Saturday night.

Rev. B. T. Shoemaker was master of ceremonies and Mord Tucker foreman at the plant, gave the invocation, and expressed appreciation on behalf of the employees.

Bill West responded by paying tribute to the employees who have helped to make the plant what it is today. W. D. Wilson, chief engineer, showed films, including a Mickey Mouse Comedy, "Christmas Rhapsody," and "The Night Before Christmas." At the close of the program Santa came and presented gifts to the employees and sacks of fruit and candy to the children.

Those in charge of arrangements were Curtis Prescott, plant superintendent, and Hal Dry, assistant president. The St. John Lutheran Ladies served the dinner.

Other officials introduced were Mr. Oscar Funderberg and wife of Wichita Falls, Bill West and wife and daughter, Sarah Jane of Lubbock.

Approximately 350 attended.

**TO BRADY**  
Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hoffman will spend the two holidays in Brady with their parents and other relatives.

**FROM MIDLAND**  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Howard and daughters, of Midland are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Crockett Hodges. They will go to Tyler Thursday to attend the wedding of Jimmy Hodges and Jeanette Swanner Friday.

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## John Norman Party Attended By Over 1500 Saturday

Over 1500 visitors attended the party Saturday sponsored by John W. Norman, Steve and Nancy Norman.

Three shows were presented with Shetland ponies from Lazy "N" Stables. The first show was at 10:00 a. m., followed by two in the afternoon. At each show three acts were presented, including the Red, White and Blue Liberty Act by Mr. Norman; the Black and White Midget Shetland Drill team by Steve, and the High School Shetland ponies by Nancy.

Santa Claus in his sleigh, was present for each show and gave away souvenirs to the children.

Representatives of the Gulf Insurance Company attending were J. F. Downs and wife of Abilene; Cliff Torrence of San Angelo; Roy B. Cunningham of Anson, and David Webb of Abilene.

**Funeral Services For Alfred Carson Held Sunday Afternoon**

Funeral services for Alfred Carson, 67, were held Sunday afternoon at Spill Memorial Funeral Chapel with R. V. Hamilton of the Church of Christ officiating. Burial was in Pumphrey cemetery.

Mr. Carson died in the Winters Municipal Hospital Saturday afternoon.

He was born in Mills County, Nov. 10, 1888 and came to Winters in 1946 from Arizona. Prior to that he lived in California. He was married to Molly Brown, Feb. 16, 1916. He was a member of the Church of Christ. Survivors include his mother, Mrs. Pansy Carson; a brother, W. S. Carson; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Ann Hill of Winters and Mrs. Myrtle Graves.

**Sunflower Club Had Annual Christmas Party Saturday Night**

Annual Christmas party of the Sunflower Club was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Irvin Saturday night. Gifts were exchanged.

A Christmas supper was served to Mr. and Mrs. Slatton Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Conner and Randall, Carrie Lee, Jewell Mitchell and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin.

**Crews Home Demo Club Christmas Party In Fisher Home**

Members of the Crews Home demonstration club included their husbands and families in a Christmas party Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Fisher.

The rooms were beautifully decorated in keeping with Christmas season. Gifts were exchanged from a Christmas tree, and games of dominoes were enjoyed.

The club members brought fruits, nuts, home-made candy, bottle drinks and coffee which were served for refreshments to 27 including children.

The next regular meeting of the club will be in the home of Mrs. Harvin Hale on Jan. 6, 2 p. m.

**VISITED SISTERS**  
Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Poe, Sr. spent part of last week with her sister, Miss Jones and Mrs. White-side in Ft. Worth.

**DAUGHTER IS BORN**  
Mr. and Mrs. Chilton Brown of Abilene are announcing the birth of a daughter, Vicki Gale at Hendrix-Memorial Hospital in Abilene Saturday, Dec. 17. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Scottie Danford of Winters.

**VISITING HERE**  
Vernon Adams of Pierre, S. D. is spending the holidays with his father, J. W. Adams and family.

**ATTENDED ANNIVERSARY**  
Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kennedy attended the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene nee. Mrs. Charley Chapman accompanied them and visited her sister, Mrs. R. C. Terry.

Do your very best, and rejoice with him who can do better.

## Homebuilders S. S. Class Had Christmas Party Thurs. Evening

Homebuilders Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church held their Christmas party Thursday afternoon in the home of their teacher, Mrs. Florence Branham.

Mrs. W. T. Cummings opened the meeting with a prayer. Mrs. John Shipman read the story of Christmas composed by her brother, A. J. Essary. She told something of the life of the author of "Silent Night." Mrs. Tom O. Carroll read the poem, "The Gift." A talk was given by the teacher. Gifts were exchanged and a gift presented to the teacher. Closing prayer was by Mrs. Pendleton.

A salad plate, with cake, coffee and hot chocolate, was served.

Others present were Mmes. Bessie Sullivan, Mrs. J. H. Craig, T. A. Lindley, W. A. Booher, G. E. Shook, Pearl Lockwood, Ima Sims, Stacey Sumner, Carrie Chapman, Ettie Bishop.

**WSCS Presented Xmas Program At Church Monday**

Members of the WSCS had their Christmas party Monday morning at the church. Opening song was "O Come All Ye Faithful."

Mrs. Orr brought the devotional from second chapter of Luke, and Mrs. Cecil Taylor told the Christmas story. A box was packed for a sick member. After singing Silent Night, led by Mrs. Gattis Neely, accompanied by Mrs. W. W. Parramore, Mrs. Taylor dismissed with prayer.

Present were Mmes. Ella Ritch, E. H. Baker, Bill Graham, D. A. Dobbins, G. D. Orr, W. W. Parramore, J. P. Knight, Gattis Neely and Cecil Taylor.

**FROM SAN ANGELO**  
Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Kelly and daughter, Shelia, of San Angelo, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Best and other relatives.

**VISITED PARENTS**  
Grady Poe of Balmorhea visited several days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Poe.

**VISITED SON**  
Mrs. Frances Campbell spent the week-end in Texon with her son, Jimmy Campbell and family.

It is said that fish bite better between new moon and the first quarter.

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## Piggly Wiggly Gives Christmas Bonus To Store Employees

Messrs Neal Oakes and W. H. Thate, owners of the Piggly Wiggly stores in Santa Anna and Winters, have announced Christmas bonus to all employees at both stores.

These who have been employed with the stores for a full year, or longer, were given an extra weeks pay and employees for less than a year, one half of their weekly salary.

**WITH BARRON CLINIC**  
Mrs. Mollie D. Smith, R. N. is now employed in the Dr. Barron Clinic.

## TO MOVE TO ABILENE

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Dry and children are moving soon to Abilene where he will be manager of the Dry Manufacturing plant in that city. Mr. Dry who had been assistant manager of the Winters Manufacturing Co., will be succeeded by James Hinds as assistant here.

## FROM OKLAHOMA

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bagwell and sons of Wilson, Okla., are here to spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Bagwell of Wingate, and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Branham. Barbara Branham student at San Angelo College is home for the holidays.

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## Letters to Santa Claus

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Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little girl seven years old, I tried to be a good girl please bring me a doll, and mixer and sewing machine, some fruit, nuts and candy. Don't forget the other good boys and girls don't forget my little cousins in Washington, Lynn and Paul Coder. Be looking for you Dec. 24.

Love, Your little friend,  
Betty Virden.

1726 Woodard Street  
Abilene, Texas  
December 19, 1955

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little girl 18 months old. I would appreciate it very much if you would bring me a doll, doll buggy and dishes. I've tried to be good.

Please remember "Boppaw" and Aunt "Ettie."

Love,  
Kathy Ann Walford

Tuscola, Texas

Dear Santa:

I am five years old and have tried to be a good girl. I would like for you to bring me a walking doll and anything else you want to leave. I forgot to tell you that I have a little sister named Celita. Please bring her something, too.

Irene Faircloth.

Tuscola, Texas.

Dear Santa:

I am nearly two years old, and I want a doll and a baton like sisters' for Christmas. Please bring Irene something nice too.

Love,  
Celita Kay Faircloth.

### HERE FOR HOLIDAYS

Jeannine Poe, who is enrolled at Baylor University, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Poe.

### BABY GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. (Swede) Hanson are the parents of a baby daughter, Cynthia Dawn, born Monday, Dec. 19 at the Clinic-Hospital in San Angelo. Her mother, Mrs. Alma Helms of San Antonio is with the family.

### Runnels County Ginned Over 22,000 Bales of Cotton

According to the last report on ginning in Runnels County this fall over 22,000 bales have been ginned.

The south half of the county reports 12,101 and the north half 10,598 bales. It is estimated that approximately 450 bales are to be gathered and ginned before the season is closed.

### Mrs. R. A. Cramer Formerly Of Winters Died In Ft. Worth

Mrs. R. A. Cramer, about 60 died in Ft. Worth Saturday after a short illness. Funeral and burial were in Ft. Worth Saturday. She was a niece to Mrs. W. A. Pace and a cousin to Postmaster Pace.

Mr. and Mrs. Cramer lived here a number of years before moving to Ft. Worth in 1941. Her parents were the late Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pace.

She is survived by her husband, a son and three daughters.

### Sheriff Atkins And Patrolman Gotcher Able To Be Up Now

According to reports Sheriff Don Atkins, and Patrolman M. E. Gotcher, who were injured in an automobile accident early in December, are able to be up and walking about their home and Mr. Gotcher is getting about town with his head in a brace. He suffered a broken neck. Atkins suffered a punctured lung and broken ribs.

Neither have returned to duty.

### BABY SON

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Frost are the parents of a son, Paul Martin, born December 9 in an Odessa hospital. He lacked a few ounces weighing 11 pounds. Grandparents here are Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Martin. Mrs. Martin has returned home after visiting the family several days.

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### Dates Set For Junior Livestock Show Here For January 20-21

Winters Junior Livestock Show dates have been set for Friday and Saturday, Jan. 20-21, at the FFA and 4-H Show Barn, it has been announced. Edward Bredemeyer is the General Superintendent of the Show, L. O. Byrd assistant and Larry Saunders is junior assistant.

A new feature in the organization this year is the appointment of senior boys as junior assistants in the various divisions of the Show.

There will be no entry fee charged and all animals, except calves, must be in place, between 1 and 6 p. m., Friday Jan. 21. All calves, must be in place by 8 o'clock Saturday morning, Jan. 21.

Bert Helm of Wingate is superintendent of the Sheep Division, Lonnie Saunders of Pumphrey, assistant and Keith Browne, junior assistant. The judge will be Jim Gray of San Angelo Junior College.

In the Swine Division, O. C. Hill of Drasco is the superintendent, Walter Spill of Harmony, assistant and Garland Odell, junior assistant. M. B. Inman, Jr. of San Angelo will be the judge.

Chester Collinsworth of Merkel will judge the fat calves. Ervin Schroeder is the superintendent of the Fat Calf Division, Freddie Bredemeyer, assistant and Robert Gardner, junior assistant.

In the poultry and rabbit division, Mansfield Foster of Bradshaw is the superintendent, Ralph Austin of Dale, assistant and Wesley Vogler, junior assistant. Judge for poultry is Marvin Weber of Abilene and Byron Wilson of Abilene will judge the rabbit entries.

All Future Farmers of America and 4-H youth of Winters Independent School District are eligible to enter projects in the show. The Norton school has been invited to enter exhibits.

### Diversity Club Heard Xmas Story By Karla Melson

Mrs. Karla Melson told the Christmas story at the December 15th meeting of the Diversity Club in the home of Mrs. Noel Reid Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Z. I. Hale presided for the business meeting and introduced Mrs. Melson. Christmas carols were sung and gifts exchanged from a tree. Punch was served from a table laid with red linen, centered with an arrangement of red candles and holly. Other holiday decorations were featured in the rooms. The attractive punch service was shaped like Santa Claus' face.

Others present were Mmes. H. R. Coleman, J. W. Dixon, James Glenn, Lera Henniger, C. R. Kendrick, M. E. Leeman, Weldon Middleton, Neal Oakes, Sari Roach, C. E. Sullivan, Fred Young and Roy Young.

### Mrs. C. O. Rodgers Named Noble Grand Of Rebekah Lodge

Mrs. C. O. Rodgers was named Noble Grand of Winters Rebekah Lodge Tuesday evening when officers were elected for the coming year.

Other officers named were Mrs. Neal Sellars, vice grand; Mrs. J. O. Briggs, secretary; Mrs. W. I. Dixon, treasurer; Mrs. Minnie Hillyard, lodge mother; Alvis Jobe, team captain; Elsie Lee Sanders, lodge deputy and representative and Mrs. Fred Poe, alternate representative.

Mrs. Lottie Suggs presided for the business session. A donation was made to send to the Old Folks' Home and the Orphans' Home.

Installation of officers was set for the first meeting night in January.

### Eastern Star Chapter Had Christmas Party Monday Evening

Members of the Eastern Star Chapter enjoyed a Christmas party following the regular business meeting Monday evening. A program was presented with candles being lighted, and the story of the birth of Jesus was read from Matt., by Mrs. J. A. Traylor.

Gifts were exchanged from a tree and a box of groceries were donated to Mr. and Mrs. Pate.

During the business with Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Raper presiding as Worthy Patron and Matron, plans were made for the visit of the Deputy Grand Matron, Mrs. Cora Lee Darsey of San Angelo, January 16. A dinner honoring her will be held at the A-1 Steak House at 6:00 o'clock that evening.

Initiation of a candidate was set for Monday evening, Jan. 9. The men members of the chapter were hosts and served pie ala mode with coffee and hot chocolate. Approximately 30 attended.

### FROM ROBY

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Cooper and children of Roby will spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Lonnie Baldwin and Mr. Baldwin.

## Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Davis Celebrated 50th Wedding Anniversary Last Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Davis observed their golden wedding anniversary December 17 with a turkey dinner at the home of their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. (Bud) Davis Saturday evening and Sunday afternoon the children hosted open house to relatives and friends at the family home. Approximately 200 called.

Other children are Mr. and Mrs. Delma R. Davis of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Foy N. Davis of Irving; and Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Davis, Jr. of Santa Anna, Calif. All were present except Mrs. Delma Davis, and eight of the nine grandchildren. Mrs. Betty Hext and her week old baby could not attend.

Mrs. Bud Davis greeted the guests, Mrs. Foy Davis and Mrs. R. S. Davis served the cake and poured coffee. The cake formed a wedding ring with bells and featured a bride and groom and the numerals "50". Jiggy Davis, a granddaughter, registered in a gold bound book, and another granddaughter, Mrs. Jane Carr of Big Lake showed the gifts. The golden bell theme was carried out in the entire house. Don Davis and Nola Jean Virden also assisted with host duties.

Mr. Davis, known to his friends as "Manchie" was born in Mississippi, Feb. 14, 1883 and came with his parents, to Milam County when a year old. It was there he met his wife, the former Irene Nichols who was born at Cameron July 22, 1887. The Nichols' came to Runnels county in 1902 and the Davis' in 1901. Mr. and Mrs. Davis now live on the old Davis home where they have been since 1929.

Mrs. Davis' family settled between Ballinger and Paint Rock, where Mrs. Davis completed high school. The couple were married in Ballinger and moved to a farm near the Country Club.

Attending the celebration were his sisters, Mrs. J. M. Nichols, and Mrs. Mattie Forgy of Ballinger; his brother, Grover and Pete Davis of Winters; her sisters, Mrs. Ludie Davis and Mrs. J. P. Knight.

Guests registered from Coleman, Mertzon, Big Lake, Lubbock, Ballinger, Miles, Dallas, Abilene and San Angelo.

### LT. LONDON HERE

Lt. Dick London of the Air Force arrived the past week-end from Williams Field at Phoenix, Ariz., and will visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry London before reporting to Del Rio where he will be attached to the 3545th Pilot Training Wing.



BEST WISHES FOR CHRISTMAS

Dean's Dairy Dream

### Junior Number One Staged Christmas Party Tuesday Night

Junior Department No. 1 of the First Baptist Church staged their Christmas party and turkey dinner Tuesday night of last week at the church. Mrs. Eugene White, superintendent, was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. S. P. Parks, Mrs. Elzie Cox and Mrs. C. E. Sullivan decorated the room with the Christmas motif. Mrs. W. W. Holland was in charge of the program. Loyd Roberson led the group in singing carols, and Mrs. Roberson told a Christmas story. John Norman brought the devotional.

Others present were Rev. and Mrs. B. T. Shoemaker, Mr. Holland, Mr. Parks, Mr. White, Mr. Cox, Mr. Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. King, Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Colburn, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Boles, Mr. and Mrs. Eldridge Cox.

### Housekeepers Class Party Held At Parsonage Tuesday

Housekeepers Sunday School class of the Methodist Church met at the parsonage for their Christmas party with Mrs. Cecil Taylor and her mother Mrs. Willie White as hostesses. Brother Taylor acted as chauffeur and brought the ladies to the party.

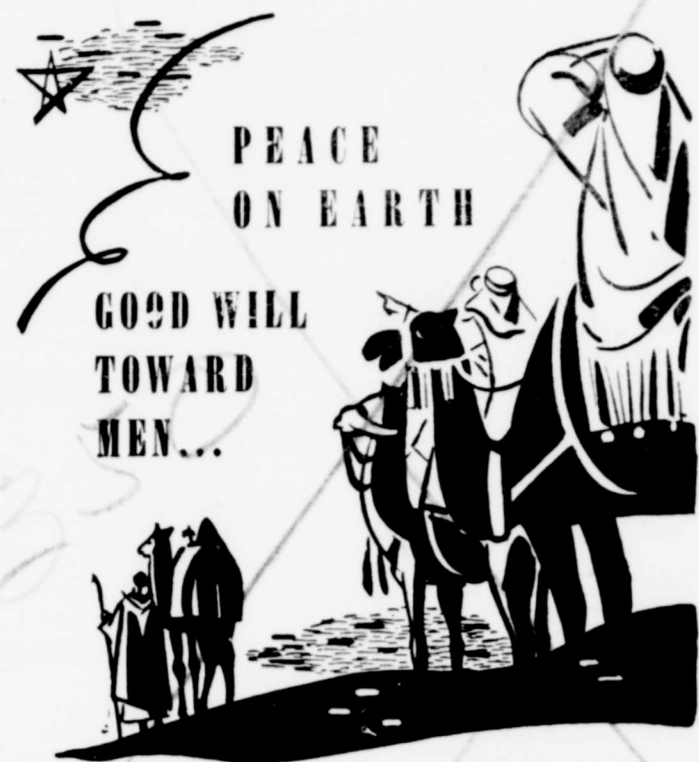
Santa Claus came and handed out the gifts, and the ladies enjoyed the social hour by telling of their childhood experiences at Christmas.

Cake and punch were served to Mmes. Ella Ritch, Louisa Johnson, L. A. Bruton, J. P. Knight, E. H. Baker and Neely.

### FROM CALIFORNIA

Mrs. Beatrice Williams of Santa Paula, Calif., is a former teacher in the Winters Schools is visiting here and visited the schools Tuesday.

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### Winters Chapter FFA Attends Awards Banquet At Coleman

More than 265 FFA members, guests, chapter sweethearts and advisers in the Coleman FFA District attended the annual leadership and awards banquet held in Coleman Tuesday evening.

Presiding as master of ceremonies and as president of the Coleman FFA district, Tommy Bowden, from the Bangs Chapter of FFA moved the program along at a fast pace after the fine meal of Mexican food.

One of the high lights of the banquet was the district sweet-

heart contest. Fifteen chapter sweethearts competed for the coveted district sweetheart title. Glenda Dodson, Chapter sweetheart representing the Early FFA Chapter, was crowned the district winner and will compete in the Area 4 contest in the near future.

Sylvia Schroeder, Winters FFA sweetheart, made the competition very keen for the other 14 contestants. She was one of the top sweethearts in the event. Her attendants were Margie Orr and Karen Smith escorted by Jerry and Maurice Holle. Miss Schroeder's escort for the evening was Garland Odell, senior chapter member. Garland and Jerry served as the two voting delegates in the sweetheart race.

Royce Bodiford, State FFA President from Millsap, brought the main address. Leo Townsend, state vice-president from Abilene, conducted the sweetheart contest and presented the sweetheart winner at the banquet.

Attending from the Winters Chapter to receive their six first place leadership banners and 5 area banners were: Larry Saunders, Dennis Rodgers, Wesley Vogler, Carol Turk, Bob Dunning, Bobby Penny, Charles Yates,

John Emmert, John Eaves, Maurice Holle, Jerry Holle, Roneal Boles, Garland Odell, Bob Bredemeyer, Jerry Hood, Dale Young, Weldon Andrae, Keith Browne, Donald Kruse, Robert Modisett, James Schroeder, Marion Roper, Charles Nitsch, Bob Webb. Honored guests of the Winters Chapter were: Mr. Rodney Cathey, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Penny, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Schroeder, Dwain Howell of Abilene Reporter-News, and Dave Coslett of the San Angelo Standard-Times. Guests who were unable to attend were Mr. John Q. McAdams, Mr. J. B. Nevins, Bob Walker, Mr. and Mrs. George Hill and Mr. C. R. Kendrick.

The Coleman Chapter, as in past, sponsored the annual event. The banquet was held in the Junior High School cafeteria, and the sweetheart contest in the high school auditorium.

Learn to cook with up-to-date methods that reduce the waste of delicate vitamins and minerals.

Give children small servings; remember, big amounts may be discouraging to a small child. It is well for a child to form the habit of cleaning his plate and then asking for a second helping if wanted.

Friendship is to be purchased only by friendship.

### Runnels County TB Board Held Special Meeting In Ballinger

Reports were given by officers at the special meeting of the executive board of the Runnels County Tuberculosis Association held Tuesday afternoon, in the office of the Runnels County Implement Company in Ballinger. The program for the end of the year was also discussed.

The Rev. Felix Keys, president, conducted the business. Mrs. J. O. Satterwhite, executive secretary reported that \$1,034.60 had been received from the 3,000 letters which had been mailed with Christmas seals and bonds. She reported that \$1,155 had been received up to this time last year.

A response from the remainder of the seal letters is expected before Christmas.

Mrs. Satterwhite reported three Runnels County citizens in the McKnight Hospital, and it was voted to send boxes of candy to those patient sat Christmas.

The patch test program for school children was discussed and the board decided to discontinue full scale patch test project for 1956. It will probably be held every other year. It was recommended that pre-school students be given the patch test, as well as

other students on recommendation of teachers. The Chest X-ray unit will probably visit the county in January.

Mr. and Mrs. Keet Dunn of Winters were named as new directors to take the places of two who resigned. Dr. John E. Green was re-appointed state representative member of the board of directors to the Texas Tuberculosis Association, and Dr. L. L. Downing was named alternate.

A committee composed of Ernest Caskey, W. H. Rampy and Alvin Holbrook, was named to make inquiries on the selection of a new secretary to take the place made vacant by Mrs. Satterwhite who will be moving from Ballinger, Jan. 1.

The president announced that a directors and executive board meeting would be held the third Thursday in January.

Those present for the Tuesday meeting were the Rev. Keys, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Satterwhite, Judge W. H. Rampy, Alvin Holbrook, Dr. John E. Green, Dr. L. L. Downing, Ernest Caskey, Mrs. Sim Cottelle, all of Ballinger, and Joe Simmons of Miles.

To keep apples or bananas from turning dark coat with lemon juice before combining with other ingredients.

### Junior Girls Of Baptist Church Met Wednes.

A meeting of the Junior Girls of the First Baptist Church was held Wednesday night.

The meeting was led by Pam Davis. Betty Shoemaker called the roll, and the meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer.

Those present were Russell Bedford, DeAnn Bellis, Kathryn Clark, Linda Eoff, Beverly Huddleston, Donna Hudson, Carolyn Roland, Virginia Sullivan and Patricia Winston.

It is well to plan meals in some orderly way, so that the daily menu includes needed quantities of protein, minerals and other essential nutrients.

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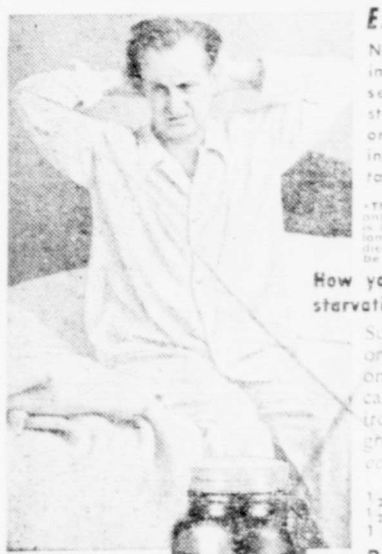
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### Winters Chapter FFA Places Two Teams In State Contests

Winters Chapter of Future Farmers of America placed two teams in State Leadership Contests at Huntsville Saturday, Dec. 10. The Junior Farm Skill took third place and the Senior Chapter Conducting team took fourth place.

The Junior Farm Skill team was John Emmert, Charles Nitsch, and Charles Yates and the Chapter Conducting team was Dennis Rodgers, Bob Webb, Bobby Penny, Weldon Andrae, Keith Browne, Wesley Vogler, Donald Kruse, Marion Roper, Carroll Turk, and Robert Modisett.

The Quiz team, Dale Young, Gene Rice and Jerry Hood did not place in the top four but did give a good account of themselves.

The trip, made possible by the Winters State Bank and John Q. McAdams, was enjoyed by Advisor R. A. Hanson, R. P. Penny and the boys. They spent Friday at Texas A&M College as guests of the Agricultural Education Department and had practice sessions there in the department.

While at Huntsville they

visited the prison and other points of interest, including the Sam Houston Museum and Houston's old home. On the return trip they saw A&M play Louisiana University, and visited with Winters boys who are attending the College.

The Winters FFA closed out their leadership activities with 9 first places, two second, one third, one fourth, and one fifth place from the district, area and state competition. This was certainly a mark achieved by no other chapter in Texas this year.

Future Farmers from 60 high schools attended the 25th annual leadership state contests, making a total of 500 students representing more than 40,000 students enrolled in FFA chapters throughout the state.

When papering a room keep in mind that dark tones or large figures tend to make a room look smaller, while plain or striped paper of light tones tend to enlarge the room.

Mice do not like camphor; place plenty of camphor in spots frequented by mice and you will soon be completely rid of them.

**ACTION!** Use the Classifieds.

### Users Of Highways Warned To Observe All Traffic Laws

Two hundred and four persons are slated to meet with violent deaths in Texas during the 11-day Christmas-New Year's holidays, according to the Texas Department of Public Safety, based on the estimates of his chief statistician, N. K. Woerner.

According to Woerner, the 11-day period (from 12:01 a. m. December 23 to 11:59 p. m. January 2) will bring 112 motoricides; 39 homicides and suicides; and 53 other accidental deaths, such as fires, drownings, etc.

Last year the DPS Statistician predicted that 108 persons would die in Texas traffic accidents during the Holidays, which also spanned 11 days. The final count was exactly 108.

The number of homicides and suicides and other violent deaths was slightly under the estimated figure at the end of 1954 and Garrison said that, as usual, he is appealing to all motorists and pedestrians in the State to strive toward making Woerner's motoricide estimate "far too high."

"If every user of the streets and highways will observe all the traffic laws and exercise courtesy in driving and walking," Garrison

said, "we can prove that Chief Woerner's prediction of motoricides during this Holiday season is far too high and thus assure a substantial number of those 112 tentative traffic victims and their families a really Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year."

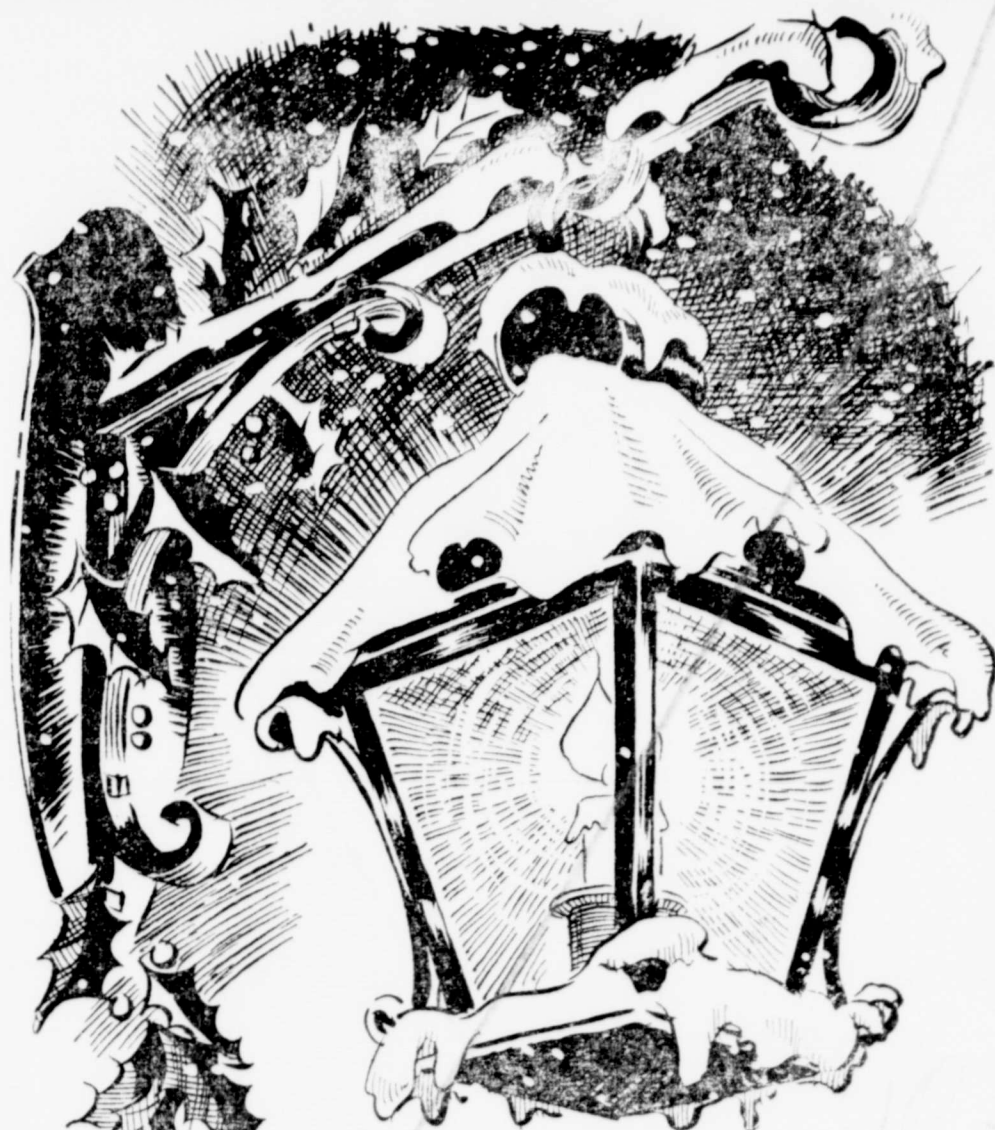
In buying pillow slips select those into which the pillows will slip easily; slips into which pillows must be stuffed will wear out much more quickly.

Records show that the first English cook book, or collection of recipes, made its appearance in 1493.

Keep a couple of folding chairs handy for use in the very small kitchen.

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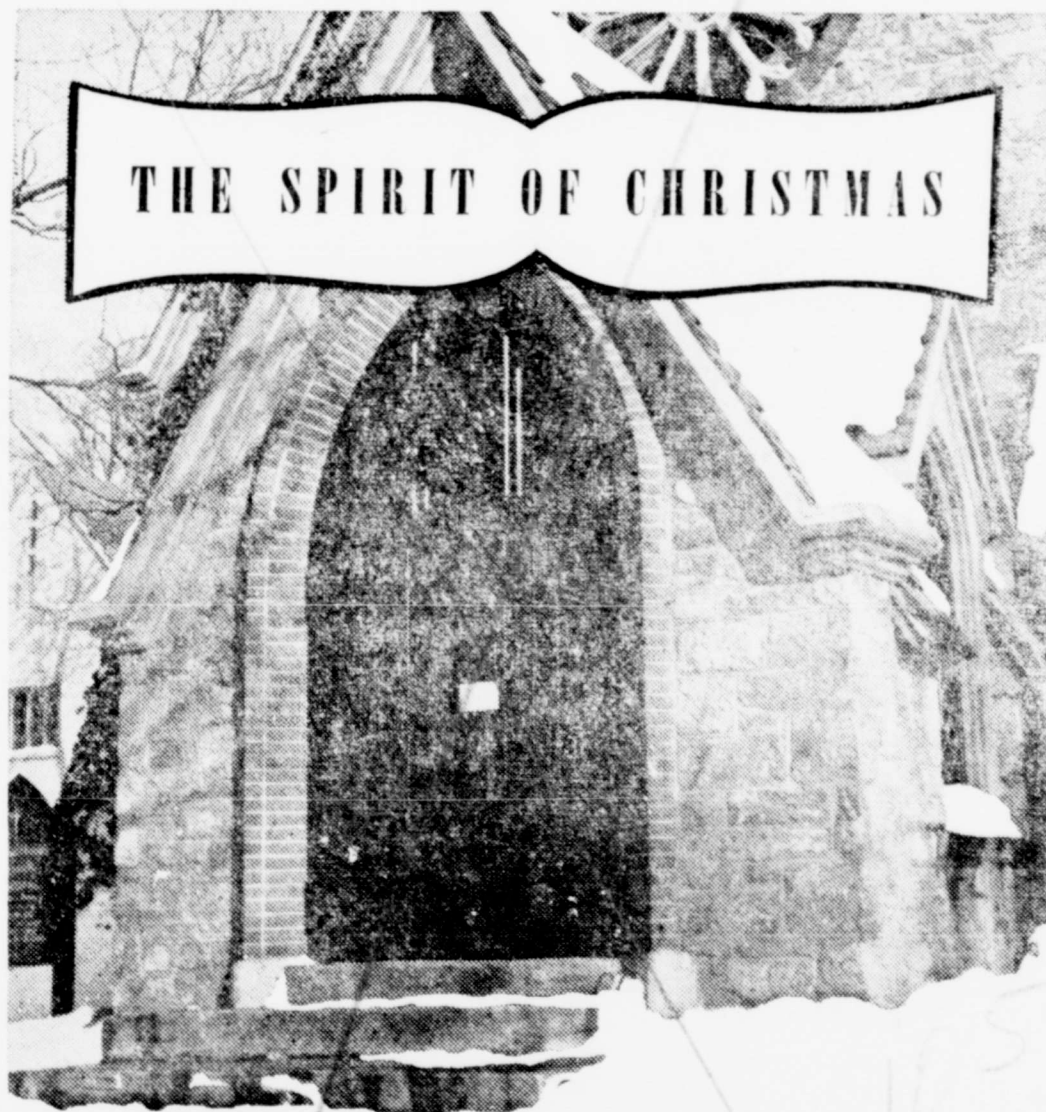
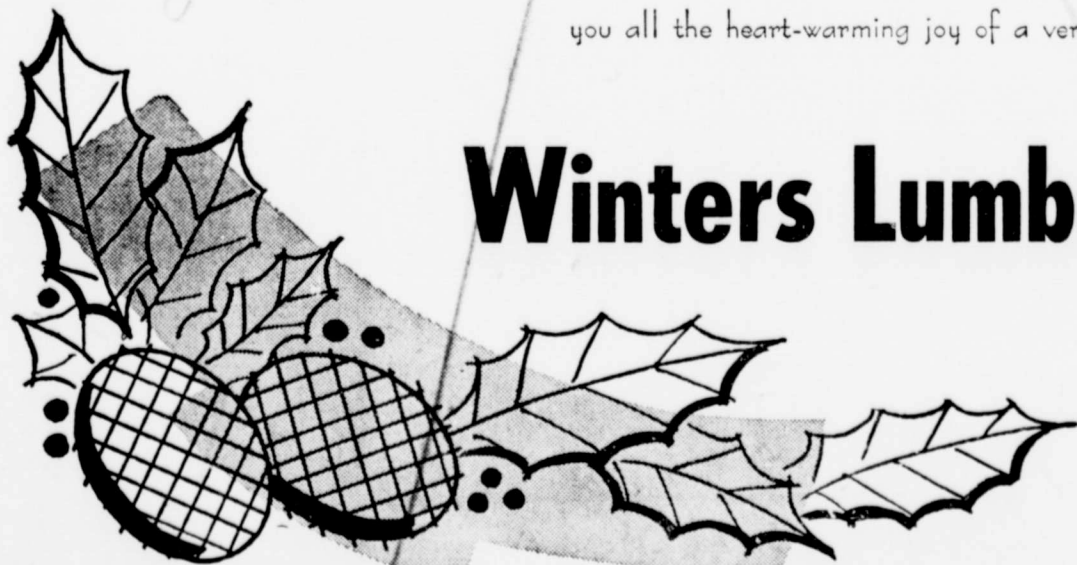
The brightest light of the Christmas season is the opportunity to express our thanks for your confidence and loyalty and to wish to each of you the many joys of a Merry, Merry Christmas . . .

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**BRAIN WAVE**—Britain's minister of labor, Sir Walter Monckton, hasn't gone in for a zany method of curling his straight-as-a-poker hair. He's submitting to test run of a brain-wave recorder during opening ceremonies at a mental health exhibit in London.

**Mrs. M. A. Quindlen Died At Waco, Buried Here Tuesday P. M.**

Funeral services for Mrs. M. A. Quindlen, 90, were held Tuesday afternoon in the First Baptist Church here with Rev. W. T. Hamor of Abilene officiating. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Spill Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Ralph Lloyd, Glenn Dugan, Frank Pumphrey, Joe Baker, C. S. Jackson, and Truitt Billips.

Mrs. Quindlen died Monday morning in Waco at the home of a daughter, Mrs. V. M. Clond and the Rev. Clond, where she had lived for more than a year. She formerly lived with another daughter, Mrs. Inby Christopher of Abilene.

She was born in Mississippi August 12, 1863, and came to Texas as a small girl. Her husband, the late Rev. Quindlen, was pastor of several churches, including one at Winters.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Christopher of Abilene, Mrs. Clond of Waco, and Mrs. B. H. High of Canton, one son, Oscar, a member of the Navy, N. M., two granddaughters and one great-grandson.

A good remover for grease or adhesive spots is alcohol; it should not be used on plastics or rayon.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We have sold our shop to Flora Reese and Dee Ballew and want to thank our friends and customers who have been with us the past 11 years for their patronage. We feel that we have made many friends through the shop and certainly have appreciated your business. We will continue to live in Winters for it is a good town. Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McMillan

**TO WICHITA FALLS**

Mr. and Mrs. Richard C. Thomas are spending the Christmas holidays with his brother and other relatives at Wichita Falls.

**FROM FREEPORT**

George Graham of Freeport is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Graham and Mr. and Mrs. George Poe.

**TO ODESSA**

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Marshall will spend the holidays with their daughter, Mrs. Grady Shelton and family at Odessa.

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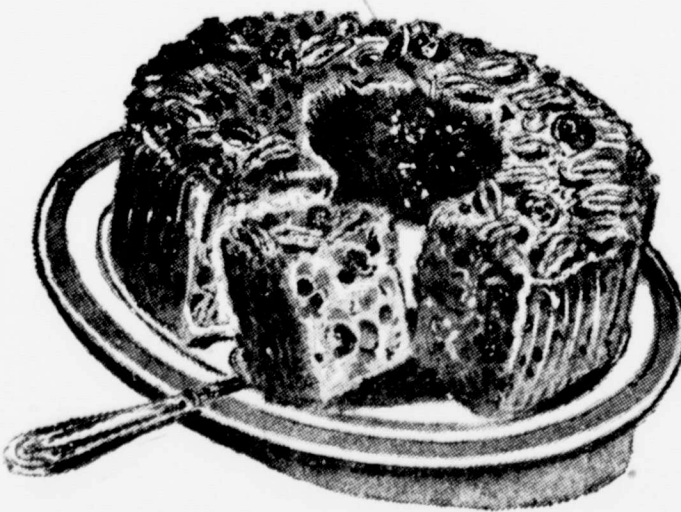
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