

NEW YEAR PROMISES MORE STABLE LIVESTOCK INDUSTRY

SEVERAL CHANGES SLATED AS COUNTY AND PRECINCT OFFICERS ASSUME PLACES

Tuesday of Next Week Is Set As Time For Old Ones Out, New Ones In

Several changes in personnel of the county's roster of public officials is set for Tuesday of next week as retiring public servants leave their places to give place for others. For the most part county and precinct officers elected last November are to be sworn in on that day.

Heading the list of incoming officials will be B. L. Templeton who after four years in the office of county clerk is to be inducted as county judge. He is to succeed Judge A. F. King, himself holding office for four years.

There will be two new faces in the county commissioners' court, Loraine and Hyman-Spade supplying the new public officials. From Loraine is to come W. D. McCarley as successor to Frank Crowover and the Hyman-Spade precinct will be represented by J. S. Boyd, successor to H. H. Vandant.

Roy Davis Coles, former principal of the Hyman school, is to take over the office of county school superintendent, succeeding Mrs. Ruby McGill Dodge. Roy E. Warren is to be sworn in as county tax assessor-collector, taking the place now held by Jack Helton who a few months ago was appointed to fill out unexpired term of J. B. Hoff. Resigned. Helton is to continue his identity with the office in capacity of chief office deputy.

James M. Herrington, for some time associated with the California Company at Butler Camp, is to become county clerk as the incumbent, B. L. Templeton vacates to assume role of county judge. A. D. Leach, succeeding the late W. S. Stoneham as justice of the peace at Colorado, has already assumed duties of the office.

Another new public official who already has taken over the office is George W. Outlaw of Sweetwater, elected district attorney. He qualified for the office on day following the November election after resignation of George Mahon, had been accepted by Governor Ferguson. John Scown is to become Loraine's new public weigher, succeeding Otto Mung who did not offer for reelection.

Among county and precinct officials retained by voters in the elections of this year will be M. C. Holl of Buford and J. E. Skelton of Westbrook, members of commission; court; R. E. Gregory, sheriff; J. Dell Barber, county attorney; Jack Delaney, constable of precinct one; H. A. Lasseter, justice of the peace at Westbrook; B. D. Smith, justice of the peace at Loraine; J. H. Ballard, district clerk; Mrs. Mayme Taylor, county treasurer; Roy D. Buchanan, county surveyor; B. J. Baskin, county farm agent; Miss Emma Gunter, home demonstration agent, and Judge A. S. Mauzy, presiding over 32nd judicial court.

NO MARRIAGE LICENSE ISSUED ON CHRISTMAS EVE, TEMPLETON SAYS

For the first time in a score or more years there were no marriage licenses issued from office of the county clerk during Christmas eve, B. L. Templeton, in charge of the office, has noted.

Information coming from attaches at the clerk's office is to effect that this instance marked first time in fifteen years that prospective brides and grooms had not made application for marriage certificates during the day preceding Christmas.

HOWARD COUNTY PROFIT THROUGH WINE, BEER TAX

The city of Big Spring and county of Howard each received over \$2,000 in taxes received in exchange for beer and wine licenses there, a Big Spring newspaper for Sunday morning announced. This income is expected to be even larger during 1935, the paper suggested.

SALES WINNER



JOE POND Who will be guest of insurance company on trip to Mexico.

Joe Pond Wins Insurance Trip To Mexico City

Joe Pond, representative of the Great American Life Insurance Company in Colorado, was announced early this week as one of the company's salesmen in this district qualifying for a free trip to the company convention in Mexico City December 26 to January 8. Pond left for the convention Wednesday.

Announcement of his achievement was made by Pete Starnes of Sweetwater, district representative of the company. In order to qualify for the trip Pond was required to sell a certain volume of insurance during the year.

"The company is very pleased with Mr. Pond's work," Starnes stated. "He has only been with us a year and has already become one of our chief sales producers in this section."

MAN ARRESTED HERE IS IDENTIFIED BY ABILENE POLICE; CHARGES FILED

The man arrested near Colorado late Wednesday of last week by local officers on information that he was wanted in Sweetwater and Abilene to face charges of car theft, has been identified as John Wilson, a former barber of Abilene.

Wilson was captured a short distance east of the city limits by Dick Hickman and Jack Delaney as he was speeding west on highway No. 1 in a Chevrolet sedan stolen a short time before from the Steakley Motor Company at Sweetwater. A car stolen in Abilene a few hours earlier was abandoned in Sweetwater.

THREE COLORADOANS ON HONOR ROLL OF A. C. C.

Three Abilene Christian College students from Colorado are listed on the honor roll for the second six weeks of school.

They are Harvey Baker, honors in Bible and History; Jack Cox, honors in public speaking; Elizabeth Watson, honors in Spanish, English, Bible, and education.

'NURSE' CLAIMS PANTS STOLEN WHILE SURGERY WAS BEING PERFORMED

For several minutes after adjournment of the Lions Club Friday it looked as if the Rev. Alex B. Hanson would be compelled to go home attired as a winsome young nurse.

The preacher played a leading role in farce comedy depicting scene in an operating room. He was the nurse, regulation dress uniform, head piece and all. Others in the cast were Revs. Dick O'Brien and Wallace Jones.

While the operation was in progress a member of the club stole the ministers' trousers and hid them in the building. After the joke had been enjoyed the chagrined victim was told where to look for the much desired apparel.

SCURRY COUNTY JUDGE IS BURIED AT SNYDER AFTER DEATH IN ABILENE SUNDAY

Robert H. Curnette One of Pioneer Citizens, Well Known In Colorado

Death, striking seven days before the close of the first term and the beginning of the second term of Robert H. Curnette as county judge of Scurry county, left that office vacant Sunday.

In an Abilene hospital for treatment since December 15, Judge Curnette died Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock. His condition had been critical for several days and Thursday he underwent major surgery. He was 59 years of age.

The funeral was held at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon at Snyder, his home, where the body was taken overland Sunday night. The service was from the First Methodist church, of which Judge Curnette was a member, with the pastor, Rev. H. C. Gordon, officiating. Burial was made in a Snyder cemetery, under auspices of the Masonic lodge.

Judge Curnette went to Snyder in 1901, a member of that year's graduating class of the law school at the University of Texas. He engaged in active practice until 1906, when he went into the banking business, as cashier and vice president of the First National Bank there, a post he held until that institution's consolidation with the First State bank in 1925.

Two years ago, he was elected Scurry county judge, and again this year was renominated to office, unopposed. He is the second successive judge Scurry county has lost by death, Judge C. R. Buchanan having died late in 1931 shortly before the close of his term and the beginning of Judge Curnette's tenure in office.

Mrs. Curnette, one son and three daughters survive. The children are Robert H. Curnette, Jr. of Snyder; Mrs. Harold Enfield, Hollywood, Calif.; Mrs. Ivan Dodson and Miss Mary Vencil Curnette, Snyder.

Other survivors are three sisters and two brothers: James V. Curnette, Georgetown; Mrs. Floyd C. Curnette, Midland; Mrs. Clyde C. Currite, Dallas; John D. Curnette and Mrs. G. A. Hagan, Snyder.

COLORADO MINISTERS IN URGE THAT RELIGION BE INCLUDED IN OBJECTIVES

Pastors of Colorado churches would direct attention of their parishioners to importance of considering the church when drafting resolutions for the New Year. The most important devotion that may influence life is religion and the principles for which the church stand for, one of the local ministers Wednesday morning suggested.

"There is room for material progress in the realm of religion and we should face the new year with determination to make use of that opportunity," he declared. "May Colorado stand by her churches and the ideals for which they are the inspiration in a great measure through the twelve months out before us."

C-C SECRETARY ENJOYS CHRISTMAS TO FULLEST

"This was the most enjoyable Christmas I have spent in five years, due to fact I was in excellent health and realized other considerations to make the day one to long be remembered," announced Jim J. Greene, chamber of commerce secretary Wednesday. Greene stated that during the past five years he had been ill from one cause or another at Christmas time.

STANTON OFFICERS TAKE FUGITIVE TO JAIL THERE

Stanton officers passed through Colorado last week with J. M. Whitten, Jr., in custody, after the man had been arrested in Sweetwater. Whitten is charged with forgery and other offenses in Martin county, they stated. Warrant for arrest of the man was issued last April.

Farmer, Ex-Service Man Given Support By George Mahon

The farmer and ex-service man are to receive attention of George Mahon who Thursday of last week established temporary offices in the House Agriculture Room at Washington and began formulating plans for his objectives after congress convenes.

Mahon told newspaper men that amendments to the Bankruptcy bill were needed and assured provisions he described as encouraging discrimination between neighbors.

The ex-service man is to find a supporter in the new member of congress, it was stated. Mahon, during his campaign last Summer, openly advocated payment of the so-called soldier bonus in full.

INCOMING COUNTY CLERK TO HAVE PART IN JUDGE ELECT'S WEDDING 'SHOW'

"I see by The Record that Rev. Dick O'Brien and Judge B. L. Templeton are being quoted extensively on their plans to spur Dan Cupid to greater activity during the holidays, and in this connection I want it understood that neither are to excel me in that respect," announced James M. Herrington, county-clerk elect as he entered the newspaper office Friday morning.

"I understand that Templeton proposes to issue the marriage license certificate free just before midnight on December 31 and then, after having been sworn in as county judge, tie the nuptial knot complimentary," Herrington continued.

"Well you can assure the prospective bride and groom that I will be present with my fiddle to play the wedding march."

Walter Whipkey, publisher of The Record, has announced his purpose to have part in the court house wedding. "I am going to give the bride and groom a year's subscription to The Record in that they have assurance of starting life together under influence of the proper environment," he announced.

MITCHELL COUNTY MAIZE WINS SECOND AWARD AT INTERNATIONAL EXHIBIT

Ten heads of maize grown by E. B. Hale of near Loraine won second prize in grain division at the recent International Livestock Exposition and Grain and Hay Show at Chicago. Mr. Hale last week received remittance check covering the cash prize award.

The creditable winning is considered a distinction, not alone to Mr. Hale but this county as well. It again portrayed that superior grain sorghums are to be produced in this part of the Southwest.

ORPHANED CHILDREN TO RECEIVE COUNTY PAPER

Mrs. M. L. EKAS of Iatan called Friday to have The Record sent to Jane and Joe Axtell at Cleveland, Ohio. The children recently lost their mother who died following a lingering illness in a New York hospital. They are now making their home with an aunt, Mrs. C. G. Craft, 3300 Grenway, Road, Cleveland.

STREET LIGHTS TO BURN UNTIL AFTER JANUARY 1

The special holiday street illumination that during the past three weeks has presented a striking holiday effect in downtown Colorado, is to be turned on nightly until the first of the year, according to report received from the chamber of commerce.

GINS OPERATING AFTER RESPITE FOR HOLIDAYS

Gin plants at Colorado and Buford were operating again Thursday morning after a close for the Christmas holidays. The plants were closed during Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

RETIRING COUNTY OFFICIAL PLANS LOOKING AFTER HIS EXTENSIVE FARM HOLDINGS

Judge King Later May Take Up Position As Business Man At Colorado

County Judge A. F. King who next week is to return to the life of a private citizen after serving two terms, told The Record Wednesday afternoon that he planned directing considerable attention to his farm holdings in the county.

"It is not my purpose to move my residence from Colorado nor do I plan devoting all of my attention to my farm properties, but the latter is to get more of my time after I retire than heretofore," he said. The judge owns farm property near Colorado and near Westbrook.

That Judge King was considering entering business in Colorado was developed during the interview. This proposition, however, is only tentative as yet and may or may not materialize, he explained.

As head of the Mitchell county court the retiring official has found time off from duties in his office at the court house to maintain the distinction as a leader in civic affairs of the city and county. He is a Lion of the first rank, lending liberally of his time and effort to programs of the service organization. He has extended liberal cooperation with the city and private groups in projecting numerous civic programs both in Colorado and other communities of the county.

As a private citizen Judge King does not intend to lose interest in public affairs. It is his plan to extend full cooperation to his successor in office, other public officials and civic leaders in general for the realization of continued progress in his home community and county.

Federal Levy Of 2 Cents On Checks Is To Expire Tuesday

The federal tax of two cents on personal checks is to expire on next Tuesday. The Record notes in information received, recently from the National capital. This tax produced \$41,383,189 during the last fiscal year but opinion is being expressed in official Washington that the levy is not to be continued.

MID DOSS AND JOE MILLS BRING HOME THE QUAIL

They brought home the quail, did Mid (J. M.) Doss and Joe Mills, as the result of a day's hunt last week near Monahans.

Doss and Mills, accompanied by Ed Chase of Monahans, bagged their limit during only a few hours hunting. They returned to Colorado late Thursday and treated their friends to a quail dinner at the Doss home Saturday evening.

NEGRO SCHOOL NEARLY 100% IN HEALTH PINS

Tuberculosis health pins have been bought nearly 100 per cent in the negro school, according to Mrs. Jeff Dobb, Mitchell county tuberculosis chairman. Mrs. Dobb reports that Colorado's colored population has responded whole-heartedly to all her health programs. They bought generously of Christmas health seals.

CALIFORNIA CITIZEN IS IMPRESSED WITH LIONS

"I never visit in Colorado but that I am impressed with the progressive spirit of this service club," Roland Burchard of California, stated during a brief address at the Lions Club Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Burchard and children were here to spend the holidays with her mother and family, Mrs. P. C. Coleman.

Spade Citizen Has Large Collection Of Indian Relics

Robert Northcutt of Spade prides in one of the largest and most unique collection of Indian relics to be found in this part of the State, a visit to the Northcutt farm home will disclose. The relics were taken from various parts of the state and the owner has spent several years in assembling them.

Northcutt recently spent several days in vicinity of Monahans where he found valuable Indian arrow heads, grist grinding stones and other specimens. Some of the relics were unearthed at scene of a famous Indian fight with a wagon train bound for California during days of the famous gold rush.

SMILING MEXICAN GROOM PAYS MINISTER 50 CENT FEE FOR NUPTIAL KNOT

The Rev. Wallace Jones, pastor of First Christian church, may not be reducing marrying fees on his own volition, but nevertheless the minister admits that the price slumped in one instance.

A Mexican couple sought out the minister at his home the other day and after presenting the legal document exacted by the State to wed, announced their wish to be married. "Certainly, with pleasure," Rev. Jones came back with a broad smile spreading over his face. The groom looked prosperous and here was promise of a nice fee to boost the preacher's Christmas spending money.

"How much?" interrogated the Mexican in broken English after that the vows had been taken.

"Oh, we have no set charge. Just what ever you care to give," came reply from the minister, along with more smiles. "Thanks," said the newly wedded one as he handed the preacher a fifty cent piece and taking his bride by the arm marched away.

CITY GETS HIGH MARK IN DAIRY SANITATION

Charley Farris, city sanitation officer, received a letter early this week from the dairy supervisor of the State Department of Health congratulating him and the city of Colorado on having attained a dairy sanitation grade high enough to place this city on the National Dairy honor roll for 1934.

Such high rating, involving an enforcement percentage of 98 1/2 %, is the result of persistent efforts on the part of the city sanitation department and whole-hearted cooperation on the part of the city's dairymen, Farris states.

"I'm satisfied in knowing that the children of Colorado have a generous supply of good, pure milk," Farris said in speaking of the matter. "There's no question about the difference between the milk which meets state health requirements and ordinary raw milk."

BANK TO CLOSE AT ONE SATURDAYS AFTER JAN. 1

The City National Bank announces that it will return to its closing hour of one o'clock on Saturdays after the first of the year.

Country Club's Holiday Dance Friday Night

The holiday dance of the Colorado Country Club will be held Friday evening, according to announcement made this week by Jake Merritt, member of the club's entertainment committee.

Music for the dance will be furnished by Wilson Humber and his orchestra, who have been playing at the Settles Hotel in Big Spring and who played for the Christmas Eve dance there.

MITCHELL RANCHERS HAVE HOPE FOR BETTER CATTLE QUOTATIONS ANOTHER YEAR

Washington Forecast Brings Smiles To Producers of Colorado Territory

Renewed hope that the New Year would be attended with better conditions for the livestock industry was expressed by Mitchell county ranchers this week when their attention was directed to statement by the Department of Agriculture at Washington promising material advances in market quotations before the passing of many months.

Livestock producers may look for higher prices during next year as a result of the sharp curtailment in production and the widespread slaughter during recent months, summary of the statement outlined. The department predicted that the price increase over level for 1934 is likely to be relatively greater for lower grade cattle than for the better grades, especially during latter part of 1935.

A large part of the reduction in number of cattle has been due to the Government slaughter which is expected to reach 7,500,000 head when the present program is completed, although the total slaughter for the year will be 15,500,000 head, more than 2,000,000 greater than 1933. The Government's spending program for the cattle alone will total almost \$116,000,000, and practically as much more for processing. The meat is used in connection with the relief program.

Government officials have been considering the probable effect of the heavy Government slaughter on the price of beef to the consumer. Even though the Government had not gone into the problem as a relief measure millions of cattle would have perished in the drought sections for the want of both feed and water, so that the cattle population, so to speak, would have registered a sharp reduction.

REDUCED SUBSCRIPTION RATES HAVE BUILT THE RECORD MAILING ROSTER

Reduced subscription rates that during the last few weeks have been offered by publishers of The Record and some of the daily newspapers have served to boost circulation of this newspaper to a new high total, reference to revised mailing lists at the office will show. The special clubbing combination offers are to expire next Monday, unless extensions are announced and this is not expected.

Hundreds of citizens of the Colorado territory have taken advantage of the special one dollar a year rate offered by this newspaper. During the past thirty days more new readers have been added than during any previous similar period in several years.

CORPORATION ORGANIZED BY FORMER CITIZENS IS LIQUIDATING OBLIGATION

The Apollo Oil Company, organized a few years ago by George Henshaw and M. S. Goldman, former resident citizens of Colorado, is paying all its debts to stockholders, information given in a San Angelo newspaper outlines.

The corporation was listed among the strong independent oil concerns before the effects of the depression forced it to the wall. In addition to returning funds paid in by its fifty stockholders, receiver for the concern announces that interest at the rate of six percent is to be paid on those investments.

NEWSPAPER MEN MADE LIONS CLUB MEMBERS

Lennis W. Baker, publisher, and H. Y. Price, Jr., editor, of the Colorado Times, Friday were elected to membership in the Lions Club. Baker came into the service organization on transfer from the Lubbock Club and the other applicant was received as a cub.

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I would appreciate reports of all social and club meetings, as early as possible, and all such reports must be phoned in not later than Wednesday afternoon each week.

Plainview Club Has Christmas 42 Party

Maximizing their year's work, members of the Plainview Home Demonstration Club had their husbands and guests at a forty-two party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Jones last Wednesday evening.
High scores were made by Mrs. B. B. Howell and Tommie Aycock. Large sticks of candy were given each of them as prizes.
Sandwiches, cookies, hot chocolate, coffee and candy were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Howell, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Aycock, Mrs. Mary Boutler, Misses Elisabeth and Mary Jane Aycock, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Franklin, Lloyd Smith, and Tommie Aycock.

Mrs. Guitar's Pupils Presented in Recital

Highly successful was the recital by Mrs. Guitar's pupils last Friday evening. About twenty-five children had part in the program, which was witnessed by fifty invited guests.
Those presented on the varied program, which included costume skits, violin and piano numbers and enjoyable piano novelties, were:
Lola Lee Seiliner, Dorothy Dawson, Elsie Ann Smith, Fern Guernsey, Iva Helen Lee, Martha Bohannon, Elizabeth Bedford, Ronald Pritchet, Irvyn Terry, Sidney Terry, Alice Bibbey, Douglas Bibbey, Richard O'Brien, Robert O'Brien, Nina Rudine, Violet Elliott, Sara Guitar, Frances Wade, Velma Lowe, Theda Howell, Jane Merrill, Irma Lou Merrill, Don Guitar, Weldon Hunt, Billy Morgan, Frances Pelfry, Billy Marsh, and Frances Winn.
After the recital punch was served in the dining room, where a Christmas tree surrounded by gifts for the pupils centered the lace-covered table.

Iris Lovejoy Has Birthday Dinner

A four-course six o'clock dinner marked the eleventh birthday of Iris Lovejoy Wednesday of last week.
The four tables where the guests were seated were covered with red and green. Christmas trees, also in red and green, were place markers and favors. The honoree's mother, Mrs. Bob Lovejoy, was assisted in serving by Mrs. Benton-Templeton and Marie O'Brien. The birthday cake, which was white with pink and blue candles and "Happy Birthday" in pink icing, was served with the dessert course of red and green jello.
Guests were Josephine Held, Dorothy Jim Harvey, Marion Britton, Phyllis Berman, Harold Berman, George Hyatt, Billie True Templeton, Ida Doss, Blanche Motley, Mary Frances Dorn, Mary Price, Mary Jane Kinard, Nat Mann, Clay Mann Smith, and Billie Don Craig.

Mrs. and Mrs. Cecil Lanier, who came from Laredo for Christmas in Colorado, were accompanied by Mr. Lanier's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Lanier of Arkansas, who have been visiting them in Laredo. All left Tuesday night for San Antonio.

Miss Stonerod Dinner Hostess Preceding Dance

Preceding a trip to the Settles Hotel ball in Big Spring Christmas Eve, eight couples were entertained by Miss Virginia Stonerod at a buffet style dinner Monday evening.
A white Christmas tree surrounded by white tapers and silver leaves on a reflector centered the table, where guests were served.
Those present included Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hamburg of Oklahoma City; Misses Alice Blanks, Loyce Price, Kaeck Price, Nelle Harper Greene, Virgie Powell, Margaret Cook, and Stonerod; Messrs. Rod Bennett, Joe Earnest of New York, A. J. Woodward, Farris Lippis, Doug Brennan of Dallas, William Greene, and Joe Pond.

Coleman Guests Are Honored With Tea

Honoring Mrs. P. C. Coleman's and Miss Mildred Coleman's holiday house guests, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Burchard of South Pasadena, California, and Dr. and Mrs. Reaves Coleman of Washington, D. C., Mr. and Mrs. Roy Buchanan entertained a few guests at tea Sunday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Coffey of Big Spring and Miss Marion Grant of Wollville Nova Scotia, holiday guests of Miss Mabel Smith, were out of town guests. Other callers included Miss Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Smith, Mrs. Lula Mae Carlton, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smoot, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dawes, Mrs. R. H. Looney, and Miss Katie Buchanan.
Assisted in serving toasted cheese sandwiches, cookies laid in white and red, nut bread, and tea.

Scarboroughs Have Dinner-Bridge Party

A group of friends were entertained with dinner followed by bridge at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Scarborough last Thursday evening.
The Christmas motif was used in house decorations and in table appointments for the games of contract. Lee Lavendera made high score for me and was given linen handkerchiefs. Mrs. Lavendera received bath salts as high score prize for women.
Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Lavendera, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Dorn, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Willbanks, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilson, and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Rector.

Andersons Have Open House Christmas Day

Open house was held by Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Anderson from nine until twelve Christmas morning for about twenty-five or thirty callers.
Lavish Yule decorations gave the home a Christmas air. A red geranium and red tapers in Dresden candleholders centered the table, which was covered with lace over green satin.
Callers played games or not as they wished. They were served with salted nuts, stuffed dates, candies, eggnog and wines.
Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Watson, who were married last week in Abilene, have been visiting Mr. Watson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watson, this week.
Mr. and Mrs. John E. Watson and daughters spent Christmas Day in Spur.

Business Women Have Gift Exchange Party At Home Of Mrs. McSpadden

Exchanging gifts through their annual Christmas tree and enjoying an evening of games, the Business and Professional women had their Christmas party at the home of Mrs. A. L. McSpadden Friday evening. Mrs. McSpadden and Mrs. Bob Petrecek, composing the emblem committee in charge of meetings this month, were hostesses.
White roses and chrysanthemums were decorations in addition to the lighted Christmas tree, and wreaths. Table appointments were in the Christmas motif.
Both bridge and 42 were played. In bridge Miss Meta Mae Mackey made high score, receiving as prize a box of candy. Miss Sallie Miller was

high in 42, and she was given a toilet set for a travelling bag. Each player catching a trick with a deuce was given a package from the tree.
High point in the evening's merriment came when the gifts were passed and Mrs. Ida Kirschbaum found hers to be a donkey labelled "To Mandy."
Fruit cake and coffee were served to the following: Miss Davis, Miss Gladys Mitchell, Miss Hattie Tankersley, Mrs. Iona Jones, Miss Lillian Pond, Mrs. Anna Ferguson, Mrs. Maude Tiner, Mrs. Myrtle Crowder, Miss Sally Miller, Mrs. Marie Grable, Mrs. Kirschbaum, Mrs. Alice Berman, Mrs. Minna Berman, Miss Elizabeth Kirkpatrick, and the hostesses.

Christmas Banquet Marks Close Of Year For Members Zetagathian Club

A Christmas banquet at the Colorado Hotel followed by bridge at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dorn marked the close of the Zetagathian Club year last Friday evening. Husbands of members were guests.
Banquet tables, gleaming under Christmas lights, were arranged in the shape of a horseshoe. The central table decoration, directly in front of the president's chair, was a tiny Christmas tree on a reflector. Lengths of ivy trailed from the tree across the reflector to pine cones, and the entire centerpiece was dusted with snow which glistened in the light of red and white Christmas tapers. Other lengths of ivy trailed along the table to smaller centerpieces set at intervals and made up of reflectors, pine cones, and snow. A lighted Christmas tree stood on a separate table.
Mrs. Jack Richardson, president of the club, was master of ceremonies. Brief talks by the husbands made up most of the impromptu program. Mrs. E. A. Dierdorff suggested in his talk that the club should give a vote of thanks to Mrs. Sam Majors, who sponsored its organization and who was a banquet guest. The club acted on his suggestion and Mrs. Majors responded with a short talk.
After the banquet the club members and their guests went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dorn, where Christmas decorations featured American Beauty roses, poinsettias, and red and green table covers, for bridge.
Dr. and Mrs. Harold Lindley made high score, prize for which was a black and white ivy bowl; Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Lockhart made low, receiving two nut bowls.
Guests of the evening were: Mr. and Mrs. Jake Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Bush, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mackey, Mr. and Mrs. Bob May, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Logan, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Lockhart, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Dierdorff, Dr. and Mrs. Harold Lindley, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dorn, Mr. and Mrs. Randolph McIntyre, Mr. and Mrs. Don Wallace, Mrs. Mary Lee Tidwell, Mrs. L. G. Mackey of Midland, and Mrs. Sam Majors.

Quail Dinner At J. M. Doss Home Is Aftermath Of Successful Day's Hunt

Aftermath of a successful quail hunting expedition by J. M. Doss and Joe Mills was the quail dinner given at the Doss home last Saturday evening.
Silver was featured in the Christmas house decorations. Bowls of silver flowers and ornaments were set about the rooms and there were silver wreaths. The table where the food was placed for the buffet style dinner was centered with a crystal bowl containing fruit. It was surrounded by silver leaves and lighted by burning red tapers.
In the games of contract following the dinner B. J. Baskin made

men's high score, receiving as prize a Coty shaving set. Mrs. Bert Robinson of Sunray made high for women and was given Yardley's perfume. W. L. Doss, Jr., was given a deck of cards for low among men and Mrs. Doss received the same for low among women.
Those present were Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Baskin, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Jones, Mr. and Mrs. John Watson, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Doss, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Price, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Snyder, Mrs. Robinson of Sunray, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Whiskey, and the hosts and hostesses.

Members Art Club Hostesses To Tea And Exhibit At King Home Tuesday

Paintings done by members of the Art Club in the past two years were exhibited at a tea given in the home of Mrs. A. F. King last Thursday afternoon. It was the club's first exhibit since February 1932.
Blooming Christmas plants, mistletoe, and cedar were featured in the decorations which gave the home a Yule atmosphere. Greenery was arched over the doorways leading from the reception room to the dining room and the exhibit room. A lighted Christmas tree stood in the reception room.
Guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. Jeff Dobbs, president of the club. Mrs. Carl Moore presided over the register, and Mrs. Steve Westfall conducted callers into the exhibit room.
Thirty-nine pictures in oil painted by eight members of the club were shown. The eight members exhibiting were Mrs. A. F. King, Mrs. D. M. Logan, Mrs. L. A. Costin, Mrs. Dobbs, Mrs. Westfall, Mrs. Moore, Miss Juanita Cook, and Miss Margaret McComas.
Mrs. Logan poured tea from a

gold service in the dining room. The service stood on a table laid with cream lace and centered with a small Christmas tree flanked by tall red tapers and bowls of mints and Christmas candies. Mrs. King and Mrs. Costin assisted Mrs. Logan in serving.
The following program was given: piano numbers by Mrs. Lurline McCressless; song, "Drifting With You," Mrs. Charles Moerer; reading, Mary Lou Logan, tap dance, Marian Latham, with Mrs. E. L. Latham accompanying; reading, Doris Flo Doss; piano number, Mrs. Carl Moore; reading, Miss Sybil Dobbs, with Mrs. McCressless playing a soft piano accompaniment.
More than fifty guests registered in the book which had been made by Mrs. Westfall to cleverly represent a palette and brushes daubed with paint. Mrs. Westfall also made the little books containing the club's constitution and by-laws.
Two out of town guests were registered. They were Mrs. J. A. Boykin of Big Spring, a sister of Mr. Logan, and Mrs. L. O. Seamon of Houston, daughter of Mrs. W. W. Hatcher.

Mrs. Cal Wright Honored At Tea On Silver Wedding Anniversary

A surprise affair marking the Silver Wedding anniversary of Rev. and Mrs. Cal Wright of the First Methodist Church was the tea given at the home of Mrs. Oscar Majors in honor of Mrs. Wright on Wednesday.
Informality marked the gathering, which included a small number of invited guests.
As the guests assembled, Mrs. Oscar Price played several piano numbers. She later accompanied Mrs. N. H. White, who sang two solos. Verna Campbell gave a tap dance.
After the program Mrs. R. J. Wallace discovered that two packages of

the Christmas tree had been "overlooked" at the opening of gifts on Christmas morning. These were found to contain a silver cream and sugar set and a silver sugar shell for the honoree. The latter was a gift from Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Majors and the former from a number of the other women present.
Mrs. Wallace poured tea at a table covered with Normandy lace and lighted by red tapers in poinsettias. Fruit cake and candy were served with the tea.
Guests included Mrs. J. G. Merritt, Mrs. E. H. Winn, Mrs. N. H. White, Mrs. Oscar Price, Mrs. Alvin Mhyre,

Woodrow Watson And San Benito Girl Married

The marriage of Woodrow Watson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watson of Colorado, and Miss Doris Cherry of San Benito took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Treat in Abilene last Friday evening at 6:30.
J. W. Treat, member of the Abilene Christian College faculty, performed the ceremony before an improvised altar of greenery at the fireplace in the Treat home. The bride and groom were unattended. The ring ceremony was used.
Those witnessing the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watson and Miss Elizabeth Watson of Colorado, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Treat, Mrs. J. W. Treat, and Leslie Treat.
Mr. Watson is a graduate of Colorado High School and of Abilene Christian College. He is now teaching in Goldthwaite, where he and Mrs. Watson will make their home.
Mrs. Watson, daughter of Mrs. T. M. Cherry of San Benito attended A. C. C., where she and Mr. Watson met.
Mr. and Mrs. Watson have been visiting here a portion of this week.

Small Dinner Party At Lavendera Home

Three tables of bridge were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lavendera Wednesday evening. Dinner, served at quartet tables centered with red candles in red poinsettia holders, preceded the games.
High score was made by Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wainett, who were given a "double" deck of cards.
Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Winnett, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Stagner, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Porter, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Howell, and Mr. and Mrs. Dell Barber.

Mr. and Mrs. John Watson Have Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Watson entertained a group of friends with a buffet supper followed by bridge Wednesday evening. Chrysanthemums were house decorations.
Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Price, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Jones, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Doss, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mills.
Both high scores were made by Mr. and Mrs. Mills and both lows by Mr. and Mrs. Price.

Frank Robinson Married Dec. 8 In New Mexico

Of interest to many Coloradans who knew him when he was a resident of Colorado during early years of his life will be news of the marriage of Frank Robinson, son of Mrs. W. F. Robinson of Colorado, to Miss Adelaide Southwick of Washington, D. C., in New Mexico on December 8.
Robinson, who is a brother of Mrs. Bun Pritchett and Mrs. G. Y. Harrison, was reared and given his early education here. At present he is assistant to Harry F. Blaney, irrigation engineer and consultant to the State Administration of the FERR in New Mexico. He is a graduate of the New Mexico School of Mines at Socorro.
The marriage took place in Berges Hill, New Mexico. Mrs. Robinson is the daughter of Mrs. I. J. Hiller of Bay City, Michigan. She was educated in the George Washington University in Washington, D. C.
An account of the wedding appeared in the Albuquerque Journal for December 15.

Pupils Of Mrs. E. L. Latham In Recital

Pupils of Mrs. E. L. Latham were presented in a pre-Christmas recital at her home Friday afternoon.
The program was as follows:
Pigeon's "Waltz," Ethel Sue Dawson; Haydn's "Allegretto," Joan Mills; Blake's "Little Canoe," Mary Ann Latham; Blake's "Drum Corps," Frances ose Ratliff.
Bach's "Bource" and Mozart's "Minuet," Marion Britton; Mattingly's "Waltz," Phyllis Berman; "School March," violin solo by Tommy Ratliff accompanied by Alfred Edgar Maddin; "Military March," Billy Margaret Gregory; "Soldier's Song," Billie True Templeton; Thompson's "Midnight Express," Alfred Edgar Maddin; musical reading, "My Doll," Frances Rose Ratliff.
Burton's "Apple Blossoms," Mary Price; Verdi's "La Dohna e Mobile," J. T. Williamson; "Mazurka," Nancy Price; Heim's "Silver Nymph," Frances Mackey; Brahms' "Waltz," Robert Earl Wulffjen; "Dance Caprice," Mary Elizabeth Pidgeon.
After the program the pupils had their Christmas tree, exchanging gifts by drawing names.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Petrecek spent Christmas with relatives at Meeker, Oklahoma.
Mrs. R. J. Wallace, Mrs. E. A. Barcroft, Mrs. A. C. Anderson, Mrs. Bruce Campbell, Mrs. Ed Majors, Mrs. J. M. Doss, Mrs. J. L. Pidgeon, Mrs. H. C. Landers, Mrs. D. C. Hordickson, Verna Campbell, and the honoree.



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NEW YEAR GREETINGS

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Your 1935 Calendar Is Here

COLORADO DRUG COMPANY

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Dawes Have Their Annual Open House On Christmas Day

Following a custom which they began several Christmases ago, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Dawes held open house for a number of their friends Christmas afternoon.
Mistletoe and ivy were featured in the Christmas appointments throughout the home. Red roses and red candles gave a holiday note to the tea table, where fruit cake, Christmas cookies, candies, and tea were served. Tea was poured from a pewter pot 100 years old.
Callers were R. N. Gary, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Stonerod, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smoot, Mrs. H. B. Smoot, Miss Mildred Coleman, Dr. and Mrs. Reaves Coleman of Washington, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Burchard and Alice Burchard of South Pasadena, California, Mr. and Mrs. J. Riordan, Miss Nellie Riordan, Miss Mammie Riordan, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Greene, Mr. and Mrs. Cub Wheeler of Dallas; Mrs. W. M. Elliott, Miss Hennie Merriwether, Mr. and Mrs. John Brown, Col. and Mrs. C. M. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Buchanan, Mrs. J. A. Buchanan, Miss Katie Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ralph Lee, Miss Martha Earnest, Mr. and Mrs. Don Sivalis of Midland, Joe Earnest of New York, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Smith, Mrs. Lula Mae Carlton, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Johnson of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Beall of Coleman of Washington, Mr. and Mrs. Lubbock.

News of Miss Stonerod's Marriage In Dallas Surprises Friends Here

News of the marriage of Miss Virginia Stonerod to John Clark Wilder in Dallas Wednesday evening came as a surprise to her wide circle of friends in Colorado.
Miss Stonerod left Colorado on Christmas Day to spend the remainder of the holidays with friends in Dallas and Austin. The marriage took place at the Presbyterian parsonage in Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Wilder were in Austin Thursday and planned to come on to Colorado for a visit later during the week.
Mr. Wilder's mother is Federal and State relief administrator of the state of New Hampshire. His home is in East Ridge, New Hampshire, but he is now Texas representative of the Knox Glass Bottling Company of Jackson, Mississippi.
He and Miss Stonerod met in State University, where Miss Stonerod received her degree. She is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Stonerod and has been teaching in Colorado public schools this year. Her father is active vice-president of the City National Bank, and Mrs. Stonerod is a member of the D. N. Arnett family, prominent in Colorado history, both past and present.

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Last Rites For A. B. Maxfield Held Wednesday

Last rites for A. B. Maxfield, 77, former Colorado resident who died in Big Spring Tuesday evening, were held in Colorado Wednesday afternoon. Burial was in the Colorado cemetery beside Mrs. Maxfield, who also died on Christmas six years ago. Death followed a week's illness. Maxfield was making his home with his daughter, Mrs. T. E. Rossen, when he suffered the fatal stroke. The following facts concerning Mr. Maxfield's life appeared in the Big Spring Herald Wednesday: Mr. Maxfield was born in Illinois August 24, 1863 and had lived here since 1914. For many years he had been engaged in the taxi cab business in Big Spring. Surviving him are one son, W. B. Maxfield of Big Spring, and two daughters, Mrs. S. H. Whitten of Snyder and Mrs. Rossen of Big Spring. He leaves 10 grand children. A brother, W. E. Maxfield, lives in Fort Worth. Colorado funeral arrangements were in charge of Kiker and Son.

Corpus Pirates And Sandies To Play At Dallas

Amarillo and Corpus Christi high schools, finalists in the Texas football race, will play the championship game in Dallas next Saturday, it has been decided. The battle for the high school championship will take place in Fair Park stadium, starting at 2:30 P. M. Dallas was selected for the game after officials of the two schools considered invitations from Houston, Fort Worth, Austin and Tyler. They announced that Dallas had been awarded the game because Fair Park is the largest stadium in the state and is the only field aside from Kyle field at College Station that can be covered in case of rain before game time. Dallas also is approximately the same distance from both Amarillo and Corpus Christi. The selection was made at a meeting in Fort Worth. Corpus Christi was represented by M. P. Baker, principal, and Bobby Cannon, coach. Amarillo was represented by W. A. McIntosh, superintendent of schools, Charles M. Rogers, assistant superintendent, T. G. Hull, business manager of athletics, Fancher Upshaw, member of the board of education and Blair Cherry, coach. Fort Worth made a strong bid for the title game, offering the Texas Christian University field for the contest, but Amarillo turned thumbs down on that proposition. Amarillo twice has lost the championship on that field, and considers it somewhat of a jinx.

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Anyone caught hauling wood out of Spade pasture will be prosecuted.
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The White Elephant and Bell pastures are posted according to law. No hunting, wolf-chasing, or wood-hauling allowed. Any trespassers will surely be prosecuted.
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FOR SALE—5000 bundles of Maize and Kaffir corn. All with good grain. See it at my place 3 1/2 miles East Colorado. Ben C. Cook, Jan. 4-pd.
FOR SALE—A F-12 Farmall tractor and equipment in A-1 condition priced to sell, part cash, balance on terms. See this tractor at J. S. Franklin farm two miles east of Buford. J. D. Franklin. 1-4-pd.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—5 room brick house. Modern. See Bob Thompson or Mrs. W. L. Reese. Jan. 11-pd.
FOR RENT—One 4-room furnished house, all conveniences. See Lester Mannering at Keybrook or R. J. Wallace. 1-12.
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FOR RENT—Bedroom. Close in. Call at 605 Walnut or phone Mrs. Q. D. Hall.

WANTED

WANT TO BUY—A good blocky pony. Must be priced right. H. L. Baker, Route 1, Colorado. 1-12.
MAN WANTED for Rawleigh Route of 800 families. Write today. Rawleigh, Dept. TXL-50-SA, Memphis, Tenn. 12-28-pd.
FOR TRADE—House and lot for land. See Ruby McGill Dodge. 1-12.

CUTHBERT NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Fuller entertained with a luncheon Christmas Day. They had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Fuller and children of Pyote, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Williams and son of Trent, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Williams and Audrey Fae of Sparsburg, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Echols of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Buckalew and Sewell of Lamesa, Burnie Williams and sons of Lamesa, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Womack and Betty, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pond and children, Mrs. W. H. Pond and Earl of Cuthbert.
Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ritchey and family spent Christmas Day visiting at Dorn.
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Turnage are spending the holidays visiting relatives in East Texas.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Crowder entertained some of the little folks with a Christmas tree in their home Monday night.
Mrs. Guthrie of Westbrook visited her daughter Mrs. A. B. Erwin and family Monday and Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Torn spent Christmas with relatives near Stanton.
Woodrow Allen of John Tarleton visited his parents over the Christmas holidays.
Mrs. E. R. Byruss and Pansy visited Mrs. Julia Guinn and family Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Byruss and family, Miss Sybil Alford of Mission are spending the week with relatives and friends here.

ABSTRACTS
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George Mahon Getting Settled For His Duties As Congressman Of This District

The Record has received the following communication from George Mahon, congressman-elect from the 19th Texas district:
Yesterday I was more than delighted to receive your letter entitled "As the Gossips have it." We arrived in Washington Tuesday morning. We received a wonderful reception—a large number of the colored inhabitants of the town were down at the train to meet us—dressed in red caps in honor of the occasion. They were very courteous in every way and seemed more than anxious to carry our baggage. They seemed very much impressed with the laundry basket which Ralph Lee furnished me as a shipping bag—I think it helped my social standing and let them know at once that I was probably connected with Congress.
I haven't been able to get my quota of hamburgers since leaving home but hope to get better located soon. I could not get them on the train coming up but was liberally supplied with buttermilk on the diner at the very modest sum of 15c per glass or \$2.40 per gallon. I am sorry now that I sold my milk cows to the government.
We spent yesterday at the New Willard Hotel while looking about for a permanent place to live during the session of Congress. We really would like to have looked longer but checked out of the Willard this afternoon in as much as Joe Snoot and Mr. Stoneroad were not available to take care of the financial end. We now have a modest little housekeeping apartment in the Roosevelt Hotel. There are about 30 congressmen and 3 senators who live here. R. E. Thomson and wife, our present Congressman from El Paso, live across the hall from us and have been visiting with us this evening.
By the way, Governor-elect Jimmie Allred, and wife rode the same train with us from Dallas to Washington. We had them as our guests at supper in transit from St. Louis to Washington. I asked him to give all my friends a good job and of course he said he would (if he could).
You refer to me in your note as the Loraine farm boy. That suits me fine. I haven't felt any maize chaff down my neck since arriving in Washington, but drops of rain ran off my hat and down my shoulder today. It has been raining nearly all day in Washington. We have witnessed several strange sights since leaving home but this thing called rain has been about the strangest thing we have seen. We did not know there were as many umbrellas in the world as we have seen today. Some of the near kin gave our daughter Daphne a little money before we left fearing that she would not be properly fed and clad. She borrowed a dime extra from me and spent her all for an umbrella. She had never seen one before.
I did not get down to the House Office Building until this afternoon. We have established our office temporarily in the Agriculture Committee room.—Thanks to Hon. Marvin Jones.
The Texas delegation seems to be well known and well liked in Washington. This afternoon I had a little visit with Martin Dies, Congressman from Orange, Texas, who was born at Colorado. He is the youngest member of the Texas delegation. I am his senior by two months. I also visited Congressman Cross of Waco, Luther Johnson of Corsicana, Wright Patman of Texarkana, Tom Blanton of Abilene. Tomorrow I shall call on Congressman Morgan Sanders and discuss with him my prospective committee assignments. He is the Texas member of the Ways and Means Committee which has to do with committee assignments. I have also arranged to be introduced to Mr. Garner and Senator Sheppard tomorrow. I think Senator Connally is out of town. If possible I want to see Mr. Farley this week and try to enlist his aid in trying to get the Colorado P. O. building constructed according to the original plan which will call for an additional outlay of about \$2600.00. Jim Greene and Joe Frazer gave me the facts with refer-

Transportation Checks Ready For School Trustees

Trustees of the following school districts are requested to call at the office of the county superintendent immediately to get checks for the last half of last year's transportation for high school pupils:
Dorn, Spade, Little Sulphur, Bau-man, Landers, and Hyman.
Those to whom the checks are payable are to secure them through the trustees of their district.

COLEMAN PUPILS IN CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

One hundred children's voices sang a cantata which featured the Coleman School program, "The First Christmas in Song and Story," presented at the high school auditorium last Thursday afternoon. Preceding the cantata a short varied program was given. Christmas carols were played by four violinists, Sara Guitar, Weldon Hunt,

Relief Rolls Ordered To Drop All Unemployable Persons On February 1

Orders have been received by J. H. Greene, county relief administrator, to drop all unemployable relief subjects from his rolls February 1. This means, Greene interprets, that the care of destitute people unable to work and with no one to work for them will fall upon the city and county. Greene has also been given orders not to hire men over 65 for work on relief projects unless on a special permission issued by the state relief commission. Families containing one or more employable persons will be retained on the relief rolls. Greene estimates that this order means that approximately 10 families now receiving relief through the Mitchell County relief office will be dropped from the rolls and their care turned over to the city and county.

ARNOLDS ARE MOVING TO MONAHANS SOON

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Arnold, who have lived here for the past several months, are to move to Monahans soon. Arnold is connected with the mechanical department of Mills Chevrolet. Mr. and Mrs. Arnold made a trip to Monahans Wednesday on business. Office supplies at The Record. Try a Record Want Ad.

WEEK OF Good Bargains



Just Before Inventory
To prepare for our inventory and a rearrangement of stocks for our 1935 business, the Red and White Stores are offering as After Christmas bargains many items of standard brand merchandise at reduced prices. It will pay you to take advantage of these bargains—Stock your pantry shelves now.



As we think over the generous way in which you have given us your support we are moved to thank all our patrons and friends for the good feelings shown us
As the New Year approaches we hasten to offer you our most sincere and heartiest wishes for a prosperous 1935, attended by a super-abundance of Good Will, Happiness and Well Being.
In a spirit of the greatest possible neighborliness we wish for you a New Year unclouded by care and brightened by all that is good.

Spuds 10 pounds 18c
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WESTBROOK NEWS

LOCAL AND PERSONAL NEWS ABOUT WESTBROOK AND VICINITY

MRS. C. E. DANNER, Correspondent

Mrs. C. E. Danner is also authorized to receive and receipt for subscriptions for The Colorado Record and to transact other business for Whipkey Printing Company. See her and take your County paper—The Record

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Polley of Mathis were guests of Mrs. Polley's sister Mrs. H. C. Guthrie, Thursday and Friday.

Residents E. H. Odum, J. W. Clawson and Lee Brown were visiting in Abilene Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Young and daughters left Friday for Ft. Worth to spend the Christmas holidays.

Sunt, and Mrs. E. H. Patterson and daughter, Miss Claire Patterson, left Saturday to visit in Cisco until after the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Terrell of Lubbock were guests in the I. W. Ramsey home Sunday.

Miss Robbie Hudson of Ysleta and Basil Hudson of Lubbock arrived Saturday to spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. James Willis of Crane visited relatives here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Morris of Abilene visited here Monday.

Miss Laverne Terrell of Lubbock was the guest of Miss Wilma Jean Berry Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Phillips of Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Gressett of Forsan were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Gressett Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Chester of Forsan were visitors here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Boston spent Christmas in Roscoe.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hudson of Crane were guests in the E. S. Hudson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Armstrong entertained as their guests Christmas Mr. and Mrs. Bert Armstrong of Lorena, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Armstrong of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Armstrong of Sweetwater and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Haller of Big Spring.

Miss Emilee and Ralph Ramsey of McMurry college are spending the Christmas holidays here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Ramsey.

Miss Mary Florence Van Horn who is attending school in Dallas spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Melba Van Horn.

Miss Ruby Hines of Baylor-Belton arrived Saturday to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hines.

Mart Cope and son of Clovis, New Mexico, spent Christmas here with his mother, Mrs. W. L. Cope.

Weldon Moore of Iran spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Lauderdale left Saturday to spend the holidays with relatives at Wayland and Throckmorton.

Miss Frances O'Kelly is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents in Abilene.

Miss Cora Ott left Friday night for her home at Thurber.

Further notes of color were added by the girls' evening gowns.

Chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. Otto Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Majors.

Out of town guests were Miss Allee Fletcher Mann, Miss Johnnie Bess Reed, Jack Sims and Gus Barr, all of Sterling City; McElroy Ray of Belton, who is visiting in Sterling City.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kern and children and Miss Eva Madill of Breckenridge were here for Christmas dinner with the family of Mrs. Olive Lipps at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Potter. Little Lola Olive Kern stayed to visit in the Lipps home until Friday.

Old 'Gang' Gets Together At Quinney And Dulaney Homes On Christmas Night

Reviving memories of high school days when they went places and did things together as a "gang," the following met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Quinney Christmas evening:

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Crockett, Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Maddin, Mrs. Joe Pollack of Los Angeles, California, Mrs. C. M. Herman of Amory, Mississippi, Glenn Despain of Amory, Mississippi, Miss Katie Buchanan, Miss Lottie Pritchett, Mr. and Mrs. Vance Phenix of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Dozier, Harry Ratliff and the host and hostess.

Once together, they decided to re-peat once more what was their favor-

ite custom of high school days—going to the Dulaney's. They found F. Dulaney, Miss Lula Mae Dulaney of Goose Creek, Miss Frances Dulaney of Brownsville, and Miss Emily Dulaney at home. Music by the Dulaney family and songs the "gang" used to sing were features of the entertainment there.

Later they went to the home of W. L. Doss, Jr., one member of the gang they'd been unable to locate earlier in the evening.

Before disbanding all registered in a book provided by Mrs. Quinney, and it is to be filled with reminiscences written by each of the number.

Kindergarten Children Presented In Mother Goose Program At Hotel

Portraying rhymes of Mother Goose, kindergarten pupils of Mrs. John Deffebach were presented in a program at the Colorado Hotel ballroom last Thursday afternoon at five o'clock.

Opening the program, Joan Mills played a piano solo and Marian Latham gave a tap dance with her mother at the piano. Following that each of the little pupils was presented in costume as some Mother Goose character or jingle.

Rodley Lee was Little Boy Blue, Dana Marie Merritt was Bo Peep, Norma Jane Richardson was "Mary, Mary, Quite Contrary," Irwin and Stanley Berman were Wee Willie Winkie and Ding Dong Dell, Mary Joe Gregory was Polly Flinders, Gil-

lian McIntyre was Miss Mary Etticoat, Reba Lee Mason was Little Miss Muffett, Charles Lane represented "To Market, To Market," Don Hopkins was Tommy Tucker, Nat Thomas was Diddle Diddle Dumpling, W. C. Davis, Jr., represented "Baa, Baa, Black Sheep," Patricia Ann Williams was Queen of Hearts, and Bobby Harold Moser was Little Jack Horner.

Mother Goose herself, played by Miss Margaret Cook, came into view as the program ended and said a few words about the pleasure of her rhymes have given children through the years.

The closing feature, a pajama drill led by Dana Marie Merritt, ended with a "Good Night and Merry Christmas to All."

Hennig Plans Big Schedule In Class A Rung Next Year

SWEETWATER — Sweetwater's Mustang football team will have opportunity to rival any other class A team in the state next year as far as inter-district tilts are concerned.

The withdrawal of McCamey and Colorado from the senior circuit Tuesday night, leaves only two conference games for the Ponies, with San Angelo and Big Spring.

According to the schedule worked out at a meeting of the district committee held in Big Spring Tuesday night of this week, the locals will play San Angelo there on the week-end before Thanksgiving, and the Big Spring Steers will play here on Turkey Day.

However, notwithstanding that his team will have only two district games, Coach Ed Hennig is planning to arrange an extensive schedule of probably 15 games with other class A and class B schools in West Texas.

Class A Abilene probably will be engaged from the Oil Belt, while Lubbock and Amarillo will be matched from the Plains area. Class B schools scheduled probably will be Colorado, Snyder, Roscoe, Hamlin, Roby and others.

Despite the fact that a boy can engage in only 10 games during the season and in only one game a week, Hennig is expecting a large squad out next year which will enable him to match more than the usual number of games.

There is slight possibility that the three schools remaining in district three will be transferred to other districts, since it would require revision of the entire state. There must be either 12 or 16 districts in order for the championship to be decided under the present system.

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Rogers Ramblings

A large crowd attended the Christmas program and musical recital at the school house Friday night. The gifts were distributed after the program and every pupil received presents. Everyone reported an enjoyable evening by exhibiting the Christmas spirit.

The trophies for the basket ball tournament have been ordered and they will be placed on display at the J. P. Majors Jewelry Store. The Colorado Drug Co. will present the cup for the winner of the girls and The Best Yet Cafe and J. P. Majors will give the cup for the winner of the boys division. Other prizes will be given.

Remember the date of the Rogers Rural Senior boys and girls tournament will be January 5.

The honor roll for the fourth month of school is as follows:

10TH GRADE	
Lena Mae Ritchey	94.4
Lauree Burford	91.6
Laverne Carpenter	91.15
"B"	
Claudine Barber	87.8
Leon Callan	85.75
Roy Sweatt	85
Ruby Gordon Coe	84.45
9TH GRADE	
Opal Wilson	88.66
8TH GRADE	
Harlen Barber	91.75
Irene Barber	90.1
"B"	
Lois Bynum	87.5
7TH GRADE	
Ray Ellis	91.1
6TH GRADE	
Jack Hamilton	94.3
5TH GRADE	
Hazel Green	96.1
Telitha Wood	93.6
Adeline Ellis	90.6

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Transfers in Real Estate:
R. T. Manuel to Mrs. Hattie Hughes; Lot 14, Block 1, Highland Park Ad. to Colorado; \$1.00 and other considerations.

Huron Gist et al. to State of Texas; 43/100 acres in 1/4 of 33-33-21-21, Block 25, T. 10 N. R. 10 E. Co. surveys; \$1.00.

C. L. Boyd et ux to H. W. King; NW 1/4 Sec. 11, Block 17, Southeastern Pacific Ry. Co. surveys; \$4,070.00.

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Featuring the holiday season for the younger set, especially those home from colleges and universities, was the dance given at the Colorado Country Club Wednesday evening by Miss Pauline Jones.

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CHURCHES

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Cal C. Wright, Pastor
We hope you had a merry Christmas and that your's will be a happy New Year. One way to make the New Year happy is to be a regular attendant at church.

Sunday School at 9:45 o'clock. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Epworth Leagues at 6:30 P. M. Evening worship at 7 P. M.

Joint meeting of Missionary Society Circles at 3 P. M. Monday. Midweek prayer meeting and choir meeting at 7:15 P. M. Wednesday.

You are invited to worship with us.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Next Sunday being the last of the year 1934 it seems altogether fitting that we spend it in worship and service. We should have a full attendance at all services throughout the day. Whether we have succeeded or failed in our Christian lives during 1934 is not of supreme importance, but have we done our best?

As pastor and family we can truthfully say this has been a very happy year. We are contented in our work and sincerely hope to make 1935 the most fruitful year of our ministry.

We are grateful to the church, as a congregation, to a number of departments, classes and individuals, for gifts and Christmas greetings during the holidays season.

Services will be held on regular schedule next Sunday.

Strangers and visitors always welcome.

DICK O'BRIEN, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Morning Prayer and Sermon 11 A. M.
Church School 9:45 A. M.
Visitors and members welcome.

ALEX. B. HANSON,
Minister-in-charge.

CATHOLIC SERVICES
Services to celebrate the passing of the old year and the coming of the new at St. Ann's Mission in Little Mexico have been announced by Rev. Innocencio Martin, Claretian missionary at St. Ann's. On next Sunday, December 30, high mass will be sung at 9:30 in the morning by the choir of Mary. Rosary on Monday will be at eight o'clock in the evening.

Rev. and Mrs. J. Edmund Kirby and son of Wheeler are visiting here this week with Mrs. Kirby's sister and brother, Mrs. Percy Bond and Jack Helton.

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Plans For Relief Being Studied By State Leaders

AUSTIN.—Work relief projects over the State approved Thursday by the engineering department of the Texas Relief Commission amounted to \$127,362, will provide employment for approximately 1,142 men daily and will require anywhere from ten to 100 days for completion.

The largest single allocation authorized was for work on Highway No. 28 between Muleshoe in Bailey County and the Lamb County line. It will employ 151 men daily.

The largest daily employment was authorized for rehabilitation of ninety houses in Leon County, where \$2,692.49 will be spent. This will be a thirty-day project employing 470 men daily. Other counties where houses will be rehabilitated are Nacoches, ten; Shelby, ten; Wood, fifteen; Hardeman, seven; Bowie, five; Bell, nine; Newton, ten; and Baker, six.

Other counties in which highway and other work has been authorized are: Van Zandt, eight men daily; Jack, twenty-eight; Knox, twenty; Lamar, ten; Llano, forty-six; Mills, eight; Reeves, fifteen; Schleicher, twelve; Case, forty-seven; Callahan, fifteen; Calhoun, twenty;

Caldwell, forty-two; Bee, eleven; Andrews, fifteen; Collin, seventeen; Webb, 101 and Winkler, ten.

In Lynn County two persons will be employed daily on a 100-day cooking and canning school project. A thirty-day sewing project for production of clothing for relief clients will employ eleven persons daily in Burnet County. Dallas County will have a shoe repair shop employing fourteen persons. In Coryell County ten men will be employed daily for thirty days to cut wood for distribution to relief clients.

Seven men will work for an indefinite period in Hidalgo County on a county-wide pest eradication project. Potter County will have pit toilets and septic tanks constructed, a project occupying fifty-four days and employing twenty-five men daily.

Several projects for work on schools were included in the authorizations. A new building to house the Sion School in Walker County will be constructed. Painting, papering and repair work will be done on the Rhineland, Hood and Dixon rural schools in Knox County. Other counties in which repair work will be done are Montague, Newton, Rockwall, Van Zandt, McLennan, Mills, Clay, Callahan, Potter, Denton and Victoria.

Relief Director Adam R. Johnson announced the selection of new administrators by county relief boards as follows:

Jefferson, H. K. McBeth, to succeed J. M. Williamson; Hill, Clyde Buchanan to succeed Walter R. Browne; Angelina, W. R. McMullen to succeed Mrs. Eva Sharpe; Jeff Davis, George W. Newton to succeed Mrs. Lillian Grubb; Dumas, Camp, W. H. Duca; Bexar, Marvin T. Bradford to succeed Guy Bonham.

Chairman of county boards were announced by the Board of Control as follows: Camp, F. W. Maddox; Bexar, Theo M. Plummer; Angelina, D. W. Thompson, and Jeff Davis, Barry Scobee.

All persons classed as unemployed will be removed from the Federal emergency relief rolls Feb. 1, it was announced Thursday by Malcolm J. Miller, field representative of the Federal Emergency Relief Administration, in Texas, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas and Oklahoma. The announcement came after a meeting of members of the Board of Control with Miller and Johnson.

"In fixing the effective date of this order, due consideration was given to the fact that in five of the six States, regular sessions of the Legislature will be held during January, enabling those bodies to take proper action to provide for the care of these dependents, where such provision is not now in existence," said Miller. "The relief administrations of these States will work in close cooperation with the State and local authorities in seeing that the transfer is made properly with the least possible inconvenience to these affected."

Defining an unemployed person, Miller said he is "one that is incapable of performing a day's work because of age or physical disability or those whose home and family duties render it impossible for him to work."

Johnson said the order might affect 20 per cent of the State's caseload, which totaled 270,530 for December.

Shift Cattle From Dry Area To Feed Location Is Plan

Pointing out that there is a surprising amount of surplus roughage feed in various parts of the country, James K. Wallace of Kansas City, senior marketing specialist of the United States Department of Agriculture—now loaned to the AAA—announced that the Government, cooperating with cattle interests, would attempt to shift cattle to where this food is held in order that an adequate number of animals can be saved for foundation stock.

Notwithstanding the hardships that have and still are being suffered by the cattle industry better times are ahead for those who can survive until spring, Wallace said at Fort Worth recently.

Many pedigreed animals have been sent to slaughter because of lack of feed. This is both deplorable and dangerous to the soundness of the industry, he made clear. With the vast amount of emergency slaughtering during the present year it is essential that all foundation stuff be saved so that an adequate supply of beef may be insured for the Nation.

"On Jan. 1, 1934, there were 67,000,000 head of cattle in the country. Indications are that by the end of this month the number will have been reduced by more than 10,000,000 head. In other words we have in one year slashed our meat producing facilities from a status of surplus to one of deficit. Balance must be brought about."

It is through a newly formed Federal cattle transfer plan that the feed animals in feedless territory will be shifted to the feed piled up in other regions.

Many farmers want to sell their feed by the ton and feed the cattle for the owner or permit him to send

pendent jacket out of later on.

When you skin a sheep once, is that the end of it? Or can they be skinned regularly like a human being? I have an old sheepskin in the office that I have been living off for twenty-seven years and I thought if I had a whole sheep I might do better.

I see in the paper there is lots of trouble about tariff on wool, so, if you can't pick me out a sheep that hasn't been in the wool, it might save me cleaning it when it gets home.

And another thing, don't send a U sheep, because they have signs on the street here that say you can't make a U-turn—and I wouldn't get to the office without turning.

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Sam Ashburn, in his "From the Top of the Windmill" column of The San Angelo Morning Times, prints a letter received by an Angelo commission company from a man in West Virginia who says he wants to go into the sheep business. It's plenty good, so we're passing it on to you.

Dear Sheep Company:

I understand you are selling sheep. I am quite interested; inasmuch as I am thinking I would like to get a sheep and go into the sheep business this summer.

I wonder if you have any sample sheep you give away, even a small one would be all right, as I have to keep it in my office until I can get some pasture for it, where I can put it out and have it pastured.

I would like a nice medium weight, all wool sheep, in stripes if you have them—one I can skin and make a

S. S. Campaign Jan. 6 To 11 Will Enlist Several Churches

More than twenty churches in the Mitchell-Scurey Baptist Association are expected to take part in the district-wide Baptist Sunday School educational and enlistment campaign to be conducted January 6-January 11, according to estimates made this week.

The campaign is to be under the direction of G. S. Hopkins, secretary of Sunday school work for the Baptist General Convention of Texas, and his assistant, G. W. Light. Both are from Dallas. They will maintain working headquarters in Colorado.

A change has been announced in the original plans to have Miss Kate Riley of Mary Hardin-Baylor College in charge of a corps of nine girls conducting classes in rural churches. Miss Riley was also to have taught the classes in the Colorado church. Dr. A. C. Gettys, head of the Bible department of Mary Hardin-Baylor, is to come here to lead the teaching force in Miss Riley's place.

The Rev. Dick O'Brien, pastor of the First Baptist Church, stated this week that his church invites Sunday school workers from other churches of the town to attend the classes conducted in Colorado. Study will cover Sunday school administration, teaching, departmental organization, and a Bible course.



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Sentiment Growing For Sales Tax, Is Belief At Austin

By RAYMOND BROOKS

AUSTIN.—In a tremendous build-up of sentiment for a state sales tax by interested people before the senate tax survey group, it is being made increasingly clear that an objective is to offset every call for new relief financing—specifically the proposed \$40,000,000 bond issue—that the requirement that it shall be paid off through sales tax levies.

Both open and covert advocates of the "tax on poverty" have left the hint that relief expenditures are of a different order than ordinary state governmental costs, in that time the benefits flow back to people who do not otherwise pay much taxes, and therefore create an obligation upon special beneficiaries of the government to pay back something to state support.

Dr. Jack Johnson of Denton answered that, in respect to salary items, by saying that if there is to be a drawback, ultimately the grant must include the return, so that the governing agency is no better off. Johnson opposed the sales tax on economic grounds.

It is too early for anyone to foresee definitely the taxation product of the next session. Several senators lean strongly toward the sales tax principle. The senate originates no tax bill, but can do all sorts of things to any that reaches it.

Conclusions on opinion may reach pretty close to the final outcome, and on that basis, some observers see this sort of situation:

1. The house will accept no general sales tax system for support of the government.
2. A constitutional amendment resolution for relief bonds or otherwise, is not subject to executive veto. Any extension relief financing, by bonds or work-creating taxation, must necessarily carry with it the means of paying the bill. The sales

tax plan will conceivably get much further along with respect to this one item than in any other relation. If embodied in a constitutional amendment, such an amendment, due to stress of necessity for relief financing, may achieve submission. If so, it will be on the basis that lawmakers allow the voters to pass on the fundamental issue of sales tax vs. other taxation. But if the voters should turn down the bond and sales tax amendment, then the relief situation would be acute and without further remedy than subsequent legislative action under present constitutional authority.

The sales tax agitation, both in purpose and scope, originally was rather adroitly masked, but as the senate committee pushed through to a focus upon conflicting policies, it was sketched in at last to distinct outline. There have been groups and interests actively fighting for it from a time even earlier than the

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LOCALS

Mrs. Clara Smith and her son-in-law, Frank Ramsdell, accompanied by Mrs. Hattie Hughes Smith, Mrs. C. M. Herman of Mississippi, and Mrs. Joe Pollack of Los Angeles, went to Cisco Sunday to meet Mrs. Glenn Despain and sons who were coming from Amory, Mississippi for the holidays with Mrs. Smith.

Jack Winfrey of Pecos was the guest of friends here during the holidays. Mr. Winfrey was formerly associated with the Colorado hotel.

Herman Lockhart, Jr., has returned to his home at Andrews after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Lockhart, Sr.

DECEMBER 31—The last day to subscribe on the Bargain Day Rate. Star-Telegram for a full year Daily with Sunday \$6.60. Daily without Sunday \$5.60. ROY L. FARMER, Agent.

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Clarence Heiman arrived Wednesday afternoon from Ranger, where he spent Christmas with his parents. Mrs. Heiman was here with her mother, Mrs. Clara Smith. They left Thursday morning for their home in Amory, Mississippi.

Mr. and Mrs. Obie Rice and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Dobbs Tuesday Wednesday. They were en route to their home in Arlington after spending Christmas in Midland.

Sam Majors and family and Judge A. J. Cox are spending the holidays in Roswell, New Mexico.

Mrs. Ara Brown of San Angelo spent last week-end with her daughter, Mrs. Bob May and family. Mr. and Mrs. May took her to Merkel Monday.

Joe Earnest, who is a member of the extension faculty of Columbia University in New York, is visiting his parents, Judge and Mrs. C. H. Earnest. Mr. and Mrs. Don Sivalls and daughter were here from Midland on Christmas day to make the Earnest family complete for Christmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob May and son spent Christmas in Hamlin with Mr. May's people.

Miss Laundry Smith was home from Odessa for Christmas Day. Pete Smith went after her and Sherrod took her back late Tuesday.

Miss Ardath Byrd, who teaches near Big Spring is here for the holidays.

Mrs. C. P. Conway and Mr. and Mrs. Dell Barber and daughter spent Christmas in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Spahan left Thursday for Houston after spending Christmas with Mrs. Seaman's mother, Mrs. W. W. Haucher. Mrs. Seaman visited here several days prior to Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Couchman and children of Gaines county came Saturday for Christmas with Mrs. Couchman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Chesney. They returned home Thursday. Mrs. Couchman will be remembered as Miss Jewel Chesney.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Smith and children of San Angelo were here for Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burt Smith and Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Richardson.

Christmas Day guests in the J. Ralph Lee home included Mr. Lee's sister, Miss Lelda Lee of Dallas, and the following members of Mrs. Lee's family from Childress: Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Biggerstaff, Jr., Mrs. E. L. Biggerstaff, Sr., and Miss Kate Biggerstaff. All the Christmas party but Mrs. Biggerstaff, Sr., left Wednesday. Miss Lee left Thursday morning.

Good weather and an improvement in the condition of their son, who had been ill, enabled Mr. and Mrs. Reagan Perkins and sons to be here for Christmas dinner with Mrs. Perkins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Terrell. They remained for a few days visit after Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pond and daughter, Elizabeth, spent Christmas in Roswell, New Mexico.

Miss Laura Louise Pearson is here from Gatesville for the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Pearson.

Miss Gladys Dorn left Wednesday morning for Houston after spending Christmas with her mother, Mrs. J. W. Dorn.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Baumgarten of Midland were Christmas guests of Mrs. Baumgarten's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hall of Lorraine.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lanier of Laredo spent Christmas with Mrs. Lanier's parents, Mr. and Mrs. McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gist left Wednesday morning for Henderson after spending Christmas with Mr. Gist's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Gist.

Mr. and Mrs. Landon Dorn of Abilene had Christmas with Mr. Dorn's mother, Mrs. J. W. Dorn.

Robert Whipkey of Abilene spent Christmas Day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Whipkey.

Miss Allie Merrill, who teaches in Fort Worth, and Miss Shell Merrill, who teaches in San Antonio, are spending the holidays with their mother, Mrs. Mattie Merrill. All three of them spent Christmas Day in Lamesa.

Ben and Luke Webb of Monahans spent Christmas with their sister, Mrs. Irvin Terry.

R. D. Wigley who on January 1 is to assume his work as clerk at the Scharbauer Hotel, Midland, returned from Midland last week to spend the holidays in Colorado. Wigley was associated with the Colorado hotel during the past 14 months.

Mr. and Mrs. John Deffebach left early in the week for Christmas in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cantrill have been spending this week in McKinney with relatives of Mrs. Cantrill.

Mrs. S. H. Millwee and her son, George Tate, left last Saturday to spend Christmas at points in New Mexico.

Miss Cleo Pritchett, who teaches in Dallas, is here for the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Pritchett.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Warren spent Christmas in Brownwood.

Mrs. W. B. Buchanan of Big Spring and her daughter, Miss Alta Buchanan of Commerce, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Whipkey.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Blackard visited their daughter, Mrs. J. Lee Griffith and family at Tullia over Christmas.

Letters from Mrs. Ford Merritt to friends state that her father is improving steadily following an operation last week.

Douglas Brennan arrived last Friday night for Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Brennan.

Miss Mary Broadus left Wednesday morning for Fort Worth after spending Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Broadus.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Baskin left early this week for Christmas in Lola and Cameron.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wilkins and Sonny left Saturday for Christmas in Stephenville.

Mrs. W. F. Robinson's Christmas guests were Mr. and Mrs. James Marvin Robinson of Monahans and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Soper of Sweetwater. Mr. and Mrs. Soper also visited Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Harrison.

Milton Bodzin is home from Texas Tech for the holidays with his parents.

Ben Lee Costin was winner of the Rebekah quilt given away Christmas Eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Cub Wheeler and daughter of Dallas are here for the holidays with Mrs. Wheeler's mother, Mrs. J. Max Thomas.

Miss Scottie Mae Hines of Texas College is spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Clyde Hines. They spent last Sunday in San Angelo.

Miss Virginia Stonerod left Christmas afternoon to visit in Wichita Falls and Austin the remainder of the holidays.

Miss Janice Wilkes of Midland is here for the holidays with her mother, Mrs. J. Wilkes.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McSpadden spent Christmas day in Sweetwater with Mr. and Mrs. Eberle.

Mr. and Mrs. Stoneham Beal had their daughter, Frances Ann of Dallas, and their son, Jimmie of Tyler, home for Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stewart and daughter of Comanche are here for the holidays with Mrs. Stewart's mother, Mrs. Hall Jarman.

Christmas guests of Misses Bess and Zella Adamson and their father were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Adamson and children of Coolidge, Miss Mattie Pearl Adamson of Marlin, Carl Reddell of Coolidge, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hines and daughter of Midland, James Adamson of Midland, and Miss Pat Crawford of Midland.

Out of town guests at Sunday dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Farris were Dr. J. W. Foy of Seymour, A. L. Foy of Rotan, Basil Foy of Dilley, Mrs. S. A. Farris of Lorraine, and Ira Bates of Lorraine.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Phenix and children of Houston are here for the holidays with Mrs. Phenix's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Richardson, and Mr. Phenix's mother, Mrs. N. J. Phenix.

M. O. Chapman of the Community Natural Gas Company was looking after business matters in Lorraine Friday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. Reeves Coleman arrived Saturday from Washington, D. C., to complete the holiday group in the home of Mrs. P. C. Coleman. Mr. and Mrs. Roland Burchard and children had already arrived on the previous Saturday from South Pasadena, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Donaldson were here from Wicket for Christmas Day with Mrs. Donaldson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith.

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The entire family of Mr. and Mrs. Lay Powell is home for the holidays. All arrived before Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Coulter coming from Washington, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Powell and children from Stanton, Mr. and Mrs. Son Powell from Stanton, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Tippett from Oklahoma City and Jinks Powell from T. C. U.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith and son of Midland were Christmas guests of Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vaught and Betty Sue had their Christmas in Electra with Mrs. Vaught's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Turner spent Christmas Day in Lorraine.

Be loyal, trade in Colorado.

Longfellow Locals

There was a Christmas tree at the schoolhouse Friday night and a good program was rendered. Everyone had a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Walker and family left Friday afternoon for Dawson, where they will spend the entire week visiting relatives and friends.

Geraldine and Florence McCarley who are attending Texas Tech, are home for the holidays.

Junton Hamrick is visiting relatives in East Texas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Moore and Ronald Clay visited his brother in Big Spring Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. McCarley and family had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hart and little son, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Snider and little son, Messrs. Fat Coles, Norman and R. H. Montgomery, Lowell Burleson, Claude Miller, Harvey Baker, T. A. Hart, Misses Era Coles, Cornelia and Mildred Montgomery, Inez and Ruth Snider.

Harvey Baker, who is attending A. C. C. at Abilene, is home for the holidays.

Mrs. W. A. Dulin, who has been seriously ill for sometime, still shows no improvement.

Rev. R. H. Montgomery filled his regular appointment at Canyon Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Montgomery and family ate Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Burleson and family.

Among those who visited Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Hart and family a while Sunday night were: Mr. and Mrs. A. K. McCarley and family, Norman, R. H. Cornelia, and Mildred Montgomery, LaValle Jones, Harvey Baker, and Claude Miller.

Mrs. L. D. Miller and Mrs. Claye Miller and little son are visiting relatives and friends in Ft. Worth this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Burke, Mr. and Mrs. Poe Burleson, and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Snider and little son, Charles Lamar, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hudson.

Mrs. E. W. Watlington, Oscar and Tom Watlington of Midland visited Mr. and Mrs. A. K. McCarley and family Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Watlington and sons also visited them a while Christmas night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Millington spent Christmas in Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Mason were in Fletcher, Oklahoma, for Christmas with relatives.

Christmas guests in the W. L. Doss, Jr., home are Mrs. Doss's mother and sister from Lampasas.

Mrs. Frank Herrington of San Angelo spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McDonald.

Bees sting only when annoyed, according to an agriculturist in the Bureau of Entomology.

The Peruvian cormorant is the most valuable bird in the world. It produces the rare guano.

The physique, clothing and cleanliness are at least a hundred fold better now than they were 30 years ago, and at least 50 per cent better than they were 11 years ago.

The advertisements are printed for your convenience. They inform, and save your time, energy and money.

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SHOW STARTS AT 7:15 P.M.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
December 28 and 29
BLUE STEEL
John Wayne

SUNDAY AND MONDAY
December 30 and 31
WICKED WOMAN
Mady Christians, Jean Parker, Charles Bickford

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY
January 1 and 2
SIX DAY BICYCLE RACE
Joe E. Brown, Maxine Doyle

THURSDAY
January 3
EMBARRASSING MOMENTS
Chester Morris, Marion Nixon

Miss Tiny Gracey of Roscoe and C. W. Farmer of Falls are holiday guests in the home of Roy Farmer and Miss Maude Farmer.

Mrs. Joseph Pollack arrived from Los Angeles, California, last Saturday morning for Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Clara Smith.

James Guitart, student in State University, and Hunt Guitart, student in N.T.A.C. at Arlington, are here for the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Guitart.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hamburg of Oklahoma City joined Mrs. Hamburg's parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Root, for Christmas at the Root home here.

Ask your groceryman for Carnation flour. None better. Every sack guaranteed. Ed Grubbs, Distributor, 12-28-c.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Chapman were in Sulphur Springs for Christmas Day with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Jacob of Rogers, near Temple, spent Christmas with Mrs. George Plaster and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Costin and children, Junior and Doris Dean, of Camp Springs spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hurdcastle and daughters.

Mrs. R. F. Hargrove, Miss Pauline Hargrove, and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Eudy had Christmas with R. P. Hargrove and family at Forsan.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Whipkey and daughters were in Big Spring Christmas Day for dinner with Mrs. Whipkey's people.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. D. Lane were in Colorado Saturday from their ranch home in Sterling county. The Lanes were resident citizens of Mitchell county for several years.

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Mr. and Mrs. B. Mills and daughter, Joan, spent Christmas in Anson.

Mr. and Mrs. McCord had their Christmas in Munday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Everett Staggs and Mrs. Lee Lavender spent Thursday afternoon in Big Spring.

Christmas day at his home.

Baxter spent Christmas Day in S...

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Ribbon Cane	Beet
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Flour	\$1.75
Matches	23c
Baking Powder	17c
Crackers	10c
Graham Crackers	23c
Stock Salt	45c
Salad Dressing	29c

MEATS

Pork Sausage	2 lbs.	25c
Beef Roast	Shoulder	12c
Bacon	Sliced	26c
Veal Loaf Meat	2 lbs.	15c
Pork Roast	pound	14c
Cheese	Full Cream	18c

Canned Vegetables

Tender Sweet Corn	No. 2 can	11c
Peas	American	25c
Fresh Lima Beans	Stokely's	15c
Beets	Stokely's Cut	11c
Mixed Vegetables	Stokely's	15c

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

Burbank Potatoes	Washed	10 pounds	19c
Apples	Wineap	2 dozen	35c
Bananas	Medium Size Fruit	Each	1c

SAFEWAY STORES

TRADE EXPANSION INDICATES BETTER DAYS ARE HERE

BUSINESS VOLUME TRENDS TO HIGHER LEVEL DURING THIS CHRISTMAS SEASON

Brisk Demand For Yule Gifts Brings Eager Shoppers To Local Stores, Shops

Merchants of Colorado report a material increase in trade volume during the holiday season over the same period a year ago. One department store manager stated late Monday that his business was forty per cent larger than last year. In some instances the estimate was higher; with others it was lower.

"We could have enjoyed a more extensive holiday business but for the fact we have practically sold out our Christmas stocks," was statement given to this newspaper Saturday night by manager of one of the pioneer business establishments. "It has been one of the best holiday seasons we have experienced in several years."

Farmers, cattlemen and their town neighbors engaged in commercial lines here are united in offering the prediction that continued improvement is to attend progress of the New Year. The former two classes are concerned, however, over the problem as to when it is going to rain to place sufficient moisture for starting another crop and bringing up Spring grass on the range.

W. L. DOSS, SR. SPENDS HOLIDAYS WITH FAMILY

W. L. Doss, Sr., pioneer Colorado business man, arrived Saturday night from Weatherford when he had been visiting with a sister and family, Dr. and Mrs. W. V. McKenzie. A few weeks ago Mr. Doss underwent major surgery at a Dallas hospital. He is doing well and enjoyed being home with members of his family for the holidays.

NO ACCIDENTS REPORTED HERE DURING CHRISTMAS

Colorado passed the Christmas holidays with no accidents reported, it was indicated Wednesday morning. Several violent deaths, however, came to mar the holiday festivities in other parts of the state. Local police report few disturbances during the holidays.

Ministers In Amusing Role As Surgeons Bring Laughter To Lions Club Members

One of the most ridiculous as well as amusing programs presented on bill of the Lions Club was portrayal of a hospital scene Friday by three Colorado ministers and a lumber dealer.

Rev. Dick O'Brien, pastor of First Baptist church, played the part of the surgeon. Rev. Alex B. Hanson of All Saints' Episcopal church, was his nurse assistant and Rev. Wallace Jones of First Christian church was the victim. Role of the undertaker was carried by C. L. Gray, manager for Rockwell Bros.

Jones, staggered into office of the surgeon to interrupt consultation between the doctor and his most attractive young aide. The visitor, roughly dressed and ragged, broke the silence through a series of loud groans. He was seriously ill, somewhere, and insisted that he have relief.

After a brief consultation the man was forcibly placed atop the operating table. The nurse gave him an

anesthetic, by administering blows from a large hammer in region of the head. Long butcher knives, hack saws, a cleaver, and other instruments were brought into play and the operation was on.

The man's liver, appendix, heart and other vital organs were taken out and after examination by the doctor and nurse deposited in a zinc tub. Finding nothing abnormal in the man's body, the hack saw and cleaver were brought into play and head of the patient opened. They found a silver dollar imbedded in his brain.

"There is the trouble," exclaimed the surgeon in glee. "The man has been suffering from depressionitis. I am confident that 115,000,000 of the 120,000,000 people of America have the same trouble."

Among things found in the man's stomach was a gas bill and a bottle of Wine of Cardui. The former was represented as sufficient cause to make any man seriously ill.

Postal Employees Work Overtime To Handle Xmas Mail

Employees at the Colorado post office and carriers serving routes out of here worked overtime to get the heavy Christmas mails to destination on schedule. Demands were unusually heavy on these workers during several days immediately preceding Christmas Day but Postmaster Joe Fraser and his corps of assistants met the task with the thought in mind they would be materially assisting Santa Claus in seeing that all parcels and greetings were delivered without delay.

Employees at the postoffice report that the usual holiday rush was handled with less overtime involved than for several years, although the mails were up to average tonnage of previous Christmas seasons.

Fraser stated Wednesday afternoon that business at the postoffice during the holidays was 13 per cent greater than for the corresponding period last year.

There's big news for you in the advertising columns.

Legion Members In 'Watchful Waiting' Attitude On Bonus

Mitchell county Legionnaires are assuming the role of "Watchful Waiting," as it becomes more and more evident that the bonus fight is to be brought up soon after opening of congress next month.

The local post has taken no official action in the matter, John Howell, post commander, announced here Wednesday. However, it is known that the rank of ex-service men favor payment of the compensation contracts.

That the question is due for consideration in Washington early during the next congress is indicated in the following news dispatch from there:

A desire for a quick vote on the bonus so as to remove that issue as a possible troublemaker has been disclosed by house leaders.

It was reported likely that a bill to pay off soldiers' adjusted compensation certificates would be brought up for house action within two or three weeks after the new congress convenes Jan. 3.

Representative Byrns of Tennessee, now Democratic leader and probably the next speaker, said "I think we ought to dispose of the bonus as quickly as possible."

Other leaders, who did not comment publicly, expressed little doubt privately that the bill would pass. Bonus advocates contend they have sufficient pledges to assure its passage by both house and senate over a veto.

One reason the leaders seek speed is a desire to get the new house with its 322 to 102 majority over Republicans off to a harmonious start.

ANOTHER PIONEER CATTLEMAN TAKEN IN DEATH RECENTLY

SWEETWATER—A. T. (Cap) Newman, 60, cattleman, capitalist and banker, died at his home here Sunday morning. He was the son of James Newman, cowman, peace officer and founder of the D'Z Ranch. He came to Fisher county with his family in 1879 and helped locate the D'Z Ranch on Yellow House Canyon.

Survivors are his widow, a son, Harold Newman, a daughter, Queen Newman and brothers, Auti and Mose.

Cap Newman was the father of Sweetwater and was widely known for his civic enterprise. The high school and football field of that city are named after him.

COLORADO YOUNGSTERS TO DANCE IN BIG SPRING

Christmas Eve was celebrated by a number of Colorado young people by attending the dance at the Settles Hotel in Big Spring.

Among the number were Louie Cooper, Armstead Spalding, Scotty Spalding, Sherrod Smith, William Greene, Jenks Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Son Powell, J. B. Holt, Baxter Scogins and Miss Irene Powell, Pete Smith and Miss Ditty Hughes, and members of Miss Virginia Stoneroad's dinner party, including Mr. and Mrs. Hamburg of Oklahoma City; Misses Alice Blanks, Loyce Price, Kack Price, Nelle Harper Greene, Virgie Powell, Stoneroad and Margaret Cook; Rod Merritt, Joe Earnest of New York, A. J. Woodward, Farris Lipps, Doug Bronnand of Dallas, William Greene, and Joe Pond.

SANTA CLAUS FINDS BOYS AND GIRLS OF POOR THRU ASSISTANCE LOCAL CLUBS

Individuals, Too, Take Yule Cheer Into Scores of Homes of County

Santa Claus was enabled to make visits to scores of Mitchell county homes during this Christmas to bring a true interpretation of the Biblical admonition that "it is more blessed to give than to receive." The fact that hundreds of boys and girls of the poor were remembered was due to cooperation given the patron saint by the Lions Club, chamber of commerce, county welfare association and a number of individuals.

The Lions Club took initiative this year in formulating plans to bring sunshine into lives of the poor, kiddies of the county. Through efforts of the service organization some 1,000 toys were collected. These were reconditioned and distributed under direction of the welfare association.

The churches and other organized groups sponsored distribution of Christmas baskets to needy families. Candy, nuts, fruits and other good things to eat were bought and delivered to homes of the poor by public spirited individuals. There were few, if any, neglected homes in this community in which gifts of some nature were not to be found Christmas morning.

"This is one of the most enjoyable Christmas Days I have ever spent and I have a deeper impression as to real significance of the day," was statement given by Sheriff R. E. Gregory. The official explained that he had just concluded the task of distributing 30 pounds of candy among boys and girls of the poor.

Several hundred children, with no regard to race or creed, were guests of Ross D. Dixon, manager of the Palace Theatre, at a special show given at this popular playhouse Christmas morning. The building was filled with the boys and girls, many of whom were accompanied by their parents. It is said that many of them attended the show for the first time during the year, entertaining a deeper appreciation of the meaning of Christmas.

Tragedy Steps In To Check Plan Of Couple To Marry

Tragedy stepped in to change forever the plans of C. J. O'Quinn and Miss Anna Laura Merritt, both of Odessa, to wed during the holidays. The young people left Odessa to drive to the home of relatives in McCamey where they were to be united in wedlock. Friends and relatives of the two were joining with them in expressing joy over the affair.

Five miles from Crane O'Quinn's machine overturned several times after colliding with another car on the highway. He was picked up with a broken neck and other injuries and died later in a Big Spring hospital. Miss Merritt is said to be recovering from her injuries.

CONGRESSMAN-ELECT IS OUT OF CHECKS; SUPPLY RUSHED TO WASHINGTON

George Mahon, congressman-elect from the 19th Texas district, is out of blank checks on his home town bank, it was ascertained the other day after The Record received communication from him at Washington enclosing a check written out on a jagged piece of torn blank paper. A dozen of the regulation check forms were immediately forwarded to Mr. Mahon by this newspaper and several others of his friends here have since rendered this service. He may be reached by addressing him at the Roosevelt Hotel, Washington, D. C.

SCORES OF EMPLOYEES RECEIVE CASH BONUSES FROM SANTA'S COFFER

Scores of Colorado employees were made to enjoy the Christmas holidays more fully through payment of cash bonuses. To some of these workers Santa Claus, in the guise of store, office and other managers, delivered crisp new greenbacks. Others were given special holiday checks.

Distribution of the Christmas bonus fund augmented the prevalent Yule gift buying that had already extended to include a large quota of citizens of the Colorado territory.

THIS MINISTER MEETING COMPETITION IN PRICES OF MATRIMONIAL KNOTS

Fellow Colorado ministers had little to say in reply to recent announcement of one of their number that nuptial knots would be tied at half the customary fee during the holidays, but when the incoming county judge stepped into the picture, well, that was another story, so it seems.

At any rate Minister Jim Harvey of the Church of Christ announced at the Lions Club Friday that since Rev. Dick O'Brien proposed to marry folk for fifty per cent of the usual fee and Benion Tompkins, county judge-elect, sought to outdo the preacher by informing he would furnish the license and officiate at the wedding without cost, he would get into the game by offering a cash reward of one dollar for every couple coming to him to be united in wedlock.

The minister did not announce just how long his proposition would be in effect. It is very evident that a combine has been perfected to lead encouragement to Dan Cupid. Now is a good time to propose, boys, if you are to consider the financial saving involved.

Business Suspends As General Closing Is Observed Xmas

Colorado practically suspended business of all kinds during Christmas day as business men united in a general observance of the holiday. With exception of some of the service stations and a few eating houses, there were none to open during the day.

It was the first holiday of the year that several cafes closed their doors for the day. Business was resumed Wednesday morning with a sense of optimism pervading the downtown area.

LIONS CLUB BUYS MOPS TO ASSURE YULE CHEER FOR BLIND DEPENDENT

Thirty-two mops that had been made by Antonio Lameli, blind Mexican youth attached to the local relief office, were sold members of the Lions Club Friday after brief announcement relative to the deserving boy had been made by Jim Greene and Minister Jim Harvey.

A price of fifty cents was paid for the mops. Lameli shared returns of the sales with others who like himself would have had no assurance of enjoying the Christmas season had not others made such a joy possible.

CONDITIONS LOOKING UP IN EAST TEXAS DISTRICT

Conditions in the East Texas oil district are looking more stable, ac-

EMPLOYEES OF COLLIER PRESENT HIM WITH HAT

Eight men who formerly were employed under Watt Collier in the Wink oil field Monday presented Collier with a "Four gallon" John B. Stetson as token of their appreciation. Men having part in the gift were Bill Oliver, Jess Bohanan, Dick Robison, Fike Snoddy, Weldon Moore, Buck Powers, Dowin Hindman and Shorty Kimbrough.

According to S. T. Jones of Tyler who Sunday afternoon arrived with Mrs. Jones to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. M. E. Cooper and family, Jones said that enforcement of proration laws and drive against "hot" oil running were seeking to stabilize the industry in his part of the State. Jones is connected with the engineering division of the postoffice department.

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Who have favored us with your patronage and friendly business relations, we extend our heartfelt appreciation and good wishes

We confess a certain partiality toward our friends and patrons and the many others who have been so kind to us during the closing year. And we desire to solicit your continued business during the coming New Year.

To Everyone Everywhere We Wish Much Happiness, Joy, Peace, And Contentment
During The Coming New Year

PIGGLY WIGGLY
J. W. RANDLE, Owner

WOMEN, GIRLS' CLUB NEWS

By MISS EMMA GUNTER, Home Demonstration Agent

H. D. COUNCIL TO STUDY BEDROOM IMPROVEMENT

The program arranged for the Home Demonstration Clubs for study for the first meeting in January is Bedroom Improvement with "The Study of Pictures" as the topic.

LOONEY CLUB WITH MRS. THOMPSON

The Looney Home Demonstration Club met Friday at the home of Mrs. J. M. Thompson for the last meeting of the year.

Yard Improvement Demonstrator and Mrs. W. K. Miles as Bedroom Improvement Demonstrator was confirmed.

Last minute gifts were discussed and a few practical ones were shown by the agent.

Mrs. Thompson served refreshments of sandwiches, cake and chocolate.

JANUARY MEETINGS

Miss Gunter will meet the following clubs the first week of January: Wednesday, Jan. 2, Plainview Club; Thursday, Jan. 3, Iatan Club; Friday, Jan. 4, Hyman Club.

W.O.W. AND W.C. INSTALLATION

Mesquite Camp No. 244 Woodmen of the World and Magnolia Grove No. 236 Wood Circle are to have a joint installation of officers.

All members are urged to come, and, if possible, to bring a new member.

ERNEST KEATHLEY, Camp Fin. Sec'y; NELLIE DELANKY, Grove Fin. Sec'y.

Many of the inhabitants of the Irish counties of Down and Antrim speak a form of old Scotch, with little sign of the Irish tongue.

M'Comey, Too, Out Of Class A Grid Circuit For 1935

The M'Comey Badgers, formerly playing in Class A Conference football, have gone back to the lower berth of Class B. It was announced here Saturday.

Sweetwater, San Angelo and Big Spring are the only Class A schools in District 3 now. Changes, however, are likely that might bring either Lubbock or Abilene into competition with these schools another season.

YULE WINDOW DISPLAYS REMOVED WEDNESDAY

The attractive displays that for several days had featured prominently in show windows of Colorado's business district were removed Wednesday to give place to the more conservative ordinary showing of merchandise.

Merchants were smiling Wednesday as they reflected over the brisk holiday trade received during the pre-holiday season.

China Grove News

Well another Christmas day has come and gone and everyone seemed to have a very enjoyable day.

The Merket family surely enjoyed the day as they were all together except one grandson of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Merket who entertained the family with a turkey dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wood had as their guests on Christmas day, Mrs. John Nuby and son Homer from Big Sulphur.

Those taking Christmas dinner with Mr. Tom Webb and Miss Minnie Webb were: Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Webb and children of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. John Webb of Ira, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Webb of China Grove, and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jones and family of Pleasant Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. York attended church Sunday at Seven Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Merket and son Gerald spent Sunday night and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Merket.

Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Baker of Longfellow were visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Watlington Christmas Eve night.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hairston and son Bob came home from California Saturday.

Miss Aileen Rosson is visiting with her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Merket.

Reas Slater is visiting with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Winn of Canyon Valley.

Mrs. P. C. Witt and boys Raymon and Homer left Friday for Hamilton county to spend Christmas with Mrs. Witt's sister Mrs. Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. Doss Maier and son Wayne spent Saturday night and Sunday with his sister Mrs. Jim Merket. They were on their way to Baird and Cisco to spend the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Watlington visited relatives in Sweetwater Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. York and children spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Foy Evans at Boman.

LORAINÉ NEWS

LOCAL AND PERSONAL NEWS ABOUT LORAINÉ AND VICINITY

MRS. ZORA DEAN, Correspondent

Mrs. Dean is also authorized to receive and receipt for subscriptions for The Colorado Record and to transact other business for Wilkey Printing Company. See her and take your County paper—The Record

LOCAL COUPLE MARRIED AT DENTON

Marriage rites for Miss Mary Frances Bennett, daughter of Mrs. Pearl Bennett, Loraine, Texas, and Mr. Louis Wilcox of Loraine, Texas, were read at the Cumberland Presbyterian Church Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock by Rev. J. L. Elliott, pastor of the church at that place.

The bride attended N.T.S.T.C. at Denton, Texas, for two years, and for the past four years has been teaching school at North Champion, 8 miles north of Loraine.

Mr. Wilcox, the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Wilcox, is a graduate of Loraine High school. The couple will make their home in Loraine, where the groom is engaged at the Magnolia Service Station.

STUDENTS HOME FOR CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

Miss Princess Martin, a student at T. W. C. Ft. Worth; Miss Josephine Palmer, McMurry College, Abilene; Miss Faye Johnson, Elvis Narrell, Lester Ray Robertson, and Max Martin, Hardin-Simmons University; Mrs. Willie Mae Thompson and Miss Mildred Coffee of State Teachers College, Denton;

William Crutcher, William and Ernest Griffith, who are attending Texas Tech at Lubbock; Miss La Verne Nelson of McMurry and Miss Ethlyn Furlow of Baylor University Hospital, Dallas, Texas, were all at home in Loraine enjoying Christmas day and vacation with friends and loved ones.

Mr. Gayland Hardin, brother of Rev. A. C. Hardin is also in the Sweetwater Sanitarium where he underwent an operation Tuesday of this week.

LORAINÉ VISITORS TUESDAY Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hoek enjoyed a visit from their children Tuesday who reside out of Loraine and who are Mr. and Mrs. John S. Hart and children of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Hagar and son Wayne of Sweetwater; Mrs. C. S. Turner of Cisco, and Miss Faye Hoek of Eastland.

AT THE W. S. THOMAS HOME J. W. West, wife and daughters, Marvin West and daughter, Miss Edith Rolene of Snyder; Mrs. Cecil Ricker of Gainesville; and A. E. West of Big Spring enjoyed Christmas dinner here with their mother, Mrs. W. S. Thomas.

LOCAL NEWS Those present at the slumber party at Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Haggerton's home Monday night were Mr. and Mrs. Truman Sparkman, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Harris, Misses Nellie Jewel Baker and Bess Burns all of Sweetwater.

Those enjoying the festival Christmas day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Haggerton were Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Haggerton and children Raymond and Beatrice, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Parker, Roscoe; Mr. Frank Hoyt and Clifton Baker, Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Bud Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Sparkman, Misses Nellie Jewel Baker and Bess Burns, Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Wilcox and family are moving to Weatherford next week to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pratt and Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Pratt and son Willard dined with the A. C. Pratts in Abilene Sunday. They were accompanied home by Mr. R. B. Pratt who spent Christmas here.

Marvin Edwards of Sweetwater and his sister, Mrs. Floyd Coffee of Anton were visiting their parents and other relatives and friends here during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Coffee and sons of Ft. Worth visited from Saturday till Wednesday here in the T. J. Coffee home.

Mrs. Barna Haney and daughter Miss Julia of Roscoe were guests in the R. A. Edwards home Friday.

Mr. Carl Herman of Ridgeway, Texas, is visiting his sister, Mrs. W. L. Stewart.

Mrs. W. F. Magee left on Wednesday for Arlington to spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. W. R. McKnight.

Mrs. Fred Leon spent the past week visiting with her grandmother who resides at Rockwall.

Mr. and Mrs. F. James and children spent last week-end at Baird.

Mrs. S. N. Nash of Henrietta was visiting friends here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Caswell accompanied by Mr. Jesse Scott of Harmligh visited in the home of her father Uncle John Griffin Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Carson of El

Bones Found Near Rising Star Clear Up Long Mystery

RISING STAR.—A skeleton found hanging in a dense woods near here was positively identified as that of R. L. McBee, former employe of the State Highway Department.

Identification was made by McBee's father and two brothers living near Eastland, who came here with a party of officers, and through the Highway Department identification tag found with the skeleton.

McBee had been missing, his relatives said, since May, 1933. Physicians who examined the bones said the body might have been hanging where it was found for that length of time.

Examination of the skeleton disclosed no marks of violence on the bones and officers said that the man probably was killed with a knife or perhaps with a bullet through the abdomen, before the body was hung in the woods.

The skeleton was dangling by a wire from a tree limb, less than a mile from the Rising Star city limits, in a little frequented area.

Big Spring Cagers Defeat Wolves In Early Season Bout

BIG SPRING.—CCC cagers defeated the Colorado high school Wolves here Wednesday night, 34 to 21. It was the third straight victory for the CCC boys, who are undefeated for the season.

They held a commanding lead from the start, Young tagging fifteen points and Greer fourteen points. Cooper was high for Colorado with fifteen points.

The line-ups: CCC— forwards: Hall, Young, Barton and Richardson; center: Finch and Greer; guards: Rogers, Ellis, Hawkins, Weaver and Harrison.

Colorado— forwards: Hughes, Porter, Foster, Cox; center: Cooper; guards: Flster, Seales, Rankin and Morrison.

The CCC team will return the game at Colorado some time after the holidays.

Black-faced toys are out of favor in Germany.

Hearing, as a rule, is more acute with the right ear than with the left.

ARNETTS HERE FOR CHRISTMAS DINNER

A family dinner given by Mrs. Floyd Beall of Lubbock and Mrs. G. G. Johnson of Abilene at the home of Mrs. D. N. Arnett Christmas noon climaxed the gathering of the Arnett family here for Christmas.

Those present included Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Arnett, Sr., of Lubbock, Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Arnett, Jr., of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Beall and daughter of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Johnson and children of Abilene, John Arnett of Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Merritt and family and Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Stone- road and daughter of Colorado.

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HAPPY NEW YEAR

This column writer sends to all a Happy New Year, for to be happy means everything. So I send this word echoing the remembrance of greetings...

As we pass from the Old Year to the swinging gates of the New, may we be steadfastly resolved so that our number of days that we may apply our hearts unto wisdom. May we return from the past, with its futile regrets to follow re-vitalized purposes to noblest goals in the unveiled future.

And when our day's work is done, may there be light for us at the Eventide, and then, a Bridge of Sunset for us to the Morning Land, whither our Pilot has gone to prepare and Eternal Home for all who will follow Him.

Another child of time is added to his already indefinite number of children. It is well for us that they are not born twins, triplets or even quintuplets.

Life, so busy, so involved, so occupied is just long enough for us to learn how to live when we have to die. Time is measured by events. Men are disposed to measure life by years, but the time measurement of life should be service to mankind.

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persons of youth and young manhood to the view of the aged, and they are pleased to dwell on the achievements and pleasures of the long ago.

Memory does for the individual and his life span what history does for the past and for us all, except that one's life history is very much more interesting, to him. The marvelous doings of memory make it possible for "the man of wisdom to be the man of years." But notwithstanding one's desire to dwell on things of the past, it is true as Dryden says that "None would live the past years again."

No matter how old we are, if we are normal we just as hard to avoid accident and the penalty of age as when we were young, thus manifesting the fear of death. This brings to mind the words that Shakespeare puts in the mouth of Caesar, "Of all the wonders that I yet have heard, it seems to me most strange that men should fear."

Seeing that death, a necessary end, will come when it will come. It matters not at one's great age, he imagines as one man expressed it, that he still has some unfinished business that he wants to attend to before he takes his departure. Perhaps his meditation on the thought expressed by Hamlet helps to cause this feeling.

"To what base uses we may return, Horatio! Why may not the imagination trace dust of the noble, Till we find it stopping a bung-hole." Again on the same thought, "Imperious Caesar, dead and turned to clay, Might stop a hole to keep the wind away."

Those of us who have reached the three score and ten point in life are saddened because we read in the press almost daily accounts of the death of one or more friends. We have cause to think that Time has become quite machinery-minded and that now he has flung away the crude scythe and adopted the modern tractor and reaper.

"There is a reaper whose name is Death And with his sickle keen He reaps the bearded grain at a breath And the flowers that grow between."

While the earth rushes on around the elliptic back to where it started, hairs have whitened, faces have wrinkled, graves have been dug and new cradles made. Some parts of the earth are cluttered up with crumbling monuments and mouldering tombs, while in other lands magnificent new structures have been erected, discoveries made and additional wisdom acquired.

The important thought as we grow older is to be able to say with the heroic Paul: "The time for my departure is at hand. I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith."

At this happy New Year's greeting and resolves is proverbially the time when we are freshly challenged to survey life's friendships, old and new, and to see that our friendships are kept in worthy repair, faithfully remembering the Biblical injunction, "Thine own friend, and thy fathers' friend, forsake not."

May the highest meanings of this happy New Year enter abidingly into our lives, and be translated into the love that manifests itself in unceasing good will towards all mankind, the whole year round.

On this New Year's day, when both Memory and Hope are given added emphasis, may the quickened remembrance of our gracious and countless blessings evoke our profound gratitude, for our dear home loves, with their sacred loyalties, for faithful friends, with their ever-inspiring friendliness, for the glorious heritage bequeathed us from noble forebears, for the high discipline of life's daily work and burdens, for every Wayside Spring that blesses us on life's journey.

Let us bravely journey on in the triumphant confidence that the best is yet to be. May the veiled providences that are bound up with our lives disclose to us glorious surprises, at every step of our untraveled future. May we read the trials of life, not as accidents of earth, but as a Divine discipline for our larger happiness and usefulness. May we pass through all these trials unembittered, attuned to deeper sympathy with others, ennobled in character, and strengthened in faith. May we increasingly know that our confidence is not in some dark, impersonal Fate, but in One Who is infinite in wisdom and power and love and who sets all human life in the light of immortality.

F. B. W.

HOSPITAL POSITION CORRECTED
Last week's issue of the Colorado Record quoted me as endorsing County acquisition of the Root Hospital, or the building of a hospital adequate to take care of the needs of Mitchell County.

Earl Morrison Abstract Co. Abstracts Notary Public Mrs. Earl Morrison Walnut and Third Sts.

Presumably the Record misunderstood my position and the statement of last week does not convey my position with reference to the County acquisition of hospital.

I am aware of the fact, however, that a hospital operated in Mitchell County would be of great benefit by way of convenience for all concerned in the county and would very much like to see a hospital privately operated in the county because health is conducive to progress and happiness of any people.

I do not believe at this time that the county could justify, from an economic and financial viewpoint, any action that would acquire for the county by way of purchase through bond issue the hospital.

The county can, and has been able during this period of depression to furnish hospitalization for needy and urgent cases cheaper than it could pay interest on hospital investment alone, and if such be the case during depression period, then it certainly could get along much more economically when the depression has subsided and county expenses for hospitalization would be negligible.

Unquestionably any county or community is entitled to the best it can afford for the benefit of its citizenship; the hospitalization is an important factor in the health, happiness and progress of any given community; but a given community in making provisions for its comforts and progress should and must be governed by its needs and at the same time take into consideration its ability financially and economically to provide for such needs.

The only method by which Mitchell County could purchase or build a hospital would be the bond route and I seriously doubt that the County could justify at this time the further burdening of tax payers for the purchase of a hospital when it can adequately take care of the urgent needs at much less expense.

I am fully aware that my statement will be challenged because I know that there exist many conflicting opinions relative to the question of hospitalization in this and all other counties.

I may be wrong in my position relative to this matter but in view of the fact that I have been misunderstood, I feel that it is my duty to the public to make my position clear with reference to the same. A. F. KING, County Judge, Mitchell County, Texas.

Pods and beans of the cacao tree are known as cacao; the beans, when roasted and ground with the fat pressed out, are cocoa, while it is chocolate when it is left in.

Department of agriculture chemists are experimenting with the manufacture of vinegar from honey by fermentation.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mitchell County, Greeting: YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon Virgil Akey by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Mitchell County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Colorado, Texas, on the Fourth Monday in February A. D. 1935, the same being the 25 day of February A. D. 1935, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 19th day of December A. D. 1934, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 5486, wherein Dessie Akey is Plaintiff, and Virgil Akey is Defendant, and said petition alleging that plaintiff resides in Mitchell County, Texas and the residence of defendant is unknown; that plaintiff was lawfully married to defendant Oct. 22, 1926 and lived with him until Oct. 7, 1927; that defendant abandoned the plaintiff more than three years before the filing of this suit with the intention of never living with her again; that defendant's action and conduct toward the plaintiff generally are of such a nature as to render their further living together as husband and wife insupportable. Plaintiff and defendant had one child, Howard Akey, born to them, now a boy about seven years old; Plaintiff prays for citation, judgment for divorce, for care and custody of Howard Akey, costs of suit and general relief.

Herein Fail Not, and have you before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND and the Seal of said Court, at office in Colorado, Texas, this 19th day of December A. D. 1934.

J. H. BALLARD, Clerk, District Court, Mitchell County, Jan. 11-35-chg.

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Looking In On Texas Politics As Time For Opening Legislature Drawing Near

Some interesting close-ups of events and probabilities around the capital dome at Austin are offered in the following article, written for this newspaper by Gordon K. Shorner, correspondent for the United Press.

Governor Ferguson's pardons are relieving the court of criminal appeals of much work. A striking increase in the number of applications to dismiss criminal appeals has been noted as the Governor is giving the final days of her term to considering clemencies. Appeal withdrawals are concurrent with or closely follow pardons. A few withdrawals are filed before clemency is announced.

"The People's Lobby" has been adopted officially as the title for the proposed public representation to be set up at Austin if the legislature accepts the advice of the Senate Tax Research Committee. That committee has decided to recommend the lobby and has a bill drafted for the purpose. Members will be the Attorney General, the State Auditor and the State Tax Commissioner.

"The fact that the people of the state are not adequately represented before the legislative committees discussing revenue measures, and the fact that as a result of inadequate representation the people are often required to submit to legislation not in accordance with their desires nor well-being, create an emergency and imperative public necessity" for such a lobby, the drafted bill declares.

The oldest Confederate veteran in the state home for veterans is 103; and the youngest is 83, the State Board of Control reports. The oldest woman in the home is 89 and the youngest 63. Women have been admitted to the home only for the past four years. The law was changed then so husbands and wives need not be separated. Widows are admitted to a separate institution.

Texas has one ghost institution. It is legally established but is nonexistent. It is the Dallas State Hospital. The hospital was provided for by law and an appropriation for its construction was made, contingent upon a suitable site being donated. Failing to receive a site which was considered adequate, the hospital has not been established. The appropriation has lapsed. A new appropriation will be needed to revive the project.

How difficult it is to draw an act that will be without loopholes has been discovered by the Senate-com-

mittee studying taxes. A law was enacted taxing both mile race tracks and half mile tracks. Since it has been found that tracks are being built that are neither a mile nor a half mile, so they are untaxable.

The election of a Speaker for the 44th Texas Legislature will be decided by five or six votes at the most, it now appears. Whether Ferguson-endorsed Coke R. Stevenson of Junction will be re-elected or Robert Calvert of Hillsboro, backed by Governor-Elect James V. Allred, will win cannot be predicted. It is the bitterest fight for the speakership that has been witnessed in Texas for many years. A senator who was urged to use his influence with the representatives in his district declined to do so. "It is a matter for the House members to decide without Senate interference" said Sen. John S. Reddick of Lufkin.

Governor Ferguson will go out of office on Jan. 15 without having been able to dictate a single appointment in the state highway department. That Governor-Elect James V. Allred will be any luckier is doubtful. Allred now is being harassed, much as the Ferguson's were two years ago, to provide places for the faithful. The highway department could care for many of them, if two of the commissioners could be made to see things that way. The Governor-Elect, however, has but one appointment to make on the Commission. Two old commissioners remain.

Sen. T. J. Holbrook of Galveston believes that it is time for the state to begin enforcing its written requirement that Confederate pensions be paid only to those who need the money. He would add a new provis-

ion that those wishing to enter the state homes be required to deed any property they may have to the state.

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