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GEORGE MAHON RETURNS TO WASHINGTON AFTER BRIEF VISIT AT HOME

Congressman Expresses Belief That Farmers Of District Will be 'Disappointed' In Either Farm Bill

After a flying visit at his home in Colorado and in other parts of his district, Congressman George Mahon of the 19th district returned to Washington Saturday night for the opening of the regular session of congress Monday morning. He had been here since Wednesday night.

Before leaving Mr. Mahon expressed again his belief that farmers of this district will be "disappointed" in the passage of either the house or senate farm bills in their present form.

Having talked with thousands of West Texas farmers before going to the special session, Mr. Mahon said, "I believe I have a sufficient knowledge of their wishes and the situation in general to express such an opinion."

In the first place both bills were amended to prohibit the grazing of diverted acres if products from such grazing, such as livestock and poultry, are to be sold. These amendments, sponsored by northern dairy interests, were opposed by all southern members of congress.

"I see nothing in either of the bills to prevent a recurrence of livestock cotton, as a parity for any portion of the crop is not provided for."

"As to the compulsory features of the bills," the congressman continued, "compulsory marketing quotas would be established for each farm if two-thirds of the producers gave a referendum vote in favor of the compulsory plan."

Mr. Mahon pointed out, however, that several features of the new bills are distinct improvements over the old program. He cited the plan to make acreage allotments to each farm in a county on the same percentage basis as one of the major improvements.

But an unfortunate feature of this plan, he added, is that it would not apply to farms in cultivation less than five years. An amendment which I offered to fully remedy this was voted down although some modification was secured. Another amendment which I offered to discourage the undue displacement of tenants was adopted.

NEW WOW OFFICERS INSTALLED TUESDAY

New officers of the Woodmen of the World were installed by the Colorado lodge Tuesday night with a Ray of Abilene district deputy acting as installing officer. Beck of Rosewood acted as excuser. The new officers are: John D. Delaney, Con. John A. L. Smith, Sec. Luke Long, bank; J. J. Delaney, ex. J. J. Smith, ex. man; Jack Smith, aud.; Campbell, secy; D. H. R. L. Wigley, ex. J. J. Smith, Carter third add.

Present at the installation were those already named, Ernest Keathley, H. C. A. Burgess and J. J. Delaney, Mrs. J. J. Delaney, Seymour Seiler, J. J. Delaney, all of Colorado, and J. O. Beck, Rosewood, Simmons, all of Abilene.

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NOT SINGING MUSICAL DIRECTORS HERE SAYS

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Harry Ratliff Birthday Ball Chairman Here

Mrs. R. J. Wallace To Be Vice-Chairman For 1938 Celebration

Notice of his appointment as Mitchell county chairman of President's Birthday celebrations on Jan. 29 was received Thursday morning by Harry Ratliff of Colorado.

Ratliff announced that Mrs. R. J. Wallace is to be vice-chairman for the county. Other appointments already made are those of Charles Mooser as treasurer and Mrs. Jewel Barrett as publicity chairman.

A wide choice of entertainments is offered for the celebration this year, Ratliff says. The ones chosen for Colorado will probably be a dance and a bridge tournament, as in other years.

Proceeds from the entertainments will go to the Warm Springs Foundation for treatment of crippled children after local expenses are paid.

EMPLOYMENT OFFICIAL TO BE HERE EACH WEEK; OFFICE MAY BE OPENED

Arrangements have been made by Chamber of Commerce and county officials to have a representative of the Texas State Employment Service spend one day each week at Colorado for the purpose of taking applications of unemployed persons who are entitled to unemployment compensation benefits under Title II of the Social Security Act.

E. D. Wilson, official in charge of this district for the Texas Employment Service, will be here from 4 p. m. to 4 p. m. at the Chamber of Commerce office for this service to be established by the Board of Commissioners in the near future.

Materials were moved in for drilling of an offset to the Snyder ... producer. Iron Mountain ... Snyder just west of the ... line. D. H. ... is located.

OFFSET TO BE DRILLED FOR SNEAD PRODUCER

The trash in Colorado is less by 132 truck loads than it was 10 days ago.

TOWN IS CLEANER BY 132 LOADS OF TRASH

Two trucks which the city put to work on Monday morning of last week in its winter clean-up campaign have made 132 trips to the trash heap in the five days on which weather has permitted them to work since then.

College Claims Large Percentage Of Colorado's Youth As Holidays Close

College reclaimed a large percentage of Colorado's youth last week-end as the Christmas holidays came to a close.

Back to Baylor university at Waco went Rebecca Smoot, heading for Texas Tech at Lubbock were Betsy and Rusty Lee, Frances Elaine Price, John Tom Merritt, Etta Fern Harkins, Rilla Payne, Martha Nell, Charles Hicks, Ora Jane Williams, Mumpsey Wallace, Robert Earl Wulffien, Julius Smith, Pauline Jones, Clayton Porter, Mary Eleanor Rogers, Ed Morrison, Walter Rankin, Ernest Burdine, Ball Galey.

Sunday noon trains carried a number of C. I. A. girls back to Denton—Eloise Cooper, Elizabeth Taylor, Erna Lou Merrell, Mabel Earnest Cooper, Melba Slaton, Nina Laura Smith, Frances Elliott, Mabel Majors, Nita McKinney, Laura McKinney, Edna Earl Cox, Minnie Lee Hood.

Martha Jane Majors, who spent the holidays in Roswell, N. M., and Eugene Haley have gone back to T. C. U. at Fort Worth, Patsy Doss back to A. & I. at Kingsville. Mae Watson has returned to Abilene Christian college, Mary Pidgen

ANOTHER RAIN BRINGS MORE SMILES TO FACES OF FARMERS, RANCHERS

The soaking rain which fell Tuesday night and Wednesday of this week brought more smiles to the faces of Mitchell county farmers and ranchers, the moisture being made as it was with continuing mild weather.

As Thursday morning dawned clear and warm above the sloppiest streets which Colorado has had in many a day, ranchers were envisioning the hastened growth of winter grass and weeds for winter pasturage. Farmers were thinking of the improved plowing season.

The rainfall this week measured 60 inches.

METHODIST YOUNG PEOPLE TO ATTEND UNION GATHERING

Between 2 and 30 Methodist young people if Colorado plan to go to Loraine this Thursday morning for a meeting of the Rainbow union of young people of the Eastern Methodist district.

Van King of Colorado, secretary of the union, Mrs. C. E. James, union counselor, Thea McCreary, Mr. Jameson, and the Rev. and Mrs. Edward Sifford, all of the group attending.

COLES LEAVES FOR EDUCATIONAL MEET

Ray Davis Coles, county superintendent of schools, left Wednesday afternoon for Austin to attend a conference of Texas superintendents. The meeting, slated for Thursday and Friday, was called by Dr. L. A. Woods, state superintendent of public instruction. Coles was accompanied to Austin by Ed Williams, superintendent of Loraine schools.

NEW SHORTHAND CLASS MAY OPEN ON MONDAY

A new class in beginning shorthand may be started at 3 o'clock on Monday afternoon Jan. 10 if sufficient interest is shown, according to Charles Brazil, head of the commercial department of Colorado High school.

All those interested in such a class should contact Brazil as soon as possible. This will be a vocational class for adults only.

STORM SEWER BEING INSTALLED ON STREET

A storm sewer is being installed beneath the pavement at the intersection of Hickory and second streets near Lone Wolf bridge.

The work was begun last Monday and will probably be completed by next Monday, according to Mayor J. A. Sadler. Only one-half of the street is being blocked off at a time, he says.

HERE FROM SANTONE

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Johnson were here from San Antonio on business during the week-end. They left Tuesday morning to return to their winter quarters.

GIVEN SURGERY IN DALLAS

Ross Dixon, Jr., was given surgery in Dallas Monday morning for appendicitis. Ross, Sr. has been with him in Dallas. He is said to be doing satisfactorily.

DAUGHTER IS BORN

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. McCorkle have received word of the birth of a daughter to their daughter, Mrs. Bill Oyler, and Mr. Oyler of Cooper, Texas. The baby, who will be called Margaret Ann, was born Wednesday morning.

VISIT IN CROSBYTON

Mr. and Mrs. James Herrington and children made a trip to Crosbyton Friday, combining business with a visit in the home of Mrs. Herrington's people.

DINNER GUESTS

Guests for the New Year's dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Norred were Mrs. Norred's brother, J. J. Black, and his wife and children and her mother, Mrs. W. A. Black, all of Midland.

TO EL PASO

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Johnson returned Monday night after a visit in El Paso. They attended the Sun Bowl game there on New Year's day.

GO TO LUBBOCK

BANK FIGURES OVER \$100,000 MORE THAN THOSE FOR 1936

Officials of the National Bank of Colorado announced today that the bank's deposits for the year ending December 31, 1937, were \$109,959.38 less than those for the year ending December 31, 1936, which were \$109,959.38.

Bank officials stated that the loan portfolio for the lowest for the past year was \$1,156,185.29. Total deposits for 1936 were \$637,234.42. Deposits for the close of 1937 were \$1,156,185.29. Loans for 1936 were \$1,213,236.26. Loans for 1937 were \$1,262,236.26.

THREE STORES ARE ANNOUNCING THEIR JANUARY CLEARANCE

Through advertisements in this newspaper and through circulars and other means, three Colorado stores are announcing extra bargains and January clearances beginning this week.

The three are Thornhill's, Max Berman's, and J. C. Penney. Attractive prices and bargains are quoted.

HYMAN CLUB HAS CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Christmas party of the Hyman home demonstration club was held at the home of Mrs. Otto Schuster on Dec. 31, club members and their families being guests.

Songs, games, and other diversions were enjoyed. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Andrews and children, Herman Minor, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Andrews and children, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schuster and children, and Mr. Rudolph Schuster. The club will meet Friday with Mrs. Frank Andrews.

NEW SUPERINTENDENT ON JOB AT OIL MILL

A new superintendent, R. M. Julian from Tusculum, Alabama, is on the job at the oil mill which is owned by the Gular interests here.

Julian assumed his new duties last Saturday, Jan. 1. He and Mrs. Julian are at home for the time being at the home of Mrs. Anna Simon.

HENRY PEARSON IN CHARGE OF MARKET

Henry Pearson is now in charge of the market at I. Tucker's grocery. Pearson and his family are now at home here. They formerly lived at Monahans.

REV. A. L. HALEY HOLDS MEETING AT BROWNFIELD

The Rev. A. L. Haley of First Christian church is holding a revival meeting at Brownfield. The meeting opened Sunday night and will continue two weeks.

TO WORK IN SWEETWATER

Rod Merritt left for Sweetwater early this week to go to work on a government sanitation project.

WELCOME TO 7TH ANNUAL INVITATION BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

January 6, 7 and 8

HIGH SCHOOL GYM

Games Start at 6:00 P. M. Thursday Continues to 9:00 P. M. Saturday

Admission 25c Any Series

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wulffien took Mumpsey Wallace, Robert Earl Wulffien, and Mumpsey's holiday guest, George O'Neal of Houston, back to Lubbock Sunday.

BANK STOCKHOLDERS TO HOLD ANNUAL MEET ON TUESDAY MORNING

The annual stockholders meeting of the City National bank will be held Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. The meeting always falls on the second Tuesday morning in January.

The stockholders will elect a board of directors for the coming year, and the directors will in turn choose the bank officers.

A year of progress will be reviewed by the assembled stockholders, bank figures being quoted to show deposits approximately the same as those last year with loans the lowest in ten years.

Postal Receipts Here Show Gain Of Over \$1,000

1937 Total Was \$22,870.79; Office Sold \$34,331.25 In Government Bonds

An increase of more than \$1,000 was shown in postal receipts at the Colorado postoffice during 1937, according to figures obtained from Joe Y. Fraser, postmaster.

Postal receipts for 1937 were \$22,870.79, as compared with \$21,691.66 for 1936, making an increase for 1937 of \$1,179.13. This is a percentage gain of 5 1/2 per cent.

During the calendar year of 1937 the Colorado office sold \$34,331.25 in United States Savings bonds, which have a maturity value of slightly over \$45,000.00.

The office has on hand \$34,651 in postal savings deposits, this amount representing a larger number of depositors than in 1936. The office issued 15,036 money orders, amounting to \$90,837.96, during the past year.

TAX COLLECTIONS GOOD IN DECEMBER, NEARLY \$30,000.00

Collections of state, county and school taxes during December were unusually good, figures from the office of Roy Warren, tax assessor-collector show. The total for the month was \$29,762.99, a considerable increase over that for December, 1936.

The office collected \$5,847.81 for the state and \$9,487.17 for the county.

Acting as collecting agent for all schools in the county except Loraine's district, the office received \$14,438.01 in school funds during the month.

IS SERIOUSLY ILL

Reports from the bedside of Mrs. Marvel Josephson of San Antonio are that her condition is critical and that she is gradually growing weaker. Mrs. Josephson, former Coloradoan and sister of Max Philip, and H. I. Berman of Colorado, has been in the hospital at San Antonio several weeks. Her home is in Snyder, Max Berman and her husband were summoned to her bedside Tuesday morning. The other two brothers hold themselves ready to go at any time. The three sisters-in-law have been taking time about staying in San Antonio with Mrs. Josephson.

UNDERGOES 4TH OPERATION

Ed Womack, who has been in Hendrick Memorial hospital at Abilene for the past month, had to undergo a fourth operation Thursday morning. Mrs. Womack had come home on Monday night and was recalled to Abilene Wednesday night. His condition is considered serious.

VISIT IN RATLIFF HOME

Guests of Mrs. Hubert Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ratliff during the past week have been Mrs. S. T. Dowda of Abilene, C. M. Brown of Lefors, and Eugen E. R. Smith of El Paso.

CC'S LAST ROSE ORDER WILL CLOSE SATURDAY

The last rose bush order sent in by the Colorado chamber of commerce will be closed Saturday, according to Carl Blasig, manager.

The order for trees is being kept open for several days yet so that as many trees as possible may be included. Those interested in getting either trees or rosebushes should get in touch with the chamber of commerce office as soon as possible.

BLASIG TO MEETING OF WTCC MANAGERS

Carl A. Blasig, manager of the Colorado chamber of commerce, is leaving Friday morning for Abilene, where he will attend an executive session of West Texas chamber of commerce managers and directors on Saturday. Blasig is on the board of the organization.

NEW EQUIPMENT AT HURON DOWN'S SHOP

Two units of new equipment have been added to the Huron Down's shop for showing the new line of clothes. A new designed display case for men's dresses has been installed. The shop is now open for business.

SOCIETY

Open House' For Col-Tex Employees At Sproule Home

Largest of the affairs with which Colorado greeted the New Year Friday evening and night was the open house held for employees of the Col-Tex refinery and their families at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Sproule, beginning at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Host for the open house were Earl H. Gunn, superintendent of the refinery; Neal Prichard, assistant superintendent; and the following departmental heads: F. R. Sproule, Jack Richardson, Jake Richardson, E. B. Willbanks, Bill Brookover, Lee Lavender, Johnny Johnson, A. C. Benson, L. C. Scarborough, and Clifton Yater.

Musical numbers were given at intervals by Mrs. Jimmy Payne, accordionist, and "Red" Black pianist.

Audrey Mae Iglehart Marries Midland Man

The marriage of Audrey Mae Iglehart, formerly of Colorado, to John M. Lytle of Midland was solemnized at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. H. B. Iglehart, in Colorado Saturday evening at 6 o'clock.

The single ring ceremony was said by the Rev. T. A. Patterson of First Baptist church. The wedding ring of the bride's mother was used, Miss Iglehart being the last girl in the family to marry.

Attendants for the couple were Marcella Strawn and Elton Hinz, both of Midland. The bride wore a blue crepe sport suit with gray accessories. Her corsage was of Tallisman roses.

Following the wedding Mr. and Mrs. Lytle were complimented with a dinner at the home of the bride's mother, C. W. Iglehart, in Colorado. After which they went to Big Spring for an in-honor affair at the home of the groom's brother, Richard Lytle.

Mrs. Lytle is a graduate of Colorado high school. She has been in Midland since August, being associated with the firm of Sparks and Barron.

The bridegroom, son of W. W. Lytle of Big Spring is a graduate of Big Spring high school. He has lived in Midland about eight months being a member of the sales force of the Midland Bottling company for which he had worked in El Paso and Big Spring before going to Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Lytle will make their home in Midland.

Mrs. Rhode Outlines Plan For WMS Work

An outline of the things which she will work toward during the year was given by Mrs. W. W. Rhode, new president of the Methodist missionary society, when she presided for the first time Monday afternoon.

Enlisting the cooperation of every woman in the church was named by Mrs. Rhode as her main objective. Names for the four circles were read, also the names of the officers.

Circle chairmen are to be as follows: Circle One, Mrs. J. L. Pidgeon; Circle Two, Mrs. J. A. Ferguson; Circle Three, Mrs. Hubert Smith; Young Business Women, chairman yet to be elected.

The devotional was led by Mrs. J. E. McCleary. It was voted to have a year book as provided by the council. A plan was outlined by which the meetings on the first and second Monday of each month will be educational, that of the third Monday, devoted to circles, and that of the fourth Monday to business.

Mrs. Tom Glover was elected pianist, Mrs. J. G. Merritt publicity chairman, Mrs. Mattie Merrell said the closing prayer.

Episcopal Women In Business Meet

Business matters were given attention when the woman's auxiliary of All Saints' Episcopal church met Monday with Mrs. R. D. Buchanan, president, in charge.

Plans were discussed for convocation, which will be held in Abilene beginning Jan. 16 for the North Texas Missionary District of the Protestant Episcopal church.

Young People At Episcopal Rectory

Young people of All Saints' Episcopal church and their friends were entertained with an informal New Year's eve party at the home of Archdeacon and Mrs. J. W. Heyes Friday evening.

Out-of-town guests were the Rev. P. Walter Henckell of Big Spring and Miss Helen Lyles, head of the Little House of Fellowship in Canyon.

With Mrs. Carl Moore of Fort Worth, a former Coloradoan, as devotional leader, the Baptist Women's Missionary society met Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Dean Phenix presided. Reports were heard from officers and circle leaders.

Gunn Entertain For The Baxter Scoggins

Honoring Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Scoggins of Oklahoma City, Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Gunn entertained with an informal dinner Saturday evening.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Jake Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lavender, W. S. Cooper, Miss Pauline Pritchett, Mr. and Mrs. Scoggins, and the host and hostess.

Mrs. Ledger Smith and Mrs. Earl Cammer made a trip to Mentone, Pecos, and other points Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. Pink Wade Hodge visited Mr. and Mrs. Doyle in Hobbs, N. M., Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Newman returned Tuesday night after having visited her people in Mineral Wells and his mother in Brownwood since Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Russell returned Saturday after a holiday visit in Haskell.

London Bridge Husbands Honor Wives With Traditional New Year's Eve Party

Keeping a custom of several years standing, the husbands of the London Bridge club entertained their wives with a dinner and dance watch party New Year's Eve.

Guests gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mills and went to the Colorado hotel for dinner. A table was arranged in the rose room of the hotel with a pink and white decorative motif carried out. Covered in white, the T-shaped table was centered with a crystal container holding pink carnations with pink and white gypsophylla. Pink candles burned in the flower arrangement. Pink streamers radiated from the centerpiece along the tables.

A five-course dinner was served, then the couples went to the country club, where dancing and bridge were enjoyed until midnight. Mrs. Joe Mills made high score in bridge. Mrs. A. E. Norred low. The evening ended with coffee at the Broadway Cafe.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Whipkey, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ratliff, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ragan, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Jones, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Doss, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Norred, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Latham, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Baskin, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Randle. W. L. Doss, Jr.

Seventh Birthday Is Party Occasion

Reese Gross entertained several friends at his home Thursday afternoon.

Guests were Myrtle and Nelda Gay Piggins, Fred and Willie Sue Nail, Hols and Doris Ellis, Alton Guinn, Gess, Howard Mickley, Clara Ann Taylor, Felix Dozier, and Richard Deaney.

Sandwiches, potato chips, cake and hot chocolate were served after games had been played. Popcorn balls were favors.

Students Studied in Episcopalian Church

Students were studied in the Episcopalian church at the home of Mrs. P. C. Coleman Monday.

As follows: First Mrs. Walter Lyles; Second Mrs. B. McAmothy, Mrs. P. C. Coleman; Third Mrs. A. H. Dolan; Fourth Mrs. Clarence Gross.

Next Monday will be a devotional and business session at the Coleman home.

GUESTS IN RAGAN HOME

Holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ragan and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wilkes included Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hunter and daughter of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stowe and daughter of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Wilkes of Moona, and John Wilkes of Wichita Falls.

SPIRELLA FOUNDATION GARMENTS
Corsets, girdles, brassieres designed exclusively for you.
MRS. F. L. CROWDER
COLORADO, TEXAS

Mrs. Ed Peirick took her father, Millard Conway, to an eye specialist in Lubbock last Friday.

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DRESSES

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MILK and WOOL DRESSES

Right now when you really need a few extra dollars to tide you over, we offer you dresses that are real buys at the regular prices of \$16.95, but they are extraordinary



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FUR TRIMMED COLORED COATS

You owe it to yourself and your wardrobe to come and see these Coat Bargains available by our Clearance Sale. Beautifully Tailored models originally \$42.50, now—

A remarkable full line of sizes and styles of these Dresses and coats to choose from, at a wide range of prices cut just exactly half

Suits and Costume Suits
Wear these suits in many different ways and for all occasions. Remarkable bargains

Costume Suits, regular price \$22.50 to \$29.50 at **HALF PRICE**

3-Piece Suits, regular price \$27.50—Now at **HALF PRICE**

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One Lot of
WOOLENS

54 inches wide, a good selection of colors and you can afford to buy enough to make several dresses
regular price 98¢ yd.—now **HALF PRICE**

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The most exciting Hats you ever saw in a Clearance—Sporty, Dressy, Tailored—Latest colors—Regularly priced \$1.98 to \$4.95—In this Clearance Sale at **HALF PRICE**

THE EVER POPULAR SHOES ON TO SPRING—We have a selection of sizes and styles regular price \$7.75, and they all go at **HALF PRICE**

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ASK YOUR FRIENDS ABOUT THE MANY BARGAINS WE HAVE

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FREE! FREE!!
5 POUNDS PURE CANE
SUGAR
WITH A
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FREE! FREE!!
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A 10¢ can Free with a 24 Pound sack

SEE OUR MANY REAL VALUES IN NATIONALLY ADVERTISED FOODS

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Musical numbers were given in intervals by Miss H. ...

A visit to ...

Mrs. Bessie Hart ...

Mrs. Rhodes Plan For Christmas

An outfit of military regiments, and his will work ...

Enlist ...

Name ...

Hostess ...

Guest list ...

Breakfast ...

Class Meets ...

With Mrs. Broaddus ...

The home of Mrs. H. B. Broaddus ...

Elizabeth Pond And Lewis Rhodes Marry

The marriage of Elizabeth Pond and Lewis Rhodes, both of Colorado, took place at the First Baptist parsonage here on Christmas afternoon at 4:30. The ceremony was said by the Rev. T. A. Patterson.

Mrs. Rhodes is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Pond. She has lived at Colorado all her life, being a graduate of Colorado High school. She is now employed on the sales and bookkeeping force of the Ben Franklin store.

Mr. Rhodes, brother of Mrs. I. J. Pierce, came to Colorado from Louisiana about five years ago. He is employed at the Sinclair service station.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes are making their home in Colorado.

Mrs. Bennett Is Harmony Hostess

Hostess to the Harmony club Wednesday afternoon was Mrs. H. H. Bennett, who entertained at the home of Mrs. George Plaster.

There were five tables of players, guests being Mesdames P. C. Coleman, E. A. Barcroft, Sam Majors, A. C. Anderson, Ben Plaster, Oscar Majors, H. B. Broaddus, and Everett Winn.

A salad course was served with hot spiced punch after the games. Mrs. P. C. Coleman will be complimentary hostess for the next meeting.

IN HALEY HOME
Miss Nan Harrison of Abilene is the guest this week of Mrs. A. L. Haley.

visitationary society of the Christian church, spoke to the women.

Mrs. Sproule Honored At Luncheon Thursday

Farewell compliment to Mrs. F. R. Sproule, who left early this week for her new home in San Antonio, was a luncheon given by Mrs. Lois Prude Bennett and Mrs. Ledger Smith last Thursday.

Luncheon was served at the Colorado hotel, after which bridge was played at the home of Mrs. Bennett. Miss Mildred Coleman made high score. Mrs. Earl Cramer low. Both presented their gifts to Mrs. Sproule, who also received a guest prize.

Miriam Club Honors Mrs. F. B. Whipkey

Bringing gifts to honor Mrs. F. B. Whipkey on her birthday, the Miriam club met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. M. E. Lindley.

After games cherry pie and coffee were served to Mesdames F. B. Whipkey, Green DeLaney, J. M. Green, Jack DeLaney, R. H. DeLaney, and B. F. King, also Miss Wilma Barnett, all members. Visitors were Mrs. Minnie Manners, Mrs. W. C. Sorrells, Elean Gouse, and Catherine DeLaney.

YWA Meeting At Mrs. Fitzgerald's Home

A meeting of the Y. W. A. was held Monday at the home of Mrs. Lewis Fitzgerald, one of the sponsors.

After a business meeting, cheese sandwiches, applesauce cake, and hot chocolate were served to Mrs. Dell Barber, Juanita Barton, Mary Rice, Sue Motley, Mildred Whitaker, Mary Venable, and Wilma Barnett.

Mrs. Otto Jones took Pauline Jones, student in Texas Tech, and Lottie Croslin of Lubbock, a guest in the Jones home last week, back to Lubbock Sunday.

Burford Women Name Missionary Officers

New officers of the Burford Missionary society have been elected as follows:

President, Mrs. Lester Biggs; vice-president, Mrs. Nute Johnson; secretary-treasurer and reporter, Mrs. Basil Hudson; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Earl Hunter; study superintendent, Mrs. A. J. Hooks; superintendent of local work, Mrs. N. E. Simpson; spiritual life leader, Mrs. J. F. Bodine; superintendent of supplies, Mrs. Smith; superintendent of children's work, Mrs. Exa Hammond; superintendent of World Outlook, Mrs. Emmett Blessingame.

Present at the first meeting of the society in the New Year were Mesdames Biggs, Hunter, Hooks, Prentiss, Simpson, Don Blessingame, Hudson, and Emmett Blessingame. The society is sorry to lose Mrs. Prentiss, who is moving to Lamesa.

HOSPITAL NEWS

The first 1938 baby at Root hospital was Charles Ray Green, 8½ pound son born to Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Green of Colorado on Saturday morning, Jan. 1, at 9:10.

Second baby for the first day of the New Year was Patricia Joyce, 6-pound daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Robbins of Cisco and Colorado at 12:55 noon.

Four persons who underwent appendectomies at the hospital during the past week are reported doing fine, although in one case the appendix had ruptured and in another it was gangrenous.

Albert Teeters of near Colorado is recovering from an appendix operation last Thursday night. Tom Read of Hyman underwent surgery

PICKED UP ALONG THE NEWS PATH

Every time Mrs. R. F. Hargrove gets a letter from her son, Garrard Hargrove, who lives in devastated Shanghai, she has a feeling that it was written under a censorship of some other restraint, she says. Hargrove has operated a cafe in the International settlement in Shanghai for a number of years, a business in which he is assisted by his wife. They have remained in Shanghai throughout the war. In spite of early promises to write "all about" his experiences, all he has written his mother so far is that he and his wife have "lost everything."

Writing this week's story about

for appendicitis the same night. His appendix had ruptured, but he is said to be recovering steadily.

Mrs. Ted Graham is recovering from an appendicitis operation on Friday and C. B. McMillan is doing well after one on Saturday. His appendix was gangrenous.

Peggy Jane Board, 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Irwin Board of Iatan, went home Wednesday after several days in the hospital as a medical patient.

Horace Simpson, a former Coloradoan, was in Colorado Sunday and Monday. Simpson has lived in Gridley, California, for the past several years. He spent Christmas with his sister, Florence Simpson, in Greenville and other members of the Simpson family in Dallas and was going back to California when he stopped here.

Bonnie Bill Brizendine left Monday morning to visit in Brady.

the basketball tournament which Colorado High school is having this week-end brought sharply to my mind the memory of C. A. Wilkins. It will be a long time before I can write such stories without remembering of Colorado High school's invitational basketball tournament seven years ago.

Whether it was a joke or if there really was an "Extra" peddled in Colorado last Thursday night? I heard bicycle-mounted boys shouting "Extra! Extra!" up and down the streets of our neighborhood, but could never understand what the extra was about. A woman who was nearer them than I told me later that they were yelling "Amelia Earhart Found!" Since I've never heard or read another thing about it, and since I haven't been able to find anybody who saw one of the "extras," I've decided it must have been a prank. I can't say so much for the good taste of it, though.

The bride wore "red"—red slacks and a green blouse, all in the most accepted Christmas motif. The wedding ceremony in which she featured was the most unusual, both as to costume and setting, which Dr. W. M. Elliot performed. It took place in Allen Connell's filling station, and the bride and groom were just passing through. The ceremony was held near Christmas. The bride was accompanied by the station owner. The young couple confessed their desire to get married and their reluctance to go to a preacher's house because of the way they were dressed.

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LOCAL NOTES

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Mrs. J. Ralph Lee and children returned last Thursday after a holiday visit with relatives in Childress. Mr. Lee went down after them.

Eugene Smith of El Paso was the New Year's guest of his mother, Mrs. Hubert Smith, and his sister, Mrs. Harry Ratliff.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Norred attended a party in Snyder Thursday night.

Miss Irma Lee of Fort Worth was the guest of her brother, J. Ralph Lee, and Mrs. Lee Saturday and Sunday.

Joyce Ann Warren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Warren, is recovering from a severe illness of whooping cough.

Miss Mabel Smith returned Saturday after spending the holidays with Mrs. Nora Blandford Ray in Fort Worth.

W. P. Nuckolls of Dallas has been visiting his son, M. W. Nuckolls, and his daughter, Mrs. S. S. Churchhill.

Mrs. Tom Johnson has been visiting in El Paso this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Busbee and daughter, Helen, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Busbee and son of Winters spent the holidays in Oklahoma City, where the Busbee family held a reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Taylor of Wichita Falls were holiday guests in the home of Mr. Taylor's mother, Mrs. Roy Dozier.

Coy Harris made a business trip to Hobbs during the week-end.

Miss Margaret Huff of Lubbock was a guest in the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Elliott and Miss Hennie Merriweather the latter part of last week.

Mrs. A. E. Maddin is still confined to her home with bronchitis.

Mrs. C. L. Seale returned Sunday after a visit with relatives in Leady, Oklahoma.

Reuben Westfall's daughter of Ft. Worth has been visiting here.

Charles Garrett of Kermit spent New Year's here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Garrett.

Mrs. W. H. Garrett had as her guest Tuesday her brother, the Rev. C. N. Morton of Big Springs.

Margery Plaster spent the week-end in Baird with her sister, Mrs. Harold Boney.

CHURCHES

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Interest manifested in the first services at the church of Christ for the new year were very encouraging. These services will continue from week to week and it is only natural to expect that attendance will increase at all the gatherings. Remember that your invitation to these services is a continued one, and that you will find a genuine welcome when you attend. Come to the next one, and bring a friend.

CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday
Bible Study, 10:00.
Worship, 11:00.
Young folks class, 6:15.
Evening service, 7:00.
Monday
Ladies Bible class, 3:00.
Wednesday
Mid-week service, 7:30.
Attend these gatherings. The Lord has need of you, and you have need of the Lord.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45.
Morning sermon at 11:00.
Young people's meeting, 5:30.
Evening sermon at 7:30.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

C. E. Jameson, Pastor
Preaching at 11 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 9, by the pastor.
The evening services will be in charge of the Young People, with Mr. John Hood, teacher in Westbrook school as principal speaker. They will have a very interesting service and the public is cordially invited to attend.

The pastor will leave Sunday afternoon at 1:15 o'clock for the General Missionary Council of the Methodist church which convenes in Savannah, Ga., Jan. 11. He will be gone about ten days. On Jan. 16 at 11 a.m. Mr. Joe Humphrey, a fine young Methodist layman and also teacher in the high school at Abilene will be the principal speaker. He is a wonderful speaker and you will enjoy him. At the evening hour, Jan. 16, the Rev. Edward Sifford, pastor of Colorado circuit will preach. He too is a very fine young man and will bring a good message. There is a very fine in our church and may it grow. Our offering for the orphanage is \$250.00. Our hymn books are paid for and \$100.00 has been remitted to the Conference treasurer on Benevolences. We have had a good start towards a successful year and now let us keep going.

"I was glad when they said unto me, let us go unto the house of the Lord."
Sermon subjects, Sunday, Jan. 9:
Morning: "The Christian and Amusements."
Evening: "The Pearl of Great Price."

CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.
B. T. U., 6:30 p.m.
Praying services, 11:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Prayer meeting, Wednesday 8:00 p.m.
Teachers and officers meeting, Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

THEATRE NEWS

By SHERMAN HART, Mgr. "HIGH, WIDE AND HANDSOME" Palace—Friday and Saturday January 7 and 8

Through sheer weight of spectacular production and proven cast names this unusual offering should garner a place among the season's boxoffice and entertainment leaders, albeit it is a picture somewhat difficult to classify. Fundamentally melodrama—written around the discovery of oil in Pennsylvania and the subsequent fight between the farmers-turned-oil-operators and railroad magnates for control of the new industry—it has a definite undertone of music and humor which at times places it in the category of musical comedy. The cast is above par throughout. Direction keeps pace with the tempo of the story, which reaches its climax of suspense in the laying of a pipeline to outwit the railroads. Directed by Rouben Mamoulian.

"ARTISTS AND MODELS" Palace—Saturday Midnite, Jan. 8 Sunday and Monday, Jan. 9 and 10

A smash hit headed for important money is this merry mad melange of mirth, melody and maids. It is perfectly paced with just enough story and romance to serve as buffers for the abundance of top flight specialties, impressive production numbers, catchy songs and sure-fire gags. Jack Benny draws a natural for himself in his part as a smart-cracking, fast-thinking advertising executive and takes advantage of it to score his best screen performance to date. Pressing him for first honors are Ida Lupino and Gail Patrick, while a large cast of regulars and specialists finish a close third. Add it all up and garnish with Lew Gensler's talent for production in the realm of musical variety and Raoul Walsh's intelligent direction and it totals entertainment designed to sate the appetites of everyone.
Players are Jack Benny, Ida Lupino, Richard Arlen, Gail Patrick, Ben Blue, Judy Canova, the Yacht Club Boys, Cecil Cunningham.

"STAND-IN" Palace—Tuesday and Wednesday January 11 and 12

From any standpoint of evaluation, Walter Wagner's picturization of the widely-read Saturday Evening Post story by Clarence Budington Kelland is a smash hit, and will stand high among the brightest comedies of a season abounding in this type of picture. It offers a double treat for exhibitors, first, because it is a smashing highly profitable picture, and second, because it is a picture that will pay dividends.
Players are Joan Blondell, Humphrey Bogart, Alan Mowbray, Maria Montez, Henry

"PUBLIC COULDER" Palace—Friday and Saturday January 7 and 8

That it takes a long time to catch cattle rustlers is an entertainingly demonstrated fact in "Public Coulder." With the accomplished fact, Republic has produced a picture that should gross big. The story is a novel plot. A boy and his father employ high-powered rustlers in which the stolen goods are hidden and packed at the rustlers' ranch. Gene Autry is a rustler who is called for using old-fashioned rustling methods. He captures the rustlers and captures the rustlers and captures the rustlers. An added attraction is the singing of Gene Autry and the romance between Gene Autry and Autry. Directed by Joseph Kane is well paced.

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25c

25c

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Stokely's Catsup 14 oz. bottle 15c

Mustard quart jar 10c

Milk Maximum Brand 2 Tall or 4 Small cans 13c

Spinach 3 No. 2 cans 25c

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**CATTLE INDUSTRY LOOKING
AHEAD AFTER RAINS START
VEGETATION ON THE RANGE**

**Wild Rye and Tallow Weeds
Growing To Ease Heavy
Feeding Costs; Ranchers
Here Are Optimistic**

The cattle industry in this section of Texas is being seen through a brighter screen since rains of the recent past blanketed the range and started wild rye, tallow weeds and other winter vegetation growing. Cattleman, as a rule are expressing keen optimism in the outlook.

"Conditions have been stepped ahead considerably and I have ample reason to vision better days for the cattleman," to quote O. F. Jones, manager of the Spade ranch, who Thursday night was a visitor in Colorado from his home 30 miles south. Jones stated that the rains were general over the large cattle domain of which he is manager and that vegetation was getting off to a good start.

Lay Powell, owner and operator of extensive ranch properties in this and other counties of West Texas, stated Friday morning that the rains would be a boon to the industry. His pastures here and in Martin county received moisture. Powell stated, however, that the rain was not ample to meet present needs. But little water was placed in surface reservoirs and holes along streams due to fact the rains fell slowly.

An aspect of the situation that is bringing smiles to faces of cattlemen lies in fact they see a lessening of expensive feeding costs as remainder of the winter season is passed. Range cattle in large number was on regular feed rations when the rains came.

Farmers and those engaged in the

**FFA CALVES GAIN 2.3
LBS. DAILY WHEN FED
ON BALANCED RATION**

Two Hereford calves being fed by Jack Long, vocational agriculture student of Colorado High school, have each made an average gain of 2.3 pounds per day in the approximately 85 days since they were started on feed, according to F. C. Shillingburg, head of the vocational agriculture department.

In computing the average gain the boy counted in 30 days when the calves were getting adapted to the feed lot after being taken from the range. It is estimated that the animals are gaining 3 pounds each daily at present. They were bought from P. K. Mackey of Colorado.

The calves have been fed a balanced ration of ground milo heads and cotton seed meal, proportioned with one pound of meal to 6 pounds of ground maize heads. They are fed all the bundled kafir corn (ground) that they will eat, and each animal consumes about one-tenth pound of limestone flour per day.

Murrel Blassingame, an FFA boy from near Buford, says his calves have gained 2.1 pounds per day on the same ration.

**SPROULE, MARCUM,
AND MAY TO COL-TEX
OFFICE AT SANTONE**

F. R. Sproule, head of the asphalt sales department of the Col-TEX refinery at Colorado for some time, left Monday for San Antonio to be in charge of a newly opened branch sales office of the Col-TEX there.

Working with Sproule in the new office will be two other employees transferred from the Col-TEX here. These are John Marcum, secretary to Sproule, and Hoyt May, who will be in charge of the office laboratory.

Mr. Sproule was accompanied to San Antonio by his wife and their little daughter, Susan. May and Marcum went on to San Antonio during the week-end.

**SHORT IS MANAGER OF
MONAHANS CAR AGENCY**

L. Short, office manager for Mills Chevrolet Company during the past two years, left Monday for Monahans to assume charge of the concern's car distributing agency there. Mrs. Short and their daughter, Lavoeye, will remain here for the present.

**DR. JOHNSON ELECTED
MEMBER OF LIONS CLUB**

Dr. J. P. Johnson, Colorado physician, Friday was elected as an active member of the Lions Club. The new Lion is scheduled for formal presentation to membership of the service organization Friday.

Application for membership from another Colorado citizen was read and it will be voted upon Friday.

SHOULD BE ON HONOR ROLL

The name of Virgil Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Walker of near Colorado, was unintentionally omitted from last week's story on Colorado honor students in John Tarleton at Stephenville. Virgil, a freshman in the college, has a high scholastic rating so far this year.

sheep industry are uniting with their neighbors on the cattle ranch to express elation over the rain. Fields are now in proper condition for plowing in preparation for planting the next crop. The growth of wild rye and weeds assured will be a boon to citizens owning sheep in this territory.

**Report Of B. J. Baskin, County Agent,
Shows Wide Range Of 1937 Activities**

A wide range of activities was covered by B. J. Baskin, Mitchell county farm agent, in his work for 1937, according to a summary of his annual report.

Baskin's office handled 907 work sheets for the 1937 agricultural conservation program, and checked 616 farms and 34 ranches for compliance in the program. In addition the office received sales certificates for 21,300 bales of cotton sold by 1100 farmers. Information was given to 865 farmers regarding subsidy payments and CCC loans on cotton.

Forty-seven tanks and dams for 34 ranches who cooperated in the 1937 range conservation program were staked off by Baskin. He contoured two pastures and terraced 1490 acres for 23 farmers.

During the year the agent directed 20 Four-H club boys in maize club work and 35 in cotton club work. He now has four boys feeding calves and one feeding two barrows for the spring show.

Twenty night meetings and 110 day meetings were held by Baskin, and these meetings were attended by 3,502 people. Fifty-one farmers and ranchmen attended two trench silo demonstrations. Baskin assisted farmers in perfecting their county organization for the 1938 farm program.

Through his contact with farmers and through special meetings, Baskin launched a campaign to improve the quality of cotton produced in Mitchell county. He has cooperated with vocational agriculture instructors of the county in coordinating his service with theirs.

Eleven working days of the year were devoted by the agent to making preparations and arrangements for fairs and shows. He cooperated in staging both the Colorado City Frontier Round-up and the Loraine Community fair.

Miscellaneous activities including the delivery of four radio talks, the culling of three farm poultry flocks, budding of pecan trees for three farmers, staging of a rat eradication campaign in which 47 Colorado business houses participated, and the holding of a three-day camp for 4-H club boys on Spring creek near Sherwood. The Colorado chamber of commerce made this outing possible.

Keeping in touch with Mitchell county farmers and their activities during the year necessitated 367 visits by Baskin to 250 different farms and ranches, 10,245 miles traveled in performance of duties, 774 individual letters, and 59 form letters. Baskin's office received 2420 telephone calls and 8,132 office calls during the year. The agent worked 66 days in his office and 299 days in the field, devoting 65 days of 4-H club work. He observed seven holidays, took five days sick leave, and two days annual leave.

**FUNERAL SERVICES
HELD ON FRIDAY FOR
MRS. J. W. DOSS. 66**

Funeral services were held from Kiker Chapel Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock for Mrs. J. W. Doss, 66, resident of Mitchell county 40 years. The Rev. C. E. Jameson of First Methodist church officiated.

Mrs. Doss died at her home in South Colorado at 2:30 Friday morning after an illness of six months. She was born Ida Mae Dyer in Missouri on October 4, 1871.

Survivors include her husband and nine children, Mrs. Maude Foster of Oklahoma and the following of Colorado: Ab Doss, Mrs. Kate Ward, Mack Doss, Jack Doss, Dutch Doss, Jimmie Doss, Della Doss, and Cora Mae Doss. Two brothers, Jason Dyer and Charlie Dyer, live at Littlefield.

Kiker & Son had charge of funeral arrangements.

**W. A. FRENCH RESIGNS
AFTER ELEVEN YEARS
AS HIGHWAY ENGINEER**

Resignation of W. A. (Bill) French of Abilene as divisional engineer with the state highway department was announced Wednesday. His successor is S. J. Treadaway, formerly of Kaufman county.

French, well-known in Colorado and a personal friend of Walter Whipkey and other Coloradans, has been connected with the state highway department for nearly 11 years, the last 8 of which have been in Abilene.

All of the state highway pavement now in Mitchell county was done under French's administration. He was divisional engineer at Amarillo before going to Abilene.

French announced that he is resigning to enter private business. With C. L. (Chauncey) Nelson as partner he will operate the French and Nelson company. Nelson formerly was salesman for a cement firm in Dallas, with headquarters in Abilene.

The new firm will sell all kinds of building materials—brick and lumber, asphalt and other road materials, and oil field supplies. It also will deal in contractors' equipment, including road construction machinery.

Abilene will be headquarters for the company, French said. It will operate in a 50-county territory stretching from Mineral Wells to El Paso and including Brownwood and San Angelo.

**GROUND LICE DAMAGE
PASTURES HEREBABOUTS**

Ground lice are blamed by many Mitchell county stock-raisers and ranchmen with the poor condition of their pastures at present.

Sam Wulfjen, who recently had to lease pasture for nearly 100 head of his cattle, says that the lice have been worse this year than usual. He has noticed that they always do the most damage when there is a midsummer drought followed by fall rains.

Wulfjen says, however, that the more than one inch of moisture which Mitchell county received in December has started the wild rye and other winter range stuff in encouraging quantities, and that pastures will soon be back in good shape if the present mild weather holds on a few more weeks.

**OFFICERS FOR METHODIST
WOMEN ARE INSTALLED**

Evening service at First Methodist church Sunday was devoted to the installation of new officers of the women's missionary society, a special sermon by the pastor, the Rev. C. E. Jameson, being one of the main features.

Headed by Mrs. W. W. Rhode as president, the newly installed officers are: Vice-president, Mrs. Sam Wulfjen; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Everett Winn; recording secretary, Mrs. H. C. Hicks; treasurer, Mrs. J. W. Shupe; study leader, Mrs. C. C. Thompson; chairman of Christian social relations, Mrs. J. G. Merritt; spiritual life, Mrs. W. H. Garrett; children's work, Mrs. Tom Manley; World Outlook, Mrs. Tom Grant; baby division, Mrs. L. B. Elliott; supplies, Mrs. F. C. Shillingburg; home department, Mrs. J. A. Ferguson.

WATSON UNDERGOES SURGERY

John E. Watson, superintendent of Colorado schools, underwent minor surgery at Sealey hospital in Santa Anna last week. He returned home Sunday with Mrs. Watson and daughters, who visited in Coleman during part of the time he was in the hospital.

**LIMELIGHT OF WEST
TEXAS BASKETBALL ON
CHS AS TOURNAY OPENS**

**Twenty-Two Teams To Play
In 7th Annual Invitation
Affair; First Games Will
Be Thursday Night**

The limelight of West Texas basketball will be focused on Colorado High school Thursday night, Friday and Saturday of this week as the seventh annual invitation basketball tournament of the high school is held.

Rooms are to be furnished to the coach and eligible players (not exceeding 10) from those schools more than 50 miles removed from Colorado, Coffman says.

An admission of 25 cents is to be charged, each ticket being good for all games of a morning, afternoon, or night session.

Eight trophies provided by Colorado business men are being offered for tournament winners. Four trophy cups will go to the four high teams in the championship bracket, two to the first and second place winners in the consolation bracket, one to the high point man of the tournament and one to the best sport as selected by the coaches. A gold basketball will be awarded to each of the five players chosen on the all-tournament team.

The tournament will open Thursday evening at 6 o'clock when Loraine is to play Westbrook. Dunn and Rescoe will play at 7 o'clock, Colorado Wolves and Snyder at 8 o'clock, and Coahoma and Lamesa at 9 o'clock.

Friday's schedule will be as follows: 8 a.m., Trent vs. Hobbs; 9 a.m., Sterling vs. Ira; 10 a.m., Hamlin vs. Fluvanna; 11 a.m., Merkel vs. Roby; 12:30 p.m., Pryor vs. Abilene; 1:30 p.m., Denton (consolidated) vs. Highland; 2:30 p.m., Moore vs. Sweetwater.

The second round of games will begin at 3:30 Friday afternoon when the Loraine-Westbrook winner will meet the Dunn-Rescoe winner. Quarter-finals will be played Friday night and at 8 o'clock Saturday morning. Semi-finals will be Saturday afternoon at 2 and 3 o'clock.

The championship final will be played at 9 o'clock Saturday night, the consolation final at 8 o'clock Saturday night.

Interest was added to the tournament Tuesday by the belated entry of Lamesa, which has had an exceptionally strong team for the past several years. The Lamesa quintet has gone far up in state races a number of times. The Colorado Jackrabbits have yielded their place in the tournament schedule to Lamesa.

Robert Coffman, tournament manager, and Coach Jack Christian, who will be in charge of tournament play, said Wednesday that everything is in readiness to care for the 21 teams which have accepted invitations to the tournament. The Colorado Wolves make 22 teams to play in the contests.

**TWO DEFEATS FOR
WOLVES THIS WEEK**

Two defeats were suffered by the Colorado Wolves basketball teams in district games played here this week. They lost to Loraine 21-19 Monday night. This game was originally scheduled for Friday night in Loraine, but the time was changed because of Colorado's tournament this week-end. Loraine took an early lead which the Wolves were never able to overcome, although they outscored Loraine during the last three quarters of the game.

The second defeat of the week was at the hands of Roby Tuesday night, when Roby scored 33 to Colorado's 23.

Two other games were played Tuesday night in the Colorado gym. Roby girls defeated Westbrook girls 19-12, while Roby's second string defeated the Colorado Jackrabbits 25-15.

Starting lineup for the Colorado team Tuesday night included Ernest Smith and Junior Cox as forwards, Burl Ballard as center, and Curtis Woods and Thos. Chadwick as guards. Sam Richardson started in Chadwick's place on Monday night.

**'INSPIRING' MEETING
HELD HERE TUESDAY BY
METHODIST PREACHERS**

Twenty-four Methodist preachers of the Sweetwater district gathered at First Methodist church in Colorado Tuesday for what their leaders later described as "one of the most inspiring sessions we ever attended."

The meeting was one of a series being held in "spiritual preparation" for the launching of the second half of the Bishop's Crusade of Southern Methodism. The Rev. S. H. Young of Sweetwater, presiding elder of the district, was in charge. The meeting opened Tuesday morning and continued until 3 o'clock that afternoon with only a brief pause for lunch.

Only two pastors in the district were absent. Those attending in addition to the Rev. Mr. Young and the Rev. C. E. Jameson, host pastor, were: Rev. L. B. Smallwood of Sweetwater, Rev. Uel Crosby of Roscoe, Rev. J. A. Scoggins of Loraine, Rev. A. J. Jones of Blackwell, Rev. Edward Sifford of the Colorado circuit, Rev. S. A. Sifford of Nolan, Rev. H. C. Gordon and Rev. O. P. Clark of Snyder, Rev. Mr. Waddell of Snyder, Rev. H. R. Bennett of Fluvanna, Rev. C. D. Dameron of Dunn, Rev. Ira Huckaby of Hemleigh, Rev. R. B. Walden of Westbrook, Rev. Ansil Lynn and Rev. C. N. Morton of Big Spring, Rev. D. A. Ross of Coahoma, Rev. W. C. Hinds of Midland, Rev. Geo. Bryant of Andrews, Rev. Raymond Van Zandt of Stanton, Rev. Mr. Brown of the Stanton circuit, Rev. A. A. Tindall of Sparburg, and Rev. E. P. Swindall of Garden City.

**INCREASED ENROLLMENT
IN COLORADO SCHOOLS
AS 1938 WORK STARTED**

An increased enrollment was noted in every division of Colorado schools as they reopened Monday after being closed for the holidays, according to John I. Watson, superintendent.

"It seems to me I never saw pupils and teachers so ready, even eager, to get back to work," Watson said Tuesday. "This seems to have been one holiday season that really renewed vigor instead of using it up."

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Russell attended a funeral in Abilene Saturday afternoon.

**ATTENDS BANQUET
FOR AGED TEACHER**

Thos. R. Smith attended the banquet honoring Dean T. U. Taylor, former head of the University of Texas engineering department, at the Jefferson hotel in Dallas Sunday night.

The occasion was Dean Taylor's 81st birthday, and guests were students of his during his teaching days at the university. Smith studied engineering under him.

Miss Billie Wyatt returned to her job in Pampa Monday after a holiday visit here in the home of her aunt, Miss Neal Mills.



Lemons	SUNKIST DOZEN	.24
Apples	WINESAP DOZEN	.24
Oranges	LARGE SIZE DOZEN	.24
GRAPEFRUIT	LARGE SIZE DOZEN	.35
Bananas	RIFE FRUIT DOZEN	.15
Spuds	NO. 1 WHITES POUND	.02
Coffee	ADMIRATION 1 lb.	.29
	3 lbs.	.85
Oats	MOTHER'S BOX	.25
Snowdrift	3 lb. can	.56
	6 lb. can	\$1.10
SALAD DRESSING	BEST MAID QUARTS	.25
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Court House News

Marriage Licenses Issued:
H. L. Willis and Mrs. Mollie Levins, Colorado.
R. E. McClellan and Miss Grace Copeland, Colorado.
Epsom Huff and Emma Hockney (colored), Colorado.
Elmo F. Dunn and Miss Christine Robison, Snyder.
James M. Hanson and Miss Oleta May Murphy, Colorado.
Rony Jones and Retha Mae Haynes (colored), Colorado.
Claude Bearden and Miss Sylvia Yarbrough, Loraine.
Harris Elbert Wilson and Miss Ruby Turner, Westbrook.

Transfers in Real Estate:
W. D. Kinnison et ux to Ira Hall; Lots 9 to 16 incl. Block 75, T. & P. Div. to Loraine; \$10.00.
Tom Morrison et ux to O. B. Price; Lots 4-5-6, Block 30, Colorado; \$4,000.00.
Leona Anderson et al to M. L. Cope; Lots 7 and 8, Block 16, Amd Ad. to Westbrook; \$10.00.
Hood Parker et ux to Sarah M. Hyman; W 1/2 Sec. 10, Blk. 17, S. P. Ry. Co. surveys; \$10.00.
J. R. Shurtleff et al to Floyd Shock; W 1/2 Sec. 51, Blk. 27, T. & P. Ry. Co. surveys; \$10.00.
D. M. Finch et ux to W. E. Anglin; 2 acres fr SE corner of SE 1/4 Sec. 23, Blk. 25, T. & P. Ry. Co. surveys; \$850.00.
H. M. Smith et ux to P. G. Fuller; W 1/2 Lots 5 and 6, Blk. 65, Colorado; \$1500.00.
W. R. Morris et al to Z. T. Laster; NE 1/4 Sec. 24, Blk. 29-N, T. & P. Ry. Co. surveys; \$7,847.62.
C. R. Gross et ux to Mary Lou Elliott et al; E. 49 ft. Lot 4, Sub. Lot 1, Blk. 107, Colorado; \$10.00.

New Cars Registered:
W. E. Stockton, Hyman, Ford Coupe.
J. H. Reese, Colorado, Chevrolet Sedan.
Will C. Berry, Cuthbert, Chevrolet Sedan.
Albert Hohertz, Colorado, Chevrolet Sedan.
W. J. Wallace, Colorado, Ford Coupe.
M. L. King, Colorado, Chevrolet Sedan.
Mitchell County, Chevrolet Coach.
R. C. Moore, Lamesa, Ford Coach.
A. W. Golden, Colorado, Ford Coach.

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THE YARD THAT SERVICE IS BUILT

Mrs. C. M. Adams, Colorado Pioneer, Holds Unique Record Of Service To Organization

A record of service to an organization that has seldom been equalled in Colorado is held by Mrs. C. M. Adams, one of the town's early pioneers. Mrs. Adams was recently elected secretary of the woman's auxiliary of All Saints' Episcopal church for her 51st year.

When Mrs. Adams was first elected to that office in January, 1886, she was a young girl named Fannie Rix and the auxiliary was the "guild." The church where the auxiliary met was less than a year old, its cornerstone having been laid in March, 1885. And the church bore the name of St. Michael rather than All Saints'.

Today Mrs. Adams is the only charter member of All Saints' still in active membership. She is the only person now living in Colorado who was present on that sandstormy March day when the cornerstone of the church building was laid with the late Bishop Alexander C. Garrett of Dallas officiating.

Little Fannie Rix (hardly anyone ever called her "Frances") attended the cornerstone laying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rix. J. L. Rix and his brother had come to Colorado in January, 1883, to engage in the stock business.

The Episcopal church was one of the strongest in Colorado at those days, due to the fact that so many English people of Episcopalian belief had come here with fortunes and near-fortunes to invest in ranches and otherwise. Today the church is a mission, but in its flourishing early days it was a self-supporting parish. Many of the English people who came here were connected with the United Trading company.

Mrs. Adams recalls a lot of "firsts" connected with the church which has played such an important part in her life. The first funeral was that of Mrs. A. McClain. The first wedding was that of the late Judge C. H. Earnest and Mrs. Earnest of Colorado. The first rector was the Rev. Geo. H. Higgins. The present rector is Archdeacon J. W. Hayes, formerly of Greensboro, Alabama.

The marriage of Fannie Rix to Col. C. M. Adams on April 13, 1887, was the second wedding in the church. Before her marriage Mrs. Adams had been a member of the church's confirmation class.

Fannie Rix was born in Cedar Creek, Wisconsin, on October 31, 1865. When she was very small her family moved to Milwaukee and later to other Wisconsin places. They came to Colorado on January 12, 1883. Col. Adams came to Colorado about the same time, working in the Dan S. Parks jewelry store under Cleveland before opening the dry goods store that became his life business. He retired in 1929 in time to take Mrs. Adams and attend a World Series in Yankee stadium in New York. Baseball and being a good Lion and a good Mason are Col. Adams' hobbies.

Mrs. Adams is a member of Colorado's oldest study club, the Standard, having served as its president time without number. She and Mr. Adams have but one daughter living, Mrs. R. D. Buchanan, who stays with them. There are two grandchildren, Frances and Betty Byrd Harrison, daughters of another daughter, Marian, who died several years ago. The grandchildren spend much of their time in the Adams home.

THE COLORADO THAT USED TO BE 25 Years Ago 15 Years Ago

25 YEARS AGO
From The Record for Jan. 3, 1913
President Taft predicted "good times" under President-elect Woodrow Wilson.

Lula Mae and Elnora Dulaney had entertained with a New Year's party at their home with Mrs. John Vaughan chaperoning. The only unpleasant feature of the evening, the story recorded, was the trip home against a norther that had blown up at dark.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beall and son of Sweetwater had spent New Year's day with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Beall.

Judge W. B. Crockett had died suddenly on Sunday morning, his death coming as a shock because friends and relatives had believed him on the road to recovery after a long illness. He had come to Mitchell county 20 years before in quest of health. He had served as county attorney, county judge and state legislator. Among survivors were his orphan niece and nephew.

Jim Guitler had spent the holidays with his brother at Merkel. Mrs. J. W. Bost had daughter had stopped here en route to Fort Stockton to visit J. R. Leebetter, father of Mrs. Bost.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Arnett and little son, S. C. Jr., had arrived Tuesday to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Arnett.

Mrs. M. Carter, Jack and Dick had visited relatives in Fort Worth. Mrs. Gray and little daughter of El Paso were the guests of Mrs. Gray's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Burns.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Snyder and baby had returned to their ranch home in Borden county after spending Christmas here.

Mrs. A. L. Whipkey and daughters, Lela and Irene, had motored to Sweetwater on Sunday evening and were accompanied home by Mary Risinger of Decatur. J. M. Helton and children had visited Mrs. Helton in the Homan sanatorium at El Paso during the holidays.

A letter received by Royall Smith from Thos. R. Smith, who had left for South America some time before, stated that the latter had boarded a vessel off Bahia, Brazil, to go to his destination by way of England.

Being snowbound in the mountains of New Mexico was the holiday experience of Dr. T. J. Ratliff and Mike Ratliff, who had been on a business trip to Roswell. Lay Powell and family were home from a visit to Fort Worth and Cleburne.

Harry Landers, Jr., had returned to school in Fort Worth. Jim Schroeder had burned his face and hands badly in a fall against a stove. J. L. Bowen was having his

15 YEARS AGO
From The Record for Jan. 5, 1923
A campaign was on to build an American Legion hut as a memorial to Mitchell county boys who had "fought the Germans."

M. D. Daughtrey, who farmed a few miles south of Colorado, had received painful injuries when his mules ran away, dragging him.

Mrs. Will Nowell, who lived near Westbrook, had been badly burned when a match ignited her clothing.

Pneumonia had claimed the life of Mrs. A. J. Coe on Thursday morning. She was 61 years of age, and had lived in Colorado 41 years.

A gas well had blown in unexpectedly at the Budget No. 1 of Browser and Reed twelve miles northwest of Colorado. Sam Sloan brought in word of the discovery, making the announcement at the Lions club and bringing on bedlam and immediate adjournment. The well was on fire several times.

G. D. Foster was putting his basketball team through stiff practice for games at Sterling City that week.

Vance Phenix of San Antonio and Ida Richardson had been married in Fort Worth on Sunday.

Ruth Hurd and Lister Ratliff had married at the Hurd home on Tuesday evening. In the wedding party were Louise Harrison, who played; Mabel Ratliff Majors and Martha Jane Majors, who were ribbon bearers; Evelyn Lasky and Gilbert Quinney, who were attendants.

Elsie Lee Majors presided over the bride's book at the reception following the wedding.

Joe Earnest, Annie Mary Lupton, Alma Phillips, Lula Helton, Gladys Dorn, and Elnora Dulaney had returned to the University of Texas after the holidays. Mary Terrell and Helen Wright had gone back to Baylor.

J. H. Greene was home from a holiday visit in Stephens, Ark. Marion Elliott had gone back to Park college in Kansas City. Lee Jones, Jr., and Landon Dorn had returned to John Tarleton. A daughter had been born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Landers, Jr., on New Year's day.

10 YEARS AGO
From The Record for Jan. 6, 1928
R. A. Blackard of Snyder had bought the Price hardware store. Forty-five planes had visited the Colorado airport within 90 days. Barbara Way had been selected one of the beauties at the University of Texas. Tom Hughes had bought John Robinson's tailor shop. J. I. White had sold the Star Cash grocery to J. W. Hill and was to de-

vote his time to the new Camp White. Bank deposits in Colorado's two banks totaled \$2,460,240.03.

H. B. Broadhus was quitting the retail grocery business and opening a wholesale grocery house. Daisy Mhyre, who had worked for him, was to go with Beal's M system.

A slumber party in honor of Rosalie Leslie of Eastland had been given by Mrs. Ross Dixon with the following present: Virginia Stonerod, Susie Richardson, Nelle Harper Greene, Martha Reba Hubbard, Virginia Thompson, Kahterine Price, Margaret Mann, and Mary Dickson Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mills had left on Saturday night for the New York auto show. Marguerite Stoneham had announced for county treasurer, Henry Doss for judge, Mrs. Mayme Taylor for county treasurer, Geo. Mahon for district attorney, G. D. Foster for county superintendent, Warren for tax assessor, J. Lee Jones for county clerk, Gregory for sheriff.

Elsie Lee Majors was to teach at Rogers. Mr. and Mrs. Carey Prude had been in from Chalk for the New Year. Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Morgan had a daughter, Alice Corinne. Richard Pearson had gone back to A. & M. college.

A column of Record space was devoted to a story about a Los Angeles murder with which Dr. C. M. McMillan, who had practiced in Colorado in 1922 and 1923, was charged. The murder victim was a wealthy widow.

NEW BOOKS IN LIBRARY OFFER A PASTIME FOR LONG WINTER EVENINGS

Pastime for the long winter evenings is offered in 19 new fiction books which were added to the Federation library at the city hall during December.

Among the number is Vaughan Wilkins' best-seller, "And So Victoria," the most talked-of book since "Gone with the Wind."

Other new novels are as follows: "Northwest Passage" by Kenneth Roberts, "The Citadel" by A. J. Cronin, "Home For Christmas" by Lloyd Douglas, "Love Song" by Rupert Hughes, "Roxana" by Clarence B. Kelland, "The Puritan Strain" by Faith Baldwin, "Mr. Fortune Objects" by H. C. Bailey.

"The First Woman" by Margaret Cuklin Bahning, "It's a Great World" by Emile Loring, "The Trail Driver" by Zane Grey, "The Little Doctor" by Louise Platt Hawk, "Soldiers, Sailors, and Dogs" by Peter B. Kyne.

"The Undertow" by Kathleen Norris, "The Youngest Venus" by Berta Ruck, "The Gambler" by Katherine C. Thurston, "Wedding Ring" by Beth Brown, "The Girl of the Golden Gate" by David Belasco, and "Princess Zara" by Ross Beckman.

Mrs. J. E. McClary now has charge of the library, which is open each Tuesday and Saturday afternoon from 3 until 5:30.

CUTHBERT NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Madison and children spent the holidays at Muleshoe.

Elmo Dunn and Christine Robison of Snyder were married the 23rd of December.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Mathis of Bryan, Mrs. Leonard Ritchey of Oil Center, New Mexico, Mary Alice Gunn of C. I. A. Denton, all visited their mother, Mrs. Julia Gunn and Muriel during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Simpson and son, Mrs. W. W. Jenkins and Frances spent last week at Mission, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Berry and Mary Nell visited in Terrell a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Halbert Fuller and family of Luther were here for New Years.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Burrus of Ackerly visited in the W. R. Burrus home Friday night and Saturday.

T. A. Sparks of Breckenridge is staying in the A. C. Sparks home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Everts and Ellen visited in Westbrook Saturday.

E. F. Dunn went to Stanton on business Friday.

Woodrow Allen of A. & M. College Station spent his Christmas holidays at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Huett of Mountainair, New Mexico, were here several days recently.

SNIVELEYS HAVE GUESTS

Brief visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sniveley last week were Mrs. Albert Moss of Carlsbad, N. M., and her daughters, Laura Moss of Dexter, N. M., and Duluth Moss of El Paso. Mr. Albert Moss is principal of the Carlsbad High school. Mrs. Sniveley went from here with them for a visit in Lingleville, returning home Friday with Mrs. C. A. Wilkins and Sonny, who had spent the holidays in Stephenville.

MOVING TO JONESBORO

W. M. Richards, who has farmed near Colorado and Loraine over 30 years, and Mrs. Richards are moving to a farm on Route 2 at Jonesboro for the coming year.

IN AGENT'S OFFICE

Mrs. Bobby Rees is now employed with the AAA for Mitchell county in the office of B. J. Baskin, county agent.

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Births Registered:
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Thomas Biggs, in November, 30 days.
Richard David Bridgford, Nov. 23, a boy.
Erwin Gus Burns, Nov. 15, a boy.
Carlton Black, Nov. 30, a boy.
Pete Garcia, Nov. 9, a boy.
David LaFayette, Nov. 26, a girl.
Charles Leonard Joyce, Nov. 20, a boy.
T. R. Klas, Nov. 13, a girl.
William Robert McCorkle, Nov. 13, a boy.
J. C. Manigo, Nov. 20, a boy.
Walter Leonard Pope, Nov. 15, a girl.
Leonard Alen Peterson, Nov. 15, a boy.
Sherron Smith, Nov. 24, a girl.
D. R. Smith, Jr., Nov. 23, a boy.
Torelvio Torrez, Nov. 11, twin boys.
Ramco Earl Whitley, Nov. 3, a boy.
M. A. Wright, Nov. 4, a boy.

Deaths Registered:
Wylie Matherson Ainsworth, aged 19 years, 27 days.
Myrtle Lucindy Black, aged 43 years, 11 months, 12 days.
Sidney Freer Custer, aged 39 years, 4 months, 10 days.
Mary Emma Head, aged 33 years, 30 days.
Hiram Frank Loving, aged 80 years, 1 month and 14 days.
Willie Lee Park, aged 1 month 5 days.
Annie Margaret Thompson, aged 66 years, 6 months, 11 days.
Stillborn infant of Torelvio Torrez.
Sarah Elizabeth Venus, aged 78 years, 1 month 7 days.
Betty Joe Womack, aged 3 months, 1 day.

VISIT IN EL PASO
Mr. and Mrs. Thos. R. Smith and Nina Laura were in El Paso last Wednesday and Thursday. They visited Mr. Smith's nephew, Royall Smith of Tucson, Arizona, and his niece, Margaret Smith of the University of Texas, who met them in El Paso after a Christmas trip to California.

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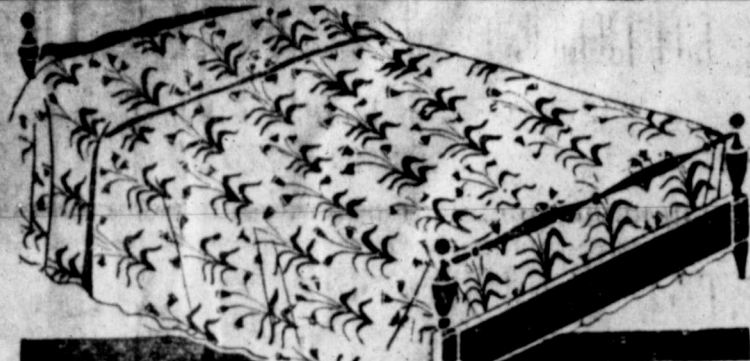
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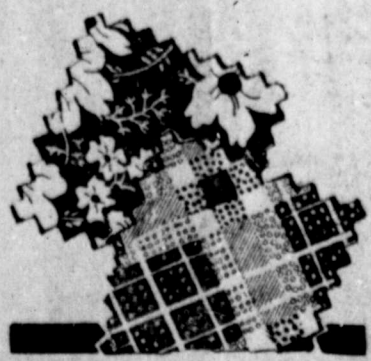
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FOUR FAMILIES AIDED BY BUSINESS WOMEN

Four families were given food, clothing, and toys Christmas by the Business & Professional Women's club, according to reports heard at a business meeting of the club in Mrs. R. D. Tiner's beauty shop Tuesday night.

Boxes prepared for these families cost \$21.85 in addition to donations of toys and clothing.

Present at the meeting Tuesday night were Mrs. Myrtle Templeton, Alwilda Crosthwaite, Beatrice English, Mrs. Ethel Dawson, Mrs. Ida Kirschbaum, Vera Crippen, Mrs. Ioma Jones, Lillian Pond, Mrs. Maude Tiner, Mrs. Alice Berman, and Mrs. Anna Ferguson.

DR. ELLIOTT ATTENDS STEWARDSHIP MEETING

Dr. W. M. Elliott of First Presbyterian church was in Dallas Wednesday to attend a meeting of the Texas synod committee on stewardship at the First Presbyterian church of Dallas.

Dr. Elliott attended as stewardship chairman of the El Paso presbytery. He left here Tuesday morning and returned Wednesday night.

NEW DISABILITY BENEFIT PLAN FOR SHELL EMPLOYEES

The incomes of more than ten thousand employees of the Shell Petroleum Corporation and the Shell Pipe Line Corporation were made more secure yesterday when the two companies announced a new disability benefit plan for all operating employees in twenty-eight states.

Under the new plan, workers who lose time from their jobs due to sickness or no-occupational accident will receive a minimum of fifty per cent to their average wages. Those who are already covered by the companies' group health and accident insurance policy will receive an extra amount beyond their usual salary for medical expenses in the event of sickness or disabling injury incurred away from work, since their insurance payments, equal to two-thirds of their salary, will be supplemented by the new company benefits. Employees who are disabled by an occupational injury will be assured their full average salary.

Company benefits will be paid for periods varying from two weeks to three months, depending on the employee's length of service. All operating employees with a year or more of continuous service to their credit will receive the benefits of the new plan.

SOCIAL SECURITY QUESTION NO. 2

(Editor's Note: This is one of a series of questions and answers being published by this newspaper for the benefit of employees, workers and others affected by the Social Security Act.)

QUESTION: What should an employee do if he loses his Social Security account card? What should he do if he has been issued more than one account card?

ANSWER: If an employee loses his account card, he should report such loss to the nearest office of the Social Security Board. He will be requested to fill out another application for account number, Form SS-5, and should show at line 14 the place and date of filing his original application, and the reason for requesting a duplicate number. The application will then be forwarded to Baltimore, Maryland for issuance of the duplicate card.

If an employee received two or more account cards, he should retain one of the cards, preferably the one he has previously used, and forward the remainder issued to him to the nearest office of the Social Security Board, advising the number of the card retained.

An employee should have only one account number, so that all wages paid to him may be accurately recorded to his credit under a single old-age insurance account.

(Further inquiries should be directed to the office of the Social Security Board, Rust Building, San Angelo, Texas.)

DUDLEY SNYDERS MOVE

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Snyder are moving into the J. H. Greene home vacated this week by Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Sproule, who have been transferred to San Antonio. Mr. and Mrs. Ledger Smith will move into the Henry Vaughn home where the Snyders have been living.

BOYD NOT TO RUN

J. S. Boyd of Hyman who is serving his second term as county commissioner from Precinct 3, said Tuesday morning that he will not be a candidate for reelection.

FROM TUCSON

Mr. and Mrs. H. Winn, Francis Winn and Mrs. D. Wulfjen returned Sunday after spending the holidays with Mrs. S. H. Wallis in Tucson, Arizona.

DON WALKER LEAVE

After spending the holidays here in the home of Mrs. R. J. Wallace, the Don Walker family returned Sunday morning to their home in New Orleans.

Mrs. Bill Coffey's m. Clark of Dallas, is a gift Coffey home, having arrived the holidays.

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EDITORIAL

POLITICS

Governor Jimmie Allred was asked what he thought of Jim Ferguson and here is what he said:

Jim Ferguson has resumed publication of the Forum, which he stopped immediately after my nomination in the first primary last year. Charging both the National and State Governments with insincerity, ignorance and inexperience, Old Jim has a six-point platform; but says that he hasn't, as yet selected a candidate.

It is, however, perfectly obvious that Ferguson is going to make another proxy campaign for Governor. Ferguson plans have been brewing for several months. All the talk is that Mrs. Ferguson probably will run, but one or two other known candidates for Governor have been flirting with Old Jim to get the Ferguson support. It is regrettable that Texas is in for another ordeal and we had just as well get ready for it.

The Ferguson platform is typical of his audacity. It has about 57 varieties of promises, one to appeal to every class of voters. He is going to economize twenty million dollars by increasing expenditures sixty million! He is going to help the poor by taxing them! A little sop for everybody!

Ferguson is for paying a pension of \$30 a month to everybody over 65 whether they need it or not; yet he proposes to take away from the needy old people who are now receiving aid from the State the cigarette, liquor and other taxes now going into that fund. He says he will use these taxes to abolish the State ad valorem taxes. That would relieve from taxation the oil companies now paying on their wells and leases; the insurance and loan companies now paying ad valorem taxes on skyscraper buildings; and it would make tax free all of the vast acres of land now owned by non-resident individuals and foreign corporations.

Ferguson's platform is silent on some other issues in which the people are interested. Of course, he couldn't discuss the question of adequately taxing oil and sulphur because he is against that. He doesn't say anything about race track gambling because every gambler and racketeer in the country knows how the race track law got on the statute books under the Ferguson administration; and every racketeer and gambler, even those who have been driven out of the State under this administration, would welcome the return of Ferguson, or anybody who thinks like him because they would not be molested under the Ferguson idea of government.

Old Jim doesn't say anything about the child labor amendment because he knows that while the labor organizations and women's clubs are for it, thousands of other people are against it. He doesn't say anything about liquor and open saloons, but everybody knows where he stands on that question.

Ferguson says he wants to abolish boards and commissions; yet he never made an effort during the two terms he served as Governor himself and the two terms he served as proxy Governor to abolish any boards or commissions. On the contrary he caused many to be created by the Legislature. His real belief is that all departments of government ought to be abolished in favor of one useless department—himself.

Ferguson has always been a great hand to try to take advantage of the people when they are in distress. When we were in the middle of the depression he wanted to make it more cruel by passing a general sales tax on the necessities of life—bread and beans, milk and medicine, blue shirts and overalls. Now that we are in what may turn out to be another depression, he proposes the same panacea and hopes to get by with promising a pension for everybody when he, himself, fought the adoption of the present pension amendment.

I repeat, regrettable as it is, we are in for another ordeal of Fergusonism, and we had just as well get ready to meet it.

ANCIENT HISTORY

In our weekly study course in Ancient History about wars and the "yellow perils" we are prompted to write this article.— The first "yellow peril" was about the time Genghis Kahn flourished, all Christendom was fighting the infidels in the wars of the Crusades, and they would have made it pretty warm for Genghis Kahn if he had "menaced" as all Christendom was looking for infidels.

The first yellow peril was in the year 451 when Attila the Hun, a man of consummate skill, swept down from Central Asia with a vast army of ferocious barbarians, conquering as he came. He was anti-Christian. His purpose was to destroy civilization and Christianity. He penetrated as far into Europe as France, then Gaul, and there fought the Romans and Goths in the great battle of Chalons in which he was defeated and Christendom and civilization was saved.

The next was in 732, the yellow and brown peril, when the Saracen hordes with the sword in one hand and the Koran in the other, conquering Persia, Syria, Africa, Egypt and Spain, swept across the Pyrenees unto Gaul.

The great Roman Empire had fallen and to oppose this vast army of more than 100,000 ferocious semi-barbarians under the leadership of Abderrahman, a General of great military skill, were the nations of the Franks, the Britons and the semi-Christian wild tribes of the Germanic people. The Christian hosts under the leadership of Charles Martel, a Prince of the Franks of great military renown, met the Moslem warriors in the great battle of Tours to decide whether the world was to be Christian or Mohammedan, whether the cross of the crescent in triumph should wave.

The battle ended in the complete overthrow of the Moslem hosts and Christendom was again saved on the historic battleground of France.

This writer may be called a pessimist as we write of the next peril which will be yellow and white when fates and destiny alone will decide. The shadow of coming events points to the Japanese as the yellow part and Hitler and Mussolini as the white; these three are in close alliance, are ruthless in their aims, are anti-Christian. Their conception of what is civilization is not ours. When the test comes will the anti-Fascists and anti-Nazists and anti-Pagan nations present a united front or will they be conquered in detail?

England and France alone cannot win against the three. Russia is an unknown quantity and cannot be depended upon. The smaller nations will keep aloof if possible. Mussolini's aggressiveness against England and Hitler's demand for colonies and Japan eating up China will force the issue also upon the United States. Will we tamely submit?

A SALES TAX

This column favors a sales tax. If Jim Ferguson runs for governor on the sales tax platform it looks like we'll have to vote for him. Some people look on the sales tax as a greedy old fellow taking food from the whole family. This could be applied to all taxes. The consumer pays the bill. I have never favored a sales tax except on one condition, that it be for one specific purpose. I would vote for a sales tax to pay all people 65 years old and over \$15 a month as a pension, to be matched by the Government.

Instead of a sales tax I would name it old-age insurance tax. The average income of those over 65 is around \$1,000. Not over one half of this would be a sales tax, which would amount to \$10 a year. Paid monthly it would be \$1-3c per month. Paid in such small amounts the average person could never miss it.

If a person has his tax at 25 years old and paid \$10 a year until he was 65 years old he would only pay \$400. This would insure him \$30 a month for the rest of his life. Yes, I would favor such a tax, and think that the legislature should settle the controversial question of old-age pension.

A ONE HOUSE LEGISLATURE

This column favors a unicameral Legislature and a one term Governor. These are the supreme objectives of all citizens who really desire honest government in Texas.

Do not expect good government until our legislative and executive branches are changed. A one-house Legislature, a one-term Governor and a constitution which will protect the rights of the good people of Texas if we

would see our State grow and prosper as it deserves to grow and prosper. God help Texas to lead the Nation in the onward march toward the great ideals of honest, economical, efficient government.

Our present Constitution looks very much like a crazy quilt patched all over and frayed at the borders. It is prolix, complex and ambiguous.

Our Governors spend their first term building political fences for the second term; and, of course, neglecting to that extent their duties. Under our present system they try to take care of their camp followers upon whom they rely for a second term, and are ready to create boards and bureaus at the expense of the tax-payers to take care of their henchmen. If ineligible to succeed himself the Governor would not need a personal political machine; for the simple reason the machine could not serve him and would, therefore, never come into existence. He would have every inducement to devote his time and attention wholly to the duties of his office instead of running around crowning queens and heading every parade.

Now, so far as the Legislature under our present system is concerned, it is hopeless. Every session proves the fallacy and basic unsoundness of the cumbersome system.

No State in the American Union has been imposed upon like Texas by its Legislature. We have witnessed one expensive legislative fiasco after another with the people paying the freight; and these legislative abortions occur with increasing frequency to the injury of our great State.

The richest private business on earth, if conducted in the haphazard slipshod manner of our State government, would land in the bankrupt court as surely as night follows day.

TRADE AT HOME

A lady reader of this column sends in this; why I should trade at home. "Here are a few reasons why I trade with home town merchants: Colorado is my home and theirs; we are mutually interested in more business; our trade with them keeps money spent by Colorado people in circulation in Colorado; they want a bigger, more prosperous Colorado; they sell as cheaply as others and stand behind every sale; they give the best service and credit if need be; they employ home people.

"If the community is to grow, we must work together. "In union is strength."

"I have established my home in Colorado, and for the welfare of this city, the home merchant is entitled to my business.

"I realize the progression and maintenance of our churches, our schools, our civic organizations and our city improvements depend largely on the profit that the merchant makes from the money I spend with him.

Should I not trade with the home merchant I would feel like I was robbing my family and myself of the fine organizations, and the improvements we have in this city."

VERSE AND WORDS

Contributed to this column by my good friend Mrs. Artie Bel Miers.

KINDNESS

(1)

Through life's weary journey as we travel along
Each pilgrim oppressed by the mad rushing throng.
Each one trying vainly some victory to win,
Some goal of success with his pleasure to blend.
In haste, never thinking of the torn, bleeding feet,
Of the brother so near us we have met in the street.
Never stopping to smile at the brother we scarce know,
Or to him so browbeaten some kindness to show.

(2)

We think of our burdens too heavy to bear,
Not heeding the neighbor so laden with care.
Ah! Could we but know how—it would comfort and cheer,
Just to speak a kind word to those who pass near.
For a cheery good morning with a bright happy face,
Will comfort some pilgrim while making the race.
"In this life don't forget a little kindness to show,
Sow seeds of Love, always and you'll reap what you sow.

Fort Peck dam on the Missouri River in Montana is the largest construction project ever undertaken by man. It is larger than the pyramid of Cheops. It will cost \$200,000,000 when completed. It will be several miles long and constructed of earth. The highest point will be 242 feet. The dam will create the largest artificial lake in the world.

It is rumored around that Jim Ferguson and "Maw" will be in the race for governor next year. According to the papers, Jim will revive the Ferguson Forum to help out in the campaign. The issue will be the sales tax which they hope to put on.—Sterling City Record.

Longfellow News

By Ruth Griffith

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hughes and family moved last week to the farm formerly owned by Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lefevre. They have lived in the Valley View neighborhood for several years.

Mr. Hamilton Preston and family of Lone Star have moved to the farm formerly occupied by Mr. T. F. Matthis. We welcome the newcomers to our neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gale and little daughter have returned to their home in Phoenix, Ariz., after an extended visit with relatives here.

Misses Florence and Blanche McCauley, accompanied by Mr. McCauley and Kay, Jr., left for Stephenville Sunday morning where the girls will resume their work at John Tarleton.

Mr. G. D. Shelton and son Carl visited in the Elwood Miles home Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Thompson spent Sunday afternoon at the Hamrick home.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ezell visited Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Baker Sunday night.

Brother Bell of Abilene preached at White Church Sunday. He was a dinner guest in the H. L. Baker home.

Misses Florence and Blanche McCauley were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Hart of Valley View Wednesday night.

Truett Hamrick visited David Gale Sunday.

Mrs. H. C. Griffith and daughters spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Morgan of Looney.

Mrs. A. K. McCauley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Miles.

Lela Jane and Truett Hamrick are reported sick.

Ruth Griffith returned Thursday from a brief visit with friends at Amarillo, Borger and Phillips.

Mr. W. S. Walker and family went to Stephenville Sunday returning Charlie and Virgil to school at John Tarleton.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Tidwell spent Sunday visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Comer.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McGee and family have moved to the T. A. McGee farm near Valley View.

Ruth and Joyce Griffith spent New Year's day with their grandmother, Mrs. Morgan.

Maxine Hamrick spent Sunday with Ruth Morgan of Looney.

Ruth Griffith attended the New

Year's party sponsored by the Methodist Sunday school and spent the rest of the night as a guest of Billie True Templeton of Colorado.

Arvel Tidwell returned home Saturday from Sweetwater where he had been visiting.

Mrs. H. C. Griffith called on Mrs. C. P. Glass of Loraine Wednesday afternoon.

Hom's Chapel News

By Cleda Morris

Mrs. George Geiger visited her mother, Mrs. Moore of Merkel last week.

Pierce Hummel of Big Spring spent Sunday in the J. H. Humphreys home.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Geiger of Westbrook visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Humphreys Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Whitten moved into Rogers community Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Hardy of Cutbert and Mr. L. M. Hearn of Colorado visited Mrs. Blease Cathcart Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Coe and children visited Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Coe of Colorado Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hinsley of Buford spent Sunday in the Ed Hinsley home.

Miss Christene Webb visited Miss Frances Humphreys Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Robertson visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Morris of Westbrook Sunday.

Mr. Tom Horn and children visited Mr. Grover Bassinger Sunday.

HERE FROM PECOS

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smith of Pecos stopped here Friday to visit briefly in the home of Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lay Powell, while enroute to the Cotton Bowl game in Dallas on Saturday.

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Life Of Dr. Root As Physician, Citizen And Christian Portrayed By Speakers

The strongest attribute that any man might rightfully attain unto himself, through devotion of his best in service to humanity, the building and maintaining a distinct quality of citizenship and emulating in private and public life the pattern enunciated by the Christ, was subject by the late Dr. Charles L. Root, pioneer Colorado physician and surgeon, speakers addressing the Lions Club Friday said.

The service club program was devoted to memorial of the life of Dr. Root, for several years an active member of the organization. Three Lions who in life of the late citizen had been intimately associated with him, were presented by President Jack Helton to speak.

"Dr. Root as a Physician," was subject assigned to Dr. T. J. Ratliff, dean of Colorado physicians and who through many years had been associated with Dr. Root in a professional way.

"Dr. Root has built for himself a monument in this community that shall endure long after the passing of his life," Dr. Ratliff stated. "He built that monument with the sincere ambition of rendering a service to those whom he loved and in that respect he loved every citizen of Mitchell county. He was a student of medicine and ever concerned himself with the objective of better equipping himself as a surgeon— for the sake of his friends. I do not believe that a more unselfish nor ably qualified surgeon ever lived in this community."

"Dr. Root as a Citizen," was assigned to County Judge A. F. King. The speaker charged that the people in Mitchell county in large number had neglected to take time out and offer words of appreciation to Dr. Root during his lifetime for the professional services and Christian influences that he rendered.

"I wish to offer apology to you Lions for having neglected to pat Dr. Root on the back and express my appreciation of the man, as a friend, a Christian gentleman of the highest order and a doctor," King declared. "I have been associated with him under varied conditions—some of which we realized happiness and some that occasioned sorrow.

but he was ever the same noble character, evidencing sincerely the wish that he might be of greater service to his fellowman."

"Dr. Root as a Christian," was spoken to by the Rev. A. L. Haley, pastor of the late surgeon. The minister likened the life and works of Dr. Root to Christ. "The Great Physician," picturing his subject as "the greatest character in the realm of Christianity that I have ever been privileged to know."

Rev. Mr. Haley recalled numerous instances in which Dr. Root had given medical and surgical treatment to "people who did not have the means to pay; in keeping with teachings of the Master who caused the blind to see, the deaf to hear and the lame to walk."

Dr. Root as a leader in religious matters here was extolled by the minister. "His singing was one of the greatest inspirations of his life and he was always ready to give of his talent in any program. He loved to be concerned with the business of his Master."

VISIT CLARENCE COOKS

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cook last week were Mrs. Cook's sister, Miss Ida Joyner of Stanton, and her brother, John R. Joyner, and his wife, also of Stanton.

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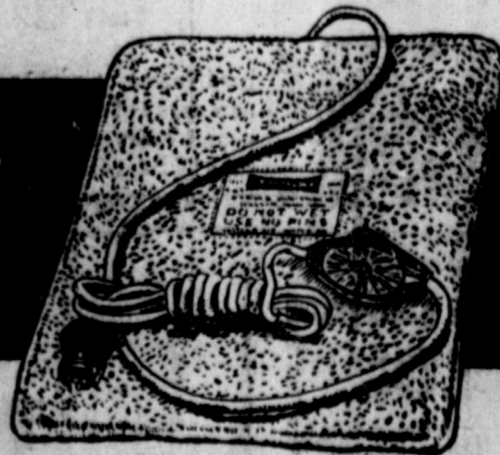
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Sweetwater Lawyer Is First To Announce



Zollie C. Steakley, Sweetwater attorney, was first to announce his candidacy for office in the July primary in Mitchell and adjoining counties...

Basil Hudson Into Political Arena As Treasurer Candidate

Principal Of Buford School Has Lived In County For Past Thirty Years

Basil Hudson, principal of the Buford school during the past three years, Friday authorized the announcement that he had entered his candidacy as an aspirant for the office of county treasurer...

Political Announcements

The Record is authorized to make the following political announcements subject to action of the Democratic primaries of 1938...

- FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY: Zollie C. Steakley
FOR COUNTY JUDGE: A. F. King
FOR COUNTY CLERK: J. F. (Floyd) Quinney
FOR ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR: Jack Helton, G. R. (Gilbert) Leach
FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT: Roy Davis Coles (Reelection)
FOR COUNTY TREASURER: Basil Hudson, Mrs. Ed L. Grubbs
FOR COMMISSIONER: J. E. Skelton (Reelection)
FOR COMMISSIONER: Frank Andrews, J. H. McCullough

Several Important Political Dates Are Listed On Calendar For The New Year

The year 1938 is studded with many important political dates. The subjoined calendar, compiled by Van M. Kennedy, Secretary of the State Democratic Executive Committee...

Mrs. Ed L. Grubbs Is Candidate For County Treasurer

Resident Citizen Of County 14 Years Pledges Best In Service To Public

Mrs. Ed L. Grubbs this week announces her candidacy for the office of county treasurer, subject to action of the Democratic primary elections next Summer...

Gilbert Leach Candidate For Tax Assessor

Westbrook Citizen Says He Is Again Seeking Mitchell County Office

The candidacy of G. R. (Gilbert) Leach of Westbrook for the office of tax assessor-collector of Mitchell county was announced Wednesday...

Helton Is Offering Candidacy For Tax Assessor-Collector

Chief Deputy Into Campaign In Line Of Promotion; Is Native Of County

Jack Helton, chief deputy in the office of Roy E. Warren, county tax assessor-collector, this week is making announcement of his candidacy for the office, subject to action of the Democratic primary election this year...

County Judge King Offering Candidacy For Second Term

Official Points To Record As Proof That Administration Has Been Successful

I employ this method of announcing my candidacy for re-election as County Judge of Mitchell County, and in doing so, I am not unmindful of the fact that this office, as all other elective offices, belongs to the citizens of the county...

J. H. McCullough Is Candidate In Precinct Race

Native of County Wants To Be Commissioner From Spade And Hyman

A native of that section of the county which he wishes to serve is J. H. McCullough, who announced his candidacy Wednesday afternoon for the office of commissioner of Precinct 3, including Spade and Hyman...

J. E. Skelton Asks To Be Reelected As Co. Commissioner

Westbrook Citizen Points To Record Of Service As He Enters Candidacy

Saying that he will let his candidacy stand on his record of service during past years, J. E. Skelton, county commissioner from Precinct 2, which includes Westbrook, announced Monday that he will be a candidate to succeed himself...

Frank Andrews Candidate From Precinct Three

Hyman Resident For 14 Years Announces For Office Of County Commissioner

Frank Andrews, resident of the Hyman section ever since shortly after the community was founded, announced Tuesday morning that he will be a candidate for the office of county commissioner from Precinct 3...

Quinney Into Race For County Clerk; Campaign Planned

Candidate Lost Nomination In Last Primary Election By Only Six Votes

Floyd Quinney, resident Colorado for a number of years, enters the statement that he is entering the race for nomination to the office of county clerk, subject to mandate of the Democratic primary election next Summer...

Coles Announces For Second Term As County Supt.

Educational Leader Pledges Continued Work For Better Elementary Rural Schools

A pledge that he will, if re-elected, continue his work of the past four years for the betterment of elementary rural schools in Mitchell county was offered by Roy Davis Coles, Tuesday morning as he announced his candidacy to succeed himself as Mitchell county superintendent...

Rogers Ramblings

"If a man is unhappy, this must be his own fault, for God made all men to be happy." We were very happy to have 35 present Sunday with 453 chapters read...

the Watkins family and hope they will enjoy living in our community. Not only do we welcome them but all new families who have moved...

Beights home Saturday afternoon on her way to Alpine where she is attending school. Norma Jean Compton spent the week-end with Reta Beights...

CHILI RECIPE GIVEN BY GEBHARDT COMPANY

The Gebhardt Chili Powder Company of San Antonio, Texas, offers a very simple recipe for making delicious chili at home. Here is all you have to do...

Valley View Visits

School started again Monday, Jan. 3, after ten days vacation. Last week was "moving day" in this community. E. D. Saunders and family moved to the plains...

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HOME FROM HOSPITAL George Kiker, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Kiker, was brought home Tuesday from the Snyder hospital where he underwent an appendectomy last week...

TO COTTON BOWL GAME Among Coloradans attending the Cotton Bowl game in Dallas Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Ace McShan and Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Chapman...

SCHOOL NEWS "Just one rule you need to mind and joy you'll never lack. First you have to love the world and then it loves you back."

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