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AND
THE MULLIN ENTERPRISE**

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Regency News

By MRS. J. A. JONES

Christmas is just about to creep up on us again. I want to wish everyone the "Happiest

Christmas" ever and "A Wonderful New Year."

Deer season is almost over. I haven't heard of very many being killed and quail are as scarce as hen's teeth in our neighborhood.

Sunday visitors with us were Mrs. Malcolm Mask and daughter of Richland Springs and Mrs. Jerry Petty and son of Brady. Supper guests Sunday night were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Phillips of Goldthwaite.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Partridge visited us Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Allen and children visited Mrs. Allen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Butch Rowlett, Sunday.

R. D. Egger and Luke Rascoe are working for Commissioner Rowlett.

Alton visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Whitley at Spring Creek Saturday afternoon.

R. W. Newsom of San Angelo visited his mother, Mrs. J. M. Jones.

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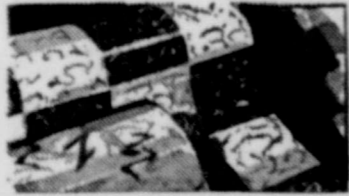
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**WHEN THE OLD BIRD
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10 YEARS AGO—

(Taken from The Eagle
Files of December 16, 1954)

Mills County Hardware Store which suffered fire damage several weeks ago, is re-opening today for business, according to announcement by Raymond Cockrum.

Marriage license was issued by County Clerk R. C. Summy during the past week, to Robert Winton Wilcox and Frances Earlene Sublett.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Burdette of Mullin announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Anita Jo to Bill Parker, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Parker of Goldthwaite.

Miss Lillie Martin returned last week from a month's visit with friends and relatives in Dallas, Lake Texhoma, and points in Oklahoma.

David Cole was host for a birthday dinner honoring J. T. Crumley last Sunday, in the A. L. Cole home.

Miss Lou Ella Patterson, formerly of Mills County and an ex-teacher of the Goldthwaite Schools, who has been County Home Demonstration Agent in Randall County for several years, has resigned that position to become County Home Demonstration Agent at Ochiltree County, with headquarters in Perrytown.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frizzelle and Frank McClung attended the Conversion from Common Battery to the Dial System of the Southwestern States Telephone Company and the opening of the new Telephone Building at Junction last Friday night.

The Goldthwaite Girls' Basketball team won over the girls from Sidney at Priddy last Saturday morning by a score of 47 to 16.

Rev. Ed H. Lovelace, pastor of the local Methodist Church, announces that the young people of the church will present a Christmas play, entitled "Why Christmas?" at the evening services this coming Sunday.

25 YEARS AGO—

(Taken from The Eagle
Files of December 15, 1939)

After opening strong with prices of 11 and 12 cents, the Christmas turkey market sagged Wednesday and buying eased off considerably.

Dean Paul van Katwijk of the School of Music at Southern Methodist University and Mrs. J. Roscoe Golden, teacher of voice in the same institution, delighted an appreciative audience at the Methodist Church Monday evening with a joint concert given under the auspices of the Women's Clubs of Goldthwaite.

A new federal highway from Waurika, Oklahoma, to San Antonio, Texas through Wichita Falls, Archer City, Graham, Strawn, Desdemona, De Leon, Comanche, San Saba, Llano,



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Goldthwaite, Texas

50 YEARS AGO—

(Taken from The Eagle
Files of December 12, 1914)

L. E. Miller and Son have purchased Dr. J. H. Logan's drug store and will take charge of the business January 1. The interior of the building will be repainted and otherwise improved, new and modern fixtures will be installed and a large addition to the stock will be made, and some new lines added.

Up to yesterday afternoon, 6,335 bales of cotton had been received at the public yard here, against 2,883 on the same date last year. At the Farmers Union Yard, 3,911 bales had been received, and on the same date last year the number was 3,811.

Ed Brown and his father, Mr. W. F. Brown, left Thursday for home in Portales, New Mexico, after a short visit to Walter Brown and family here. They expected to stay longer but the old gentleman was hurt in an automobile accident on the way

Fredericksburg, Kerrville, and to San Antonio was the aim of the reorganization meeting of Highway 18 Association at De Leon recently.

Misses Myrlene Reynolds and Anna Myrl Epperson had birthdays on the same day, December 12. They enjoyed a birthday dinner at the home of Myrlene's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Reynolds. In the afternoon the 12 little guests met in the home of Anna Myrl, where all enjoyed a Christmas party, and had two big birthday cakes. Cake and punch were served.

Forty-three years ago, Dr. J. L. Herrington located here and has answered thousands of calls. The night was not too cold or day too disagreeable for him. He was always glad to give his medical skill to relieve others, Tuesday morning, before the dawn of day, he answered his last call and crossed over to the other shore.—Mullin Letter.

Using the same methods employed by her grandmother and great-grandmother, Mamie Lou Womack of Goldthwaite has just woven a white woolen scarf on an old hand loom. This is part of her work at John Tarleton College.

Chappell Hill

By PEARL CRAWFORD

Rainfall here Tuesday night amounted to one inch. We are having a pretty warm day at this writing.

A large crowd was in Goldthwaite Saturday. Old Santa Claus came down the street riding in a jeep. He seemed to be a jolly old fellow. The children were very happy and the older folks enjoyed the occasion by visiting former neighbors.

Joyce Williams has the Christmas tree up and decorated at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alford Brown.

I received a Christmas card from my nephew, Pat Crawford, of New York. Pat spent two years in Germany and is flying home for Christmas. He received his discharge from the Army in October.

A. L. Crawford was a business visitor at Comanche Saturday, and Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Evans were business visitors in Hamilton, Wednesday.

Billy, Lynn and Mack Oxford have been gathering mistletoe after school.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Berry visited their mother, Mrs. W. W. Berry, Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Ross of Fort Worth were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Nowell and Granddad, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Ivy were guests of Mrs. J. S. Ivy, Mon-

day.

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MRS BAIRD'S



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Budget Hearing Notice

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Mills County will adopt the 1965 Budget for the county at a special meeting at 10:00 a. m., Thursday, December 31, 1964, at a public hearing for said purpose, in the Commissioners' Courtroom in Mills County Courthouse, Goldthwaite.

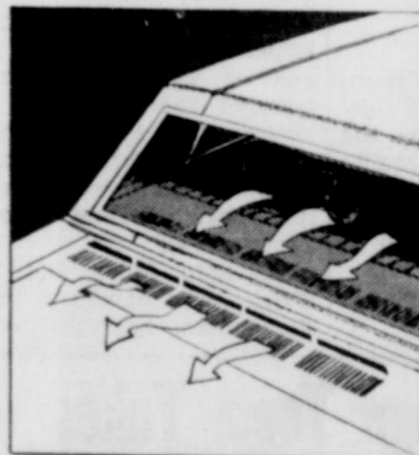
The public is cordially invited to attend.

Cecil Egger,
County Judge,
Mills County

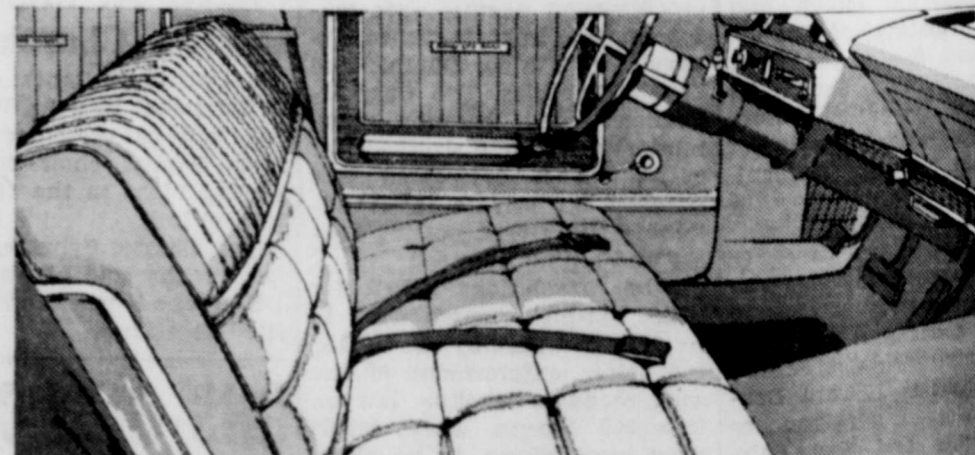
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BY **MARTHA J. STEPHENS**

CRANBERRIES ARE NOW A STANDARD MENU ITEM

Cranberries are becoming a standard menu item, not only at holiday time but throughout the year.

Nearly 60 per cent of the crop is processed, and consumers have a choice of whole berry and strained and jellied cranberry sauce as well as canned cranberry juice throughout the year. There'll be no shortage of cranberries during the Christmas season.

Fresh cranberries now on the market are sold mostly in one-pound cellophane bags or boxes with a window. The fresh market season for cranberries extends from October through January in most areas, although this varies somewhat according to the locale.

Fresh cranberries may be stored in the container in which

they were purchased. Keep them refrigerated, for warm temperatures cause them to "sweat" and will cause more rapid spoiling.

One pound of fresh cranberries makes 3 to 3½ cups of sauce.

The Christmas season is here with all of the holiday activities taking place but remember that the first week in January the Mills County Livestock Show will be taking place. Activities that week will begin on Tuesday afternoon for the 4-H girls of the county with their annual Dress Review at 3:00 p. m. in the Goldthwaite High School Auditorium.

Then on Thursday the girls will bring their foods which they will display at the Show Barn on Friday and Saturday. The foods are to be brought to the Show Barn between 6-8:00 p. m. on Thursday, January 7.

Miss Love Gatlin Gives Book Review At Self Culture Club

The Self Culture Club met December 10, in the home of Mrs. J. A. Hester, with Mrs. J. M. Campbell co-hostess. The

home was beautifully decorated with Christmas arrangements.

Mrs. Marvin Hodges, president, presided in the business meeting and announced that officers for 1965 would be elected in January. The organization of "Friends of the Library" was discussed. Also an article from a Dallas paper was read by Mrs. Hester which gave a short history of the life of Mrs. J. C. Street. Mrs. Street is a charter member of the Self Culture Club, who now lives in Marshall. A lovely tribute was given Mrs. Street by club members.

Mrs. Ray Duren was leader for an interesting program. Mrs. Lee Walton gave the invocation. Miss Love Gatlin reviewed the book, "Once Upon A Christmas Time," by Thyra Ferre Bjorn. This is a beautiful story of a Swedish Christmas observance which was enjoyed by guests and members.

Refreshments of fruit cake and coffee were served by the hostesses.

Girl Scouts Attend Fun Fair At Brownwood

Barbara Bruce, Mitzi King, Monica Saylor, Sharyl Fuller, Crystal Loudermilk, Barbara Williams, Edith Ruth Brown, Elizabeth Anne Arnold, Sheryll Covington, Melinda Slaughter, and Kathy Gist, members of Girl Scout Troop 68 of Goldthwaite, attended the Fun Fair in Brownwood Saturday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Loyd King, Mrs. Ed Bruce and Mrs. Bunk Fuller, adult workers and Miss Roberta Childress, senior worker.

Mitzi King was the typical Girl Scout and represented Goldthwaite by carrying the Girl Scout Flag in the Flag Parade.

Troop 68 entered one display of hand work in the "Out Of Doors," which was a Bird Feeder and won second place.

Mrs. Ed Bruce attended the luncheon of the District Council held at the Brown Tower.

There will be a Stated Meeting of Goldthwaite Lodge No. 694, A. F. & A. M., Thursday, December 17, 7:00 P. M. All Masons Cordially Invited.
Taswell J. Renfro, W. M.
Eugene L. Dyas, Sr., Sec'y.



Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Don Smith of San Saba are the parents of a daughter, Karen Smith, born at Childress and Cruzcosa Clinic and Hospital, in Goldthwaite, December 9, 1964. She weighed seven pounds and 10 ounces. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Santos Cantu of San Saba and paternal grandfather is John S. Smith of Waco. Maternal great-grandmother is Mrs. Maggie Torres of Lometa and Mr. and Mrs. Buddie Smith of San Saba are the paternal great-grandparents.

'Twas THE SHAVE AFTER CHRISTMAS



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Garden Club Christmas Lighting Contest Reminder

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Division 1—Business Firms.
Division 2—Homes, including doors, windows, decorated growing trees, cut or artificial trees, and best overall decorations.
Anyone residing some distance from town who wishes to have their homes judged may

notify Mrs. Loyd King, MI 8-3215, or Mrs. Roy Wilkins, MI 8-2255, of their entry.

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News Release**

(Information released with permission of patient or a member of the family.)

Tuesday, December 8
Admitted—Mrs. Lee Parker, Goldthwaite; S. O. Ponton, San Saba.
Discharged — Mrs. Mary J. Lowe.

Wednesday, December 9
Admitted—Mrs. Jerry Don Smith, San Saba; Baby Girl Smith; Mrs. George Tiemann, Priddy.
Discharged — Mrs. Oscar E. Denton; Mrs. Wayne Poe.

Thursday, December 10
Admitted — J. H. Hudson, Goldthwaite.
Discharged—Guy M. Laughlin; Mrs. Lee Parker; Mrs. Artie Reid; Baby Boy Reid; Mrs. Jerry D. Smith; Baby Girl Smith.

Friday, December 11
Admitted—Mrs. Jessie Black, Goldthwaite; J. T. Hart, Mullin; Mrs. Charles O. Childress, Goldthwaite.
Discharged—Miss Sarah E. Wicker; Miss Exa Sanders.

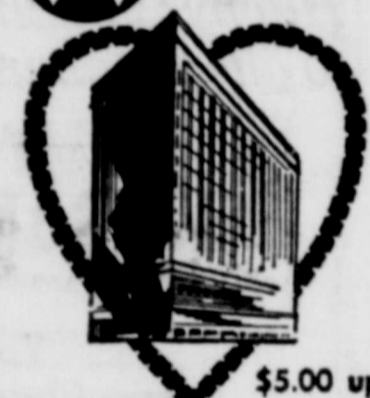
Saturday, December 12
Admitted — Mrs. Albert W. Johnson, Goldthwaite.
Discharged — Joe A. Palmer; Mrs. James R. Wigley; Mrs. Jessie Black.

Sunday, December 13
Admitted—Mrs. John Payne, Goldthwaite.

Monday, December 14
Admitted — Mrs. Charles V. Whatley, Goldthwaite; Mrs. John (Hulda) Newman, Priddy.
Discharged — Mrs. Albert W. Johnson; Alvie J. Cook.



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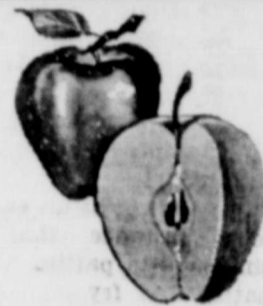
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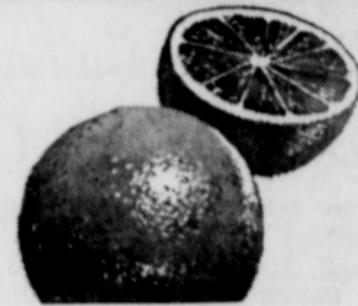
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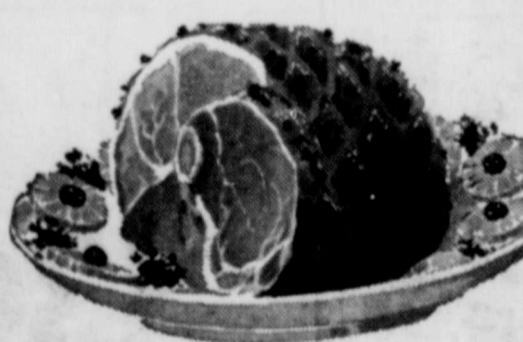
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Community News From Mullin

By MRS. JOHNNIE HOLLAND

Mrs. Sid Eaton of Fort Worth and her daughter, Mrs. Van Ratliff, visited a day last week in Mullin with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Lightfoot, Joe Paul and Alan, of Fort Worth visited in our home last Sunday afternoon.

The W. S. C. S. of the Methodist Church met last Thursday afternoon at the church. Mrs. Kyle Smith completed the study course, "Spanish Americans." Also Mrs. C. A. Warren, Mrs. Vesta McCormick and Mrs. Margaret Toliver presented a Christmas program. This is the last time the W. S. C. S. will meet until in January.

Christmas is closer by then it is possible for me to realize. I've been so busy taking care of Johnnie through the days until it has really slipped up on me this time.

J. T. Hart is in the hospital in Goldthwaite. He fell from a ladder while helping do some repairs on one of his mother's houses. He received some broken ribs and is quite ill.

Mrs. Fred Mosier is home after visiting at Elliasville with Mr. and Mrs. Tillman Smith,

and at Olney with one of her sisters.

Mrs. Verna Lee Dudley and Miss Artie Mosier attended a singing at Richland Springs last Sunday.

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To all persons and parties interested in the estate of Carolyn Sue Childress, James Allen Childress, Roberta Ann Childress and Beverly Kay Childress, Minors:
You and each of you are hereby cited, required and commanded to appear before the County Court of Mills County, Texas, to be held in the county court room in the courthouse of Goldthwaite in said county, Texas, at ten o'clock A. M. of the Monday next after the expiration of ten days from the date of service, exclusive of the day of such service, which day shall be the date of publication of this notice of publication, and which newspaper bears, and which day of appearance shall be the day of appearance, and which day of filing written answers, by the contest, if they do not see proper so to do, verified account, the nature of which is an account for final settlement of such estate, which has been filed by M. O. Childress, the Guardian of the Estate of Carolyn Sue Childress, et al., Minors and is now pending there, in a probate proceeding on the probate docket of the county styled Estate of Carolyn Sue Childress et al., et al., file number of which account proceeding is 1483, which account will at such 10 o'clock hour, on such day, and such place be considered by the court.
If this citation is not served within 90 days after date of its issuance, it shall be returned served.
Witness, Walter A. Bryant,

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clerk of the county court of Mills County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in the City of Goldthwaite, Texas, this 15 day of December, 1964.

(Signed) Walter A. Bryant,
(Seal) Clerk of County Court of Mills County, Texas.
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The Goldthwaite Eagle

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Witness my hand at Goldthwaite, Texas, this 11 day of December 1964.

(Signed) Cecil L. Partin
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News Release**

(Information released with permission of patient or a member of the family.)

Tuesday, December 8

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Discharged — Mrs. Mary J. Lowe.

Wednesday, December 9

Admitted—Mrs. Jerry Don Smith, San Saba; Baby Girl Smith; Mrs. George Tiemann, Priddy.

Discharged — Mrs. Oscar E. Denton; Mrs. Wayne Poe.

Thursday, December 10

Admitted — J. H. Hudson, Goldthwaite.

Discharged—Guy M. Laughlin; Mrs. Lee Parker; Mrs. Artie Reid; Baby Boy Reid; Mrs. Jerry D. Smith; Baby Girl Smith.

Friday, December 11

Admitted—Mrs. Jessie Black, Goldthwaite; J. T. Hart, Mullin; Mrs. Charles O. Childress, Goldthwaite.

Discharged—Miss Sarah E. Wicker; Miss Exa Sanders.

Saturday, December 12

Admitted — Mrs. Albert W. Johnson, Goldthwaite.

Discharged — Joe A. Palmer; Mrs. James R. Wigley; Mrs. Jessie Black.

Sunday, December 13

Admitted—Mrs. John Payne, Goldthwaite.

Monday, December 14

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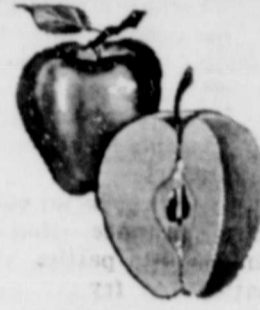
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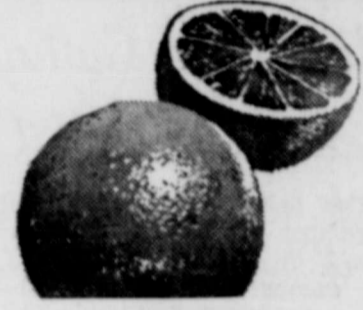
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1-Lb. **49¢**
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PECAN HALVES 1/2-lb. Bag **69¢**

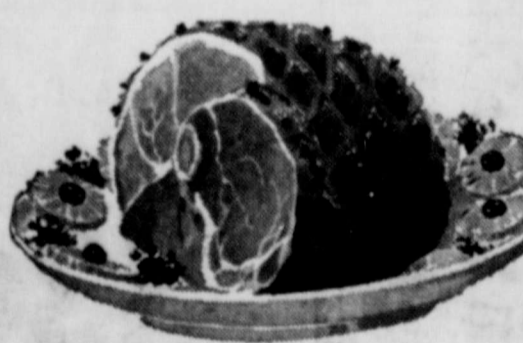
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Witness, Walter A. Bryant, Clerk of the county court of Mills County.

Community News From Mullin

By MRS. JOHNNIE HOLLAND

Mrs. Sid Eaton of Fort Worth and her daughter, Mrs. Van Ratliff, visited a day last week in Mullin with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Lightfoot, Joe Paul and Alan, of Fort Worth visited in our home last Sunday afternoon.

The W. S. C. S. of the Methodist Church met last Thursday afternoon at the church. Mrs. Kyle Smith completed the study course, "Spanish Americans." Also Mrs. C. A. Warren, Mrs. Vesta McCormick and Mrs. Margaret Toliver presented a Christmas program. This is the last time the W. S. C. S. will meet until in January.

Christmas is closer by then it is possible for me to realize. I've been so busy taking care of Johnnie through the days until it has really slipped up on me this time.

J. T. Hart is in the hospital in Goldthwaite. He fell from a ladder while helping do some repairs on one of his mother's houses. He received some broken ribs and is quite ill.

Mrs. Fred Mosier is home after visiting at Ellaville with Mr. and Mrs. Tillman Smith, clerk of the county court of Mills County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in the City of Goldthwaite, Texas, this 15 day of December, 1964.

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Run this through the grinder again, only this time set on fine grind.

Result will be an easily handled substance that can be shaped into patties. Dip in egg batter and fry.

Reloading the .22 Rifle

Here's a quick way to load a .22 rifle having a tubular magazine. Just pre-pack the cartridges in a large-size soda straw and twist the ends closer. In the field, tear off one end of the straw and pour the ready-stacked hulls inside the tube. Pack as many straws as you think you might need.

For Cleaner Utensils

Coat the bottoms of your camp cooking utensils heavily with yellow soap before using them. Then the soot will wash off in a jiffy.

Shh! Quiet Man

Mr. Deer Hunter: Cover with adhesive tape keys, loose change, cartridges, anything that might clank at the wrong time. Big bucks will hate you.

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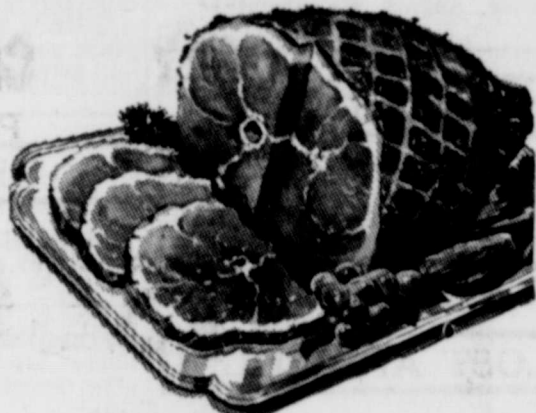
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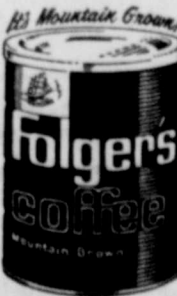
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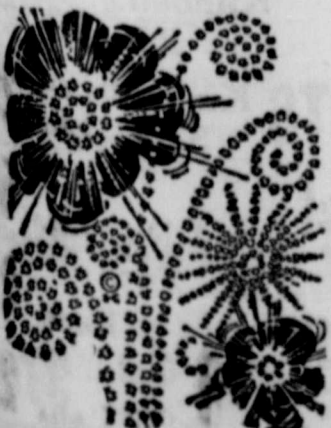


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Fifteen members and the following guests were present: Martha J. Stephens, Pearl Shropshire, Jerol Daniel, Ann Murray, Lois Hudson and Mrs. Jess Ivy.
Next meeting will be January 12, and it is hoped that each member will make a resolution to attend each meeting in 1965.

Frosty Morn, Frosty Morn, it sure keeps a fellow busy trying to keep warm.
The Mask Brothers of Richland Springs are really doing the work here at the store for Blackwell and Kerby, sure are making the field look pretty. I don't see what keeps them from freezing these cold mornings, but the tractors start about 7:00 o'clock every morning.
Irene Whitley of Goldthwaite
When a Miss becomes a Mrs., her social security number remains the same but she must report her new name to the Social Security Administration to keep her account current.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Phillips of Goldthwaite ate supper with us Sunday night.
Mrs. J. M. Jones' birthday was Friday, December 11. She was 90 years young. She has been

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Rev. Philip Riley
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Morning Worship, 10:50 a.m.
Youth Fellowship, 5:00 p.m.
Evening Services, 7:00 p.m.
W.S.C.S. each Monday, 3:00 p.m.
Wednesday, Prayer Meeting, 7:30 p.m.
Men's meeting, 1st Thursday of each month, 7:00 p.m.

LONG COVE BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. George Brown, Pastor
Sunday School—10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship, 8:00 p.m.

SCALLORN BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Ray Rogers, Pastor
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.
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PLEASANT GROVE METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Farrell Little
Church School, 10:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Every Sunday.

TRIGGER MOUNTAIN BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Don Caldwell, Pastor
Comanche, Texas
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.

PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH MT. OLIVE
Elder C. L. Casey
Rt. 1, Eastland, Texas
Services each 3rd Sunday at 11:00 a.m. and on Saturday preceding at 11:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m.

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Elder Elmer Isham
Services First Saturday and Sunday Each Month, 11:00 a.m.

POMPEY MT. (DUREN) CONGREGATIONAL METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Kenneth Green, Pastor
Church Each Sunday (Except on Fifth Sunday)
Sunday School, 10 a.m. Each Sunday
Preaching Services—11:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.
Prayer Meeting, Thurs. Night
Singing each 4th Sat. Night—(except months of July & Aug.)

Mullin

BAPTIST CHURCHES
Rev. Chester Sylvester
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship, 10:50 a.m.
Training Union, 7:00 p.m.
Evening Worship, 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7:45 p.m.

METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Ken Boatman
Morning Worship, 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship, 8:00 p.m.
2nd, 4th, and 5th Sundays

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Dwaine Greene
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship, 10:50 a.m.
Training Union, 7:00 p.m.
Evening Worship, 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday, Prayer Meeting and Bible Study, 7:30 p.m.
W.M.U., 4:00 p.m., Monday
Brotherhood, 3rd Monday night in month

CARADAN MISSION
Tommy Bells, Pastor
1st Sunday Services, 10:00 a.m.
Other Sundays, 10 - 11:00 a.m.

ST. PETER'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
Father Emil Gerlich, Pastor
Each Sunday at 5:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Harold Hunt, Minister
Bible Study, 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship, 10:50 a.m.
Evening Worship, 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
B. J. Dodd, Pastor
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.
Preaching, 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Night, 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday Night, 7:30 p.m.

Star
CHURCH OF CHRIST
Bill Decker, Minister
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Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.
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Farm Workers And Social Security

Today, most farm workers are covered by social security. Jack Calvert, social security district manager in Temple, emphasized today that farm workers build credit for retirement, disability, and survivors benefits during their working years in the same way that city workers build their credits under social security.

Any farm employee is covered under the social security law if his employer pays him \$150 or more in cash wages during a year or if he works for a farm employer on 20 or more days a year for cash pay figured on a time basis. Furthermore, according to Calvert, these cash wages do not have to be earned during one continuous period. They may be earned any time during the year.

Calvert pointed out that the farm employer must keep a rec-

ord of each farm worker who meets or is expected to meet the \$150 cash wage test or the 20-day work test. The record must show the worker's social security account number, his name, and the amount of wages paid to the worker. "This is the way social security protection is a joint project of em-

ployee and employer," he said.

In January of each year the employer must file a tax return with the District Director of Internal Revenue showing all the information about his employees, so that each worker may receive credit for his earnings for the year. The farm employer makes the report on Form 943, which may be ob-

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tained from the Internal Revenue Service. When this tax return is filed, the social security tax must be paid on each worker's earnings—3 5/8 per cent by the employer and 3 5/8 per cent which has been withheld from the employee's wages of the year.

For any further information regarding social security benefits for farm workers, Calvert urges you to get in touch with your Temple social security district office.

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Intermediate MYF of the Methodist Church will host "Slave Day," by offering to do house work, or any kind of labor, only ask that they be paid what the work is worth. Proceeds will be sent to Coenik Sevenler Dernegi in Ankara, Turkey. Anyone is interested in doing them for a job call Mrs. Childress, MI 8-2223 or Joe S. Langford, MI 8-2682.

Inside Mission By LIDA BYRNE

Are you in the right kind of job? Are you contented with your job? We are told in Proverbs 16:3: "Commit thy works to the LORD and thy thoughts shall be established."



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HEAD STATE'S LARGEST FRATERNAL ORDER

These four men were elected to top office in the Grand Lodge of Texas during its 129th Annual Communication in Waco December 4. Heading the 250,000-member fraternal order in 1965 will be (left to right): Grand Master J. Carroll Hinsley, an Austin attorney; H. W. Fullington, who is an Odessa insurance man, Deputy Grand Master; Grand Senior Warden J. D. Tomme, Jr., a Fort Worth dentist and J. W. Chandler of Houston, a businessman, who will be Grand Junior Warden. Over 4,000 representatives of the 968 Texas Masonic Lodges attended the Waco meeting.

Moline "Pick-Ups"

By LEMON SQUEEZER

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kincheloe visited with his brother, Jackson and family at China Springs, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Burns visited with her sister, Mrs. Paul Lee and Mr. Lee, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Stevens of Austin spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Laughlin and Mrs. Cleda Arrowood of Goldthwaite ate supper with the Webb Laughlins Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Adams of Fort Worth spent Saturday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clem Adams. They went to San Marcos Sunday to see their son, Gerald, who is attending school there.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lee called in the Charlie Cook home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cook were in the Webb Laughlin home Saturday morning.

Mrs. Townsend Butts, Gary and Cathy of Lampasas and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adams, Jay

and Tammy were visiting their parents during the weekend.

Mrs. Jack Elms was a caller in the Webb Laughlin home Friday afternoon.

Chock Duncan visited with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kincheloe Saturday morning awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cook were in the Clem Adams home Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Polk of Adamsville and her mother, Mrs. Phillips of Ballinger, were callers in the Carl Cook home Friday night awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kincheloe attended the funeral of Mr. Orville Munday at Lampasas with burial in Knox Cemetery. Friends and relatives of Tom Ford will be sorry to learn he is in a hospital at Austin with a heart attack.

We want to wish the Eagle Editor and Staff and its readers a "Merry Christmas, and A Healthy, Happy New Year."

Mr. Phil Thurber ate supper Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Alexander and family.

Mr. Paul Kincheloe was at

Mrs. Wilson Hosts Philathea Class Christmas Party

Mrs. O. R. Wilson of 808 Barrow Street rolled out the red carpet of welcome to the Philathea Class of the First Methodist Church Friday afternoon, December 11.

The living room presented a perfect Christmas scene with its red carpet and white decorated walls. A unique program was presented.

The class sang "Jingle Bells" and "Silent Night" and Mrs. J. S. Bowles told the Christmas Story. A lively Christmas word contest and drawing for presents were held.

After the program delicious refreshments were served to the guests, Mrs. Tom Lasley, Mrs. Viola Townsend and Mrs. Wade Morris, and the members of the class.

Football Receipts

The Goldthwaite-Archer City Regional football game played at Abilene November 27, had a total gross sales of \$3,295.00. Net receipts from Archer City totaled \$718.00, Abilene totaled \$1,539.00 and Goldthwaite totaled \$1,038.00.

Expenses for officials, inter-scholastic league, and football totaled \$527.13, leaving a balance of \$2,767.87. Goldthwaite received \$1,383.93 and Archer City received \$1,383.94.

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Pollution

Texas Water Pollution Control Board, set back in court in its efforts to prevent pollution of West Texas ground water supplies by oilfield brine announces that it will appeal the decision to the higher courts.

But the board will continue to supervise disposal of oil and gas brine after it leaves the producer's hands.

Courts Speak

Third Court of Civil Appeals agreed with trial court that El Paso Electric Company must pay occupation tax to the state for electricity sold in Texas, though generated by its New Mexico power station. Company had argued the tax would violate interstate commerce clause of the federal constitution and create risk of multiple tax burden on interstate business.

Third Court also declared unconstitutional an amendment to state liquor laws aimed at regulating export businesses operating along Texas' border. Decision upheld Austin district court decision that state could not

regulate the exporters handling liquor through customs bonded warehouses.

A Pecos County farmer, James T. Slaughter, won a five-year battle for water rights on Barrilla Creek when the State Supreme Court endorsed a ruling that his water rights were secure under the 1895 Irrigation Act, and had not been diminished by passage of a 1913 law.

Mental Health Report Received

Texas ranks 39th among the states in services to the mentally ill, the Committee for Mental Health Planning reports. Committee's report to Gov. John Connally emphasizes the need for consolidation of all state mental health services.

Early detection, early treatment and a tremendous saving of time and money on the part of the patient and the taxpayers were listed as some of the prime benefits of the community care center program the committee recommends.

Welfare Rolls Increase

Texans on welfare rolls in-

creased from 260,781 to 264,839 during the last year, Texas Department of Public Welfare reports.

DPW's annual report shows public assistance payments of \$221,100,000. Biggest share, \$159,400,000, went to old age assistance for an average of 230,005. Grants ranged from \$5 to \$83, and averaged \$58.16 a month.

Aid to families with dependent children came to \$18,700,000; aid to needy blind to \$4,000,000; and aid to permanently and totally disabled to \$6,200,000. Administrative and service costs were \$10,100,000. Federal government provided 74 per cent of all funds, or \$164,600,000.

Short Snorts

Texas Law Enforcement Legislative Council will sponsor legislation to establish minimum training standards for Texas law officers.

House Speaker Byron Tunnell of Tyler and Reps. Ben Barnes of De Leon, Paul Floyd of Houston, Gus Mutscher of Brenham and Bill Parsley of Lubbock, have returned from a National Conference of Legislative Leaders in Atlantic City.

A charter for Yorktown Community Bank was challenged in Austin district court where Banking Commissioner J. M. Falkner testified he saw no necessity for the bank and doubted it would operate profitably without injury to First National Bank of Yorktown.

Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission reports a record number of visitors during the past year — 7,900,000.

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OUTDOORS IN TEXAS

That old saying "playing possum" is well known. It is synonymous for faking.

When confronted with danger, the possum suddenly becomes a bundle of limp fur and seems to just pass out of this world.

Many people believe that this is a trick he uses to avoid danger. They say a possum can fake death superbly, even stifling its breathing so that from all outward appearances it is dead.

But Dr. Carl Gottfried Hartman, an authority on possums, debunks this belief. He says a possum doesn't play dead because it is clever. Actually, the reaction results from its nervous system. The possum simply faints from fright.

While the Texas possum is well known, it's certainly not known well. It literally is everywhere. Sometimes it shows up downtown in large cities. I've seen several of them slain by automobiles on Austin streets. In fact, even within sight of the capitol. However, this critter just goes around minding its own business and most people are oblivious to its presence.

The possum probably has been with us as long as any other mammal. Its history dates back to the Cretaceous age, millions of years ago. Largely nocturnal by nature, it is a marsupial or pouched animal, belonging to the same family as the kangaroo.

Myth has followed the possum. One story has it that possums mate through the nose since mamma possum has no natural sexual passage. But Dr. Hartman says possums mate and reproduce just like any other mammal, despite notions to the contrary.

One unusual fact about the reproduction of possums is the diminutive size of the offspring. A newborn possum

weighs only 0.16 grams. This may not seem extraordinary until you realize that two dozen can be placed inside an ordinary tablespoon!

Possums grow quite slowly. They don't even open their eyes until they are almost two months old, living a sedate life inside mamma possum's pouch.

A possum has 50 teeth. That's more than any other mammal. This dental structure, more than anything else, gives the possum its funny facial expression. The critter always seems to have a grin on its face, even when it has passed out from fright.

In recent years the possum has had things pretty much to its own liking. The price of its pelt on the fur market is practically nothing. Therefore, there is no demand for trapping possums.

Seemingly, it has no natural enemies. Nevertheless, the possum isn't long for this world. Biologists estimate its lifespan at two years or less.

Actually, the average possum is about the size of a housecat. It measures some 16 inches in length of body, plus about a foot or more of scaly prehensile tail. It weighs from four to 10 pounds. Coloration is grayish and black, with gray being more predominant when the possum is young, black when it is fully mature.

Primarily, it is an inhabitant of woodlands. It beds down during the day, mostly in hollow tree, or under woodpiles, houses or in ground burrows. Since it is not an adept digger itself, it uses holes excavated by other animals.

Its basic diet is composed of grains, insects, mice, toads, lizards and birds' eggs. But it isn't below raiding a chicken house occasionally. However, as wild animals go, the possum doesn't cause much damage.

Today there are more possums than ever before. An average couple will produce two litters annually, and from five to 25 offspring each time.

Once the little possums emerge from mamma's pouch, they often travel around on her back. They either clutch her fur or hang onto her tail which she curves back over her body. Each young one curls its tail around mamma's tail and bounces along upside down.

Nothing seems to bother the possum. It is one of the few animals that will eat toads, known for secreting an acrid, repellant substance.

Despite its rare forays on chicken houses, the possum actually is beneficial to man. An examination of the stomachs of nearly 500 possums revealed that the bulk of its diet is composed of insects.

Primarily, the possum is a solitary animal. When you find one, it usually is traveling alone.

But that's alright with the possum. It sort of takes things

easy anyway and lets time go on by. After all, it has been with us since goodness knows when and basically has changed little through the count years.

And, biologist say, it will with us forever.

WWI VETERANS AND LADIES' AUXILIARY SLATE CHRISTMAS PARTY

The WWI Veterans Bar No. 1564 and Ladies' Auxiliary will have their annual Christmas party at the American Legion Hall Friday, December 18th, at 6:00 o'clock.

A turkey dinner will be served. The ladies will furnish ads, cakes and pies. Gifts will be exchanged, not to exceed dollar.

Every member is urged to attend.

Mrs. Bruce Burnett attended funeral services Monday for her niece, Mrs. Johnnie Reese of McCamey, Burial in Houston.

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