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Funeral Saturday For Mrs. White

VOLUME TWENTY

HOUSTON, Dec. 17 (UP) — Mrs. Edna V. White, wife and long-time companion of Baylor University President W. R. White, died yesterday in Memorial Hospital after an extended illness. Funeral services will be held at the First Baptist Church in Waco Saturday at 10 A. M. Burial is to

Mrs. White, who had been seriously ill for the past year, entered the hospital here Nov. 8 when her condition became critical.

Her illness had prevented her from witnessing her husband's in-auguration last April as Baylor president. However, Mrs. White previously had taken an active part in Dr. White's church work.

's work made her well known in soma City, Dallas, Fort Worth, Lubbock, Greenville, Royce City, Goldwaite and Austin.

Both Dr. and Mrs. White graduated from the Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth in 1922. They were married during the first world war while both were students at Howard Payne College

The Whites had no children. Mrs. White's devotion to church work was shown by her service as stewardship chairman of the Woman's Missionary Union while her husband was executive secretary of the Baptist Convention of Texas in 1929-30. Then she taught a large Sunday School Class while Dr. White pastored the First Bap-tist Church of Austin.

Denies Shortage Of Uranium Ore

DENVER, Dec. 17 (UP) David E. Lilienthal declared today that there is plenty of uranium ore to keep atomic energy "on a sound basis for an inde-finite period in the future."

The Atomic Energy Commission chairman denounced as false what he called widely publicized statements "that there is only enough uranium ore to last a relatively brief period, and so the prospects of benefit from atomic power must go glimmering."

"This is simply not so," he said at a press conference here. "It appears clear that atomic energy is on a sound basis for an indefinite period in the future." Partcipating with Lilienthal at

the news conference was John K. Gustafson, the commission's manager of raw materials operations The commission is now subsidizing uranium development on a big seale in the Colorado plateau

Only 5.9 per cent of the farm operators in the United States in 1947 were veterans.



Coronation Ceremonies Tonight At 8:00 O'Clock At High School

Princess Elizabeth holds her infant son, Prince Charles of

Edinburgh, during christening ceremonies for the child

in London. - (NEA Radio-Telephoto).

onight at 8:00 o'clock.

Boys of The Royal Party

1. Duke Rodney Dale Stephen 2. Duke Morris Lee Riggan

3. Duke William Rowe Aaron

Duke James Leslie Spalding

Duke Earnest Ray Sneed

6. Duke Robert Guy Womack

7 Duke Joe Stanley Stephen

9. Duke Elton Glenn Hogan

11. Duke Ted Allen Howard

12. Duke Jerry Max Lasater

13. Prince Edward Albert Hai-

14. Prince William Douglas King

15. Prince Kenneth Glenn Gar-

16. Prince John Charles Burke

18. Lord High Chancellor Lindy

Girls of The Royal Party

3. Duchess Bobby Dee Throne

4. Duchess Shirley Anne High-

1. Duchess Ila Gene Griffin

2. Duchess Sarita Ann Seal

Lane Quarles

10. Duke Thomas Edward Vel-

8. Duke Larry Ray Falls

13. Princess Helen Virginia Gris Coronation ceremonies will be held at the Eastland High School 14. Princess Patsy Rae Brown 14. Princess Maxine Elaine Lam-Members of the Royal Party

16. Princess Barbara Ann Shero

were selected by student vote,
Daniel Travis Amis will be
crowned King and Veda Myrl Sneed will be Queen. Other members 17. Crownbearer Janice Kay of the Royal Party are as follows: 19. Her Majesty Queen Veda

Myrl Sneed 20. Trainbearers Toni Wodarz Horton-Alexis Cowan

Flourescent Tubes Prove Dangerous

AUSTIN, Tex., Dec. 17 (UP)-Disposing of fluorescent lighting car driven by Blevins and a taxiproblem, Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer, said today.

The hazard, he said, cuts from broken fluorescent

The State Health Department has received reports of several such cases, he said.

One such case, Cox said, involved a 12-year-old boy who had been At 700 Feet 17. Crownbeater Clyde Michael cut on the side of the neck after using an old lamp tube as a bat. ed, "But eight weeks later pain-19. His Majesty Daniel Travis scars, which three months later had to be removed by surgery."

> Cox-explained that fluorescent power called phosphor and containing beryllium.

5. Duchess Alice Charlotte Van "If the beryllium covered glass Duchess Paula Dee Harvey materials may delay the healing sand at about 1200 feet. of wounds and lead to chronis in flamation and skin lesions," Cox

> He recommended that particular care be used in disposing of used tubes to "preclude improper use or injury to children who may break them at play."

Final Rites For

Final rites for H. B. Harris of Carbon, who died at his home there December 10, were held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 at the Carbon Baptist church. Interment with Higghnbitham Funeral Home of Gorman in charge, was in the New Carbon ceme-

A native of Louisiana, the deceased was 63 years of age. He ters; Mrs. Roby Nell Craighead er 40 hours. No boom can be expected that and Mrs. Raymond Craighead of

PRICE 5 CENTS

Prince Charles Christened Communist Forces Threaten Nanking, Nationalist Capital

There Was A Reason For His Being So Happy

"Shorty" Woods of Desdemona is perhaps the smallest (in stature that is) of any oil field trucker in this section. He is of a sunny disposition, well liked and his serices are in demand. Frequently he receives calls from Oklahoma and Louisana as well from various points in Texas, for his services. In Gorman a few days ago

Shorty" was unusally happy, in fact he was just bubbling over with joy. When asked by newspaper reporter for the reason for his unusually happy mood, he

"We have a grown son, Jasper Earl Woods, who is in the United States Armed services and for the past five five years has been in Australia. He is married now and he and his wife, a white Russiannot Red-who is a school teacher linguist, sailed on November 20 on the U. S. S. Claiborne for the United States and we expecting them home anytime now.'

Jasper Earl Woods is an electrician and plans to remain in the United States. He possibly will locate at Ranger, his father said.

Charges Filed In Crash Death

AUSTIN, Tex., Dec. 17 (UP) Orville S. Blevins, a University of Texas student, faced a charge of negligent homicide today as the result of a traffic accident last Nov. 30 that resulted in the death of Lee C. Harrison, wealthy Dal-

Harry Logan, a Fort Worth attorney, received a fractured skull

The accident occured when a nich Harris Ross Bohannon, a Dallas attorney, were riding collided at a midtown intersection.

The charges were filed by Perry Jones, Travis county attorney.

Crawley-Crawford Test Drilling

ncellor Lindy "The initial cuts appeared to Price Crawley and Nichol icals Corp., Texas City, alleging heal," the health officer report- Crawford of Ranger today were her husband, Berchal Eugene drilling below 700 feet on their ful lumps developed beneath the D. S. Mitchell No. 1 in Stephens the plant June 14. county, north of Ranger.

The test is located 990 feet Christmas Tree from the south line and 660 feet At Olden Tonight tubes are coated inside with a from the west line of the west half of section 64 T&P survey,

Railway Likely Not To Re-Open **Negotiations**

WICHITA FALLS, Tex. Dec. 17, (UP) - Orville Bullington, president of the strike-bound Wichita Falls & Southern Railway said today he didn't think negot iations with four operating rail-road brotherhoods would be re-

He said "we have offered them all we have — perhaps some other railroad will be good enough to take us over.'

Bullington said he didn't blame the workers for walking out. He admitted the other railroads were able to pay higher wages and "always have been."

He pointed out that short railroads such as the Wichita Falls & Southern were vulnerable to truck lines and that its business had not been large since the trend toward truck hauling began.

The walkout began at 9 A. M. yesterday. It affects some 70 em ployes of the 169-mile line. The company had rejected a union demand for \$3.92 daily increase.

Texas Alloted Peanut Acreage

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 (UP) Texas peanut growers have been allotted 620,531 acres by the Department of Agriculture in its acreage allotments by states for the 1949 crop.

Total allotment for next year's erop is 2,628,970 (m) acres. Acreages for individual farms will be set by state and county committees. Only those growers who comply with marketing quotas can receive government price support for the 1949 crop.

Explosion Suits Total \$486,000

GALVESTON, Dec. 17 (UP)-Damage suits resulting from a highway explosion in Texas City last Oct. 18 totaled \$486,000 to

R. F. Jonnson, Gaiveston, ed suit in district court for \$11,-000 in damages yesterday. Of the total, \$10,000 was for personal

damages, his attorney said.
In another suit, Mrs. Leola M. Richey asked \$100,000 in damages from Carbide and Carbon Chem-Richey, 25, was electrocuted at

Tonight at 7:30 at the Olden High School gymnasium there The well is being drilled with will be a Christmas tree. This is particles get under the skin, the rotary tools and will test the a community affair and you are

RAIL BOARD SUGGESTS

(UP)-A special presidential and signal men. board today recommended that the nation's railroads give 1ert a threatened nationwide rail 48 hours work. strike.

The rail industry is the only major industry in the country that does not now have a 40-hour

ing directly to President Truman, said the 40-hour week is "now firmly a part of our national industrial policy.'

The railroads work a basic 48 More is survived by his widow, three hour work-week. The effect of pa yfor Saturday work and double is survived by his widow, three hour work-week. The transfer of Lubbock, Gardn-the recommendation would be to pay for Sunday work.

The recommendations of the r is being done by several major er of Pasadena, Texas, and I. G. give the employes overtime at companies and a number of in of California; and two daughtime and a half pay for work ov emergency board are not binding

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 - ers, such as clerks, telegraphers,

16 unions, had asked a 40-000,000 of their employes a 40 hour week with no loss in the take hour work week as a way to av- home pay they now receive for

ed a 25 cents an hour wage increase, time and a half pay for Saturday work and double wages for Sunday work.

mended a seven cents an hour pay boost for the non-operating em ployes retroactive to last Oct. 1. But it turned down the 16 unions request for time and a half

on either the railroads or the un-The 40-hour week is recommen- ions. If the board's suggestions

PENGPU OUTFLANKED AS SURGING RED DRIVE WITHIN 60 MILES OF CAPITAL

Light Showers

Fall Over State

rain reported along the coast.

The West Texas forecast call-

occasional rain this afternoon, to-

were about normal after a cool

front moved in yesterday. Lows

than expected because of gen-

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erally cloudy conditions.

of Brownsville.

Peiping Expected To Fall

Surrounded by victorious Chinese Communist troops

forecast for last night were higher

several months.

By United Press

To Order Probe Of Liquor Board

AUSTIN, Tex., Dec. 17 (UP) State Rep. Blake Timmons of Amarillo said today he will introduce a resolution when the legislature convenes Jan. 11 calling for a "complete" investigation of the Texas Liquor Control Board.

He said that in the coming se sion, he will "strongly urge a complete investigation of the entire liquor control set up . .

Timmons statement followed by less than 24 hours the announc-ement by Gov. Beauford Jester that he was awaiting a report on an incident at a Fort Worth night club involving G. H. (Jack) Lit-tle, member of the Liquor Conrtol Board, and Jack Love, first assistant district attorney of Tarrant County.

However, the statement by Timmons made no reference to Fort Worth situation.

Mrs. Gustafson Is Named As Federal Court Reporter

Mrs. Marie F. Gustafson, former court reporter for the now abolished 88th District Court in Eastland, has been apointed court reporter for the United States District Court for the Austin, Waco and San Antonio div-West Texas district, friends in Eastland have been

Mrs. Gustafson, who resided in night and Saturday and for oc-Cisco before coming to Eastland casional rain in the north and radio Berlin antennas to remove moved from Eastland to Austin central portions of East Texas a hazard to airlift planes landing tonight. three years ago.

Stores To Remain Open Later Monday Through Friday

Following their annual custom | Only two points reported subof several years standing most freebing weather this morning Eastland stores will remain open where a 73-degree reading was until 8:00 o'clock p. m. Monday reported. The front appeared to through Friday of next week in to be stationary, extending order to better accommodate eastward into the gulf just north

MONGOLIA

CHAHAR

BY UNITED PRESS Chinese Communist vanguards outflanked Pengpu, last

major bastion north of Nanking, and stabbed within 60 miles of the Nationalist capital itself today. The Reds thrust south, then west to Mingkuang, 40 mi-

les south of Pengpu, and threatened to cut Pengpu't only line of retreat to Nanking. A semi-official source said Gen. Liu Shih, top Nationalist commander in the Pengpu area, is moving his head-

quarters from Pengpu, 105 miles north of Nanking, to Chuhsien, only 35 miles above the capital. He was said to have left behind a military garrison with

orders to fight to the last against Communist encirclement. Chuhsien itself is not a good defense position, and it was believed Liu would fight only a delaying action there before falling back acros the Yangtze, the last natural barrier to Nanking on the south bank of the river. Other Foreign News Included:

PARIS - Egypt complained to the United Nations Security Council that large forces of Israeli troops are attacking 1,500 to 2,000 Egyptian troops trapped at Faluja

in southern Palestine. The charges was made as the council rejected Israel's application for membership in the UN. Britain

asked for an indefinite delay in consderation of the application. France suggested a delay of a ROME - The Communist-con-

Light showers were falling totrolled Confederation of Labor day in the central sector of Texas ordered firemen and more than and extending westward toward 1,500,000 other government work-Abilene with some intermittent ers to strike throughout Italy for 24 hours next Monday in protest Weatherman A. M. Hamrick against allegedly inadequate pay said several days of slow, soakincreases offered them. The strike ing rains were needed to break will affect railways, mail, telethe drouth from which a large grams and local, state and goverpart of the state has suffered for nment offices.

BERLIN - The Russian-coned for mostly cloudy skies with factory workers in Berlin to stage rallies protesting the destruction by French army engineers of two at a nearby field. The station was Temperatures over all the state back on the air, but with a weakexcept the extreme south portion er signal.

> TOKYO - ECA administrator Paul Hoffman said he had been misquoted by some newsmen in Shanghai regarding his attitude toward American aid to a Chinese coalition government, but he did not elaborate. in Shanghai, Hoffman said the United States might continue to aid China if a government truly representative of a majority of the people and pledged to a program respecting democratic principles were established. However, he said the U. S. would not go along if a Communist-do-

minated regime were set-up.

DAMASCUS, Syria — The 16day-political crisis ended with the announcement by Premier-Designate Khaled Elazem that he has formed a government of Republcan party members.

SAN JOSE - Costa Rica military headquarters said invasion forces ,allegedly from Nicaragua, are abandoning positions in northwest Costa Rica, "almost without

CORRECTION Through error a General

ed in the Lucas store ad Thursday as being \$32.98 when it should have read \$329.95. This newspaper regrets the

THE WEATHER

By United Press

afternoon, tonight, and Saturday Peiping (1) is expected to fall soon, probably by negoti- with occasional rain in north and central portions. Warmer in extreme northwest portion tonight. oderate northeast to east winds

> WEST TEXAS-Mostly cloudy with occasional rain this after-noon, tonight and Saturday. Warmer in Panhandle, Se Plains and upper portions of the Pecos Valley tonight.

Duchess Janeil Day 9. Duchess Emily Jeanine Howgotta advantage over you 10. Duchess Audrey Faye Brown Christmas, Doc. Four 11. Duchess Patricia Ruth Rush feet are better than two at 12. Duchess Betty Gay Allen OIL EXPLORATION OUTLOOK FOR THE EASTLAND AREA

By Dan Kralis Oil Expolration Outlook For Eastland Area

Drilling activity has reached an the boom days following reasons for this. First many inspend before the 1st of the year Several wildcat wells in the area has promising shows: This encouraged offset lease holders to drill up to test their acreage. An energetic class of oil promoters have been attracted to the area. Numerous possible pay horizons, is comparable to the old boom reasonable drilling costs, and readays for several reasons. First one sister, who reside in Louis- iana, also survive.

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Carbon. Five grand children and ded by the board would cover nearly 1,000,000 of the so-call- parties the unions are free to non-operating railroad work- strike any time after Jan. 17.

records on so called dry holes in the early twenties, makes for good sales talk by these promoters. Probably about half the all time high in the Eastland area wells drilled in the aear during the past year have been drilled World War I. There are several through promoting channels. Promoted wells have added much dependents have tax money to information to the area and have served to help pin down areas of favorable possibilities. scientific exploration in the area

dependents.

H. B. Harris Are Held At Carbon

tery.

40-HOUR WORK WEEK

The presidential board, report-

The employes, represented by

In addition, the unions demand

The emergency board recom-

ated surrender. Reds have captured surrounding towns, among them Tunghsien and Fengtai (2). Heaviest fighting is for Mentoukuo, (3) coal mining center and electric power source for Peiping area. In the south, 40,000 Nationalist troops were being driven back toward Yangtze River at Kaoyu (4). Other Nationalists, fighting north from Peiping to rescue 12th Army trapped in Pengpu-Suchow (5) area, were driven back seven miles. - (NEA

Telephoto).

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duced? Yes Rise when you are

meeting an older man or woman

2. Who offers his hand first?

Men always shake hands when

introduced. When you are intro-

duced to a girl or a woman, wait

for her to extend her hand. I

she doesn't, omit the hand-shake,

merely saying "How do you do?"

to acknowledge the introduction.

days ahead, if possible, for movie

dates and basket ball or record

vance for a big dance, then phone

her (or write, if you go to school

away from home) to remind her

More of What You War

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3. How far ahead of time should

or a boy or girl your own age.

THE Maverick

> High School Notes BY THE STAFF

By Elinor Williams

Here's a quick quiz on good manners for boys. What's your

1. Shold you rise when intro- of the dance, so she'll know you

haven't forgotten your invitation and are still planning to go.

4. Who leaves the bus, street car or train first-a boy or girl he escorts? The boy descends first, so he can help the girlalright. This is also the correct thing to do when escorting your mother, sister, or friend of the family.

5. When a girl invites a boy to a dance, who pays the expenses? The girl pays for the tickets; the boy provides a corsage if necessary and makes arrangements for transportation unless the girl knows somebody who has space in their car for another couple.

6. How do you refuse a second offer of food at the table? Simply by saying, "No thank you" or "No, thanks; it's delicious, but I've had enough." Anything else is bad manners.

7. What's the correct attire for informal social doings in the evening-dates, school affairs, etc.? A suit, shirt and tie. Or, sometimes, a sport jacket, harmonizing slacks, shirt and tie.

Homemaking News The second year homemaking class cooked and served a buffet luncheon this week. The menue served was baked ham, stuffed potatoes, pineapple and celery salad, iced tea, biscuts, lemon she rbert, tnd brownies. Everyone en-

Remember When? Seniors didn't get along. Seniors were Sophs. It snowed.

Catherine Cornelius was queen of high school. There was asfidity in the foun-

you ask a girl for a date? Several tain It rained.

Betty and Prudie were insepardances; two weeks or more in ad. able

Audrey had her car all the ime. Bourland wasn't called "Bourls" Shero didn't wear a wig. "Red" Whitley wasn't called Brashier made no mistakes

(that must have been a long time, ago.) Velasco didn't go to school here.

"Bubbles" beat the train. There were eleven Co-Eds. Jeanne Greene had lots of par-

Barker was in high school. There were a lot of dances. Carolyn Enas and Jack Turner

were lovers. All "Remember Whens" were

happening

The Co-Ed Meeting The Co-ed's met in the home of Prudie Hardeman at 4:30 Wednesday afternoon. The president called the meeting to order and the progressive dinner was disus-More Christmas activities were planned. Delicous refreshments of cheese sandwiches, cake chee-wees, and cokes were served to Betty Ferguson, Patsy Young, Betty Allen, Audrey Brown, Wanda Williams, Bobbie Shero, Pat Rushing, Veda Sneed, Jimmie Black, Nancy Harkrider, Gay Nell Whitley, Ferne Justice, Jeanne Greene, Barbara Martin, Norma Nurle and the hostess, Prude Hardemean. The president then ad journed the meeting.

Senior Party The seniors are having a party in the gym Friday night after the Coronation. There is to be dancing and games for everyone. The senior mothers are planning the party so everyone will have a good time. This is the first school dance sponsored in the gym. It is going to be formal.

Have You Noticed Many old couples are hitting it

off again? How hard the Acappella Choir works and what a good job Mr.

Clinton is doing. The Junior High Operetta? How short boys are when they

are freshmen and how tall when | teen. seniors?

The fun civics class has? -That every one has colds from the dust?

That Veda and Dan have gone together for almost four years? How much the seniors enjoy enjoy being SENIORS?

The boy with "29" (broken hearts)? All the Senior parties? The industrious 4A English

That some Round-Up reporters That Barkis Is willing?

Orchids and Onions Orchids to Seniors. Onions to sandstorms Orchids "to a little Bird (Doola) Onions to catty remarks. Orchids to the parties the seniors have been giving.

Onions to no parties. Orchids to baby-sitters.
Onions to babies that cry. Orchids to new coronation court Onions to fussy people. Orchids to the E. H. S. King

and Queen. Onions to lessons. Orchids to Prudie's party. Onions to no dates. Orchids to Ferguson's party. Onions to lessons over the holi-

Orchids to senior class unity. Onions to out-of-town kids at E. H. S. dances. Orchids to the wonderful can-

and small and sing of the Lord Jessie Whaley: When I was five years old, my and having a good time. Christmas tree had to be placed Janelle Patterson:

the meeting at 4:00 p. m.

Larry Falls:

much.

received it.

Billy Edd Owen:

ing in the oven.

Betty Bennett:

Barbara Anderson:

Christmas Observations

out as the best Christmas I ever

had. I did not recive any more

gifts than usual, nor did I give

away many presents. But I remem-

little boy who needed it very

on a table by my bed, as I had Onions to no football games. chicken pox. It was a different Christmas, but fun.

The Commercial Club Don Anderson: The Commercial Club had their Now there is so much commer-Christmas party in room 37 Fricialism that sometimes it seems as day. The president called the meet if Christmas is worn out a long ing to order, and then turned it time before it is here. I think we over to the program chairman. We might have a happier Christmas then listened to Christmas carols if all of us would remember its played on "Emertrude." Each mereal meaning. mber brought his own refresh-Neva Dell Ward:: ments. The president adjourned

We should remember that Christ mas celebrates the birth of Christ. It is joyful day of carols and of From the Junior English Classes gifts to those we love. Jerry Fuller: One certain Christmas stands

I always think I'll spend about two dollars shopping and it ends up anywhere from five to twenty-

Bill Sikes: ber a present that I gave to a To me what makes a Merry Christmas is a stomach full of good eats.

Every year I put my Shirley Temple doll under my Christmas Christian Arther: I have always loved to go shopping, and I even rather enjoy the tree to remind me of the time I continual pushing and shoving of

the Christmas crowa. When I think of Christmas I Leonard Quarles: think of all the many good things Christmas seems to mean more to eat—delicious pies, beautiful and more to me as the years go cakes, the smell of turkey roasteverybody seems happy and often

I like to think of carolers, as what it means to the other fellow. they walk about to homes, large | Glen Hagan: I like to think of Christmas as a day when every-one is happy

I catch myself wondering just

My "Christmas Memory" is of a beautiful tree, preparation for Christmas Day, flash—bulb pictures, and a happy family circle.

Edward Harbin: I remember a tryicycle I received on Christmas-when I seven I was so thrilled I didn't open my other presents for a while. I kept that tricycle for many years, and that Christmas was one of the happiest ones that I can remember.

Paula Harvey: I love to remember our trees on Christmas Eve at my grandmother's, and how much fun Sylvia and I always had Glen Garrett:

When one is shopping at Christmas time he should be intelligent. We should remember that he also has to live in January. Janiel Day:

I remember with hapiness with Christmas with two grandmothers on the same Christmas Day. Henry Parsons:

To me Christmas means holiday's delicious food, and seeing relatives that we have not seen in several months.

Maxine Lambert: Many people never really listen to the songs which are sung at Christmas, but to me they part of the wonderful spirit of the Yule Tide.

Beth Hurt: I watched for this particular Christmas-and sure enough it

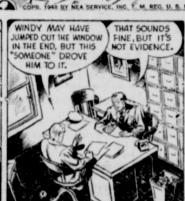
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BY M ICHAEL O'MALLEY and RALPH LANE











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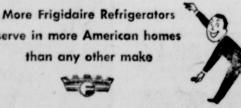
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A. W. Gregg No. 5 Phillips ave set casing and are WOC. Snowden and Sadler No. 2 Kinney Estate are drilling at app-

oximately 800 feet. A. W. Gregg No. 1 Paine have eworked and cleaned out the nole and made an oil well out of this operation. They finished run-

ning tubing Wednesday.
D. D. Feldman No. 2 Cooper Grocery are setting surface pipe hursday.

D. D. Feldman No. 1 Cooper FOR RENT: 4 room unfurnished rocery have taken a second poapartment with private bath. ential. The gas-oil ratio was 780-1 the 46.15 barrels of oil

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ray drilling at 2300 feet.

vithout paying attention to the heorists that were hired to find

The East Texas Field is one of the truly great fields that is mostly controlled by independents. The Eastland area is the independent's heaven today. High costs of drilling, deep on possibilities per test in the gions and California, have driven in the independent to the Bend | the World. Arch region with Eastland more or less as the geographical cener. Eastland, Comanche, Erath, Hamilton, Stephens, Throckmorton, Brown, Runnels, Palo Pinto. and Shackelford counties will be careful planning have replaced the independent's stamping gro-

und for the next ten years. the old time uncontrolled production, gas waste, the oil brok-Continued new discoveries are er's heaven, and reckless plannbe relatively small but big enough In the past many wells were to pay off to the independent. Drilling activity will fall off to a stearomoted through the mails by dy pace and the art of finding oil will fall off from taking lease Betty Allison: blocks with drilling obligations to ernment keeps a watchful eye on through study before and leasing oil promotion deals and is ever afterward.

on the alert to prevent the "boll Eastland can expect no great weevil" in the oil game from beoming a victim of organized to be the geographical hub of oil se it is the happiest. activity for the next year. Abilene, J. B. Jesse Even the geologist concedes Fort Worth, and Dallas, are too that on occasions oil is where you close to the scene of action to enable Eastland to reap the harvest East Texas was discovered acof business that accompanies oil identaly. But if the records are exploration activities. checked closely it will be found

Mother earth, however has been good to this area. There are other ibility of stratigraphic traps rich mineral deposits. Clay depoand some were sold on East Tex- sits of excellent quality are found as before it was discovered. The throughout the area. Ceramics, haydite manufacturing, brick manoin of the various big concerns ufacturing, and tile manufacturing merely accepted the data at hand would benfit the area greatly. Limestone deposits would good construction stone and cement plants. Don't forget the fact that semi-commercial coal deposits will be the source of gasoline manufacturing tomorrow. The area has these.

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came-watches for my sister and me, a watch for Mother, and a watch for my brother. That was a very happy Christmas. Marion Thompson:

You make out your shopping list after many erasures and start off on what you think is going to be a glorious day. Instead you may be pushed, run over, knocked down, and stepped on. Joann Hardin:

I remember Christmas at grandmother's-a family re-union, the Christmas party, playing games, and singing carols. Richard Bumpass: A fragrant aroma drifts from

the big kitchen stove. Mother bustles about and we stand at the door and watch longingly. George Lane:

I plan my Christmas shopping -make lists, I consult catalogues, I look at shop windows and change my list, I postpone the actual purchase-Time flies; Christmas is almost here; my mother finally selects most of the pre-Richard Bourland:

I remember with pleasure the year Santa Claus brought me an Stanley Stephen:

I remember a Christmas we expected three guests and there were twelve of us at the table. We certainly had a larger and more ruaged in the 24 hour period was exciting Christmas than we expected. Charles Mackey:

Christmas at my grandmother's is something to see. Golden brown turkey, delicious dressing, and smoking hot pie appeal to this hungry boy. Bob Vaught:

The most beautiful Christmas I have ever spent was at Butte, Montana. The snow covered mountains and landscape were very beautiful. Tom Grissom:

When I think of Christmas I think of snow, turkey, a large depths, and too few pay hori- tree, beautiful presents, shopping in the city lighted windows, songs Gulf Coast and East Texas re- I would like to think that everyone is happy and all's right with Jeanie Howard:

Carols, candy, holly, mistletoe, and excitement are parts of Christ mas cheer, but none can take the place of the good will and love we all should feel at Christmas time G. W. McBee:

Christmas! A word whose meanings are as varied as the personaliin the offering. The pools all will | ties of people. It ranges from the joy of giving shared by today's od Samaritans to hatred clute hed by the old Scrooges of the present

Christmas is a happy, time, a time of united families, of exchange of gifts, of parties, of carols, of eats, I enjoy Christmas business increase but it can expect | more than any other holiday becau

Last Christmas night was the



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best hunting night I ever saw. It put through your call, time it, was cold, but six hounds in the back of the truck kept me warm. Jane Hart:

To me the most beautiful Christ mas scene is my own family armay have bigger and more elaborate celebrations than ours, but no one could have a happier or more heart warming time than we do. Tommy Patterson:

Shop early and avoid the rush. Ed Harris:

with reverence and respect as well Gary Wingate:

At Christmas it is not the value of the gift but the spirit which prompted its giving. Cyrus Miller: On Christmas Eve look about

you and enjoy the beauty that you MERRY CHRISTMAS

The Telephone Program

The students of E. H. S. enjoyed a very educational program last Friday morning. It was the telephone company's program. I am sure that until that morning no one in High School had ever stopped to realize just how much work and how many little parts it takes to make our everday house hold invention work. Many of these parts are so small that they would only be a speck to the naked eye. Many of the new inventions that were used in the war have found a peacetime job with the telephone company and are helping to bring our country closer together. From this program we learned that the telephone company now has a machine that can

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The talk was made even more interesting than ever by the spices added to it by Mr. George Brown, who was the main speaker. Mr. Dashley, the district manager, in-We should regard Christmas troduced the speaker to us. We would like to have both of these men back again sometime.

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Mrs. Muirhead Reviews The Book, "Women Never Go Broke"

"Women Never Go Broke." by ge B. W. Patterson gave the invoc ation. Mrs. Jack Murihead in her gracious way reviewed to members of the Thursday Afternoon Study Club, and husbands at the annual Christmas dinner at the Woman's club, Thursday evening.

Mrs. Ben Hamner president intrduced each of the men with a toast in rhyme. Hostesses for the festive occassion were Mesdames. W. W. Linkenhoger, A. L. Murrell Dan Childress, Frank Castleberry, Hubert Jones, Frank Lovett, Dixie illiamson, D. L. Houle, and Hu-

Two long tables for the members and guests and the T. shapped table for the officers were laid in white garlands of silvered foliage centering the tables and interspersed with red burning tap ers in candlabras, underlayed with | been developed to relieve ear achsoft lighted Christmas lights. Jud- es and inflammation

Following the book review after the dinner, W. W. Linkenhoger

Present at the festive affair were Mssrs, and Mesdames. Earl Conner Sr., Frank Crowell, C. B. Frist, Jack Frost, Fred Davenport, Ben Hamner, James Horton, Hubert Jones, B. W. Patterson, M. S. Long, Jack Murihead, A. L. Mur-Robert Nelson, W. D. R. Owen, J. M. Perkins, Grady Pipkin, W. B. Pickens, and new members and husbands, Pearson Grimes, W. G. Marquardt, and Robert Vaugh-

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Woman's Fifty Year Pioneer Club met Tuesday at noon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Watson West Plummer Street, for the luncheon. After the covered dish annual Christmas dinner. Mrs. luncheon was served, a Christ-Nora Andrews chaplain, gave the invocation. Turkey and many other were exchanged. Mrs. Bea Rhea good food was served buffet st-yle, from the table and buffet in the beautifully decorated dining

Following the dinner Christmas readings were given by Mesdames. May Harrison, R. F. Jones, J. A. Beard, and T. A. Bendy, and Christ mas carols were sung by the

During the short business sesion presided over by the president Mrs. T. M. Johnson the nomiacted as Santa Claus and distri- nating committee was appointed buted the gifts from the beautiful to elect new officers, as follows; Mrs. Maud Braly, Mrs. T. A. Bendy and J. A. Beard.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Hanna Lindsey with Mrs. I. J. Killough as co-hostess. Present at the festive affair were Mesdames. Johnson, E. A. Wesson, I. J. Killough, Dorothy Sparr, W. S. Barber, R. F. Jones, Nora Andrews, May Harrison, Ora B. Jones, *Margarett Clegg, Ella Westbrook, W. H. Mullings, E. E. Wood, Ida Morris, Ida Harris, J. A. Beard, Maud Braly, Hanna Lindsey, Annie Day, T. A. Bendy, and Misses Johnie Hightower, Sallie

Day, Bulah Speer and hostess. The Watson home was decorat ed throughout with the Christmas motif. The large bay window in the livingroom carried the nati-vity scene and the Christmas tree all beautifully decorated.

Church Circle Meets With Mrs. Veil Day

Circle two of the First Christian Church met in the home of Mrs. Neil Day Monday afternoon for a Christmas party, at which time nembers exchanged gifts from the

beautifully decorated tree. Refreshments of white cake, mints in nut cups and coffee was erved to those present. The members presented Mrs. W. E. Tankersley, chairman a pair of nylon hose and Mrs. J. W. Watson cochairman a crystal dish and a croceted doilie. The home was decorated with the Christmas motif.

*Circle two, three and four were entertained in the home of Mrs. E. K. Henderson. Members exchan ged gifts from the beautifully decorted tree and presented the chairman gifts.

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Mrs. Ledbetter Entertains New Comers Club

The New Comer's Club met with Mrs. C. M. Ledbetter Wednesday noon for their Christmas won the surprise package.

Mrs. Frances Brewer, Virginia cows 15.00-18.00. Flournoy, Ray Hickey, Laverne Oletha Barker, Polly Smith, Veda Hurst, Bea Rhea, Mike Duggan, Clear neLindley, Sarah Brock, Henry Lee Wright, Jeanette Whisnant, Ollie Church-J. R. Powers, Jr., Velma May, man, Wanda Leadbetter, W. D. Beggs, Mary Cole.

Little Flock Baptist Church Service Hours

The Greater Little Flock Baptist church will have services at else offered. the following hours Sunday.

Sunday School 9:30 A. M. Worship Services Sunday morn ing at 11:00 Subject for the morning sermon will be: "Faith Carrie Kearns in Fort Worth re-

B.Y.P.U. at 5:00 P. M. Evening service at 7:15. The subject for the evening sermor will be: "The Hungry World."

Methodist Church Services Notes For Coming Week

Sunday School at 9:45 A. M next Sunday .

At the morning service the pas-tor will speak on "The Divinity of Christ," and this will be in the nature of a Christmas message. At night at 7:15, the subject will be A Doubter Convinced.'

M.Y.F. at 6:30 P. M. The Board of Stewards meet Monday night at 7:30. This is one week earlier than the re

Episcopal Church Services Sunday At 9:00 A. M.

Rev. James McClain, Rector of Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, announces that Holy Community services will be held at church Sunday morning at 9:00 o'clock.

Personals

Pat Murphy was in Lubbock Thursday to attend funeral serrices at 4:00 p. m. for Mrs. John

Dr. and Mrs. Steve Potts who ave been visiting their son and amily Mr. and Mrs. Steve Potts have returned to their home in

Mr. and Mrs. G. E .Scott of Santa Fe, New Mexico are expected in this week to visit this ster and Mrs. Earl Throne, and and Mrs. Scott have two children who will be with them.

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> Calves 500. Steady. Good and choice slaughter calves 22.00-25.00, common and medium 17. 00-21.50, culls 15.00-17.00. Few common to good stocker calves 18.00-24.00.

Hogs 300; butcher hogs and sows steady with Thursday, feeder pigs 1.00 lower. Top 21.00 paid for good and choice 190-275 lbs, good and choice 150-185 lbs. 18.50-20-75. Sows 16.50-17.50. Common and good wooled aslug hter lambs 22.00, cull and common slaughter ewes 8.00. Nothing

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cently and while there did some shopping.

Mrs. Eugene Whitehurst of Mission is spending the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Buda Butler. Mr. Whitehurst will join her in the visit next week.

General Denies

CAMP HOOD, Tex., Dec. 17 (UP) — Maj. Gen. James G. Christiansen, commanding general of the Second Armored Division and Camp Hood, today dened immediate clemency to Millard Allison, found guilty by a court martial yesterday of deserton.

The 35-year-old father of three children was sentenced to six months confinement at hard labor for

leaving his Army unit in 1940. The United States was at peace then. And Allison wanted to get into the fight which he knew sooner or later would involve his own country.

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