


IN THE LVING ROOM there is 2 atfoot split level,
with wrought iron fence enclosing part of room. On the wall above the birchwood panelling is red evelvet flock
(Photo by Connie Harris)
wall paper.
 IN THE MASTER BEDROOM is a Louis XIV bed that
was put together with wooden pegs. The Walnut fin-

Open House to Be Held Sunday, Dec. 3
Open House for Wayne Adcock
will be from 2.5 p.m. Sund . Sunday at floor covering is on
the remaining area in the living will be from 2.5 p,m. Sunday at the remaining area in the living
his new home at 801 Ash.
This beautiful home was de- Also in this room, there is
a 150 -year old coffee table with signed by the owner and is fur- carved work on all sides and on nished mostly with antiques which the curved legs. It is a very at years. The house is Spanish de- In the dining room there is an
sign inside and out. It is furnish. ed with beautiful black wrought antique dining set and hutth. On iron fixtures throughout the house, double window there are two anThe living room, dining room,
kitchen and master bath is pan. elled in birchwood panelling. The kitchen has harvest go sink, stove, dishwasher and beauty of the master bedroom. It
has adark finish with two circles decor in the living room, dining The two closets in the master $\begin{array}{ll}\text { oom, hall and master bedroom. } & \begin{array}{l}\text { bedroom were designed for a spe- }\end{array} \\ \text { Also throughout these rooms red } & \text { cial place for boots, shirts and }\end{array}$ elvet curtains are hung.

## DATEBOOK

FRIDAY, DEC. I
THE LEVI AND LCE Square
Dance Club will have their grad-
uation dance beginning at $8: 00$
p.m.
MONDAY, DEC. 4
SENIOR CITIZENS will have
their monthly singing beginning
at $6: 30$ p.m.
THE LEVI AND LACE Square
Dance Club will have their final
square dance lesson at the Corn-
munity Club beginning at $8: 00$

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THE DINING ROOM has red high-low carpet with red
velvet drapes over double window. The two pictures


SHOWN IN THE LIVING ROOM of Wayne Adcocks
new home is a hand carved table which is 150 -yearsold. Black pebble vinyl covering is on part of the living oom floor.


## Noodle-Horn honorees

Mrs. Vernon Stanley of Merkel, left, secretary of the Noodle - Horn Hometulate Hughie Vick of Littlefield and Mrs. Maurice Cox of Hawley who were honored at the 1972 community hom ecoming Sunday at Noodle-Horn scheol. Vick was named Mr. Ex, Mrs. Cox Coming Home Queen. The homecoming

## Goodfellow Have Disbanded For '72

The Merkel Goodfellows have ed each year anc no one was Farmers and Merchants NationBenny Melton. Chamber Secre.

 ton.
Melton went on to say only
about 13 or 14 families were help. $\begin{aligned} & \text { number of years and were usual- } \\ & \text { The only ones who would work. }\end{aligned}$

Square Dance Club To Hold Graduation

The highlight of the 14 weeks area clubs that have been invited, of lessons will end for the Levis The club began with 7 squares and Lace Square Dance and Lace Square Dance Club Fri- \(\begin{array}{ll}day yight is four couples to a square,<br>dec. 4, at 8 p.m., when\end{array}\) they they will hold their graduation \(\begin{gathered}four squares remain,<br>dance at the Lions Club Building.<br>Club members are Messrs, and<br>Leon (Slim) Ivey is the instruc<br>Mmes. James Atkinson, Ronnie\end{gathered}\) \(\begin{array}{ll}\begin{array}{ll}Lor and cal:er for the group and<br>will be calling for the group and\end{array} \& \begin{array}{l}Doan, David Gamble, Robert Har-<br>ris, Dean King. Jimmy Leverich,<br>Billy Lucas, Clovis McFimurray\end{array}\end{array}\)<br>Mrs.C.W.Roberts Speaks to FS Club

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## tertained he Mesquite Roberts of

Cypert was hostess, entertaining
at the Asteroid Restaurant.
Mrs, Ropert's talk was entitled
"Concern: Key to Achievement."
Mrs, N. S. Daniel read ""rayer Mrs. N. S. Daniel read "Prayer
of Thanksgiving." Members present were Mmes.
Johnny Cox, S. C. Dixon, Don

## Signs OnState Highways

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| The license fee is $\$ 25$ and the fice in Abilene. Contact J. C. |  |
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Junior Scouts dov. 16 the new experience. The troop, all
girls went out to a small hill a watched safetly from the
Debbie's dad, Don Glasscock, move rattlesnakes from a d exciting experience for them They had two new membe
hat week, Lisa Allen and Miche

## Kim and Diana Sherry Williams

Senior Citizens Singing Dec. 4th

## THE GORILLA GROWL

By AlLEN GREGORY
XiNuChiHas Guest Speaker

Quail Population 'Best in Years'


## THANK YOU AREA FARMERS FOR YOUR RESPONSE TO OUR REQUEST FOR NEW CROP MILO

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ting local groups pick up the
toys from participating KFC store collection centers for
distribution to the children
before Christmas.

## 4-H'ers Earn Rewards Thru Decision-Making



THE MERKEL MAIL, MERKEL, TEXAS
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"COD WILL CALL AND CALL YOU, BUT ONE DAY HE WILL STOP CALLING AND IT WON'T DO ANY GOOD TO COME TO HIM."

Another miscenception of salvation is the one
above stated. This concept came from the sincere argent requesting of concerned people wanting their friends and loved ones to be servants of the Lord and were afraid they would wait so long
death would claim their lives before they turned to serve the Lord.
Ephesians 5:15-17 "Look therefore carefully how ye time, tecause the days are evil. Wherefore be ye not foolish, but UNDERSTAND WHAT THE
WILL OF THE LORD IS." (A.S.V.) So first let us gain one very important truth -
God wants every human being saved from sin's God wants every human being saved from sin's ruin in this life and hells punishment. "Who will
have all men to be saved, and to come unto the
knowledge of the truth." I Timothy $2: 4$ (cf. II Petknowledge of the truth." ${ }^{1}$ Ti
er $3: 9$ and Luke $15: 11-32$ ).
Second, don't use this love and longsuffering of
God (Ii Pet $3: 15$ ) as '"false God (II Pet. $3: 15$ ) as a "false hope" so
continue in sin for the following reasons:
1 Once you get the taste of sin, one can easily be come the servant of that sin. John $8: 34$ "Jesus
answered them Verily, verily I say unto you answered them Verily, verily 1 say unto you,
Whosoever committeth sin is the the servant of sin." (ef. Romans 7:15)
You don't know when death will claim you, "For what in your life? It is even a vapour, that ap-
peareth for a little time, and then vanishes a peareth for a littlie
way." James 4:14.
3 You do not know when Jesus will return to claim his own. "But the day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night; in the which the
heavens shall pass away.
R Read II Thessalonians $1: 7-10$.
Thirdly, as long as you can repent there is forgiveness available from God through Jesus Christ by
obeying his doctrine. (Luke 13:3; Romans $2: 4-6$ ). It is possible for a person to reach a point of being unable to repent and turn from sin, thus anytime
one puts off serving the Lord he increases the dan one puts off serving the Lord he increases the dan
ger of eternal damnation, the conscience can behardness and impenitent heart treasures up unto thyself wrath against the day of wrath and revethyse
lation
$2: 5$.

DON'T WAIT TOO LONG!!
Fourthly, we are "called" by the written gospel
of Jesus Christ, "Whereunto he called you by our gospel, to the obtaining of the glory of our Lord
Jesus Christ." (II Thess. 2:14) Thus in a very real sense as long as that gospel is recorded God will
still be calling all to serve him. And thus not until your d

## BILLY PATTON

CHURCH OF CHRIST
"COME VISIT WITH US"



[^0]:    TUESDAY, DEC. 5
    LAMBDA BETA will meet a 7:30 p.m. in
    Bobby West.

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    p.m. in the home of Almeda Bal.
    lock.

    VOLUNTEER FIREMEN will
    have fire practice ot $7: 30$. have fire pracitice
    the fire station.

