

The Hedley Inquirer

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Swing of SOUTHWEST FARM MARKETS

Generally firm to strong southwest farm markets saw easier hogs and vegetables the only major exceptions last week, according to the Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Poultry markets remained firm through the week, while eggs and turkeys scored material gains. Fresh eggs brought mostly 60 to 65 cents per dozen in the South west. Young turkey hens sold around 40 to 45 cents a pound, and toms 35. Heavy hens moved mainly at 22 to 27 cents and fryers 22 to 35, though New Orleans bid higher.

Cotton markets saw fairly brisk sales during the week but slightly off from the week before. Light to heavy rains curtailed harvesting, but most farms sold freely. Fluctuating spot prices closed Friday \$1 to \$3.50 a bale higher.

Wintry weather in the midwest gain bet cut country marketing the past week and most grains scored net advances. Sharp upturn in wheat reflected important emergency allocations for December shipment. Active demand helped support feed grains.

Butcher hogs eased slightly for the week at southwest markets, as cows lost some at Denver and feeder pigs dropped sharply at some terminals. Harrows and pigs closed at a top of \$25.75 at San Antonio and \$23.25 elsewhere. Sows moved generally at \$25 to \$25, and stocker pigs \$15 to \$22.

Strong active cattle markets showed general gain of 50 cents to \$1.50 during the past week. All groups shared the higher prices though cows, calves and stocker classes dominated trade. Common and medium cows turned at \$13.50 to \$15.50 at Houston and San Antonio, \$14 to \$17 at Fort Worth and Wichita, and \$15 to \$17.50 at Oklahoma City. Denver paid \$13.50 to \$20.50 for medium and good lots.

American Legion

Dec. 31, 1947 is the last day to reinstate your National Service Life Insurance. You may obtain blanks from the Legion Post for this purpose.

Don't forget 1948 Legion dues are now due and payable. The Post is behind last year on membership.

First Baptist Church

Cecil W. Lisenbee, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Lionel Blankenship Supt.
Teaching 11:00 A. M.
B.T.U. 6:15
Evening Service 7:00
W. M. U. Each Monday 4:00 P. M.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:00
Mrs. Moffitt, Church Clerk
John Nash, Church Treasurer

Hedley Lodge No. 413

Hedley Chapter No. 413, O. E. S., meets the first Friday of each month at 8:00 p. m.
Members are requested to attend.
Visitors welcome.
Johnnie Hill, W. M.
Omie Beall Simmons, Sec.

Know more news? Phone 101.

Lions Club News

The Hedley Chapter of the Future Farmers of America put on the program at last week's regular meeting. These boys did a mighty good job of it and the community should be very proud of them. Let's have them back with us again in the spring when they have completed more of their projects.

It was voted to not hold next week's regular meeting as it falls on Christmas night. However it will be made up in January with two regular meetings and a ladies night on the fifth Thursday.

Several items of interest to everyone are to come up at this week's directors meeting. A good attendance and some good work was done at the last meeting. A good attendance and some good work was done at the last meeting. Let's have another good one.

Basketball News

The Hedley basketball girls enjoyed a luncheon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Johnson last Friday, and a turkey dinner Saturday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rip Russell.

Tuesday night the Hedley boys defeated Groom here 48 to 22, and the Hedley girls won over Groom 44 to 31.

Wednesday night the Lions basketball team defeated the Modern Market team from Wellington by a score of 46 to 35.

For Sale—nice smooth mixed spotted Poland China weaner pigs. 34p W. P. Doherty

For Sale—1650 tiles. See Ernest Houdashell 53p

Gins To Close

Both the Hedley gins, West Texas Gin and Paymaster Gin No. 1, will be closed Dec. 24th and 25th to observe Christmas.

For Sale—shoots and weaner pigs. See J. E. Painter.



The Wise Old Owl

Redtop, you and Dot had quite a time Sunday night. Frances, were you really surprised in what Leonard did Sunday night? Watch that guy, Jerry.

Wanda Lee, kind of disgusting isn't it? But buck up it will all come out in the wash.

Brick, what is this I hear about you and that Rains girl? What about that promise to Babe?

Gene, aren't you picking up that Sargent girl's habits? I didn't know triffin' was in your line. Something new, eh?

Belva June, give an account of yourself Sunday night. You were at church, weren't you?

Martha Jo, what was your conference about in the office, Monday afternoon? Was the Bevers boy's basketball here lately. Could it be who plays on the boys team?

Well, Merry Christmas and stuff like that there.



Year after year we have been wishing our friends a Merry Christmas, each year hoping to make our message a little warmer, a little more personal.

It is with some such thought as this that we now add this "Merry Christmas" to the many that have gone before, with the hope that it will find you abundantly blessed with everything that the magic wand of Christmas can bestow.

W. S. C. S.

Symbolic and traditional decorations of the Christmas season ornamented the home of Mrs. Leon Reeves for a Xmas party held Monday evening for the W.S.C.S. with Mrs. Wayne Latimer and Mrs. Bill Noel asco hostesses. The refreshment table was decorated to repeat the chosen colors of green and red. A beautiful crystal punch bowl surrounded with waxed leaves, ever green and red poinsettias were flanked by red tapers in crystal holders.

Each guest took part in a Xmas roll call. The Xmas story, The Husband of Mary, was given by Mrs. Wayne Latimer. A life membership was presented to Mrs. T. O. McFarland by Mrs. Frank Kendall and one to Mrs. C. L. Johnson by Mrs. Leon Reeves. The close of the meeting was enjoyed with the exchange of gifts.

Gulf Station Sold

Lynn Cherry has bought the Gulf Service Station from L. C. Pierce, and invites his friends to call on him for Good Gulf products.

Mr. Pierce will continue to operate the feed business in the rear of the station.

A Letter to Santa Claus

Dear Santa,
Will you please bring me a doll and a doll bed, a doll house and furniture. Big sister wants a doll and chair. Thank you, Santa Claus.
Rose Williams

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Grimsley of Port Arthur announce the arrival on Sunday, Dec. 14, of a fine little son, weight 7 lbs. 3 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Humphrey and children of Uteyville, Colo., are visiting in the R. E. Beach home.

First Sgt. and Mrs. Clyde Thomas of Modesto, Calif., announce the arrival on Dec. 15 of a fine little daughter, weight 7 lbs. 13 oz. She has been named Donna Rhea.

Mrs. Kenneth Taylor visited here Sunday from Amarillo.

Recital

Miss Gertrude Rasco will present her pupils in recital at the First Baptist Church at 3:00 p. m. Sunday, Dec. 21. The public is invited.

Notice

The American Legion would like to sell the service man pickup stand on the highway. Anyone wishing to purchase same see Foster Pickett or Clifford Johnson.

Mrs. R. E. Beach has returned from an extended visit to Uteyville, Colo., Sadler and Sinton, Texas. Her sister, Mrs. E. M. Humphrey, passed away at Uteyville Nov. 24.

Mrs. W. C. Bridges visited in Amarillo last week.

Paul Finley of Louisburg, Tenn. is visiting his uncle, B. N. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Adcox of Amarillo spent last week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blanks visited here from Amarillo last week end.

W. R. Banister and family have moved to Plainview.

Mrs. Alva Simmons returned from a visit in Graham Sunday.

L. M. Spier and family of Plainview visited here last week end.

Hedley Lions Club

Meets the 2nd and 4th Thursday night of each month. All Lions urged to be present.

A. T. Simmons, President

I will pick up carcasses of horses and cows. W. P. Doherty, phone 32-4R 47tf

LOY TAYLOR'S RADIO REPAIR SHOP

Pick up and delivery
in city limits

Phone 164 at Taylor's Garage

School News

The Carnival went over with a bang! Something well over \$600 was taken in from sales and contests which spells success in a big way for this one program of the school year. It is impossible to make note every separate feature of the evening's program but several are indeed worthy of mention. The Bingo Table under the able management of C. L. Johnson was a huge success as usual. The Fortune Telling booth of Mrs. Margaret Kent assisted by Mrs. Ivan ones was a work of art, well-worth seeing, to say nothing of the destinies handed out to unsuspecting ones. Miss Barrier managed the cake walk ably and Mesdames Quisenberry, Stone, and Dickson took care of pie and coffee sales. Charles Rains added something to his already enviable title as a hot dog slinger.

Mrs. Davenport and Mrs. Longan had charge of the coronation and the program that followed. In the contest for Carnival Queen Wanda Shaw, Junior class, contestant, won over all other classes and Billy Wiggins and Pudgy Hill carried the Queen's train.

Well, we had a good time anyway and we wish very much to thank all those who helped to make this event a success, especially the faculty whose untiring efforts were a big factor in all this and the members of the Home and School Club who also worked tirelessly. In fact this was a community affair and the community pulled over.

School will dismiss for holidays Friday 19. At 10:00 o'clock the grades will have individual trees in their rooms with programs and exchange of gifts. In High School a short program will be given in the study hall with Christmas tree and exchange of gifts. After holidays we come back to school Monday, Dec. 29.

The Home Economics Dept. entertained the Faculty, School Board, County Superintendent, Miss Ruth Richerson, and Mr. Jones, Deputy State Superintendent, at noon dinner, Wednesday, Dec. 17, in the Home Ec Room at the High School Building. The menu consisting of roast beef, green beans, cream potatoes, buttered bread, hot rolls, egg-nog pie with whipped cream and coffee was well prepared, well served, and enjoyed very much by the guests. In fact Mrs. Longan and Home Ec II girls deserve a vote of thanks for their preparation of a very delicious meal.

Mr. Jones gave the Hedley School a check of excellent, a report that will later be published in detail. Records were found to be in order and all data on file in proper places. The outlook for the year seems encouraging and we have every reason to be optimistic over the remaining months of the school term.

Hedley attending the Odessa Wichita Falls Saturday included Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rains and Sarah, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Messer Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Deahl, Charles Nash Johnson and Jap Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Blankenship left Sunday for Long Beach, Calif. to spend the Christmas holidays.

Cotton

Do 1947 with 56. 1946.

Cook Books

The Woman's Culture Club has their cook books ready, you want one or more of the cook books see Mrs. Barney Johnson. These would make fine Christmas gifts.

L. P. Trimble was in Dallas of the week on account of the illness of his brother.

Teddy Joe Myers and Gertrude London of Amarillo visited Adell Myers Sunday.

Announcement

We will be closed for the Christmas holidays from closing Wednesday night, Dec. 24, opening time Monday morning, Dec. 29.

Esther Harris

Notice

To all our friends, we wish a Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year. Your patronage has been appreciated.

Biffie Laundry and School Store

For Sale—2 gas heaters, high chair, dining table, dressing table, 4 linoleum rugs, iron bedstead, springs and slats. See Ross Adamson.

Announcement

Don't fail to see those Christmas gloves, belts, socks and leather coats. You can save money at Kendall's.

Lost—hydraulic jack, northeast of town. Return to J. M. Tidwell.

Of the few things that haven't gone up, one of these is fire insurance. You can probably get fire insurance cheaper now than ever before in Hedley's history. Everyone should be fully protected. See Clifford Johnson at the bank for insurance needs.

Wanted to rent—an apartment, one or two rooms.
52p Mrs. Jessie Kyser

A wonderful Christmas gift would be a Pendleton 100% All Wool Blanket.

Ross & Lemons, Memphis, Texas

For Sale—1935 Chevrolet school bus, in good condition. See John Nash 43p

For Sale—Duo Therm oil heater, like new. See J. F. Mann

Print feed sacks for sale or exchange. Mrs. L. T. Baker

Notice

We want to thank the people of Hedley for stopping by when passing through Claude, and invite all of you to visit us again. Your trade is appreciated.

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White W.
Claude

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JOLLY TIME ALWAYS POPS!
POP CORN
TENDER AND CRISP - NO HULLS!
WHITE OR YELLOW
ASK YOUR GROCER

When your little one catches cold -
Relieve Distress
As He Sleeps!
At bedtime rub warming, soothing Vicks VapoRub on throat, chest and back. VapoRub's special relief-bringing action starts to work instantly to soothe irritation, ease coughing, relieve muscular soreness and tightness. And then even while child sleeps - VapoRub keeps right on working to bring relief. Remember, it's the best-known home remedy you can use to relieve distress of colds. Try it!

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1 Helps remove film... bring out all the natural luster of your smile.
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...ica said that Russians had begun...
...wholesale runs on banks and stores...
...in Moscow and other Soviet cities...
...because of fear that the ruble is...
...losing its value. If the report were...
...true, the tightly controlled Soviet...
...economy was in serious trouble.

Frightened by rumors that the ruble was about to be devaluated, crowds flocked to stores to buy any kind of durable goods they could get—jewelry, dry goods, rare books, anything with physical value.

At the same time, the Russians began a rush to withdraw money from savings bank accounts, but an order was issued forbidding withdrawal of more than 200 rubles a day, about enough to buy a fifth of a pair of shoes.

This was the bugaboo of too much printed paper money coming back to hound the Kremlin. During the war printing presses turned out rubles on everything except the backs of old envelopes.

Now, to prevent currency inflation, Moscow was going to issue a new currency, with values scaled down, and would order higher prices on consumer goods.

GAG BILL: 'Energetic'
True to his promise, Robert Schuman, premier of France, was doing something "energetic" to cure that nation of its internal complications, worst of which have been Communist-inspired strikes which paralyzed the entire economy.

The national assembly had completed passage of his program to jail violent labor agitators, gag Communist writers, curb sabotage and guarantee the "right to work." The bill empowered Schuman to crack down on Communist agitators with fines up to a million francs and prison terms up to 10 years.

Although the measure granted limited totalitarian authority to Premier Schuman, it will not affect France's basic economic ills.

Communists admittedly were the immediate instigators of the nationwide strikes in every field of industry and transportation, but in pushing the work stoppages they simply were capitalizing on the genuine grievances of French labor.

Wages, working and living conditions and production methods in France would have to be altered drastically before the nation could have any internal peace. This, according to the philosophy of the U. S. government, could be accomplished only through immense pump-priming with American goods and dollars.

LEAGUE: For Politics
Ever since the Taft-Hartley act outlawed the spending of labor union funds for political purposes, the unions have been busy setting up special agencies through which they can apply political pressure in 1948.

Most recent such political league has been organized by the International Association of Machinists (IAM); it is called the machinists' non-partisan political league, and will "aid working people exercise their right to vote more effectively," according to Harvey W. Brown, IAM president.

In 1948 it will "concentrate on replacing the pro-employer Taft-Hartley congress with one composed of those who will consider the interests of all groups in our country rather than the narrow interests of a single group."

Other leagues of similar political bent are the CIO political action committee, the AFL labor's educational and political league, the railroad unions' railway labor's political league and the communication workers' group.



Lt. Gen. John E. Hull, Pacific commander of U. S. army forces, is coordinating the work of the army, navy and air force in construction of elaborate testing grounds for atomic experiments at Eniwetok, mid-Pacific atoll.

Just Three Planets

The star of Bethlehem, which Christians believe heralded the birth of Christ, was not a star, but three planets, Mars, Jupiter and Saturn, arranged so as to appear as a single massive point of light in the sky.

Wagner Schlesinger, director of Adler planetarium in Chicago, advanced by theory that astronomical events...

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for either a boy or girl. Use a sturdy corduroy in navy or brown.

Pattern No. 8238 is for sizes 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 years. Size 3, shirt, 1 1/2 yards of 36-inch jacket, short sleeve, 1 1/2 yards; overalls, 1 1/2 yards.
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Enclose 25 cents in coins for each pattern desired.
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Name _____
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Liquid Sand

Probably the only dry matter that behaves like a liquid is silver sand, used in grinding lithographers' stone. A hole punched in it immediately fills up, and any object that will sink in water will likewise sink in this strange substance.

HERE'S a practical set of play togs for winter wear — a pert suspender skirt for sis, and overalls and jacket that are suitable

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Slip-cover baby's bottle. A wool bag will keep the milk from cooling. A drawing at the top will fit the cover snugly to the bottle.

If your fabric has any holes or flaws in it, mark them plainly with pins, so you can cut around them. Be especially careful if the fabric has a definite pattern. Plan before cutting in such an instance.

To keep a recipe card in view and out of the way while cooking, insert the card between the tines of a fork placed handle down in a glass.

If you plan to have pop-corn strings for the Christmas tree this year, pop the corn a day or two before it's to be used. This gives pop-corn a chance to become tough, and the kernels won't break when the needle is pushed through them.

To cut cardboard, use a sharp pocket knife. Rubber is more easily cut if the knife blade is moistened with water. To cut thick leather, first immerse it in warm water for two or three hours.

FRENCH CUFFS, WIDE-SPREAD ROLL COLLAR

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ALWAYS GARY
QUICK RELIEF FOR ACID INDIGESTION

AS PURE AS MONEY CAN BUY
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Nice selection of Smokers' Supplies



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NORWOOD PHARMACY

CLARENDON, TEXAS



GIFTS

Give "Her" a Robe from
BRYAN'S

She will love a new robe to keep her cozy and warm on cold winter nights.
Generously cut and well tailored. Your choice of many color combines.

Other suggestions for the Lovely Lady:

BEAUTIFUL LINGERIES DRESSES and SUITS
SLACKS and SLACK SUITS HAND BAGS and BILLFOLDS

Blouses — Skirts — Scarfs — Hose

Many other items to choose from.

And "He" Will Like

Lounging Robes Jackets House Shoes Pajamas Sweaters
Ties Socks Dress Shirts Suspenders Billfolds Scarfs
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HEDLEY, TEXAS

Church of Christ

The Psalmist says, "The entrance of the words giveth light." Christ says, "The words that I speak unto you, they are spirit and they are life." Paul wrote, "So belief cometh by hearing, and hearing by the word of Christ." (Rom. 10:17)

Come and worship where we are "Holding forth the word of life." (Phil. 2:16) Come where we do Bible things in Bible ways and call Bible things by Bible names; where we follow the safe course by speaking where the Bible speaks and being silent where it is silent. Bible Study each Sunday morning

at 10:00
Morning Worship at 10:45
Sunday Evening Worship at 7:00
Study Your Bible!
James L. Willet, pastor

Let C. E. Johnson, manager of the Hedley Telephone Co., write your fire and hail insurance.



CONVENIENCE	LOW COST	WIDE SELECTION
Kraft, No. 2 1/2		.09
Kraft Dinner, box		.14
Pickles, sour or dill, quart		.29
Crushed Pineapple, No. 2		.35
Spinach, No. 2		.09
TOMATOES, NO. 2 CAN		.14
RAISINS, 2 LB.		.29
WHITE SWAN COFFEE, LB.		.49
Sausage, per lb.		.49
Brooks Ham, No. 2		.09
Beef Roast, lb.		.48
Kimbell Flour, 35 lb. sack for		\$4.00
MARSHAL PORK & BEANS, NO. 300		.12
SUGAR, 10 LB.		.98

M System Cash Grocery

**Electrical Giving
OR BETTER LIVING**



**West Texas Utilities
Company**



LOOK! . . . electrical gifts for better living!

Christmas isn't so far away . . . and no doubt you are thinking in terms of giving . . . giving gifts that please . . . ELECTRICAL GIFTS.

Come in! Reddy Kilowatt, your electrical servant, is waiting to be your guide for Christmas shopping. ELECTRICAL GIFTS . . . gifts of convenience and comfort . . . are becoming available in ever increasing quantities . . . so for gifts for better living—SEE YOUR DEALER.

irons . . . percolators . . . roasters . . . heating pads
 . . . refrigerators . . . blankets . . . dishwashers . . .
 clocks . . . showers . . . automatic washers . . . irons
 . . . toasters . . . popcorn poppers . . . waffle irons . . .
 floor lamps . . . vacuum cleaners . . . coffee makers . . .
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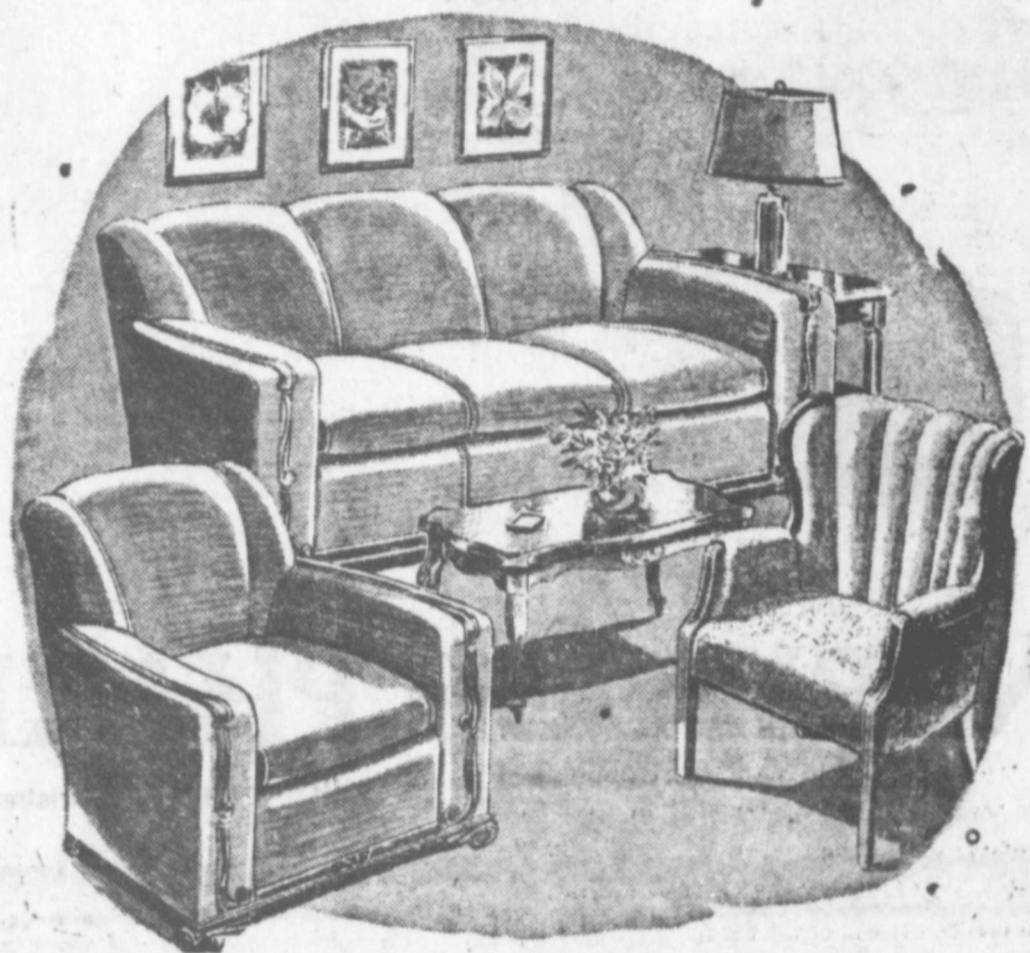
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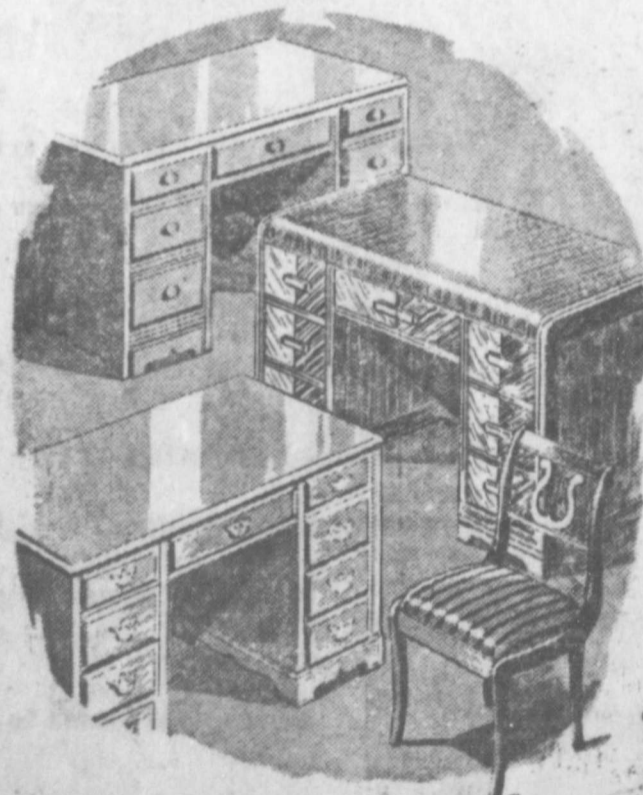
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a light in the window, and hope in the heart! It's Christmas again, good folks of this community... the season when even strangers nod at you and smile. So we are sending you these wishes for Christmas cheer and happiness in your home.

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The Duvalls



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MERRY CHRISTMAS

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Blacksmith Shop



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Hedley Cafe



TIME TO HANG UP YOUR STOCKING!

Whether it's Santa Claus, Kris Kringle or Father Christmas, let us hail the patron saint of children on this day of days.

Christmas is the season that, above all others, turns the thoughts of mankind back to the all-enveloping innocence of childhood—away from the pure selfishness and commercialism of the every-day world towards the joys of giving and sharing.

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Christmas morning,
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 and someone thinks of
 someone—
 Old days, old times, old
 friends!

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Time To Be Happy!

Christmastide is the one time in the year when we should all be as happy as a boy with a bright new sled. So let's light up our faces and our hearts when we light up our trees, and here's wishing for you and your family the happiest Christmas you've ever had.

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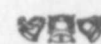
TO GREET
 YOU AT
Christmas

If we could—

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Pickett
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to wish you all A Merry Christmas



ANOTHER YEAR has passed. Again glad bells are pealing out the Christmas story. Happy children and parents are planning for the day in the glorious old-fashioned way. Everyone is thrilled by the magic spell of Christmas for they know the spirit of the Christ Child is in the land.

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*Merry Christmas
 to each and every one*

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St. Nicholas

**WISHES
 A MERRY
 YULETIDE
 TO ALL**

Of Course you believe in Santyl...

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WE GREET YOU AT CHRISTMAS

And trust to offer you Cheer every day of the year.

Dr. and Mrs. D. H. Cox and Children



- Again our carols ring out with their cheery message of holiday joy.
- In the old, old spirit of Christmas, voices of the carolers echo the message of "... tidings of great joy." Thus, too, do we join the carolers in wishing for you the blessed gifts of Peace on Earth, Joy, Good Will to Men.

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Hedley, Texas

... WE SHOULD ALL BE HAPPIER
 ... DURING THE CHRISTMAS SEASON,
 ... GET OUR CARES. FOR OUR PART, WE WANT
 ... FELICITATIONS TO THE MANY OTHERS YOU ARE
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Happiest Christmas Ever!

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A MERRY CHRISTMAS

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A MERRY CHRISTMAS

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 AT CHRISTMAS
 MANY HAPPY HOURS
 AND TRUST
 WE MAY SERVE YOU
 IN THE FUTURE.

Hedley Lumber Co.



*No matter what the language
 the spirit of Christmas is the
 same everywhere ... in France,
 in Holland, in Sweden ... and
 in the good old U. S. A. As you
 celebrate this joyous season in
 spiritual companionship with
 people of good will all over the
 world, it is our hope that this
 Christmas of 1947 will be the
 merriest you have ever enjoyed.

L. C. Pierce



to you Merriest CHRISTMAS

In Colonial times Christ-
 mas-tide was the gayest
 and happiest season of the
 year ... and so it is today.
 It is our sincere wish that
 during this Christmas of
 1947 the warm, sweet
 joys of this blessed ses-
 son may fill your hearts
 so overflowing.

Phillips 66
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Greetings at CHRISTMAS

☆
 And when the day
 is gone
 Our wishes for
 our friends
 Continue on and on
 and on!

Reid
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 in this issue for
VALUES



CHRISTMAS remembrance



It would be
 difficult, indeed,
 to forget our friends,
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 ITSELF IS GONE.

Hedley Variety Store



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 over us, as we hurry about with gifts for those we
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**Holiday
 Season**

Christmas 1947

**In This Joyous Season
 of Christmas**

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Don't pick up baby to show him off to visitors after he has gone to bed. Don't let the baby get the habit of sleeping with the bottle. Don't take baby out in the evening to the movies or for a ride. Don't leave the baby alone in the house at any time.

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By INEZ GERHARD
"THIS is the first time I ever had a star double for me," remarked a Hollywood stunt woman, as she drew her full pay check and went home without doing a stroke of work. It happened by accident. The script of RKO's "Return of the Bad Men," called for Jacqueline White to fall off a bolting horse at a certain spot. She was riding calmly along when her horse shied at a rabbit and bolted—and off went Jacqueline, right where she was supposed to. Director Ray Enright approved the scene, and that's how it happened that the stunt woman got full pay for watching a star accidentally do her work for her.

"One Sunday Afternoon," the play which once was a Broadway hit, will be filmed as a musical by Warner Bros., with Eleanor Parker in one of the starring roles. Soon to



ELEANOR PARKER

be seen in "The Voice of the Turtle," she recently returned from a European jaunt—she represented her bosses at the International Film Festival at Brussels.

Norman Corwin, known for his skill and originality as a radio dramatist, will write the screen play for "All the King's Men." He has collaborated on two screen originals, but has never before written a screen play for Hollywood.

Darryl F. Zanuck's "Gentleman's Agreement" has been given an exceptional rating by the National Board of Review—out of approximately 40 pictures a year reviewed for this rating only five or six receive it.

Wanda Hendrix, who recently appeared in Paramount's "My Own True Love," received an authentic Chinese formal dress from Audie Murphy, the young war hero. If that isn't a real romance it's certainly a reasonable facsimile!

The sultry French accents of "Renee" on "Duffy's Tavern" belong to Veola Vonn, a character actress who at one time or another has been featured on practically every top Hollywood comedy show. In private life the attractive Veola is Mrs. Hanley Stafford, wife of the harried "Daddy" for whom "Baby Snooks" makes life miserable.

Columbia's choicest male role of the year, the lead opposite Rita Hayworth in "The Loves of Carmen"—went to Glenn Ford, with Charles Vidor directing, the team which made the very successful "Gilda" is reunited.

Hardinge Scholl, director of the Museum of the City of New York, has accepted 15 fight scene pictures from the Enterprise-United Artists' "Body and Soul" to place in the Museum's theater and movie collection. The photographs show John Garfield, Canada Lee and Artie Dorrell in the widely acclaimed ring sequences from the highly successful film.

Paul Valentine, featured supporting player in RKO's "Out of the Past," was known as Valya Valentini when he was a star dancer in the Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo. He also appeared with the Detroit and St. Louis municipal operas. Oh yes—just by way of being versatile, he was a professional boxer.

All of the musicians in Paul Lavalle's "Highways in Melody" orchestra, heard Friday nights on NBC, take to the airwaves the following day under the baton of Arturo Toscanini. It is estimated that more than half of the entire NBC Symphony orchestra play under the Lavalle baton as well. He has 35 strings, 4 French horns and 4 percussion instruments.

ODDS AND ENDS— Marie Wilson of "My Friend Irma" ever decides to go home to Mother she won't have to go far, her mother lives just 20 feet away from Marie's house. . . . Ray Nilland wants to tell his new British four-cylinder auto, because it is too small for his long frame—which makes one wonder why he failed to notice that in the first place. . . . A new format will be developed on the CBS Robert O. Lewis show though a lot of people liked the old one. . . . And Jack Carson may turn "Village Store" into a comedy series.



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