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NEW CARBON POOL WELL LOOMS AS BIGGEST

G&L MORRIS NO. 1 GETS BIG SHOW IN TOP

Two Other Locations Are Made in Caddo Territory

The Gallagher and Lawson No. 1 R. C. Morris in the south Carbon field Saturdays gave promise of being completed as the best well in the new Caddo pool on the basis of showing found in the top of the pay. The well, drilled to a total depth of 2,542 feet, 1 foot in the pay, was shut down for cement to set after pipe was cemented at 2,533 feet. Operator will start again Tuesday.

The well, 1,900 feet south an 100 feet east of the Mahaney / S. Jackson No. 1, topped the Caddo at 2,531 feet. A show of oil and gas amounting to about 10 barrels of free oil and 100.00 feet of gas, was found at 2,537. The well was drilled to 2,542 feet. The well was set at 2,533.

The show obtained was the best that was found in the top of the formation in any well so far drilled in the pool, and operators consider the possibility that it would make a producer of several hundred barrels daily without shoe treatment. Drilling into the pay will probably not begin until Thursday, since the big pipe will have to be pulled first.

Doobs Well
The Doobs No. 2 Thomson, located between the Mahaney Jackson No. 1 and the Doobs Thomson No. 1, both large producers was 50 feet in the Caddo Friday evening without free oil. The well was performing in the same manner as did the Jackson before it was shot, and operators were confident that it would be a good producer.

The Jackson, biggest well so far brought in, is rated good for at least 2,500 barrels daily. It flowed 797 barrels through a quarter-inch choke on railroad commission test, and oil men pointed out that this would figure in to be good for over 3,000 on open flow.

West of the Jackson No. 1
The Mahaney Jackson No. 2 was drilling ahead at 1,150 feet Saturday afternoon with a hole full of water.

The Fox Vaughn No. 1, north of the Jackson, was engaged with a fishing job after rods were dropped and tubing parted several days ago while completing.

Two other locations have been made in the new area. To the west of the Gallagher and Lawson Morris, Harry Moss et al have location on the A. S. Jackson tract in the I&GN survey. The location is 330 feet from the west line of the Morris tract.

Gallagher and Lawson will move to a new location on their Morris "B" lease, 660 feet east of the Morris No. 1 as soon as the latter is completed.

"Iodine" was taken from the Greek word meaning "violet," because of its violet-colored vapor.



MERRY AT CHRISTMAS
NO SIGHING...
IF TEMPERS AREN'T
HARRIED BY
LAST-MINUTE BUYING...
14 SHOPPING DAYS
TILL CHRISTMAS

Flu Epidemic Sweeps Coast



Students of Stanford University have their temperatures taken, after an influenza epidemic hit California. Thousands of the nation's soldiers, mobilized in training camps along the Pacific coast, are reported ill.

FDR PLEDGES GREECE AID OF AMERICA

President Replies to Message From King George II

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7 (AP).—In an exchange of messages with King George II, President Roosevelt Saturday pledged American aid to Greece.

Answering a message from the Greek king thanking the United States for aid already received, President Roosevelt said in a message released through the state department, "As your majesty knows it is the settled policy of the United States government to extend aid to those governments and peoples who defend themselves against aggression."

"I assure your majesty," Roosevelt added, "that steps are being taken to extend such aid to Greece which is defending itself so valiantly."

The message from King George said: "In this hour in which my country is engaged in a hard and unequal struggle, forced upon it by an enemy whose actions are motivated by cruelty and violence, I am deeply moved by the warm sympathy and the keen interest manifested by the great nation whose destinies you guide."

Rendored Assistance
"The noble American people have often in the past rendered assistance to my country in all critical moments of its history, and the recent organization of the Greek War Relief association is further proof that philhellenism continues to inspire Americans of today in their lofty aims."

"Guardians across the seas of the ideals for which throughout the centuries Greeks have lived and died, Americans today are aware that the Greek nation is again fighting for the principles of justice, truth and liberty, without which life for us is inconceivable."

"I wish to assure you that with the help of the Almighty, we will march forward until our sacred struggle is crowned with success. All moral and material assistance will strengthen the heroic Greek army and will bring it nearer to victory."

Roosevelt Reply
In reply President Roosevelt said:

"I thank your majesty for your friendly message which comes at a time when all free peoples are deeply impressed by the courage and steadfastness of the Greek nation."

"The American Red Cross has already sent substantial amounts of funds and supplies for the relief of suffering in your country and I am sure that my countrymen will give generously to the new organizations which are being established or the same purpose."

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Suits Started on Automobile Taxes

Attorneys for the schools and the city Saturday announced that they have begun preparations for and are filing suits for the collection of automobile taxes due from delinquent owners who have not responded to the published request for payment of such taxes.

Suits on real estate property tax have been in process for quite a while, it was explained, but until now no suits have been filed for collection of automobile taxes.

Deanna Durbin to Wed



Deanna Durbin, 19, movie star, and Vaughn Paul, 25, associate producer, whose engagement to wed next summer was announced by her parents. (NEA Telphoto)

Former Ciscoan Succumbs At Conroe Recently

Word to friends here Saturday stated that Ed M. Walker, 48, of Conroe, formerly of Cisco, died in a hospital there Monday. Funeral services were held Wednesday from the Conroe First Methodist church.

Mr. Walker was a Cisco oil operator until about six years ago, when he moved to Conroe to become a timber estimator. He is survived by his wife and three children, Dorothy, Lorraine and Edward. Three sisters and four brothers also survive.

A past commander of the American Legion post, Mr. Walker was an uncle of Ross Coffey, Jr., son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McCall of Cisco.

New Opportunities Offer CCC Enrollees

Many CCC camp commanders and members of their staffs are being called into service, as are men in private life. Numbers of the enrollees are being given the opportunity to qualify for positions of great responsibility with the increases in pay several times that they are now receiving. Enrollees who have applied themselves and taken advantage of the opportunities available in each camp are reaping a rich reward for their efforts. The CCC offers a boy who is ambitious and willing more opportunity for advancement than he can find in private employment.

Boys who are of good character, unemployed and needing work, 17 to 23 1/2 years of age, will find the CCC an ideal place to become skilled in many types of work and trades. With each boy now receiving \$15 of his \$30 pay (\$8 in cash and \$7 put aside for him, when he has dependents, or with \$22 saved if he has none) an opportunity is presented to become independent upon his leaving the corps.

Over 5,000 boys will be needed in January and every boy wishing to join the CCC should make application at the County Welfare office as soon as possible.

Criminal Week Begins on Monday

Tomorrow, Dec. 9, begins jury criminal week in the 91st district court. Earl Conner, Jr., criminal district attorney, announces the following criminal cases will be called and disposed of during the week:

State of Texas vs. David Wood, cattle theft.

State of Texas vs. Jeff Norton, driving automobile while intoxicated.

State of Texas vs. Erwin Wilson, driving automobile while intoxicated.

State of Texas vs. T. J. Barron, felony theft.

State of Texas vs. J. B. O'Neal, driving automobile while intoxicated.

Cowboy Band Gives Program For Banquet

A holiday spirit prevailed Friday night when the Band Parents club entertained members and ex-members of the Cisco Lobo band and their guests with the seventh annual band banquet. The banquet this year was held in the parlors of the First Christian church.

Red, white and blue crepe paper was artistically employed in clever decorations for the banquet hall. Table decorations emphasized the patriotic motif. Red, white and blue bells, striped candles standing in cored apples, and United States flags completed the arrangement.

Raymond Thomas, president of the senior band, was toastmaster and introduced the guests and welcomed band members. Much fun was added to the occasion by initiation of several of the freshman band members.

Cowboy Band
The program was presented by a group of musicians from the Hardin-Simmons band, headed by Marion B. McClure, director. Numbers on the program included selections and numerous encores by the Cowboy band soloist, Miss Marjohon Nelson, playing her own accordion accompaniment.

Bob Roer, trick rope artist, then presented several acts that were very much appreciated by the group. A trio, composed of George Gates and Elpidio Uribe at the marimba, and Bernard Kirkpatrick at the bass fiddle, garbed in colorful Mexican costumes, concluded the very entertaining program.

The Band Parents club presented Dir. and Mrs. R. I. Collier with a gift of appreciation, immediately preceding the program. The presentation was made by Miss Mickey Howell, band sweetheart.

Approximately 100 attended the banquet. Admission coffee was served by N. C. Packer, distributor for the Duncan Coffee company.

Rayburn Back for Brief Vacation

DENISON, Dec. 7 (AP).—Speaker Rayburn said here Saturday that sentiment in Washington "still is for all possible aid to Great Britain."

The representative arrived in his home state for what he pointed out was his first vacation in 11 months. He said it would be short because he had to be back in Washington not later than December 17.

He will go to Dallas Tuesday for an appreciation dinner, to Fort Worth Thursday and Wichita Falls Friday.

BRITISH CAPTURE SHIPS

MEXICO, D. F., Dec.—British cruisers have captured the German steamers Rhein and Idarwald off Cuba, according to unofficial reports received by the Mexican foreign office Saturday.

Through the Editor's Spectacles

By GEORGE

News leaks out of the Italian censorship that revolts and uprising in some sections of Italy have occurred as the result of the resignation of Marshal Badoglio and the failure of the Italian campaign in Greece. The suspicion that the Italian people are not in sympathy with the alliance with the nazis and the war policies that Mussolini has fixed for them has persisted with foundation, and reports of this violent public reaction to the failure of the attempt to invade Greece are not surprising. Indeed, the possibility that Italy is the weak point in the axis armor has been substantiated by reports that Hitler, much concerned over the reverses suffered by his axis and the probable effect of these on the nazi program for conquest, has turned his thoughts toward an alliance with France. However true such reports may be, the fact does stand out that even the dictators cannot ignore public opinion when that opinion takes solid form.

To keep their people submissive Hitler and Mussolini must show results. Even though the sympathies of these people may not condone the methods and direction of their policies, the realities of conquest will satisfy the baser natures of these people to such an extent that they will accept them. Such is human nature. But when these methods and policies fail revolt in some form is inevitable. In Italy where public sentiment is said largely to have opposed alliance with Germany and the brutal scheme of aggression which Hitler has inaugurated, it is logical to presume that reaction will occur quicker. The Italian dictatorship is not as complete as that of Hitler in Germany. More personal freedom is allowed. And this greater freedom can easily express itself in revolt against a program which is at once unpopular and unsuccessful.

For all their bluster and contempt of democratic forms of government, Hitler and Mussolini may shortly be face to face with the problem of dealing with a serious and concrete example of the very forces they appear to despise. If Germany is compelled to use the force of her arms to keep Italy in the Axis lineup, another weakening expenditure of power to control what has been conquered will further tax the resources of Germany. If the reports of what is now taking place in Italy are true, it is probable that either this must be done or Germany eventually lose whatever Mediterranean and Balkan advantage the Italian alliance affords.

IS PRINCIPAL SPEAKER
In a series of inspirational meetings at the Second Baptist church in Ranger, the Rev. Judson Prince, pastor of the First Baptist church here, was principal speaker Friday night.

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Uncle Sam Tackles a Big One

The anti-trust division of the United States department of justice has announced a nation-wide investigation of trade restraints which allegedly result in increased food prices to the consumer and decreased crop prices to the farmer.

The action has been prompted, the department says, by evidence that food industries and some wholesale and retail distributors function badly, hiking particularly the prices for bread, milk, meat, fish, cheese and canned and fresh fruits and vegetables.

The government claims that between 1913 and 1920 food processors and distributors received 40 to 48 cents from every dollar spent for food by the consumer and that since then they have been getting from 52 to 60 cents. On the other hand, the farmer who used to get from 54 to 60 cents, now gets the short end.

The government claims poor crop prices caused one farm in four to be foreclosed be-

tween 1930 and 1936. Millions of farming people have moved to the cities.

As a result of the high food prices about 45 million Americans get too little to eat, says the government. These millions do not necessarily suffer deficiency diseases like pellagra or scurvy, but many have chronic fatigue, digestive disorders or such lowered resistance that they fall easy victims to epidemics.

The anti-trust officials believe they can prove that many organizations stand between producer and consumer, taking unreasonable toll through illegal price-fixing schemes.

The secretary-manager of the National Association of Retail Grocers and the president of the Associated Grocery Manufacturers of America have said their organizations will welcome a sweeping investigation of all phases of the manufacture and distribution of food products.

Moreover, at its recent annual meeting the manufacturers' group adopted a resolution maintaining prices should be equitably related in each instance to production costs. It further disapproved using the conditions resulting from the present crisis in world affairs as a means to extract unjustifiable profits from the American consumer.

As the consumer wants more and better food for less cost, and as the farmer wants higher prices for what he raises, that almost makes it unanimous.

Uncle Sam can start shooting when he gets ready. It is a hunting expedition long overdue.

In the opinion of Dr. R. B. Goldschmidt, scientist, the "Missing Link" could be a theoretical myth. We've always thought it was a lot of monkey business.

Food note: Creamed salmon filling in a ring of spinach is nutritious. But maybe the kids don't like salmon, either.

The movie actress who strip-picketed a studio, removing a garment a day, should have used a white horse for the grand finale.

So many babies are swallowing "safety" pins it would be a good idea if someone would invent one.

Shipmates



Large rooms in San Marcos filled with volumes, mostly about Texas and mostly out-of-print, including the last remaining copies of "Texas Rhythm" by one B. House.

Rumor has it that the gas industry is going to have plenty of problems—such as proposals for a much higher tax and more stringent regulation—when the legislature meets.

Many famous people have been guests at Hotel Texas in Fort Worth: General Pershing, Grace Moore, Mrs. Franklin Delano Roosevelt, Will Rogers, Alfred Lunt and Lynn Fontanne, besides Fanny Brice, Wayne King, Eddie Cantor, Pacha Tiptonmi of Albania, Charlie McCarthy and, of course, Edgar Bergen.

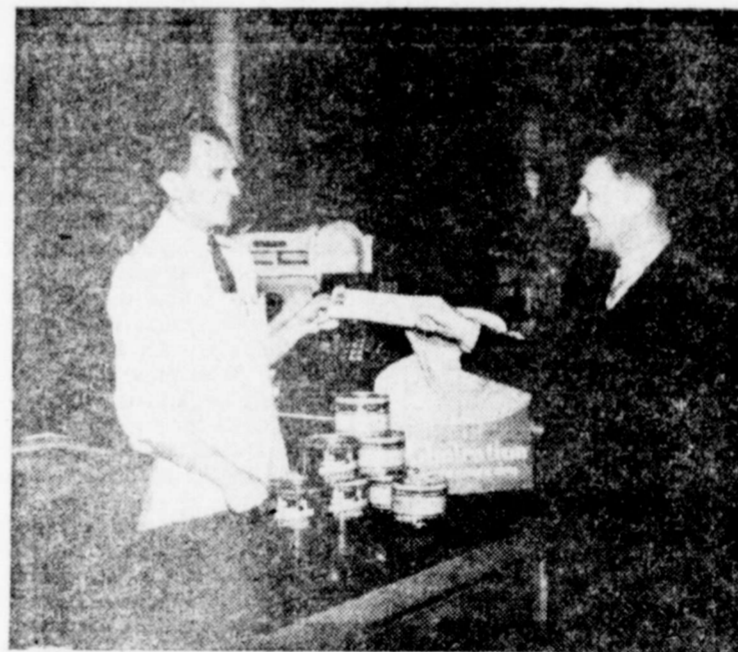
DeWitt Morgan of Fort Worth is the most thorough and incurable practical joker that I know. It all started when he was a student in a college where, at 9:45 the lights in the dormitory flickered as a signal that, in 15 minutes, the building would be in darkness. Morgan pictured the terrors of fire to a newly-arrived freshman and told him that if the lights flickered, that was a fire alarm. When the signal was given, the freshmen dashed down three flights of stairs and out into the icy air in pajamas and barefooted, to be greeted by the laughter of students who had been tipped off.

One of Morgan's favorite stunts is to spot a noted man, say a state official who happens to be in Fort Worth, rush up, call him by name grab him by the hand, tell him that Joe was asking

about him just the other day and wasn't that funny what happened to Rudy, then he bids the dignitary good-bye without ever having given him a chance to say anything, ducks 'round a corner and watches the perplexity of the great man as he tries to figure out who in perdition that

With Texas newspapermen: N. H. Pierce of Menard, who is solving so in the novelty business, sold one order for a million books of matches... Texas City Sun has issued a splendid 54-page Profile out who in perdition that

Winners in Coffee Contest



Right to Left—Manager of Biel Grocery, Corpus Christi, Texas, who sold Mrs. H. B. Givens, third prize winner in the fourth week's \$3,000 Admiration Contest her Admiration Coffee; and Mr. E. F. Hamilton the Duncan Coffee Company representative. The manager of Biel Grocery also won a cash prize.

Fire Hazards Increase in Winter Season

AUSTIN, Dec. 7 (Sp.)—Careless fires caused by an increase during the winter season are more numerous than any other time of the year. Marvin Hall, state fire insurance commissioner said today as he warned home owners to exercise great care in the installation and use of the various types of heating stoves.

The commissioner listed the common heating stove as one of the leading causes of fires in Texas over a long period of years.

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Friend of Hitler Sent to Rumania



Among high-ranking German officers reported sent to Bucharest to help subdue the Rumanian civil war in Rumanian capital, Count Baldur von Schirach, above, Count von Schirach, military governor of Vienna, a close confidant of Hitler.

Daily Press Want Ads Clerk

BRUCE CATTON'S AMERICAN ROUNDUP

HATCH SAYS HE HAS A SURPRISE FOR SPENDERS WHO THOUGHT THEY SAW LOOPHOLES IN HIS

BY BRUCE CATTON
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON.—Any campaign managers who thought they had found a set of loopholes in the Hatch clean-politics act during the last few months, and acted accordingly, are going to have some soft words with Senator Hatch before they get through.

Senator Hatch, to be blunt, doesn't think there are any real loopholes in the act that bears his name, and he proposes to make a fuss about it if he finds that the law's spirit was violated.

Right now he's sitting tight. He wants to see the final reports of the House and Senate campaign investigating committees, headed by Representative Whittington and Senator Gillette. Then he wants to study the full financial reports of the Democratic and Republican national committees.

He doesn't of his own knowledge know whether this last campaign was, as Senator Gillette has remarked, the most expensive ever held, but he is convinced there was some pretty heavy spending. "All those billboards I saw weren't put up free," he says. "Neither were those newspaper and magazine ads given away. And all that radio time wasn't donated."

"The main thought to hold in mind," says Senator Hatch, "is that there are inevitably going to be some violations and some loopholes in any brand-new law. The act is just a beginning. We must strengthen it and improve it. More than anything else, though, there must be an educational process among the people so that they will demand better enforcement and higher standards."

MATTER OF KNOWLEDGE

HATCH act limits one party's campaign expenditures to \$3,000,000. The supposed loophole opened up when somebody decided that limit applied to each individual political organization, so that if you could put half a dozen different outfits to work each one could spend up to \$3,000,000.

Senator Hatch says that isn't so.

"The act provides, in substance, that all moneys expended by one with the knowledge of a national committee must be charged up as expenditures of that committee itself," he says. "I wouldn't go to the extent of saying that if some ordinary citizen went out on his own hook and spent a little money to boost a candidate, his spending would be charged up to the committee. But where you have huge national organizations set up to do the job as the national committee and, in some cases, obviously from Minner, up just in order to avoid this money they spend is clearly of the national committee's penditure."

"It's too thin for any national committee to say, 'Yes, here's a national organization spending money for our candidate in a state and precinct—but we don't state a thing about it.'"

A WORRY FOR G. O. P.

All of this, of course, is a matter for the Republicans to worry about. Senator Gillette has remarked that officials of several of the assorted Winkie clubs told his committee frankly that their lawyers had advised them that each organization could spend up to the \$3,000,000 limit. Democrats had a number of subsidiary clubs of their own, but most Washington observers doubt that they fractured the Hatch limit very badly.

Until it is known precisely what was spent, and by whom, it is impossible to say just what either Congress or the administration may do.

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I Give You TEXAS

By FOYCE HOUSE

"Every man over 60 is a liar," said cynically, "add, harmlessly," said Cynical.

"The chief advantage of living to be old is that you can remember things that happened before other folks was born. So if some one says an old man is some imaginary galeot who used to live on Possum Creek 40 years ago—well, sir, that early settler's first will vaguely remember him and finally, under proper encouragement, will add a lot of details, such as the way he walked and the good hand he was at swearing."

"Because the old-timer ain't gonna admit that he doesn't know the non-existent geezer; otherwise he'd be givin' up the chief luxury of old age; I remember."

Clamor to be set down in words is this world of changing wonders with its countless human beings, each fascinatingly different. But the man who writes is conscious of the steady trickling of the years in the years—so he echoes the cry of Keats in a sublime sonnet:

"When I have fears that I may cease to be
Before my pen has gleaned my teeming brain;
Before high-piled books in character
Hold like rich garners the full-ripened grain;
When I behold, upon the night's starred face,
Huge, cloudy symbols of a high

romance,
And think that I may never live to trace
Their shadows with the magic hand of chance.
And when I fear, fair creature
Of an hour, that I may never look upon
Thine more;
N'er have relish in the faery power
Of unreflecting love—then on the shore
Of this wide world, I stand and think
Till Love and Fame to nothingness do shrink."

Here and there:
In Llano the other day, I met the man who—in registering for the draft—answered the question, "Who will always know your address?" by saying "The Commercial Credit Corporation."

Dudley Dobie makes a living with books as does his kinsman, J. Frank—but Dudley sells 'em instead of writing 'em. He has two

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100,000 Lbs. Peanuts
Top Price Paid
CISCO LUMBER SUPPLY

OUT OUR WAY By Williams



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RED RYDER By Fred Harman



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Forty-Two Party in Troy Powell Home on Friday

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Powell and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Farquhar were co-hosts at a forty-two party Friday night for a group of friends. After three tables of games had been played, refreshments were served.

The guest list included: Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Rhodes, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Shockley, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Sanford, Mr. and Mrs. A. Brunkenhoefer, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Farquhar and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Powell.

Personals

Clayton Tuggle, student in Abilene Christian college, is spending the week-end with his cousin, Melba Tuggle.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hageman of Albany are spending the week-end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bates of Roswell, New Mexico, have been visiting Mr. Bates' brother, R. M. Bates, and other relatives here and in Breckenridge.

Miss Ruby Wilson of Fredericksburg is visiting Miss Hope Starr.

Misses Marion Chambliss and Elizabeth Daniel are spending the week-end with friends in Roscoe.

Mrs. E. F. White of Waco is here visiting her sister, Miss Maxine Marshall.

Lewis Starr returned Saturday from Mineral Wells, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Starr, who will visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Miller of Odessa are visiting Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Armstrong.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Streater and children, Susan and Nicky, and Mrs. J. G. Rupe are spending the week-end in Dallas with Mrs. Rupe's daughter, Mrs. E. A. Brown, and Mr. Brown.

Music Club Has Recent Meeting At Clubhouse

The Music Study club met Wednesday, November 27, at the clubhouse, with Mrs. R. S. Cope presiding.

Mrs. Spears reviewed the concluding chapters of "Melody and Rhythm," and Mrs. Ben Krauskopf discussed "Design in Mu-

Gem of a Hat for Opera Star



This isn't a mistake. Young opera star Jean Dickenson knows perfectly well that a string of pearls belongs around a neck. She fixed up this novel headgear to attend the opening of the opera season in New York. The mask is appropriate for the premiere is Verdi's "Masked Ball."

Recent Wedding Of Daughter is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wood announce the marriage of their daughter, Velsie, to Norman Rawson of Putnam on Thursday, November 28, at 9:30 p. m.

The ceremony was performed at the Church of Christ in Eastland with A. F. Thurman, minister, officiating. Only attendants were Miss Daisy Wood, sister of the bride, and Miss Bobbie Grace McWhorter.

Mrs. Rawson is a 1937 graduate of Cisco high school, later attending John Tarleton college in Stephenville for one year, and TSCW in Denton for two years. She is now employed at Camp Bowie in Brownwood. Mr. Rawson is employed by an oil company at Putnam.

The club adjourned to meet on Thursday, December 12, with Mrs. Cope, for a Christmas party.

Venezuela has no public debt.

XX Century Club Studies About Mexico

The Twentieth Century club met at the clubhouse Friday afternoon with Mrs. George Berry hostess and Mrs. J. T. Anderson, president, in the chair.

The meeting was opened with the singing of "America," and an interesting program entitled "From Empire to Republic," followed. Mrs. J. C. McAfee took as her topic for discussion, "Colonial Government."

Mrs. William Reagan directed open forum on "Colonial Mexico," and the sub-topics stressed in the discussion were: "Commerce in Colonial Days," "Colonial Architecture," "Intellectual Life," and "The Place of Women in Mexico."

A travel short, "Queretaro, Mexico, City," by Mrs. James Harvey, concluded the program.

Mrs. Horace Lathicum of Beaumont was a guest of Mrs. Berry. The following members responded to roll call: Mimes, J. T. Anderson, George Berry, E. P. Crawford, J. E. Crawford, T. J. Dean, James Harvey, S. E. Hittson, B. M. Holland, C. C. Jones, Edward Lee, J. C. McAfee, P. Pettit, J. J. Pomer, William Reagan, Gary L. Smith, Alex Spears, J. E. Spencer and C. R. West.



First Christian Church

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., with classes for all age groups and a warm welcome for all who come. Morning worship at 10:50 a. m., with the sermon by the pastor. Evening service at 7:30. Mr. Lewis Ackers, Abilene, will deliver an address. The Laymen's league of this district will meet at this church this afternoon at 5 p. m., and all local men are urged to attend. All men coming are asked to bring sandwiches for supper, to be served at 5:15 p. m. The women of this church are to furnish coffee and cake. After the supper and a program around the table, the evening service will be held in the main auditorium of the church at 7:30 p. m. Mr. Lewis Akers, a man of wide financial interests who devoted a great deal of his time to work in the Kingdom of God, will deliver an address especially to the men of the church, but the women and children will find it very interesting and inspirational. The entire community is extended an invitation to hear this great Christian business man.—J. R. Wright, pastor.

The pastor's sermon subject at the morning hour of worship will be, "The Pearl of Great Price." At seven o'clock in the evening the service will be designated as especially for the church school officers and teachers, the pastor bringing a sermon on the subject, "Trail Blazers." Hymns for both the morning and evening will emphasize the Christmas theme. Mrs. G. M. Stephenson will sing as a solo, "Alone," at the morning hour.—Leslie Seymour, minister.

Presbyterian Church
Sunday school, 9:45. Morning worship, 11. Sermon subject, "The Omnipotence of Love." There will be special music by the choir. Young people's meeting, 6:30. Evening worship, 7:15. Sermon subject, "A Daily Rate for Every Day."—Dr. Gary L. Smith, pastor.

First Baptist Church
Sunday school, 9:45. A. I. Skiles, general superintendent. We have a class for every age, a well-organized standard Sunday school, with a consecrated, efficient corps of teachers. We also have new classes. A woman paid by the church is on duty in the nursery during the worship hours. You may leave the babies with her and attend the preaching services with the assurance that they are being well cared for. Morning worship, 10:55. Sermon subject, "The Continuing Task." Evening, 6:30. Training union, Felton Underwood, general director. Evening worship, 7:30, sermon subject, "The Nearness of God." We continue to have additions along. Last Sunday two more came. The ordinance of baptism will be administered this evening after the preaching service. A cordial invitation to worship with us is extended by the pastor and the church.—Judson Prince, pastor.

Grace Lutheran Church
Sunday school and Bible class, 9:45. Morning worship, 10:45. "Lutheran Hour," 3:30. There will be celebration of the Holy Communion in the morning service. The subject of the sermon will be, "The Preaching of John Applied Today." Just as the preaching of John had as its central theme:

Will Appear in Concert Today



Miss Gloria Graham, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Graham, who will be presented this afternoon at Ozona in a violin concert. A pupil of Miss Wilda Drago of Eastland, Miss Graham will be accompanied at the piano by Miss Clara June Kimble, also of Eastland.

Cisco Artist
To Appear on
Ozona Concert

Miss Gloria Graham, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Graham, and violin and piano pupil of Miss Wilda Drago of Eastland, will present a violin concert in Ozona today at 2 p. m. The young artist was invited by Mrs. H. B. Tandy of Ozona, president of the Sixth District Federation of Music clubs.

Miss Graham is a member of the Harmony girls, vocal group, violin octette, and the violin ensemble. In February of this year, she played with the Waco Symphony orchestra, at a concert appearance of Percy Granger, famous pianist.

Piano accompaniment for Miss Graham's concert will be played by Miss Clara June Kimble.

British Bomb Nazi Air Bases

LONDON, Dec. 7 (AP)—British bombers turned their attention Friday night to the Nazi air bases from which the German air force has been attacking London, Southampton, Bristol, Birmingham and other English cities, the air ministry announced Saturday.

RAF planes roared over the bases in France and the low countries, dropping incendiaries and high explosives.

The attack began Friday at nightfall and lasted until several hours past midnight, the ministry said.

The channel ports of Dunkerque, Calais and Boulogne were also bombed. Two British planes were lost.

"Ripen ye," so we today may apply the same words. Visitors are welcome. We should like to invite you once more to tune in to the "Lutheran Hour." The radio broadcast comes over KBRC, Abilene and KFJZ, Fort Worth. "We preach Christ and Him crucified."—W. H. Symank, pastor.

Tuttles Have Venison Dinner Wednesday Night

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Tuttle were hosts Wednesday at a dinner given for Mr. and Mrs. Cheatham Parke, who recently moved here with their son, Cheatham, Jr., to make their home this winter.

A red and blue color scheme was affected in floral decorations, tallies and prize wrappings. The dining table was attractive with a cloth of lace, and a centerpiece of godetia and statice, placed in a container on a mirror reflector.

Dinner was served buffet style, and the meat courses consisted of barbecued venison, killed on a recent deer hunt by Mr. and Mrs. Tuttle.

After dinner, the guests gathered around three large tables, where games of Liverpool rummy were played. Mrs. Conley Miles and L. A. Warren won high prize, and guest prize was presented to Mr. and Mrs. Parke.

The guest list included: Messrs. and Mrs. Cheatham Parke, Sutton Crofts, L. A. Warren, James E. Harvey, Jack Anderson, J. T. Petty, Conley Miles, Edward Lee, C. M. Nevill, Homer Ferguson and J. B. Pratt.

The Notebook

Monday
There will be a called meeting of Cisco Lodge No. 556, AF&AM, for work in the fellowcraft degree, at 7:30. Members were urged to attend.

Tuesday
The Cecilia singers will meet in the studio of Hjalmar Bergh at 7 o'clock.

Group Two of the First Christian Women's council will meet with Mrs. C. R. West at 3 o'clock.

Circle Two of the First Presbyterian auxiliary will meet with Mrs. E. P. Crawford, 1001 West 6th, at 3. Members are requested to bring Christmas gifts for Mexican boys at the Tex-Mex school at Kingsville.

Circle Three of the First Presbyterian auxiliary will meet with Mrs. T. C. Williams, 703 West 8th, at 3. Members are requested to bring Christmas gifts for Mexican girls at the Pres-Mex school at Taft.

Circles of the First Baptist Women's Missionary society will meet as follows:

Circle One with Mrs. E. L. Jackson, 408 West 19th, at 3.

Circle Two with Mrs. W. H. Hayes, 609 West 9th, at 3.

Circle Three with Mrs. Mary Abbott, 607 West 2nd, at 3.

Circle Four with Mrs. W. I. Ghormley, 1510 D. avenue, at 3.

Circle Five with Mrs. Ora Parker, 609 West 5th, at 3.

Circle Six with Mrs. A. G. Gary, 1012 West 5th, at 11:30 for a covered dish luncheon.

Baptist Young People's convale will be held in Albany at 7 o'clock. Cisco young people are urged to attend.

Circles of the Women's Society of Christian Service will meet at 3 o'clock as follows:

Circle One at the First Methodist church.

Circle Two with Mrs. Jimmy Allen, 511 West 5th.

Circle Three with Mrs. W. W. Eddleman at 1005 West 7th. Every member is requested to bring some small gift.

Circle Four with Mrs. P. O. Brown, 406 West 6th.

Circle Five at the Twelfth Street church.

Wednesday

The West Ward Parent-Teacher association will meet at the school at 3:30. Every member is urged to attend.

Thursday

The Cecilia singers will meet at the studio of Hjalmar Bergh at 7 o'clock.

The Music Study club will have a Christmas party in the home of Mrs. R. S. Cope, beginning at 9:30.

During the term of years that Germany was not permitted to train military pilots, 60,000 pilots were trained in gliders at the cost of \$12 per year per pilot.

Some of the world's narrowest streets are to be found in Zanzibar and Great Yarmouth.

A cow, near Chicora, Pa., was struck by a meteorite in 1938 and only slightly injured.

Girls Organize JJ Club At Meet Saturday

A group of grammar school girls met with Hope Starr Saturday morning for organization of the JJ club.

The following officers were elected: President, Joan Grantham; vice president, Norma Jean Cropper; secretary, Mayonne Lomas; treasurer, Beth Warfield; reporter, Linda Fee, and sponsor, Cathryne Russell.

The membership includes: Bobbie Lee Miller, Martha Helen Brecheen, Hope Starr, Betty Sue Armstrong, Sandra Copelin, Jean

Grantham, Norma Jean Cropper, Mayonne Lomas, Linda Fee and Beth Warfield. Ruby Wilson of Fredericksburg, guest of Hope Starr, was a visitor at the meeting and helped the girls to organize the club.

RETURNS FROM SEAGRAVES

Mrs. B. E. Morehart has returned from Seagraves, where she was called to be with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Frank Morehart, who recently underwent appendectomy there. Mrs. Frank Morehart is reported improving rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Cliett spent Saturday in Brownwood with Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Cliett.

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SERIAL STORY

DUDE COLLEGE

BY OREN ARNOLD

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YESTERDAY: Half terrified, Ronnie and Wes enter the cave, lighting their way with a torch. They discover a large room a short distance from the entrance. Food and clothing are stored in boxes. In a large box they discover rifles, automatics, and ammunition.

MORE SECRETS DISCOVERED CHAPTER XVIII
"WHAT on earth would Lona Montoya hide such things for?" Ronnie Bailey was murmuring as if to herself, rather than to Wesley. "Especially away out here in a wilderness canyon?"

"Hold your torch to the flame," Wes directed. "Mine is burning low. And I'm not sure she did it." "Then who did?" "Don't ask me, tell me. But I do know this, Ronnie—this find is significant some way."

She didn't answer. She was very busy maneuvering her light now. It cast dancing black devils on the cave ceiling and walls, and the smoke was beginning to choke her slightly, too. They spoke in hushed tones.

"Wesley, let's hurry!" "All right. But—" "I'm not afraid, but I think the smoke might leave telltale signs of our being here."

From his knees before a box he suddenly looked up admiringly at her. "You'd make a good outdoorsman, Ronnie. You think of practical things. But there's a ventilating shaft. Cracks in the rocks back here afford wind outlets. I tested that as we came in."

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see our own trail because we have walked on rocks most of the way. The horses' tracks are on the flat sandy floor of the canyon where the wind whips all night. Wind erases tracks and such. But we'll take care."

Still speaking in undertones as if they might be overheard, they debated the origin of the cache. Then Wesley, near the exit, extinguished their light, catching any ash fall in his hat.

"Gee-mi-nee, Wesley!" Ronica breathed it fervently. "Don't be afraid. Night has settled outside but in a moment our eyes will adjust again. Let me hold your arm—here is the opening."

"I'm scared silly. I expect something to yell 'Boo' any moment and if it does I'll just explode!" "It is a very real experience," said the "More important than we realize, probably. But have no fear."

"I'm all right. You talk like a professor even when adventuring. Wes. But I sort of like it." He halted, turned close to her in the darkness. "I beg pardon?" "Never mind. I was just thinking that your educated, trained

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mind is a solid something to cling to. The brother-person to Ronica to. You are as calm as can be. "Oh," said he. "Well." "Well?" "Thank you." He was suddenly aware of the slope to their elated. Outspoken Ronica Bailey had paid him another compliment of a personal nature, and each such invariably stirred a yearning within him.

"You need sisters; you'd make such a swell big brother. Wesley suggested. "It is quite a ride in, you know. There are candy bars, for instance." They ate, and drank from their canteens.

THEN as suddenly he felt the cave in his case. "Down again. Big lightning bolts were back on the wall. He didn't know what he had used in want to be a 'faculty adviser' of some of our food."

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By William Ferguson

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he suggested. "It is quite a ride in, you know. There are candy bars, for instance." They ate, and drank from their canteens.

"Gee-mi-nee, Wes. I'm nervous out here!" Ronica said now. "Do you suppose..."

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believe." "I've never had so much fun. Never!" "Wesley considered that. "Say, it is fun, isn't it? Adventuring!" He felt younger; less a professor

and more a boy. Their talk took on more intimate tones. "Let's—let's not tell any one just yet," suggested he. "I—we have found something important, but—"

"Good," she stage-whispered. "Keep the secret. Until—"

"Until I can conduct some private investigation. Listen, Ronnie, I haven't told you, but there are some other things happening this fall that need explaining, and this adds to them."

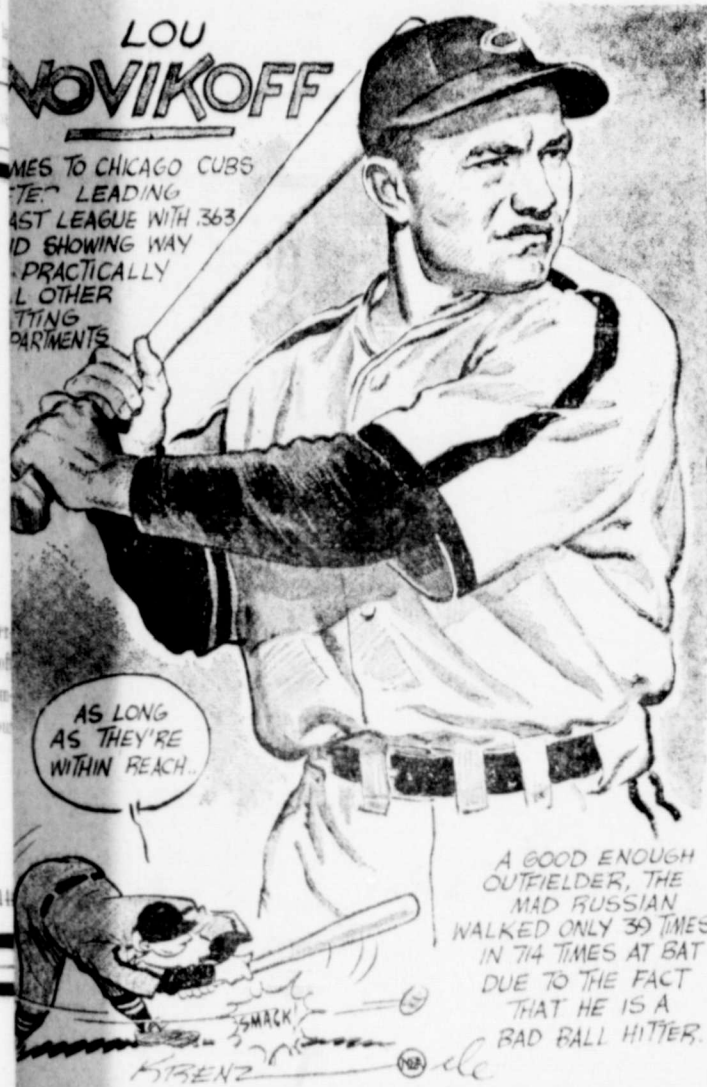
"Such as?" "Well, I wouldn't want to talk too much until I felt more sure. But you can trust me . . . Ronnie, I—I somehow feel that you and I are friends!"

Ronica turned in her saddle to look genially up at Wesley York. His tone more than his words had somehow gripped her attention in a new way. He looked strong there beside her, riding gracefully and erect.

"Then you have been lonely, Wes, I felt it. Of course I want to be your friend, and want you to be mine. Didn't I say back there you'd make a swell big brother?" (To Be Continued)

The Mad Russian

By Art Krenz



LOU NOVIKOFF

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Plane Crash Kills Eight



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Recent studies of malaria show that the disease causes death by turning fluid blood into a thick sludge which plugs up vessels and causes the heart to overwork.

A total of 155,426 motor vehicles were produced in Canada during 1939; 168,569 of this number were passenger cars, valued at \$71,161,294.

Texas Sixth in Big Game, U. S. Survey Reveals

AUSTIN Dec. 7.—Texas is the sixth leading state in big game, a report by the executive secretary of the State Game, Fish and Oyster commission from the U. S. Fish and Wildlife service reveals, and leads in one species, the javelina. Thus the Lone Star state retains the rank it held last year, with Michigan, Pennsylvania, Wisconsin, California and Minnesota, heading the list in the order named.

Surveys reveal that Texas has a total of 35,100 javelinas or peccaries and is well out in front in this game animal, which is attracting more attention annually especially from out-of-state nimrods. Arizona is second in javelinas with 14,300 and New Mexico is listed as having 400 of the animals.

The grand total of big game animals in Texas, the survey reveals is 301,822, but figures for the antelope of which it is believed Texas has more than 7,000 are not included. The Lone Star state has a total of 238,565 white-tailed deer and 17,553 mule or black-tailed deer.

That big game is still well scattered throughout the United States is shown by the facts that white-tailed deer are found in forty-four of the forty-eight states; mule deer in seventeen states; antelope in sixteen, black bears in thirty-three and elk in twenty-eight states.

Elk are found in Texas, but are few in number. They are not native to the state and those which

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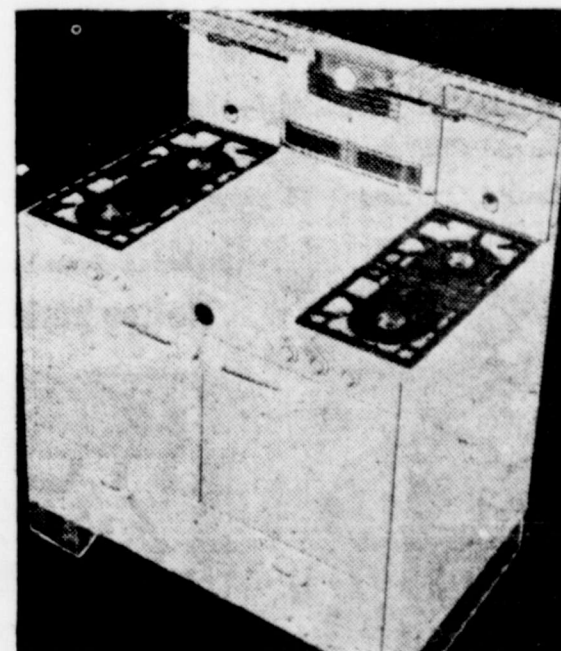
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Precautions in Handling Rabbits Are Suggested

AUSTIN, Dec. 7 (Spe)—Since rabbits—diseased rabbits—have been recognized as the source of tularemia (rabbit fever) which humans contract in handling animals, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer, today issued a warning to hunters, market men, food handlers, and housekeepers to take certain precautions in handling or preparing the game for the table.

The precautions, as outlined by Dr. Cox:

"Be sure you bag only healthy animals, while you are hunting. The animal that seems dazed or stupid is likely to be a sick one—infected with the germs that cause rabbit fever. Avoid that kind.

"Don't handle the game with bare hands when preparing the meat for the market or the table. The infection may be picked up from the fur, as well as from the organs or flesh of the animals.

"If it is impossible to use gloves, wash the hands thoroughly with soap and hot water after handling a rabbit.

"Do not allow any open cut or scratch to come in contact with the rabbits. Keep your hands away from your face and eyes after handling rabbits.

"Burn the paper or other wrappings that have been in contact with the game.

"Cook rabbit meat thoroughly."

Dr. Cox described tularemia as a seasonal disease with the peak of prevalence occurring in the fall during the hunting season. Contraction of tularemia is possible through handling or skinning infected animals; thorough preparing the infected meat for cooking or other use; through the bite of infected ticks—which spread the disease from animal to animal—and even through crushing the infected ticks in the hands. The infectious material can be absorbed through a mere scratch or break in the skin.

"The disease usually starts," Dr. Cox said, "with symptoms that resemble grippe or influenza. Illness begins with headache, chills, fever and vomiting about three days after exposure. Tularemia in the early stages may be mistaken for typhoid fever. Often an ulcer develops where the germ enters the body. Glands at the elbow or in the armpit become enlarged and painful. Weight is lost. The family doctor should be called without delay when symptoms develop that suggest rabbit fever. Illness lasts approximately three weeks followed by a convalescent period of two to three months. Immunity occurs after one attack of the disease.

"The infection is found principally in wild rabbits. Rabbits raised on rabbit farms are usually free from ticks—which carry the infection—and so far, the disease has not been transmitted by domestic rabbits. Thorough cooking destroys the germs that cause tularemia."

Governor Admires Gift of Deer



Deer grow big in Texas, as is attested by the above picture of a 222-pound mule or black tail buck. Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel is admiring the huge buck, which was a gift to him. The deer was shot in the Davis mountains and had eleven points on its massive antlers. The picture was taken on the extensive lawn of the governor's mansion at Austin and the huge state capitol building is in the background. (Texas Game Department Photo)

A queen bee has no part in ruling the hive, so is not the queen. The true rulers are the worker bees.

In the United States alone, there are about 10,000,000 stamp collectors.

A woman is chief of the Yavapai Indian tribe, whose 50 members live on a small reservation near Prescott, Ariz.

'A Shelter That Isn't'



It seems Londoners can't get along without their ubiquitous umbrellas, even in an air raid shelter. After this group took refuge underground, they found the corrugated steel roof leaking. Luckily this woman had her umbrella along.

Remember Him?



(NEA Telephoto) Yesterday he had breakfast in bed, today he's up early peeling spuds for the Army at Ft. McPherson in Atlanta, Ga. He's Clyde Brown, the South's first draftee-volunteer who was feted royally by Georgia officials before his entrance into the service.

Pays Way at School as Student Assistant

AUSTIN, Dec. 7 (Spe)—Livius Lee Lanford of Cisco is helping to pay for his own education at the University of Texas by working as an assistant in the department of botany and bacteriology.

Granted a student assistantship because of exceptional grades, Lanford grades papers, checks rolls and gives other routine aid to professors of botany and bacteriology.

Among other student assistants are Henry Clay Johnson of Granbury, applied mathematics and astronomy; Sara Files of Itasca, home economics; John Bruce Erwin of Jacksboro, architecture; Forest Garrett Hill of Goldthwaite, economics; Harriet Elaine Cunningham of Waco, journalism; Ida Gandler of Waco, psychology; Austin Corbin, Jr. of Cleburne, astronomy; Edwin Hartzel Styron of Cleburne, economics; Edna Elizabeth Nunn of Brownwood, music; three Fort Worth students; William Edward Everett, drawing; Betty Sue Broadst, home economics; and Paul Franklin

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COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS

The following proceedings were had in the court of civil appeals, eleventh supreme judicial district:

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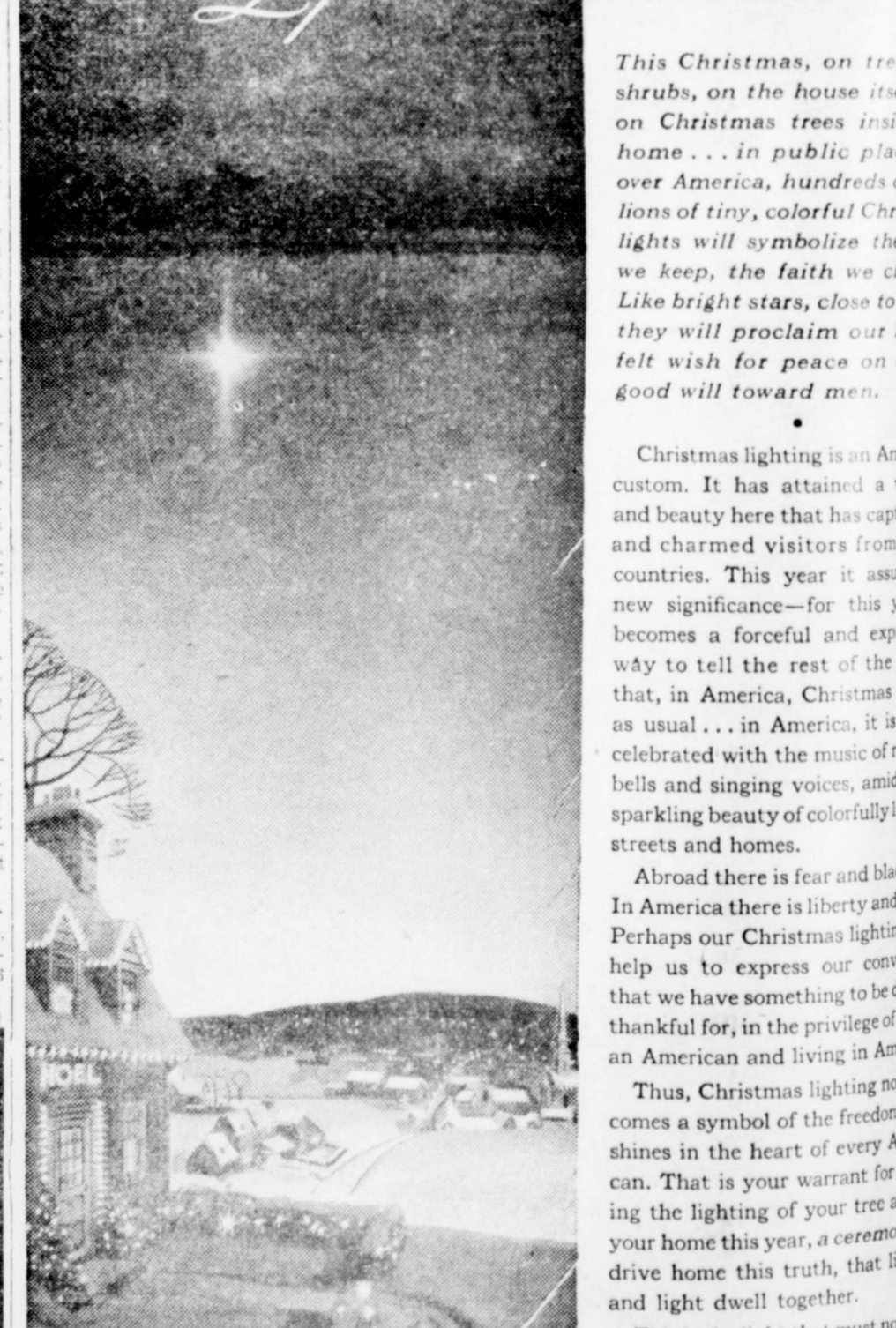
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