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about dimmitt and castro county

by b. m. n.

The Bobcats lost to Happy 13-0. So what. I said that it would be 6 to 20 in the Bobcats favor...

In the athletic world the spotlight will be switched from football to basketball. For the fans at this time of year that is an advantage...

All of you kids that want letters to Santa published in the next issue of the News had better start writing and get them in early...

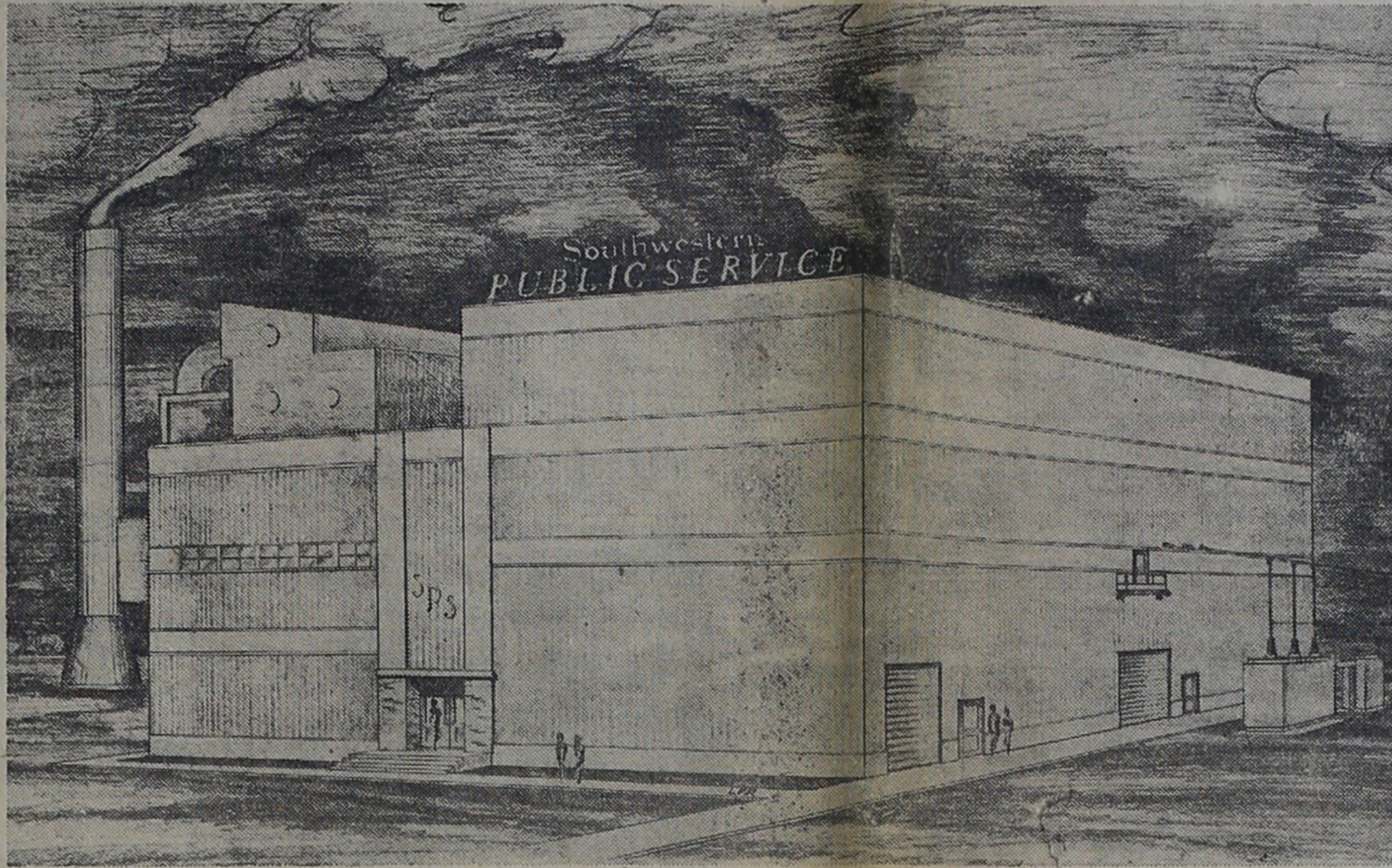
Old Santa is coming to Dimmitt Saturday with a full pack of candy, nuts and fruit for the little folk...

Dimmitt merchants still have large stocks of Christmas merchandise, and many bargains are being offered to the trades people...

Christmas time is, ordinarily, a time for rejoicing and merrymaking. But this Christmas, a holiday celebrated by Christian nations...

Members of the Chamber of Commerce met at the Steak House Cafe at a horrible hour, 7:00 o'clock Thursday morning for a breakfast and to make plans for a membership drive...

Southwestern Public Service to Build Generating Plant



Preliminary construction plans for the Southwestern Public Service Company's new electric power generating station to be located on a portion of the Halsell Ranch...

The 50,000 kilowatt generator will be shipped "broken down" because of its huge size. When installed, it will be 53 feet in overall length, 14 feet wide and more than 15 feet high...

The voltage generated at the new power station will be "stepped up" to 115,000 volts at the substation which will be located at the plant. The new power station will be interconnected to the other 10 base load plants of the company...

While water is of prime importance in the operation of an electric power generating station, Mr. Hodson stressed the efforts that are made to conserve water. "The only water we don't recover to use and re-use again and again is that lost through evaporation and other means over which we have no control," he emphasized...

Bobcats Fall Before Strong Happy Eleven

The Dimmitt Bobcats went down fighting Friday afternoon on Younger Field at Tulia when the Happy Cowboys rolled up 13 points to take the regional school-football classic.

An estimated 3,500 fans turned out to see the final Panhandle high school football game of the season played on a neutral field between the bi-district champions of Region I-B...

The heavy Happy team proved to be too much for the Bobcats on a wet slow field, following recent snows, and gathered in two corners on power plays and passes in the second quarter...

LEON TAYLOR GETS ARMY PROMOTION

Leon Taylor of Dimmitt, has been promoted to sergeant at the Far East Air Materiel Command Japan, where he is performing duties in support of the vital mission of supply and maintenance for the Far East Air Forces in the Japan Theater...

New Employee At Texaco Station

Mr. J. W. Brookins has recently accepted employment with the Claborn Texaco Service Station in Dimmitt. Mr. and Mrs. Brookins and family recently moved to Dimmitt from Bonham.

Bake Sale

The American Legion Auxiliary will hold a bake sale Saturday, December 16 at the Piggly Wiggly Grocery store. We would appreciate having pies, cakes, and cookies at the sale by 9 o'clock.

Completes Course



Pvt. Dale M. Winders, 20, son of L. D. Winders, Earth, Texas, has completed his AF basic airman indoctrination course at Lackland Air Force Base, the "Gateway to the Air Force."

Lackland, situated near San Antonio, is the world's largest air force base, center of Air Force basic training, for airmen and women, indoctrination station for prior service reenlistees, and home of AF's Officer Candidate School.

His basic training has prepared him for entrance into Air Force technical training and for assignment in specialized work. The course included a scientific evaluation of his aptitude and inclination for following a particular vocation and career.

Methodist Choir To Present Christmas Cantata Dec. 17

The First Methodist Church Choir of 30 voices, under the direction of Mr. Nolan Froehner, will present "The Monarch Divire," a Christmas Cantata by Mattie B. Shannon and Lawrence Keating at the First Methodist Church Sunday, December 17 at 7:30 p.m.

Baptist Choir Will Present Christmas Pageant Dec. 21

The Baptist Church Choir will present the Christmas Pageant, "The Coming of the King" in the High School Auditorium on Thursday evening, December 21 at 8:00 o'clock p.m.

Six Wheat States Now Organized

K. Kendrick, Secretary of National Association of Wheat Growers recently reported to the Board of the Texas Wheat Growers that six states were now formally organized, and participating in the National Association of Wheat Growers.

The following committee members were elected: Mr. J. R. Hogge of Potter County is to serve on the Education and Public Relations Committee; Mr. John Hamby of Gray County is to serve on the National Research Committee...

Farm Bureau Plans Work For New Year

The Castro County Farm Bureau Board of Directors met December 6 in Dimmitt and set up their plan of work for 1951; reported on the state convention that was held in Mineral Wells on November 20-22, gave a comprehensive survey of the facilities of the county Farm Bureau.

President Leo Witkowski said, "The Castro County Farm Bureau will incorporate the following in their program of work in 1951: Work toward better rural roads, rural telephones, assist with 4-H and F. F. A. programs, aid the Castro County Wheat Producers Association in bringing about a better program for the wheat grower..."

The Board of Directors of the Castro County Farm Bureau are: Leo Witkowski, E. L. Ivey, Ira Clingsmith, Robert Ramey, Allen Webb, John Fuller, R. A. Axtell, Bill Summers, J. J. Counselman, M. L. Simpson, Bill Hockstein, James Bradford, Earl Cole, Fred Axe, Earl Lust, M. G. Keller, and Bob Sheffy.

Leo Witkowski of Castro County attended a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Wheat Producers Association of Texas. At this meeting plans were completed for the second annual convention of the Wheat Producers Association of Texas which is to be held in Amarillo, Texas on January 22nd.

PURPOSES OF COUNTY AND STATE WHEAT PRODUCERS ASSOCIATION: 1. To promote, encourage, and lend financial aid to those engaged in research work, the purpose of which is to find new outlets for wheat.

Plains Memorial Hospital News

Patients in hospital: Ira Clingsmith, Polly Manning, Mrs. J. D. Williamson, Mrs. Sarah Sullinger, Mrs. George Book, Carol Leinen, Dick Reinhardt. Patients dismissed since last report: Tommy Irwin, Mrs. Leonard Irwin, Mrs. Noble Howard, Mrs. M. B. Settle, Lester Gladden, Louie Bruening, Mrs. Dona Favelea and baby boy, Mrs. H. H. Carlile, Mrs. Floyd Copeland.

Remodeling Bank Bldg. In Progress

Remodeling of the First State Bank Building has been in progress for the past week. Included in the renovation program is the addition of a new private office for bank officials, partitioned off from the lobby.

Technician At Plains Memorial Hospital

Mr. Maurice Szafarowicz has assumed his duties as laboratory technician at the Plains Memorial Hospital. He recently moved to Dimmitt from Pensicola, Fla., where he had held a similar position. Szafarowicz is a graduate of the Amherst University at Amherst, Massachusetts. He served his internship at the Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston, finishing in 1947.

Local Students Are Chorale Members

Canyon, Tex., Miss Elouise Greathouse and Bill Stephenson of Dimmitt are members of the Wayland College Pioneer Chorale which has recorded a special fifteen minute program for the Palo Duro Canyon Christmas observance December 15th to 31st. The Pioneer Chorale is one of (Continued on back page)

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 B. M. Nelson, Editor and Publisher

EDITOR'S NOTE—The following statement by Mr. K Kendrick was made publicly recently and because of the information it contains it is being reproduced here. Kendrick is a resident of Stratford, Texas, and is president of the Texas and National Wheat Producers Association. The article was furnished to the News by Leo Witkowski, president of the Castro County Wheat Producers Association:

In recent months I have read many articles in our newspapers and magazines condemning the farmer in general for the high cost of everything the consumer buys. Usually price supports are blamed for the major portion of the trouble. The farmer is pictured with his hand out, taking all sorts of subsidies and supports from the government.

There must be some justification for all this bad publicity the farmer has been receiving, but, since I am a farmer, I would like to point out a few facts concerning the price support program.

Over and over we read that the price support program has cost the people more than \$4-billion already. This is a very misleading statement. The fact is that on such basic storable commodities as cotton, corn, wheat, soybeans, and tobacco, from 1933 to May 31, 1950, the government actually derived a profit in excess of \$50-million. This has not been true of perishable commodities, but the total money spent on all price supports from 1933 to 1950 has been only a little over 2-billion. The commonly quoted \$4-billion does not take into consideration the market value of the commodities the government now has. On wheat alone the government has 450,000,000 bushels, and the average price is \$2. This represents almost \$1-billion that can be reclaimed.

Recently I asked a baker how many loaves of bread could be made from a bushel of wheat. After some figuring he said he could make 68 one-pound loaves from one bushel.

Now, a little simple arithmetic will show you that with wheat selling at \$2 per bushel, the actual cost of the wheat in one loaf of bread is 2.9 cents, or less than 3 cents. Compare that with the retail price of bread which was 16 cents then and has advanced since. If the farmer gave the wheat to the miller, the retail price of bread could be reduced only 3 cents and a loaf still would cost 13 cents. The farmer, quite obviously, is not responsible for the total cost of the bread. Milling, labor, deliveries, stale bread and the middleman must shoulder their responsibility for that other 13 or 14 cents that has been added since the farmer sold the wheat for 3 cents.

The other day my wife went into a store to buy a cotton dress. She found prices ranging all the way from \$6 to \$35 for cottons. None of these dresses could have contained more than 2 or 3 pounds of cotton, representing maybe \$1 to \$1.50 paid to the farmer. If the cotton farmer had given the cotton to the manufacturer, the price of an average cotton dress could not have been reduced more than 10 or 15 per cent.

Yet, the farmer, we are told, is the main reason for high prices to consumers today because of his support prices.

The farmer does not begrudge the miller or the dress manufacturer making a profit nor does he begrudge the middleman return for his services, nor the working man wages enough to enjoy the highest standard of living in the world. But the farmer does resent being saddled for 90 per cent of the blame for high prices today when the facts present a different picture.

THE LAW AND YOU

by Robt. (Bob) Kirk
 County Attorney
 Lamb County, Texas



DO YOU KNOW what "Condemnation" is?

Condemnation is the proceeding in which a governmental body, and in some instances public utilities, can acquire the right to take land from a private owner for the use of the public as a whole, such as for roadways, or sites for schools or public buildings.

These governmental bodies may take the land, even though the land-owner does not want to sell the same. If the proper procedure is followed the land-owner cannot secure an injunction or otherwise prevent the taking of his land.

However, the land-owner does have the right to make his claim for the value of the land, and for damages which occur to him as a result of the taking of the land. The Courts are open to the land-owner to seek the value of his land, and damages, and he may carry his suit up on appeal, if he is not satisfied with the finding of the lower courts. The case as to the value of the land, and damages may continue on long after the road is opened and built.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION ON THIS SUBJECT, SEE YOUR LOCAL ATTORNEY.

Sports Afield

by Ted Kesting

One of the most interesting statements concerning sporting dogs that I have seen in quite some time comes from the Old Professor, Havilah Babcock. He writes: "The unvarnished truth is that a trained dog is a perishable commodity. Few things are so subject to deterioration."

So I asked, what are some of the things that contribute to this deterioration, especially the controllable human factors? And high on every professional trainer's list is overdiscipline. Dogs differ in the amount of punishment they need, or can take. A word of disapproval here may have as much effect as a whacking there. Never give a dog more than that particular dog needs. It's the inevitability of punishment, rather than the severity that counts, anyway.

Dogs are often damaged by indiscriminate lending. A borrower, however fine a citizen he might be, can grievously mishandle a dog without intending to do so.

Ordinarily, the more mature a dog is the less he will suffer from being mishandled. His habits are more fixed, his responses more stable and predictable, and he is less likely to deviate from the conventional pattern of behavior. Therefore, give a boy an old dog to hunt. They won't hurt each other. The same advice applies to all inexperienced gunners.

Another good was to ruin a dog is to talk him to death while he's trying to hunt. Many hunters are forever giving their dogs instructions, delivering lectures and preaching sermons, telling them where and how to hunt. In

other words, telling a dog how to run his own business. Too much butting in befuddles a dog, especially when he gets instructions which run counter to his nose and judgment. He loses his spirit and initiative; just piddles around to give the appearance of hunting.

Another bad habit of some dog owners is running to a point and being excitable in general. Many a fellow bulls his way through the underbrush like a juggernaut, whooping and shouting a mixture of advice, trying to steady his dog's nerves by making a damned fool of himself. No wonder the dog simply gives up.

Card of Thanks

We wish to take this means of expressing our heartfelt thanks to our friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy toward us during the loss of our dear son, grandson, and nephew, Yary Wade.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wade Hackleman
 Mrs. Ina Hackleman and family

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy George are moving to the valley—Weslaco—for the winter.

Harold and Jackie Brannan were here last week-end for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Brannan.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brock and Bobby visited her sister, Mrs. A. B. Cockerham, at Artesia, N. M. last week end.

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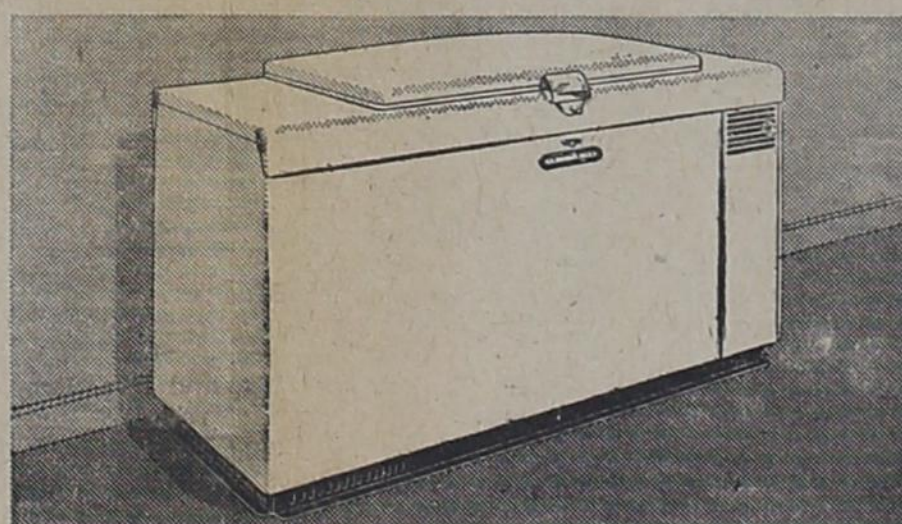
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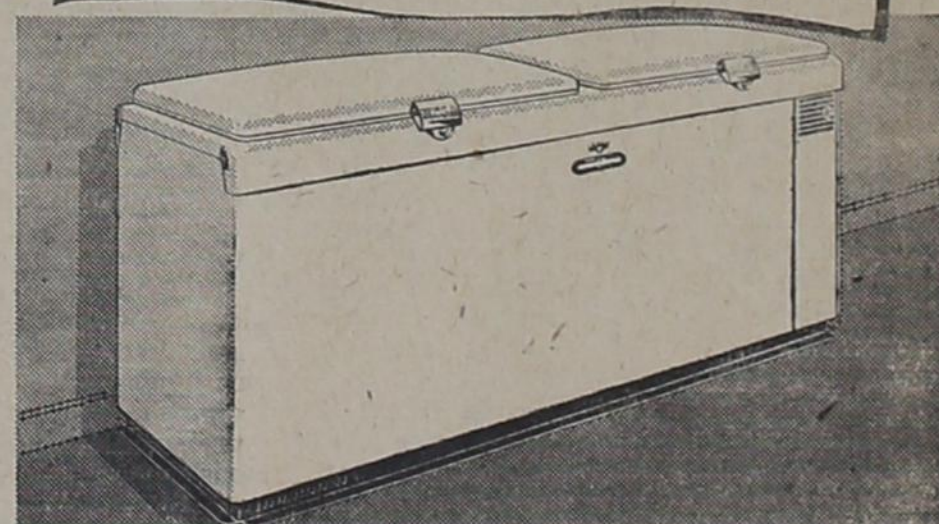
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Your friend
Billy

Arney School
Dec. 6, 1950

Dear Santa:
I am just six years old but I go to school and am in the first grade. Sometimes, Santa, I may forget and act naughty, but the most of the time I am good any way.
I'll tell you what I want. A baseball and bat, a hunting knife, a tool set, a toy filling station, a play shot gun, and cowboy spurs and chaps. That's all I want for myself.
But bring Johnny a little airplane and a scooter so he won't have to use mine.
Your best friend,
Dick Zachry

Arney School

Dear Santa:
I want a football and a football suit. I also want a pair of football shoes. I also want a football jersey. I also want a football helmet, a football pump and a football needle. That's not all. I also want a B-B gun. I am in the third grade. Goodby.
Your friend,
David Gardner

P. S.—Please bring some shoulder pads for the football outfit.

Dear Santa Claus:
All I want for Xmas is a cash register and a doll. Dianna wants you to bring her a little stove, a piano and some clothes for her doll.
With love,
Wanda

P. S. I want a fresh born doll.

Dear Santa:
Please bring a story book and a writing book.
I would like to have some toys too.
Could you bring me some cook ware so that I could learn to help mother.
Please bring some candy, fruit and nuts to all in our school.
Your friend
Jane Dorris

Arney School
Dec. 6, 1950

Dear Santa:

I am a little girl seven years old. I am in the second grade. I surely do like school I make good grades too.
For Christmas bring my little brother, Donald some tinker toys, and a pretty little car.
A sweater to go with my wine color skirt would please me very much. A doll house would be lots of fun.
Thanks, Santa, very much.
Your friend,
Bernita Fortner

Arney School
Dec. 6, 1950

Hello Santa Claus:
I wonder if you could bring me a few things for Christmas. I am a little boy seven years old in the second grade. Maybe I am not always good but I try to be.
I surely would like to find a "jeep with lights and the hood will raise up" under my tree Christmas morning. I don't need a scabbard as the one brother gave me last Christmas is most as good as new. But I need a Texan Jr. cap pistol. Also a little grade would be lots of fun.
I'll try to be a better boy next year, Santa.
Your friend,
Ernest Prutti

Arney School
Dec. 6, 1950

Dear Santa:
I am in the second grade. I am seven years old. I have a baby brother, Gerald I think he wants a transport truck and a riderfire truck. A jeep would please him, too. But best of all, bring him a little gun. He would like a head doll. Lou Ann is my five year old sister. I think she wants an electric iron, and iron board, a walking doll, and a darning Cinderella and prince.
For myself I want a cash register, a real toy washer. My doll wants a high chair.
Thank you,
Love,
Rita Sue Witkowski

Arney School
Dec. 6, 1950

Dear Santa:
I am eight years old. I am in the third grade. I want a football suit and a pellet gun. Well that's not all. I have a brother named David Cole. Bring him a BB gun and a basket full of BB's. I have a brother named Finnis Cole. Bring him a bicycle.
Good by.
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HART NEWS

Mrs. Elmer Dellis has returned to her home in San Diego, Cal., after spending several weeks in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Glen Reid and family.

Mrs. J. W. Bain was made very happy recently when her grandson, William Bain and family of Johnstown, Texas, made her a visit. It had been 35 years since she had seen the grandson. He also visited with the Homer Hill family and the E. I. McLain family.

Mrs. Nadine Rice of Littlefield visited Tuesday night and Wednesday in the home of her sister, Mrs. Lester McLain and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Futrell and Bruce have returned from a weeks visit to relatives in and near Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Height were in Abilene on Sunday to attend funeral services for an old friend, W. H. Dawkins.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Ansley of Ft. Worth visited the first of the week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. McRee. Mrs. Ansley is a sister of Mr. McRee and Mrs. Temple Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Tarpley have moved with their family to Kansas where they have purchased a farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodie Lee Rhodes of Albuquerque are here for an extended visit in the home of his cousin, Glen Rhodes and family.

Mrs. Glen Maples and baby daughter were in Olton for medical treatment on Monday.

If you have not seen the local basketball boys play come out to the next game as we have a splendid team this year. They won first place at the Lazbuddie tournament by defeating Friona B and A teams and Muleshoe A team in the finals on Saturday night. Max Newman and Robert Lewis Hawkins won places on the all-tournament team. Joe Percy Hart and Dudley Aven are co-

captains. Coach A. R. Bostick will take both girls and boys teams to the Happy tournament beginning on Thursday, December 14. Mesdames Robert Brooks, G. C. Gullledge, I. S. Scott and W. A. Hawkins, Sr., honored Mrs. J. C. Jackson with a briday shower on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Don Watson acted as Santa Claus and presented the gifts. The bitter cold prevented many from attending.

Mr. and Mrs. Pepper Martin have moved to a farm near Plainview.

Miss Barbara Dean Felder, bride-elect of Jack Godfrey was honored with a pre-nuptial shower in the home of Mrs. Pepper Martin on Friday afternoon. Other hostesses were Mrs. Owen Hankins and Misses Patsy Bauman, Elva Mae Bearden, and Leta Mae Moss. The wedding will take place December 20.

The snow did very little good as most of it piled up in the roads.

Lewis Wakefield and Robert Lewis Hawkins visited Lavell Pieffer in McAdoo on Sunday.

Mrs. Louie Sweatt and daughters, Gayle and Linda of New Mexico, visited over the weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Cox were in Canyon Sunday afternoon to visit Mrs. Troy Hankins, who is in a hospital there.

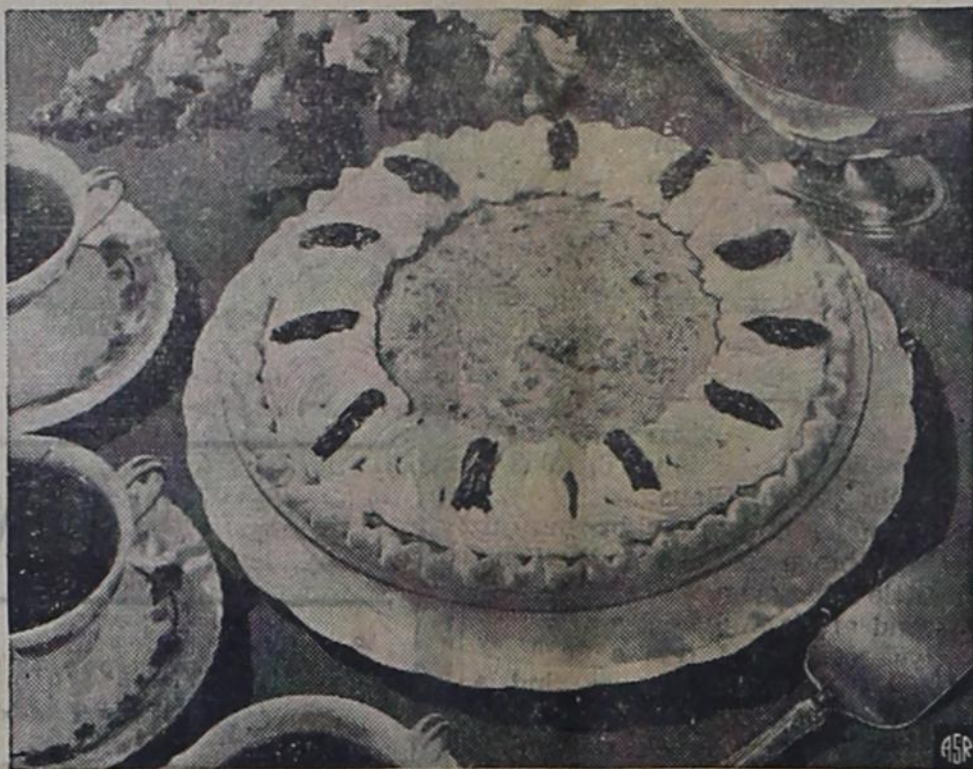
Mr. and Mrs. Deward Armstrong have returned from Austin where they went on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Bennett are announcing the arrival of a son. We did not learn his name.

State To Maintain, Not Build Roads

John S. Simmang, Lee County Judge, in his keynote speech before the annual convention of the Texas County Judges and Commissioners, in Austin, late in November, warned that the State and County roads in Texas are being destroyed faster than they can be built.

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Prunes, we know, are good for us, and make particularly fitting fare for small fry. Besides, they're plentiful and economical. And even this elegant chiffon pie is economical, for it's one of the delicacies so easy to concoct with the new gel-cookery methods utilizing unflavored gelatine.

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Prune Chiffon Pie

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| 1 envelope unflavored gelatine | 1 tablespoon flour |
| 1/2 cup water | 3/4 cup cooked prune liquid |
| 1/2 cup sugar | 2 tablespoons lemon juice |
| 1/4 teaspoon salt | 3/4 cup chopped, cooked prunes |

2/3 cup icy cold evaporated milk
Soften gelatine in water. Mix together sugar, salt and flour in saucepan; add prune liquid. Cook, stirring constantly until mixture thickens. Remove from heat; add gelatine, stir until dissolved. Add lemon juice. Chill until slightly thicker than unbeaten egg white. Beat with rotary egg beater until fluffy. Stir in chopped prunes. Whip evaporated milk. Fold gelatine into whipped milk. Turn into 9-inch baked pie shell. If desired garnish with whipped cream and pieces of prune. YIELD: 1 9-inch pie.

D. C. Greer, Texas State Highway Engineer, told the county officials that beginning in 1951, no expansion of the present highway system would be possible. "We must use all available funds to rebuild and preserve what we now have before we can plan new highway", he said.

Judge Simmang, a former president of the County Judges' and Commissioners' Association of Texas, told the group it was mandatory that the Texas systems of roads be protected from the wanton destruction by only one per cent of the highway users.

"It should make the blood of every true and honest Texan boil," Judge Simmang said, "when you realize the damage caused by overloaded trucks is costing the tax payers of Texas millions of dollars each year."

In the closing business session of the convention, a strongly worded resolution condemning the practice of overloading trucks on State and County roads

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Harrison Entertain MYF With Xmas Party

The Methodist Youth Fellowship organization was entertained with a Christmas Party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Harrison Monday night. Small musical instruments were brought by everyone and partners attempted songs for prizes. Mixed word games were played and several other games were enjoyed throughout the evening which was topped off with sandwiches and pop. The party was enjoyed by the following members and guests: Bill Hunter, Jim Jowell, Connie McRee, Sandra Neumayer, Kay Bearden, Merle Leasure, John Gilbreath, John Axe, Marvin Axe, Jack Dyer, Laoma Hershey, Donald Wright, Don Nelson, Charlyne Campbell, Juanelle Rogers, David Burkett, Paul Stanford, Jerry Vandiver, Carolyn Rothwell, Glenn Lust, Clarence Rogers, Miss Jerry Suits,

Director, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Tommp Harrison.

Roast Wild Duck

Rub inside of cleared duck with salt and pepper and place a large onion or peeled apple in the cavity. Place 2 or 3 strips of bacon across the breast of each bird. Bake uncovered in a moderate oven (325-350 F.) until done. Young ducks will roast in approximately 1 1/2 hours while old ones will require 30 to 45 minutes longer. Baste frequently, and remove from the oven as soon as tender. The apple and onion are not served, but are included to absorb some of the wild "gamey" taste.

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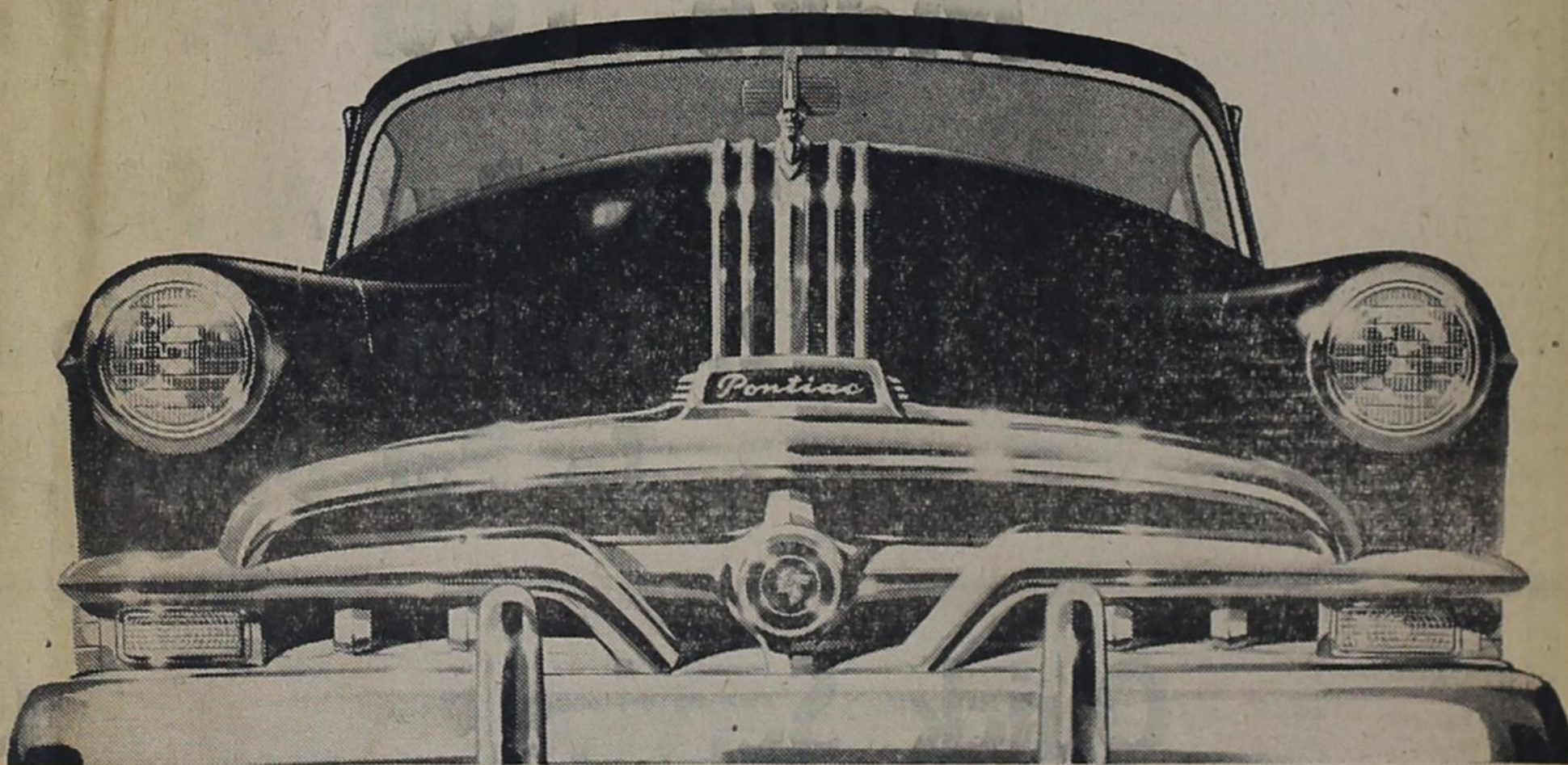
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Improved irrigated pastures—yes sir, folks, that's what we're going to talk about this week. A lot has been written about this subject—in fact, nearly every farm publication you pick up has at least one article about improved pastures. Whenever a group of farmers get together, it's not too long before they start talking about pastures.

Well, I was out at Jay Boston's farm the other day. This farm is located nine miles north and seven miles west of Dimmitt in the Running Water (Castro County) Soil Conservation District. Now, Jay tried some irrigated pastures several years ago and didn't have as good results as he had expected from the articles he'd read in farm publications. Then somehow or other he got in touch with Dale Butler, a pasture seed handler out of California, who said he'd guarantee a year-round pasture with good results if Jay would plant Butler's grass mixture. Jay wanted a good pasture, so he plowed up his old stand which wasn't turning out so good and planted Mr. Butler's mixture, which incidentally was a pretty high price. Well, it turned out pretty good but not good enough for Jay, so Mr. Butler said to fertilize it. To give it a try, Jay put 500 pounds of ammonium nitrate on three acres. Those three acres furnished grazing for four-teen head of cattle for thirty days and then Jay had to mow it because the cattle weren't keeping up with it. Now, Jay believes he's found the secret to high production from irrigated pastures and that is proper management. By that, I mean a good mixture of grasses and legumes to start with followed by the right amounts of irrigation at the right time, addition of necessary fertilizer, and rotation of grazing. I'm sure other farmers besides Jay have gotten poor results from irrigated pastures and their failures can be traced back to one of the above—they either didn't water it when it needed watering, or they didn't fertilize it, or they just grazed it into the ground. Whenever you realize that a good, properly managed, irrigated pasture will bring in more net return per acre than any other crop, you'll understand why it's worth a little trouble and time to see it done right.

Jay doesn't think the success of the above pasture is in Mr. Butler's mixture either, because he planted another ten acres this fall to a mixture of his own selection at a much cheaper price. Steve Boruk is another farmer

who can tell you quite a bit about irrigated pasture. Steve lives three miles west and four miles south of Hart. Several years ago he planted two small fields to weeping lovegrass and liked it so well that this summer he planted some more. He also planted one field to blue panic grass and sweetclover and another field to perennial ryegrass and sweet-clover this summer. Both of these new grass-legume mixtures turned out very well, and especially the blue panic-sweetclover pasture. "Why, those cows would go to that blue panic pasture in preference to all the others", Steve said, "and I had to keep them off of it to keep from losing my grass." One of his friends reminded Steve how strong he used to be for weeping lovegrass and now it looked like he was praising blue panic the most. Steve replied, "That weeping lovegrass is still awful good grass and I like it, but my cows seem to like the blue panic the best."

Steve also got good results from his perennial ryegrass-sweetclover pasture. He plans to plant an additional fifty acres to improved pasture next year with at least twenty-five acres of it going to blue grass. Incidentally, Steve Boruk has a farm that is as well improved as any farm in the state. He's proud of his farm and improvement and pastures and will be glad to show any of you around if you'll just visit him.

Health Talks . . .

Along with parlor tricks during the holiday season, the testing of reflexes frequently adds hilarity to gatherings. It is always amazing to find out that parts of your anatomy do things you're unaware of, when you think you have yourself quite under command.

Reflexes are those actions of muscles that respond to a stimulus without sending the message to the brain. While the testing of those reflexes at a party seems to add to the enjoyment, the testing in the doctor's office is sometimes a vital part of your physical examination.

Blinking the eyes when a piece of cotton is stuck in your eye, gagging when something touches the back of the mouth, and bending the big toe down when a finger or stick is stroked across the sole of the foot all come under the heading of superficial reflexes, reactions of the skin and mucous membranes.

Arm, leg and foot reflexes are tested not only for enough reaction but for exaggerated reaction, too, which may be significant of nerve path disorder. The foot jumps out when you tap the knee just below the kneecap, the foot jerks down when you tap the back of the ankle, the forearm and hand jerk up when you hit the biceps muscle on top of the upper arm, and the forearm and hand pull down when the triceps on the bottom of the arm is tapped. Those muscles all have to be

nically relaxed to give any medical information as to reflex.

One of the favorite "tricks" in sociable testing of reactions is standing with the arm and shoulder against the wall for a period and then stepping back from the wall and watching the arm float up.

The sense of pain, touch, and temperature are part of the skin sensations which may be tested if conditions suggest it advisable. The degree of pain may be important whether it be lacking entirely or unduly exaggerated. Numb parts of the skin where nothing is felt are always important, though they may be numb only to touch of normal objects and still react to pain and heat or cold.

Buttoning or unbuttoning your coat with your eyes closed may be a part of the deep sensation examination; it's really not as easy as it sounds. If you dress in the mornings before you get your eyes open real good, though, you have had lots of practice for that.

Standing with the feet and ankles close together is another of the deep sensation tests. Easy? You're supposed to close your eyes while you do it. Not so easy, huh?

These deep sensation tests are all done with the eyes closed. Stretch your arms as far apart as you can and bring the forefingers together in a quick sweep or bring the forefinger in to your nose in a quick, eye-closed motion. With your eyes still closed, no peeping, put the heel of one foot on the opposite kneecap and run it down the front of the leg.

Since relaxation is an important part of reflex and sensation testing in the physical examination, you aren't likely to be able to tell much about your own testing during the merriment and exhilaration of a party. In your doctor's hands, this testing may result in definite information as to whether the nerve path and mechanism is in proper order.

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Further information may be obtained by contacting the local Navy Recruiting Office in the Post Office Building, Clovis, New Mexico.

Hart P. T. A. Has Last Meeting of 1950

The Hart P. T. A. met Monday night, December 11.

The first four grades of the elementary school presented a Christmas program, after which Rev. E. J. Keith brought a discussion on "Developing Honesty in Our Children".

A large crowd of parents and friends were present. The next meeting will be the second Monday night in January.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Maynard, Wade and Sharon visited Mr. and Mrs. George Dieter and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Kimbell at Plainview Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Sheffy and children visited Dr. and Mrs. Stanley Gilbert in Levelland Sunday.

The link that had to come

The two main roads to the solution of life's problems, divergent though they may have seemed to be, are the way of Science and the way of Religion.

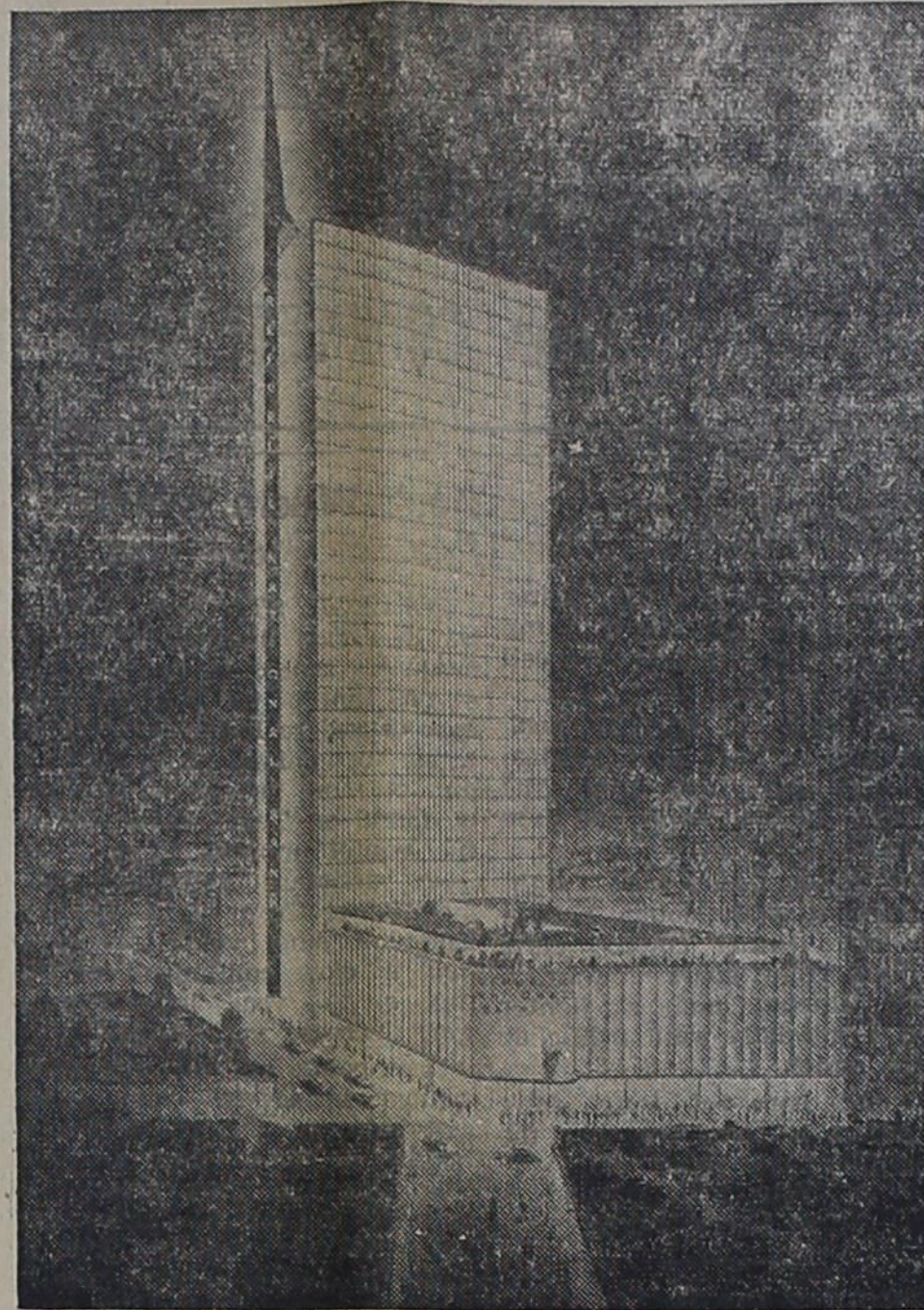
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General contract was awarded recently for construction of the \$17,500,000 new Republic National Bank Building. J. W. Bateson Co., Inc., of Dallas, received the contract, and work has already proceeded. Soaring 600 feet, the new Republic home will rise 36 stories above the ground. In addition, there will be four stories below ground. Motor banking and parking facilities will be included. The building is expected to be completed in about two years.

Guests in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Stanford Sunday were his mother, Mrs. Effie Stanford, his nieces, Josephine, Charlie and Betty Lou Stanford, and Raymond Bryant of Miami.

Brown. At the age of 70 a Supreme Court Justice may retire on full pay.

Thelma Hershey was home from West Texas State, Canyon, for a visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hershey, last week-end. She was accompanied by a classmate, Donna

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Monday is the last day to enter the Christmas decorating contest. All of the business firms and many of the home of the town should enter the contest and then try to win it. Civic groups have decorated the court house depending on individual decorations to add volume to the effort.

As we go to press Thursday night we learn that the Bobcats and Bobbies have just won their first games in the Happy tournament now in progress in the Happy gymnasium. Both teams will be tournament champions. They will win all of the tournaments they enter this year, including the State Tournaments. This business of predicting basketball is much easier than predicting football.

The president of the United States is going to declare a national emergency, according to reports. Let's hope that a wave of hoarding doesn't follow the declaration. There is plenty of everything in America for everybody, and sensible buying will be a direct aid to the national preparedness effort.

NEWS Wart Ads get good results

Letters To Santa

Dimmitt, Texas
Dec. 14, 1950
Dear Santa Claus:
Will you please bring me a doll a doll buggy, and some skates. And please leave my house till last so you and the reindeer can eat breakfast with us.
Sandra And Compton
Love.

Arney School
Dec. 6, 1950

Dear Santa:
I am a little boy seven years old. I am in the first grade and try to be a good boy.

Santa, I hope you can bring me a few things this Christmas. I think a farm set with twelve little cars and three tractors would suit me fine.

Bring Lillie Fern, my big sister, and Donna Kay, my new little sister something—dolls would be nice. I have three little brothers who want you to remember them when you come.

Lots of love,
Dwain

Arney School
Dec. 6, 1950

Dear Santa:
I am a little boy seven years old. I am in the first grade at Arney. I think that School is fun. I try to be a good boy at home and at school sometimes. I forget then I am sorry.

Santa, I have a little baby bro-

ther now. I ordered a baby sister but the orders got mixed. I am kinda proud of him now. We call him Ronie Ellis.

Bring him a musical push chime and a "Jack in a musical box." You need not bring him any candy or fruit as he just lives on milk yet.

Now, Santa, here's what I want. Bring me a white double holster pistol set, leather cowboy cuffs and gold color spurs. I want a "Tomic Rocket" and a fighter plane. I specially want a Mickey Mouse watch.

I surely hope this letter don't get mixed up some how like the order for baby sister did.

Your little friend,
Larry Burks

METHODIST CHOIR ENJOYS SOCIAL

Following regular choir rehearsal of the Methodist choir Wednesday evening, members of the choir enjoyed refreshments furnished by the W.S.C.S. Hostesses were Mesdames George Webb, Sam Hunter, Homer Newton, Earl Harrison, Nolan Froehner, Clarence Bearden.

In appreciation of their work on the Christmas Cantata, the choir presented gifts to Mrs. Hyatt and Mrs. Burkett, organists, and Mr. Froehner, director. There were approximately thirty-four present.

Don't Waste Winter Feed on Stock Lice

COLLEGE STATION, December 13—Texas livestock and dairy producers should be on the alert at this time of the year for damages caused to livestock by infestation of animal lice. Any of four or more species of lice may be found on Texas cattle during the winter months, says J. A. Deer, assistant extension entomologist of Texas A. & M. College, and since cattle are often kept in close confinement at this time of the year, louse populations increase very rapidly.

Deer points out that lice cause damage in several ways. Lousy cattle do not put on weight as rapidly as those that are free from lice and they present an unthrifty appearance. Cattle infested with lice usually have an unthrifty coat of hair for the irritations caused by the lice cause them to scratch or rub their bodies against trees, fence posts or other structures. Dairy cattle, heavily infested with lice, fall off in production even when they are fed well, says Deer.

He says that the degree of cattle louse infestation is also closely correlated with the amount of anemia present in cattle. Animals that have anemia do not do well because of a shortage of blood.

Deer recommends two methods of control. Beef cattle, he says, may be dipped or sprayed with a mixture of five-tenths percent DDT plus three-hundredths per-

cent gamma BHC. If lindane is available, Deer says a mixture of eight pounds of 50 percent wettable DDT and one pound of 25 percent lindane per 100 gallons of water may be used. A spray containing five-tenths percent toxaphene is also recommended for controlling lice on beef cattle.

Since sprays or dips containing DDT are not recommended for use on dairy cattle, Deer says that a mixture containing eight pounds of 50 percent methoxychlor and one pound of 25 percent lindane in 100 gallons of water may be used. This mixture should be applied as a spray.

Deer says Texas livestock producers are losing millions of dollars annually because they are not controlling the lice that infest their animals. At the present time, only about 30 percent of the cattle in Texas are treated to control these parasites. He suggests that you ask your local county agent for a copy of B-158, "External Parasites of Livestock" and that you also discuss with him the problems related to the control of external livestock parasites in your area.

Local Students . . .

five choral groups which have prepared special Christmas programs to be broadcast from the depths of Christmas Tree Canyon each evening during the Christmas holidays. Special lighting effects, log camp fires and free cowboy coffee at the Number One Crossing are also on the program.

Malcomb Clack, electrical sound expert who stretched wires over more than 3,000 feet of the Canyon to a natural voice-box 1100 feet below the rim, reports the sound effects sensational. Echoes reverberate for eleven

seconds up and down and across the Canyon walls. A cowboy riding horseback in the park during the sound trials reported hearing the music three miles away from

its source. Mrs. Pearl Sheffy visited Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Sheffy last week at Canyon.

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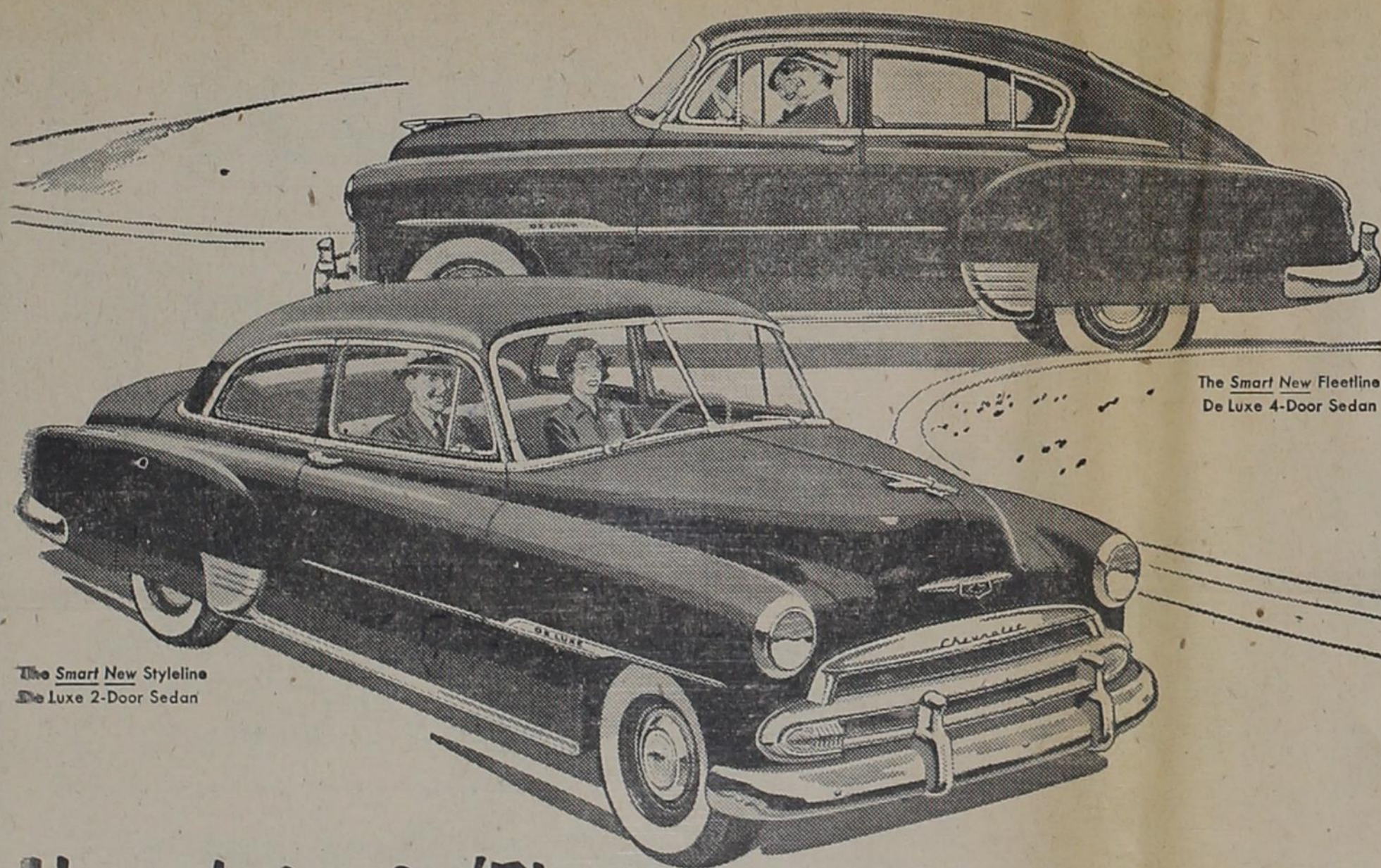
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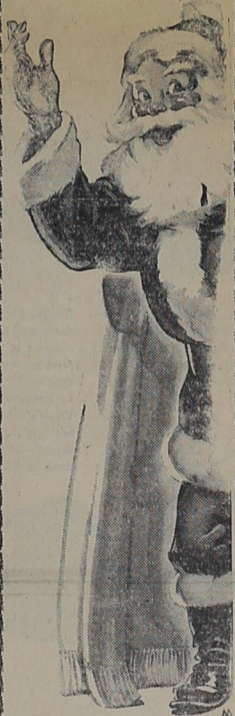
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married, are deceased, the heirs and the unknown heirs of each of them, whose names are unknown and whose residences of all of the above named Defendants are unknown, and all persons claiming under a Deed heretofore given to R. R. Dulin and G. M. Etter, Trustees of the Bedford Town & Land Company, grantee in a certain Deed dated March 27, 1890, of record in Volume 2, page 294, of the Deed Records of Castro County, Texas, all of whom are Defendants, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Castro County at the Court House thereof, in Dimmitt, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this Citation, same being the 22nd day of January A. D. 1951, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 7th day of December A. D. 1950, in the cause, numbered 2041 on the docket of said Court and styled BLANTON BUTANE, INC., a Corporation, Plaintiff, vs. All Persons to Whom this Citation is Addressed, as Defendants.

A brief Statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff sues for the title to and possession of the following described real estate situated in Castro County, Texas, to-wit:

Being a tract of land off of the East side of Section No. 25, Block M-10-A, Castro County, Texas, described by metes and bounds as follows:

BEGINNING at a point in the North right-of-way line of State Highway No. 86, which point is 1722 feet South and 146 feet West from the Northwest corner of Section No. 6, Block M.

THENCE West with said North right-of-way line 140 feet to a point;

THENCE North parallel with the West line of Section No. 6, Block M, 180 feet to a point;

THENCE East 140 feet to a point;

THENCE South parallel with the West line of said Section No. 6, Block M, 180 feet to place of beginning.

Plaintiff alleges that it is entitled to the title to and the possession of said property, claiming the same under the five, the ten, and the Twenty-five year Statutes of Limitation, and Plaintiff further prays that the cloud cast on the title to the property by Defendants be removed and said title vested in the Plaintiff, as is more fully shown by Plain-

tiff's petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court at office in Dimmitt, Texas, this 7th day of December A. D. 1950.

Attest:
Ola Murphy, Clerk
District Court, Castro
County, Texas. 5-4c

LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: BERNARD LEE WHINERY, Defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Castro County at the Court House thereof, in Dimmitt, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 22nd day of January A. D. 1951, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 8th day of December A. D. 1950, in this cause, numbered 2042 on the docket of said court and styled JOY WHINERY Plaintiff, vs. BERNARD LEE WHINERY Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:

Plaintiff suing for divorce alleging cruel treatment, further alleging that there are no children born of this said marriage, and no children adopted by them,

or either of them, and that there is no Community Property, real or personal, owned by plaintiff and defendant; alleging that plaintiff's maiden name and her name before her marriage to defendant, was Joy Carpenter.

Praying for divorce and dissolution of the marriage relations now existing between plaintiff and defendant, and for restoration of her maiden name, Joy Carpenter, and for general relief, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit. The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Dimmitt, Texas this 8th day of December A. D. 1950.

Attest:
Ola Murphy, Clerk
District Court, Castro
County, Texas. 5-4tp

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF JOSEPH CALVIN NEWTON, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that original letters of administration upon the estate of Joseph Calvin Newton, deceased, were granted to me, the undersigned, on the 5th day of December, 1950, by the county court of Castro County. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My residence and post office address

are Dimmitt, Texas, County of Castro, State of Texas.

(Signed): Thelbert Ray Newton
Administrator, Estate
of Joseph Calvin Newton,
Deceased. 4tc

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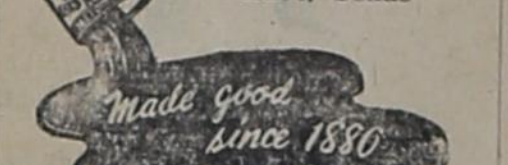
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BETHEL NEWS

The Women's Society of Christian Service met with Mrs. Earl Lust Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Anthony bringing the lesson. Those present and enjoying the delicious refreshments were Mesdames Andy Behrends, Wes Anthony, Mary Behrends, Kay Roberts, Vern Lust, Harry Hothwell, Melvin Settle and the hostess, Mrs. Earl Lust. We do not meet again until January 2, with Mrs. Vern Lust.

Mr. Kay Roberts and George Bagwell were in Clovis Thursday on business.

Mrs. Harry Rothwell and Mrs. E. R. Rothwell were in Amarillo Friday shopping and visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Warren, R. M. Warren and Belva Jean were in Amarillo Saturday shopping while Bobby attended a district F. F. A. meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Verril Lust had as

Sunday dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. John Galloway of Castle Rock, Washington, Mrs. James Bradford and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Loy Dean Stone of Dimmitt. Loy Dean celebrated his birthday on this occasion. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lust, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Settle and Mary, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Lust and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Warren and Joylyn returned to their home in Monti Vesti, Colo., Wednesday, after being here three weeks helping the row crop harvest. Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Warren accompanied them taking a truck load of their furniture. They returned home Friday.

Mr. W. W. Coun and friend of Roswell, N. M., were calling in the Harry Rothwell home Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Galloway of Castle Rock, Washington, arrived Friday to spend a few days in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lust and Mr. and Mrs. Vern Lust. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Beebe, Philip and Francis accompanied them from

Amarillo and were supper guests of the Earl Lusts. Mr. and Mrs. Galloway will leave Tuesday to continue their trip to Oklahoma to spend the holidays with their children.

Harry Rothwell made a business trip to Clovis Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Evans of Seminole were visiting in the George Bagwell and Kay Robert's homes last week. They were family neighbors of years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rothwell and Herbert Howell were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Warren.

FLAGG NEWS

Chubby Aldridge, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Booher, has arrived in Pakistan where he flew recently to work for one of the major oil companies.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Birchfield visited last week-end with a sister from Houston and his relatives in Farwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Deck Heard of Spade and Mr. and Mrs. Rayford Ginn and son, Gary, of Muleshoe were Sunday guests of the Cecil Ginn.

James Bradford, with his cousin, J. T. Bagwell, made a trucking trip to Kentucky this week.

Mrs. Lynn Smith and children, Lelda Thompson and Tommy Sheffy visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Carpenter Sunday. Mr. Carpenter was quite sick. Hope he will soon be better.

Mr. and Mrs. James D. Redwine of Washington state visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dent Bradley on their way to Oklahoma to visit other relatives.

Mrs. James Bradford and father, Earl Lust were shopping and attending to business in Amarillo Thursday.

Mother Stephens of Yantis is visiting her daughters, Mrs. Clyde Damron and Mrs. Elzie Teague.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith and Mrs. Myers visited their parents and attended business in Amarillo last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Damron and Mrs. Lottie Stephens and Della Gay Teague visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cook and Jack Teague in Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stephens are visiting their respective parents in Yantis, Texas, this week.

Sunday callers in the Elzie Teague home were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams of Sudan, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mapes, and Mr. and Mrs. Leldon Hayler.

Robert Ballard has gone to Albuquerque, New Mexico to visit relatives.

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Nazareth Round Up

Around Town

BY JULENE HEIMAN

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Acker and family and Josetta Acker recently went to see Andrew Acker who is in the Neblett Hospital, Canyon, recovering from a knee operation. While there they visited other relatives also.

Louis Bruening is in the Dimmitt Memorial Hospital recovering from a heart attack.

Cyril Neusch spent December 10 visiting in the John Aichlmayr home. Mr. Aichlmayr went back with him when he returned to St. Francis. He will spend a few days there.

Rev. Peter Morsch and Leonard Conrad went to Amarillo on December 12 in order to attend the dedication of the new building at Price College. Mr. Conrad was one of the first graduates from the school.

Mr. John Pohlmeier, Paul Raymond, and Edwin Pohlmeier, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Pohlmeier and family and Jane Albracht went to Tulia December 10 to dine with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Pohlmeier.

Meetings

BY NORA KLEMAN

On December 6 another meeting of the Nazareth Senior 4-H Club was held in the study hall. The meeting was called to order by the president, Lois Book. The members recited the club motto and pledge. Roll call was held and minutes read by the secretary, Georgiann Schacher. A report was given by the council delegate, Clementine Aichlmayr, on the proceedings of the last delegate meeting held in Dimmitt.

Mrs. Vann explained to the members how to lay patterns and cut them, what is meant by grain and how to square the material. The president then adjourned the meeting.

In the evening of December 5, a regular meeting of the Knights of Columbus was called to order by the president, Greg Hoelting. Albert Gerber, secretary, read the minutes of the last meeting and held the roll call. A memorial service for Leo Huseman was held. The meeting was then adjourned.

The Catholic Daughters held their regular meeting on December 6 in the hall. The president, Angela Wethington, called the meeting to order. Bonita Kerr read the minutes and also several letters the president had received

from Mrs. I. J. Driscoll, district deputy. After the meeting the members played several games.

Around N. H. S.

BY MARTHA BURT

The girls' basketball squad has entered the Happy tournament that is scheduled for this weekend, December 14, 15, and 16. They will play their first game on Friday morning at 11:00 against Sudan.

Julene Heimann recently received her Junior O. A. T. in typing. Leola Kleman has sent her paper off and is hoping that hers will soon arrive.

The seniors are practicing each day on their play. All of the seniors are to take part in the production that is planned for the last part of January. In addition to the seniors, four of the junior and sophomore boys are also included in the cast. These boys are Vincent Gerber, Elmer Kleman, Don Acker, and Michael Schacher.

Grade Happenings

BY LEOLA KLEMAN

The Junior 4-H Club held their meeting at the regular time Wednesday morning. Mrs. Florence Ball was elected adult leader. The meeting was then turned over to Mrs. Vann. She gave direction sheets explaining the Christmas party which is to be held on December 14 in Dimmitt High School. She also explained how to cut and sew a dress. The meeting was then adjourned after a short game of "Riddles".

During church services Tuesday morning, Rev. Peter Morsch enrolled thirteen members of the primary grades in the Holy Childhood Association. The purpose of the organization is to aid pagan children through the missions. This day was chosen for the ceremony because it was the feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

Are You Interested?

BY MARIAN SCHACHER

Several people from Nazareth went to the football game on Friday afternoon that was held in Tulia between Dimmitt and Happy.

Happy started the scoring by making a touchdown in the first quarter and went on to make

thirteen points. They succeeded in holding a good Dimmitt team scoreless throughout the game. Both squads played a good game.

Some of the Nazareth teachers and a group of girls, among them yours truly, went to Tulia recently to attend the Tulia Town Hall presentation of Margaret Speaks, soprano. She was assisted by Kenneth Hieber, pianist. A large crowd listened with delight to songs by Handel, Wolf, Brahms, Debussy, Hahn, Aubert, and Britten which were sung beautifully by Miss Speaks. Her accompanist played selections on his part of the program by Bach, Schumann, and Debussy.

The group enjoyed the evening and are looking forward to more programs to be sponsored by the local Town Hall organizations.

Big Christmas Planned For Boys Ranchers

For the first time in their young lives, many of the boys at the famous Boys' Ranch near Amarillo, will be celebrating a real Christmas. Never before have they had the chance to know what it's like to open presents on Christmas morning or to enjoy a turkey dinner.

But for them this year, there will be a Christmas with all the trimmings. Each boy will receive a special gift box containing several items of clothing for everyday wear, a box of candy and an extra surprise gift. This will be in addition to the regular gifts they will receive.

A big party is planned for Christmas Eve, and Christmas Day there will be a lot of special activities. Church services will be held after the gift-opening ceremonies and then a full-scale holiday dinner will be served, complete with turkey, all kinds of vegetables, pie and ice cream, fruit and nuts.

Among the letters to Santa Claus from the smaller boys are requests for roller skates "so I can use some of the cement sidewalks I helped build", games, toys and books. The older boys are thinking about bicycles, BB guns, boots and fishing tackle.

All the Ranch hands are planning on a fine Christmas and the staff and directors are doing everything to see that they won't be disappointed. The boys will have a wonderful celebration and they hope that everyone will have a very merry Christmas and a peaceful 1951.

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Social Events - Weddings - Clubs

Godfrey-Birdwell Wedding Vows Are Read at Hereford

Jo-Anne Godfrey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Godfrey and Wade Birdwell, son of Mrs. Alta Birdwell, Loving, Texas, were united in marriage in a double-ring ceremony by Rev. Bob Wear at the Church of Christ Parsonage in Hereford, Texas, Friday, December 8, at 3 p. m.

The bride wore a brown suit with tan and brown accessories and wore a corsage of pink carnations. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Harlin Dodd.

The groom is employed at the Gulf Wholesale and the bride is employed at Cowen Insurance Agency.

After a short wedding trip to Fort Worth, they will be at home at 815 Belcher St. in Dimmitt.

Mrs. Shuford Is Hostess to Blanche Groves Circle

The Blanche Groves circle met in the home of Mrs. R. C. Shuford Monday afternoon for Bible study with eleven members present.

Mrs. John Alldredge gave the devotional. Mrs. W. T. Gollehon led in prayer. The hymn, "Bring Then In" was sung by all. Mrs. C. W. Boothe led in prayer. Mrs. Ivor Bagwell taught the Bible lesson from Jeremiah 25 through 52. Mrs. Kirkpatrick led the dismissal prayer.

Delicious refreshments were served to Mesdames Ray Balch, K. E. Turner, W. T. Gollehon, W. E. Kirkpatrick, Ivor Bagwell, C. W. Boothe, John Alldredge, A. T. Kirby, H. T. Bartlett, Frank Henderson and the hostess.

McRea Circle Met In Dennis Home

The McRea Circle met with Mrs. Morgan Demis with fourteen ladies present. A good Bible discussion was brought by the teacher, Mrs. R. Strother. Prayer by Mrs. Landtroop. Mrs. Mears

B. & P. W. Club Enjoys Annual Thanksgiving Feast

The Dimmitt B & P. W. Club met in regular session Monday Nov. 20 in the country home of Miss Hazel Merritt for the annual Thanksgiving dinner.

The club was honored with the presence of our district director, Miss Margaret Ventress of Amarillo who gave an interesting talk about club work in this district.

Others attending from Amarillo were Mrs. Bob Freeman, Miss Francis Fitch, and Miss Martha McMahon.

Local visiting guests were Mrs. Ray Sheffy, Mrs. Robin Vann, Mrs. Loyd, Janice Murphy, Mrs. Godfrey.

England mother of Mrs. Gwynn Wood who is visiting her daughter and family here for the first time.

Members attending the lovely turkey dinner were Velma Gurnells, Helen Richardson, Faye Holland, Ola Murphy, Nell Blagg, Maggie Boren, Birdie Duree, Hazel Merritt, Koma Ratcliff, Gwynn Wood, Ocie McCormack and our new member we welcome into the club, Mrs. June Gladman.

The Dimmitt B & P. W. Club meeting of Monday, Dec. 4 was held in the home of Mrs. Nell Blagg.

Our regular business meeting was conducted and plans made for the annual Christmas party which will be held in the home of Mrs. Birdie Duree December 18. Lovely refreshments of pumpkin pie with whipped cream and coffee and cakes were served to the following guests: Heler Richardson, Lottie Bearden, Cleo Snipes, Ola Murphy, Hazel Merritt, Birdie Duree, Cleo Forson, Gwynn Wood, Koma Ratcliff, Cordye Birdwell, Ocie McCormack and the hostess, Nell Blagg. Club Reporter

was elected assistant Bible teacher. An offering was made by all. There were two visitors present, Mrs. Hendrix and Mrs. Williamson.

Lovely refreshments were served by the hostess.

Come to the Missionary program at the church, Monday, December 18, at 2:30.

Mrs. W. Thacker Is Shower Honoree

Mrs. Warren Thacker was honored with a miscellaneous shower on Wednesday, December 6, in the home of Mrs. Bill Booher.

Assisting Mrs. Booher as co-hostess were Mesdames John Davis, C. G. Ballard, Elzie Teague, and Oma Lou English.

Mrs. Ballard presided at the guest book and directed the guests to the dining room where they were served hot tea and cake.

The table was laid with a cut work cloth and centered with a miniature Christmas tree.

Mrs. Sheffy sang "Always" and Mrs. Teague read "Corner Table" by Ethel Jacobson.

The bride was presented with an array of beautiful and useful gifts.

Those present were: Mesdames Cecil Ginn, Sid Sheffy, Sam Cooper, C. J. Johnson, C. T. Damron, Alma Ott, Stella Burch, Lottie Stephens, Kate Noble, Clara Williams, Claud Johnson, Wade English, Otis English, Earl Lust, C. G. Ballard, Elzie Teague, John Davis, Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gollehon and the hostess.

Those sending gifts were: Mesdames Buck Anderson, Hubert McElroy, Wilbur Cook, Oma Lou Zeigler, Melvin Settle, James Bradford, G. B. Frazier, Evelyn Noble, Sammy Lamb, Andy Thompson, Tuttlehill, D. C. McElroy, Aline Maynard, Elvis Burch, and Melba, Beverly and Jimmie Johnson, Wayne Williams. The employees of Dunlap Co. of Lubbock.

Nazareth 4-H Club Meeting

The Junior Division of the Nazareth 4-H Boys met December 6 with 26 members present. A number of the club members responded to the roll call giving a brief report on work done on their project.

Richard Hoelting, president, and Jack Acker, secretary, presided at the meeting.

Four new members joined the Junior 4-H Club. They are Carol, Joe Lynn, Clarence and Ronald Birkenfield.

Mr. Jacob Acker, local leader, attended the meeting.

Mr. R. L. King, County Agent, briefly explained the details of the 4-H Christmas party, and then he showed a series of picture slides illustrating how 4-H boys may raise pork for the market.

Sunday School Class Party

The Intermediates of the First Baptist Church had a Christmas party at the church Monday evening with a pretty tree and gifts for all. Good entertainment was furnished by Mr. Joe Bailes. The superintendent, all teachers, secretary and forty-five pupils had a nice time.

NEWS Warrt Ads get good results

Mrs. Ben Hill, Jr. Is Circle Hostess

The Lottie Moon Circle met with Mrs. Ben Hill, Jr., December 11, with ten members present.

The meeting was opened with a song and a prayer led by Mrs. Buckmaster.

After a short business meeting, Nina McLain led in a prayer, and the Bible lesson was taught by Mrs. Buckmaster.

Those present included: Mesdames Hardy Jones, Vaden Kirby, James Cameron, Alvin Frazier, C. G. Maples, Sr., H. M. Morrison, James Powell, Alton McLain, Talmage Buckmaster and the hostess, Mrs. Ben Hill, Jr.

Zelot Club Holds Meeting

The Zelot Club met in the home of Mrs. W. D. Bell with Mrs. Deward Armstrong, co-hostess. Mrs. W. T. Sanders presided over the business meeting and roll call was answered with a foreign country and its capital. The program consisted of talks on Joseph Stalin and Winston Churchill.

Attending were Mesdames Ed Bennett, Rodney Smith, Willis A. Hawkins, Jr., Bob Lane, Pepper Martin, Bill Wood, Charles Taylor, W. T. Sanders, C. Ray Jones, Charley Sanders, W. D. Bell, Deward Armstrong and Chas. Wells. Guests were Mrs. J. D. Ross and Charley Martin, Jr.

W. S. C. S. Met In All Day Program

W. S. C. S. of the Methodist Church met at 11 o'clock, Monday, December 11, in Fellowship Hall.

Mrs. Bill Graham had charge of the supply program. Each member brought a toy and a special Christmas box was sent to the Methodist Mission at Farmington, New Mexico.

Mrs. E. B. Wright gave an inspiring devotional.

Turkey with all the trimmings was served at noon to 16 members.

After lunch we had a business session and Mrs. Blaine told a Christmas story.

Our next meeting will be January 2, at 2:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Brad Fulfer made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday.

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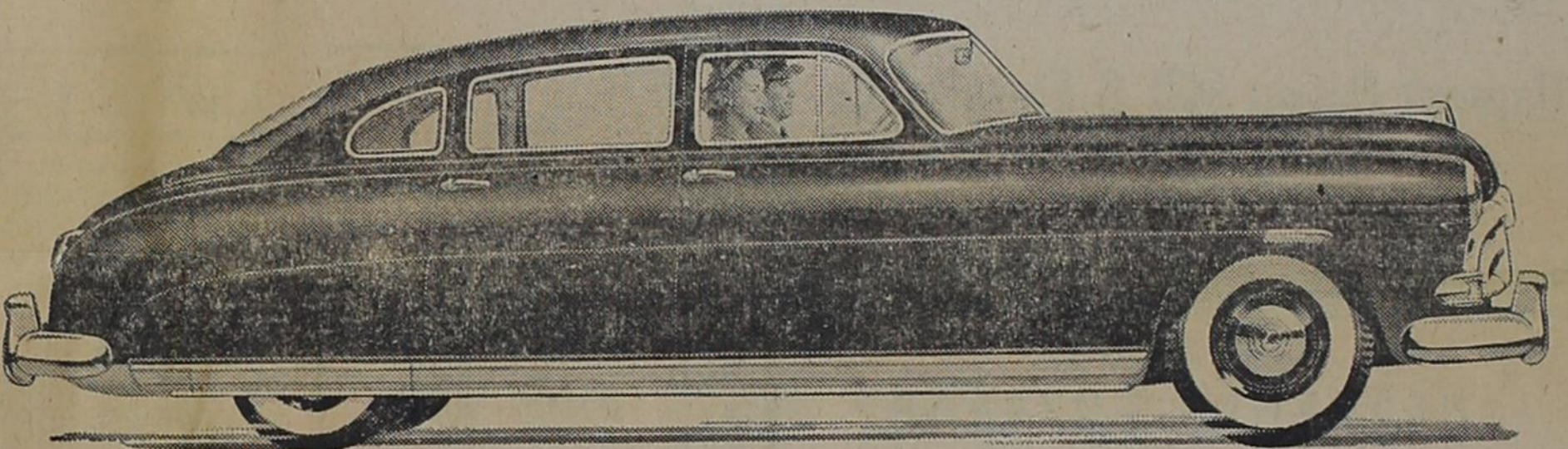
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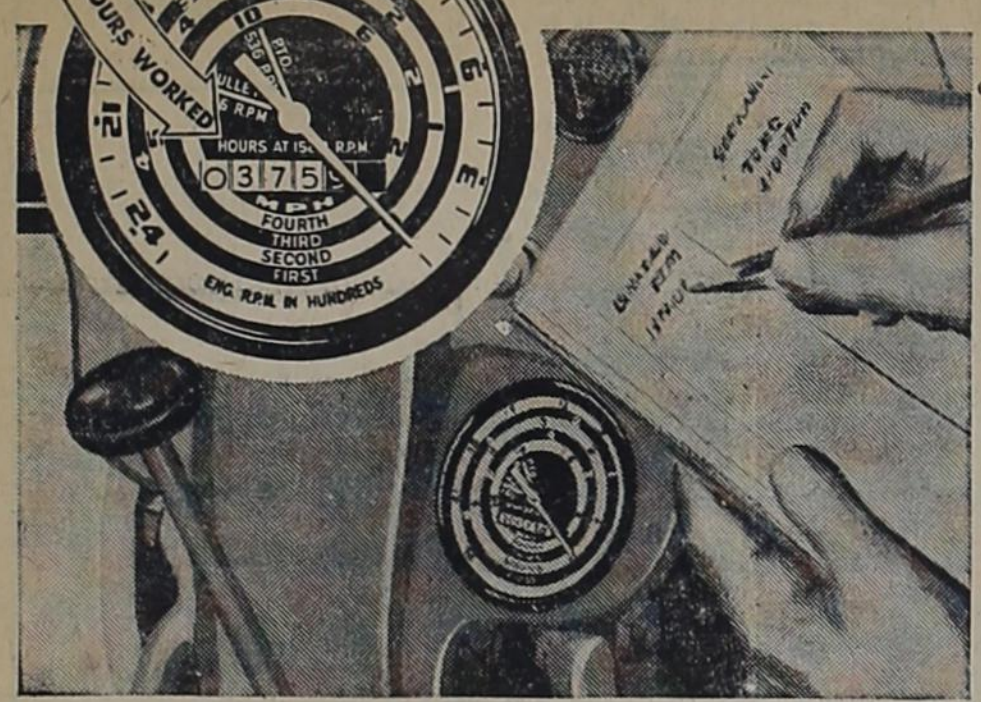
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CONTROL CATTLE GRUBS

Cattle grubs each year cost the beef cattle producers and dairymen of Texas an estimated \$20 million. These grubs cause damage to the hides of infested cattle; cause huge quantities of meat to be wasted from trimming off damages and infested animals don't produce maximum amounts of meat or milk from the feed they consume.

The only season of the year that cattle grubs can be controlled is from September to December or the season when the grubs are emerging from the backs of infested animals. Rottenone is the only insecticide that will control the parasite.

For the small herd owner, the dust method of application will probably prove to be the most practical. A five percent dust should be used. The backs of the animals should be scrubbed with a stiff brush to knock off the scabs that cover the grub cysts. Dust the powder over the animal's back and rub it in so the dust will get into the grub holes. Treatment should begin about two or three weeks after the first grubs appear and repeat the treatment three times at intervals of three weeks.

For the large herds, dipping or

spraying is the most practical method to use in applying the rotenone. The dip or spray should contain seven and one-half pounds of five percent rotenone for each 100 gallons of water. If you spray the cattle, use a cattle chute. The sprayer should deliver at least 200 pounds of pressure and the nozzle should be held within four inches of the animal's back. You should use approximately one gallon of spray per animal.

Regardless of whether the dipping or spraying method is used, three treatments should be used at three week intervals. Controlling the grubs now will break the life cycle of the parasite and thus will eliminate the egg laying hee flies next spring. The annual loss can be reduced and livestock producers will profit from marketing grub free cattle.

DESTROY COTTON STALKS

The spread of the pink bollworm during the current drop season is termed by entomologists as the most serious threat to the future of cotton production experienced since the south-wide spread of the boll weevil.

Prompt destruction of cotton stalks following harvesting is not only a good control measure for the pink bollworm but for the

boll weevil and possibly other cotton insects as well.

HOW TO ADD CHEAP NITROGEN TO YOUR SOIL

Nitrogen can be added to the soil for five cents per pound if it is done by plowing under a legume crop. The cost will be at least three times that figure if the nitrogen is purchased by the sack.

NEW RAT KILLER

The new rat poison, Warfarin, appears to be one of the most effective poisons yet developed for controlling rats and mice. It is poisonous to all warm-blooded animals, but the amount recommended for controlling rats and mice is so small that there is little danger of farm animals or people being poisoned accidentally.

NEW TREATMENT FOR CONTROL OF SCREW-WORMS

A new treatment for the control of the destructive livestock insect pest, the screwworm, has been developed at the USDA's Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine at their Kerrville laboratory. The new treatment is known as EQ 335 screwworm remedy.

The new remedy will replace the old reliable Smear 62 formula that has been used for the past 10 years. The formula for EQ 335 contains weight 3 percent of the powerful new insecticide, Lindane, 35 percent pine oil, 42 percent white mineral oil, 10 percent emulsifier and 10 percent silica gel. Production of the new remedy is to start immediately and there will be smears of different

consistencies on the market depending upon the type of emulsifier used. Any of the smear that contain the 3 per cent lindane and the 35 percent pine oil will be effective even though the other items in the formula vary somewhat from the original.

Advantages for the new smear over 62: It will not deteriorate upon standing. An application usually lasts for seven days or about twice as long as an application of Smear 62. Treated wounds heal quickly and the lamp black and other coloring chemicals that stain clothing, wool, or hair are not found in the new remedy.

SUMMARY OF THE TEXAS CORN PERFORMANCE TESTS

Texas 26 and 28 gave outstanding results in the corn perfor-

mance tests conducted in 1950 at 18 widely-scattered locations throughout the state. The performance of these two hybrids, which were grown for the first time by farmers in 1950, should soon result in their replacing the older Texas hybrids now grown on most of the Texas corn acreage. In fact, since Texas 26 and 28 comprised approximately 50 percent of the hybrid seed corn production in 1950, it will be possible to greatly expand the acreage planted to them in 1951. On the basis of results obtained in recent years, farmers in the major corn-growing regions of the state are encouraged to shift to these new hybrids.

Further information on any of these subjects may be obtained from the County Agent's office.

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EDITORIALS

When a girl comes out for basketball in Dimmitt High School she really comes out for basketball. Of all the girls in Dimmitt High only about 18 came out for the popular sport. From these 18 girls, six of the best in the Panhandle are picked to make up a team that will more than likely see its way to the state meet again this year.

Dimmitt has the only team in the state with two all-state players on it. These two are guard Maurine Smithson and pivot Lometa Odom.

Last week the Bobbies met Cotton Center. A sticky stop-clock hampered the game very much. Officially, Cotton Center (who won 40 games last year until the Bobbies handed them their first defeat in the state meet) won the game in an overtime. But unless we miss our guess, these same two teams will meet again this week-end in the finals of the Happy tournament and the Bobbies will come out on top. There will be two all-state players in this game and one all-time all-state player, Ruth Cannon from Cotton Center.

When you see this game, you will more than likely see two teams who will also meet each other in the state's most important tournament in April—the girls' state basketball tournament.

Two FFA Basketball Teams Organized

The Dimmitt F. F. A. Chapter has organized two basketball teams, a graduate team and a high school team. The teams, under the leadership of Mr. Seale, compete with other F. F. A. teams surrounding Dimmitt.

The graduate squad consists of Herb Howell, Conrad Clark, Dowe Foster, Bobby Warren, D. L. Wright and Charles Thompson.

Playing on the high school team are Jimmie Howell, Rex Wooten, Jack Adams, Charles Thompson, Don Ziegler and D. L. Wright.

These teams played the Nazareth chapter Dec. 6. The graduates beat the Nazareth chapter 33-29. The high school team was downed by the Nazareth high school boys 20-28.

Self-Stryled

Bobbies Are Now Playing in New Suits

Monday morning the basketball girls were very excited because they received their new suits. They are purple, with white trimming and "Bobbies" are written down the sides. It is purple lettering on white. The top has white shoulder insets with white braid down the back and around the collar and sleeves.

The girls hope these new suits will bring them good luck during the following season.

Follow the Bobcats and Bobbies to the Happy Basketball Tournament this week-end and back them in their games!

Bobcats, Bobbies Enter Happy Tournament This Week-end

D. H. S. Directory

December 18, P. T. A. Christmas program in the high school auditorium.
 December 19, Dimmitt plays New Deal, girls and boys, there December 21, Christmas holidays start.

Society Sue

SLUMBER PARTY
 Several girls enjoyed a slumber party Thursday night with Nancy Sue Lee. Those attending were: Shirley, Francis, LeNora, Mae Nell, Barbara and the hostess, Nancy Sue.

FOOTBALL SUPPER
 Tulia was host to the Happy and Dimmitt football teams Friday afternoon following the football game. The supper was held in the school cafeteria with the main dish being steak.

SCHOOL ELECTION
 Dimmitt High School held an election last Tuesday and Wednesday to select their personality King and Queen, and the most handsome boy and most beautiful girl. David Behrends was chosen personality King and Dona Lee Robertson as Queen. The most handsome boy is Jimmy Cluck and Bobbie Wooten is the most beautiful girl.

Pep Rally Held In Auditorium Tues.

A pep rally was held in the auditorium last Tuesday. The Cheer Leaders lead in several yells. Mr. Bates introduced our coach, Mr. Blaine, who gave some statistics. Mr. Blaine introduced on of Dimmitt's most enthusiastic backers, Mr. Burch, who said, "Win or lose, the town is behind you". Mr. McFarland said a few words to the team and told them about the tickets for the game. He asked the Pep Leaders to lead in his favorite yell, "Yea Purple, Yea White". The pep rally ended with the singing of the school song. The Junior, Sophomore and Freshman classes had class meetings the rest of the period.

Get Into Regional Finals, Outscored By Happy 13-0

Bobbies Drop 41-39 Thriller To Cotton Center Sextette

With a score of 41-39 the Dimmitt Bobbies lost their first basketball game to Cotton Center here, Thursday, Dec. 7. During the first half the high score was rocked back and forth between the teams. The score was tied at the end of the game and a three minute over-time was played to decide the winner, during which Ruth Cammon, all-state forward from Cotton Center, sank one of her favorite over-hand shots to decide the winning team.

The Bobbies held their own during the whole game, and are looking forward to the Happy Tournament in which they hope to meet Cotton Center again.

Junior Cagers Edge Past Cotton Center

The Dimmitt Juniors nudged by a Cotton Center five for a 27-26 verdict here Thursday night. Norman Killough was high point man for Dimmitt with 11, followed by Bobby Brock with 8. For Cotton

You Know Them By

- Her glasses—Rae Hardy
- His pick-up—Farren
- His crutches—Jim Jowell
- His size 55 belt—"Doc"
- His black hat—Mr. Seale
- Their green shirts—Jackie and Mr. Lester
- His original jokes—Jack Dyer
- The runs in his hose—Gene (ask Fayrene)
- His forward passes—Jimmy Cluck
- His biology drawings—Everett
- Their cooking—Home Making Girls
- His History grades—Marlin Truelock
- His pop corny looks—The Juniors
- His laziness at ball games—Billy Gregory
- Their finger nails—Beth and Decimae
- Their basketball suits—Basketball girls
- His school bus—Jim Dowty
- His camera—Bill Murphy

Indians in Canada are legally classed as minors.

Center, Odom scored 13 and Kirby scored 6.

Outstanding one for each team were Killough, Dimmitt; and Odom, Cotton Center.

The Regional play-off between Happy and Dimmitt at Tulia ended with a 13-0 score, making the Happy Cowboys Regional Champions.

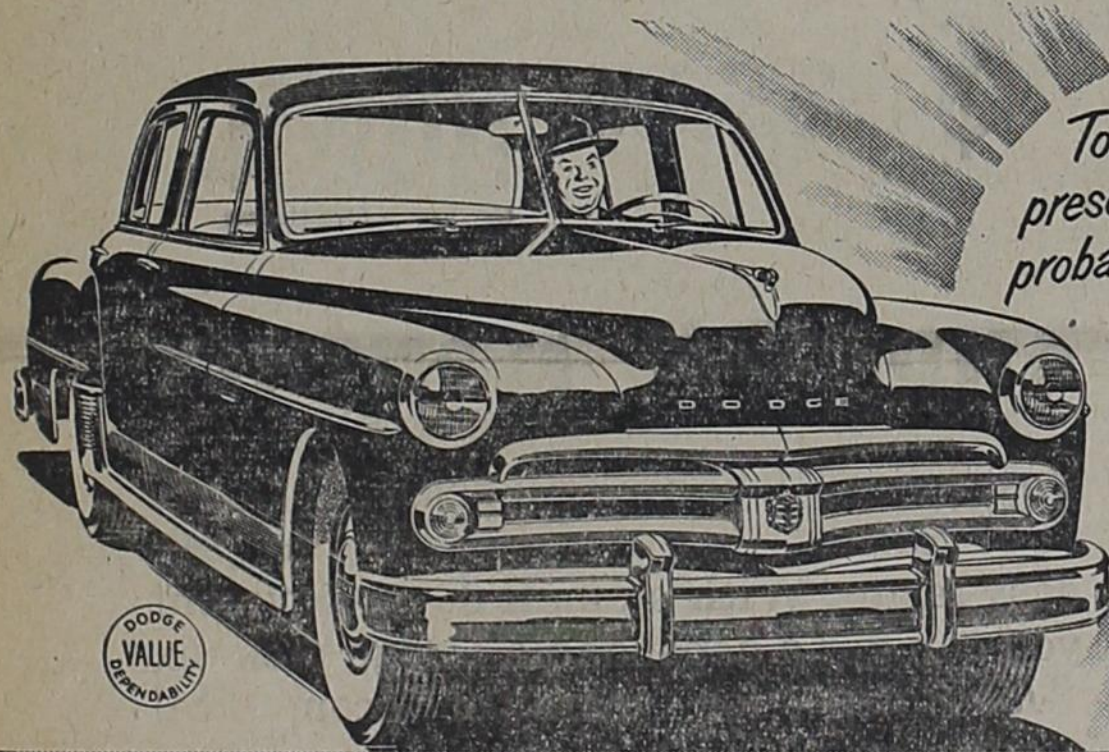
The superior passing power of Happy's Don Magness led the Cowboy's victory. Magness completing seven out of eight passes, one for a touchdown although the field was muddy.

The Bobcats two major scoring attempts took them past the twenty, one within the ten, but were stopped both times with a hard charging line. Both teams were tied on penetrations and first downs. The Bobcats made slightly more yardage on the ground but the Cowboys ruled the airways.

Outstanding performances were given by Henry, Magness and Selvidge for Happy. For Dimmitt Bill Gregory, Marvin Axe, and Glenn Brown. Glenn Brown was presented a sportsmanship award by the Tulia Chamber of Commerce and both teams were given a banquet in the High School Cafeteria. Trophies were given to both teams at the banquet and each team was given a ball to place in their trophy case.

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CLEO NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mears were in Levelland last Friday. Its snowing and blowing today. A big snow would really be in order now. Maybe it will discourage these green bugs we are hearing so much about, as well as give much needed moisture. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wooten were in Fredrick, Okla. the first of this week to attend the funeral of her uncle, a brother of her mother. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Preston, Gerelle and Pat, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Mears and Charlotte were guests for canasta Thanksgiving evening of the Liburn Arnolds.

Pat Youts and Peggy Messinger were Wednesday night guests of Fayrene Greathouse.

Mr. Blodgett and family of Canada were here Thanksgiving week for a visit in the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Summers.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymon Preston and family are sporting a new Pontiac car and if rumors are correct so are the F. J. Mears.

Mr. and Mrs. Liburn Arnold, Carol and Lynda spent the week end at Justiceburg hunting quail and visiting his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Dunning. They brought back some 30 or 40 quail.

We are sorry Mrs. A. A. Dodd

is still not able to be around much. We all wish for her a quick return to health. As a result of speeding, death has ridden our highway within a radius of 8 or 10 miles the last few weeks taking the life of some children's pet pinto pony, a boy's little dog he paid \$25 for about five years ago, a couple's pet cat, two little girls' big white and black Shepherd dog and a boy's big curly dog. But we can be thankful it was the pets instead of the children.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Lilley and a group of friends went to Eagle Pass deer hunting during Thanksgiving week. Mr. and Mrs. Lilley left the group Tuesday and went on into Old Mexico sightseeing, returning home late Wednesday. The group that remained had the happy luck of downing two large bucks. They all report a wonderful time.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Dowell, Bryce and Jerri Mac, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Greathouse and Fayrene went to Fritch Sunday where a brother, Bill Dowell of Springfield, Mo. was assisting another brother, Joe Dowell, in a revival meeting. Joe is pastor of the Fritch Baptist Church. It was a happy get together of the brothers and sisters and their families.

A number from this community attended the ball game at Littlefield Saturday played by Dimmitt and New Deal. The result was a happy one for Dimmitt boys and Dimmitt fans.

Speaking of New Deal, the Wayland College Basketball girls played the New Deal girls Friday night. The score was 34 to 22 in favor of the college girls. Elouise Greathouse is on the college team and had the privilege of playing the last one half of the game.

We are glad Mrs. Elmer Dixon who has been ill for some time is able to be around again. We saw her at church Sunday.

We are glad Mrs. Roy Smith is feeling good again.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bradley and family are enjoying a new Studebaker Champion.

pers on Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Ramona McCandless and baby have been visiting her parents, the Warren Lowes, for several days. She plans to leave this week to visit a sister at El Paso and from there will go to California to join her husband to make their home. The sister at El Paso has a tiny baby. Mrs. Lowe was also planning to visit her daughter at El Paso this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Simpson and Nellie Jo visited Robert's cousin, the Walter Harrisons, at Muleshoe, his uncle, Joe Simpson and family, at Earth and Mrs. Simpson's brother, Verle Roberts and family at Littlefield on Sunday.

Those from Frio attending the singing at the First Baptist, Hereford, Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Sparkmar, Sr., Rev. R. L. Shannon, Miss Lavada Shannon, Mrs. E. B. Berryman, Misses Lamarlas and Sue Barryman and Mrs. Owen Andrews. The Misses Berrymans sang a number for the program.

Those from Frio Baptist Church attending the Worker's Conference at the First Baptist Church at Hereford on Thursday were Mrs. H. D. Robbins, Mrs. H. M. Mobley, Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Shannon, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Andrews, J. E. Andrews and Miss Alma Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Benson were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Jones, Sunday afternoon.

Visiting the D. Johnsons recently were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Colletti of Stockton, Calif. Mrs. Colletti is a cousin to Mr. Johnson. The two families enjoyed their first visit in about twelve years.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck of Vega visited the C. N. McClures Sunday afternoon. The two women were schoolmates when they both lived in Montague county as youngsters.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Kimbrough and daughters of Hereford were visitors at church at Frio on Sunday. They came at the special invitation of the Berrymans.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Glenn, Clinton and Sandra, and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Glenn and family of Amarillo visited in Muleshoe recently at the home of Mr. A. B. Glenn's mother, Mrs. R. D. Glenn. W. B. Glenn is a son of the A. B. Glens.

Earl Kunkle of Groom spent the first of last week at the home of his aunt, Mrs. D. Johnson.

Those women attending the H. D. Council Christmas Party at Hereford on Saturday were Messdames W. A. Springer, Glenn Gripp, E. H. Little and Owen Andrews. Mrs. Little gave a reading representing Frio on the program.

Plans are being made for a Christmas Eve program at Frio. This is a tradition which has never, except for one time, failed to be kept in more than twenty years. How much older the custom is, is not known. A tree and all that is included in a community Christmas program will be in order. The story of the birth of Christ is always the high-light of the program. This Christmas Eve being on Sunday night—the program will be more than usually emphasize the sacred ideals, but Santa will appear later to thrill the little folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Chism were hosts Saturday evening with a very enjoyable party honoring the birthday of their daughter, Melba Jean. Music was made by Mr. Newton and Raymond Chism. Cake and cocoa were served to about 25 guests, then the late show was enjoyed.

This same crowd enjoyed a party given by Mrs. Don Gladman for her daughter, Jeanne Mary last week.

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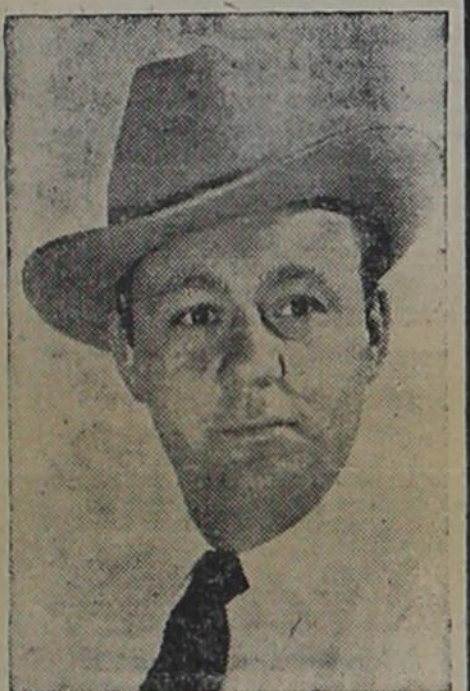
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FRIO NEWS

(Mrs. Owen Andrews)

An epidemic of mumps seems to have swept the community. Among those reported to have been ill during the week-and through Monday with mumps were Sherry and Evelyn Benson, Glenn Andrews, Clifford Hill, Walker Parris, Bobby Don Irwin, Leon Vogler, Kay Lemons, Kay Cole, Charles Ralph Springer, Jerry Hodges and Veradelle Andrews.

Mrs. H. M. Mobley and Mrs. Lee Renfro were Amarillo shop-

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