

All letters to Santa and Christmas stories must be in the Beacon office by noon today.

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City Council approves repairs to city shop

During the regular monthly meeting of the Lockney City Council, held Thursday, December 8, the council approved a bid from Harold Keen and Wes Bybee of Plainview to repair the city shop. The bid for \$1000.00 will include using masonry to repair exterior damage to the shop. The only other bid submitted was from the same company, but the second bid of \$1500.00 would have used custom-made metal to repair the building. After discussion of the two bids, the council accepted the bid on the masonry. "We feel that by using masonry the building will require painting less often," Councilman Wofford said.

The council also voted to call for bids on a new pickup for the street and water department. The specifications for the pickup can be found in the classified section of the paper for those wishing to submit bids.

It was also reported to the council by Alderman Dipprey that the police department had succeeded in purchasing another police vehicle at a cost of \$1500. The new car is a 1978 Plymouth with a heavy frame, formerly used by a detective unit of the Plainview Police Department.

The council also passed ordinance #232 which deals with updated service credits for city employees. The ordin-

ance reads as follows:
Texas Municipal Retirement System
An ordinance authorizing and allowing under the act governing the Texas Municipal Retirement System, "Updated Service Credits" in said system for service performed by qualifying members of such system who presently are in the employment of the city of Lockney; and establishing an effective date for such actions.

Jackie Spencer appeared before the council to discuss drainage problems on southeast 4th street where she lives. After discussion of the problem with council members and Lavern Carthel, head of the street and water department the council instructed Carthel request the services of engineer A.C. Bowdon will survey the problem and submit to the council a solution or solutions to the problem.

Other matters passed by the council included instructing Carthel to see that alleys behind the Masonic Lodge and Pay-N-Save grocery were filled in and leveled with caliche at the earliest date, depending on the delivery date for caliche to be received by the City.

Present for the meeting were Alderman Frizzell, Kring, Reece, Wofford, and Dipprey. Mayor Copeland presided over the meeting. Also present was the City Secretary, Erma Lee Duckworth.



ELFIE SHERMAN

Elfie Sherman keeps busy with art interests

Elfie Meriwether Sherman, a familiar face and name to all of Lockney and surrounding counties, is a true native of West Texas and Floyd County. Born January 23, 1911, in Lockney, she attended school here, graduating in 1929 from Lockney High School. Mrs. Sherman said "they were building the new school building during my last year of school, but I graduated the year before the new buildings were finished, so I went to school in a barracks."

After high school, she attended Lippert's College in Plainview for several months before moving to California in the fall of 1930 with her parents. She attended the Marinelle Beauty School in Los Angeles while her parents were living in Pasadena. She was able to visit them every weekend.

When the Sherman family returned to Lockney in early 1931, work was so hard to come by that she began her own business. She and Loretta Dagley traveled around the Panhandle and South Plains giving permanents and doing other beauty work.

That summer she was practicing beautician work in Haskell where she met Lewis (Shorty) Sherman. They were married October 13, 1931. Their first home was a three room furnished apartment that rented for \$15.00 per month. At that time her husband's salary was \$150.00 per month, but repeatedly in the near future during the Depression his salary was cut several times. To supplement their income he inspected collateral for the bank and cowboied on the side.

Their first child, a daughter, Billie Gayle, was born in November 1933, in Knox City, the nearest hospital. William Kinsey, their second child arrived in June, 1935. Mrs. Sherman remembers Shorty selling his favorite horse for \$45.00 to pay the hospital bill.

Elfie opened a beauty shop in Haskell to help with living expenses. A shampoo and set cost 50-75 cents but, at that time, a good beef steak could be purchased for 15 cents a pound.

In 1940 the Sherman family moved to Plainview, where Shorty worked for the Hale County State Bank as the head of the bookkeeping department. Elfie worked for the Hilton Beauty Shop. During World War II, Elfie looked after the Meriwether family estates and collected the farm rentals until her brothers returned from the war and took over the oversight.

In 1948 Shorty and Elfie moved to a farm 7 miles southwest of Lockney where they lived when their third son, Thomas Joe, was born.

In 1953 Elfie began working for the Lockney Hospital then the Floyd County Cooperative Hospital, as a collector of past due accounts. After two months she was offered the position of adminis-

trator of the hospital. In 1954, after much negotiating, Dr. W.J. Mangold purchased the hospital, to become known as the Lockney General Hospital. Mrs. Sherman saw many changes occur while working at the hospital. In 1958 more bed space was added as well as a new kitchen and dining room, operating rooms, delivery room, pharmacy, and the basement. The clinic was also remodeled. Also during her tenure as the administrator the hospital became the hospital district in 1973. Elfie said she, "enjoyed her work" at the hospital. She was employed there for 22 years, having retired in 1975.

Not being able to see herself as retired to a rocking chair, Elfie began an art studio where she gives art lessons. She has been actively painting for about 20 years. She began taking art lessons when she was about 12 years old from Mrs. Bevie K. (E.J.) Barker in Floydada. Mrs. Sherman said about her hobby, "it is an excellent form of creativity and self expression, and I enjoy teaching others to further their talents in the art field."

She enjoys all forms of painting including still life, landscapes, western scenes (which Shorty always encouraged her to paint). She teaches about four small classes per week and sometimes invites other art teachers to come to her studio to teach and conduct clinics.

In her spare time in the evenings she occupies herself with paintings, crochet, and crafts.

Mrs. Sherman has seen many changes in the art world in her years of painting. Demands for different forms of paintings are the biggest change. They have gone from soft art to decorative art, crafts, and landscapes. She says that people look for paintings that suit their tastes and needs.

Mrs. Sherman also took piano lessons while she was a child in school. A Baldwin baby grand piano, which was given to her by her father when she was about 10 years old, stands in her home today. He encouraged her to learn all she could about many art forms. She says that even though she plays very little now and has not purchased any music in several years, she can still play and thoroughly enjoys sitting down occasionally to play.

When asked what she remembered most about coming back to Lockney in 1948, Mrs. Sherman said that then, after the Depression, Lockney had grown and was a thriving community. "More people were going back to the farms to earn their livings."

Mrs. Sherman maintains a full schedule now with her art lessons. She also enjoys time spent with her children and grandchildren. She stays very busy but as she puts it, "I want it that way."

Protect against theft this holiday season

With the Christmas season upon us, particular attention should be given to security locking and protecting one's home against break-ins. The Christmas season brings more burglaries than any other time of the year. Not only are home broken in to, but vehicles as well.

Most perpetrators of holidays crimes find it easier to steal during the holidays because more merchandise is readily available. People display Christmas trees in windows with gifts in full view from the outside, becoming a great temptation.

Experts ask that if one wishes to put presents under trees next windows, one try to arrange them so that they are not visible from the outside of the house, put only a few presents under the tree, or wrap a few empty boxes for looks only. It is also advised that if you are leaving the house, even for a few minutes, close curtains and lock the house, since it takes a burglar less than 15 minutes to enter a house and remove several items from it.

With people traveling and visiting for extended periods of time through the holidays season, their houses make the easier targets for thieves. If one should plan to be away from home during the holidays, plans should be made to have a friend or neighbor check one's house once or twice a day to be sure the house

is locked and that no one has tried to gain forcible entry.

This would be a good time for Lockney residents to use the free public service offered by the Lockney Police Department. The department will physically check homes for residents who plan to be out of town. By letting them know when you are leaving town and filling out a form, the Police Department will check your home while you are gone.

With so many burglaries having occurred in the rural areas in the last two months, people residing on farms may want to have a neighbor check their homes while they are gone for the holidays also.

If one has a friend or neighbor checking their home while they are gone, one would do well to furnish them with a number where they could be reached in the event of an emergency.

Car break-ins have also increase with the holiday season. Shoppers should carry as many packages as possible with them. If they must leave them in the car, they should be locked in the trunk, not in the back seat where they are visible.

Protection of the home starts at home; make plans to lock your house and have it watched by a friend if you plan to be out of town.



THE FROG, portrayed by Clay Golden, waits for the kiss from the Princess, Jennifer Fortenberry, that will change him back into a prince.

4th grade presents Frog Prince for classmates

The 4th grade students at Lockney Elementary School presented the Frog Prince musical Thursday, December 8, at 2:30 for parents and students.

The students were under the direction of Amy Thornton, music teacher at the school.

Main characters in the play were Clay Golden as the Frog Prince, Jennifer Fortenberry-Princess, Rance Ford-Martin the Magician, Almandina Basaldua-Lady in Waiting, Curtis Briggs-King, Michelle Degado-Queen, Amy Gonzales-Rabbit, Cody Jackson-Lion, Matt Workman-Woodchuck, and Cody Montandon served as the soloist for the play.

Other 4th grade students in the play

were: Juanita Arebalo, Angelica Ber-nal, Daisey Blanco, Martha Harris, Jodie Hayes, Diana Hernandez, Monica Herrera, Jennifer Mangum, Yolanda Reyna, Lisa Smith, Elizabeth Widner, Cory Armstrong, Tony Ascencio, Freddy Felan, Ricky Griffith, Raul Molina, Brandon Poole, Julio Solis, Joe Sustaita, John Torres, Lee Truett, Christopher Villa, Faye Trentham, Jamie Cazaras, Chad Cook, Coy Davis, Elizabeth Garcia, Calixta Guerrero, Lanny Hardy, Jessica Lemons, Domingo Luna, Ignacio Luna, David Martin, Rosane Rendon, Robert Reyes, Rebecca Rodriguez, Juan Vargas, Joe Perez, Misty McAdoo, Jose Perez, Misty Burlingame, and Jason Robnett.

Boy's Ranch seeking donations

The annual drive to outfit all of the 380 boys of Cal Farley's Boys Ranch with new suits began today.

Purchasing new suits for the boys with donations of \$45.00 is favorite way for many friends of the Ranch to help at Christmastime.

"His first suit is something a boy never forgets," Virgil Patterson, Ranch President, said, "We want to make it a happy Christmas, not only for the boys now living at the Ranch but, also, for new boys who will be coming to us during the coming year."

Amarillo department stores cooperate with the Christmas Suit Fund by giving

special discounts on boy's suits. Other boys will receive gift packages of clothing that will include shirts, ties, jackets, trousers or other articles needed by them.

"A new suit or clothing package is the best Christmas gift any of our boys will receive," Mr. Patterson said, "It's a year-round reminder of those who really care."

Donations to the Christmas Suit Fund may be mailed to the Boys Ranch Office, P.O. Box 1890, Amarillo, Texas 79174, or be taken to the office at 600 West 11th Street in Amarillo.

Salvation Army drive underway

The annual fund drive to benefit the work of the Salvation Army in Lockney is under way.

Residents of Lockney and the surrounding communities are being contacted by fund drive workers. Anyone, however, wishing to donate may send his contribution to Salvation Army, c/o Art Barker at Lockney Insurance.

Salvation Army funds are administered in Lockney by Barker who processes requests and makes arrangements for emergency groceries, medical help or gasoline (in case of transients).

The local work also is supplemented by the offering taken at the annual community Thanksgiving service.



ART AND BARRY BARKER

Barker family longtime businessmen in Lockney

[Editor's Note: During the next several weeks we will be featuring businesses that are members of the Lockney Chamber of Commerce.]

Barker Insurance was begun in Lockney in 1954, however the Barker family has been in various businesses in Lockney since 1945.

The two Barke: businessmen said, "We enjoy Lockney and feel that this is the only home we will ever know,

because of the kind of people that live here in Lockney. We like to think of ourselves not only as business people, but also as community minded people."

Barry and Art Barker would like to thank all of the townspeople for their support of Barker Insurance through all the years and would like to let people know that they will attempt to provide "the best possible service to the community."

This Week

LIVE NATIVITY SCENE
Youth of United Methodist of Lockney will be presenting their annual live nativity scene on the lawn of the church Sunday, December 18, 7:30-8:30 p.m. There will be a short break at 8:00.

SANTA LETTERS
Kids get those letters to Santa Claus turned in to the Beacon. We will copy the letters and get them forwarded to Santa at the North Pole. Get them as soon as possible.

4-H PECANS
The 4-H pecans are now available. In Lockney pecans can be purchased at the Lockney Coop. Cost is \$4.00 for a one pound box. The pecans are fancy halves from Irish Acres in Lubbock and are excellent quality and they are just in time for Thanksgiving and Christmas baking.

CHRISTMAS GREETING PAGE
Silver Spurs H.S. Rodeo Club invites anyone wishing to have their name on a Christmas greeting page in the Beacon December 22 to call 652-3355 or 652-3727.

ANNIVERSARY
Raymond and Mildred Martin would like to invite all their friends and neighbors to help them celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary at their home, 521 South West 2nd, December 18 from 2-4:30 p.m.

PERSPECTIVES

By the Rev. Michael O'Connor

A Gift For The Child, Pt. 2

Wayne's quest to recapture the excitement of Christmas led him first to volunteer to be Santa Claus for the Christmas party his wife's club was having. Children would be there; he would hear their gift desires, give out some candy, and that would make him feel better about Christmas.

His excitement did indeed begin to grow as he rented his costume and practiced his "ho, ho, ho's". When the fateful night came, Wayne carefully dressed, then made a surprise visit to his own children.

"Ho, ho, ho! Merry Christmas!" he cried, bursting in the room where the children were. To his dismay, the older children began rolling on the floor, shrieking and laughing. The youngest, Richard, who was two and a half, stared in disbelief, then uttered a plaintive, "Daddy?"

"And why are you laughing at old Santa? Don't you want any presents under your tree?"

The oldest stopped laughing long enough to choke out, "Sure, Da...I mean Santa. Please don't bring us sticks. We'll be good, I pro..." Her promise was cut short as she again collapsed into hysterics.

Wayne gave up. His excitement was diminished some by his children's antics, but he decided the children at the party would be better. Threatening his own children not to give away the secret, he left to finish preparing for the

party. Erin, Thomas, and Richard did behave that night, playing along for their father's sake, more so than for consideration of their ability to sit the next day. The other children were not quite as considerate of Wayne's needs.

A couple were outright brats, kicking shins, pulling on his beard, punching his pillow padded stomach. Another child, forced by his mother to sit on Santa's lap in spite of her loud protests, relieved herself of the night's punch. The resulting delay to find some new pants and change into them brought protests, in often impolite language, from both parents and children.

Wayne was thoroughly out of the Christmas spirit by the end of the evening. He had been blamed for scaring the children, no one offered to pay for cleaning his Santa suit, and he had been astonished at the depth of the children's greed. Some had extremely long lists of wants, while others seemed to think if they told him their sibling were bad, they would then get better presents. What in the world had happened to the modern generation? Surely his generation had been better than that. Expressing his thoughts to his wife brought the comment, "I doubt it."

After arriving at home and putting the children to bed, Wayne excused himself. He settled himself in his favorite chair closed his eyes, and went promptly to sleep.

"All animals are equal, but some animals are more equal than others."
George Orwell

Lockney Care Center Capers

By Mavis Barton & Mary Jo Fielding

Last week the First Baptist Church of Silverton delivered fruit baskets to the residents from there.

We are having a Christmas party on Dec. 16th hosted by the BPW group of Lockney.

We have really had a wild two weeks; the state auditor has been here. To our surprise, it was Garland Sams, Jr., a former resident of Lockney. We all enjoyed his warmth, loving, caring attitude he showed the residents, but he sure kept Jackie and Laverne busy looking through the files. We also had the State Department of Health Inspectors. They found no deficiencies and no problems. Whew!

Jackie Gerhardt finished her school. She has been attending since August 17th. She really is glad it's over.

The 22nd of December is our Resident's Christmas Party and the public is invited. It will begin at 6:30 p.m.

We had our Christmas decorations up, but over the weekend two of the residents ran over the Christmas tree with their wheelchairs! Back to the drawing board, again.

Sincere sympathy to the family of J.T. "Boots" Strickland from the residents and staff here at the Care Center.

The first Wednesday in each month we have a birthday party for all birthdays in that month, with two kinds of cake and punch, which is so generously provided by the ladies from the West Side Church of Christ club. But for a while we didn't think we had a birthday to celebrate. Nobody could find Donie Hanson. Finally they found her and brought her to the dining room.

It was 3:30 p.m. and I saw Kim Sherman in the lobby. Janis brings ceramics next Wednesday. I hope I have time to finish Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus before Xmas.

Thursday, 8th: This morning Jackie was manicurist again. I missed last time and it was getting close to church time so Jackie only had time to clean the old polish off and put one coat of new polish on. I think I'll have to wait until next week for the second coat.

Well this afternoon Jackie and some of the residents were putting up the Xmas tree and everybody helped to decorate it. It looked real pretty and

Jackie got step ladder and hammer and put up strings of colored tinsel. She started down at the mens quarters and let two tinsel strings hang down each side of the door of the homes two sweethearts, Richard Lanham and Lewis Roberts.

Friday, 9th: Bessie Hunt had a Xmas card and she was showing everybody. It was writing my news, when she came in and showed me her card and when she opened it it played "Holy Night, Silent Night." I thought that was a beautiful card.

Mary Jo and myself were in the lunch room drawing around the inside of a punched out leaf, Xmas stocking and reindeer, for Jackie when we heard ringing start, we both looked at each other and said, church. Then Jackie came and said, you can go to church if we wanted to. She thought she had enough.

We had Bingo this afternoon and Myrtle Payne won Blackout. As we were coming out of the lunchroom Jackie had E.M. Pyle, (Esker and Rose Pyles son) to help her put up the rest of the decorations.

Larry, my younger son who lives in Lubbock, came up last Thursday and we went to Plainview to do some Xmas shopping. I will be going home this weekend, and I am hoping I can get the rest of it done.

Donna Moats named to society

Donna Moats, a senior at West Texas State University from Lockney, is one of 56 new members of Alpha Chi, national scholastic honor society, to be initiated during the 50th anniversary year.

The Texas Zeta Chapter of Alpha Chi was founded at WTSU as the sixth chapter in June of 1923. To become members, students must be juniors or seniors in the top 10 percent of their

respective classes with a grade point average of 3.5 or higher on a 4.0 scale, have completed at least 30 semester credit hours at WTSU and be enrolled for at least nine hours. Invitations are issued for membership.

Moats, who is majoring in elementary education, is the daughter of Bill and Wanda Moats. She is a member of Kappa Delta Pi, national honor society in education.

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GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY—Robin and Ruth Fortenberry will be honored with a reception on December 11, 1983 from 2-5:00 p.m. at the Massie Activity Center in Floydada. The celebration is being hosted by their sons and wives, Eldon and Nelda Fortenberry of Hereford and Durrel and Patricia Fortenberry of Lockney. They wish to extend an invitation to all their friends and relatives to come celebrate this special occasion with them.

Lockney Hospital Notes

December 5-12

Wade Martin, Flomot, adm. 11-30, dis. 12-7.

Grace Colson, Lockney, adm. 11-30, dis. 12-7.

Patricia Lavy, Silverton, adm. 11-30, dis. 11-6.

Eunice Covington, Floydada, adm. 12-3, dis. 12-11.

Pauline Sams, Lockney, adm. 12-5, dis. 12-11.

Maria Gutierrez, Plainview, adm. 12-5, dis. 12-6.

Consuela Talamantez, Tulia, adm. 12-6, dis. 12-9.

Lois Duncan, Plainview, adm. 12-5, dis. 12-10.

Gloria Benavidez, Kress, adm. 12-5, dis. 12-7.

Esiquio Ybarra, Petersburg, adm. 12-7, continues care.

Terry Taylor, Matador, adm. 12-7, twin girls, Leslie Michele and Lisa Richele, born 12-7, dis. 12-12.

Melvin Thacker, Lockney, adm. 12-6, continues care.

Liz Bulter, Lockney, adm. 12-7, baby girl Tiffany, born 12-7, dis. 12-8.

Margaret Frizzell, Silverton, adm. 12-10, continues care.

Bill Darden, Lockney, adm. 12-10, transferred 12-11.

Robert McDonald, Lockney, adm. 12-10, continues care.

William Hogland, Matador, adm. 12-10, continues care.

Rita Hernandez, Floydada, adm. 12-10, continues care.

Esperanza Luna, Lockney, adm. 12-8, baby boy Joe Daniel, born 12-8, dis. 12-10.

Robert Ryan, Lockney, adm. 12-10, continues care.

Ortencia Luna, Plainview, adm. 12-12, continues care.

Barbara Walker, Plainview, adm. 12-11, continues care.

Analais Suitt, Floydada, adm. 12-11, continues care.

Effie Parker, Lockney, adm. 12-11, continues care.

Clarks set reception

Mr. and Mrs. J.F. Clark will observe their 50th wedding anniversary with a reception on December 18 in Fellowship Hall of First Baptist Church. Friends and relatives are invited to attend the event scheduled between the hours of 2 and 4:30 p.m.

Hosting the reception will be the honoree's six children and their spouses. They are Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ray Clark of Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Dee Clark of Friona, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Richard Clark of Chicago, Illinois, Mr. and Mrs. John (Joann) White of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Lee (Euna Mae) McAfee of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy (Shirley) Henderson of Dimmitt. The couple has 18 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren. They expect most of their 50 descendants to be present for the celebration including a grandson, who is stationed in the U.S. Army in Germany.

Clark and the former Earline Byars were married on December 26, 1933 in Clovis, New Mexico. They established residence in the Aiken community west

of Lockney, where both had lived prior to their marriage.

Better known as Johnnie, Clark was born in Waxachie and moved with his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Aron Clark, to Hollis, Oklahoma when he was a small child. They returned to Texas in 1923.

Mrs. Clark is a native of Lockney and is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Baylor Byars. She began her schooling at Irick and then transferred to Aiken school. The school she attended is now the building used by First Baptist Church of Aiken.

After farming in the Lockney area for 18 years, the couple moved to Hart in 1951 and settled on the Tomlinson farm, northwest of town. They lived there until they purchased the Bearden house in Hart in 1979.

The couple are members of First Baptist Church. Clark has served on the board of Hart Cooperative Gin and was an original partner in the Hart of the Plains Gin when a group of farmers owned it.



MR. AND MRS. J.F. CLARK

Dear Friends,

We had a hot dry summer but the fall rains came and the grass came out and the cemetery is in good shape again.

It is through your generous support that we can continue to maintain the cemetery and we deeply appreciate your interest and help in the upkeep of the cemetery.

No one is on the payroll except the people who do the manual labor of the upkeep.

Please send your contributions to the Lockney Cemetery Association, P.O. Box 85, Lockney, Texas 79241. Or you may leave them at the First National Bank, Lockney, with June McDonald.

Thank you for your support.

Sincerely,
/s/ J.D. Copeland
President

Athenas enjoy German Christmas

Athena Jr. Study Club members met Friday evening in the party room of the City National Bank of Plainview for a Christmas party, German style. Christa Smith, the German and French teacher at Wayland, and her son, Derek prepared and served the meal. German sausage, boiled ham, hot potato salad, sauerkraut, dark rye bread, almond cakes, coffee and tea were enjoyed as well as the delightful company of Mrs. Smith and Derek.

After the meal, the group was given a demonstration of the German style polka with the "Oompah" music that is most often associated with the polka. Then some club members gave Mrs. Smith a demonstration of the "Texas" style polka. Needless to say "a good time was had by all". Mrs. Smith talked to the party about customs of the

Germans and how Christmas is celebrated there. Since so many of our customs and traditions came to us through our German ancestors, there is really not a great difference.

Home baked goodies were exchanged by the club members husbands and "garage sale treasures" were exchanged by the women!

In attendance were Barbara and Warren Mathis, Vida and Paul Hrbacek, Virginia and Eugene Owens, Cindy and Charles Smith, Donnie and Doug Meriwether, Tanya and Jack Covington, Jill and Larry Golden, D'Lynn Morgan and Brett Parsley, Barbara and Jerry Cawley, Vera Jo and Donnie Bybee, Judy and Clar Schacht, Sandra and Roy Lee Turley, Charlotte Mitchell, Martha Sue Lusk, and Mary Ann Kring.

Christmas party held by school faculty members

Saturday evening, Dec. 10, the annual Christmas party of the Lockney Independent School District faculty was held at the elementary school cafeteria.

Special guests included Mildred Zeigler of Plainview, Emma Thomas, Leona Watson, Hazel Johnson, Merle Mooney, Lucille Frizzell and Polly Gilbert, retired teachers; and Elsie Peckham of

Plainview and Mary Ansley, retired school nurses.

Entertainment was provided by Amy Thornton, piano; Shelia Poole, Jessie and James Whitis, Dub Hallmark, Nancy Ray, D'Lynn Morgan, Myron Wilson and Raymond Lusk, members of the faculty who sang carols. A brass quartet composed of Lusk, Wilson, Whitis and John Lewis played yuletide

songs. Table centerpieces of pine cone-filled baskets were given to the special guests. Other guests included school board members and spouse and spouses of faculty members.

High school faculty members were in charge of arrangement for the turkey and dressing meal, which was supplemented by covered dishes.

December Renewal Notices

The following subscriptions to the Beacon are due for renewal in December. Payments may be made by mail by sending checks to the Lockney Beacon, Box 187, Lockney, Texas 79241 or by bringing payments to the Beacon office located at 211 N. Main in Lockney. Subscription rates are as follows in Floyd County \$11.50 per year, out-of-county residents \$12.50 per year.

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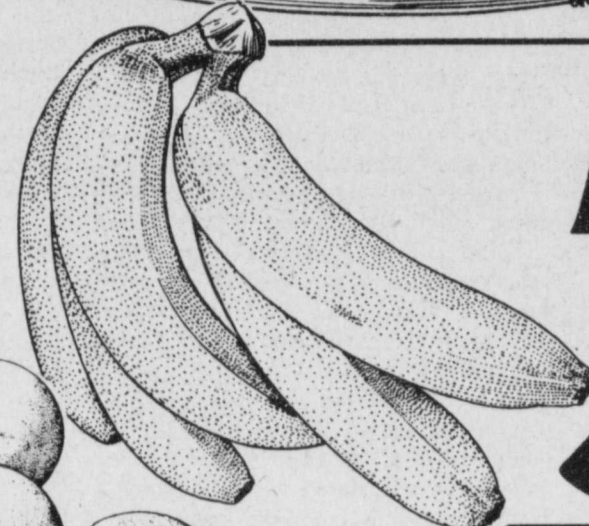
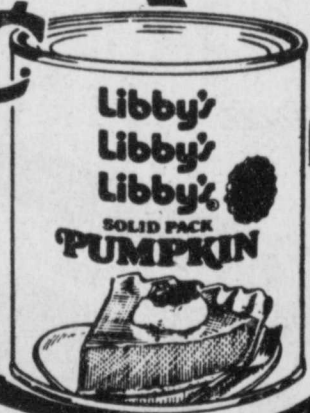
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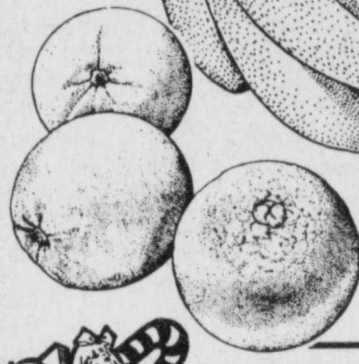
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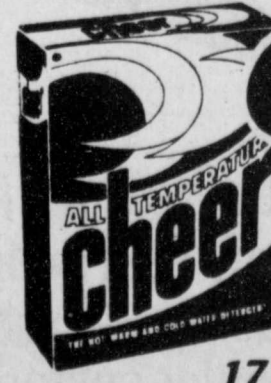
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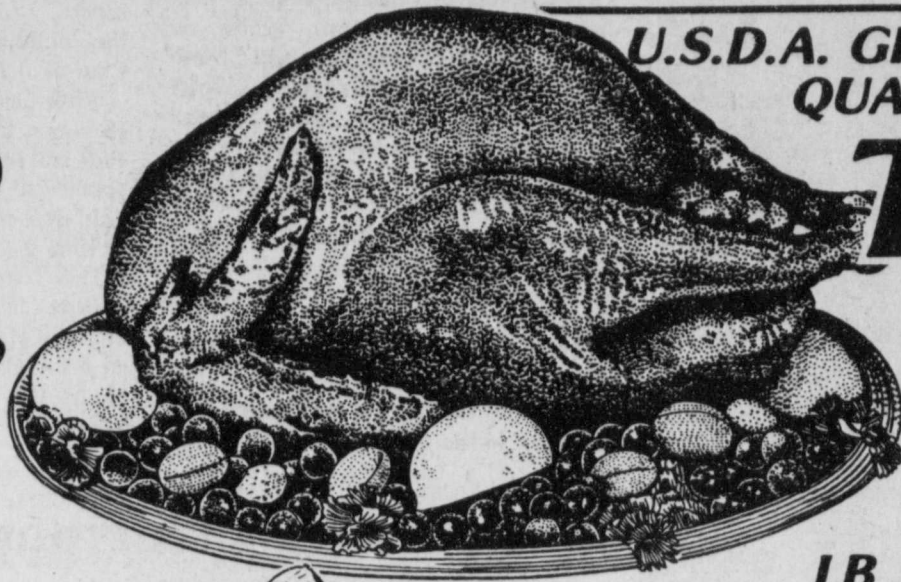
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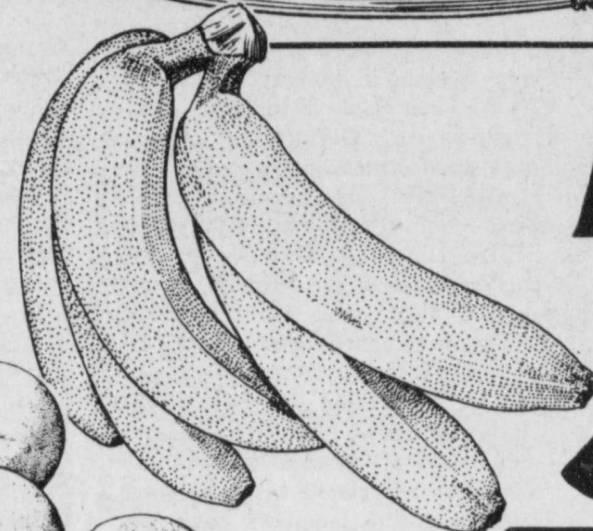
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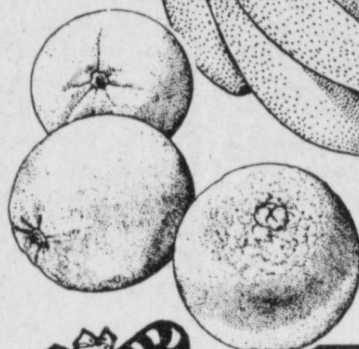


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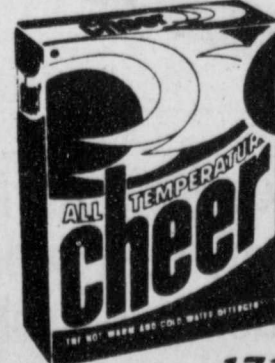
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MEMBERS of the 7th grade boys basketball team include [back]: Jaime McDonald, Lupe Gonzales, Chad Jackson, Erik Anderson, Coach Phil Cotham, and [front] Jeff Webb, Herman Ballejo, Louis Luna, Robby Ryan, and Colt Golden.

Coach's Comments

By Nancy Ray

Last week the varsity girls lost to Sudan in a tough defensive game. High scorer was Karyn Foster with 12 points and Shawnda Brock and Jerri Ann McCormick with 9 each. Sudan is a very aggressive team and we just didn't play up to par in that game.

Then this weekend we were in the Ralls tournament and took 3rd place. Our first game against Frenship was lost by 4 points. We had a lot of trouble putting our shots in the basket that game - we only shot 28% that day. High point in that game was Karyn Foster with 14. We won our next game against

Union by 54 points in one of the best games we've ever played - especially offensively. Brock did an outstanding job and made 33 points followed by Foster making 15 and McCormick with 8. Then we played Frenship again on Saturday for 3rd place and won by one

point. Foster had 14 points while Brock had nine and Irene Cantu had eight. We led the whole game but almost lost it over foul trouble. Our next games will be against Hale Center and then this coming weekend we will be in the Olton tournament playing Kress first.

8th grade wins third in Floydada

The 8th grade boys basketball team participated in a tournament December 1-3 in Floydada.

The first game of the tournament was against Tulia. Lockney defeated Tulia by a score of 37 to 11. High point scorers for the game were Javier Bernal with 12 points. Ron Cates, Michael Gatica, Clay Adrian, and Pat Briggs added to the victory score with 4 points each.

The second game of the tournament pitted Lockney against Floydada. Lockney was not able to do as well in this game being defeated by the Whirlwinds

with a final score of 42-29. High pointers of the game were Todd Hallmark with nine and Javier Bernal with eight.

The third game of the tournament pitted Lockney against Crosbyton. Lockney came out with a 28-25 victory. High pointers for the game were Javier Bernal with 10 points and Jimmy Ballejo with six.

The eighth grade team not only won two games of the tournament but also came out with a 3rd place trophy.



8th GRADE BOYS BASKETBALL team members include [back]: Ron Cates, Javier Bernal, Joel Mitchell, DeWayne McDonald, Aaron Kidd, Michael Gatica, Coach Cotham, [center] Pat Briggs, Albert Martinez, John Herrera, Ruben Valdez, Jerome Widner, [front] Oscar Reyna, Todd Hallmark, Matt Williams, Jimmy Ballejo and Clay Adrian.

JV win two out of four

The Lockney JV boys team played four games last week. The first game was played against Sudan. Lockney played a very good game and won with a score of 48-22. High pointers for the game were Johnny Torrez with 14 and Jerry Mathis with 13.

The JV then journeyed to Muleshoe to participate in the Muleshoe Junior Varsity tournament. The first game for the Horns was against Shallowater. The Horns won this game with a score of 60 to 56. High pointers for the game were Johnny Torrez with 29 and David

Sutterfield with 12.

The second game of the tournament saw the Horns JV lose by one point to Muleshoe. Final score of the game was Lockney 44, Muleshoe 45. High pointers for the game were David Sutterfield with 12 points and Jerry Mathis with 9.

The third game pitted Lockney against Dimmitt. The Horns lost this game by three points. Final score was Dimmitt 48, Lockney 45. High pointers were Johnny Torrez with 19, Jerry Mathis and David Sutterfield, with 11 each.

Varsity has disappointing week

The varsity boys played Sudan last week and were dealt a defeat with the final score of the game being 50 to 38. Coach Bob Purser said the boys played a very disappointing game. High pointers for the game were Buffo Rodriguez with 13 and Robert Rendon with 8.

The second game for the varsity last week was played at the Ralls tournament. The Horn varsity played the Ralls JV. The Horns won the game with a score of 57-31. High pointers were Buffo Rodriguez with 14, Abel Salas with 10,

and Cookie Vasquez with 9.

Next Lockney played the Ralls varsity and were defeated. Final score was Lockney 43, Ralls 81. High pointers were Abel Salas with 12 and Paul Moats with 10.

Lockney also played Spearman last week. The Horns were again defeated by a score of 79 to 51. High pointers for this game were Paul Moats and Ritchie Thornton with 14 each, and Buffo Rodriguez with 12.

In times like these...

By Mary Jo Fielding

Throughout Grenada there are Grenadians carrying placards with the message: "Yankees don't go home." The prevailing feeling is that the island will go unprotected and Havana and Moscow will try to recover their influence by restoring a Marxist regime. President Reagan, in the middle of November, found himself free to keep troops there as long as the Grenadians think may be necessary. U.S. military leaders told Congress they still hoped to be out of Grenada early this month. However, one of them, Army Gen. John Wickham cautioned against leaving behind "a nascent insurgency" that could undo the achievements of the invasion.

Construction of a U.S. military station is underway at Point Salines, where there is a 10,000 ft. long airstrip built by the Cubans. The U.S. presence will be seen for months, not just weeks. Castro's troops took a beating in Grenada. He might put some pressure on U.S. base at Guantanamo Bay, but it is unlikely for he knows that the U.S. would strike back. In the U.S. news it is affectionally referred to as "Gitmo." The U.S. pays Cuba \$2,000 in gold as rent for Gitmo under a lease. There are 2,322 Navy and Marine personnel, and 2,474 dependents there. Guantanamo

covers 45 square miles on Cuba's southeast shore and includes yacht club, an 18 hole golf course, racquet course, 28 lane bowling alley, beaches. It all reads like a "Who's Who" among U.S. naval bases.

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Information about your changing telephone service from Jim West, Community Relations Manager

What will and won't change

With the separation — or "divestiture" — of AT&T now less than a month away, I'd like to use this column to review what will and won't change about your Southwestern Bell Telephone service come January.

Actually, the biggest change for many customers will simply be who will provide which services. The way you use your telephone won't change at all.

However, since customers no longer will be able to take care of all their telecommunications needs from Southwestern Bell Telephone, it's important to know where to go for a particular need.

With that in mind, here's a breakdown on how divestiture will (and won't) affect you:

Local service

Southwestern Bell Telephone will continue to provide local service after it is separated from AT&T. To start, stop, change or move local service, you will do the same as you now do — call your Southwestern Bell Telephone business office.

Long distance service

Beginning January 1, Southwestern Bell Telephone will also provide long distance service — but only within your surrounding area. Calls outside this area will be handled by other long distance companies, including AT&T.

Telephone sets

Between now and the first of the year, you have the option of buying single line and one-party telephones in your home that you now lease from Southwestern Bell Telephone. If you decide to continue leasing your telephone sets, ownership of this equipment will be transferred to AT&T January 1. Of course, you'll still have the option of purchasing new telephone equipment from a variety of suppliers. In fact, Southwestern Bell Corporation has formed a subsidiary, Southwestern Bell Telecom, which will

market telecommunications equipment for multi-line business customers beginning next year. The company also is considering entering the single-line business and residence telephone markets.

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If you continue to lease the telephone(s) now in your home, repair of those sets will be performed by AT&T. Telephones purchased from Southwestern Bell Telephone before the end of this year also will be serviced by AT&T beginning in January, but you'll be charged for those repairs if your set is out of warranty.

Repair of telephone lines will still be handled by Southwestern Bell Telephone.

Billing

At divestiture, you'll continue to receive one monthly bill for all services you presently receive. This bill — to be produced by Southwestern Bell Telephone — will list charges separately according to the type of service received and who will provide that service. Since Southwestern Bell Telephone will act as a billing agent for AT&T, the total amount due on your bill will continue to be payable to Southwestern Bell Telephone.

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If you have other questions about divestiture, feel free to contact me at the address below. Or, call Southwestern Bell's toll-free number for divestiture information — 1 800 555-5000 — anytime between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

At Southwestern Bell Telephone, we believe the more you know about what will and won't change with divestiture, the easier this transition will be for you.

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Cook of the Week

Merle Mooney enjoys cooking for family and friends. She has chosen two of her families favorite holiday recipes to share with our readers.

Apricot Twists (A favorite of all our family for Christmas morning breakfast.)

Dough: 1 c. milk, 1/2 c. butter or margarine, 2 pkg. yeast dissolved in 1/4 c. warm water, 4 eggs, beaten, 1 tsp. grated lemon rind.

5 c. flour (about), 1 tsp. salt, 1/2 c. sugar.

Scald milk, stir in butter, salt, and sugar. Cool until lukewarm. Mix in dissolved yeast. Add eggs and lemon rind; mix well. Add flour gradually to make a soft dough. Knead lightly until dough is smooth and satiny. Place in greased bowl nd let rise in warm place until doubled in bulk — about 2 hours. Punch down and knead lightly again.

Divide dough into fourths. Roll each fourth into oblong strips. brush with melted butter then spread 2/3 of oblong with cooked, mashed apricots. Turn buttered third down one third, then bottom 1/2 up onto top 1/2. Seal edges. Cut into strips about an inch wide and twist as put into pan.

Prepare 2 large jelly roll pans by covering bottom of pans with the following: 1 1/2 c. brown sugar, 3/4 c. Karo, 3/4 butter (Or more if needed). Cook until well melted.

Apricot filling: 2-6 oz. pkg. dried apricots cooked in water to cover until very tender. Add 1/2 c. or more sugar to taste. Mash, then spread on dough when cooled.

When all the twists are in the pans, let rise until double. Bake at 350° F. about 20 minutes or until golden brown. Immediately turn out on sheets of foil.

Crab Meat Mold

(My family's favorite for an appetizer.)

1 can cream of shrimp soup, 2-3 oz. pkg. cream cheese, 1 c. mayonnaise, 1/4 c. minced onion, 2 envelopes unflavored gelatin, 1 c. cold water, 1 c. crab meat, 1 c. celery, cut fine.

Combine soup, cheese and onion and heat until cheese is melted. Blend in mayonnaise, remove from heat. In saucepan stir gelatin in water over low heat until dissolved. Stir in soup mixture and add crab meat and celery. Pour into fish mold or ring mold nd set. Unmold and decorate with pimientos and pitted ripe olives. Serve with crackers.



MERLE MOONEY

Highlights

AFTERNOON: 12:05 (4) ★★ 1/2 "BUS RILEY'S BACK IN TOWN" (1965, Drama) Ann-Margret, Michael Parks. A young Navy man returns to find that the girl who rejected him in the past wants to start a new relationship.

it, a housewife dips into the family savings account without her husband's knowledge or consent.

man is murdered, his daughter and her boyfriend are accused of the crime.

11:10 (4) ★★ 1/2 "BATTLE HYMN" (1957, Drama) Rock Hudson, Martha Hyer. A gentle chaplain is able to dispel his guilty feelings and become a military hero during World War II.

11:30 (9) ★★ 1/2 "CAST A GIANT SHADOW" (1966, Biography) Kirk Douglas, John Wayne. Colonel David Marcus supervises the training of Israeli soldiers in 1949.

8:00 (24) ★★ "THE SOUND OF ANGEL" (1968, Drama) Burl Ives, James Farentino. After a wealthy

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Highlights

AFTERNOON: 12:05 (4) ★★ 1/2 "SHADOW OVER ELVERON" (1968, Drama) James Franciscus, Leslie Nielsen. After the sheriff murders a young boy, an incorruptible man sets out to bring dignity back to the hearts of the townspeople.

Rush. A famous hunter almost loses his life because of a coward's actions.

gentle folk singer befriends a 13-year-old Canadian boy who retreats to the mountains to do some soul-searching.

8:00 (1) ★★ "OH GOD! BOOK II" (1980, Comedy) Gene Borkin, Suzanne Pleshette. God returns to Earth and chooses the young daughter of an advertising executive to spread his message to the world. (R)

8:30 (4) ★★ "THE LAST DAY" (1975, Western) Richard Widmark, Robert Conrad.

SATURDAY DECEMBER 17, 1983

Grid of TV programs for Saturday, December 17, 1983, listing channels (4, 5, 9, 11, 13, 28, 34), networks (WBNS, KTVT, WGN, KCBD, KLBK, KAMC, KJAA), and various shows like Starcade, U.S. Farm Report, and The Flintstones.

Highlights

AFTERNOON: 12:00 (24) ★★ "SANTA FE TRAIL" (1940, Western) Errol Flynn, Olivia de Havilland. The fight for "bloody Kansas" takes place during the pre-Civil War days when George Custer and Jim Stuart began their military careers.

blind trust in the help offered by her financier fiance in locating the killer. 4:00 (24) ★★ 1/2 "SOMETHING FOR A LONELY MAN" (1968, Drama) Dan Blocker, Susan Clark. A young woman helps a courageous man in his attempt to recover a locomotive to be used to help their town prosper.

baron himself returns and goes on a killing spree. 3:00 (9) ★★ 1/2 "TWENTY-FOUR HOURS TO KILL" (1965, Drama) Mickey Rooney, Walter Szrak. A gang of smugglers force an airliner down for a layover in Lebanon.

1:00 (4) ★★ 1/2 "THE LUSTY MEN" (1952, Drama) Susan Hayward, Robert Mitchum. A cowboy does everything to become a rodeo star. 1:30 (2) ★★ "THE TIME OF THEIR LIVES" (1946, Comedy) Bud Abbott, Lou Costello. Ghosts from the Revolutionary War seek to prove their innocence to release them from an earthbound curse. 2:00 (24) ★★ 1/2 "ARTISTS AND MODELS" (1955, Comedy) Dean Martin, Jerry Lewis. An artist lands a position creating comic strips. 3:00 (5) ★★ 1/2 "DINNER AT THE RITZ" (1937, Mystery) Annabella, David Niven. The daughter of a murdered French banker places

11:00 (2) ★★ "MIRACLE ON 34TH STREET" (No Date.) 2:00 (3) ★★ "BARON BLOOD" (1972, Horror) Joseph Cotten, Elke Sommer. When the old castle of a vampire baron is restored, the

6:00 (9) ★★ "KING KONG ESCAPES" (1968, Science-Fiction) Rhodes Reason, Linda Miller. D. Who constructs a giant robot and pits it against King Kong in a struggle for world domination. 10:30 (9) ★★ 1/2 "MURDERER'S ROW" (1966, Comedy) Dean Martin, Ann-Margret. A retired spy is called in to protect a famous scientist from foreign powers. 11:00 (2) "MIRACLE ON 34TH STREET" (No Date.) 2:00 (3) ★★ "BARON BLOOD" (1972, Horror) Joseph Cotten, Elke Sommer. When the old castle of a murdered French banker places



SUNDAY DECEMBER 18, 1983

Table of TV programs for Sunday, December 18, 1983. Columns include time slots (7:00-12:30), channels (WTBS, KXTX, WGN, KCB, KLBK, KAMC, KJAA, HBO, SHOW, ESPN), and program titles.

Highlights

AFTERNOON

12:00 (9) ** "CHARLIE CHAN AT THE OPERA" (1936, Mystery) Warner Oland, Helen Wood. Chan is called in to solve a mysterious murder involving the opera.

EVENING

8:00 (1) *** 1/2 "NATIONAL LAMPOON'S ANIMAL HOUSE" (1978, Comedy) John Belushi, Tim Matheson. Members of a raucous college fraternity, the Delta, endanger the continuation of their collegiate careers with food fights, wild parties and outlandish practical jokes.

MONDAY DECEMBER 19, 1983

Table of TV programs for Monday, December 19, 1983. Columns include time slots (7:00-12:30), channels (WTBS, KXTX, WGN, KCB, KLBK, KAMC, KJAA, HBO, SHOW, ESPN), and program titles.

Highlights

MORNING

8:05 (4) *** "LITTLE MISS MARKER" (1934, Drama) Shirley Temple, Adolphe Menjou. A little girl is raised by bookies and racketeers.

AFTERNOON

12:05 (4) ** "GUNPOINT" (1966, Western) Audie Murphy, Joan Staley. A lawman organizes a posse to pursue a gang of train robbers who abducted a dance-hall queen.

EVENING

7:05 (4) *** "A DREAM FOR CHRISTMAS" (1973, Drama) Hari Rhodes, Beah Richards. A reverend finds that the church in his new parish is soon to be torn down to make way for a shopping center.

TUESDAY DECEMBER 20, 1983

Table of TV programs for Tuesday, December 20, 1983. Columns include time slots (7:00-12:30), channels (WTBS, KXTX, WGN, KCB, KLBK, KAMC, KJAA, HBO, SHOW, ESPN), and program titles.

Highlights

AFTERNOON

12:05 (4) ** "REUNION" (1980, Drama) Kevin Dobson, Joanna Cassidy. A man becomes romantically interested in his high school sweetheart's teen-age daughter.

EVENING

7:00 (9) *** "SILENT NIGHT, LONELY NIGHT" (1969, Romance) Lloyd Bridges, Shirley Jones. A pair of strangers seek comfort from each other as they undergo personal crises on Christmas Eve.

WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 21, 1983

Table of TV programs for Wednesday, December 21, 1983. Columns include time slots (7:00-12:30), channels (WTBS, KXTX, WGN, KCB, KLBK, KAMC, KJAA, HBO, SHOW, ESPN), and program titles.

Highlights

AFTERNOON

12:05 (4) ** "DESERT LEGION" (1953, Adventure) Alan Ladd, Arlene Dahl. A member of the French Foreign Legion joins forces with a sheik bent on war to further his domain.

EVENING

7:00 (9) ** "THE LEMON DROP KID" (1951, Comedy) Bob Hope, Marilyn Maxwell. A gangster receives a bad tip and insists that his informer deliver \$10,000 within a month.

rebels against her father's intentions to withhold dowries from his three daughters so that they cannot marry.